

# THE GOLDTHWAITE EAGLE.

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GEESLIN'S IS

## The Place For Better Things

When you are looking for something "better," come to Geeslin's. Our best efforts are put forth to give our customers Better Goods at the Lowest Price consistent with good merchandising.

Our Dry Goods department is complete with the Latest Goods---big stock and low prices. Our Millinery department will be the place to get your Spring Headgear. Miss Grundy is now in the Eastern markets, studying the Latest Styles and Millinery Creations for you.

For Eatables Geeslin's is at your service. Our stock of Potatoes is very Large, both for eating and planting---and we must sell them.

The Highest Prices paid for your Produce---Cash or Goods. Bring it to us.

## B. F. Geeslin Mercantile Company

"The Home of Economy"

"The House with a Conscience"

Commissioners court has been in session this week.

H. C. Carothers was here from Belton the first of the week, looking after business matters.

Howard Trent, who has been attending business college in Houston, arrived at home Sunday night.

Messrs. E. B. Anderson and W. C. Dew have been in eastern Texas this week, looking after some business matters.

Editor Bowden of the Mullin Enterprise was a visitor to this city Monday and made the Eagle a pleasant call.

Rev. R. S. Pierce and one of his daughters went to Lampasas Tuesday morning to attend the missionary conference.

Noell Littlepage was here from McMullan community last Saturday, looking after business matters and meeting his friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Pfluger of near Goldthwaite spent Monday here with Mrs. Pfluger's brother, Frank Barnhardt---Round Rock Leader.

Contractor Walker and a force of carpenters are at work building a modern residence for O. H. Yarborough in the southern part of town.

Chas. Pfluger and wife returned Friday night from a visit to the coast country. They liked that section very much, but found there is no place just as good as Mills county.

L. E. Miller spent Sunday in Waco with his son, L. E. Miller, Jr., who is secretary and treasurer of a wholesale firm dealing in optical goods and Mr. Miller is largely interested in the firm in a financial way.

Today is the day for the county convention to be held in the court house to send delegates to the "eliminating convention" at Fort Worth. The purpose for this convention is to arrange for only one prohibition Democratic candidate for governor of Texas.

### DALLAS FAIR EXHIBIT.

At the meeting of the Goldthwaite Commercial club, held Tuesday, Feb. 3, it was decided to have an exhibit representative of the products and resources of Mills county, at this year's Dallas fair, provided that the farmers and other people interested gave the needed co-operation and support.

That they will do so goes without saying---in fact, many of the farmers in different parts of the county have already expressed their desire for such an exhibit and have notified the club of their willingness to contribute particular products. We have not the least doubt but that everyone who has the welfare of the county at heart and is desirous of its further and proper development, will enthusiastically give his support to the idea. The advantages of such a county display are too numerous and self-evident to be set forth here.

The matter of this "all-county" exhibit will come up for further discussion at the next meeting of the commercial club, which takes place on the first Tuesday night in March and a most cordial invitation is extended to all the farmers of the county and others interested to be present at this meeting and co-operate with the club in the arrangements to be made, etc. Those who cannot come and have suggestions which they consider would be helpful are requested to notify the secretary. Such suggestions will be much appreciated by the club. Let all come who can and let's "get a-going," for we can't begin too soon.

Last year Mills county had an exhibit at the fair for the first time and made a most favorable showing---in the quality, if not in the quantity of the products displayed, and there is no doubt but that our exhibit would have been as good as any and better than most had sufficient preparation been made. It was only a month, however, before the opening of the fair that the question of an exhibit was taken up, giving altogether

too little time. Hence the necessity this year for getting down to business as early as possible.

There are but few counties in Texas that are unrepresented at this great state fair and there is absolutely no reason why Mills county should not take her place in the foremost rank of those that have exhibits there. We can do it if we will---and NOW is the time to commence to prepare for it. Do you want Mills county to take her proper position before the eyes of the world as the "garden spot of Texas"? Are you proud of the county in which you live? Do you think that Mills county is "IT"? Then let us appeal to you to co-operate with the Goldthwaite Commercial club in working for the preparation of such an exhibit for the Dallas Fair as will open the eyes of all who behold it to the splendid resources and magnificent possibilities of good old Mills.

W. H. TRENT.  
H. G. BODKIN.  
W. K. MARSHALL.  
Advertising Committee.

### FARM FACTS.

The need of rural communities today is intelligent and consecrated leadership.

The farm is the nursery of all civilization and the parsonage of all religious denominations.

We should construct Christian character in our own community before we fight foreign sins in other lands.

The Garden of Eden was in the country and the man who would get close to God must first get close to nature.

The farmer asks no special privileges. The business of farming only wants the same opportunities afforded other lines of industry.

It is as much a duty of the country pastor to exhort us to own a home while on earth as it is to inspire us to build a mansion in the skies.

PETER RADFORD.

### ROAD DRAG INSTRUCTIONS.

Repairs to roads should be made when needed and not once a year when crops are laid by. Because of its simplicity, efficiency and cheapness, the split-log drag or some similar device is destined to come into more and more general use. With the drag properly built and its use understood, the maintenance of earth and gravel roads becomes a simple and inexpensive matter. Care should be taken to make the log so light that one man can life it with ease, as a light drag can be drawn by two medium sized horses and responds more readily to various methods of hitching and the shifting position of the operator than a heavier one. The best material for the drag is a dry cedar log, though elm, walnut, box elder or soft maple are excellent. Oak, hickory or ash are too heavy. The log should be from seven to ten feet long, and from eight to ten inches in diameter. It should be split carefully as near the center as possible and the heaviest and best slab chosen for the front. When the soil is moist, but not sticky, the drag does the best work. As the soil in the field will break if plowed wet, so the road will break if the drag is used on it when it is wet. If the roadway is full of holes or badly rutted the drag should be used once when the road is soft and slushy. U. S. Govt. Bulletin.

E. B. Collier and wife came over from San Angelo Saturday night for a visit to Gus Fisk and family. Mr. Collier left the first of the week for Waco to attend the state laundrymen's association and Mrs. Collier remained for several days visit and accompanied Mrs. Gus Fisk to Lometa for a visit to relatives.

Mrs. Clyde Kirby of San Angelo visited Mrs. Gus Fisk and family in this city the first of the week and went from here to San Saba for a visit to relatives and friends.

Mrs. W. B. Jackson visited in Brownwood this week.

Curtis Long of McMullan community was a pleasant caller at this office Monday.

Quite a number of Goldthwaite people went to Mullin Tuesday on the sad mission of attending the funeral of Will Kirkpatrick.

Rev. J. C. Newman, pastor of the Baptist church, announces that Rev. W. T. Andrews of Hillsboro has accepted the invitation to assist in a meeting in the Baptist church here, beginning the first Sunday in August.

M. G. Fesler writes the Eagle from San Antonio that he is getting along nicely and hopes to be able to come home in the near future. He remembers his old friends here kindly and expresses a wish that he may be here in time to vote for some of his friends in the July primary.

A great many state legislatures have given consideration to bills taxing bachelors and many convincing arguments have been presented why men who escape matrimony should pay a penalty, but why not tag them as a more painless and effective method of extermination. If the bachelors were tagged the widows could easily find them and Cupid would do the rest. The bachelor is naturally timid, but under the encouraging influences of a merry widow he can easily be led to the altar, for there is no more helpless craft afloat than a lovesick swain who has passed the age of discretion and the little imp that plays ping-pong with human hearts has no more capable ally than a woman who loves at second sight, for experience makes Cupid subtle and bold. The women have tag days to promote most every other public enterprise and why not a tag day for bachelors. We have in Texas 130,000 bachelors and an equal number of widows. Why not get them together and solve two vexatious problems with one marriage license?---T. B. M. Association.

# BACK from MARKET

Our Buyers have returned from Market and report having bought largely in all lines for the Spring and Summer Trade. Their long experience in buying merchandise enables us to guarantee the Goods to be exactly suited to the wants and needs of the people of our trade territory. These New Spring Goods are beginning to arrive and are being placed on display as rapidly as possible. We will be glad to receive calls at any time from those who wish to inspect our Large and Elegant Stock as well as from those who have purchases to make. We want the people to be well acquainted with our stock and the large variety of goods we carry and we know a closer business relation will lead to a greater volume of business for us and a greater amount of SATISFACTION for the trade.

## Our Grocery Department

Is one of the most important departments of our business. It is in the charge of experienced grocerymen who know the people and know the peculiar fancies of the householders for the different brands of goods in this line and have endeavored to make our stock of Groceries so complete that all can secure the exact articles desired. Our stock is all New and Fresh and every order receives careful attention, be it large or small. We buy Country Produce of all kinds and pay the Cash for it.

## A Fine Line of Implements

We will unload a Full Assortment of Farm Implements next week. These are of the Celebrated "STANDARD" make, known personally to us to be of the best to be had. We have handled these Implements in our Hamilton business for a long time and have no hesitancy in recommending them to our trade and standing behind them with our guarantee. Farmers who expect to buy Implements this season are invited to call and inspect this line and learn of our prices and terms.

## Moon Brothers' Buggies

We sell the Moon Bros.' Vehicles and have a variety of styles of these vehicles to arrive in a few days. We will have rubber-tired and steel-tired buggies, top buggies and run-abouts, surreys and hacks. It is not necessary to recommend these vehicles, for everybody knows that the Moon Bros.' nameplate on a vehicle is a guarantee of the best material and workmanship.

## Our Liberal Business Policy

Enables us to offer every reasonable inducement to our patrons and we invite those who have not yet formed business connections with us to call and let us explain how well we are prepared to take care of their every want and need.

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**McKINLEY-CORRIGAN COMPANY**  
The Store of Goldthwaite



# The Goldthwaite Eagle

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R. M. THOMPSON, Editor

It is claimed that the Mexican constitutionalists will buy two war vessels and a fleet of aeroplanes, as well as a large supply of ammunition and guns.

An election on the question of allowing pool halls to operate in Bell county has been ordered by the commissioners court of that county to be held March 7.

Two prominent citizens of Hemleigh were accidentally killed Saturday by being thrown from an automobile when the machine "skidded." Their necks were broken.

A former priest was shot to death in the home of a citizen in San Antonio Sunday. The citizen was placed under \$5,000 bond, but refused to make a statement for publication.

The Brewers association of Missouri, having become alarmed over the progress of prohibition, has adopted a resolution endorsing the enforcement of the Sunday law as a means of better enforcing the saloon regulations and staying the prohibition tide.

An aged real estate agent at Waco, who claimed to have been a minister of the gospel for twenty years, was arrested in that city Sunday on a charge of having murdered a woman who had been his housekeeper for some time.

A prisoner in the Waco calaboose attempted to burn his way out Saturday night. He set fire to the building, but the flames were extinguished before material damage was done and the prisoner will now have a charge of arson booked against him.

The Mercantile Bank of Memphis, Tenn., failed Saturday and the cause assigned by the officers of the bank was the defalcation of the president of the institution. The exact amount of the shortage will not be known for some time, perhaps, but it will be near a million dollars.

The date of the Confederate reunion, which is to be held this year at Jacksonville, Fla., has been changed from April 29 to May 6 and will continue three days. The change of dates has been sanctioned by Gen. Young, commander in chief of the United Confederate Veterans.

A javelina or Mexican wild hog which was on exhibition at Austin, made its escape Saturday and ran wild through the streets. A panic ensued. The animal finally ran up a stairway and into a lawyer's office, where it imbedded its tusks into the lawyer's leg and held on until it was choked off.

The terms of compromise of the state suit against the M. K. & T. Railroad company has just been made public. The Texas company is to divorce the parent company and is to expend six millions of dollars in the betterment of the road and its equipment. Under the terms of this agreement no penalty was recovered by the state.

The announcement of Governor Bleas of South Carolina that he expects to have the state penitentiary entirely empty by August 1 does not appear to please the people of that state. He says he will either parole the convicts or put them at work on the roads and the buildings now used by the penitentiary will be available for other purposes.

The Mexican newspapers that are loyal to Huerta are mighty mad with President Wilson for removing the embargo on arms and ammunition, thereby giving the constitutionalists an equal show with the assassin's government. While the butcher and his cabinet claim that the "rebels" will secure very little benefit from the order, the newspapers are not inclined to place such a small estimate upon the benefits to be derived by the constitutionalists and they evidently think the United States government should lend its influence and support to the butcher and his government.

Did you ever hear of a country where there are no jails, no court houses nor officers? Iceland is a land where there is only one policeman to look after its 78,000 people. They have no places of imprisonment. There isn't a child on the island over ten years old that cannot read and write, and to the astonishment of every other country on the globe there isn't an illiterate person on the island. All this is attributed to the fact that not a drop of alcohol or liquor is made on the island, and its inhabitants of total abstainers will not allow any liquor to be imported. The people are happy, prosperous and contented. They have a perfect system of public schools.—Ex.

The English court of appeals has declared the White Star Steamship company responsible for the Titanic disaster and liable in damage for the loss of life when the great vessel went down. The court says the danger to the vessel was neither unforeseen nor of a character to have been unexpected and that due care was not used when the danger to the vessel was known. The stipulation on the tickets absolving the company from liability was held to be invalid. The decision was in a case where a German farmer sued the company for damages for the loss of his son in the Titanic disaster.

Governor Colquitt's plan to work state convicts on the county roads without guards, shackles or uniforms is soon to be put into practice, according to advice from Austin. The convicts are to receive \$15 per month from the counties where they work and half of the money will go to the state and half to the men doing the work. A contract with these provisions has been made with at least one county in Texas.

A motorcycle racer was thrown from his machine Sunday at Houston while running at a speed of 85 miles per hour and was carried 40 feet into the air, landing 100 feet from the wreck of his motorcycle. He was thrown over the grand stand where a large audience was watching the races and landed on his back and shoulders and was not even rendered unconscious.

A clerk in the Alabama state convict bureau who disappeared about a year ago and a shortage of \$90,000 was alleged to have been found in his accounts, this week voluntarily surrendered to the authorities at Montgomery. A reward of \$5,000 had been offered for his arrest, but no trace of him could be found until he appeared before the authorities to surrender.

Gen. Villa announces that he will not hereafter execute federal soldiers captured by his army, unless such soldiers have been previously captured and have broken their parole. He states further that he has no ambition to over shadow Gen. Carranza and become president of Mexico.

A large sugar mill located on the state convict farm at Sugarland was destroyed by fire Saturday morning at an early hour. The loss is estimated at \$300,000 and the insurance covers about three-fourths of that amount. The mill was the property of a private corporation.

The attorney general has advised that ministers of the gospel are not liable for road duty, even though they are not devoting all of their time to the ministry. The question was submitted by the county attorney of Parker county.

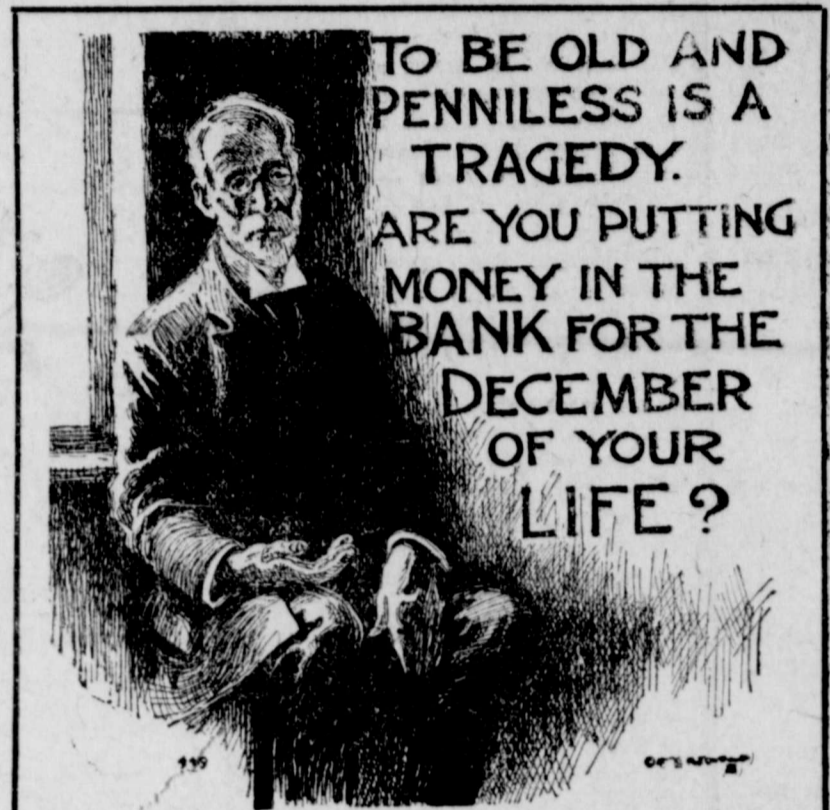
The governor of Nebraska has paroled from the state penitentiary a life term convict who has served two years of his term and now desires to enter the Nebraska state university and take a course in agriculture.

The vault of the First State bank of Montgomery was dynamited and robbed Saturday morning, the robbers making a get-away with \$8000 in cash. The force of the explosion badly wrecked the building.

The home merchants are the people who are ever ready to help the home enterprises, while the mail order houses only want the money they can get from you.

The town of Somerville is to have a water system supplied by deep wells. Bonds have been sold and the contract let for sinking the wells and laying the mains.

Non-interest bearing and unsecured Deposits of this Bank Protected by the State Bank Depositors Guaranty Fund.



THERE is nothing more pitiful than the sight of some old person entirely dependent on the assistance and charity of others. Yet many go along, day after day, week in and week out, letting money slip through their fingers that they should be depositing in some good bank, where it will be safe and where they will have it to supply some of the comforts of life when their earning powers are gone.

This Bank offers you a good place for your Deposits and has every Protection known to man for their Absolutely Safe Keeping.

"THE PEOPLE'S DEPOSITORY—WHERE SECURITY IS"

## TRENT STATE BANK

Rainfall at Goldthwaite from Feb. 1 to Feb. 11 .....0.00 in.  
Total Rainfall for 1914 to above date.....3.10 in.

### Methodist Minister Recommends Chamberlain's Cough Remedy.

Rev. James A. Lewis, Milaca, Minn. writes: "Chamberlain's Cough Remedy has been a needed and welcome guest in our home for a number of years. I highly recommend it to my fellows as being a medicine worthy of trial in cases of colds, coughs and croup." Give Chamberlain's Cough Remedy a trial and we are confident you will find it very effectual and continue to use it as occasion requires for years to come, as many others have done. For sale by all dealers. (adv)

### SETTLEMENT WANTED.

Those who are indebted to me are urged to pay me at least a part of what they owe, for I need the money right away. I do not demand a full settlement at this time, but a partial payment and a satisfactory arrangement for the remainder will be acceptable. If you owe me you know it and this notice applies to all who owe me. Pay me some anyway.  
J. D. CALLOWAY.

### MUST HAVE MONEY.

We are compelled to have the money that is due us on past due accounts and request those who owe us to settle at once. Those who do not make settlement by February 15 need not be surprised to find their account in the hands of a collector. We hope this will not be necessary, but we simply must have the money that is due us.  
ALLEN BROS.

### OATS FOR SALE

We have oats for sale at our farm in Payne community at 50 cents per bushel, in any quantity. We also have ten or twelve good mules for sale on fall time for good note.  
W. F. HEARNE & SON.

### DON'T YOU BELIEVE IT.

Some say that chronic constipation cannot be cured. Don't you believe it. Chamberlain's Tablets have cured others—why not you? Give them a trial. They cost only a quarter. For sale by all dealers. (Adv)

### The Premier Barber Shop

FAULKNER & QUIN, Proprietors

BATHS—  
Hot or Cold.

Electric Massage.

### FIRST-CLASS STEAM LAUNDRY

Basket leaves Wed. Returns Fri. night.

OUR WORK IS  
CLEAN, QUICK AND COMFORTABLE.  
TRY US.

Goldthwaite, Texas

Builder of  
Guaranteed  
Tanks, Pumps,

West Texas 92—PHONES—Natal 92

Also of  
Bath Tubs  
and

## L. B. WALTERS

Milk Coolers,  
Gutters and  
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### SHEET METAL WORKS

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Lavatories,  
Pipe and  
Fittings

Reliable Work. Prices Reasonable

Next Door to Electric Light Plant

PHIL H. CLEMENTS  
Notary Public  
Fire Insurance

EARL CLEMENTS  
Life Insurance

DUKE CLEMENTS  
Live Stock and  
Accident Insurance

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(Successors to Phil H. Clements)

Land, Loan and Insurance Agents

I have associated with me my sons under the above firm name and for the purposes indicated in the caption. A share of your business is respectfully solicited and we promise prompt personal attention to all matters entrusted to our care.

You will always find a member of the firm in our office over the Clements Drug Store, where we will be glad to see you any time. Deeds, Deeds of Trust and Mortgages prepared on short notice.

THE CLEMENTS COMPANY,

By Phil H. Clements.







# NEW SPRING GOODS

NOW ON DISPLAY A SELECT ASSORTMENT OF SPRING CLOTHING

## Shoes

We have the Celebrated Star-5-Star Shoes, unexcelled by any other line. Our New Spring stock is here in all the latest lasts. We can please you in most any style. Our prices are always right. Come and let us show you. We are proud of our

### "Star 5 Star" Shoes

and love to show them. Come and take a look. We don't ask you to buy unless you want to.



## Dress Goods

Our New Spring Goods are arriving daily. Our house is full to the brim with all the nicest things imaginable in Dress Goods—

Crepes, Ratines, Silks, Chiffon Boucle, Satins, White Goods, Carnation Crepe, Crepe Fantasia, Crepe de Chine, Voiles, Crepe Tucha and Oriental Pelisse. Anything left out we have. If you don't see it ask for it—it is a pleasure to show you. Our buyer is in the market at all times. Goods arriving daily.

New Ready-to-Wear House Dresses for Women

TO OUR CONTESTANTS:

New Ready-to-Wear House Dresses for Children

Our Sale on Neckwear last Wednesday was a grand success. We came near selling every Tie in the house, and for a while we thought we would have to buy from our neighbor merchants to supply the demand. If the contestants and their friends will excuse the expression, we will say it was "a howling success." We had music and everyone seemed to enjoy it and feel glad they came to help themselves and friends.

### Special Hosiery Sale

### NEXT WEDNESDAY

### Special Hosiery Sale

We will place Hosiery on Sale—the Celebrated Cadet line, the Gipsy line, the Monarch line—3 great lines of Hosiery that will appeal to you. For every 25c we will give 2,000 Extra Votes; for 50c we will give 4,000 Extra Votes; for \$1.00 pair of Silk Hosiery we will give 8,000 Extra Votes. All votes extra above the regular votes. We will have Music. Come and be with us. Get your share of Hosiery and help your friend contestant.

The Store of Quality

# B. A. HARRIS

The Store of Quality

### The Goldthwaite Eagle

Saturday, February 14, 1914.

Roof and stack paint for sale by J. H. Kelly. (Adv.)

McKipley-Corrigan Co. buys and sells everything. (Adv.)

—Weems & Burks will trade you new furniture and take second hand furniture in payment. (Adv.)

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

The NuBone corset for graceful lines and exclusive style. See my line.—Mrs. Etta Keel.

The NuBone imparts a modish air that gives to the wearer that stamp of distinction so much admired.—Mrs. Etta Keel, Corsetiere.

—If you intend to buy land be sure and demand an abstract of the title, so you may know its condition, as otherwise you may get a bad title.—E. B. ANDERSON, Abstractor.

The NuBone stay is the only flexible spiral wire stay that is strong enough to support a stout figure. See my line before you buy.—Mrs. Etta Keel, Corsetiere.

—Weems & Burks—New and second hand furniture. We exchange, rent, sell on easy payments and pay cash for second hand furniture.—Next to postoffice. (Adv.)

When the bowels become irregular you are uncomfortable and the longer this condition exists the worse you feel. You can get rid of this misery quickly by using Herbine. Take a dose on going to bed and see how fine you feel the next day. Price 50c. Sold by R. E. Clements. (adv.)

Mr. and Mrs. T. F. Toland left Saturday for St. Louis and other markets to buy spring goods for their company's stores at Hamilton, Lometa and this place. They were joined en route by W. T. Little of Hamilton, who will assist in making the selection of goods for the three stores. They will also employ a milliner to take charge of the millinery department in the store here and will also carry millinery in their Lometa store. They expected to be away two weeks or longer.

### REAPING BENEFIT.

From the Experience of Goldthwaite People.

We are fortunate indeed to be able to profit by the experience of our neighbors. The public utterances of Goldthwaite residents on the following subject will interest and benefit many of our readers. Read this statement. No better proof can be had.

C. W. Lindsey, officer, Goldthwaite, Texas, says: "Doan's Liver Pills were first recommended to me by a friend, and as I had been bothered by a kidney trouble for ten years, I got a box. They did me a great deal of good. My back stopped paining me and I had less trouble from the kidney secretions. I always praise Doan's Kidney Pills when I have the opportunity in return for the benefit I got. You may continue to publish my former endorsement."

Price 50c at all dealers. Don't simply ask for a kidney remedy—get Doan's Kidney Pills, the same that Mr. Lindsey had. Foster-Milburn Co., Props., Buffalo, N. Y. (Adv.)

### FREIGHT TRAIN WRECKED.

The wrecking of a freight train about seven miles above town at an early hour Wednesday morning delayed traffic on the railroad west for several hours. The passengers on the morning trains were transferred and the road was not opened for the passage of trains until after noon. Fifteen cars went into the ditch, among them a car of oil and a car of cattle. None of the cattle were killed or seriously injured, although the car was turned over. The oil tank left the car and rolled some distance from the track. The track was not badly damaged and has now been repaired. It is supposed the wreck was caused by the "sloshing" of the oil in the tank, but of course this is only a theory.

### The Best Cough Medicine.

"I have used Chamberlain's Cough Remedy ever since I have been keeping house," says L. C. Haines, of Marbury, Ala. "I consider it one of the best remedies I ever used. My children have all taken it and it worked like a charm. For colds and whooping cough it is excellent." For sale by all dealers. (adv.)

### EBONY.

Editor Eagle:

The Christian brethren have moved the old Buffalo school house from its old site to "Church Hill" to use it for a church. They recently purchased it from the school board for that purpose.

Commissioner Haynes with a crew of hands has been working on the road between Ebony and Regency the past week.

We had a cold spell this last week, but it seemed colder than it really was, as it had been so warm.

The farmers are getting along fine breaking land.

The musical entertainment at Geo. Tippen's last Saturday night was enjoyed by the large crowd present.

Little Burrell Crowder has been quite sick the past week.

Mr. McMullin and family of Missouri have rented and moved on the C. R. Russell farm.

Perry Sykes and family of Brownwood were here visiting relatives Sunday and Monday.

W. H. Hobbs, who has been living in Hall county for some time, has moved back to Mills county. "There's no place like home."

Mrs. Gabe Choate, who has been visiting old friends here, left for her home at Light, Arizona, last Tuesday.

Oscar Linquist has sold his farm and has moved to Indian Creek.

Dr. Hutchison brought in a nice herd of cattle last week that he had purchased from parties in San Saba county.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. W. K. Hawthorne a fine baby girl.

J. M. Robertson is still under the weather with rheumatism.

UNCLE JOHN.

MONEY TO LOAN on Mills county farms. Reasonable rate of interest. Apply to Box 88, Temple, Texas. (ad)

For Sale—My residence on Fisher street in Goldthwaite. Five room house, well and windmill, barn and plenty of room. Will give reasonable terms. For Price, etc., see me.—E. C. Eastop.

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

## HARPER'S FOR GROCERIES

New, Fresh and Clean Goods  
Oriole Flour—The Best  
All Kinds of Feed Stuff  
Baled Shucks and Oats  
See Me Before Buying. Prices Right

Courteous Treatment  
Prompt Delivery Both Phones

W. E. HARPER  
Groceries and Feed  
WEST SIDE SQUARE BOTH PHONES

NATIONAL CORN EXPOSITION DALLAS February 10-24 Exceedingly Low Fares



From Goldthwaite \$6.25 Mullen \$6.25

Tickets on sale February 9 to 23, inclusive, and for trains arriving Dallas morning of February 24, limited to February 25th for final return.



# Make Planting Time A Real Pleasure

## By Using A "Mr. Bill" Planter

If you have not used one yourself, ask your neighbor. He will tell you that they are the BEST. It is time you used a good Drag Harrow on those clods. We have them. Also Single Row Harrows and Spring Tooth Harrows. Come and see.

### THEY SAVE YOU WORRY--AND WE SAVE YOU MONEY

There is no Windmill on the market that will equal our "MODEL 12." It is the only double geared and double Pitman mill on the market. IT'S A GOOD ONE.

## RUGS RUGS RUGS RUGS RUGS RUGS

We want every lady in the country and town to see our nice line of RUGS and FURNITURE. The Price will Please. We have a car of New Furniture on the road and are making an Entire Change in our Furniture Department. We expect to make this the MOST ATTRACTIVE DEPARTMENT IN OUR STORE. We will have a Rest Room for the Ladies, with comb, brush and face powder. Come and use it FREE.

Barbed Wire, Poultry Wire, Wagons, Buggies, Hacks and Surreys.

Cultivators and everything in the Implement and Furniture line.

We give our Coffin and Undertaking department Special Attention.

# Sullivan, Trent & Allen

A. E. Weathers and his son Ashley were visitors from Mullin this week.

Plenty of good young mules to sell to farmers on fall time—Cockrum & Rudd.

McKinley-Corrigan Co., the produce man's friend, if you want the money. (Adv)

Ask McKinley-Corrigan Co. for their prices on produce. They pay the cash. (Adv)

If your shoes need repairing take them to Bodkin and they will be repaired well. (ad)

Don't forget the entertainment in the opera house tonight. It will be worth the money.

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

Mrs. J. M. Allen and her daughter, Miss Leila, went to Temple Thursday for a visit to relatives.

I am now taking orders for eggs from Rhode Island Red chickens, prize winners at State fair. Phone orders to Mrs. Sealy. (Adv)

We have just unloaded a car of flour, bran and chops. All fresh. Let us fill your orders.—Bateman & Irwin.

Sam Frizzell has moved his tailor shop from Front street to the upstairs of the Burdett building, next to Clements drug store.

—If you intend to sell land get your abstract of the title thereto prepared first, otherwise the delay in perfecting your title may cause you to miss a sale.—E. B. ANDERSON, Abstractor.

I will soon be in your town again to take orders for the well known Spirella Corsets, which you see advertised in so many of the magazines. Spirella keeps up with the fashions for the latest fashion of dress.—Mrs. E. Zerby, Brady, Texas.

One good friend who was paying a subscription to the Eagle this week was kind enough to say that the Eagle was the best county paper he had ever seen. Allowing a wide margin for his friendship for the paper and his local pride, it proves that the Eagle at least takes care of the newspaper business here and properly represents the county, which fact is a great satisfaction to the management.

B. A. Harris is having his residence lot on Fisher street terraced, and made ready for the building of his residence. Plans for the building are being prepared by the architect and the contract for the building will be closed in the near future. The outline of the plans indicates that this will be an attractive dwelling and an ornament to that portion of the town. J. C. Street made a business visit to Temple this week.

### NEW CANDIDATES.

Every week new candidates make their announcements and we hope to have a full list by the time of the July primary. Some of the best men of the county have already announced and there are others who will probably make known their desires in the near future.

#### R. F. SWINDLE.

R. F. Swindle announces for commissioner and justice of the peace for prec. No. 3. Mr. Swindle has been one of the most useful members of the present commissioners court and the care and attention he has given the public business has been beneficial to the entire county. He has done much good road work for his precinct and is ever watchful of the interest of his constituents. He is a man of fine ability and energy and has made a first class officer in every respect. He is one of the best road builders in the county and is a progressive man along all lines.

#### J. W. MASON.

The announcement of J. W. Mason for commissioner and justice of the peace for precinct No. 2 appears in this paper and will be received with gladness by his friends in all parts of the precinct. Mr. Mason was a member of the commissioners court some years ago and the splendid record he made will be of benefit to him in this campaign. He is ever watchful for the interests of the county in general and his precinct in particular and his good judgment was of benefit to the entire county. He did a great deal of good road work during the time he was commissioner and made a first class justice of the peace as well. He has a great many friends all over the county.

#### F. P. BOWMAN.

F. P. Bowman announces in this issue as a candidate for the office of county attorney. He has a great many friends in all parts of the county who believe him to be an ideal man for the place. He is a young lawyer just entering the practice, but he is a man of fine education and is reputed to be one of the best speakers in the county. He was superintendent of the Mullin school for the 1912-1913 term and made a splendid reputation for himself in that capacity. He was reared near Star and all who know him recommend him highly.

### NOTICE TO WOODMEN.

My office is located in Sam Frizzell's tailor shop, where I will at all times be ready to receive dues and receipt for same. Those who have not arranged for having their dues paid by the banks are requested to call at my office on or before the first of each month and pay dues. J. M. SIMMS, Clerk.

### A FATAL ACCIDENT.

The death by accident of Mr. Will Kirkpatrick at the family home in Mullin Monday caused sorrow to many friends of himself and family. At an early hour Monday morning he awakened his brother Hugh, who occupied the same room with him, and stated that he had suffered a great deal during the night with toothache. He asked for a vial of chloroform that was in the room, intending to treat the tooth or put himself to sleep and get some relief from the pain of the toothache. His brother left the room to look after his duties about the place and when breakfast was ready and a member of the family went to awaken Will they found him dead, with some of the chloroform spilled upon his clothing.

Mr. Kirkpatrick was the eldest son of the late Mr. M. C. Kirkpatrick. He was reared in Mullin and was a man of high character and has the esteem and confidence of all who knew him. The sad accident that caused his death caused sorrow for all who knew him and great sympathy is felt for the grief-stricken mother and other relatives.

### OUR FRIENDS.

The fact that so many of our friends keep their subscriptions paid in advance and new subscribers are constantly being added to the paper's large list of readers gives us inspiration for greater efforts and causes us to know that our work is appreciated by our patrons. Those who have renewed or added their names this week are:

- E. C. Jones, Route 3.
- Curtis Long, Big Valley.
- F. R. Hines, Antelope Gap.
- S. B. Davis, Route 1.
- W. M. Featherston, Pleasant Grove.
- S. C. Littlepage, Lampasas.
- Noel Littlepage, McMillan.
- J. D. Brim, Goldthwaite.
- Talmage Palmer, Albany.
- T. J. Burdett, Montague.
- J. J. Virden, Pleasant Grove.
- C. E. Horton, Hamilton.
- E. S. Chapman, Route 1.
- Earl McCarty, Waco.
- Miss Minnie Gardner, Sweetwater.
- F. H. Hancock, Trigger Mountain.

### CARD OF THANKS.

I take this method of expressing my heartfelt thanks to the good people of Goldthwaite for their untiring devotion to my dear wife during her long sickness and death and expressions of sympathy for us in our sad bereavement. Also the same expression of thanks to our friends and relatives of Hamilton and Mullin. Respectfully,  
G. H. DENISON and Family.

## Cases and Tubes

We are now carrying a complete line of

## GOODYEAR CASINGS AND FIRESTONE RED TUBES

in connection with our complete line of Auto Supplies.

Best Strained Stove Gasoline  
17c per Gallon

## G'waite City Garage

### CONFEDERATE CAMP.

Jeff Davis camp No. 117 met in the court house Saturday, Feb. 7, with Commander D. E. Hopkins in the chair. The Camp was opened with prayer by Comrade Calloway.

A circular letter from the Jacksonville reunion association to all Confederate camps was read by the Adjutant pro tem to the camp.

Report of treasurer was made and the amount on hand to the credit of the camp now stands \$98.10.

Delegates to the national reunion will be elected at our next meeting, the first Saturday in March, and a special request is made for as many comrades as can make it convenient to attend.

The camp adjourned to next regular meeting.  
D. E. HOPKINS,  
Commander.

By J. T. Prater,  
Adj. Pro Tem.

### MARRIAGE LICENSE.

Marriage license have been issued by County Clerk Summy since last report to W. J. Brown and Miss Lena Nalls, Floyd Medford and Miss Fannie Ethridge, Walter Peel and Miss Nettie Chappell.

### STAR LODGE ORGANIZED.

The Star Masonic Lodge No. 1090 was organized last Saturday afternoon, J. L. Locker of San Saba county, special deputy, acting as installing officer. A number of Masons were present from Goldthwaite, Evans Center City and elsewhere and the occasion was very pleasant for them all. The officers of the new lodge are: Henry Peck, W. M.; C. B. Poe, S. W.; O. N. Hamilton, J. W.; D. G. Hawkins, S. D.; J. A. Hamilton, Jr., J. D.; W. L. Boykin, treasurer; T. E. Hamilton, secretary; J. K. Lippard, chaplain; W. A. Teague, S. S.; R. L. Boykin, J. S.; Hugh Livingston, tiler.

### BOX SUPPER.

There will be a box supper at Bulls Springs school house next Saturday night by the public school at that place, assisted by the people of the community. The receipts will be used to buy a library for the school and the entertainment is worthy of the enthusiastic support and liberal patronage of the people of that and other communities.

# Many New Spring Goods Arrive!

We have now a complete line of Ladies' and Men's Oxfords. In the Ladies' are included the French heel, Tango pump and many others, while our line of Men's Oxfords was never better, as we have selected the Latest in all the different leathers.

## Early Spring Goods

New Gingham and Ratines, New Suitings, New Crepes, Fancy and Plain Linens for the Early Spring trade.

See our

Lace Counter **5c** Lace Counter

You will find there some Real Bargains.

**"If It's Late---It's At Little's"**

## NOTIONS

1 paper Pins ..... 1c  
 1 " Hair Pins ..... 1c  
 1 cd. Pearl Buttons 2½c  
 1 " Safety Pins 2½c  
 6 Cedar Pencils ..... 5c  
 6 Large Pencil Tablets ..... 25c  
 3 doz. Spring Clothes Pins ..... 25c

Call and see our Bargain Counter. We have some real Bargains for you.

## Men's Shirts

We have just received a large shipment of many new numbers in Men's and Boys' Dress Shirts in

**PLAIN WHITE, STRIPES AND FIGURED.**

We have a large and varied assortment to choose from, so come and select your supply of Spring Shirts early, while the stock is complete.

Our buyer is in St. Louis now, selecting goods that will be most suitable for the trade in this section. Being familiar with the wants of the people here, we expect to and will have the best that can be procured, and the fact that we buy for three stores in large quantities and for cash enables us to sell the goods to you for LESS. Give us a look and then you will be convinced. **"IF IT'S LATE IT'S AT LITTLE'S."**

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ONE PRICE - THAT'S CASH.

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### The Goldthwaite Eagle

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M. THOMPSON - Proprietor

Dr. M. L. Brown was here from Brownwood last Saturday.

Don't fail to read the story of ideas and ideals helping humanity.—Adv.

Mrs. J. D. H. Wallace and little son visited in Brownwood the first of the week.

—We sell sliced ham at our market.—Marshad & Dickerson.

A child that has intestinal worms is handicapped in its growth. A few doses of White's Cream Vermifuge destroys and expels worms; the child immediately improves and thrives wonderfully. Price 25c. per bottle. Sold by R. E. Clements. (adv)

Miss Ruth Kirkpatrick of Mullin arrived on the early train Monday for a visit to Miss Charline Burks and other relatives. She had left home before the discovery of her brother's death and the sad information was imparted to her when she reached this city. She returned home in an automobile.

—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 thereto 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 will help you cure your titles if defective.—E. B. Anderson.

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**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  
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### DODSON'S GUARANTEE EXPLAINED BY DODSON

Read What Dodson Says About His Liver Tone to You Who Suffer From Constipation.

"Dodson's Liver Tone takes the place of calomel. Instead of being dangerous, it is harmless and works easily and naturally, without bad after-effects. I have authorized R. E. Clements to refund purchase price (50c) to you instantly without question if you are in any way dissatisfied with it. If Dodson's Liver Tone can't help you, I don't want your money."

That's how Dodson feels about this pleasant-tasting vegetable-liquid liver regulator and reliever of constipation and biliousness.

The lives of so many people have been brightened and bettered by this great remedy that leading druggists now recommend it and seven of America's most prominent physicians O. K.'d it, after thorough analysis of its ingredients and effects.

It is generally known that calomel, being a poison, is a peril to many. It stays in the system, and while it may seem to give you a temporary relief, often "knocks you out" for several days.

With Dodson's Liver Tone you are set right without ache or gripe and with no bad results to interfere in the slightest way with your regular occupation and habits. So great a number of former sufferers from constipation and inactive liver have been vastly benefitted by Dodson's Liver Tone that it would seem wise for you to give it a trial now. Children like it and it does wonders for them.

### UNION MASS MEETING.

A mass meeting of the Farmers Union will be held in the court house in Goldthwaite on Saturday, Feb. 21, at 10 o'clock a. m. All members are urged to attend and hear the reports of the state delegates and also attend to other important business.

W. M. FEATHERSTON, Pres.  
 J. W. McNEIL, Secretary.

### FINE EGGS FOR SALE.

Fine Buff Orpington eggs from prize winning stock \$1.50 per setting. Fertility guaranteed.

MRS. J. C. NEWMAN.  
 Goldthwaite, Texas.

### HORSE OWNERS.

The horse is the principal motive power of the farm and therefore requires the best attention. If he does not thrive or eat well, have his teeth attended to. Bad teeth and improper mastication causes more disturbance than any other trouble; causes acute indigestion, colic and diseases of the alimentaries and many other troubles. A stitch in time may save the worth of your horse. Spend a few dollars on your horse before he gets down or is disabled. Bring your horse to me and have him examined and treated. I will be in Goldthwaite the second Saturday in each month to do all classes of veterinary work. Examination free.—Dr. O. M. Walters, Veterinary Surgeon and Dentist, San Saba, Texas.

### HOW IS YOUR BOILER?

It has been stated that a man's stomach is his boiler, his body is his engine and his mouth the fire box. Is your boiler (stomach) in good working order or is it so weak that it will not stand a full load and not be able to supply the needed energy to your engine (body)? If you have any trouble with your stomach Chamberlain's Tablets will do you good. They strengthen and invigorate the stomach and enable it to do its work naturally. Many very remarkable cures of stomach trouble have been effected by them. For sale by all dealers. (Adv)

### NOTICE TO STOCK OWNERS.

I will be in Goldthwaite the second Saturday in each month to do all classes of veterinary work. Treat all curable diseases of such animals here mentioned: Horses, cows, sheep, goats, hogs, dogs and poultry. If your animal is in a morbid condition bring it to me and have it treated under a scientific principle. All work guaranteed satisfactory. Examination free. Dr. O. M. WALTERS, V. S. San Saba, Texas.

### JACK NOTICE.

My Jack will make the season at the Trent place, 3 miles west of Williams Ranch. Terms \$10 for insurance. Pasturage for mares at 50 cents per month. Will use due care to prevent accidents, but not responsible should one occur. J. J. INCE.

W. F. Barnes

W. P. McCullough

LET US FIGURE ON

# LUMBER

This is the season when everybody begins to figure on making needed repairs about the place or building new houses, barns, etc.

We have anticipated the needs of users and stocked up with the material you need to build.

Our prices are right and, no matter what your wants are, we are prepared to supply them—from one piece to a complete house bill.

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A large stock of well selected goods. Come and see what we have and how cheap we sell everything. If you want Glassware, Chinaware, Tinware, Queensware or anything in the Racket line

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