# GOLDTHWAITE EAGLE. THE

GOLDTHWAITE, MILLS COUNTY, TEXAS, DECEMBER 27, 1913.

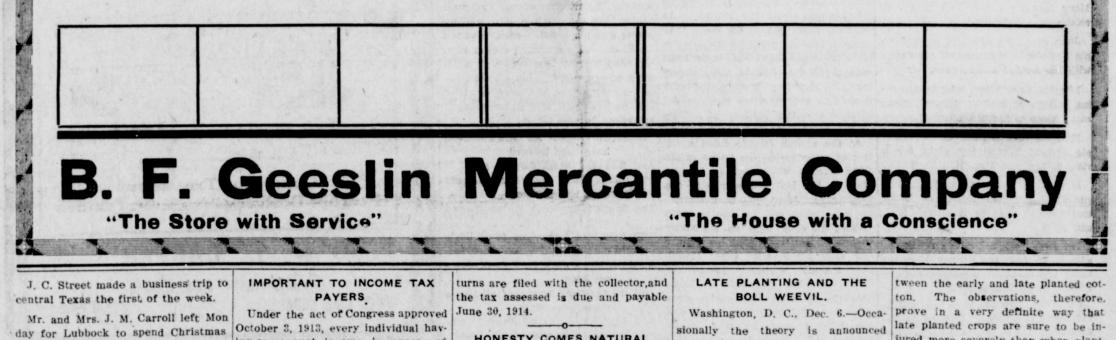
# The Season's Greetings To You All!

Soon we are to enter upon another year and with great hopes for the future.

To you who have let the House of Geeslin serve you---we thank you from the bottom of our hearts. To you who have not ... we want you to get acquainted with us in a business way and let us show you what Geeslin's service is.

The B. F. Geeslin Mercantile Company has set a high mark to reach during 1914 and we are going to depend upon you to help us reach that standard.

Come in, shake hands and let's get acquainted.



with relatives.

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day to spend several days with his before March 1 of each year a re- acts, but in their minds. Instinctiveparents and friends.

A new drop awning has been built received from all sources during the in front of the Everly building on the calendar year preceding. Failure to of profiting by dishonesty does not oc- er late planted cotton will produce a west side of the square.

in this city this week.

here the first of the week, looking Internal Revenues, Austin, Texas, giv- tomary outfit of veins, arteries and account an unusually large experiment after business matters.

folks who are attending colleges are are engaged, in order that they may dishonest, and sometimes they suc- In the spring of 1913 there was an at home for the holidays.

Waddy Ross of Fort Worth has been here this week visiting relatives and looking after business.

city Monday'en route home from a after December 31. The attention of in consequence. Most men who are vee on the opposite side of the Baybusiness visit to central Texas.

J. A. Curtis, one of the leading men of the Jones Valley section, was among the visitors to this city this making annual reports to the Internal become dishonest gradually and will- scale contrast between the two meweek.

rived from Coleman Friday night to ner and time of rendition and pay- whether regarded solely as a policy made by the Bureau of Entomology remain until after the holidays with ment of tax are practically the same or broadened into a principle. The show that a crop of half a bale was relatives.

zell, who are students in Howard- but the members composing the firm world is that one which is most un- the opposite side which was late Santa Fe from Lubbock to Farwell, Payne college, are spending the holi- if they have an income subject to happy. Did you ever know a dishon- planted yielded much less. A few eighty nine miles long, has been days with their home folk and friends tax are required to render return est man whom you believed to be illustrations out of many that were thrown open to traffic. While the

here from Brownwood Monday and ship. each delivered a lecture before the Teachers Institute in favor of the fact that the failure to secure In- most desired?-State Press.

ness matters.

ing an annual income in excess of \$3,000 is required to render to the

port giving a statement of his income

ings and necessary instructions.

come Tax blanks will not relieve

for McKinley-Corrigan Co. here posed for delinquency in filing return. last Friday by a good majority and 22 and obtained one-fourth of a bale route of the Santa Fe between Calicame over Sunday morning to attend The report for the year 1913 may be it is believed the measure will per acre. In 1911 on the same field fornia and the Southwest. The the funeral of John Little and re- filed at any time between Jan. 1 and soon be ready for the signature of he produced a half a bale per acre. route formerly went northeast in the mained Monday to look after busi- March 1, 1914. Assessments will be President Wilson, who is well pleas- The illustrations that have been Panhandle, via Canyon, and the new made as soon as possible after the re- ed with the bill.

HONESTY COMES NATURAL

Honest men are born that way. Louie Miller arrived from Waco Sun collector of Internal Revenue on or They are honest not only in their red by late planting better than by ly they avoid dishonesty, and the idea reau of Entomology has conducted,

ing an annual income subject to tax- honesty, for they take it for granted ed that the experiments of the De-John Mark Boler of Washboard was ly notify A. S. Walker, Collector of for granted that they have the cus- a sufficiently large scale. On this

ing their name and address and the nervous tissues. Sometimes naturally which was provided by natural condi-Most of the Goldthwaite young nature of the business in which they honest men are tempted to become tions in Louisiana is of interest.

that the boll weevil can be controll-

many experiments to determine wheth- Bagley, and family.

Waddy Thompson of Fort Worth vis prescribed subjects the offender to se- does not occur to them to discuss with all been negative. The advocates of and family and other friends. ited relatives and transacted business vere penalties and all individuals hav- themselves the subject of their own late planting, however, have contend-

be supplied with form of return, rul- cumb. Every individual, male and overflow by Bayou de Glaize in Avoy- this city. female, has weak moments, and elles Parish, occurring in May and The Collector has a list of all cor- many is the man or woman who has continuing until early in June. On porations subject to this tax, and gone wrong under the urgency of one side of the Bayou a strip of they will be supplied with blank a momentary impulse, and endured land one mile long and from eight to J. H. Clifton of Star arrived in the forms for report as soon as possible a life of bitterness and self-reproach ten miles wide was flooded. The lecorporations is directed to the fact actually and consciously dishonest ou retained the water. Cotton was Revenue Department, has been re- ingly and to that class is most ap- thods of planting in the same localipealed and is superseded by the In- plicable the old axiom that honesty is ty and on identical soil formations. as under the old law. Partnerships dishonest man is an unhappy man, and made on the side not overflowed Misses Lois Allen and Lucille Friz- are not required to render returns. the least successful person in the where the planting was early, while

jured more severely than when planted early.

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ty is visiting his son, Rev. L.A.

Miss Dora Oden left Tuesday for file this annual return within the time cur to them except theoretically. It satisfactory crop. The results have Fort Worth to visit Mrs. S. E. Ross

Mrs. Myrtle Johnigan and children ation under this law should immediate that they are honest, as they take it partment have not been conducted on her brother, Charles Arnold, and family.

> Mrs. W. L. Greer of Corsicana is visiting her parents, Rev. L. A. Bagley and wife, and other relatives in

While most people sympathize with the constitutionalists in Mexico, mainly because of the fact that they can not support even with their sympathy the government of a man who secured his place by treachery and murthat the Corporation Tax Act of are congenitally so. They were born planted early on one side and late on Mexico to end with the success of 1909, under which they have been handicapped. Occasionally one may the other. It has furnished a large either of the contending forces. Huerta will never be allowed to peacefully occupy the president's office in Mex-Mrs. R. P. Canady and children ar- come Tax Law. However, the man- the best policy. It is the best policy Examinations which have just been vide into two or more factions as soon as they succeed in overthrowing the treacherous villain.

The newly completed line of the Dr. McCarver and T. C. Yantis were and therein account for all income companionable with himself in the obtained will be given. O. H. Jof- line is completed, it is still in the or profits arising from the partner- dark? Did you ever know a dishon- frion obtained a yield of 1125 pounds hands of the construction company, est man who wasn't lonely in the of seed cotton from a crop planted but will be turned over to the oper-Special attention is called to the society of those whose society he on April 15, while the crop planted ating department by February 1,1914. across the Bayou on May 20 yielded The first steel was laid on this line 650 pounds of seed cotton per acre. in March, 1913. This is the last link W. L. Jones, who is to be manager the taxpayer from the penalties im- The senate passed the currency bill Mr. O. P. Couvillion planted on May in the short line transcontinental given show the general difference be- cut-off saves about 100 miles.

## RHEN **BAKING POWDE** Made from pure, grape **Cream of Tartar**

Best for good food and good bealth

No alum

Screen doors and windows and wire screening .- J. H. Kelly.

-We sell sliced ham at our markat.--Marshal & Dickerson.

A car of cedar posts just arrived. -J. H. Randolph.

The Public school at Goldthwaite w ll reopen the first Monday in Jan- breath of their common loss. uary.

The Christmas trees at the various churches in the city were enjoyed by large congregations.

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

R. S. Crain and fam'ly came over from San Saba to spend Christmas with relatives and friends.

Walter Ford and family and Mrs. Mary Mauldin spent Christmas with relatives at Antelope Gap.

John Scott, Jr, came in from Temple Christmas day to spend a few days platform were taxed to their limit with his mother and brother.

Miss Melissa Allen, who is attending college at Eureka Springs, Ark., friends in seeking some possible act came home to spend Christmas.

Mrs. Smith-and little son of Temple arrived Wednesday night for a visit to Mr. and Mrs. Will H. Trent.

Mrs. J. J. Mills and children left yesterday for their home at Stancon, after a visit to relatives here and at Star.

wire fence posts and we now have any thing you want in mountain cedar-Barnes & McCullough.

LOST-A Poland-China hog weigh-

#### A GOOD MAN IS FALLEN.

There come times in the lives of us all when we are made to stop and consider all that has gone before, connected with that that calls us to consider. Of no other event is tha o universally true as death. Alhough so common an event in the world, it is yet the most serious event in the world. Lives not before thought of are at their ending called vividly to the minds of those who have known them. Then it is that an estimate is made of the life gone. Love forgets the faults of the loved one dead, friendship remembers only the good and even enemies do not let their though's dwell on the objectionable trats of a dead man. But must Charity's mantle be used to cover a part of every life? Is it needful now as we look at the life of our friend, John Little, so abruptly brought to a close? No stranger in Gold:hwaite last Sunday would ever have felt that any of the tributes to his memory were tributes of char'ty. When the message came Saturday morning that he was dead, and that message was whispered from one to another till all Goldthwaite and surrounding country had heard it, no stranger could see that every heart was sad, but they were, and friend greeted friend and spoke with bated Almost as silent as had been the

love for this good man was this gloom the brothers, sisters and little childin the same hearts that loved him; ren who have given up one to pay but when the approach of the hour for the train's coming with his remains saw the throng of sad faced friends gathering to receive all that death's hand had spared to us of him, no one could then have doubted the genuine and universal love felt for him here. Long before the train arrived automobiles had crowded all the grounds about the station. In buggies, surreys and on foot they came till waiting rooms and station with throngs of friends sadly expectant. All day long friends vied with of tribute to the dead or of service to his loved ones still living.

At the church friends filled every foot of room inside the house , while other friends waited outside to jo'n them in the last sad march to the open grave. After some preliminaries by local ministers, all hearts were melted, all eyes wept as his pastor We have just unloaded a car of from Hamilton recounted his virtues and with numbers of other Hamilton friends present joined the Goldthwaite host to mourn his loss.

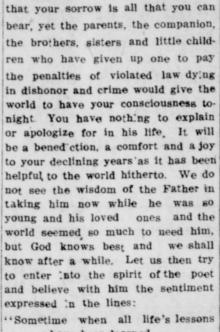
At the cemetery in a grave even made beautiful by loving hands and

## **TO OUR FRIENDS AND CUSTOMERS**

E wish to express to you our genuine appreciation of your patronage and we wish for you all a Happy and Prosperous New Year. In the future, as in the past, we shall adhere strictly to the policy of handling only the very Best Quality of Goods in our line, so you may truly know that when you buy Jewelry from Miller's it is the Best obtainable for the Price-and our Guarantee of Perfect Satisfaction goes with every sale.

Owing to the rush of business during the Holidays we naturally got behind with our Repair Work, but we will get right at it now and will soon have all jobs ready for delivery.

L. E. MILLER, Jeweler



have been learned And Sun and Stars forever set, The things which our weak judgment

here has spurned-The things o'er which we've grieved

with lashes wet, Will flash out before us from life's dark night

As stars shine most in tints of deepest blue, And we shall see how that all God's

plans were right,

sweetest thing, because it

love most true.

and sigh

and me,

our cry

see;

hood.

now

seemeth good.

life's wine,

and shrink,

mine

drink

face

grace.

death

lengthened breath

his friend,

could send.

ings see.

heart.

apart.

doubt and strife.

ing about 75 pounds. Reward for inthoughtful fr'ends, he was gently formation as to his whereabouts .lowered to his last resting place in a J. C. Street. bed of roses, beneath a mountain of

Mrs. Hall Newman and baby, who flowers, amid the tears and heartaches visited relatives here a few days, left of many who loved him. Christmas morning for Bangs to spend In an hour l'ke this if anything a few days with relatives.

T. C. U. at Fort Worth, has been with his home folk and friends.

Lost-A lady's tan coat on the road from Center to Goldthwaite, Finder please leave at Everly Company's store or notify W. M. Johnston.

-If you intend to buy land be sure so you may know its condition, as otherwise you may get a bad title .-C. B. ANDERSON, Abstractor.

I have another car of wire at scale of it.-J. W. Hill.

-If you are buying land require setting a good title. If you contemplate selling your land, have an abmost 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 reason SOB.

#### PARCELS POST.

Our Friends and customers in the country are invited to send us their orders for goods of any kind and we ill be glad to have the orders filled + and forwarded by Parcels Post.

Let us know your wants and we will be glad to serve you. ALLEN BROS. Both Phones.

Alvin Street, who is a student in a father who had already learned to lean on his son with unstinted confi- Because His wisdom to the end could We then shall see and clearly underhere this week spending the holidays dence, or a mother whose chief pride and comfort be was; or a beloved And e'en as prudent parents disallow wife who had forgotten that life could Too much of sweets to craving babybe without him: or brothers and sisters who honored, loved, admired and So God, perhaps, is keeping from us trusted him, I say if aught could give joy to these then surely no sorrow Life's could have been the'rs amid these eviand demand an abstract of the .title, dences of the love and honor in which And if, sometimes, commingled with he was held As we tonight sit and sadly re- We find the wormwood and rebel view his life we need no mantle of charity. In vain do we seek for aught Be sure a wiser hand than yours or Goldthwaite and it is 20 cents cheap- to condemn. He was not perfect, er since the new tariff bill became ef- none is, but when did father and Pours out this potion for our lips to fective. See me quick if you want mother ever have a more dutiful son, w'fe a truer, more loving hus. And if one we love is lying low band, brothers' and sisters a nobler, Where human kisses connot reach his the seller to furnish you an abstract better brother, or l'ttle children a of his title, so you may know you are more thoughtful, affectionate and de. Oh do not blame the loving Father so, voted father? But even these facts But bear your sorrow with obedient can not now suffice to make sunwill know what kind of title you can shine in the hearts of these that lov- And you shall shortly know that make to it, as the purchaser is al ed him so; yet in the years to come -years that cannot take away from Is not the sweetest gift God sends them the sweetness of his life and memory, these things will be remem- But sometimes e'en the sable pall of able charge and will help you cure bered and they will make the grief rour titles it detective .- E. B. Ander- less poignant, the sorrow less bitter. Conceals the fairest boon His love In these coming years when the living ones may be sources of anxiety. If we could pull ajar the gate of life when doubts as to their future may And stand within and all His workcome, how sweet it will then be to have the happy consciousness that We could then interpret all this this dear boy, trusting in Jesus thru the years, had fought the good fight, And for each mystery find the key. had measured up to the stature of a But not today. Then be content, sad succeeding Mr. Casey, who resigned. true man in all life's relations, and had

died the triumphant death of one who God's plans, like lilies pure and white, has won victories through Christ the unfold.

Lord. Dear ones, while you weep, We may not tear its close-shut leaves you weep not alone. Many hearts

are sad tonight with you. You feel Time will reveal their calyxes of gold.

And how, what seemed reproof was We shall see how that while we fret

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New, Fresh and Clean Goods

Oriole Flour--- The Best

All Kinds of Feed Stuff

**Baled Shucks and Oats** 

See Me efore Bij i g. Prices Right

**Courteous Treatment** 

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**Groceries** and Feed

God's plans go on as best for you And if, by patient toil we reach that land

may rest.

WEST SIDE SQUARE

stand

knows best."

A FRIEND. 1

**Prompt Delivery** 

#### A GOOD SHOW

this week, giving entertainments at amusing games introduced; while the opera house each evening and "Progressive Forty-Two" was a a matinee was given Thursday afternoon and another will be given this afternoon. This company gives en ered into the beaut fully decorated tertainments well worthy of the pat- dining-room, where Mrs. Ball, assistronage of the public. In the plays ed by Mrs. Cornelius, served delicthere are no objectionable features ious sandwiches, chicken salad, and the troupe is made up of refined, olives, and chocolate, nice people. The music, which is supplied by a Mexican orchestra, is ly bade our fair hostess good night. of a very high class and is attrac- unanimously voting this one of the tive to lovers of music.

This is a good show and the liberal patronage the company has received during the week attests the approval of the public. The entertainment at place.

er in the Vernon public school, came troubles. 25c at Druggists or by mail home to spend Christmas.

Miss Zoe Rock, who has been bookkeeper for the Light and Ice Co for several months, will be book keeper for the Geeslin Mercantile Co. President Wilson signed the currency bill Wednesday and left the capitol at once for Mississippi to spend Christmas. Those who claim to understand the bill think it will. be very beneficial to the country.

Friday evening, Dec. 19, Mr. and could bring gladness to the heart of How when we called he answered not Where tired feet, with sandals loosed, Mrs. W. G. Ball of McGirk entertained at their hosp:table home in honor of Misses Berry and Cryer, who were to leave for their respective And more then, we shall say that God homes to spend the holidays.

A JOLLY GO AWAY PARTY.

**BOTH PHONES** 

**Both Phones** 

At an early hour the spacious rooms were filled with a merry group, both old and young, and soon the halls were ringing with merry peals of The Hayes company has been here laughter, created by the novel and prominent feature much enjoyed.

At ten-thirty the guests were ush-

At a late hour we very unwillingmost enjoyable affairs of the year.

A GUEST.

#### Constipation Poisons You.

If you are constipated your entire the opera house tonight will close system is poisoned by the waste matthe company's engagement at this ter kept in the body serious results often follow. Use Dr. King's New Life Pills and you will soon get rid Miss Lora Hudson, who is a teach- of constipation, headache or other -H. E. Bucklen & Co. Philadelphia,. or St. Louis. (Ad)

> While a large number of miners and their families were assembled in an upper room in Calumet, Mich., Wednesday night for a Christmas tree program some fiend cried "fire" and there was a panic among the people. Eighty of the occupants of the hall, including men, women as 1 children were trampled to death and many others were injured.

A HAPPY NEW YEAR TO ALL

Soon another year will have gone down in history. To some, 1913 has been very pleasant to others, who are superstitious, 1913 has been a bad omen and they lay all their misfortunes to the "13." As for us, "13" is our lucky star. We wish to thank all of our patrons and friends who have so liberally patronized us since our opening this year and we hope for a continuance all through next year. We are looking forward to 1914 to be the "banner" year of Mills County.



**Piano** Contest TO THE CONTESTANTS

I want to call your attention to the Weekly Coupons. Some of them are handled so roughly and carried around in such a manner that they will be worn out in a few weeks and you will be the loser. They are becoming too precious for you to lose them. This week they are good for

## **4000 VOTES EACH**

Next week 5000 and increasing each week, and it is almost suicidal to lose them from now on. The Contestants must call the attention of their friends to this matter and ask them to be sure to come in promptly and have them cut off. Friends are coming to the rescue of all the Contestants who are active. Be persistent in your work and you will win.

A HAPPY NEW YEAR TO ALL OF YOU.

The Store of Quality 🖡

Pecans-Bring us all the pecans you have. We want a carload at once .--W. E. Harper.

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and Bedford McBride, who are students in college at Brownwood, are at home for the holidays.

Both phones.

Hugh McCullough, Harmon Lowrie at an early hour, after two weeks ilt-

JOHN LITTLE IS DEAD

home made lard at Hudson & Rahl's for the fact of his illness was not gen- this place. The large church was fill discussions of school improvement ceremony a delightful supper was erally known and even those who did ed to its capacity before the beginning plans for the county. Tuesday morn- served.

the solemn procession to the Meth-Mr. John C. Little died at h's home odist church, where the funeral serin Hamilton last Saturday morning vice was conducted by Rev. Alonzo ceedings of the institute up to Fri- son were married at the home of the Monk, pastor of the Methodist church day afternoon. at Hamilton, assisted by Rev. R. 3. Saturday and Monday morning were community last Saturday night, Rev. ness with jaundice. The announce- Pierce, pastor of the Goldthwaite spent in discussing the regular fea- Jo Frizzell off clating. A number of ment of his death was entirely unex. Method st church and Rev. J. C. New- tures of the program. Monday after- friends and relatives of the young -Fresh meat, barbecue, bread and pected to most of his friends here, man, pastor of the Baptist church at noon was given principally to the people were present and after the

#### TEACHERS INSTITUTE

The report last week gave the pro-

#### BRYAN-HENSON.

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C. H. Bryan and Miss Melissa Henbride's mother in the Pleasant Grove

office Tuesday.

Wanted-5,000 second-hand chop, among those who knew him. bran and oat sacks .-- Pardue Ashlev.

G. A. Swaim of Lometa, who came here on the sad mission of attending Little, returned to his home Monday.

trough, which you can make yourself. Hamilton, where he had been engag- tion of the high regard in which the appreciated. Get the cement from us -Barnes & ed in business for about three years, good man was held by the people here. The teachers present donated \$23.50 McCullough

Mrs. Paker of Ballinger arrived the first of the week to spend the and other relatives.

while to get one from me, in order very presence was an honor to a comyour title cured before it is too late. ficial and inspiring. It has been community. -E. B. ANDERSON. Abstracter.

Capt. D. T. Bush of Caradan has bought from Dr. Brown a farm on Little." Honest in every transac- Bodkin, John C. Hicks, O. H. Yarthe Center City road, about two miles tion and honorable in every motive, borough and James Rahl to act east of town, known as the Harwell be was an ideal of the Christian place.

their home in Lometa Monday, after with him. It was impossible to be commissioned to express the symhaving been here on the sad m'ssion of attending the funeral of his brother, John Little.

men who were engaged in a difficulty children, parents, brothers and sisin San Angelo Thursday, Jake Harper was badly cut in the wrist and ious because of the loss of blood.

by R. E. Clements.

He was numbered among the best bus-

worth and integrity. Not only was

truly said by one who knew him well,

"The world needs such men as John W. C. Dew, J. V. Cockrum, H. G. manhood of the nation and an inspir-

W. T. Little and family returned to ation to those who were associated associated with John Little without honoring and respecting him fully as a man of pure thoughts and an up-

> mourn with the bereaved wife and ters.

The remains were brought to Goldhis condition is reported to be ser- thwaite for burial, arriving here on the early morning train Sunday. They Wheezing in the lungs indicate that were met at the depot by a targe phlegm is obstructing the air pas s- number of friends of the family and ages. BALLARD'S HOREHOUND were conveyed to the home of his par-SYRUP loosens the phlegm so that it ents, from which place the funeral was portant holiday with their families. can be coughed up and ejected.Price conducted Sunday afternoon. A large

J. H. Benningfield, one of the good know of it were not aware that his of the service and perhaps as many ing was given to regular program farmers of South Bennett community, condition was such as to cause alarm. people remained on the outside of work. In the afternoon, J. V. Cock- in this county and have a great many was a pleasant visitor at the Eagle When the announcement of his death the building as were able to secure rum and Chas. Rudd sent boxes of friends and well wishers who extend came, it caused universal sorrow seats on the inside. The service at oranges and apples and a bucket of congratulations to them. the church having been completed, the mixed nuts, as a treat to the teach-

No man stood higher among h's solemn march was begun to the Odd ers. The rejoicing among the teach. Dr. Hobson's Ointment Heals Itchy fellows than did John Little and no Fellows cemetery, where the burial ers over this treat had hardly ceased man's death would have caused more service was conducted by the Wood- when a big candy bucket, filled with genuine or universal sorrow than was men of the World, of which order chocolates was sent up to the teachcaused by his death. He was well Mr. Little had been a member for a ers as a treat from J. S. Caldwell, the funeral of his brother-in-law, John known in Goldthwaite and through number of years. The funeral pro- the city marshal. The teachers out Mills county, having lived here for cession was one of the longest ever alone know how much such express-Let your stock drink from cement about ten years before moving to seen in this city and was an indica- ions of friendship and sympathy are

As an indication of the esteem in cash and eight books to start a teachiness men of this town during the which he was held by the members ers library for the county. P. M. time he lived here, and in Hamilton of the community in which he lived Bowden, Arthur Smith and Judge holidays with her mother, Mrs. Oden, he was also regarded highly for his the last three years of his life, e'ght Allen were appointed as committee business men and the pastor of the to select books and magazines for he a business man of high character church in which he held membership this library. The committee will meet -If you have no abstract of the and fine ability, but he was high- and served as a steward, accompa- in the County Judge's office on the title to your land, it will be worth minded, Christian gentleman whose nied the remains to this city and second Saturday in January. They brought with them beautiful floral invite suggestions from any friends that you may have the defects in munity and whose example was bene- offerings from the people of that as to books that ought to be in this library. The library will be kept in the County Judge's office. We think The Woodmen lodge selected Messrs. this is a valuable move, as it gives an opportunity for self improvement along professional lines.

#### SETTLEMENT WANTED.

My books and accounts are at J. C. Street's store, where all indebted pathy of the lodge as a body and to me are urged to call and settle with Mr. Walter Bayley at once. I have been as lenient as possible with those who owe me, but now I must ask all to settle at once. Do not delay, but be sure to pay before Jan. 1. I must have the money.

CLYDE FAULKNER.

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#### STOCK NOTICE.

My Jersey male is at my farm a short distance south of Goldthwaite, on Big Valley road and a charge of \$2 will be made for service. Pastur-Will Woody, who is a student of age can be furnished when desired. J. C. STREET.

The young people were both reared

#### Eczema.

The constantly itching, burning sen sation and other disagreeable forms, of eczema, tetter, salt rheum or skin eruptions promptly cured by Dr. Hobson's Eczema Ointment. Geo. W. Fitch of Mendota, Ill., says: "I pur." chased a box of Dr. Hobson's Eczema Ointment. Have had Eczema ever since the civil war, have been treated by many doctors, none have given the benefit that one box of Dr. Hobson's Eczema Ointment has." Every sufferer should try it. We're. so positive it will help you we guar. antee it or money refunded. At all druggists or by mail, 50c.-Pfeiffer Chemical Co. Philadelphia & St. Louis, -Advertisement.



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who met the funeral party at Temple on the sad journey to this city, was its members individually to the bereaved, wife and other members of While attempting to separate two mours with the backward and the grief-stricken family. Most of the business concerns an

the people observed the Christmas holiday, but the rural mail carriers had to make their trips the same as on other days. It does seem that these faithful public servants should be allowed to spend this most im-

as pall bearers and Mr. W. C. Dew,

25c, 50c and \$1.00 per bottle. Sold number of the friends of the family pharmacy in Galveston, is spending For full particulars see or phone me. (Adv assembled at the residence to join the holidays with his home folk.

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M. THOMPSON. - - Editor

Commence the new year with the resolve to do your best for the upbuilding of the town and county.

have settled down to business again, we should all resolve to buy everything we need from our local dealers and thereby help our county and our has taken up the question of the dehome town.

. Bad roads are reported all over central and southern Texas and the business interests of many towns have suffered because of the impassable condition of the roads, caused by the recent overflows and excessive rains.

The Waco school board is considering the advisability of segregating shown to be the best adapted as well the sexes in the public school in that city. The board believes that the separation will be beneficial and cause all the students to give better attention to their studies.

The rains have been excessive throughout this section the last few months and have caused a great deal of inconvenience in the way of bad roads and delayed work, but we all hope that in the end we will receive benefits on account of the good season is is ground that will more than offset the damage we have suffered legal holiday to be known as 'good and the inconvenienc we have endured.

The action of Gen. Villa's troops at Chihuahua and the fact that he confiscated a great amount of the property of the people who had surrendered put the constitutionalist com mander in bad repute all over the country and did violence to the cause they represent. The order of Villa issued later forbidding looting and announcing that soldiers or others found guilty of looting would be executed has had the effect of reinstating the old rebel in the estimation of many.

Too many people consider the chick in this great work. ens as a sort of essential nuisance- ences exist between government agen essential because everybody keeps cies and the advocates of highways them and a nuisance because they are intended almost entirely for automomore trouble than they are worth, bile tourists. Representative Shack-The latter is true in most cases be- leford, Chairman of the House Roads Committee, has taken a pronounced scrubs and un-

#### THE NATIONAL CAPITAL.

Events of Interest From the Seat of Government.

Washington, D. C. December 20,-In these days when anything transpires connected with the development of the cattle industry and thereby causing a lowering of prices, it is watched with interest. The Department of agriculture deserves much credit for its efforts on behalf of the nation as a whole. Its branches reach out and embrace everything that will lead to the betterment of the farmer's life in his continual strug-When the holidays are over and we gle, not only for existence, but for the betterment of his surroundings. With this end in view the Department pleted western grazing lands with their greatly reduced areas, consequent to their being thrown open for settlement. To discover what is the best vegetation for grazing purposes, extensive experiments have been carried on in these states from Canada to the Mexican border. As the result of these experiments timothy is as the cheapest of the twenty-two varieties tested under this great divergence of climate conditions. Only forty-two per cent of the alfalfa and fifteen per cent of the alsike clover, respectfully, gave partly or wholly satisfactory returns. No species yet

tried can be economically introduced in the hot, dry foothills of Calfornia, Arizona and New Mexico where the land is distinctly arid.

Congressman Ferris of Oklahoma is the author of a bill to establish a roads day," and Representatives Brynes and Stephans have measures calling for federal and state co-operation

in road building. The opening of this question and the introduction of a number of bills on the subject immediately following the convening of the regular session indicates that the governors who "worked on the road" created a worthy sentiment, in as much as the Feris measure is a sort of suggestion that shoveling dirt may become a social event. The other bills seek to secure substantial financial assistance from the federal government to be used in co-operating with the states and local authorities

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## **GREETINGS**!

We take this method of expressing our thanks to all our friends for the loyal manner in which they have stood by us with their banking business during the year just coming to a close and assure them, one and all, that the Trent State Bank is in better position now than ever before to care for their financial needs.

We fully appreciate your business in our line and we will always use our very best efforts to make our relations mutually pleasant. We wish each of you

A Happy And Prosperous Year During 1914

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Rainfall at Goldthwaite from Dec. 1 to Dec. 24 ...... 3.85 in.

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otal Rainfall for 1913 to above date.

productive and because they are stand in favor of good dirt roads that merely a side line that gets little at. will connect up farming communities tention. There are few well managed with towns, and he wants lots of them farms however, but that have fine, rather than routes that stretch out pains, or other kidney and bladder profitable flocks of well-kept hens, across great distances. and they contribute no small part to Isthmus of Panama is surpassing all the pleasure of the life on the farm .--previous records. Almost every one Farm and Ranch.

A reception was held in Santiago, Chile, a few days ago in honor of former President Roosevelt, who was in that city. During the evening a former diplomat of that country made the statement that the Monroe doctrine was a dead issue and that conditions which caused the promulgation of the doctrine by President Monroe had entirely disappeared. The former president, wihle expressing regret that the controversy was necessary, vigorously denied the statement of the speaker and assured his hearers that the Monroe doctrine was still a vital principle of the foreignpolicy of this government.

Railroad building in Texas at the present time is at a standstill, caused chiefly by the incessant rains which consideration to a system of co-opera- Props., Buffalo, N. Y. have fallen all over the state during tive laws, extending to the farmer the the past thirty days and construction facilities adapted to his business that of new mileage will continue to be is now afforded corporations. hampered for some time on account | Legislation should be based upon of the heavy damage wrought by the needs of that large body of intelthe recent floods. There are now eleven unfinished railroads and in- constitute the great bulk of populatio terurbans in Texas; eight are new as well as assisting the incompetent. steam lines and three are electric rallways. These incompleted lines suffered a hundred thousand dollars loss should be carefully studied by the caused by the recent deluge, by wash- next legislature and methods of co-opouts, misplaced and destroyed track eration and assistance extended to material and bridges. Several of those roads which have only recently privation to all Texas lines in revenue

cial Secretaries.

President Wilson, whose plans to spend the hol'days in the Canal Zone Canal for tourists in the south, middle west and far western states, is

#### RADFORD'S PLATFORM.

The laws of Texas relating to busi- ed improvement after I had taken a ness are wholly unsuited to the trans- few doses, and after I had finished actions of the farmer. Our methods of preparing cotton for the market are wasteful and our holding plans are inadequate to meet the imperative needs of the farmer. We must give the same care and

ligent and progressive farmers, that Every movement and transaction of liberal terms to purchasers. cotton from the field to the spinner meet the necessity.

Farm tenancy is the greatest menauthoritative information .-- Commer- sapping the vitality of agriculture. PETER RADFORD.

Those having the misfortune to suf fer from backache, urinary disorders, gravel, dropsical swellings, rheumatic disorders will read with gratificaton The volume of tourist travel to the this encouraging statement by a Goldthwaite man:

GOLDTHWAITE MAN'S LUCKY

FIND

Will Interest Readers of the Eagle.

J. C. Fulton, Goldthwaite, Texas, in official Washington has visited the says: "About three years ago I was great ditch, with the exception of taken down in the bed with a severe pain in the small of my back. Often I was so bad that I had to have 'ashave been interrupted by Congress.A sistance in changing from one posiconvenient short cut to the Panama tion to another. The kidney secretions were too frequent and painful in passage and highly colored. I demade possible by the special pleasure cided to try Doan's Kidney Pills, as I cruises sailing from New Orleans. had often heard that they were good

> for kidney trouble, and I procured a box at Clements' Drug Store. I notictwo boxes I was able to go back to work."

Price 50c at all dealers. Don't simply ask for a kidney remedy-get Doan's Kidney Pills-the same that Mr. Fulton had. Foster-Milburn Co., (Ad)

#### PIANOS AND ORGANS.

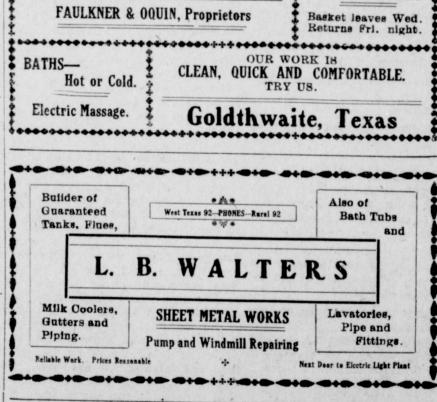
I have engaged to sell pianos and organs for Gartman Bros. and will appreciate the patronage of my friends and the general public. I sell high grade instruments and will take stock in part payment and can offer

If you think of buying a piano or organ write, phone or see me.

#### R. W. BYNUM.

#### Cured of Liver Complaint.

"I was suffering with liver comopened for operation also suffered se- ace now confronting the state and plaint" says Iva Smith of Point. vere impairment, while the total de- can only be checked by affording the Blank, Texas, "and decided to try a tenant and the laborer facilities for 25e box of Chamberlain's Tablets, loss and physical damage was ap- acquiring property and reducing the and am happy to say that I am comproximately \$2,0000,000, according to high rates of interest which are now pletely cured and can recommend them to everyone." For sale by R. E. Clements. (Adv



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#### NEIGHBORING NEWS

Items Culled From the Leading Local Papers.

LOMETA F. M. Hendley has purchased the

J. A. Smith farm consisting of 320 acres. The farm is located three, miles east of Lometa and is a most valuable piece of land.

Mrs. J. W. McCully and son Clarence are here from Waco to spend Christmas with Mrs. McCully's mother, Mrs. M. E. Nevans, and other rela- Star.

tives. The entertainment given by the ladies of the Methodist church proved to be a most pleasant affair to those in attendance, as well as Office in the profitable occasion for the ladies.

Work on the Masonic building just rapidly as possible and if the weather is favorable the building will be

completed within the next thirty days, here Sunday, guests in the home of Last Sunday afternoon at the Meth- Ben Peak. They will probably reodist parsonage Rev. Charles Doak performed the marriage ceremony that united Raymond Kirby and Miss Ber-

#### tha Fisher .- Reporter. COMANCHE

Sheriff Jack Cunningham returned Sunday from Austin, where he placed out to graze, found his way to the Tom Campbell, an adjudged lunatic, transfer track of the H. & T. C. at L. E. Patterson in the state asylum.

Work has been delayed on the new brick plant to be erected in Comanche, awaiting the pleasure of the railroad in constructing a switch to the site.

The Comanche Indians .met their Waterloo in a fast game with Hous- turkeys which his wife raised with ton Saturday, score 20 to 0, and with little trouble on their place some it went the High School champion- eight miles south of Lampasas. They ship of the state.

Switzer, government gin reporter, 20,- This will go a long ways towards pro-390 bales of cotton had been ginned viding for the wants of the family, in Comanche county up to Dec. 1, com- though Mr. Yarborough raises corn, pared with 32,250 up to same date last oats, cotton and other crops as well

#### HAMILTON

Last Wednesday night at the First Baptist church in this city were celebrated the solemn rites of matrimony between Mr. V. Reese, late of Waco, and Miss Edner Misener, the charming daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Misener of this city. The ceremony was performed by Dr. W. B Everett, in the presence of a large crowd of invited friends.

A most shocking affair was the deat near Vista on the morning of the 8th of Miss Myrtle Blackburn, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Billy Blackburn, from tity of oil began flowing.

#### left the next day for her future home in Dallas.-News.

The committee was very successful in their canvass of the town for the relief of flood sufferers last week and something over \$100 was contributed in cash in addition to other supplies.

Dennis Sullivan has the contract to move the Methodist church from its present location 200 feet north and 30 feet east. This move is for the purpose of making preparations for the erection of the new building .-

#### LAMPASAS

Mat W. Poole has again been employed by the city of Lampasas to take care of the water department. Dock Brown, a son of Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Brown, was brought in from east of the railroad will be pushed as Bell county Sunday night, suffering with typhoid fever.

> Mr. and Mrs. Elton Noble were turn here for a longer visit before going to their home in San Antonio. Mrs. Noble and Mrs. Peak are sisters. J. G. Spralding lost a good work

> horse Monday night in a peculiar manner, the horse having been turned

the crossing near the Hanna Springs and there fell through the trestle work hanging only by his hind feet, in which position he died and was found there Tuesday morning.

C. C. Yarborough reports that he has sold more than \$200,00 worth of have some yet to sell and the entire

According to the report of Sam crop will reach something like \$250.

as turkeys. The best way to destroy the grasshoppers is to raise plenty of turkeys, and allow your neighbor the same privilege. The turkeys and grasshoppers do not seem to do well together, but the turkeys do well where there is a good grasshopper range,-Leader.

#### BROWNWOOD.

When Driller Jack Pippin of the Brownwood Oil and Gas company returned to work yesterday, after a delay of about a month, he met with a surprise when, after sending his drill down about thirty feet a good quan-

What is believed to be an immense the effects of a dose of carbolic acid. The young lady had gotten up before lignite coal field has been discovered All kinds of Dental operations per daylight and put on her clothes and in the eastern part of Brown county, formed, including treatment of then went to her mother's room for and some 900 acres have been leased some warm water. Returning to her by G. S. Wilson and Rice Stewart bedroom she changed her clothes and for the purpose of exploitation. The it is supposed immediately took the field is located on and near the 400fatal drug and lay down on the bed, acre farm-ranch of J. R. Heffner, covering her face with a pillow. Her about midway between Blanket and Zephyr, and four miles from the tle later, but she could not do it and Santa Fe railroad. when others came they found her al-If the citizens of Brownwood will Blacksmith & Woodworkman 💤 most gone. She died in about fifteen subscribe \$50,000 the Synod of Texas minutes. No reason can be assign- will immediately give in cash the Dees a general line of Black- - ed why she would want to take her sum of \$110,000 to Daniel Baker col-+ smin and woodwork. Repair- + life. She had lately been to Dallas, lege, for the purpose of providing ad-+ ing of all kinds neatly and + where took a course in book-keep ditional building and equipment and + promptly done at reasonable + ing, and was preparing for a business paying all the outstanding indebted-+ prices. Difficult jobs solicited. + career. She left no note of any kind ness of the institution. This news and some think'she did not intend to was brought from Austin by Dr. \* kill herself. Her sisters heard her Junkin, president of the college, who up during the night and could smell has been in conference with the ex-+ + + + + + + + + + + + + + + + carbolic acid, as if she had taken ecutive committee. It is the plan and





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some before getting enough to cause hope of the committee and anthoriher death. We learn that her clothes ties of the college that Brownwood's that she had on when she first went part of this fund may be raised and to her mother's room have not been construction work begun on the new found also \$15 in money that she was building by march 1st, and that the known to have is missing. A few buildings will be completed and ready days before she burned up every pic- for use by the opening of the next ture she had of herself and other cir- session, in September .-- Bulletin. cumstances seem to point to the fact

SAN SABA. R. J. Mauldin made a business trip to Brownwood last week.

George Gartman of Goldthwaite is here visiting his sister, Mrs. J. C. Cook

just right.-Herald.

S. T. Taylor spent Sunday at Goldthwaite with his father, who has been seriously ill.

Carson Bros. have bought'the manot fit to wear. Why not make a chinery at the old roller mill and are trunk full of new and fresh suits to enlarging and further building the

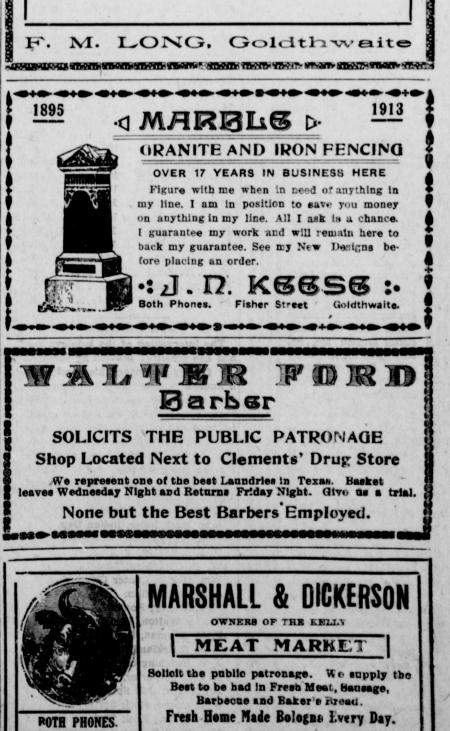
> A delightful social event of the past week was that of Wednesday afternoon, when Misses Ada Walker and

that her mind' may not have been California Woman Seriously Alarmed. "A short time ago I contracted a severe cold which settled on my lungs and caused me a great deal of annoyance. I would have bad coughing spells and my lungs were so sore and inflamed I began to be seriously alarmed. A friend recommended

> Chamberlain's Cough Remedy, saying she had used it for years. I bought a bottle and it relieved my cough the first night and in a week I was rid of the cold and soreness of my lungs." writes Mrs. Marie Gerber, Sawtelle, Cal. For sale by R. E. Clements(Adv)

#### LAND FOR SALE

Good farm of 320 acres, just two Anna Martin entertained at the home miles from Goldthwaite. Fenced with of Miss Walker with a parting gift other improvements. Will sell at a party for Miss Ruth Sanderson, who bargain. See W. E. Pardue.



#### The Goldthwaite Eagle

Saturday, December 27, 1913.

Earl Yates who is a student in school in Brownwood is at home for the holy days.

Bring your second-hand chop, bran and oat bags to Pardue & Ashley.(ad Miss Brockie Smith was here from Brownwood spending Christmas with

relatives. Mrs. A. V. Lane went to Brady Wed

nesday to spend Christmas with her 1 daughter.

Roof and stack paint for sale by J. H. Kelly. (Adv.)

Gus Fisk went to San Angelo Wednesday night to spend Christmas with relatives.

Miss Addye Hudson, who is a teacher in the public school at Kemp, is at home for the holidays. 21

Miss Mattye Palmer, who is a student in Sam Houston Normal at Huntsville, is spending the holidays at home Prof. Jeter, princ pal of the Star school, went to DeLeon Tuesday night to spend the holidays with relatives.

Prof. A. H. Daniel, principal of the 29. Goldthwa'te public school, left Wednesday for Palestine to spend Christmas. 32.

Miss Eva Welch of Dublin is spend-<br/>ing the holidays with her grand par-<br/>ents, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. McLeod, and<br/>other relatives.33.....2,000<br/>34....2,000<br/>35....2,000<br/>36....2,000

Miss Lilla Williamson of Temple spent Christmas with her sister, who is one of the efficient teachers in the Goldthwaite school.

D. J. Revnolds, one of the leading42meanare Mullin country, had business in this city Tuesday and made43the Eagle a pleasant call.45

One of the most appropriate Christmas presents we have known of being given was a subscription to the Eagle by Mrs. P. H. Clements to her friend Mrs. L. B. Porter.

Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Fuller and their daughter, Miss Lois, left the first of the week for Birm ngham, Ala., to spend the holidays with relatives at his old home. 56 85 240

Mr. Joe Hudson of Sarcoxie, Mo.,<br/>who is spending the winter at Sweet-<br/>whiter, visited Lewis Hudson and fam-<br/>ily here the first of the week and left<br/>Tuesday for Round Rock to visit his<br/>brother, Rev. John Hudson.57.....2,000<br/>58....2,000<br/>60....18,355<br/>61....2,000<br/>62....2,000

John R. Oglesby returned Monday from Mitchell county, where he had been for a month or more preparing a residence to which he will move his family about the first of the new year. He reports plenty of rain there.

Vote Count in B. A. Harris' Plano 0 Contest-Count Each Wednesday. 1.....100,281 3.....2,000 0 4.....2,000 101.....2,990 17.....2,000 107.....13,845 108.....2,000 111.....2,000 26.....2,000 27.....2,000 115.....2,000 116.....2,000 118.....165,295 30.....2,000 120.....2,000 32.....2,000 122.....2,000 123.....2,000 124.....2,000 37.....2,000 126.....2,000 38.....2,000 40.....2,000 128.....2,000 41.....2,000 130.....2,000 132.....2,000 44.....2,000 46.....2,000 138.....2,000 53.....2,000 142......20,745 143.....126,155 55.....2,000 57.....2,000 145.....2,000 59.....2,000 148......37,195 sports, 63.....2,000

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#### 131......2,000 SCHOOL IMPROVEMENT LEAGUE. The Teachers Institute was visited 133......2,000 Monday by Mr. T. C. Yantis and Dr. 134.....2,000 J. W. McCarver of Brownwood. These 135......21,495 gentlemen were here in response to an invitation by Judge Allen for the tion of the Rural School Improvement 139......2,000 League for Mills county. The organization stands for: 1. Better sanitation in the schools. 2. Better constructed and equipped 144.....2,000 school houses. 3. Better water for the children to 147......2,000 4. Better provisions for healthful 149.......26,915 5. Better moral and physical de-150.....154,450 velopment of the child. 151.....127,730 6. Better kept and more attractive

151.....127,7306. Better kept and more attractive152......2,000school grounds.153.....121,2007. Better trained and more effic-154.....2,000lent teachers.155......2,0008. Better co-operation by parents

155......2,000 8. Better co-operation by parents 156.....145,490 and trustees.

--If you intend to sell land get 70.....118,155 your abstract of the title thereto pre 71.....2,000 pared first, otherwise the delay in 72.....11,160 perfecting your title may cause you 73.....2,000 to miss a sale.--E. B. ANDERSON. 74.....2,000 Abstractor. 75.....2,000

Miss Myrtle Cothrum, of Russellville, Ala., says: "For nearly a year, I suffered with terrible backache, pains in my limbs, and my head ached nearly all the time. Our family doctor treated me, but only gave me temporary relief. I was certainly in bad health. My school teacher advised me to TAKE The Woman's Tonic I took two bottles, in all, and was cured. I shall always praise Cardui to sick and suffering women." If you suffer from pains peculiar to weak, women, such as beadache, backache, or other symptoms of womanly trouble, or if you merely need a tonic for that tired, nervous, worn-out feeling, try Cardui.

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#### OUR FRIENDS.

The intervening of the holidays has had the effect of preventing some of our friends renewing this week, but a number made it convenient to renew since last report and we thank them very much. We are always glad to receive renewals and new subscribers, although we do not personally solicit people to subscribe for the paper or pay for it. Those who have renewed since last report are:

Walter Brown, Goldthwaite. John Mark Boler, Indian Gap. J. H. Benn'ngfield, South Bennett, D. J. Reynolds, Mullin. W. H. Carothers, Lometa, Wm, Biddle, Center City. J. J. Ince, Mullin. Elmer Berry, Route 3. Arthur Walton, Lometa, F. P. Bowman, Star. C. E. Strickland, Goldthwaite. J. P. Hutchingson, Center City. Mrs. L. B. Porter, Tettus. Jul Kauhs, Bull Springs. S. L. Cooke, Rock Springs. Webb Bros., Rock Springs. Mrs. M. G. Biscoe, Arkadelphia, Ark. Flossie Knowles.

#### MARRIED IN TEMPLE

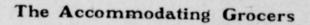
Earl Power and Miss Aublye Taylor were married in Temple Monday night, in the presence of a few relatives. Harry Martin and wife of this

> city were among those attending the wedding, which was qu'te a surprise to the many friends of the young pe ple in this city and at Mullin. The groom is a son of Mrs. J.G.Power of this city and is engaged in real estate business in Waco. The bride was reared at Mullin and is a daughter of W. I. Taylor of that city. She has been attending Baylor college since the opening of the fall session. They are both popular with a large circle of friends here and in other parts of the county, who join in wishing them a long life of happiness.

Mr. and Mrs. Power will make their home in Waco.

#### MARRIAGE LICENSE

County Clerk Summy has been doing a pretty good business in the marriage license department the last few days. Since last report the following licenses have been issued: I. S. Jones and Miss Anner M. Spivey, Ferd Sullivan and Miss Eva Crawford, Sam Hammett and Miss Eula Dear, R. L. Fortune and Miss Ida Caraway, E. H. Cannon and Miss Flossie Knowles.



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## More Truth than Poetry

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## Second Hand Case Sulky Single Disc Plow---Bargain---Mills County Hardware Cu.

#### For Sale-A good No. 3 Oliver typewriter.-J. H. Kelly.

W. A. L. Graves and family visited in Brownwood yesterday.

F. D. Wilson and family spent Christmas with relatives in Mellin.

Malcolm Darroch of Fredericksburg spent Christmas with his brother, J. C. Darroch, in this city.

Roger Smith and wife of Grayson county are here visiting relatives and friends. Mrs. Smith is a sister of Rev. J. T. Weems.

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

We have just unloaded a car of flour, bran and chops. All fresh. Let us fill your orders .- Bateman & Irwin.

Weems & Burks-New and second hand furniture. We exchange, rent, sell on easy payments and pay cash for second hand furniture .- Next to postiffice (Adv)

Capt. M. J. Strickland of Gatesville has been here this week visiting relatives and friends. This is his first well.

A. Harris the residence just north of Fisher street and will move it to another lot. Mr. Harris will build a modern residence on the site of the building sold to Mr. Urquhart.

President L. E. Miller requests all members of the Commercial club to be present at the meeting the first Monday night in January, at which time some important business will be transacted and other interesting features will be introduced to make the members all glad of being present

Members here of the Woodmen of they learned of the death of Sovereign will be installed at this meeing, Commander J. C. Root, founder of the order, at Hendersonville, N. C., Wednesday night, W. A. Frazier, commander of the Texas division of the order has been made sovereign commander and it is not unlikely the headquarters will be moved from Omaha to Dallas.

Starling Casey, who has been bookkeeper for the Geeslin Mercantile Co. for a number of years, has resigned the position and will likely man, although he has several busi**A Prosperous New Year** TO OUR FRIENDS AND CUSTOMERS

We extend to you our best wishes for a Very Happy and Prosperous New Year. We wish to thank you for the many kind favors that you have extended to us throughout the year now drawing to a close, and trust we have been able to please you and to merit a continuance of your patronage in the New Year. May you especially enjoy the Holidays and may health, wealth and happiness be yours for 1914.

## YOUR FRIENDS THE GOLDTHWAITE NATIONAL BANK

#### STAR

Christmas time 's here and joy is visit in several years and his friends on the face of every one. This Christare delighted to see him looking so mas will be one of the most joyous times Star has ever had, for with her J. D. Urquhart has bought from B. brand new school house and the prospects for a bumper crop next year, the West Texas telephone office on the people seem lifted up and are look ing into the future with happier hearts than ever before.

The Woodmen met in regular session Saturday night and discussed the advisability of giving a banquet at the next regular meeting night in January. Three committees were appointed, as follows: A. L. Smith, R. C. Campbell and O. N. Ham'lton, commitee on management; G. D. Burney, J. M. Woods and J. M. Wright; committee to make coffee for supper; B. P. Goode, L. N. Myers, directors of music. The supper will be given to the World lodge were grieved when Woodmen and their families. Officer

> R. L. Boykin has bought the H. H. Faulkner residence and will move by the first of January.

> Hamilton & Smith have bought the R. L. Boykin mill and chopper, engine and all, complete, and will have it in operation soon.

Miss Irma Hawkins of Denton is visiting relatives here.

Prof. W. A. Jeter and Miss Donald Oldfield left for Goldthwalte, to ataccept a position as a traveling sales- tend the institute. Mrs. D. I. Hawkins was unable to attend on account of illness



ness propositions open to him and has not yet announced a decision. Mr. Casey is a good business man and a most efficient bookkeeper and week. has the esteem and confidence of everybody and we all wish him unlabor.



very low this year

Tickets on sale between all points in Texas, December 19, 20, 21, 22; 23, 24, 25, 26, 31, 1913, and January 1, 1914, limited until January 6, 1914, for return.

Tickets on sale from all points in Texas to points in Oklahoma, Arkansas, Louisiana and to Memphis, Tennessee, December 23, 24, 25, 26, 31, 1913, and January 1. 1914, limited until January 6, 1914, for final return.

Tickets on sale from all points in Texas to points in Alabama, Florida, Georgia, Kentucky, Mississippi, North and South Carolina, Tennessee, Virginia, and to Washington, D. C., Chicago, Ill., Kansas City and St. Louis, Mo., and Denver, Colorado Springs, Pueblo and Trinidad, Colorado, also to certain points in Louisiana, Dec. 20, 21, 22, 1913, limited to January 18, 1914, for final return,

For Detailed Fares Call on J. M. ARNOLD Santa Fe Agent, Goldthwaite.

John Taylor of Hamilton had business in this community one day last

Jim Hamilton's new residence is now completed and ready for occu- To My Customers and Friends In limited success in his new field of pancy, and he has moved some of his furniture in.

Henry Morris' residence is nearing thwaite it is with much regret, becompletion rapidly. It will be one of cause of the very pleasant and prof-

the nicest residences in the town. per to paper his new home.

Hugh Soules of Roscoe is visiting relatives here.

Henry Peck returned from Waco, where he attended the Masonic Grand Lodge.

A charter has been granted the Mason'c lodge here. The Masonic hall is idea that I have sold my right and located over Hawkins & Shaves big cannot again practice medicine in drug store and greatly adds to the ap- Goldthwaite. pearance of the store.

R. C. Campbell received news from his brother, Mr. Walter Campbell of

in Gatesville.

thoroughly in harmony with the prosperity and progress of the country. The young people enjoyed a party at and competent physician worthy of Mr. and Mrs. O. N. Hamilton's home your confidence and patronage. last Saturday night. All report a jolly time.

A musicale was given at tht Steph- place about once a week and will be ans home one night last week.

On account of the absence of teachers, we had no Sunday school last Sunday. However, the young people enjoyed singing for awhile. We' expect a good attendance next Sunday. REPORTER.

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## BUSINESS ANOUNCEMENT

and Around Goldthwaite:

In discontinuing my office at Golditable relations with you in the Cyrus Fields has received wall pa- past. I have not sold my good will

or right to practice medicine in Goldthwaite or anywhere in Texas. While I do not expect my former customers to regard me longer as their family physician, yet I will be pleased to

answer any calls for professional service. This statement is made necessary because some have gotten the

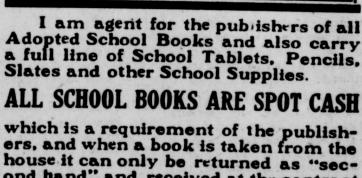
While I regret to leave my practice at Goldthwaite, I am truly glad my former customers will have active Simonton, Texas, that they were flood and competent physicians to select bound. He was taken off the roof of from. It is needless for me to speak his house by boats and lost everything of my former partner, Dr. Lowrie, or they had except a mattress and trunk of my congenial associate, Dr. Camp-Mrs. T. J. Hamilton returned one bell. They are too well known to day last week from a visit to relatives need my mention, but I desire to say that I have sold my office fix-Frank Soules' \$1500 residence is tures, including Xray machine, to Dr. rapidly nearing completion. Mr. L. P. McCrary, for whom I have a Soules will have one of the best high regard. I have made careful homes in this community, and it is inquiry and I do not hesitate to recommend him as being not only a Christian gentleman, but a careful

> I expect to have financial interests in Goldthwaite and will visit that

delighted to make such visits.

Again thanking you for your former patronage, allow me to wish for you a merry Christmas and a happy and prosperous new year.

> Yours truly, M. L. BROWN, M. D.



SCHOOL BOOKS

ond hand" and received at the contract price. A strict observance of these requirements will save annoyance to all concerned. I cannot let books be taken out on credit.

## J. H. Logan, M. D. **Drugs and School Supplies**

Roof and stack paint for sale by J. H. Kelly. (Adv.) Mullin yesterday for a visit to rela-

The Everly Co. are moving their goods to their building next door to develop into pneumonia, but treat it be located.

tives.

Miss Bessie and Mrs. Jessie Rigsby returned to their home in Brown- tation by its cures of these diswood Friday morning, after a Christ- eases. It is most effectual and is mas visit to W. R. Rigsby and J. S. Caldwell and their families.

How to Bankrupt the Doctors A prominent New York physician Grover Dalton and family went to says, "If it were not for the thin stockings and thin soled shoes worn by women the doctors would probably be bankrupt." When you contract a cold do not wait for it to at once. Chamberlain's Cough Remedy is intended especially for coughs and colds, and has won a wide repumost pleasant to take. For sale by R. E. Clements.

(Adv)



time.

mext week.

Vermifuge. It not only destroys worms, if there be any, but it acts as a strengthening tonic in the stomach and bowels. Price 25c .per bottle. Sold by R. E. Clements. (ad)

Tuesday to spend the holidays.

children's coughs, boarseness and ments.

week to look after some business matcers in Fort Worth and expected to go from there to Ladonia to spend Christmas with relatives.

dinary remedies require both external Clements.