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NEIGHBORING NEWS.

ITEMS CULLED FROM THE LEADING LOCAL PAPERS.

SANSABA
G. A. Arhelger will in the near future build a 30x80 frame building on the site of his present shop.

John Binion received painful burns about the eyes and a badly torn up thumb from a cartridge bursting in the magazine of a gun Tuesday afternoon.

Tom Fry, son of John Fry, while scuffling with Gus Burns at the Simpson school Wednesday morning, sustained a broken arm. The left arm was broken just below the elbow.—News.

LAMPASAS.
Married Tuesday afternoon at the residence of Mrs. Wigham, near Kemper, Mr. M. R. Harper to Miss Annie L. Irvine.

A peculiar and fatal accident happened to Joe Holland Saturday evening. He was with the county road hands near the old depot, and had charge of the team. Just after he had gotten ready to go to work, and was laboring with the team, one of the animals became unruly and Holland got entangled in the harness, the animal ran off and Holland was dragged to death.—Leader.

HAMILTON.
Hon. H. E. Chesley returned Saturday from Schleicher county. R. N. Hendricks, from Dallas county came in last week and is preparing to open up a Racket store.

M. B. Roddy, who has been living on his farm near Star Mountain, has sold his place there and gone to Rosco, Mitchell county, where he will make his future home.

R. Q. Murphree and family left Tuesday for Alabama and Mississippi, where they will spend a while visiting relatives. We wish them a pleasant visit.

H. R. Boynton has sold his block of land where he has been living for twenty-six years to A. D. Bullard, who in turn sold it to J. W. Warren. The price paid Mr. Boynton was \$2500.

John D. Reed, who lives near Gentry's Mill, has had to be put under restraint, something hav-

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.

ing caused him to lose his mind. He was arrested here a few days ago and was convicted of lunacy.—Herald.

COMANCHE.
Mrs. Dook Herring died at her home just west of the square Saturday night.

W. C. Carter and Miss Ida Philips were married Wednesday night at the Baptist church.

There was a double wedding eight miles east of town Wednesday night. C. E. Purvis and Miss Effie Hollifield, and S. O. Ewing and Miss Della Jams, being united in wedlock.

James Bonner, jr., has bought Harvey Lumpkin's place, and the latter will move to Stephenville, where he has bought a bottling business.

The sheriff of Tom Green county has appointed Geo. Cunningham, who was formerly sheriff of Comanche county, as his chief deputy.

George Edwards, who was recently elected commissioner from precinct No. 3, has resigned and Judge J. H. McMillan has appointed F. K. Stavy of Sipe Springs to succeed him.

W. C. Burks, a respected citizen and one of the oldest in the county, died at the home of Jesse R. Burks, eight miles east of town, last Saturday. He was nearly 87 years old at the time of his death.

A man by the name of Nunnelly went to the name of W. C. Brown, his father-in-law, near Haase, Thursday morning and

shot him, the bird shot taking effect in his leg. The wounds are not serious. The trouble was of a family nature.—Chief.

BROWNWOOD.
L. P. Baugh, jr., and Miss Willie Woods were married at the home of the bride's parents Wednesday afternoon at 5 o'clock.

Death claimed Mrs. C. E. Holmes at the family residence on Sharp street Sunday afternoon, after a lingering illness of consumption.

Dr. W. A. West, one of the oldest and most highly respected citizens of Brownwood, passed away at his home in Coagin Addition Saturday.

Mr. Ford and wife returned Sunday night from a stay of several months in Idaho, where Mr. Ford has been attending his mining interests.

Some one threw an empty beer bottle through the plate glass front of Albritton's grocery store Sunday night breaking considerable chinaware on the inside. A big display of Christmas candies was also ruined by the shattered glass.

E. W. Pann, farmer and irrigation cotton planter on an extensive scale, near Bower, San Saba county, filed a voluntary petition in bankruptcy in the Federal court at Austin Tuesday. His liabilities are scheduled at \$41,000 and assets at \$62,919.

The farmers who bring their cotton to Brownwood are said to be negotiating arrangements with the banks to take their individual cotton from the yards here and carry it back on the farms for safe keeping. The proposition to hold the cotton for an indefinite time is said to make this plan satisfactory to both parties.—News.

A GRIM TRAGEDY.

Is daily enacted in thousands of homes, as death claims in each one, another victim of consumption or pneumonia. But when coughs and colds are properly treated the tragedy is averted. F. G. Huntley of Oakland, Ind., writes: "My wife had the consumption and three doctors gave her up. Finally she took Dr. King's New Discovery for consumption, coughs and colds, which cured her, and today she is well and strong." It kills the germs of all diseases. One dose relieves. Guaranteed at 50c and \$1.00 by R. E. Clements druggist. Trial bottle free.

The happiest man in the world is the common every-day chaps who makes his own living, pays his own bills and has the respect of his neighbors. He saves a little money as he goes along, but doesn't try to get a corner on the local output, and he is not a slave to ambition or society. He never expects to wear out the seat of his pants in the senate, and when he slides into his par in the morning he never wastes any time in picking out the right tint of socks, suspenders and neckties that will blend with general effect. He wears a "billed" shirt when he feels like it, and when his pet corn begins to hurt he whips out his big fat back knife and cuts a big fur inch gash in his boot and nothing is said about it in the papers. He never has to sit up at night to poultice his conscience, he believes in the doctor's live and let live prices. The plain pluz of a man is happy, because he is satisfied and doesn't spend the better part of his life yearning for something about four sizes too big for him.—Ex.

We always know the cheerful man by his hearty "good morning." As well might fog, and cloud and vapor hope to cling to the sun illustrated landscape, as the blues and moroseness to remain in any countenance when the cheerful one comes with a hearty "good morning." Do not forget to say it. Say it to your parents, brothers, sisters, playmates. It costs nothing. Say it cheerfully and with a smile it will do you good and do your friends good. There's a kind of inspiration in every "good morning" heartily and smilingly spoken that helps to make hope fresher and work lighter. It seems nearly to make the morning good day to come after it. While this is true of all kind cheerful greetings.—Ex.

SICKENING SHIVERING FIFE.
Of ague and malaria can be relieved and cured with Electric Bitters. This is a pure tonic medicine, of special benefit in malaria, for it exerts a true curative influence on the disease, driving it entirely out of the system. It is much to be preferred to quinine, having none of this drug's bad after effects. E. S. Monday of Henrietta, Tex., writes: "My brother was very low with malarial fever and jaundice. He took Electric Bitters, which saved his life. At R. E. Clements' drug store; price 50c, guaranteed."

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 selections and have the articles laid aside for you.

EAST SIDE SQUARE.

HENRY MARTIN,

WEST SIDE SQUARE.

Henry Martin's Big Stores

THE MODEL MARKET
JOHNSON & BAYLISS, Proprietors.
BEEF, PORK GAME & FISH.

We sell Dress Poultry for patrons at a reasonable price. Our effort will be to provide our patrons with the best meats obtainable.
Patronage of the Public is Solicited.

Santa Clause Goods are Open

We handle lots of 'em and they must go. Your choice when you come. It's a treat to see some of the new lines not before handled in Goldthwaite. The display of set rings is rare and they must go at some price. The stock of plain rings is large and must go. Gold headed Umbrellas-to sell not to keep-take 'em.

Dolls, all sorts and sizes, prices to suit. Wave crest pieces in new and novel styles. Bring your purse and get some of the bargains out of Our Jewelry Show Cases. The popular fancy for cut glass prices makes it attractive. Come and get a piece. Our display counter is noted for the goods it contains only. Everything on it is for sale.

Make yourself at home with us. If you are cold come to our fire and get warm. We are glad to show you and sell you goods and please you if we can. We have about 25 watches and they must sell regardless of profits its your chance for time at a bargain.

CALL FOR 1905 CALENDAR.

All the above talk is to you and you are invited to come quick and buy at The Country Drug Store and close to Old Santa when you get home.

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

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R. M. THOMPSON, Editor.

Only one week until Christmas. Pure ribbon cane molasses at Prater's.

Cut glass novelties at Miller's jewelry store.

Mrs. Covington will sell military at and below cost.

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

The Mountain Cottage is prepared for a few more boarders.

The stocks of holiday goods in town are very large and pretty.

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

Mrs. Van Glahn has moved her kindergarten to W. E. Graham's residence.

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

Miss Lois Burrows has gone to Laveria, Wilcox county, to visit relatives.

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

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

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

Thad Carter of Center City is employed in C. D. Hammond's store during the holidays.

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

Mrs. J. P. Grundy has been dangerously sick all this week and is still very low.

We do not put any tallow in our lard. It is pure and fresh, five pound buckets, ten pound buckets and 50 pound cans. Hodson & Rabl.

Mrs. White-White of Muller spent Sunday with her mother and daughter, Mrs. Van Glahn and Miss Harsh White.

J. H. Randolph and wife have moved into their new dwelling on Fisher street, opposite the Baptist church.

Mrs. Taff, wife of Mr. Ike Taff, died at the Taff hotel in this city Sunday night, after a short illness. An obituary of her appears in this paper.

C. H. Harrell passed through the city Tuesday en route for the Center City community to build residences for Davis, Henry and Sam Morris.

C. A. Head of Center City, while working with a cow Wednesday, became entangled in a rope and his right arm was broken just above the wrist.

W. A. Short, after visiting St. Louis, New York and other eastern cities, returned to Mullin Sunday. He purchased a fine stock of goods while away.

Last-One bay mare 15 1/2 hands high, 3-year-old, no brand, hips drooped a little and paces. Will pay \$10 for its delivery at Alexander, Texas - C. C. Seiter.

M. C. Knott and wife of Colorado City arrived in the city Sunday for a visit to her parents, Rev and Mrs. Farley. They will probably remain until after the holidays.

Lost-Somewhere in Goldthwaite a plain gold ring engraved inside "F. F. O." and scratched inside "M. E. B." A reasonable reward for its return to W. A. Gilentine's shop.

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 as good.

Bez Cobb, who recently moved back to this county from the west, was in to see the Eagle this week. He has bought valuable land in Jones Valley and we are glad that he intends to remain in this county.

T. H. ... singing ...

Singing at the residence of Mr. Kauba Sunday night. Every-body invited. THE BIG THREE.

WOODMEN OFFICERS. The Woodmen held their following officers at their meeting Monday night: L. B. Walters, consul commander; Bardin, advisor; lieutenant; John C. Hicks, clerk; Frank ...

NOTICE. Knowing themselves in for groceries are real and settle, as I can't count any longer. Yours ...

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 east-of-river goods that are usually handled as there is between a \$20 male-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.

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 abroad. What is his reason? Not that our flour has failed to give satisfaction I assure you, for those who have used our Silver Spray and Whole Wheat Flour are thoroughly satisfied as 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 385 days in the year ready to make any guarantee good. Buy Silver Spray Flour, it is the best.

STAR ROLLER MILLS.

EULL SPRINGS.

Editor Eagle:

Health in this community is very good at present with the exception of Mr. Frank Bull, his two sons, Joe and Angdor, and Vangie Kauba.

The farmers are very busy breaking their land for another crop.

Singing at Mr. Caraway's and Mr. Tullos' was enjoyed by a large crowd Sunday and Sunday night.

Jesse Tullous is visiting relatives at Big Valley this week.

Mr. Moss of San Saba has been visiting Mr. J. Kauba this week.

Mr. Shaw and family are moving to the old Mohler place this week.

Mr. Davenport has about completed his new house.

Mrs. Thompson is very ov with dreyty.

Edgar Rochelle and Tom Thompson have been clearing land for Mr. Jackson.

Ed Bull, who lately returned from Nevada, is visiting his uncle, Mr. Frank Bull, this week.

The school children of this community are going to have a Christmas tree Christmas eve night. A short program will be arranged.

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The officers of Hopkins county

are hot after the club houses and whiskey peddlers. The sheriff and county attorney have issued a notice which says: "All whiskey peddlers, drummers, solicitors and agents of whiskey houses are hereby notified to cease their operations in Hopkins county at once, as prosecutions will certainly follow. This notice is intended as a warning for all parties engaged in the above business in this county."

Edward Bull, son of Mr. S. M. Bull, a hero from Nevada to visit home folks and friends. He has lived in the northwest a long time and thinks that a great country.

CARD OF THANKS. To our friends and physicians, who so tenderly and kindly assisted in caring for and administering all that loving hands could do for our darling little boy in his late fatal illness. We feel that all that loving hands could do was done. May the blessings of Him, from whom all blessings are bestowed, ever be yours in the desire of our bereft hearts.

ERNEST AND NORA STRICKLAND.

FARMERS UNION. Our state lecturer, C. M. Compton, is billed to speak at Goldthwaite on Wednesday, Dec. 21, at 1 o'clock. Brethren you will miss something if you fail to hear him. Come and bring your friends with you.

T. J. HAMILTON, Pres Mills Co. Union

Twentieth Century Barber Shop. John Lochaby, 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.

Get a cook or heating stove from Hammond's. You get the best pictures at Hart's old stand.

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

If you have old and worn-out blades, sell them to G. H. Frizzell, and get the best pictures at Hart's old stand.

Bring your eggs and chickens to J. J. Gattlin.

I want your tricycles. A. J. Gattlin.

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HOLD COTTON

Editor Eagle:

I want through the columns of your paper to offer a few suggestions to the members of the Farmers Union regarding the cotton situation.

Now, gentlemen, it is highly important that we do not offer our cotton holdings on the market at the present low prices. It is a certain fact that if we refuse to sell cotton, unless we get 9 or 10 cents for it and stand firm every man's shoulder to the wheel and get our neighbor, who is not a member of the Union, to stand with us, that sure we will gain a victory that will rebound to the interest of every farmer in the south, merchant, banker, and all others as well. I see the farmers all over the state are refusing to sell their holdings at the present prices, now lets do likewise. Let's show the cotton speculators that we have a little firmness about us and propose as we have the product to sell that we have something to say regarding the price that we take for it.

It is a well established fact that we get as much money for a ten million bale crop as we do out of an eleven or twelve million bale crop, therefore, lets make our arrangements to plant a less cotton crop and plant more feed stuff. Some one will be ready to say that we will over do the thing and feed stuff will be too low to raise at a profit, but feed to horses and hogs. They are a good price and can be handled at a profit. So when any product gets too low to raise at a profit just turn our attention to something else. T. J. HAMILTON.

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The Leaders.

The Goldthwaite Eagle

SATURDAY, DECEMBER 17, 1904.

LOCAL AND PERSONAL

Cooking oil at Frater's.

Seed oats and seed wheat at Ferguson's.

E. S. Kirby was here from San Angelo this week.

Seed oats and seed wheat at Ferguson's.

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

Mrs. Edna Grundy spent Sunday with friends in Santa Anna.

Mrs. W. E. Graham visited friends in Santa Anna the first of the week.

If you want brick to build a house or anything else see Lowe & Randolph.

W. O. Bohndel sends a dollar to renew his subscription and wants the Eagle sent to him at Muskogee, I. T.

J. T. Perkins of near Mullin was here the first of the week and renewed his subscription to the Eagle.

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

E. F. White was here from Big Valley a few days ago and said he expected to farm on the irrigated land next year.

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

Keep the whole family happy by baking with Silver Spray flour.

Free land for sale at Frizzell's market. Phone 64.

Elder Thomas announces that he will preach in the Christian church Sunday night on the subject: "Take no thought of the morrow, and other scriptures that we can not obey." Everybody welcome to come.

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 what a place at the Mountain Cottage.

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.

Geo. Russell of Williamson county passed through the city Tuesday en route for San Saba county, where his mother was very sick.

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.—P. H. Clements, Notary Public.

C. B. Mohler of Mullin was a caller Saturday and made a contribution to the Eagle's cash balance. He has lately returned from Centralia, Wash., and is content to remain in Mills county. His brother, Eugene lives in Washington, says Centralia, and is very glad.

"UNCLE JOSEPH SPRUCEBY."

One of the novel advertising devices used by the "Uncle Joseph Spruceby" company to attract attention is the daily parade of the "Hayseed" band. The band itself, while of much better calibre than the usual traveling organizations, has its members dressed, as the title indicates, in the usual characteristic dress of the New England rustic. Some dressed in their best as on "citizens day." With "Uncle Joseph" himself in the lead, umbrella and carpet sack in hand, they parade the principal streets and give a concert of choice selections. The parade takes place at noon. Opera house Dec. 20. Prices 25, 50 and 75. Tickets at Miller's jewelry store.

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 its miserable symptoms," says Mr. J. S. Egerton of Maple Landing, Iowa. "Coughs 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 the 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.

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned will apply to 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. NIXON, Vice Pres. Jasper & Eastern Railway Co. (Signed: By W. O. NIXON, Vice Pres.

NOTICE.

I have between Mullin and Zephyr on the wagon road 1167 acres of land, which will place on the market for 60 days at \$1.50 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.

THE REV. IRL R. HICKS 1905 ALMANAC.

The Rev. Irl R. Hicks Almanac for 1905 is now ready, being the finest edition ever issued. This splendid and costly book of 200 pages is a complete study of astronomy and storm and weather for 1905. It is too well known to need comment. See it and you will decide. The price, postpaid to any address is 30c. per copy. The Rev. Irl R. Hicks' scientific, religious and family journal, Word and Works, now abreast with the best magazines, is 75c. a year. Both Word and Works and the Almanac \$1.00 per year. No better investment possible for any person or family. Try it and see. Send to WORD AND WORKS PUBL. CO., 2201 Locust St., St. Louis, Mo.

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 content 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.

SPOILED HER BEAUTY.

Harriet Howard of 209 W. 34th St., New York, at one time had her beauty spoiled with skin trouble. She writes: "I had salt rheum or eczema for years, but nothing would cure it, until I used Bucklen's Arnica Salve." A quick and sure healer for cuts, burns and sores. Sold by R. E. Clements' drug store.

ROCK SPRINGS.

Editor Eagle: Rock Springs people are enjoying good health, fair weather and pleasant thoughts of the Christmas tree we are going to have Christmas eve night. Messrs. Jim Traylor, B. Louis, John Bradshaw and Tom Faulkner are to get the tree; Misses Lizzie Harrell, Lillie Starke, Eva Miller, Mrs. Roberts and Mrs. Mills are the committee to dress the tree. Music will be furnished by Mr. Henry and Ollie Morris. Santa Claus will be expected with his long, gray beard and all those nice toys. Adjuring communities are invited to come and take part with us.

Brother Gortman filled his regular appointment here Saturday and Sunday. Prof. Wilson was here and sang for us. There was singing at the school house in the evening and at Mr. John Mills' at night. The attendance was good, and, of course, the singing was good with Prof. Wilson to lead. We hope he will come again soon.

John Mills left the 13th for Concho county, where he will reside in the future. His wife will remain here with her mother a few weeks longer. We regret very much to see them leave this neighborhood. Mr. Mills was our leader in singing. We will be obliged to pass some of our bachelors forward to lead.

William Sarkis is building another chimney to his own house. He is one of our most prosperous and industrious farmers.

Sam Marlor has just finished putting new flooring in his house. Mr. D. M. Grehan had his house papered last week.

Rev. Thomson will preach here next Sunday. We hope he will come out to hear him.

SAME WRITER.

The man who is always endeavoring to find some vulnerable point in his neighbor or his competitor in order that he may assail him with a view to building himself up, is in a mighty poor business. Failure nearly always eventually hits such a fellow and he really deserves it. In this big world there is room in plenty for everybody and it is a mighty bad fellow who does not deserve all the success for which he works.—Brownwood Bulletin.

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the dandruff, saved your hair, and added much to it. If not entirely bald, now is your opportunity. Improve it.

Good Hair

Meals 25 cents at the Farmers Home. You got 40 bars good laundry soap for \$1. at Prater's. Miss Lucille Kelso of the bayou community made the Eagle a pleasant visit Monday. E. L. Eubank has moved back to this city, but he still has some gunning to do at Big Valley. The Confederate camp grounds have been fenced and nothing is left to be done but to build the auditorium.

HOLIDAY EXCURSION!

One Fare Plus \$2 To the old States in Southeast To Old Mexico, To St. Louis, Kansas City, 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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TO THE BRIGHT GIRLS OF THE COUNTRY.

The expenses for the 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 fifty 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 a country, I am pleased to place a year at college within reach of a girl of this country who desires an education earnestly enough to exert herself a little. Should 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.

"UNCLE JOSEPH SPRUCEBY." The old fashioned "bunking" bee" with its country dance and harvest festivities occupies one act of "Uncle Joseph Spruceby," the New England comedy drama. The scene is laid in "Uncle Joe's barn on the old Vermont farm. The heaps of yellow corn, the stacks of golden pumpkins, the mows stuffed to bursting with hay and fodder all proclaim that the harvest is over and the farmer's work done. The county maidens dressed in their best, with shining eyes and ruddy cheeks, bustle about the rural swains togged in their "Sunday Best. Now and then a red ear. A kiss,—the usual prize—demanded and given with a show of reluctance on the part of "Samantha" that would do credit to a city belle. After the making comes the supper and dance, which is kept up until the jingling sleigh-bells at the door proclaim the time to depart. Crossed houses December 20. Prices 25, 50, and 75c. Tickets at Miller's Jewelry Store.

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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.

A. R. Aten returned Wednesday from a month's visit to relatives in Missouri and Illinois and sight seeing at the world's fair. E. M. Grindstaff and family expect to visit this city the first of the new year for he will again take a position with Mr. Oden. Rev. W. G. Peyton, pastor of the Cumberland Presbyterian church, will preach in Goldthwaite every second and fourth Sunday, at Center City every third Sunday anti every first Sunday at Snyde. The next banking Sunday he will not be able to fill his opportunity. The man who desires to be separated from his money easily and expeditiously can find plenty of opportunities. There is seldom a day during the fall when some sort of skin game is not in operation on the streets, and the fellow who "stays and sticks, hange and rattles" the longest, is the one who sees his roll vanish most quickly. "You can't get 'em up, less you hit 'em," but you can't miss a sucker if you throw into a crowd "pinking" at another fellow's game, unless you should land on one of his boosters. But, then, it does no good to lecture the gullible public. Most of us have to be shown before we can be convinced that we are not sharper than the fellow who has set the trap for us.—Dublin Telephone.

A TEXAS WONDER. HALL'S GREAT DISCOVERY. "One small bottle of the Texas Wonder, Hall's Great Discovery, cures all kidney and bladder troubles; removes gravel, cures diabetes, weak and lame backs, rheumatism and all irregularities of the kidneys and bladder in both men and women; regulates bladder trouble in children. If not sold by your druggist, it will be sent by mail on receipt of \$1.—One small bottle is two months' treatment, and will cure any case above mentioned. O. Box 228, St. Louis, Mo. Send for testimonials. Sold by all druggists, and Ross & Clements.

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