

# THE GOLDTHWAITE EAGLE.

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## Goldthwaite Mercantile Co

As the Season advances we are cutting the prices on all Summer Goods, as we are anxious when the Fall comes to have the stock clear of Summer Goods

### All White Goods 20 per cent Off

#### WHITE WAISTS

All \$2.50 Waists	-	-	\$1.95
All \$2.25 "	-	-	\$1.75
All \$2.00 "	-	-	\$1.60
All \$1.75 "	-	-	\$1.40
All \$1.50 "	-	-	\$1.20
All \$1.25 "	-	-	95c

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#### MEN'S NEW SHOES

We have just received a shipment of "Barry Shoes" for Men and Young Men, colors Black, Tan and Ox Blood. New last. Sell at

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Call and see them.

### Sherman 8 oz. Duck Going at 9 $\frac{1}{2}$ c per yard

### Piano Contest Comes Off Nov. 15th.

"My Crest is a Smiling Tear Drop."

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Every Day.

(Adapted from the German of Heine.)

Every morn I waken, eager,—  
She will come today!  
Every eve sets, wan and meagre,—  
She is far away!

Half asleep in restless dreaming  
Every night I lie;  
Half-awake in stupid seeming,  
Through the day go I.

LEONARD DOUGHTY.

Pleasant Grove.

ditor Eagle.

Thought I would send in a bit of news for the Old Bird to feast on.

Brother Ozment has just closed an eight days meeting at this place. Preached sixteen good sermons. Sorry to state there were no conversions, but we know Brother Ozment undoubtedly did his duty in warning them to flee from the ways of the world.

Mrs. Price has been suffering from bad smothering spells for about a week.

Little Frank Keese is also sick. Miss Bina Renfro of Goldthwaite has been visiting her sisters, Mrs. Geo. Covington.

Several of the Bennett people attended preaching at this place today.

Some of our boys attended singing at Center City Sunday evening.

Bro. Rose, a Christian preacher of the Rising Star, will hold a ten day meeting at this place, commencing Friday night before the 23rd Sunday in August. If there is any one who would like to camp there will be plenty of water on hand for drinking purposes

and arrangements have been made for a good pasture with plenty of water for the stock. No charges.

Will Murphy and family of the Meeks community visited relatives at this place last week.

Rube Henson is visiting relatives at Adamsville.

Mr. and Mrs. Frazier, who have been visiting among their children, have returned home. They report a pleasant trip and Mrs. Frazier's health is much improved.

News is scarce and when the meetings are over we will come with more news than the Old Bird can carry. LITTLE TOM THUMB.

#### Geeslin-Ryan.

The marriage of L. P. Geeslin and Miss Jessie Ryan was solemnized last Saturday afternoon at 5 o'clock, at the home of the bride's parents, a few miles north of this city, Rev. G. W. Templin officiating.

There was a large assembly of relatives and friends and after the ceremony refreshments were served and several hours were pleasantly spent.

The young people were reared in this county and have a host of friends. The groom is a son of Mr. E. M. Geeslin and the bride is a daughter of Mr. J. D. Ryan. They have the best wishes of a great many friends in this and other communities in the county.

#### Notice.

There will be a call meeting of the County Farmers Union at the court house in Goldthwaite, Monday Aug. 23, 1909, 10 a. m. A good attendance is requested.

E. F. CASEY,  
President.

#### Farmers Institute.

The Mills County Farmers' Institute met at the court house August 17, at 2 o'clock and was called to order by the president, W. W. Saylor.

The secretary being absent, Z. D. Kemp was appointed secretary pro tem.

W. E. Reid, Judge Dalton and Z. D. Kemp were appointed as a committee to arrange a program and report at the next meeting.

Motion carried to invite a committee from the Commercial club to meet with the Institute at its next meeting, also all persons interested in the work of the Institute.

Motion seconded and carried that the Institute adjourn to meet at 2 o'clock Monday, August 23. W. W. SAYLOR, Pres.  
Z. D. KEMP, Sec. pro tem.

#### Revival Meeting

There will be a revival meeting at Chapel Hill, to begin on Friday night before the Fifth Sunday in August. Rev. G. W. C. Self, (the Talmage of East Texas) will do the preaching. Everybody invited. Come in your wagons and camp with us.

FINIS M. EWING.

The work on the "Sunflower" route between Miles and the river is reported as progressing rapidly. The cross-ties have been laid ready for the steel for a distance of seven or eight miles and more ties are being received daily. The steel for the road which was shipped quite a time ago seems to be tied up somewhere and is away behind time. It should have been here more than a week ago, but cannot be heard from. As soon as the steel arrives the laying of track will begin at once—Miles Messenger.

The Central Texas Socialists encampment will be held at the fair grounds in San Saba next week. The promoters of the encampment announce that there will be free camp grounds, free entertainment and free speeches by leading socialists. They announce that 10,000 people are expected to be present.

The attorney general has ruled that telephone companies may issue coupon books, given a stipulated discount thereon, as they did before the anti-pass law went into effect.

The secretary of the navy has under consideration the purchase of two aeroplanes or air-ships for use on board battleships.

The state pure food commissioner is after violators of the pure food law. He says that one firm in Houston took a lot of oatmeal to the top of their building and opened it and clearing it of worms, repacked and sold it. He says it is no secret that the law is being flagrantly violated.

Harry Thaw, who escaped the gallows in New York by a plea of insanity, attempted to be released from the insane asylum by habeas corpus trial, but the justice of the supreme court of that state says to release Thaw would be dangerous to the public, so he was returned to the asylum cell.

The state tax board has fixed the state ad valorem tax for this year at 5c on the \$100 valuation. The school tax is 16 $\frac{3}{4}$ c on the \$1.00 valuation. The per capita school apportionment is \$6.25, which is 50c per capita less than last year, while the ad valorem tax is 1 $\frac{1}{2}$ c lower than last year.

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Fresh and canva-seed hams at Burnett & Weatherby's market.

Prof. Eugene Oliver and wife of Kountze arrived Thursday night for a visit to relatives in Big Valley.

If you have hides to sell see Hudson & Rahl.

Misses Gussie and Daisy Bledsoe returned Thursday evening from a visit to their brother Percy at Valers.

Dr. Joe Townsea was here from Lometa Thursday, looking after some business matters and shaking hands with his friends.

We have them all "skinned a block" when it comes to buggles. Our new line just in is complete.—Bodkin, Hurdle & Co.

Hudson & Rahl can supply you with choice fresh meat and country lard.

Walker's store is headquarters for fresh groceries. Phone 148 and if we haven't what you want we will go and get it for you.

If you want good fresh corn chops order from W. E. Pardus.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Randolph left yesterday for Troy, in response to a message from Miss Margie Randolph announcing the serious illness of one of her aunts.

Our store is now headquarters for pretty buggles. Come and take a look.—Bodkin, Hurdle & Co.

Use Clements Dip for disinfecting, mites, lice, mange, fleas, etc.—Clements' drug store.

A. B. Johnson and family and O. W. Ford and family expect to start Monday for their homes in Big Springs country. They are well pleased with that section.

Pipes from 5c to \$20 at Clements' drug store.

The New Harmony association of Primitive Baptists met in annual session at Williams Ranch yesterday morning and will continue in session until Sunday afternoon. A number of Goldthwaite people are in attendance upon the meeting and others will doubtless attend tomorrow.

See the largest assortment of pipes in Goldthwaite at Clements' drug store.

Some of the ladies of Goldthwaite have organized a weekly prayer meeting to be held at the different churches of the city on Friday evenings at 4:30. The prayer meeting will be held at the Baptist church next Friday at 4:30. Mrs. J. D. McAlexander will be the leader.

Call at Goldthwaite Nursery if you are in need of Fruit and Ornamental trees. I will be glad to take your order for what you want. I also have some household goods and two pianos for sale or trade. Nursery 3 blocks east of public square; warehouse and office on Fisher street.—Jake Saylor.

Misses Poca Taylor left Saturday night for Lubbock, to spend some time for the benefit of her health, which has not been good since her severe experience in the railroad wreck near Kansas City some months ago. Her place in the telephone exchange is filled by Miss Beulah Rahl.

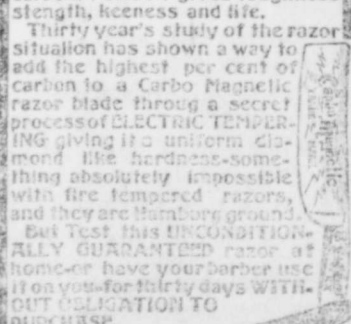
Prof. C. G. Hallmark and wife have been visiting relatives at Kempner and it was hoped they could spend a few days with their Goldthwaite friends, but in a letter to the Eagle editor this week he stated that it would be impossible for them to come and they have now returned to their home in Brownsville, where he is superintendent of the schools.

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**TRADES DAY A SUCCESS**

**A Large Attendance—Liberal Premiums**

Monday was Trades day in Goldthwaite and there was large crowd in town from early in the morning until late in the afternoon, and the program for entertainment proved very satisfactory. The only thing that marred the pleasure at the occasion was the intense heat, which was especially oppressive during the afternoon.

Everybody appeared well satisfied with the awards and the entertainment, as well as the amount of trade brought to the merchants, considering the season.

Following are the awards of premiums as far as could be learned, as the committee on live stock failed to submit a report.

Best collection of corn—Geo. Reed.

Man bringing largest number of ladies to town—J. A. Jones.

Best house plan drawn to scale—Miss Chloe Hudson.

Oldest lady coming to Everly's store—Mrs. McAlexander.

Youngest married lady coming to Little's store—Mrs. John Ford.

Lady buying largest bill at Bodkin Hurdle & Co.—Mrs. J. R. Jenkins.

Largest man—Demsey Koen.

Fattest baby—J. R. Rives' baby.

Prettiest young lady—Miss Douglas Fox.

Prettiest bouquet brought to R. E. Clements store by Miss Lois Allen.

Boy under 16 unhitch and hitch team quickest—First and second prizes to R. G. Blackburn's boys.

Young lady unhitching single horse quickest—Miss Leila Brown.

Best goat—J. W. Hill.

Best sheep—H. C. Caruthers.

Fattest horse from the country—Mrs. J. A. M. Johnson.

Largest hen—Jesse Tullos.

Largest watermelon—J. W. Allen.

Best stalk of cotton—Geo. Reed.

Foot race—Sam Tullos.

Fat man's race—A. J. Crookrum.

Potato race—Simon Smith.

Wheelbarrow race—Bert Monoreif.

Donkey race—Davenport.

Mule race—Hunt.

Sack race—Isenhour.

**Finance Committee Reports**

The finance committee appointed by Judge Goodwin at the last term of district court, composed of Messrs. M. C. Kirkpatrick, P. H. Clements and O. H. Yarborough, completed the work of checking the county records this week and filed a report with the county clerk. The Eagle is sure they found everything in good shape, for the officers are all careful and painstaking. It is understood the committee will recommend a different system of keeping the finance ledger, but it is doubtful if a better system can be devised, for the finance record as kept by the county clerk shows the county's affairs completely, giving a full report of the funds passing through the hands of the collector and treasurer and showing the estray and other funds in detail. It is possible, however, that Judge Goodwin and the county officers may decide upon a different system of bookkeeping for the county.

**A Prosperous Citizen.**

The following from the Big Springs Herald refers to a former citizen of this county, and his friends here are all glad to know of his prosperity:

T. H. Johnson, who resides three miles south of town, brought in twenty-seven pounds of cucumbers and a fine lot of Bermuda onions Thursday. The largest cucumber weighed 3½ pounds and was 12 inches long. The onions were nearly all of uniform size, the largest ones weighing over a pound each. From one row of cucumbers through his garden Mr. Johnson has already marketed over 100 pounds in addition to the amount used at his home. He irrigates his garden and is now able to supply his table with beans, okra, carrots, etc. His onions are especially fine, in fact, as fine as the writer has ever seen, and it goes to show that this section is especially adapted to such vegetables and this part of the state will yet be pointed out as the best ever for garden products of all kinds.—Big Springs Herald.

**Meeting Closed.**

The Baptist protracted meeting at this place closed Thursday night, and the tent was shipped to Mullin, where it will be used by Rev. Moon in a meeting he commenced last night. Rev. Watson of Pauls Valley, who assisted in the meeting left Wednesday, but it was continued by Dr. Everitt until Thursday night.

**Contest For Medals.**

The recital and oratorical contest for the medals given by Prof. S. H. Allen was held in the opera house last Saturday afternoon. Mrs. J. M. Campbell, Mrs. R. M. Thompson and Miss Flora Gatlin served as judges, and the medal for the young men was awarded to Robert Weaver of Big Valley and for the girls under 16 years of age to little Miss Joyce Harrison, daughter of Postmaster A. J. Harrison. Some of the recitations and declamations were very fine and the audience was pleased with all of them.

**Card Of Thanks.**

Whit Smith and family request the Eagle to express their sincere thanks to their many friends for the kindness shown them during Mr. Smith's long and serious illness. Friends were ever ready to assist in any way possible, and to minister to him and comfort the family. All this kindness and thoughtfulness is remembered and sincerely appreciated by the entire family and they want the public to know that they are mindful of great obligation to those who were so thoughtful of them.

Fresh hog lard at Hudson & Rahl's market.

**Weakness**

Women cannot possibly be strong, while suffering from any of the diseases peculiar to their sex. Even if you do not feel weak, the weakness of your system is there, and is a constant danger. Put strength into your frame with

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**WOMAN'S RELIEF**

It gives you strength, where you most need it. It relieves pain. It regulates unnatural irregularities. It has been found a most successful cure for all the diseases peculiar to women. Try it.

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**Its Cause and How to Cure it.**

Eat too much, Stomach feels bloated, All out of sorts, Don't feel like work to-day. Guess I've another case of biliousness.

"Take anything?" "Yes; some pills, but no results; suppose I'm getting ironclad. Sometimes I double the dose, then they physic me so hard I'm too weak to work. Think I'll have to try something new."

"Ever try Prickly Ash Bitters?" "No; I've heard a good deal about it, but never tried it."

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The purgative action of Prickly Ash Bitters not only removes hard impactions, gas and impurities, but it strengthens the muscular action of the bowels which causes them to move regularly.

Prickly Ash Bitters is a bowel tonic and regulator in the truest sense. It promotes daily evacuations, establishes healthy movements and is the best known remedy for disordered digestion, flatulence and a constipated habit.

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R. E. Clements, Special Agent

**Sheriff's Sale.**

The State of Texas, County of Mills. Notice is hereby given, That by virtue of a certain execution issued out of the Honorable Justice court of Precinct No. 1, Coryelle county, on the 4th day of August, 1909, by J. B. Watkins, a Justice of the Peace of said Precinct No. 1, Coryelle county, Texas, for the sum of One hundred, sixty-nine and 31-100 dollars with ten per cent interest from February 24, 1898, and costs of suit, under a judgment, in favor of J. R. Raby in a certain cause in said court, No. 2994 and styled Dr. J. R. Raby vs J. W. Kerby placed in my hands for service, I, H. C. Ezzell, as Sheriff of Mills county, Texas, did, on the 7th day of August, 1909, levy on certain real estate, situated in Mills county, Texas, described as follows, to-wit: A part of the Matthew McGowan survey, abstract 470, certificate No. 88, and being out of a 110 acre tract out of said survey conveyed by A. L. Smith and wife to E. E. Faulkner by deed dated Aug. 19, 1904, and the land therein conveyed being meted and bounded as follows: Beginning at the n. w. corner of said 110 acre tract, two acres to be in as square in the n. w. corner of said land and the land herein containing two acres of land, and being the same land conveyed by E. E. Faulkner to J. W. Kerby by deed dated July 31, 1907, to which deed reference is here made for a better description thereof, and being the same land conveyed by J. W. Kerby to Ennis Munger, Trustee, by deed of trusts dated July 12, 1907, and recorded in deed of trust records of Mills county, Texas, September 18, 1907, in volume 4, page 599, to which Deed of Trust reference is here made to assist the description, together with all permanent improvements, appurtenances there to said land in any wise belonging or appertaining and levied upon as the property of J. W. Kerby. And that on the first Tuesday in September 1909, the same being the 7th day of said month, at the court house door of Mills county, in the town of Goldthwaite, Texas, between the hours of 10 a. m. and 4 p. m., by virtue of said levy and said execution, I will sell said above described real estate at public vendue, for cash, to the highest bidder, as the property of said J. W. Kerby.

And in compliance with law, I give this notice by publication, in the English language, once a week for three consecutive weeks immediately preceding said day of sale, in the Goldthwaite Eagle, a newspaper published in Mills county.

Witness my hand, this 12th day of August, 1909.

H. C. EZZELL, Sheriff Mills County, Texas.

Wm. Grille was here from the Priddy community yesterday.

The readers who tell the merchants about having read their advertisements do the Eagle a favor and please the merchants.

Ask about Niles & Moser—hand made at the Palace of Sweets.

**Hot Weather.**

It may not be news to the people of this county that the first three days of this week were record breakers for heat, but it is a fact. Not only was the heat here almost unbearable, but the same condition prevailed over a large portion of this and other states. The government report showed the thermometer registering 111 degrees in some Texas cities. Thermometers at this place registered from 96 to 112, according to location.

**Death's Visit.**

The remains of Miss Clara Minor arrived in this city on Sunday evening's train and were carried to Caradan and interred in the cemetery at that place. The young lady was a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. F. B. Minor of Caradan and left here about a month ago for a visit to her sister, Mrs. Mitchell, in New Mexico, and it was there she died. Her brother Horace, who was visiting with her, accompanied the remains back to the family home.

The grief-stricken parents and other relatives have the sincere sympathy of many friends.



**LISTEN!**

Any disease nipped in the bud will naturally cause less distress and suffering to the patient.

**Therefore,**

be prepared for any emergency. Your system may be in such a condition that sitting in a draft or cool, night air may inflame the mucous membranes of the throat so that a siege of coughing is brought on.

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**L. E. MILLER**  
JEWELER

S. G. Walker wants your chickens eggs and butter.

Miss Ette Harrell returned the first of the week from a visit to relatives in Austin and Burnet.

Phone #5 for fresh vegetables. Oline & Thompson.

A fresh stock of cakes, cookies, crackers, nabiscoes, chocolate fingers, vanilla wafers, all fresh at Palace of Sweets.

Tom Burdette will hereafter receive the Eagle at Montague, by order of his father, Mr. J. O. Burdette of this city.

Belton Ice Cream served at Palace of Sweets. Best by test.

John Potter left the first of the week for Mertzen, Irion county, to build a stone store building.

Rhode Island Red eggs \$1.00 per setting of 15.—W. E. Pardue.

J. H. Mullens and wife sold lots 9, 10, 11 and 12 in block 36, in this city to Mrs. D. E. Saylor.

No burning or smarting after shaving with Griffon "Corbo-Magnetic" Razors. Ask Clements.

Miss Clem Miller of Lampasas was in the city the first of the week visiting relatives, the Saylor family.

Wanted—A woman for general house work. For information apply at the Eagle office.

Mr. Calvin Saylor of Globe, Arizona, has been here this week visiting his brother, Mr. W. W. Saylor, and family.

Fine line of fishing tackle at Bodkin Hurdie & Co.

Let Clements shows you the road to easy shaving. It costs nothing to find out.

Misses Cleve and George Rogers of Burnet are in the city visiting the family of Mr. C. H. Harrell.

Anything to eat at Oline & Thompson's.

Misses Minor of Caradan accompanied their brother Ed to his home in Coleman the first of the week for a visit.

Fresh grapes at Walker's. Phone 248.

Misses Addie Smith and Sallie Morgan are in Dallas buying millinery for the Everly Co. and studying the new styles in ladies' headwear.

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## Velasco

Editor Eagle:

Through your columns I want to give my friends in Mills county and elsewhere, my storm experience in the recent storm that swept the southern coast of Texas on the 21st of July, last.

I had left Austin early in July for a visit to friends and relatives near Velasco, Brazoria county, a few days before the storm. I had gone down on the beach six miles below Velasco to visit one of my nieces.

We were awakened early on the morning of the 21st, by the whistling of a brisk north wind. Having examined the gulf coast we decided there was nothing indicating a storm. The water had receded several yards from where it had been.

After breakfast we returned to the surf-side and were confirmed in our opinion that there was no danger, as the tide had gone still farther, but the wind continued to get higher, and about 9 a. m. a man was sent from the life saving station which the government has established there, to tell us to come to the station. Still believing there would be no storm, we hesitated to go, but decided perhaps we had better do so.

When we, (my niece, her nine months old baby and myself) reached the station, we found the house filled up by the wives and the children of the men in the government service, together with the several visitors who were there for the benefit of bathing.

The wind grew higher until it had obtained the velocity of 65 or 70 miles per hour, and things began to look a little squally. The water was gradually crawling over the higher ground of the beach. Notwithstanding the north wind was blowing fiercely against it and driving it back, but there was such a power behind it, from a storm raging in the interior of the gulf, that the water gained ground slowly.

By 11 a. m. the water had reached the yard fence, and just at that time the wind suddenly lulled, in a few minutes, perhaps 10 or 15, the wind came up from the south and then the water came with leaps and bounds. In 15 minutes more the house was surrounded by water to the depth of three feet. By that time the wind was raging with such fury that it was evident there was really a storm on. Now the water was 6 or 7 feet deep, the house began to shake and quake so from the fierceness of the wind and water that we feared it would not stand, so we prepared to launch the life boat then inside the house. This boat is about 27 feet long, built by the government for service. It is an excellent boat, but small for such a storm. The boat was brought up to the doorway sideways, and the frightened women and children began to pile into it. When we had all embarked there were by count 33 living souls. Thirty of the party were women and children, and 3 men. The other men connected with the station had gone to the mouth of the Brazos to give aid to a vessel in peril. We had tied a cable to the boat and attached a small anchor to the other end of the rope and after casting our anchor we committed ourselves to that raging torrents of water. For six hours we were tossed and driven by the wind and the waves as if our boat was just a feather, until we thought every moment would be our last one. Almost total darkness prevailed, and the

pittiless rain pounded down in such torrents that it almost drowned the children. The wind was so furious that it drove the rain drops with such force that they actually cut our faces and many of the women's faces were bleeding. Sometimes our boat was on the crest of a wave 10 feet high, almost standing on its end. And again we were in the trough with waves flying over head. Then we would give up hope.

Occasionally great trees and logs would be driven against us, and with such force as almost to sink us. And to add to the gruesomeness of our situation there were numbers of cattle and horses swimming and drowning all about us.

The drift wood knocked three holes in our boat, but we stuffed them full of rags and kept three persons constantly bailing. During all these six dreadful hours we were facing death there seemed scarcely a moment of time there was any hope of our salvation. But through all these terrible hours great calmness and quietness pervaded the 33 souls, scarcely a word was uttered by anyone. The boat was entirely in the power of the wind and waves, and no one made any effort to control the movement of the boat—'twas no use.

I had often faced death on the battlefield, and was shot down there, but I never felt that I was so near death as on this particular occasion. But I was not alarmed nor excited, I was as calm as I am this morning. I knew I was facing death, but why become alarmed? It was too late then. I said, "Lord I believe my time to die has come, but I am in thy hands. Do not take these unsaved people off in their sins" This was my prayer.

But all horrors must come to an end. About 4:30 p. m. the wind slackened its fury, the rain ceased, the light came out and God showed us we were saved. Our anchor was still holding, and then we praised the Lord with our hearts.

Many lives were lost along the coast toward Galveston. Three men and a vessel were lost off the coast from Quintana. This little town was damaged.

But our old friend Dr. Brockenbrough and family escaped without damage.

Velasco is a pile of kindling wood. Only three houses in the town escaped injury and most of them are total wrecks.

They are trying to rebuild, but the work is slow, for most of them have no money to rebuild with.

The farmers throughout this part of Brazoria county suffered terrible losses of crops. They need help and ought to have it.

Hoping this long recital of my woes will not tax your readers too much. I am yours truly,

W. L. MARTIN.

## Commercial Club.

The Goldthwaite Commercial Club met in regular weekly session in the court house Monday night, President Geeslin presided and the secretary being absent, L. E. Miller was chosen to act in that capacity.

A committee composed of L. E. Miller, E. M. Boon and J. D. H. Wallace was appointed to solicit premiums for next Trades day and to arrange for entertaining the people who come to town that day.

It was ordered that the Club be reimbursed out of the Zephyr relief fund for the expenses of the investigation committee and that the balance be remitted to the Zephyr committee.

Owing to the small attendance upon this meeting no action was taken on the proposed change in the Clubs' by-laws.

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Ed Hamilton, one of the foremost citizens of Star, had business in this city yesterday.

Miss Eva Gartman returned the first of the week from a visit to her friends in Killeen.

Henry Martin and family returned Thursday from a trip to Brady where they spent a week visiting and fishing.

Mrs. C. V. Stephens and children of Cleburne arrived in the city yesterday for a visit to C. L. Stephens and family.

Whit Smith is rapidly convalescing and will soon be able to look after his business. He was able to come to town for a short while yesterday.

Mr. S. L. Cooke has returned from a visit to relatives at Junction City.

At a meeting of the Rural Telephone company yesterday, Messrs. A. J. Weathers and L. W. Faulkner were added to the board of directors. It is hoped to have the exchange in operation next week.

A messenger came to town Monday night from Ebony for a coffin for W. P. Oryer's six-year-old daughter, who died that afternoon. She has been sick for some time with typhoid fever. The bereaved relatives have the sympathy of many friends in Goldthwaite and elsewhere.



# The Goldthwaite Eagle

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R. M. THOMPSON, Editor

Texas rangers made a raid on a gambling house in San Antonio and arrested eighteen men.

Postmaster General Hitchcock is to accompany President Taft on his trip through Texas in October.

A prohibition election is to be held in Bell county early in September. The campaign is already warming up.

Two railroad brakemen were arrested at Corsicana, charged with buglaring freight cars on the Cotton Belt road.

Eleven people were killed and a large number injured in a wreck on the Denver and Rio Grande railroad at Husted, Col. Saturday.

President Taft has given instructions that census supervisors and enumerators are not to take part in politics, else they will lose their jobs.

The state health officer says the housefly is the cause of from 80 to 85 per cent of the typhoid fever in Texas and he is inaugurating a war on the flies.

The town of Rotan suffered from a severe rain and wind-storm Saturday. One man was killed and a great deal of damage was done to property.

The negro charged with assault upon a young lady near McGregor a few weeks ago, has been transferred from Waco jail to the bastille at Dallas for safe keeping.

A young farmer in Ellis county was fired upon from the road side a few nights ago and a bullet went through his hat. This was the second attempt on his life at the same point.

The initial number of the *Gustine Guardian*, edited by Robert Erastus Downey, reached this office this week. It is a neat and well edited paper and the editor certainly deserves success.

A jealous man in Joplin, Mo., shot and killed his wife and then shot and seriously wounded himself and afterward learned that the woman did not even know the man of whom he was jealous.

A doctor at Kinder, La., started in his buggy to answer a call a few nights ago and after proceeding a short distance he discovered he was seated upon a huge moccasin snake, which commenced to squirm. The doctor quit the seat at one leap.

Mrs. Pistole used a pistol on her father with deadly effect, a few days ago in Dallas, when he came home drunk and attempted to shoot her sick baby because it would not cease crying. He was advancing on the woman and child with a drawn revolver when he was shot and instantly killed.

Policeman Campbell was assassinated in Fort Worth Friday night and Bob Hammond, a saloon keeper, was arrested on suspicion of being guilty of the crime. Hammond was recently shot and severely wounded by Campbell and trouble was expected. The assassin fired upon the policeman from an upper window and thirteen buckshot entered his body.

## NEIGHBORING NEWS.

### Items Culled From the Leading Local Papers.

#### LAMPASAS.

Mrs. J. W. Townsen and Miss Agnes have returned from a two months visit to friends and relatives in various parts of the state.

Frank Epley and family, of Mullin are camped in the Hanna springs park and are much pleased with the waters and other surroundings.

Uncle Billie Mullen, one of the oldest settlers of this county, died of dropsey at 1:30 p. m. Thursday August 5th at his home on Mesquite creek.

The body of Mrs. Ed McCrea, who died Thursday at her residence in Roby, Fisher county, arrived here Thursday evening and was taken to the home of her father, T. P. Newton of Naruna.

Lampasas had the honor of receiving two bales of new crop cotton Tuesday, the two arriving at the gin within 15 minutes of each other. The first was brought in by a colored man, Abe Williams, who lives a few miles north of Lampasas, and the second bale was raised by Walter Taylor from the Kemper neighborhood.—Leader.

#### BROWNWOOD.

Mr J. E. Calnon of Wichita, Kansas, and Miss Grace Harlow of this city, were married at 5 o'clock Sunday afternoon.

It is rumored that Brownwood is to have a \$20,000 Harvey eating House, and inquiry pretty well confirms the report.

The Bulletin learns that Mr. H. C. Coleman of Mineral Wells, an experienced dry goods merchant, has leased the Arthur Low building on Center avenue, and will, as soon as the building is completed, put in a complete line of dry goods.

J. H. Sanford was quite seriously injured in a runaway Sunday afternoon. Sanford and a companion were driving a young mule, which took fright at a passing automobile and ran into a fence, upsetting the buggy and throwing the occupants out.

It was a pleasant affair on Saturday evening at 8:30 o'clock at the home of A. E. Baten, 816 Melwood avenue. Mr. T. L. Hamilton of Mercury, son of Rev. J. T. Hamilton, representative in the 31st legislature, and Miss Clara Kate Baten were joined in marriage.

The revival meeting at the Christian tabernacle conducted by the Five Evangelistic Quartette grows in interest daily, and promises to be the greatest meeting of the kind ever held by any church in Brownwood. The audiences during week-day nights average about six or seven hundred and much larger on Sunday.—Bulletin.

#### COMANCHE

The Temple Hill stock of groceries was sold by Receiver Botte to the highest bidder Wednesday and Ernest Browne was the purchaser, his offer being \$1,400.

The county attorney and assessor engaged in a friendly tussel after the rain Thursday morning which resulted in the shirts of both being torn off.

Tax Assessor Graham has footed up the totals of the taxable values of Comanche for the year 1939 and finds them to be \$10,623,908. This is about \$200,000 more than last year.

Wednesday night at 10 o'clock Judge C. E. Williamson died at the home of his son Otto. He had been in bad shape physical-

ly for some time and recently grew worse, taking his bed till the end came suddenly.

J. H. Soward died Tuesday night at his home a few miles east of town. He retired in apparent good health and his wife was surprised to find him dead next morning when she awoke.

The court house was packed last Sunday afternoon at the Woodman memorial exercises, the principal feature of which was an address by Congressman Sheppard of Texarkana, who is Sovereign Banker of the order for the United States.

Wednesday morning when Fred Ragdale, the gentleman conducting the express business during Mr. Braden's absence, went to his office to open up, he found that a large dog had managed to enter during the night somehow, or was locked up unknown to the agent the night before, and the dog ran at him furiously when he opened the door. Efforts to run it out were futile and the dog being vicious and perhaps mad, was dispatched with a pistol ball.—Chief.

#### HAMILTON.

Last Saturday night about 11 o'clock, John Caraway, night watchman at Hico, shot and killed Charlie Malone in that city. Caraway we understand, claims that Malone drew his gun, a small automatic pistol, and fired at him, when he returned the fire with the above result. Malone's shirt was powder burned.

An election has been called by the Board of Trustees of Hamilton Independent School District, to be held on the 14th of Sept, authorizing the levy of a tax of 37½ cents on the \$100 valuation of property for the maintenance of the public school.

Chester Atkinson met with a very painful accident last Saturday evening when returning home. It was just after a shower of rain and walking along the rock wall of the side-walk near Ben Williams' gin, his foot slipped and he fell breaking one of the bones in his left arm just above the wrist and bruising his face considerably.

Judge J. W. Warren returned Monday from an extended trip through west Texas and over into New Mexico. He visited Amarillo and other cities and had a most pleasant trip. While in Artesia, N. M., he met our old friend Albert Gerrels, who he said was doing nicely. He also saw Dick Seymour at Hope, who is also prospering.—Herald.

Olive Rahl left Tuesday for a trip to Abilene and other western points.

E. B. Anderson of Goldthwaite is here this week in a disabled Maxwell touring car, which is now undergoing treatment at the auto-hospital.

John W. Walton, one of Carlton's most substantial and well-to-do citizens, took his own life yesterday morning by drinking carbolic acid. He died about 10 a. m.

On Friday, September 10th, Hamilton will vote on the question of a bond issue for the purpose of building and maintaining a system of water works at Hamilton. There is little or no opposition to the movement and it is expected that it will carry almost unanimously.—Rustler.

#### Estray Notice.

The State of Texas, Mills county: Estrayed by J. B. Renro, county commissioner of precinct No. 3: One bay horse, about 14 hands high, about 10 or 12 years old, branded J on left jaw and D D on left shoulder, one hind foot white, running in the neighborhood of W. E. Nugent's place. Owner of said stock is requested to come and prove property and take the same away or it will be dealt with as the law directs.

Given under my hand and seal of office this 17th day of July, 1909.  
R. J. ATKINSON,  
County Clerk, Mills County.

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## LOCAL AND PERSONAL.

Fresh hog lard at Hudson & Rahl's market.

John Schlee was here from Priddy Tuesday.

Ask about Niles & Moser—hand made at the Palace of Sweets.

J. W. McNeil from the eastern part of the county, had business in this city one day this week.

Mistletoe hams and breakfast bacon at Cline & Thompson's.

Mrs. A. J. Cockrum and children went to San Angelo Tuesday for a visit to her sister, Mrs. McDavid.

W. G. Welch and family of Center City visited J. T. Owens and family in this city the first of the week.

Autrey Mills arrived Saturday night from Merita for a visit to relatives and friends. He expects to remain here some time.

If you want to buy or sell furniture or any kind of house furnishings come to the second hand store and you will save money by the visit—Weems & Estep.

S. M. Gardner of Aspermont was here Monday shaking hands with friends and called to see the Eagle. He lived in this county a long time and has lots of friends here who are glad to know he is doing well, but they would be mighty glad if he would decide to move back to Mills county.

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## FIRST BALE

G. W. Shipman of Rock Springs Secures The Premium.

The first bale of 1909 cotton brought to this market was grown by G. W. Shipman in the Rock Springs community and was brought in Tuesday August 17th, was ginned by Walter Fairman, weighed 538 pounds, was bought by Geeslin Mercantile Co., and a premium of \$34 50 was given Mr Shipman.

### PREMIUM LIST.

Goldthwaite Commercial Club	85 00
Walter Fairman	3 00
Goldthwaite National Bank	3 00
Trent State Bank	2 50
Geeslin Mercantile Co.	1 50
Little & Sons	1 50
Goldthwaite Mercantile Co.	1 00
P. M. Coones & Co.	1 00
Henry Martin	1 00
R. E. Clements	1 00
E. M. Boon	1 00
Allen & Faulkner	50
Dr. J. H. Logan	50
Urbach Bros.	50
L. B. Walters	50
Evans & Faulkner	50
W. E. Pardue	50
Burnett & Weatherby	50
Saylor & Scott	50
W. H. Lane	50
Frizzell & Burrows	50
J. C. Street	50
E. A. Murray	50
Weems & Estep	50
Dr. Everitt	50
Cash	50
A. F. Grant	25
O. M. Burch	25
W. L. Burks	25
I. C. Everly Co.	25
Hudson & Rahl	25
S. G. Walker	25
O. L. Bodkin	25
J. C. Fulton	25
G. N. Atkinson	25
E. E. Miller	25
P. H. Clements	25
W. E. Grisham	25
Cline & Thompson	25
Dr. J. D. Calaway	25
Walter Ford	25
Will Richards	25

P. H. Rahl	25
F. N. Hubbert	25
R. J. Atkinson	25
E. B. Anderson	25
J. S. Kuykendall	25
Dr Wilson	25

### LAST YEAR

The first bale last year was brought in Aug. 13th by T. J. Laughlin of Antelope Gap. It was ginned by Gatlin & Geeslin bought by A. J. Gatlin for 10 1-2 cents per pound and weighed exactly what the first bale this year weighed, 538 pounds. The premium given Mr. Laughlin was \$23 75.

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### Want to Trade.

I am preparing to move from Goldthwaite at once and have a buggy, well drill and other things to trade. Also want a wagon. If you have anything to trade or want to trade for anything. See me and perhaps we can all be suited.

G. C. SEABORN.

### Wants Settlement.

I especially urge those who are indebted to Dr. Townsen and myself to make satisfactory settlement at once. Of course, I would like to have the accounts paid in full, but those who can not pay the money at this time can at least give a note for the amount, and I ask that this be done promptly.

J. D. CALAWAY, M. D.

### REMEMBER

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Binder twine 50c per ball at S. G. Walker's grocery store.

Hides and beeswax bring a good price at Burnett & Weatherby's.

Mrs. R. L. Burns and son, Oscar, returned Thursday from a visit to relatives at Nacogdoches.

Phone 64 for fresh meat, barbecue and bread.—Burnett & Weatherby.

Miss Alma Harrell returned the first of the week from a visit to friends at Antelope Gap, where she spent several days very pleasantly.

Burnett & Weatherby now own the Kelly market.

Mrs. J. D. Guber and children left Monday night for their home in Beaumont, after a visit to Mrs. W. H. Trent and other relatives here.

Fresh barbecue and bread every day at Burnett & Weatherby's market.

Willis Harris was one of the good men of the Canadian community who had business in this city last Saturday.

For a refreshing drink try a painless lime at Palace of Sweets.

Mrs. J. H. Frizzell went to Mullin Wednesday for a visit and to accompany her children home from a visit to relatives at that place.

Miss Mamie Sherman, teacher in piano, harmony and sight reading.—Residence phone 186.

W. T. Vessell and R. F. Swindle were visitors from the Indian Gap country the first of the week, and made the Eagle a pleasant call.

Another car of buggies at Bodkin, Hurdle & Co. store. Don't buy until you see them.

S. G. Walker informs the Eagle that his father, who has been sick a long time, is not improved. The old gentleman is more than 80 years of age.

J. G. Smith of Ballenger, who has spent some time in Lampasas for the benefit of his health, is here visiting his sister Mrs. C. H. Harrell.

Burnett & Weatherby want your trade at their market.

W. A. Gardner of Mullin was one of the good men who had business in this city the first of the week and made the Eagle a pleasant call.

My chops are home ground made from good clean corn and always fresh. W. E. Pardue.

H. C. Burch and wife and baby were here the first of the week for a visit to R. E. Clements and family and to attend the reunion of the Cunningham family. They left Thursday for San Angelo to visit relatives.

When you think of buggies, think of the pretty lot of new ones just in at our store.—Bodkin & Hurdle & Co.

If you have visitors or know any other local items, tell the Eagle and thereby help to make the paper of more interest to your neighbors and friends.

There is to be a picnic at Bull Springs next Friday. Messrs. B. F. Geeslin, S. M. Bull, J. F. Bull, S. H. Allen, S. G. Walker and others are looking after the details and will make this one of the most enjoyable occasions of the kind ever held at the Springs.

Mistletoe hams and breakfast bacon at Oline & Thompson's.

J. M. Goad, formerly in the hotel business in this city, was here this week and called to renew his subscription for the Eagle. He and his wife are spending some time with their daughter in Comanche, but will probably return to this city about the first of the year.

R. E. Clements wants you to try one of those celebrated Griffin "Carbo-Magnetic" Razors for thirty days without obligation to purchase. Remember its "No Honing—No Grinding" if its a "Carbo-Magnetic."

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### Mullin.

Editor Eagle;

It is 3 p. m. the heat is almost insufferable, I feel tempted to forego the pleasure of speaking to my friends through the columns of the good old Bird this week, but as there are some events that might interest the readers, I will try to relate them, asking not to be criticized too severely.

The Primitive Baptist Association will be held at Williams Ranch. The change was made after I wrote my letter, with a view to having an abundant supply of water, an essential to Baptists.

Mrs. Thos. Baird of El Paso is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Barker, and other relatives.

Thursday, the 12th, at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Munroe Smith, Rev. W. B. Moon performed the marriage ceremony uniting Mr. Jess Tatum and Miss Sadie Smith partners for life.

Prof. and Mrs. Williams and their two sons, Willie and Maxwell, left Tuesday morning for Marthasville, La., where professor has accepted a position in the school. Prof. Williams is a fine educator, as his pupils give evidence. Mrs. Williams is a superior primary teacher, and her influence will long be felt in this community and forever in the memory of her pupils. Willie and Maxwell Williams were royally entertained by Miss Lillie Epley Saturday evening the 14th.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Jackson have at their home a most charming young lady guest, who will remain permanently, adding new dignity to the young people—father and mother.

Misses Cassie and Ollie Williams and brother R. F. visited Zephyr last week and returned in company with their grandmother.

Mart Little and Alice Tackett are enjoying a visit to Miles Station.

W. F. Wallace bought Prof. Williams' home, and will make this his future home.

A recent letter from Los Angeles announces the arrival of Miss Allie Humphries to that city.

Mr. and Mrs. Aaron Little had planned to be present at the reunion of the Cunningham family, but were disappointed in consequence of the sudden illness of Mrs. Little—a severe attack of rheumatism.

Mr. Karnes and son Austin, are off on a prospecting trip.

Mr. Thos. Lovelace and family left Monday evening for Mexico to visit their sons.

Hayes Burgess has been confined to his bed for several days with fever. Local reports are favorable of his soon being able to resume his work at the store.

C. D. Jeffords is taking a vacation, left Monday evening for Houston and Galveston and will be absent two weeks, Mr. Arnold is filling the vacancy his absence makes.

On Sunday the 22nd, Rev. W. B. Moon expects to commence a protracted meeting at the Methodist church, or rather in a tent near the church. He will be assisted by an eminent preacher from "The old state of Georgia." I am sorry I have forgotten his name, will write it later, D. V. G. V. M.

J. P. Kight of Hanna Valley was here yesterday looking after business matters and informed the Eagle that crops were not promising in his neighborhood.

### A GRATEFUL MOTHER

From Tennessee Expresses Herself Freely.

Mrs. Adah C. Means, 49 Rossville Ave., Chattanooga, Tenn., says: "My little son received a severe blow on his head, causing a 'rising' or abscess. After coming to a head it left a running sore which continued almost a year. We tried everything we could but it got worse. We finally tried Paracamp, and after the first application the neck and shoulder broke out into many little sores. I continued the use of Paracamp and in just two weeks the sore was entirely healed and we have had no trouble since. I give all the credit to Paracamp as I only used about a half bottle. Paracamp also cures nervous headache as I have tried it with splendid results." "Don't suffer from Neuralgia, Pains in the Head, Rheumatism, Old Sores, Eczema, Toothache, Sore Throat, Swellings or Inflammations of any kind. Use Paracamp. Try it to-day. It is sold on a positive guarantee to give satisfaction or money refunded. Keep Paracamp in your home. Rub it on your sore spots and you will get instant relief. It absolutely prevents blood poisoning. Trial size 25c; family sizes 50c. and \$1.00 at all druggists or sent direct. If you have never tried Paracamp we will send you a trial size free. Write to-day. The Paracamp Co., Louisville, Ky., U. S. A.

### Commissioners' Court.

Some business was transacted by the court after the Eagle was put to press last week.

Report of the jury of view on the road petitioned for by A. Lorenz et al. was rejected and a new jury of view appointed, composed of Ed Beaty, J. M. Sanderford, Jim McCurdy, A. Lorenz and J. M. Pfleger.

An appropriation of \$15 was made to assist Mrs. Kippenbrock and children in moving to Austin.

A new law requires the court to make an estimate of the population of the county. The estimate to be based on six persons for each scholastic in the county and as there are 2503 scholastics the population of the county was estimated to be 15,018.

The county clerk was authorized to make a new index to the transcribed deed records.

Accounts for the last quarter were examined and approved and the court adjourned Saturday afternoon.

### Cunningham Family Reunion.

R. E. Clements and family attended the reunion of the Cunningham family at the home of Aaron Cunningham in Comanche county the first of the week. It is a custom with this family to meet at the old home once a year and of the twelve daughters and sons of the family of Cunninghams who first located in Comanche county there has never been a death and eleven of them were present at this meeting, the only one absent being Mrs. Joe Neely of Texico. There are 279 members of all branches of this family and there were 162 present at the reunion this year. In the last twelve months there have been 11 births and no deaths in the family. The oldest one in attendance upon this reunion was 78 years of age and the youngest was 7 weeks old.

### Dental Notice

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Is a good time to re-furnish your house and place new carpets, mattings and rugs on the floors. These things can all be bought at our store at Dry Weather prices. Better attend to the work before the busy season. We have a swell line of Buggies. All sizes of Coffins—Cheap and fine.

## Bodkin, Hurdle & Co

# Your Money

Can be made to go a long ways, provided you buy at the right place. We want a chance to prove to your entire satisfaction that our store is the place for you to buy your

### Dry Goods, Notions, Hats, Shoes, Etc.

Our line cannot be excelled in quality and price. Lot of New Goods just received. Our line of Courtney Full Vamp Shoes is complete and guaranteed to be ALL LEATHER. We can shoe the entire family for a very few dollars. All we ask is that you visit us before you buy and be convinced that we can save you money. Everything New, Clean and up-to-date, hence, it is a pleasure to show you through.

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Everything Good to Eat. Fish and Game in Season. Meals at all Hours Patronage of the Public Solicited

## YOUNG BROTHER

### Estray Notice.

The State of Texas, Mills county: Estrayed by J. B. Renro, county commissioner of precinct No. 3: One bay horse, about 14 hands high, about 10 or 12 years old, branded J on left jaw and D D on left shoulder, one hind foot white, running in the neighborhood of W. E. Nugent's place. Owner of said stock is requested to come and prove property and take the same away or it will be dealt with as the law directs. Given under my hand and seal of office this 17th day of July, 1909. R. J. ATKINSON, County Clerk, Mills County.

Henry Meyer and Miss Ella Wolf were married in the county clerk's office Wednesday in the presence of a large assembly. Judge Patterson officiating.

### New York City as a Tena

New York City pays an \$337,807 for the rental of used by departments and bu. The biggest part of this sum to the Stewart building, \$142 In this former dry goods store housed numerous executive he The department of finance al Pays over \$87,000 for quarters six floors. The Park row build gets \$79,732. The splendid apments of the borough president c no less than \$31,682, while those the commissioner of water supp gas and electricity are nearly as expensive, at \$32,645.



S. E. and Joe Allen are at Mens, Ark., looking after business matters.

Read the Trades day premium list in another column.

W. H. Leverett, one of the leading citizens of the Carsdan community, had business in this city Thursday.

Choice of pipes in Clements' show window for 25c next Trades day.

I. G. Collier was one of the good men of Center City community who had business in this city one day this week.

Get a bottle of Nonexplo at S. G. Walker's grocery store and put it in your lamp and the oil can't explode.

T. H. House has returned from New Mexico, where he went a few weeks ago to visit his parents and other relatives.

Your choice of pipes from our show window for 25c next Trades day. Clements' drug store.

Mrs. Caldwell of Temple is in the city visiting her daughter, Mrs. Will H. Trent, and their relatives. Mrs. O. B. Caldwell accompanied her as Lometa and is expected here in a few days for a visit.

W. J. and Frank Young have purchased the Star restaurant, in the postoffice building and have an advertisement in this issue. They are the sons of Mr. J. W. Young and are two of the hustling young business men of this city.

**F. N. Hubbert**

**BLACKSMITH & WOODWORKMAN**

Does a general line of Blacksmith and woodwork. Repairing of all kinds neatly and promptly done at reasonable prices. Difficult jobs solicited.

Special attention given to **HORSE SHOEING**

A three days picnic commenced at Indian Gap Thursday and will end today. It was reported that twenty beavers were to be barbecued, and an immense crowd is expected. Several prominent speakers are expected to be there, among them are Congressman Henry, Senator Bailey and Judge Poindexter.

Mr. and Mrs. F. M. House arrived Sunday night from New Mexico and are now at the home of Mr. C. F. Jones in this city, where Mr. House is very sick. He has been confined to his bed for a long time, having suffered an attack of pneumonia in the early part of the year, from which he has never recovered. He was brought here with the hope that the change would be beneficial to him. Mr. House lived here a long time and Mills county never claimed a better citizen or one who had more friends and we are all hopeful that he will soon be fully recovered and will decide to again make his home in this county.

**The Bottle**



of Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin, used as directed, will give you immediate relief from the inexpressible tortures occasioned by constipation, and its attendant ills. Continue the use of this wonderful remedy for a time. It will soon set your system right, in an occasional dose or it will keep your internal organism in the very pink condition. Well inside, you're well all over.

**Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin**

The best preparation obtainable for the many ills and ailments arising from overworked or disordered digestive organs. It acts quickly and surely on the cause of the trouble and its beneficial effects are instantly perceptible. It will cure the most obstinate cases. Dr. Caldwell's Laxative Syrup Pepsin is obtained in both dollar and half-dollar sizes from all druggists. Your money will be refunded if it does not benefit you.

Your postal card request will bring by return our new booklet, "Dr. Caldwell's Book of Orders" and free sample to those who have not tried this wonderful remedy. Write today.

**PEPSIN SYRUP CO.**  
Monticello, Illinois

**CASH PRIZES**

Cash prizes for Black Cat wearers. We want everyone who reads the Eagle to call for a contest card. This contest is free and open to everybody. The card we give you explains it all. Costs nothing to try for the money. \$325 00 in cash. Come on poets. There are lots of poets in Mills county. Come on poets. Cash for Black Cat poets. \$325 00 free.

150 fine stylish Hair Barrettes, beautiful goods and worth 50c to 75c, here while they last 25c.

About 100 fancy Back Combs are to go the same way. Less than 1/2 price.

Dutch Collars are the real thing, 2 for 25c. Try a couple.

- Men's fine Undershirts.....25c
- Porosknit Undershirts.....40c
- 50c and 75c Dress Shirts.....40c
- Cloth Work Gloves, Men's.....10c
- Cloth Men's Gauntlet Gloves.15c
- Ladies:—See the big 5c table of Dry Goods.
- Ladies:—See the big 7c table of Dry Goods.
- Ladies:—See the big table of 15c Zephyr Gingham at 10c.
- Ladies:—See the Remnant counter of Dry Goods.

**Hawkes Spectacles**

Real and genuine. Never again can you get \$3 50 Specs for our price of \$1 00. \$1 00 is the price as long as they last. Other brand of Specs at 25c. Cases free with Specs.

- John B. Stetsons always...\$3 50
- Tan Slippers at less than cost,
- Elegant Post Cards always...1c
- No more. No less than....1c
- Stereoscope Views.....1c

\$500 worth of Black Cats now opened up. Fresh from the Black Cat works. Warranted to give satisfaction if they bear Black Cat Brand. Prices 15c, 20c and 25c. Just as cheap as common goods and a whole lot better.

Duck, Duck, Duck, Duck. Only the standard brands. 8 oz. duck, 10 oz. duck, 12 oz. duck. We meet all prices.

10c Curtain goods have gone to the 5c Bargain Dry Goods counter this week.

Look, Look, Look at the Bargains in the outside Money's Worth Baskets and Tubs. Bargain Granite Ware, Bargain Tin Ware, Etc. Etc. Take them if you want them.

Another lot of the Big Galvanized Water Pails, 10c. It is a joy to save you money.

- Jet Goods and Jet Buttons,
- Jet Ear Rings.....15c
- Jet Hat Pins.....15c
- Jet Baldeaus.....15c
- All of above 2 for 25c.
- Jet Dutch Collar Pins.....25c
- Jet Necklaces.....25c
- All sizes of Jet Buttons.
- Everyone must have Jet Buttons.

Ladies' Initial Handkerchiefs.6c

Best Window Shades.....25c

New Premiums arriving each week. Save the Tickets.

Don't buy anything until we can quote you prices.

**I. C. EVERLY CO.**

The Big Department Store  
Free Prizes to all.

**Antelope Gap.**

Editor Eagle:  
Still the dry hot weather continues. Everything burning up fast, Cotton dying in places.

The health of the community is good, except Mr. and Mrs. Webb's baby has been real sick, but is convalescent.

The Baptist meeting closed with a great deal of interest, and one addition to the church. Eld. Jobs is an able minister of the Gospel. The singer, Mr. Fagan is the finest singer we have heard in a long time. We were sorry they had to leave us Saturday morning to commence a meeting in Hutto, Williamson county.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Morgan attended and ice cream supper one day last week at Otis Whittenburg's.

Jesse Reese is visiting his sister, Beulah Evans,

Mr. Yarbough spent several days with his daughter and attended the Baptist meeting. Miss Carrie Evans accompanied him home, to spend a week or more with his folks.

Grandpa Patterson was the guest of Mr. Hines and lady last week.

Mrs. Lillian Clark and babe from Ballinger are spending a few days with her mother, Mrs. Schular.

Misses Laughlin and Harvey spent Saturday and Sunday with Eliza Laughlin above Goldthwaite

Eld. Bradley and Ben Holliday and their singer, Mr. Roberts, are holding their meeting this week, but on account of the warm weather there are not many attending so far.

Mr. Harvey and family from Lavaea county, who spent several weeks with Mr. Laughlin's family and other relatives, returned home Monday.

Jim Armstrong and wife are in the lower counties visiting relatives and friends,

Mrs. Bowden is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Mattie Elliott, and attending the meeting this week.

Mrs. Laura Kirby of Goldthwaite came home with her son to spend a few days,

**Eastern Star Officers.**

At a regular meeting of Goldthwaite Chapter number 92, order of the Eastern Star, held in the Masonic Hall August 7, 1909, the following officers were elected: Mrs. Rosa L. Johnston, Worthy Matron; Mr. W. M. Johnston, Worthy Patron; Mrs. Nora Strickland, Associate Matron; Mrs. Gertrude Campbell, Secretary; Mrs. Sibbie Smith, Treasurer; Miss Maud Lowe, Conduetress; Miss Beulah Rehl, Associate Conduetress.

The Following appointive officers have been named by the Worthy Matron elect, Mrs. Mabel Yarbrough, Adah; Miss Mary Covington, Ruth; Miss Alpha Hearne, Esther; Miss Carrie Saylor, Martha; Mrs. Mattie Keese, Eleota; Miss Sallie Weathers, Warder; Mr. W. W. Condon, Sentinel; Mrs. Mattie Lowe, Chaplain; Mrs. Lula Allen, Marshall; Mrs. Jimada Roberts, Organist.

By special dispensation from the Grand Matron, the regular meetings will be on Monday night on or before each full moon. The next regular meeting will be on Monday night, Aug. 30th. All members are requested to be present at the next regular meeting, as the time for installing officers will be announced at that time.

Mrs. Rosa L. Johnston, W.M.

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- Angel Food " 1.85
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At Hicks' Old Stand.

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The twentieth session of this popular institute will open September 1st. The faculty is composed of specialists, trained in the best Universities and Conservatories in this country and abroad. Instruction is given in the following departments: Literary, Preparatory and Collegiate, Normal, Business, Expression, Bible, Music and Art. Especial attention is given to the care of young ladies in dormitory. Christian influences. No saloons. Co-educational. 375 students enrolled last year. For catalogue or other information address

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Acting President, Brownwood, Texas.

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and solicits the public patronage. He buys what you have to sell. He sells what you have to buy in the Grocery line.

**IF YOU HAVE**

- \$5.00
- \$50.00
- \$100.00
- \$1,000.00
- \$10,000.00
- \$100,000.00

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NEW

# Dress Goods for Fall 1909

We are showing the New Dress Goods for the coming season of 1909-10, and will say in all sincerity that this Season's Dress Goods consists of the most beautiful shades of colors and fabrics we have ever shown. Imperial Serges, Soft Finish Wool Taffetas with beautiful Satin Stripe that makes almost a changeable appearance in the new colors of Plum, Peacock, Blue, Old Rose, Old Blue, in prices ranging from

50c to \$1.00 per yard



### The Goldthwaite Eagle

R. M. THOMPSON, Proprietor

Get all acquainted with Niles and Moser at Palace of Sweets.

The Silver Link Circle of The King's Daughters will meet at the home of Mrs. Chas. Rudd Tuesday afternoon, August 24th.

John Little and Tom Toland left Sunday for St. Louis, to buy goods for Little & Sons. Mrs. John Little and son left at the same time for a visit to relatives at Eskota.

See J. T. Prater for price before you buy, chops, bran and meal.

W. B. Wilcox and family, A. L. Scribner and family, Mrs. Scribner and son Calvin, arrived from Scurry county last Saturday for a visit to relatives and friends in this county.

Phone your order to Walker's grocery store for a nice melon for Sunday.

W. A. Smith of this city has bought from J. D. Ryan a farm in the North Brown community, known as the M. B. Read place, containing 175 acres. It is a good farm and the consideration was \$3200.

Peanuts and popcorn, roasted and popped every day—Palace of Sweets.

The Eagle received a much appreciated letter from J. M. Skaggs, who is now engaged in merchandising at Winters. He is well pleased with the outlook at that place and says the railroad to Ballinger will be completed in a short time.

Fresh bread every day at Hudson & Rabl's market.

Rev. J. R. Nichols, pastor of a Baptist church in Houston, was here last Saturday visiting his relatives, the Little family. He was en route home from a visit to his relatives in Mercury and Richland Springs.

Found—A lady's hand sachel containing spectacles, a knife and other articles. Owner can get it by paying for this notice.

Mr. W. F. Thompson left for his home in New Mexico Thursday after a visit to his daughter, Mrs. W. G. Welch, in the Center City community. This was their first meeting in eighteen years and it was indeed a happy one.

Mrs. W. E. Reid went to Crews Wednesday for a visit to her sister, Mrs. Schwarz, and to meet her sister, Mrs. W. S. Street, who is also visiting Mrs. Schewars. Her father, Mr. Bradley, arrived on Wednesday morning's train for a visit and accompanied her to Crews.

### SAN SABA

R. O. Harris left Monday for a visit to the old home in Kaufman county.

Mrs. W. H. Joekel and children are visiting her sister, Mrs. C. R. Wilson, at Mullin this week.

G. P. Holman sold the Fred Williams place adjoining town Monday, to R. G. Coryell for the sum of \$10,000.

Little Johnie Comer, the nine year old son of Frank Comer, happened to the misfortune to get his arm broken one day last week.

Last Sunday evening at 3 o'clock Rev. Temple G. Woods pronounced the ceremony which united in marriage John W. Patterson and Miss Stela Walker at the home of the bride's parents.

C. T. Carter is building a new and elegant residence on his farm on the river five miles west of town. Mr. Carter came over from England last year and has since put in an irrigation plant on his farm and is now putting up a good house and otherwise improving—News.

### LOMETA

Jesse McKean left this week for Winters, where he will be in the mercantile business.

Mrs. Mat Gillespie and daughter, Annie Lee, and Miss Evelyn Crews attended the Carnival at Goldthwaite last week.

Little Clarence McCulley from Brownwood has been the guest of his cousin, Miss Ladelle Enoch the past few days. He returned home Wednesday.

Elder M. L. Vaughn came in the first of the week from Delia, Limestone county, and Gainesville where he has been holding meetings. He was in Limestone during the recent election in which that county went dry. Bro. Vaughn leaves Friday for Paris, where he will be in a meeting.—Reporter.

Barnett & Weatherby will pay the highest price for hides and beeswax.

### NO REASON FOR IT

When Goldthwaite Citizens Show The Right Way Out.

There can be no just reason why any reader of this will continue to suffer the tortures of an aching back the annoyance of urinary disorders, the dangers of diabetes or any kidney ill when relief is so near at hand and the most positive proof given that they can be cured. Read what a Goldthwaite citizen says:

J. W. McAlexander, Goldthwaite, Texas, says: "On account of an intense pain across the small of my back, I could not work and when I scooped, it seemed as if knives were being thrust into my back. I also had difficulty in passing the kidney secretions. Two boxes of Doan's Kidney Pills, procured at Clements' drug store, brought me back to good health and freed my back from pain. Whenever I hear anybody complaining of backache, I advise him to give Doan's Kidney Pills a trial."

For sale by all dealers. Price 50 cents. Foster-Milburn Co., Buffalo, New York, sole agents for the United States.

Remember the name—Doan's—and take no other.

### Notice

The Stockholders of The Trent State Bank are hereby notified that a meeting has been called by the Board of Directors of this Bank, for the Stockholder to meet in its Banking House in the city of Goldthwaite, between the hours of 2 and 4 o'clock p. m. on the last Tuesday in September, the same being the 28th day of September, 1909, to decide whether or not the Capital of this Bank shall be increased to \$50,000.00.

E. B. ANDERSON, V. Pres.  
W. O. DEW,  
L. E. PATTERSON,  
R. M. THOMPSON,  
Goldthwaite, Texas, July 16, 1909.

Why don't everybody who needs medicine try Murray's Remedies and stop complaining? Read his circular describing his Vegetable Blood Purifier, his Balsam for lungs and kidneys, Murray's Catarrh Cure. He doesn't guarantee his remedies under terms that are difficult to comply with as some others do, but he only asks you to try it a week and if you are not pleased, take it back, tell your druggist you are not pleased, and get your money. This is fair and honest. Ask your druggist for the remedies or for circulars describing them.

Take notice. This Blood Purifier is free from minerals and opiates, and excellent female tonic. For sale by

Sold by A. E. Murray and R. E. Clements.

### Treasurer's Report.

Quarterly report of S. T. Wells, County Treasurer of Mills county, Texas.

We, the undersigned, commissioners of Mills county, Tex., and L. E. Patterson, county judge of said Mills county, constituting the commissioners court of said county and each one of us, do hereby certify, upon our oaths, that on this, the 10th day of August, A. D. 1909, at a regular term of our said court, we have compared and examined the quarterly report of S. T. Wells, treasurer of Mills county, Texas, for the quarter beginning on the 1st day of May, A. D. 1909, and ending the 31st day of July, A. D. 1909, and finding the same correct have caused an order to be entered upon the minutes of the commissioners court of Mills County stating the approval of said treasurer's report by said court, which said order recites separately the amount received and paid out of each fund by said county treasurer since his last report to this court, and for and during the time covered by this report, and the balance remaining in each fund on the 10th day of August, A. D. 1909, and have ordered the proper credits to be made in the accounts of the said treasurer, in accordance with said order required by Article 867, chapter 1, title xxv, of the Revised Statutes of Texas, as amended by an act of the twenty-fifth legislature of Texas at its regular session, approved March 20, 1897.

And we, and each of us, further certify that we have actually and fully inspected all the assets in hands of the said treasurer belonging to Mills county at the close of the examination of said treasurer's report, on this the 10th day of August, A. D. 1909, and find the same to be as follows, to-wit:

**JURY FUND**  
Balance last report (overdraft) \$ 61  
To amount received ..... 345 92  
By amount paid out ..... 23 95  
Amount to balance ..... 321 36

Total ..... \$345 92  
**ROAD AND BRIDGE FUND**  
Balance last report ..... \$3589 25  
To amount received ..... 127 10  
By amount paid out ..... 1516 63  
Amount to balance ..... 2199 72

Total ..... \$3716 35  
**GENERAL COUNTY FUND**  
Balance last report ..... \$4363 05  
To amount received ..... 22 58  
By amount paid out ..... 1332 77  
Amount to balance ..... 3052 86

Total ..... \$4385 63  
**COURT HOUSE FUND**

Balance last report ..... \$2008 35  
To amount received ..... 8 88  
By amount paid out ..... 511 55  
Amount to balance ..... 1505 48

Total ..... \$2117 03  
**ESTRAY FUND**

Balance last report ..... \$58 91  
To amount received ..... 11 35  
By amount paid out ..... 28  
Amount to balance ..... 69 98

Total ..... \$70 26  
**SINKING FUND**

Balance last report ..... \$61 08  
To amount received .....  
By amount paid out .....  
Amount to balance ..... 61 06

Total ..... \$61 06  
**RECAPITULATION**

Balance to credit of jury fund \$344 63  
Balance to credit of road and bridge fund ..... 2035 68  
Balance to credit of general county fund ..... 3049 28  
Balance to credit of court house fund ..... 1505 77  
Balance to credit of estray fund ..... 69 98  
Balance to credit sinking fund 61 06

Total ..... \$7069 40  
**BONDED INDEBTEDNESS.**

The bonded indebtedness of said county we find to be as follows:  
Court house bonds ..... 3,000 00  
New Bayou bridge bond ..... 5,400 00  
Old Bayou bridge bond ..... 312 00

Total ..... \$8,712 00  
Witness our hands, this 10th day of August, A. D. 1909.

L. E. PATTERSON,  
County Judge.  
J. D. BERRY,  
Commissioner Precinct No. 1.  
J. W. MASON,  
Commissioner Precinct No. 2.  
J. H. RENFROE,  
Commissioner Precinct No. 3.  
W. H. NELSON,  
Commissioner Precinct No. 4.

Subscribed and sworn to before me by L. E. Patterson county judge, J. D. D. Berry, J. W. Mason, J. B. Renfro and W. H. Nelson, county commissioners of said Mills county, each respectively, this the 10th day of Aug., A. D. 1909.  
R. J. ATKINSON,  
County Clerk, Mills county, Texas.

A deed was filed in the county clerk's office this week wherein R. W. Barr, sold 320 acres of land out of the G. H. & H. railroad survey and the H. A. Convington survey, in the eastern part of the county, to W. P. Walton for a consideration of \$3200.

Fresh meat, barbecue, bread and home-made lard at Hudson & Rabl's market.

D. L. Wheeler informed the Eagle Monday that he had rented the Grant farm to John Forehand and would move to the Barnett ranch. Mr. Wheeler is gradually moving back towards town and his friends here will be glad to welcome him back at any time.

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Office Phone ..... 54

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### Attention Homeseekers

If you know a good thing when you see it, get busy and correspond with Z. S. Lee of Payne, Texas, who has home for the homeless and lands for the landless in the high, rich and rolling lands of Mills, Hamilton, Lampasas, Dimmit and Zavilla Counties, also vast tracts in the general Orange belt that borders on the Coast where the oranges are superior to those that are grown in California.

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The Land Men. Payne, Texas

#### F. M. LONG

County Surveyor

and Real Estate Agent.

I have Lands all over Central, West and Southwest Texas; any size tracts, from 10 to 100,000 acres or more. I have had over 25 years experience in the Land Business and know the Country, and will put you on the best I have. See me before making purchase.

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