

THE GOLDTHWAITE EAGLE.

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NO. 20

Goldthwaite Mercantile Co

Reduced
Prices.

There is a general reduction in Winter Goods at this House now. We want to dispose of the goods while they are Seasonable, and to do so we are Reducing the Prices.

Winter
Goods.

We will adhere to the
"One Price" Plan **ONE PRICE** ... **"The Lowest" ...**
during the Coming Year. All the time.

WE WISH
A PROSPEROUS
AND A
HAPPY
NEW YEAR
FOR ALL.

We hope to be favored with as large a volume of the public patronage during 1910 as we have received during the years we have been engaged in business in Goldthwaite.

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Goldthwaite Mercantile Company

NEIGHBORING NEWS.

Items Culled From the Leading Local Papers.

LOMETA.

Mrs. Baylor Lewis and two little boys left for Goldthwaite Sunday night to visit relatives for a few days.

Miss Lora Evans was married last Sunday evening at her father's home, near Antelope Gap, to Rev. Walter Maund of Lampasas.

J. B. Connell and Miss Bettie Smith were quietly married at the home of the bride at Nix Monday evening at three o'clock. Messrs Keefe, Keenan, Hurst, Merritt of the Santa Fe came on a special car Tuesday morning in the interest of the ranch road out from Lometa west to Brady.

The public school closed Friday for the holidays. On account of the institute coming at Christmas times the school will not reconvene for two weeks.—Reporter.

HAMILTON.

J. M. Baxley returned Saturday from a business trip to Waco.

Will R. Rogers died from pneumonia at his home on what is known as the Hogg Bros. ranch, ten miles south of town, last Tuesday morning.

Paul Neese and family, who last week moved from Lutheran to Concho county, have moved back again. No sooner had they arrived at their intended new home than along came an

opportunity to sell out to good advantage, so they have returned to old Hamilton county to live.

During an altercation and what seems to have been a free for all mix-up at Hico last Monday night, a man by the name of C. C. Bishop received some painful gun shot wounds about the body. Nothing serious resulted, however.

News has reached Hamilton of a tragedy that has just come to light in Bosque county, over between Hico and Meridian or Iredell. A few days ago a young man named Scarbrough sustained some ugly knife wounds in the leg by some party or parties so far unknown to the officers. On Tuesday night the injured young man died from loss of blood. The perpetrator or perpetrators of the crime still remains a mystery.—Rustler.

SAN SABA.

Little Helen Barker, who happened to the misfortune to fall on a bed of fire some time since, is getting along nicely.

The year 1910 will be a year long to be remembered in the history of San Saba county. It will witness the completion of the Santa Fe railroad to the town and through the county.

W. W. Skelton and J. M. Turley were in town Tuesday closing a land deal by which Mr. Turley and V. C. McCarley and wife conveyed to Skelton a three-fourths interest in the Algeria farm.

Governor Campbell has issued ten Christmas pardons to con-

victs in the State penitentiary. One of the pardons was for William Ogle, who was convicted at Llano ten years ago for the murder of Jim Brown in this county. Ogle was given a life sentence and has served ten years.

The San Saba Hardware & Furniture Co. have opened a branch house at the thriving and progressive town of Richland Springs. W. A. Martin is in charge of the branch operations and will be until about the first of the new year, when G. D. Heath will move his family there and conduct the business next year.—News.

LAMPASAS.

Miss Balla Greenwood is home from Baylor college, Belton, to spend the holidays.

Prof. and Mrs. W. W. Hart are here from Goldthwaite to spend the holidays with relatives and friends.

Clyde N. Witcher, youngest son of C. N. and Mahalia Witcher, died Friday evening at 11:20 o'clock at the home of his father, on Chestnut street. He was 30 years of age and has been in feeble health for some time, caused from kidney and lung trouble.

Some of the good ladies of the Methodist church "pounded" Rev. Wm. Monk in a very substantial manner Wednesday afternoon. Bro. Monk is one of the old-time Methodist preachers and it was a very appropriate act of kindness shown this venerable old gentleman at this season of the year.

Dr. Wm. Wooten, of Paonia,

Colorado, and the large part of his family are here to spend the holidays with relatives and friends. He reports that his orchard produced more than 11,000 bushels of apples this year, which he sold at \$1.00 to \$1.72 per bushel. He also gathered a fine crop of peaches and other fruits.—Leader.

COMANCHE.

Miss Stella Fletcher is visiting at Goldthwaite.

Wednesday morning Volney F. Jackson and Miss Elizabeth Lucy were married.

Fred Kilpatrick was married at Haskell Wednesday night to Miss Vinson, daughter of Rev. J. B. Vinson.

The United States Express Co. will come into Comanche on January 1st over the Frisco line, on that date the contract of the Wells-Fargo Co. expiring with the entire Frisco system.

Last Saturday M. E. Wilkerson of Sipe Springs was compelled by the unusual financial condition of the times to file a voluntary petition in bankruptcy with the referees in bankruptcy at Fort Worth. He has had a fine business, but the failure of crops made collections hard. The liabilities are scheduled at about \$40,000 and the assets at about \$30,000.—Chief.

BROWNWOOD.

Deputy Sheriff Champion arrested John Bennett Tuesday on a charge of bootlegging.

J. S. Burns, an old and highly respected citizen of Brownwood died at his home in Coggin Ad-

dition Tuesday afternoon after a short illness.

W. D. McChristy lost 12 goats at his farm in the Cannon community Saturday night. They were found frozen to death in a corral Sunday morning.

The four year old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. D. H. Grey, who live on Willis Creek south of Brownwood, was slightly burned Monday morning by her gown catching fire from the fireplace.

Mrs. Kate L. Adams, wife of Senator W. N. Adams, died at her home in Brownwood Saturday afternoon, December 18, of pneumonia after an illness of a few days.

Fire destroyed the house and contents of Mrs. M. E. Reed on her farm eight miles west of Brownwood on December 16, the blaze starting in the roof near the chimney. Mrs. Reed had a few weeks previous taken out \$1,300 insurance.—News.

At Markham last Friday Jeff Bundick shot and killed his brother. The men were retired ranchmen, were both bachelors and lived with their mother. The trouble was the result of bad feeling of long duration.

The railroad commission has issued an order for a union railroad depot in Dallas, and requiring all railroads entering that city to run their trains to the union station.

All of the prisoners in the city jail in Denison were pardoned and set free Christmas day.

THANKS FOR PATRONAGE.

I desire to make known my thanks to the public for the patronage I have received in my Drug Store and I solicit a continuance of the same. I would also appreciate the patronage of those who have not dealt with me in the past.

CREDIT CUSTOMERS.

I am prepared to extend credit accommodations to responsible people who can not conveniently pay the cash.

NAME OF STORE CHANGED.

I have changed the name of my Drug Store from "The Country" Drug Store to "Murray's" Drug Store.

The patronage of the public is solicited, and careful attention will be given to prescriptions and other business.

E. A. Murray.

J. A. Harris was here yesterday from Indian Gap.

Dr. J. W. Johnson expects to leave Monday for Whitney to visit his home folks.

G. R. Moxley and wife left yesterday for a visit to Uteco, to be away a week or more.

W. H. Nelson, commissioner of Big Valley precinct, had business in this city one day this week.

A few breaking plows to set at east.—E. M. Boon.

Chris Head and family left yesterday for their home in Scurry county, after a visit to relatives at Center City.

Barb and smooth wire [at Jackson-Hughes Co.]

Mrs. J. O. Martin and children returned to their home in Lampasas yesterday, after a visit to her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Potter, and other relatives.

Herbert Reese, who was a telegraph operator at this place some years ago and is kindly remembered by many friends, is to be married at Valley Mills Jan. 6 to Miss Lida Bullock of that city.

Barb and smooth wire at Jackson-Hughes Co.

J. W. Roberts this week sold a bale of cotton to Gatlin & Geeslin for \$112.10 and retained the seed. The bale weighed 741 pounds and the price was 15 1/8c per pound.

Mrs. Will H. Trent entertained the Embroidery club yesterday afternoon in honor of Mrs. S. M. Skaggs, a former member of the club who is visiting in the city.

Census Enumerators.

There will be six or eight enumerators required in this county and those who desire one of the appointments should apply to Nathan M. Washer, San Antonio, who is the supervisor for this district. All applications must be filed with the supervisor by Jan. 25, and those desiring appointment will have to pass a "test" or examination on Feb. 5, the place to be designated by the supervisor in his card of instruction. The positions will be open to men or women between the ages of 18 and 70, and the department states that the examination will be one that any person of ordinary intelligence who has received a common school education can readily pass. The census will have to be taken in thirty days after the work starts, which will probably be some time after the first of May. Those who desire further information can get full particulars by writing to Mr. Washer, at San Antonio. Applications received after Jan. 25 will not be considered.

Accidental Fire.

Christmas night a discharged sky rocket struck a window in J. W. Edlin's residence and breaking the glass passed into the room and set fire to the window curtain. The burning substance fell in the the room and would have ignited the building in a short time but for the prompt action of Mr. Edlin, who happened to be at home. One fortunate circumstance about the accident was that Mr. and Mrs. Edlin were in the room, having remained there a little later than usual that night, it being their custom to go to the postoffice before that hour to prepare the mail for the trains. Fortunately very little damage was done.

License Issued.

County Clerk Atkinson has issued marriage license since last report to V. M. Kendrick and Miss Alma Kennedy, John Pennington and Miss Effie D. Brewer, W. D. Koen and Miss Pink Couch, L. A. Jones and Miss Lillie Kernes, R. N. Shelton and Mrs. Minnie Jolly.

Caught in the Rain.

then a cold and a cough—let it run on—get pneumonia or consumption that's all. No matter how you get your cough don't neglect it—take Ballard's Horehound Syrup and you'll be over it in no time. The sure cure for coughs, colds bronchitis and all pulmonary diseases in young and old Sold by R. E. Clements.

Pompey Creek.

Editor Eagle:

The good rain and snow have made the farmers hopeful of a good crop year.

Johnson Black of Ochiltree county spent the holidays with his parents in this community.

Miss Effie Tippen of Ebony is in this community attending school.

There were two weddings in this community recently: J. E. Cater of Duren to Miss Lilly Nicholas and Mr. Plyler of Zephyr to Miss Josis Gunter.

Frank Perkins and family spent the holidays in the Pickens' Springs community.

Messrs. Wiley and Jeff Smith, Milton and James Carlisle have all had telephones put in recently.

Mr. and Mrs. Grover Smith have moved down near Mullin on the Dr. Jones place and have since had a telephone put in.

George Keating has moved down on the Will Keating place.

Elkanah Ishower of Pickens Springs is at work in this community.

Hugh McCoy of Baird is visiting relatives in this community.

Luther McCormick and family and Mr. and Mrs. George Tomlinson visited Mr. Scroggins Sunday.

John Nicholas and family spent Monday night at the home of Dan Smith.

Messrs. John L. Gunter and Jas. Northout, James Wagner, Morgan Black, W. S. Black and families and Johnson Black and Hugh McCoy spent Christmas day at the home of Mr. Sam Black.

Webb Perkins has a nine pound girl at his home.

Mr. Nicholas' daughter of Coleman county came down to be at Miss Lillie's wedding and to spend the holidays with her parents.

James King has had another residence built on his place near the Mullin and Brownwood road.

JOAN OF ARC.

Secured the Claim.

When C. E. Bull left Goldthwaite a few days before Christmas, announcing that he had a "claim" in Bois City, Idaho, which he intended to look after, his friends here suspected something more than a business trip and Christmas day they learned that their suspicions were well grounded, for on that day he returned home with his bride, to whom he was married in Fort Worth one day last week. The lady's name was Miss Grace Query and her home was in Bois City, Idaho. The young people had been engaged for a long time and their friends are happy with them in the culmination of their love affair.

The groom is a son of Mr. S. M. Bull and grew to manhood here, but for the last few years has been in the west and in Central America. He is a most excellent gentleman and his courteous and exemplary deportment makes friends for him wherever he goes. The bride is a stranger in Mills county, but she is assured of a hearty welcome and of the good wishes of all who know her husband.

Mr. and Mrs. Bull will be at home at the old Bob Bull place after Jan. 15.

IMPORTANT.

Notice to School Trustees.

I make church and school benches, by machinery. It will pay you to figure with me before you place your order. Shop near G. C. & S. F. depot, Goldthwaite, Texas.

J. H. KELLY, The builder

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—TO—

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DR. J. HARVEY MOORE

The Eye, Ear, Nose and Throat Specialist of

San ANTONIO

Will be at ROCK HOTEL

Friday and Saturday

JANUARY 14 AND 15.

Dr. Moore was Eye Surgeon in charge of the State Institution for the Blind and Professor on the Eye, Ear, Nose and Throat in the American Medical College in St. Louis. He was forced to seek a milder climate on account of ill health. He is permanently located in San Antonio. He has many cures to his credit in Texas. Some of them were performed while he was in St. Louis, and some since he came to San Antonio. We give a few of them below. He has many more. He straightens cross eyes without pain or chloroform, cures granulated sore eyes, overflow of tears, wild hairs, growths on the eyes, and all other diseases of the Eye, Ear, Nose and Throat that are curable. If you are incurable he will tell you so and will not take your money.

A Well-Known Sabinian Man

Mr. D. J. Draper of Sabinian says: "Had it not been for meeting Dr. Moore twelve years ago, I would now be blind. I know of many more wonderful cures he has performed. I will go on his bond for anything he promises."

A Waco Minister

Rev. J. N. Calvin, former pastor of the Christian church at Waco, says: "I was nearly blind from granulated sore eyes and ulcers on my eyeballs. I had been treated by eight or nine of the best oculists in the United States and they all pronounced my case incurable. Dr. Moore cured my eyes ten years ago and I have done all my own reading and writing since. I know of many other cures of his that are marvelous indeed."

An Editor's Daughter

Mr. G. A. Heilz, editor of the "Deutsche Zeitung" of La Grange says: "Dr. Moore has been making regular visits to La Grange for some time and his work has given general satisfaction. He operated on my daughter for cross eyes and the result is entirely satisfactory."

A Hondo Ranchman

Mr. E. W. Lacy, who is widely known as a stockman, had his wife's cured by Dr. Moore several years ago, and he is now under Dr. Moore's treatment for his own eyes. He was in Dr. Moore's office in St. Louis, and saw what an enormous practice he had there.

A Brady Ranchman

Mr. John Ewing, who has lived in Brady twenty years, says: "Dr. Moore cured my eyes about

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Coughs and Colds
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after using
GRANDMA'S
Cough Cure
to finally disappear
It Cures What More Can You Ask?
25c At Druggists—50c
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for the homeless and lands for the
landless in the high, rich and rolling
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Dimmit and Zavilla Counties, also
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that borders on the Coast where the
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grown in California.
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One Bottle



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Pepsin, used
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will give
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Continue the use of this wonderful
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It will soon set your system right,
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all the many ills and ailments arising
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It acts quickly and surely on the cause
of the trouble and its beneficial effects
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It will cure the most obstinate cases.
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can be obtained in both dollar and half-
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does not benefit you.
Your postal card request will bring by return
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A Reception.
On Wednesday afternoon of
this week the Ladies Aid Society
of the Baptist church was royally
entertained at the hospitable
home of Mrs. Newell Atkinson.
Never was there a jollier, happier
crowd assembled. Our charm-
ing hostess left nothing undone
to make everything pleasant for
everyone. After an hour of
merry conversation and music
the guests were conducted to the
dinning room, where they were
served with delicious nut salad,
whipped cream, chocolate,
fruit and cakes of all kind. The
table was covered with a
white cloth in beautiful holly
design which was a gay re-
minder of the Christmas season.
When all were again assembled
in the parlor Mrs. Little and
Mrs. M. E. Thompson chose
sides and the hostess gave out
questions from the Bible while
those who missed had to sit down.
There was much merriment over
this little game and many
of the guests were surprised to
find how many things they had
forgotten, once learned, from
the good old Book at Sunday
school. Mrs. Thompson's side
won the game.

The afternoon passed all too
quickly and it was with reluc-
tance that the guests bade good-
by to their kind hostess when
they saw that the day had
passed. A GUEST.

Bachelor Maids Entertain.
The "Bachelor Maids" enter-
tained their gentlemen friends
Christmas evening in the hos-
pitable home of Miss Lawrence
Thompson. The decorations
were a combination of the club
colors—white and yellow—and
Christmas greens. The contests
were suggestive of the holiday
season. The refreshments con-
sisted of a salad course, cake
and chocolate.
Those present were: Misses
Addye Hudson, Eala Hearne,
Jennie Bodkin, Lawrence Thomp-
son, Clyde Lowrie, Maude Lowe,
Beulah Rahl, Kate Fairman,
Mamie Kelley, Ethel Stephens,
Zella Prater, Nora Hooks, Emma
Kate Urbaoh, Alpha Hearne,
Eddie Kelly, Mattie Fletoher,
May Hurdle, Carrie Saylor, Helen
Woody, Mary Pardue, Minnie
Rahl, Lora Hudson and Hor-
tense Power; Messrs. J. W.
Johnson, W. T. Little, Jno.
Scott, Edward Geeslin, Frank
Rahl, Tom Moss, W. K. Mar-
shall, Colyer Hearne, Sam Tem-
plin, Olan King, Geo. Templin,
Frank Geeslin, W. C. Crane, S.
J. Casey, Harry Martin, Floyd
Mullan, C. M. Buroh, C. C. Say-
lor, H. O. Porter and Frank
McDermott. MAMIE

Ladies Aid Society.
The ladies aid society will
meet at the Baptist church next
Tuesday at 3:30. Subject
"What God Has Done for Us
the Past Year and What We
Are Going to Try to do for Him
this New Year." Leader Mrs.
B. A. Harris. A two minutes
talk by each member.
The election of officers for the
new year.

To My Patrons.
I keep a record of all Optical work
I do, and if in my absence you should
break your glasses leave them with
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rect lenses at once.
Yours for a Prosperous 1910,
J. W. JOHNSON, Opt. D.

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and expect to do so the year round. It will always pay anyone to get our
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have a list of the names of most all parties that are considered bad pay. Any-
one whose name is on that list need not ask for credit, for we positively refuse.

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"Live and Let Live." I am satisfied with a small
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XMAS and a Prosperous NEW YRAR, we are,
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**A Spring Medicine that adds vigor and strength to the system,
purifies and enriches the Blood, and lays the foundation for a
strong constitution and good health during the hot sultry summer.**

Most everybody feels bad in the spring. Some have no particular ailment but are just
tired, worn out and totally unfit for work or anything else that requires energy or effort.
They mope around upon the border-land of invalidism, irritable, peevish, hysterical and
unreasonable.

A good appetite in the spring is a rarity, and we sicken at the sight of food, or thought
of eating, and what little we do eat is a burden to the stomach and a tax upon the digestion.

Warm weather is sure to bring out the hidden poisons, germs and seeds of disease that
have been collecting in the blood and system dur-
ing winter, and you may look for some old chronic
trouble to make its appearance. It is a time, too,
when boils and carbuncles, and pustular or scaly
skin eruptions like eczema and tetter, pay their
annual visits and make life miserable by their
intense pains and intolerable itching and burning.

The fight for health should begin before any
warning symptoms of physical collapse are felt, or
before the seeds of disease have time to germinate
if we would avoid the usual spring sickness; and
with S. S. S., the acknowledged king of blood
purifiers and greatest of all tonics, you can put
your blood and system in such perfect condition
and so strengthen the constitution that one may be as free from sickness and as vigorous and
strong during the trying months of spring and depressing summer season as at any other time.

S. S. S. not only builds you up, but searches out and destroys any poisonous germs or
impurities that may be lurking in the blood. The benefits derived from the use of S. S. S.
are permanent because it acts directly on the blood and purifies and cleanses it of all impure
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**SSS NATURE'S REMEDY
PURELY VEGETABLE**

J. Z. McAllister of Manor was in the
city yesterday visiting Rev. G. W.
Templin and family.

Wanted—Seed cotton and cotton
seed. Will pay highest market price
if delivery is made at once.—Walter
Fiskman.

Mrs. M. E. Thompson and Miss
Mamie Kelley entertained the ladies
of the Self Culture club Tuesday
afternoon from 3 to 6 o'clock, at the
Mountain cottage.

Correct styles and prices on furni-
ture at Bodkin, Hurdle & Co.

Misses Mamie and Eddie Kelley
entertained the Bachelor Maids and
their escorts Thursday evening.
Games, music and conversation en-
tertained for several hours and re-
freshments were served.
Rhode Island Red eggs \$1.00 set-
ting of 15.—W. B. Pardue.

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R. M. THOMPSON, Editor

The bursting of an automobile tire caused the machine to turn turtle while on the Mission loupes at San Antonio Sunday and eight persons were injured, one perhaps fatally.

A lady in St. Louis who has been noted for her beautiful suit of hair was knocked senseless Sunday morning on her way to church and her hair shaved off. Several attempts had been previously made to rob her of the hair.

Col. James Gordon was appointed United States senator from Mississippi by Governor Noel to serve until the legislature of that state meets in January and elects a successor to the late Senator McLaurin. Col. Gordon was a Confederate veteran and is a native of Mississippi.

A negro woman in San Antonio threw concentrated lye into the faces of two soldiers, who she claims were trying to enter her house unbidden Christmas night. The eyes of one of the men were completely destroyed and he may die, while the other was horribly burned about the face and disfigured for life.

One of the friends of Dr. Cook, the discredited Arctic explorer, claims that the detectives made life so burdensome for the Doctor and the belief so preyed upon his mind that his enemies had a plot to kill him that he sought safety in flight and that he took passage on an outgoing steamer under an assumed name, after having disguised himself. The friend claims to have heard from the alleged explorer at Lisbon, Portugal.

The former president of Nicaragua Jose Santos Zelaya, left his native country aboard a Mexican warship and is now safe in Mexico, where it is said he has the full sympathy of President Diaz. The United States authorities announced that he would not be allowed to leave Nicaragua, but would be tried on a criminal charge of murdering Cannon and Groce, the Americans, who were aiding in the revolution in Nicaragua when they were put to death by order of a military court martial. However when the former president boarded the Mexican vessel no protest was entered by this government and he was allowed to go to Mexico unmolested.

Postmaster General Hitchcock has made his annual report public and it shows a deficit of more than \$17,000,000 for the postal department. He says the rural free delivery costs five times as much as the government receives from postage on the routes, and the system has grown in twelve years from a cost of \$40,000 to one of \$35,000,000. He says the government also loses \$64,000,000 annually on transporting second class matter, such as newspapers and magazines. The report shows that the postal service now has about 325,000 employees and the number of post offices in operation is 60,144 and there are 40,628 rural routes. The total expenditure of the postal department for the last year was \$221,004,102.89.

Give the Eagle your order for job printing.

Mrs. Ben Palmer of Brownwood spent Christmas with relatives in this city.

J. E. Ringer of Antelope Gap spent a part of the holidays with relatives in this city.

You don't pay the other fellow's bad accounts if you deal with T. B. Keel Grocery Co.

Mrs. M. L. Brown and children went to Coleman Saturday to spend a few days with relatives.

A. M. Bogart of Mart was here the first of the week visiting his relatives, W. F. Page and family.

O. H. Hearne arrived from Winters Tuesday night for a visit to his father and other relatives.

Hides—We are better prepared this year than ever before to handle hides, furs and beeswax.—Hudson & Rahl.

Miss Stella Fletcher, a teacher in the Comanche school, spent the holidays with her home folks in this city.

Earnest Eletcher and family were here from Lometa during the holidays, visiting his parents and other relatives.

Bodkin, Hurdle & Co. have a fine assortment of furniture and are making attractive prices on everything in their stock.

Rev. W. W. Edgar and family of China Springs have been here this week visiting his sister, Mrs. J. W. Manney, and family.

Maurey Hearne and family arrived from San Angelo Monday night for a visit to relatives. He is now an engineer on the Orient railroad.

Miss Janie Hester received the larger number of votes at the Palace of Sweets and was awarded the \$10 box of candy Friday night.

Mrs. J. D. H. Wallace left Tuesday night for Hamilton to visit relatives a few days and she will go from there to her new home in Dallas.

Misses Della and Joe Cathcart left for their home in Bertram the first of the week, after a visit to Rev. J. W. Manney's family in this city.

Rev. John Hudson and wife left Monday for their home in Round Rock, after spending Christmas with relatives here.

All sizes of coffins from the cheapest to the finest at our store and we have the only licensed embalmer in the county.—Bodkin, Hurdle & Co.

G. C. Parker, late of Milford, has purchased the Mewshaw Interest in the Goldthwaite Mercantile Co. and enters upon the management of the business today.

Clements' Special satisfies the most fastidious smoker.

Ben Palmer, who has been employed in the telephone business at Brownwood for some time, has resigned his position and will look after a large number of steers J. O. Street has on feed at the oil mill in that city.

Jim Baz Jones and his wife and little daughter and his mother, Mrs. L. W. Jones, left Wednesday for their home in Monument, N. M., after a visit to relatives in Hanna Valley. He reported his father in good health and doing well in New Mexico.

Messrs. J. H. and A. F. Grant returned Sunday from Memphis, Tenn., to which place they shipped a car of pecans a few weeks ago. As they did not find a ready market the pecans were stored in that city and will be disposed of later.

Dr. J. Harvey Moore, the specialist, has another advertisement in this issue. He was unable to make his last appointment on account of the blizzard, but writes that he will be here on the dates named in his advertisement, regardless of the weather.

J. D. H. Wallace expects to leave today for Dallas, where he will make headquarters and travel for the wholesale dry goods firm of Adams & Trigg. He and his wife leave many friends in Goldthwaite who regret their departure, but wish them unlimited good fortune in their new home.

J. F. Beck of Shelbyville was a pleasant caller at the Eagle office Monday and ordered the paper sent to his address in future. He and his brothers, Messrs. Hugh and Tom Beck, spent Christmas with their brother Joe and his family in the Neighbors Creek community. They lived in this county in the early days and are known to some of the "old-timers," but there have been many changes since they left here to live in eastern Texas.

VICTIMS OF NEGLECT.

If You Ignore the Warnings Sent up by Ailing Kidneys You are on the Straight Road to Bright's Disease.

When anything is wrong in the kidneys the symptoms are manifest from the top of your head to the sole of your feet.

The following are some of them: Headache, dizzy spells, sluggish brain, drowsiness, dark rings and floating specks before the eyes, sallow skin, bad breath, heartburn, palpitation of the heart, sour stomach, disorder in the urine, backache, weak pulse, constipated or irregular bowels, aching at the knees, feverishness in the feet.

Prickly Ash Bitters is the right medicine for such symptoms; pre-eminently a kidney tonic, system cleanser and regulator. It contains all the necessary properties of a successful kidney medicine in addition to its admirable influence in strengthening and regulating the stomach, liver and bowels.

Prickly Ash Bitters begins right by cleansing the bladder and bowels—thereby driving out the impurities which started all the trouble. After this has been accomplished the healing and restorative element in the medicine will continue the good work, building up anew the weakened kidneys, stimulating the liver to greater activity, purifying the blood, and extending its restorative influence to every part of the body. As a result the appetite and digestion improve, the eyes are brighter, the strength returns, the hollow cheeks fill out, the complexion loses that sallow muddy cast, giving place to a clear skin and the ruddy glow of health.

Much depends on the promptness with which the treatment is commenced. Prickly Ash Bitters has cured many advanced cases that would not yield to other remedies, but it must be remembered that there is a stage in kidney disease beyond which no power on earth can save the patient. Take Warning! If you suspect anything wrong with your kidneys, begin treatment at once. It is your best hope of a cure.

L. G. Zachery, Lodi, Tex., says: "I never tried anything like Prickly Ash Bitters before in my life. It does its work almost in a night. I am now filling all my friends about your great remedy and all who try it speak of the splendid results. It has done me so much good that I will never again be without it in my house."

Get the genuine with the figure "8" in red on front label. Sold by druggists. Price \$1.00.

R. E. Clements, Special Agent

The world is gradually gaining universal knowledge of the great truth that "it pays to advertise." Even the farmers of California have learned it, although advertising does not ordinarily seem a part of agriculture. The California fruit growers have a committee on advertising and are using \$50,000 this year, against \$25,000 last year, and \$5,000 two years ago, in this publicity business. No better proof is needed that it is bringing returns. But there is other evidence. In a single town—Sioux City—the number of cars of California fruit used was double in a year as a result of advertising campaign. And other states will follow California's example. Florida is about to launch an advertising campaign in the interests of its fruit growers, and Hawaii, noting the good results in California, will follow suit. It pays to advertise oranges, raisins and prunes, why not corn wheat, alfalfa, cows, hogs and mules?—Atchison (Kan.) Globe.

President Helps Orphans.

Hundreds of orphans have been helped by the president of the Industrial and Orphan's Home at Macon, Ga. who writes: "We have used Electric Bitters in this institution for nine years. It has proved a most excellent medicine for stomach, liver and kidney troubles. We regard it as one of the best family medicines on earth." It invigorates the vital organs, purifies the blood, aids digestion, creates appetite. To strengthen and build up thin, pale, weak children or run-down people it has no equal. Best for female complaints. Only 50c at R. E. Clements' drug store.

A BANK THAT IS STRONG

In money, in men, in courtesy and in the desire to make its service of practical value to every man who favors it with his account—a bank in which you can place implicit confidence—is not this the sort of bank with which you need to identify YOUR business?

This is just such a bank and we are eager to serve YOU. Why not come in and open an account with us?

The Trent State Bank

DIRECTORS:

D. H. Trent, Eli Fairman,
W. H. Trent, E. B. Anderson,
R. M. Thompson, L. E. Patterson,
W. C. Dew.

OYSTERS EVERY DAY

Served in any style or sold in quantities for home use.

Hot and Cold Drinks, :::
::: Candies and Fruits.

PALACE OF SWEETS

Next door to Postoffice.

J. H. RANDOLPH

DEALER IN

L U M B E R

Sash, Doors, Blinds, Mouldings, Etc. Estimates furnished on small or large bills. Will meet legitimate competition.

Yards South Side Square and Near Railroad Depot, Goldthwaite

S. T. Weathers.

Walter Ford.

WEATHERS & FORD

Barbers

SOLICIT THE PUBLIC PATRONAGE

Shop Located Next to Clements' Drug Store

We represent one of the best Laundries in Texas. Basket leaves Wednesday Night and Returns Friday Night. Give us a trial.

L. B. WALTERS

Sheet Metal Worker

Pipe Fitting, Plumbing, Wind Mill Repairing.

Anything in the Sheet Metal Line.

Next Door to Kelly's Carpenter Shop. Phone 92

We Are Here To Stay

Wet or Dry, Cold or Hot.

Call and see us when in the City.

ELECTRIC MASSAGE, BATHS AND LAUNDRY

Our Specials,

EVANS & FAULKNER, Barbers.

WE ARE BUSY INVOICING

And we find a great many more goods than we want to carry in Stock. Every Department is brim full of New and Seasonable Goods, marked to sell at the Lowest Possible Price, and they must be sold while they are Seasonable, even though we have to make Further Reductions in the Price.

Do You Need a Suit of Clothes?

If so, it is lucky for you that you have not bought before now, for the Prices were never more inviting and the showing never more complete.

Get them from Geeslin.



How About Shoes?

We have all sizes from the finest makes in Dress Shoes to heavy Plow Shoes and Boots. Just let us know your wants and we will do the rest.

Geeslin Can Fit You.

Customer or not, you are invited to Trade at our Immense Grocery Department during 1910.

B. F. Geeslin Mercantile Co.

The People Who Sell It For Less.

LOCAL AND PERSONAL

Bell of Waco, the best on earth, every sack guaranteed—Walker & Young.

Mrs. Mary Mauldin called Monday and renewed her subscription for the Eagle, for which we thank her.

Misses Julia Callcutt and Nina Burks of Corsicana have been here this week visiting their aunt, Mrs. W. C. Dew.

Use Clements toilet cream upon retiring and watch your complexion improve.

Miss Edith Burrows returned to her home in San Angelo the first of the week, after spending Christmas with her cousins, the Misses Burrows, in this city.

You will be delighted with the Bell of Waco flour. Guaranteed by Walker & Young.

The Woodmen will install their newly elected officers the second Friday night in January, which is the time for the regular meeting. All members are requested to carry a cake and a pot of coffee to the meeting.

J. E. Lewis and wife of Brownwood arrived in the city Monday and went over to Comanche county to visit relatives. They were accompanied by their son, J. V. Lewis of Priddy, and Messrs. Arch and Robt. Lewis, the former from Comanche county and the latter from New Mexico, where he is United States marshal.

Hooper's Tetter Cure

(Don't Scratch) is sold by druggists everywhere on a positive guarantee to cure Dan-druif and all Scalp Troubles, Tetter, Eczema, Itch, Ringworm, Chapped, Sunburned Face and Hands, Pimples, Itching Piles, Sore, Sweaty, Blistered Feet, Cuts, and all Irritations of the Skin. Does not stain, grease or blister. Two Sizes, 50c and \$1.00 bottles. Trial Size 10c. Mailed direct, on receipt of price.

HOOPER MEDICINE CO., Dallas, Texas
SOLD BY R. E. CLEMENTS, GOLDTHWAITE

WEAK KIDNEYS MAKE WEAK BODIES.

Kidneys Disease Cause Half the Common Aches and Pains of Goldthwaite People.

As one weak link weakens a chain, so weak kidneys weaken the whole body and hasten the final breaking down.

Overwork, strains, colds and other causes injure the kidneys, and when their activity is lessened the whole body suffers from the excess of uric poison circulated in the blood.

Aches and pains and languor and urinary ills come, and there is an ever increasing tendency towards diabetes and fatal Bright's disease. There is no real help for the sufferer except kidney help.

Doan's Kidney Pills act directly on the kidneys and cure every kidney ill. Goldthwaite cures are the proof.

O. W. Lindsey, farmer, three miles west of Goldthwaite, Texas, says: "Doan's Kidney Pills were recommended to me by a friend and as I had been bothered by kidney trouble for at least ten years, I decided to give the remedy a trial. I obtained a supply at Clements' drug store and must say that it proved of great benefit. The use of Doan's Kidney Pills, stopped the backache and strengthened my kidneys. I intend to recommend this remedy to my friends whenever an opportunity occurs."

For sale by all dealers. Price 50 cents. Foster-Milburn Co., Buffalo, New York, sole agents for the United States.

Remember the name—Doan's—and take no other.

Books Open.

Owing to the condition of my health I can not be at my office constantly, but my books are there and payments will be received at any time by either P. H. or R. E. Clements. J. D. CALAWAY, M. D.

Too Much Face.

You feel as if you had one face too many when you have neuralgia. Don't you? Save the face, you may need it; but get rid of the neuralgia by applying Ballard's Snow Liniment. Finest thing in the world for rheumatism, neuralgia, burns, cuts, scalds, lame back and all pains. Sold by R. E. Clements.

Mrs. J. M. Campbell left Tuesday for Kopperl to visit relatives.

T. E. Hamilton of Star was a visitor to this city the first of the week.

Mrs. E. P. Thompson and children visited relatives in Zephyr the first of the week.

T. B. Keel Grocery Co. has had a new floor put in their building and a new awning built in front.

W. H. Thompson of Houston, who spent Christmas with relatives here, left Sunday night for Kansas City to look after business matters.

Hog fence, barb and smooth wire at Bodkin, Hurdle & Co.

Ask your neighbor about Black Marvel shoe polish Guaranteed—Clements Drug Store.

Miss Lura Yarborough of Goldthwaite is visiting Mrs. W. G. Lindsey and other relatives this week.—Richard Springs Eye-Witness.

My chops are home ground made from good clean corn and always fresh. W. E. Pardue.

The Masons have moved into their new lodge room, which is the upper story of the Hallmark building, next to the light plant. The lodge recently purchased the property and has made some improvements on it, and other changes and improvements are to be made.

WANTED

Every man, woman and child in Texas who has kidney, bladder, throat or lung trouble, to try Murray's Balsam for the Lungs and Kidneys. It is guaranteed to give satisfaction. If it does not help your kidneys, bladder, or lung trouble in three days, it never will, as it begins its good work with the first dose. If you have to get up seven or eight times at night in three days you will not get up more than once. For children with weak organs it has no equal. It has stood the test of ninety-four years, and relieves quickly where others fail. It takes entire control of the kidneys and bladder, and regulates their action whether they are too free or not free enough. It will cure an ordinary sore throat in a few hours and one bottle of it, if used regularly about every four hours, will kill the worst case of tonsillitis from being cut out. You cannot lose anything by trying it. Notice guarantee in circular. Yours truly,

F. I. MURRAY,

Abilene or Fort Worth.
E. A. Murray and R. E. Clements.

WE WANT YOUR PATRONAGE.

WE CARRY A FULL STOCK OF STAPLE AND FANCY GROCERIES

And pay the Highest Market Price for Country Produce. Orders filled promptly and quick delivery guaranteed. Come to our Store or phone for what you want in our line and we will appreciate your business and :: :: ::

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Orders Solicited and Filled Promptly

The Goldthwaite Land & Insurance Company

M. R. RICE, Manager, Sells Land in Mills and adjoining Counties. Town Lots in Sweetwater, Velasco, and all kinds of City Property in Lampasas and Goldthwaite.

Writes Life Insurance for one of the Best Companies doing business in Texas. All kinds of Accident, Automobile and Casualty Insurance.

Special Agent for The Maryland Casualty Co., of Baltimore. And we do a general Exchange business.

SEE US. Goldthwaite Land & Ins. Co. M. R. RICE, Manager.

The Goldthwaite Eagle

Saturday, Jan. 1, 1910.

Hudson & Rahl buy hides and beeswax.

We sell cigars of all kind 6 for 25c.—Palace of Sweets.

Rev. F. M. Jackson and family visited in Mullin the first of the week.

Hudson & Rahl can supply you with choice fresh meat and country

Make our new fount headquarters for hot and cold drinks.—Palace of Sweets.

Have you seen the pretty line of matting at Bodkin, Hurdle & Co.

J. B. Walton, Jr., of Brownwood has been here a part of this week looking after business for the Jackson-Hughes Co.

Take your hides, furs and beeswax to Hudson & Rahl.

D. S. Westerman of near Bowmar, San Saba county, was a pleasant caller at this office Thursday and ordered his address changed from Ratler to San Sabs.

It is understood that some of the candidates for county offices will open the campaign within the next few weeks, perhaps next week.

A few breaking plows to sell at cost.—E. M. Boon.

The Mills county singing convention is to be held in Goldthwaite the second Saturday and Sunday in February. All interested in vocal music have a hearty invitation to attend.

The Young Men's Social Club gave a New Year's Ball and "42" party at the band hall last night. While the Eagle was out to press before the evening's entertainment was concluded, we feel safe in announcing a most enjoyable occasion.

No matter what you want in hardware, furniture, we can likely supply it and we believe we can save you money.—Bodkin, Hurdle & Co.

A few breaking plows to sell at cost.—E. M. Boon.

Robt. Uhrbach surprised his friends upon his return from Fort Worth a few days ago by bringing a wife home with him. The lady's home was in Denver, Col., and they were married in Fort Worth one day last week and are now keeping house in the residence just north of L. E. Miller's home. Mr. Uhrbach has been engaged in business here a long time and has the friendship and confidence of all who know him and he and his bride have the good wishes of everybody.

W. A. Ogles arrived at home last Friday morning from Huntsville, where he served ten years of a life sentence and was pardoned last week. He formerly lived in this county and was convicted in Llano county of the murder of Jim Brown in San Saba county. Few people here believed that Ogles had anything to do with the killing of Brown and the announcement of his pardon was received with much satisfaction in this county. He and his daughter, Miss Myrtle, went to Austin this week to personally thank Governor Campbell for his pardon.

When you are getting glasses

Get them right. Have them fitted as they should be. Have the lenses made for YOU—to your measure, so to speak.

Then you may read when you like, where you like, and as long as you like, and you'll not need to turn and twist the book in order to ease your eyes.

Not an eye pain or an ache, after you begin to wear the proper glasses, no headaches, no inconveniences at all.

Today would be a good time to begin to have your eyes looked after. Consultation and advice are free any time you call.

J. W. Johnson,
Optician.

At Miller's Jewelry Store.

A Peculiar Accident.

Joe H. Frizzell met with a peculiar and quite serious accident Tuesday night at his home in the northern suburbs of this city. He was sleeping near a window and being suddenly awakened placed his foot against the window to spring up, believing he was pressing against the foot piece of the bed. His foot went through the glass and was cut so badly that he lost perhaps a gallon of blood before the bleeding could be checked. The wound is in the "ball" of the foot, between the great toe and the in-sep and is about two inches long and very deep. It emitted a stream of blood as large as a lead pencil and the gentleman became very weak before the flow was stanchd. He is now able to get about with the aid of crutches and it is hoped he will soon be fully recovered.

Marriage At Big Valley.

Miss Travis Long and Mr. Chas. W. Law were married at the home of the bride's mother in Big Valley last Saturday night about 11 o'clock, in the presence of a large company of relatives and a few friends, Rev. G. A. Jarrett officiating. The bride is one of Mills county's most highly appreciated ladies. She was a popular and successful school teacher for several years, but last year she went to Temple and became a trained nurse in the King's Daughters hospital. She was a leader in church work here as well as in educational matters and her friends are numbered by the score. The fortunate groom is a farmer in Milam county, living near the town of Buckholz and is highly recommended as a deserving and upright citizen.

Mr. and Mrs. Law have spent the week in this county with relatives, but expect to leave tonight for their home in Milam county.

A. E. Club Entertainment.

A notable event of the past week and one which will occupy a place among all the holiday festivities was the reception given for the husbands of the members of the Art Embroidery Club at the palatial home of Mr. and Mrs. Will H. Trent on last Monday evening. "42" was the chosen pastime, and five tables of players participated in the hospitality. After ten interesting games it was found that Mr. E. M. Boon and Mr. Walter Fairman had scored high for the men and Mrs. Walter Fairman for the ladies. Aside from the Club Husbands the guest were Mrs. Will H. Thompson of Houston and Mrs. J. E. Green of Hillsboro. Delightful refreshments were served.
A GUEST.

A HEALING WONDER

Discovered by a Louisville Chemist.

The most remarkable remedy that has ever been known for the cure of pains and aches of all kinds by external application is Paracamp, First Aid to the Injured. Paracamp is a charming, pleasing combination of soothing, cooling, healing oils and camphor. No poisonous drugs, such as opium, morphine or cocaine, but a safe and sure home remedy. Paracamp gives immediate relief for Rheumatism, Neuralgia, Sore Muscles, Coughs, Colds in the Head or Chest, Croup, Sprains, Bruises, Skin Diseases, Cuts and Burns. Relieves Burns instantly and relieves without leaving ugly scars. Absolutely prevents Blood Poisoning. Paracamp is a panacea for all the accidents of the household. It is America's most reliable household remedy. Get a bottle to-day; if you are not satisfied with its results, take it back and get your money. Every bottle guaranteed. Trial size 25c; family sizes 50c. and \$1.00. If you have never tried Paracamp we will send you a trial size free. Write to-day. The Paracamp Co., Louisville, Ky.

No Hot Air!

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WE DO NOT CLAIM to have the Largest Stock in the world, neither do we sell Cheaper than Anybody on Earth, but we have a Nice, Fresh, Seasonable and Well Stock of Dry Goods, and

Our Prices are Always Right.

We know what the Goods ought to cost and we buy them so as to sell at the Right Price.

OUR STOCK OF SHOES

Is both Large and Well Assorted in Styles and Sizes.

Anything you want in Dry Goods is likely to be found here. We would like to have a large share of your patronage in the Dry Goods line during the good year 1910.

DRY GOODS

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Frizzell and Burnett

J. M. Jones of Regency was a visitor to this city one day this week.

G. H. Frizzell of San Angelo spent Christmas with his home folks in this city.

Strayed—Three mules, two mouse color and one brown, all had halters on, and one blue horse—E. R. Eppler, jr.

D. J. Stoneham of Stoneham, Grimes county, was here Thursday visiting his cousin, Mrs. R. M. Thompson.

C. H. Pfinger of Priddy came in on Tuesday morning's train from Temple, where he spent two weeks in the hospital.

Misses Alvis returned to their home in Bangs Monday morning, after spending Christmas with relatives at Big Valley.

The person who left a bundle containing a child's coat at the post-office last week can get it at this office by paying for this notice.

D. W. Webb called Monday to renew his subscription and to have his paper sent to San Saba in future.

W. W. Saylor made a visit to Waco this week on business connected with the International Partnership association, which has headquarters in that city.

Bert Patterson and wife of Sterling City spent Christmas with relatives and friends in this city. They formerly lived here and have a great many friends who were glad to meet with them again.

The wife of G. N. Harrison of Brownwood presented him with a fine boy on Christmas day at high-noon. The wife and boy were doing well when the news was phoned to this city at 2:15 on the same day.

Mrs. Ivy Richards left Thursday for Del Rio to visit her parents, Capt. and Mrs. J. E. Hord. Ivy expected to go to the same place last night and from there he will make a prospecting trip into Mexico and may decide to locate in the land of the Montezumas.

J. M. Allen has bought some valuable property in this county the past week. He bought Jas. West's home place about five miles east of town for a consideration of \$4000. The place contains 320 acres and he gave Mr. West western property in part payment. He also bought 500 acres of land in the Priddy country from Albert Brunsky for \$5000 cash. This is all valuable property. It is understood Mr. West will move to Runnels county and Mr. Brunsky will move to Ohrystal City.

S. M. BLEEKER.

S. O. KOEN

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Solicit your Patronage in

Blacksmith and Wood Work.

A SPECIALITY OF HORSESHOEING.

Corn Mill in Connection. :::: Grinding Every Day.

Sam Frizzell, who is now engaged in the tailor business at Bronte, spent Christmas with relatives in this city.

The weekly prayer meeting will meet at Methodist church next Friday afternoon at 8:30, Leader Mrs. Conroy.

O. M. Thompson and family this week moved to Antelope Gap, where he will have charge of E. P. Thompson's ranch.

Mrs. J. M. Skaggs and little sons of Winters arrived in the city Wednesday night for a visit to Mrs. L. R. Conroy, Mrs. R. M. Thompson and other friends.

John Scott, Jr., this week bought the interest of Miss Carrie Saylor in the art gallery heretofore conducted by them jointly and he will continue the business at the same place.

J. R. Carter of Center City was in city yesterday and ordered the Eagle sent Mrs. Wat. Saunders at Ochiltree.

A large number of young people and some older ones enjoyed a dance and "42" party at the band hall Tuesday night, given by the band, which organization furnished the music for the occasion. It was a most pleasant affair and enjoyed by all present.

Rev. F. M. Jackson and family went to Zephyr Thursday to visit relatives and while there he officiated at the marriage of R. N. Shelton and Mrs. Minnie M. Jolley, at the home of the bride a few miles west of Zephyr. The contracting parties have a great many friends and well-wishers in this county.

R. S. Crain and family this week moved to Harkeyville, where he has large property interests and where they will probably make their home for some time. They lived here several years and are held in high esteem by everybody and their removal was greatly regretted by their many friends here. The good wishes of everybody go with them to their new home.

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We Guarantee these Phones to Give Complete Satisfaction. They are in use by many Exchanges and Rural lines and have the highest recommendations. For full particulars, prices, etc. see the Board of Directors of the Company at Goldthwaite.

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BLACKSMITH & WOODWORKMAN

Does 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

F. M. LONG

County Surveyor

and Real Estate Agent.

I have Lands all over Central, West and Southwest Texas; any size tracts, from 10 to 100,000 acres or more. I have had over 25 years experience in the Land Business and know the Country, and will put you on the best I have. See me before making purchase.

An aged lady fell into a rain barrel at her home near Huntsville and was drowned.

MONEY-SAVING PRICES!

We have a fine assortment of Fruits and Candies, Fresh Groceries and everything goes in the Big Reduction Sale now in progress. If you buy Fruits, Candies, Staple Groceries and Produce without getting OUR PRICES you will lose money.

BEWLE'YS

BLUE RIBBON FLOUR

Is one of our Specialities, and to include this Flour in the Special Sale proves that we are making no reservations, but are putting everything in, for there is no Better Flour manufactured and most people know this fact.

THE SALE IS FOR CASH

We want to reduce our stock and realize the money it will bring, and we cannot afford to sell on credit at these prices. We have

FRUIT CAKE SUPPLIES.

MINCE MEAT, CITRON.

and other things for the holiday cooking, and the Special Prices apply to these as well as to other articles in the house.

Fruits and Nuts for the Holidays.

OTHERS may claim to "SELL IT FOR LESS,"
but WE Undersell THEM.

Both
Phones
-69

P. M. COONES & CO.

Both
Phones
-69

See our pipe line at Palace of Sweets.

Mrs. J. S. Bowden left Wednesday morning for Antelope Gap to visit relatives.

If you have hides to sell see Hudson & Rahl.

Dr. Joe Townsen of Lometa was summoned here to see a patient Wednesday night.

The public school will be resumed Monday, after a vacation of more than two weeks.

The best bread in Texas at Hudson & Rahl's market.

Miss Allie Humphries, who is a teacher in the Waco schools, spent the holidays with home folks in this city.

Mount City Paint may cost a trifle more, but—J. D. Urquhart.

Orba Woody, who is a student in San Houston normal at Huntsville, spent the holidays with home folks in this city.

Keel & Co. pay the highest price for country produce.

Henry Martin's son George has been quite sick for several weeks and is still not much improved.

Forehand & Johnson solicit your patronage at their market.

Bodkin, Hurdle & Co. have a complete stock of furniture and hardware and want to name prices to those who expect to buy such goods.

A fine lot of new mattresses just received at the Second Hand Store.

M. V. Alldredge of Lutkin, J. W. Alldredge of Colorado City, Wm. Pumphrey and family of Winters spent the holidays with T. R. Wilcox and family in the Center City community.

Forehand & Johnson solicit your patronage at their meat market.

Mrs. Jos. Blackburn of Hull, England, has our thanks for a renewal of her subscription this week, together with a letter of encouragement for us and a copy of a piece of music written by her husband, who is 82 years of age. She is remembered here as Miss Cathrine Blackburn and her friends here are many. Not only is Mrs. Blackburn one of the paper's most appreciated subscribers, but she frequently sends us copies of English papers which are enjoyed very much by the editor and his friends.

Hot drinks of all kind at Palace of Sweets.

MOONLIGHT PICNIC

Bachelor Boys Entertain Young Ladies and Some Older Friends.

Some of the young men of the town gave a moonlight picnic and cyster stew at the railroad tank Monday night in honor of the Bachelor Maids and a few invited friends, together with several couples of older people for chaperons. There was a large crowd in attendance and the evening was greatly enjoyed by everybody, apparently. A large log heap fire furnished the necessary warmth, and the fire-light and the moon made the surroundings bright. The young people played games, discharged fire-works and in various ways made the evening enjoyable. One of the most amusing as well as interesting features of the evening's entertainment was the administering of a few side degrees in the Bachelor Maids Club to some of the favorite young men.

The hours sped by so rapidly that the time for dispersing came unexpectedly and all appeared to be loathe to leave the happy company and surroundings. When good-byes were said it was with the hope that the "Bachelor Boys" would plan many similar entertainments in the future.

Gone to His Reward.

Mr. G. R. Berry died Saturday afternoon at 4:30 o'clock at the old Berry home on Mesquite creek, in Burnet county. He was born in North Carolina in 1829 and moved to Alabama in childhood; came to Texas and located in Burnet county in 1867 and has resided there most of the time since. He was one of the Confederate veterans, having done honorable service during the war. He is survived by five sons.—Lampasas Leader

Mr. Berry was well known here, where he has frequently visited his son, Mr. J. D. D. Berry, and family. He was highly esteemed and the announcement of his death caused sorrow to those who knew him,

Fresh bread every day at Hudson & Rahl's market.

R. M. Phelps of Caradan dropped a dollar in the Eagle crew one day this week.

Give our oyster parlor a visit. We have the best.—Palace of Sweets.

Barb and smooth wire at Jackson-Hughes Co.

Miss Nellie Lee of Cohoma is in the city visiting her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. B. P. Lee.

H. A. Sykes of Big Valley was one of the good men who renewed for the Eagle this week.

Pretty designs in iron bedsteads and other furniture at Bodkin, Hurdle & Co.

W. T. Bickham of Big Valley this week renewed his own subscription and that of Dr. W. S. Bickham of San Saba for the Eagle.

O-U hot chocolate at Palace of Sweets.

E. A. Obenhans of Caradan was here Tuesday and dropped a dollar in the Eagle's crew.

A few breaking plows to sell at cost.—E. M. Boon.

Fresh meat, barbecue, bread and home-made lard at Hudson & Rahl's market.

S. G. Walker made a business visit to Brownwood yesterday.

Capt. D. T. Bush was here from Caradan one day this week and called to renew his own subscription and order the paper sent to his wife's sister at Merzen.

Barb and smooth wire at Jackson-Hughes Co.

Elder Oliver will preach in the Christian church Sunday morning at 11 o'clock and at night. All are invited to hear him.

25 up to date post cards and a rack that holds 25 cards for 25 cents.—Palace of Sweets.

I love my hot chocolate, but O U tomato bouillon.—Palace of Sweets.

Z. B. Lee yesterday closed a deal whereby he sold 616 acres of land in the Payne community for W. F. Hearne to W. H. Bailey of Lampasas.

Z. B. Lee, jr., of Star and J. T. Johnson of Payne.

Fresh barbecue and bread all the time.—Forehand & Johnson.

Dan Williams and wife of Brownwood spent Christmas with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. F. H. Lindsey, and other relatives in this city. Mrs. Williams was formerly Miss Corda Lindsey.

Safe and Sure.

BALLARD'S HOREHOUND SYRUP

CURES COUGHS, COLDS, BRONCHITIS, WHOOPING COUGH, SORE THROAT, HOARSENESS, LOSS OF VOICE, LOSENS THE PHLEGM AND EASES EXPECTORATION, HEALS THE LUNGS and Prevents CONSUMPTION

Endorsed by the general PUBLIC as the BEST remedy for Children's Croup and Whooping Cough, because it contains Nothing Injurious. The action of Ballard's Horehound Syrup is mild and benign, it is adapted to infants, as well as adults of every variety of temperament and constitution.

Read This Remarkable Testimonial.

MRS. B. W. EVANS, Clearwater, Kas., writes:—"My husband was sick for three months and the doctors told me he had quick consumption. We procured a bottle of Ballard's Horehound Syrup, and it cured him. He is now a well man, but we always keep a bottle in the house, and think it has no equal for pulmonary diseases."

Easy to Take; Sure to Cure; Every Bottle Guaranteed.

THREE SIZES: 25c, 50c, \$1.00.

BALLARD'S SNOW LINIMENT CO., - ST. LOUIS, MO.

SOLD AND RECOMMENDED BY

Wants a Settlement.

All persons indebted to me for dressmaking are requested to settle at once. I realize that several have failed to pay me through carelessness, but now I want the money and must have it. Please don't wait for a second notice. MRS. SANELE.

Don't Get A Divorce.

A western judge granted a divorce on account of ill-temper and bad breath. Dr. King's New Life Pills would have prevented it. They are constipation, causing bad breath and liver trouble, the ill-temper, dispel colds, banish headaches, conquer chills. 35c at Clements' drug store.

Forty-Two Club.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Mullin were host and hostess to the "42" club at Tuesday evening. The evening was a very pleasantly spent. After thirteen interesting games Mr. Walter Fairman won high score for the men and Mrs. R. E. Clements for the ladies.

A MEMBER

Mrs. W. B. Everett and sons returned yesterday from a visit to Livingston.

Raylor Lewis and family of Lometa are visiting relatives here. Their youngest son is dangerously sick.

The Year 1910

The year of 1909 is nearing a close and the New Year of 1910 is dawning upon us.

Before entering into this bright and hopeful New Year we desire to express our appreciation of your kind patronage in past years. It is your valuable patronage that has enabled us to show a substantial gain in Sales every year for the past nine years.

We are striving to please you better every year, and with your assistance we are sure that we can serve you better in the coming year than in the past. **WE NEED YOU and YOU NEED US.**

Yours for Greater 1910.

Little's
ONE PRICE - THAT'S CASH

The Goldthwaite Eagle

R. M. Thompson, Proprietor

Local and Personal.

Miss Helen Woody, who is a teacher in the Killeen school, came home to spend the holidays.

Thos. Moss, of Kentucky has been here a few days visiting his father and the Rahl family.

Miss Kate Foster and Hortense Power came home from San Houston Normal (at Huntsville) to spend the holidays.

Don't neglect your finger nails. Clement's has a full line of manicure goods.

Miss Mildred Baird of Temple spent several days here the last of the week, visiting her father and friends.

Harry Allen of Baird and Ernest Allen of Blanket spent Christmas with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Allen, and other relatives here.

A fine assortment of heating and cooking stoves and plenty of stove pipe at R. E. Clements.

S. C. Hall and family of near Killeen spent Christmas with Mrs. Chamber and other relatives in the South Bennett community.

Prof. Hallmark sent in his renewal for the Eagle this week from Brownsville, where he is principal of the public school, which has a faculty of thirty teachers.

Coleman bread, 12 ounces for 5c, the best bread in Texas at Hudson & Rahl's Market.

A good resolution to make at the beginning of the New Year is that every issue of the Eagle shall be read carefully for the next twelve months. Especially is it important that the advertisements be read with care, for there will be many opportunities offered for the readers to save money on purchases.

A Horrible Hold-Up.

"About ten years ago my brother was 'held up' in his work, health and happiness by what was believed to be hopeless consumption," writes W. R. Linscomb, of Washington, N. C. "He took all kinds of remedies and treatment from several doctors, but found no help till he used Dr. King's New Discovery and was wholly cured by six bottles. He is a well man to day." It's quick to relieve and the surest cure for weak or sore lungs, hemorrhages, coughs and colds, bronchitis, la grippe, asthma and all bronchial affections. 50c and \$1.00. Trial bottle free. Guaranteed by R. E. Clements.

An Old Citizen Gone.

Mrs. Jo H. Frizzell was summoned to Zephyr Tuesday by a message announcing the death of her grandfather, Mr. W. J. Vaan, who was an aged and pioneer citizen of this section. He lived in this county prior to moving to Zephyr and was well known to many Mills county people. He was a fine old gentleman and while his death was not unexpected the announcement was received with sorrow by many.

Every Mother

Is or should be worried when the little ones have a cough or cold. It may lead to croup or pleurisy or pneumonia—then something more serious. Ballard's Horehound Syrup will cure the trouble at once and prevent any complication. Sold by R. E. Clements.

Brave Fire Laddies.

often receive severe burns, putting out fires, then use Bucklen's Arnica Salve and forget them. It soon drives out pain. For burns, scalds, wounds, cuts and bruises its earth's greatest healer. Quickly cures skin eruptions, old sores, boils, ulcers, felons; best pile cure made. Relief is instant. 25c at Clements' drug store.

Priddy.

Editor Eagle:

Quite a period of time has elapsed since I have read an article in the Eagle from this place, and as I sit in my study tonight my thoughts revert Eagle-ward, and I think of the many interesting correspondents who formerly constituted the staff. The writer was once an active correspondent, but has been overlaid with work and has become addicted to procrastination and negligence.

By the way, the new year is almost here—the time for making resolutions. Another year has gone, and many opportunities have glided by us which can never be recalled. But let us begin with renewed energy this new year to accomplish more good than we have ever done.

Christmas passed very quietly and joyfully. Friday night a nice Christmas tree was given for the Sunday school. As the curtains were drawn for the inspection of the tree quite a great surprise befell the onlookers, as it was immediately announced that we should witness a wedding. Miss Clara Priddy and Rev. J. H. McLaughlin of Abilene were happily united in the holy bonds of matrimony. Miss Clara is the eldest daughter of Mr. G. W. Priddy. She is universally loved and respected and will be sadly missed from our midst, as she was a Sunday school teacher and a conscientious church worker. The groom is a young Baptist minister and has prospects of a bright future. They left for their home in Abilene Monday, with the best wishes of all who know them.

School started Monday, Dec. 13, with Prof. Luther Marshall as teacher. The attendance has been limited, but since Christmas is over it is probable that there will be an increase. We have good indications of a fine school.

John Priddy, jr., is at home to spend the holidays, after which he will resume his studies in Howard Payne college.

The regular prayer meeting was omitted Sunday night and Rev. McLaughlin preached a most excellent sermon.

Lee Pfleger and family of Eden are visiting his parents.

Mr. Barker and family, late of eastern Texas, have moved in our vicinity. We are glad to welcome them.

F. M. Grindstaff and wife of Marble Falls arrived last week for a visit to their daughter, Mrs. John Lewis.

Miss Ruth Dodson of Brenham, who has been visiting her parents and other relatives, intends returning to Brenham next week. She has made many friends while here.

Misses Angie and Parlee Wright of North Bennett are visiting at the home of their brother, Watson Wright.

Joe Lewis of Brownwood is spending the holidays with relatives. Mrs. Lewis is expected here Monday for a visit.

We had a good rain this week and have good prospects of a seasonable time next year.

Best wishes for the new year.
AMERICAN LADY.

The Meanest Man in Town

is the one who always wears a frown, is cross and disagreeable, and is short and sharp in his answers. Nine cases out of ten it's not the poor fellow's fault, it's his liver and digestion that makes him feel so miserable, he can't help being disagreeable. Are you in danger of getting into that condition? Then start at once taking Ballard's Herbine for your liver—the safe, sure and reliable vegetable regulator. Sold by R. E. Clements.

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I have bought the Childre Barber Shop and solicit a continuance of the public patronage. Messrs. Parm and R. G. Childre will continue to work in the shop and ask their friends and customers to call.

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Special attention is given to the care of young ladies in dormitory. Christian influences. No saloons. Co-Educational. 375 students enrolled last year. Spring term opens Monday, Jan. 17th, 1910. Commercial department open for entrance at any time.

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