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WE WANT YOU TO GET THE HABIT OF LETTING GEESLIN KNOW YOUR WANTS
LET US BE YOUR STORE OF SERVICE FOR NINETEEN HUNDRED AND FOURTEEN

Spring Goods Are Arriving Daily

Our Spring Goods are arriving Daily and when you want a New Spring Dress come to Geeslin's. We also have the Latest in Slippers. Mention might be made of the fact that Miss Grundy will trim for us this season and will start for market within a few days to learn the Latest in Headgear for her customers in this line.

GEESLIN'S GROCERY DEPARTMENT

is stocked with the Best in every line and a trial of our Goods and Service will cause you to become a regular customer. We want all your Chickens, Butter, Eggs and other Produce. Highest Market Prices paid---Cash or Goods.

B. F. Geeslin Mercantile Company

"The Home of Economy"

"The House with a Conscience"

COMMERCIAL CLUB.

Interesting and Enthusiastic Meeting. Standing Committees Appointed.

The regular monthly meeting of the Goldthwaite Commercial club was held in the court house Tuesday night. There was an unusually large attendance and much interest was manifested. Seven new members were received at this meeting.

The committee to secure subscriptions to pay the salary of the night watchman was granted further time and L. R. Conro was appointed as a member of the committee in place of W. H. Walton, who has moved to Lometa.

The secretary was instructed to communicate with the express company and the railroad commission and secure, if possible, the establishment of the free delivery of express in the town.

A committee composed of B. F. Geeslin, J. C. Street, J. H. Randolph, L. E. Miller, W. H. Trent, Jas. Rahl and R. M. Thompson was appointed to confer with the commissioners concerning the county road work. By the time the club President W. C. was added to this committee.

It was decided to hold a county fair in Goldthwaite some time during the year and also place an exhibit of products at the Dallas Fair, provided the co-operation of the public can be secured. The advertising committee was instructed to prepare an article for publication in the Eagle setting forth the club's desires in the matter and asking for the co-operation of the people of the county.

President Dew announced the appointment of the following standing committees for the year:

Roads—B. F. Geeslin, J. H. Randolph, J. C. Street.

Advertising—Will H. Trent, H. G. Bodkin, W. K. Marshall.

Membership—L. E. Miller, T. F. Toland, R. M. Thompson.

Fairs—J. H. Randolph, B. F. Geeslin, S. H. Allen, O. H. Yarborough, W. Lee Jones.

New Enterprises—Edward Geeslin, M. J. Thorpe, J. B. Whiteman, W. P. McCullough, B. P. Hurdle.

Social Entertainments—B. A. Harris, C. M. Allen, L. E. Miller, R. E. Clements, Jas. Rahl.

There was considerable discussion of plans for the advancement of the interests of the county and town, after which the club adjourned to meet on the first Tuesday night in March.

SAME OVER HERE.

Kicking about taxes being high has been in order the past month. Of course the right to kick is an American privilege and when taxes jump in one year like they have in the past year the News is the last to object to folks kicking. There has been, no doubt, the highest raise in taxes the people have experienced at one jump in a long time. The point we desire to emphasize is that people are likely to kick in the wrong direction. As an instance last week some one individual was packing the blame for the increased taxes at the door of the commissioners court. The News made an investigation of this proposition and we find that the county tax rate for 1912 was 51 1-3 cents on the \$100 valuation and for 1913 the rate was 52 cents, only two-thirds of a cent raise. This is not enough raise to be appreciably felt. The raise that has been felt was in the state rate, the reason for which the state administration has often explained.—San Saba News.

J. F. Keeling and wife of Brownwood visited J. A. Gillespie and family in this city the first of the week.

Misses Annie and Bettie Pfluger of Priddy were in the city shopping Monday and made the Eagle a pleasant call.

A. J. Priddy and family arrived from Brady the first of the week for a visit to relatives here and at Priddy.

STAR NEWS.

Items of Interest From a Progressive Little City.

Some of the people of this community are needing rain.

Several people killed hogs last cold spell. More people of this community will have hogs to kill next year. They are awakening to the fact that hogs are money makers and are easy to raise.

Our school is still on the upgrade. I don't see how it can stay on the upgrade so very much longer, as it will soon be on the top and I don't know what they will do when it reaches the top; build another grade, I guess!

The health of the community is good at present. There are a few colds and such as the like, but on the whole we are doing fine.

There was to have been choir practice last Thursday night, but it was so cold that it was put off.

W. A. Hawkins made a trip to Goldthwaite one day last week.

Jim Hamilton, Hugh Livingston and Bob Muse went down the road the other night on horse back with a big string of hounds following them. I guess they went hunting. Hope they had a big time.

The Commercial Club intended to meet last Thursday night, but the bitterly cold norther blowing made it too bad for anything but a big roaring fire in a nice warm room. Some of the prominent men of Hamilton intended to be present and discuss some important business with the club.

The writer was unable to attend Sunday school last Sunday, but he knows they had a good time and hopes he will not miss the next session.

Our Sunday school is fast gaining the best efforts of the community and is growing very fast. Not so fast as the bean-stalk that Jack climbed, however.

Z. S. Lee has put a piano in the drug store here. Messrs. Hawkins &

Shave seem to be doing a good business and, of course, the nice piano adds to the appearance of the store.

Music is good anywhere and when we can get it free and in so prominent a place in town and where all the little children can hear it, it does the most good, as the hearer unconsciously absorbs a musical appreciation and the desire for music is fostered in the child that will tend to make it a better man or woman. Take away good music and put before the child tobacco and other noxious influences if you want to lower the moral and intellectual plane of the community. It is just as natural for a child to love music as it is for it to eat. Put music before the child and it will elevate and ennoble it just as surely as food will make it grow. The spirit of a person grows in much the same manner as the body. If you starve the soul you ruin the individual and make nothing more than a highly intellectual beast. MORAL: You can hear a brass band further than you can hear a piano and you can get a brass band as cheap as you can get a piano and in view of the fact that it promotes the health of the players as well as advertises the town and helps the community in a social way, why not get a brass band for Star? If we had a good brass band and the band should give a free concert once every week, how much good would it do the people of Star? The people now come from Goldthwaite to hear the music club's band. How far would they come to hear the Star Brass Band? Advertisement means publicity. Publicity means more people locating here. If we had more people here we would have more money. If we had more money we wouldn't be in such bad circumstances. Emmett Hawkins made a trip to Goldthwaite one day last week.

Rev. L. N. Myers is building a church for Moline.

STAR REPORTER.

CITY COUNCIL.

The Goldthwaite city council held its regular monthly session Monday night with all members present.

The resignation of J. S. Caldwell as city marshal, effective Feb. 10, was received and accepted. Mr. Caldwell gave as his reason for offering the resignation that he was a candidate for sheriff and desired to be free to use his time in campaigning. A successor has been practically agreed upon, but the Eagle is not authorized to give the name.

The street committee was instructed to employ an engineer to survey a forty foot street from Parker street to Reynolds street, between the properties of Judge Roach, P. H. Clements and D. E. Hopkins.

The time for removing the sheds from the front of business places and building drop awnings in their places was extended to April 1, it being understood that this would be the final limit allowed.

FARM FACTS

Make it a point to learn something new every day.

Better production waits on a system of better marketing.

Successful farming is more dependent on brain than brawn.

No man should be contented to let his farm grow meaner while he grows better.

The farm should not only produce the best pumpkins and hogs, but the best people.

The farmer who fails to profit by his mistakes loses one of the best lessons taught by experience.

The man who studies the work in which he is most interested is the man who usually gets the most out of it.

Land values are not computed on the basis of what they produce but on the price the product sells for.

PETER RADFORD

Louis Little has returned from Hamilton, where he spent some time assisting in Little & Sons' business.

Now In The Great Wholesale Markets!

Glad Tidings for the People of Goldthwaite!

Our Buyers are now in the Great Wholesale Markets exerting every effort with discriminating judgment, combined with long buying experience, to make Choice Selections of Merchandise for the people of Goldthwaite and trade territory.

It has been our invariable custom to select merchandise for our valued trade on the basis of QUALITY. Our market trip we regard as one of the most important events in our business and our utmost care is given to even minutest detail. Especially do we select with care---first, the Quality; second, the Pattern; and last but not least, Value to our trade.

For years we have been culling from all lines we carry with the fixed object of discarding all but the best. In this we have been so far successful that the great majority of lines we now carry are direct to us from the manufacturer. For instance:

We buy our Men's Work Shoes from Weinbrenner, manufacturer, Milwaukee, and the demand for these Shoes has been almost universal in our trade territory. Our Men's Dress Shoes come direct to us from C. S. Marshall & Co., manufacturers of high standing, who make Shoes which bear the stamp of excellence and never fail to please. The "Beacon Shoe," another Men's Dress Shoe, that has been a beacon of light to every man desiring a popular priced Dress Shoe. "The Bannister," our Men's Fancy Highest Grade Dress Shoe, is a Shoe that is never turned down by the young man who appreciates being well-dressed---Unequaled for Service and Unapproachable in Appearance.

Our Ladies' Dress Shoe, "The Selsby," direct from the manufacturer, commands the admiration of all the ladies. Beautiful in form, complete in construction and unique in finish, combined with its popularity in price, it finds highest appreciation in taste and purse.

Our lines of Popular Priced Clothing, led by the celebrated Kuppenheimer and Mock Burman, make this department in our business a real Center of Attraction for all who appreciate Nice Clothes.

Our Millinery Department promises to the ladies of Goldthwaite and vicinity a Fashion Center of Special Attractions second to none in Western Texas.

Our Dress Goods and Trimming Departments will invariably be found overflowing with Novelties of the season, with all Staples---full and replete with everything desirable.

Our Grocery Department will always be found ready to serve you. If you take pride in good Flour, we won't be satisfied until you have tried a sack of the Celebrated "Light Crust." Every sack guaranteed, every customer delighted.

Our Hardware Department will suggest more than we can tell, if you will make us a visit, as you know Keen Kutter Tools and Cutlery, Standard Implements from the home of all good plows, and the Deering Harvester, the greatest of its kind known.

Our Leather Department can furnish you just what you want. If it isn't in stock it can be made just as you want it---right on our bench---by a man who knows how, and if your Harness needs repairing it will be done with skill and promptness.

Thanking you one and all for the excellent reception you have given us, we are,
ALWAYS YOURS TO SERVE,

McKINLEY-CORRIGAN COMPANY

The Store of Goldthwaite

A Plank in the Resolutions

We think that any person's New Year Resolution which does not contain a plank to Do Business with Our Bank, needs revising and amending.

Place your money with us and check against it. The system will surely please and will surely help toward the accumulation of a surplus when you need it most.

Gold National Bank
GOLDTHWAITE, TEXAS

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

For Sale—A rubber tired, top buggy in good condition and cheap—L. W. Faulkner.

McKinley-Corrigan Co. pays the price for produce in cash. (Adv.)

Mesdames Whit Smith, S. H. Allen and J. D. Priddy visited in Brownwood yesterday.

Mrs. W. P. Irwin of Long Cove has been a guest of Mr. and Mrs. F. N. Irwin this week.

L. W. Faulkner this week bought a new model Ford car from the local agent, J. N. Weatherby.

I am now taking orders for eggs from Rhode Island Red chickens, prize winners at State fair. Phone orders to Mrs. Sealy. (Adv.)

TORIC

There's a lot of difference between Toric Lenses and Flat Lenses besides their slight extra cost. They give you extra vision and extra comfort. They are better-looking, too. Come and see us about Toric Lenses.

LENSES

L. E. MILLER
Jeweler and Optician

J. C. Street made a business visit to Fort Worth this week.

T. D. Perry is very sick at his home in Miller Grove community and his recovery is believed to be very doubtful. His many friends throughout the county are grieved because of his condition.

Mrs. B. A. Harris returned Thursday from a visit to relatives in San Angelo and Brownwood. Her son, Earl Yates, who has been attending school in Brownwood, came home with her.

Judge George Whitaker writes from Aberdeen, Wash., that he expected to visit his old friends at this place, but sickness interfered with his plans. However, he hopes to make us a visit at no far distant day. He appears to be well pleased with conditions in Washington and says the saw mills are running night and day to keep up with the heavy demand for lumber. There are thirty-six of these mills in the section where he lives.

HEWITT, OKLA.

Editor Eagle:

As it has been a long time since I have seen anything in the dear old Eagle from Oklahoma, I thought I would write and let old Texas know how things are in this country.

We are on the boom up here, as there is a boom on the oil now. We have a fine oil field just north of us about five miles and are putting down wells in our section of the country and have fine prospects for oil.

As to the work there is to do, as some of my old friends have been asking about, there is lots of work to do, but there are plenty of hands to do it, as they come from every part of the country to get work.

Wilson, Okla., is a new railroad station, twenty miles west of Ardmore and one mile west of Hewitt. This is a new railroad and Hewitt did not get a new depot, so the people are all leaving Hewitt and going to Wilson. Wilson is about four months old and has a population of about five or six hundred.

We are having some fine weather now and it is just what is needed for the farmers and the pipe haulers.

Oklahoma is coming to the front, as there are fine gas and oil wells and have fine prospects for more paying wells.

Corn is worth from 80 cents to \$1 per bushel; chops \$1.60 per sack hay 60 cents per bale; teams hauling oil well materials \$5 per day; single hand on public works \$2.00 per day; single hand farm work from \$15.00 to \$20.00 per month. SAM HESTER.

B. Y. P. U.

Program for Sunday, February 8:
Subject—The Being and Nature of God.

Leader—Mr. Daniel.

Song. Prayer. Song.

Scripture Quotations: John 4: 21—Miss Ethel Stephens; Psalm 147: 5—Miss May Perry; Psalm 83: 18—Miss Lizzie Stephens; Hebrews 3: 4—Mr. Whatley; Romans 1: 20—Miss Bettie Lee Jackson; Jeremiah 10: 10—Mr. Sevier.

Song.

The arguments for God's existence:

(1) There must be a first cause—Mr. Bowman; (2) Design in Nature—Maurice Stephens; (3) The nature of man—Judge Allen.

God's existence before the world—Miss Stringer.

There is but one God—Mrs. Ledbetter.

Male Quartette.

What kind of Being is God? (1) A person—Miss Blanche Harper; (2) A spirit—Mr. Daniel; (3) He is perfect—Mr. Wm. Quinn.

Song. Prayer. REPORTER.

CLUB MEETING.

In entertaining her social club, the Merry Maids and Matrons on Tuesday afternoon, Miss Lawrence Thompson magnetized her home with good cheer and the strength gathered rather than waned during the afternoon. There was especial pleasure in this hospitality, as it was marked by the presence of several visitors, the invitation list including Mesdames Eli Fairman, L. R. Conro, M. E. Thompson, Henry Martin, Walter Fairman, J. C. Darroch, J. B. Whiteman, Misses Martin and Kelley.

The many and beautiful pieces of hand work that rapidly grew under the needle and busy fingers proved the spirit of industry accompanied the other pleasure of the meeting.

The salad plate formed the refreshment feature and the usual animated chat was enjoyed.

The usual enthusiasm was shown in the attendance of the members, only two being reconnoitered absent. REPORTER.

A WINTER COUGH.

A stubborn, annoying depressing cough hangs, racks the body, weakens the lungs, and often leads to serious results. The first dose of Dr. King's New Discovery gives relief. Henry D. Sanders of Cavendish, Vt., was threatened with consumption, after having pneumonia. He writes: "Dr. King's New Discovery ought to be in every family; it is certainly the best of medicines for coughs, colds or lung trouble." Good for children's coughs. Money back if not satisfied. Price 50c and \$1.00. Recommended by R. E. Clements. (ad)

J. C. STREET

THE LEADING GROCER



NATURE'S BEST are the only fruits and vegetables used in our canned goods and preserves. Picked where grown and fully ripened they are at once put into cans and jars with all their goodness retained. Try them if you want something extra good for the table.

FIELD and GARDEN SEEDS

Mebane Cotton Seed for sale at \$1.00 PER BUS

These seed are from cotton grown by Mr. Hightower from Mebane seed bought by him at \$2.50 per bushel.

THEY ARE GENUINE

Also Cane seed, Corn seed, Seed Irish Potatoes, Etc. Garden seed in abundance. Come and get 'em.

GIVE US YOUR ORDER FOR FRESH GROCERIES

We BUY What the Farmer SELLS

Both Phones . . J. C. STREET . . Goldthwaite

AN EXPLANATION.

For the benefit of all interested parties this communication is published. There are some who seem to misunderstand the reasons for collecting the tuitions for all pupils not residing in the Goldthwaite Independent School District. Below is an exact explanation of the same.

I. The state provides that the county superintendent may transfer all pupils between the ages of seven and seventeen from any district to an adjacent district if sufficient reasons for such transfer exist.

II. The County Board of Education shall transfer all pupils of high school rank from any district not maintaining a high school of the proper classification to an adjacent district maintaining a high school of the proper classification; provided an agreement can be reached between the local school board and the County Board of Education.

III. In compliance with this law the board of trustees of the Goldthwaite Independent School District, upon request, met with the County Board of Education to negotiate for the transfer of such pupils to this district. This was on Oct. 25, 1913. The following agreement was reached: "The County Board of Education shall pay to the Board of Education of the city of Goldthwaite six dollars and fifty cents (\$6.50) for each pupil attending the Goldthwaite public school from rural districts of Mills county. In return for which the pupils so transferred shall be entitled to free tuition in the Goldthwaite High school for such time as the free school money of said school districts shall last, the total amount to be based upon the actual scholastic enrollment in the Goldthwaite Public Schools; such free tuition to apply to the first part of the school term. It was further agreed that all such pupils wishing to continue in school after that time should pay tuition as designated by the Board of Trustees." REPORTER.

COUNTY COURT.

County Court will convene in this city Monday, March 2, and the following named citizens have been drawn as jurors to appear at 1:30 p. m. that day:

W. G. Welch	W. J. Benningfield
S. J. Bachelor	C. J. Brown
J. S. Beck	T. A. Gardner
J. A. Rogers	Ed Davis
R. C. Johnson	John Tippen
Wm. Denaard	Edward Geeslin
Joe Curtis	Austin Cook
C. M. Allen	S. P. McPherson
M. E. Archer	J. J. Virden

County Clerk Summy issued marriage license yesterday to Whit Berry of Pleasant Grove and Miss Maud Eakin of Rising Star. Mr. Berry expected to leave on last night's train for Rising Star and the marriage is scheduled to take place tonight.

McKinley-Corrigan Co. wants your produce. We pay the cash. (Adv.)

Will Rigby has been very sick with pneumonia, but is improving.

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

Mrs. G. H. Denison is still dangerously sick at her home in this city.

Mr. C. C. Taylor is reported to be somewhat improved, but is still seriously sick.

Dr. J. H. Logan's little son Jesse has been very sick for several days with pneumonia, but his condition is reported to be improved.

C. C. Yarborough came over from Lampasas this week and accompanied his sister, Miss Lura, to the sanitarium at Temple yesterday for treatment and perhaps an operation.

J. H. Beshears and Miss Johnnie Allen were married at the residence of Key Johnson in this city last Saturday at noon, Rev. R. W. Bynum officiating, and a few close friends witnessing the ceremony. The young people live in the Center City community and have many friends in that community and elsewhere.

Russell Bennett of Comanche county was accidentally struck with a base ball while practicing on Howard Payne campus Wednesday afternoon and died in a few moments. He was an orphan and made his home with his uncle, V. L. Jackson, in Comanche county, and this was his first year in the Brownwood college.

COUNTY CAMPAIGN.

The candidates have already opened a lively campaign, although it is being conducted in good humor and on broad lines. Only one new candidate has appeared this week.

JESSE LOWE

Mr. Lowe offers as a candidate for commissioner for precinct No. 4. He is a resident of Rock Springs voting precinct and the fact that no commissioner has ever been selected from that community, while the other communities or voting precincts have furnished commissioners will be in his favor. He has the urgent and enthusiastic support of a great many of the voters of all parts of the commissioner's precinct. Mr. Lowe is one of the best qualified business men in the county and his splendid ability would be of benefit to the county in the management of the public affairs. Personally he is popular with all who know him and he would be a mighty strong candidate for any office he might desire.

The King of All Laxatives. For constipation use Dr. King's New Life Pills. Paul Mathulka, of Buffalo, N. Y., says they are the 'king of all laxatives. They are a blessing to all my family and I always keep a box at home.' Get a box and get well again. 25c. at R. E. Clements. (ad)

CITATION BY PUBLICATION OF FINAL ACCOUNT.

The State of Texas.

To the Sheriff or Any Constable of Mills County—Greeting:

M. H. Fletcher, administrator of the estate of Catherine McPherson, deceased, having filed in our county court his final account of the condition of the estate of said Catherine McPherson, deceased, numbered 340 on the Probate Docket of Mills county, together with an application to be discharged from said administration, You are hereby commanded, that by publication of this writ for twenty days in a newspaper printed in the county of Mills, you give due notice to all persons interested in the account for final settlement of said estate, to appear and contest the same if they see proper to do so, on or before the March term, 1914, of said county court, commencing and to be holden at the court house of said county, in the city of Goldthwaite, on the 2nd day in March, A. D. 1914, when said account and application will be acted upon by said court.

Given under my hand and seal of said court, at my office in the city of Goldthwaite, this 5th day of February, A. D. 1914. W. B. SUMMY, Clerk, Mills County, Texas. A true copy I certify: E. O. PRIDDY, Sheriff, Mills County, Texas. By J. E. EVANS, Deputy.

LITERARY SOCIETY PROGRAM.

The following program will be rendered at the Young Men's Literary Society Saturday night, Feb. 7.

Scientific improvement in the electrical field—J. B. Whiteman.

The Soldiers Grave—Dan Newton.

Oration—Arthur Smith.

Preparation and Service—A. H. Daniel.

Oration—F. P. Bowman.

Debate: "Resolved, that Texas should have a compulsory education. Affirmative: B. F. Harris, Vernon Watson. Negative: J. T. Weems, Paul Power.

Extemporaneous speeches on various subjects.

B. Y. P. U.

A Baptist Young People's Union was organized in the Baptist church last Sunday afternoon with a very encouraging membership. The following officers were elected: Judge S. H. Allen, president; Prof. A. H. Daniel, vice president; Miss Bettie Lee Jackson, secretary and treasurer; Miss Mae Perry, reporter.

The Union will meet each Sunday evening at 8 o'clock.

A Junior Union was also organized and its meetings will be held at 3 o'clock each Sunday afternoon.

The young people are cordially invited to attend these meetings and the older folks will also have a cordial welcome.

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R. M. THOMPSON, Editor

The cotton compress at Italy, Texas, was burned Saturday afternoon together with fifteen box cars and 4000 bales of cotton. The loss was very heavy, but was covered by insurance.

The Aero club of America announces the formulation of a plan for an airplane race around the world in 1915. The start is to be made at the Panama-Pacific exposition grounds in San Francisco in May, 1915, and be completed at the same place in ninety days. The first prize will be \$100,000.

Senator Vardeman of Mississippi served notice on the president that he will fight the confirmation of any negro appointed to a federal office. The president's wild orgy of appointing negroes to office calls for a check of some kind. When he appoints two more he will have appointed a couple.—Kansas City Journal.

The "ground hog" undoubtedly saw his shadow Monday, hence there will be six weeks more of winter if it be true that the ground hog comes out on February 2 and if he sees his shadow he predicts and there will be six weeks of winter, but if there is no sunshine he remains out and the winter is over.

The execution of Francisco Guzman, one of the Huerta adherents, by Gen. Villa at Jaurez Sunday was confirmed this week. Guzman was a traitor to all parties, evidently, for he aided the revolutionists against Madero and his mission to Jaurez was to secure the co-operation of Villa in a revolt against Gen. Carranza and in favor of Felix Diaz. After hearing his proposition Villa ordered him executed and buried.

President Wilson issued an executive order Tuesday allowing arms and ammunition exported from the United States to Mexico for both sides of the revolution in that country. It is believed that this action will aid materially in bringing the present war in Mexico to a close, but how long the factions will remain quiet is another question. At any rate, the fur is going to fly in that country for a while and the population of Mexico is going to be materially decreased and that quick.

Some of the leading prohibitionists who gathered in Fort Worth a few days ago arranged for a convention to be held in that city on Feb. 21. County conventions or mass meetings of prohibitionists were called for to be held in every county on Feb. 14 to send delegates to this state convention, the prime object of which is to select a candidate for governor to be supported by all prohibition Democrats in the July primaries. The number of candidates who will submit their claims to the convention will depend upon the final arrangements. If it is decided that proxies will not be accepted there is not much likelihood that the convention will accomplish anything. There is danger of the entire proposition being loaded.

The German king is chopping wood for exercise, the politicians are sawing wood for self preservation and the people are bustling for wood to keep from freezing. Every man, at some time in his life, must face a wood pile for one cause or another, and even kings cannot escape. If the small boy who chops wood to avoid a spanking ought to feel proud of the company he keeps, for when kings and near rulers swing the ax and buck the saw, their shoulders stooped with age and covered with mantles of distinction, it proves how impossible it is to play hooky and how advantageous it is to acquire a practical education on the problems of forestry early in life. No man is competent to head a household, manage a business or rule a nation unless he can wield an ax.—Commercial Secretaries.

FROM MRS. VAN GLAHN.
Los Angeles, Cal., Jan. 24.

Editor Eagle: I thought when I wrote my last letter to "The Eagle" that another would follow ere this, but I have learned that there is truth in the adage "Man may plan, God alone executes." Now, do not think for one moment that I visit all my failures and misfortunes upon my Heavenly Father, for I do not. Being free agents, we are often the architects of our own fates. When we break the laws of nature or the moral laws we suffer the consequences.

Mrs. White has been extremely ill and for several days she was not allowed to see any company. She is slowly improving, still under the care of a physician, who says that she will have to be very careful this damp weather.

It is raining at this writing and has been the greater part of the month. A writer says: "Rain throughout California and the Goose Hangs High." The whole country getting a share of liquid gold from the clouds. Yes, the people are rejoicing. The Weather Bureau in this city reports a precipitation of 2.17 for the rain up to midnight and a total of 6.86 for the season—a good increase over last year, which for the same period, the amount was 2.59 inches; and still it rains and from the appearance of the clouds it will continue.

The "High Tide" to which I referred in my last letter, is still slashing the shore along the Pacific coast, and doing great damage to the beaches and adjacent resorts. These freak-tides and rough seas began their war Christmas day and have been sweeping over the strand ever since, taking in Ocean Park, Venice, Santa Monica and Rodondo. Homes have been floated from their foundations on the ocean front and had to be moved back to the speedway. One house on ocean front was sucked entirely to the ocean. The house was saved by an old bulkhead at Rodondo. The ground swell carried the waves of the ocean to the very doors of a residence and washed into a home on Beach Row. No tide like the one now raging has been known in the "Crescent City" since March, 1905, before the Venice break-water was erected.

We will leave this dark picture for something brighter. Prosperity for 1914 is predicted through a matrimonial problem. It has been generally conceded that "matrimony is the barometer of prosperity. This being true, the present year has a golden dawn. County Clerk Sparks of the License Bureau reports the sale of 307 marriage license during the first fifteen days of this year—an increase of sixty-four over 1913. Let us live with the hope that a brighter year is before us.

The city of Los Angeles is thronged by Canadian tourists from Vancouver and other parts of British Columbia. A second train load of 100 Canadian passengers was met by Chamber of Commerce at Santa Barbara and tendered a proud reception by Chamber of Commerce on the evening of their arrival in this city.

Just a few words about "Panama Canal," which is strikingly interesting to me, as it holds out the one bright hope of seeing many loved ones in 1915 (D. V.). The canal, so says Col. Goethals, has reached the completion to such a condition that a large ocean steamer could now pass through, and it is his intention to send a Panama railroad steamer through the canal in April. "An Electric Mule" has been shipped, that is, "the first of the forty-five ton electric locomotives which will tow ships through the Panama canal, was shipped from New York to Colon yesterday in the steamer Cristo. In a few weeks the remaining thirty-nine engines will be forwarded to the canal.

On the 17th inst. the Daughters of the Confederacy entertained at "The Ebell Club" in honor of Gen. Robert E. Lee, so dear to the hearts of every Southerner. Floating amid the beautiful floral decorations of the house was the Confederate flag—not one, but many. The orator of the occasion was W. D. Howell of Southern fame and whose name will doubtless be familiar to some of the readers of the Eagle, "specially to the Confederate veterans. Misses Hassie and Ella V., with a young Canadian friend were among the guests. Hassie is a member of the Daughters of the Confederacy and

the young man one of the tourists from snow-land. Following the address was an interesting program, consisting of music, vocal and instrumental, and readings. Then came an hour of social enjoyment, which was entered into with good old Southern cordiality, after which a Southern lunch was served which all enjoyed. The young Canadian was charmed with the whole affair, as his expression proved. On his return from the entertainment he remarked with enthusiasm, "But didn't those people make one feel at home?" "The lunch was simply perfect." I guess he never tasted "Beaten Biscuits" before or salads made after the recipe of our grand mothers of antebellum days. Miss Ella V. attended an entertainment at the Canadian club with him, and reported it quite pleasant and as new to her as the above affair was to him.

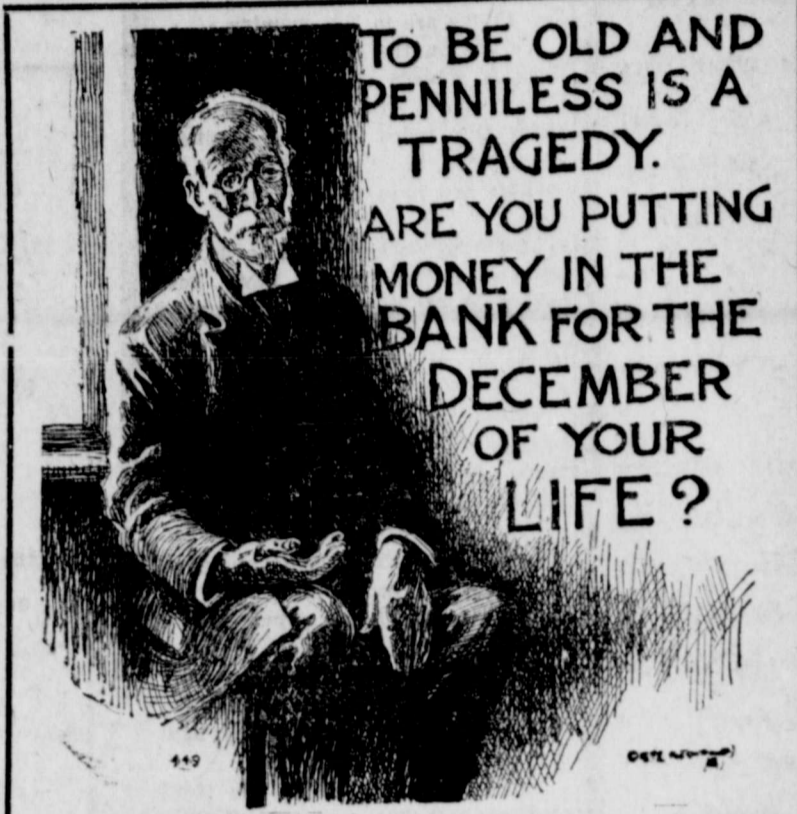
Among the recent social functions, one of the most delightful was given by the Misses Marriatts in honor of their niece from Ventura, near which place Miss Ella V. White spent her first year in California and there made the acquaintance of these English ladies, and was one of the guests on this enjoyable occasion. It was replete with new social "stunts." The "Tango Dance" was among the number and by far the most popular, introduced by Mrs. Whitaker, who has just returned from England, and who is prominent in both social and literary circles. She is editor of the society column in the Los Angeles Time.

26th.—It is still raining and has been during the past three days. The optimist continues to smile, believing that "Old Mother Earth" will make a rich return for these precious drops of rain.

DON'T YOU BELIEVE IT.

Some say that chronic constipation cannot be cured. Don't you believe it. Chamberlain's Tablets have cured others—why not you? Give them a trial. They cost only a quarter. For sale by all dealers. (Adv)

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THERE is nothing more pitiful than the sight of some old person entirely dependent on the assistance and charity of others. Yet many go along, day after day, week in and week out, letting money slip through their fingers that they should be depositing in some good bank, where it will be safe and where they will have it to supply some of the comforts of life when their earning powers are gone.

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Total Rainfall for 1914 to above date 3.10 in.

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NEIGHBORING NEWS

Items Culled From the Leading Local Papers.

COMANCHE

According to the bank statements published in this paper last week, we have on individual deposits subject to check in the four banks of the city \$309,251.27.

A trade was closed last week whereby B. Cardwell, former owner of the Majestic Moving Picture show, sold same to H. L. Ardis and Arthur Moore, having previously sold the building to Mrs. Dora Greene.

A deal was closed this week whereby Harry Brin purchased from W. R. Shider the brick building on the west side of the square, heretofore occupied by the pool hall; consideration \$5,000. Mr. Brin has leased the building to Messrs. H. L. Ardis and Arthur Moore, who will occupy same with the Majestic theatre.

Jack Smith, a section hand on the Texas Central, was run down and killed by a switch engine at DeLeon. Smith, aged 30, had lived in DeLeon about a year and leaves a wife and two children. The coroner's jury decided death was due to accidental causes.

Jesse Mercer of the Democrat community, is in receipt of news of the death of his grandmother, the wife of Jesse Mercer, Sr., who helped to settle Comanche county, and from whom Mercer Creek and Mercer Gap were named, her death occurring at Mineral City, Bee county, Texas, Dec. 31, at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Isabel Garner.—Chief.

BROWNWOOD.

Two hundred head of three and four year old steers are being fed near town by John M. Baugh and J. W. Taber.

A deal was closed today whereby R. H. Dedman becomes sole owner of the Brownwood Shoe Store, purchasing the interest of his partner, H. T. Chandler.—Bulletin.

LOMETA

John Blackwell, father of our fellow townsman, J. B. Blackwell, died at the family home near Evant, Tuesday night, aged 70 years.

Mr. Brock, living a few miles east of town, lost his barn by fire Sunday night at 9 o'clock. The barn contained about 100 bushels of corn and a quantity of cotton seed, all of which was lost.

H. E. Story of San Antonio bought 160 2-year-old steers from Jack Hufstutler Wednesday. T. J. Hufstutler sold 100 two year old steers to the same party. A. A. Hufstutler of Georgetown sold the same party 200 head of two year old steers. All three sales are to be delivered next Thursday.—Reporter.

HAMILTON

The two young men, Guy McKinley and Henry Stelhiemer, who were so seriously injured in an automobile accident near Pottsville about two weeks ago, have recovered sufficiently to be about among their friends again.

T. S. McKinley and son, Tom McKinley, jr., with Prof. J. E. Corrigan went to Goldthwaite Tuesday, going across the country in the McKinley automobile. While in that city Messrs. McKinley and Corrigan perfected arrangements for the trip to market by the buyers of the firm. Accompanied by J. D. H. Wallace of the Goldthwaite house, the party returned to Hamilton Wednesday.

Mrs. John Little and two children, Miss Sara Taylor and Lewis Little will leave the latter part of this week for Goldthwaite. They will make the trip in an automobile. Mrs. Little goes to that city to make her home; Lewis Little is returning home after a month's stay here assisting his brother, Will Little, in the store of the Little Dry Goods Company; Miss Sara Taylor goes for a two weeks' visit with her cousin, Mrs. Henry Wallace.—Record.

LAMPASAS

Mrs. Mattie Cox, a daughter of R. F. Farmer of the Ioro section, has gone to San Antonio, where she will work as a city missionary under Mrs. S. J. Porter, who has charge of the work there. Mrs. Cox graduated from the woman's training school of the Baptist church at Fort Worth last summer.

Sheriff Mace went to Temple Tuesday night and came home Wednesday morning, bringing the man who is charged with blowing the safes and robbing the postoffice at Lake Victor about 2 o'clock Tuesday morning. It

was a quiet piece of work and shows that Lampasas county has a sheriff upon whom the people of this and surrounding counties can depend. The prisoner gives his name as C. D. Delaney.

Sunday afternoon Newt Etheridge, Mr. Parker, with Henry and Earl Buchanan, found a den of rattlesnakes, about three miles southeast of Kempner, and proceeded to give them battle. When the effort was over they counted eighteen dead snakes of various sizes and thought it was a good afternoon's work. Some years ago Dolph Smith had a similar experience on his ranch several miles from where these snakes were killed, and that battle resulted in the death of 41 rattlers.—Leader.

SAN SABA.

J. T. Kelley arrived Friday from San Francisco, California, where he has been the past year.

The cotton ginned in San Saba county to January 1 for the 1913 crop was 9,428 bales against 9,513 bales for the same period in 1912.

Notice has been posted on the bulletin at the San Saba postoffice that Algerita is to have a postoffice established in the near future. An inspector will be here soon to select a postmaster.

A quiet wedding was solemnized at St. Marys Cathedral Wednesday afternoon at 3:30 o'clock, when Miss Ella Keenan, daughter of the late Mr. Charles Keenan of this city, and Mr. Edward Wilkerson, son of Dr. and Mrs. Cary H. Wilkerson, also of Galveston, were united in marriage.—News.

A LIBERAL OFFER.

As we have a good season in the ground and prospects are good for a fine crop this year, we will be glad to sell you anything in the way of a horse, pair of mules or any kind of vehicle and harness that you may need this year on fall time, if you haven't the money that you want to spare.

We have employed Mr. P. D. Yarrow to look after our vehicle interests this year and we aim to devote the most of our time to live stock and real estate. If you have any property you want to sell list it with us and we will try to find you a buyer for same.

COCKRUM & RUDD.

"A PRINCE OF HIS RACE."

The above named play will be seen at the Page Opera House on the night of Monday, February 9.

"A Prince of His Race" is a play in which is depicted strong dramatic incidents in the life of a college-educated Sioux Indian. Having received all the advantages of a white man's education and social intercourse he falls hopelessly in love with a beautiful white girl. The criticism that this play has received in all parts of the country has been most flattering. In every case it has been pronounced as being equal to "Strongheart." It will be presented here with a strong cast and an investiture of new and beautiful scenic equipment.

Methodist Minister Recommends Chamberlain's Cough Remedy.

Rev. James A. Lewis, Milaca, Minn., writes: "Chamberlain's Cough Remedy has been a needed and welcome guest in our home for a number of years. I highly recommend it to my fellows as being a medicine worthy of trial in cases of colds, coughs and croup." Give Chamberlain's Cough Remedy a trial and we are confident you will find it very effectual and continue to use it, as occasion requires for years to come, as many others have done. For sale by all dealers. (adv)

SETTLEMENT WANTED.

Those who are indebted to me are urged to pay me at least a part of what they owe, for I need the money right away. I do not demand a full settlement at this time, but a partial payment and a satisfactory arrangement for the remainder will be acceptable. If you owe me you know it and this notice applies to all who owe me. Pay me some anyway.

J. D. CALLOWAY.

OATS FOR SALE.

We have oats for sale at our farm in Payne community at 50 cents per bushel, in any quantity. We also have ten or twelve good mules for sale on fall time for good note.

W. F. HEARNE & SON.

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ANNOUNCEMENTS

The following named citizens announce their candidacy for the offices mentioned, subject to the Democratic Primary Election to be held July 25, 1914:

For County Judge:
S. H. ALLEN
J. C. DARROCH
G. H. DALTON

For Sheriff and Tax Collector:
E. O. PRIDDY
F. F. HENRY
J. S. CALDWELL
J. H. BURNETT
C. W. LINDSEY

For Tax Assessor:
A. E. EVANS
G. H. FRIZZELL
ROBERT LITTLEPAGE

G. W. TEMPLIN
ALBERT DRISKILL
REIDE M. HAYNES

E. L. MARTIN
J. F. GILES

For County Treasurer:
S. T. WELLS

For District Clerk:
L. E. BOOKER
C. BALLARD

For County Clerk:
W. B. SUMMY
For Public Weigher, Pre. 1, 2, 4:
A. D. KARNES

For Commissioner, Precinct No. 1:
M. H. HINES
J. D. D. BERRY

For Commissioner and Justice of the Peace, Precinct No. 2:
J. R. CARTER
E. M. GEESLIN

For Commissioner, Precinct No. 4:
E. J. GRIFFIN
JESSE LOWE

For Justice of the Peace, Precinct No. 1:
M. H. HINES

For Justice of the Peace, Precinct No. 5:
E. J. GRIFFIN

McKinley-Corrigan Co. invites you to call. (Adv)

Plenty of good young mules to sell to farmers on fall time—Cockrum & Rudd.

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

Judge Allen has been in Fort Worth this week attending the meeting of the county judges and commissioners association.

Sam Fisherman, late of San Saba, has opened a grocery store in one of the Everly buildings on the west side of the square. He is an experienced business man and comes well recommended.

A scald, burn, or cut heals slowly if neglected. The family that keeps a bottle of Ballard's Snow Lintment on hand is always prepared for such accidents. Price 25c, 50c and \$1.00 per bottle. Sold 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 have the defects in your title cured before it is too late.—E. B. ANDERSON, Abstracter.

The call for a mass meeting of prohibition Democrats to hold a county convention next Saturday in Goldthwaite should attract a large delegation from every precinct in the county. The meeting will be held in the district court room.

One of the largest land deals made in this county in some time was closed this week when Mr. J. C. Burdett bought 990 acres of the western part of Mr. S. M. Bull's tract, in the Bull Springs country, paying therefor \$11.50 per acre. This is a fine body of land and the fact that it is close to town makes it more valuable.

STANDING OF CONTESTANTS.

Vote Count in B. A. Harris' Piano Contest—Count Each Wednesday.

1.....541,345	142.....32,355
3.....108,150	143.....587,630
42.....449,600	146.....54,760
56.....512,340	148.....154,385
60.....31,975	149.....164,265
68.....507,990	150.....608,750
69.....357,525	151.....598,660
70.....593,635	153.....467,210
72.....15,630	156.....561,720
100.....17,660	158.....568,925
106.....290,710	160.....304,565
107.....13,845	171.....486,595
109.....178,340	172.....479,115
114.....394,400	173.....498,700
118.....607,850	174.....344,145
135.....34,460	175.....2,325
137.....247,735	176.....385,605

POLL TAX PAYMENTS.

The payment of poll tax up to the night of January 31, 1914, was considerably in excess of the last year's figures, as shown by the following table and the number of exemption certificates also increased:

	1914		1913	
	Tax	Ex.	Tax	Ex.
Goldthwaite..	444	26	370	9
Nabors Creek	16	1	13	0
Antelope Gap	41	1	40	1
Center City..	125	10	109	4
Payne.....	57	2	62	2
Star.....	62	4	64	1
Caradan.....	117	8	109	4
Mullin.....	324	14	277	7
Fisher.....	87	3	85	1
Priddy.....	132	5	142	1
Big Valley...	63	8	59	8
Rock Springs.	50	4	42	1
Ratler.....	22	0	25	3
Regency.....	36	3	32	0
Buffalo.....	68	6	64	0
Ridge.....	25	0	21	0
Rye Valley..	19	0	17	0
Totals ...	1688	95	1531	42

POLITICAL ANNOUNCEMENT.

Some of my friends have made known to me the fact that there is being gently noised abroad (as such things sometimes will be) a rumor that I have entered the race for County Judge of this county at the solicitation of another candidate for that office, and merely for the purpose of assisting that candidate in his race, and at the proper time I would withdraw. This report, I wish to say, is absolutely unfounded in fact and entirely untrue. I have entered this race for my own benefit alone, and with the hope that I may be successful; and before doing so did not consult either of my opponents as to their pleasure in the matter; nor do I expect to withdraw from the race. I would consider it an act of political and personal dishonesty for any man to go before the people of any community pretending to be a bona fide candidate for office, when in fact he is not such, but only a tool for some one else. I wish to say further, that I do not believe that either of the other candidates for the office of county judge are personally responsible for this rumor. Probably some of their over-zealous friends may be. If so, I am willing to ascribe to them honesty of purpose in so doing. But, for their benefit, as well as others who might be inclined to believe this report, I take this means of giving the information that my candidacy is launched on no such low plane. If either of my opponents, or both of them see fit to withdraw from the race before the primaries, I shall hold no malice against them for doing so, but as for myself, I am in the race to stay, at least until July 25th, and if elected, I will endeavor to give the county a judicious and economical administration of its affairs.

Respectfully, J. C. DARROCH.
Candidate for County Judge.

Farming Time

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WE HAVE PREPARED

For this time with a large supply of the best Implements to be found—"JOHN DEERE" and "STANDARD." Better come and make your selection now, as you will be sure to get just what you want. Terms as liberal as reason would demand.

You Stick to Us--We Stick to You

Our stock of Furniture and House Furnishings was never better than at this time and our New Quarters, next door to our old stand, gives us more room and we can carry a larger stock than we have ever before owned.

DON'T FORGET THAT WE CARRY A LARGE STOCK OF COFFINS IN ALL SIZES AND GRADES

BODKIN, HURDLE & CO.

BRAINS DULLED BY CONSTIPATION.

Some People Only Half Alive; Dodson's Liver Tone Cleans You Out and Wakes You Up.

When constipation is having its evil effects on your body and brain, Nature is doing her best to offset them and overcome the cause itself. But usually nature cannot do this unaided.

In the past many sufferers at such a time used to turn to dangerous calomel in hope of relief. For some people calomel does appear to give a temporary benefit, but as a matter of fact it is poison that proves to be injurious and even dangerous to many. If you have ever taken calomel you probably have suffered from evil conditions following its use.

But nowadays great numbers of people have learned how to feel better, brighter and healthier by taking Dodson's Liver Tone instead of calomel. Indeed, this harmless, vegetable liquid is recommended and guaranteed by R. E. Clements who will refund the purchase price to you without question if you are not completely satisfied with it.

Get a bottle of Dodson's Liver Tone for only 50c. and learn for yourself how easily and naturally it assists nature in getting rid of and correcting constipation and biliousness, how it clears away the sick headache and coated tongue and sets you right without ache or gripe, without any interference with your regular habits. Fine for the children. They like to take it. (Adv)

LADIES AID SOCIETY.

Program for the meeting of the Ladies Aid Society, to be held Monday afternoon, Feb 9:
Devotional exercises.
Some important parliamentary rules—Mrs. M. E. Thompson.
Parliamentary drill.
Business meeting.
Bible questions beginning with the book of Ruth.
Question No. 267 to question No. 296 in 1st. Samuel.

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The Kind that will Suit You

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The Flour You've Always Wanted

TO THE TRADE:

We, the undersigned, have secured the agency of the
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of Oklahoma City. We now have a car of the Highest Grades of Soft Wheat Flour. Every sack sold under a strict guarantee to give satisfaction, or money refunded. Prices as follows:

Extra Fancy Highest Patent Soft Wheat Flour goes out at per 100 lbs. **\$2 80**
Highest Patent Soft Wheat Flour goes out at per 100 lbs. **\$2 60**

GIVE US A TRIAL

Yours for the Flour Business:

W. E. HARPER
West Side Square

Plenty of good young mules to sell to farmers on fall time—Cockrum & Rudd.

How high ideals help humanity is told in a continued story in this paper. (Ad)

SPECIAL SALES ON SPECIAL DAYS!

To The Contestants And Their Friends:

Beginning next Wednesday, Feb. 11, we are going to put on a Series of Sales every Wednesday. These sales will be interesting to all of you and your friends—in fact they will interest everybody, as we are going to give Extra Votes on every article that we place on sale. We are not going to put on sale "any old article"—for we haven't any—but everything we advertise will be new and useful. For this Wednesday we will place on sale one of the most handsome lines that has ever been shown in this city, consisting of

GENT'S NECKWEAR

We will give 2,500 Extra Votes on each 25c Tie; 3,500 on each 35c Tie; 5,000 on each 50c Tie; all votes Extra above the regular votes. Don't fail to be here Wednesday.

To The School Children:

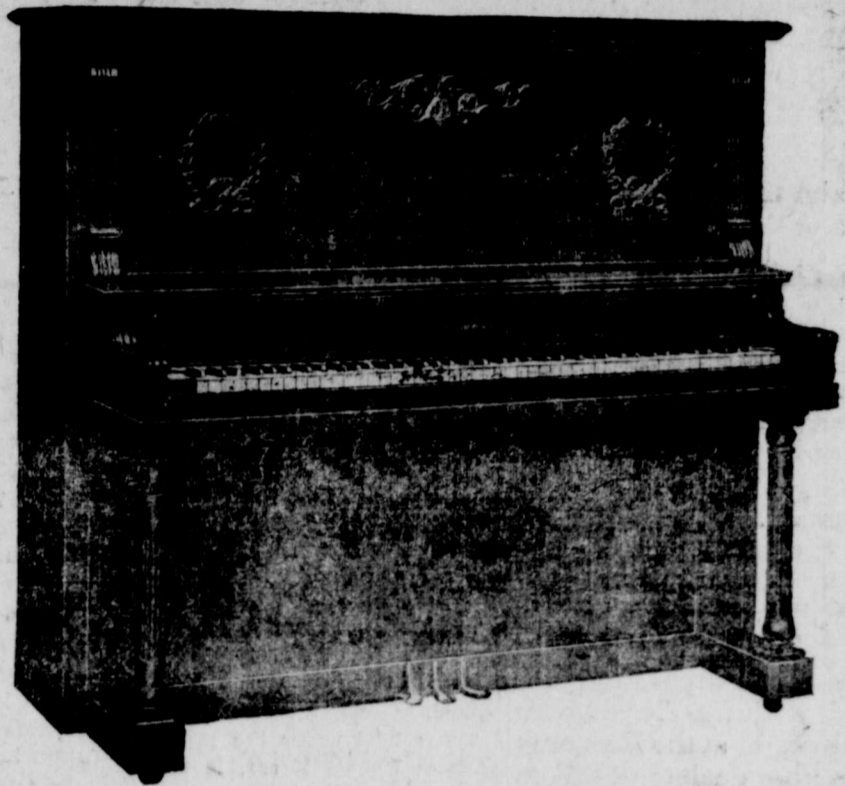
We are sure each and every one of you are friends to the contestants. Believing this to be so, we will give 100 Extra Votes on each 5c BUSTER BROWN SCHOOL TABLET. The Buster Brown Tablets are the "acme of perfection," the largest and the best. These "extra-vote" Tablets will be on sale every Wednesday ONLY.

Sales Books

BEGINNING NEXT WEDNESDAY WE WILL ISSUE TWO TRADES BOOKS to each contestant. These books are sold for \$5.00 each and can only be delivered to the contestants in person and they sell them or use them as they see fit. The coupons from the book are accepted

Sales Books

as cash and votes are given in the same proportion as for cash. Besides this, the purchaser of the book is given 25,000 Votes Extra when the book is purchased and 5,000 additional when the book is used up. Only two books allowed to each contestant. Standing of contestants up to last Wednesday appears upon another page.



The Store of Quality

B. A. HARRIS

The Store of Quality

The Goldthwaite Eagle

Saturday, February 7, 1914.

Roof and stack paint for sale by J. H. Kelly. (Adv.) McKinley-Corrigan Co. buys and sells everything. (Adv.)

Mrs. Biggs of San Saba visited Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Urquhart in this city the first of the week.

Pigs for Sale—I have pigs for sale. For price, etc., see me at once or phone me.—E. P. Thompson.

McKinley-Corrigan Co. wants your McKinley-Corrigan Co. pays the

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

W. W. Tiffin, cashier of the First State bank of Mullin, was a visitor to this city the first of the week.

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

—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.

D. F. Abney of Brownwood bought a little here the first of the week and shipped them to his ranch near Brownwood.

J. A. Rogers, D. R. McCormick and Calvin Williams were among the visitors from Mullin the first of the week.

E. C. Estep has exchanged his farm in the Center community for a farm near Sweetwater and will move there in the near future. The many friends of this good family regret their removal.

Mrs. John Little and children have arrived from Hamilton and will probably make their home in this city. They are now staying with relatives, but it is understood Mrs. Little will buy a lot and build a residence soon.

Let us prove to you how well we can fit you with a pair of spectacles. We know how to fit you exactly and guarantee perfect satisfaction. Miller's Jewelry Store is the place to go to get your eyes fitted with spectacles. (ad)

SO DECEPTIVE.

Many Goldthwaite People Fail to Realize the Seriousness.

Backache is so deceptive. It comes and goes—keeps you guessing.

Learn the cause—then cure it. Possibly it's weak kidneys.

That's why Doan's Kidney Pills are so effective.

We present the following case as proof:

Mrs. Mary E. Bourland, 1513 First St., Brownwood, Texas, says: "About forty years ago, while doing my housework, I was suddenly seized with severe pains in my back which laid me up for two days. I was so bad that I couldn't move in bed and had to call for help when turning to another position. Seeing Doan's Kidney Pills advertised, I got a box and began using them. After I had used half the box, the pains in my back left. I have had no return attack. My health also improved greatly."

Price 50c, at all dealers. Don't simply ask for a kidney remedy—get Doan's Kidney Pills—the same that Mrs. Bourland had. Foster-Milburn Co., Props., Buffalo, N. Y. (Adv.)

Horrible Blotches of Eczema.

Quickly cured by Dr. Hobson's Eczema Ointment. C. P. Caldwell of New Orleans, La., states: "My doctor advised me to try Dr. Hobson's Eczema Salve. I used three boxes of Ointment and three cakes of Dr. Hobson's Derma Zema Soap. Today I have not a spot anywhere on my body and can say I am cured." It will do the same for you. Its soothing, healing, antiseptic action will rid you of all skin humors, blackheads, pimples, eczema blotches, red unsightly sores, and leaves your skin clean and healthy. Get a box today. Guaranteed. All druggists, 50c., or by mail.—Pfeiffer Chemical Co., Philadelphia and St. Louis. (Adv.)

WOOD! WOOD!!

Phone, mail or bring your orders for wood of any kind—Spanish oak, live oak, etc. Prompt delivery of any kind or size wood. Also saw wood for you on your premises. H. E. DALTON.

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

price for produce in cash. (Adv.) produce. We pay the cash. (Adv.)

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

Mr. and Mrs. L. H. Little and their little grand daughter visited relatives in Lometa this week.

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

The Eagle prints candidate's cards on short notice at a very reasonable rate. We guarantee these cards to bring results.

Gas in the stomach or bowels is a disagreeable symptom of a torpid liver. To get rid of it quickly take HERBINE. It is a marvelous liver stimulant and bowel purifier. Price 50c. Sold by R. E. Clements. (adv.)

When the bowels become irregular you are uncomfortable and the longer this condition exists the worse you feel. You can get rid of this misery quickly by using Herbine. Take a dose on going to bed and see how fine you feel the next day. Price 50c. Sold by R. E. Clements. (adv.)

R. S. Crain and his wife and little daughter came over from San Saba Wednesday in response to a message announcing the serious illness of the little daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Scott Thompson. The child had improved considerably when they arrived.

The El Paso Herald announces the appointment of Dr. Vick to be surgeon for the Southern Pacific railroad at Valentine. Dr. Vick practiced his profession here several years ago and is kindly remembered and held in high esteem here and we are all glad to know of his advancement in his profession. He is a brother of Mrs. J. H. Randolph of this city.

A heavy cold in the lungs that was expected to cure itself has been the starting point in many cases of disease that ended fatally. The sensible course is to take frequent doses of Ballard's Horehound Syrup. It checks the progress of the disorder and assists nature to restore normal conditions. Price 25c, 50c and \$1.00 per bottle. Sold by R. E. Clements. —Advertisement.

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New, Fresh and Clean Goods
Oriole Flour---The Best
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See Me Before Buying. Prices Right

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BATEMAN & IRWIN

(Successors to Cline & Son)

GROCERIES AND PRODUCE

Solicit the Public Patronage
Guaranteeing Fair Treatment
Fresh Goods and Right Prices

Several hundred children enjoyed a hobby horse ride last Saturday afternoon by invitation of the Eagle. It was a pleasure for us to see the little folks enjoy the occasion.

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

EVERLY'S

"THE PRICE IS THE THING"

Every conscientious merchant should buy the Best and Most Reliable Merchandise for his trade and avoid all Shoddy, Unknown and Unreliable Goods.

We aim to offer only Tried, True and Worthy Merchandise.

The store that buys the Cheapest and pays the Cash and has the Least Selling Expense should Undersell.

This House is in a position to Undersell.

Spring Shoes just arrived from the Big Packard Factories. The Packard is the Pride of Particular Purchasing People and is Purse-Pleasing in Price if bought at the Economy store. Other dealers get \$4 to \$5 for Packards. Our price is always \$3.50.

\$4 and \$4.50 Tilt Shoes will be one of our many good things for 1914. Always \$3.50 at Everly's.

Girls and ladies, watch out for the swell line of Baby Doll Low Shoes for Spring. They are great. The New Kidney Heel will also be popular. Our Economy Prices will save you money.

Oh, you Work Shoes! Big line of Milwaukee made Shoes. Carefully selected. No "Jobbers" Shoes at this House. All direct from the factory and made to our specifications.

We are overbought on Fine Gingham. Hence we will offer a few hundred pieces of 12 1/2c Dress Gingham at 8c.

All the LL Brown yd.-wide Domestic you want at 4 1/2c.

J. B. Stetson Hats, not \$5, just \$3.50.

Look out for the Millinery Display for Spring. We are "making ready" for the Cut Prices.

Don't forget the EVERLY store is now located next to the Post Office. Crowded for room and no customer escapes with the cash if low prices will do business.

Still have a lot of scrap lumber, posts, wire, barrels, boxes and general junk for sale—cheap.

Plenty of Free Gift Premiums for all Ticket Savers.

Notice our Book Department. Prices—5c to 25c. Includes books worth to \$1.00. We rent books at 5c each.

Special lot of Big Steel Bread Pans reduced to 10c.

No room for Racket Goods and we are closing out lots of articles at any price that suits the customer.

EVERLY'S

NOW LOCATED NEXT POST OFFICE
West Side Square.

SOUTH BENNETT.

Editor Eagle:

Observing that our vicinity has not been represented among the many written communications, here comes an effort to convince you, gentle reader, that South Bennett is still on the map and does possess some of Mills county's best citizenship, occupying many of the most desirable vocations of mankind.

Well, now we have me, the first payment on the Mills county court house under adverse circumstances, the opportunities and the great accomplishments that's not only possible but very probable to prosper us financially before another tax pay day rolls around in various channels. Let us press forward with renewed efforts with uniting hearts and hands.

Oat sowing is now in full swing. No better feed can be produced, with the acreage greatly increased. We hope to have feed besides "promises" for our faithful teams another crop year.

Sunday school going as well as could be expected with the changeable weather and colds and grippe considered. We suppose each individual has been attacked and recovered from their annual case of grippe. If it has passed you by this season, there is a reason.

The school under the management of Miss Robbie Keese, is advancing along splendidly.

John Casbeer and his partner, Gregg Kinchlow, were trapping wild varmints in our midst last week. Captured one timber wolf. There were three in the pack, but the others got away.

Mr. and Mrs. Em. McLean visited relatives in the Center City world last week.

Mrs. Oscar Simpson of Caradan visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. B. R. Casbeer, this week.

A number of the "boys" have "joined" the W. O. W. organization of late and rode the outlaw goat right down through the post-skeetes through the highweeds and across the hedges into the camp. They landed safely, however, greatly excited, but a thousand or more to the good. We truly believe no stronger brotherhood, no greater, surer, organization exists today than the said band of co-laborers.

Viewing the various methods and systems, the farmers are each almost preparing their coming crop lands different from the other fellow. Some of us will surely land on the great demonstration plan with a busting big crop this season, for surely we shall push "our way" to beat the other fellow.

Our vocal class accepted an invitation from the Kelly vocal class Sunday afternoon and our reception of welcome was truly demonstrative and the singing was of the same degree. Prof. Kirby now resides in that community and he is a "live wire" all the time and with the hearty assistance and co-operating in unity with these splendid people they are certainly enjoying the supreme blessings of mankind that await the pure—the true and the just. May your light never grow dimmer nor your steps shorter on your earthly pilgrimage, dear friends. We thank you truly for your invitation and friendship.

Well, don't you hear those sweet charming wedding bells, or am I a dreamer or false prophet? A sweet smiling Valentine bride would be a thing of beauty and a joy forever, using the poets' language of long ago and the memory and indications are balancing now on the scales of justice.

Oh, gee! at the candidates! The elimination process that we read so much about in regard to the governor's race brings the question to our homes for consideration and choice. We hope and pray that neighbors will not be divided, communities rent in twain and even house ties broken by men-measurement issues this campaign season as it was two years ago. Surely the past has set us an example worthy of the most extreme voter in the county to bow submissively to with honor, pride and sincerity. Life is too short and our friendship and assistance to each other is always needful. Be patriotic.

Wm. Biddle, the manager of the Center City Telephone Co., was visiting relatives and friends, repairing 'phones and talking politics among us here last week.

Mack Casbeer and family were

among the many visitors here last Sabbath day.

Matt Casbeer purchased one hundred high-bred nanny goats from Webb Hill and has a fine piece of shinnery land to put them out on this season. This goat system of reducing these awful shinnery thickets is the most effective manner yet discovered to develop almost worthless land into \$40 per acre land.

Drew Wheeler of Shaw Bend was in our vicinity on business this week, not a candidate, he says.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Casbeer a fine baby girl.

W. B. and J. H. Blackburn have been operating a stump puller on their farm with great success and on nearby farms there are being several acres of new ground being put in for 1914.

Mr. Northcut of Shaw Bend has moved on J. W. Hill's place and will cultivate a crop there this season. We welcome this good family in our neighborhood, extending to them our united efforts to continue to have the best community in the county.

A number of our young people attended the literary society, cake selling and supper festival at Pleasant Grove last week. The reports were very enthusiastic in behalf of the cordial hospitality greeting them by our neighboring vicinity. The proceeds, we learn, will go toward purchasing a school library.

Little Mabel Lee Blackburn fell from a chair Sunday morning, injuring her left arm so seriously that it was necessary to have a physician to set right the inflected member of her body.

We see trees being planted out in many homes. A fine orchard is a splendid exhibition of a happy home and a prosperous man. Get in on the upbuilding of streak of success.

Earl Young, now of Gillespie county formerly of our community, is visiting W. N. Gosa and family.

Rev. George Smith will preach at the school house Sunday morning. Come out, dear friends, and hear him. He is a Methodist preacher true and loyal to his organization. He will always tell you something that is truly beneficial to your life and its interest.

BENNETTITE.

CONVENTION CALLED.

To the Prohibition Democrats of Mills County:

Whereas an effort is being made for the prohibition Democrats of Texas to get together on one man as candidate for governor, and whereas, at a mass meeting of prohibition Democrats held in Fort Worth Jan. 24, 1914, it was decided to request each county to hold a convention on Feb. 14, 1914, for the purpose of expressing their choice of candidates for governor and selecting delegates to the state convention to be held in Fort Worth Feb. 21, 1914;

Therefore, the prohibition Democrats of Mills county are requested to meet in the court house in Goldthwaite at 2 o'clock p. m. Feb. 14, 1914, for the purpose above stated. Every prohibition Democrat is respectfully requested to attend.

G. W. JACKSON.

FEEL MISERABLE?

Out of sorts, depressed, pain in the back—Electric Bitters renews your health and strength. A guaranteed Liver and Kidney remedy. Money back if not satisfied. It completely cured Robert Madsen, of West Burlington, Iowa, who suffered from virulent liver trouble for eight months. After four doctors gave him up, he took Electric Bitters and is now a well man. Get a bottle today. It will do the same for you. Keep in the house for all liver and kidney complaints. Perfectly safe and dependable. Its results will surprise you. 50c. and \$1.00. Recommended by R. E. Clements. (Adv)

The Best Cough Medicine.

"I have used Chamberlain's Cough Remedy ever since I have been keeping house," says L. C. Hames, of Marbury, Ala. "I consider it one of the best remedies I ever used. My children have all taken it and it worked like a charm. For colds and whooping cough it is excellent." For sale by all dealers. (adv)

LAND FOR SALE.

271 acres 6 miles from Goldthwaite; 170 acres in cultivation. Good improvements. Price \$30 per acre. Apply to Box 88, Temple, Texas.

Do You Walk? Or Do You Use Auto Or The Telephone?

If time and energy count for anything, you can't afford to walk; if you consider expenses, you can't afford an auto on every little errand. That forces you to the logical solution of the question—a WEST TEXAS TELEPHONE.

It's Quick. It's Easy. It's Economical.

WEST TEXAS TELEPHONE COMPANY
"The System Reliable."

SCHOOL BOOKS

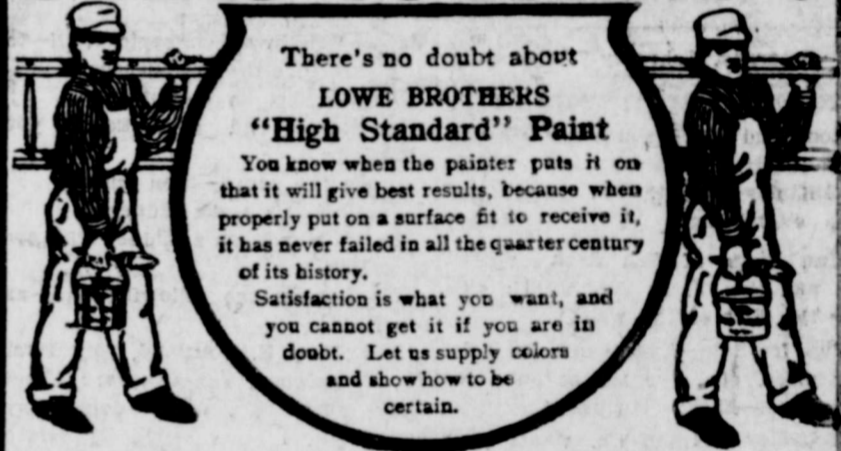
I am agent for the publishers of all Adopted School Books and also carry a full line of School Tablets, Pencils, Slates and other School Supplies.

ALL SCHOOL BOOKS ARE SPOT CASH

which is a requirement of the publishers, and when a book is taken from the house it can only be returned as "second 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

GOING TO PAINT ?



There's no doubt about
LOWE BROTHERS
"High Standard" Paint
You know when the painter puts it on that it will give best results, because when properly put on a surface fit to receive it, it has never failed in all the quarter century of its history.
Satisfaction is what you want, and you cannot get it if you are in doubt. Let us supply colors and show how to be certain.

SOLD BY

J. H. RANDOLPH

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LUMBER

Shingles, Cedar Posts, Brick, Cement, Etc

Must Have Settlement

Having disposed of my Hardware and Furniture business, I must ask for a prompt settlement of all notes and accounts due me.

My office is located next to Marshall & Dickerson's market and opposite the Livery Stable, only a short distance from my old stand. Those indebted to me in any way are requested to call AT ONCE and make satisfactory settlement, either by payment in full or in some other proper manner. Do not neglect this matter, as it is of importance to all concerned.

Thanking you for your patronage in the past, I urge prompt settlement.

HENRY MARTIN

CORN PLANTING TIME

Will come early this year and we are prepared to meet it with a full line of the Celebrated

"Mr. Bill" Planters

You are all familiar with this Planter and it is not necessary for us to take time and space to describe it, but will ask you to call and see the New Style Planters before you buy.

We Are Glad To Show You

and will not consider it time lost to go through each new point with you. We also have a few Off Brands that we are prepared to sell you at a Big Reduction for Cash and can save you money if you intend to buy within the next year or two. Better come early and take advantage of these Low Prices, as we are going to move these Implements at a Sacrifice. Our line of

SHELF HARDWARE, FURNITURE, WAGONS, BUGGIES, ETC.

is complete and we are prepared to meet all legitimate competition. If you are figuring on a WINDMILL, don't close a deal until you see us.

WE ALSO CARRY A COMPLETE LINE OF COFFINS AND UNDERTAKERS' SUPPLIES.

Sullivan, Trent & Allen

Mrs. Miller of Tohoka visited E. L. Martin and family and other friends in this city this week.

Ask McKinley-Corrigan Co. for their prices on produce. They pay the cash. (Adv)

If your shoes need repairing take them to Bodkin and they will be repaired well. (ad)

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

After the page on which a report of the city council proceedings was printed the council held a special meeting and elected L. R. Conroy city marshal and street commissioner. A better selection could not have been made.

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

COMING! PAGE OPERA HOUSE
MONDAY, FEBRUARY 9



Special Return Engagement
Mr. OSCAR GRAHAM Presents
"A Prince of His Race"
The Story of a College-Bred Indian.
SPECIAL SCENERY
PRICES—25c, 50c and 75c
SEATS ON SALE AT MILLER'S JEWELRY STORE

ADVERTISEMENTS REFUSED.

Some people believe that a newspaper accepts all business offered, regardless of location and circumstances but the Eagle can clearly demonstrate that this idea is erroneous:

This week an enterprising firm in a neighboring town offered this paper a nice advertisement, which was promptly rejected because we are for Mills county and Mills county institutions against the world. We believe in advertising—believe that it pays the advertiser and the reader—and we cannot afford to allow the use of the columns of the paper in the interest of other towns in other counties. Every business firm and institution in Mills county has a cordial invitation to use the paper's columns for advertising and we will give them our best service, but whether they see fit to use the columns for that purpose or not, their competitors in other counties cannot buy the space.

Another advertisement that was recently rejected was that of a medicine company in a neighboring state who failed to furnish us with the required references as to their reliability, in order that we might know that they would deal fairly with the readers of the paper. They may be all right and we hope they are, but to get advertising space in this paper we must have satisfactory references.

These are some of the cases that go to prove that all business offered is not accepted.

OUR FRIENDS.

The Eagle is always glad to report the renewals and new subscribers received, for it shows that the people appreciate our work and prove their appreciation in deeds as well as in words. Those who have renewed or entered their names since last report are:

- J. F. Fulton, Chadwick Mill.
- Chas. Pfluger, Priddy.
- Bedford McBride, Brownwood.
- J. D. Urquhart, Goldthwaite.
- Jeff McLemore, Houston.
- A. J. Priddy, Brady.
- Mrs. J. P. Yoes, Ovalla.
- Prof. O. C. Bates, Alexandria, La.
- E. M. Boon, Brownwood.
- Ernest Harrington, Humphrey, Ark.
- W. C. Weatherby, Mullin.
- C. J. Brown, Cryer.
- J. G. Simms, Goldthwaite.
- W. B. Wilcox, Ratler.

POSTED NOTICE.

I have bought the Gatlin ranch in the Rock Springs community and I hereby give notice that all depredations thereon are strictly forbidden, such as hauling wood, hunting, cutting bee trees, etc. A. G. WESTON.

KRYPTOK LENSES



Kryptok Lenses do not mar good looks.

It's the Kryptoks she wears that make her look young. Come in and let us show you how comfortable and attractive they are.

L. E. MILLER Jeweler and Optician

McKinley-Corrigan Co., the produce man's friend, if you want the money. (Adv)

Ernest Harrington and wife left Sunday for their home at Humphrey, Ark.

J. M. Allen this week bought from A. W. Savoy a valuable tract of 200 acres of land a short distance west of Mullin.

Miss Sara Taylor of Hamilton is visiting her cousin, Mrs. J. D. H. Wallace, in this city.

Mrs. J. J. Daily arrived from Fluvana the first of the week, in response to a message advising her of the serious illness of her father, Mr. T. D. Perry.

If you intend to sell land get our 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.

I will soon be in your town again to take orders for the well known Spirella Corsets, which you see advertised in so many of the magazines. Spirella keeps up with the styles for the latest fashion of dressing.—Mrs. E. Zerby, Brady, Texas.

Rev. R. A. Gay of Kerns has been called to the pastorate of the Presbyterian church at this place for three Sundays in each month and will move here in time to enter upon his duties the first Sunday in March. He will preach for the people of Star one Sunday in each month. He preached here last Sunday and the congregation was highly pleased with him.

A PLEASANT AFTERNOON.

On Monday afternoon of this week the Ladies Aid society of the Baptist church was delightfully entertained at the hospital home of Mrs. G. N. Atkinson. On entering the guests were each provided with a slip of paper containing a disorderly arrangement of letters making the names of certain women-Bible characters. They were given five minutes in which to arrange them, spelling the names correctly. This furnished much amusement and many a guest was fully convinced that she needed a more thorough acquaintance with the good Book, in order to make a high grade in a contest of this kind.

The guests were then conducted to the spacious dining room, where they were served with delicious refreshments and from thence to the parlor, where the following program was carried out.

Program:

- Instrumental Solo—Selected—Mrs. W. E. Miller.
- Chorus—"All Hail the Power."
- Instrumental Solo—Selected—Miss Lizzie Stephens.
- Suggestions for year's work—Mrs. S. A. Lowrie.
- Our local needs—Mrs. Walter Fairman.
- Instrumental Solo—Selected—Mrs. A. S. Burger.
- Reading—"The Ladies Aid"—Mrs. L. A. Bagley.

The music was a rare treat and was greatly enjoyed by all present. The reading by Mrs. Bagley was very appropriate to the occasion and brought forth much applause. The local needs suggested by Mrs. Fairman were timely and well put and struck the key note.

After the business meeting the ladies indulged in an old fashioned spelling match, which made them children again for the hour, and many showed by the way they spelled what retentive memories they had and what good and studious little girls they had been in "Days of Auld Lang Syne."

The afternoon passed too quickly and the guests reluctantly departed. Mrs. Atkinson is a most charming hostess and the social gathering drew them closer together and strengthened and encouraged all for greater undertakings. A GUEST.

MUST HAVE MONEY.

We are compelled to have the money that is due us on past due accounts and request those who owe us to settle at once. Those who do not make settlement by February 15 need not be surprised to find their account in the hands of a collector. We hope this will not be necessary, but we simply must have the money that is due us. ALLEN BROS.

CEMETERY ASSOCIATION OFFICERS.

The Cemetery association held its regular monthly meeting Thursday afternoon, at which time officers were elected as follows: Mrs. W. E. Miller, president; Mrs. Noel Dickerson, vice president; Mrs. Eli Fairman, secretary; Mrs. R. M. Thompson, treasurer.

A resolution was adopted expressing the hearty appreciation of the association for the faithful and efficient work of the retiring president, Mrs. Henry Martin.

It was decided to change the time of meeting from Thursday to the first Monday afternoon in each month.

The ladies of this society have made great improvements on the cemetery grounds in the last few years and they are entitled to the praise, thanks and assistance of the public and they can be sure that their work is highly appreciated.

FRUIT SUPPER.

The B. W. M. W. of Rock Springs will give a fruit supper next Saturday night, Feb. 14. The public has a cordial invitation to attend.

Nervous?

Mrs. Walter Vincent, of Pleasant Hill, N. C., writes: "For three summers, I suffered from nervousness, dreadful pains in my back and sides, and weak sinking spells. Three bottles of Cardui, the woman's tonic, relieved me entirely. I feel like another person, now."

TAKE

Cardui

The Woman's Tonic

For over 50 years, Cardui has been helping to relieve women's unnecessary pains and building weak women up to health and strength. It will do the same for you, if given a fair trial. So, don't wait, but begin taking Cardui today, for its use cannot harm you, and should surely do you good. E-72

First Showing New Tailored Suits for Spring

Many of the New Spring Suits are already here and await your inspection and approval. A glance at the New garments will reveal to you that this season's creations are in every way more beautiful and becoming than the styles of any previous season. The Suit Coats are notable for their shortness—they reach to the waist-line or little below. The Collars are of various types—the Kinona and the new rolling flare styles, standing high in the back, will meet with the approval of all style lovers. The Skirts are made in fancy cuts—the Tunic in its various forms and the Peg Top. We give you a special invitation to call and inspect our line.

Early Spring Goods

New Gingham and Ratines, New Suitings, New Crepes, Fancy and Plain Linens for the Early Spring trade.

See our

Lace Counter **5c** Lace Counter

You will find there some Real Bargains.

"If It's Late---It's At Little's"

NOTIONS

1 paper Pins 1c
 1 " Hair Pins 1c
 1 cd. Pearl Buttons 2 1/2c
 1 " Safety Pins 2 1/2c
 6 Cedar Pencils 5c
 6 Large Pencil Tablets 25c
 3 doz. Spring Clothes Pins 25c

Call and see our Bargain Counter. We have some real Bargains for you.

We have received our Spring line of Samples for Men's Suits.

500 Samples

for you to pick from and we will make it to your measure for

\$15.00

All Wool Line



Our buyer is in St. Louis now, selecting goods that will be most suitable for the trade in this section. Being familiar with the wants of the people here, we expect to and will have the best that can be procured, and the fact that we buy for three stores in large quantities and for cash enables us to sell the goods to you for LESS. Give us a look and then you will be convinced. **"IF IT'S LATE IT'S AT LITTLE'S."**

Little's
ONE PRICE - THAT'S CASH.

"If It's Late, It's At Little's"
Goldthwaite - Tex.

Little's
ONE PRICE - THAT'S CASH.

The Goldthwaite Eagle

R. M. THOMPSON Proprietor

Don't fail to read the story of ideas and ideals helping humanity.—Adv.

A. V. Lane is visiting relatives at Del Rio.

MONEY TO LOAN on Mills county farms. Reasonable rate of interest. Apply to Box 88, Temple, Texas. (ad)

W. L. Jones and Gus Fisk visited Temple Sunday.

For Sale—My residence on Fisher street in Goldthwaite. Five room house, well and windmill, barn and plenty of room. Will give reasonable terms. For Price, etc., see me.—E. C. Estep.

Mrs. L. W. Leverett and children visited in Lometa a part of this week.

A child that has intestinal worms handicapped in its growth. A few doses of White's Cream Vermifuge destroys and expels worms; the child immediately improves and thrives wonderfully. Price 25c. per bottle. Sold by R. E. Clements. (adv)

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.

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 F. N. HUBBERT
 Blacksmith & Woodworkman
 Does a general line of Blacksmith and woodwork. Repairing of all kinds neatly and promptly done at reasonable prices. Difficult jobs solicited. Special attention given to HORSE SHOEING
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AN INTERESTING STORY.

How a Big Idea and a High Ideal is Helping Humanity.

(Synopsis of Preceding Chapter: A dozen years ago Louis Liggett was a traveling man calling on the drug trade. Being a high-minded square fellow, something of a dreamer and idealist, besides a good business man, he became disgusted and distressed at the unwholesome conditions existing in the drug trade and conceived a plan for their betterment, which in a few years revolutionized things, raised the standard of efficiency and medical purity and resulted in 5,000 of the best pharmacists in the country uniting in an organization known as the Rexall Druggists. These 5,000 druggists stand unflinchingly for the ideas and ideals upon which Lou Liggett worked out his vision and rendered distinct and invaluable services in the communities in which they are established.)

CHAPTER II.

With Lou to conceive was to achieve. And so with his marvelous business grasp working hand in hand with his idea and ideal, he soon had his wonderful plan in operation.

First, like a wise business man, he formed his organization—chose the men with ideals and character equal to his own, upon whom he found he could rely to uphold the banner of medical purity and efficiency, and courageous and insistently discourage fakes and frauds.

To interest druggists from a business standpoint was Lou's easiest task; to discover and unite the calibre of men he desired and demanded was extremely difficult. And yet those who knew Lou best realized that rather than compromise with his ideal he would have abandoned his idea.

But Lou found his men—a few at first; now over 5,000 of them. Every one of them measured up to the idea and the ideal, and that is why today, wherever you may be, in Goldthwaite or elsewhere—if you see the Rexall sign you may know that within you will find the kind of a druggist with whom you can trustfully deal. You will never find but one in a town, and he will invariably be the leader. His men, chosen and pledged, with

the vision of a prophet, foreseeing the public's reception and appreciation of his idea and ideal, Lou, with characteristic vigor, quickly proceeded to put it into tangible and practical form.

Next week we will transfer the scene to Boston, Mass., where Lou began his work and where today he unremittingly labors and smiles—a happy man, because he is helping humanity.

R. E. CLEMENTS—The Rexall Store. (To be continued.)

HOW IS YOUR BOILER?

It has been stated that a man's stomach is his boiler, his body is his engine and his mouth the fire box. Is your boiler (stomach) in good working order or is it so weak that it will not stand a full load and not be able to supply the needed energy to your engine (body)? If you have any trouble with your stomach Chamberlain's Tablets will do you good. They strengthen and invigorate the stomach and enable it to do its work naturally. Many very remarkable cures of stomach trouble have been effected by them. For sale by all dealers. (Adv)

NOTICE TO STOCK OWNERS.

I will be in Goldthwaite the second Saturday in each month to do all classes of veterinary work. Treat all curable diseases of such animals here mentioned: Horses, cows, sheep, goats, hogs, dogs and poultry. If your animal is in a morbid condition bring it to me and have it treated under a scientific principle. All work guaranteed satisfactory. Examination free. Dr. O. M. WALTERS, V. S. San Saba, Texas.

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