

# THE GOLDTHWAITE EAGLE

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## FREE PICTURE AT MELBA TUESDAY

### County Drenched by Heavy Rains

County has had a variety of weather during the past week. Enjoying several balmy, like days last week, the started Friday and Sunday a torrent, more than inches falling Saturday and early Sunday morning.

Total rainfall for January is 5.22 inches as compared with a total for January of .95 inches.

Friday a hard norther began to blow up the mud and left a coating of dust blown in from the north. The north wind died practically unabated Wednesday afternoon.

Att Creek was up so high Sunday, it was necessary to divert the state highway department to keep a truck there to cross.

### G. M. Campbell Celebrates 90th Birthday

G. M. Campbell went to San Antonio Monday and brought with him Mrs. G. M. Campbell to celebrate her 90th birthday Sunday, but is so alert and it is difficult to believe he reached such an advanced age. The Eagle joins many friends of the Campbell in wishing her many more birthdays.

### and Civic Club Book Review

M. Y. Stokes, Jr., was to the members of the Civic Club and a number on Saturday afternoon, January 22.

The main feature of the program was a very excellent review of the modern novel, "Andoria" by Vaughn Wilkins. This was given by Mrs. W. G. in a manner that was interesting to her hearers.

The review, Miss Norton, Tippen read a sweet "The Girl I Used to Be." Mrs. Grace Noll Crowell read "The Cloninger." Mrs. Martin sang the "Song of the Schubert's." "Blossoms."

The familiar strains of music played by Mrs. A. H. Smith the refreshment plates being passed. These consisted of sandwiches, flower cookies and mints, chips, cheese canapes, and hot tea.

Guest list included Mrs. F. W. Saylor, W. C. Saylor, Walter Fairman, R. M. son, J. H. Randolph, Ray-little, Fred Brucks, Lucille n, T. C. Hatchett, S. E. ter, Walter Weatherby, Weatherby, O. H. Yarr, J. C. Campbell, W. E. R. E. Clements, Misses le Conro and Lillie Nosma Sue Tippen, Mrs. rborough of Austin, Mrs. of Mesquite and Mrs. Wil-Boulder, Colo.

### mediate League

The League is in fine progress. Selection of officers took place about two weeks ago. Our officers were re-elected entirely new ones selected to fill other places. We hope that the officers like places and enjoy their program for the following day as follows:

Reader—Glynn Collier.  
Scripture—Rom. 12:38—Heb. 1:8, Jos. 1:2.  
Song—1:2.  
Bible Discussion.  
Song—341.  
Scripture Drill—Mary Louise deGlink.  
Benediction.

### Winner in Paralysis Fight Is Buyer of First Ticket to Ball



Doris Harrell, restored to normalcy from an infantile paralysis attack, which left her apparently a hopeless cripple ten years ago, started the campaign for the President's Birthday Celebration in Texas this week by buying the first ticket in Chairman Jesse H. Jones' State organization from George Waverly Briggs, vice chairman, Miss Harrell, freshman at Denton's Texas College for Women, now plays tennis, rides horseback, shoots a rifle, and plays the piano. "I wish the new foundation to fight infantile paralysis every success," Doris Harrell says. "I know that without the skilled treatment given to me without cost I would still be unable to walk or use my right arm." President's Birthday celebrations will be held in every county and city in Texas January 29.

### Politics Quiet For Past Week

Mills County politics quieted down this week and only one new announcement has appeared that of Woodrow Long for Commissioner of Precinct 4. Considerable interest is being taken as to who will offer for State Representative to fill the seat now held by Tolbert Patterson of Mullin. There are also several

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### Merry Wives Club

Mrs. Raymond Little was hostess to the Merry Wives' Club, Tuesday, January 25.

Prizes in games were awarded to Mrs. Marvin Hodges for club member and Mrs. A. L. Whit-taker, for guest.

The Mexican motif was carried out in the prizes and refreshments.

Those present were Mesdames Walter Fairman, Claude Burch, Kelly Saylor, E. B. Gilliam, Jr., Robert Steen, D. A. Trent, Marvin Hodges, W. C. Dew, Aubra Hudson, S. E. Cloninger, W. G. Saylor, V. C. Bradford, and A. L. Whit-taker.—Reporter.

### Church of Christ

Edgar E. Furr, Minister

Services Sunday  
9:45—Bible Study.  
11:00—Worship.  
7:00 p. m.—Worship.  
Monday  
3:00 p. m.—Ladies Bible Class  
Wednesday  
7:00 p. m. Preaching Service.  
Friday  
7:00 p. m.—Song Drill.

### SPECIAL PREACHING

Monday night, January 31, brother Thornton Crews of Houston will preach at the Church of Christ.

Our mid-week services are proving very interesting, good crowds are attending. We are still preaching on Bible Characters. Our crowds are increasing at every service. Bible school attendance has made a gradual increase, all for which we are thankful.

Remember fifth Sunday preaching at Lower Valley. The services there will be Bible School at ten a. m. and preaching at eleven. Also preaching at seven p. m.

### 399 Unemployed in Mills County

Figures released from Washington show that the Unemployment Survey taken last November found 399 unemployed and 191 only partly employed in Mills County. These figures are higher than expected, but the reason is found in the small number—46—of persons in this County on relief projects. The figures for this and adjoining counties are as follows:

	(a)	(b)	(c)
Mills	399	191	46
Coryell	704	533	291
Hamilton	349	377	191
Lampasas	247	211	80
San Saba	285	200	129

(a) Totally unemployed  
(b) Partly employed  
(c) Employed by WPA, NYA and CCC.

### Y. W. A. Met

The Y. W. A. met in the home of Jean Goosby. An interesting program on Japan was led by Oleta Henry on which several took part. We were glad to have the new members and hope to have more new ones. Next Tuesday we are to meet with Addie Mae Summy.—Reporter.

### FORMER CITIZEN ELECTED TO PLACE OF HONOR

In Tuesday's Star-Telegram is pictured a former Goldthwaite citizen, George Clements, son of Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Clements, of Goldthwaite, who was recently elected president of the Ballinger Chamber of Commerce.

George has made good in every line of business since he started out.

### HATCHERY

Mrs. C. M. Burch has one of the most modern hatcheries to be found anywhere. She has all the latest improvements in electrical and other kinds of gadgets used in first class houses.

She installs new machinery and conveniences every year, thereby making her business grow and expand year by year.

### REDECORATED

Mrs. Zelma Hamilton has redecorated and freshened the interior of her Beauty Shop, by renewing the hangings and draperies and with pretty new floor covering. Making it more attractive than ever.

### Poll Tax Payments Spurt Upward

After lagging far behind, poll tax payments took a jump last Saturday and have been in fair demand all week. Saturday is expected to be the record day for payments. Although there are 3173 poll taxes assessed in Mills County, only 1,280 had been issued up to Thursday noon. The total issued in 1936, the previous election year was 1995 with 69 exemptions.

### Delegation Goes to Flood Control Meet

County Judge R. J. Gerald, County Agent W. P. Weaver and A. D. Kirk, president of the Mills County Flood Control Association went to Brady yesterday to attend the hearing held there by the Army engineer in charge of flood control work in this district.

### Garden Club Enjoys Illustrated Lecture

The members of the Garden Club enjoyed an illustrated lecture about the Bermuda Islands on Tuesday afternoon, at the High School building.

The lecture was given by Mrs. M. Y. Stokes, Jr., the slides were shown by Mrs. John Berry.

On Wednesday afternoon Mrs. Stokes and Mrs. Berry presented the same lecture and scenes for the Brownwood Garden Club in the Gold Room of Hotel Brownwood.

Over 100 ladies enjoyed this imaginary trip to the Bermudas.

### State Police Issue Licenses

State Highway patrolmen were here on their regular schedule Monday afternoon and examined three applicants for drivers' licenses. All three applicants passed the tests. The examiner stated that they had no trouble with Mills County drivers so far.

### Baptist Reminder

Our time of meeting is: Sunday School, 10; church services, 11; BTU, 6:00; church services, 7:00. You are always welcome at the Baptist Church. We try to make everyone feel at home. FRANKLIN E. SWANNER, Pastor

### Baptist Circle

Circle No. 1, of the Baptist W. M. S. met Monday afternoon in the home of Mrs. Ashley. Fourteen ladies attended the meeting.

Mrs. Carl Bledsoe, in her interesting, able way, introduced and led the Bible study of the afternoon, which was, "The Sermon on the Mount." Matt. 5:6-7. Each lady read a part of the lesson. As an assignment was read, it was discussed.

Our new book, "From Bethlehem to Olivet," was an interesting help in our Bible study.—Reporter.

### SINGING CONVENTION

Every body interested in gospel singing is invited to Union on January 30th to the County Singing Convention, where a big day has been arranged.

Union is 6 miles south of Hamilton.

R. O. McDURMUTT, Pres.

### VISITS HERE

Mr. and Mrs. R. R. Meade of Fort Worth visited here the first of the week.

Mrs. Meade was formerly Miss Jimmie Reynolds, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Reynolds on Caradan route. She has a wide circle of friends in this city and is a warm friend of the editor.

The groom is an employee of the government and has been located for years in Fort Worth.

### Governor Proclaims First Voters Week

This is "First Voters Week" in Texas.

It was so proclaimed by governor James V. Allred, who urged every citizen, particularly "first voters," to secure exemptions or pay their poll taxes this week before the deadline at midnight, Monday, January 31st.

Warning that 500,000 young Texans between the ages of 21 and 25 would not be allowed to vote in the state congressional and local elections this year unless they secure their exemptions or pay the \$1.75 poll tax by midnight of January 31st, the special proclamation pointed out that less than one-fifth of the half-million "first voters" of Texas actually voted in the last presidential election.

### Cemetery Association To Meet

The Cemetery Association which was scheduled to meet last Monday, will meet next Monday to reorganize and start anew. The meeting last Monday was postponed on account of disagreeable weather.

The number of graves that are sunken is appalling, and we are asking all those to see that their graves are attended to, if they do not care to work with the Association.—President.

### McCraw for Progress

Attorney General Bill McCraw is in the east at present battling for the rights of Texas in the famous Green inheritance tax suit, according to Joe Cooper of Lindale who was in Goldthwaite Tuesday. Within the course of a few days, with duty well performed in that important case, he will come back to Texas to await further developments and calls. The case will not be settled definitely for several months yet. Hearings are now merely being held in all of the four states that are claiming the tax. Later the evidence gathered will be submitted to the United States Supreme Court. At that time General McCraw will again be on the job. The course of procedure now being followed in the case suggested by General McCraw. A precedent was established. It was a pioneer route to take, but in the acceptance of the McCraw plan the possible total denigration of the 80 million dollar Green estate was prevented.

If the states of Texas, Mass., New York and Florida had been permitted to carry on in the legal controversy as usual when great estates are in the balance, when all litigations were complete and litigants paid off along with the lawyers, there might not have been very much, if any thing, left for the heirs or government. Bill McCraw was of the opinion that a battle before the Supreme Court would finally be necessary anyhow. So why not go to the Supreme Court in the first place? This was his question and proposal which was accepted and is now being followed.

A great service has been already rendered by the Texas attorney general, our next Governor Bill McCraw, Mr. Cooper says.

"His whole career of public service has been based upon the integrity of the individual. He believes that the whole fabric of government must rest upon individual character and independence."

### MARRIAGE LICENSES

County Clerk, L. B. Porter issued license January 22 to William Warren and Miss Doris Carlisle. The marriage was performed by Rev. J. L. Jones at Duren on January 22.

### First Trades Day On Tuesday, Feb. 1

#### University of San Antonio Dinner

On Thursday night, February 3rd, a banquet will be held in the basement of the Methodist Church in the interests of the University of San Antonio.

Dr. W. W. Jackson, president of the University, will be the guest speaker. A good program is being prepared.

You may secure tickets from A. H. Smith. The price is fifty cents. One hundred guests are expected. You will enjoy this occasion.

#### Goldthwaite School To Issue Own Paper

Beginning this week the Goldthwaite High School Herald will be issued as a separate paper in stead of appearing in the Eagle each week as it has for a number of years.

Miss Catherine (Cappy) Fairman is the editor-in-chief of the Herald.

#### Methodist Church

All the regular services will be held at the Methodist Church next Sunday. Our attendance and interest is fine and we invite everyone who does not attend some other church, to worship with us.

Church School at 9:45 a. m.  
Morning Worship Service, 10:50 a. m.  
Epworth League meet at 6:00 p. m.  
Evening Service at 7:00 p. m.  
Midweek service, Wednesday, 7:15 p. m.

For the Sunday night service we are going to have the men in the choir. We urge all our men to be present in the choir. You will enjoy their singing. Come and bring someone.

FRED J. BRUCKS

#### MORE ABOUT THE RAT CAMPAIGN

We have a number of reports from those who used the rat bait on the 15th and no one has reported rats in evidence since the poison was placed. We would like to get a report from all users of the bait.

Many persons are still calling for bait. The mixture will not keep longer than 24 hours and Saturday the 15th, was the only day it was available.

However the County Agent's Office will furnish full directions for mixing and placing the baits.

The only way to permanently beat the rats and mice is to rat-proof all buildings on the premises.

W. P. WEAVER, County Agent

#### RENEWS SUBSCRIPTION

A letter was received from our friend and former citizen, C. B. Mohler, in which he sets his subscription up a year ahead.

Mr. Mohler says he is one of the oldest subscribers, as he has had the paper coming to his family since the beginning and can't do without it now.

He also says he would be so glad to attend an old-timers reunion here next summer. Why not begin to plan for one? Thanks Mr. Mohler.

#### FREE SHOW AT THE MELBA

The management of the Melba Theatre will offer a five-reel educational show to the general public within the next few days. The date will be announced later.

Every member of every farm family should see this show which is both entertaining and instructive.

W. P. WEAVER, County Agent

#### Local Merchants Offer Inducements To Shoppers Here

Goldthwaite business men have arranged with the Melba Theatre to give a free picture show Tuesday afternoon, Feb. 1 as a feature of the first of a series of Goldthwaite Bargain Days or Trades Days.

All that is required to see the show is to secure a ticket from any of the sponsors of the affair. The show will be open all Tuesday afternoon in order to give all of the shoppers an opportunity to enjoy it.

Businessmen who are offering special inducements on this day include: Clements Drug, Rosebud Beauty and Millinery Shop, Little's, Fairman Co., Hudson Bros., Yarborough's, Bill's Cafe, D. Hartman, W. W. May, Steen and Son, Bird Service Station, Barnes and McCullough, Goldthwaite Eagle, Randolph Lumber Co., Gerald-Worley Co., Piggly Wiggly, Long and Berry, Brim Grocery, and Jack Long Service Station.

#### Garden Club

Mesdames O. H. Yarborough, M. H. Fletcher and J. C. Mullin were hostesses to the Garden Club Friday afternoon in the home of Mrs. O. H. Yarborough. The rooms were artistically decorated with ornamental gourds and winter berries, as these were the theme of study at this time.

The president, Mrs. J. M. Campbell presided during the business session. She urged all members to plant Red Buds.

Mrs. John Berry was leader for the following program:

Study of Old Favorites of the Garden—Mrs. J. J. Stephen.  
Gourds for Pleasure and decoration—Mrs. H. B. Johnson.  
The Flower Song, from the Opera, Faust, was very beautifully sung by Mrs. Marsh Johnson.

Exhibit of Winter Buds and Berries—Mrs. W. E. Fairman.  
Plant Explorer—Miss Abbie Ervin.  
Fruit cake, hot chocolate and mints were served the members and guests which included: mesdames W. C. Dew, Walter Fairman, E. B. Anderson, Hulon Fletcher, A. L. Turner of Mesquite, Wm. Glenn Yarborough of Austin, and B. F. Wilcox of Boulder, Colo.

#### GUESTS OF BAR ASSN.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Gilliam and Mr. and Mrs. Frank Bowman, were guests of the 27th Judicial District Bar Association at its annual meeting held in Temple Thursday night of last week.

Judge John C. Abney of Lampasas was elected president, succeeding District Judge Few Brewster.

## The Trent State Bank

No business too large for us to handle, none too small to receive every courtesy and attention.

Goldthwaite, Texas

### Report of San Antonio Methodist Mission Home

December was a month of unusual and interesting activities. Two new girls came to the Home during the month, making our total forty-three. Five new babies were presented to us, one of which was premature and lived only about eight hours and another, afflicted from his birth, lived only three weeks, leaving us a total of twenty-six babies. Porter Loring in his usual gracious spirit took care of these little bodies. We are grateful to God for the general good health of mothers and babies. Drs. Passmore and Phelps have taken the places of Drs. Moore and Coats and they are carrying on most faithfully and efficiently.

We wish that each of you could have been with us during the Christmas season and especially on Christmas morning to have seen the happy faces of our girls with their "todlers" as they gathered in the large living room at 6:30 a. m. for their sacred program which preceded the presentation of gifts. One of the girls gave the Christmas story, "Why The Chimes Rang" and each joined in giving some Christmas memory verse. As usual the "Blue Birds" were really love birds and gave much time in making our girls happy, beginning with a lovely tea and bringing the tree and gifts for each little mother and baby. The Evening Circle of Travis Park gave a lovely evening party and other groups including the Gleaner Class (which is taught by Mrs. Herrington), the Wesley Class and Missionary Society of Laurel Heights, Circles Three, Seven and One of Travis Park, The Elk's Club and Victory Masonic Lodge. The committees from the Elks and Maseng came

Christmas morning and the men had a game of ball with the toddlers in the play room and were loath to leave. "Our friendly neighbor across the river" (as she signs herself) Mrs. Henry Drought—sent lovely individual packages of candy. Gifts of hose powder and toothbrushes from the employees of WPA, Smith Young Tower, Individuals sent money for turkeys and others sent generous donations of fruit and candy. The entire season was a blessed experience for all of us.

Other gifts not reported include a box of clothing, valued at \$50 from the WPA. Fourteen new robes for babies and the same number blankets, four new quilts for large beds and a hand some pressure cooker. This from the Hotel Supply Company. 28 bushels of citrus fruits from friends in the Brownsville District.

The Home was privileged to share Christmas with the outside world with the help of the Baraca Bible Class of Travis Park Church, which sponsored the erection of a manger scene and the broadcast of Christmas carols each evening. The Menger Electric Company installed the flood lights without charge and T. B. Wood installed a loud speaker.

#### Financial Report

Cash receipts placed on the book for month was \$752.75. Because of the Christmas season and the special offering for the Methodist Home in Waco at this season it was difficult to do much special soliciting during December. Mother Culbertson and Mrs. Beery made a trip to the coast. Mother Culbertson going to Bay City and Victoria and Mrs. Beery to El Campo. From these visits some gifts have come. We plan to have Mother Culbertson spend most of January in the Austin District where Bro. Hamner is arranging the set-up with the ministers Monday in their meeting. We are preparing the material to be used in the Mother's Day offering. Our educational program is

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## For Sale!

Very seldom do you see a "For Sale" sign in Goldthwaite, because a home here is an investment. Something you and yours can never replace with anything that will give you so much pleasure.

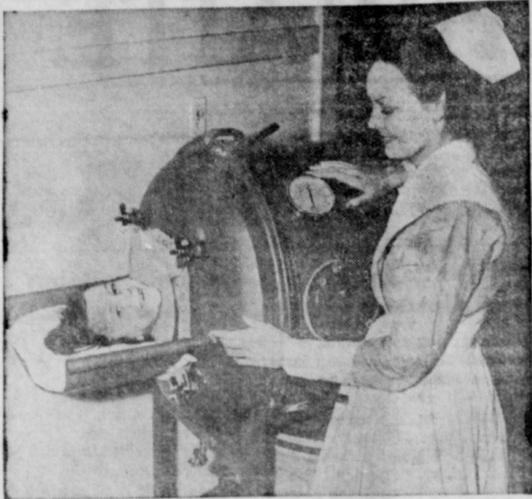
Come in, talk to us and get present prices on building materials.

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**J. H. RANDOLPH LUMBER CO.**  
GOLDTHWAITE, TEXAS

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## "Iron Lung" Fights Paralysis



To Texas communities which may suffer from the scourge of an infantile paralysis epidemic will be sent equipment, money, and personnel as needed by the new Foundation for Infantile Paralysis. Like the Red Cross, the new Foundation will fill the gap in every crisis. Money for the Foundation will be raised by the hundreds of President's Birthday Celebrations throughout Texas and the nation, January 29. The picture shows an "iron lung" at Baylor Hospital, Dallas, with an infantile paralysis sufferer under treatment. "Iron lungs" will be made available to save lives of children in every Texas community in case of epidemic conditions of infantile paralysis.

### Lake Merritt

By Mrs. Douglas Robertson

Mr. and Mrs. Edgar McNutt visited Sunday afternoon with the Robertson family.

John Randles from Oklahoma visited his sister, Mrs. J. H. Long and family last week.

Misses Lee Ruth Graves and Lorene Calaway spent Thursday night with Mrs. Edgar McNutt.

Mrs. Walter and Mrs. Jim Weatherby, called on Mrs. Robertson one afternoon last week.

Mr. and Mrs. William Daniel helped his father kill a beef last week.

Jim Smith has been on the sick list.

Mrs. Naomi Long is visiting Mrs. J. W. Long.

Catherine Ryan visited in the Geeslin home.

Mrs. Scrivner visited Mrs. Norton Thursday, while the men worked.

Mrs. John Patterson was carried to the hospital at Gorman for an examination, Saturday. She came home Sunday afternoon.

Nina Beth Robertson has been sick and missed school for a few days.

Roy McNutt spent Saturday night with his sister, Mrs. Joe Huffman and family.

Mr. Patterson carried his pupils to Duren and played ball Thursday afternoon.

J. D. Nix played forty-two in the Robertson home Tuesday night.

Miss Beatrice Long has been visiting her sister, Mrs. L. B. Bramblett.

Mrs. Felton Waddell and children visited Mrs. Jake Brown Thursday.

Mrs. Massey visited her daughter, Mrs. J. D. Kight several days last week.

#### FIFTY CARLOADS

A carload of calves every three minutes was the selling record made last October when the price of West Texas calves and the number of out-of-state buyers reached a new high in the Highland Hereford sale at Marfa, sold in two hours and thirty minutes. Representatives of nine states were there to buy.

being enlarged and improved. About the middle of January Mr. Heit of WPA will send us another teacher. With two teachers we'll do better work and the recitation period will be reduced from one hour to forty minutes. This will make possible an enlarged course.

JOHN K. BEERY

### Observe the Laws Regarding Operation Of School Buses

All vehicles used for the transportation of pupils to and from any school or college, shall have a sign on the front and rear and on each side of said vehicle, showing the words, "School Bus" and said words shall be plainly readable in letters not less than six (6) inches in height. It shall be the duty of the operator of such school bus vehicle to see that such signs are displayed as above provided, and it shall be unlawful to operate any such school bus vehicle unless such signs are so displayed thereon. When any such school bus vehicle stops, every operator of a motor vehicle or motorcycle approaching the same from any direction shall bring such motor vehicle or motorcycle to a full stop, before proceeding in any direction; and in event such school bus vehicle is receiving or discharging passengers, the said operator of such motor vehicle or motorcycle shall not start up or attempt to pass in any direction until the said school bus vehicle has finished receiving or discharging its passengers.

Any party who violates any of the provisions of Section 1 of this act shall, upon conviction thereof, be guilty of a misdemeanor, and shall be fined not less than ten (\$10) dollars nor more than five hundred (\$500) dollars, or confined in the county jail not to exceed ninety (90) days, or both such fine and imprisonment; provided, however, that if death results to any person, caused either actually or remotely by a noncompliance and, or violation of any of the provisions of this act, then and in that event, the party or parties so offending shall be punished as is now provided by law.—Eagle Lake Headlight.

#### Don't put up with useless PAIN

### PAIN

Get rid of it

When functional pains of menstruation are severe, take CARDUI. If it doesn't benefit you, consult a physician. Don't neglect such pains. They depress the tone of the nerves, cause sleeplessness, loss of appetite, wear out your resistance. Get a bottle of Cardui and see whether it will help you, as thousands of women have said it helped them. Besides easing certain pains, Cardui aids in building up the whole system by helping women to get more strength from their food.

## Harry Allen

All kinds of Sheet Metal work  
Tanks and Flues  
Fairman Co. across street from  
City Garage

### NEWS IN BRIEF

Reduction of between 15,000,000 and 30,000,000 acres of crop lands is planned by the department of Agriculture in 1938. Cotton acreage will be cut 8,000,000 acres.

An earthquake lasting two minutes loosened plaster but did no material damage in Hawaii Sunday.

Southern Senators filibustering against the lynch bill have agreed to allow a vote on the federal housing bill. This will be the first completed legislation in this session of Congress.

Texas had all varieties of weather Sunday including the season's worst dust storm in the Panhandle and floods in and around Dallas where the Trinity was 34 feet deep. The pike between Dallas and Fort Worth was closed by high water.

American volunteers fighting on the government side in Spain are said to have annihilated two companies of Moorish cavalrymen near Teruel Sunday.

Checks for \$60,000 will be mailed this week to unemployed workers in Texas who are eligible to receive them.

Continental Oil Co., makers of Conoco gasoline, have announced that they will spend 17 per cent more money for advertising in 1938 than they did in 1937, which was the biggest year in the history of the company.

The United States has protested to Japan that Japanese soldiers have looted American property in Nanking.

Texas Rangers raided five places in Dallas Saturday and arrested men taking bets on horse races.

The Giant flying boat China Clipper with 16 aboard turned back twice last week after starting for Honolulu, Hawaii. A clogged fuel line brought it back once and heavy fog sent it back once more.

The police station at Houston was burglarized last week when someone pried the hinges off a storeroom door and made off with five gallons of oil. Rev. O. D. Dial while excavating for a house at Snyder dug up a lard bucket containing 100 silver dollars. But the bank said they were counterfeit.

Sixteen big oil companies have been found guilty of price fix-

#### DON'T SCRATCH

To relieve the itching associated with Minor Skin Irritations, Prickly Heat, Eczema, Ivy Poisoning, and Chiggers, get a bottle of LITTELL'S LIQUID sulphur compound. Used for more than twenty-five years. Price 50c

**HUDSON BROS.**  
All Other Druggists

ing under the Sherman Antitrust act at Madison, Wisconsin in one of the largest cases ever brought by the government.

All oil wells in Texas were shut down Sunday by the State Railroad Commission. The order will close them for five more Sundays as a conservation measure and to adjust the prices of Texas oil with that outside the state.

Texas crops in 1937 brought \$461,000,000 last year, a gain of \$61,000,000 over 1936.

### Journalism Congress To Meet in March

Some 200 faculty and student representatives from 13 college and university departments of journalism in this section will gather at Baylor University, Waco, March 25 and 26 for the annual meeting of the Southwestern Journalism Congress, according to Prof. J. Willard Ridings of Texas Christian University, secretary-treasurer of the organization.

Member institutions which will send delegates include Baylor University; Hardin-Simmons, Abilene; Louisiana State University, Baton Rouge; Mary

Hardin-Baylor, Belton; Oklahoma A&M College, Stillwater; Southern Oklahoma State University, Dallas; Texas Christian University, Waco; Texas College, College Station; Texas Wesleyan University, Fort Worth; Texas Woman's University, Denton; Tulane University, New Orleans; University of Oklahoma, Norman; Oklahoma State University, Stillwater.

### Beware of That Hand

No matter how many times you have tried for your cold, or bronchitis, or sinusitis, get relief now with Creomulsion, which you cannot afford to take with any remedy less potent than Creomulsion, which goes to the seat of the trouble and softens the mucus, breaks up the mucous membranes and expels the germs. Even if other remedies don't discourage you, don't be discouraged by a business man's refund policy. Creomulsion is a thoroughly satisfied with the results obtained from the bottle. Creomulsion is one of the best things you'll ever get. Ask for it plainly, see that you get the genuine Creomulsion on the bottle is Creomulsion. You'll get the genuine Creomulsion inside the relief you want.

Don't forget to trade at

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You can get the BEST Independent Gasoline that is bought on the open market at 15c gallon. Also Company gas at regular prices.

You will find oil at my Station, 5c a quart cheaper than most stations.

I handle Gates Tires and Batteries. They are against everything. I also handle Federal Tires.

Here are a few SPECIALS for Saturday and next Monday:  
Gates Tires, first line, 6 ply, 500x19—reg. price, \$14.50  
Federal Tires, 440x21, as low as  
Double Blue Penant Tires, 475x19, reg. price \$10.00  
Double Blue Penant Tires, 450x21 reg. price, \$10.00  
Double Blue Penant Tires, 550x17, reg. price, \$13.95

We Specialize in WASHING and GREASING  
Your business appreciated, large or small



## Bird Service Station

GOLDTHWAITE, TEXAS



## CASH or Sympathy

Kind words don't pay the doctor bills, the hospital bills or make up for loss of income, while you're laid up as result of an accident. Accident insurance helps bear a big part of the burden. It costs so little that it's better to have it and not need it than to need it and not have it.

### Our Special "2-in-1" Subscription Offer

A Year's Subscription to the Eagle and a \$1500 Accident Policy, Both For \$2.00

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## The SNAPSHOT GUILD

### The Camera in the Kitchen



DO YOU ever carry your camera into the kitchen? Next time you want to take pictures indoors, and run out of subjects, try exploring the realm of stove, icebox and pantry. It's a happy hunting-ground.

Almost everything in a kitchen is a camera subject. The icebox and the china and aluminumware are a mine of still-life possibilities, and there are opportunities galore for "off-guard" pictures whenever a meal is being prepared.



Children busy in the kitchen are always appealing picture subjects. Snaps like this abound in any home.

The mixing of a cake can be a picture, if the big mixing bowl is snapped from a high angle with two hands busy with a spoon in the creamy batter. Mother breathlessly testing the cake with a broomstraw is an opportunity for a "candid" shot. There are pictures, general or close-up, when the cake is being fed. There is a splendid close-up in the cutting of the first slice, with the gleaming long-bladed knife going through the fluffy loaf.

A pile of shining pots and pans may make a splendid picture, if the photographer chooses a proper angle and works out a "dramatic" lighting. China, wet and glistening in a drain rack, is material for pictures. Even the dishpan, foamy with suds as two hands squeeze out the dishrag above it, is a picture opportunity.

The icebox yields eggs and vegetables that can be worked into interesting "still-life" studies. A series of "busy hands" pictures is well worth trying—hands peeling a potato, with a long curl of peel hanging; hands polishing silverware or drying glassware; hands turning a brown pancake on a griddle or lifting a waffle out of the iron—hands doing a thousand and one things!

Picture-making in most kitchens is simple, because the room is usually small and walls and ceiling are generally light in color. The camera should be loaded with supersensitive film, and three large amateur flood bulbs used in cardboard reflectors. The proper distance from bulbs to subject is four to six feet. With this amount of light, one can take snapshots with a box camera at its largest lens opening, or use 1/25 second at f.8 or f.11 lens opening with cameras so marked. For close-up pictures, a simple portrait attachment must be used with most cameras.

John van Gulder.

## Rock Springs

### By Mrs. Eula Nickols

There wasn't any Sunday School or church Sunday on account of the rain. Next Sunday is the fifth Sunday meeting with the Big Valley Church.

Star, I enjoyed what you said in last week's paper. Seems that the ladies have the men scared off you know men say if you want anything told, just tell a woman. I know some men who love to talk as well as a woman. I believe I know every writer, but two. I would love to meet each writer.

I enjoyed one nice piece our old friend and neighbor, Bro. Bowles sent in last week. I also appreciated the nice Christmas card he and wife sent me along with others.

The heavy rains Saturday night and Sunday morning put the river on a rise. It has also put the farmers behind with their plowing. It will give them a good chance to get plenty of wood for the cooks, which they really can burn when it is nice and dry.

Mrs. J. T. Robertson spent Saturday afternoon with Mrs. McClary.

The four big tanks on Earl Fairmans farm are full and running over since the big rains.

Marvin Spinks visited Friday night in the Webb and Cooke homes.

J. C. Wade and family and Miss Cochran from town and Mrs. J. C. McClary spent Sunday afternoon in the Cooke home.

James Nickols and wife from town spent Saturday night and Sunday with his mother.

Jack Robertson and wife from South Bennett, Woody Traylor and family were Sunday guests in the Robertson home.

Mrs. Nickols and Philip visited in the Cooke home Sunday night.

B. F. Renfro and family called in the J. T. Robertson home Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. Eula Nickols spent Thursday in the Collier home. The ladies quilted, later in the afternoon Mr. Collier took the ladies to see the Cooke baby.

John Roberts and wife visited

in the McClary home Thursday night.

Mrs. Shirley Nickols taught school Monday and Tuesday of this week for Miss Saylor.

Billie Ruth Daniel spent Sunday afternoon with her little nephew, Clint Daniel.

Mrs. Maggie Traylor visited in the Webb home Sunday afternoon.

Lance Boyd and wife spent Monday with their son and wife at Ratler.

J. T. Stark and mother and Mrs. Marvin Spinks went to C. O. Starks in Center Point Friday night to the Keley shower.

Mrs. Eula Nickols spent Monday in her son, Dwight's home in town.

Mrs. A. R. Kauhs and son spent a part of last week in the McClary home taking care of Mrs. McClary, who was sick.

J. F. Davis and grandfather Davis went to Brownwood last week to visit relatives. Grand father stayed for a longer visit.

Landy Ellis and Philip Nickols went to Brownwood Thursday. Otis Hutchings from Center Point and James Nickols from town accompanied them. James took his horse and sold it while up there.

Clifford Renfro spent one day last week with Martin Clark in the Gatlin home.

## Blue Bonnet Club

Mrs. Walter Simpson was hostess to the Blue Bonnet Club and a number of guests on January 18.

This being an all day meeting in honor of her sister, Mrs. Lydia Stockman, whose home had recently burned.

We all enjoyed the tempting meal served at the noon hour.

The day was spent in quilting. Our guests were nearly finished.

Our guests were Meses. J. T. Hart, Marvin Casbeer, and Willis Hill.

Visitors are always welcome. We were glad to have Mrs. M. C. Morris join our club.

Our next meeting will be with Valera Stacy, Feb. 1.—Reporter.

Trade at home—Get the Best

Mrs. Murphy's brothers, Wood and Charlie Roberts, and called on her niece, Mrs. P. R. Reid.

Mrs. Mrs. Blue Thompson and Mr. and Mrs. Oll Dwyer had dinner with Mrs. Nellie Malone Sunday.

Mrs. W. H. Reeves reports that her sister, Miss Sybil Guthrie, who has been in a San Antonio hospital for several weeks because of a serious car accident, is now able to hobble about on crutches, but doesn't yet know when she will be permitted to leave the hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Crowder, and Neuma, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Crowder and Ed Crowder, J. R. Wilmeth, Mrs. J. R. Briley, Mr. and Mrs. Wood Roberts, and Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Roberts attended the funeral of Bud Ratliff at Brownwood Sunday afternoon.

S. H. Reeves and Dr. May made a business trip to Fort Worth Monday.

There was no Sunday School or church Sunday on account of rain. Rain had fallen some since Thursday, but Saturday night it just poured, and was still raining Sunday morning. Roads were impassable Sunday morning on account of high water in Buffalo Creek.

Clayton Egger and his mother, Mrs. Effie Tippen, went to Austin and back Saturday. Clayton is contemplating entering the University this next semester.

Gene Wilmeth, exempt from exams in Brownwood High School, spent his mid term holidays making the farm work hum.

The school bus did not go Monday on account of an accumulation of sand and mud in the creek crossing near the Roy Reynolds place.

Charlie Roberts spent the week end in Brownwood.

Miss Bernice Wilmeth of the Indian Creek school was unable to spend her week end at home this time on account of rain and bad roads.

Tom Riggs is working for E. O. Dwyer.

Favorable and encouraging reports have come from Mrs. S. L. Singleton since she went to the home of her daughter, Mrs. Hubert McMullin, in San Angelo a week ago Sunday. Though very weak and discouraged when she left, since going through the clinic there, they find her condition very much improved from what it was when she left for Ark., about two months ago for treatment at Eureka Springs. They think now that she is really on the road to recovery.

When you have visitors or know any local item of interest tell the Eagle.

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## Star

By Mrs. Dora Goode

It's no use to say that we've had rain, everybody knows that. But wet as we are with a super abundance of moisture, it could be worse. We're not floating down the river yet. Don't hear the frogs anymore. Don't know if they've gone up or down. The Bennett creek is past crossing now and the branches were all out of bounds. And it is still warm, though a bit cooler to-night, (Sunday).

The concert given by the Comanche band at Star last Friday night was fine and was greatly enjoyed by all who attended.

Judging from the number of rose cuttings put out this winter, Star will soon be on the list for amateur rose contests. Mrs. Luther Teague and Mrs. Frank Shave are the leading rose growers, and it is through their influence that rose culture is taking a step forward with a half dozen or more rose gardens in the making. Some three or four hundred cuttings have been set out.

The Star hatchery is going in full swing now and soon baby chicks will be on the wing and demanding a lot of time from the afore-said rose enthusiasts.

The weatherman shattered Sunday School attendance Sunday. However a few of the brave were out, but most everybody stayed at home. Water-bound maybe. The Missionary Society was scheduled to present a program after the Sunday School lesson, but of course

everybody missed it.

Billie Miller has been ailing for some time and is now totally blind. He is being cared for by Carl Teague. Mr. Miller is one of the real old-timers of Star.

Mrs. Will Boykin is still in a Temple Sanitarium, but is reported doing well. Her husband and daughter, Miss Naomi, returned home Saturday. Other relatives who were with them at Temple have also returned. They were Mr. and Mrs. John Soules, Jim and Fred Soules, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Soules, Mr. and Mrs. John Boykin, and Mrs. Ethel Nabors.

Mrs. Fred Langford has been quite ill for the past week. Her mother, Mrs. Myrtle Roe, has been in attendance at her bedside.

Dave Thompson is re-roofing the rock house recently vacated by Prof. J. S. Armstrong. When completed it will be one of the nice homes of Star. The concrete roof was faulty and leaked is the reason for the new roof.

A basket ball tournament is in progress today and tomorrow at the Star school gym. If you haven't come, come on. The P. T. A. ladies will have plenty of eats.

Mr. Dan Wagner, of Center City, visited his daughter, Mrs. Walton Moore and family, one day last week.

Correction for last week's letter. Miss Zenie Loftis, of Comanche, is the sister of the late, Mrs. Tab Wall, instead of Mrs. Graham Wall.

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Commentary Wilmeth Briley Thanks for last week

news reached Ebony morning that H. G. Ratliff had passed away at midnight in a Brownwood hospital, memories at once of those who knew him at Ebony. It is better to Ebony than to any place. He came here in youth, and until he was almost man. It was in 1874 that parents they brought and settled in these home, which is now the Duffer Ranch, he his bride. There they a large and interesting His ranch became, by the best equipped in this unity. He was a hustler business man.

through his influence financial backing that the Church, which stood on the Regency road, was to Ebony. It was into a pretty church house, painted inside and out, and well

little white church has since fallen to decay, but hearts of those who knew influence, the memory of it monument to the untiring efforts and Ratliff.

buried Sunday afternoon at Brownwood beside his preceded him four years Present were all his survivors: Oscar Del Rio, of Brownwood, Ira of Ibad, Noel and Paul of Tulsa, and Mrs. Norman Ho of Corpus Christi. There also present two sisters-in-law, Mrs. Tom Ratliff and Mrs. Ratliff of Fort Worth, and daughter-in-law Mrs. Presley of Austin. He is also survived by one sister, Mrs. Mabe of Fort Stockton.

and Mrs. S. L. Singleton returned home from Eureka Ark., Tuesday. Mrs. leton was not as well as we'd like to have seen her. Her and husband, Mr. and Hubert McMullin of San lo, spent the week end with and took her home with Sun morning where she can be the doctor and can be well for. Mr. Singleton accompanied her.

infant son of Mr. and Mrs. Egger of Brownwood was here Thursday afternoon. and Mrs. Ollie Murphy lives here last week. They near Big Springs visited

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# Letters of Interest From Mills County Communities

## Caradan

Mrs. W. W. Reynolds

Everyone was very glad to see the sunshine once again. We did not have Sunday school, Sunday due to rain, rain, rain. But since the rain has stopped, old mother sand storm pushed her way through to add some dry dusty weather.

Mr. and Mrs. Lester Kerby have moved to a home in South Bennett community, we sure hated to lose them, but know that South Bennett has gained a fine young couple.

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond R. Mead of Fort Worth are visiting in the Walter Reynolds home this week.

Mrs. Mary Denton visited Mrs. M. J. Burrows and Mrs. Ella Rowe, one day last week.

Tullie Lee's house caught fire Monday evening but sufficient help put it out before it did much damage.

Old Harmony Primitive Church will have services at Caradan Sunday at 11:00 a. m. Little Letha Reynolds spent Saturday with her grandparents. Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence have moved back in our community. We feel that we have gained a very worthy couple and are very happy to have them.

The sick people of our community are improving. We will be very happy when they have fully recovered.

We had a very good singing Sunday night week, had fine crowd and a lot of good singing. Mr. Lewis Porter's family was out for singing. We were very glad to have them. We have singing every first and third Sunday. Everyone come and enjoy the singing.

Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Reynolds announce the arrival of a nine-pound baby boy.

## Pleasant Grove

Raymond Williams

At last, the rain has ceased. For a few days, we hope. Ole man cold weather is visiting here now. Some say it is a pleasure to have him, while others do not think so much of his visit.

Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Crawford Otho Loyd, and Mr. and Mrs. Eli Berry visited in O. L. Berry's home Saturday night. They say rain or lightening doesn't stop Melvin when he wants to go.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Baker and Billy Young, were visitors in the Tiam Berry's home Sunday afternoon.

Troy and Novleen Berry (two of our young people who are away in college, visited their parents over the week end.

Raymond Williams visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Williams of Brownwood this week end.

Olney and R. G. Kelby called on Arrus Baker Sunday afternoon.

Sam Porter and family spent Saturday night in Lometa with friends.

This is mid-term week at school. Some are beginning to take their first mid-term exams. They say its OK if you know every word on every page, you have gone over.

Miss Palmore visited her parents at Williams this week end.

George Brown happen to a bad accident Saturday by cutting his foot with an ax.

This Sunday will be Bro. Joe Benningfield's preaching day. Everyone is invited to come out to hear Bro. Joe.

## North Bennett

By Miss Lula Batchelor

We all enjoyed the pretty weather, last week.

M. Booker and Raymond finished gathering corn. Believe it or not.

Mr. Harris and Ernest Whitson made a trip to Comanche last week.

There have been quite a lot of moving in this community. Several new families moved here. We welcome L. C. Sparkman and family, Harvey Wilson and family and Warren Wilson and family into our community.

Mrs. Batchelor is improving after a seige of illness, but is still not able to be about.

Mrs. J. W. McNeil spent Christmas with Mr. and Mrs. Morgan

McNeil at Mt. Olive and took sick while there and has not been able to come home.

Mrs. Wilson is spending the winter with Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Kendall.

Mr. and Mrs. Waggoner of Center City have moved to the M. Booker place.

Jim Hamilton and Will Rosen were cat hunting in this community last week.

Mrs. F. M. Anderson and Andrew are living on their farm again. Mr. and Mrs. Deward Reynolds who lived there the past two years have moved to the Jackson place near Caradan.

Mmes. Tom House and W. A. Knight and J. M. Harris, visited with Mrs. Batchelor one afternoon last week.

We surely did have some rain Saturday night and Sunday and a sand storm Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Rose visited with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Batchelor Sunday night.

R. L. Mikael is working in town this week.

## Chappell Hill

By Miss Catherine Crook

We are happy to report that our teacher, Miss Grace Saylor, was improved enough to visit in our community Monday afternoon. She plans to resume her duties as teacher in our school next Monday.

Lora Manuel spent Saturday night with Hazel Eakin.

Mrs. J. N. Crook and Catherine visited in the Eakin home Thursday afternoon.

David Ivy, the son of Mr. and Mrs. Jess Ivy, who has made his home at Priddy for the past few years, was married to Miss Hilma Tischler of that community last Thursday afternoon. We wish for them a long and happy wedded life.

William Ivy and wife came to the wedding and visited a few days with relatives here. They returned to their home at Mills, Texas, Monday.

Those who visited the Evans and Crook families a few days last week were: Mrs. Luther Wilson and two sons of Abilene, Mr. and Mrs. Willis Hamilton and daughter, and Mrs. Mary Hamilton, all of Haskell. Mrs. Mary Hamilton remained for a few weeks visit with her sister, Mrs. Selma Evans.

Clayton Crook spent Saturday night and Sunday morning with home folks. He returned to Dallas Sunday afternoon.

## South Bennett

By Mrs. M. L. Casbeer

Mrs. J. T. Hart and daughters of Mullin have been visiting with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Dennis and family.

Bill York, Mr. Stucky and Mrs. Lula Hill and son, from Spur, were guests in the Morgan Stacey home one day last week.

Mr. and Mrs. M. L. Casbeer visited in the Burthel Roberts home Friday night. Mrs. Roberts is much better after having been sick for several days.

Clyde Featherston and wife visited Mr. and Mrs. Burthel Roberts Thursday night.

Jack Montgomery and family were guests in the Cleve Perry home, Sunday.

Grandpa Featherston has been visiting for several days, with his son, Charley Featherston, and family at Live Oak

Mrs. Leon Johnson visited with Mrs. M. L. Casbeer, Tuesday afternoon.

Morgan Stacy spent several days last week with relatives at Killeen. He returned home Saturday.

Mrs. Walter Simpson's sister and little son from Pompey have been visiting with her, for several weeks.

Morgan Stacy and family, Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Featherston and George Wayne, Aaron Stacy, J. M. and Odell Casbeer visited in the Burthel Roberts home, Sunday.

Ruby Dee Kuykendall spent Saturday night with her brother Bedford and family.

Mrs. Willis Hill visited Mrs. Nolan Jones and Mrs. Bernard Perry one afternoon last week.

Bob Kerby has been on the sick list, lately.

Trade with Goldthwaite stores

## West Lake Merritt

By Mrs. Hutchings—Miss Ritchie

The Happy Hour Club, met with Mrs. W. J. Marshall Tuesday, January 18. The ladies pieced on quilts and did some fancy work. After several hours of enjoyment, a business meeting was called and new officers elected. Mrs. Jack Brown, president; Mrs. W. L. Stuck, vice president; Mrs. Tommie Fuller, secretary-treasurer; Miss Inez Ritchie reporter. Refreshments were served to ten club members and one guest, Mrs. Donis Fuller. The next meeting will be with Mrs. C. O. Norton, February 1.

Mrs. Joe Ritchie visited with Mrs. Chas. Campbell Saturday afternoon.

Bro. Furr and wife from town visited with Joe Ritchie and

family. Tuesday evening, after supper the two families called in the Tom Cave home.

Ira Hutchings and family called in the Claude Collier home Sunday afternoon.

Tommie Fuller and wife and Mrs. J. M. Baker were Sunday visitors in the W. L. Stuck home.

C. H. Sanderson of Brownwood was a Tuesday night guest of Ira Hutchings.

## Helpful Hints For the Household

The longer roasts are cooked, the more tender they will be. This was proved at College Station by cooking twin roasts at different temperatures and for different periods.

Pressure cookers without thermometers should be quickly heated and the petcocks closed as soon as the gauge registers from 1-2 to 1 lb.

While immersing cured hams and sides of bacon in cottonseed oil prevents mold, sliced bacon was damaged by the process.

Ice tea has practically the same effect on children drinking it as the same quantity of lemonade, tests at College Station have shown. Tea should not be substituted for milk, however.

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LIBBY'S— <b>CORN</b> No. 2 Tin	13c
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SHOULDER— Roast lb	15c
BREAKFAST— BACON, 1lb	22c
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**POLITICS QUIET—**

(Continued from page 1)

gaps in the district offices which will have to be filled before election time.

**Woodrow Long For Commissioner**

Woodrow Long of Big Valley authorizes the Eagle to announce that he is a candidate for Commissioner of Precinct 4 subject to the action of the Democratic primary election in July.

Mr. Long is a son of Ben Long and is well and favorably known throughout the precinct which he aspires to represent as commissioner. He was born and reared in Big Valley and is a graduate of the Goldthwaite High School.

He has always taken a keen interest in county affairs and is particularly interested in building good roads. He promises, that if elected, he will put his whole time and interest in the upbuilding of the precinct and the communities of which it is composed.

He asks each voter in precinct 4 to consider his record and his platform and will appreciate their vote and influence.

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**World's Busiest Street?**



JUST LOOK at that traffic roaring by! Yes, sir, that's New York's famous Fifth Avenue looking toward 42nd Street. And the lady in the stylish white shirtwaist and the snappy little straw skimmer had better be careful when she gets to the corner, because you know how those horseless carriage drivers swing around the turns. With the national automobile show approaching, Consumers Information dug out this picture, taken in 1907, to show what a difference 30 years can make. The picture below shows Fifth Avenue as it is today. Advertising, which created the demand, and research, which perfected the

product, are credited with changing the picture from that of 1907, when only a few thousand cars were on the country's roads, to that of today, with almost 30,000,000. The few small manufacturers of 30 years ago advertised to sell their primitive cars, which cost around \$3,000 for a "medium-priced" model. They created a bigger demand than they could fill, and so bigger factories, increased employment, and constantly better automobiles resulted. And today we can buy an infinitely superior car for about one-fifth of the price, while half a million men are directly employed in the industry, compared to a few thousand at the time this picture was taken.



**FUTURE FOR CEDARS**

Woman's beauty in a few years may be somewhat dependent on the cedar trees of Texas. Cosmetics, perfumes, soaps, medicines, paints, varnishes, waxes, etc., are among the products that can be made from cedar oil, according to recent discoveries. The possibilities of large-scale manufacture of these products makes the fact that Texas has probably the largest supply of uncut cedar timber in the world assume a new significance.

**PROVEN EYESIGHT SERVICE**

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**Folks Are Funny**

By E. V. White, Dean Texas State College for Women



Self-respect forbids that you hate a fellow and then weep at his bier.

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**GRAPE PROSPECTS**

A "Sour Grapes" policy, or sweet grapes either, might bring good luck to Texas, according to agricultural reports. Studies show that Texas is a natural vineyard, but that only about 25 general species of grapes in the entire world, and about fifteen of these are native to some part of Texas. It seems that some farmers may be overlooking a good bet.

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**STRANGE TUNES**

A motly mixture is poured into the folk tunes of Texas. The negro songs which form such a great part of our handed down music are filled with Spanish and French music and rhythms. The adaptations from songs the cattlemen heard on the sea and elsewhere and sang so much on the range that the music gradually became associated with them. Some of the most original tunes came from the first Mexican cowboys.

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**CIVIL SERVICE EXAMINATION**

The United States Civil Service Commission has announced an open competitive examination for the position of elevator conductor. The entrance salary is \$1,080 a year, less a retirement deduction of 3 1-2 per cent.

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All states except Colorado, Idaho, Maryland, Minnesota, Missouri, North Dakota, Rhode Island, Utah, Virginia, Washington and the District of Columbia have reached less than quota of appointments in the apportioned departmental service at Washington, D. C.

Full information may be obtained from the Secretary of the United States Civil Service Board of Examiners at the post office or customhouse in any city which has a post office of the first or second class, or from the United States Civil Service Commission, Washington, D. C.

**JACK CASEY ON A&M DEBATING TEAM**

Jack Casey, graduate of the 1937 class of Mullin High School, was recently selected as one of the four boys on the freshmen debating team of A&M College.

Twenty-four students came out for debate; these were eliminated to six, then finally to four Jack being one of the successful contestants.

The debating team will go to Beaumont this week end to debate against Lamar College. Later they will go to various colleges over the state.

Jack was an outstanding debater while in high school here and made an enviable record. We are indeed happy over this achievement for Jack and we are wishing for him success in all of his college activities.

**FLAG COMPLICATIONS**

One would hardly suspect the Texas flag, with all its simplicity but so it is. Its width must be of being a geometrical problem, equal to two-thirds of its length, and the three stripes must be exact duplicates of each other in size, with the blue at the side, the white at the top and the red at the bottom. The diameter of the circle passing through the five points of the star is equal to three-fourths of the width of the blue stripe upon which it is placed.

When you have visitors or know any local item of interest tell the Eagle

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MUSIC HOUSE

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Mrs. S. E. Doyle, of Silldell, Texas, declares she has no waste from deterioration, either in raw or cooked foods—"Servel Electrolux is a blessing to our land. I consider it my best investment, because of the saving in food costs and food preservation. "Servel Electrolux preserves food of all kinds, indefinitely, keeps raw foods fresh until ready to cook and keeps my cooked foods ready to serve. I have no waste in either one. It furnishes plenty of ice for drinks at all times, also freezes cream, chills custards, salads and all other delicacies in the ice line. My Servel Electrolux is perfect in operation, noiseless, odorless, beautifully finished, easy to keep clean and requires attention only once a week to fill with kerosene. The cost of operation is so low it is a mere trifle—about four cents a day."

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## A MARVELOUS MAN

Tomorrow is the 250th anniversary of the birth of one of the most remarkable men who ever lived—Emanuel Swedenborg—who was equally distinguished as a scientist, a legislator, and a theologian.

In 1716-1718 he published the first scientific periodical in Sweden, containing records of his mechanical inventions and mathematical discoveries, which included the first airplane design to have fixed wings and moving propeller, the first air-pump to employ mercury, and the description of a method for determining latitude and longitude at sea by observations of the moon among the stars. As assessor of the Swedish Board of Mines he devised many improvements in the mining industry of his day, and his works on iron and copper were authoritative throughout Europe. In the "Principia," a work on physics and cosmology, he arrived at the nebular hypothesis theory before Kant and Laplace. He advanced a molecular magnetic theory which anticipated certain modern views, and he was 150 years ahead of any other scientist in his works on the functions of the brain and spinal cord, and on the functions of the ductless glands.



EMANUEL SWEDENBORG

Swedenborg served as an active member of the parliament of his country for more than fifty years, introducing fiscal reforms and much general legislation. He published works on algebra, higher mathematics, chemistry, engineering, physical science, metals and metallurgy, anatomy, physiology, psychology, and philosophy.

At the age of fifty-five Emanuel Swedenborg discontinued his scientific pursuits and began his work as a theologian, publishing the "Arcana, Coelestia, Apocalypse Explained"; "Heaven and Hell"; "Four Doctrines"; "Divine Love and Wisdom," and many more.

He wrote in all, 237 books, a prodigious, intellectual accomplishment. The religion of his day was characterized by artificiality, and insincerity. Swedenborg taught that faith and charity must be expressed in personal behavior and that the practical problem of life for each human being is to evolve harmony out of these conflicting mental forces, and states that this can be achieved by mental growth on the spiritual plane. Unlike the idealistic philosophers who preceded him, he believed that spiritual growth cannot be achieved in withdrawal from everyday life.

Of this remarkable genius, Ralph Waldo Emerson wrote:

"The truths passing out of his system into general circulation are now met with every day, qualifying the views and creeds of all churches, and men out of the church."

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## SCHOOL CLOTHING

One of the saddest and silliest sights that can be observed is that of a woman wrapped in a fur coat accompanied by her little daughter dressed in a hip length frock and nothing much else, two-thirds of her epidermis exposed to the biting blasts of the north wind.

Watch the school children as they arrive at school, and you will find far too many dressed for style instead of comfort. It is all a matter of personal liberty, of course, but a little child is not expected to have the experience to determine what is a sensible amount of clothing to wear, and if her mother is too unconcerned, something ought to be done about it. Teachers inspect the children to see that they have washed their hands and faces and brushed their teeth. Why not add a report as to whether the child has on enough clothes?

That the custom is widespread is shown by a recent report from San Antonio. School children from 6 to 18 there were found to wear clothing, exclusive of shoes and wraps, ranging from 4 oz. to 5 lbs., in weight. Sixty years ago, it is estimated, the clothing worn weighed from 3 1/2 to 8 lbs.

But the inspectors were not interested about whether the children had on too few or too many clothes. Their problem was to determine how much the children were gaining or losing in body weight. No safe guess could be made as to how much a child's clothing would weigh on any one day. It might be more on a warm day than on a cold day. Somehow it just doesn't make sense.

## THE CLANCY KIDS



# The WEEKLY CONSTITUTIONAL

by MAX BERNS

## Supremacy of the Constitution

What is "the supreme law of the land" and how is it construed? Article VI provides that "this Constitution and the laws of the United States which shall be made in pursuance thereof . . . shall be the supreme law of the land . . ."

Article III provides that "the judicial power of the United States shall be vested in one Supreme Court and in such inferior courts as the Congress may from time to time ordain and establish," and further that "the judicial power shall extend to all cases in law and equity arising under this Constitution, the laws of the United States and treaties made . . ."

In exercising this judicial power the Supreme Court necessarily must sustain the Constitution as "the supreme law" and accordingly must find any legislation that conflicts with it unconstitutional. No other interpretation is possible. That this was the intention of the framers is shown by outstanding members of the Constitutional Convention who declared for judicial control, and by statements of advocates of the Constitution while its ratification was being considered by the people.

This power and duty of the Supreme Court also was made plain by the first Congress under the Constitution which had to provide immediately, and did so provide by the Judiciary Act of 1789, for the organization of Federal courts and appellate jurisdiction of the Supreme Court.

Instead of it being a judicial usurpation for the Supreme Court to exercise this power it would be an abdication of power and a neglect of duty for the Court to fail to do so.

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## Six Ways to Fight Mosquitoes

Mosquitoes pass through four stages: (1) the egg, (2) the larva (wiggletail), (3) pupa, and (4) grown-up winged adult. The first second, and third are the water stages, and her is where fish get in their work. There is a special kind of fish that feeds on mosquito eggs and larvae. These are Gambusia affinis, or the common top minnow. Mosquitoes do not breed in damp grass or wet weeds or bushes, but no pool of stagnant water is too small for them to breed in. The female Anopheles is the malaria mosquito, but she has to bite a person who has malaria before she can carry malaria germs to another person. But the thing that interests us is how to avoid all mosquitoes:—

1. Screen.
2. Break up breeding places. Get rid of anything around the place that will hold a spoonful of water for as long as a week. If there is good reason to have such water, cover it over with cloth, wire, or oil.
3. Cut all underbrush near the house where mosquitoes can harbor during the day. Spray oil on ditch banks near the house, if such ditches hold puddles of water.
4. Use a dip cup of oil on flowing ditches or branches near the house, suspending a half gallon bucket of crude oil over the ditch so that a drop will fall about every minute.
5. If mosquitoes get into the house, close all doors and windows tight and burn a pound or two of sulphur. Use a pot to burn it in and set the pot in a tub of water. Use a spoonful of coal oil to start the fire.
6. If you have an open well, exchange it for a pump with the well top closed. Mosquitoes breed in open wells.—The Progressive Farmer.

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# EDITORIAL COMMENT

VIEWS OF THE NATION'S PRESS ON TOPICS OF INTEREST

## The Oxford Movement

The American people have become largely impervious to mass movements, because they have been sold too easily on foolish ones in the past, it is logical to view with some mild skepticism the coast-to-coast crusade that is being launched by the Oxford Group, an international band of young religionists that has developed rapidly in England.

The objective of these youthful zealots is a noble one—of making the country better as they are striving to do in 50 other nations in the world to-day. What catches one's fancy is the determination and idealism of these youngsters in the face of a world given over largely to materialism, the philosophy of destruction and the application of power to achieve all results. There is something important in the strivings of these young people toward objectives of which most older persons have despaired for the moment.

The Oxford Group is admittedly without some of the handicaps that stand in the way of similar organizations of older people. It is generally conceded by thoughtful persons that the world needs a strong system of ethics or religious faith that will function effectively. Expressed more simply, all that the world requires is a few million more honest, unselfish persons who will apply the simple truth of the Golden Rule. That underlies all the effort that is being made by

Both Christians and non-Christians are alive to this need. The Oxford Group will find a sympathetic audience among millions in this country. Whether the world is ready to except the cure they offer is considerably uncertain, but the spirit that animates them should be applauded and best wishes be extended for their success.

—Fort Worth Star Telegram

## Shreds and Patches

Despite our desire to do other wise, our attention is continually called to ominous and warlike statements in the headlines of the papers. As we read those headlines and articles, an alarm bell rings. Our usual pacific spirit recedes somewhat, and an angry feeling replaces it. It is the beginning of the war spirit. That same change is happening in millions of other hearts a definite reminder that with a little skillful propaganda a whole nation can be aroused.

On of the sad parts of that experience is that it is exactly the same feeling that was aroused in bringing us into the last war, a mistake that the whole nation vowed fervently never to repeat. Then the goal was to "make the world safe for democracy." The present goal is the same, only it would be put, "Make the world safe from fascism."

To that end we are engaged in the largest naval building program in the nation's history. At a time when naval building is already being pushed to the limit of the yards, the President calls for the construction of 22 new war vessels. No one has been informed very definitely as to the reason for this new program. But its relation to world events is

## To Cease Hating

Gen. Robert E. Wood, president of Sears Roebuck & Co., struck a needed keynote when he said in testimony before the Senate Relief and Unemployment Committee that it is time for capital, industry, government and labor "to cease hating each other and get together."

That formula, "to cease hating" will solve a great many difficulties besides the economic ones to which General Wood applied it in the United States. Anyone who has seen business dry up in a small town because the community got divided into camps over some emotional subject and stopped co-operating, can envisage the effects of this state of thought on a larger scale. To reverse it calls for an overcoming of fear as well as ill will.

For the person or party that has distrusted another is at first fearful of making peace lest this be taken as a sign of weakness or give the opponent some advantage. It is to be remembered, though, that industry, government, capital, labor, an individual or a nation can co-operate without giving up its means of defense and even can defend itself against unjust treatment or attack without hating the apparent enemy. In fact, the most effective defense is that delivered without malice, and the refusal to hate in return often makes defense unnecessary and co-operation possible.

The recommendation to cease hating is most easily followed if something positive is put in the place of hate and the fear that usually goes with it. General Wood's "get together" is one way of saying it. In I. John it is put another way: "Perfect love casteth out fear."—Christian Science Monitor.

## THE MIDDLE PATH

Texas sticks to the middle path in the question of marriage laws, with the marriageable ages without consent of parents set at 21 and 18, and with consent at 16 and 14. Nine states in the union who have no certain laws are governed by the old English common law, which allows marriage at the ages of 14 and 12 years for male and female respectively.

Sixteen states now have laws requiring a five-day notice either before the license is obtained or before the wedding takes place, and Texas is among the three who specify three-day intervals. Wisconsin goes so far as to require both five days notice before and five days delay after the license is issued. The other 29 states allow immediate marriage.

Say you saw it in the Eagle!

After Mr. Roosevelt had introduced his regular budget with its provision for two new 35,000-ton battleships, within a week Italy announced that it would build two more 35,000-ton battleships, France announced that it would build two 35,000-ton battleships, and Russia announced that it would build shipyards capable of building 35,000-ton battleships. So the arms race is off on another lap.—Eagle Lake Headlight.

# LESSON

By REV. HAROLD J. DEAN, D.D., Dean of the Missouri Synod of the Christian Church, © Western News Service

## Lesson for Jan. 28

MINISTERING TO THE NEEDS OF THE PEOPLE LESSON TEXT—Mark 2:1-12. PRIMARY TOPIC—The Power of Christ's Name. INTERMEDIATE TOPIC—Bringing People to Christ. YOUNG PEOPLE TOPIC—Christ's Power to Heal.

Man is so constituted with his physical nature and interests of his body, prone to forget that he has a spiritual nature, that he is the temporary dwelling of the soul is most important. Our spiritual life is the life that counts. Our spiritual life is the life that counts. Our spiritual life is the life that counts.

I. A Hopeless Case. Incurably afflicted physically, but far more afflicted spiritually, a man, for he was still a man, was able to heal. God could heal his man, indeed hopeless until He knows no hope. God all things are possible. Jesus Christ is God.

We are even as they for without God we have no hope. (Eph. 2:12). Facts and admit that saved through Christ's name and completely.

II. Impossible Cases. We say that the surrounding this man to make it impossible to reach the Lord, for we have been apart from divine urgency which helps to cut through and brush aside every "Where there's a way." Had these men been controlled by convention never have put their feet of Jesus. But taking up the roof to enter, but it was sometimes by custom vain philosophy.

III. Immediate Cases. At once Jesus sees how he forgives the man his sins, welcomes and 4460" Note that Jesus— who the power to forgive immediately cleansed him righteous.

IV. Secret Criticism. What a serious thought the unspoken word we have hidden away or mind is known to things are naked and the eyes of him who have to do" (Heb. 4:13) nothing hid that shall be (Luke 12:2). What do you see when he looks into and mine? Their theology was their reasoning was that their premise was wrong were right in saying the could forgive sin. But wrong in assuming that not God, and therefore phemer. Be careful, young woman, that smoothness of some logic may not make you the wisdom of God's snare and a delusion.

V. Miraculous Confirmation. Forgiving sins was the healing the body, but the of Jesus lived so much of the physical that that important truth. The challenge of their unbelie into their own limited servation. They were to test the effectiveness of His ness of sins. They did not in Him, hence they would ceive it by faith. They were ever, entirely able to ju physical miracle, and as a of confirmation Jesus heal man of his palsy.

Let us remember dent took place in the our Lord's ministry, not condone their tender and loving Lord to humanity, we stand their sinless claims to divine police day we have no such all gospel history is a God help us that we rone the seat of the score. God mand a sign" before lieve.

### Freedom of Religion



NEW YORK—This chaste figure of a young girl lifting her face to the skies will be dedicated to freedom of religion in the "Four Freedom" statue group on the Central Mall of the New York World's Fair 1939.

### Federal Clerk Comes Out Light

Reno E. Stitely, the government CCC clerk in Washington who defrauded the government out of \$84,000, has been sentenced to 6 to 12 years in prison and fined \$36,000. If he pays the fine and serves the minimum sentence, his crime will net him \$8,000 a year. So far the government has recovered nothing.

During December 7,873 students were paid \$6 a month to stay in school, by the National Youth Administration.

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### BLACK-DRAUGHT A GOOD LAXATIVE

## NEIGHBORING NEWS

ITEMS FROM LOCAL PAPERS OF TOWNS MENTIONED

### Hamilton

"Swim in drinking water" is the slogan of the American Medical Association in reference to swimming pools, and that is what Hamiltonians will be able to do when the city pool is completed here this spring. Barring bad weather it will be ready by June 1.

Herman G. Schrank, 62, long time resident of the Aleman community in Hamilton County, died suddenly Tuesday afternoon with a heart attack. Mr. Schrank became ill while at the Hamilton Mill and Elevator in Hamilton with his son. They rushed him to the Hamilton Sanitarium, but he died enroute.

Dorothy White, junior in HHS was run over by an automobile last Friday morning, January 14, while on her way to school. Two wheels of the car, a light T model Ford, passed over her body. She did not suffer serious injury from the accident, and was back in school Monday afternoon.

—News

### San Saba

Sidewalks are being laid around the public school grounds of the entire campus. John Patterson is superintending the work.

Mr. and Mrs. V. C. Bralofrd of Goldthwaite were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Van Sadler on the week end. Mr. Bradford is advertising manager of the Goldthwaite Eagle.

Methodists from neighboring cities are to meet with adult leaders and members of the local Methodist Church on Friday evening, January 28, to hear Miss Charlotte Stokley, representative from the General Board of Christian Education of the M. E. Church, South, of Nashville, Tenn., speak.

Tentative date for the annual Vocational Agricultural Livestock Show is set for Feb. 16. E. I. Bacon, instructor, reports the calves in good condition, each weighing 750 to 1000 pounds.—Star

Mr. M. R. Weatherby, Ford car dealer here since 1921, concluded a deal Monday of last week, whereby he sold the Ford garage and sales agency here to T. P. Goding and Maurice Reid of Dublin, who will operate the business here under the firm name of Goding & Reid. The transfer became effective immediately and the new owners took charge at once.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Beck of Goldthwaite, visited Mrs. Kate Fry, Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Smelser of this community Saturday.

When the news of James Lewis Walker's demise, 7 o'clock Monday morning at the home of his daughter and her husband, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Campbell, spread through the city and countryside, it was received with sadness and regret, by his friends, who are legion.

Mr. Walker's death followed a three-year illness, caused by a heart ailment.

Smith's office is with the sheriff department and he is living at the Keystone.—Reporter.

### Lampasas

Mrs. Roy McMahan of Moline underwent a major operation at the local hospital Thursday morning.

The Hydro-Gas Sales Corporation has received its first car of liquified petroleum gas and it has been placed in their storage tank in Lampasas. This car contains 10,122 gallons and will be used in supplying the users throughout this territory.—Leader.

Mrs. J. M. Skaggs has returned to her home in Winters after visiting here for several days in the homes of Mrs. R. B. Senterfitt and Mrs. A. L. Higdon.

A. V. (Tex) Smith, enforcement officer for the Dept. of Public Safety, is now stationed in Lampasas, where he will make his headquarters for the ten counties in his district. He was transferred here from Waco. Mr.

### Conoco Credits Newspaper Ads

Giving due credit for the best year in its history to the heavy use of newspaper advertising, the Continental Oil Company today announced that its 1938 advertising appropriations for newspaper space will be 17 per cent over the 1937 expenditures.

Continental during the coming year will allot to the daily and weekly press about 66 per cent of all that is to be spent on consumer media and will place advertising in approximately 1250 newspapers. The new advertising will continue to deal with Conoco Bronze Gasoline and Conoco Germ Processed Motor Oil and the action of this lubricant, due to the presence of a product of the research laboratories, in forming an abnormally tough film that stays on metal surfaces even while the motor is idle, instead of draining off.

The new campaign, which has been carefully checked for reader response in selected test areas at Colorado Springs, Colo., and in Richmond, Va., will also stress the position of local Conoco dealers as "Mileage Merchants" who are independent of the company and must deal with the customer on the basis of their own ability and standing in the community they serve.

## NERVOUS?

Do you feel so nervous that you want to scream? Are there times when you are cross and irritable—times when you scold those who are dearest to you?

If your nerves are on edge, try that world-famous LYDIA E. PINKHAM'S VEGETABLE COMPOUND. It will help Nature calm your quivering nerves and give you the strength and energy to face life with a smile.

For three generations one woman has told another how to go "smiling through" with Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound. It helps Nature tone up the system, thus lessening the discomforts from the functional disorders which women must endure in the three ordeals of life: 1. Turning from girlhood to womanhood. 2. Preparing for motherhood. 3. Approaching "middle age."

Don't be a three-quarter wife, take LYDIA E. PINKHAM'S VEGETABLE COMPOUND and Go "Smiling Through" with this reliable, time-tested medicine made especially for women from wholesome herbs and roots. More than a million grateful women have written in reporting benefit from Pinkham's Compound. Why not give it a chance to help YOU?

# We Want News!

## When Anyone

- OPES
- DIES
- GETS MARRIED
- HAS GUESTS
- HAS A PARTY
- HAS A FIRE
- HAS A BABY
- IS ILL
- HAS AN OPERATION
- BUYS A HOME
- HAS AN ACCIDENT
- MAKES A SPEECH
- HAS A MEETING
- OR TAKES PART IN ANY OTHER EVENT

...and we want it

Telephone us, write us, or tell The Eagle Correspondent in your community

# The Goldthwaite Eagle

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Jesus sees the high-speed locomotive man his sliding the streamlined locomotes and 460" have been received it Jesus-who...  
Baldwin Works and will

Professional Cards  
PERSON & GILLIAM  
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be used for passenger service over the 992-mile stretch between Chicago and La Junta, Col., it has been announced by company officials.

The engines have three pairs of driving wheels 84 inches in diameter, said to be the largest ever built for a six-coupled locomotive. They also have a four wheel truck at each end. The tender has a capacity of 21,000 gallons of water and 7,000 gallons of fuel oil and is mounted on two six-wheel trucks making a total of 26 wheels under the engine and tender. These locomotives develop a starting tractive force of 49,300 pounds.

In a recent test run, one of these engines hauled the Santa

Fe's crack mail train No. 8 from Los Angeles to Chicago, a distance of 2227 miles, without a change, marking the first time in history a train has been pulled this distance by the same engine.

Santa Fe's streamlined engine, to be known as 3460, has been designed to blend into the contour of the train. The locomotive is shrouded in steel forming a "bullet nose" over the front and boiler. On each side level with the running board, there is a stainless steel strip with the word "Santa Fe" and "3460" painted on it.

The shrouding is painted in two shades of blue while the under portions, including the running gear, are painted black. The hand rails are stainless steel while the cab handles and certain other fittings are chromium plated, combining a handsome and striking appearance with speed anti power.

Santa Fe has ordered 11 more of these high-speed passenger locomotives, including another streamlined engine to be put in service from La Junta to Los Angeles. Baldwin shops have also received orders to make other locomotives to be used in Santa Fe freight service.

Patronize Eagle advertisers!

OH BOY!  
AM I KEEN?



Keener, longer-lasting, kind to the skin, Treet Single-edge Blades are uniformly good! 4 superb blades for 10¢.

Treet BLADES  
FIT GEM AND EVER-READY ZATORS

BABY POWDER GUARDS SKIN AGAINST GERMS

Don't be satisfied with ordinary baby powders that are not antiseptic. Without paying a cent more you can get Mennen Antiseptic Powder—which not only does everything that other baby powders do, but also sets up an antiseptic condition that fights off germs and skin infections. It stops chafing and rawness, too. Buy it at your druggist's today.

MENNEN Antiseptic POWDER



Grandma always was a keen shopper and quick to "snap up" a bargain... but you'll recognize these BARGAIN OFFERS without her years of experience... you save real money... you get a swell selection of magazines and a full year of our newspaper. That's what we call a "break" for you readers... no wonder grandma says—"YOU'VE GOT SOMETHING THERE!"

**BIG VALUE OFFER**  
PICK ANY 3 MAGAZINES

- Country Home
- WOMAN'S WORLD
- HOUSEHOLD
- FARM JOURNAL
- PATHFINDER

**THIS NEWSPAPER—1 FULL YEAR...AND ANY THREE MAGAZINES IN THIS LIST**  
(CHECK 3 MAGAZINES AND RETURN WITH COUPON)

<input type="checkbox"/> American Fruit Grower	1 yr.	<input type="checkbox"/> Home Friend	1 yr.
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<input type="checkbox"/> Cloverleaf Am. Review	1 yr.	<input type="checkbox"/> Mother's Home Life	1 yr.
<input type="checkbox"/> Country Home	2 yrs.	<input type="checkbox"/> Pathfinder (Wkly.)	26 issues
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<input type="checkbox"/> Gentlewoman Magazine	1 yr.	<input type="checkbox"/> Plymouth Rock Monthly	1 yr.
<input type="checkbox"/> Good Stories	1 yr.	<input type="checkbox"/> Successful Farming	1 yr.
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<input type="checkbox"/> American Boy	8 mos.	<input type="checkbox"/> American Fruit Grower	1 yr.
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<input type="checkbox"/> Woman's World	2 yrs.	<input type="checkbox"/> Mother's Home Life	1 yr.
<input type="checkbox"/> Better Homes & Gardens	1 yr.	<input type="checkbox"/> Pathfinder (Wkly.)	26 issues
<input type="checkbox"/> Home Arts Needlecraft	2 yrs.	<input type="checkbox"/> Capper's Farmer	1 yr.
		<input type="checkbox"/> Poultry Tribune	1 yr.
		<input type="checkbox"/> Woman's World	1 yr.

ALL 5 ONLY \$2.50

**HOME OFFER**  
THIS NEWSPAPER—1 YEAR ALL 5 \$2.10

- McCall's Magazine
- 1 yr.
- Woman's World
- 1 yr.
- Good Stories
- 1 yr.
- Farm Journal
- 1 yr.

**STORY OFFER**  
THIS NEWSPAPER—1 YEAR ALL 5 \$2.25

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- Household
- 1 yr.
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- 1 yr.
- Country Home
- 1 yr.

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Gentlemen: I enclose \$\_\_\_\_\_ I am checking below the offer desired with a year's subscription to your paper.

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**PERSONAL PARAGRAPHS**

Paul McCullough went to Brownwood Wednesday and brought his wife and little son, Paul Michael home from the hospital. Mrs. J. M. Bauknight her sister, of Ganado, is with her to see that the young man has fair play.

Roy Rountree, former owner of the Mills County Cold Storage Company here, was a visitor in Goldthwaite, Wednesday and Thursday. He was visiting with Mr. and Mrs. D. D. Tate and other friends. Mr. Rountree is now living in Houston.

Key Johnson is still seriously ill following a heart attack the first of this week.

N. L. Verser, a prominent Mills County citizen, who lives out in the Pleasant Grove community, was meeting friends here Wednesday and made an appreciative visit to the Eagle office.

H. R. Collier, who raises fine registered Poland China hogs on his place east of town, reports that he has turned his big boar, Lone Star, into meat. The two year old hog weighed 802 pounds after being killed, before dressing.

Dr. and Mrs. J. E. Brooking went to San Antonio Monday to attend the International Post Graduate Medical Assembly of Texas. They will return today.

Mr. and Mrs. Hugh McCullough and daughters of Hico, spent the week end with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. P. McCullough and Mr. and Mrs. Joe Frizzelle. They were accompanied by Miss Lela Riley, who visited her sister, Miss Leone Riley.

Mr. and Mrs. Merel Steele of San Angelo were married Friday and left for a honey moon trip to South Texas. They came thru Goldthwaite Tuesday and stopped a few hours with his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. F. D. Webb.

Jim Culwell received a message last Thursday that his mother was seriously ill. Mr. Culwell and family went to Rising Star and brought her home with them. She is recovering.

Harry Allen was a Brownwood visitor Wednesday of last week.

John Scholer returned from a trip to Dallas the early part of the week.

W. G. Saylor and Francis Linerweber spent Monday in Waco on a business trip.

Miss Louise Gartman of the University of Austin came home Wednesday to spend the week end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Gartman.

W. G. Yarborough, who has been in Childress on business came by Tuesday, to visit with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. O. H. Yarborough. Mrs. W. G. Yarborough who has been here for several days, accompanied her husband to Austin.

Penrose Metcalfe, of San Angelo, was a guest in O. H. Yarborough's home Tuesday.

Mrs. Henry Morris left Thursday for Dallas. She will be there several days.

H. G. Bodkin and Wiley Mahan spent several days in Hobbs, N. M. this week on business.

Mrs. H. O. Blair spent a few days last week with her daughter in Santa Anna.

Mrs. L. E. Miller spent the week end in Dallas.

Mrs. V. F. Wallace of Fort Stockton spent last week last week here, visiting her mother, Mrs. Sims and sister, Mrs. R. V. Littlepage and family. She left for her home Friday.

Mrs. R. V. Littlepage and daughter, Miss Bobbie, Mrs. V. F. Wallace and Miss Connie Saylor spent Wednesday and Thursday if last week in Dallas.

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Mrs. Grover Dalton and daughter, Miss Elizabeth, left Monday to spend a few days with Mrs. Dalton's sister, Mrs. Richard Burgess ad family in Fort Worth. They were accompanied by Miss Bess Crews, who will spend several days in Dallas.

Mrs. Maudelle Bates of San Angelo and Mr. and Mrs. C. T. Wilson also of San Angelo spent Wednesday night and a part of Thursday with their aunt, Mrs. R. L. Armstrong.

Mr. and Mrs. Walker Berry of Pleasant Grove community spent Monday in Santa Anna with Mrs. Berry's niece and nephew, Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Whenon. He has recently undergone an operation but was improved sufficiently to be moved to his home in Lawn Tuesday.

Forest Hill of Goldthwaite has been elected secretary of Rusk Literary Society at the University of Texas.

Mrs. W. H. Thompson and Mrs. J. M. Hicks of Brownwood visited The Eagle Editor and other relatives here one afternoon last week. They were accompanied by Mrs. Frank Jackson of San Angelo, who formerly lived here, her husband, Bro. Jackson, being pastor of Methodist Church many years ago. All her old friends were delighted to see her.

Mr. and Mrs. H. Ohlenbausch and daughter, Hilda, have just returned from a visit with their daughter, Mrs. J. R. Hefneu of Edinsburg and with other relatives and friends in the Rio Grande Valley.

Miss Clara Corts, daughter of J. L. Corts, was operated on for appendicitis in Fort Worth last week.

Dr. Richard Burgess performed the operation, which was quite serious, as the appendix had bursted, however, she is recovering nicely.

Mr. and Mrs. Corts spent several days with her and Miss Irene is with her now.

**UNDERGOES APPENDECTOMY**

**TREASURER'S REPORT**

In the matter of county finances in the hands of W. L. Burks, Treasurer of Mills County, Texas, Commissioners' Court, Mills County, Texas, in Regular Session, Jan. term, 1938.

We, the undersigned, as County Commissioners within and for said Mills County, and the Hon. R. J. Gerald, County Judge of said Mills County, constituting the entire Commissioners' Court of said county, and each one of us, do hereby certify that on this the 10th day of Jan., A. D. 1938, at a regular term of our said Court, we have compared and examined the quarterly report of W. L. Burks, treasurer of Mills county, Texas, for the period beginning on the 1st of Oct., A. D. 1937 and ending on the 31st day of Dec., A. D. 1937, and finding the same correct have caused an order to be entered upon the minutes of the Commissioners' Court of Mills county, stating the approval of said Treasurer's Report by our said court, which said order recites separately the amount received and paid out of each fund by said County Treasurer since his last report to this Court, and for and during the

time covered by his present report, and the balance of each fund remaining in said Treasurer's hands on the said 31st day of Dec., A. D. 1937, and have ordered the proper credits to be made in the accounts of the said County Treasurer, in accordance with said order as required by Articles 1636-1637 Chapter 1, Title 34 of the Revised Statutes of Texas, 1925.

And we, and each of us, further certify that we have actually and fully inspected and counted all the actual cash and assets in hands of said Treasurer belonging to Mills County, at the close of the examination of said Treasurer's Report on this, the 10th day of Jan., A. D. 1938, and find the same to be as follows, to-wit:

**JURY FUND**

Balance on hand as shown by Treasurer's report on the 1st. day of Oct. 1937	3410.97
To amount received since said date	1227.86
By amount disbursed since said date	2644.32
By amount to balance	1994.51
Total	4638.83

**ROAD AND BRIDGE FUND**

Balance on hand as shown by Treasurer's report on the 1st. day of Oct. 1937	9704.10
To amount received since said date	1945.36
By amount disbursed since said date	5399.09
By amount to balance	6250.39
Total	11649.48

**GENERAL FUND**

Balance on hand as shown by Treasurer's report on the 1st. day of Oct. 1937	2313.79
To amount received since said date	5120.15
By amount disbursed since said date	3562.30
By amount to balance	3871.64
Total	7433.94

**COURT HOUSE FUND**

Balance on hand as shown by Treasurer's report on the 1st. day of Oct. 1937	3588.84
To amount received since said date	1904.33
By amount disbursed since said date	550.40
By amount to balance	4942.77
Total	5493.17

**COURT HOUSE SINKING FUND**

Balance on hand as shown by Treasurer's report on the 1st. day of Oct. 1937	1898.69
To amount received since said date	551.69
By amount to balance	2450.07
Total	2450.07

**R. & B. SHOVEL SINKING FUND**

Balance on hand as shown by Treasurer's report on the 1st. day of Oct. 1937	136.05
To amount received since said date	367.89
By amount to balance	503.94
Total	503.94

**SP. R. & B. FUND**

Balance on hand as shown by Treasurer's report on the 1st. day of Oct. 1937	710.83
To amount received since said date	451.99
By amount disbursed since said date	156.00
By amount to balance	996.82
Total	1152.82

**R. DIST. NO. 1 SINKING FUND**

Balance on hand as shown by Treasurer's report on the 1st. day of Oct. 1937	1570.52
To amount received since said date	259.89
By amount disbursed since said date	80.75
By amount to balance	1,749.66
Total	1830.41

**R. and B. NO. 7 FUND**

Balance on hand as shown by Treasurer's report on the 10th. day of Oct. 1937	2207.94
By amount disbursed since said date	1350.00
By amount to balance	857.94
Total	2207.94

**R. & B. DIST. 7 SINKING FUND**

Balance on hand as shown by Treasurer's report on the 10th. day of Oct. 1938	1771.25
To amount received since said date	497.77
By amount disbursed since said date	1500.00
By amount to balance	766.02
Total	2,266.02

**R. B. WARRANTS**

Balance on hand as shown by Treasurer's report on the 1st. day of Oct. 1937	618.81
To amount received since said date	244.21

By amount to balance	863.02
Total	863.02

**RECAPITULATION**

Balance to credit of Jury Fund on this day	1,994.51
Balance to credit of Road and Bridge Fund on this day	6,250.39
Balance to credit of General Fund on this day	3,871.64
Balance to credit of C. H. Fund on this day	4,942.77
Balance to credit of C. H. Sink Fund on this day	2,450.07
Balance to credit R. & B. Shovel Sink Fund on this day	503.94
Balance to credit of Special R. & B. Fund on this day	996.82
Balance to credit of R. Dist. 1 Sink Fund on this day	1,749.66
Balance to credit of R. Dist. No. 7 Fund on this day	766.02
Balance to credit of R. & B. No. 7 Sink Fund on this day	766.02
Warrant Fund on this day	863.02

**BONDED INDEBTEDNESS**

The bonded indebtedness of the said county we find to be as follows, to-wit:	
Court House Refunding Bonds	\$18,000.00

Witness our hands, officially, this 11th day of Jan., 1938.

R. J. GERALD, County Judge.  
O. H. SHAW, Commissioner Precinct No. 1.  
J. A. HAMILTON, Commissioner Precinct No. 2.  
I. McCURRY, Commissioner Precinct No. 3.  
J. G. EGGER, Commissioner Precinct No. 4.

Sworn to and subscribed before me, by R. J. Gerald, County Judge, and O. H. Shaw, and J. A. Hamilton and I. McCurry, Commissioners of said Mills County, each respectively, on this the 11th day of Jan., A. D. 1938. (Seal) L. B. PORTER, County Clerk, Mills Co., Texas.

**DANGEROUS**

DANGEROUS—It is dangerous to sell a substitute for 666 just to make three or four cents more. Customers are your best assets; lose them and you lose your business. 666 is worth three or four times as much as a substitute. 1-14-12tc

FOR LEASE—About 200 acres, 80 acres in cultivation. See Mrs. R. A. Stevens, Caradan Route. 28-1p

**SPECIAL—**

100 Beautifully Engraved Cards and guaranteed plate \$1.25 High school graduates, why pay more? The Goldthwaite Eagle

**Specials for Friday and Saturday**

- FRESH CABBAGE, nice firm heads, 6 lbs.,
- 1 Bunch TURNIPS, 1 Bunch CARROTS, 1 Bunch All for
- 2 Bunches CARROTS & 1 Bunch Beets
- 2 Bunches RADISHES & 1 Bunch TURNIPS
- 1 Bunch RADISHES & 2 Bunches BEETS
- CELERY, large stalks
- GREEN BEANS, ENGLISH PEAS, NEW POTATO COLLARDS, CAULIFLOWER, BELL PEPPER, LETTUCE and FRESH TOMATOES
- BANANAS, for Saturday only, dozen
- GRAPEFRUIT, Texas Marsh Seedless, 2 for
- ORANGES, nice ones for a penny each
- PEANUT BUTTER, Full quart,
- BEANS, Great Northern, 4 lbs
- ENGLISH PEAS, 300 size can, 2 for
- BAKING POWDER, large 2 lb can
- COFFEE, 4 lb zinc pails, extra good quality and
- MUSTARD, Full quart,
- CATSUP, 14 oz bottle
- GARDEN SEEDS, any 3 packages
- ENGLISH PEA SEED IN BULK, lb.
- APPLE BUTTER, Full quart,
- OAT MEAL, large 5 lb package
- BLACK EYED PEAS, Shelled & snapped, 2 cans
- WAX PAPER, 3 boxes for

**MARKET SPECIALS**

- PAN SAUSAGE, you will like it, lb
- CALF LIVER, pound
- GROUND VEAL MEAT, pound
- ROAST CHUCK, pound
- FRYERS ON FOOT

**BRIM GROCER**  
"HOME OWNED AND HOME GROWN"

**Just 3 Days Left**

In Which to Pay Your Poll Tax.

Important Elections are Approaching  
DON'T PUT IT OFF ANY LONGER  
Pay Your Poll Tax Now!

J. HERN HARRIS,  
Sheriff and Tax Collector

Our Ready-to-Wear Buyer is now in Market and We are receiving every day, her selection



of Beautiful  
**Spring Frocks**  
and  
**Coats**

You are invited to  
Come in and see them

All the Latest Styles  
Priced Attractively  
Low

**YARBOROUGH'S**

"WHERE YOUR MONEY BUYS MORE"

**THE MELBA TRADING COMPANY**  
Send name and address for February Calendar

**THURS. FRI. SAT. "THE BARK"**  
Leo Carrillo-Jones

**SATURDAY "Texas Times"**  
William Boyd-G...

**SAT. MIDNIGHT "ALA BABA GOES"**  
Eddie C...

**TUESDAY "Spot Cash"**  
"EVER SINCE" Marian Davies-R...

Free Show, Tues. Feb 1st. 1:00-10:00  
"BOOTS OF DE..." Ken May...

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For Sale

FOR SALE—My home, acres good land, 4000 ft. elevation, on school road, mail, milk and ice house place well wooded land good Lowe.

FOR SALE—Or will trade, one heavy work horse for and pay difference. Also farming tools. Williamson Bros., east of Goldthwaite place

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DON'T SCRATCH—tee every jar of ment to promptly form of Itch, Eczema, Foot, Ringworm or Skin trouble. Large at Clement's Drug

SORE THROAT—Mop your throat or Anesthesia-Mop, new store throat relief not entirely new. Luch purchase price will be refunded.

HUDSON DR. J. M. Lighter, Fort Worth

STEADY WORK—RELIABLE MAN call on farmers in Goldthwaite. No experience or ed. Make up to Write MR. McELRANE, Dallas, Texas.

SEE J. J. Cochran varieties of Fruit trees. First class grapes and berries. 12.

Born here in 1890 and had a very evering child. Iren ampbell is able about u Mrs. Ca congrats an expre person.

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