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In Dixie cotton loves to grow
With leaf of green and ball of snow:
There waves the golden wheat and corn
In Dixie Land where I was born,
Away down South in Dixie,
Away, away, away down South in Dixie.

In Dixie sweetest roses bloom,
The jasmine yields its rare perfume,
And here the sea breeze haunts the South
With orange blossoms in her mouth;
Away down South in Dixie,
Away, away, away down South in Dixie.

In Dixieland we love to give
With generous hand—we love to live
With cheerful light and open door;
What matter if the wind do roar?
The heart is warm in Dixie,
Away, away, away down South in Dixie.

In Dixie skies are "Bonnie Blue"
And Southern hearts are warm and true.
Let there be love throughout the world,
The pure white flag of peace unfurled,
Floats away down South in Dixie,
Away, away, away down South in Dixie.

In Dixie Land 'tis sweet to rove
Thro' piny woods and sweet-gum grove;
And, hark! The Rebel mocking bird
With sweetest song you ever heard
Sings away down South in Dixie!
Away, away, away down South in Dixie!

In other lands 'tis sweet to roam..
But Dixie Land is home, sweet home,
And Southern maid with simple song
Loves dear old Dixie, right or wrong,
God bless the land of Dixie!
Away, away, away down South in Dixie.

[This song or poem was written by Mrs. I. M. P. Ockenden of Montgomery, Ala., who is the author of many Southern songs. She is an intimate friend of Mrs. Van Glahn and Mrs. McAlexander.]

NEIGHBORING NEWS.

THINGS GATHERED FROM THE LEADING LOCAL PAPERS.

SAN SABA.

Rector, Brown & Seiders sold for Jas. R. Sweet heirs 350 acres of land in northwest part of the county to H. Chamberlain for $1000.

Frank and Sam Bull of Mills county were with the cattlemen of this county last week, and bought 54 two-year old steers, 40 from I. M. Harkey and 14 from S. C. McCarley, at $18.

R. M. Hanna of Bowser was in San Saba Monday and said the hail totally destroyed his thirty acre field of corn that was from waist to shoulder high, leaving only the stubs of the stalks, and that other neighbors were as badly injured.

The Llano district conference of the M. E. church south, will meet with the San Saba church on Thursday, the 9th day of July. In connection with this conference will be the district conference of the Epworth League, the Woman's Foreign Mission Society and the Woman's Home Mission Society.

J. P. Miller and Miss Emma Norman were married Thursday of last week at the home of the bride's father, W. P. Norman, at Rock Springs in Mills county. The father of the groom, Mr. T. W. Miller, who lives on the Goldthwaite road, about seven miles north from town, gave an infair supper last Saturday night. About fifty guests were present. They will make their home on the farm of Mr. Miller's father for awhile.—News.

COMANCHE.

Darling Boyd died of consumption at Gustine Monday. He was shot in the arm by Allen Alsup about a year ago.

In the cases of Robert Bruton and Bishop Lowry, charged with criminal assault, special venires of 75 men each have been summoned by Sheriff Jay for June 29.

Prof. C. G. Green, former superintendent of the Wolfe City schools, was elected principal of Comanche schools by the board Monday night.

Dr. C. W. Patterson has sold his place to Scott Mack and will leave in the course of a few days for South McAlister, Ind. Ter., where he will again reside.

Arrangements have been made with M. V. Fleming to lease his park for the grand 4th of July picnic. Uncle Mart and W. R. Harris have contracted to barbecue and cut all the meat. About $750 has been raised for expenses.

S. D. Terry of Gustine was in town Saturday and told a tale of woe which equalled the Kansas flood as far as it went. A terrific hail storm visited his section last week completely destroying the crops on thirteen farms, leaving not a vestige of corn, cotton, oats, fruit or anything else. Mr. Terry said he had oats that were about ready to cut which would have yielded 60 to 75 bushels to the acre; it was all ruined by the hail.—Chief.

LAMPASAS

The city has passed an ordinance excluding hogs from the incorporation lines.

J. P. Sublett and family of Copperas Cove left for the west Friday of last week.

Prof. P. H. McInnis left Tuesday morning for his former home in Bell county, where he will remain for a few days and then go to El Paso, where he expects to make his home for some months.

S. H. Brown and family left Thursday for Oklahoma City, Oklahoma, where they will make their home. Mr. Brown lived here for something more than two years, having been president of the Lampasas National Bank.

T. W. Willis of Ratler, Mills county, was here Tuesday on his way home from Fort Worth, where he had been on business. We have known Mr. Willis and his father for years, and were pleased to have him spend his spare time in this office.

Information has been received here that Miss Virginia Ribble was married at Kansas City, Mo., at 7:30 o'clock, May 31, at the residence of her uncle, Mr. Poteet, to Mr. John Hall, of New York. They are expected here in a short while, and Lampasas will be their home.—Leader.

BROWNWOOD

Little Kate Porter, infant child of Mrs. Joe C. Porter, died Wednesday.

Mrs. Lindsey of Monument, N. M., is a guest of Mr. and Mrs. Dolph Wyatt of this city.

The Bulletin takes pleasure in recording the marriage of Mr. John Brock of Odessa, Texas, and Miss Lula Sivells of this city.

Roy Harryman of Brownwood and Miss Minnie Jones of Goldthwaite were married in the latter place and returned to Brownwood Sunday to make this their home.

Dr. Hill King leaves tonight for New York, from which place he will go to Europe and spend several months there prior to returning to South America, where he will remain.

Jim Simmons, a boy raised in Brownwood, plead guilty in district court this week to the burglary of Calvert & McMinn's store last winter and was given two years in the pen. He smiled when the verdict was read and really seemed anxious to go to the state prison.

Rev. W. H. Matthews is in receipt of a telegram stating that his brother, Ben H. Matthews died in Temple. The Bulletin tenders its sympathy. Ben H. Matthews was known to quite a number of Brownwood people.

The lease on the Crown hotel has passed into the hands of Brooke Smith. He has also purchased the Exchange hotel and what is known as the Annex to the Crown hotel. The Crown hotel is now under the management of Mrs. W. C. Walker. The Exchange has been rented to a man named Weeks, who has been here for some time.—Bulletin.

HAMILTON

Prof. J. B. Lane of Clifton, has been chosen superintendent of the Hamilton public school.

The son of Mr. Charles Coston of Ohio happened to a very serious accident this week by a tree falling on his foot mashing off one toe and doing others injuries.

Judge J. C. Main and family returned from their visit to various points in Texas on Thursday before the picnic. The Judge seems much improved in health.

Rev R. C. Buckner arrived in Hamilton Sunday evening. He was prevented from attending the fifth Sunday meeting at an earlier date on account of ill health. Services were conducted by him at night at the Baptist church.

J. A. McCaleb of Indian Gap was appointed deputy sheriff about two months ago. He is a very quiet, attentive gentleman and makes a good officer. He usually remains in the office when Sheriff Kinsey is away on business.

Joe Lary and others from the firm of J. L. Spurlin attended the funeral of Willie Smith, which took place at Fairy on Tuesday. Willie is a brother to Dr. H. O. Smith and his mother has been living in Hamilton for several years. Willie graduated from the Hamilton High School two years ago and afterward took a business course at Dallas. Returning home he spent several months in the employment of Mr. Spurlin. Giving up his position on account of ill health and saught relief in the higher altitude in west Texas. He died at or near Santa Anna on last Monday.—Journal-News.

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FROM REV. LINN.

GEORGETOWN, June 8

Editor Eagle:

This has been a great occasion, so far, to the preachers who are attending this theological institute.

We have with us Dr. Tillet and Dr. Cunningham of Vanderbilt, Dr. Sterns from Yale, Dr. Borden P. Bowne, the great psychologist and metaphysician, Dr. Packard from Missouri and Bishop W. W. Duncan. To these distinguished men over two hundred and fifty Methodist preachers, from all over Texas, have been listening for these last few days, and it has been a rare intellectual and spiritual treat. JOHN M. LINN.

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FIFTH SUNDAY MEETING.

Editor Eagle:

I will send you this report of our fifth Sunday meeting which you may use if you see proper.

The meeting was well attended from the beginning. All of our ministers were present except one, and we learned he was sick, Our missionary was with us and did good work.

Brother Owen of Brownwood was also with us and rendered valuable assistance. In his sermon Saturday night he made a very favorable impression on our people.

Most of the time was taken up in the discussion of the two first questions, but there was so much valuable information brought out and the speeches were all so spiritual and good humored that we were satisfied.

The board was well represented. Their session was harmonious. The report of the missionary was favorably received. He was paid for services rendered and a balance remains in the treasury.

The river was up so that some of our people were not able to be there, but this deficiency was made up by visitors from Goldthwaite, Big Valley, Antelope Gap and other places, so we had a fine congregation,

We were not able to get the fishes, but we had the loaves and we were told that all ate and were filled. One of the last acts of the meeting was to adopt a resolution of thanks for the care taken of them by our community, but I told them that we were the ones that ought to feel grateful, for I thought we got most good out of the meeting, and it proved to be so, for Brother Thames remained with us, held three services during which there were four conversions, one joined for baptism and more to follow.

Now, Brother pastors, a word to you: I think our general meetings ought to be followed by a few revival services. Our brethren meet with us, pray for our people, and often go away disappointed because they see no results, when a few services directed to this special object would be almost sure to bring them to light.

We want our brethren to come to see us again and we are going to ask them as soon as we think it prudent.

God bless them all, D. I. H.

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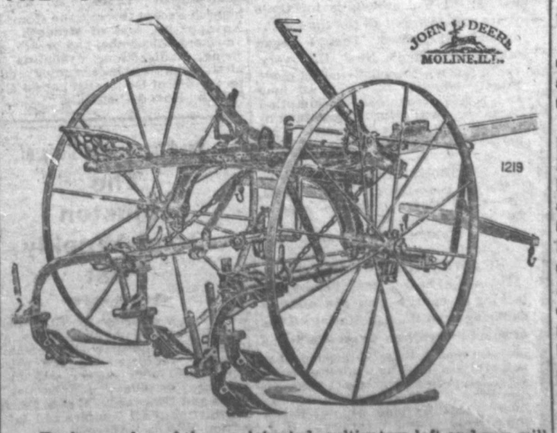

We have a few of these celebrated cultivators left and you will do well to get one before they are all gone. They cost you no more than cheap shoddy ones and it will be a source of pleasure to know that you have bought the best made when you buy a John Deere.

Weakley & Watson.

GENERAL NEWS.

Prohibitionists were victorious in Brazoria and Erath counties last Saturday.

The new Landon hotel in San Angelo is to be opened to the public next week.

President Roosevelt has completed his western trip and returned to Washington.

A little negro boy in Waco was gathering up empty bottles and placing them in the bosom of his shirt. He stumbled and the bottles were broken, the glass making incisions into his bowels, causing fatal injury.

Officers of the round cotton bale or the "Lowry" trust have appealed to the interstate commerce commission [illegible] against [illegible] for a ruling [illegible] a number of railroads, which the cotton men allege have discriminated against them.

In a waterspout at Alexander, Erath county, James Parish, his daughter-in-law and her two children were drowned while returning from Dublin. They went down in the dry bed of Green's creek and were caught before crossing.

Govenor Lanham, Judge Talbot and the district and county attorneys of Bowie county were hung in effigy at New Boston. The act was the result of hard feeling because the officers did not prevent the execution of Shutt, the murderer who was hanged there a few days ago.

The destruction of property and the loss of life in the floods in Kansas, Missiouri, Nebraska and Wisconsion was reported last week in details that were appalling, but the minute particulars about the floods are more horrible than we at first imagined.

The grand jury at Rusk has returned ten indictments against A. S. Busby, ex-assistant financial agent of the penitentiaries, charging him with misappropriating funds belonging to the state. Busby recently surrendered to the sheriff of Cherokee county after having taken refuge in another state for several weeks.

A cloudburst followed by a mighty flooding of the country between Spartonberg, S. C, and Asheville, N. C., occurred last Saturday. Three cotton mills were washed away and many operatives were drowned. The financial loss to the mills alone was estimated at $3,000,000. The full details of the disaster are appalling.

The secretary of war has made a ruling that it is unlawful for any one to bear arms in the Indian Territory other than United States soldiers and Government officers. This ruling will have the effect of knocking out the provisional national guards recently organized in the Indian Territory, as they can not lawfully bear arms, even for drill purpose, or wear national guard uniforms.

Indictments have been returned by the United States grand jury at Washington against a number of Ohio men for misuse of the mails in connection with alleged fraudulent land deals. The government inspectors claim to have unearthed swindles of gigantic proportions which were carried on by men operating in widely separated localities. Large tracts of timber land for which alleged fraudulent deeds were given to purchasers were offered for sale in Tennessee, Kentucky, West Virginia, Texas and Mississippi.

It will be remembered that an old man suicided in Enid, Oklahoma, last January and before he died confessed or rather claimed that he was John Wilkes Booth, the murderer of President Lincoln. The information is now given by press dispatches that the man's remains have been positively identified by a nephew of Booth and Joseph Jefferson, the well known actor. A lawyer by the name of Bates has been found in Memphis who claims that he has been Booth's confidential agent for forty years. A letter addressed to Bates was found in the old man's effects, which gives color to the story. He claims that Booth conducted a store at Glen Rose, Texas, for a number of years and was known there as John St Helen.

The police are on the trail of the "knights of the green cloth" in Dallas and seem determined to put a stop to gambling in the North Texas metropolis.

It is learned that a considerable movement of live stock to Cuba is soon to begin. Colonel Hall and one or two other well known stockmen will be the prime figures in the movement.

I would rather fill my purse with money and keep its beautiful gates forever ajar to my happy girls while they yet linger under my roof, than to clutch it with a miser's hand until the harpstrings of youth are broken and all its music forever fled. I would rather spend my last nickel for a bag of striped marbles to gladden the hearts of my barefooted boys [illegible] to deny them their childish [illegible] leave them a bag [illegible] when I am dead.—Bob Taylor.

Your life should be as open to the eyes of the world, as the prairies of West Texas once were to the buffalo and the Indian buck. You should live each day as if the account of your life had to be checked up at night and show a balance in your favor. You should pray as if you were the chief of sinners, vote as if the United States belonged to you, consider your home a palace, your wife a princess and yourself a man.—Exchange.

(Intended for last week.)

BETHEL.

Editor Eagle:

I will write a few lines sorter in self defense.

We had a good rain last night and it is raining today. The range is better than it has been for several years. Stock of all kind are doing well. Crops are growing nicely, so are the weeds and grass. Most of the fruit was killed by the frost.

There was a large crowd at Miller Grove last Sunday at the singing and they were not all Miller's either, Bethel was pretty well represented over there and all had a very good time although the real estate was a little high that day.

There is a certain young lady who has her horse well trained. He walks up to the foot of the hill and stops for her to get out and pull him and the buggy up the hill. I believe I would trade him off or change his name.

There was a good crowd out at the literary last Saturday night. Some of the Bethel folks contemplate going to Cryer next Saturday night to be with them to spell.

Rev. Wages will preach at Bethel next Sunday.

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R. M. THOMPSON, Editor.

If the Colombian congress does not ratify the Panama canal treaty President Roosevelt proposes to submit a proposition to Costa Rica and Nicaragua to adopt the Nicaragua route.

The city incorporation of Nacogdoches is to be abolished. An election held to determine the question resulted in 90 votes in the favor of abolishing and 7 favorable to continuing the incorporation.

Capt. Richmond Hobson, the hero of the Merrimac, has announced his candidacy to represent in the congress of the United States the Alabama district now represented by Mr. Bankhead. His platform is that the United States should own the strongest navy in the world.

The last congress appropriated $1,000,000 for State military camps of instructions and of the amount the apportionment for Texas is $32 000. With this amount, together with the $10,000 appropriated by the Texas legislature, the encampment of Texas volunteer guard this year will no doubt be the most extensive and longest ever held in this State. Members of the guard will be paid while in camp, and this fact alone will call for the full quota of State troops in attendance.

In an election held in Waller county a few weeks ago prohibition was favored by a large majority, but an injunction was secured to prevent the publication of the result of the election. The final hearing of the case was set for the October term of the court. This was not satisfactory to a goodly number of the people and at Brookshire a mob shot into the saloons and into the sleeping room of one saloon man. This had the effect of closing the saloons at that place. At Hempsted a mass meeting was held and a committee appointed to call on the saloon men and request them to close their places of business. One of them complied with the demand, but the others refused and the sheriff, fearing serious trouble, induced the governor to send a company of volunteer soldiers to the town.

MULLIN.

Editor Eagle:

Everything is getting along as usual up here. People are generally through harvesting. Wheat and oats have been damaged some by the rust in this section of the country, but the yield is going to be very good.

Corn and cotton are getting along very nicely, but the cut worms are raising trouble with the people in some places up in the community known as Arkansas on Pompey.

S. S. Price says he has planted over the third time and went down today to see what the last planting was doing and he said the cut worms had already cut it down. He happened to go by where he left his planter sitting and there were several large [illegible] on the singletree, cut worms [illegible] the handle and several more at [illegible] of the planter, but all seemed to be confused or awaiting for something and he started on to the house and met his friend John Brown and related what he had seen, and John said there was a crowd of the cut worms at his house when he left and offered him 30 cents per bushel for seed to plant over. We all know John Brown and S. S. Price to be reliable good men.

Please announce through the columns of your paper that we will have singing at Williams Ranch on the fourth Sunday in June for the purpose of organizing and assisting one another in singing. Everybody come and bring your song book. Dinner all day and singing on the ground.

Our fellow townsman C. E. Hutson had the misfortune to lose a fine fat calf with the black leg Monday.

R. M. Johnston and family of Lampasas have moved into the W. D. Fisher residence in Mullin. Mr. Johnston is employed as section man under F. T. Sutton.

Uncle W. D Fisher is able to be up and about now.

The big hearted Joe Wilty of Arkansas spent Friday in Mullin.

A. F. Penland of Cold Springs community was marketing some fine peaches and apricots in Mullin one day this week.

C. C. Burrows and John E. Boyd, two of Cold Springs prosperous farmers, were in Mullin on business one day this week.

Henderson Murphy, brother of S. A. Murphy, was in Mullin one day this week buying mules from our people.

H. F. Butts and D. R McCormick made a business trip to the capital city Thursday.

T A. Lovelace played clerk for H. F. Butts.

Sheriff John Jay, Jim Nabors Mr. McCormickle and party of Comanche county passed through Mullin Friday on their way to the Colorado river on a fishing spree.

W. H. Absher made a business trip to Goldthwaite Monday.

R. A. Martin has recuperated and is back on the farm.

Quite a number of the farmers here are planting corn on their stubble ground.

M. C. Kirkpatrick is having a nice farm put in one mile west of Mullin.

Capt. Martin and Mr. Edwards of Dallas are selling fruit trees in our midst. We will soon need a canning factory here at Mullin, for there is no better fruit country anywhere than here for peaches, apricots, pears, grapes and plums.

The Cold Springs and Regency boys have organized a chicken and fish committee over in their diggins, I guess the next time those boys over there go chicken [illegible] they will turn up about catch[illegible] house and get those Cryer school[illegible] the chicks measley, noisly little down there.

J S. Chesser tells us he has a letter from his brother Jim, at Pecos City. Jim has been working with an irrigation company out there. They only got to put in one irrigation plant near Pecos City, as the farmers went to planting watermelons, pumpkins, etc., and the Pecos Valley land was so rich after having plenty of water on it the vines grow so fast that they wore out the little melons dragging them so fast on the ground and that the beats and turnips grew so large that they soon stopped up all the ditches, hence the company had to disband and James thinks of returning to Mills county soon.

JOHN HENRY KRINKSHANKS.

CONSTIPATED BOWELS.

To have good health, the body should be kept in a laxative condition and the bowels moved at least once a day, so that all the poisonous wastes are expelled daily. Mr. G. L. Edwards, 142 N. St. Wichita, Kas., writes: "I have used Herbine to regulate the liver and bowels for the past ten years and found it a reliable remedy. 50c at Dr. J. H. Logans.

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PAYNE.

Editor Eagle:

As the Payne Gap Girl hasn't written in some time, I thought I would give you a few dots from this part of the community.

Health is tolerable good at present.

The merry hum of the reaper can be heard when it isn't too wet. Wheat and oats will make a very good yield, if the rain does not injure it.

The fine rains which have fallen of late make corn, milo maize and cane look fine, and if the rain continues there will not be so many poor horses and cattle this coming winter.

Cotton does very well considering the cool weather, but the goose grass does better, and people will sure have to fight if they succeed in conquering General Green.

We are proud to say that our road overseer has had the hands at work and has put the road in a better condition by putting in culverts and ditching where it was badly needed.

Brother Mason preached Sunday to a large and attentive congregation and we hope and trust the words which he spoke may do lasting good.

Our prayer meeting is doing better all the time. All you Payne people come out to preaching and prayer meeting and see if you don't feel better than to stay at home on Sunday.

Brother Jim Baker will preach for us the fourth Sunday. Come out and bring your dinner and [illegible] all day and we will put in stay [illegible] our spare time in singing. I am sure you will enjoy yourself if you come for that purpose.

CHESTER STEELE.

ZEPHYR.

Editor Eagle:

The click of the reaper is heard on every side and some thrashing is being done.

Vegetables are plentiful and a good deal of fruit is ripening, though the fruit crop will be short on account of the late frost.

Corn is very fine and beginning to tassel.

We farmers are wishing for some hot, dry weather, the cut worms are bad in the cotton.

The ice cream festival given Saturday night at the Methodist church by the Ladies Aid Society was a perfect success. Everybody was well fed and all enjoyed themselves. The ladies cleared about $14.

We Zephyr folks are anticipating a pleasant time on the 24th inst., that being the day for the Masonic basket picnic at the tabernacle. Some of the boys are practicing for a tournament on that day and of course a game of base ball.

Mr. and Mrs. Shepherd and Ennis visited relatives in Brownwood last Saturday and Sunday.

Misses Effie, Annie and Virgie Hicks of Brownwood visited their brother, Montie Hicks, the latter part of last week.

Mrs. Pleas Moss and children of Lake Charles, La., are visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. O. D. Couch. They will probably remain most of the summer.

Mr. Shepherd had one of his fine fat hogs to die in his pen Wednesday.

Mrs. Lindsey of New Mexico, formerly Miss Annie Ashton of Turkey Peak, is visiting friends and relatives in our neighborhood.

Mrs. Charley Thompson and children of Brownwood are visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. D. Henderson, and expects to remain a month.

Miss Katie McBurney is in Brownwood at present, the guest of her sister, Mrs. E. P. Thompson.

Uncle Joe Smith's wife, who has been partially paralyzed and almost blind for several years, has had another stroke of paralysis and is not expected to live.

Walker Cabler, whose condition has been reported to the Eagle from time to time, is said to be getting worse. He was thought to be dying at one time last night. This is the thirty-second week he has been confined to his bed with an abscess in his side. There is no hope for his recovery and he prays that the end of his suffering may be soon.

John Pierce has opened a small stock of groceries and confections in, what used to be, the post office. The building opposite M. L. Everett's store.

Constable Proctor and sons have moved to the Ben Pettie house, nearly opposite the depot.

G. D. McQuerry, recently a merchant of this place, but now a merchant of Blanket, was transacting business in our town Wednesday. K. LAMITY.

Delinquent Tax List.

List of Lands and Lots Deliquent on March 31, 1903, for the taxes of 1902, in Mills county. Reported under the provisions of Section 10, Chapter 103, Laws of 1897.

LAND							TOWN OR CITY LOTS				STATE TAXES				COUNTY TAXES						
NAME OF OWNER.	Abstract No.	Certificate No.	Survey No.	ORIGINAL GRANTEE	No. Acres Assessed	No. Acres Delinq't.	City or Town	Lot	Block	Division	Revenue	School	Poll	Penalty	Ad Valorem	Special	Poll	District School	No. of District	Penalty	Total Taxes
Baker, J L	1043	723	42	J L Fisher	160	160					1 11	1.23	1.50	30	3.60	B 1.37	25			52	10 00
Benningfield, J H	1033	29-166	8	J H Benningfield	160	160					40	43		08	1 26					13	2 32
Boyes, W H	112		113	Caldwell Co school	9	9															
" "	1069	21-625	256	W H Boyes	160	160					1.18	1.28	1.50	40	3.73	B 1.42	25			54	10 30
Burnett, Jas H	1171	1076	2	T P Edgin	160	160					43	47	1.50	24	1.36		25			16	4 41
Costley, J M	394	130		J Johnson	426⅔	426⅔															
" "				J S Straley	75	75															
" "	198			O O Drummond	53⅓	53⅓															
" "	365	494	7	Will Hubert	143⅓	143⅓					7.70	8.31	1.50	1.75	24.23		25			2.45	46 19
Evans, W A							Goldt'waite	11,12,13,14,15	26		94	1.02	1.50	35	2.97	B 1.13	25			43	8 59
Fritts, W C	2	301	308	Benj Austin	173	173					1.32	1 42	1.50	42	3.15	B 1 58	25			60	11 24
Harris, E P	414		67	Sam Kennedy	100	100					79	86	1.50	32	2.49	B 95	25			37	7 53
Hooks, Mrs Ada							Goldt'waite	5-6-11-12	3	ASH Add	93	1.00		19	2.91	B 1 11				40	6 54
Johnson Joe F	411		90	J D Kirkpatrick	4	4					50	54		10	1 57	B 60				22	3 53
Johnston, F M	314		2	Hays Co school	160	160					84	91	1.50	33	2.65	B 1.01	25			39	7 88
Lacy Mrs Mary	439			J M Leverett	160	160					77	83		16	2.42					24	4 42
Miller, W H J	520			J S Newman	160	160					1.35	1.46		28	4.25			1 21	30	55	9 10
Morris, Wm	526	1050 1157		Sam Paschal	187⅔	187⅔															
" "	1036	21-431	48	Ed M Brooks	640	640					2.73	2.95		57	8 61			96	30	96	16 78
Nail, J M	600	662	1	Susan Smith	100	100					42	45	1 50	24	1.31		25			16	4 33
Rahl, S P							Goldt'waite	7-8-9-10	19		1.36	1.47		28	4.28	B 1.63				59	9 61
Rorie, Mrs M L	535			A Prescott	146	146															
" "	325	473		M Hughes	14	14					1.63	1.75		34	5.12					51	9 35
Stearnes, J C	557	32-158		Pat Quinn	350	350	Mullin	11 and 12	18		2 32	2.50	1.50	63	7.30	B 30	25			79	15 59
Walker, J L	1205	21-631	38	H Z Dunlap	320	320					1 27	1.37	1.60	41	3.99		25			42	9 21
Brack, J H	898			Jno Norman	432	432					1.43	1.55		30	4.52					45	8 25
Corbin, Geo	190	18	4	F W Douglass	320	320					2.50	2.70		52	7.87	B 3 00				1 09	17 68
Johnson, J A							Goldt'waite	3 and 4	19		25	27		05	79	B 30				11	1 77
Mills J S	473	653	113	Jno A Murray	80	80				Homes add	58	63		12	1.84	B 70				25	4 12
Mitchell, J H	600	662	1	Susan Smith	100	100					33	36		07	1.05					10	1 91
McIntosh, W A							Goldt'waite	4	7		02	02			05	B 02				01	12
Smith, J R	646	73	191	Jean Tetard	320	320					1 67	1.80		35	5.25	B 2 00				72	11 79
Warnock, R M	61	21 69	7	Brooks & Burleson	100	700					4.	45		09	1.31	B 50				18	2 95
Bryson, W C	20			Jno M Bryson	686	686															
" "	42			" "	858	858					4 00	4.32		83	12 60					1 26	23 01
Drew, H C	568	266	70	Jno Reese	250	250					83	90		17	2.63	B 1 00				36	5 89
Miles, M A	568	266	70	" "	250	250					83	90		17	2.63	B 1 00				36	5 89
Unknown	2	301	308	Benj Austin	343	343					1.72	1.85		36	5.41	B 2 06				75	12 15
"	112		113	Caldwell Co school	448⅔	448⅔					3.33	3.60		69	10 50	B 4 00				1.45	23 57
"	171	21-622	20	W C Cowart	20	18					23	24		05	71	B 27				09	1 59
"	185			Wm Dunbar	480	320					1.66	1.80		35	5.25					53	9 59
"	315		3	Hayes Co school	150⅓	150⅓					83	90		17	2.63	B 1.00				36	5 89
"	320	2800 2901	229	Benj Head	537	177.7					64	72		14	2.08	B 79				29	4 66
"	360	21-629	33	H T & B R R Co	640	640					1.60	1.73		33	5.04					50	9 20
"	365	494	7	Will Hubert	243	[illegible]					29	24		05	71					07	1 29
"	393	3214	41	I & G N R R	[illegible]	[illegible]					33	36		07	1.05					16	1 91
"	399			A L [illegible] Co	105	105					53	58		11	1.68	B 64				28	3 77
"	423	159		[illegible] Jernigan	160	160					25	27		05	79					08	1 44
"	[illegible]	253		Wm Leach	35	35					67	72		14	2.10					21	3 84
"	219	66		M McGowan	80	80					67	72		14	2.10					21	3 84
"	575			Nathan Reed	163	160					67	72		14	2.10					21	3 84
"	600	662	1	Susan Smith	400¾	400¾					49	53		10	1.53	B 58				21	3 44
"	639	3523-3624	5	A Thompson	347¾	147¾					2.93	3.17		61	9.24					92	16 87
"	703	568-667		Jas A Winn	880	880					93	1.01		19	2.94					29	5 36
"	751	1078	1	R D Forrest	559¾	559¾					17	18		04	52					05	96
"	821	21 630	36	A M Gardner	20	20					27	29		06	84			24	30	11	1 81
"	1037	21-431	48	E M Brooks	160	160					27	29		06	84					08	1 54
"	1114	21 628	32	P E Ard	160	160					27	29		06	84					08	1 54
"	1132	31-9	2	J D Fifer	160	160					15	16		03	47					05	86
"	1163			Jas Adams	20¼	20¼					40	43		08	1.26					13	2 30
"	1196	21-346	8	W G Blyins	160	160					42	45		09	1.31					13	2 40
"	1201	1452	2	A Coffey	250	250					05	05		01	16					02	29
"	1202		474	Norval Cooper	30	30					50	53		10	1.58	B 60				22	3 53
"	1203	21-427	54	W R Cox	160	160					27	29		06	84					08	1 54
"	1209	1704	2	T J Gooding	160	160					27	29		06	84					08	1 54
"	1213	245	2	W J Hopper	160	160					27	29		06	84					08	1 54
"	1217	226	16	A R Kirkpatrick	160	160					97	1.05		20	3.07	B 1.17				42	6 88
"	1218	1718	2	T L Lasater	583	583															
"							Goldt'waite	3	21		08	09		02	26	B 10				03	58
"							"	1-2-3-5		Queen addition	08	09		02	26	B 10				03	58
"							"	6-7-8-9			08	09		02	26	B 10				03	58
"							"	10-12-13-14			08	09		02	26	B 10				03	58
"							"	16-17-18-19			08	09		02	26	B 10				03	58
"							"	20-21-24-26			08	09		02	26	B 10				03	58
"							"	27-28-29-31			08	09		02	26	B 10				03	58
"							"	32-33-34-36			08	09		02	26	B 10				03	58
"							"	37-38-39-40			08	09		02	26	B 10				03	58
"							"	41-42-43-44			08	09		02	26	B 10				03	58
"							"	45-46-47-48			08	09		02	26	B 10				03	58
"							"	4			02	02			05	B 02				01	12
"							Mullin	2	19		17	18		04	52	B 20				07	1 18
"							"	3-4	23		58	63		12	1 84	B 70				25	4 12

THE STATE OF TEXAS.
COUNTY OF MILLS.

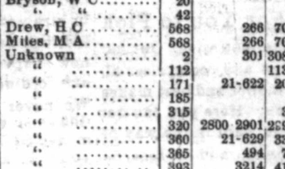
I, R. J. Atkinson, Tax Collector of said County, do hereby certify that the within lands and town lots assessed on the Tax Rolls of said County for the year 1902, are delinquent for the taxes of 1902, and that I am entitled to credit for the taxes as shown thereon.

Sworn to and subscribed before me this 11th day of May, 1903.

[L S] WHIT SMITH, County Clerk, Mills County.

R. J. ATKINSON, Tax Collector.

BUGGIES, HACKS, SURRIES,



Harness, Whips and Lap Dusters.

We would be pleased to have all young men who contemplate buying a buggy to call and examine our line before making their purchases. We carry nothing but Standard Makes of High Grade Goods in stock and you cannot make a mistake, as we have no other kind to offer. Don't buy some cheap make of buggy, as your best girl may think you are a cheap man. Cheap means worthless and you cannot afford to experiment at your own expense. Picnics and different kinds of amusements open up pretty soon and you might have more pleasure by early buying. Boys, come around, we will treat you right, and remember you get what you pay for when you buy from us. Yours for High Grade Vehicles,

WEAKLEY & WATSON.

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Fresh testimony in great quantity constantly coming in, declaring Dr King's New Discovery for consumption, coughs and colds to be unequaled. A recent expression from T. J. McFarland, Bentonville, Va., writes: "I had bronchitis for three years and doctored all the time without being benefited. Then I began taking Dr. King's New Discovery, and a few bottles wholly cured me", Equally effective in curing all lung and throat troubles, consumption pneumonia and grip. Guaranteed by Ross & Clements druggist. Trial bottle free, regular size 50c and $1 00'

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We can use a few good work mules, horses and mares on hacks, surries and buggies. See us.

HURLBUT HARDWARE CO.

HOT WEATHER WEAKNESS.

If you feel fagged out, listless and lacking in energy, you are perhaps suffering from the debilitating effects of summer weather. These symptoms indicate that a tonic is needed that will create a healthy appetite, make digestion perfect, regulate the bowels, and impart natural activity to the liver. This Herbine will do; it is a tonic, laxative and restorative. H. J. Freegard, Prop. Grand View Hotel, Cheney, Kas., writes: "I have used Herbine for the last ten years, and nothing on earth can beat it. It was recommended to me by Dr. Newton Newton, Kas." 50c at Dr. J. H. Logans

SOUTH BENNETT.

Editor Eagle:

Farmers are busy with their work. Weeds and grass in the cotton have a fair show for perfect maturity.

Rev. E. J. Isenhower filled his regular appointment here Saturday and Sunday.

Our Sunday school which meets at 3 o'clock p. m. had a good attendance Sunday.

Elma Gary of San Saba and Marvin Rudd of North Brown attended church here Sunday, which we gladly welcomed.

Mrs. J. M. Carroll was very sick last week, but is improving now.

J. M. Costley left Monday with his thrasher for San Saba. He expects to return in a few weeks.

The time has been set for the Baptist protracted meeting to begin, Thursday night before the fourth Sunday in August.

Mrs. Seaborne and her daughter Mae of Pleasant Grove attended service here Sunday.

Boys, we learn it would be a good idea to look under your buggy seats before leaving home with them. THE NEW WRITER

DO YOU ENJOY WHAT YOU EAT?

If you don't your food does not do you any good. Kodol Dyspepsia cure is the remedy that every one should take when there is any thing wrong with the stomache. There is no way to maintain the health and strength of mind and body except by nourishment. There is no way to nourish except through the stomache. No appetite, loss of strength, nervousness, headache, bad breath, sour rising, indigestion, dyspepsia and all stomach troubles are quickly cured by the use of Kodol Dyspepsia Cure. Sold by Ross & Clements.

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In Any Quantity

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Every one should be interested in what they eat as your health depends on it. There is nothing cheap unless it is good. Everything carried in stock is fresh and the best I can buy. My weights and measures are U. S. Standard. My prices are always right. All goods sold under a strict guarantee. If any article bought from my house should not give

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You will confer a favor by returning same and your money will be cheerfully refunded. I want your trade if fair dealings, close attention and liberal treatment will win it. All I ask is give me a trial and you will find out where to buy groceries.

J. C. EVANS.

GOOD GROCERIES!

Our stock of family groceries, vegetables, etc., cannot be excelled.

ANYTHING YOU WANT

In the grocery line can be had at this store. Our prices are right and we make prompt delivery.

GRISHAM & CURTIS.

Binder Twine! TWINE! TWINE!

And more Er COMING at the Lowest Price

Weakley & Watson.

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Goldthwaite, Texas.

GRASSHOPPERS TO GO On and after June 8, 1903, you can buy Arsenic at my store at the following **CASH PRIGES**

4 1-2c PER POUND IN ANY QUANTITY.

Remember these are cash prices and will be continued until further notice. The former price of arsenic as you know has been 8 to 12 1-2c, but I can and will supply at above cash prices to consumers only.

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The Goldthwaite Eagle

REPORTORIAL REVIEW.

Best Syrup at Prater's.
Boston Brown flakes at Street's.
Order Tip-Top flour—Prater.
Boston Brown flakes at Street's.
Tobacco and cigars at Prater's.
Tip-Top the best flour.—Prater.
J. B. Ferguson is in the market for hides.
You get 40 bars good laundry soap or $1. at Prater's.
Good high patent flour $1 per sack at J. B. Ferguson.
You get a 10 cent loaf of bread for 5 cents at Lochabay's.
R. G. Blackburn was here from Center City the first of the week.
Confectioneries and fresh bread at Lochabay's, next to post office.
Mrs F. N. Irwin visited relatives in this city the first of the week.
The Mountain Cottage is prepared for a few more boarders.
J. W. McNell of Center City was here Thursday transacting business.
Found—A lady's belt. Owner can get it by paying 25 cents for this notice.
Judge Head came in from Center City Thursday to qualify as notary public.
If you succeed in getting board at the Mountain Cottage you will never want to move.
Miss Effie Hester left Monday night for Austin to attend the summer session of the University.
J. L. Steele and wife were visitors from Payne Wednesday and favored the Eagle with a short call.
We have a few cultivators that we will trade for cattle, horses or mares. —Hurlbut Hardware company.

MAYFIELD WOOLEN MILLS

I have a nice assortment of clothing from the Mayfield Woolen Mills. Suits to fit all sizes. The price is right.

J. T. Prater.

Pianos, organs, sheet music. Every thing in the music line.—Thos. Goggan & Bro. Galveston. Dallas, San Antonio.
Excursion to Galveston June 20 $4.25 round trip. Via. Santa Fe. Good on regular train June 20 only. Return limit June 23.
A protracted meeting is to begin in the Methodist church tomorrow. The pastor of the Hamilton church will assist Brother Linn.
Rev. A. Atkinson returned the first of the week from a visit to Hamilton county and reported crop prospects very fine in that county.
Rev. Holmes of Hamilton visited his daughter, Mrs. J. M. Linn, in this city last Saturday and Sunday and preached in the Methodist church Sunday at the usual hours for service.
Mrs. J. W. Driskill and her mother, Mrs. Wren, have been spending some days with relatives in Brownwood, Zephyr and in the bayou country.
Dr. J. D. Kirkpatrick, D. B. Eaton, W. C. Dew and M. C. Kirkpatrick, all prominent business men of Mullin and bright members of the Woodmen fraternity, came down Monday night to meet with the Goldthwaite camp.

DO YOU WANT

Your jewelry remodeled
Your silverware refinished?
Your watch or clock repaired?
Your jewelry polished and cleaned?

If so call on Miller, the Jeweler. where you will get the best work at reasonable prices.

A large fishing party left Wednesday for Chadwick's Mill to remain a week or ten days. In the party were Mesdames J. T. Prater and L R. Conro and their daughters, Misses Alma and Letruce Trent, Cordia Lindsey, Alice Bratton, Eddie Rahl, and little Undine Bratton, Jno. B. Robinson and wife, Walter Fairmar, John Little, John Allen, Tom Calaway, Claud Dickerson and Roy Conro.
Dr. J. M. Strayhorn of Waco, most excellent grand high priest of the Grand Royal Arch Chapter of Texas, is expected to be here next Monday to organize a Chapter of Royal Arch Masons. If he is unable to come, V. C. Kirkpatrick, member of the committee on work, will take his place in organizing the Chapter Several members of the order from Lampasas, Lometa, San Saba, Liberty Hill and other places have announced a determination to be here at this meeting. The Chapter will be in session all of next week, commencing Monday morning and a considerable amount of work is in prospect.

SHALL INCORPORATION STAND?

When the people of this town voted to have it incorporated it was with the expectation that some benefits would be derived by virtue of such incorporation. It was thought that a system of water works would be secured and that other needed enterprises would follow. So far nothing has been done and little can be done that will be beneficial if water works can not be obtained, and the question that confronts the citizens of the town is: Shall the incorporation be abolished or allowed to stand.

The simple fact that a few men have been elected to fill the offices and that a few debts have been contracted is of very little consequence. It might have been possible t allow the incorporation to drag along for a number of years had nothing resulted from it, but it has been shown by a test case that the people residing in the corporate limits of the town are not liable to road duty and can only be forced to work the streets of the city. This then places us face to face with the issue. It is an admitted fact that the people of the town are vitally interested in having good roads leading to the town. The roads must be provided, either by work of the road hands or by taxation. Now do we get enough good out of the incorporation as it stands to offset the loss sustained by the relief from road duty of two hundred or more men in the town. If we do, well and good. If not, then the only sensible thing to do is to abolish the incorporation.

If we say abolish the incorporation, then what do we propose to do about the debts? True, the council has very few outstanding obligations, but as the gentlemen composing the council at the time the debts were contracted are legally responsible for what ever amount may be due, we must either allow them to bear all of the burden of the incorporation experiment, or some means must be devised for raising the money.

AN OUTRAGEOUS ACT.

Some persons invaded Mr. N. W. Frizzell's garden Wednesday night and stole the greater part of his vegetables. All of the beets in the garden were pulled up and carried away, while a great many of the Irish potatoes were entirely destroyed. No doubt the primary object of the invasion was to secure the vegetables, but the injury to the young vegetables indicates that the parties wanted to damage or at least tantalize Mr. Frizzell. The ground was soft and the tracks were plainly seen Thursday morning, when the officers were notified and measurements of the tracks taken. Some peculiarities about the shoe heels were observed and the facts were noted and will be presented to the next grand jury. Such acts of vandalism are outrageous and the perpetrators should be made to suffer.

BAPTIST REVIVAL.

The protracted meeting conducted in the Baptist church in this city by Rev, Owen of Waco, closed with the services Thursday morning and the minister left on the night train for Brownwood, from which place he intended to go to Mason to begin a revival. The meeting here resulted in much good to the church and the people generally. While there was only one addition to the church by baptism, several joined by letter and there is reason for hope that a number of others were converted and the membership greatly revived. Rev. Owen is quite a young man, but he has ability and an apparent fervor in his work. He is highly esteemed by the people of all denominations.

T. H. Johnson was here from Payne the first of the week.
A heavy rain fell in the Payne community Tuesday afternoon.
Miss Pearl Wilson of Davilla is visiting Mrs. J. P. Walker in this city.
D. R. McCormick and H. F. Butts were visitors from Mullin this week.
Services at the Cumberland Presbyterian church Sunday at the usual hours.
D. S. Warner, a leading man of Antelope Gap community, was here Thursday.
The League program published for last Sunday will be carried out tomorrow.
An interesting session of Judge Wood's court was held last Saturday afternoon.
Harvesting of wheat and oats demands the attention of most farmers at this time.
The camp of Confederate Veterans held a meeting in the court house last Saturday.
W. A. L. Graves of Center City was here this week visiting relatives and transacting business.
F P. Eubank, M. H. Reed and Jarrett Ivey were visitors from Hanna Valley this week.
When you know a local item you can confer a favor upon the Eagle by reporting it to this office.
Miss Allie Humphries attended the commencement exercises of the State University at Austin.
Miss Floy Barton expects to go to Ballinger tomorrow night to spend a couple of weeks with her home folks.
Mrs. J. F. Taylor of Briggs, Burnet county, is in the city visiting her brother, Dr. Fowler, and his family.
The Woman's Home Mission society was entertained by Mrs. L. E. Miller at her residence Monday afternoon.
J. N. Jones was here from Center City last Saturday and renewed his own subscription and for his son at Doans.
Prof. Hollingsworth spent last Sunday with friends in this city. He was en route to Austin to attend the summer session of the University.
If you have visitors or if you contemplate making a trip, tell the Eagle about it and thereby assist in making the paper interesting to all the people.
See the most gigantic structure of modern times, the Galveston Seawall. Very low excursion rates via the Santa Fe, leaving Goldthwaite, Saturday, June 20; good to return Tuesday, June 23. Rate, $4 25.
T. J. Farrar and wife have returned from a visit to Comanche and Stephenville. Mr. Farrar also attended a lodge meeting in Fort Worth. He has been confined to his room by sickness since his return.
Dr. Fowler went over to Pottsville last Saturday and returned Sunday afternoon. His mother, Mrs. J. M. McPherson, came home with him to spend some time visiting here and in Mullin.
Miss Angie Martin of Alvin, daughter of T. H. Martin, was baptized in the railroad lake Thursday afternoon at 5 o'clock, Rev. Owens officiating. A large congregation assembled at the water-edge to witness the solemn ceremony.
Galveston has the finest beach in the world—30 miles long—delightful bathing and a good time. The Santa Fe will sell excursion tickets at a very low figure leaving Goldthwaite, June 20; good to return leaving Galveston, 7:30 a. m., June 23. Rate, $4 25.
Miss Amelia Ashley returned Wednesday night from Blooming Grove, where she has taught a music school. Her sisters, Misses Myrtle and Mollie, who spent several weeks with friends in Burnet and San Saba counties, came home with her, and these three young ladies make quite an addition to Goldthwaite society circle.

LODGE ENTERTAINMENT.

The members of the Knights of Pythias lodge entertained their friends with an ice cream supper in the Odd Fellows hall Monday night. Ice cream, cake and fruit were served and the evening was most pleasantly spent by the families and friends of the Knights. A short address was delivered by Mr. J. J. Stockbridge, who has been a member of the excellent order for a long time. Mr. Joe A. Price also made a short and very pleasing speech. The remainder of the evening was taken up by conversation and enjoyment of the delicious refreshments.

The entertainments given by the Knights of Pythias lodge are always good and this one was well up to the standard.

EUBANK-REED.

Last Sunday evening at 7:30 o'clock Mr. Chas. E. Eubank and Miss Rosa Reed were married at the residence of the bride's parents in Hanna Valley, Elder J. W. Perkins officiating. After the ceremony a magnificent supper was served and the evening was most pleasantly spent by the large number of guests.

The young people belong to two of Mills county's best families. Mr. Eubank is a son of Mr. B F. Eubank, which is ample assurance that he is a good man. His bride is a daughter of Mr. M. H. Reed, and has a large circle of friends.

The Eagle joins in wishing much happiness for the young couple.

LADIES AID SOCIETY.

The Ladies Aid society will meet at the Baptist church next Tuesday afternoon at 3:30.
Subject—Prayer.
Leader—Mrs. Blanton.
Chapter for discusion Acts 3-1.
Opening song—181.
Reading—Mrs. Calaway.
Talk on prayer—Mrs. Jackson.
Reading—Mrs. Hines.
Closing song—No. 11.
All ladies are invited to attend and have prayer service in connection with program.

B. Y. P. U. PROGRAM.

Subject—Gold or God.
Scripture, Luke 18:18-30.
Leader—Miss Mattie Little.
Select reading—Miss Sallie Hester.
Select reading—Miss Laura Hicks.
Select reading—Miss Minnie Hines.
Talk on the lesson—Mr. Miller.

LADIES AND CHILDREN INVITED

All ladies and children who cannot stand the shocking strain of laxative syrups, cathartics, etc. are invited to try the famous Little Early Risers. They are different from all other pills. They do not purge the system. Even a double dose will not gripe, weaken or sicken; many people call them the easy pill. W. H. Howell, Houston, Texas says nothing better can be used for constipation, sick headache, etc. Bob Moore, Lafayette, Ind., says all other gripe and sicken, while DeWitt's Little Early Risers do their work well and easy. Sold by Ross & Clements.

THRASHER NOTICE.

I will start my thrasher in the South Bennett neighborhood about July 1 and will go from there to the Cowhouse country. I hope my customers and friends will save their thrashing for me. J. M. COSTLEY.

A SPLENDID REMEDY.

Neuralgic pains, rheumatism, lumbago and sciatic pains yield to the penetrating influence of Ballard's Snow Liniment. It penetrates to the nerves and bones, its healing properties are conveyed to every part of the body and effects some wonderful cures. Mr. D. F. Moore, Agent, Illinois Central Railway, Milan, Tenn., states: "I have used Ballard's Snow Liniment for rheumatism, backache, etc., in my family. It is a splendid remedy. We could not do without it." 25c, 50c and $1 at Dr. J. H. Logan's.

See J. B. Ferguson before you sell your oats and wheat.
The junior B. Y. P. U. will use the program tomorrow that was published for last Sunday.
Rev. Linn returned from Georgetown Thursday night and will fill his pulpit at the usual hours Sunday.
J. B. Ferguson will pay highest cash prices for wheat and oats or will exchange flour for wheat at regular rates.
Mrs. J. W. Slavin went to Miles on last Saturday night's train to attend the funeral of her sister-in-law, Mrs. Robt. Roberts.
Refreshing sea breeze and fine bathing—very cheap rates to Galveston, leaving Goldthwaite, Saturday June 20; good to return 7:30 a. m., June 23. Rate, $4.25.
J. A. Allen, the superintendent of the Santa Fe company's water supply at this place, is rejoicing because of the arrival of a new girl at his house Thursday.
Mrs. J. M. Linn's two sisters, Mesdames Edgar and Shannon, and her mother, Mrs Holmes, came over from Hamilton last Friday and remained until Monday.
Refreshing sea breeze and fine bathing. Very cheap rates to Galveston, leaving Goldthwaite. Saturday, June 20; good to return 7:30 a. m, June 23. Rate, $4 25.
Members of the Eastern Star lodge are requested to meet at their lodge room at 7:30 this evening. Some work must be attended to before the train for the south reaches this place.
W. J. Phlan was here from the Buffalo country the first of the week. It is seldom he comes to this city, for he lives nearer Brownwood, but when he does come we are always glad to meet and greet him.
See the most gigantic structure of modern times, the Galveston Seawall. Very low excursion rates via Santa Fe, leaving Goldthwaite, Saturday, June 20; good to return Tuesday, June 23. Rate, $4 25.
Miss Gertrude Brown of San Saba, who had been visiting friends in Brownwood, and her sister, Miss Flora, who had been attending the University a Austin, visited Mrs. Whit Smith one day this week, while en route to their home.
There was a most interesting Primitive Baptist meeting held at Hanna Valley school house last Friday, Saturday and Sunday. The meeting was largely attended on Sunday, fully 250 people being in attendance. Elders Perkins, Wood, Edwards and Harris were in attendance.
The Santa Fe railroad officials have notified parties owning buildings on the company's right of way that such buildings must be painted red or removed from the railroad's land. This order will necessitate some painting being done in this city.
Rev. Owen was called as pastor for the Baptist church at this place. He will enter upon his duties the fourth Sunday in this month, after which time he will hold a meeting in the country between Big Valley and Nabors creek. The understanding between the minister and the church is that he is to be allowed to preach for some other church one Sunday in each month if he so desires.
The county commissioners met Monday as a board of equalization and remained in session until Thursday afternoon. The tax rolls were carefully inspected and in every case it was decided that the citizens had placed a fair valuation on their property and no changes were made. This is the second time these conditions have existed and the property owners are entitled to much praise.

NEW BUSINESS.

Having decided to remain at Goldthwaite, I announce to the public that I will again engage in business just as soon as I can get in my stock of merchandise, part of which is now ordered. Will occupy the glass front store room on Fisher street between Ross & Clements' drug store and J. C. Evans' grocery store. You are all invited to call and see me and find out what I have to sell. Respectively C. D. HAMMOND.

TAX ON BABIES.

Extreme hot weather is a great tax upon the digestive power of babies; when puny and feeble they should be given a few doses of White's Cream Vermifuge, the childrens' tonic. It will stimulate and facilate the digestion of their food, so that they soon become strong, healthy and active. 25c at Dr. J. H. Logan's.

THAT THROBBING HEADACHE.

Would quickly leave you, if you used Dr. King's New Life Pills. Thousands of suffers have proved their matchless merit for sick and nervous headaches. They make your blood and build up your health. Only 25c, money back is not cured. Sold by Ross & Clements.

KODOL GIVES STRENGTH.

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MASONIC OFFICERS.

A regular meeting of the Goldthwaite Masonic lodge was held last Saturday night when officers for the ensuing year were elected. They are W. H. Simmon, W. M.; C. E. Strickland, S. W.; W. W. Condon, J. W.; Lewis Hudson, secretary; Jas. Rahl, treasurer; W. M. Johnston, tiler. The installation of these officers will take place in the lodge room Wednesday night, June 24.

WE WILL NOT SELL TRASH!

We always buy the lowest, cost article to be had that is worth selling and using. We will not knowingly sell any article that will not give satisfaction to the man that ues it.
GOOD VALUE means something more than quality. It means a fair price as well.
OUR MEN'S $2.50 SHOES are special values, Swell patent leathers that look like $3.50 shoes Thin soled "velour calf" shoes that wear well and are not too warm for summer. Heavy "box calf" shoes for rough wear.

ANYTHING NOT RIGHT WE MAKE RIGHT.

OVERALLS. We can save your money here. We have the kind and size you want. We shade our competetors price too. Brown duck overalls, price 50c. Star stripe blue overalls, per suit $1.40. Solid blue overalls, per suit 75c.
LADIES LINEN SKIRTS. A lot of factory skirts made to sell for $1 and $1 50 a heavy discount enables us to offer them at 50c. $1 each, just half the usual prices.
REMEMBER OUR FREE BABY SHOES.

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SEWING MACHINES

We are now agents for the White Sewing Machines. We also have an assortment of sewing machine needles to fit almost any machine made. Will order extras for any kind of sewing machine no matter whose make.

EXTRAS

Parties wanting extras for McCormick Binders should get them as soon as possible, as there are some very old machines in this country and we might be short of a few items you want. We now have a general assortment of extras, but you all know that it is not necessary to carry a "LARGE" stock for McCormick machines, notwithstanding they are in the majority in Mills county. You can get these machines in either right or left hand cut, the very latest up-to-date binders on earth.

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CONFEDERATE MEETING.

Jeff Davis Camp No. 117 met in the county judge's office Saturday afternoon, June 6, 1903, with Commander W. L. Martin in the chair.

The special object of the meeting being to set a time and select a place to hold our annual reunion. The voice of all the old comrades present, and as far as had been heard from, favored the old ground near Goldthwaite, and it was put in nomination by Comrade Kelly, second by Dr. Calaway and unanimously adopted by the camp. The times to be held by motion of Comrade Brown, on July 9, 10 and 11

A committee on arrangement was appointed to see after, supervise the grounds and to call to their assistance any number of the comrades needed to carry out their duty, J. T. Prater, H. J. Crockett and W. R. Cox.

The intention of this reunion is for it to be self sustaining and each and every comrade is expected to bring "grub" enough for himself and a little extra to spare a comrade from a distance who might join us on the occasion.

A motion was made that hobby horses and dance halls be prohibited on the grounds.

The comrades are requested to meet at the regular time first Saturday in July, for the transaction of any business that may need our attention before the reunion.

The business over the camp adjourned to the regular meeting.

W. L. MARTIN, Commander.
By J. T. PRATER, Adjutant.

WORST OF ALL EXPERIENCES.

Can anything be worse than to feel that every minute will be your last? Such was the experience of Mrs. S. H. Newson, Decatur, Ala., "For three years" she writes: "I endured insufferable pain from indigestion, stomach and bowel trouble. Death seemed inevitable when doctors and all remedies failed At length I was induced to try Electric Bitters and the result was miraculous. I improved at once and now I'm completely recovered." For liver, kidney, stomach and bowel troubles Electric Bitters is the only medicine. Only 50c at Ross & Clements.

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Services of my registered Polan China, Friendship, No. 55981 can be had at the Alberta Stock Farm. Charges $1. WEBB HILL.

New Groceries

Are received in this store every day, It is our aim to keep nothing but fresh goods and we sell at prices that are extra low.

Country Produce Bought

When our farmer friends have chickens, eggs or anything else to sell, if they will see us we will make money for them.

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OUR ◦ JUNE ◦ MESSAGE !

We have secured the confidence of our customers by modern methods—bigger values and lower prices. By this means we are adding day by day to our list of customers. Still the past is a history and the future a promise, but the present our living time, and if you are seeking values we are better than ever prepared to supply your wants. The secret of the whole fact is that we are cash buyers and sellers which enables us to sell you goods at very low prices. Every department overflows with new goods. Big line of men's Fine Shirts and Neckwear just received. One strong feature of our business is the exclusive sale of - - - - - - - - - - - - - -

HAMILTON BROWN SHOES

We have long lead the town in the shoe business. Why? Not because we have built a trade on an unknown brand of shoes we accepted a shoe that was already known to people. It is a pleasure to us to know that we are giving you full value for your money and so it has been a pleasure to us to sell the Hamilton Brown Shoe. Come to see us when you are wanting anything in our line.

Goldthwaite, Texas. L. H. LITTLE. DRY GOODS.

The Goldthwaite Eagle

SATURDAY, JUNE 13, 1903.

LOCAL AND PERSONAL.

Boston Brown flakes at [illegible]

Go to J. B. Ferguson for [illegible] and meal.

The Confederate reunion [illegible] held here July 9, 10, 11.

Boarders at the Mountain Cottage are always pleased.

E. G. Triplett was here from Center City the first of the week.

A. Coffey was here from Antelope Gap the first of the week.

J. M. Simms orders the Eagle sent to him at Frederick, Okla.

W. A. McLeod spent Sunday in Lometa visiting Dr. Biggs and family.

Jake Murrah was here the first of the week from his ranch in Schleicher county.

E. J. Shave of Star was here this week and added to the Eagle's cash balance.

Don't buy a sewing machine until you see the best machine made at J. C. Evans.

J. A. Austin of Brownwood was here the first of the week looking after business matters.

Miss Eva Gartman, who attended the Denton normal, has returned to her home in this city.

Mrs. [illegible]lia Casey, formerly of Mullin, [illegible] for her paper to be sent to Guymon, Oklahoma.

Orders solicted to bake bread, cakes, etc, for picnics and entertainments—Lochabay.

J. B. Ferguson has good rich bran at $1 15 at warehouse.

Lee Watson of Brownwood came down Tuesday night to look after his firm's business interests.

J. J. Stockbridge came in from Big Valley Monday night to attend the Knights of Pythias festival.

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LAUNDRY BASKET IN SHOP

Lee Robertson has returned to his home in Big Valley after attending a session of the state university.

One of our esteemed friends, Mr. R. D. Brown, made it convenient to renew his subscription last Saturday.

S. E. Ross and wife and Miss Maymee Grisham returned last Friday from a visit to W. C. Carswell and family in Hood county.

Cooking oil at Prater's.

G. W. Vierling came in from Brady the first of the week to get his thrasher ready for work. He is owner of the Brady telephone exchange.

J. A. Triplett, who has been attending the State University at Austin, came in Monday night to remain during the summer.

The horse dealers and those interested in that line of business are speaking of arranging to have all people interested in trading and racing meet here the second Saturday in each month.

Bread, cakes, pies, etc. at Lochaby's

J. M. Robinson, who lives a few miles north of town, came to town Tuesday in his buggy. He brought a tie rope under the buggy seat and when he started to take the rope out he discovered a large snake mixed up with the rope

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Horse - Shoeing

Miss Mattie Behrns of Cherokee, who was first assistant in the Goldthwaite public school last session, has been elected to the same position in the San Saba school. She is a teacher of experience and ability and her many Goldthwaite friends are glad of her success.

The Eagle has received a letter from Mrs. R. L. Alldredge of Center City expressing hearty appreciation for the kindness of W. D. Holland and R. Langford for taking charge of the matter of paying the amount due on her horse and also thanking all who contributed to the fund for making the payment.

A BURNING ENGINE.

Monday morning there was considerable interest excited in town by the report that an engine attached to an incoming freight train was on fire. The train was seen slowly making its way over the hill south of town and at intervals the flames would mount high, followed by tiny clouds of smoke. A great a[illegible] men and others many busines[illegible] to an eminence where they could get a better view of the conflagration. Some were so kind hearted as to start for the train to lend assistance in saving the railroad company's property. One of the county officials, who is known for his neighborly acts and goodness of heart suggested that the engine being on fire the crew had of necessity abandoned it and it would, therefore, run unguided to the end of the tract, perhaps leaving death and destruction in its wake, so he thought it a duty for the citizens here to turn the switch and allow the burning train to be ditched, but before the plan could be executed it was discovered that the supposed burning engine was in fact a machine for setting fire to the weeds and grass along the right of way and the crowd which had gone to offer assistance returned to town, each one claiming to be the instigator of the joke about the burning engine.

WOODMEN OFFICERS.

The Woodmen of the World held a meeting Monday night at which a full set of officers were elected and part of them were installed.

J. A. Allen, consul commander; Dr. E. M. Wilson, adviser lieutenant; W. W. Saylor, clerk; J. W. Driskill, banker; F. N. Hubbert, escort; J. N. Keese, watchman; A. E. Weathers, sentry; W. B. Jackson, member of board of managers. Dr H E Brown was appointed camp physician to fill the vacancy caused by Dr. Barton's removal from the town.

MARRIAGE IN OKLAHOMA.

A letter was received by the Eagle last Saturday announcing the marriage on Wednesday night of Mr. R. J. Peck and Miss Helen Gittings at Harrison, Oklahoma, and it was stated that the young couple would reside near Harrison. Mr. Peck is the youngest son of Mr. A. C. Peck of Big Valley and has only resided in Oklahoma two or three years. He was reared in Big Valley and has a number of relatives and many friends in this county.

The Eagle joins in wishing much happiness for the young couple.

MEMORIAL SERVICE.

The Odd Fellows and Rebeckahs held memorial services in the cemetery last Sunday afternoon. The solemn ceremony was witnessed by a large number of the people of the town and surrounding country and all were impressed with the beauties of the ceremonies and the loving remembrance in which deceased members are held.

WHICH?

A fine vestibule train is coming. Are you ready to get aboard? If not, there is a freight coming on behind. If you are not ready then, you may walk.

Young people, the same is true in life. If you are prepared and ready with a good practical business education you may take the vestibule train where you will be surrounded with the comforts of life. If you are not ready, you may take the slow bumpy old freight or walk on behind with a little bundle of clothes tied up in a rag and swung over your shoulder.

Now begin in time, take one of those thorough, practical, and extensive courses in bookkeeping at Tyler College, Tyler, Texas and be prepared to ride in the vestibule train, surrounded by the luxuries of life.

Write for their new 1903 and 1904 catalogues.

DRIVEN TO DESPERATION.

Living at an out of the way place, remote from civilization, a family is often driven to desperation in case of accident, resulting in burns, cuts, ulcers, etc Lay in a supply of Bucklen's Arnica salve. 'tis the best on earth. 25c at Ross & Clements drug store.

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Hair Cut 25 cents. Shave 10 cents.
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Monthly customers, $1 per month. Your trade solicited. Work guaranteed. Hair cutting a specialty.

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No. 1. 185 acres of land lying on top of mountain, 9 miles north of Goldthwaite. Can get 40 or 50 acres in a farm in good bodies. Plenty of timber. Price 2 per acre in two or three payments.

No. . 320 acres fronting on Pecan bayou, 1 miles from Goldthwaite, about ⅜ good tillable land and the remainder good grazing land. Plenty of timber for fuel and fence posts. Price 3 per acre, one third cash, balance on easy terms.

No. 3. 4000 acre ranch with one mile of river front, 8 miles south of Goldthwaite. Two sets of ranch houses, good stock pens, etc. About sixty acres in cultivation, and plenty of good land that can be put in cultivation, and plenty of good land that can be put in cultivation. Will sell all in one body or will sell in two tracts. Price and terms on application.

No. 4. 700 acre ranch six miles northwest of Goldthwaite. All fenced and well watered by creek that never fails to furnish plenty of water. Small farm, and plenty of good land for farming purposes but better adapted to ranching purposes. Price $3.50 per acre, ⅓ or ⅓ cash, balance on terms to suit purchaser.

No. 6. Good two story stone building in the town of Goldthwaite, renting for 10 per month. Will sell for one-half cash balance one and two years.

No. 7. Four separate tracts of land containing 640 acres each, lying on top of mountain 7 to 1 miles northeast of Goldthwaite. Some good farming land in each tract, balance good mountain grazing land Price and terms on application.

No. 9. Ten thousand dollar stock of dry goods and groceries, in good town and country. Will sell for 70c on the dollar cash, or part cash and balance on reasonable time well secured.

No. 10. Tract of 100 acres of land, 70 acres in cultivation, all under good fence. Two sets of houses, with good well of water at each house. Within 1-2 mile of post office school house and gin. Price $50; 1- cash, balance in one and two years

No. 13. 350 acres, five miles east of Goldthwaite, 5 acres in cultivation, 100 acres more can be put in cultivation at moderate cost. All land fenced. Good well of water with windmill. Pasture land of extra quality. Price $1600; terms ¼ cash, balance in three annual payments.

No. 14. One stone building 5x100 feet in town of Goldthwaite, with good counters and shelving. Price $1500; ½ cash, balance in two payments.

No. 15 I have the following property I will sell for cash, or will trade a part or all of same for cattle, mules and horses, to-wit: (A) 3 0 acres of land on Lampasas river, in Hamilton county, about three miles from the town of Star, 15 acres in cultivation, all river bottom land. Very good houses, barns, etc. The remainder of the tract fenced in pastures. Lasting water in Lampasas river. Price $3000. (B) 55 acres of land adjoining the town of Star in Mills county, 100 acres in cultivation, the remainder in pasture, all first class land. Good house, well, and windmill. Price $3000. (C) The best residence in the town of Goldthwaite, large lot with good orchard and all modern improvements in splendid condition. Price $ 000.

No. 16. 1¾ acre lot in the town of Goldthwaite; good seven room house, barn, cribs, etc; splendid well of water; good peach orchard and truck patch. A good house and a bargain. Price $650; ½ cash, balance in two or three annual payments.

No. 17. One-half acre lot with small three room house in the town of Goldthwaite. Price $175; on easy terms.

No. 18. 162 acre tract of land 6 miles northwest of Goldthwaite, 60 acres in fine state of cultivation, balance in pasture. Three room dwelling, stables, lots, etc. Good dug well of water in yard; about 500 bearing pecan trees on tract. Also lasting stock water in creek. Price $1000; ¼ cash, balance in three annual payments.

No. 0. 293½ acres 3½ miles northwest of Goldthwaite, 65 acres in cultivation, balance in pasture, one-half of which can be cultivated, three room residence, stables, etc. Good well of water, also large dirt tank. Price $1600; ¼ cash, balance on easy terms.

No. 1. 60 acres two miles northwest of town of Goldthwaite, all the very best land, enough timber to pay for land. Good dirt tank. Price $1000; ¼ cash, balance in three annual payments.

No. . Good five room residence in the town of Goldthwaite, on two acre lot. Good well and windmill, water pipes running all over place; large barn, buggy house, etc. Price $800, on liberal terms. This is a bargain.

No. 3. I have a 3 ,000 acre ranch, all good land, lying in Scurry county, that I will cut in small bodies for small stock farmers; will be able to make reasonable price and liberal terms.

No 4. About 55,000 acres in Wheeler and Gray counties, will cut in small ranches and sell on liberal terms.

6. 1000 tract of land 16 miles east of Goldthwaite, 125 acres in fine state of cultivation, good six room residence, with good barn and grainaries, never failing shallow well at residence. Also two sets of tenant houses on place, with splendid wells of water at each. The land not in cultivation in four pastures including 0 acres hog pasture, about 400 acres of which is splendid land for agricultural purposes. The grass land is of excellent quality. Besides four good wells of water there are four good springs on the tract. Plenty of good timber for all purposes. Also offer for sale 45 head of good stock cattle, one good Tennessee Jack and farming tools and implements sufficient to run the farm Price for whole outfit $7000, on liberal terms, or will sell land separately.

No. 8. 200 acre tract of land fronting Colorado river, 10 miles south of Goldthwaite, 50 acres of river bottom land in cultivation, 40 acres more can be put in farm. The entire tract under good hog proof fence. Good four room residence with outside improvements including large underground cistern. Price $1850. One-half cash, balance in one and two years, or will exchange for good upland farm in Mills county. Object in selling, to improve wife's health.

No. 9. 3700 acre ranch, 10 miles south of Goldthwaite, 130 acres in cultivation—100 acres now in wheat—more than 1000 acres more land in good body can be put in cultivation, watered by creek never fails. also ¼ mile of frontage on Colorado river besides good dirt tank. Splendid six room residence with two good barns, large cistern and other necessary outside improvements. Also one good tenant house or ranch, price $5 per acre, 1-2 or 1-3 cash, balance on easy terms. Also want to sell 300 well graded Hereford cattle with the ranch. Also some farming implements and good work and saddle horses. This is one of the finest ranches in west Texas and is a good bargain.

No. 30. 1 acre lot in the town of Goldthwaite, very rich garden spot, good three room house with gallery, good stone chimney well and windmill; nice home convenient to school, price $500, half cash and balance one and two years, or will take span of good mules.

The above is a partial list of the lands and other property I have for sale, and will be increased each week. People having property for sale, can, by placing same with me, have it advertised without cost, save my commission.

My father, Mr. Wm. R. Cox, will give special attention to the Laud and general agency department of my business.

Jno. J. Cox

ELECTION LAW.

The provisions of this law are not operative until after Feb. 1, 1904.

OPENING THE POLLS.

Sec. 52. The judges of election, poll clerks and ballot clerks, for each precinct, shall meet at the polling place at least a half of an hour before the time for opening the polls at each election precinct for which official ballots are required, and shall proceed to arrange the guard rails, the space within the guard rails, and the furniture including the voting booths, for the orderly and legal conduct of the election. The judges of election shall then examine the ballot boxes required for the reception of ballots, and the blank official ballots, and shall deposit such ballots as are found to be defective in printing in ballot box No. 4, for mutilated or returned ballots. They shall also examine the sample ballots, instruction cards, distance markers, poll tax books or rolls, and poll tax exemption books or rolls, tally sheets, return sheets, rubber or wooden stamps, and all stationery required by them for such election. The instruction cards shall be posted conspicuously in each of the voting booths. The package of official ballots shall remain in the custody of the judges and polling clerks. The judges shall cause to be placed at the distance of one hundred feet from the polling place visible markers in each direction of approaches to the polls, which are designated as distance markers, to prohibit electioneering or loitering within one hundred feet of the polling place. They shall examine the ballot boxes, and then relock them, after all present can see they are empty. The instruction cards and distance markers shall be posted up and shall not be defaced or removed during the progress of the election. The ballot clerks, with the official ballots, the presiding officer of the election, and the judges, and the poll clerks with their poll books, and the poll tax receipt book, for roll, and exemption book, or roll, shall be as conveniently near each other as practicable, within the polling place.

Sec. 53. Before opening the polls the presiding judge of election shall in an audible voice take the following oath or affirmation, which shall be uttered slowly and distinctly, and each of the other judges and clerks shall repeat the same after him:

"I solemnly swear (or affirm) that I will not in any manner request or seek to persuade or induce any voter to vote for or against any particular candidate or candidates, or for or against any proposition to be voted on; that I will not keep or make any memoranda or entry of anything occurring within the booths, nor disclose how anyone who I am permitted to assist in voting, has voted, except I be called on to testify in a judicial proceeding; and that I will attempt faithfully to perform this day my duty as officer of the election, and guard, as far as I am able, the purity of the ballot box. So help me God."

VOTING AT ELECTIONS

Sec. 54 In all elections by the people, the vote shall be only by official bollot, either written or printed, or written in part and printed in part, which shall be cast only by those who present to the election judges their poll tax receipt or certificate of exemption from poll tax, dated before the first day of February preceeding the election, made out and signed in accordance with law by the county tax collector of the county of their residence, or by those who file their written affidavit with the election judges (who shall keep the same,) that such poll tax receipt or certificate of exemption from poll tax had been properly made out by the tax collector and delivered to them, but that the same had been lost or mislaid; provided, that those who are by law exempt from the payment of a poll tax, and who do not reside in a city of ten thousand inhabitants or more, shall not be required to obtain or present said certificates of exemption.

Sec. 55 For each election precinct the county commissioners court shall provide four ballot boxes, to be marked as follows: "Ballot box No. 1, for Election Precinct No..... ;" "Ballot Box No. 2, for Election Precinct No..... ;" "Ballot Box No. 3, for Election Precinct No..... ; Ballot Box No. 4, for Election Precinct No....."

Sec. 56. In ballot box No. 4 shall be deposited, in addition to ballot defectively printed, all defaced and mutilated ballots, and all ballots given to voters and by them returned to the judges unused, and when the polls are closed, all the ballots that have not been voted. The box shall be locked, and so returned, sealed, to the county clerk, with a statement which shall be placed therein, signed by the presiding judge, of the number of ballots received by him, the number of mutilated or defaced ballots that the box contains, and also the number of ballots not given to voters and those given to voters and returned unused, and of those defectively printed, so that after adding such numbers, all ballots delivered to the election officers may be accounted for. Such box shall, when the returns of votes cast are canvassed by the commissioners court, be opened by them and counted, and a record shall be made by them of what they have found to be its contents.

Sec. 57. Before the balloting begins the presiding judge shall unlock ballot box No. 1, and, after all the managers of the election have inspected the same to see that it is empty, relock it, and place it where it shall remain until removed to make way for Ballot Box No. 2. A like examination shall be made of Ballot Box No. 2. All the boxes shall be securely made of metal or wood, provided with a top, hinges, lock and key, and an opening shall be made in the top just large enough to receive a ballot when polled.

Sec. 58. The official ballot to be used in elections must be of uniform style, to be furnished by the county clerk, unless from any cause those furnished should be exhausted or not delivered, when the voters may prepare their own ballots, after the style of the sample ballots here in provided for. Before the election begins four instruction cards shall be posted up one hundred feet from the polling place, in addition to those required for voting booths. The form of instruction cards shall be prescribed by the Secretary of State, and furnished twenty days before each general election to all county clerks. At the top of each official ballot the words "Official Ballot" shall be printed in large letters. All official ballots shall contain the names of all the candidates whose nominations for any office specified on the ballot have been duly made and not withdrawn, as provided by this act, and the title of the office shall be properly stated.

Sec. 59. At elections for school district officers, or school officers of a city, town or village, at which no other officer is to be elected, and election of officers of fire departments, any ballots may be used, prescribed by local authorities.

(Continued next week.)

EASTERN STAR.

A regular meeting of the Order of Eastern Star will be held in the Masonic hall Saturday night, June 13. All members are urgently requested to be present. B. LAMMERS, W. P.

OBITUARY.

Mrs. Paralee M. McLeod of Goldthwaite, Texas, departed her life on earth to join loved ones who had gone before and were waiting her coming on the bright celestial shore, on March 10, 1903. She was the daughter of Rev. M. C. and Mrs. M. F. Wilson. She was born Dec. 23, 1871, in Kaufman county, Texas; age 31 years, 2 months and 15 days. She was converted at a camp meeting her father, M. C. Wilson, was conducting in San Saba county, Texas, in her twelvth year and united with the Methodist Protestant church and lived a devoted Christian until death. She was united in marriage to W. A. McLeod in 1887. She was the mother of 4 children, 3 boys and one girl. The girl preceded her to the home of the Christ she loved so well. She died in the triumphs of a living faith; she passed away perfectly conscious, called her family one by one, and bade them goodbye and gave each one a parting blessing, then bade her mother, who was by her side, goodbye, and said, I want to see papa, tell him I will meet him in heaven, and she passed away.

The funeral service was held in the residence by Rev. Linn, pastor of the M. E. church south, at Goldthwaite. Her remains were then conducted to the Odd Fellows cemetery at Goldthwaite to await the final ressurrection. Our sister waded deep waters of affliction for many weeks. At last the summons came and it was hers to look not upon earthly temples, but to enter the heavenly. To her compassionate heavenly father we commend the sorrowing companion and the little children to follow the example of the companion and mother and be prepared to meet their loved one in heaven when the summons comes for their spirits to take their flight from their temporal bodies and return to the God who gave it. While she is sleeping in the dust, the spirit is enjoying the sweets of a Savior's love, where there is no parting, sorrow or grief.

We shall all sleep, but not forever. There will be a glorious dawn.

W. H. LEDBETTER.

San Saba, Tex.

ELECTION ORDERED.

The State of Texas—County of Mills.

Whereas, at an election held in and for the city of Goldthwaite, Texas, for the purpose of electing a mayor, marshal, treasurer, secretary, attorney and five alderman, J. H. Randolph was elected mayor; H. T White, marshal; W. H. Trent, treasurer; R. L. H. Williams, attorney and J. D. Uquhart, B. F. Geeslin, L. E. Miller, Eli Fairman and Leon Harris alderman, and whereas the said R. L. H. Williams, B. F. Geeslin, Leon Harris, L. E. Miller and Eli Fairman failed and refused to take the oath of office and qualify for the offices to which they were respectively elected within thirty days after said election, and whereas the city council of said city has failed to order another election for the purpose of filling said vacancies, therefore, by virtue of the authority vested in me by law, I, J. H. Randolph, mayor of the city of Goldthwaite, Texas, do hereby order an election to be held at the court house of Mills county, Texas, in the said city of Goldthwaite, on the first Tuesday in July, the same being the 7th day of July, 1903, for the purpose of enabling the legally qualified electors of the said city, to elect a city secretary, city attorney and four alderman, at which election all male persons who have attained to age of twenty-one years, and who have resided within the corporated limits of the city of Goldthwaite, for six months next preceding the day of election, and are qualified electors under the laws of the State of Texas. shall be entitled to vote at said election, and that W. M. Johnston, a legally qualified voter residing within the corporated limits of said city, be and is hereby appointed the presiding officer of said election, to hold said election.

That the officers of said election make due return of said election as the law directs, and that said election be held in the manner prescribed for holding elections as prescribed by law.

Witnessed my hand and official signature, this May 28, 1903.

J. H. RANDOLPH, Mayor.
City of Goldthwaite, Texas.

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No. 104—A two story frame hotel in Mullin, with a one-half interest in a two-story stone wall adjoining hotel lot. A bargain for some one desiring to go into the hotel business in a small town. Price on application.

No. 105.—A new dwelling on Fisher street with four room, three galleries, good well and barn. This property is conveniently located to the business part of town and is worth 800.

No. 109—Some nice building lots (for homes) in Hearne's addition to Goldthwaite. These lots are nicely located, high and dry, and you can have your choice for $60. Buy a lot now, while they are cheap.

No 116—65 acres one mile from town, 45 acres in cultivation, fine well with windmill and waterworks, desiring to handle some stock in connection with farm. Price 1280 on easy terms.

No.119—400 acres, 5 miles from Goldthwaite, 85 a. in fine state of cultivation balance good grass. This property has a good four-room house, well in yard and stock water in pasture. Price and terms on application.

No 121—We are offering a 500 acre tract on Colorado river very cheap. It has a 65 acre farm, balance good grass. If you want a cheap stock farm ask about this.

No. 123 -There is a comfortable home on the mountain side which the owner desires us to dispose of soon. It has five rooms, two stone chimneys, two cisterns and a fine garden. Price about 600.

No. 125—Ask about a 5000 acre tract on the Colorado river.

No. 128.—170 acres seven miles north of Goldthwaite, with 30 acres in farm, 3 room house, smoke house, lots and other improvements. Price on application. Very convenient to good school.

No.— 500 acres 12 miles west of Goldthwaite 50 acre farm, 5 room two story dwelling house, smokehouse and other improvements. 2 wells and windwill. Price $2000, 1-2 cash and balance on easy terms.

No. 150—1000 acre ranch 16 miles west of Goldthwaite, 5 room house barn, orchard, well and other improvements; 450 acres of lease land in connection with the above. Price and terms on application.

No. 151—A stone business house and hotel property in Goldthwaite to trade for cattle. See us at once if a trade like this will suit you.

No. 152—Ask us about a 600-acre tract within six miles of Goldthwaite. For sale cheap.

430 acres north of Mullin, 70 acre farm, 2 houses 3 rooms each, good well, windmill and tank. Good grass land. Price 3900.

2256 acres lying on Pecan Bayou, good farm and house. This can be bought at a very low price. Price and terms on application.

178 acres near Antelope Gap, 50 acres farm, 4 room house, barn and other improvements. Price on application.

No. — 20 acres of land near school building, good four room house, two good wells, some fruit trees, eight acres in cultivation. This place is convenient to town and school and well located for truck gardening. Sufficient water for irrigation.

No. 132.—We are offering for a short time, a 2-story frame, 12-room hotel that commands the transient trade of the town. We will sell this property, already furnished or will trade for cattle. Price 1350. Terms satisfactory.

No. 135—309 acres, 4½ miles from Goldthwaite, on San Saba road. Four room house, cribs and well with windmill. 40 acres in good state of cultivation. Price $2250

No 137—311 acres, 6 miles north of Goldthwaite, convenient to good school. 135 acres in cultivation and balance good grass land; four room dwelling, barn, lots and other improvements. Also 2 room rent house on the place. Price 2600.

No. 138.—160 acres, 5 miles from Goldthwaite; 60 acres in cultivation well, tanks and two farm houses Price 900.

No. 139—20 acres in west part of Goldthwaite, with good 4-room dwelling, well, tank, barn and other improvements; convenient to public school. Price 1500, on easy terms.

No. 140—A 3-room dwelling and lot on Front street, with barn, lot and windmill. Convenient to business portion of town. Price 500 on easy terms.

Ask us about a 6-acre tract near the school building.

No. 142. 160 acre tract known as the Lane pre-emption in northwest part of Mills county. Will take a small payment, cash, and balance on time to suit purchaser.

We are offering a 5-room dwelling with good cistern, barn and truck patch for $600, and can use $250 or $300 worth of well secured vendor's lien notes as part payment, balance on long time.

No. 144. 3500 acres lying on Colorado river, 16 miles south of Brownwood, Texas, 150 acres in cultivation one-third agricultural land, a $1000 dwelling, outhouses and close to good school and church. This ranch is divided into three pastures, with five tanks, two wells and windmill. Price, $5 per acre; one-half cash and balance on time to suit purchaser.

No. 145. 640 acres, 16 miles west of Goldthwaite, in Hanna Valley; 75 acres in cultivation, good tanks, well and windmill with stone reservoir, orchard and 6-room dwelling. Price, $7.50 per acre, and will take stock for part payment.

No. 146. 400 acres southeast of Goldthwaite on Simms creek, 120 acres in fine state of cultivation, good 6-room farm house, well, windmill and two acres in orchard. Price, $4000; one-half cash balance on easy terms.

We have residence property we will trade for work horses or mules.

No.— 101 acres in Big Valley, near good school, church, P. O., gin and store. This is a fine tract of land with 75 acres in farm and fine orchards Price 1600, 1- cash and balance on easy terms.

162 acres on Pecan Bayou, 50 acre farm, 4 room house and other improvements. Price 900. Will take wagon and team as part payment.

500 acres in northern part of Mills county, good house and improvements. If you want a desirable stock farm this will suit you. Price 7.50 per acre.

850 acres fronting Colorado river for 1½ miles, 5 room dwelling, cistern, pecan timber, 140 acres in cultivation and has well for irrigation. Price 5,500 on reasonable terms.

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