

# THE GOLDTHWAITE EAGLE

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W. E. Grahman was among the excursionists to Galveston Saturday night.

Mrs. Walter Fairman went to Killeen Tuesday for a short visit to Mrs. G. B. Brown.

Will Kemp was here from Mullin one day this week and made the Eagle a pleasant call.

J. A. Harris and B. A. Howington were visitors from the Washboard community one day this week.

There was a meeting of the Farmers Union held in the court house here Tuesday to take action on the warehouse proposition and attend to other business.

J. H. McCormick and Miss Annie Jedlike were married at the residence of Judge H. T. White last Friday night after 10 o'clock, that gentleman officiating. The couple came in on the night train from Hildenhelm, where they reside. They left the next morning on the west bound train.

The Holiness meeting that was conducted for ten days at the Center City encampment grounds closed Sunday night. There was a great deal of bad weather during this meeting, but the attendance upon the services was very satisfactory and the results of the meeting was a large number of conversions and restorations, the aggregate number of which was about sixty. Rev. Erick left Monday for his home in Fannin county and Rev. C. C. Cluck and wife left Tuesday morning for their home at Pental. These ministers are faithful and hard workers and they did a great deal of good preaching at the meeting and drew to them many warm friends among the Christian people of all denominations.

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## NEIGHBORING NEWS.

ITEMS CULLED FROM THE LEADING LOCAL PAPERS.

**LAMPASAS.**  
The Sage postoffice has been discontinued.

The Farmers' Union Ware House Company has been organized with a capital stock of \$3000 divided into shares of \$10 each. Mrs. E. C. Word died Tuesday at 2:30 o'clock at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Omar Smith. Mrs. Word was 82 years of age.

Saturday morning about eleven o'clock, the residence of R. N. Higdon some miles in the country, was destroyed by fire. The house and all its contents were a total loss.

Mrs. Kate Vernor Mills and children, who have been here for some time on a visit to Mrs. Mills' parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Vernor, have returned to their home in Wills Point.

Friday morning at the Huggins house, Rev. B. E. Huggins officiating, Elmer Hollomon and Miss Myrtle Pollock were united in marriage. Both young people have been raised in this section.—Leader.

**SAN SABA.**  
Ira Bowman has filed a contest on the election returns for commissioner of Precinct No. 1.

N. K. Lidstone returned the first of the week from Galveston. We are glad to learn that he will remain in San Saba.

Dennie Burns, Walker Kirkpatrick, Carroll Brown and Mrs. Elmo Brown and children left Saturday for Richmond, Cal.

H. K. Ballard has received notice of his appointment as carrier for R. F. D. No. 3 from San Saba. J. A. Alexander was named as substitute. The service will begin September 17.—News.

At least 25,000 people passed through the gates during the fair.

A subscription list was circulated in town on last Wednesday to make a donation to be divided equally between the different Farmers Union locals that took part in the parade. Most all the business men contributed something and about \$27 was raised. The attorneys for E. W. Yardley, now in jail charged with the killing of Pat Carroll, sued out a writ of habeas corpus and the

matter of bail was passed on Monday by District Judge Martin and the amount fixed at \$8000. It is not likely that bond can be made.

The Republican county convention met at the Odd Fellows hall Aug. 4 and elected Marshall Smith of Brownwood delegate to the state convention, which meets at El Paso Aug. 14. Webster Miller was elected county chairman and K. Davenport secretary. Strong resolutions were passed endorsing President Roosevelt's administration.—Star.

**HAMILTON.**  
Henry Knowles of Star was in town Sunday on his way to Big Springs, to see his daughter, who is quite sick.

Jack Panoake last week disposed of his home place here recently purchased from W. T. Cropper, to J. T. Preston for \$3500. Jack leaves to-day for Llano to visit a sanitarium there and consult the doctors as to the condition of his lungs.

A difficulty occurred at Hico last Friday in which Col Woods was shot through the body by Charlie McCandless. Bob Brooks was hit over the head by Marshal Hooper and badly wounded. Woods is still alive.—Herald.

**BROWNWOOD.**  
Mrs. Bettie Phillips died at her home, eight miles west of town, Tuesday night.

A. R. White and Miss Georgia Mullins were joined in holy matrimony at the new church at Thrifty Sunday, Aug. 5.

J. W. Trapp will leave tonight for a month visit to his old home at Rhome, Ga. Mr. Trapp is expecting a great time on his visit.

A marriage that came in the nature of a surprise to the family and friends was that of Sam Morrow and Miss Clara Shropshire, which occurred Tuesday afternoon. It was a runaway marriage pure and simple.

Neise Allman pled guilty in the county court Monday to selling intoxicating liquor in violation of the local option law, and was fined \$25.00 and given 20 days term in jail. He is now serving out his time in jail.

Oba George died very suddenly at the home of Mrs. Henry Drane late Friday afternoon.

Mr. George was a sufferer from that dreaded disease, consumption, but a few hours before his death was up and moving around. Mr. George was a young man and his death is regretted by host of friends.—Bulletin.

**COMANCHE.**  
Marshall D. Jones, the promising little son of M. D. Jones and wife, died Saturday and was buried Sunday afternoon.

Miss Iva Harris was married last Friday night to Mr. John C. Cook, a traveling salesman of a Chicago printing house.

L. E. Gage has disposed of his residence property to his uncle, who came here last week prospecting, and will build elsewhere.

Sam Brown has turned over the business of Waters-Pierce Oil Co. at this place to Ben Anthony, who has been freight clerk at the depot.

The Missionary Baptist closed a meeting at Mercers Gap Wednesday with 15 conversions. 23 were united to the church. W. H. Teague conducted the meeting with the assistance of Wade D. Vinson.

Ned Holman has resigned as cashier of the First National bank and has accepted the position of cashier of the Farmers & Merchants National bank of this city. He and J. W. Cunningham have bought stock in the latter bank. E. E. Anthony voluntarily retires from the bank and will engage in other business. He and Dr. Gray both disposed of their holdings.—Chief.

**LOMETA.**  
Last Friday at his home some three miles east of Lometa, Ed Maxwell was kicked in the stomach by a horse. He was suffering intensely from the accident and was taken to Temple for treatment. Word came here that he died in the hospital at that place Sunday night. Deceased was a son of the late Harvey Maxwell who lived near this place for many years and died some time this year. Mr. Maxwell was past forty years of age and leaves a wife and several children. He was a son-in-law of Uncle Andy Ivy of Lometa. The Leader extends sincere sympathy to the bereaved relatives.

Word reached Lampasas Saturday afternoon of a very sad

accident at Lometa which occurred Friday evening, near that place. The two young sons of Mr. Rogers of that place were in the woods hunting, when the elder, Floyd, who was carrying a target rifle on his shoulder accidentally discharged the weapon, the bullet striking his little brother, Ora, in the forehead, killing him instantly. Floyd picked up his little brother's body and carried it a mile or more to the nearest residence. An inquest was held over the remains by Justice Ivy who found that the child came to its death from the cause stated above. The child that was killed was about ten or eleven years old and his brother a year or so older.—Lampasas Leader.

**CENTER CITY CEMETERY.**  
Those interested in the Center City cemetery will please meet at the cemetery at this place August 22, for the purpose of fencing same. The wire has been purchased. All who have weaving machines please bring them. All come as there is more cleaning and work for both men and women. COMMITTEE.

A great many Texas towns have already received their first bales of cotton and in some places the gins are running on full time.

The fixtures for the Mullin bank were hauled to that place from this city Wednesday and the bank will be ready for business in a few days.

The 13-year-old daughter of Deputy Sheriff George Booth, was burned to death Saturday afternoon while attempting to light a fire in a furnace with kerosene at the family residence in Austin.

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**STATE NEWS.**  
G. N. Cook was killed by lightning Saturday near Mount Calm.

This week 400,000 pounds of wool were shipped from Del Rio and 100,000 pounds from Spoford. This shipment required twenty-five cars. The freight rates were nearly \$7,500.

Sheriff Tobin of Bexar county was elected president of the Sheriff's Association and San Antonio was selected for the next place of meeting.

The general revenue fund continues on a cash basis as a result of the \$375,000 received from congress to reimburse Texas for expenditures in protecting the frontier during the early days.

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M. C. Kirkpatrick was here from Mullin one day this week.

J. E. Allen made a business visit to Mullin one day this week.

T. F. Elliott of Antelope Gap made the Eagle a pleasant call last Saturday afternoon.

Some farmers are already beginning to arrange for cotton pickers to gather their crops.

Mrs. Salyer and children have been here from Brownwood this week visiting R. S. Crain and family.

G. W. Absher of Mullin came in Wednesday morning and went over to Star to look after his interests.

L. C. Chapman of Winters has been here this week, having been called on account of the illness of his mother.

Geo. Dennis and wife returned Wednesday to their home in Meridian, after a visit to relatives near this city.

J. M. Weathers expects to leave in a few days for Comanche, Gustine and other points with a drove of horses.

Mrs. J. J. Ince of Big Valley was summoned to Carmin last Friday night to attend her daughter, who was quite sick.

When you know a local item tell the Eagle, and thereby help us to make the paper more interesting to you and your friends.

Mrs. Townsend and children left Wednesday morning for their home in Temple, after a visit to her relatives, the Dennis family, near this city.

Geo. Strickland, a ranchman from near Copperas Cove, has been here this week visiting his parents, Capt. and Mrs. Strickland, and other relatives.

H. C. Knowles of Star came in Wednesday morning from Big Springs, where he had been to see his daughter who is quite sick. She was much improved when he left her.

Rev. J. W. Kelley came in from Moore Tuesday morning for a visit to his wife and daughters at the Mountain Cottage.

J. M. Smith was here from Center City one day this week in search of cotton pickers. He has an advertisement in this issue.

Miss Allene Smith, after a visit to Miss Loraine Walters in this city, left Tuesday morning for Brownwood and Ba'linger to visit relatives.

I want 4 or 5 cotton pickers; family preferred. Good camp grounds furnished. About 100 acres of cotton. Apply to me at Center City.—J. M. Smith. 18-3.

L. T. Moorland, John M. Moore and J. L. Kinnebrew were among those who went to Galveston on the excursion Saturday night and returned Tuesday morning.

B. A. Howington this week sold to J. A. Harris 100 acres of land adjoining Mr. Harris' property in the Washboard community for a cash consideration of \$2100.

W. C. Hildebrand was one of the good men who called this week and added his name to the Eagle's long list of readers. Mr. Hildebrand is an experienced painter and paper hanger of this city.

The business community is getting ready for a heavy trade this fall and larger stocks of goods will be on display here this year than have ever been shown by our merchants. No doubt a repetition of the 1905 business may well be expected.

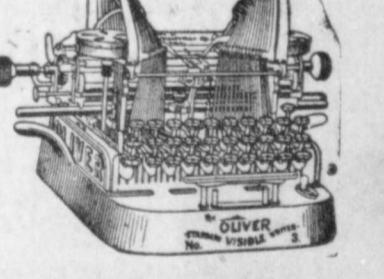


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**TESTIMONY — GLEANINGS.**  
Editor Eagle:  
South Bennett community received good rains in good time. Our crops of cotton, Mexican corn, peas, beans, squashes, melons, turnips, radish, okra, maize and cane for forage and sorghum molasses we rate at normal 100, so we are preparing to "out the mustard" and so on. Our 3-4 acres of well prepared soil for tomatoes we've credited the court with our tomatoes. Expense put them on Dr. side of profit and loss, double entry ledger.

We are hoping to get a second class road for our neighborhood's benefit between the Payne and South Bennett public roads, so that our school trustees will move the school house from across the creek up on the hill, south of the J. M. Fletcher and M. E. Renfro surveys. Allow me to say that we have first class neighbors, but as they only ask for a second class road I'll do my best to accommodate—so that I may get accommodations (Galatians 6th chapter, 6 and 7 verses.)

Grass in fields and pastures is growing—growing thick, green and high. Horses and cattle are fat and sleek (sleek) and in shade do lie.

Lots of folks "gwine and comin'" from meatin' or to see our kinfolks and old friends that's been "out o' sight to memory dear." May God be with 'em all, so that Abaddon (as in Hebrew tongue,) but in the Greek tongue hath his name Apollyon, Rev. 9:11.

Well, well, dear readers, let's all of us go on highways of holiness and sanctification's new roads. St. John 13:34, to see our kinfolks and friends over in Acts 18:28-30. Be it known unto you, Acts 15:8-9, and God giving them the Holy Ghost, even as He did to us; purifying their hearts by faith. Acts 16:31. Believe on the Lord Jesus Christ and thou shalt be saved and thy house. Acts 17:23. Him I declare unto you (27) though He be not far from every one of us; 23—for in him we live. Ac's 20—Take heed therefore unto yourselves; Acts 20:32—And now, brethren, I commend you to God and to His grace, which is able to build you up, and to give you an inheritance among all them which are sanctified. Romans 15:13 Now through the power of the Holy Ghost. Rom. 15:15 because of the grace that is given to me of God.

The Holiness services on the Center City Holiness camp grounds closed Monday, 13th inst., with much joy and gladness, mingled with shouts of victory because of love's labor as friends in a heavenly place. Beaming face shows a loving heart. With burdens light and yokes easy, did these "peculiar people" do their parts. No one but God keeps exact count of those repented, converted, reclaimed or sanctified, but several persons tried to count those converted or sanctified, and after averaging up by estimates we make it about 80 souls rejecting homeward bound. The secretary, Mrs. Laura Irwin, post-office Goldthwaite, residence Pleasant Grove, will cheerfully answer inquiries. No change of officers by the Holiness band except at the request of our beloved and efficient (4 years served) president, W. H. Fletcher, Rev. Thos. Humphries was made president until next annual election.

Rev. W. B. Moon, pastor of Center City circuit M. E. church South-west Texas conference, rendered valiant services in the altar and testimonial work.

Brother Moon begins a meeting tonight, Tuesday, 14th Aug., 1906, at Pleasant Grove. People, watch, work, pray and sing with your pastor, so as to feed the flock both body and soul Ps. 88:11-15. God is especially present in the hearts of His people, by His Holy spirit and indeed the hearts of holy men are temples in the truth of things. In these types, shadows and realities we have our conversation in heavenly places, where glory crowns the mercy seat.

**THE BOOK AGENT.**  
P. S.—Mr. W. H. Thompson, Brownwood, Texas.

Dear Friend and Brother in Christianity—I received your esteemed letter and will continue to do as you request of me, Acts 27:25. Wherefore be of good cheer, for I believe God that it shall be. After much study and prayers often for—I have just again penciled testimony leading in the highway of holiness. Write often as you can. God bless you in your sweet home and business always. I've much to do; hope this will answer several other requests also, similar to yours, for you know they reach the Eagle. Yours, I. Thos. 5:23. T. B. A.

John Welch returned to his home in Sterling City yesterday, after spending several days with relatives and friends in this county. Mrs. Welch and children will remain here a short time longer with relatives.

The committee appointed by the city council to buy team and wagon for the scavenger's department and employ a scavenger purchased a wagon and pair of mules from Holland & Rudd for \$150 and contracted with Rev. W. H. Mills to have the work done for \$20 per month.

The sad intelligence reached San Saba Wednesday morning that Josh Welch, who lives about five miles north of Richland Springs, while cleaning his Winchester accidentally threw a cartridge in the barrel from the magazine at the same time his little four year old girl walked in front of the gun, which was discharged, killing her instantly. This is the saddest accident that our past has chronicled in years, and sympathy goes out to the family by all good people at this deplorable and unfortunate accident which resulted in the death of this innocent little girl.—San Saba Star.

**UNION WAREHOUSE.**  
The prospects for building a Farmers Union warehouse at this place are much brighter than they were last week. In fact, it is now pretty sure that the warehouse will be built. The Union held a meeting here Tuesday to discuss the proposition and a committee was appointed to call upon the business men in this city and ascertain how much would be subscribed to have the warehouse located at this place. The committee was out only a short time and secured donations amounting to about \$400. It is likely that other subscriptions will be added to this list, which makes the building of the warehouse practically certain. The matter has been referred to the various locals of the county for consideration and action and it is very likely some definite decision will be reached in a few days. If the warehouse is to be built in time for the crop of this year it is time work was commenced.

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**ANTELOPE GAP.**  
Editor Eagle:  
After attending the protracted meetings around I will chat the dear old Eagle and tell some of the new items of the neighborhood.

We are having some good meetings at Long Cove. Bros. Barb and Thompson closed a meeting there week before last with sixteen conversions.

Saturday Bro. Teague from Brownwood commenced a meeting, will last ten days. We hope and pray there will be much accomplished in this meeting. Bro. Teague baptised ten candidates Sunday eve.

Bro. Reese will fill his appointment Saturday and Sunday.

Several from here attended the Holiness meeting at Center City. All report having a grand meeting.

Mr. Adams is improving some. He is able to sit up.

Mr. Black and family visited friends and relatives in McAnally's Bend Saturday and Sunday.

Mr. Dennis and wife spent several days with his sister, Mrs. Mary Powers.

Sam Kuykendall and family from Lampasas, spent a week with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Kuykendall. They accompanied them home to visit relatives and friends.

Meadanes Vandike and Strayley and John Strayley and wife visited French Strayley and family close to Lampasas last week.

T. F. Elliott and family are at Goldthwaite attending the Christian meeting.

The Republicans held their state convention in El Paso this week and nominated candidates for all of the state offices and re-elected Cecil Lyons for state chairman. The nominees are: Governor, C. A. Gray of Fannin county; Lieutenant governor, Frederick Hofheitz of Comal county; Attorney general, Charles W. Ogden of San Antonio; Comptroller, Wentworth Manning of Van Zandt county; Treasurer, Kendall Booth of Taylor; Superintendent of public instruction, C. Vandervoort of Garza Springs; Commissioner of the general land office, H. C. Harding of Amarillo; railroad commissioner, W. F. Conner, of Dallas; Judge of court of criminal appeals, A. G. Foster, of El Paso.

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**DEMOCRATIC CONVENTION.**  
The Texas Democratic convention met in Dallas Tuesday of this week to nominate candidates for state offices and prepare a party platform for the guidance of those officers for the coming year. There was a big attendance upon the convention.

Hon. Thos. M. Campbell of Palestine was nominated for governor on the second ballot. The remainder of the ticket was nominated virtually by acclamation. For lieutenant governor Mr. Davidson was named and a gentleman by the same name who has served as attorney general for the last two years was nominated for re-election. John J. Terrell, land commissioner; Sam Sparks, treasurer; J. W. Stephens for comptroller; R. R. Gaines for chief justice of the supreme court; John N. Henderson, judge of the court of criminal appeals completed the ticket.

**THE PLATFORM.**  
The platform is short and comprehensive. It declares the Texas Democratic in favor of all well known and well established Democratic principles and declares in favor of economy in the administration of public business. It endorses Governor Lanham's administration and expresses the thanks of the people for his faithfulness and efficiency.

It demands that the next legislature enact such laws as will forbid and punish lobbying and favors a law forbidding the giving of free passes over railroads, except to peace officers, indigent and to the employees of such railroads. Demands a law forbidding corporations contributing to campaign funds of any candidate or party and favors a law that will prevent insolvent corporations doing business in this state. Favors corporations being required to have one-half of their capital stock paid in before they are allowed to do business in this state, with an additional requirement that all of the capital stock must be paid within two years; opposes nepotism and favors a uniform text book law; requires that the next legislature make such changes in the Terrell election law as will render it more easily understood and followed and also demands an amendment to the law providing for blanket primaries. Demands that the occupation tax on useful occupations be removed and declares in favor of additional laws to prevent and punish tax dodgers. Favors the establishment of a state department of agriculture separate and apart from all other state departments and recommends liberal support for the Agricultural and Mechanical college, the Girls Industrial college and the other state institutions of learning.

It recommends the liberal support of the state's eleemosynary institutions and suggests that a home for the widows of Confederate soldiers be established and maintained by the state.

**IN MEMORIAM.**  
At the home of her son, Mr. Wood Shelton at Zephyr, Sunday the 6th, at 6:30 p. m. the last inevitable hour came to our dear friend, Mrs. S. P. U. Shelton.

The sun threw his declining rays o'er the close of her life, and a tired child she closed her eyes in an eternal sleep, while her pure, gentle spirit was borne by an angel band to that land where there is no night, no need of sun to give light, for the Lord giveth light. Nothing seemed to disturb her last moments; death came like a dream, so calmly that she seemed not to realize the change that took her from pain and suffering and gave her a home in that "flowery land" whose green turf hides no grave. While Mrs. Shelton had been sick for a long time and little hope entertained of her recovery; yet when the sad hour came it was a shock to her family and friends. She was a faithful wife, loving mother and a true, sincere friend. I doubt her having an enemy in the world. The only comfort to the bereaved family is the Bible with its cheering promises of another life and a future reunion; the comforting assurance that our dear one is now in that life where there is no more death, no more pain and sorrow. The loved one was laid to rest in the Zephyr cemetery at 8:30 p. m. by the moon's pale light and myriads of twinkling stars. The floral offerings were many and beautiful, fit tribute to this noble woman. Rev. Jackson conducted the funeral services, and being a personal friend of the deceased he spoke words of comfort to the distressed family.

"A precious one from us has gone,  
And we shall surely be missed;  
A place is vacant in the home,  
Which never can be filled.  
God in His wisdom has recalled,  
The boon His love had given,  
And though the body lies in the ground,  
Her soul is safe in heaven."  
ONE WHO LOVED HER.

The representative convention for this district has been called to convene in Hamilton August 25. Delegates to this convention should remember this date.

**FARMERS' UNION**  
Under this heading will appear each week notices and articles of interest to members of the Union in this county.

**OFFICERS AND MEETINGS**  
M. E. County Union No. 44, meets on the first Thursday in each quarter. J. D. Briza, president; J. W. McNeill, vice president; W. A. Smith, secretary.

Star Local No. 1470, meets Friday night before the 2nd and 4th Sundays. W. W. Woolsey, president; W. M. Keith, secretary.

Big Valley Local No. 1055, meets second and fourth Thursday night in each month. J. R. O'Leary, president; C. B. Mohler, secretary and treasurer.

Big Valley Local No. 2549, meets second and fourth Wednesday night in each month. M. Hickey, president; W. M. Brown, secretary.

Fisher Local No. 2510, meets Saturday night before the 1st and 4th Sundays in each month. O. E. Armstrong, president; J. O. Carb, secretary and treasurer.

Pleasant Grove Local No. 2065, meets every alternate Thursday in each month. S. L. Frasier, president; Coley Seffer, secretary.

Bethel Local No. 1487, meets second and fourth Saturday evening in each month. J. D. Ryan, president; Coley Seffer, secretary.

Mullin Local No. 2418, meets second and fourth Saturday in each month. E. F. Casey, president; J. F. Brockenbrough, secretary and treasurer.

Buffalo Local No. 2489, meets on Saturday night before the 1st and 3rd Sunday in each month. R. M. Hayes, president; F. J. Crowder, secretary and treasurer.

Center City Local No. 1565, meets Saturday night before the 1st and 3rd Sunday. J. M. F. Casbeer, president; J. M. Wilcox, secretary and treasurer.

Cold Springs Local No. 2381, meets Saturday afternoon on the second and fourth Sunday. Will Curtis, president; V. S. Meeks, secretary.

**MULLIN.**  
From The Enterprise.  
Walter Baker of Turkey Peak passed through Mullin en route to Cleburne.  
Royal Ethridge sold two sections of land north of town to prospectors this week.  
George King bought the steam thrasher formerly owned by Mr. Sevy, and will take charge of same soon.  
S. P. C. Shelton visited Zephyr Tuesday, and from there he will go to Pylon, Scurry county where he will spend about three months with his daughter, Mrs. Almond.  
Henry Williams, Burney Eaton and Jim Chesser left Sunday morning for the Rio Grande river for several months hunting and fishing trip.  
Rev. W. H. Floore closed a ten days meeting at the Fisher school house Monday morning, having ten conversions, five of which were baptised in Pompey creek near the Fisher gin Monday morning.  
Mr. Bennett Wood, who has been living here for a number of years, and who has been one of the main stays of the town, has sold his beautiful farm residence and the reporter was told by that gentleman that he had bought a beautiful home at Temple, where he will live in the future.  
The court was busy yesterday comparing the 1906 tax rolls, which have been completed and submitted by Assessor Brinson.

**FREIGHT RATES.**  
To Whom Concerned:  
Just in receipt of notice that effective Aug. 15th, Texas common point territory will be restored to the old basis and Goldthwaite will again be in common point territory.  
J. W. BUTZ, Agent.

It is understood that the Embroidery club will call on the Self Culture club and the Goldwaits band to assist in purchasing and preparing grounds for a city park. About two acres will be used.  
Since last report the county clerk has issued marriage license to J. R. McCormick and Miss Jennie Jedloke, Henry Muse and Miss Mary Kelley, J. T. Sherrill and Mrs. J. L. Shaw, T. S. Dallas and Miss Alice Danielly.

**WILL E. GRISHAM**  
The Cash Grocer.  
Sells everything that is kept in a first-class Grocery Store. Also fresh and fine oats, bran, hay, chops and all kinds of feed stuff. Phone 43 and get what you want delivered to any part of the city.  
Yours truly,  
**WILL E. GRISHAM.**

We have just received a lot of

## BUILDER'S PAPER

Put it on between your boxing and weather boarding, makes your house tight as a jug and saves wood. We also have rubber roofing cheaper than iron and will not rust. We also have Lumber, Lime, Cement, Brick, Cedar Posts and Sherwin-Williams Paint. More of it sold in Texas than all other mixed Paint together. THERE IS A REASON. Talk with Boon at : : :

## HIGGINBOTHAM LUMBER CO.

GOLDTHWAITE, :: TEXAS.

When You Want Good Barber Work or a Nice Bath Come to

## BRINSON'S BARBER SHOP

In the shop you will find Marvin Rudd, Jas. Faulkner, John Berry and W. L. Brinson ready to serve you every day in the week, and they are assisted on Saturday by J. W. Weathers.

**KRESE & LAMMERS**  
Marbe Dealers.  
Yard Located Opposite Rock Hotel.  
We carry a nice assortment of monuments and Tomb Stones and execute work to order in either marble or Granite. Our prices are reasonable and we do as good work as can be done.  
—LET US FIGURE WITH YOU.

## NEW, FRESH, PURE GROCERIES

Arriving every day to be sold at the LOWEST CASH PRICES. The World's Best Flour—American Beauty in stock all the time. Come and see me I will sure treat you right. I guarantee everything I sell. Bring your produce, will pay the highest market price for Eggs, Chickens and Vegetables, Bacon and Lard.  
Yours for Business.

## ERNEST STRICKLAND.

Drink **ORCHERADE**  
A DELICIOUS BLENDING OF FRUIT JUICES  
Pure, Refreshing, Invigorating, Wholesome  
At Soda Fountains or in Bottles

BOTTLED BY  
**GOLDTHWAITE BOTTLING WORKS,**  
PHONE 93

STAR ROLLER MILLS.

Goldthwaite, Texas; Gentlemen:--For more than three years I have been engaged in the baker's business. During the time I have used the best brands of flour on the market. For the past few months, however, I have used exclusively your Silver Spray, which gives entire satisfaction.

June 14, 1906.

Yours truly, J. N. KEESE,

THE BREAD MAN

IS A JUDGE OF FLOUR

READ WHAT HE SAYS!

USE

OUR SILVER SPRAY FLOUR, the Best in Town

Made at Home, By Home People for Home People

Star Roller Mills.

THE COUNTRY DRUG STORE

Goldthwaite, Texas, August 11, 1906.

SAY

How about Paint for your House, Buggy, Wagon, Windmill or Barn? Do you know it costs less to preserve and beautify your lumber than it does to let it decay and look old and desolate, and then have to buy more and do lots of work to rebuild. Study the proposition--think about the Beauty, lasting quality and money saving in the end. There is but one real business side to it and that is to paint and then re-paint every three or four years if needed. When you fully decide, come to the Country Drug Store and buy the Crescent Cottage Paint. There is none better and the price is the lowest, quality considered.

For wall paper we are in the lead and will be more than pleased to supply you. We have paper in price from 50c to \$10 per room. Come and see. Don't forget the Drug Department and cistern water.

M. L. BROWN, M. D., Proprietor.

P. S.--Have about 200 or 300 rolls of remnant wall paper that we will sell at a bargain. Come and see how cheap.

BRIDGE REPAIRS.

The bridge across the Colorado river on the Goldthwaite and San Saba road, at what is known as the Lunsford crossing, was pretty badly damaged by the recent overflow. The masonry around the cables was badly washed and damaged and the center of the bridge sagged about 14 1-2 inches. The approach on the Mills county side was damaged and a large wash 54 feet wide around this end of the approach is to be filled. The bridge is the joint property of Mills and San Saba counties and the expense of the repairs is to be shared by the two counties. The commissioners in session here this week contracted with Messrs. A. J. Cookrum and W. N. Sullivan to repair the damage to the bridge for the sum of \$340, and this contract has been ratified by the San Saba court. The filling of the excavation made around the approach is to be done and the court expects to give the work to some of the flood sufferers in Big Valley, if they want it.

We buy Hides at Kelly's market.

Fresh meat, barbecue and sausage at Kelly's market. City lots to trade for mares or mules.--J. W. McAlexander. Don't sell your hides until you see J. S. Kelly. He pays the top price. J. D. Urquhart and wife have been in San Saba this week visiting relatives. E. B. Anderson and family are visiting relatives at Norse, Bosque county. Mr. and Mrs. Curtis are visiting relatives and friends in the South Bennett community. Miss Kate Arvin of Mexia is in the city visiting her relatives, O. L. Stephens and family. Miss Mamie Kelley left last night for Houston to spend a few days with friends and relatives. The Imperial Stock company will appear at the opera house next Tuesday and Wednesday nights. H. D. Barrow arrived yesterday from Sulphur, I. T., to visit friends and look after his property interest. Dr. Wiley Beasley and W. J. Jones were two of the prominent visitors from Center City one day this week. I have a live land list--see me if you want to buy or sell land.--Whit Smith, west side public square. Owing to absence of Miss Zay Williams the vote in the Star Roller Mills contest will not appear until next week.--Star Roller Mills. Miss Ethel Stephens returned Wednesday evening from a visit to friends in Lampasas. Miss Louise Harris accompanied her home for a visit. For trade--A Cottage organ in good condition to trade for horses, cattle or hogs.--Apply to Lewis Hindon. Miss Nell Cook of Belton, who has been here several days visiting Mrs. Neal Dickerson and Miss Lucia Talbert, expects to return to her home on tonight's train. Manager Miller has booked the Imperial Stock company for a performance in the opera house Aug. 21 and 22. This company is highly recommended by the press and people. Citizens of Goldthwaite should remember that the "cow ordinance" goes into effect September 1. After that it will be unlawful to allow cows to run at large in the city limits. Chairman Whit Smith has received notice that the convention to nominate a chief justice of the court of civil appeals of this district is to be held in Austin on Aug. 25. The executive committee of the district is to meet at the same time and place. Mrs. J. Harrison, the Book Agent, presented the Eagle with a large and varied assortment of vegetables from his garden this week. Mr. Harrison is successful in raising fruits and vegetables as well as in selling good books and trees. The Eagle appreciates his kindness very much. Elder Owen of Denton is conducting an interesting meeting in the Christian church in this city and the services are well attended. Christians of all denominations appear to be interested in the meeting and the good sermons being preached are appreciated by the congregations. The Eagle wants your order for job printing and guarantees the work and prices. J. H. Allen and family are expected to move back to Goldthwaite today from Mullin, where they have resided for some months. Johnson is a good workman in saddlery and is a business man of high character and worth. The Eagle is glad that he and his family will again become citizens of the town. Miss Flora Gatlin and Miss Dilla Burke, who have been for some time at Chanatqua, Col., are now in Colorado Springs, Col. They expect to start for home in a few days. Miss Flora has been offered a position in the public schools at Chanatqua at a salary of \$100 per month, but it is not likely she will accept. She already has a good position to teach in the San Saba school. Chas. Trowbridge came in from Lockney, Texas, the first of the week to visit his relatives in Big Valley and see how badly his brothers were financially injured by the recent overflow of the river. He likes his new location in the west, but his friends here would not be surprised if he should decide to return to this county to live. There is plenty of room here for such good people as the members of the Trowbridge family. W. S. McCurdy came in the first of the week from Roswell, N. M., to visit relatives and friends in this county. His family has been here a week or more visiting relatives in Big Valley. He is traveling over Texas prospecting and it is possible that he may decide to again cast his lot with the people of Mills county, although he has not yet announced such a determination. We would all like to have him with us and feel sure he could find no better section of country under the sun than Mills county.

HOT Weather Specials

We have all kinds of Summer Goods and are making very low prices to make the goods move while they are reasonable. We have everything in the way of light dress goods and clothing for summer for men and women, boys and girls.

Our Grocery department needs no advertisement as it is so well known to the people everywhere that we carry the largest stock in the town and as we buy for cash we can sell as cheap as anybody. Let us figure on your Grocery bill. We buy what you have to sell and sell what you have to buy. Come to see us when you want anything in dry goods or groceries

PHONE 66.

B. F. GEESLIN MERCANTILE CO.

MOVING THE CROP

Will require the time of the Farmer for the next several months, and many of them will have to buy new wagons. We will have

MANDT WAGONS

on display at our store in a few days. Don't buy a wagon until you see the MANDT. We expect our car to arrive next week. We will also have an assortment of Moline Farm Implements. No use to tell the farmers about these implements, for they all know. We have in a few days the best assortment of Harness and Saddlery ever seen in Goldthwaite. Our stock is already large. Come to see us.

Allen and Faulkner.

The Goldthwaite Eagle

LOCAL AND PERSONAL.

White Light flour is sold by A. J. Gatlin. Fresh lard and barbecue at Kelly's market. J. B. Ferguson has all kinds of cane and millet seed for sale. The Mountain Cottage is prepared to take a few regular boarders. Miss Lettice Trent has been in Brady this week visiting friends. Page & Keel sell the best flour made. What is it? White Light, of course. Fine registered Angora bucks for sale. Apply to W. Grille, Priddy, Texas. When you are in town to spend a few days stop at Mrs. Kennerly's boarding house. Will H. Trent and E. M. Boon visited the Priddy country one day this week. J. W. Mason was here from Center City one day this week, looking after business matters. P. T. Willis returned Saturday night from a visit to his daughter, Mrs. Dr. Lewis, at Eldorado. Prof. Goodnight was here from Star this week buying lumber to build a residence at that place. I represent a reliable loan company, 8 per cent five or ten year loans--Whit Smith, agent. Mrs. B. F. Geeslin and Miss Jessie Carnes were pleasant callers at the Eagle office Tuesday afternoon. E. M. Meyer of Priddy made a visit to Belton, Taylor and other central Texas points the first of the week. J. S. Livingston of Center City went to Ballinger Thursday to attend the reunion and see what was to be seen. W. A. McLeod and wife spent the first of the week with relatives and friends in Dallas, Fort Worth and Cleburne. For Rent--A front room, well furnished, convenient to business part of town. Will board occupants if desired.--Mrs. Carrie Whitaker. Miss Lizzie Cook of this city and Miss Erma Harrison of Mullin returned Tuesday from several weeks stay in Colorado.

FIRST BALE.

The first bale of Mills county cotton marketed this year was brought in Thursday by J. H. Henry from near Warren crossing in Big Valley. The cotton was ginned by Fairman & Son and sold to B. F. Geeslin Mercantile company for \$9.80 per 100 pounds. The bale weighed 471 pounds, which gave Mr. Henry \$45.10 for the cotton, besides a premium of \$24.50 and two newspaper subscriptions was secured by Mr. Fairman and presented to the gentleman for having been the first to bring a bale of 1906 cotton to this market. The names of those contributing to the cash premium follow: Eli Fairman & Son \$3.00 Goldthwaite National Bank 3.40 W. B. Gresham 2.00 D. H. Trent 2.00 A. J. Gatlin 1.00 B. F. Geeslin 1.00 Little & Sons 1.00 Goldthwaite Mercantile Co. 1.00 Allen & Faulkner 1.00 A. C. Sullivan 1.00 W. B. Gresham 1.00 Jackson-Hughes Co. 1.00 C. D. Hammond 50 J. H. Randolph 50 J. B. Ferguson 50 J. H. Logan 50 Hudson & Stahl 50 P. H. Clements 50 Urbach Bros. 50 A. C. Sullivan 25 E. J. H. Saylor 25 E. Oden 25 L. E. Ashley 25 J. H. Logan 25 L. E. Miller 25 Page & Keel 25 W. A. McLeod 25 C. E. Strickland 25 P. M. Morris 25 I. G. Eversly Co. 25 E. G. Crawford 25 Ed. M. Dickerson 25 Newspaper subscriptions 2.00 Grand Total \$28.00

I have some hogs for sale.--P. H. Clements.

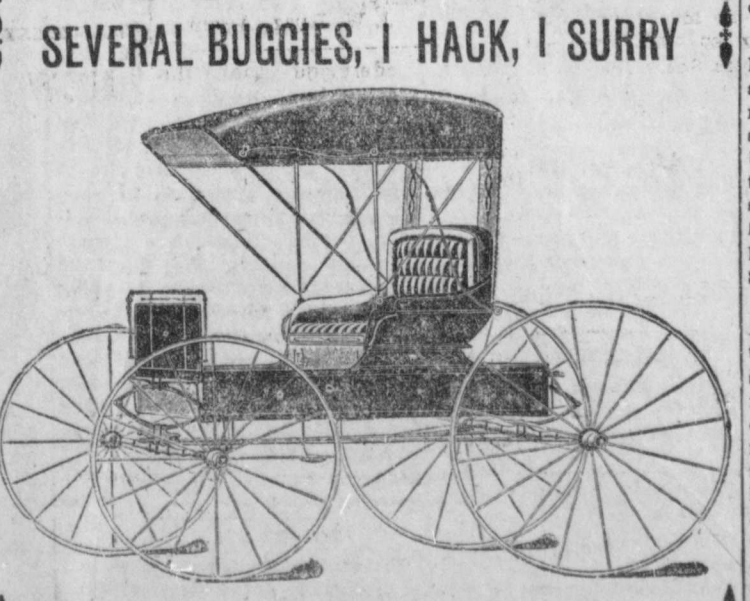
Remember us when you want a good buggy.--Allen & Faulkner. Cord wood wanted, at the round bale gin. See Gatlin & Geeslin. If you have cord wood to sell contract to sell it to Gatlin & Geeslin. Guinea-Essex pigs for sale. Price \$2 to \$2.50 each. Apply to Jesse Lowe. For Sale--100 head of hogs twelve miles south of Goldthwaite.--T. E. Puett. O. P. Manning was here from Star neighborhood one day this week, accompanied by his son, and made the Eagle a pleasant call. W. C. Hallonquist has accepted a position at the depot. He is careful and attentive to business and his friends predict good things for him in the railroad work. Mrs. O. Dickerson, Neal Dickerson and wife, Al. Dickerson and Miss Nell Cook went to Lometa Thursday to spend a day with relatives and friends. Sam Campbell has been here from San Angelo this week visiting R. S. Crain and family and other relatives. He will probably be employed to assist in looking after the gin business of Messrs. Crain & Campbell in San Saba county. Rev. Lohman, who recently held an interesting and successful meeting at Pleasant Grove and later assisted in the meeting at Center City, made the Eagle a pleasant call one day this week. He commenced a meeting at Miller Grove Wednesday night to continue until Aug. 26. On the 27th he expects to begin a meeting at Atherton to continue until Sep. 2. He hopes to be here to begin a tent meeting Sep. 5. He has done some good work already and is highly endorsed by the people of Pleasant Grove and elsewhere as a preacher of power and sincerity. Mr. W. P. McGuyre, a singer, is assisting in the good work at Miller Grove and we trust he will come here with the evangelist.

The approaches to the bridge at Regency were washed away and it is understood that the San Saba court will have another span added to the bridge on the Mills county end. This bridge is the property of San Saba county and the expense of the repairs will not fall on Mills county. The bridges across the bayou were not damaged and therefore, Mills county can well be counted lucky to come out of such a great flood with so little loss in that line. The courts met at the Lunsford bridge Tuesday and inspected the damage and decided upon the repairs necessary.

LADIES CLUB.

Embroidery club met at Mrs. B. A. Harris last Wednesday at 3 p. m. The club voted to give up the idea of a town clock as the court house has not a tower suitable for one. The club decided to work for a park and the president appointed Mesdames Jackson, Conro and Boon a committee to look after and report different locations suitable for a park. LADIES AID SOCIETY. Program for the Ladies Aid Society Tuesday, Aug. 21, 1906. Leader--Mrs. Emmett Gardner. Subject--Praise; chapter 149 Psalm. Talk on lesson--Mesdames E. B. Anderson and W. B. Jackson. Song--"Praise Him." Reading--Mrs. Hines.

MUST BE SOLD SEVERAL BUGGIES, 1 HACK, 1 SURRY



Of the ENTERPRISE Make As I am compelled to make room for my Fall Stock of Furniture and House Furnishing Goods, I offer my Buggies very Cheap. Come to see me before you buy. C. D. HAMMOND, The House Furnisher Fisher St.

MANY a \$20 Watch

Is of no use because it needs a dollar's worth of repairs. A watch in that shape represents money that isn't working, and money that doesn't work doesn't do its full duty. IF YOU own a helpless, useless timepiece, why don't you bring it into our repair department? We are perfectly equipped to change it into an article that you can again depend upon. Of course we charge for this service according to the extent of the repairs that are necessary. But in any event the amount will be very small, very small indeed, compared with the advantage of having a "stopped" watch turned into a reliable timepiece.

Miller's JEWELRY Store.

Cane and millet seed for sale at J. B. Ferguson's. The readers of the Eagle all regret the protracted illness of Mrs. Van Glahn in Mullin and we are glad to hear she is well and writing for the

Buy White Light flour from Will E. Gresham.

For choice steaks, roasts, etc, go to Hudson & Stahl. See J. B. Ferguson if you want cane and millet seed. When you know a local item the Eagle wants to know about it. See Ernest Strickland when you have chickens and eggs to sell. J. S. Kelly, successor to Kelly & Spears, pay the outside price for hides. Carpenters commenced work Thursday morning on Fred Wilson's new residence in Hearse addition. The contract for grading for the additional track the railroad is to build near the stock pens has been let to W. N. Sullivan. Secure tickets early for the Imperial Stock company's entertainment at the opera house next Tuesday and Wednesday nights. Albert Driskill was here from the bayou yesterday and stated that his cotton that was covered by the recent overflow of the bayou was perfectly dead. L. J. Carothers and Miss Olivia Biggs left Wednesday morning for the eastern markets to make purchases for Higginbotham-Williams Co.--Blanket Signal. Miss Fannie Armstrong was expected to arrive in the city last night from a visit to the central part of the state in the interest of the Woman's Christian Temperance Union. She will leave this morning for her home at Indian Gap. A prohibition election was held in Lampasas county Wednesday and resulted in a victory for the anti by a majority of 21. In the last election on the subject in that county held June 30, 1905, the anti was won by a majority of 14, but the election was declared illegal. The Mills County Baptist association held a very interesting meeting with Ebony church the last part of last week. There was a good attendance and much interest was taken in the work. The copy for the minutes is now in the hands of Eagle printers and the work will be completed and the pamphlets distributed in a few days. Henry Muse and Miss Mary Kelley were married Sunday afternoon at the residence of the bride's parents a few miles west of this city. Rev. G. W. Temple officiating. Quite a crowd of relatives and friends were present and after the ceremony refreshments were served. The bride is a daughter of Mr. John Kelley and the groom is a young man recently from Bastrop. They both have many friends who join the Eagle in extending good wishes.

COMMISSIONERS COURT.

The court has been in session this week, with all members present. Considerable time has been devoted to examining officers' reports, but they were all found to be correct and were approved. Petition of T. F. Elliott et al. for change in Antelope Gap and Double Ford road, granted. Petition of Jasper L. King et al. for a new road beginning at Goldthwaite and Comanche road near B. T. W. Sheffield's premises and ending at the Goldthwaite and Mullin road near D. J. Reynolds' place, rejected. Report of jury of view in the matter of petition of J. W. Kerley et al. for a new road was rejected. Petition of E. J. Benningfield et al. for a new road beginning near W. J. Benningfield survey and ending at Goldthwaite and Simms Creek road, was received and G. W. Simpson, I. M. Ward, B. R. Casbeer, L. G. Blackburn and I. K. Griffin were appointed a jury of view to lay out the road and report at the next term of court. Petition of J. W. Ratliff et al. for a slight change in second class Wire road, granted. Andrew Lorenze et al. petition for third class road beginning at McDermott road and terminating at Comanche county line, in precinct No. 3, granted. W. A. Gardner et al. for a new road from June Crockett's place on Mullin and Newberg road, to intersect Brownwood and Hamilton road between J. L. Farmer's and H. W. Green's place, granted. Petition of E. M. Geeslin et al. for change in Goldthwaite and Pottsville road, granted. J. G. Neal et al. for change in mountain road, granted. The Imperial Stock company at the opera house Tuesday and Wednesday nights. Allen & Faulkner have an advertisement in this issue that will interest the readers. Water Oden went to Ballinger the first of the week to visit relatives and attend the reunion.

If you want to buy a first-class Jersey milk call at this office.

E. D. Dyer and wife visited friends in Brownwood last Sunday. Spectacles to fit your eyes from 50c a pair up at Miller's jewelry store. Mrs. Samsing's residence has been completed and is one of the neatest and prettiest cottages in the town. Joe Curtis, sr., was one of the prosperous citizens of Jones Valley who had business in this city one day this week. See me if you want to buy a home. I am prepared to help you buy, will advance 50 per cent on good farm purchase.--Whit Smith, agent. W. P. McColloch expects to have work begin on his residence in a few days. It is to be located on the lot just south of J. A. Allen's residence. Messrs. Conro, Ferguson, Weathers, Saylor and others who spent last week at the Doran ranch fishing have returned home and report a very pleasant outing.

WHITE SWAN

brand on food products is the emblem of purity. Every thing packed under the White Swan Brand has to be the very best the market supplies, packed while fresh, by improved processes, no coloring or adulterations of any character used. White Swan is a guarantee of the best that money can buy, so if you are fond of good things to eat, always insist upon White Swan. If your grocer does not keep White Swan, send us his name. THE Waples-Platter Grocer Co. Denton, Fort Worth, Dallas.

# SALES SMALLER PROFITS

We are out after Biggest Year's Sales we have ever had, so far we have a large increase and we are out for

# BIGGEST FALL TRADE

we have ever heard of. Watch for the low prices we are going to make. The goods are going to move at a terrific speed when we open our fall goods. Watch for price.

# FALL GOODS ROLLING NOW

Buyer in Market now watching for bargains that our ready cash will be sure to get

# LOTS OF SUMMER GOODS

we are closing out

the LEADERS

Dry Goods, Shoes, Clothing, Etc.

# Little & Sons.

Fisher Street.

Cockrum & Ross Bros. have got in a lot of new buggies.  
Mrs. T. J. Farrar left Monday for a visit to her children in Oklahoma. She expects to be away about a month.  
Rev. Moon has been assisting Rev. Jackson in a revival at Turkey Peak this week. He is expected home to fill his pulpit Sunday.  
Walter Fairman and E. L. Eubank have been at Democrat a part of the week assisting in putting the new sign at that place in readiness for the fall run.  
John J. Cox, an attorney of Temple and well known in San Angelo, is willing to accept the position of chairman of the Democratic committee of Texas. The position has no remuneration and costs the man who holds it about \$3000. Nothing but the honor and the cusings go with the job.  
J. K. Welch and family, who live about ten miles northeast of Sterling City, were in the city a few days ago going to Goldthwaite to visit Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Welch. Mr. Welch stated that heavy rains had fallen in and about Sterling City, but that no serious damage was done.—San Angelo Standard.

John Little left Saturday night for St. Louis and Chicago to buy fall and winter goods. He is expected to be away about ten days.  
If you know a pretty hand on which you would like to see the sparkle of a handsome ring, come to us. We can supply one that will please, and the price will be moderate at Miller's Jewelry store.  
Sheriff Atkinson and wife returned Sunday from Dallas, where they attended the sheriff's convention and he left Sunday night with Dock Hasty for Terrell, to place the young man in the asylum.  
Little things like cuff buttons and scarf pins are what shows one's good taste. Our stock is large enough and our prices small enough to enable us to call your purse and your fancy at Miller's Jewelry store.  
All women and most all men are charmed with a handsome ring. We can show you rings to suit all tastes from simple ones for bables to those set with gems, beautiful enough to delight a Duchess. Come and see at Miller's Jewelry store.  
The Eagle has received a copy of the Guardian, published at Crowder, I. T., by A. E. Barrow, formerly an employe of this office and well known in this city. We extend our best wishes for the success of the Guardian and Mr. Barrow.  
L. O. Hicks and family have moved back to this town from Brownwood, where they have lived for the past several months. Mr. Hicks did not sell his property in Brownwood and his son, John C. Hicks, is there in charge of the store, but he will come here as soon as they can dispose of the business. Their friends here are glad to welcome them home.  
J. T. Robertson writes from Bellevue, Clay county, to say he is glad to know that Henry Ezell has been nominated for sheriff and says he is sure Mills county will have a good officer as he is a good man. He says crops are fine in his county, and that rain has fallen there very frequently this year. However, he has the idea that we have suffered for the need of rain here this year. In this we are glad to say he is mistaken. Our corn would have been better had more rain fallen during May and June, but even the corn crop is very good and the cotton is as fine as it has ever been in the history of the county.

## My Repair Shop

Is equipped with all the necessary tools and material to do all kinds of repair work on Saddles, Harness and Leather Goods.  
Give me your Patronage

J. H. Allen, Jr.

MULLIN.

For Sale—4000 acres of land in Mills county, large portion of it good tillable land. Will put into any sized blocks desired and sell on easy terms. Have sold four blocks already. See me.  
J. C. Street.

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**EBONY.**  
(intended for next week.)  
Editor Eagle:  
The Baptist meeting conducted by Bros. Smith and Hamil is now in progress at the tabernacle. The rainy weather has interfered some, but most of the time there has been good attendance.  
Prof. F. E. Meek closed a twelve day singing school at this place Saturday the 4th inst with an attendance of 40. The community is well pleased with the progress of the class and some have already asked Prof. Meek to teach here again next year.  
Mrs. A. M. Millar and son, Archie, together with Mrs. D. P. Maer returned Monday to their home at Ballinger, after a little more than a week's stay at the home of Mr. J. R. Wilmeth.  
Mrs. E. O. Dwyer and daughter, Opal, came down from Zephyr last week in order to be with her sister, Mrs. Millar, and her cousin, Mrs. Moser, while visiting at her father's.  
Mr. and Mrs. John Reeves left Aug. 2, for a visit to their old home in Tennessee.  
Miss Willie Davis from Brownwood is visiting at the home of Mrs. Mary Crowder.  
Miss Tollie Chamberlain of San Saba is visiting at the home of Mr. Tippen.  
Miss Nanny Edmiston, who has been visiting here for a month, was suddenly called home last Saturday by phone message telling of the illness of her father. Her friends regretted very much to have her thus suddenly called away.  
Frank Crowder has gone to San Saba county to attend Prof. Meek's singing school at Niel school house.  
Mr. and Mrs. Whittenberg rejoice over the arrival of a boy at their house.  
Quite a number from here attended the encampment at San Saba and some pronounced it the finest thing they ever attended in Texas.  
J. R. Wilmeth is helping to hold a meeting at Shiloh in San Saba county.  
Mr. and Mrs. Ira Egger announced the arrival of a boy at their house.  
There was a base ball game at this place Saturday Aug. 4 between Indian Creek and Buffalo, which resulted very much in favor of Buffalo.  
Dave White has been sick for the past week.  
S. N. Kelley is out west prospecting.  
We have had good rains in this section of the country and from the looks of the Colorado every other section has had the same blessing.  
The river is all over the first bottom and running over the upland in places and is still rising. It is a sight worth seeing.

**THE END OF THE WORLD.**  
Of troubles that robbed E. H. Wolf of Bear Grove, Ia., of all usefulness, came when he began taking Electric Bitters. He writes: "Two years ago kidney trouble caused me great suffering, which I would never have survived had I not taken Electric Bitters. They also cured me of General Debility." Sure cure for all stomach, liver and kidney complaints, blood diseases, headache, dizziness and weakness or bodily decline. Price 60c. Guaranteed by Clements' drug store.

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