

# THE GOLDTHWAITE EAGLE.

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No.

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Land law and probate proceedings  
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## NEIGHBORING NEWS.

### ITEMS CULLED FROM THE LEADING LOCAL PAPERS.

#### BROWNWOOD.

George H. Ingram moved into town Monday from the Ingram farm. He is at home in the old Joe Hall place recently purchased by him.

Miss Willie Ferguson returned Saturday from a visit to her sister at Greenville. She was quite ill when she arrived home with symptoms of fever and has been confined to her room since.

Carry Nation, the famous "smasher," lectured in Brownwood Saturday night and afterwards visited the clubs where she appealed to the proprietors to give up their damnable business for the sake of the mothers and boys of the community.

The Hurlbut Hardware Co. have men at work re-arranging their store building. This is the beginning of improvements planned by the new company. When completed the Hurlbut, Jackson, Hughes Co. will have one of the largest and most convenient store properties in the state.

At a recent meeting of the Brownwood Rural club it was announced that after paying all expenses of the flower show a balance of \$100 or more would be left on hand. This sum will be added to the \$100 left over from last year's show, and the amount will be used to terrace the Carnegie library yard.—Bulletin.

#### COMANCHE.

Mrs. Joe E. Chilton died last Sunday morning at 3 o'clock and the remains were laid to rest at 4 o'clock Sunday afternoon.

D. L. Morris has filed an application for a receivership of the estate of J. C. Huse and for letters of guardianship.

Robt. M. Barnes has accepted a position with the First National bank of Merkel, Taylor county, and has moved his family there.

G. M. Phillips, ex-county treasurer, left for his ranch in Hale county, with his family Tuesday night. They will hereafter make their home there.

Rev. L. B. Owen was called to Wilson Tuesday to unite in marriage R. C. Franklin and Miss Sallie Harding, a daughter of

## DRY GOODS CHEAP

Now is the time to get good Seasonable Goods Cheap. Everything first class. No shoddy stock but bought direct from the factories and wholesalers for this trade.



The fact that farmers are holding cotton for better prices has made business dull and we are not selling as many goods as we expected to sell, hence the reduction in order to get rid of the goods and secure the money they represent. There is no false alarm about this proposition. We are selling goods cheap.

COME AND SEE

**B. A. HARRIS.**  
Goldthwaite, Texas.

#### DOO HARDING.

Rev. C. W. Macune, once at the head of the State populist party, now reformed, and a Methodist preacher, passed through town yesterday on his way to Sipe Springs, his charge for the ensuing year.—Chief.

#### HAMILTON.

J. W. Whitley has sold his house and lot in south Hamilton

to A. J. Mason and will move next week to Gatesville. The price paid was \$750.

Lewis Gordon of this place and Miss Susie Atkinson, whose home was near Cameron in Milam county, were married at the residence of the bride's parents last Wednesday night a 8 o'clock.

A meeting of the citizens of Hamilton was held at the court

house last Friday night to take action in regard to the ice and light business in our town. It was the unanimous expression of those present that we should have another plant to take the place of the one destroyed by fire.—Herald.

#### LAMPASAS.

Uncle John McLean, who has lived at Lometa for the past

twenty years, is about moving to Winchell, Brown county, where he will make his home for a time.

Some two months ago water was supplied to the public school building and it was so satisfactory that the trustees concluded more water would be the proper thing and they have had larger pipes laid.

S. C. Littlepage, whose home

was near Naruna up to a few years ago, when he moved to Mills county, has again sold his possessions and will probably come back to Lampasas county and make his home. He is a good citizen in any country and The Leader would be much pleased for him to locate here.

Arthur Noble was badly wounded Sunday while hunting on the Colorado river. He was in a sitting posture, with his gun on his lap, when he thought he heard some game in the brush near him, and started to get up, when his gun was accidentally fired, and the bullet went through the fleshy part of the calf of his leg, tearing a great hole in it.—Leader.

#### SAN SABA.

Rev. A. C. Flemister has accepted a call to the pastorate of the Baptist church at Paint Rock.

J. R. Collins and family of Big Valley passed through San Saba Monday moving to an irrigated farm in Uvalde county.

E. W. Donelley has purchased the 5-acre block north of the old city cemetery from Mrs. G. P. Holman at \$75 per acre, and is setting it out in fruit trees.

Andy Weston and Miss Lee Lindsey were married Sunday afternoon, the 27th, at the home of the bride's brother, Tilden Lindsey, near Fairview.

W. T. Linn has moved to Goldthwaite. Mr. Linn was one of the old settlers in our county, having moved here back in the fifties. He was a good citizen and his many friends here regret his change of residence.

Miss Louise Carter received painful injuries by a fall from a horse Thanksgiving afternoon. She was riding horseback on the Concho road near the Campbell culvert when her horse became scarce and threw her, or became so unmanageable she fell off. A very ugly gash was cut above one eye. She walked to Mr. Polk's and brought her home.—News.

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EVERYONE READ THIS That is indebted to J. C. Evans for groceries and other supplies and call at once and settle their accounts. I must have a settlement at once in order to meet my obligations. I am at home at the old stand.

At Yours very truly for a speedy settlement. J. C. EVANS.

There are a thousand ways of lying, but all lead to the same end. It does not matter who you wear lies, tell lies, act like live lies, your character is ruined all the same. There is no demoralizing influence in more life than the unnatural strain to seem other than we are. Nothing else so quickly loses self-respect, takes the fine off of honor and blunts the conscience as the sense of being sham, a gilded fraud or a reality. It cheapens standards, lowers ideals, saps ambition, takes the spring joy out of life. No man can make the most best of himself until he is a lute honest with his own and unflinchingly true to his highest ideals, and this is impossible while he is living a lie. Success.

#### DENTAL NOTICE.

Dr. B. E. Bell, who has been away attending lectures for past two months, will be in Goldthwaite Friday, Dec. 9, and practice one week only. He has other engagements and home only for the holidays. Office in Cox building, Hick's grocery store.

#### STORE ROOM.

22x36 feet in rear of post office building will be ready to rent week. Apply at drug store.

M. L. Brown

**Ayer's**  
Cherry Pectoral  
for Coughs, Cold

For hard colds, bronchitis, asthma, and coughs of all kinds, you cannot take anything better than Ayer's Cherry Pectoral. Ask your own doctor if this is not true. He uses it. He understands why it soothes and heals.

Small text: I had a terrible cough and asthma. The bottle completely cured me. Mrs. J. B. DANFORTH, St. Joseph, Mo. J. C. AYER & Co., Lowell, Mass.

You will hasten recovery by using one of Ayer's Pills at bedtime.

## Christmas Goods in Abundance

Holiday Goods are now on display in Henry Martin's Big Stores. Here you find everything appropriate for presents for old and young. Useful and Ornamental Articles for the grown folks, toys and playthings for the children.

### A FEW SUGGESTIONS:

- A BUGGY or Surrey will make a nice present for a wife, mother, sister or friend.
- A PRETTY WICKER ROCKER or an Old Styled Solid Comfort Rocker will be just the thing for a lady or gentleman.
- A KITCHEN CABINET, and a Buck's Stove or Range will be appropriate for any housekeeper.
- A SUIT OF PARLOR and Bedroom Furniture will be acceptable.
- A TARGET RIFLE or a Shot Gun for the boys.
- A SADDLE and Bridle will make any boy happy.
- GIVE THE YOUNGSTER a Tool Chest filled with pretty tools that are useful and he will think you are "it."
- PRESENT THE GIRL with a Doll nicely dressed and she will be happy for months to come.

- A PRETTY TEA SET is a source of pleasure for the girls all the year round.
- Get the little folks Tin Horns, Tin Horses and Wagons, Rubber Dolls, China Dolls, Etc.
- A Parlor Coal or Wood Stove would be very acceptable to any member of the family. You can get one here.
- Give a Man a Good Saddle and he will appreciate it. You can get it here.
- One of our heavy lap robes would be the very idea for any lady or gentleman.
- Every Lady would be overjoyed to receive a set of chinaware.
- You can find articles here that would make appropriate presents for Big, Little, Old and Young.
- All of these articles and many more can be found here. Come and make your selections and have the articles laid aside for you.

EAST SIDE SQUARE.

**HENRY MARTIN,**

WEST SIDE SQUARE.

# 15 days JEWELRY days 15

From the 10th to the 25th days of December, I will make such prices on Watches, Plain and Set Gold Rings and various articles of Jewelry in my store as will make them sell. I am sorry cotton has gone down, but I will make prices during this sale that will more than equal the fall in Cotton. I have the largest line of JEWELRY I have ever handled, including a large assortment of Cut Glass, Gold Headed Silk Umbrellas. In fact, I have lots of bargains in my

## JEWELRY DEPARTMENT

That will be of interest to you that will go in this sale. If you want a watch come and see me my stock is too large—they must go.

M. L. BROWN, M. D., PROPRIETOR.

The Country Drug Store Will Display Santa Claus Goods

## Next Week

Special prices on wall paper are still on. Come and see us for What you want.

Come and get Cardui calendars for 1905.

### The Goldthwaite Eagle

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Entered at the Goldthwaite postoffice as second class mail matter.

R. M. THOMPSON, Editor.

Mrs. Covington will sell millinery at and below cost.

The Mountain Cottage is prepared for a few more boarders.

Leon Harris Lumber Co. will be ready for business next week.

L. E. Miller made a business visit to Dallas the first of the week.

The Farmers' Home is kept by P. M. Morris, Faulkner hotel building.

Leon Harris Lumber Co. will be glad to figure on your lumber bill.

Frazzell's restaurant is the place to buy oysters, candies and fireworks.

Read the advertisements and be benefited by the low prices offered.

Judge Patterson's buggy horse was badly cut by barb wire a few days ago.

R. W. Barr was here from Center City one day this week and renewed his subscription.

This is the store where high quality and low prices are linked together.

R. A. Harris

Sheriff Atkinson attended the meeting of the Masonic grand lodge at Waco this week.

If you contemplate building a house figure on your lumber bill with Leon Harris Lumber Co.

H. C. Springer, a farmer of Hamilton county, had business in this city this week.

Two of F. B. Minor's pretty little daughters came in Wednesday to see the Eagle's presses at work.

You get good work and courteous treatment at Brinson's barber shop. Next to Hudson & Rahl's market.

The whole meal is a failure if the bread is bad. For good, wholesome bread buy Silver Spray, flour the only best.

Thanksgiving. Let us be thankful for our good crops and Silver Spray flour furnished by our home mill. It is the only best.

We do not put any "fallow" in our yard. It is pure and fresh, five pound buckets, ten pound buckets and 50 pound cans, Hudson & Rahl.

Let—A buckskin purse containing three \$20 bills, one \$10 and one \$5, somewhere in Goldthwaite Thursday night. A reasonable reward for its return to J. C. Street's store.—M. A. Lee.

The bad weather Monday prevented a meeting of the Woman's Home Mission society and the meeting will be held Monday afternoon at 4 o'clock in the Methodist church.

If you want cheap John goods don't go to B. A. Harris.

E. E. Sansing, who died here last August, was a member of the Home Circle in Bell county, at Rolland, and his wife, Mrs. Carrie Sansing, received \$100 just as soon as the notice of his death was made known to the directors of the Bell county circle.

On account of the quality of work I do I get crowded sometimes and I would ask my customers to bring all the work they can before they need it, so I can do it at odd times. Remember it is cash but cheap. W. A. Gilentine.

Perhaps the oldest living Texan is Mr. John McFarlane of Burnett county, who was here this week on route home after a visit to his daughter, Mrs. D. T. Bush, at Caradan. He is an entertaining talker and met with several old acquaintances and friends in this city.

Postmaster Harrison has a number of small pamphlets giving valuable information about postal matters and postage. The pamphlets are very useful and the information is beneficial. He will give one to each applicant until his supply is exhausted, but he is not allowed to give them away except on application.

Frank B. Cox, who for the past fifteen months has been foreman of the Evening Press job department, left Sunday night for Moody, McLennan county, where he will work for his father, M. J. Cox, on the Courier. During his sojourn here he made many friends who will regret to learn of his departure, and extend best wishes for his success.—Brenham Evening Press.

The record of Home Circle No. 1 for the past four years in Lampasas county furnishes overwhelming proof of the feasibility of the plan, and the small cost of the protection. Just think, if you please, only one death in four years. So it behooves our men and women to avail themselves of this opportunity of joining Home Circle No. 2. See Mr. Parsons at once and give him your name and your wife's application, as he will soon push the Circle to completion.—Lampasas Leader, Dec. 2.

## SAVE MONEY!

Now is Your Chance

In order to reduce stock before taking inventory for the Hurlbut-Jackson-Hughes Co., who will succeed Hurlbut Hardware Co. on Jan. 1, we will make special prices.

We will make very low prices on Buggies, Hacks, Road Wagons, Wagons, Sulky Plows, Disc Plows, Stoves and other bulky goods, as we want to save handling them and need the room badly for other goods. Will also make close prices on Crockeryware, Guns, etc.

### HOG FENCING

We have a very favorable contract on this line and would be glad to figure on your wants.

### Saddles and Harness

Remember we make these goods and there is as much difference between the goods we make and eastern factory made goods that are usually handled as there is between a \$20 mite-to-order suit and an \$8 hand-me-down. We sell you good goods at about the same price that others have to charge for cheap goods, as we save one profit. On Jan. 1 the Hurlbut-Jackson-Hughes Co. will double our capacity in this line.

### Remember

We have Casaday Plows and Stalk Cutters, and for the coming season the new company will sell Eagle, Standard and Ohio Hovel Cultivators, Janesville Disc Cultivators with shovel attachments and standard, Casaday and Eagle Planters. We want your business.

## HURLBUT HARDWARE CO.

After Jan. 1, Hurlbut-Jackson-Hughes Co.

EVERYBODY SAYS HAMMOND'S DISPLAY OF

## "Holiday Goods"

Is the Prettiest ever shown in Goldthwaite.

Have you seen it yet? If not, be sure to visit his store and see for yourself. Prices reasonable.

Many Useful Gifts for the Young and Old...

You are cordially invited to come and see the elegant display and receive kind and courteous attention.

RESPECTFULLY,

## C. D. HAMMOND

The House Furnisher.

## A REASON FOR ALL THINGS

Now when the groceryman says he is entitled to his home people's trade and is at the same time exerting every effort to sell to the same home people flour from mills a road. What is His Reason? Not that our flour was failed to give satisfaction I assure you, for those who have used our Silver Spray and Whole Wheat Flour are thoroughly satisfied in proven as we guarantee it to the dealer and authorize them to guarantee to the consumer, and we seldom hear of and complaint whatever, that is proof positive satisfaction was given. What is His Reason? Call for our flour and save 5 to 10 cents on every sack you buy and get better flour. A flour guaranteed by a people here in Goldthwaite 365 days in the year ready to make any guarantee good. Buy Silver Spray Flour, it is the best.

### STAR ROLLER MILLS.

#### Clothing for men and boys at Lam-mer.

Patronize your home merchants and you will get the worth of your money.

You get the best pictures at Hart's old stand.

Get a cook or heating stove from Hammond.

Up to last night 5847 bales of cotton had been received at the public yard.

There will be baptizing at Warren crossing on the river Sunday afternoon if the weather is suitable.

Mr. and Mrs. B. Lammers united with the Methodist church at the prayer service Wednesday night.

The boll worms in cotton and flour worms in flour. Ask your grocer for Silver Spray or Whole Wheat flour which is always fresh being milled just as demand calls for it. Don't accept just any good.

People who have pictures made can get the best at Hart's old stand. Close prices at Hammond's.

#### NOTICE.

Messrs. A. J. Weathers and James Rahl are my solicitors for the Home Circle of Mill county. They will visit Mullin, Star and Center City. Give them your name and your wife's application at once. R. J. PARSONS, Organizer.

#### NOTICE.

Dec. 7, 1904.—Notice is hereby given that the regular annual meeting of the stockholders of the Goldthwaite National Bank, for the election of five directors for the ensuing year, will be held at their banking house in Goldthwaite, Texas, between the hours of ten o'clock a. m. and four o'clock p. m. on the second Tuesday in January, 1905. W. E. MILLER, President.

#### NOTICE.

All parties having horses or cattle running in the J. J. Mills ranch about eight miles southeast of Goldthwaite, please take them out before Monday, Dec. 12. B. A. CORDELL.

#### OPERA HOUSE.

The strongest combination now touring this state is billed to appear at the opera house commencing next Monday December 12. This organization is composed of two popular attractions consolidated—The Hall Company with the very latest animated pictures and illustrated songs, the LaFayette Dramatic Company in the best plays and specialties. Mr. and Mrs. Curran at the head of the latter company need no introduction to our people, they are well and favorably known here and have always been identified with the best and most artistic performances ever given here. Both personally and professionally they are favorites with our people. Their performances have always attracted our best people, as they are moral, entertaining and free from all objectionable features. They have always played to crowded houses here and we predict a warm reception for them on next Monday night.

#### BULLS SPRINGS.

Editor Eagle:

As we have not seen anything from this place for quite awhile we will let you hear from us.

We have had a very cool, damp spell, during the spell a good rain fell, which the farmers were glad to see on their wheat.

The school is progressing very nicely under the care of Prof. S. E. Stark with an attendance of thirty pupils.

Mr. Kaubs has been suffering from a sore on his thumb, caused from sticking a pine splinter in it.

Grandma Bull has been sick with chills and fever, but is better now. Mrs. Jenkins is on the sick list this week.

Mrs. Edgar Martin has been suffering from rheumatism for some time, and had to go on crutches, fell last week and hurt her knee so that she can't walk.

Messrs. Kaubs and Davenport are adding some more room to their houses.

There will be singing at Mr. Caraway's Sunday afternoon and Mr. Tullous' Sunday night.

PANSY

#### MASS MEETING.

We urge a meeting of one or more citizens from each community in Mills county at the Methodist church, Goldthwaite, at 1 p. m. Thursday, Dec. 15, 1904 for the purpose of organizing the county to substantially assist the officers in enforcing the prohibition law that we now have. This call is made necessary because of a so called club house being recently opened in Goldthwaite by some one from San Angelo co-operating with Goldthwaite parties. We believe until recently that prohibition has been very effective and profitable, and if we co-operate and see that the law is not violated it will continue to be valuable to us. Don't fail to have a representative from every community in the county and let show that we mean business.

M. L. BROWN,  
C. L. OWEN,  
A. J. WEATHERS,  
W. B. JACKSON,  
H. T. WHITE,  
And Others.

#### DISTRICT COURT.

Court adjourned last Saturday night after being in session the full three weeks allowed by law.

The suit of A. J. Gatlin vs. J. C. Street and a cross action of J. C. Street vs. A. J. Gatlin required the entire time of the court and resulted in a verdict for the defendants in both actions.

The Eagle is informed that the case will be appealed.

A few divorce cases were heard at odd times and several pleas of guilty in minor cases were entered.

#### LODGE OFFICERS.

At a regular meeting of Goldthwaite lodge No. 330, I. O. O. F. held Tuesday night, Dec. 6, 1904, the following officers were elected to serve for the first term of 1905: John A. Hester, noble grand; Sam P. Rahl, vice grand; Lewis Hudson, recording secretary; J. H. Randolph, financial secretary; James Rahl, treasurer; W. B. Jackson, representative to the grand lodge; J. H. Randolph, alternate representative to the grand lodge.

As it is getting late in the season I will sell everything in my millinery stock at and below cost.—Mrs. Coryngton.

#### Twentieth Century Barber Shop

John Lechaby, Proprietor

Has been refurbished and all modern conveniences provided for the comfort and convenience of our patrons. Our bath rooms are large and comfortable and have new porcelain line tubs. If you want a nice bath or the best and most satisfactory work

#### COME TO THIS FIRST CLASS SHOP

Best Laundry work is done by Lampasas Laundry. Basket leaves Wednesday and returns Friday.

There are a few women in every community who are better housekeepers than all the others. These women use

## White Light FLOUR

"IT'S THE BEST ALL THE TIME."

Sold only by

## L. D. HALLONQUIST,

Grocery and Feed Man.

#### AN UNUSUAL OFFER.

By Dr. J. H. Logan who is offering his patrons an opportunity of a free trial of the wonderful healing remedy, Paracamp, First Aid to the Injured. This remedy has become popular in a remarkably short time by its great success in curing the aches, pains and hurts of millions of people. Mills county people should know the value and merits of Paracamp, and to enable them to do so without risk or loss of money, Dr. Logan has produced a plan. "Being fully convinced of the merits of Paracamp, all you have to do, says Dr. Logan, is to deposit the price of a bottle at our drug store, take home a bottle of Paracamp, give it an honest trial, and if not satisfied, tell us and we will return your money."

No remedy on earth compares with Paracamp or the cure of Rheumatism, Swelling and Neuralgia, Sore Throat, Croup, Catarrh, Sore Muscles, Eczema, Sprains, Bruises, Sore Feet, Cuts, Burns and Hurts of every description. Paracamp absolutely prevents blood poison, Paracamp soothes and heals like magic. No household should be without a bottle always at hand.

If you receive a card making a special offer to you for a trial of Paracamp, bring it to our store without delay.

Buy your Christmas candies from Frazzell's restaurant—Vierling's old stand.

Capt. W. B. Cox and Mr. S. M. Carothers expect to spend the holidays in Florida prospecting.

S. M. Carothers and wife returned last week from a visit to their old home in Coryell county.

County Attorney Pribble requests the Eagle to call attention to the fact that the law forbids the discharge of fireworks in or across any public street or alley and near any business house, sign or cotton yard. He expects to enforce the law.

Rev. B. A. Cordell, the well known Holiness preacher, has bought the property known as the Mills ranch, in the southern portion of this county and is building a fine residence on the property. He expects to move his family to the ranch when his house is completed.

Mills county Home Circle is No. 111 in Texas. Just think how this Society has grown, 111 in 4 1/2 years. In this section the following counties have the Home Circle, namely, Lampasas, Hamilton, Comanche, McCulloch, Burset, Coryell, Coleman, Runnels, Boswell, Erath, Johnson, Hood, Eastland, Taylor and Ocker.

Have got to have money out of my stock and for the next

## THIRTY DAYS

Will sell goods at greatly reduced prices.

Clothing goes at 20 per cent discount

Hats at 10 per cent discount.

Shoes at 10 per cent discount.

Shirts at 10 per cent discount.

Ladies' Jackets and Skirts 10 per cent discount.

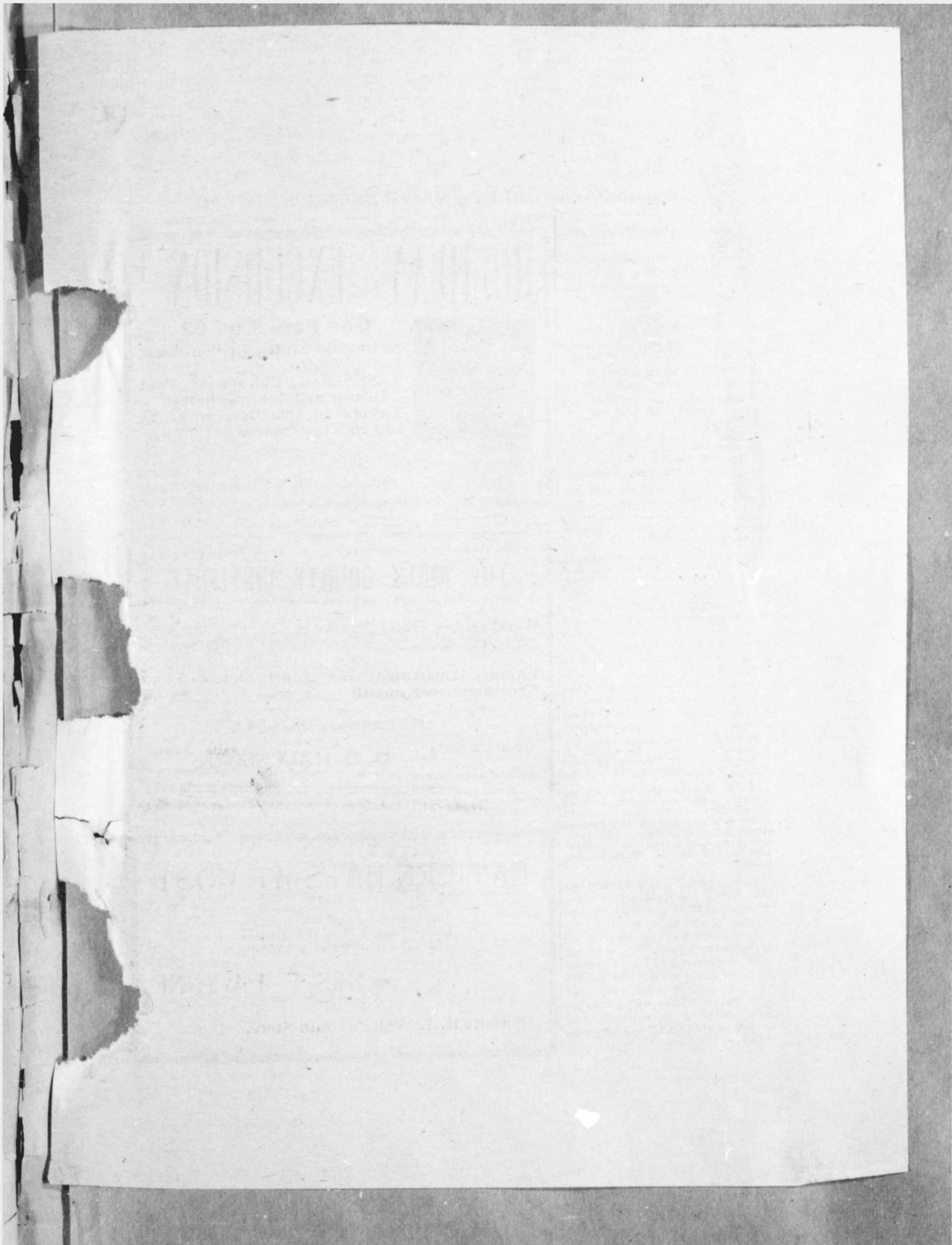
8-1-30 Calico at .....	6 1/2
6 1/2 Calico at .....	05
10s Outing at .....	8 1-3
6 1/2 Outing at .....	05
8 1-3 Domestic, bleached or unbleached at .....	6 1-4
6 1-4 Domestic bleached or unbleached at .....	05
One grade unbleached at .....	4 1/2

Cotton checks at almost your own price.

Every piece of goods in my house will be sold at discount for the next thirty days. I mean business.

Come and see me for Bargains.

## L. B. BASHLEY



Cut glass novelties at Miller's jewelry store.

If you want good goods come to see us.—B. A. HARRIS.

Go to Frizzell's restaurant for dinner. Vierling's old stand.

Oysters in any style at Frizzell's restaurant. Vierling's old stand.

If you have old and worm-eaten hides, sell them to G. H. Frizzell.

Rooms for Rent, upstairs over The Country Drug Store. Apply at store.

We have no competition when you consider quality and price.—B. A. HARRIS.

F. B. Strather and Mrs. T. C. Whiteman were married at her residence in this city Thursday.

Both of C. E. Strickland's children are very sick, and the youngest one is in a dangerous condition.

Miller, the jeweler, is showing a beautiful line of cut glass, all diamond cut and of the highest polish.

When you want a pleasant laxative take Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets. For sale by All Drug-gists.

J. A. Harris, the gin man of the Washboard community, had business in this city one day this week. He is one of those who believe that the price of cotton will be higher in the near future.

Good news for a majority of the people, as very few have wheat to sell, but all have flour to buy. Wheat has taken a tumble, also Silver Spray and Whole Wheat flours have declined in sympathy with wheat. If you desire to save money on your flour bills get prices on the above

D. S. Warner, the well known market gardner and poultry breeder of Antelope Gap, gave a dinner to some of his friends at the Frizzell restaurant Wednesday. The table was supplied with fruits and vegetables canned by Mr. Warner at his home.

Robert and William Vernor left last night for Marsnall, Texas, where it is their intention to take charge of and operate a printing office, which has not been in use for some months. They are both good workmen, and ought to succeed, as there are 30,000 people in that county and only one newspaper. They will probably run both a newspaper and a job establishment.—Lampasas Leader.

## HOLIDAY EXCURSION!



One Fare Plus \$2

To the old States in Southeast  
To Old Mexico  
To St. Louis, Chicago, St. Paul  
Denver and Intermediates  
Tickets on sale Dec. 21, 22, 23  
and 26. Good to return in 30 days

You can get complete detailed information concerning any trip from Any Santa Fe Agent or

W. S. KEENAN, G. P. A., Galveston, Texas.

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For Particulars Address,

**C. G. HALLMARK,**

Mrs. C. G. HALLMARK,  
Primary.

Goldthwaite, Texas.

## PATTERN HATS AT COST

Just received a nice lot of stylish hats. Bought them at a bargain and will sell them at a bargain.

**MRS F J WYNNE**

Opposite H. T. White's Grain Store.

# HOLIDAY GOODS in LARGE QUANTITIES

And assortments have arrived at Clements' Drug Store and will be displayed on next Wednesday December 7. Don't forget the date and don't fail to bring yourself and family to see our Grand Opening of Christmas Goods, never before equaled in Goldthwaite. We have studied the tastes and fancies of the people of this section along the above line and have the goods this season to please even the most fastidious buyer.

Besides carrying a full line of Gifts, Xmas Souvenirs and Presents for older people we have given Special Attention to the wishes of the little folks at Xmas time.

We Want to Please Everyone and Especially the Children.

Besides our regular line of Watches Jewelry, Silverware, Cutlery, Fancy Box Candies, Musical Instruments, Perfumery, Stationery, Etc. We list below a few articles included in our Mammoth Assortment of Xmas Goods: Wave Crestware, Medallions, Games, Dolls, Vases, Dresser Sets, Toy Dinner Sets, Trains, Monkeys, Automobiles, Tool Chests, Albums, Doll Buggies and Go-carts, Collar and Cuff Boxes, Celluloid Souvenirs and too many other things to mention. We much prefer showing you our goods to telling you about them and extend to everybody a hearty invitation to inspect our line before buying. We know that our goods and prices will give satisfaction. We shall have experienced clerks to assist in selecting presents and shall appreciate a liberal share of your trade.

Do Your Buying Early and Avoid the Rush.

Respectfully, **R. E. CLEMENTS, Druggist.**

## The Goldthwaite Eagle

### SANTA FE TIME TABLE

**THROUGH TRAINS.**  
 Arrive from Temple 7:45 a. m.  
 Arrive from San Angelo 8:05 p. m.  
**TEMPLE AND BROWNWOOD.**  
 Arrive from Brownwood 8:30 a. m.  
 Arrive from Temple 8:15 p. m.

A. F. & M. Goldthwaite Lodge No. 494, regular meeting, Saturday night on or before each full moon. P. H. Clements, W. M.; Lewis Hudson, Sec.

R. A. M. Goldthwaite Chapter No. 244, regular meeting second Saturday night after each full moon. L. E. Conroy, H. P.; Lewis Hudson, Sec.

I. O. O. F. Goldthwaite Lodge No. 330, meets every Tuesday night. C. F. Jones, N. G.; Lewis Hudson, Sec.

Harmonia Robak Lodge No. 56, meets every Friday night. Mrs. J. D. Calaway, N. G.; John Hester, Sec.

K. of P. Alcorita Lodge No. 118, meets 1st and 3rd Monday nights. M. Allen, C. C.; Lewis Hudson, E. of R. & S.

W. O. W. Goldthwaite Camp No. 230, meets every 4th Monday night. J. A. Allen, C. C.; W. W. Saylor, Sec.

O. E. S. Goldthwaite Lodge No. 92, Eastern Star, meets 1st Saturday night after each full moon. Mrs. Lulu Allen, W. M.; Maggie Linn, Sec.

I. O. E. M. Aquilinas Tribe No. 179, meets 1st and 3rd Thursday nights. M. Allen, Sachem; W. E. Parr, Chief of Records.

### REPORTORIAL REVIEW.

Best Syrup at Prater's. Order tip-top flour—Prater. New goods just in at Lammers'. Tobacco and cigars at Prater's. Big stock of shoes at Lammers. Tents for sale or rent by Hammond. Hammond keeps fine assortment of lamps. Get Hammond's prices on furniture. See Hammond for fine razors and scissors. See the cut glass display at Miller's jewelry store. New Home machines and cheaper grades at C. B. Hammond's. One of L. E. Conroy's large bay horses died near Zephyr last Friday night. If you succeed in getting board at the Mountain Cottage you will never want to move. Do you want light flaky biscuits and crisp pastry? Then buy a sack of Whole Wheat or Silver Spray flour. You can get a setting of Plymouth Rock eggs from Johnnie Allen for \$1.50. Mrs. E. G. Crawford expects to leave today for Moody to visit her sister, Mrs. M. J. Cox. N. W. Frizzell has bought Evans Blake's restaurant, and W. Frank Collins has charge of the business. No danger of barber itch or other contagious diseases at Brinson's shop. He uses a sterilizer on everything used with the customers. Can you afford to go without protection when the Home Circle furnishes it at a nominal cost, with the money to pay death losses in the bank at Goldthwaite? Claims paid in from one to three hours after death occurs—no red tape. Secretary and treasurer each under \$1000 bond. The Home Circle is chartered by the state; has over 100 Circles in Texas; is conducted on business principles, and has live, progressive and hustling men as organizers. Join now and you will never regret the investment.

### MUCH IRRIGATION.

The subject of irrigation is attracting great interest in this section now and the time is not far distant when all of the irrigable land in this and adjoining counties will be under irrigation. It has been known for a long time that irrigation was a paying system, but only recently have our people taken hold of it to any considerable extent. Some large and valuable irrigation plants in this county have been in operation for a year or more. Among those who have irrigation plants are the Big Valley Canal and Irrigation company, J. H. Randolph, J. W. Perkins, Henry Ezzell, T. J. and F. P. Young, Willis L. F. Harvey, Wm. Wilcox, Joe Curtis, et al., and D. S. Warner are among those who irrigate a part of their crops. C. C. Yarborough, H. G. Forehand, J. W. Perkins, G. H. Reed, J. D. Willis, W. H. Oglesby and Mark Dawson, all of this county and Rector & Co., Polk Oliver, Joe A. Williams and W. B. Leverett of San Saba county have bought machinery for irrigation plants which they will put in operation in time to water next year's crops. This is only a sample of the progress being made by the land owners and farmers of this section in putting the farms under irrigation, thereby making them more productive and valuable.

### THE PRICE OF COTTON.

The government report of the cotton crop for 1904 was made public last Saturday with an estimated record breaking crop of 12,162,000 bales. The price of cotton at one dropped to the bottom—or so far down that it gave those holding cotton a bad case of "blues." Talk was general that the price would continue low and that those who were holding cotton had lost heavily and should sell at once to prevent further loss. The market soon reacted from the effect of the heavy estimate and prices have been slowly increasing since. It has now developed that there was an error in calculating the estimate and that in reality the figures should be 11,982,000. Even these figures appear to be too high and we of the cotton growing states will continue to hope for an increased price and many believe cotton will sell for 10 cents a pound in Goldthwaite by Christmas.

### PIPES, PUMPS, FITTINGS, ETC.



I am agent for the DIAMOND wind mill and also do repair work on wind mills. If you want a mill figure with me. L. A. Manning.

Anything for housefurnishing at Hammond's. We make the best pictures at Hart's old stand. Bargains in millinery next week at Mrs. Covington's. Anybody can be pleased in size quality and price of shoes at J. T. Prater's. For tough steak go to Frizzell's meat market. Mrs. Covington will sell millinery cheap during next week. Fresh pork and sausage every day at Hudson & Hanft's. Be in style! Buy millinery from Mrs. Covington. See the rich cut glass at Miller's jewelry store. Shoes from 10 cents to \$1 on Lammers' bargain counter. You can get fresh pork and sausage at the City Meat Market every day. Rodney Hearne now has a position in the telephone exchange at this place. Hammond sells Schroeder's rotary washer. See them when you need one. The Eagle commends the "Home Circle" to the men and women of Mills county—it's a good thing—and our people ought to join. If you want good goods that your machine won't cut into in making up come to see us.—B. A. Harris. Rev. W. G. Peyton, the new pastor of the Cumberland Presbyterian church at this place, is expected to arrive in time to fill his pulpit Sunday. Ask your friends where they got such nice photographs, and they are sure to tell you, Miss Kemp's studio. Miss Flora Attin attended the marriage of a friend at Lampasas the first of the week and Mrs. Walter Fairman taught Miss Gattlin's grades in the public school Monday. The keynote to uniform bread making is found in every sack of Silver Spray flour. The Home Circle Society of Mills county was organized at the court house in Goldthwaite on last Monday evening at 3:30 o'clock by state organizer, R. J. Parsons of Luling, Tex., with 162 charter members. Following officers and directors were elected, to-wit: James Rahl, president; Jesse Lowe, vice president; H. T. White, secretary; W. H. Little, treasurer; J. H. Allen, sr., L. Little, J. C. Street, trustees.

### BAPTIST MEETING.

Program for mission and educational rally to be held with Goldthwaite Baptist church Dec 15-18, 1904. Preaching Thursday 7:15 p. m.—J. B. Reese. Friday, 9:30 a. m. devotion—C. H. Miles. 10 a. m. The Sunday school—1. Its needs—Laz Vann. 2. Its opportunities—L. L. Hays. 3. Its outlook—D. I. Harston. 11 a. m. Sermon—Rev. Dickey, San Saba. 2:30 p. m.—What is meant by state missions—D. P. Airhart. 3:30 p. m.—Home missions—E. Owen. 7:15 p. m.—Our educational needs in the southwest—J. M. Dawson. Saturday 9:30 a. m.—Devotion—T. J. Priddy. 10 a. m.—The need of a sound denominational literature—J. H. Garbrell. 11 a. m. Sermon—D. P. Airhart. 2:30 p. m.—Buckner Orphan's Home—Rev. Dickey. 3:30 p. m.—B. Y. P. U. work—J. M. Dawson. 7:15—Our correlated schools—J. M. Carroll. Sunday 11 a. m.—Why should Baylor University be endowed—J. M. Carroll. Everybody come, C. L. OWEN. B. Y. P. U. PROGRAM. Leader—R. E. Grant. Subject—The Atonement. What is the atonement—C. D. Hammond. What did Christ do for us—Miss Effie Hester. For whom did Christ die—Miss Callie Hopkins. What did the atonement make possible—Brother Owen.

### A FEW PRE-HOLIDAY CONSIDERATIONS.

A few short weeks and Christmas-tide, the great season of peace, friendship and gift-giving will be upon us. All ready you have begun to plan a surprise for father, mother, brother, sister or some dear friend. In order to make your selection of these presents a pleasure, visit Miller's jewelry store where you will find a stock full and overflowing with rich and beautiful presents suitable for all. Here you will find many new and pleasing gifts, just what you are looking for and at prices to make you smile when you consider the quality, finish and style of goods. You should call early and make your selections while the stock is full and complete. If there be anything special you wish they will take pleasure in getting it for you if you do not wait too late.

### I. C. Everly Co's.

### C O L U M N.

### Seasonable Shopping Suggestions.

TO SUIT CHEAP COTTON PRICES. All wishing their holiday purchases laid away to be called for later may make their selections now, thus avoiding the usual confusion and rush.

Dolls of every sort, price and kind from 5c, upwards. Also Doll heads. All at money-saving prices.

Large Assortment Albums, Photo and Auto-graph. Cut prices Goods laid away until called for.

Work Boxes, Cuff and collar boxes, Soap boxes, Necktie Boxes, Etc. at surprising prices. Bear in mind our economy Holiday Goods Department.

Umbrellas make useful presents. Wonderful values in silver handles at \$1.00.

Closing out balance of caps all sorts for the season.

Buster Brown Belt 25c. Ties 25c. Pur-Linen Buster Collars 15c.

All Children's Caps and Hoods must go. All kinds included.

Thousands of Handkerchiefs from 3c to 50c in cotton and linen. Big lot of silk ones for Ladies and Men and

## SPECIAL SALE FOR 30 DAYS.

I MEAN Business and will make you Low Prices on my Entire Stock. We want to make you Prices in the House on Goods and not on paper. I have one of the largest and most complete lines of Dry Goods and Notion in Goldthwaite. I have a large line of Ladies Skirts, Dress Goods, Trimmings, Laces and Embroidery. We want to show you our Outings and Flannel Underwear to fit the Smallest to the Largest. I have a large line of Suits for Men and Boys, the latest and most up-to-date line of Nelson Shoes. I also have a large line of first-class Boots at low prices.

## IT WILL PAY YOU TO GET MY PRICES.

## HATS! HATS!

COME ONE! COME ALL! I now have one of the most complete and beautiful lines of Ladies' Hats that was ever on exhibition in Goldthwaite, owing to the fact that I have bought from one of the largest Millinery Houses in the world and have a most experienced Milliner in charge of this department.

## I WILL QUOTE YOU HEREWITH A FEW PRICES:

Ladies' Hats from 75c up to \$15.00.  
 Misses' Hats from 50c up.  
 Children's Hats from 25c up.

Also a New, Clean Stock of Trimmings of all description. Come and inspect for yourself and I am sure you will go away without buying. Special attention given to Ladies who desire to.

## LOOK THROUGH THE SOCK

Owing to the fact that we shared a greater portion of the trade last season, we are prepared to do even a better part by you now.

## COME AND SEE US

and Give us a Chance Before Buying Millinery.

## J. C. STREET.

## COMPLETE!

My Holiday stock is now complete and my show cases are full of beautiful Christmas Presents suitable for all consisting of rich Diamond Cut Glass, Sterling and Plated Silverware, Marblewood Mantle Clocks (beautiful) Sterling Silver Novelties, Dressing Cases,

sanicure Sets, Writing Sets, Jewel Cases, Glove cases and many other novelties too numerous to mention. You are cordially invited to call and see my stock before buying. I am sure you will be pleased.

## RESPECTFULLY L. E. MILLER, THE JEWELER.

P. S.—My stock of Jewelry, Watches, Etc. is extra large. I am showing a large line of Solid Gold Plain Rings, Set Rings in Opal, Ruby, Pearl, Emerald, Diamonds and Combination Settings. Baby Rings, Gold Neck Chains, Head Neck Chains, Child's Sets, Fine Silk Umbrellas, Stick Pins, Cuff Links, Waist Sets, Emblem Pins, Lockets, Fobs, Chains and 500 other Novelties to select from. Come and make your selections early. The Place, MILLER'S JEWELRY STORE.

V. W. Henry was here Thursday stated he had moved from Center City. I will begin my art class January 3 at Mrs. D. S. Kennerly's. I teach both oil and pastel. See some of my pictures on exhibition at The Country Drug Store. My price is \$3.50 per month.—(Miss) Ella Collier. I represent Home Steam Laundry of Ballinger. Best work guaranteed. Satisfaction or no charge. W. L. Brinson. Next door to Hudson & Rahl's market. Home Circle No. 1 of Lampasas county was organized just four years ago by R. J. Parsons, state organizer. Only one death has occurred since, that of Mr. L. R. Blair, on November 16, 1903, more than one year ago. The history of the Home Circle in Lampasas thoroughly demonstrates the fact that it is the cheapest insurance the state and our people appreciate.—Lampasas Leader, Dec. 2.

**GOOD RESIDENCE FOR SALE.**  
 I have a well finished residence conveniently located for school and business part of town. Has 5 rooms and hall, good chimney and cellar. Inexhaustible well of fine water, good lots and sheds. Large rich truck patch and small orchard. Will take one or two good teams in part payment. See me or write me at Goldthwaite. J. W. ROBERTS.

**A CERTAIN CURE FOR CROUP.**  
 When a child shows symptoms of croup there is no time to experiment with new remedies, no matter how highly they may be recommended. There is one preparation that can always be depended upon. It has been in use for many years and has never been known to fail, viz: Chamberlain's Cough Remedy. Mr. M. P. Compton of Market, Texas, says: "I have used Chamberlain's Cough Remedy in severe cases of croup with my children, and can truthfully say it always gives prompt relief." For sale by All Druggists.

Trade horses to J. C. Evans for a nice vehicle. For choice steaks, roasts, etc. go to Hudson & Rahl's. Furniture in suits and extra dressers at Hammond's. Best shoes are M. D. Wells shoes. Sold by Lammers'. Hides and beeswax bought at G. H. Frizzell's market. B. Lammers has a lot of new goods for your inspection. If you want a saddle or set of harness see J. C. Evans. Woodmen, Beaver and other brands of good hats at Lammers'.

The limit of membership in a Circle is 750, and so the men and women of Mills county had better hurry and give their applications before the Circle is complete. See Organizer Parsons or give your applications to A. J. Weathers or James Rahl, who are Mr. Parsons' local collectors.

**THE KEY THAT UNLOCKS THE DOOR TO LONG LIVING.**  
 The men of eighty-five and ninety years of age are not the rotund, well fed, but thin, spare men who live on a slender diet. Be as careful as he will, however, a man past middle age, will occasionally eat too much or of some article of food not suited to his constitution, and will need a dose of Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets to cleanse and invigorate his stomach and regulate his liver and bowels. When this is done there is no reason why the average man should not live to old age. For sale by All Druggists.

**AN EMERGENCY MEDICINE.**  
 For sprains, bruises, burns, scalds and similar injuries, there is nothing so good as Chamberlain's Pain Balm. It soothes the wound and not only gives instant relief from pain, but causes the parts to heal in about one third the time required by the usual treatment. Sold by All Druggists.

See them



500 pairs fine kid gloves worth only \$1.50, for the Holiday Sale, only 75c. Golf gloves 25c. Misses wool gloves 15c. Bargains only. MILLINERY AT COST. Lot Pattern Hats at Cost. Now is the time for Bargains.



**LEAGUE PROGRAM.**  
 For Sunday, Dec. 11. Leader—Mrs. W. H. Trent. Topic—Conscientious stewardship, Luke 12:42-48. Conscientious stewardship always brings honor—Miss Lillie Grundy. The first disclaimer of responsibility. Gen. 4:9-13—Miss Annie Moakley. Illustrations and applications—Miss Lucia Talbert. Our constant care should be to know our Lord's will—Mrs. H.

## Goods Received

Another Large Invoice of Goods Just In to be sold the same as other goods

## ACTUAL FIRST COST!

This sale will continue until Jan. 1, in order to make room for our new spring stock already bought.

## B. Lammers, FISHER ST. GOLDTHWAITE.

Come and look, whether you buy or not.

My entire stock of millinery at and below cost. Mrs. Covington. County Clerk Crawford has issued marriage license to F. W. Grometzky to Augusta Wendland, W. B. McKinney and Miss Janie Callaway, F. B. Strahler and Mrs. T. C. Whitman, Melvin Booker and Miss Bettie Jones. Our country friends should never fail to buy or order through the mail "Teethina," for it surely fits. The bill for teaching children's ill "Teethina" aids digestion, regulates the bowels of children of any age and makes teaching easy, and costs only 95c a 6c drug store. Patronage of the Public is Solicited.

**THE MODEL MARKET**  
 JOHNSON & BAYLIS, Proprietors.  
**BEEF, PORK GAME & FISH.**  
 We will Dress Poultry for patrons at a reasonable price. Our effort will be to provide our patrons with the best meats obtainable.

# Now to End 1904

Two more weeks and Santa Claus will make his Annual Tour. During these two weeks we have got to sell an immense amount of Winter Goods.

## DO YOU NEED THE GOODS?

If so, Visit Our Store and We'll Do the Rest.

THE LEADERS,

CLOSING OUT WINTER GOODS

# LITTLE'S

CLOSING OUT WINTER GOODS

### The Goldthwaite Eagle

SATURDAY, DECEMBER 10, 1904.

#### LOCAL AND PERSONAL.

Cooking oil at Prater's. J. C. Evans sells buggies, hacks and surreys.

Seed oats and seed wheat at Ferguson's.

Frizzell's market is the place to buy fresh meat.

L. P. Walters has been attending court in Georgetown this week. If you want brick to build a fire or anything else see Lowe & Randolph.

A good buggy, hack or surry can be bought at J. C. Evans cheap.

Make your Thanksgiving dinner a success by serving bread and pastry from Silver Spray Flour. It is the only best.

Brinson's barber shop is hard to find, but when you do find it you find the best and cleanest shop in town.

M. C. Kirkpatrick represented Mullin in this city the first of the week and made the Eagle a pleasant business call.

Keep the whole family happy by baking with Silver Spray Flour. Fresh lard for sale at Frizzell's market. Phone 54.

People who want a nice, comfortable place to board where they can be quiet and get close to the business portion of town will find just such a place at the Mountain Cottage.

Mrs. Harry Carlton and children left Sunday for El Paso, where her husband is employed as hostler in the Texas and Pacific yards.

While you are in good health and have plenty of money is a good time to have your picture taken at Hart's old stand.

Sunday was certainly a dreary day in Goldthwaite. The weather was so disagreeable that no church services could be held and most people remained in doors all day.

One sack of Silver Spray Flour will reveal many virtues. Today is the best time to try it.

I now have my offices in rooms B and C in the new Brown building. I will be pleased to write your fire, tornado and accident insurance. I also prepare deeds, mortgages, etc. - F. H. Clements, Notary Public.

Bert Patterson was here from Friday night until Monday visiting his brother, Judge L. E. Patterson. He was en route from Sterling City to Waco to attend the Masonic grand lodge.

You get 40 bars good laundry soap for \$1. at Prater's.

There was a large gathering of young people at the residence of Mr. J. T. Prater Saturday night to celebrate Miss Zella Prater's birthday. The company was pleasant and the evening was spent in a delightful way. Refreshments were served and the guests were most hospitably entertained.

### LETTER TO SHERIFF ATKINSON.

Goldthwaite, Texas.  
Dear Sir: You are interested in the property of your county. You can contribute to it materially, and give it a far more prosperous look at the same time.

Perhaps the public property needs a good coat of paint.  
Devoe will supply that coat with two-thirds of the number of gallons required of any other. Devoe will last longer as long as any other. Devoe is all paint and full-measure. Devoe is the strongest paint known. Devoe will take care of the property, in the long run, for half the money required by any other.

The reason is stated above: Devoe is all paint and full-measure; the strongest paint known.

E. D. Jewell, Corry, Pa., painted his house 5 years ago with a mixed paint; took 14 gallons. Last spring he repainted with Devoe; bought 14 gallons and had 4 left. Saved \$15 to \$20, for painting costs two or three times as much as the paint. Yours truly,  
F. W. DEVOE & CO.,  
New York.

#### NOTICE.

Notice is hereby given that the legislature of the state of Texas, which convenes in January, 1905, for a special law authorizing the Gulf, Colorado & Santa Fe railway company to purchase or lease all of the property of the Jasper & Eastern railway company; and, in event of purchase, to complete and operate, under its own charter, the lines of railway specified in the charter of the Jasper & Eastern railway company; and to construct branches and extensions thereof by amendment to the charter of the Gulf, Colorado & Santa Fe railway company under the general laws of the state; and to prescribe whether the Railroad Commission of Texas shall approve the bonds to be issued on the lines in Louisiana, Gulf, Colorado & Santa Fe Ry. Co. (Signed) By E. P. RIPLEY, Pres. Jasper & Eastern Railway Co. (Signed) By W. C. NIXON, Vice Pres.

#### NOTICE.

I have between Mullin and Zephyr on the wagon road 1107 acres of land, which I will place on the market for 80 days at \$7.50 an acre to be paid cash \$1000, and the balance on long time at eight per cent interest. This will make good homes for four families, each tract to front a public road. No improvements. P. H. CLEMENTS.

### Prosiding Elder Scott was here the first of the week.

B. A. Harris left Tuesday night for St. Louis to replenish his stock of winter goods.

Mrs. May Hooten of Lometa visited her relatives, the Kirby family, in this city the first of the week.

Leon Harris is arranging his lots for his company's lumber sheds that will be built as soon as the lumber arrives.

The school board advertised for bids for furnishing wood to the public school and Dec. 11 was designated as the time for opening the bids, but not a single bid was entered.

The west bound passenger train was six hours late Tuesday, caused by a wreck of a freight train on the main line near Cameron, which delayed the main line passenger train.

J. W. Roberts formerly a merchant of this city and now a prosperous farmer and stock raiser of the Rock Springs community, was here Tuesday to get lumber to make some improvements on his premises.

Meals 25 cents at the Farmers Home.

### A. F. Grant F. N. Hubbert

#### GRANT & HUBBERT

##### Blacksmiths and Woodworkers

Do a general line of Blacksmith and woodwork. Repairing of all kinds neatly and promptly done at reasonable prices.

Difficult jobs solicited. Special attention given to

##### Horse - Shoeing

The peddler or representative of the foreign merchant may make claims for his goods and prices that will appear advantageous to the buyer, but the result is seldom satisfactory.

Perhaps an article may be as good and even sold as cheap as the home dealer can sell it, but it is to the citizen's interest to send his money away out of his county or his state where he will never get a chance at it again. It is to his advantage to destroy his home market and build up the dealers in the large cities.

### R. E. GRANT,

ATTORNEY-AT-LAW,  
and LAND AGENT.

GOLDTHWAITE, - TEXAS.  
Special attention given to all kinds of litigation. Investigation of land titles. Abstracts made on short notice and correctness guaranteed. Phone 15.  
Your Business Solicited.

### R. L. H. WILLIAMS,

ATTORNEY-AT-LAW  
and LAND AGENT

Special attention given to all classes of litigation; investigation of land titles, abstracting, etc.  
He represents a bond company. Can make court, contract and fidelity bonds. Come to see me.  
Goldthwaite, Texas.

R. E. Grant H. T. White  
Attorney-at-Law. WHITE & GRANT  
General Collecting | Real Estate Agents & Abstractors.  
Agency.

### GOLDTHWAITE, MILLS COUNTY, TEXAS

We sell land, water and any taxes, rent and lease property. We prepare abstracts of title on short notice. Prepare deeds, mortgages and other legal papers.  
Agents for American Surety Co. of New York  
Notary in Office. Phone 15 and 60  
Office Brown building.

### GRIP QUICKLY KNOCKED OUT.

"Some weeks ago during the severe winter weather both my wife and myself contracted severe colds which speedily developed into the worst kind of grippe with all of its miserable symptoms," says Mr. J. S. Eggleston of Maple Landing, Iowa. "Knees and joints aching, muscles sore, head stopped up, eyes and nose running, with alternate spells of chills and fever. We began using Chamberlain's Cough Remedy, adding the same with a dose of Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets, and by its liberal use soon completely knocked out the grip." "These tablets promote healthy action of the bowels, liver and kidneys which is always beneficial when the system is congested by a cold or attack of the grip. For sale by All Druggists.

### NOTICE TO TRESPASSERS.

Notice is hereby given that all trespassing in my pasture, located in Mills county, on Rocky Creek, 25 miles west of Brownwood, and pastures adjoining belonging to me, is strictly prohibited and that I will prosecute all persons guilty of tearing down fences, hauling wood, hunting with hounds or otherwise trespassing therein. H. G. RATLIFF.

**PROTECTED** by insurance from day or night robbery; also by a large fire proof vault and burglar proof safe; also backed by stockholders whose individual worth is over one million dollars, also directed and backed by the United States government, we are thoroughly equipped to take care of your money and will therefore APPRECIATE YOUR DEPOSITS.

## GOLDTHWAITE NATIONAL BANK.

### TO THE BRIGHT GIRLS OF THE COUNTRY.

The expenses for one year at a leading Southern college will be paid for a bright, worthy girl of Mills county, Texas, who will secure for me one hundred and fifteen subscribers to my book, "Lee and Longstreet at High Tide." The college expenses include board, books, tuition, laundry and incidentals.

For the double purpose of giving the people the truth of our civil war history, and of extending a helping hand to the struggling ambitious girls of the country, I am pleased to place a year at college within reach of a girl of this county who desires an education earnestly enough to exert herself to win the girl availing herself of this opportunity prove particularly deserving, I pledge myself to the endeavor to open the way for her to complete the college course.

The girl who is interested in this offer should communicate with me at once, and her communication should be accompanied by the endorsement of her county school commissioner, the editor of this paper and the teacher of the last school she attended.

I would be glad to communicate with every ambitious girl in this county who is struggling to educate herself.  
MRS. JAMES LONGSTREET,  
Gainesville, Ga.

(Too late for last week.)

### NABORS CREEK.

Editor Eagle:

As our part of the country has not been represented in the old Bird for some time we will give you a few dots this week, and we hope our communication will not reach the waste basket.

Health is very good and every one is about through gathering their crops.

Mr. Jackson has moved to town this week, much to the regret of the people of this place. We wish for him, however, success in his new home.

Messrs. Yarborough and Forehand are busily engaged in putting their land in shape for irrigation, as they expect the machinery to arrive very soon, with which to carry on the work.

It is reported that Messrs. Johnson and Seaborn killed a fine deer Monday morning.

The literary society met November 25, and a short program was rendered by the members. At this meeting it was decided to have the society meet on Saturday night instead of Friday night, in the future. Our next meeting will be Saturday night, December 17.

School is running along nicely with an attendance of about forty.

There is to be Bible reading at the school house Sunday morning, and prayer meeting Sunday night.

Mr. Grant is having a telephone line put in from his residence to town.

The school children are preparing to have a pie supper and spelling match at the school house tonight. An admission of ten cents will be charged for the proceeds to be used for repairing the school house and purchasing a dictionary for the school. Everybody is invited to come and assist in this matter.

Wishing the Eagle and its readers success we will see, and if this appears in print we will write again. BEATRICE.

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