## THE GOLDTHWATTE EAGLE

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 Basketball Meet inBrownwood Friday
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off for District Eight of he Tex

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4-H-FFA Fair Livestock Premiums The Mills County 4 -H and Livestock Show will be held

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| Better Telephones |
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| Asked by Lions |

 Goldthwaite Has
Good Fire Record
$\qquad$ "Fire record credit ratings of
addititonal Texas cities were announced saturday by the state "They were
 thwaite. Estim
savings $\$ 2.345 .00$
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To the Voters of The 104th District
I am at this time making my
announcement and the following
satatements:
I want to, first, thank the
people of the District for their
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$\qquad$on all premises should be in-
spected, and any yosibilty of a
short. corrected Ant woo orcoal stoves should have a sheet
of metal under them covering the
space where sparks or coalsmight accidentally fall on the
floor. These are mall things to
do but the saving as shownabove is well worth the trouble.
Whether cr not we have a good
fire record credit in 1941 dependson how sucessful we are in in pre-
venting fire in 1940 . If whe
no fires. the credit is we havewith the requirements of the
State Fire Insurance Depart-
ment. Among these are: Teach-俍, ing fire prevention in the pubblic
Marshal monthly reports.
Attogether our centy enjoys a
lower fire insurace rate than
many adjoining us.

San Antonio Man Lauded for Work






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TEXAS FACES TROUBLE
The time y warning of Texas State Audi-
tor and Efficiency Expert Tom P. King of the
extravagance and inefficiency which characterize most of the Boards and Commission proximately 95 per cent or $\$ 162,640,000$ " of
Texas tax money last year deserves careful attention. In addition to the huge amount of
taxes which these boards and commissions spent during the last fiscal year, they also dis-
bursed apmroximately $\$ 25,000,000$ of "State funds
Treasury, and over which State officials did Mr. King recommends that:
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summarizing the present siuation he add missions enjoy power without responsibility and leave the chief executive with respons A remedy for the situation cannot there-
fore be expected from the governor's office.
Reeent history has shown how quickly posi-
tive pledges and extravagant promises fade
away when the candidate who made them is
inauzurated. Hope is to be found only in a
revitalized State Legislature and, as Peter
Molyneaux, The Texas
ly points out:


Mr. Molyneaux' last statement appears
more optimistic than warranted. As a matter of fact the people are better acquainted
with governmental affairs now than they have been for a generation. But actually Tex-
as is not as well governed as it was in its early
history when a considerable portion of the electorate was literally as well as politically
 our legislature has become diluted with men
of feeble will and weakened character. For them expediency is the means and personal

## It will take more than enlightenment of

 the people to produce an about-face in the State's decline towards bankruptey and de-cay. It will require personal regeneration
on such a wide scale that a new patriotism will be born and strict honesty and impartial administration of governmental affairs can e taken for granted.
Without such a return to personal and of ficial probity, Texas will indeed be in a bad

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THINGS WERE SO TOPSY-TUR-
VY THIS YEAR THAT THE SHAD
OW CAME OUT AND SAW THE
GROUNDHOG.
Jim Farley has issued new stamps



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ft the absurd "ssety zone" around
he Americas, is a good listener and man not likely to exxeed his au-
hority in committing his country to anything not authorized by his boss
If we get mired in European mud
peyond our depth, it will be by no ver-reaching or indiscretion of Mr .
Welles. It will be because our allThat the boss has reached such a
conclusion now is ont likely. . Ale
couldn't as yet carry the country with him. But there is no doubt
whatever that .like Woodrow Wilson,
Mr. Roosevelt feels a heavenly call Ir. Roosevelt feels a heavenly call
o make right the wrongs of the It $\begin{aligned} & \text { one of the strongest of the in. } \\ & \text { centives that are leading him so to } \\ & \text { draw all lines as to make his re- }\end{aligned}$. Whether intended or not, the thnd
an his recent actions and expres.


for that day let us obey His admoni.
tion, "Ocupy till I come" (Luke
19:13), that we may not stand
ashamed in His presence in that
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"What is needed is an awakening among the people hemselves and organized effort in every legislative distric organization and reform. It may not be an easy matter to bring about such an awakening and to get such organ-

## Hints for Home

 OwnersCleaning Varnished Floors. As a rule, varrished hard.
floors that floors that have never been wax-
ed should not be washed with water. If they are badyly solled,
however, they may be gone nowever, they may be gone over
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soapt warm water, followed by a soapt warm water, followed by
seoond wiping with a rag mois
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dry immediately and polish

## Cleaning Washable Paper.

 are the most effective tools forsuced sful cleansing of washable
paper. The correct way to clean washable pape

Painting Plastered Walls. on a plastered wall surface before
painting is a wise procedure.
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