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"An Opportunity to Save"

YOU CAN open a Bank Account with the Savings you make by buying your Dry Goods, Clothing, Shoes, Ladies Suits, Hats, Muslin Underwear, Etc., at the Goldthwaite Mercantile Co.'s Store. Eventually, sooner or later, you are going to need something in the above lines, so why not buy NOW---this week? There is no time more appropriate than the present.



WE ARE so positive you will buy some of the above articles if you will Investigate the Values, that we only ask the privilege of showing them. Remember that this store is the birth place of Lowest Prices, Best Values and Real Bargains. Our name not only stands for the House of Bargains, but for the same Courteous Treatment to one and all.

Goldthwaite Mercantile Co.

COLDTHWAITE, TEXAS

Commercial Club.

Quite a considerable amount of business was transacted at the meeting of the Commercial club Monday night.

B. F. Geeslin reported that the Schuster road, in the Priddy community, had been about completed and the work would be finished in a few days.

The committee in charge of arrangements for the fair and reunion reported progress and suggested that a barbecue be prepared for the last day of the fair, which will be Thursday, July 25. The Fair and Home Industry committee was appointed to solicit funds with which to provide the barbecue and the arrangement committee was added to the soliciting committee. It was estimated that the barbecue would cost \$300. It was agreed that the persons donating the money for the barbecue should be reimbursed as far as possible out of the funds realized from the sale of concessions during the fair and reunion. After all expenses are paid whatever amount is left in the treasury from the sale of the privileges will be apportioned to those subscribing to the barbecue fund. If more money is realized from the sale of privileges than will be needed for reimbursing the subscribers to the barbecue fund the surplus will go into the club's treasury.

The arrangements committee for the fair and reunion was instructed to ascertain if the business men and farmers desired to participate in a parade with decorated floats and other displays on Thursday, July 25, and also invite the various fraternal

orders to take part in such parade.

A committee composed of W. E. Miller, J. C. Street and J. H. Randolph was appointed to solicit premiums for various displays to be made at the fair and reunion, July 23, 24, 25.

The matter of the sale of privileges for the fair grounds was delegated entirely to the arrangements committee, which is composed of B. F. Geeslin, J. H. Randolph and H. G. Bodkin.

The prospect for a bumper cotton crop should not cause the Texas farmer to despair, for the uses of cotton are increasing far more rapidly than production. Press reports from Manila announce that Uncle Sam is putting trousers on the Philipinos and when our fellow citizens on the islands take to full dress, it will open up a new market for cotton goods; likewise the awakening in China will call for more clothing. The Stars and Stripes and Christianity are the two best friends of the cotton farmer and while the bulls and bears are tearing at the fleecy staple, the flag and the Cross light the way to prosperity.—Commercial Secretaries.

A most distressing accident is reported from Yoakum. In a play by local talent a blank cartridge was fired from a pistol, which was pointed at the floor. The wad struck a bean, which was thrown into the eye of a young lady near the stage. The eye ball was burst and the sight destroyed, which renders the lady totally blind, as she had lost the sight of her other eye some years previous.

Bachelor Maids Entertained.

On June the 7th the Bachelor Maids met with Miss Mary Lou Grundy.

The members were requested to come unusually early. At the close of the business session Miss Mary Lou announced that we would have the social part of the club at Mrs. Newall Atkinson's. We felt sure that a merry evening was in store for us, as it is a characteristic of Mrs. Atkinson to leave nothing undone for the pleasure of her guests.

Delicious grape punch was served by Mrs. Frank Geeslin. In the midst of our drinking and toasting, imagine our surprise when in walked the deputy sheriff, followed by all the young men of the town. After we had recovered from the shock of the arrival of the young men, score cards were passed and we enjoyed a progressive game for some time. Floyd Jackson scored highest and received the men's prize. Miss Bina Renfro scored highest of the girls and received the girl's prize.

Little Miss Irene Atkinson passed napkins and was followed by Miss Grundy and Mrs. Atkinson with refreshing cream and cake. Several musical selections were rendered by Misses Pardue and Stephens.

The lights winking reminded us that we must tell Mrs. Atkinson and Miss Grundy good night. Thanking them for one of the most pleasant evenings of the season, we adjourned to meet next with Miss Clyde Lowrie.

A MEMBER.

There is considerable "dark horse" talk among the Democrats relative to the presidential nomination and Mayor Gaynor of New York is being groomed by his friends. However, the prediction is being freely made by many who are in position to size up the situation that Wm. J. Bryan will be the party nominee if none of the candidates can be agreed upon and a "dark horse" becomes necessary.

Downey a Slugger.

In a friendly bout between F. M. Hickman and Rob E. Downey the former received a blow in a vital spot that came near his undoing, and as it was he was confined to his room several days.—Jarrell View.

Mr. Downey's friends here thought he was a "heavy weight" in social matters only and did not expect to hear of his success as a "hard hitter" in the prize ring.

Drink Pure Soda Water



5c—In Bottles—5c

Insist upon having Bottled Soda Water. There is nothing quite so delicious as a bottle of our Iron Brew or Root Beer.

Order a case today and you will never be without it.

Our Soda Water is made from Pure Food flavors. Case 50c—assorted flavors.

We want you to become a member of our "5000" Club by ordering a case of Soda Water.

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Goldthwaite Light & Ice Co.

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Edw. Geeslin, Mgr.

RURAL PHONE 93

ANNOUNCEMENTS. S. C. FINDLEY ANNOUNCES FOR THE SENATE.

The following named gentlemen announce their candidacy for the offices named, subject to the action of the Democratic primary election:
For Representative, 57th District,
A. K. WALSON.

- For County Judge,
S. H. ALLEN
J. W. MASON
- For District Clerk,
J. B. BRINSON
L. E. BOOKER
- For County Clerk,
J. T. PRATER
A. F. KING
W. B. SUMMY
- For Sheriff and Tax Collector,
E. O. PRIDDY
- For Tax Assessor,
C. H. (Nealy) MILLER
A. E. EVANS
- For County Treasurer,
S. T. WELLS
- For County Attorney,
J. O. DARROCH.
E. H. HOOSER.
- For Public Weigher Pre. 1, 2, 4,
W. L. BURKS
A. D. KARNES
- For Commissioner and Justice of the Peace, Precinct No. 1,
M. H. HINES
- For Commissioner and Justice of the Peace, Precinct No. 2,
W. H. LEVERETT
J. R. CARTER
- For Commissioner Precinct No. 3
R. F. SWINDLE
- For Commissioner, Precinct No. 4,
W. H. NELSON.
RIEDE M. HAYNES
Wm. DENNARD.

Oline & Son can save you money on Groceries.
If you need any kind of feed stuff phone Harper.
Better get your supply of Deering Binder Twine from Henry Martin before it is all gone.
The best Twine at 8 1/2c per pound—L. O. Hicks & Son.

Oline's groceries are fresh and wholesome and you can not fail to be pleased when you have your grocery order filled at that place.

It is now well known that not more than one case of rheumatism in ten requires any internal treatment whatever. All that is needed is a free application of Chamberlain's Liniment and massaging the parts at each application. Try it and see how quickly it will relieve the pain and soreness. Sold by R. E. Clements.

The Brown Telegraph and Telephone Co has its line completed to Brownwood and will establish pay stations in that city, but will not put in an exchange at that place, at least for the present. The city council of Brownwood refused to allow the new company to place poles in the streets there, but an application has been made to Judge Goodwin for an injunction to prevent the officers interfering with the construction work.

Louie Miller and Alvin Street came home last Friday night from Fort Worth, where they attended the Texas Christian University last session.

A number of Goldthwaite people attended the Woodmen picnic at Mullin Thursday and report a most enjoyable day.

C. S. Welch and wife were visitors from the Center City community Thursday.

After you have suffered from eye aches

For awhile you will appreciate the immense relief that comes from the wearing of properly fitted glasses. All the burning sensations cease.

And all the aches and pains. And where discomfort formerly was is now absolute eye comfort.

This change can be brought about in a very short time, indeed—and we are ready to undertake it any time you say.

Eyes tested free.

No charge for anything but the glasses, and our prices are right.

**L. E. Miller
Jeweler and
Optician**

Candidate for State Senator From Twenty-Sixth Senatorial District: States His Platform

To the voters of the Twenty-Sixth Senatorial district:

In announcing myself as a candidate for the office of State Senator for this the Twenty-Sixth Senatorial district, composed of the counties of Erath, Comanche, Brown, Coleman, Runnels, Concho, McCullough, San Saba, Llano and Mills, it is not only necessary but just to the people of the district, that I declare my position in regards to certain policies and principles that are now being agitated in Texas.

1.—I am a lifelong Democrat and a believer in the teachings of a progressive democracy which applies well established democratic principles to modern conditions.

2.—I favor the election of United States senators by a direct vote of the people, in fact, the election of all officials—national, state, and county—should be by a direct vote of the people.

3.—The greatest resources of the State are its boys and girls, and as such they demand our most careful consideration and protection, and should be provided with every educational advantage possible. I favor the extension of the scholastic age from 17 to 21 years; the establishment of good High schools in reach of every boy and girl in the State; the amending of the present High school laws as interpreted by some of our county superintendents, in which some of the boys and girls of the country are deprived of certain of the school privileges; the establishing of the departments of agriculture and domestic science in our public schools; and the removal of our state institutions from partisan politics.

4.—As the progress of our great State depends upon the prosperity of the farmers, I favor such laws as will enable them to protect themselves from the organized predatory interests that live upon the profits of the farm; I favor a system of cotton warehouses for the storage of cotton, and aided by our state government in the marketing of same; I favor a liberal appropriation by our state for agricultural demonstration work, which has for its object the raising of the standard of the agricultural interests of the state.

5.—On account of the political strife and agitation incident to our elections every two years, and the democratic precedent of two terms and out, I favor an amendment to our election laws that will make the term of office for State and County officials four years instead of two; I also favor an amendment or simplification of our present Terrell Election Law.

6.—I favor a Daylight Saloon law, a law which will compel all saloons of the state to close their doors at night; I further favor the restricting of saloons to the business sections of our cities and towns.

7.—The expense of our state government has grown to an enormous amount and is still growing larger. I favor an economical appropriation of the people's money. I am opposed to the collection of taxes in excess of the government's annual expenses. Taxes should be levied only on incomes and ownership, and always with and by the consent of a majority of the tax payers. To levy a tax on what a man owes is absolutely unjust.

8.—I favor a liberal appropriation for the old heroes of the 'Lost Cause' and will vote for any measure that will tend to promote their happiness and alleviate their wants.

9.—Legislation that has for its aim the simplification of our court procedure and that will limit reversals on technicalities and that will give the prisoner who is unable to make bond precedence in all cases whatsoever is an urgent need and demand our closest attention.

10.—Good roads are essential to the progress of our state and should receive our most careful attention; I favor a law that will give the property owners of any section of a county the right to vote bonds for the construction of good roads by a majority vote.

In conclusion, permit me to say that it makes no difference what any

Hospitality
There's something of real, downright hospitality in offering a long, cool glass of ice tea with the meal. But be sure it's made with

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There's a delicacy of flavor yet complete tea taste to it—a sort of rich smoothness that just fills the mouth and the being with delightful satisfaction.

Grocers Everywhere
sell White Swan Tea—four sizes in air-tight tins—10c, 25c, 40c and 75c. Should your grocer be one of the few who don't carry it write us for

A "Large Enough" Sample
so that you may learn all about White Swan Tea by the test of taste; we will, on receipt of your grocer's name and address and ten cents in stamps to pay packing and postage, send you a plenty large enough sample package for you to try it several times.

Waples-Platter Grocer Co.
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Individual views are on public questions, which have been or that will be submitted to the people. I shall obey the instructions given me, for the term Representative Government carries with it the idea the people are being represented, not mis-represented. When the voters of Texas and especially of the Twenty-Sixth district, declare themselves concerning certain measures or men, it is the duty of an official to carry out the will of his party or to permit another to do so. I am,

Sincerely yours,
S. C. FINDLEY.
Comanche, Texas.

An Educational Rally.
Teachers and others interested in educational work will be glad to know that arrangements are being made for a rally at this place on Wednesday, July 3, and at Mullin the following Friday. The letter that follows gives the full information: Judge S. H. Allen,
My Dear Sir:
I am sent out by State Supt. F. M. Bralley and others to lecture and distribute literature in behalf of our state institutions of learning. I shall be glad for you to co-operate with me in securing an audience at Goldthwaite and at Mullin. I should like to have a regular rally there, for education in Texas, Wednesday night, July 3, unless you know of a picnic or something of the kind where we could have a larger crowd. Then at Mullin Friday night following. I can entertain the people for about 45 minutes, then distribute literature. I shall surely appreciate your co-operation and should like for you to write me at Gatesville. With kindest regards, I am,
Very truly,
C. W. FOOTE.

The new and up-to-date metal celled awning on the south and east sides of the Trent bank building has been completed. It adds greatly to the appearance of the building and is so arranged as to give the interior of the house the full benefit of the light

It is safe in the Bank
Pay a bill with a check
It is easier
and a check is a receipt

OFFICIAL STATEMENT OF THE FINANCIAL CONDITION OF The Trent State Bank
At Goldthwaite, State of Texas, at the close of business on the 14th day of June, 1912, published in the Goldthwaite Eagle, a newspaper printed and published at Goldthwaite, State of Texas, on the 22nd day of June, 1912.

RESOURCES:	
Loans and discounts, personal or collateral	\$159,504 53
Overdrafts	368 83
Real Estate (banking house)	7,175 02
Furniture and Fixtures	3,625 00
Due from Approved Reserve Agents, net	\$43,901 47
Due from other Banks and Bankers, subject to check, net	8,761 62
Cash Items, Currency and Specie	17,803 18
Interest in Depositors Guar. Fund	1,739 43
Other Resources as follows:	
Assessment Guaranty Fund	229 67
Bills of Exchange	54 25
TOTAL	\$243,331 70
LIABILITIES:	
Capital Stock paid in	\$ 50,000 00
Surplus Fund	25,000 00
Undivided Profits, net	4,568 22
Due to Banks and Bankers, subject to check, net	5,078 61
Individual Deposits, subject to check	132,407 67
Time Certificates of Deposit	25,000 00
Cashier's Checks	1,317 00
TOTAL	\$243,331 70

STATE OF TEXAS—COUNTY OF MILLS, ss.
We, E. B. Anderson as president, and W. C. Dew as cashier of said bank, each of us, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of our knowledge and belief.
E. B. ANDERSON, President.
W. C. DEW, Cashier.
Sworn and subscribed to before me this 21st day of June, A. D. 1912.
WITNESS my hand and notarial seal on the date last aforesaid.
CARRIE BODKIN, Notary Public.
R. M. THOMPSON,
ELI FAIRMAN,
O. H. YARBOROUGH, Directors.

CORRECT—ATTEST:

For Sale—23 interest in the livery stable building and lots now occupied by Luther Rudd's livery business. Will sell the two-thirds interest in the property for \$900—For information apply at the Regie office.
Tornado Insurance \$1000 for three years for \$4—M. N. Brinson.
A new lot of refrigerators at Weems & Estep's.

E. C. Estep returned Saturday night from Abilene, where he was called a week previous on account of the serious illness of his brother, S. H. Estep, who was suffering with appendicitis. An operation was performed on the general man at Abilene and he is getting along well and will soon be fully recovered.

American Beauty CORSETS



CHARMINGLY attractive garments producing that prepossessing quality known as—style.

All of the latest metropolitan achievements in corset fashions are found in

American Beauty Corsets

These can be worn with equal effectiveness, whether beneath a rich, costly dress or under a simple, inexpensive gown—the result is the same—A STYLISH FIGURE.

\$1.00 and upwards
B. F. GEESLIN MERCANTILE CO.

Dry weather prices are named on groceries at Oline's.

The Lampasas summer normal, in which Prof. Goodnight will be a teacher, will open Tuesday.

Oline & Son will make it interesting for you if you will give them your order for groceries.

E. M. Wilson of near Poffville was here Thursday and called to have his name added to the Eagle's growing list.

You can get nice, fresh groceries from Gardner & Rankner and the price will be right all the time.

Mrs. M. H. Hearne and children arrived from San Angelo this week for a visit to relatives here and at Payne.

Mrs. King and daughter and Miss Alice Williams and Richard Hill, all of Long Branch community, left Thursday for a visit to relatives in Georgia and Tennessee.

You can just as well save money by giving Oline your order for groceries and you get the best of everything.

F. K. Lasky, one of the Eagle's good friends, this week ordered the names of Luther Cavalry at Eddy, Texas, and G. H. Lasky at Moody, Texas, added to the Eagle's growing list of readers.

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

Rev. F. M. Jackson returned Wednesday night from Georgetown, where he attended the Theological Institute. He will fill his pulpit at the regular hours Sunday.

Cut your grain with a Deering binder and save it all. Henry Martin can supply you with a binder or mower.

Will K. Marshall of the Eagle office received the sad news Monday night of the death of his father at the family home in Glasgow, Scotland. The old gentleman had been in ill health some time and suffered an apoplectic stroke about two years ago. Mr. Marshall's friends here who have learned of his bereavement, have been kind in offering to him their sympathy and he is deeply grateful for their thoughtfulness and kindness.

You can enjoy a Sunday afternoon drive in a merry stable outfit for a mighty little money. Phone and see.

MALARIA

headache, biliousness, indigestion, rheumatism, pimples, blotches, yellow complexion, etc., are all signs of poisons in your blood. These poisons should be driven out, or serious illness may result. Get rid of them, use

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reliable, purely
liver medicine.

H. H. Easler, of
S. C., says:
"I tried Thedford's
Black-Draught, and
it is better than
any other I have
used. It sells it, in
ages."

Insure
Thedford's

Sheriff's Sale.

The State of Texas—County of Mills
Notice is hereby given that by virtue of a certain order of sale issued out of the Honorable District Court of Mills county, Texas, on the 5th day of June, A. D. 1912, by L. E. Booker, clerk of said court, for the sum of \$425.00 and costs of suit under a certain foreclosure decree in favor of E. G. Crawford for a certain cause in said court No. 1261, and styled E. G. Crawford vs Farm Ohldre et al, placed in my hands for service, I, E. O. Priddy, Sheriff of Mills county, did on the 5th day of June, A. D. 1912, levy on certain real estate situated in Mills county, Texas, described as lots Nos. five (5) and six (6) in block No. twenty-one (21), located and situated in the city of Goldthwaite, in Mills county, Texas; and more fully described on the plat of said town made by A. S. Haynie, Engineer, and levied upon as the property of Farm Ohldre, A. O. Frontroy, Mrs. P. O. Frontroy, H. A. Carey, Rankin Land Company, a partnership composed of J. C. Duff and Ed R. Brashears, and W. H. Stevenson. And on the first Tuesday in July, A. D. 1912, the same being the 2nd day of said month, at the court house door of Mills county, in the city of Goldthwaite, Texas, between the hours of 10 a. m. and 4 p. m., by virtue of said levy and said order of sale.

I will sell the above described real estate at public vendue, for cash, to the highest bidder, as the property of the said Farm Ohldre, A. O. Frontroy, Mrs. P. O. Frontroy, H. A. Carey, Rankin Land Company, a partnership composed of J. C. Duff and Ed R. Brashears, and W. H. Stevenson.

In compliance with law, I give this notice by publication in the English language, once a week for three consecutive weeks immediately preceding said day of sale, in the Goldthwaite Eagle, a newspaper published in Mills county.

Witness my hand this, the 5th day of June, A. D. 1912. E. O. PRIDDY,
Sheriff, Mills County, Texas.

Notice of Sale.

The State of Texas—County of Mills.
Notice is hereby given, that by virtue of a certain order of sale issued out of the Honorable District Court of Mills county, Texas, on the 5th day of June, 1912, by the Hon. L. E. Booker, clerk of said court, for the sum of Six Hundred and Seventy two and 50/100 (\$672.50) Dollars and costs of suit, under a judgment in favor of J. H. Randolph, in a certain cause in said court No. 1248, and styled J. H. Randolph vs J. L. Kinnebrew and G. W. Gregory, placed in my hands for service, I, E. O. Priddy, as sheriff of Mills County, Texas, did on the 5th day of June, 1912, levy on certain real estate situated in Mills County, Texas, described as follows, to-wit:

120 acres of land off of the west side of the east one-half (1/2) of Section No. 52, E. T. Ry. Co. state school land, said Section No. 52 having been surveyed by the E. T. Ry. Company by virtue of Certificate No. 31, 423, and sold and awarded by the Commissioner of the General Land Office to J. L. Kinnebrew on July 19, 1890; being the same land conveyed by J. L. Kinnebrew to G. W. Gregory by deed dated Nov. 15, 1911, and recorded in deed records of Mills County, Vol. 31, page 509; and being all of the east one-half of said section 52 E. T. Ry. Co. survey, save and except 200 acres conveyed by J. L. Kinnebrew to J. N. Weatherby and J. M. Allen by deed dated Jan. 4th, 1912, recorded in Vol. 31, page 541, deed records of Mills County, Texas; and levied on as the property of the defendant J. L. Kinnebrew. And on the first Tuesday in July, 1912, the same being the 2nd day of said month, by virtue of said levy and order of sale, at the court house door of Mills County, in the town of Goldthwaite, Texas, between the hours of 10 o'clock a. m. and 4 p. m., I will sell the above described real estate at public vendue, for cash to the highest bidder, as the property of said J. L. Kinnebrew; and in compliance with law, I give this notice by publication in the English language, once a week for three consecutive weeks immediately preceding said day of sale, in the Goldthwaite Eagle, a newspaper published in Mills County, Texas.

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Sheriff of Mills County, Texas

Let Us Fit You.

If the glasses you are using are not satisfactory go to Miller's Jewelry Store, where you can get your eyes properly tested and correctly fitted with glasses that will satisfy you and be a pleasure to read with. We test your eyes and fit correctly and guarantee perfect satisfaction.

Gin for Trade.

I have a complete set of Gin machinery to trade for land or horses; will deliver at nearest station.

B. E. HULBERT,
Brownwood, Texas

HARVEST TIME IS HERE

We can supply TWINE. Place your orders for present or future delivery.

Our Stock of Furniture has never been Better and we have some especially Pretty Patterns of Mattings and Rugs.

We have the Best lines of Farming Implements, from Breaking Plows to Weeding Hoes, and we treat you right on the Price.

Our Coffin Department is stocked with all sizes and grades of Coffins. The Only Licensed Embalmer in Mills County is in our store.

WE WILL APPRECIATE YOUR BUSINESS

Bodkin, Hurdle & Company

Sheriff's Sale.

The State of Texas—County of Mills.

Notice is hereby given that by virtue of an order of sale issued out of the Honorable District Court of Mills County, Texas, on the 5th day of June, A. D. 1912, by L. E. Booker, Clerk of said court, for the sum of \$1036.30 and costs of suit, under a foreclosure decree in favor of E. E. Estep, in a certain cause in said court No. 1244, and styled E. E. Estep vs U. A. Donowho et al, placed in my hands for service, I, E. O. Priddy, Sheriff of Mills county, did on the 5th day of June, A. D. 1912, levy on certain real estate situated in Mills County, Texas, described as Lots Nos. seven (7) and eight (8) in Block No. twenty (20) in the town of Goldthwaite, Mills county, Texas, according to the plat thereof made by A. S. Haynie, Engineer, and levied upon as the property of U. A. Donowho. And that on the first Tuesday in July, A. D. 1912, the same being the second day of said month, at the court house door of Mills county, in the city of Goldthwaite, Texas, between the hours of 10 a. m. and 4 p. m., by virtue of said levy and the said order of sale, I will sell said above described real estate at public vendue for cash to the highest bidder, as the property of U. A. Donowho and Steve Murphy.

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1st tract: A part of the O. B. Thompson survey, J. P. Burleson, J. A. Spratt and H. Hufstutler, 136 acres of the O. B. Thompson, 6.4 acres of the J. P. Burleson, 80 acres of the J. A. Spratt and 85 acres of the H. Hufstutler and meted and bounded as follows: Beginning at Tom Hufstutler's s-e cor a L. O. in R. H. Wood's s line; thence s 57° vrs to a stone mound in D. J. Smith's E line; thence N 35° vrs to the s-w corner of the O. B. Thompson survey a st md a L. O. mkd X N 1 E 15 vrs do 8 78 E 31 vrs; thence E 109° vrs to Thompson's s-e corner; thence N 70° vrs Thompson's n-e cor a st md a L. O. mkd H N 17 E 43 vrs; thence w 95° vrs to the s-w cor of A. M. Brown survey; thence n 64° vrs a st md under wire fence in K. Dunn's E line; thence w 70° vrs to Thomas Hufstutler's n-e cor; thence 8 1859.8

vrs to the beginning, and containing 307.4 acres of land.

2nd tract: Beginning at R. H. Wood's s-e cor a L. O. mkd X 8 50 w 16 vrs; thence W 63° vrs a st md in wood's s line; thence 8 1202 vrs a st md a P. O. mkd X N 45 E 3 1/2 vrs; thence s 156° vrs a st md; thence N 97° vrs a st md; thence E 70° vrs a st md n-w cor R. N. Brown survey; thence N 116° vrs to a cor in D. J. Smith's E line; thence w 169° vrs to st md in R. H. Wood's E line; thence 8 936 vrs to the beginning, and containing 637.1-10 acres of land out of the I. & G. N. Ry. Co survey in Mills County, Texas, and levied upon as the property of E. M. Myer, Mrs. Wilhelmina Myer, S. W. Fordyce, Pierce-Fordyce Oil Association a private corporation, and Mc Ardou Hardware Company's partnership, Monning Dry Goods Company a private corporation, and J. O. Street. And that on the first Tuesday in July, A. D. 1912, the same being the second day of said month, at the court house door of Mills county, in the city of Goldthwaite, Texas, between the hours of 10 a. m. and 4 p. m., by virtue of the said levy and the said order of sale, I will sell said above described real estate at public vendue for cash to the highest bidder, as the property of the said E. M. Myer, Mrs. Wilhelmina Myer, S. W. Fordyce, Pierce-Fordyce Oil Association a private corporation, Mc Ardou Hardware Company's partnership, Monning Dry Goods Company a private corporation, and J. O. Street.

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Sheriff, Mills County, Texas

You Need Glasses.

If your eyes ache, tire quickly, and print blur when you try to read or do close work, a perfectly fitted pair of glasses will relieve all this trouble and it will be quite a satisfaction to you. At Miller's Jewelry Store you can have your eyes examined free, and glasses correctly fitted at a small cost to you, and satisfaction guaranteed.

All Are Invited.

The many friends here of Miss Ada Moore, who was one of the popular teachers in Goldthwaite High school two years ago, have a cordial invitation to attend her wedding in Lampasas next Monday evening, according to the following announcement, which was sent the Eagle for publication. The lady's many admiring friends here join in extending good wishes and congratulations in advance.

THE INVITATION.

"You are invited to attend the wedding of Miss Ada Moore and Mr. Martin Forrest Markward Monday evening, June 24, 1912, at 8:30 o'clock at the Central Christian church, Lampasas, Texas. No other invitations are to be issued."

L. O. Hicks & Son sell the best Binder Twine at 8 1/2c.

Mrs. Chas. Rudd and children went to San Saba Thursday for a visit to Mrs. H. H. Taylor.

Some of the prettiest iron beds you ever saw at Weems & Estep's.

Rev. J. O. Newman will preach in Craver school house Sunday afternoon at 4 o'clock. Everybody has a cordial invitation to be present.

Mrs. Smith left for her home in Fort Worth Wednesday night, after a visit to her sister-in-law, Mrs. S. A. R. Smith, in this city.

Money to loan on Vendor Lien notes.—D. H. Trent & Son.

Mrs. J. H. Stonham of Stoneham, Grimes county, arrived in this city Thursday for a visit to her niece, Mrs. R. M. Thompson, and family.

For Sale—I have a good milk cow to sell or trade for a horse.—E. L. Martin.

Mrs. F. M. Jackson returned Wednesday from a visit to relatives in Zephyr. Mrs. J. M. Hicks and little son accompanied them to this city for a visit to relatives.

If you want the best flour to be had order from Oline.

W. C. McBride has opened an excellent moving picture show here. Entertainments are given at the Air Dome every night and attract large crowds.

If you want pure milk, feed your cows pure feed. Order from Harper. Both phones.

H. J. Carothers and family went to Brownwood Thursday to have his little son's eye treated by a specialist. The little fellow stuck a knife in his eye and serious results were feared.

You will enjoy a drive in one of Rudd's new vehicles. Phone your order to the stable.

Don't forget the special sale on groceries at Oline's.

J. B. Whitman and wife arrived in this city Monday from Fort Worth, where they were married Sunday, and are now at home in the residence known as the O. M. Allen place, in the southern part of this city.

A few Deering Binders in stock for immediate delivery. Those who have not placed their orders for one of these machines should call at once.

Attention is directed to the advertisement of the Brownwood summer normal, which appears in another column. On account of its convenience, as well as the good work of the normal, it is likely a number of Mills county teachers will attend.

If you have chickens, eggs or butter see L. O. Hicks & Son.

The commissioners court met Monday as a board of equalization and has since been in session. It is thought the work will be completed today, and the members of the court will leave Sunday night for Stamford and other points, where they will be the guests of architects for the inspection of various modern court houses recently built in that section of the state.

Milo maize, Red Top cane, Big German millet, Iowa Silver Mine corn seed for sale at Harper's grain store.

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R. M. THOMPSON, Editor

The splendid rain that fell in all parts of Texas Monday night was indeed beneficial to growing crops and reports say a good corn crop is almost assured.

Some of the friends of Cone Johnson wanted him to make the nominating speech for Woodrow Wilson in the Baltimore convention and Mr. Wilson announced that the arrangement would be decidedly satisfactory to him. However, it is likely a native of New Jersey will be named for the honor and it is announced that Senator Gore, formerly of Texas and now of Oklahoma, known as the blind orator, will second the nomination of Mr. Wilson.

The revolution in Mexico has reached the stage where it is little more than a few scattered bands of outlaws. The leaders have failed to inspire the confidence of the populace and could not finance their rebellion and Madero has proved himself able to master the situation. However, the Diaz methods had to be resorted to by the government and many revolutionists were summarily put to death. On one day two hundred of them were hung without trial and every man found bearing arms was either put to death or taken prisoner.

A very unusual marriage ceremony was begun at Wichita Falls, Texas, a few days ago and will be completed in Amsterdam, Holland. The groom, who is a book keeper in Wichita Falls, signed a certificate that he wished to marry a young lady in Amsterdam, Holland, and the paper is on its way to that country, where it will be approved by the queen and then delivered to the young lady in question, who is to sign it, which will be a completion of the marriage ceremony. The lady is expected to leave her native home within a few weeks to join her husband in Texas.

The Attorney General's department has ruled that an unmarried woman can hold office in Texas but a married woman can not. We would not for a minute think of taking the side of an unmarried woman against the boss of the family, and yet it is consoling to know that there are some things a married woman cannot have their way about. We are not advised, and cannot speak of our own knowledge, but we are willing to wager our lawn mower against anything of value that the Attorney General who gave out the opinion above mentioned is not a married man. If he is, may the Lord have mercy upon him.—Honey Grove Signal.

It has been authoritatively estimated that ninety-five per cent of the taxes collected by the state and by its subdivision are used in keeping the peace, adjusting disputes and performing the clerical functions of government, leaving less than five per cent to be used in the development of its resources. There was a time in Texas when policing the state was perhaps the most important function of government but new and larger responsibilities are now upon us and if we are to become a metropolitan state, we must give attention to the progressive element of our population as well as to the turbulent and dangerous.—Commercial Secretaries.

NEIGHBORING NEWS.

Items Culled From the Leading Local Papers.

LOMETA
 Mrs. W. F. Page has returned home after a week's pleasant sojourn in Bell and Williamson counties.

M. F. Kirby & Sons have bought from McCarsen and Bryant the corner brick building now occupied by their drug firm.

Lometa Independent school board has elected C. L. Smith, from Denton, as principal of Lometa High School.

John Hester and family from Mullin were here this week visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Baylor Lewis.

M. D. Hall of the Antelope Gap community was in Lometa Tuesday.

The Joe Scott market has been closed, Norman Nelson having bought the business and consolidated it with the McLean and Hightower market. Bud Hill has bought the interest of Everett Hightower, leaving McLean, Hill & Nelson to constitute the new firm.—Reporter.

COMANCHE
 While driving through the pasture last Monday, Emerson Kelly of this city happened to a serious accident and came near losing his life when his horse ran away.

At the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Cal Williams, in the southern part of Comanche, Charlie Wells of Paris and Miss Tennie Williams were united in marriage last Sunday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Cunningham, I. G. Wyatt and daughter, Miss Nellen, left Tuesday for the northwest. They will visit in Colorado, California, Washington, Yellow Stone Park and many other notable places, including also Salt Lake City, and spend a couple of months recuperating. Mr. and Mrs. Cunningham will visit their son Clifton at San Francisco.—Chief.

SAN SABA
 J. E. Odione has purchased the home place of T. B. Hart, paying \$3000 for it.

Mr. Ward Helman and Miss Annie Leigh Polk were married yesterday afternoon at 3:30 at the home of the bride's father, J. R. Polk.

J. C. Beckham has been appointed County Commissioner by Judge Hartley for the 3rd precinct to fill the place of Commissioner Cornet, resigned.

J. M. Mauldin of Cherokee was here yesterday and gave the Star his method of killing grasshoppers. He says he caught and killed a large zinc bucketful and put arsenic over them and thoroughly mixed the hoppers and dry arsenic and then scattered them over his farm. The live ones will eat the poisoned ones and then die. He says he had about 20 acres of cotton that he thought they would destroy, but he has stopped them almost completely.—Star.

LAMPASAS
 Miss Louise Harris and her brother, Paul Harris, are guests of their sister, Mrs. C. C. Abney.

Rev. W. F. Crum, who has been holding a protracted meeting at the Methodist church here, has returned to his home at Greenville.

W. F. Hearne of Goldthwaite was here a day or two of this week visiting his son, Dr. B. F. Hearne, and looking after some business interests. Mr. Hearne owns some good property in Lampasas.

Mrs. Joe B. Townsen has returned to her home at Lometa,



The richest soil produces nothing if you plant nothing
Plant money and grow a fortune

"Whatever a man Soweth, that shall he Reap"

YOU cannot reap anything else—you must reap what you have sown. If you want a Fortune, plant the seed that will produce fortunes. You can do so.

One deposit after another in this good bank is the seed that, if properly cultivated, will grow you a Fortune. Start a bank account with us, build to it from time to time, and have something in your old age that will make you secure and comfortable. Sow in the Spring-time of Youth and in the Autumn of Life you shall reap A GOLDEN HARVEST.

Remember that this Bank is a SECURE Place to keep your Money.

A Guaranty Fund Bank

The Trent State Bank is a Guaranty Fund Bank, incorporated under the Laws of the State of Texas—the strictest and safest banking laws known. Its non-interest bearing and unsecured deposits are protected by the Depositors Guaranty Fund of the State of Texas.

A Guaranty Fund Bank

THE TRENT STATE BANK

GOLDTHWAITE, TEXAS

after a pleasant visit with her father, Wm. Alexander, the little daughters, Amy and Lila, remaining a day or two longer.

Reports which seem to be reliable state that Judge J. C. Matthews and family will return to Lampasas in the near future to become permanent residents here. They have been living in Houston for the past several years.—Leader.

HAMILTON
 E. R. Misener leaves today for Wisconsin, South Dakota, Iowa and other points in the north, his old home. He has not visited some of his people there for over thirty years. His mother went up there some two weeks ago and is now in South Dakota.

Little Raymond Kelly, the 7-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Kelly, who live in the east part of town, had the misfortune to drop an ax on his foot Saturday that cut off two of his toes. The little boy was holding the ax against a grindstone trying to sharpen it when he let it slip with the above result.

Monday evening late Doc Shirley, an industrious farmer on Blue Ridge, a few miles south of Hamilton, was terribly mangled with a reaper and while not suffering instant death, his escape from it is almost a miracle. He was cutting oats and had six horses hitched to the machine. Warner Whittenton was riding on it and managing it and Shirley was on one of the lead horses and while on the ground the team became frightened and ran and he fell right in front of the binder. Whittenton had no way

to stop the horses, but he had the presence of mind to throw the machine out of gear and this stopped the knife from working, but the sharp points of it caught Shirley and dragged him for 150 or 200 yards. One of the wheels ran over a bundle of oats, lifting one side and the machine jumped over Shirley, thus releasing him from further injury. His head was terribly cut, large pieces of his scalp being torn off and his whole face was badly lacerated. A hole was cut through his lip and several teeth knocked out. His left arm was cut and his wrist all torn to pieces. His left leg was horribly mangled, large chunks of flesh and bone being torn out.—Herald.

BROWNWOOD
 Friends were grieved to learn of the death of Clarence A. Chambers, which occurred this morning at five o'clock, following a long and tedious illness.

Prof. and Mrs. J. H. Grove on Saturday last received a letter from their daughter, Roxey, signifying her intention of prolonging her stay in foreign lands for yet another year.

Wednesday afternoon at Gholson, Ireland Cox, the only child of Mr. and Mrs. Marvin W. Cox, died after an illness of some nine weeks.

Jess Cassiday, formerly of Brownwood, but for the past eleven years a successful lawyer of McComb, Miss., has been spending a week in the city with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. S. Cassiday.

Mrs. S. R. Coggin will leave next Wednesday for Dallas,

where she will join a party of tourists who will make a trip through Europe, spending several months abroad. She will not return until some time in October.

Dodd Hammond, who is employed at the Hood Dairy, came to town this morning and made report to the officers of an occurrence at Cannon school house, in which he received a severe blow in the face with a rock or sling shot. He said he had been to an ice cream supper there and had gone out a few yards from the crowd and was sitting on the ground when a stranger came up to him and shook hands with him and then hit him in the face with a sling shot. A deep cut was inflicted in his forehead and on his nose, but he was not seriously injured.—Bulletin.

The police department of Houston is being investigated by the mayor and daily hearings are being held, where citizens are allowed to tell their grievances against the members of the police department. Half the citizens tell is true the mayor should certainly dismiss a large number of the men.

Move On Now!
 says a policeman to a street crowd and whacks heads if it don't. "Move on now," says the big Irish mineral pills to bowel congestion and suffering follows. Dr. King's New Life Pills don't bulldoze the bowels. They gently persuade them to right action, and health follows. 25c at R. E. Clements.

What Texans Admire
 is hearty, vigorous life, according to Hugh Tallman, of San Antonio. "We find," he writes, "that Dr. King's New Life Pills surely put new life and energy into a person. Wife and I believe they are the best made." Excellent for stomach, liver or kidney troubles. 25c at R. E. Clements.

BE AT THE
Methodist Church
SUNDAY

You will receive
A Royal Welcome

The pastor desires that every member of the church shall be in his or her place at the **Eleven o'clock hour.**

WE EXTEND
A Special Invitation

To All Visitors and Strangers in our town.

F. M. JACKSON, Pastor

LOCAL AND PERSONAL

You should see the pretty iron beds at Weems & Estep's.

Mrs. Yates and her son, Earl, left Tuesday for a visit to relatives in Brownwood.

Chickens, eggs, and butter bought at the highest market price by L. O. Hicks & Son.

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

Mrs. J. W. Smith and daughter went to San Saba Monday for a visit to friends and relatives.

Mrs. Ben Soules and Mrs. Dora Barr, both of Star, boarded the train here Monday en route to Oklahoma for a visit to relatives.

Two cars of the latest styles of bugles arrived this week at Cockrum and Co's.

Mrs. Al Dickerson, after a two week visit with home folks in Coleman, returned to Goldthwaite Sunday. Her sister, Miss Lillian Grady, accompanied her to Goldthwaite for a visit.—Coleman Voice.

Don't forget old DAD MULLINS when you have hauling to do. Phone your order to his residence or to Marshall & Dickerson's market.

When you feel lazy, out of sorts and a good deal in the daytime, you may charge it to a torpid liver which allows the system to get full of poisons. Herbine cures all disorders produced by an inactive liver. It strengthens that organ, cleanses the bowels and puts the system in a healthy condition. Price 50c. Sold by R. E. Clements.

Ride the Waves at Galveston Low Fares via



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and for train fare Galveston before Sunday, June 23, and return Monday, June 24, 1912 at approximately one-half of the regular one-half fare for the round-trip fare.

For detail information see J. W. ARNOLD, agent, G. O. & S. F. Ry., Goldthwaite.

AGE NO BAR.

Everybody in Goldthwaite is Eligible.

Old people stooped with suffering, Middle age, courageously fighting, Youth protesting impatiently; Children, unable to explain; All in misery from their kidneys. Perhaps a little backache first. Urinary disorders, dropsy may quickly follow.

Doan's Kidney Pills are for sick kidneys. Are endorsed by thousands.

Mrs. H. H. Tisdale, Coleman, Tex., says: "I have tried Doan's Kidney Pills in a case of one of the younger members of my family whose kidneys were in a weakened condition. There was no control over the kidney secretions at night, and the person was subject to dizziness and nervousness. One box of Doan's Kidney Pills did more to correct these difficulties than anything else we ever used. It gives me pleasure to endorse this splendid medicine."

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

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

Mrs. T. J. Burns.

Mrs. Burns, wife of T. J. Burns, died at their home this morning at 9:00 with stomach trouble. She had been in feeble health for several months. She was 52 years, 5 months and 15 days old at the time of her death. She was a kind, devoted wife and mother and a true friend, and she will be greatly missed by a host of friends. The funeral services will be conducted at the residence, 709, Fourteenth street, at 3:30 p. m. Sunday afternoon by Rev. J. J. Justice, pastor of the First Baptist church, and the remains will be tenderly laid to rest in the Ballinger cemetery Sunday afternoon at 4:30 p. m. The Ledger joins many friends in condolence and sympathy for the bereaved, relatives left to mourn her death.—Ballinger Ledger.

Mrs. Burns was the mother of Mrs. Monroe Simms and Roy and Albert Burns of this city. The sympathy of all their friends goes out to them and the other members of the bereaved family.

Ends Hunt For Rich Girl.

Often the hunt for a rich wife ends when the man meets a woman that uses Electric Bitters. Her strong nerves tell in a bright brain and even temper. Her peach-bloom complexion and ruby lips result from her pure blood; her bright eyes from restful sleep; her elastic step from firm, free muscles, all telling of the health and strength Electric Bitters give a woman, and the freedom from indigestion, backache, headache, fainting and dizzy spells they promote. Everywhere they are woman's favorite remedy. If weak or ailing try them 50c at R. E. Clements.

W. M. Featherston orders the Eagle sent to his daughter, Mrs. Ollie Allard, at Manhattan, Kan.

Weems & Estep will trade you new furniture and take second hand furniture in payment.

Plenty of Deering Binder Twine at Henry Martin's, but it is going fast. Better get your supply quick.

Sherwin Williams Paint is not a cheap paint but a good one. Harris & McCullough sell it.

Insure your property against damage from tornadoes. \$1000 insurance for three years for \$4.—M. N. Brinson.

Sherwin-Williams Paint is the cheapest in the long run. For sale at Harris & McCullough's.

Milomaize, Red Top cane, Big German millet, Iowa Silver Mine corn seed for sale at Harper's grain store.

Mrs. John Sauters, nee Miss Beulah Rahl, will hereafter receive the Eagle at Lehigh, Okla.

Weems & Estep have pretty new furniture to trade for stock, second hand furniture or nearly anything.

Harris & McCullough have been unloading all kinds of barn and grainery material this week.

Luther Radd has added some swell new rigs to his livery stable. Phone him when you want to take a drive and he will give your order prompt attention.

Mr. and Mrs. I. S. Myer returned to their home in Houston on Sunday night's train, after a visit to his sister, Mrs. M. E. Thompson, and other relatives in this city.

You can get the best Binder Twine from Hicks & Son at 8 1/2c.

Joe Sims does all kinds of job hauling. Phone your order to W. E. Grisham or to my residence. I will meet the train at night if called.

When your child has whooping cough be careful to keep the cough loose and expectoration easy by giving Chamberlain's Cough Remedy as may be required. This remedy will also liquify the tough mucus and make it easier to expectorate. It has been used successfully in many epidemics and is safe and sure. For sale by R. E. Clements.

Found—A man's coat with Woodmen pin on lapel was left at Every company's store several months ago and has evidently been forgotten. The owner can get it by paying 50 cents for this notice.

We do expert horse shoeing and all other kinds of blacksmith work at our shop on the east side of the square. None but experienced workmen and the best material. Our prices are right and we will appreciate your patronage.—Bieker & Koen.

Each age of our lives has its joys. Old people should be happy and they will be if Chamberlain's Tablets are taken to strengthen the digestion and keep the bowels regular. These tablets are mild and gentle in their action and especially suitable for people of middle age and older. For sale by R. E. Clements.

Sheriff's Sale.

The State of Texas—County of Mills. Notice is hereby given, that by virtue of a certain order of sale issued out of the Honorable District Court of Mills County, on the 5th day of June, A. D. 1912, by L. E. Booker, Clerk of said court, for the sum of \$560.00 and costs of suit, under a foreclosure decree in favor of E. B. Anderson in a certain cause in said court, No. 1258, and styled E. B. Anderson vs. J. M. Allen et al, placed in my hands for service, I, E. O. Priddy, as Sheriff of Mills County, Texas, did on the 5th day of June, A. D. 1912, levy on certain real estate situated in Mills County, Texas, described as the south east one fourth (1/4) of Section No. forty eight (48), Eastern Texas Railway Company survey, state school land, located by virtue of certificate No. 21, 431, and being the east one half (1/2) of the south one half (1/2) of said section, sold and awarded by the Commissioner of the General Land Office to E. M. Simpson, and levied upon as the property of J. M. Allen, S. D. Florence, J. H. Clifton, and G. J. Smith, and on the first Tuesday in July, A. D. 1912, at the same being the 2nd day of said month, at the court house door of Mills county, in the city of Goldthwaite, Texas, between the hours of 10 a. m. and 4 p. m., by virtue of said levy and said order of sale, I will sell said above described real estate at public vendue for cash, to the highest bidder as the property of said J. M. Allen, S. D. Florence, J. H. Clifton and G. J. Smith.

And in compliance with law, I give this notice by publication in the English language once a week for three consecutive weeks immediately preceding the day of sale. In the Goldthwaite Eagle, a newspaper published in said Mills county.

Witness my hand this the 5th day of June, A. D. 1912. E. O. PRIDDY, Sheriff, Mills County, Texas.

LUMBER

If you are going to build a HOUSE, BARN, FENCE, CELLAR or anything that needs L-U-M-B-E-R Figure with us, for we believe we can save you Money and know we can furnish you the VERY BEST MATERIAL

J. H. RANDOLPH

LUMBER

"A New Firm"
HARPER & BARROW

(Successors to HARPER, The Feed Man)

"DIVIDE THE PROFITS" WILL CONTINUE TO BE OUR MOTTO

A good line of Correspondents to insure our Customers

THE HIGHEST MARKET PRICE FOR THEIR HAY AND GRAIN

We also carry a Full Line of

FEED STUFF, FLOUR AND MEAL

See Us Before You Buy

FREE DELIVERY IN CITY

Both Phones

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1895

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1912

GRANITE AND IRON FENCING

Over 16 Years in Business Here.

Figure with me when in need of anything in my line. I am in position to save you money on anything in my line. All I ask is a chance. I guarantee my work and will remain here to back my guarantee. See my New Designs before placing an order.

J. D. KEESER
Both Phones. Fisher Street, Goldthwaite.

REAL ESTATE

460 ACRES— In Mills County, fronting on the Colorado river, three sets of good improvements, 150 acres in cultivation, 250 acres more first-class valley land, on public road in 4 miles of railroad, 150 acres can be irrigated. This is the cheapest farm on the Colorado river and is well worth \$40 per acre. See me and learn the reason for offering this land at the low price, partly on time, \$25.00 PER ACRE of only.....

F. M. LONG, Goldthwaite

WHITE CREST FLOUR

Is the Highest Grade Flour ever sold in this town, we think. There's no better Flour made, that's certain. Let's give you a sack to try. Other grades are

"CREAM" AND "TROPHY" and they are good, but we especially recommend

"WHITE CREST"

SACK FOR THE ASKING, AS A TRIAL

GARDNER & FAULKNER

BOTH PHONES

The Goldthwaite Eagle

Saturday, June 22, 1912.

Every sack of our flour is guaranteed - W. E. Harper.

Try a cantaloupe Sunday. They're good at the Palace of Sweets.

D. D. McBride is remodeling and improving his residence in the eastern portion of the town.

Deering Mowers and Rakes at Henry Martin's, ready for immediate delivery.

J. C. Gibson of Bangs sent in a renewal of his subscription this week, for which we thank him.

Oats, chops, bran and other good fresh feed stuff at Harper's.

Prof. W. C. Crane and his wife and child are expected to arrive from Franklin this morning for a visit to Will H. Trent and wife and other relatives.

Logan Price and wife of Indian Gap visited Lis Walker and family in this city Sunday. Miss Edna Cagle, who had been visiting them, came home with them.

If you need groceries go to the only cash house in town, Gardner & Faulkner, and save money.

A. E. Madden returned Thursday from Fort Worth, where he shipped a train of cattle the first of the week. He was well pleased with the result of his trip.

S. H. Estep will hereafter receive the Eagle at Trent, by order of his brother, E. O. Estep, one of Goldthwaite's prosperous furniture dealers.

See Weems & Estep if you have furniture to sell or exchange.

Will Little and wife, Floyd Jackson, D. Albert Trent, Vaughan Little and Misses Hortense Power, Adeline and Jewel Little have been at Willis mill this week fishing and enjoying an outing.

Misses Woodard, Etheridge and Martin of Brownwood gave an entertainment in the opera house last Saturday night that was enjoyed by those present. The young ladies are all graduates of Howard Payne college and made a fine showing for the thorough training given by that college.

If you want a nice single or double rig phone Rudd's Livery Stable.

W. E. Harper has purchased the stock of dry goods shipped here by J. M. Allen last week and in the deal Mr. Allen becomes owner of Mr. Harper's farm and residence a short distance north of this city. P. D. Yarborough is in charge of Mr. Harper's store and hopes to have it ready to open for business today.

D. H. Trent & Son buy vendor lien notes, for large or small amounts.

P. G. Zimmerman, candidate for lieutenant governor on the Socialist ticket, has been in the county this week making speeches and is expected to speak here today. There has been talk of arranging a joint discussion between Mr. Zimmerman and L. O. Hicks, but so far there has been no definite announcement of the arrangements.

Give Cline & Son a chance to fill your next bill of groceries and you will be pleased with the result.

Walter Fairman and wife and Misses Nora Hooks, Helen Woody, Zora Aivis and Bell Warren expect to leave Sunday night for a trip through the north and east. The young ladies expect to spend some time at Chautauque, N. Y., but Mr. and Mrs. Fairman will continue their trip to points of interest in the United States and Canada. The entire party will likely be away until the latter part of the summer.

A great deal of Binder Twins will be required this year and the supply may be short. Henry Martin has plenty of it now.

At 4 o'clock Tuesday afternoon Carl Boyesen, son of B. S. Boyesen, had his hand ground off in a sausage mill at the Boyesen Market. He was at work at the mill when in some manner his hand was caught in the machinery and before aid could reach him the whole hand had been ground off and remained sticking fast in the mill. Physicians were called and hurried him to his home where they are giving every attention. - Brownwood Bulletin.

You might just as well save some thing on your grocery bill by trading with Cline & Son.

Cline & Son are the grocery people who are anxious for your trade and will make special prices for the cash.

F. N. Hubbert 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

PROFESSIONAL

E. B. ANDERSON LAWYER, LAND AGENT AND ABSTRACTOR.

Will practice in all courts. Special attention given to land and commercial litigation.
Notary public in office.
Both Phones in Office.

J. C. DARROCH ATTORNEY-AT-LAW.

Will practice in all Courts. Special attention given to Examination of Titles, Commercial Litigation and Collection of Claims.

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Practice in all State and Federal courts. Special attention to matters in the Courts of Mills, Bell and Lampasas Counties.

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All collections made promptly and all claims given best legal attention when necessary.

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J. H. LOGAN PHYSICIAN AND SURGEON GOLDTHWAITE, TEXAS

Office at Logan's Drug Store

DR. E. M. WILSON HIGH GRADE DENTISTRY.

All kinds of Dental Operations performed, including treatment of Scurvy

John Rahl Dead.

Mr. John Rahl died at the home of his brother, Mr. P. H. Rahl, in this city Wednesday night shortly after 10 o'clock, after a long illness with dropsy and liver trouble.

Mr. Rahl was the oldest son of Mr. and Mrs. P. Rahl, who were early settlers of this section. He located at Meridian a good many years ago and engaged in merchandising and later was a traveling salesman. Some years ago he came here and engaged in the grain business and later moved to Hamilton, where he continued to reside until his physical condition became critical and he was moved here to be near his relatives, where they could give his wife and children constant assistance in caring for him. His household goods were moved here and a house was rented, but he was never able to move from his brother's home, where he had been confined to his bed for several weeks. He stood high with all who knew him and was a member of the Woodmen of the World and the Knights of Pythias and carried insurance in both orders.

Mr. Rahl leaves a wife and one daughter and two sons, besides a large number of other relatives and a host of friends. His remains were carried to Meridian on Thursday morning's train for burial, his parents and three of his children being buried at that place. The Eagle offers sincere sympathy to the bereaved family.

Jersey Cows.

We have a number of pure bred Jersey cows and heifers for sale. If you want a good milk cow it will pay you to see us at once.

RUDD & WEATHERBY.

A Big Day at Big Valley.

The Mills County Singing convention met with the Big Valley class Saturday, June 8. Owing to the rush of the harvest the crowd was small, but a lively little bunch of singers they were.

After a short song service, it was decided to postpone the business part of the convention until Saturday night. At 8 o'clock a large crowd had gathered and the song wave began to roll and continued to make the welkin ring for about three hours; after which the business session was ordered and decided for the next convention to meet with the Cryer class. There being no other business to come before the convention, the business session was closed and a few special pieces were rendered, after which we were dismissed until Sunday morning at 10 o'clock.

Sunday was a beautiful day, and a large crowd of good people and good singers were present and the song wave began to roll again, which continued until noon, and a fine dinner followed, which called for more good singing in the afternoon.

The Big Valley people certainly know how to entertain a convention, and we feel that every one appreciated their kindness.

Other things should be mentioned, but time and space will not permit. REPORTER.

Going Away Party.

Last Wednesday afternoon from three till six Miss Lucile Street entertained in honor of her little friend, Miss Bazie Butz.

The guests were received at the door and conducted to the punch bowl, where they were served with punch. Each girl was given a white cap adorned with red hearts and then conducted to the parlor, where they engaged in several delightful little games. The house was beautifully decorated in hearts. When they had finished their games the merry crowd repaired to the dining room, where each girl was furnished a sheet of paper and requested to cut a heart on which to write a wish for the honored guest for her future happiness in her new home. The hearts were then made into a book by stringing them on a ribbon and presented to Miss Bazie to keep in remembrance of her Goldthwaite friends. If all the dear little wishes that were made that afternoon come to pass, Miss Bazie's happiness for the future will be secure. The guests were then served with delicious ice cream and cake.

All too soon the afternoon passed away and the girls with reluctance tore themselves away from these scenes of merriment, each one voting Miss Lucille a most charming hostess.

A GUEST.

Cyclone Davis Speaks.

Hon. J. H. Davis, known the country over as "Cyclone Davis" spoke here Thursday night on the "Issues of the Day" and he was heard by a large audience. Mr. Davis had been at Mullin, where he spoke in the forenoon and some of his admirers induced him to come to this city and speak. A platform was prepared on the public square in order to give all of the people an opportunity to see and hear the speaker.

Mr. Halbert of Coleman, candidate for Commissioner of Agriculture, made a short talk, after which Dr. M. L. Brown introduced the speaker of the evening. Mr. Davis is an entertaining speaker and his humorous expressions kept his audience in a happy frame of mind, while his talk on prohibition and other subjects held the undivided attention of his audience for perhaps two hours.

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If your eyes need glasses it is very important that you have your eyes correctly and properly fitted with glasses, then you will be pleased and satisfied, otherwise you are liable to injure your eyes. Go to Miller's Jewelry Store, where you can have your eyes tested free and glasses correctly fitted at a small cost, with a guarantee of satisfaction.

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* Take home some ice cold cantaloupes for dinner.—Palace of Sweets.
The new machinery for the light plant has arrived and been put in position and the light company is again giving excellent service.

Dr. S. A. Lowrie is in the hospital in Temple, where he went last week for an operation for hernia. He is getting along nicely and will be at home next week.

A number of the county candidates and others attended the picnic at Guhrle's yesterday and all enjoyed the occasion, according to reports.

J. G. Caraway's little grand daughter, the 3-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ivy, fell and broke her hip while at play in Bulls creek a few days ago. The injury received prompt treatment and she is getting along nicely. The little girl was bitten by a snake last year and for a time her condition was serious.

B. T. Wells, our popular county treasurer, is in the hospital in Temple and it is likely an operation will be necessary on account of an abscess or some formation in his side. He suffered for some time with appendicitis, but is now recovering from that trouble. He is resting well and if the operation is necessary it will not be a serious one and it is hoped he will soon be at home.

Edward Skaggs was summoned to Paso the first of the week on account of the illness of his brother, who died before Mr. Skaggs reached bedside. He remains here, where he was shipped for burial and the funeral services were held there yesterday. Mr. Skaggs went to Lampasas Thursday to attend the funeral and company her husband home. The sympathy of the people of Goldsboro goes out to the bereaved family.

DEMOCRATIC PRIMARY.

Arrangements Made by the Executive Committee.

The Democratic executive committee of Mills county met in this city Monday morning at 10 o'clock to make assessments on candidates for holding the primary election in July, draw for places for candidates on the primary tickets and make other arrangements for holding the primary.

The committee decided that candidates for state offices should not be assessed to help pay for the holding of the primary. County chairman, John W. Roberts, was authorized to make all arrangements for holding the primary and to appoint officers of election where precinct chairmen were unable to serve and to purchase the necessary supplies.

The committee decided that each person assisting in holding the election should be allowed \$2 per day for such service.

J. R. Clark, G. W. Jackson, R. W. Barr, W. J. Jones and J. M. Traylor were named by Chairman Roberts to serve as "Primary Committee" to assist in making up the ticket and apportioning the supplies for the primary and they are to meet in this city on the second Monday in July to discharge such duties.

Each officer of election was instructed to ask the voters applying for ballots: "Do you agree to support the nominees of this primary?" Voters who refuse to give an affirmative answer to such question are not to be allowed to participate in the election. Chairman Roberts was instructed to send a copy of the "test" to each officer of election in the county.

Candidates are to be nominated by plurality vote, as there will be no second primary.

Assessment was made on candidates for the various county and precinct offices on the following basis: County judge, \$14; district clerk, \$7; sheriff and tax collector, \$22 50; treasurer, \$6; county clerk, \$22 50; assessor, \$22 50; county attorney, \$7 50; surveyor, \$5; public weighers at Goldthwaite and Mullin, \$5; commissioners, \$5. All district candidates were assessed \$1, which is the amount allowed by law.

In drawing for places on the tickets the candidates will come in the following order: United States senator, Randell. Shepard, Wolters, Zolner; governor, Colquitt, Ramsey; congressman, Coon, Slayden; county and precinct officers will appear on the ticket as they appear in the Eagle's announcement column this week.

A Good Rain.

A heavy rain fell in all parts of this county Monday night and as a result a good corn crop is now expected. The time had come when corn would suffer for rain and, in fact, a few fields had been badly damaged by the dry weather, but most of the corn was benefitted greatly by the rain and a fair yield is now expected. The rainfall was variously estimated at from 3 inches up, but those who made a reasonable accurate measurement announce that 3 1/4 inches will not miss the amount far.

The rain was general over Texas, only a small amount of the territory of the state failing to get at least a light rain.

Fine Bull.

I have a registered Jersey male at my lot for service. Fees \$2.
H. E. DALTON.

Williams Ranch.

Editor Eagle:
Will send in a few lines from this part of the section.

We can hear the many shouts this morning over the fine rain which fell last night. The estimate of the rainfall was 3 1-2 inches; and it is looking just like it was going to rain some more. We are sure thankful for it.

Crops are good so far. Oats will make from 20 to 45 bushels per acre. Corn is hurt on account of the dry weather, but will make some corn any way. Cotton looks fine.

Rev. Williams preached last Sunday. A large crowd attended. Fine music; the band was composed of Mrs. Ada Duren, J. W. Spinks, Foy Miller and the Spinks brothers. The music was certainly enjoyed. Mrs. Duren was of the Duren community.

People will meet next Saturday evening for the purpose of seeing about rustling a new school house.

H. G. Wallace happened to a painful accident last week by getting kicked by his buggy pony.

A large crowd from Trigger community attended church here last Sunday.

Mrs. Eleon is visiting her father's folks this week. Grady Wallace returned this week from North Texas.

Miss Fannie Bean attended church at the Ranch Sunday evening.

Miss Wrinkles of the Pickens community attended church Sunday. We cordially invite our friends from other communities. Come again.

Mr. Henderson of San Saba county has been looking after business.

H. G. Wallace returned from the southwest the first of last week.

N. J. Tyson passed through the Ranch en route for Mullin
WILLIE COPPERFIELD.

Executive Committee Meeting.

The Socialist party executive committee of Mills county met at Goldthwaite June 18, 1912, decided that delegates to county convention and parties nominated to political office shall be by majority vote of bonifide members of Socialist party who have paid their poll tax or are exempt.

Precinct chairmen are hereby notified to hold precinct conventions on July 27 in their respective precincts and send delegates to county convention, which meets in Goldthwaite on August 3, 1912. You are allowed one delegate for every 25 votes or major part thereof cast for the party's candidate for governor in 1910 in your precinct.

Herein fail not, act promptly.
MANUEL SHELTON, Pres. No. 1.
COLYER HEARNE, No. 2.
W. F. BAKER, No. 3
ABE PENLAND No. 4
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If your eyes give you trouble and you need glasses we want you to come to Miller's Jewelry Store. We will carefully test your eyes free of charge and show you how we can benefit your vision with correctly fitted glasses. We guarantee to give you perfect satisfaction.

Tuition Due.

All persons indebted to the Goldthwaite public school for tuition are requested to pay the amount due to Prof. Street at once. This is important. Those who cannot pay the money must give a secured note.
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Copies of Laws Exhausted.

Judge Allen has endeavored at several times to secure copies of the Texas school laws for the use and benefit of school teachers and others interested in this county, but the state superintendent has been unable to supply the desired pamphlets. This week Judge Allen received the following letter from the educational department:

Hon. S. H. Allen, Goldthwaite, Tex.
Dear Sir: In response to your letter of June 18, I beg to advise that the supply of our school laws is entirely exhausted at the present time. I regret that you did not get your proper apportionment at the time they were distributed, and regret even more that the supply is exhausted and that we cannot furnish you any at the present time.

Respectfully yours,
F. M. BRALLEY, State Supt.

Eyes Tested Free.

If it's difficult for you to read or do close work and your eyes pain you and tire quickly or the print blurs when you try to read, it's evident you need glasses. Go to Miller's Jewelry Store. We will be glad to test your eyes free and demonstrate to you the satisfaction we can give you by properly fitted glasses. This costs you nothing, and we would be glad to have you call on us time

Most of the oats have been harvested and the threshers have been at work for several days. The yield has been very satisfactory, considering the dry weather of several weeks previous to harvest time.

Harris-Carson.

J. M. Harris, jr., and Miss Nannie Carson were married at the residence of Rev. R. W. Bynum in this city Wednesday afternoon, Rev. Bynum officiating.

The young people belong to two of the best families in the county and have a great many friends and well-wishers. The groom is a nephew of Mr. J. A. Harris of the Washboard community and a brother of Prof. B. F. Harris of Cryer. He is a prosperous and industrious young farmer. The bride is a daughter of Mr. S. D. Carson of North Brown community and has a large circle of friends.

The Eagle joins the other friends of the young people in extending good wishes and congratulations.

Makes The Nation Gasp.

The awful list of injuries on a Fourth of July staggers humanity. Set over against it however is the wonderful healing by Bucklen's Arnica Salve of thousands who suffered from burns, cuts, bruises, bullet wounds or explosions. It's the quick healer of boils, ulcers, eczema, sore lips or piles. 25c at R. E. Clements.

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The Goldthwaite Eagle

R. M. Thompson, Proprietor

We want to buy some vendor lien notes.—D. H. Trent & Son.

Neal Dickerson and wife have been in Belton this week visiting relatives.

No danger of blind staggers or other disease if you buy feed from Harper.

It will pay you to see Gardner & Faulkner when you want to buy groceries.

Rev. T. J. Priddy was here from Priddy Monday and renewed his subscription for the Eagle.

Weems & Estep have the prettiest line of art squares and rugs you ever saw at reasonable prices.

Roy and Albert Burns returned Tuesday night from Ballinger, where they were called on account of the illness and death of their mother.

Some say that other bread is just as good, but a trial will convince you that Coleman bread is the best.—Hudson & Rahl, City Meat Market.

O. B. Caldwell's little son, Will O., came in from Temple Wednesday morning for a visit to his uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Will H. Trent.

A sprained ankle may as a rule be cured in from three to four days by applying Chamberlain's Liniment and observing the directions with each bottle. For sale by R. E. Clements.

Miss Lawrence Thompson returned Tuesday night from a visit to relatives in Grimes county. Her cousins, Misses Burnice and Maud Stoneham, accompanied her home for a visit.

If you feel "blue," "no account," lazy, you need a good cleaning out. Herbine is the right thing for that purpose. It stimulates the liver, tones up the stomach and purifies the bowels. Price 50c. Sold by R. E. Clements.

There is no real need of anyone being troubled with constipation. Chamberlain's Tablets will cause an agreeable movement of the bowels without any unpleasant effect. Give them a trial. For sale by R. E. Clements.

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Prof. Junkin, president of Daniel Baker college of Brownwood, accompanied by his wife, reached this city Monday night en route home from a trip to Austin. On account of the rain and mud they left their auto. here and completed the journey home on the train.

In every home where there is a baby there should also be a bottle of McGee's Baby Balm. It may be needed at any time to correct sour stomach, wind colic, diarrhoea or summer complaint. It is a wholesome remedy, contains no opium, morphine or injurious drug of any kind. Price 25c and 50c per bottle. Sold by R. E. Clements.

Tornado insurance is cheap, only \$4 for \$1000 insurance for three years.—M. N. Brinson.

Monroe Simms was summoned to Ballinger Saturday by a message announcing the death of his wife's mother, Mrs. Burns. He and Mrs. Simms returned home Tuesday night, accompanied by her sister, Miss Jewell, and her brother, Loyd, who will spend a few weeks here with them.

Doing hard work in a bent or stooping position puts a stitch in the back that is painful. If the muscles have become strained, you can't get rid of it without help. The great penetrating power of Ballard's Snow Liniment will appeal to you most strongly at such times, because it is the very thing you need. Price 25c, 50c and \$1.00 per bottle. Sold by R. E. Clements.

Geary Martin sells the genuine Deering Binder Twine. Better get your supply today.

If you are buying land, require the seller to furnish you an abstract of his title, so you may know you are getting a good title. If you contemplate selling your land, have an abstract thereof prepared first, so you will know what kind of title you can make to it, as the purchaser is almost sure to want to know. I have the only complete set of abstracts of the land titles of Mills county and will make your abstracts for a reasonable charge and help you cure your titles if defective.—E. B. Anderson.

INITIATIVE AND REFERENDUM

Unconstitutional Says the Court of Criminal Appeals.

In the recent case of Ex Parte Farnsworth decided by the Court of Criminal Appeals and reported in the 51st Vol. of the Texas Criminal Appeals, the Court of Criminal Appeals says that the Initiative and Referendum, the pet political doctrine of the day, is contrary to the constitution of this state.

Farnsworth was arrested for violating an ordinance of the city of Dallas which was put into operation under what is termed the "Initiative and Referendum" clause of its charter, and because the court holds that this ordinance is unconstitutional, he was ordered discharged upon Writ of Habeas Corpus. In passing upon the question the court said:

"All authority in Texas acts from delegated power and is to be controlled in official action by such authority, the authority delegated. The people themselves are bound by the constitution until changed as provided in the instrument itself. In other words, the constitution furnishes the rule and basis for the action not only of the people who made it, but those who are invested with the powers of government under it. That the Referendum is adverse to our constitutional form of government as a means of putting into operation enactments by the legislature, has been expressly decided in this state as early as State vs. Swisher, 17 Texas, 441. It is a well settled principle that the legislature can not delegate its authority to make laws by submitting the question of their enactment to a popular vote. But besides the fact that the constitution does not provide for such reference to the voters to give validity to the acts of the legislature, we regard it as repugnant to the principles of the representative form of government by our constitution. Under our constitution the principle of law making is that the laws are made by the people, not directly, but by and through their chosen representatives. By the act under consideration this principle is subverted and the law is proposed to be made at last by popular vote of the people, leading inevitably to what was intended to be avoided—confusion and great popular excitement in the enactment of laws.

It is equally certain that the people cannot be reinvested by the legislature with the functions of legislation conferred by them on a department of the government, nor can the legislature render the enactment of a law dependent upon the acceptance by the people by popular vote. The people in whom the power resided have voluntarily transferred its exercise and have positively ordained that it shall be invested in the legislature. To allow the legislature to cast it back on the people would be a subversion of the constitution, and would change the distribution of power without the action or consent of those who created the constitution.

Ours is a government of a division and distribution of powers and authority. Ours is also a representative democracy; that is, it is republican in form of government as distinguished from a social or pure democracy on the one hand, and a government by minority on the other, and excludes all others save and except one by the people through their selected representatives.

Any change by any department of government from that ordained in the constitution is pure assumption of power in conflict with and directly subversive of the constitution. If the legislature may authorize the Referendum, the result of such referendum would or could suspend legislative acts or even the constitution itself. This is not to be entertained. The legislature only may suspend laws, but it cannot suspend the constitution, nor can it authorize any department of the government, municipal or state, to suspend any law. Any attempt to authorize a municipal body to suspend a law would be in plain derogation of Sec. 23, Art. 1, of the constitution. To hold that a law could be suspended by the referendum or enacted by the referendum, would or might easily result in the deprivation of our citizenship, of life, liberty or property without due process of law. The ordinance in question may be a fair illustration and verification of that statement. Such a proceeding would condemn without charges, or specifications, without a hearing, or the forms of a trial, in the absence of evidence, without a jury and even without a court, to be exercised only by the secret liquidation of the ballot

box. The referendum not only sets at defiance these constitutional guarantees, but it as well destroys the purpose and authority of the legislative department; or, on the other hand may make that body omnipotent and superior to the constitution, from which its authority is derived. It is also a direct attack upon the judicial system provided by the constitution. The courts were ordained for the purpose of the trial of causes, awarding to citizenship tribunals in which their matters may be tried and adjudicated. Referendum refuses a hearing. It takes the place of the constituted judiciary and tries the rights of property at the ballot box. By this means every officer from governor to constable may be ousted from office and declared incompetent or corrupt without charges, evidence or trial. The property of the citizen may be confiscated, and he made a bankrupt without a hearing and without due process of law. Successful revolt from a monarchical form of government eliminated the idea of minority rule, and the principles of the constitutional form of government discarded the idea of a pure democracy and rejected it as vicious. These matters were all discussed at the inception of the government and fully decided. The referendum, therefore, is wrong; first, as being directly subversive of the principles of republican government; second, violative of the constitution itself; and third, its most insidious and far reaching danger may be found in the fact that it is made to begin at the bottom of our framework of government, in the small divisions, and thence undermine the entire fabric. It is in the small divisions of territory and their local government that we expect to find the sentiment of our people, as a rule, formed and crystallized into definite shape, and it is there the most dangerous and insidious attacks are engendered and made on the existing plans of government. The consequences of constantly or oft recurring local elections incident to the referendum plan should be avoided as most dangerous. They engender strife and bitterness, bring confusion which destroys the peace of the community, and this generally without hope of corresponding good results. The ordinance is void. It deprives those whom it affects of their constitutional rights, and their rights as citizens to be heard when their property is sought to be taken or hampered with such rates and charges as would prove destructive. Any law, state or municipal, which would undertake to deprive a man of life, liberty or property without giving him a hearing, or in any matter affect his rights without a hearing, would necessarily be vicious and unconstitutional. Ours is a country of law, and whenever a man is affected in his life, liberty or property he has the right to resort to some legal tribunal, where those matters can be honestly and fairly adjudicated."

Thus it seems the initiative and referendum, the mascot of politicians, is not in high favor with the highest legal tribunal of criminal jurisdiction in this state.—Yours truly,

J. C. DARROCH.

Man Coughs and Breaks Ribs.

After a frightful coughing spell a man in Neenah, Wis., felt terrible pains in his side and his doctor found two ribs had been broken. What agony Dr. King's New Discovery would have saved him. A few teaspoonsful ends a last cough, while persistent use roots obstinate coughs, expels stubborn colds, heals weak, sore lungs. "I feel sure it's a God-send to humanity," writes Mrs. Effie Morton, Columbia, Mo. "for I believe I would have consumption today if I had not used this great remedy." Its guaranteed safety, and you can get a free trial bottle or 50 cent or \$1.00 size at R. E. Clements.

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