

# THE GOLDTHWAITE EAGLE

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GOLDTHWAITE, MILLS COUNTY, TEXAS, JULY 21, 1906.

## ELECTION SATURDAY.

The Democratic primary election is to be held next Saturday. It is hoped that every qualified voter in Mills county will assist in the selection of good men to fill the offices. If the nominations are made by a majority of the voters of the county the candidates will be better satisfied than they will be if there is a light vote at the different boxes in the county. All of the candidates would make good officers and the Eagle hopes they will all get a creditable vote. Let every voter go to the polls next Saturday and vote for the men of his choice, for a nomination is equivalent to an election.

## CITY COUNCIL.

The city council held a meeting Monday night and transacted some important business.

The sanitary committee recommended the purchase of a wagon and team for use of the scavenger department.

An ordinance regulating the keeping of hog pens in the city and one forbidding "canning" dogs was adopted and ordered published. An ordinance regarding stock running at large in the city limits was adopted and appears in full in this paper.

The city engineer and marshal were instructed to run the lines of the city and mark them when necessary.

## Professional Cards.

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Land law and probate proceedings will receive special attention.  
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## NEIGHBORING NEWS.

### ITEMS CULLED FROM THE LEADING LOCAL PAPERS.

**BROWNWOOD.**  
Work has begun on the big new three-story wing to Howard Payne college.

The First National bank of May was organized at that place July 7, with a capitalization of \$25,000.

The large wholesale building recently vacated by Adams Grocery Co. on Center avenue is being prepared for a skating rink. H. E. Conway and S. Hatcher will be the proprietors and they are having a maple wood floor put in the building.

Sheriff Denman located some stolen property Tuesday in a thicket three miles northwest of town, where the Thrifty road forks. Some one hunting cattle discovered the goods hidden in the bushes and phoned to the sheriff. Fifteen cans of canned goods and several gallons of molasses in cans, some sacks and other miscellaneous articles were found.

Bob Low, eldest son of Chas. Low, was accidentally shot with a target gun Thursday afternoon while out hunting with Spilley Stroud. The boys were shooting at a rabbit when a bullet from Stroud's gun struck his companion in the leg, half way between the knee and thigh. It is a flesh wound and not considered dangerous.

J. C. Smith, who lives in the eastern part of the city, was seriously hurt Thursday by falling from the Record train as it was pulling into Granbury. It seems that Smith was riding without a ticket, and the conductor informed him that he would be turned over to the officers as soon as the train reached Granbury. Smith jumped from the car platform before the train came to a standstill and fell, breaking a leg and bruising his head and face. He was picked up, put back on the train and brought through to Brownwood, and he is now at home under the care of a physician.—News.

### COMANCHE.

Ibra Gage is exhibiting a spirit of enterprise in undertaking to number the streets and houses of Comanche.

A little blaze having its origin in the bakery department of J. C. Evans & Co.'s store called out the fire company Monday morning. No damage.

The young men who announced last week that they would get up a drama among the local talent abandoned the idea after several futile attempts to complete their dramatic personas and departed for other fields Thursday.

L. E. Malony, a man 40 years old fell in Sabana creek up near the Eastland county line last week and was drowned. He was out fishing at the time and fell from a bluff six feet to the water, which was only waist deep. He was subject to epilepsy and it is supposed he was seized with a fit and fell into the creek.

W. P. Cook, an aged citizen of the town living on the hill northwest of the square, fired into a bunch of boys who were prowling about his house Sunday night with no good intentions, and the shot took effect in some of them which was attested by a bandaged head or two on the streets Monday. The shot were small and no serious damage was done.

The election last Saturday on the question of creating the office of county superintendent of schools did not bring out a full vote nor even an average vote. The people evidently forgot about the election or did not take sufficient interest in the question to go to the polls and vote. The result was a very decided negative.—Chief.

### HAMILTON.

The Woodmen will have their grand picnic at Hamilton Aug. 24.

Col. and Mrs. Freeman started last Monday on their trip to Mexico for their health.

Donald Shilg left Monday for San Angelo, where he will locate to practice law.

Thatcher Edgar went to Haskell last week to accept a position in the postoffice there under his uncle, John B. Baker.

The revival at the Baptist church, under the direction of J. F. Black, is attracting many who feel an interest in the religious welfare of the community.—Herald.

J. H. Brown, who has made his home in the Kemper country for more than twenty years, is about leaving for Oklahoma.

Rev. E. L. Springer returned to his home at Heidenheimer, after a stay of several days in this section.

J. W. Moore and sons of Lampasas have just completed the Ballinger waterworks system, receiving for the same \$1,987.12. Leon Harris and wife are home from a pleasant visit to relatives at Goldthwaite, where they attended the reunion of the Confederate veterans of that section.

John McGregor and his brother, Roy, employees of the Santa Fe railroad, spent a day or two this week with their brother, Greg McGregor.

Mr. Horton, a prominent merchant of Hamilton, who has been here for some time for his health, returned to his home this week. He is much pleased with Lampasas, however, and will likely return in August for a longer visit.—Leader.

### LOMETA.

The Senterfitt ranch has been sold to Jerry White for \$16,000.

Mrs. L. W. Stephens and daughter, Kathiegn, are visiting relatives in Mexico.

Several from here attended the reunion at Goldthwaite last week. All report a grand success.

Rev. M. L. Vaughn returned Monday night from Bowser, San Saba county, where he has been conducting a series of very successful meetings for about ten days past.—Reporter.

### SAN SABA.

J. E. Sorell reports having sold 100 calves to W. F. Mills at \$6 00.

Mrs. Julia Hart, nee Duggan, was married a few days ago at Stamford to Mr. Dale, a hardware merchant of that place.

J. M. Crabb sold his 17 1/2 acre farm near Locker to F. E. Wade and W. B. Biekeley, Jr., for \$3550. Mr. Crabb thinks of moving to Baylor county.

The San Saba valley railway company has secured the services of W. S. Haywood of Jefferson, Texas, as chief engineer to survey and locate the line from Crothers via. San Saba to Antelope Gap.

J. L. F. Fontenes has sold his residence and half block in San Saba to R. C. Sloan, for a possession September 1. Mr. Fontenes expects to build a residence on his farm north from town and occupy it.

The contract for the construction of the F. U. warehouse was awarded to the lowest bidder, T. B. Farr, for \$166 00, completion or before Aug. 20. The building will be 140x140, storage capacity 25000 bales.

Messrs. M. and J. C. Brazil and Jim Hillin returned Friday from Edwards county. They purchased the 20 section ranch they went to see. It is school and railroad land but well improved. The consideration they paid was \$11,000, possession to be given September 1. J. C. Brazil and Jim Hillin will move there and take charge of the property.—News.

### PRIDDY.

Editor Eagle:  
Occasion demands that Jaunita be away from home some time and preparatory to her departure she induced me to write to the Eagle for her, so I'll endeavor to fill her place to the best of my ability and now forward the entrance of my first missive.

A slight shower visited us the latter part of last week, but made its stay short and proved to be of little value having effect similar to that of the dew, which after it falls is soon absorbed by the air and its place given to the scorching rays of the sun.

Miss Minnie Radke of San Francisco, who has been here for some time visiting relatives and friends, intends to leave the latter part of this week for her home. Miss Minnie is a winsome young lady and has made a number of admiring friends while here.

Several of the people who live here attended the reunion at Goldthwaite.

Priddy was well represented at the Primitive Baptist association, which took place about two and one-half miles east of here Sunday.

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J. H. Saylor is agent for the Texas Nursery. Place your order with him for ornamental trees.

half finished his daily task they went surging by, care free and with no annoyance they seemed to have joy to their heart's content. They returned at sundown and reported a good time.

Our protracted meeting which was to begin Saturday before the fourth Sunday in July has been changed and will begin Saturday and embrace the fifth Sunday. These arrangements were made so as to prevent the New Hope meeting conflicting with the former mentioned.

Claude Christian expects to leave this week for Dallas to resume his studies in a school at that place.

Quite a crowd from this place attended the singing convention at Rook Springs and report a nice time.

John Lewis and wife left Friday of last week for New Mexico, where they will spend some time for the benefit of the former's health.

Misses Dora and Minnie Hopper spent a portion of last week visiting their uncle and family in Brownwood.

Mrs. John Priddy returned Sunday from Newburg, where she has been visiting relatives and friends for some time.

Mrs. Clyde Weatherly spent several days last week visiting at Browns creek.

Miss Mary Cummings of Rogers, Bell county, arrived here last week to visit her sister, Mrs. Robert Spencer.

T. R. Priddy made a business trip to Comanche last week.

Several of the young folks enjoyed a fishing trip on the Cow-house the first of last week.

Ed. Willis and sister, Miss Dana, attended the picnic at Newburg and report the same an enjoyable affair.

G. W. Vierling has been busy threshing in adjacent communities and is expected here this week.

Prof. T. F. Eaton was in our vicinity Saturday and Sunday visiting friends.

As I close this communication a nice shower is falling, which will be appreciated.  
Hoping success for the Eagle and its readers I am, As ever,  
Your friend,  
A. W. Priddy.

After visiting his daughter and other relatives near Center City for some time, Mr. J. W. Bradley left on Saturday's train for his home in Roscoe.

Good old summer time is here, if you would avoid the annoyance of baking biscuit three times a day try the new silver tray, and see how easy to have good light bread.

The Salvation Army left morning for San Antonio, after a week in the service of this city. They held services Methodist church Sunday night.

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Prof. Hallmark's mother returned to her home at Kemper Tuesday, after a visit to her son and his family this week.

The trustees of the Head school will elect a teacher August 11. This is a pleasant community and there are about 23 pupils in the school. Teachers desiring further information should address J. W. McNeil, Center City.

Miss Fannie L. Armstrong came in from Indian Gap Sunday afternoon and left on Monday morning's train for Lometa, Burnet and other places in the interest of the Woman's Christian Temperance Union work. She expected to be away several weeks.

The revival held in Gold Springs church by Revs. J. H. and L. A. Smith closed Sunday afternoon. There were eleven conversions and seven additions to the church. The Eagle is informed that the meeting was a very fine one throughout and was enjoyed by everybody who attended.

Will Hodge, who formerly lived in this county, was here from Brownwood the first of the week and purchased from J. M. Walker the Baylis farm in the McMillan community across the river in San Saba county. He will get possession of the place the fall. Mrs. Hodge is a daughter of Mr. Hugh Miller, Sr.

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**AARON'S RANCH.**  
Editor Eagle:  
The drought of nearly a month's duration is over in this locality. The rains have come and nature, man and beast are rejoiced. Pastures are green, water holes are filled, corn is helped, cotton is laden with blooms and squares and making fine growth of stalk. Melons and vegetables of many sorts will be plentiful, milk and butter rich; flowers blooming, birds carolling and the hens cackling. For all of which we should be very thankful and we are

The Democratic primary election is to be held next Saturday. Editor Burger was here from Mullin one day this week and made the Eagle a fraternal call. Messrs. M. C. Ross and Tom Christian were here from Mullin one day this week and made the Eagle a pleasant call. Mr. Smith and wife have begun housekeeping in the residence recently completed by Dr. Brown just west of J. C. Street's home. Members of Goldthwaite lodge No. 894 are requested to attend a called meeting on Friday, 24th, at 8 o'clock. Clements, W. M. Marshall left yesterday for a family visit to his home in Belton. G. B. Brown's little son is suffering with typhoid fever at the home of Mayor B. R. Brown in this city. His little daughter also has fever, which it is feared will prove to be typhoid. The Baptist fifth Sunday meeting is to be held with Liberty church and will begin next Thursday night. The Eagle is requested to say that a large attendance is expected and all the churches are urged to have representatives in attendance. The building owned by L. R. Conroy and occupied by Little & Sons is being extended to the alley in the rear, which will make it 120 feet long and will make it 40 feet longer than it now is and will give the firm a great deal more room to display their splendid stock. All of the Goldthwaite people who attended the picnic at Star Wednesday report a large crowd present and a most pleasant time. The Eagle editor was disappointed that he could not attend this picnic, but a press of business in the office prevented the pleasure. We have enjoyed the hospitality of the Star people in time passed and we know full well that they have no superiors as entertainers.

Marshall left yesterday for a family visit to his home in Belton. G. B. Brown's little son is suffering with typhoid fever at the home of Mayor B. R. Brown in this city. His little daughter also has fever, which it is feared will prove to be typhoid. The Baptist fifth Sunday meeting is to be held with Liberty church and will begin next Thursday night. The Eagle is requested to say that a large attendance is expected and all the churches are urged to have representatives in attendance. The building owned by L. R. Conroy and occupied by Little & Sons is being extended to the alley in the rear, which will make it 120 feet long and will make it 40 feet longer than it now is and will give the firm a great deal more room to display their splendid stock.

A. C. Hanna of Center brought us a 50-pound watermelon yesterday. This is the largest melon we have seen this season and we have never seen a larger one grown in Mills county. It sure looks good and we will have it for Sunday. We shall hold Mr. Hanna in grateful remembrance.

Prof. and Mrs. ... ranging to leave Mullin, to the regret of their friends. Mrs. Ferrell, nee Miss Pet Anderson, has been reared to womanhood in this place and justly deserves the high esteem in which she is held by her friends, and they are many. I had the pleasure of reading an interesting letter from Miss Erma Harrison written from Boulder, Colo., in which she describes in a very fascinating way an excursion which they enjoyed on the Switzerland Trail of America. They went twelve miles up the Boulder Canyon before ascending the mountain Arapahoe Glacier, 9000 feet above the sea level, stopped at Frances. The scenery she writes was magnificent, the snow-capped peaks grand. They were allowed to stop at one point to engage in snow-balling but as it was raining only a few had the courage to indulge in the sport. The young ladies are living in a sensitive, homelike way, doing light-housekeeping. They expect to remain at Boulder five weeks, then go to some other place for a short time before turning their faces homeward with many beautiful memory pictures around which they will ever love to linger, even down to old age. G. V. M.

Remnants, Short Lengths, Etc. These Bargain Tables will always save you money. Plain prices. For instance, here are a few:

100 good apron gingham	05
100 standard calicoes	05
100 mercerized waistings	12
1 lot 20c finest percales	12
1 lot 8c gingham	06
1 lot dress lawns	04
1 lot boy's wash knee pants	15
1 lot \$1.00 umbrellas and parasols	75

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New Bargains put on the tables as fast as the present lots are sold out. We must sell all clothing at some price. Call if you want a bargain. The Millinery is going at greatly reduced prices. All for sale at a sacrifice. THE TRUTH ABOUT SHOES. Shoe leather has advanced. We have cut our profits to meet this advance and will sell you the same brands, same guarantee, at the old prices. No cut out toes here. No paper shoes here. Limber, flexible soles. \$1.50 buys a guaranteed Star Brand Men's solid leather counter and insole shoe. Not cut out at the toe under the cap. Ladies, Misses and Boys' slippers are going at any price they will bring. We are closing the season on low shoes. Must have the room for thousands of pairs of shoes soon to arrive for Fall Trade. The wise ones know we have the Best Bargains, and, besides get the Free Premiums. No matter how cheap we are forced to sell you goods to down competition you're entitled to the Free Premium Tickets. Buy the celebrated Priesmeyer dress shoes flexible and guaranteed leather. On shoes and you'll not regret it. About sold all our last lot Men's Hats advertised this space. Now being opened at wholesale necessary, to

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**MULLIN.**  
Editor Eagle:  
Rain has been plentiful in this country since my last writing and the farmers I presume are restored to a state of hope in reference to their crops.

There was service at the Baptist church Sunday, conducted by D. I. Harsalson. John and Lee Hancock left Sunday morning for Lampasa to spend the day with their parents at the Mul in camp. Miss Bessie Williams spent a part of last week with relatives at Z. phyr.

Fred Connor of Dallas was the guest of his uncle, H. F. Butts and family for several days and then accompanied P. D. Duren and son, Connor, to Stonewall county.

W. C. Dew is having a nice little cottage erected which will be occupied by R. D. Martin and family. Mr. Macklin has a nice residence near completion on a lot bought of M. C. Kirkpatrick.

Miss Alice Williams returned home Thursday from Santa Anna where she had been visiting friends for several weeks. Mr. Keating has purchased from H. Carleton, the ranch on which he has been living for the past two year, consideration \$9,000.

Frank Epley has sold the farm he recently bought from Mr. Hall to Mr. Lampman of Arkansas, in which deal, I am informed, Mr. Epley realized a good profit; he has moved with his family to his residence in town.

Mr. Harris, the phone man, has purchased the property of Mr. Warren. C. R. Devant has invested in some town property, block 28 of the Santa Fe.

D. R. McCormick and Mr. Brewer of Rosebud, arrived home Tuesday night from a trip to San Angelo and other points west. Latest reports from Mrs. Sam Shelton was not favorable. She continues in a feeble condition.

The Mullin campers at Hancock Springs folded their tents like the Arabs and quietly started home Monday. Lee Hancock returned Tuesday eve on the train and passed the overland travelers at Antelope Gap. The party consisting Mr. and Mrs. M. Hancock, Mrs. J. M. Kirkpatrick, Misses Maude and Ella V. White drove into Mullin Wednesday at 4 p. m. Mesdames W. E. White and W. C. Dew will remain another week at the springs.

W. C. Dew is at Democrat looking after business; expects to be absent the week. Mrs. Hayes Burgess has been the sink list this week.

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**L. D. Hallonquist**  
Will buy wheat and oats again this season. Don't sell your small grain until you see him. He will pay the highest market price.

G. W. Bull visited relatives at Thurber, Texas, last week. He returned home Sunday. One of his daughters accompanied him for a visit.

Ed. Wagley and Bill Taff expect to start in a few days for a trip in northwest Texas to look at the country.

Quiet a number of the young people of this place attended an ice cream supper at Bud Forehand's of Neighbors creek last night. All report a nice time.

Tom Mayo lost a milk cow last week, supposed to have been caused by eating green cane. Frank Puet attended church at South Bennett last Sunday. He reports a nice time.

SHAW BEND GRINNER.  
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Editor Eagle:  
Not seeing much news from our part of the moral vineyard, thought I would give you a few dots. We are having plenty of rain and crops are fine.

Our people got threshing done before the rainy season set in. The wheat and oats were a better yield than was expected.

We are sorry to note there is some sickness in our community. Grandpa Burnham is lying very low at the home of his son, The Burnham. Mrs. Luther Landers has been quite sick, but is much better at this writing.

Quite a number of our people enjoyed an ice cream party and quilting Tuesday at the hospitable home of B. F. Miller.

G. W. Bull has returned from a visit to his children in Erath county.

Mr. and Mrs. T. E. Fuett are visiting relatives from Palo enter county. Pinto ooda, and family from Mr. Vick are visiting Hamilton county, May.

Meers, Goode and Felix Landers and wife visited Big Valley last week. Mrs. Herbert Dalee and children are visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Bull.

Mr. Moon from near San Saba visited Lit Burnham last week. Mrs. Mae Harris began a private school at her home last Monday.

We have the best little Sunday school in the state. The ladies of Shaw Bend are raising funds to buy and organ for the Sunday school and will give an ice cream supper next Thursday night, (28th.) the proceeds to go to pay for the organ.

Wishing the Eagle and its many readers happiness and success, will close. PORTIA.  
ICE CREAM SUPPER.  
The ladies of Shaw Bend will serve ice cream and cake at the school house next Thursday night, (28th.) the proceeds to be used to buy an organ for the Sunday school. Everybody come.

ED. CRAWFORD,  
Mrs. FARR JOHNSON,  
Mrs. CHARLIE BRIDG,  
Miss MYRTLE TAFF,  
Committee.  
BANK NOTICE.  
The Trent Bank is temporarily located in Miller's Jewelry Store, while our office is being remodeled and furnished. D. H. TRENT, Banker.

The Socialist Encampment is to be held here July 23 and continue to July 28. Some of the leading Socialist speakers are to be here and a big time is expected by those of that political faith and order. Circulars have been issued advertising the event and announcing reduced rates on the railroad.

Good old summer time is here. I you would avoid the annoyance of baking biscuit three times a day try a sack of Silver Spray and see how easy to have good light bread. Mrs. Chamberlain and children returned to their home in Burnett the of the week, after a visit to her Mrs. A. L. Neely, in this city. res of the old soldiers are on 'lements' Drug Store.

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Our Millinery is in popular favor with the ladies of this city and the surrounding country. Our Milliner will always be glad to trim hats to order for those who do not find what they want in our large stock.

Everybody knows about our large stock of well selected Groceries, so there is no use to talk about that. If you will send your orders to us for Groceries you will be pleased with the result. Phone 66.

**FARMERS' UNION**  
Under this heading will appear each week notices and articles of interest to members of the Union in this county.

**OFFICERS AND MEETINGS**  
Mills County Union No. 44, meets on the first Thursday in each quarter. J. D. Ryan, president; W. A. Smith, secretary.  
Star Local No. 120, meets Friday night before the 1st and 4th Sundays. W. W. Woolsey, president; W. M. Keith, secretary.  
Big Valley Local No. 155, meets second and fourth Thursday night in each month. J. E. Olesby, president; C. B. Mohler, secretary and treasurer.  
Palo enter Local No. 254, meets second and fourth Wednesday night in each month. M. Sney, president; W. S. Brown, secretary.  
Fisher Local No. 310, meets Saturday night before first and fourth Sunday in each month. G. E. Armstrong, president; J. G. Carr, secretary and treasurer.  
Plains Local No. 268, meets every alternate Thursday in each month. L. Frasier, president; W. A. Bayley, secretary.  
Local No. 147, meets second and fourth Saturday evening in each month. J. D. Ryan, president; Colby Barber, secretary.  
Mullin Local No. 2418, meets second and fourth Saturday in each month. E. F. Casey, president; J. Brockmire, secretary and treasurer.  
Bullock Local No. 349, meets on Saturday night before first and third Sunday in each month. R. M. Haynes, president; F. L. Crowder, secretary and treasurer.  
Center City Local No. 1568, meets Saturday night before first and third Sunday. M. E. Frasier, president; J. M. Williams, secretary and treasurer.  
Cold Springs Local No. 2881, meets Saturday night before second and fourth Sundays. Will Curtis, president; V. S. Meeks, secretary.

**OBITUARY.**  
(The writer misplaced this obituary and overlooked the matter until now.)  
Ella Spinks (nee Cheek) was born in Marion county, Ala., May 3, 1840, professed religion at the early age of 13 years and joined the M. E. church. She was married to J. L. Spinks July 4, 1861. They moved to Mills county, Texas, in 1891, where Sister Spinks died Oct. 7, 1904. She was the mother of seven children, three boys and four girls. She leaves a heart-broken husband, three children and several grand children and many friends to mourn, but not as those who have no hope, they know where to find her. Sister Spinks was a loving wife, an affectionate mother, a kind neighbor and a true Christian. It has been my privilege to be her pastor and enjoy her Christian friendship around her own hearthstone. She loved to talk about her religion and the home that her Savior had gone to prepare for her. She is not dead but has only crossed the river and is resting on the other shore. Across the cold grave the rainbow of hope stretches its radiant span, while out of the dark valley of death faith sights the rising star of immortality; she is alive forever more. We laid her body to rest in the Mullin cemetery to await the morning of the resurrection. May our kind heavenly Father continually bless her heart-broken husband, children and grand-children, and in the end may they make an unbroken family in the home of the pure and good is my earnest prayer. G. W. TEMPLE.

J. E. Curton of Waco was here the first of the week visiting his friend, S. S. Campbell, who he knew in Tennessee. He was en route to Ballinger to visit his sister.  
Ross Chapman and wife are here from Temple and are guests of the Monnain cottage. He is the engineer in charge of putting in a concrete bridge for the railroad near the flour mill. The bridge is to be wide enough for the main track and a siding and when it is completed the railroad side tracks will be extended. The Eagle is informed, Mr. Chapman is a son of Capt. W. S. Chapman of Temple, who is well and favorably known in this city.

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LEARN THE CAUSE OF DAILY WEARS AND END THEM.

When the back aches and throbs. When housework is torture. When night brings no rest, nor sleep. When urinary disorders set in. Women's lot is a weary one. There is a way to escape these woes. Doan's Kidney Pills cured such ill. Have cured women here in Goldthwaite.

This is one Goldthwaite woman's testimony. Mrs. R. C. Campbell of Goldthwaite, Texas, says: "I have been troubled for several years with my back and kidneys. There was a dull, throbbing ache and bearing-down pain across the small of my back, at times so severe that I could scarcely stand. The secretions at times were very irregular. Hearing about Doan's Kidney Pills I sent for R. E. Clements' drug store and got a box. After using pain disappeared, the better in every way I think Doan's Kidney Pills are splendid as are all other people I know who have used them."

For sale by all dealers. Price 50 cents. Foster-McClellan Co., Buffalo, New York, sole agents for the United States. Remember the name--Doan's--and take no other.

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### OLD FOLKS SERVICE.

Brother Moon, who is helping in a meeting at South Bennett, is arranging for an old folks service at that place Sunday afternoon. In his letter to the Eagle he says:

"There will be an old people's... at South Bennett next afternoon at 3:30 o'clock. These are the oldest songs we... what without, the earnestly ask all to come. We expect experience meet-

**LIST MEETING.**  
to be a Socialist anti- here next week, be... Monday and closing Saturday. Stanley J. Clark, M. A. Smith, Samuel Benbrook, W. H. Hill, Miss Luella Krahball and Miss Laura Payne are the speakers advertised to be present.

**THE MINSTREL CARNIVAL.**  
Which will exhibit here next Monday night, July 23, comes highly recommended by the papers in cities where they have been shown. Rice & Conley have 25 of the best negro performers and musicians in the country and present a first class minstrel entertainment that can be enjoyed by ladies and children. Plenty of good singing, dancing and innocent fun.

**DO YOU NEED...**  
Fire, cyclone, tornado, hail or Life Insurance? If so, see me at the Country Drug Store. I have several of the best companies and will be glad to have at least a share of your business. B. B. BROWN.

**READ THIS.**  
Feb. 27, 1902.—This is... at one bottle of the Texas... the Great Discovery... they troubles in 1890... and it to other suffer... Respectfully, W. JOSEPH.

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### CORN, CORN, CORN. Star Roller Mills wants your surplus corn.

Rice & Conley's big colored minstrel one night only, Monday, July 23. Mrs. W. M. Brown of Center City was shopping in this city last Saturday.

Miss Willie Leonard has returned from a visit to her home folks at Luling.

Miss Olivia Biggs left Saturday evening for Lampasas, where her mother is visiting.

Rev. J. H. Smith and his wife went to Lampasas the first of the week to attend the Baptist encampment.

Last—a preacher's permit book for 1902. Finder please leave at Eagle office.—Rev. W. M. Adams. 21.

Wesley Elliott of Mills county arrived Tuesday on a visit to the family of Wm. Bowden.—Big Springs Herald.

The passenger train from Temple was six hours late Tuesday, caused by a wreck of a freight train at Nolansville.

Miss Florence Harris has returned to her home in Lampasas, after a visit to relatives and friends in this city.

Mrs. C. Dickerson and E. M. Dickerson and wife have been in Lometa this week visiting relatives and friends.

White Light flour is the best sold anywhere. If you have tried it you know, if not, your neighbor will tell you so. For sale by Grisham.

Figure with J. H. Randolph when it comes to treatment he has given the people of this section.

A middle aged lady or so do household work for two on and work light. Apply Strickland.

S. Kelly this week bought a Sears residence in this city and his family moved Tuesday to their new home in the McMillan community which he recently purchased from Jeff McMillan.

For Sale—600 acres of land in Mills county, large portion of it good tillable land. Will suit into any sized blocks desired and sell on easy terms. Have sold four blocks already. See me. J. C. Street.

J. C. Street shipped two cars of cattle to New Orleans last Friday. J. H. Burnett shipped one car and Mr. Street shipped two cars to the same market Monday and Capt. J. W. Driskill accompanied the shipment.

J. W. Butz, the Santa Fe agent at this place, has sold his suburban residence together with his farm to M. A. Riehl and will give possession within a few months. He will probably build a modern residence in this city.

J. H. Harwell and wife left Monday night for Sherrills Ford, N. C., to visit relatives for a month or more. This will be Mr. Harwell's first visit to his old home in a long time and he and his wife will be sure to enjoy the stay.

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Or any other kind of Barber Work Can be had at my barber shop : :  
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Laundry basket leaves Wednesday night and returns Friday nights.  
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### PROPOSED AMENDMENT TO THE STATE CONSTITUTION AUTHORIZING THE LEVY OF A TAX TO PAY JURORS.

Joint Resolution amending Section 9, of Article 8, of the Constitution of the State of Texas, providing for the levying of a tax of not exceeding fifteen cents on one hundred dollars valuation, to pay jurors.

Section 1. Be it resolved by the Legislature of the State of Texas: That Section 9, of Article 8, of the Constitution of the State of Texas, be so amended as to hereafter read as follows:

Section 9. The State tax on property, exclusive of the tax necessary to pay the public debt, and of the taxes provided for the benefit of the public free schools, shall never exceed thirty-five cents on the one hundred dollar valuation; and no county, city or town shall levy more than twenty-five cents for city or county purposes, and not exceeding fifteen cents for road and bridges, and not exceeding fifteen cents to pay jurors, on the one hundred dollar valuation, except for the payment of debts incurred prior to the adoption of the amendment September 25th, 1883, and for the erection of public buildings, streets, sewers, water works and other permanent improvements, not to exceed twenty-five cents on the one hundred dollar valuation, in any one year, and except as is in this Constitution otherwise provided; and the Legislature may also authorize an additional annual ad valorem tax to be levied and collected for the further maintenance of the public roads; provided, that a majority of the qualified property tax-paying voters of the county voting at an election to hold for that purpose shall vote such tax, not to exceed fifteen cents on the one hundred dollar valuation of the property subject to taxation in such county. And the Legislature may pass local laws for the maintenance of the public roads and highways, without the local notice required for special or local laws.

Sec. 2. The Governor is hereby directed to issue the necessary proclamation for submitting this amendment to the Constitution to the qualified voters of the State of Texas, on the first Tuesday after the first Monday in November, 1902, at which election all favoring this amendment shall have written or printed on their ballots, "For the amendment to authorize the levy of a tax to pay jurors." The voters opposed to this amendment shall have written or printed on their ballots, "Against the amendment to authorize the levy of a tax to pay jurors."

[A true copy.] O. K. SHANNON, Secretary of State.

### PROPOSED AMENDMENT TO THE STATE CONSTITUTION RELATING TO CERTAIN EXEMPTIONS FROM TAXATION.

Joint resolution to amend Section 2 of Article VIII of the Constitution of the State of Texas, relating to certain exemptions from taxation.

Be it resolved by the Legislature of the State of Texas:

Section 1. That Section 2, of Article VIII, of the Constitution of the State of Texas, be so amended that the same shall read as follows, to-wit:

"All occupation taxes shall be equal and uniform upon the same class of subjects within the limits of the authority levying the tax; but the Legislature may, by general laws, exempt from taxation public property used for public purposes; actual places of religious worship; places of burial; non-profit-making corporations; non-profit-making associations; non-profit-making societies; non-profit-making organizations; and all laws exempting property from taxation other than the property above mentioned shall be null and void."

Section 2. The Governor of the State shall and he is hereby directed to issue the necessary proclamation for the submission of this amendment to the qualified voters of the State of Texas at the next general election for State and county officers.

Section 3. The qualified electors for members of the legislature of the State of Texas shall vote upon this amendment on the day of —, at which election all persons favoring said amendment shall have written or printed on the ballot as follows: "For amendment to section 2, Article 8, of the Constitution exempting property from taxation other than the property above mentioned shall be null and void."

Section 4. The sum of \$5000 or so much thereof as may be necessary is hereby appropriated out of any funds in the treasury of the State of Texas, not otherwise appropriated to pay the expenses of this amendment, including the cost of publication, proclamation and election.

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### PROPOSED AMENDMENT TO THE STATE CONSTITUTION FIXING SALARIES AND PER DIEM OF LEGISLATORS.

Joint Resolution authorizing the Legislature to a vote of the people of the State of Texas of a proposed amendment of Section 24, Article 3, of the Constitution of the State of Texas, fixing the salaries and mileage of members of the Legislature, and preventing the acceptance, for themselves or for others, by members of the Legislature of free passes, franks, rebates, privileges or advantages from certain persons and corporations.

Section 1. Be it resolved by the Legislature of the State of Texas, that at the next general election of the State of Texas, or at any previous

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