Abilene. le An Cubines Bollsburt. 41 Rorrefpondeng und Beft Ceres, Ú١ Daß Land bier ift febr verfdieben. Diet es ift tefer Gand, Chocoladenfare dig, bie jum fondriftin pedigen, Bed richoden. Taplor Coonty ift ihrilmeise gebirgie, bee Webirge geben bon Often sad Bellen. Gie fengen ichen in Bole que Co, un, und gehen bis El Pojo Co. 34 man fieht benjelben Sobengung bis Rem Megico und man behauptet, daß eb die Andianfer von die Rody Mountains Die Geberge find mit Bebern bemadfen, Sonft giebt es her nad Mubfuit, und aud fleine Bidenmale bungen, 3m großen Ganjen ift bas Bolg bier nicht jo viel, wie bort im Die 34 bente id gabe jest bie Gegend file grous und magrheitigetern befdelben 3m Boll bas Bemand mehr mfe fen will, bet fann fich en mid oten 28m. Bead, steraud an Graft Bate|4 perku, 34 meibe jeht von ber Glabt Ebile. ne berichten. Die Glabt ift nad febt jung, por 18 Johren follen fier eint e ernige Sieres gewefen fein, jehl tednet man, beğ 10 bis 12000. Ginmehner hier | find and es lowmen jeden Tog mier. ET ift gules Betjepland bier. Lab. lot Co, bat bufet Jahr 24,000 Bl, Beigen gejogen, es batte ban breifage, mehn; es eimes mehr geregnet balle. Bir haben bier im Moi, Juli, und Mafangs Dieter, Regen gehabl. Dod i d melle ja nen ber jungen Beliftebi beridten, befürdte aber, bag bas Ding ju lang mub. Drem sädfes Di ber tru id ges Beija D. & feine ware reipondens belehen babe, bind bie finer mer bort fertig mit bem Grob, and nobl teilmeile mit bem Gelbe. Dier il Collerpiden Loc an ber Lageforde mung. Es warb pon 85 Cent bis \$1,4 00 per 100 lbs bezählt, Ded gerng für biesmal. Rel von Abricac, Mit Gruf an alle Leler. _ Em Bejer.

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The land here has many variations. Here is deep sand, chocolate colored, and also pitch black prairie dirt. Taylor county is somewhat hilly, the hills run from east to west. They start in Bosque county and reach all the way to El Paso county. Yes, one sees the same mountains all the way to New Mexico and they say that they are the foot hills of the Rocky Mountains. The hills are covered with cedars. We also have mesquite and a few oak groves. But there isn't as much wood here as there is further east

I think I gave a detailed and truthful description of this area. In case somebody would like more information they can contact me or Mr. Wm. Baack and also Mr. Ernst Wukasch.

Now I will give a report about the city of Abilene. The town is still very new, 15 years ago the first stores sprang up, now we have 10,000 to 12,000 inhabitants and there are more coming every day.

The land is good for wheat. Taylor county produced 24,000 bushels of wheat this year, we would have tripled that if we would have had more rain. Well, I was going to report about the new world-town, but I am afraid it will get too long so I'll report about it the next time.

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