

# THE GOLDTHWAITE EAGLE.

GOLDTHWAITE, MILLS COUNTY, TEXAS. JANUARY 25, 1913.

NO. 24

## OXFORDS AND PUMPS

Received a Large Shipment of New Oxfords and Pumps for Ladies and Men  
Now we mention a few of the Many Styles we now have On Display:

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|-------------------------------------|------------------------------------|
| Men's Russia Calf Button Oxfords    | Women's Russia Calf Colonial Pumps |
| Men's Patent Leather Button Oxfords | Women's Brown Ooze Button Oxfords  |
| Men's White Duck 3-Strap Pumps      | Women's Gunmetal Button Oxfords    |
| Men's Gunmetal 2-Strap Pumps        | Women's Gunmetal Plain Pumps       |
| Men's White Buck Pumps              | Women's Gunmetal Blucher Oxfords   |
| Men's Brown Velvet Pumps            | Women's White Buck 4-Strap Oxfords |
| Men's White Buck 3-Button Oxfords   | Women's White Canvas 2-Str. Pumps  |
| Men's Gunmetal 2-Strap Pumps        | Women's White Kid 4-Button Oxfords |
| Women's Tan Calf 3-Button Oxfords   |                                    |
| Men's Calf Button Oxfords           | Men's Gunmetal Button Oxfords      |

New Shipments of Torchon Lace and Insertion Specially Priced at only 5c per yard.  
At Cost---Everything in Winter Goods---At Cost

## Goldthwaite Mercantile Co.

### THINGS IN GENERAL.

Future events will give us the laugh if the present legislature does not meet situations which will be created by the opening of the Panama canal. This is the last legislature that will be in session before the canal is open and if the flood of commerce that will move southward to pass through the canal is to secure an outlet through the Texas ports, Texas must be double-tracked. It will also require 10,000 miles more of railroad to afford market facilities for the products of our fertile farm lands and our public highways must have millions of dollars spent upon them in order to properly handle the traffic. Legislative machinery is necessary to accelerate construction and it is for the inventive mind of the legislature to afford relief.

Beating swords into plowshares will become literally true in Texas if the transfer of Fort Brown from the war department to the agricultural department is made. According to the plans of Congressman Garner, the fort is to be turned into a demonstration farm to show the world the possibilities of the soil of that section. A regiment of demonstration farmers invading the winter gardens of the Brownsville country is far more profitable than an army of soldiers patrolling our borders.

Opportunity knocks at every door but if you are knocking at the same time, you're not likely to hear the lady. Better join the Commercial club and help push things along.

The Texas Farm Life Commission is receiving the commendation of all progressive citizens of the state. The farmer is the foundation of all prosperity and in helping the farmer the whole state is benefitted.—Commercial Secretaries.

J. A. Hamilton of Center City was a pleasant visitor at the Eagle office last Saturday.

The governor and lieutenant governor were inaugurated Monday and the two officers were inaugurated Tuesday.

It is reported that some of the towns bidding for the second Odd Fellows opera house will contest with Brownsville before the grand lodge for the location for the house has been appointed upon Brownsville's selection of the grand lodge must be ratified.

The postmaster has been asked many unnecessary questions concerning the operation of the parcel post system, but he was not prepared to answer some inquiry that reached him a few days ago. A lady in Georgia wanted to know in some point in Pennsylvania and the postmaster in Georgia and she wrote a general for information in the manner of preparing a shipment by parcels post.

The "buying habit" is the it, and to spend money when we often when we haven't it, and tinctively an American habit particularly in the West. South-west is the habit found in most virulent type. The rapid development of the country, the sudden rise in values; the growth of towns and cities, the buying habit. The expectation of a value, of investments doubling in value, creates the disposition to spend the hope of large profits breeds a regard for the price we pay for the necessities of life. And thus, the high cost of living is kept up. It is one of the byproducts of prosperity, inflation of values and fictitious conditions in general. One of the recognized benefits of "hard times" is bringing the people to hard pan in the matter of spending what they have and the impossibility of spending what they have not.—Colorado Herald.

### REALLY WORTH WHILE.

It is worth while to be honest. That is not a new thought, but we wish it might be impressed upon the mind and heart of every boy and girl who stands upon the verge of manhood or womanhood with their character yet undeveloped and the chance yet to make it what they will.

We do not mean the kind of honesty which merely makes a man pay his debts and restrains him from running off with his neighbor's silverware. Most of us are honest to that degree, of course, and we count it no special virtue.

No we mean something finer and freer. It is an honesty which expresses itself in the seemingly trivial concerns of life. The student who possesses it does not glance into his text book during examination or copy from his neighbor's paper; he shrinks from signing his name to an essay he has not written himself; he keeps unviolated the most trivial confidences of his friends; he fights his enemies in the open; he avoids a reputation for "close" bargaining; he demands a "square deal" on the athletic field. In a word, he stands for openness and fairness in all things, in all places and at all times because he understands that when the question of honor is concerned, nothing can be counted trifling and of no consequence. It pays every student—in the respect which teachers and fellow students instinctively yield to him, in the authority it gives him to stand erect and unabashed in the presence of all men and in the inspiration it enables him to be to weaker ones, who through him acquire a clearer perception of truth and honor than they have had before.

"He was straight as a string," was the comment made recently in a nearby community upon a man who had just died, and those who heard it thought that no finer tribute could have been paid him.—McKinney Courier-Gazette.

Scientific farming is being advocated in all parts of the country now and the plan is certainly good. One bank in Waco has appropriated \$250 per year for three years to aid in the employment of an expert agriculturist to travel over McLennan county and give advice and instruction to farmers. It is the intention to employ a truck gardener and horticulturist in the same county. Conditions in Mexico have become more unsettled during the last few weeks than for several months previous. In fact, the outlaws and robbers have become a law unto themselves and it is evident that President Madero's government is entirely without power or ability to handle the situation. The United States has already expended a large amount in guarding the frontier and appeals are constantly being made for protection of American citizens in Mexico and along the border. It is about time that a stronger hand than a tamale vendor took charge of the greasers.

### PREMIUMS FOR FARMERS

The announcement of the 1913 prize offer of \$10,000 by the Texas Industrial Congress is now being distributed in pamphlet form. The number of acres in the four-crop model demonstration farm, known as class A, has been reduced from ten to four acres, thus affording the tenant farmers who rent only a small farm, an equal opportunity to contest for the large prizes offered in this class. The Congress anticipates that a large number of boys will also enter this class. A larger number of prizes have been offered in the Texas Corn and Cotton clubs, open to boys and girls over ten and under twenty years of age. A combination prize of \$500 is offered to the boy or girl who shall win the first prize in both the Texas Corn and Cotton clubs, and every school in Texas is invited to enter the contest.

Full particulars and an application blank may be had by addressing the Texas Industrial Congress at Dallas.

### FROM DESERT TO LAKE.

A movement has been organized in France to transform the great desert of Sahara in the north of Africa to an inland sea. About one fourth of the desert, it is said, lies below sea level. A canal fifty miles long, or thereabout, through the higher region of the North African coast would immediately bring water enough into the desert to create a Sahara Sea equal in extent to about half the size of the Mediterranean. The difficulties in constructing such a canal would not be embarrassing, since the coast land is of sand and soft rock formations. "The results would be remarkable," says the Scientific American. "All the arid regions now surrounding the desert and those parts of the Sahara which are above the level of the ocean would be rendered as fertile as Europe, since the present sterile condition is due to no fault of the soil, but is caused solely by lack of water. Millions of human beings could then support themselves in comfort, who now lead a miserable existence on the verge of starvation. Moreover, a great new colony could be added to the possessions of France, of which the political and economic importance can hardly be overestimated. A fleet of steamers would navigate the Sea of Sahara, the depth of which would vary from ten to sixty fathoms, and produce a flourishing traffic between Algeria and French West Africa. And the most remarkable result of all would be the alteration of the climate of all northern Africa from equatorial extremes of heat to the pleasing temperature of Natal, thus enhancing its value as a place of colonization for Europeans."—Exchange.

A "bad nigger" of Luling boarded a passenger train near that place Monday and shot and killed a negro woman who was a passenger on the train and was in the custody of the constable. The conductor then shot and killed the negro.

If you need any kind of feed stuff phone Harper & Egger. (adv)

L. T. Burnham was here from Shaw Bend one day this week looking after business matters.

Sliced ham in any quantity at our market.—Marshall & Dickerson.

Mrs. Della Davee will hereafter receive the Eagle at Field Creek, Llano county, by order of her father, Mr. J. R. Slack.

We pay as much cash for eggs as others pay in trade.—Recall Restaurant.

Miss Rosa Johnston spent Saturday and Sunday with her sister, Miss Annie, and Miss Jenkins, in Pompey creek community.

Wanted.—Hand to work through crop. \$20.00 per month and board.—J. M. Poer, Caradan, Texas.

Mrs. A. E. Partch of Abilene, Kas., arrived in the city Wednesday night to spend the remainder of the winter with her son, Col. L. B. Walters, and his wife.

Heavy cedar post foundations for tank and windmill towers, house blocking, etc. Harris & McCullough have got 'em. (adv)

The electric light plant was closed down the latter part of Thursday night to allow the furnace to cool, in order to have new tubes placed in the boiler.

H. A. Jesse of near Pottsville was here the first of the week on his way home from Austin, where he had been to have his eye examined and treated.

Get This! Anything you want in mountain cedar at Harris & McCullough's. A full car load just unloaded. (Advertisement)

S. H. Ward and wife returned yesterday from a short visit to Temple.

Misses Blanch Harper and Sallie Morgan, who are in the sanitarium in Temple, are both reported to be recovering nicely.

Liss Walker, who spent three weeks at home suffering with grip, is again able to give attention to the building of a residence for Mr. E. M. Geeslin in the Caradan community. The residence will be occupied by one of Mr. Geeslin's sons.

Orders are given prompt attention, and we make delivery to any part of the city. Both phones.—Recall Restaurant.

The rain Wednesday caused a delay in the work of building the court house. Work has been progressing rapidly, considering the disagreeable weather, and framing is now up for the first story above the basement.

Persons troubled with partial paralysis are often very much benefited by massaging the affected parts thoroughly when applying Chamberlain's Liniment. This liniment also relieves rheumatic pains. For sale by R. E. Clements. (adv)

Remember, next Friday will be the last day on which you can pay your poll tax and secure a receipt that will entitle you to vote at an election for the next twelve months. Don't be disfranchised. Secure your poll tax receipt and be a voter.

For Rent—A small place with some additional land to be put in. Party must have team and be able to furnish his own supplies. See J. V. Cockrum.

Unloaded and ready for sale, a car load of mountain cedar, including yard and corral posts, foundation posts for windmill and tank towers, house blocking, etc. Any length and size you want at Harris & McCullough's. (adv)

Jno. J. Cox of San Angelo was carried to the hospital at Temple Monday night suffering from strangulated hernia and his condition was thought to be critical. A minor operation was performed which gave him relief and reports say he is improving. He has a great many friends in this county and throughout this section who are glad to know that he is improving and that his recovery is now thought to be certain.

Mrs. A. R. Tabor, of Crider, Mo., had been troubled with sick headache for about five years, when she began taking Chamberlain's Tablets. She has taken two bottles of them and they have cured her. Sick headache is caused by a disordered stomach, for which these tablets are especially intended. Try them, get well and stay well. Sold by R. E. Clements. (adv)

### LEGISLATIVE NEWS.

The message of Governor Colquitt to the legislature sounded a note of progress and his recommendations to that body meet with the approval of all progressive citizens. All platform demands were treated in the message and the building up of the State University, Agricultural and Mechanical college and other institutions of learning was especially urged.

Under the direction of Speaker Terrell, the house transacted its preliminary business one week earlier this session than ever before. All committees were appointed early in the week and after the inauguration, both bodies of the legislature settled down to active business.

It is reported that the Railroad Commission will ask the legislature to appoint a traveling auditor to examine the yearly operating expenses of Texas railroads. This action grew out of Chairman Mayfield's recent statement that the operating expenses of the I. & G. N. for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1912, were abnormal.

It is expected that a bill seeking to create a proper irrigation system for the whole state will pass the legislature during the present session. Richard F. Burges of El Paso will introduce the measure in the house and Senator Brelsford in the senate.

Senators Darwin and Terrell have introduced a bill in the senate known as the State Highway bill. The measure provides for a non-salaried highway commission and for the office of a state highway engineer.

Representative R. B. Humphrey of Throckmorton county will introduce the bill in the house seeking to amend the stock and bond law, so as to permit railroads to issue bonds for extension and improvement purposes. Mr. Humphrey came thirty miles in a stage coach to get to a railroad station in order to get to the legislature and is deeply interested in getting railroads for west Texas.

Judge T. D. Rowell wanted to contest A. M. Kennedy's seat on the ground that Kennedy had not resided in Kerr county a sufficient length of time to represent that district. His motion was lost.

Hon. A. M. Kennedy of Kerrville has introduced a bill calling for the appointment of a Tax Commission to study the subject of taxation and report to the next legislature. The Welfare commission last year recommended that such a measure be introduced and Mr. Kennedy's bill is in accordance with the resolutions of that body.

It is almost certain that the legislature will pass a 9:20 p. m. closing and 6 a. m. opening bill, regulating saloon hours. The platform demands it and many antis in the legislature have announced in favor of it.

The committee of the senate placed ex-Governor Thomas M. Campbell's portrait in the panel alongside other ex-governors Saturday. The portrait was painted by a New York artist and cost the state \$300. It is an excellent likeness of the ex-governor.

Representative Reedy of Smith county has introduced a bill in the legislature giving ex-Confederates a pension of \$8.25 per month.

The present fire insurance law is threatened with appeal. A number of

### About Half The Time

Half the watches that people carry aren't doing their best work

And really it isn't the fault of the watches.

Not cleaned or thought about maybe for years, how could a watch be expected to render good service?

We are soliciting your watch work. We are able to render you unquestioned satisfaction.

And by doing this we do MORE than give you accurate time-keeping qualities—we add years to the life of your watch.

That's worth while, isn't it?

We guarantee our work to give perfect satisfaction.

**L. E. MILLER**  
Jeweler

legislators announce that they favor a restoration of competitive conditions.

Representative Reeves, chairman of the committee appointed to inspect the archives of the capitol, reports tons of valuable records lying on the basement floor. Many of the state documents bearing the signature of General Sam Houston.—Commercial Secretaries.

### STAR

Editor Eagle:

As Star news reporter seems to be a thing of the past, thought the Editor would like to hear the latest happenings in this part of the world.

Our school is as usual, progressing nicely, and the attendance fairly good. So far the general health of the teachers and pupils have been all one could ask, with the exception of a few attacks of la grip.

Messrs. Sawyers and Smith with their families, of Evant, came over for a short visit one day recently.

Mr. R. L. Poe has been quite sick and has made a trip to Hamilton to have dental work done, thinking it might help his health.

W. L. Eddy has about completed his new store building and the general appearances have been wonderfully improved.

Mrs. R. L. McIntyre has been quite sick with la grip, but glad to report is convalescing nicely.

D. I. Hawkins makes frequent visits to Priddy these days.

Since last report Mr. Williamson of Lipan and Miss Tenney Bowman of this place were united in marriage, Brother McIntyre officiating. The groom is a stranger to us, though highly recommended and a farmer of sterling worth. The bride is one of our finest girls. A true Christian and loved by her many friends and school patrons. They left immediately after the ceremony for Lipan, their future home.

### COTON CROP SHORT.

W. H. Oglesby, who is the government reporter of the cotton crop in this county has completed his tour of the county, getting reports from the growers. He finds the 1912 crop was considerably shorter than the 1911 crop. While he is not allowed to give out the figures, it is known that the ginners of the county report a shortage of more than 1000 bales over the 1911 crop, which was 14,888 bales. These figures occasion surprise to many who believed the last year's crop was considerably more than the previous year.

## Your Furniture Opportunity

We have just received another Car of New Furniture, consisting of

**BEDROOM SUITS  
PARLOR SUITS  
BEDSTEADS**

**LIBRARY TABLES  
DINING TABLES  
ROCKERS,**

This Furniture is of the Latest Designs and the price is Right too. When you want Furniture that you know is just right come to us. It's worth while to see our stock.

### FARMING TIME IS HERE

We have added to our stock of Implements besides carrying a full assortment of "STANDARD" "JOHN DEERE" Implements, we also have the celebrated "MOLINE" line. With these three lines of very best implements made we know we can please anybody. You can always get the best treatment, in best terms and the best implements here.

COFFINS OF ALL SIZES AND GRADES ORDERS PROMPTLY FULFILLED DAY OR NIGHT

**BODKIN, HURDLE & CO.**

## NOTICE

Pays To Have Good Cotton Seed

I have 400 bushels of the Meba Cotton Seed

Mr. Meba was a neighbor to Mr. Meba and last year moved up here and bought his seed, paying \$2.50 per bushel. This fall I bought about 20 bushels of the bale, and had reserved the first 10 bushels in order that I get pure seed.

Here are some of the results of his turnouts: seed cotton weighed at Fairman gin and weight of the lint:

| GRAIN WEIGHT | LINT WEIGHT |
|--------------|-------------|
| 65 lbs       | 611 lbs     |
| 890 lbs      | 568 lbs     |
| 445 lbs      | 586 lbs     |
| 1335 lbs     | 560 lbs     |
| 1450 lbs     | 609 lbs     |
| 1430 lbs     | 574 lbs     |
| 1430 lbs     | 599 lbs     |

I still have some of this seed left and I will sell it at

**\$1.25 per bushel**

so come at once and get your supply before it is all gone.

**J. C. Street**

A new car of cottonseed meal and hulls are for sale. They are going fast. Better hurry if you want some.—Harper & Egger.

For Rent—Nicely furnished and comfortable rooms, close to business center. No children. For information apply at the Eagle office.

## WE SELL EVERYTHING

No matter what it is in Dry Goods, Clothing, Millinery, Hats, Caps, Boots, Shoes, Notions, Ladies' and Men's Furnishings, Household or Kitchen Goods, Decorations, Novelty Goods, Race Goods, Variety Goods, etc., we are likely to have it. If we do have it you get advantage of our "all-the-year" Cash Cut Prices and a Free Premium Ticket with each cash purchase. These tickets we redeem in amounts of \$5.00 and multiples of \$5.00 in choice of many Handsome and Useful Gifts.

Millinery is Blooming for Spring at the Big Variety Department Store. Miss Smith, designer.

There are no better Tailors than the Royal Tailors. Every sort of a Bonded Guarantee with each garment. No Fancy Prices. See Mr. Johnston.

We never sell a yard of Oil Cloth but our Guaranteed Brand. Each yard guaranteed. All fancy colors, 20c yd. We handle 8, 10 and 12 Duck all the year round. Green Sheets, 10-ounce, 11 feet \$3.00

All sorts of Locks, Hinges, Hasps, Hooks, etc. Half Price and Less.

- Head Saws.....15c and 50c
- Steel Squares.....15c, 25c, 50c
- Hammers.....10c, 15c, 35c
- Curry Combs.....10c and 15c
- Horse Brushes.....15c and 25c
- Small Tea Kettles.....15c
- Coffee Pots.....15c
- Wash Tubs.....45c
- Wash Pans.....5c, 10c, 15c
- Fire Shovels.....5c and 10c
- Small Vises.....15c
- Braces and Bits---braces.....35c
- Braces and Bits---bits.....12c
- All Toilet Soaps, cake.....5c
- Shelf Lace Paper, 30 ft. for 5c
- Chewing Gum, 2 5c pks.....5c
- Chewing Gum, 5 5c pks.....10c
- Window Shades, red, white, blue, green, etc., all.....25c
- All Lamp Globes.....5c
- Best Brass Burners.....10c
- Lace Curtains, pair.....50c
- White Curtain Poles.....12 1/2c
- Lace Pillow Shams, pair.....25c
- Huge Face and Bath Towels, bleached.....10c
- Big 10-qt. Tin Milk Pails.....12c
- 10-qt. Galvanized Iron Pails (NOT 25c).....15c
- Zinc Wash Tubs.....35c to 75c
- Zinc Wash Pans.....10c
- Zinc Dippers.....10c
- 7 1/2-in. Dinner Plates, set.....25c
- Odd Saucers, set of 6.....25c
- 500 more of the Big 400 page School Tablets just in.....5c
- School Lunch Boxes, here 10c
- Complete Lamps, large.....50c
- Look! Valentine Post Cards.

The Dry Goods Remnant Table is loaded with remnants and short lengths of Gingham, Calico, Outing, etc.

Rain Coats---slip-ons---for men, for ladies, for girls, just the thing for a rainy Spring. Slickers for men, Slickers for boys. Rubbers, Overshoes, Gaiters, Leggings, etc., etc., at Closing Prices.

Join our Library if you like to read all sorts of books. Keep books as long as you like. Only 5c.

Ladies' House Slippers, maroon felt, fur trimming, reduced to pair.....\$1.00

**L. C. EVERLY CO.**  
GOLDTHWAITE, TEXAS  
Free Premiums...Cut Prices for Cash

## A SMALL BLAZE.

The West Side Business Houses Have A Close Call.

Wednesday morning at 4 o'clock, Mr. E. L. Martin, the city's night watchman, discovered fire blazing to the ceiling in the building occupied by the moving picture show, on the west side of the square, and immediately gave the alarm. Assistance soon arrived, the door was broken in and the fire extinguished with but small loss, the only damage being a hole about two feet square burned in the floor and the glass in one of the front windows cracked.

It was indeed fortunate that the fire was discovered before it had gained headway, for had it burned for a few minutes longer the probabilities are that the business houses on the west side, including the postoffice and some of the county offices, would have been destroyed. It is not known positively how the fire originated, but the theory is that a cigar stump was dropped on the floor by some one during the moving picture exhibition Tuesday night and it ignited trash or fragments of paper which communicated the fire to the building. The house being tightly closed accounts for the length of time required for the fire to gain headway, but at the time it was discovered it was in a fair way to reach huge proportions. There was some insurance on the building, but Cline & Bleeker had no insurance on their picture machine or the films that had been used for the entertainment that night.

The fire starting at 4 o'clock would have reached proportions beyond control before it would have been discovered by the citizens, had not the night watchman been on the job and the loss that would have resulted would pay the salary of a night watchman for a natural life time and then some.

## OUR FRIENDS.

This has been a week of disagreeable weather and but a few people have been here from a distance, but several of our friends have made it convenient to renew for the Eagle or enter their names as regular subscribers since last issue. Those who have renewed or entered their names are:

- Marion Sherman, South Bennett.
- H. B. Isabell, Star.
- Franky Soules, Moline.
- F. H. Hancock, Trigger Mountain.
- W. A. Clark, Talpa.
- E. Armstrong, Route 1.
- Noell Littlepage, McMillan.
- J. A. Godwin, Lometa.
- P. K. Caraway, Ratler.
- J. A. Hamilton, Center City.
- A. T. Pribble, Goldthwaite.
- H. P. Harris, North Brown.
- R. T. Roberts, Ridge.
- M. L. Curb, Mullin.
- W. H. Oglesby, Big Valley.
- Miss Ethel Cherry, Hermleigh.
- J. R. Slack, Slack Crossing.
- Mrs. Della Davee, Field Creek.
- J. W. Hiller, Priddy.

## POMPEY CREEK.

Editor Eagle: There has been a great deal of sickness, mostly colds. Miss Lillian Baskin has been very sick, but is convalescent. Mr. and Mrs. Jeff Smith are rejoicing over the arrival of twin boys.

Miss Addye Hayes, teacher of the Fisher school, was a guest of Mrs. Arthur Hancock Sunday of last week.

There was singing at the home of W. S. Black in the afternoon, and John L. Gunter in the evening, Sunday of last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Duren, of Duren, were guests at the Warren home, Sunday.

Tip Carlisle and family were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Reames, near Democrat, Sunday.

There was a party at the Jenkins home Friday evening, and one at the home of Mr. Will Nicholas, sr., Saturday evening, of last week.

## JOAN OF ARC.

**CORN, OATS AND BARLEY.**  
We have Barley, Red Rust Proof Oats and about 500 bushels of Corn to sell at our farm in Payne community. Call, write or phone for further particulars.  
W. F. HEARNE & SON.

## LOCAL ADVERTISEMENTS

—Go to Weems & Burks for new and up-to-date furniture and house furnishings.

—Weems & Burks have the prettiest line of art squares and rugs you ever saw at reasonable prices.

Plenty of 4x4x24 all heart for windmill towers at Harris & McCullough's.

—Weems & Burks will trade you new furniture and take second hand furniture in payment.

—Sherwin-Williams paint is not a cheap paint but a good one. Harris & McCullough's sell it.

—Weems & Burks have pretty new furniture to trade for stock, second hand furniture or nearly anything.

—A new lot of furniture at Weems & Burks'.

Fresh vegetables at our store today. Phone, send or bring your orders early.—Allen Bros.

Our stock of lumber is now complete. Let us furnish you the lumber you need.—Harris & McCullough.

FOR SALE—A good all purpose horse. Will take good note for part or all of purchase price.—E. L. Martin.

—Bring in your corn and get good fresh meal. I will grind every day.—W. E. Pardue.

—See us for Sherwin-Williams paint. We carry a large stock of paint and you can get what you want in paint, and paint that is good.—Harris & McCullough.

A new car of Primrose flour just in at Allen Bros. Try this flour and if it is not entirely satisfactory you can notify us and we will send for it and there will be no expense to you.—Allen Bros.

If your children are subject to attacks of croup, watch for the first symptoms, hoarseness. Give Chamberlain's Cough Remedy as soon as the child becomes hoarse and the attack may be warded off. For sale by R. E. Clements. (adv)

—Order your feed from W. E. Pardue. Free delivery.

—See Weems & Burks if you have furniture to sell or exchange.

—Phone the Recall your order for cakes, pies, vegetable soup, chile or lunch. Prompt delivery.

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

—When you want good clean fresh feed, phone W. E. Pardue. Prompt and free delivery to any part of city.

—Those having trunks to haul to the depot for the morning trains are requested to notify Dad Mullens (by phone the previous night, so he can be sure to get the trunks there on time. Rural phone.

—At the Recall Restaurant you can get the best canned goods, sauces, fancy cookies in packages, crackers, nabiscos, fig newtons, pies, and in fact everything nice.

—Weems & Burks have some pretty new rugs they want you to see.

## DEATH FROM DIPHTHERIA.

The 11-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. John Burrows died Thursday night with diphtheria at the family home a few miles east of town, on the old Scott place. The remains were laid to rest in the cemetery here yesterday. The bereaved family has the sincere sympathy of all who know of their bereavement.

Reports yesterday said there were four other children in the family sick with the same disease, but it is sincerely hoped by the friends of the family that they will all recover.

## COMMISSIONERS COURT.

The court met in special session last Saturday and authorized the payment of \$12,500 to Gordon, Jones & Co., the court house contractors.

The name of Chesser Valley school district was changed to Mount Pleasant school district.

The boundaries of Pleasant Grove school district were changed to conform to the field notes of the district according to a survey recently made.

L. E. Miller received a letter from Mrs. Miller yesterday saying that the doctor had discharged her case as cured and she could come home. Mr. Miller will likely go to Austin in the next few days and accompany her on the homeward trip.

## RECALL RESTAURANT

For Something Good To Eat

At the "Recall" you get the BEST to eat, served in the BEST way and in the very BEST place in the town.

Chile, Short Orders, Cold Lunch, Fish, OYSTERS or Anything in the Restaurant line

If you would dine both well and wisely, go to The Recall Restaurant—the place par excellence to eat—the Best.

W. A. RICHARDS, Proprietor

Both Phones--160

Next to Pool Hall

## Purity In Drugs

Is one of the most important points to be considered by those who have Prescriptions to fill. It is also one of the important points about our business. When you have Prescriptions to fill you can depend upon getting them filled accurately here with Pure Fresh Drugs.

PATENT MEDICINES, TOILET ARTICLES, ETC.  
Everything Usually Found in a First-Class Drug Store

We will appreciate your patronage during 1913 and will endeavor to make it to your advantage to deal at the Corner Drug Store.

## J. D. BROWN

## RACKET STORE

BIG BARGAINS

BIG BARGAINS

We are offering some big bargains in Large and Small Rugs. Also mighty low prices on the Sewing Machines we have in stock.

LOW PRICES

LOW PRICES

## W. W. CONDON



## MARSHALL & DICKERSON

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BOTH PHONES.

The Art Embroidery club entertained last evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Clements.

Judge W. A. Smith, editor of the San Saba News, was here yesterday and made the Eagle a pleasant visit. He came over with W. A. Ashley of that place, who was here looking after some business affairs and visiting relatives.

Oats, chops, bran and other good fresh feed stuff at Harper & Egger's. (Advertisement)

New car of flour arrived at our store. It is the best.—Harper & Egger.

Mrs. Will Hiller of Shive, who has been in the sanitarium in Temple for some time, is reported to be improving nicely and it is hoped she will soon be able to return home. Her sister, Mrs. Henry Martin of this city, has been with her for two weeks.

To use your patronage as a means of collecting bad debts operates as a fine against a man who pays his debts, and is a competitor for the patronage and puts a premium on "standing you off." Mr. Businessman think of this next time you are tempted to give patronage just to "try to get square" with somebody.

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R. M. THOMPSON, Editor

The attorney general has filed suit against the Sugarland railroad for penalties aggregating \$85,000 for failure to operate a passenger train a part of December and January.

A headless body of a man was found near Mineral Wells about two months ago and was held for identification until Saturday, when it was buried. The body was never identified.

The establishment of soup kitchens in Jerusalem will be the first act of Nathan Strauss and his wife, who sailed for the Holy Land last Saturday and expect to devote their time hereafter to aiding the poor Jews in that country.

Two congressional redistricting bills have been introduced in the legislature, one in the house and one in the senate. The bill introduced in the senate places Mills county in the district with Austin, while the house bill places this county in the Fort Worth district.

The police raided a fashionable resort in New York Saturday night and arrested 15 women and 7 men who were engaged in gambling. Some of the women fainted when the officers appeared. It was claimed that some of the participants in the game had lost as high as \$1400.

The Tulsa and Muskogee, Okla., lodges of Shriners have authorized a committee to lease an entire hotel in Dallas for the two days of the Shriners convention in that city in May. They expect to be represented by several hundred members and want to be sure of hotel accommodations.

Brownwood secured the prize of \$500 awarded by Holland's Magazine for being the cleanest city in Texas. This is indeed an honor that the citizens may well appreciate and we of Goldthwaite rejoice with our fortunate neighbor—fortunate in securing the prize and fortunate that Goldthwaite was not a contestant.

The advocates of woman's suffrage are urging the adoption of a resolution by the legislature submitting a constitutional amendment to the voters allowing women to vote, if not for all offices at least for those in which they are most interested. It is hard to find a logical reason for refusing women the right to vote and if the amendment is submitted it is sure to be adopted.

Papers all over the state are urging their readers to pay poll tax and some even hint at a state-wide election on prohibition or some other important subject before the time for the issuance of poll tax receipts again. It is much safer for any citizen to pay his poll tax before the end of this month, so he can vote whenever a proposition is submitted.

The death of Hon. Geo. C. Pendleton occurred at Temple Sunday morning. He had been in bad health for some time and suffered a stroke of paralysis Friday, from which he never recovered. He served as lieutenant governor in Governor Hogg's administration and served his district in the congress of the United States for a short time some years ago. Congressman Henry recently notified him that he would recommend him for postmaster at Temple when the Democrats take control of affairs.

In a speech in New York a few days ago President Taft strongly opposed the proposition for this country to relinquish control of the Philippines in eight years. He said the people of the Philippines might be ready for an independent government in two or three generations, but certainly they were not capable of self-government at this time. He said that this government had not given a cent for the civil government of the islands, with the exception of an appropriation to relieve a condition of famine.

## NEIGHBORING NEWS

Items Culled From the Leading Local Papers.

### HAMILTON

Mrs. Oce Striplin and son are guests at the home of the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Baxley. Wiley Collier and Miss Agnes James were united in marriage at the Presbyterian manse in this city Wednesday evening, January 15.

Will Walton and Tom Toland of Goldthwaite were first of the week guests with Mr. and Mrs. John Little in this city.

John Little and family returned Monday from a two weeks visit with homefolks and friends at their old home in Goldthwaite.

Mrs. W. C. Walton, who has been the guest of her son, Barrett Walton, and family near Hamilton the past several weeks, left Monday for Moline, Texas, where she will make her home for the next few months with her daughter, Mrs. Ina Hicks.

Patrons of the Hamilton postoffice and employees of Uncle Sam appreciate the change into new quarters effected by Postmaster E. R. Williams with the first of the year. The first floor of the new Chesley building on the east side of the public square is now the scene of the government's business.—Record.

### LOMETA

Miss Adeline Little from Goldthwaite, is a guest in the home of her sister, Mrs. G. A. Swalm.

A. A. Hufstutler from Georgetown, was in Lometa again this week looking after his cattle interests.

Mrs. C. M. Russell from Lampasas and Mr. and Mrs. Dick Page of Goldthwaite, were visitors at the Ludtke hotel Sunday.

J. A. Smith and family, who for several years have been residing on their farm four miles south of town, left last week for Hearne, where they expect to make their home.—Reporter.

### LAMPASAS

Mrs. Cordelia Skaggs has gone to Eddy, McLennan county, where she will spend some time with her sister. Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Teagle have moved here from Waco, and Mr. Teagle will have charge of the candy kitchen.

Dr. J. R. Stuart was killed in an automobile wreck at Houston Saturday night. He formerly lived here and at one time owned considerable real estate in this city.

Dr. Joe B. Townsen of Lometa, spent Monday here looking after his father, who was seriously ill that day, but is reported as being better now.

Walter Stuck, now living in Mills county, stopped over night here while on his way to Fort Worth, and took occasion to leave a dollar with the Leader. He was raised here, but has grown corpulent, so that some of his friends hardly know him. He is doing well in his new home.—Leader.

### BROWNWOOD

George Porter and Miss Myrtle McIntosh were quietly married at the home of the bride's parents, near Bangs, Friday night.

Sunday afternoon at 3 o'clock at the home of the bride's parents in Indian Creek, J. M. Head and Miss Dosie Allen were united in marriage.

Sheriff Denman has placed Coleman Pruitt, who lives in North Brownwood, under arrest, on a charge of theft. Mr. Denman says he located a trunk stolen from the Armstrong transfer barn some four months ago, in the house of Pruitt, and its contents were scattered all about the place. The trunk contained about 250 pocket knives and countless scissors, razors and other cutlery, and had been missing for some time. It was the property of Harry Negus of this city.

Mayor Woodward of Santa Anna died Friday morning at 4:30 at a hospital in Temple, where he had been taken Wednesday night after he had suffered an internal rupture caused by a fit of vomiting and coughing. He had been in his usual good health prior to the attack Wednesday morning, and had attended to his business as usual. While at the table at the noon hour he was stricken with sickness of the stomach, and his condition was soon serious. He was taken to Temple where it was thought an operation might benefit him. He grew steadily worse until death relieved him.—Bulletin.

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### COMANCHE

The merchants of this city have entered into an agreement to close at 6:30 p. m. from now until September 1.

G. S. Walker & Son, formerly of San Angelo, have bought the grocery business formerly conducted by Stuart & Son in the postoffice building.

Former County Attorney C. G. Lovejoy and W. T. McPherson have formed a co-partnership for the practice of law.

Tom Cunningham of the Comanche Chief has been appointed court stenographer of this district and will make Stephenville his home.

The Dude Leonard case, in which Leonard was charged with violating the local option law in this county and given a sentence of two years in the penitentiary, was affirmed by the higher court Wednesday.

Aged seventy-five and a resident of Baggett community of this county since 1886, Grandma Gaines, mother of Thomas Gaines, whom we remember as founder of the Exponent, died of heart failure after an illness of thirty minutes, the night of December 31.—Chief.

### SAN SABA.

R. O. Harris is still confined to his room, though he is improving some. He has been sick two weeks.

Senterfitt Bros. have bought the O. K. wagon yard from S. H. Smithwick and R. E. Senterfitt will have charge.

Judge Martin last week appointed two auditors to go over the books of the San Saba school board and report to the next term of the district court which convenes in April.

An interesting little romance culminated in the marriage of Miss Mary Carr of San Saba, to Mr. Ben H. Anderson of Dallas, at the latter place on Sunday, January 4. A letter from Miss Mary brought the surprise

news to the family the latter part of the week.

News has reached friends here that W. J. Bourland died in a sanitarium at Fort Worth Dec. 31. The body was shipped to Frankston and buried at the old home. Mr. Bourland was deputy county clerk here under the administrations of W. V. Dean and W. N. Ellis until last fall, when he was forced to resign on account of failing health.—News.

### REMOVING STUMPS.

The Agricultural Gazette of New South Wales, issued under the direction of the minister of agriculture of that country, says a farmer there has discovered that a mixture of equal parts of sulphuric acid and nitric acid will destroy a stump of the hardest wood in a few weeks. The stump of a mahogany tree 3 to 4 inches in diameter was destroyed completely in five weeks by the use of 12 cents worth of acid, that it could be knocked to pieces with a garden hoe. On the subject of applying the acid the Gazette says: "The acids are used in equal parts and nothing is added to them. A hole is bored in the stump with a 2 inch augur, deep enough to hold the quantity of acid to be used, and then one acid is poured in and the other added. The hole is then plugged air tight with a wooden plug." A stump 3 feet in diameter should be treated with about 1-2 pint of each acid. The nitric acid is poured into the stump first, and the sulphuric acid is added in all cases, and not the reverse. In mixing these acids much heat is generated and care must be taken, not over a half pint of each to be mixed at one time, when must be allowed to cool before any more is added. Both of these acids are extremely corrosive and should not be allowed to come into contact with the person or clothing.—Farm and Ranch.

Some fifteen years ago we heard a man remark that it was useless to keep on worrying over the old front gate; that if it was fixed up it would not stay. The saying was an impressive way of telling folks that it does no good to worry. It is right for people to prevent anything that is unpleasant to them if they can, but it does no good to worry over things you cannot prevent and are not responsible for. The main thing is to be sure that you have done your best. Honestly you have done your best, you have nothing to worry about. If you are hungry and have done all you could to earn an honest dollar there is some one ready to help you. If you have done your best, and used your best judgment in running your business, you should not worry over results. Worry is putting its hundreds and hundreds of people in premature graves every year and enough of it will put any man, woman or child there in very short order. Don't worry, but smile and do your best.—Exchange.

Three prisoners escaped from the county jail at Cahnning Saturday by overpowering the keeper and locking him in the cell. They then went to his house, tied his wife, searched the place for valuables and were making a get-away when people of the town were attracted and captured all three of them.

The governor of Virginia has again respited Floyd and Claud Allen, sentenced to be electrocuted for their part in the Hillsville murders. The governor has fixed the date for their electrocution at March 7 and he announces that he will give the Allen sympathizers a hearing on Feb. 1 for their plea for a commutation of the sentences of the two men.

—My grist mill is now in good shape and will grind any day.—W. E. Pardue.

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Noel Littlepage was here from San Saba county last Saturday, looking after business matters.

E. M. Meyer and Tom Hufstutler were here from the Antelope Gap community the first of the week.

P. D. Yarborough and wife spent Monday in Brownwood, where Mrs. Yarborough had her eyes examined and treated by a specialist.

Eyes tested, glasses fitted and made to order for every defect of vision. Free examination and advice. See Dr. Robinson at Dr. J. H. Logan's drug store Monday, Jan. 27. (Advertisement)

Chas. Pfleger and Chas. Tieman, both of the Priddy community, have bought Ford automobiles from J. N. Weatherby of this city. Automobiles are fast becoming a necessity to farmers as well as people living in town and the time is not far distant when autos will be as common as buggies about the farm houses.

## ANOTHER GOLDTHWAITE CASE

It Proves That There's A Way Out For Many Suffering Goldthwaite Folks.

Just another report of a case in Goldthwaite. Another typical case. Kidney ailments relieved in Goldthwaite with Doan's Kidney Pills.

J. W. McAlexander, Goldthwaite, Texas, says: "I could not work or ride horseback, owing to intense pains in the small of my back. When I stooped, it seemed as if a thousand knives were going through me. I often had trouble in passing the kidney secretions. I used two boxes of Doan's Kidney Pills, procured at Clements' Drug Store, and am now all right." Whenever I hear anyone complaining of a bad back, I advise a trial of Doan's Kidney Pills.

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## COUNTY DEPOSITORY.

Sections 2449 to 2453, inclusive of the Revised Statutes of Texas of 1911, provide that at the February term of the Commissioners court next following each general election, proposals shall be received from any banking corporation, association, or individual banker in the county that may desire to be selected as county depository for the ensuing two years, and that notice that bids will be received, shall be published by and over the name of the county judge once each week for at least twenty days before the commencement of such term.

In compliance therewith all prospective bidders for this selection are hereby notified that all bids must be sealed and deposited with the county judge on or before the first day of said term of court, which this year is Feb. 10, and that all bids so received will be opened in public at 10 o'clock a. m. on Feb. 10.

For fuller information on this matter you are referred to the sections cited. Respectfully,

S. H. ALLEN.

County Judge, Mills County, Texas.

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## SHERIFF'S NOTICE OF SALE

The State of Texas, County of Mills.

By virtue of an order of sale issued out of the district court of Mills county, on the 4th day of Dec. A. D. 1912, by the clerk thereof, in the case of Wm. Breg vs. J. N. Smith, et al., No. 1282, and to me as sheriff directed and delivered, I will proceed to sell for cash, within the hours prescribed by law for sheriffs' sales, on the first Tuesday in February, A. D. 1913, the same being the 4th day of said month, before the court house door, in said county of Mills, in the town of Goldthwaite, the following described property, to-wit:

The T. P. Brown pre-emption survey, of 160 acres conveyed by J. S. Baker to J. T. Owens, described by metes and bounds as follows: Beginning at a stone mound in the N. of section No. 2 G. H. & H. Ry. Co., certificate No. 31-149, from which the N. W. corner of said R. R. survey hrs. S. 71 W. 400 vrs; thence 19 W. 950 vrs. stone mound, the N. W. cor. of this sur; thence N. 71 E. 950 vrs. a stone mound for N. E. corner from which a L. O. hrs. S. 16 W. 50 vrs. a do hrs. N. 87 E. 16 vrs; thence S. 19 E. 950 vrs. to a stone mound in N. line of said R. R. sur. for the S. E. cor. of this, from which the N. E. cor. of said sur. hrs. N. 71 E. 550 vrs; thence S. 71 W. 950 vrs. to the place of beginning, bearings marked X.

2nd— 50 acres more or less of the N. W. part of the Jno. Kirkpatrick sur. by metes and bounds as follows: Beginning at the N. W. cor. of said Kirkpatrick sur; thence S. 200 vrs.; thence E. 950 vrs; thence N. 300 vrs. to T. P. Brown pre-emption sur; thence W. 950 vrs. to the place of beginning.

Levied on as the property of J. N. Smith, et al., to satisfy a judgment (\$4,304.48) in favor of Wm. G. Breg and cost of suit.

Given under my hand this, the 7th, day of Jan. A. D. 1913.

E. O. PRIDDY.

Sheriff, Mills County, Texas.

## SHERIFF'S NOTICE OF SALE

The State of Texas, County of Mills.

By virtue of an order of sale issued out of the district court of Mills county, on the 4th day of Dec. 1912, by the clerk thereof, in the case of Henry Avery vs. J. J. Allen, et al., No. 1237, and to me as sheriff directed and delivered, I will proceed to sell for cash within the hours prescribed by law for sheriffs' sales, on the first Tuesday in Feb. A. D. 1913, the same being the 4th day of said month, before the court house door, in said county of Mills, in the town of Goldthwaite, the following described property, to-wit:

The N. 1-2 of Sec. No. 2, T. & N. O. Ry. Co. state school land located by virtue of Cert. No. 832 and the S. E. 1-4 of said Sec. No. 2 sold and awarded by the commissioner of the general land office to Sam Carson Nov. 2, 1895, all of said tracts and parcels of land being located and situated in Mills county, Texas.

Levied on as the property of J. J. Allen, et al., to satisfy a judgment for \$471.25 and cost of suit, with int. thereon from the 4th day of Dec. A. L. 1912.

Given under my hand this the 7th day of Jan. A. D. 1913.

E. O. PRIDDY.

Sheriff, Mills County, Texas.

The legislature has agreed to vote for the senatorial candidates next Tuesday, for both long and short term. The friends of Hon. Morris Sheppard appear to have the fight won and they are confident that he will receive a large majority of the votes for the short term as well as the Tuesday, for both long and short term. Mr. Sheppard issued a statement a few days ago saying that the election to the unexpired term would help him to become more familiar with the working of the senate and secure better committee appointments and this statement has strengthened his support, for Texas wants the service and the average citizen does not desire the public service hindered in order that a political debt may be paid by Governor Colquitt of Mr. Bailey.

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LUMBER

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Homer Brown was here from Center City yesterday, looking after business matters.

No danger of blind staggers or other disease if you buy feed from Harper and Egger. (adv)

Mr. Wm. Lupton and J. F. Goesslin left Thursday night for San Antonio to look after some business matters.

The court house bonds have been forwarded to the purchasers with a draft for face value and the accrued interest. It is thought the money will be here in the next few days.

The main building of Austin college at Sherman was destroyed by fire Tuesday night. The loss is said to have been \$75,000. The building was erected in 1875.

The end of the war between Turkey and the Balkan allies is said to be assured. The provisions as outlined by the European powers were accepted by both sides.

This is the last call to citizens to pay their poll tax. Before this paper appears again the time will have passed for securing a receipt that will entitle the holder to vote during the year 1913.

Hon. Morris Sheppard is to arrive in Austin Monday to remain until after his election to the United States senate by the legislature in joint session. It is safe to predict that he will be elected for both the long and short term.

The house committee on liquor traffic has reported favorably a bill providing for the closing of saloons at 9:30 o'clock at night, the raising of the license to \$2000 and making it a felony to violate the liquor law or to sell intoxicants to the inmates of any state institution.

A department store building in McKinney collapsed Thursday afternoon and eight people were killed and several others injured. Most of the bodies have been recovered and perhaps all of them. The large building fell without warning and the collapse was complete. A small building adjoining was crushed by the falling walls, but no one was hurt in the small building.

The marriage of Miss Helen Gould to Finley J. Shepherd was solemnized at her palatial country home in the state of New York Wednesday at noon. Miss Gould is one of the world's greatest philanthropists and she has donated large amounts for Y. M. C. A. work and other good causes. Her fortune is said to amount to \$30,000,000, while her husband has no fortune at all. He was employed in railroad work and is the son of a Presbyterian minister.

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B. M. C. MEETING.

The Bachelor Maids met at the home of Miss Kate Fairman on Friday evening, Jan. 17, 1913.

Very few members were absent on this occasion. The by-laws and constitution were read for the benefit of the new members.

At the close of the business session the meeting was turned over to Miss Fairman, who passed little booklets for a contest of "Pictures." In the booklets were printed the titles of fifteen pictures and the originals of the titles had to be selected from a number of articles placed on a table. At the end of the given time the answers were read and quite a number tied for the prize, but Miss Clyde Lowrie was fortunate in the drawing and secured a beautiful cut glass trophy.

Miss Fairman then served delicious fruit salad and jello with wafers.

Mrs. Lolla Pickett favored the guests with several beautiful songs, which were highly appreciated.

Several members gave piano selections which were enjoyed.

After a most delightful evening spent with Miss Fairman, the club adjourned to meet next with Miss Mary Lou Grundy. A MEMBER.

SELF CULTURE CLUB.

The Ladies Self Culture club met with Mrs. Eli Fairman on Thursday, Jan. 23. There was quite a good attendance, 17 members answering to roll call. As the weather had moderated and the grippe in a measure has passed away, the club seemed to take on new life.

It was decided to have the club entertainment week after next at Mrs. Chas. Burks' residence. She has a nice large home, and very kindly agreed to allow the club to use it.

Mrs. J. C. Street read a nice affectionate letter to the club from Mrs. H. E. Brown of Houston. She belonged to the club while she lived here and was one of our much appreciated members and we are always glad to hear from her.

The club was glad to have Miss Kate Fairman meet with them again. She treated them with some very pretty songs.

The hostess brought in some nice refreshments, which were much appreciated. REPORTER.

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JOE SIMMS.

ATELOPE GAP.

Editor Eagle:

We are having some more misty, bad weather. Just enough rains to keep everything muddy.

Mr. Bradley has been sick at his daughter's this week, but we are glad to say he is better. Mrs. Bradley is at her daughter's, Mrs. Stanley Black, near Brownwood.

Johnnie Crawford was called to Hamilton Wednesday, to see his father who is sick.

Mrs. Tweedle and daughter, Miss Nettle, spent several days in Comanche county visiting relatives.

Mr. Hall and wife received the sad news of the death of their brother-in-law, Gen. Martin, last week. His death was received with regret by many, as he used to live here years ago.

Mr. Tom Taff and wife spent last Saturday and Sunday week with Mr. and Mrs. S. A. Kuykendall.

Mrs. Myrtle Oldham took the train Saturday morning for Temple, where her husband is now in business.

Mrs. S. A. Kuykendall and little granddaughter spent Friday night and Saturday in Goldthwaite, the guests of her daughter, Mrs. W. L. Burks.

Good many of the young folks met at Bill Tweedle's Sunday eve and played croquet for a while, then went to R. D. Evans' and spent several hours in singing.

D. J. Smith and wife spent Sunday with Gains Curtner and family.

Mr. Crider spoke at the school house Wednesday night on Socialism, to a very good crowd.

Grandma Whittenburg spent one day last week with her daughter, Mrs. J. W. Morgan.

John and Wiley Smith are doing some grubbing for C. H. Black near the school house on his tract of land, known as the Talmage Farmer land.

Miss Mary Smith is spending this week with her brother Dan and wife in Lometa.

The dance at Mr. Meyer's Saturday night was enjoyed by all.

J. D. and Sherwood Ford spent Saturday and Sunday in Goldthwaite, visiting relatives.

CLUB ENTERTAINED.

The Merry Maids and Matrons met with Mrs. Leonard Skaggs January 21, with full membership present.

After a short business session, dainty booklets entitled "My Family Tree" were passed, which proved a very laughable contest. It was found that Mrs. Fisk could trace her relationship further than any one else, and she was awarded a white embroidery boudoir cap. Mrs. Chas. Burks received as consolation a pretty blue dust cap. Delicious refreshments consisting of salad, pickles, sandwiches and hot chocolate were served.

Guests present were Mrs. R. E. Clements, Misses Madden, Martin and Weathers.

Club adjourned to meet January 28, with Mrs. R. M. Thompson.

A MEMBER.

EBONY

Editor Eagle:

A. R. Kelly and his mother are visiting Mrs. I. O. Ratliff in Glascock county, who was reported to be very sick with pneumonia.

W. K. Hawthorne and Miss Bertie Anderson of Concho county were married last week. They have the best wishes of their many friends.

Oscar Williams of Bay City was here visiting his sister, Mrs. Hutchison, last week.

J. A. Williams returned home Wednesday, after an extended visit to his old home in Sedalia, Mo.

W. W. Tippen and A. E. Evans were here last week collecting and assessing taxes.

Rev. L. A. Clark, the new Methodist minister, filled his first appointment here Sunday.

A. O. Burnes and R. E. L. Wilson of San Saba county passed through our community the first of the week with a herd of cattle for the feed pens at Brownwood.

The big pound supper at Jim Tippen's Friday night was the grandest and most enjoyable occasion of the season.

Mrs. Rosa Lee Rowe of Fort Worth was here visiting relatives the past week.

F. M. Egger and J. M. Robertson have been quite sick the past week with la grippe.

Sowing oats and breaking land is the order of the day with the farmer.

Mrs. J. W. Egger was carried to Brownwood last week to be operated on for an abscess of the stomach, which was skillfully done by the Brownwood doctors. Mrs. Egger is getting along fine.

Wiley Ratliff of Brownwood was visiting his aunt, Mrs. Hutchison, a few days last week.

John Tippen is assessing taxes in this part of the county this week. John is a "hustler."

UNCLE JOHN.

MARRIAGE AT NABORS CREEK.

Mr. John Moore and Miss Alma Miller were married Sunday night at the residence of Rev. D. I. Haralson, that gentleman officiating. The young folks live just across the river, on the San Saba side, in McMillan community. The groom is a prosperous young farmer and the bride is a daughter of Mr. Alex Miller, Jr. They both have a great many friends in that community and in the county and they have the good wishes of all who know them.

WOOD SAWS

I have a portable wood saw and can have your wood cut at your home, if you desire. I also sell wood in any quantity, of any length.

DALTON.

Prof. Irvine, superintendent of the Goldthwaite school, left Thursday for College Station to look after some business matters and accompany his family to this city. He expected to return the early part of the coming week.

DR. H. ROBINSON

Will sign be at his office

Dr. J. H. LOGAN'S DRUG STORE GOLDTHWAITE, TEXAS.

Monday, Jan. 27 One Day Only

And will be pleased to meet his former patrons and receive new ones. If your Eyes or Glasses are giving you trouble, Dr. H. Robinson offers his 35 years' experience and his scientific appliances at your disposal.

Artificial Eyes Inserted Glasses Fitted

And made to order for every defect of vision.

All callers will receive prompt and careful advice and attention. Dr. Robinson is a recognized authority in his line of work. See him at

J. H. LOGAN'S DRUG STORE GOLDTHWAITE MONDAY, JAN. 27 REMEMBER THE DATE



LISTEN!

You can get a Higher Priced Dope than Sewall's Pure Liquid Paint but you can not get a Better Paint.

PRICE—\$2.00 per Gallon.

Sold and Guaranteed by J. H. Kelly The Builder

The jury in the Beach Epting case at Memphis, Texas, was only out a short time when a verdict of not guilty was reported Thursday morning. Only one ballot was taken and every member of the jury was for freeing Epting, who was accused of aiding J. B. Sneed in killing the man who had destroyed Sneed's home.

# PLANTERS AND CULTIVATORS CHEAP FOR CASH--MILLS COUNTY HARDWARE COMPANY

## LOCAL AND PERSONAL

We make delivery to any part of the city.—Recall Restaurant.

Insure against Fire, Lightning and Tornado.—Yarborough & Halbrook.

Mrs. John Scott and son William left yesterday for a visit to Temple and elsewhere.

If you want pure milk, feed your cows pure feed. Order from Harper & Egger. (adv)

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Randolph went to Belton yesterday for a visit to relatives and friends.

Lodging 25 cents, at the Recall Restaurant.—W. A. Richards, Prop.

Mrs. E. M. Boon and children returned yesterday morning from a visit to relatives at Chico.

For Sale—My residence in Goldthwaite. Will sell cheap for cash.—T. A. Gardner, Center City.

J. B. Whiteman and wife spent Wednesday in Lometa, where he looked after business matters for the West Texas Telephone company.

—Some say that other bread is just as good, but a trial will convince you that Coleman bread is the best.—Hudson & Rahl, City Meat Market.

If you are interested in the upbuilding of Goldthwaite and the commercial interests of the town, attend the meetings of the Commercial club. Meetings are held at the Masonic building Monday nights.

If Primrose flour is not the best on the market we would like to know about it. Try a sack at our store.—Ven Bros.

Rev. J. C. Newman and Rev. Bagley went to Brownwood Thursday to attend the Bible school in Howard Payne college. Brother Newman authorized the announcement that he would return in time to fill his pulpit Sunday.

Our Special Drip Coffee—Recall Restaurant. It's better. (adv)

I have the genuine Mebane Triumph Cotton Seed for sale at \$1.00 per bushel. Call at grain house. Come quick. Supply limited.—W. E. Pardue.

The Eagle always appreciates news items for publication. If you have visitors, go on a visit, give an entertainment or know of any other item of local news, let the Eagle know about it and we will appreciate your kindness.

—If you intend to buy land be sure and demand an abstract of the title, so you may know its condition, as otherwise you may get a bad title.—E. B. ANDERSON, Abstractor.

A Partial List of the Land and City Property for Sale by  
**Yarborough & Halbrook**  
Real Estate Agents  
GOLDTHWAITE, TEXAS

List your Property with us and we will Advertise it for you Free.

### LIST OF LANDS:

No. 1—160 acres, 70 in cultivation; 4 room house, Good well and tank. Price \$2500.00. \$1000.00 down, balance easy terms. Lies 5 miles north of Goldthwaite.

No. 3—New 2 story house on College Heights. Contains 10 rooms. An ideal home. Price \$2000.00.

No. 4—Nice 5 room residence, convenient to business center. With all modern conveniences, including cistern, well, small orchard. Is on 1/2 block of ground. Price \$1500.00

8—Here is a bargain. 9 acres of land on College Heights. A splendid bungalow, framed, 6-room residence. Well, windmill and all modern improvements. A lovely home. Healthy location and free from dust. Price \$2,500.00. Easy terms.

9—440 acres, 60 per cent tillable. Between 80 and 100 acres in cultivation. 6 room house. One of the best wells in Mills county, with windmill, two good tanks. This is a fine farm and a great bargain at \$12.50 per acre. \$1,000.00 down, balance easy terms.

See us when you Want any kind of Insurance or Want Collections Made.

**YARBOROUGH & HALBROOK**

## OUR SCHOOLS.

Considering the building up of our schools no factor is so important as the teacher. While all that was said in a former article of trustees is true, and much more could be said concerning that part of our educational system, yet the teacher is the key to a larger and better sentiment.

The law is doing the best it can in making demands in classifying and remunerating teachers in this state, but the best it can do will never classify perfectly. A good teacher merits more remuneration than he can ever get, and the inefficient teacher merits less than he ever gets. A really good all-round teacher means more to a community than most people have ever considered—one up not only in scholarship, but full of the teaching element and strong elevating morals.

A lazy teacher is not good property at any time. He must never feel as though he had all the information on any subject. We must never clip the wings of investigation. The growing teacher reads much for his own sake and for those he would teach—Why not? Supplementary books are numerous and are plenty cheap. As a rule when a teacher fails to interest his class it is because he is not interested himself in the subject in hand.

I have wished that there might be some way to enlist the class of growing boys and girls in our land who have no taste for school and seem to have never thought of educating. I have wondered also if back behind them somewhere in school if their teachers didn't lack enthusiasm and fall to inspire as they alone could.

All possible attainments in other things will not make up for want in a proper ethical life. Education is designed to make strong character and good character, and such character should be strong in sentiment for all good. It needs to be said that no one has the right to emphasize education only as a money-getting ability. This is the least consideration in it and taken alone, belittles the whole cause of education—one's powers made strong with which to serve his generation. Strong character in culture and refinement is more than all the money. The best fruit of education is its strength given to character.

Teacher has the largest place for the service of any class in the world except one. He who keenly feels that there should be a good purpose in every child's life and seeks to develop it into high, noble character is a teacher always in demand. The right kind of patient work and example will bear fruitage of inestimable value. I have just read where a late effort in wireless telegraphy sent a message a little more than five thousand miles. The right work in heart-earnestness done with the child backed up by a good life speaks louder and goes farther than that. Every child belongs to two worlds. The young elastic mind inquiring and absorbing, needs some one to guide it who believes mightily in a personal God—who believes in a just retribution for all kinds of wrong.

Then if the rude and bad are ever reformed, it must be done by the good. One who is not really good in character has no mission to the morally weak.

Every community has the bad-boy problem. Whatever degree of nobility may be the outcome, it is an opportunity for only the good. This strange thing may be noted, that the feelings of parents are more easily wounded, as a rule, at the unkind treatment of a trifling boy than at such treatment to a child known to be of good repute. Sympathy and anxiety are at such a tension and feelings are on the alert over the prodigal boy so that a wound is easily made.

I was deeply touched by the parents of a bad boy not long since. I spent the night at their home. The son had gone on a short rail road trip and was not return that night. At the breakfast table the mother complained of having no appetite for breakfast and added that the boy didn't return last night and said she slept very little. She stated that she could not sleep when the boy was out at night. I could not afford to say the things which I would have been jus-

tified in saying. The mother's heart had more to bear already than it should have.

Behind the boy and girl coming into school are hearts anxious. Some such hearts are really burdened with solicitude. SAM SAY.

## MORE ABOUT GEN. MARTIN

We gratefully acknowledge the appropriateness of the notices already given of Gen. Martin's death, but we think it due our camp and his many friends here, that more be said.

He conceived the idea of the organization of a camp of Confederate veterans at Goldthwaite, issued the call for the meeting that resulted in this organization, and presided over the convention that gave it being.

This meeting was attended by veterans from all over the county with many from the adjoining counties and in that gathering he was elected commander without a dissenting voice, and from that time on, as long as he remained with us, he was our commander, as long, and when ever the constitution would allow it. His management as commander gave general satisfaction and his desire for the well-being of the camp was such that he frequently did more than his physical ability justified.

He often expressed a desire to be buried here and by this camp, and it was our great desire to lead in this sad rite. We wanted our hands to be the last ones to touch his casket, but for circumstances over which no one had control this was denied us. Others, however, appreciated his merit, and had learned to love him and they performed these rights as well, as willingly and as lovingly as we could have done ourselves.

The town where he died, (Mercury) is entitled to our highest regards, for every business house was closed, the schools were dismissed, and business men and their families, teachers and their pupils, and citizens attended the services, till the church house where they were held, was filled to overflowing. Then large numbers of them followed the remains to where they were interred, near old Milburn, where they met almost all the citizens of that community and all joined in the last sad service. I told them how he stood here, as a citizen and as a Christian. They told me that his standing was just as good there, and that he was universally admired for his work's sake.

In behalf of our camp and his many friends here, we tender to his bereaved wife and daughter our tenderest sympathy, and commend them to our loving Heavenly Father, who knoweth all hearts and who is able to make all things work together for our good.

D. I. HARALSON.

## RICHLAND SPRINGS FIRE

Last Sunday night about 9 o'clock, the thriving little town of Richland Springs was swept by a fire which destroyed about \$25,000 worth of property. The fire caught in the drug store of the Thornton-King Drug Co. and spread from thence to the two adjoining buildings, the three buildings being in fact but one building with three fronts and belonging to W. H. Gibbons. Those losing by the fire are: Thornton-King Drug Co., estimated loss \$10,000 with insurance of \$6,700; J. G. Boyd, hardware and crockery, loss \$2,000 with insurance of \$800; A. J. Wise, shelving and fixtures, \$125; Dr. G. L. Barrett, loss of library and office fixtures and instruments, \$150; W. H. Gibbons, building valued at \$8,000 and insured at \$5,000. In addition to the above, Laird's furniture, Chapman's drug store and some others near by and which were threatened suffered considerable losses in breakage and rough use by moving out into the street.

The fire is reported to have started from the accidental explosion of a kerosene lamp which Mr. Thornton was using for a light to put up some medicine.—San Saba News.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Hiller of the Priddy community were in the city yesterday and made the Eagle a pleasant visit. They informed us that Mr. John Schlee's daughter, who had been dangerously sick with pneumonia, was much improved.



## "This is My Choice of Duke's Mixture Presents"

Among the many valuable presents now given away with Liggett & Myers Duke's Mixture there is something to suit every taste—and in this all-pleasing satisfaction the presents are exactly like the tobacco itself. For all classes of men like the selected Virginia and North Carolina bright leaf that you get in



Now this famous old tobacco will be more popular than ever—for it is now a Liggett & Myers leader, and is equal in quality to any granulated tobacco you can buy. If you haven't smoked Duke's Mixture with the Liggett & Myers name on the bag—try it now. You will like it, for there is no better value anywhere.

For 5c you get one and a half ounces of choice granulated tobacco, unsurpassed by any in quality, and with each sack you get a book of cigarette papers FREE.

### Now About the Free Presents

The coupons now packed with Liggett & Myers Duke's Mixture are good for all sorts of valuable presents. These presents cost you not one penny. The list includes not only smokers' articles—but many desirable presents for women and children—fine fountain pens, umbrellas, cameras, toilet articles, tennis racquets, catcher's gloves and masks, etc.



As a special offer during December and January only, we will send you our new illustrated catalogue of presents FREE. Just send name and address on a postal.

Coupons from Duke's Mixture may be assorted with tags from HORSE SHOE, J. T. TINSLEY'S NATURAL LEAF, GRANGER TWIST, coupons from FOUR ROSES (10-100 double coupon), PICK PLUG CUT, PIEDMONT CIGARETTES, CLIX CIGARETTES, and other tags or coupons issued by us.

Premium Dept.  
Liggett & Myers Tobacco Co.  
St. Louis, Mo.

—We sell sliced ham at our market.—Marshall & Dickerson.

Rev. French and wife were here from Williams Ranch yesterday, buying goods.

Wanted—Hand to work for wages and board self. Will furnish house, water.—J. M. Poer, Caradan, Texas.

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

J. W. Rumans was here from Trigger Mountain community yesterday, looking after business matters.

—If you intend to sell land get your abstract of the title thereto prepared first, otherwise the delay in perfecting your title may cause you to miss a sale.—E. B. ANDERSON, Abstractor.

We make our Coffee in a fine urn—what is known as French Drip—and only 5 cents. It's fine at the Recall Restaurant. Once tried, always drank. (adv)

When you want a reliable medicine for a cough or cold, take Chamberlain's Cough Remedy. It can always be depended upon and is pleasant and safe to take. For sale by R. E. Clements. (adv)

—If you have no abstract of the title to your land, it will be worth while to get one from me, in order that you may get the defects in your title cured before it is too late.—E. B. ANDERSON, Abstractor.

Here is a remedy that will cure your cold. Why waste time and money experimenting when you can get a preparation that has won a world-wide reputation by its cures of this disease and can always be depended upon? It is known everywhere as Chamberlain's Cough Remedy, and is a medicine of real merit. For sale by R. E. Clements. (adv)

## INDIAN GAP IMPROVEMENT.

Dr. Jas. Gooch and C. L. Crews were here Thursday from Indian Gap and the last named gentleman was preparing to open a drug store at that place. Mr. Crews was reared at McGirk and is well known in this city and he has a great many friends here and elsewhere who hope for him the best of fortune in his new business.

Dr. Gooch informed us that there was some prospects of securing a newspaper at the Gap in the near future.

## STORING MOISTURE.

To the Farmers of Mills County:

It is very important at this time of the year that all moisture that falls be stored away in the soil. The best way to store this is by using the section harrow after each rain on the plowed land. The harrow covers the ground with a dirt blanket, and in this way holds nearly all the moisture that falls. If the harrow is not used after each rain, the moisture that was formerly stored will leave the soil through evaporation when the ground crusts, therefore the importance of using it continuously. Moisture stored at this time of the year helps decompose the plant food and therefore aids in making the coming crop.

The preparation of the seed bed is one of the most important requirements in the making of a good crop.

Very truly,  
JOHN E. CALDWELL,  
Dem. Agent, Mills County.

## MARRIAGE LICENSE

County Clerk Summy has issued marriage license since last report to W. A. Curtis and Mrs. Annie Harvey, L. O. Sykes and Miss Ollie Reed.

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# The Goldthwaite Eagle

Saturday, January 25, 1913.

R. M. Thompson - Proprietor

L. E. Miller spent Sunday with friends in Brownwood.

Mayor Rahl was a visitor to Brownwood the fore part of the week.

J. F. Bull made a business visit to San Saba the first of the week.

A. J. Gatlin came over from San Saba Sunday for a visit to his family.

Attorneys Darroch and Pribble spent Monday in Mullin, looking after legal matters.

Mrs. Claud Eacott went to Brownwood Tuesday for a visit to relatives and friends.

Floyd Jackson was here from Temple this week, visiting his home folk and friends.

J. L. Chancellor and wife of Mullin came over Tuesday for a visit to E. L. Eubank and family.

John W. Roberts left Monday for Gatesville and Waco to visit relatives and look after business.

Mrs. F. M. House and Mrs. Queen of Star went to Williamson county Tuesday for a visit to relatives.

W. A. Clark of Talpa will hereafter receive the Eagle by order of his friend, J. M. Valentine, of this city.

Capt. and Mrs. S. M. Carothers were here from their home in San Saba peak community one day this week.

Sherwin-Williams paint is the cheapest in the long run. For sale at Harris & McCullough's (adv)

If your eyes or glasses give you trouble see Dr. Robinson at Dr. J. H. Logan's drug store, Monday, Jan. 27. (Advertisement)

Something new in the way of folding beds at Weems & Burks. See them. (adv)

Mrs. C. S. Calaway came over from San Saba Saturday for a visit to her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Westerman, and other relatives.

Messrs. J. A. and Enoch Godwin were visitors from the Long Cove community last Saturday and made the Eagle a pleasant call.

Just received a car of fresh Portland cement at Harris & McCullough's.

Mrs. W. E. Pardue was called to San Angelo Monday morning by a message announcing the serious illness of her brother, Jno. J. Cox.

Mrs. Wayne Daniel left for her home in Fisher county Tuesday, after a visit to her brothers, Messrs. Rudd, and other relatives and friends here.

The Eagle and Dallas Semi-Weekly News or any other first class semi-weekly paper for \$1.75.

Mrs. Dick Brinson and children left Wednesday for their new home in Douglas, Ariz., where her husband is employed in one of the leading barber shops of the city.

Harris & McCullough have just got in a car of cypress shingles and also a shipment of red cedar shingles. Tear off that old roof and put on new shingles right now.

Mrs. Leo Robertson of Boaz, N. M., has been here this week visiting relatives and friends. She was called to Bangs a few weeks ago on account of the illness of her sister, Mrs. J. C. Gibson, who has now recovered.

We have bought the Dick Brinson barber shop, next door to our Grocery store, and will continue the business, with two first class barbers in charge. Messrs. Richards & Freeman will be glad to have their friends call at any time, and guarantee satisfactory barber work. We also represent a first class laundry. The basket leaves Wednesday and returns Friday night. Give us a trial. —Cline & Son.

If you are buying land require the seller to furnish you an abstract of his title, so you may know you are getting a good title. If you contemplate selling your land, have an abstract thereto prepared first, so you will know what kind of title you can make to it, as the purchaser is almost sure to want to know. I have the only complete set of abstracts of the land titles of Mills county and will make your abstracts for a reasonable charge and will help you cure your titles if defective.—E. B. Anderson.

## TREE WASHES.

The following formulae have been successfully used as preventative washes for tree borers. It must be borne in mind that the borers already within the tree will not be killed by the wash. A large number of these can be destroyed by running a pointed wire into their tunnels or cutting them out with a sharp knife. The washes act merely as a repellent in that they prevent the laying of eggs by the adults. In some instances the solution destroys a few freshly laid eggs and also newly hatched worms, when being applied.

### Formula No. 1.

½ lb. laundry or whale oil soap, dissolved in hot water;

½ pint crude carbolic acid;

6 lbs. good stone lime (slake). Dilute with enough water to give it the consistency of paint. Add a handful of salt to every bucketful to make it stick. A little Portland cement also helps to make it more adhesive.

### Formula No. 2.

Thick whale oil or lye soap wash, to which a pint of crude carbolic acid is added to every ten gallons.

### Formula No. 3.

40 lbs. stone lime, enough boiling water to cover;

½ lb. salt or small amount of cement, one gallon milk;

1 pint crude carbolic acid.

### Formula No. 4.

50 lbs. stone lime, slacked in 10 gallons of water,

6 gallons crude oil,

1 lb. arsenate of lead,

½ gallon crude carbolic acid.

Add a small amount of glucose to make it stick.

### Formula No. 5.

3 gal. whitewash, 1 lb. tar soap, 1 lb. potash, 1 pint wood ashes.

### Formula No. 6.

3 gals. ordinary whitewash, 1 can lye.

### Formula No. 7.

1 pint crude carbolic acid, 1 gal. soft soap, 8 gals. soft water.

### Formula No. 8.

2 qts. strong soft soap, ½ pint crude carbolic acid, 2 ounces paris green, 3 gals. water. Add more water if the mixture becomes too thick.

### Formula No. 9.

1 ounce carbolic acid, 1 lb. fish oil soap, 2 gals. soft water.

### Formula No. 10.

1 bushel stone lime (slacked with warm water), 10 lbs. sulphur (made into a paste), ½ gal. gas tar, 50 gals. water.

### Formula No. 11.

70 lbs. stone lime (slacked with warm water), 6 lbs. potash, 50 gals. water.

### Formula No. 12.

8 lbs. stone lime (slacked with warm water), 10 lbs. sulphur (made into a paste), 2 pints crude carbolic acid, 1 lb. Paris green. Add water to make the mixture the consistency of ordinary paint.

A small amount of salt or Portland cement added to any of the above solutions will make them stick better to the tree.

Several coatings of asphaltum, grades C and D, have been successfully used on trees in California to prevent the issuance and entrance of borers. The material is applied warm with a brush, several applications being necessary. The first coat must be somewhat lighter than the following.

Since the various species of borers lay their eggs at different times, the trees should be kept thoroughly coated the spring and summer. At least three applications should be made, one in March, another in June and the third in September. The entire trunk should be covered, from a little below the surface of the soil to a short distance above where the tree first branches, because a great many borers work at these places.

The above formulae were given me by Mr. J. W. Nell, when here representing the state department of agriculture last week. I am having them published and suggest they be clipped and preserved by those interested. Bulletins, valuable to farmers, on any line of agriculture may be had without cost. If you will let me know what you want on any branch of agriculture, I will secure the bulletin you need for you.

Respectfully,  
S. H. ALLEN.

## FEEL RIGHT ALL THE TIME

Don't Let Periodical Spells of Lazy Liver Ruin Your Temper and Spoil Your Work.

If your liver doesn't behave right all the time—if it sometimes stops working and you become bilious and "headachy"—don't take calomel, but try Dodson's Liver Tone.

You are safe in taking Dodson's Liver Tone. It's a harmless, pleasant vegetable remedy that starts the liver without stirring up your whole system as calomel often does. It is especially good for children who need a liver tonic once in a while, but who should not be dosed with strong drugs.

Dodson's Liver Tone is sold by Clements' Drug Store. This store guarantees it with a clean open and shut guarantee—your money back with a smile if it fails to satisfy you. Price 50 cents a bottle and your money is as safe as if you had it in your pocket. If you need the medicine you need it badly—if it doesn't satisfy you—your money back. Buy a bottle from Clements' Drug Store today on this guarantee. (adv)

## WANTS CORRESPONDENTS

The Eagle always appreciates communications either on local happenings or on subjects of interest to the general public. A country newspaper does not fulfill its mission to the public unless such communications are given space in its columns and the Eagle aspires to being an ideal and model newspaper, therefore, we solicit such correspondence. The paper has friends in every community who would be glad to assist us in this way, but they imagine they can not properly arrange a communication for publication, but in this many of them are badly mistaken and they would be surprised with the result of an effort. Send us communications, friends, concerning the local happenings of your communities and we will see that they appear in proper form.

There is one requirement of those who write for publication that is perfectly reasonable and that is, that the writer's name be made known to the editor. Each letter should bear the name of the writer. The name will not be published, but we must know who does the writing.

An important and interesting effect upon the scientific work of the Geological survey has resulted from the work in land classification. The constantly increasing demand for both completeness and exactness of information regarding the mineral resources of the public lands under classification have developed methods and scope of view in this economic work that have exerted a marked influence on the geologic work in other areas. Thus, the training and methods developed in the course of the classification of the coal lands have brought about higher standards of refinement in stratigraphy, as well as in economic work, in other regions of the country. Another very notable illustration of scientific results springing from the study of economic problems is found in the administration of the Weeks act, providing for the purchase by the federal government of certain forested lands which may affect the flow of navigable streams. The intensive hydrometric experimental studies carried on in order actually to show, in accordance with the terms of the law, the degree of protection afforded by forests to soil and water, in certain areas proposed for purchase as national forests have resulted in empirical determinations and demonstrations of high scientific value as well as of tangible economic importance.—From Annual Report, Director United States Geological Survey.

A lone robber held up a passenger train on the Southern railroad at Riverside, Ala., Sunday night and secured a large amount from the registered mail. It is estimated that he secured fully \$25,000.

Dr. Anderson, a specialist of Brownwood, was here last Saturday on professional business.

Mrs. Keeling of Brownwood came over Wednesday for a visit to Mrs. J. A. Gillespie and family.

## BEST PAINT VALUE

Covers Most Looks Best Wears Longest



Most Economical Full Measure Always Uniform

## HARRIS & McCULLOUGH

ALSO DEALERS  
Doors, Windows, Shingles, Cedar Posts, Brick, Cement, Etc., TOGETHER WITH ALL KINDS OF L-U-M-B-E-R  
Let Us Supply Your Needs In Our Line.

The Premier Barber Shop FIRST-CLASS STEAM LAUNDRY  
FAULKNER & QUIN, Proprietors  
BATHS—Hot or Cold. Electric Massage.  
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