

# THE GOLDTHWAITE EAGLE.

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GOLDTHWAITE MERC. CO.

JANUARY

GOLDTHWAITE MERC. CO.

The Big Cash Store

## CLEAN-UP SALE!

Best Quality Goods

### Saturday Morning, January 22.

At 9 o'clock, begins the **Biggest and Best Bargain Event** of the Season, closing **MONDAY NIGHT, JANUARY 31.**

Our Annual Campaign against Surplus Stocks that have accumulated during the past six months, and we want to clean out all Winter Goods so we can have room for our Big Stock of Spring Goods which are arriving every day. Every person in this town and surrounding country should take advantage of this **CLEAN-UP SALE** to buy all the goods they will need for months to come. We want the women who do their own sewing to visit our Store during this Big Sale and buy the little things that they can make up before warm weather comes. Why worry over the sewing machine when it is hot?

**BEGIN NOW.**

**COME EARLY.**

**BEGIN NOW.**

SEE OUR LACES AND EMBROIDERIES AT BIG DISCOUNT.

#### TAILORED SUITS

Clean Up Sale  
1 lot Swell Suits, sold for \$20.00, will go in this Sale, - \$14.98  
1 lot Nice Well Tailored Suits sold for \$8.50 to \$10.00, this Sale - 6 98

#### SHOES

Clean Up Sale  
20 per cent discount on big lots of Men, Women and Children's Shoes.

#### MILLINERY

Choice of any Trimmed Hat in the House for - - - \$1.98

#### CLEAN UP SALE

##### MEN'S STYLISH SUITS

We must have room for our New Spring Suits

\$10.00 Suits, Clean up Price - \$7.95  
\$12.50 " " " - 9.95  
\$18.50 " " " - 14.98

##### MEN'S UNDERWEAR

Clean Up Sale  
Sold for \$1.20 per suit, this Sale, 79c

#### COATS AND SKIRTS

##### Clean Up Sale

Ladies' Long Coats at a discount of twenty per cent.

Ladies' Black Voile Skirts, sold for \$6.50, Clean up Price - \$5.00  
1 lot Skirts, sold for \$2.50 to 4.50, in this Clean up Sale - \$1.98

20 per cent off on all Skirts.

##### Children's Bearskin Jackets

Prices run from \$1.75 to \$3.00  
At 20 per cent off.

NOTIONS--DON'T FAIL TO SEE OUR NOTION COUNTER DURING THIS SALE.

ALL WOOLEN DRESS GOODS AT GREATLY REDUCED PRICES.

#### PETTICOATS

Clean Up Sale  
Big lot Black Heatherbloom petticoats at - - - 98c

#### HOSIERY

Clean Up Sale  
Boys and Girls 25c Heavy Ribbed Hose at - - - 16c

#### CALICOES

All Best Grade Calicoes at per yd. 5c

#### HATS

Clean sweep, all odds and ends, 50 Hats for - - - 48c each

#### GINGHAMS

Clean Up Sale.  
Odds and Ends, worth 12 1-2c. this sale - - - 8 1-3c

#### CLEAN SWEEP

Men's Wool Shirts, all \$1.50 wool shirts, Clean Up Sale - 98c  
All \$2.00 and \$2.50 shirts at - \$1.49

#### CLEAN UP SALE

OUTINGS  
Big lot of Patterns to select from. All 10c grades at - - - 9c

#### MEN'S ODD PANTS

All \$5.00 and \$6.00 Pants, - \$3.98  
Big lot—must sell regardless of cost

#### LADIES' WAISTS

Clean Up Sale.  
Ladies Tailored Waists worth \$1.25 down to 75c, this sale - 69c  
All others at same discount

#### Queen Quality Shoes

FOR LADIES.  
Reduced in this Big Clean Up Sale.  
\$4.00 Shoes for.....\$3.20  
\$3.50 Shoes for.....\$2.80  
\$3.00 Shoes for.....\$2.40

#### Men's Boots and Bootees

\$7.00 Red Bootees for.....\$4.98  
\$3.50 Black " ".....\$2.95  
\$5.00 " Boots ".....\$3.98

#### Ladies Ribbed Vests and Pants

Ladies ribbed vests and pants, worth 35c, in this sale.....19c  
All 50c sellers for.....39c

CLEAN UP SALE.

BLANKETS.

CLEAN UP SALE.

We have not enough space to mention all the many Bargains. We give you a Special Invitation to come to our store and make it your Headquarters when in town.

CLEAN UP SALE.

Plenty of Salespeople to Wait on Everybody.

CLEAN UP SALE.

THIS SALE ENDS JANUARY 31

# Goldthwaite Mercantile Co



**ANNOUNCEMENTS.**

The Eagle is authorized to announce the following candidates subject to the Democratic primary.

- For County Judge  
Z. D. KEMP.
- For District and County Clerk  
R. J. ATKINSON.
- For Sheriff and Tax Collector  
C. W. LINDSEY,  
E. O. PRIDDEY,  
T. C. WILLIAMS,  
F. F. HENRY.
- For Tax Assessor  
G. W. TEMPLIN,  
J. B. BRINSON,  
T. F. EATON,  
A. E. WEATHERS.
- For County Attorney  
A. T. PRIBBLE,  
WILBUR H. WOOD.
- For County Treasurer  
S. T. WELLS.
- For Public Weigher  
W. L. BURKS.
- For Commissioner, Precinct No. 1  
M. H. HINES,  
LIT B. BURNHAM.
- For Commissioner and Justice of the Peace, Precinct No. 2  
J. W. MASON.
- For Justice of the Peace, Pre. No. 1.  
M. H. HINES.

J. W. Butz has been confined to his room by sickness most of this week.

Barb and smooth wire at Jackson-Hughes Co.

Mrs. W. E. Grisham and children visited relatives and friends in Lampasas Thursday.

Be sure to read the advertisements in this issue, for some of them are important.

If you like light bread we have the flour to make it of, Choctaw.—T. B. Keel Grocery Co.

The members of the Woodmen lodge enjoyed a banquet in their lodge room last Friday night.

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

Mrs. B. A. Harris will entertain with a tea Tuesday afternoon and night. All are cordially invited to attend.

Wm. Brown, who has been quite sick at the home of J. H. Allen, sr., in this city, was reported somewhat improved yesterday.

Correct styles and prices on furniture at Bodkin, Hurdle & Co.

Elder J. W. Hall will preach in the Christian church tonight and tomorrow at the usual hours. Everybody invited to hear him.

A. J. Gatlin, who is spending some time in Marlin for the benefit of his health, writes his family and friends that he is improving nicely.

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

The ladies weekly prayer meeting will be held in the Methodist church next Friday afternoon at 3 o'clock, Mrs. Mollie Lowrie leader.

There will be a called meeting of the Ladies Aid society in the Baptist church Monday afternoon at 3:30 o'clock. All members are urged to attend.

Bewley's Blue Ribbon Flour costs no more than the other kind. It is sold by Oline Bros.

W. F. Hearne and children moved back to their home in the Payne community the first of this week, after spending several months in this city.

There is to be a performance in the opera house tonight by the local talent of Mullin. "What Happened to Brown" is the title of the play and Claude Jeffords is the leading man.

Oline Bros. want your order for flour. They sell Bewley's Blue Ribbon Flour, which is evidence that they sell the best.

There was a meeting of the Farmers Union held in the court house Thursday and quite a number of the members of the organization were in attendance.

Pretty designs in iron bedsteads and other furniture at Bodkin, Hurdle & Co.

George Y. Richardson was killed at his home in Dallas Tuesday morning. More than thirty years ago Mr. Richardson lived on Browns Creek and was a neighbor of D. E. Hopkins and Mrs. Oguin, who remember him quite well.

**A Good Citizen Gone.**

Robert E. Grant died at his home in this city at an early hour on Wednesday morning, after a short illness with pneumonia. At first his illness was not thought to be severe, but a few days previous to his death it became apparent that his condition was critical.

Mr. Grant was reared in Mills county and was 36 years of age. For a number of years he had been engaged in the practice of law in this city and was rapidly pressing his way to the front in his profession. Few men could boast of so great success in as short time as he had been in the practice. His splendid ability and his great energy would have secured for him a place in the front rank of the Texas bar. He was city attorney and represented some of the leading firms and institutions of the county in their legal business, and his success in that line was remarkable. He was a man of pleasant manner and made friends of those with whom he had to do. His place will be hard to fill in the community and few men would have been missed more than he, for none stand higher in the estimation of their fellows.

Mr. Grant leaves a wife and two small children, beside a number of other relatives to mourn his death.

The funeral was held Wednesday afternoon and the large concourse that followed his remains to the cemetery attested to the high regard in which he was held by the people among whom he had spent his life. The funeral was under the auspices of the Odd Fellows lodge, of which order he was a valued member.

**Bachelor Maids Entertained.**

On Saturday evening, Jan. 15, at the hospitable home of Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Grisham the Bachelor Maids and escorts were royally entertained in honor of Miss Vallye Applewhite and Mesdames Nabors and Grundy.

After several hours had been pleasantly spent refreshments were served.

Music was furnished during the evening by Misses Thompson, Pardue and Grisham, which was enjoyed very much.

At a late hour the guests departed, hoping that the charming hostess would open her palatial home in another such event at some early date.

The out of town guests were Miss Vallye Applewhite and Mrs. Frankie Nabors of Lampasas, Mrs. Grundy of Beaumont, Messrs. Peak of Lampasas and Noble of Brady. REPORTERS.

**Card of Thanks.**

Mr. Henry Martin and family desires the Eagle to express their profound and heartfelt thanks to the friends who assisted them in caring for and ministering to his son, George during his illness and who gave the family aid and sympathy after the death of the young man. The family feels deeply grateful to all who helped them in any way.

**Special Services.**

There will be special services in the Presbyterian church Sunday by the Holiness people. Mrs. Manney will preach at the morning service and Rev. Manney will preach at night. All are cordially invited to attend.

**Must Have Money.**

We have disposed of our business and those indebted to us are urged to settle at once. We cannot delay this matter, so do not wait for the second notice. P. M. COONES & Co.

**Early Arrivals in Spring Goods.**

DRY GOODS

DRY GOODS

We are getting ready for our New and Large stock for Spring. In fact, a few early arrivals are already in and on exhibition in our Store.

Come to Us for your Dry Goods Wants.

Our stock of Staples was never more complete than now, and we have a great many goods for Winter and Early Spring wear that we are anxious to close out while they are reasonable.

Come to Us and we will Please you.

Our Shoes are especially Attractive for men, women and children. We have the size and quality you want and they are of "Courtney" make, which means that they are the Best to be had anywhere.

DRY GOODS

DRY GOODS

**Frizzell and Burnett**

**SSS THE OLDEST AND BEST BLOOD PURIFIER**

**THE GREATEST OF ALL TONICS.**

A Spring Medicine that adds vigor and strength to the system, purifies and enriches the Blood, and lays the foundation for a strong constitution and good health during the hot sultry summer.

Most everybody feels bad in the spring. Some have no particular ailment but are just tired, worn out and totally unfit for work or anything else that requires energy or effort. They mope around upon the border-land of invalidism, irritable, peevish, hysterical and unreasonable.

A good appetite in the spring is a rarity, and we sicken at the sight of food, or thought of eating, and what little we do eat is a burden to the stomach and a tax upon the digestion.

Warm weather is sure to bring out the hidden poisons, germs and seeds of disease that have been collecting in the blood and system during winter, and you may look for some old chronic trouble to make its appearance. It is a time, too, when boils and carbuncles, and pustular or scaly skin eruptions like eczema and tetter, pay their annual visits and make life miserable by their intense pains and intolerable itching and burning.

The fight for health should begin before any warning symptoms of physical collapse are felt, or before the seeds of disease have time to germinate if we would avoid the usual spring sickness; and with S. S. S., the acknowledged king of blood purifiers and greatest of all tonics, you can put your blood and system in such perfect condition and so strengthen the constitution that one may be as free from sickness and as vigorous and strong during the frying months of spring and depressing summer season as at any other time.

S. S. S. not only builds you up, but searches out and destroys any poisonous germs or impurities that may be lurking in the blood. The benefits derived from the use of S. S. S. are permanent because it acts directly on the blood and purifies and cleanses it of all impure matter, leaving nothing to cause fermentation and deterioration of this life-giving fluid.

In selecting your blood purifier and spring tonic get one that long experience and thorough test have proven the best. In S. S. S. you will find a remedy whose purifying properties are unquestionable, and just such a tonic as your system needs. Ask your druggist for S. S. S.—there is nothing else just as good.

For the past 40 years we have had a standing offer of \$1,000 for proof that S. S. S. contains the least particle of any mineral whatever, and this offer is still open.

**SSS NATURE'S REMEDY PURELY VEGETABLE**

Gentlemen: For over four years I suffered with general debility, causing a thorough breaking down of my system, so that I was unable to attend to my household duties. I had tried other medicines, which did not relieve me. Seven years ago my cousin, who had been benefited by S. S. S., told me about it. I tried it and it cured me. I have been able to attend to my household duties ever since, experiencing no inconvenience whatever; in fact, I am able to work in the garden as well as my house.

I heartily recommend S. S. S. to all who may feel the need of a thoroughly good blood tonic, feeling sure they will be benefited thereby.

Yours truly,

MRS. JOSIE A. BRITAIN.

44 W. Ninth St., Columbia, Tenn.



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**E. B. ANDERSON**  
LAWYER, LAND AGENT AND  
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Will practice in all courts special attention given to land and commercial litigation.  
Notary public in office.

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and LAND AGENT

Special attention given to all classes of litigation; investigation of land titles, abstracting, etc.  
Goldthwaite, Texas.

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Attorneys-at-Law

Practice in all State and Federal Courts. Special attention to matters in the Courts of Mills, Bell and Lampasas Counties.  
TEMPLE, TEXAS.

M. L. Brown, M. D. S. A. Lowrie, M. D.  
**Drs. Brown & Lowrie**  
Physicians and Surgeons

Office at Murrays Drug Store. Careful attention to all cases. Office Paone 121. Residence Phone 122 X-Ray examination made in office when desired.  
Office connected with both telephone system

**DR. E. M. WILSON**  
HIGH GRADE DENTISTRY.  
All kinds of Dental Operations performed, including treatment of Scurvy

**WHIT SMITH**  
Land, Loan and Live Stock Insurance AGENT  
Large list of town and country property. ::  
Notary Public for Mills County.

Z. S. LEE W. W. SAYLOR  
Payne, Texas Goldthwaite, Texas  
**LEE & SAYLOR**

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.

**LEE & SAYLOR**  
The Land Men  
Office in Court House Goldthwaite

If you have hides to sell see Hudson & Rahl

R. L. H. Williams left yesterday for Stephenville, to attend district court.

The best bread in Texas at Hudson & Rahl's market.

Will Little went to Ballinger yesterday for a visit to Will Walton and family.

Mount City Paint may cost a trifle more, but—J. D. Urquhart.

Elton Noble of Brady and Ben Peak of Lampasas were here Saturday night and a part of Sunday, visiting friends.

Keel & Co. pay the highest price for country produce.

Mrs. J. B. Brinson, who has been confined to her room by sickness for some time, is reported not improved to any considerable extent.

Forehand & Johnson solicit your patronage at their market.

Mrs. Mattie Chapman and little daughter are here from Temple visiting her father, Capt. W. K. Cox, who has been quite sick for several days.

Bewley's Blue Ribbon Flour is recognized as the best.—Sold by Cline Bros.

The friends here of Mrs. W. W. Fowler regrets to learn that she is still quite sick at her home in Hamilton and they hope for her complete recovery in the near future.

Bodkin, Hurdle & Co. have a fine assortment of furniture and are making attractive prices on everything in their stock.

The curfew law is now strictly being enforced in Goldthwaite and the blowing of the whistle at the light plant every night at 9 o'clock gives notice to the boys under 18 years of age that they must be off the streets.

Bodkin, Hurdle & Co. have a complete stock of furniture and hardware and want to name prices to those who expect to buy such goods.

**B. M. C. Entertained.**

On last Friday evening at the hospitable Kelley home, the Bachelor Maids were royally entertained by the Misses Kelley assisted by Misses Mary Pardue and Carrie Saylor.

Quite a surprise awaited the members on their arrival, as two "bachelors" by some means, fair or foul, had gained entrance and were calmly seated awaiting results. It was finally agreed upon by the girls to initiate them into the mysteries of the order, but one of the young men refusing to undergo the necessary preparations, they were "turned out."

After the regular transaction of business, tables were placed and an animated lot of players were soon enjoying the ever fascinating game of "Bunco." Miss Maude Lowe being declared winner of largest number of games, received a lovely comb, Miss Mattie Fletcher received the consolation, a box of hair pins. After this delicious refreshments consisting of several kinds of fruits were served and there followed an hour of merry making. Lovely music was furnished throughout the evening by Misses Pardue and Sherman and at a late hour the members departed thanking the charming hostess and her assistants for a most delightful evening. A MAID

**Shot Accidentally.**

N. T. Waddle, better known as "Bud" Waddle, was accidentally shot in the back last Saturday at his home at Star, and for a time it was feared the accident would prove serious. He was engaged in cutting wood in front of his house when his son came home from hunting with a target rifle and stood the gun against the wall. Mrs. Waddle, fearing an accident from the gun being left in that position picked it up to see if it contained a charge. It was a pump gun and as she examined it a cartridge was thrown into the chamber and exploded accidentally. The ball struck Mr. Waddle just behind the shoulder and so far the physicians have not located it, but are hopeful it came out, as the wound in apparently not deep and Mr. Waddle is able to be up and about, but he and his wife feel that he had a mighty narrow escape.

**WANTED**

Every man, woman and child in Texas who has kidney, Bladder, Throat or Lung trouble, to try Murray's Balsam for the Lungs and Kidneys. It is guaranteed to give satisfaction. If it does not help your kidneys, bladder, or lung trouble in three days, it never will, as it begins its good work with the first dose. If you have to get up seven or eight times at night, in three days you will not get up more than once. For children with weak organs it has no equal. It has stood the test of ninety-four years, and relieves quickly where others fail. It takes entire control of the kidneys and bladder, and regulates their action whether they are too free, or not free enough. It will cure an ordinary sore throat in a few hours, and one bottle of it, if used regularly about every four hours, will kill the worst case of tonsillitis from being cut out. You cannot lose anything by trying it. Notice guarantee in circular. Yours truly,

F. I. MURRAY,  
Abilene or Fort Worth.

For sale by  
**E. A. Murray and R. E. Clements**

Mullin.

From the Entelprise.

W. J. Boler of Blanket was here buying cattle Tuesday.

Mrs. White sold her two story residence to Jas. M. Harris one day this week. Mr. Harris will fit up one room and move his telephone exchange into it.

E. H. Dalton of Goldthwaite was a pleasant visitor to our little city Tuesday. He told the reporter that he would not be in the race for sheriff and tax collector.

Barb and smooth wire at Jackson-Hughes Co.

J. T. Eaton of Mullin was a business visitor to this city one day this week.

Hudson & Rahl buy hides and beeswax.

Don't forget the payment of your poll tax before Feb. 1, if you have not yet secured a receipt.

Fresh barbecue and bread all the time—Forehand & Johnson.

Z. S. Lee reports the sale of J. B. Caldwell's residence, near the round bale gin, to John Forehand for \$800.

Forehand & Johnson solicit your patronage at their meat market

E. H. Green and W. A. Gardner were here from the Mullin country Thursday and both called to renew for the Eagle.

Barb and smooth wire at Jackson-Hughes Co.

Miss Vallye Appiewhite left Sunday for her home in Lampasas, after spending a few days in this city with friends.

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

Mrs. Haskell Watson and little daughter arrived from Oklahoma City the first of the week for a visit to Mr. H. A. Watson and family.

Barb and smooth wire at Jackson-Hughes Co.

Mrs. John Kirby of Lometa visited relatives in this city Monday and her sister, Mrs. O. Dickerson, accompanied her home for a visit.

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

Miss Mary Lou Grundy left Tuesday for Lampasas, where she entered St. Dominic's college to study music and review her literary studies.

Hides—We are better prepared this year than ever before to handle hides, furs and beeswax.—Hudson & Rahl.

J. M. Allen returned Sunday from Marlin, where he went with his brother Andy, who was suffering with a nervous trouble but is being greatly benefited by the Marlin water.

A fine assortment of heating and cooking stoves and plenty of stove pipe at Bodkin, Hurdle & Co.

J. V. Lewis was one of the good men of Friddy who had business in this city the first of the week and he made it convenient to call and renew his subscription for the Eagle.

When you buy flour why not get the best Bewley's Blue Ribbon?—Cline Bros.

House to rent or sell. See J. H. Allen, Sr.

P. H. Clements has a new ad. in this issue. Read it.

Have you seen the pretty line of matting at Bodkin, Hurdle & Co.

W. T. Vessell was a visitor from the Indian Gap country one day this week.

Mrs. F. N. Irwin has been quite sick for some days, but was reported improving yesterday.

Oscar Weathers of Temple has been here this week visiting his parents and other relatives.

Take your hides, furs and beeswax to Hudson & Rahl.

Mrs. J. B. Applewhite was here from Lampasas the first of the week visiting Mrs. W. E. Grisham and other friends.

No matter what you want in hardware, furniture, we can likely supply it and we believe we can save you money—Bodkin, Hurdle & Co.

Coleman bread, 12 ounces for 5c the best bread in Texas at Hudson & Rahl's Market.

County Clerk Atkinson has issued marriage license since last report to O J Crawford and Miss Naomi E. McLeod, Geo. K. Mason and Miss Herta E. Hudson.

Misses Alice and Tina Booker returned to their home in Fort Worth the first of the week, after a visit to Mrs. Weatherby and other relatives in the North Brown community.

Those who are subject to road tax in the city or county can secure a receipt for \$3 if they pay the amount before Feb. 1, but after that date \$5 or five days' work on the public roads will be required.

Miss Flora Gatlin went to Killen yesterday to attend to some business matters. She resigned the principalship of the school at that place some time ago on account of her severe illness, and she will not teach the remainder of this term.

An exceptionally clever comedy with music with a big cast of farclers, dancers and singers will play Goldthwaite, on Wednesday, January 26. The College Boy is now in its third season and pleasing better than ever. The College Boy band and orchestra is a big hit every where.

**IF YOU HAVE**

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

Temporarily Idle, Its SAFETY Should Be Your First Consideration

**MONEY** Deposited in the Goldthwaite National Bank is absolutely secure

You also Get more accommodations Free at this Bank than any Bank in this State perhaps gives its Depositors.

We collect checks and drafts, etc., on any town or city in this state or the United States, or the World for our Depositors FREE.

We place or transfer money to any city in the World FREE to our Depositors.

We loan money to people who favor us with their Deposits when others can not get it.

We have strong Metal Boxes for storing deeds, notes, etc., of our Depositors FREE.

We have plenty of Money to Loan.

We have an Absolutely Safe Place for our Depositors.

The Deposit Accounts of Everybody Solicited.

**Goldthwaite Nat'l. Bank**

**New Firm.**

We have bought the Grocery business of P. M. Coones & Co. and will continue the business at the old stand. We solicit the patronage of the public, promising Fresh goods and Prompt Service at all times.

**CLINE BROS.**

**GOOD RESOLUTION FOR 1910**

You have probably made several good resolutions for this year, but it's not too late to make another—one that will promote the welfare of both yourself and your family.

Resolve to buy drugs and drug store goods at our store.

You'll find that a very easy resolution to keep. After once learning how carefully we guard customers' interests, you will doubtless be willing to even go out of your way to trade here.

Goods of higher quality than we carry are not obtainable and our service is one we are sure you'll appreciate. Quality considered, no one can sell at lower prices.

May we serve you this year?

**CLEMENTS' DRUG STORE.**

**ALWAYS THE BEST**

Can be applied to our Stock of

**GROCERIES**

If you are a customer of ours you know this. If not our customer we would like to have you for one.

**W. E. Grisham**



A well defined movement is on foot to establish a Seaman's Home at Galveston.

While pretending to turn on a street light at Waco Tuesday, Lucile Overby, aged 12 years, was instantly killed.

Governors from thirty states of the union met in the national capital Tuesday to discuss problems of state and national interest.

Postmaster Sloan Simpson of Dallas received an order from Washington postoffice department last week establishing mail service on the interurban between Dallas and Sherman.

More than 200 prominent physicians and representatives of civic organizations, together with three members of the Rockefeller committee, met at Atlanta, Ga., Tuesday for the first national conference called for the study of the hook worm.

John Wesley Darlington, one of the four survivors of the Texas revolutionary war, celebrated the seventy-second anniversary of his arrival on Texas soil at Taylor his home last Saturday. He is 89 years old.

Fire in Oak Cliff last Friday afternoon caused the loss of six cottages valued at \$125,000. The streets were so muddy that the fire engine and hose wagon bogged down and had to be pulled out with extra teams.

In a head-on collision last Sunday at Keystone, Iowa, between two passenger trains one passenger was killed and ten other persons were seriously injured. The person killed was Mrs. Louis Zee, of Cleveland, Texas, while her husband was badly injured.

George M. Jackson of Piggot, Ark., announced last Sunday at a meeting of the Brotherhood Welfare association, that he would give 4000 acres of rich bottom lands near Piggot to the unemployed of the United States. The plan suggested by Jackson is that 400 unemployed men be given ten acres each.

Leonard Bliss, of Peoria, Ill., known as "Baby Bliss" and supposed to be the largest man in the United States, weighing 525 pounds, was adjudged hopelessly insane last Tuesday. During the bicycle craze he rode a wheel over the United States and Europe as a demonstrator of the make of the machine. He was 37 years old.

Two passengers on the Sunset line last Sunday morning found on their arrival at San Antonio that they had been robbed during the night. Captain Joseph L. Knowlton of quartermaster's department of the United States army was robbed of \$120 in currency and \$250 in drafts. Mrs. L. Dukes of Oakland, Cal lost quite a large amount in jewelry.

Frank LaScalls, a druggist in New York, spent three hours last Monday running about the city hatless, coatless and almost insane from anxiety trying to find a customer for whom he had filled a prescription and had used the wrong medicine. He failed by five minutes to reach the victim of his error, the customer having taken the medicine and died.

CENSUS APPLICATIONS FORMS.

Those for Enumerators Received by the District Supervisor.

Census Supervisor, Nat M. Washer, whose office is at Washer Bldg, San Antonio, Tex has received from the Census Bureau a supply of blank applications for persons applying for positions as census enumerators. These will be forwarded to his list of applicants as soon as possible.

The applicants, properly filled out, must be returned to the Supervisor not later than January 31, the Census Director having extended the time for filing January 25, which was the date first set for closing the consideration of applications. The "test" will occur February 5, as previously announced.

The instruction printed on the application form state that a definite answer is required to each of the questions, which are:

"Are you a citizen of the United States? If naturalized citizen, when and where were you naturalized.

"Of what state or territory are you a legal resident? How long have you been a legal resident thereof? Of what county and of what town or city and ward are you a resident? How long have you been a resident thereof?

"What is your sex and color? What is your age on last birthday? Where were you born?

"What is your education? (Give the principal facts.)

"What is your present occupation?

"What is your professional or business experience? (Give the principal facts, and, if at present an officeholder, name the office you hold.)

"Have you ever been employed on census work, either national or state? If so, in what capacity and for how long a period? If an enumerator, for what territory or district? (Describe as accurately as possible.)

"Are you physically capable of a full discharge of the duties of a census enumerator? Have you any defect of either sight, hearing, speech, or limb? If so, state nature of defect.

"Do you speak English? Do you understand and speak any language other than English? If so, what language? (Specify language spoken, as Bonemian, Chinese, Danish, French, German, Greek, Hungarian, Italian, Japanese, Lithuanian, Magyar, Norwegian, Polish, Portuguese, Russian, Slavic, Spanish, Yiddish, etc.)

"Are you a member of a political committee of any party? (Answer 'Yes' or 'No,' but do not indicate what party.)

"In view of the fact that you may be required to take a test before a postmaster, state what post-office would be most convenient to you for this purpose. (This test is of a practical character, consisting chiefly or wholly of the filling out of a sample schedule of population from information furnished regarding typical families, and, in the case of enumerators whose work will be in rural schedule of agriculture.)

"Are the answers of each of the foregoing question true to the best of your knowledge and belief? Are they in your own handwriting.

Indorsements of each applicant must be secured from two representative citizens of the community in which the applicant resides. They must be at least 21 years of age and acquainted with the applicant not less than one year. Indorsements will not be accepted from any person who is in any way related to an applicant. The endorsement certifies that the applicant "is a thoroughly trustworthy and honest person, of good habits, and, in my opinion, is fully capable of discharging the duties of a census enumerator, if appointed."

Advertisement for Trent State Bank. Headline: "Don't Keep Your Money". Subtext: "Secreted about your home or place of business where it is likely to be lost should your house get burned, or where some one can steal it in your absence." Section: "Deposit It With". Text: "A good, safe Bank where it will be protected in every way against loss, and where it can be had just when you need it." Logo: "The Trent State Bank". Text: "Offers you just such a place for your money, and we will appreciate your account no matter how small. We also have a good, safe place in our vault for your valuable papers." Bottom text: "The Non-Interest bearing and otherwise Unsecured Accounts of The Trent State Bank are protected by the DEPOSITORS GUARANTEE FUND OF THE STATE OF TEXAS."

Sheriff's Sale. The State of Texas, County of Mills. By virtue of a certain order of sale issued out of the Honorable district court of Mills county, on the 29th day of December, 1908, by the clerk of said court against Christiana Clifford and the unknown heirs, legal representatives of Christiana Clifford for the sum of three hundred sixty and 82-100 (\$360.82) dollars and costs of suit in cause No. 1062 in said court, styled A. J. Gatlin versus Christiana Clifford et al., and placed in my hands for service; I, H. C. Ezzell, as sheriff of Mills county, Texas, did on the 3rd day of January, 1910, levy on certain real estate situated in Mills county, described as follows, to-wit: Lots No. 9, in block No. 9, lying and being situated in the town of Goldthwaite, Mills county, Texas, according to the plat of said town, made by A. S. Hayne, engineer, and being the lot conveyed by the G. C. and S. F. Railroad company, a corporation to Christiana Clifford by deed dated September 2nd, 1885 and levied upon as the property of Christiana Clifford. And on Tuesday the first day of February, 1910, at the court house door of Mills county, in the town of Goldthwaite, Texas, between the hours of ten a. m. and four p. m., I will sell said property at public vendue for cash to the highest bidder as the property of said Christiana Clifford by virtue of said levy and said order of sale. 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 4th day of January, 1910. H. C. EZZELL, Sheriff Mills county, Texas.

Every Mother is or should be worried when the little ones have a cough or cold. It may lead to croup or pleurisy or pneumonia—then something more serious. Ballard's Horehound Syrup will cure the trouble at once and prevent any complication. Sold by R. E. Clements.

Don't Get A Divorce. A western judge granted a divorce on account of ill-temper and bad breath. Dr. King's New Life Pills would have prevented it. They cure constipation, causing bad breath and liver trouble the ill-temper, dispel colds, banish headaches, conquer chills. 25c at Clements' drug store.

Advertisement for J. H. RANDOLPH LUMBER. Text: "J. H. RANDOLPH DEALER IN LUMBER". Subtext: "Sash, Doors, Blinds, Mouldings, Etc. Estimates furnished on small or large bills. Will meet legitimate competition." Address: "Yards South Side Square and Near Railroad Depot, Goldthwaite."

Advertisement for WEATHERS & FORD Barbers. Text: "S. T. Weathers. Walter Ford. WEATHERS & FORD Barbers". Subtext: "SOLICIT THE PUBLIC PATRONAGE Shop Located Next to Clements' Drug Store".

Advertisement for L. B. WALTERS Sheet Metal Worker. Text: "L. B. WALTERS Sheet Metal Worker". Subtext: "Pipe Fitting, Plumbing, Wind Mill Repairing. Anything in the Sheet Metal Line." Address: "Next Door to Kelly's Carpenter Shop. Phone 92"

Advertisement for "We Are Here To Stay". Text: "We Are Here To Stay Wet or Dry, Cold or Hot." Subtext: "Call and see us when in the City. ELECTRIC MASSAGE, BATHS AND LAUNDRY Our Specials, EVANS & FAULKNER, Barbers."



# EVERYBODY KNOWS

That all Cotton Goods have advanced in Price, but we are glad to say that we can sell them to you at the same old price. Now if you need any of the undermentioned goods, why the prices certainly ought to interest you. You know you can't buy goods at these prices much longer. They are going fast. Better come at once and take advantage of the Low Prices. IT MEANS DOLLARS AND CENTS TO YOU.

## OUR PRICES.

- Best Calicoes, - - 5c
- Good Cotton Checks, - - - 4c and up.
- Good Cotton Flannel, bleached, unbleached, - - 5c and 8 1-3c yd.
- Yard wide Domestic, the best you ever bought for the money, - 5c yd.
- Ginghams, - - 5c up.
- Outing - - - 5c yd.

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**Extra Wear Guarantee**

We guarantee every "Noxall" Shirt to outwear any shirt of any other make sold at the same price; to be specially protected by the "Noxall" lockstitch against ripping; to be liberally cut and to fit easily and comfortably in the collar band and in all parts. On satisfactory evidence that this shirt has not fulfilled each and all of these conditions, and on return by the purchaser of the shirt to the Hargadine-McKittrick Co., St. Louis, they will send purchaser a new "Noxall" Shirt Free.



You can now have a Guaranteed shirt! We have secured the exclusive agency for the famous "Noxall" Guaranteed line of fine dress, business and negligee shirts.

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Back of each of these shirts is this guarantee legally signed and sealed by the makers of "Noxall" Shirts. They stand ready to make good every word of it.

465 patterns to choose from—a shirt for every purpose—business—general wear—evening wear—outing—golf—made in coat style or closed, with attached or detached cuffs, and in all the preferred shirting fabrics, cord madras, French madras, percale, chambray, mercerized, soisette, pongee, silk, etc. Come in and see them.

## SPECIAL PRICE ON WAIST GOODS.

Here is another Bargain. We have about 250 yds. of nice Waist Goods, worth from 25c to 35c per yard, and we are closing these goods out At 15c per yard.

You will find that we have lots of other Good Bargains too numerous to mention.

We have got to make room for New Goods and want to make a General Clean-Up within the next Fifteen Days.

# B. F. Geeslin Mercantile Co.

The People Who Sell It For Less.

## LOCAL AND PERSONAL

I will run my thrasher at my place, Monday, Jan. 31. O. A. Head.

Try a sack of Heliotrope or Bell of Waco and be convinced.—T. B. Keel Grocery Co.

John Tippen of Ebony was circulating among his friends here Saturday and Sunday.

A. D. Price was one of the good men who joined the host of Earle readers this week.

Mrs. Frankie Nabers of Lampassas spent Saturday night and Sunday with friends in this city.

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

O. P. Manning of the Center City community was here one day this week looking after business matters.

All sizes of coffins from the cheapest to the finest at our store and we have the only licensed embalmer in the county.—Bodkin, Hurdle & Co.

F. P. Eubank, who is now engaged in carpenter work in Austin, was here the first of the week looking after business matters. He likes his new location fine and says his family enjoys excellent health in the capital city.

You like good flour, coffee and bacon and your horses like good rich corn chops and wheat brand. Why not get it all at the same place, that's at T. B. Keel Grocery Co.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. O. Shirley of Indiana, who spend several weeks here visiting P. H. Clements and wife and other relatives, left the first of the week for Houston, Galveston and other points to spend a few weeks. Their son Clem, who was here with them, preceded them to south Texas for a visit.

Bell of Waco, the best on earth, every sack guaranteed—Walker & Young.

Mrs. D. K. Northington has as a guest her sister, Mrs. Green of Hillsboro. . . . Shelby Cox, who was thrown from his motorcycle in the early week, is convalescing. . . . After being for a time in one of the local hospitals, Mrs. W. W. Fowler has returned to her home in Hamilton. She was accompanied by Dr. Fowler—Temple Mirror.

**Fifth Sunday Program.**  
Mills County Fifth Sunday meeting to be held with Trigger Mountain church convening January 27, 1910.

**THURSDAY NIGHT.**  
Introductory sermon by L. J. Vann.

**FRIDAY.**  
9:30 a. m.—Devotional services, lead by C. H. Miles.  
10 a. m.—What good should be derived from our Fifth Sunday meetings? L. J. Vann and E. L. Connerly.  
11 a. m.—Preaching.  
2 p. m.—Devotional services by J. D. Long.  
2:30 p. m.—Relation of the Holy Spirit to Word of God. (a) In teaching it. (b) In receiving it. J. A. Jarrett and C. H. Miles.  
4 p. m.—Relation of the Holy Spirit to prayer (a) Petition. (b) Receiving object of petition. T. J. Priddy and J. H. Briley.  
7:30 p. m.—Preaching.

**SATURDAY.**  
9:30 a. m.—Devotional services by J. A. Rogers.  
10 a. m.—What is holiness as applied to God's children in this life? D. I. HARRISON and A. J. ALVIS.  
11 a. m. Preaching.  
2 a. m. Devotion services by J. C. Denowho.  
2:30 p. m.—(a) Mission of the church by W. B. Everett. (c) Best methods of filling its mission, W. H. McGee of Lampassas, W. B. Holland of Brownwood.  
4 p. m.—Board meeting.  
7:30 p. m.—Preaching.

**SUNDAY.**  
9:30 a. m.—Devotional services, J. F. Jackson.  
10 a. m.—Object of Sunday school, J. A. Rogers and F. L. Hartman.  
10:30 a. m.—Best methods leading to object of Sunday school, D. D. Kemper and S. H. Allison.  
Brethren, these meetings are for the Masters's business else we should abandon them. Come with your best efforts.  
J. B. WARD,  
J. S. SMITH,  
L. L. HAYS,  
Committee

**Too Much Face.**  
You feel as if you had one face too many when you have neuralgia. Don't you? Save the face, you may need it; but get rid of the neuralgia by applying Ballard's Snow Lotion. Finest thing in the world for rheumatism, neuralgia, burns, cuts, scalds, lame back and all pains. Sold by R. E. Clements.

**City Taxes.**  
All tax payers who have not secured their receipts for 1909 taxes due the city of Goldthwaite are notified that a penalty of 10 cents on the \$1 will be attached on Feb. 1, 1910. My books can be found at R. E. Grant's law office, where I will be glad to receive and receipt for city taxes.  
D. Y. FOY,  
Tax Assessor and Collector.

**Brave Fire Laddies.**  
often receive severe burns, putting out fires, then use Bucken's Arnica Salve and forget them. It soon drives out pain. For burns, scalds, wounds, cuts and bruises its earth's greatest healer. Quickly cures skin eruptions, old sores, boils, ulcers, felons; best cure made. Relief is instant. 25c at Clements' drug store.

**Books Open.**  
Owing to the condition of my health I can not be at my office constantly, but my books are there and payments will be received at any time by either P. H. or R. E. Clements. J. D. CALAWAY, M. D.

**Caught in the Rain.**  
then a cold and a cough—let it run on—get pneumonia or consumption that's all. No matter how you get your cough don't neglect it—take Ballard's Horehound Syrup and you'll be over it in no time. The sure cure for coughs, colds, bronchitis and all pulmonary diseases in young and old. Sold by R. E. Clements.

**Notice.**  
The stockholders of the Trent State Bank are hereby notified that the annual meeting of this institution will be held on Wednesday, January 26, 1910, at 10 o'clock p. m. at the last Tuesday in January, 1910, at the Bank Building, in the city of Goldthwaite, for the purpose of electing directors, and attending to other business that may come before them. W. C. DEW, Cashier.

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WE CARRY A FULL STOCK OF STAPLE AND FANCY GROCERIES

And pay the Highest Market Price for Country Produce. Orders filled promptly and quick delivery guaranteed. Come to our Store or phone for what you want in our line and we will appreciate your business and . . . . .

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**WALKER & YOUNG.**  
S. G. WALKER. J. W. YOUNG.

**CHILDRS BARBER SHOP**

I have bought the Childre Barber Shop and solicit a continuance of the public patronage. Messrs. Parm and R. G. Childre will continue to work in the shop and ask their friends and customers to call.

**A. R. MILLER.**

**The Goldthwaite Land & Insurance Company**

M. R. RICE, Manager, Sells Land in Mills and adjoining Counties. Town Lots in Sweetwater, Vicksburg, and all kinds of City Property in Lampassas and Goldthwaite.

Writes Life Insurance for one of the Best Companies doing business in Texas. All kinds of Accident, Automobile and Casualty Insurance.

Special Agent for The Maryland Casualty Co., of Baltimore. And we do a general Exchange business.

**SEE US. . . Goldthwaite Land & Ins., Co. M. R. RICE, Manager.**



## Watch Talk.

A good, reliable Watch is a necessity. In these days of Push and activity no man can afford to be behind. You need

### A Reliable Timepiece

to enable you to meet your appointments promptly on time. We all admire the man that's punctual and always on time. You can't be this way if you depend upon an unreliable timepiece. You might lose more than the price of

### A Good Watch

by missing the train when you wished to be off on some important business matter. Our years of experience in handling Watches enables us to recommend and sell you the exact watch that will meet your requirements and stand the service and use that your occupation will require. We sell all of the dependable makes that are reliable, including the

### High-Grade Rockford.

**L. E. Miller,**  
JEWELER.

#### NEIGHBORING NEWS.

Items Culled From the Leading Local Papers.

##### COMANCHE

B. F. Cox last week sold his gin and mill plant at De Leon to Bagwell Bros. and purchased the Weatherford gin, mill, light and water plant.

H. L. Trent last week sold his grocery business on the west side to Messrs. Mathews, of Miles and L. G. Bell, of Balinger.

De Leon shipped up to January 1st 6, 89 bales of cotton, against 11,782 for the same date last year. There is still considerable cotton on the yard and some in the country.

A blaze was discovered in the rear of the Morning Star Restaurant on the southeast corner of the square at an early hour Tuesday night and alarm turned in. The fire boys made the usual prompt response and soon had the blaze under control.

L. C. Ridgeway is here visiting his family. He has been at Arlington for several months. He is thinking of accepting a position with local parties, and may go to Nicaragua to prospect for gold, as he has had many years of experience as a miner in Colorado.—Exponent.

##### SAN SABA

G. E. Reed and Miss Roxie Cate were married last Sunday by county Judge J. T. Hartley on the bridge north of town.

The Rector & Kuykendall bridge across the river just above the Light plant is about ready for use.

Mrs. Holland, wife of T. E. Holland died last Monday at her home, the Roach old place in the Rough Creek community.

We note that C. W. Lindsey, for several years assessor of this county has announced for sheriff of Mills county, Charlie will make a good one all right.

T. A. Murray is receiving bids for the construction of the new store fronting on Wallace street between J. C. Campbell & Co. Low & Urquhart. The store is to be a three story building ar-

ranged for double-decked store and offices above.

The Richland Springs railroad committee was in conference with our local committee Wednesday and agreed to furnish right of way from the 9 miles post to west boundary of the county, depot grounds at Richland Springs and donate \$10,000 bonus.—Star.

##### LOMETA.

J. M. Wilhite has sold his handsome residence on San Saba street to W. M. Watson of Oklahoma.

Rev. and Mrs. E. E. Thomson visited at their son's, Prosper Thomson, near Goldthwaite this week.

C. L. Reid, living near Red Bluff on the Colorado river, fell from his wagon while driving down a slant in his pasture Monday, inflicting a very painful internal injury.—Reporter.

##### HAMILTON.

Hamilton is the center of railroad prospects just now. The Temple, Hamilton and northwestern railroad is one of the enterprises contemplated in the near future.

Last week a gentleman called at our office and desired to see a paper published at a certain town. He wished to make some collections and was after some attorney's address. He found just one lawyer's name in the paper and gave him the business. Now there are five attorneys in the place, and out of that number four were foolish, and one was wise—he kept his name before the public.—Herald.

##### LAMPASAS.

Miss Kate Senterfit has gone to Comanche where she will take charge of a class in elocution. Her friends will be sorry to lose her.

Mrs. Nancy Garrett, who has made her home here for several years, died Monday at the home of her son, James Garrett, near Muskogee, Oklahoma. She was about 73 years of age.

Rock is being placed on the ground for the extension of the Wachendorfer corner building, and soon 60 feet in length will be added. The basement will be continued the entire length of the building.

A singular co-incidence in connection with the death of Mrs. A. L. Futrell was the death of her sister, Mrs. T. R. Hall, at Paragould, Ark., within 24 hours of her sister's death here. Mrs. Hall had come here to spend the winter with Mrs. Futrell, but Monday morning, Jan. 3, feeling that she was not improving as she desired, decided to return home. She arrived at Paragould Wednesday morning and died that night at 8:30.—Leader.

##### BROWNWOOD.

The cotton crop of Brown county for the year of 1909 will reach close to 11,250 bales.

Last year, by Jan. 31st, 3467 poll taxes were paid in Brown county. Up to January 12, this year, 1917 poll taxes have been paid.

Earl McMillan, son of Mr. and Mrs. John McMillan of Brownwood, died Thursday of pneumonia. Deceased was a young man about 20 years of age.

Chas. Horn, who recently purchased the John Fannin property on Fisk Avenue for \$10 500, says that he intends to improve the property by the erection of five modern bungalows.

W. D. Currier of San Angelo came to Brownwood this week and closed a trade with R. S. Garnett & Co. for the latter's stock of furniture and racket store goods at this place in exchange for two sections of virgin

land in Terry county on the Skaked Plains, valued at \$10,000.

Inez Cross, the 13 year old daughter of Tax Collector J. L. Cross, was struck by a motor-cycle ridden by Ed Evans, on Center Avenue, opposite the High School building, Tuesday afternoon during the recess period of school. The child was knocked down, sustaining painful bruises upon one limb from hip to ankle. She is confined to her bed on account of the injury.—News.

#### Vital Statistics.

The department of public health in this state has sent appeals to the various city councils asking that an ordinance be adopted requiring that the vital statistics of each city be kept for record, either by the city health officer or the city secretary. The department desires to have Texas be the first southern state to keep complete records of births and deaths within its bounds, and to this end the state pride of all citizens has been appealed to by the department.

The matter has been brought to the attention of the Self Culture club and the secretary was instructed to write this article for the press urging the city council to take immediate steps in the matter, as it is important from several standpoints. The board very wisely says that there ought to be some record kept of the coming in and going out of a human life, and such record will be valuable in many ways.

We hope Goldthwaite will be one of the first cities in the state to enact an ordinance requiring that correct vital statistics be kept. COR EECY.

#### Marriage at Brady.

The Eagle received a letter yesterday bringing the information of the marriage of G. C. Hill and Miss Della Seabourn at the home of the bride's parents in Brady on Wednesday afternoon at 3 o'clock. The bride is a daughter of Mr. G. C. Seabourn and grew to womanhood here, where she has a great many friends and well wishers.

The Eagle joins in offering congratulations to Mr. and Mrs. Hill.

#### Pleasant Party

A number of the little folks were entertained with a party at the home of Mrs. P. M. Morris in this city last Friday evening from 7 to 9:30 o'clock. Various games were played, such as pinning the tail on a donkey. In this game Seward Kennerly and Herbert Street were awarded the prizes. There were forty-five children present and after enjoying several hours at play, refreshments were served. They all appeared to have a good time.

#### The College Boy.

For three seasons this clever comedy with music, from the pens of Messrs. Boyer & Leslie, with Lyrics by John W. Baume, has enjoyed most prosperous engagements. And, for this reason: It is well written and well acted by Mr. William Haenel and most excellent company. It will visit Goldthwaite on Wednesday, Jan. 28 and we predict for that evening a large audience to witness the performance. The College Boy band and orchestra is a rare treat.

Miss Lois Allen left yesterday for Santa Anna to visit friends.

A special from Temple says: "E. J. Spruell and Mrs. M. L. Hulsey, of Chadwick's mill, were married in Belton Wednesday. The groom is 33 and this is his eighth matrimonial venture. The bride is said to be 65 and has been married one time before."

H. F. Lorimer, a stockman near Caldwell, was perhaps fatally burned Monday night, while rescuing his family from fire that destroyed their home.

#### NO REASON FOR IT.

When Goldthwaite Citizens Show the Certain 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 ailment 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 stooped, it seemed as if knives were being thrust into my back. I also had difficulty in passing the kidney secretion. 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.

#### DENTISTRY OF OLDEN TIMES

Extremists in Fad To-day Are Merely Copying Custom That Was Popular Long Ago.

In the ancient Central American days, so long past that no remnant of tradition, concerning them lingered when Cortez landed, 300 years ago, there was a good deal of fashion in dentistry. Separately entombed skeletons that have been discovered, probably those of titled people, since no burying ground have been found, show that filing of teeth into patterns was common among the upper classes. Almost every set of teeth that has been preserved gives evidence of the dentists' handiwork. The teeth were usually filed along the crown, with two or three levels of filing on a single tooth, giving it the aspect of a short flight of steps.

The fashion in Copan that was most striking was the insertion of jewels in the teeth. Once in a while now, when some actress seeks to be conspicuous, she will have a diamond set in a tooth. In doing this she is merely copying dead and gone Copan notables of a couple of thousand years ago, only they had no diamonds.

The first process was the drilling of a neat hole in the face of the tooth, with a stone tool. Then to fit the hole a bit of jadeite was fashioned. Jadeite, a brilliant mineral of about the hardness of quartz seems to have been the most precious gem of these older people. Of it they fashioned the earplugs that are the progenitors of the modern lady's earrings and brooches and beads for the neck and dress ornaments. Brought to a true fit, the stone was fastened in its place by a cement so firm and lasting that the gems remain in the teeth to this day.

#### PROOF.

Knicker—Think they had football in ancient Greece?

Bocker—Yes indeed; look at the mutilated conditions the statues portray.

#### ON BEACON STREET.

"Why does that old frump, Miss Smith, always wear glasses?"

"She's afraid somebody would see her with the naked eye."

#### AT A SEMINARY DANCE.

Marie—Isn't Gwendolyn simply stunning to-night?

Daphne—Yes, she's awfully clever; why, she's got on Frances' new rats and Irene's pads—poor Irene has tonsillitis—and I declare if she hasn't stolen my open-work stockings, the minx!—Puck.

#### ACCOUNTED FOR.

"I was the belle of the ball."

"I did not know it was to be a masquerade."—Houston Post.

## Your Winter Skin

should be as soft, clear and dainty as your summer skin. You can make it so and keep it so by the use of

### Clement's Toilet Cream.

This is a delightful preparation that undoes all damage to the skin that the elements can do. It promptly reduces inflammation and restores the skin to healthy condition. It is more than a simple emollient—it has rare healing qualities. Cures chapped hands overnight. We have never seen its equal.

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We guarantee these Phones to Give Complete Satisfaction. They are in use by many Exchanges and Rural lines and have the highest recommendations. For full particulars, prices, etc. see the Board of Directors of the Company at Goldthwaite.

J. O. HARRELL

## 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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Nothing has ever equalled it. Nothing can ever surpass it.

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**Tribute of Respect.**

Whereas, the Supreme Ruler of our universe has seen fit, in His wisdom, to remove from our Sunday school our beloved pupil Georgie Martin. In view of the loss sustained in the death of our beloved friend and the still greater loss to those who were nearest and dearest to him, who was snatched away in the morning of life, we realize that our loss is his eternal gain.

Resolved, that it is but a just tribute to the memory of the departed to say that in regretting his removal from us, we mourn the loss of one who was in every way worthy of our respect, and while we bow submissively to this most painful dispensation of our heavenly Father, we can never forget our dear departed friends.

Resolved, that we desire to express to his bereaved family our deepest sympathy in their great sorrow and that we commend them for consolation to Him who orders all things for the best and whose chastisements are meant in mercy.

Resolved, that by his exemplary life he won for himself great respect among his circle of acquaintances.

Resolved, that a copy of these resolutions be presented to the family of our deceased friend and be also sent to the Eagle for publication.

G. H. DENISON,  
MAE HURDLE,  
LUTHER QUINN.

Committee from M. E. Sunday School.

**Street Tax Due.**

All persons subject to street tax in the city of Goldthwaite are notified that \$3 will be accepted from everyone paying street tax prior to Feb. 1, 1910. After that date the amount will be \$5.

J. H. SAYLOR,  
Street Commissioner.

**New Announcements.**

The names of several more good men have been added to the list of candidates in the Eagle's announcement column this week.

A. E. WEATHERS.

One of the best men in the list is A. E. Weathers, who wants the office of tax assessor. He is well qualified in every way to fill the office, having an intimate knowledge of the different sections of the county. He was reared in this county and is at present engaged in farming and stock raising west of the bayou. He was a resident of this city several years and has also resided in other parts of the county and wherever he is known he is popular with the people. He is a pleasant and genial gentleman and is sure to prove a strong man in the race.

F. F. HENRY.

In the announcement column appears the name of F. F. Henry of Star, who is a candidate for sheriff and tax collector. Mr. Henry has lived in this section nearly all his life and has been a resident of this county ever since its organization. He is a man of high character and fine qualifications and would make a first class officer. He has never held an office, but has been frequently solicited to offer for sheriff by those who recognized his splendid qualifications for that office. He is sure to prove to be one of the strongest men in the race.

LIT B. BURNHAM.

Mr. Burnham is a candidate for County Commissioner in this precinct and his announcement is in the proper column. He has made a close study of the needs and resources of the county and would make a most efficient officer. He is especially enthusiastic on the subject of good roads and if he is selected for commissioner he will give that part of the work considerable attention. His section of the county has never furnished an officer of any kind and his neighbors and friends feel sure of his success in the July primary.

WILBUR H. WOOD.

Wilbur H. Wood of Mullin announces this week as a candidate for the office of county attorney. He was licensed to practice law several years ago and served as justice of the peace in this precinct for some time. He moved from here to Hanna Valley, where he engaged in farming for several years and he has many friends and supporters in that section of the county as well as elsewhere. He is popular with those who know him and his supporters and friends know that if he is elected he will give his best efforts to the office. He was reared in the county and has lived in almost every part of it and stands high in the estimation of everybody.

**New Land Firm.**

Messrs. Z. S. Lee and W. W. Saylor have formed a partnership in the land business and have entered upon an active campaign of selling and exchanging lands in this county. They are both well known citizens and a combination of their ability and energy should be of much benefit in bringing Mills county to the notice of home-seekers.

**REMEMBER**

Murray's Balsam for the Lungs and Kidneys is guaranteed to give satisfaction. Read this circular. For sale by

R. E. Clements and E. A. Murray

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**FARMERS, REMEMBER THIS—**

We have a Car of Different Varieties of  
**CANE SEED**

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**T. B. KEEL GROCERY CO.**

**Poll Tax Payments.**

There has been quite a rush of tax payers at the collector's office the last few days, the bad weather having prevented many from coming in the last several weeks. January 31 will be the last date on which a poll tax receipt can be issued that will entitle a citizen to vote during the year 1910, and after that date a penalty of 10 cents on the dollar will be added on all taxes; therefore most tax payers will settle before that date. A great many poll tax receipts are yet to be issued, as only 1154 had paid up to yesterday, while there are about 1600 poll tax payers in the county. The total number of poll tax receipts issued last year was 1554. The following figures show the payments up to yesterday and the total amount paid last year up to Feb. 1.

	1910	1909
Goldthwaite.....	253	387
Nabors Creek.....	16	22
Antelope Gap.....	40	47
Center City.....	95	132
Payne.....	34	52
Star.....	45	64
Caradan.....	87	96
Mullin.....	223	300
Fisher.....	60	77
Fridley.....	112	122
Big Valley.....	38	66
Rock Springs.....	28	37
Jones Valley.....	21	36
Hanna Valley.....	46	65
Buffalo.....	53	59

**A Delightful Entertainment.**

Miss Rubie Simon gave a most delightful entertainment in the opera house last Saturday night to a large audience and all who were in attendance enjoyed it very much. Miss Simon is an accomplished reader and impersonator and her portrayal of the different characters in the play of "Polly of the Circus" was so complete that one felt as though they had seen each one on the stage. She is of charming personality and complete command of every faculty and the instant change from sadness to mirth and from the representation of a minister to that of a clown or some of the other characters in the play was indeed remarkable. Everybody is complimenting her and praising the entertainment and she can be sure that she will always meet with a cordial reception in Goldthwaite, both in a social way and as an entertainer.

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**Wednesday Night, January 26**

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**VARIED FORMULA.**

"Did he tell the whole truth?"  
"Practically. He told the whole truth with a hole just large enough for him to crawl out of it."—Fuck.

**UNCOMPLIMENTARY.**

Howell—What do you think of Rowell?  
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We announce the arrival of the following Complete line Ladies' Muslin Undergarments:

CORSET COVERS, 35c, 50c. DRAWERS, 25c, 50c, 75c.  
GOWNS, 75c to \$1.50. SKIRTS, 75c to \$2.50.  
THE NEW WHITE WAIST, \$1.00, 1.25, 1.50, 2.00.

NEW SWISS EMBROIDERIES,  
Match Sets—10c to 35c per yard.  
NEW SWISS EMBROIDERIES,  
Flouncing—25c to 75c per yard.

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**Lookout School House.**  
Editor Eagle:  
Health of the community is better, with excepting bad colds. Audy Harris, J. M. Harris' little girl, has almost recovered from last week's illness. Mrs. Will Helms is able to be up again after a few days illness. Will Tullie, our worthy road overseer, worked the road last Friday and Saturday ending his term for this year. Can't tell who will be our next road overseer, as there are several honorable applicants for that office.

Quite a lot of the neighbors are helping Jim Hughes build his house. Don't forget Brother Frankling's appointment. Notice the candidates are announcing, which should remind us that we should secure our poll tax receipt e'er it is too late and thereby take part in the privilege that is extended to us—that is to thin them to a stand. What has become of the correspondents to the Eagle. All come and bring the news of your community. We hope that the new year has brought new resolutions. We should so let our light shine that others seeing our good works might glorify our Father who art in Heaven. S. J.

**Shaw Bend.**  
Editor Eagle:  
Mrs. James Goode was called to the death-bed of her mother, Mrs. E. J. Vicks, at Hamilton last week.

Will Bird and wife were shopping in Goldthwaite Monday. Ben Keele was visiting here Sunday. T. J. Burnham has a large force of Mexicans grubbing for him. The little Misses Eloise and Grace Owen entertained quite a number of friends on last Saturday evening. D. A. Autny and family were

guests of Adely Owen this week. T. J. Hufstetler is having a cistern dug. James Goode and family have moved to Long Cove. We hated to have these good people leave. T. D. Taff, L. B. and T. J. Burnham attended the telephone meeting at Goldthwaite Tuesday. Tax Assessor Mitch Johnson of San Saba has been in our midst. Paris Johnson and Felix Landers attended the Woodmen supper at Goldthwaite Friday night. J. E. Landers has a new yard fence around his residence. Mr. and Mrs. John Maultsby entertained a number of young people at their home Saturday night in honor of Misses Brown and Ogles. TWO DAISIES.

**Self Culture Club.**  
PROGRAM  
Questions on Lowell:—  
1. Where did Lowell get his dialect for the Bigelow Papers?  
2. What misfortune overtook the Lowell family in 1840?  
3. What influence made him an abolitionist?  
4. How is the "Commemoration Ode" regarded by critics?  
5. Give your opinion of Lowell's prose writings.

**The Meanest Man in Town**  
Is the one who always wears a frown. Is cross and disagreeable, and is short and sharp in his answers. Nine cases out of ten it's not the poor fellow's fault, it's his liver and digestion that makes him feel so miserable, he can't help being disagreeable. Are you in danger of getting into that condition? Then start at once taking Ballard's Herbine for your liver—the safe, sure and reliable vegetable regulator. Sold by R. E. Clements.

Shelby Cox of Temple spent a few hours here Tuesday shaking hands with his friends. He lived here when a boy and all who knew him then are glad of the splendid success he is making in the legal profession. He recently resigned as assistant county attorney of Bell county and formed a partnership with his father, Hon. Jno. J. Cox, for the practice of law at Temple. O. E. Bull, who is preparing to engage in farming a few miles south of town, was in to see the Eagle one day this week.

**The Goldthwaite Eagle**

R. M. Thompson, Proprietor

**Local and Personal.**

Dr. Winters of Brownwood had business in this city Monday.  
F. M. Long made a business visit to Austin the first of the week.  
County Attorney Pribble had business in Mullin the first of the week.  
Nothing better than the Heliotrope or Bell of Waco flour.—T. B. Kee Grocery Co.  
O. A. Head of Center City was a pleasant caller at the Eagle office one day this week.  
Capt. M. J. Strickland returned Sunday night from a visit to his sons in Coryell county.  
This is the last month in which tax receipts can be issued that will entitle the holder to vote.  
Stray Bow, black with white face, apparently 2 years old. No mark. Owner can get her by paying for this notice.  
A. T. Sellers was in from Big Valley the first of the week and renewed his own subscription and that of his brother, Dr. Sellers, of Oklahoma.  
O. E. Strickland has bought the J. C. Donowho farm in the Pickens Springs neighborhood for a consideration of \$4500. This is a very valuable and desirable farm with two sets of improvements. He grege a farm near the Goenbour crossing in part payment. Mr. Donowho contemplates moving to New Mexico the Eagle is informed.

**A Horrible Hold-Up.**

"About ten years ago my brother was "held up" in his work, health and happiness by what was believed to be hopeless consumption," writes W. R. Lipscomb, of Washington, N. C. "He took all kinds of remedies and treatment from several doctors, but found no help till he used Dr. King's New Discovery and was wholly cured by six bottles. He is a well man to day." It's quick to relieve and the surest cure for weak or sore lungs, hemorrhages, coughs and colds, bronchitis, la grippe, asthma and all bronchial affections. 50c and \$1.00 Trial bottle free. Guaranteed by R. E. Clements.

**IMPORTANT.**

**Notice to School Trustees.**

I make church and school benches, by machinery. It will pay you to figure with me before you place your order. Shop near G. C. & S. F. depot, Goldthwaite, Texas.  
J. H. KELLY, The builder.

**President Helps Orphans.**

Hundreds of orphans have been helped by the president of the Industrial and Orphan's Home at Macon, Ga. who writes: "We have used Electric Bitters in this institution for nine years. It has proved a most excellent medicine for stomach, liver and kidney troubles. We regard it as one of the best family medicines on earth." It invigorates the vital organs, purifies the blood, aids digestion, creates appetite. To strengthen and build up thin, pale, weak children or run-down people it has no equal. Best for female complaints. Only 50c at R. E. Clements' drug store.

The Eagle has been ordered sent to Ed Marshall at Kennedy.

W. H. Wood of Mullin was a visitor to this city the first of the week.

S. A. Weathers has sold his residence in this city to Rev. G. W. Gartman.

O. L. Reid of the southern portion of the county, had business in the city Tuesday.

W. J. Jones was a visitor from the Center City neighborhood one day this week.

The Eagle always appreciates information about local happenings and items of interest to the public.

T. J. Tubbs of McGirk had business in this city Tuesday and called to renew his subscription for the Eagle.

J. M. Harris, owner of the telephone exchange in Mullin, had business in this city one day this week.

J. B. Huckabs, merchant and postmaster at Caradan, had business in this city the first of the week and made the Eagle a pleasant call.

Little & Sons have had show windows built in the front of their premises and have made other improvements in the store.

Jas. Dalton of Center City was in the city Tuesday and renewed the subscription of his mother, Mrs. E. R. Dalton, for the Eagle.

A. O. Lewis writes from Orosbyton to renew his subscription for the Eagle. He is still in the hotel business there and his friends here hope he and his good wife are prospering.

S. M. Bleeker went to Austin the first of the week for a visit to his mother, whom he had not seen in a number of years. He thought for several years that she was dead and only learned of his mistake last week.

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