

# THE GOLDTHWAITE EAGLE.

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## AUGUST CLEARINGS

All through this month we will make "clean-up prices" on all **Summer Goods**. This is your last chance and last call. We have the goods—you need them. Why not give us a chance to show them to you? We will appreciate a call from you and will be glad to show you through whether you want to buy or not. We are always at your service.

**WE HANDLE ONLY DEPENDABLE GOODS. WHILE OTHERS ARE "TALKING" QUALITY WE "GUARANTEE" IT.**

Our \$2.50, \$3.50 and \$5.00 Pants are the Biggest Values on Earth. Our Price on **Genuine, Guaranteed Palm Beach Suits** to close out balance on hand will be \$6.50. We have **No Substitutes**, only one kind—the **Genuine**—and We **Guarantee It**.

**Our All-Wool, "Guaranteed-Not-to-Fade" Blue Serge Suits are the Best Values on Earth.**

**Suits—\$10.00, \$12.50, \$15.00—No more. Single Pants of same—\$2.50, \$3.00, \$3.50, \$4.00, \$4.50 and \$5.00.**



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### WHITE HOUSE OXFORDS Are Here in Profusion for Both Men and Women.

\$5.00 Men's Oxfords	\$4.50
4.50 " "	4.00
4.00 " "	3.50
3.50 " "	3.00
3.00 " "	2.50
3.00 Boys' Buster Brown	2.50
2.50 " Oxfords	2.00
2.00 " "	1.50

The same scrupulous care, the finish of the leathers, the same good taste in style, are to be found in both Men's and Women's "White House" Shoes. You will also find the same shoe-making, the careful, painstaking attention given to little points that make these Shoes so different. That is why we recommend them to you, knowing you will be thoroughly satisfied.

**On and After Today we will sell you Any Oxford in the House AT A REDUCTION. Come and see.**

The House of Quality

# B. A. HARRIS

"On The Square"

Mary Mauldin went to Antelope Gap Tuesday for a visit to relatives and to attend a revival in progress at that place.

Mrs. Campbell returned to her home at Meridian Tuesday after a visit to her son, Dr. J. M. Campbell, and family in this city.

W. W. Henry, one of the Eagle's good friends, brought us a fine lot of tomatoes this week and we certainly appreciated his thoughtfulness and kindness.

Luther Adams and wife returned to their home in Ballinger Tuesday, after a visit to her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Pink Taff, and other relatives in this county.

Dr. Turner of Dallas, a celebrated specialist, spent last Saturday in this city in consultation with the attending physician relative to Louie Miller's condition.

Mr. and Mrs. E. O. Priddy and their two sons and Dow Hudson left Tuesday morning for an automobile trip to San Angelo and a visit to friends and relatives in that city.

J. T. Allen and family and Kenneth Applewhite and wife passed thru the city Monday in automobiles, en route to Lampasas for a visit to relatives and a few days camping at the springs.

Elmas Bryan, telegraph operator for the Santa Fe at Somerville, arrived in the city last Saturday morning for a visit to home folks and friends. He is making good progress in his work and has a high standing with the railroad company.

Misses Effie and Alta Brashear returned to their home in Fort Worth the first of the week, after a visit to their grandmother, Mrs. Cortis, and other relatives in South Bennett and Big Valley communities. The young ladies were delighted with their visit and promise to come back soon for another visit to their relatives and friends.

#### CITY COUNCIL

##### Business of Importance Transacted and Matters of Interest Discussed

Goldthwaite city council met in regular monthly session Monday night with all members present except Mayor Trent, who is touring the west. Mayor Pro Tem Walters presided over the meeting.

The city treasurer's report was received and referred to the finance committee.

The tax rolls for 1915 were received and adopted. These rolls showed a total rendition of taxable property in the city of \$987,190 for the year. The total for last year was \$935,785. This increase represents to a considerable extent property that was not on the rolls last year and is not an increase in the valuation of property assessed on previous years.

The report of the engineer on the cost and necessary tax rate for a system of water works was passed for further consideration and additional information. It is not likely the council will take any definite action on this matter until after the return of Mayor Trent.

#### A STREET FAIR

The Eagle hopes to see the Commercial club, joined by all of the business interests of the town and the citizens of the county generally, inaugurate a street fair this fall. A fair is beneficial in many ways and this year would certainly be a fine time for a street fair in this city. There have been good crops of small grain and the corn and cotton promise a heavy yield. Fruit is fine and every crop grown in this section is exceptionally good. We can also make some fine showings of live stock and poultry. Aside from making a good showing for the county, a fair brings the people together and gives them an opportunity to see what their neighbors are doing and what crops are grown best in the various parts of the county.

Mrs. C. Dickerson returned Tuesday from a visit to relatives in Lometa.

R. J. Edmondson of the western part of the county had business in the metropolis one day this week.

J. M. Sanderford was here from his home at Priddy the first of the week, looking after business matters.

Joe Peck was one of the prosperous young men of Star community who had business in this city Monday.

J. R. Carter was one of the good men of Center City community who had business in this city the first of the week.

Prof. Daniel and J. S. Chesser were among the visitors from Mullin Monday. They made the trip in Prof. Daniel's new car.

Rev. J. G. Forester, pastor of the Methodist church at this place, left Monday for Bertram to assist Rev. McIntyre in a revival.

Mrs. Peck returned to her home in Brynwood Tuesday, after a visit to her brother, W. J. Hopper, and family in the Priddy community.

Mrs. Whitlock and children returned to their home in Van Alstyne the first of the week, after a visit to Mr. and Mrs. J. W. McAlexander in this city.

W. F. Keese of Sidney, Comanche county, was here this week visiting relatives. He was en route home from a visit to his old home in Caldwell county.

Dr. C. M. Harris of Shaw, who is engaged this year in farming and stock growing on the Bogue, west of that city, was here Tuesday for the first time in several months. Together with J. P. Sharp of Shaw they now own a herd of nearly 200 cattle that Dr. Harris says is simply doing fine on the range. He was looking well, and says that with the exception of the editor, he is the busiest man in the county.—Cleveland, Miss., Enterprise.

If the Commercial club will take the management of the fair the Eagle feels sure there will be hearty cooperation by the people.

Henry Martin and family and J. L. King left in an auto. Tuesday for Mason, to attend a big reunion and celebration and to visit relatives.

Miss Zella Prater left Saturday morning for Temple, where she joined a party of friends for a visit to the Panama-Pacific exposition and a trip thru the west.

Will Page was here from Lometa the first of the week, looking after business matters.

C. M. Bramlett was one of the good men who had business in the big town one day this week.

Mr. and Mrs. T. F. Toland expect to leave tonight for St. Louis and other markets to buy fall goods for Little & Sons store. They will be joined en route by W. T. Little of Hamilton and W. H. Walton of Lometa, who will assist in making selections for the company's stores.



**"Bar-G" Bottled Sodas**  
Put Up in Cases, 24 Bottles Each  
Assorted Flavors---60c

Something mighty good to make the hot August days shorter and cooler--

**"Bar-G" Sodas**

Keep a few bottles in the refrigerator --it's good both for children and for grown-ups. Order your case now. ::

**Goldthwaite Light & Ice Co.**  
Edward Geeslin, V. P. and G. M.

## CHEAP MONEY

Did you ever notice how much cheaper on an average "our bank" loans money than "other banks" in this country?

Come with us and we will do you good.

## THE NATIONAL BANK

W. E. MILLER, President.

I will buy hog plums that are not too ripe.—J. C. Street.

Misses Bina and Florine Weathers have been visiting friends in Lometa this week.

Special prices on Kitchen Cabinets at Sullivan, Trent & Allen's. (adv)

Get a Milk Cooler at Sullivan, Trent & Allen's. (adv)

A fresh car of Mountain Peak Flour just arrived at Grisham's. (Advertisement)

When you are in need of wood or oil phone the Palace of Sweets or H. E. Dalton's residence. (adv)

For quality in Drugs and Sundries you will find it at L. E. Miller & Son's Drug and Jewelry Store. (Advertisement)

For Sale—Horse and buggy, 2-man sheep shearing machine with gasoline engine and all complete, also 15 hogs. Will sell or trade for cattle.—E. P. Thompson.

Walter Lindsey has been here for several days visiting his family and friends. He has recently been in Oklahoma and will return to his business in that state in a few days.

See Sullivan, Trent & Allen for Coffins and Undertakers supplies. (Advertisement)

Editor Rob. Downey, of Copperas Cove, was a pleasant caller at the Times office Tuesday afternoon. He was accompanied by Mrs. Downey and Rob. Jr., they being on their way to Bartlett for a visit with Mrs. Downey's parents.—Edison Times.

A car of wire and nails just in. Let us name prices to you—Barnes & McCullough.

Dr. Calaway has received a communication from Grady Malone stating that Mrs. Malone, who has been quite sick with slow fever, is much improved and it is hoped she will be up in a few days. Friends here of the family hope for her speedy recovery.

Fishing Tackle for everybody at Sullivan, Trent & Allen's. (adv)

W. F. Hutchinson returned Thursday from Temple, where he had been with other relatives of the Grimes family to give attention and assistance to Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Grimes, who were so brutally assaulted by a tramp negro last week, at the time of the murder of three of their children by the black brute, who received just punishment at the hands of the good people of Bell county last Friday night. Mr. Hutchinson reports both Mr. and Mrs. Grimes improving and it is thought they will both recover, altho it is likely Mrs. Grimes will be totally blind as a result of the injuries inflicted by the brute, who struck her on the head and in the face with a hammer.

**\$500 REWARD**



FOR ANY MACHINE THAT WILL DO WHAT THE **ARNOLD STEAM WASHER** WILL DO. BOILS AND WASHES A TUB OF CLOTHES IN 10 MINUTES. NO RUB-BOARD NEEDED.

THE **ARNOLD IMPROVED WASHING MACHINE CO.**  
OF DALLAS, TEX. WILL PAY THIS REWARD.  
FOR SALE BY  
**Mills Co., Inc. Co.**

## HOME PATRONAGE

In awarding contracts for supplies for state institutions for the fiscal year beginning September 1, the State Purchasing Agent, in compliance with the suggestion of Governor Ferguson, gave preference to Texas manufacturers.

It was not contemplated, of course, that the home dealer should be given an unfair advantage over the outside competitor; but other things being equal, that the home enterprise should have the preference.

This is merely the practical application of the principle of patronizing home industry, which is for the general benefit. The home merchant and manufacturer pays taxes to the state, gives employment to home people and helps to support and build up the community of which he is a part. His success is a part of the general prosperity and the money which drops into his coffers thereafter flows through the local channels of circulation so that all of his neighbors get some benefit from it. The money that is sent away from home for purchases of any sort is drained from the local channels and never comes back, except for raw materials. It is plain, therefore, that the State, the municipality and the individual should patronize home industry and the home merchant to the fullest extent possible where the inducements are even approximately equal to those of away-from-home competition.—San Antonio Express.

## ROADS AT SIX DOLLARS A MILE

Something of a sensation has been brought about in Middle Western good roads circles by a revelation concerning a stretch of highway in Missouri. It seems that the state highway commissioner reported recently that the best grade of earth road in Missouri was a piece of considerable length in the Wellington and Napoleon district. Whereupon the president of the National Old Trails Road Association at once wrote to Wellington to ascertain the cost of this road. He was told that the total expenditure on it was \$6 a mile. Thinking this a mistake he wrote again, only to learn that the figure named was correct. The district it appears owns modern road machinery and pays fair but moderate wages to an engineman and two grademen. The cost per diem expenses run to an even \$19. Two miles are graded daily. Roads elsewhere in Missouri that are no better for practical purposes cost \$6,000 a mile. Hence the sensation.—Christian Science Monitor

## PHONE COMPANY MEETING

The annual meeting of the stockholders of the Goldthwaite Rural Telephone company was held here Thursday afternoon, at which time the business of the company was discussed and officers made reports. Everything was found to be in satisfactory condition and no changes were made in the management or employees. However, the manager was authorized to make a complete inventory and appraisal of all of the company's property, in order that better records of the company's business might be prepared.

The officers were re-elected as follows: Dr. M. L. Brown, president; J. C. Street, vice president; C. B. Mohler, secretary-treasurer; Dr. M. L. Brown, J. C. Street, C. B. Mohler, L. W. Faulkner, J. W. Roberts, W. B. Jackson, R. M. Thompson, directors.

## RECOMMENDS CHAMBERLAIN'S COLIC CHOLERA AND DIARRHOEA REMEDY

"I never hesitate to recommend Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy," writes Sol Williams, merchant, Jesse, Tenn. "I sell more of it than of any other preparations of like character. I have used it myself and found it gave me more relief than anything else I have ever tried for the same purpose." Obtainable everywhere. (adv)

## COUNTY COURT

County court will convene in this city on Monday, Sept. 6, and the following citizens have been named as jurors to appear at 1:30 o'clock that day:

Jim Campbell, Tom Priddy, Jr., Joe Curtis, Joe Morgan, Robt. Robertson, Perry Lawrence, E. A. Oshaus, I. A. Dyches, Wm. Bird, Oma Weather, E. G. Letbetter, Jesse Lowe, J. W. Mathis, F. E. Leineweber, R. A. McChristian, Sam Williams, Aaron Little, Charle Brown.

# MOVING THE CROP

How are you prepared for moving your crops to market this fall, Mr. Farmer? Don't you need a new Wagon or a Set of Harness? If you have any requirement along this line we would be glad to figure and talk with you about it.

We are Headquarters for Furniture and House Furnishings of all kinds. Come here to learn the Styles in Furniture and the RIGHT PRICES, even if you do your buying elsewhere. :: :: ::

We have a mighty nice line of Vehicles of every description—Buggies, Hacks, Surreys, Etc. Those who want a new Vehicle will be interested in looking at our stock and learning of our prices and terms. Call and see what we have.

OUR STOCK OF COFFINS COMPRISES ALL SIZES AND GRADES.

# BODKIN, HURDLE & CO.

## OUR PUBLIC FORUM

Joe Hirsch  
On Bankers Helping the Farmers



It is a great thing to make two bales of cotton grow where one grew before, but a much greater achievement to make a bale of cotton worth twice what it was before. It is a great thing for a banker to lend money on property he never loaned on before, but a still greater achievement to lend a dollar at one-half the rate of interest and make a greater net profit than he did before. The Texas Bankers, in co-operating with the Farmers' Union, are bringing about these happy results.

When the State of Texas established a warehouse commission it gave the marketing side of agriculture recognition and when it based success of the law upon co-operation of the legislature paid a tribute to the intelligence and patriotism of the farmers, bankers and business interests.

Mr. Joe Hirsch, president of the Texas Bankers' Association, when asked to define the position of the Texas Bankers on cotton warehousing and financing, said in part: "As a result of the vigorous cotton warehouse campaign now being undertaken, the Texas Bankers' Association, backed up by the Federal Reserve Bank of Dallas, will endeavor to market the Texas cotton crop gradually and to obtain for the farmers of Texas a reasonable price above the cost of production.

The Federal Reserve Bank of Dallas is urging the bankers to assist in financing the Texas cotton crop and is offering to rediscount, for its members, notes secured by cotton warehouse receipts, giving preference to cotton stored in bonded warehouses. With this powerful backing for the first time in the financial history of the state, Texas bankers are prepared to finance our cotton crop, but the success or failure of this movement depends entirely upon the construction of adequate warehouse facilities, upon the willingness of farmers to store their cotton and upon the co-operation of country merchants and bankers agreeing to extend credit facilities upon cotton when warehoused.

A cotton warehouse can be constructed at a cost of not exceeding \$1.00 to \$1.25 per bale capacity. Plans for warehouses, prepared for the Texas Bankers' Association, may be obtained by writing Nathan Adams, Chairman Texas Bankers' Warehouse Committee, Dallas. It is suggested that communities build warehouses in units of 1000 bales each, situated not less than 100 feet from each other. This takes a low fire rate. Call a meeting of your local merchants and bankers. Procure a guarantee of enough money to build your warehouse. Apply for your charter and start work immediately.

The Texas Bankers' Association is composed of seven units, or groups, comprising seven sections of the state. A group chairman is actively in charge of the work in his own district. A banker chairman has been appointed in every county who reports direct to the group chairman. The campaign has been conducted vigorously and applications for charters are pouring into the State Warehouse Department daily and it is hoped that, as a result of the campaign now being waged, the warehouse capacity of the State will be largely increased."

Every detail of the crime committed near Temple last week by which three little children were murdered and their parents almost killed indicates that it was a one man job, and the proof is positive that the negro who committed the crime was the one to whom punishment was meted out swift and terrible. He claimed that there were others implicated, but this is almost sure to prove false.

Billie Sunday has agreed to hold a seven-weeks meeting in Dallas next summer or fall. He is the most talked-of preacher in America and the Dallas people have done well to secure him as an attraction.

Another Texan has been honored by the Wilson administration. Hon. Horace Vaughan of Texarkana has been appointed to a position of honor in Hawaii at a salary of \$6,000 per annum.

A run-away oil car on the Atchison, Topeka & Santa Fe railroad at Santa Anna, Cal., Tuesday night struck and wrecked a passenger train killing one man and injuring a large number.

Investigate the Special Sale on Talcum Powder this week at L. E. Miller & Son's Drug and Jewelry Store. (adv)

I will buy hog plums that are not too ripe.—J. C. Street.

**The Goldthwaite Eagle**

Saturday, August 7, 1915.

Tents, cots and other camping necessities to sell or rent.—J. T. Weems

Every sack of Mountain Peak Flour guaranteed or money back at Grisham's. (adv)

Oscar Burns and wife have been in San Augustine this week, visiting relatives.

A new lot of Rugs just in at Sullivan, Trent & Allen's. (adv)

Miss Ann Lee of Temple is visiting Mrs. T. E. Gay at the Presbyterian manse.

Oma and Walter Weatherby returned yesterday from a business trip to Central Texas.

Misses Annie and Bettie Pfluger were here from Priddy shopping one day this week.

Why not see us about that hog fence or other wire you need—Barnes & McCullough.

Homer Tuck returned yesterday from a visit to Jim Calaway and family at Fort Worth.

Floor Coverings—Mattings of different widths, rugs, linoleum, etc. A new lot just in.—J. T. Weems.

W. W. Taylor, one of the prosperous farmers of the Center City community, made the Eagle a pleasant call Thursday.

T. E. Hamilton and Henry Morris of Star boarded the train here Thursday for Brownwood to look after business matters.

W. H. Leverett and W. W. Berry were among those who attended the meeting of the Farmers Union at Houston this week.

For Sale—One span work mules, one span unbroken mules, one mare, a bunch of goats, a new Peter Schutler wagon. See or phone me.—C. A. Faulkner.

Lost—A matting art square while moving from Fisher street to the western part of town. Finder will be rewarded for returning it to me.—B. F. Harris.

It will be good-bye to Mr. Rat if you use Miller's Rat Exterminator. A 25c package will do the work to your entire satisfaction. Get it at L. E. Miller & Son's Drug and Jewelry Store. (adv)

Mrs. J. R. Graves, who has been in the sanitarium at Temple for treatment and an operation, is reported to be getting along fairly well and it is thought she will be able to come home next week.

The new railroad depot has been completed and every day Mr. Arnold and his assistants expect orders to move into the new building. However, no such orders have yet been received and it is not known when the move will be made.

Mrs. J. M. Skaggs, of Winters, Runnels county, is the guest of her sister, Mrs. W. C. Patterson, Mr. Skaggs will join her here in a few days and they will attend the eastern markets in company. Mrs. Skaggs runs the millinery department of the store operated by her husband, and makes annual trips to the foreign markets.—Lampasas Leader.

—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.

**OAT MONEY**

TO LOAN farmer or buyer at

**THE NATIONAL BANK**

W. E. MILLER, President.

We always take care of our customers during the "hard summer times" just the same as during the "easy times."

**POPULAR COUPLE HONORED**

**Former Goldthwaite Couple Celebrate Golden Wedding.**

The Oklahoma World of a few days ago contained the likenesses of Col. and Mrs. J. A. Vickers of Bristow, Okla., together with a write-up of the celebration of the fiftieth anniversary of the marriage of that popular couple. They formerly lived in this city and are well known and kindly remembered by the people here and we all wish for them many returns of the happy anniversary.

The account of the celebration, as given by the World, follows:

BRISTOW, July 24.—Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Vickers of this city celebrated their golden wedding anniversary Wednesday.

The neighbors of Mr. and Mrs. Vickers planned a surprise for them and getting an auto they enticed the old couple to take a ride, and while they had them away from home they prepared the place for a wedding ceremony, which took place immediately on their return.

Their two granddaughters, twins, who were celebrating their tenth anniversary on the same day, met their grandparents at the sidewalk and scattered flowers down the path in front of them to the door, where they were met by Rev. E. H. Creny of the Methodist church, who conducted them to the center of the room and telling them to join hands, reunited them in marriage. They marched through the rooms to Mendelssohn's wedding march, played by another granddaughter.

Immediately after the ceremony congratulations were showered upon the happy old couple and then the guests were invited to the wedding supper. The dining room was decorated in golden colors and the viands were also arranged so as to commemorate the event. At the supper table Mr. and Mrs. Vickers were given \$50 in gold.

Mr. and Mrs. Vickers were both born in 1845 and married in 1865, in Grimes county, Texas, where they lived for a number of years. They then moved to Goldthwaite, Texas, where they lived until 1903, coming from that place to Bristow, and have since resided here. Only two children have been born to this union, a girl and a boy. The girl grew to womanhood and married, but is now deceased, her name being Mrs. Jennie Hammond. The son, James C. Vickers is a resident of Bristow, and a prominent business man, being owner and manager of the electric light and ice plants. They are the grandparents of six children. Both enjoy very good health for people of their age.

**LADIES AID SOCIETY**

The Ladies Aid met Monday with a good and enthusiastic number of the membership present. It being the regular time for the election of officers, the following officers were elected for the next associational year: Mrs. E. B. Anderson, president; Mrs. J. M. Campbell, first vice-president; Mrs. L. O. Hicks, second vice-president; Mrs. Charles Rudd, third vice-president; Mrs. S. A. Lowrie, recording secretary; Mrs. Oma Weatherby, corresponding secretary; Mrs. W. P. McCullough, treasurer; Mrs. M. E. Thompson, parliamentarian.

At the next open meeting, which will be some time this month, the president and vice-presidents will choose the members for their circles and decide on plans for the coming year's work. REPORTER.

**THE CLERK GUARANTEED IT**

"A customer came into my store the other day and said to one of my clerks, 'have you anything that will cure diarrhoea,' and my clerk went and got him a bottle of Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy and said to him, 'if this does not cure you, I will not charge you a cent for it. So he took it home and came back in a day or two and said he was cured,' writes J. H. Berry & Co., Salt Creek, Va. Obtainable everywhere. (adv)

**FOR A SPRAINED ANKLE**

If you will get a bottle of Chamberlain's Liniment and observe the directions given therewith, faithfully, you will recover in much less time than is usually required. Obtainable everywhere. (adv)

**GOOD COUNCIL FOR GIRLS**

A sensible diet should be the first course prescribed—and not only prescribed but taught—in every school for girls. It is hard to get a sweet, pluffy young thing to understand that the simplest fare is the best. Young ladies there are more roses for your cheeks in poached eggs and turnip salad than there are in those delicious promoters of indigestion that sell for 80 cents a pound. There are more sparkles for your eyes in a glass of buttermilk than in the whole bubbling, sizzling aggregation of soda fountain concoctions.

My second prescription is be natural. The great actresses are easily numbered. Few people can play a part without making themselves ridiculous. Affection spoils more faces than smallpox. You simply cannot develop grace and charm in a self-conscious personality. Be generous, be open minded, be sincere.

The third prescription is, be holy. You must be if you would enter into the full Kingdom of woman's beauty. The King's daughters are, and of necessity must be all beautiful within. Be careful of your thoughts.

Read only the best literature. Let nothing low or little find lodging in your mind. Set an angel with a flaming sword at every gateway of your soul, that no creeping, crawling thing may enter there. The most pathetic figure in the world is that of the man who, having done his day's work, when he starts home goes down grade, when the woman with whom he lives, his wife, his mother or sister, lives on a lower plane and has more sordid views of men and things than he, God pity such man. He lives in a cellar. But fortunate is the man who climbs to his home, who amid the temptations of the day can look and see his home shining like a star.—From an address by Hon. T. W. Bickett, at Queen's College.

**DESOLATION IN MEXICO**

A correspondent of the Associated Press, writing of conditions in Mexico west of General Carranza's headquarters in Vera Cruz, gives a shocking picture of what the war has come to. Here and there throughout the devastated country are bodies of dead men swinging from the limbs of trees where they were hanged by one faction or another as a part of a policy of "frightfulness" adopted by both sides. Starvation is driving the people from their homes by thousands, though the portion of Mexico thus described is the richest in the country, and industry is at a standstill. This desolation will continue and grow worse unless there is an agreement among the leaders to compromise their differences and begin the work of reconstruction, but the condition of the country and the barbarity of the war as it is now carried on are indications that the end can not be very far away. Enlightened Mexicans must perceive that peace is the one overmastering need of the country, and even so stubborn a man as Carranza himself can not be blind to the fact that Mexico is in no condition to ignore the suggestions from Washington that an agreement must be reached. Without peace the Mexican people will soon be in a frame of mind to welcome any pressure from without which will bring the factions to their senses.—St. Louis Republic.

**THEATRE PARTY AND SUPPER**

Last Saturday evening Mr. Herbert and Miss Lucile Street gave a theatre party and moon light supper, honoring Miss Claudia Patton of Brownwood. The guests were taken out in the pretty Street and Fairman cars. Miss Lucile Bryan of Sweet water was an out of town guest. Mrs. Harry Martin and Miss Lillie Martin were chaperones. Everyone enjoyed the entire evening very much and were sorry when the parting hour had come.

Mr. and Miss Street were lovely host and hostess. A GUEST.

**FARM FOR SALE**

One of the best farms in Trigger mountain country for sale at \$25 per acre, which is \$10 per acre less than similar land in the same community can be bought. There are 151 acres in the tract, 60 or more in cultivation, good 3-room house, well and windmill, fine grass and all fenced, pasture land divided into two pastures. This is a desirable place and will be sold on good terms. See me for full particulars. J. D. CALAWAY, M. D.

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REMEMBER THAT WE WON'T BE UNDERSOLD

**Special Sale of Boys' Hats**

We are closing out our stock of Boys' 50c Straw and Fancy Hats at Half-Price—each 25c. Come early and make your selection, for they won't last long at the Price.

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**From Our Dry Goods Department**

Men's Underwear - 25c-50c	Fancy Fans - - - 10c-25c
Nice line of Ties - - - 25c	Overalls - - - - \$1.00
Men's Belts - - - - 25c	Men's Work Shirts - 50c

Palm Leaf Fans—3 for 10c. We have added a stock of Leather Work Gloves at Prices ranging from 25c to \$1.25.

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R. M. THOMPSON, Editor

One of the most sensible ideas offered the public in a long time was by a writer who said: "If you want to discuss the war join the army."

The officials of Brownwood are enforcing the Sunday law to the letter and it is said to be impossible to even buy gasoline for automobiles in that city on Sunday.

The final report of the steamship disaster at Chicago says 981 persons lost their lives when the pleasure vessel turned over with more than 1,000 passengers on board last week.

A battle between officers and a band of Mexican outlaws near Brownsville Tuesday resulted in one officer being killed, several others being wounded and a number of the Mexicans being killed and wounded.

If you live in a town or county you can not honestly recommend to others as a desirable place in which to live, you do yourself an injustice to remain. If you can not boost your home county it is a mighty good time to look for a better place.

The negro who was burned in Temple last week for the murder of the Grimes family followed the course of all negroes charged with such crimes before justice was meted out to him—he attempted to incriminate others and there was quite a sensation for a few days over a report that a white man was implicated in the terrible crime. Officers investigated the matter, however, and found that there was no basis whatever for the report that a white man had part in the fiendish negro's crime.

Disguise the matter as we may, the spirit of democracy is abroad in the world and men are beginning to learn that no man has the divine right to rule. A standing army and the ruling of a nation by a king or emperor, upon whose word depends peace or war, and the disregard for the interest or wishes of the masses is too high a price to pay for being prepared. This country can prepare for war without any infringement upon the constitutional guarantees of personal rights and liberties and she can not be flung into the war at the behest of any one man. The people, through their representatives, must first speak and they will be slow to hurl this nation into war. Thus far we have set the world an example of incalculable value and challenged the respect of civilized humanity and we are interested in maintaining that attitude and increasing that respect. As we have shown the moral courage to be calm and to appeal to reason under dire provocation, so will we as bravely meet any issue that may arise in that future now so difficult to forecast.—Houston Chronicle.

Sometimes the shortness of human life comes to one with a shock, just as it came to me today as I read an item in a State paper which said that an aged man had just died. The aged man was 62 years of age, while I am approaching forty-eight. If I live as long as this man, I have just fourteen years more upon this earth. What shall I do in these fourteen years if they are granted me? Shall I struggle to lay aside a lot of money for my children to spend or my relatives to quarrel over, or shall I devote the money I make to educating my family, and to give them comfort and pleasures while I am here to enjoy it with them? Shall I quarrel and fuss about fate, or shall I encourage an equitable temperament, patient in all things, and try to make it pleasant there by for those with whom I associate? Shall I devote my whole time to worldly things or shall I give considerable time to the contemplation of the future life and my relations to God and humanity? In view of the very short time one has to live at best, what would be your course under similar circumstances.—Clemburne Enterprise.

STAR

Editor Eagle:

It has been quite a long time since I last wrote the Eagle and I guess some people have about got the notion that the Reporter is dead or ought to be. He has been so very much alive for the last three months that he has not had time to turn around smoothly, and therefore has not had time to look up news items. Star is still high and is soaring higher. People around about are talking about the latest sensation in the European struggle and bulging their eyes and wondering when United States is going to become involved, while Star folks are going quietly along and building houses and doing less gossiping and going to Sunday school and church more and more and the young people are beginning in the great work of uplifting the community so that there is a harmonious pulling together here that is sure to result in great and everlasting good.

Our Sunday school is doing a fine work now. Several classes have organized and named their classes, elected officers, appointed special committees, etc., with the idea of increasing the interest and trying to get more of the older people to come and see how far ahead of their parents they really are. Some of our older people need to be taken out and given a good beating for the way they neglect the Sunday school, yet they are so few that the majority of the Sunday school people probably think that these few are not worth the trouble of such treatment.

I do not know who went to Goldthwaite last week, but so many go and come that it seems their frequent trips are not news but merely routine work so I will not say much about them this time. However some of our folks are figuring on going to the Panama exposition and Mr. E. G. Kingsbury has already left. We know he will have a jolly good time and wish we could be with him.

Jim Adams is having a new house built on his place a short distance west of Star.

Chas Bowman is now counted among the host of Ford owners, he having recently purchased a five passenger touring car of that make.

The Southern Development Normal school of music branch session, has now been going on two weeks at Star and Prof. B. B. Edmiston and wife are doing some fine teaching. Last year's school at Star was the first Prof. Edmiston ever taught here and the community felt unusually fortunate in securing his services. About twelve men contracted with him last year at a good salary and after the normal was over forty two men eagerly signed a contract for this year. This certainly proves that the normal was a great success, inasmuch as the salary this year is nearly twice as much as it was last year. The present school is progressing nicely and the enthusiasm is very gratifying. We have pupils from as far as Oklahoma City. Prof. Edmiston is thinking of giving away a scholarship to one of the students of this normal for a full term at the S. D. N. at Waco. The contractors to decide who shall be the fortunate student.

Chas. House has completed his new home a short distance southwest of Star and has moved in.

Dr. J. E. Brooking has joined the ranks of the Ford army and now sails around in his chug wagon. Doctor Brooking still holds on to his buggy and horses though and says he can now go at high speed or low and in fair weather or snow, and no matter what happens he is Dr. John B. with the dough.

J. C. Witty's little son, Ken'th, cut his toe off the other day while he was chopping stove wood. He is getting along all right now. The chickens ate the toe.

Dr. Baker of Hamilton had business here last week.

The Woodmen circle met last Saturday evening.

One of the greatest things that has ever been done in our enterprising little village is the organizing of our teachers for co-operative study and self help. An institute or normal has been organized and our teachers and teachers-to-be meet here five days in each week and put in regular school hours reviewing and preparing for teaching. There is no charge, but each one is expected and required to help and take part in the work. Quite a number are attending and it is the aim of the organizers to make the Normal a permanent

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Neal Dickerson spent Sunday with relatives and friends in Temple.

Mrs. R. S. Crain of San Saba came over Sunday for a visit to her sister, Mrs. Scott Thompson, and other relatives and friends.

Walter Henry returned Saturday morning from a trip to Eastland and other counties in that section and reports cotton doing very poor in some places.

Prof. Albert Long left the first of the week for Winters, to prepare his catalog and make other arrangements for the opening of the fall term of school at that place, where he has been elected superintendent.

Mrs. Welch and children returned to their home at Dublin the first of the week, after a visit to her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. McLeod, and other relatives here.

thing to be held every summer. It is thought that on account of the great number that will likely attend next year a slight tuition charge should be made, as each one would hardly have time to do much work for the normal. However, the idea is a great one and helps the community in more ways than one.

Gus Siems has recently purchased a new Ford touring car.

Prof. B. B. Edmiston will sing at Moline on Sunday, August 15. A large crowd is expected and all are invited to be early. The singing will be held in the afternoon at one of the churches. Be sure to be on time—3:30 p. m.

No sickness here to amount to anything. Everybody fat and healthy merry and getting merrier.

STAR REPORTER.

### ICE CREAM SOCIAL

The Ladies of the Home Mission Society will sell ice cream under the Goldthwaite Methodist Tabernacle next Thursday night, August 12, when a splendid musical program will be rendered. A cordial invitation is extended to the general public to come and participate in this social, the proceeds of which will be applied to the purchase of seats for the tabernacle. COMMITTEE.

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## NEIGHBORING NEWS

Items of Interest Culled From Local Papers of Towns Mentioned.

### LOMETA

Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Skaggs attended the fair at San Saba Tuesday. Mrs. Dr. M. L. Brown, came in this morning from Brownwood to visit Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Walton, Miss Gladys Moore entertained Thursday morning from 9 to 11 with a delightful 42 party in honor of her guest, Miss Fannie Kirkpatrick of San Saba.

J. D. McCaughan and son, Drew, returned Tuesday from San Francisco where they visited the Exposition. They report a most pleasant trip.

Mrs. John Hancock, of Temple, who has been here on a visit to her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Steve Jones, left yesterday for Goldthwaite for a visit with friends.

Jack Ivy, formerly of this place but now of Kimble county, has been in Lometa the past few days, and last Monday closed a deal in which the old Ivy ranch consisting of nearly 800 acres, was sold to R. A. Barkley of Hamilton county for a consideration of \$15,000.—Reporter.

### LAMPASAS

Prof. and Mrs. W. W. Hart and two children have gone to San Saba where they will visit relatives, and attend the fair which opened there Monday.

A pleasant marriage ceremony was that of Eugene L. Key who was married to Miss Lillie Harrell at the home of the bride's mother, 13 miles north of Lampasas, Wednesday evening at 8:30.

Miss Mamie Mitchell went to Temple Wednesday morning, where she will join a party of tourists and visit the expositions in California, as well as many places of attraction in different states to the north and west.

In the district court of Coryell county the case of M. R. Jones, commonly known as "Reed" Jones, against J. E. Vernon and J. H. Abney, for libel, in which damages in the sum of ten thousand dollars was claimed to the character of Jones, resulted in a verdict for the defendants, Vernon & Abney.—Leader.

### HAMILTON

A. A. Gooch of Shive went to Dallas, Fort Worth and Mineral Wells this week for a few days stay.

Mark Logan was here Wednesday only remaining a few hours. He is making his headquarters principally at Mexia and left on the evening train for Dallas.

Every town ought to have a humane society for the prevention of cruelty to dumb animals. Any man who mistreats a poor dumb creature ought to be warned, and if he persists in it he should be made to cease his cruelty and prosecuted. This movement ought to be agitated by the churches in Hamilton and an organization effected.

The big tent meeting closed Sunday night, Dr. Alonzo Monk preached on the subject of "Heaven" to a very large audience. The meeting was a success there being 75 conversions reported. There were 57 additions to the Methodist church, the ordinance of baptism by sprinkling being administered to 24. Six were received by letter and 27 others took the church vows.—Herald.

### BROWNWOOD

W. C. Walker, formerly manager of the Crown hotel in Brownwood, died late Tuesday in Fort Worth, following an accident in which a jitney bus was wrecked.

Lightner Burns of this city, who for some time has been employed as city salesman for the Walker-Smith Company, has been transferred to Brady, where he will become traveling salesman in the territory.

The hosts of friends of the family will regret to learn that late Monday afternoon "Grandpa" E. D. Hurlbut made an unsuccessful attempt to take his own life by slashing his throat with a knife. Prompt surgical attention was rendered and the wound successfully dressed, so that it is thought the aged sufferer will recover.

Following an illness of nine weeks W. E. Norwood, a well known barber lodge member and church worker of Brownwood, died at his home Thursday afternoon, July 22. Funeral services were held at the Baptist church Friday morning, and interment took place in Greenleaf cemetery. The W. O. W. had charge of the burial services. Nine weeks ago Mr. Norwood was stricken with a malady

which baffled his physicians. Symptoms of Bright's disease were present, and this combined with a general nervous breakdown and partial paralysis, soon sapped his vitality and brought about the certainty of death.—Bulletin.

### COMANCHE

Sam Graham, son of J. W. Graham, former tax assessor of this county, and Miss Bessie Owen, daughter of W. H. (Buck) Owen, out at Brysonville, were married Wednesday evening at the residence of the bride's father.

Mrs. Sam Vernon and daughter, Miss Annie Lee, of Kansas City are the guests this week of Mrs. E. W. Harris and Mrs. J. B. Chilton, Mrs. Vernon resided here many years during the life of her husband when he was editor of the Chief.—Vanguard.

### SAN SABA

A deal closed last week by which W. W. Walker sold his farm near the Moore crossing to Mr. Eddy of Fredericksburg at private terms. Mr. Eddy and family expect to move to their new home in the near future and Mr. Walker is undecided just what he will do.

Wednesday night a "bad man" was giving a boy a chunk of a cussing when Sheriff Miller showed up to arrest him. He broke to run across the ball park and as Hugh had not been in training, he was outdistanced but in order to see him go some more Hugh took a few fancy shots at him, and he immediately went into high and over the ball park fence.

Immediately after the second heat was paced at the race track, the horse, Crescent Hal, dropped dead.

The driver for Hallie Grace drove on to a sulkey in front of him, which threw him to the ground. The little mare made over half a mile without a driver and efforts to stop her were futile until the race was over, and when the other horses checked up at the finish, she did the same and turned around and came back to the judges stand. She received an ovation on her performance. The driver escaped with slight injuries.—Star.

### POMPEY CREEK

Crops are looking considerably parched.

Most of the grain in the community has been threshed, tho there is still some awaiting the thresher.

The farmers have been taking advantage of the dry, hot weather, by forsaking their farms and going fishing.

The protracted meetings in other communities are detracting somewhat from the attendance in our Sunday school. However, the Sunday school is continued with considerable interest and the Home Department work is very encouraging.

There is a vocal music school in progress here now. We don't intend that other communities shall be ahead of us.

Revs. Tippen and Greer are to begin a meeting here the third Sunday in August.

Mrs. Leslie Hayes was called to the Panhandle some time last week by a message announcing the serious illness of her father.

Mr. Jim Toon of Delta county has been visiting his daughter, Mrs. Arthur Hancock.

Webb Perkins and family attended the picnic at Democrat Friday and spent the rest of the week visiting relatives in Comanche county.

Ed Carlisle and family of Comanche county visited relatives here the first of the week.

Mrs. Elza Smith lost about thirty of her largest sized turkeys recently.

Since beginning this communication we have learned that Mrs. Hayes' father passed to a better world before Mrs. Hayes reached his bedside. We heartily sympathize with her in her bereavement.

Miss Jewel Warren was guest at Oak Cluster farm one day this week.

Miss Veva Isenhower, who has been visiting in this community went to Zephyr for a visit Monday. From there she will go to Brownwood for a visit.

Mr. Jesse Scoggins of Democrat is very ill at present, JOAN OF ARC

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Joseph W. Allen returned this week from Eureka Springs, Ark., where he had been to visit his family, who are spending the summer at that place.

Little Miss Lorene Sansing returned to her home in Abilene the first of the week, after a visit to Dr. Campbell's little daughter Vivian and other friends in this city.



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Friends here of Miss Elta Langford of Center City learned this week of her marriage a few days ago at Demming, N. M., to Mr. W. F. Edens of Superior, Ariz. Sacklet here some weeks ago for Demming to visit relatives and her friends knew nothing of the approaching nuptials until advised of the happy event this week.

The Eagle joins other friends in extending congratulations and good wishes to Mr. and Mrs. Edens.

#### CHARLIE MATHEWS DEAD

Charlie Mathews died at his home in Payne community at an early hour yesterday morning, after less than a week's illness with typhoid fever.

Mr. Mathews was a good citizen and a good man. He was reared in the Payne community and was about 37 years old at the time of his death. He leaves a wife and six children, besides other relatives and many friends to mourn his death.

#### SCRAPS OF PAPER

The modern world subsists on scraps of paper. You can take it in your own case. For a bit of paper in the form of a check you will labor a month; you will part with your land, your house, your furniture, or almost any other possession. If you take your check to the bank all you get for it is some other scraps of paper in the form of bank notes or a certificate of deposit. You are highly content to labor and economize for twenty years if at the end of that time you can procure some pieces of paper with the word "bond" or "mortgage" printed on them.

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The distinctive symbol of civilization is a scrap of paper. Nothing but faith in a promise could make civilization possible. Contempt for a scrap of paper is simply contempt for civilization.—The Saturday Evening Post.

Miss Nora Hooks is visiting Miss Myrtle Madden at Colorado City.

Mrs. M. J. Thorpe left Thursday night for San Antonio and Corpus Christi to visit relatives.

County Clerk Summy issued marriage license since last report to A. O. Grille and Miss Alice Hopper.

Ray Hamilton Skaggs of Winters has been here this week visiting Herbert Street and other friends.

Deputy Sheriff J. E. Evans spent the first of the week in Houston seeing the sights and visiting his brother, W. B. Evans, who is a member of the police force of that city.

Misses Mary Lou Grundy and Myrtle Harrison left Wednesday night for Dallas to buy their fall stock of millinery and study the styles in ladies' headwear for the coming season.

Misses Mary Alice and Edna Lowrie have returned from a visit to relatives in Coleman, Talpa and elsewhere. Their cousin, Miss Winnie Lowrie, came with them for a visit.

Don't let the Rats eat up the corn and do other expensive damage. Get a 25c. package of Miller's Rat Exterminator and it will be good-bye to Mr. Rat. We guarantee it will work to your entire satisfaction. Get it at L. E. Miller & Son's Drug and Jewelry Store. (adv)

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A well written communication reached us from Ebony this week, but we have no more idea than a rabbit who wrote it, therefore, it had to go to the waste basket. We must know who does the writing of a communication before we publish it.

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If you have friends visiting you or are interested in any other local item which you fail to report it is not fair to blame the Eagle for the oversight. Frequently there are visitors in the town or county and we do not find it out until the item would be historic rather than news.

E. A. Howington, Jas. Evans, W. J. Howington and Thurmond Swindle all of the Washboard country passed thru town last Saturday en route home from a fishing trip to the river. They reported a mighty fine trip and were enthusiastic over the hospitable treatment they received from Mr. Bledsoe and other good people of that section.

## OUR PUBLIC FORUM

Clarence Ousley  
On the Law of Supply and Demand

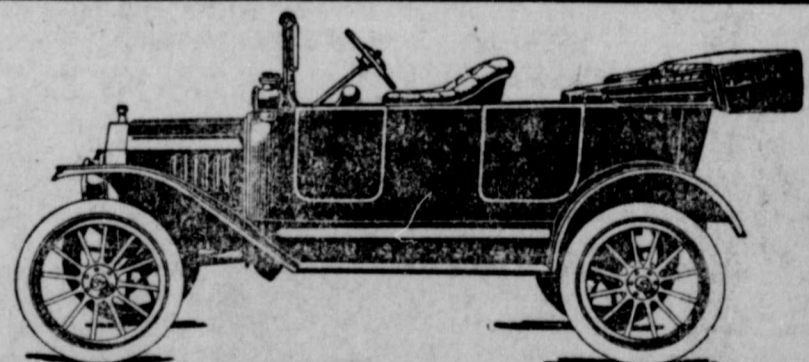


I am amazed that so long the cotton industry should have suffered the grave disadvantage of an entirely one-sided representation concerning supply and demand. We need not deceive ourselves with the notion that by any act of legislation or any concert of action we can suspend the trade law of supply and demand, but we cannot ascertain economic value without knowing demand as well as supply. When you plant your cotton in the spring the Federal Government counts your acres and publishes to the consuming world the precise figures of cotton acreage in the United States which furnishes two-thirds of the production and thereby constitutes two-thirds of the productive influence upon the cotton market. The government reports the condition of the crop and continues month by month to report its condition until the crop is picked and then it begins in September to count and report the bales that are ginned and continues to count and report the bales every month until the ginning is concluded. So that from the time the crop is planted until the last bale is ginned the buying world knows by accurate official representation the acreage, the condition and output from month to month, and yet at no time does the producing world know the condition of the consumption of the product.

Those of us who have been laboring in this field have made repeated efforts by formal communication and by personal interview with congressional and administrative officials at Washington but have been utterly unable to obtain the desired results.

I am compelled to state this blunt fact, not in any captious spirit but for the purpose of demonstrating to you that relief in this important particular must come through the cotton states themselves.

We Democrats have talked so long about State sovereignty as a negative quality in resistance to the encroachments of the Federal Government and as a bulwark against the usurpation and the tyranny, actual or potential, which follow from the concentration of political power in the hands of the Federal government, that we have forgotten the positive qualities of State sovereignty. We have lost sight of the fact that the State possesses all powers except in so far as it has conferred certain powers upon the Federal Government and in so far as the sovereign people have reserved certain powers to themselves. Sovereignty in the political sense means state omnipotence within the limits of human endeavor. Except as to the limitations to which I have already referred, the sovereignty of the State is as complete and as boundless as the sovereignty of the monarch who assumes the divine right of kings. In an emergency of this kind, the State is warranted, and, indeed, under the very obligation of legislation, this body is commanded to conserve the public welfare by any device of legislation that does not palpably offend the Constitution.



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Will exchange furniture and floor coverings for second hand furniture.—J. T. Weems.

Will pay cash for second hand furniture or will trade new furniture for second hand goods—J. T. Weems.

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Including Electric Starter and Electric Lights



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### All Low "First-Cost" Records Broken

The new 1916 Maxwell shatters all low "first-cost" records for a real automobile. Think of it—a full 5-passenger car—an absolutely complete car, with electric starter, electric lights, high-tension magneto, and every refinement—a luxurious car—a beautiful car—a powerful 50-mile-an-hour-car,—yet a light-weight real economy car—for \$655.

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The "first cost" of an automobile is a big consideration to any sane man, but the "after cost" is an even bigger consideration to any man who wants to remain sane in his automobile investment.

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The Maxwell has lowered all economy records for:

- 1st—Miles per set of tires
- 2nd—Miles per gallon of gasoline
- 3rd—Miles per quart of lubricating oil
- 4th—Miles lowest year-in-and-year-out repair bills

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## Black Pepper and White Pepper Come from Same Plant

Many people think that there's a white pepper plant and a black pepper plant. There's not. The difference between the two peppers is entirely a matter of manufacture—or rather what part of the peppercorn is ground.

In making black pepper, the whole peppercorn or pod is ground up. In making white pepper the black outside shell is removed and only the white part of the pod is ground up into pepper.

Some people prefer white pepper—some prefer black pepper. White pepper is used especially in making dishes where black pepper would mar the color, as in delicate, light sauces, etc. But there's one kind of pepper nobody wants; the kind of black pepper that's made by unscrupulous manufacturers by grinding a small proportion of whole peppercorns with a large proportion of the black shells which have been removed in the process of making white pepper. Yet such pepper is all pepper and therefore passes as pure pepper.

Your guarantee of quality in the pepper you buy is to insist on White Swan Peppers.

White Swan Black Pepper is made only by grinding the whole pepper pods. White Swan White Pepper is the ground heart of the pod and nothing else. Your grocer sells these peppers that are "Better than the law requires"—insist.



Waples-Platter Grocer Co.  
Wholesale Grocers  
TEXAS

## The Goldthwaite Eagle

Saturday, August 7, 1915.

Miss Lora Hudson has spent a part of the week in Mullin visiting Mrs. A. Hester.

This is Talcum Powder week at E. Miller & Son's Drug and Jewelry Store. (adv)

Pigs for Sale—I have some pigs for sale at my place two miles west of Goldthwaite.—W. O. McCrary.

For this week L. E. Miller & Son, Druggists and Jewelers, have a special sale on Talcum Powders. (adv)

E. B. Atchison left Thursday for Maskell to visit his father and other relatives. He expected to be away a week or more.

A. Lorenz, one of Priddy's most prominent and popular citizens, was a pleasant caller at the Eagle office one day this week.

A new lot of furniture, floor coverings, etc., just in. Will sell cheap or exchange for second hand furniture.—J. T. Weems.

For Rent—A nice new bungalow of four rooms, bath room, pantry, sleeping porch and galleries. Rent reasonable.—J. C. Street.

Mower—I will run a mower for the public at 75 cents per acre or mow and rake at \$1.00 per acre. Phone or see Andy Allen to locate me.—J. F. Utzman.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Harris left yesterday for Nashville, where they will join Miss Ethel Swayne for a month's vacation. The party will also visit at Ethel Springs, a popular summer resort in the mountains. Mr. and Mrs. Harris were accompanied as far as Fort Worth by their brother, E. J. Swayne.—Temple Telegram.

Rev. F. A. Tippen filled the pulpit of the Coggin Ave. Baptist church in the absence of the pastor last Sunday. . . . A meeting is now in progress at Carbon. Rev. A. R. Watson of Mullin is assisting Pastor W. P. Carter. . . . Rev. C. S. Burgess of Abilene filled the pulpit in the Baptist church at Goldthwaite Sunday. Brother Burgess is a good preacher and was formerly a pastor in this section.—Central Messenger.

Monday evening, at the home of her parents in South Bennett, Miss Lou Ellen Hill delightfully entertained a number of her friends in honor of the departure of two of her Fort Worth friends, Misses Effie and Alta Brashear, who have been visiting friends and relatives here for the past fifteen days. They returned to Fort Worth Tuesday morning. They evidently have made many friends here as so many expressed regret at their departure.—X.

## "ART-IN-TEXAS"

I do indeed look yet for the man or woman among us, or to arise from us, who will bring back to America, and for the first time to my dear State, the Art of the world, precursing the Dawn of Song. Would that I might live to see the rays that herald it. My eyes, enfeebled as they are by the gloom of the Victorian catacombs, could, I think, look unblinking upon it, save for such dimmed sight as comes from rapture. I look with a poignancy of hope for that day. I shall, in all probability, leave my poignant hope as an inheritance to the generation which shall follow. It will be a finer inheritance than I can leave them in creative art. The hope I feel and shall never abandon, that the man or woman shall yet be among us, as of old it was among our betters. One to whom the memories that daily and yearly and from generation to generation are crowding and towering in piled-up splendor upon the soil and under the arch of the sky of our dear land, are material for Song—are too sacred to perish, as we see them perish from among us.

So it is I look with good hope from my niche in the catacombs for the man or woman to come full-breathed and sing. It may well be a woman, even though it has invariably been hitherto that the beginnings of Art in a new land have been made, as empire has gained male hearts and hands. I have the triumphant and transcendental hope that Walt Whitman has changed all that. That somewhere "A Woman awaits" my America, as the bride awaits the bridegroom. So far do I depart from the firm land of the old cautious hucksters: so little to me, in the great regard of Art, do the little piddling maxims and notions of the politicians and marketeers enter or count—Extract from an article in the Alcalde on Texas poets of the smaller fry, by Leonard Doughty.

## PERMANENT PROSPERITY

The difficulty for the cotton grower that is fortunately being overcome is that what he had for sale was a necessity for nobody, yet he was forced to sell in order that he might use the cash to supply his necessities. The cotton grower formerly produced cotton almost exclusively, hence he did not have staple food crops, consequently he was forced to sell the cotton at a time usually when prices were lowest in order that he might buy foods.

The city consumer was dependent upon foods, but it was the foods raised by people of other states, such as wheat, bacon, beef, butter, cheese, etc. What surplus fruit and vegetables the cotton grower offered were not necessities to the consumer at all, since these could be dispensed with.

Times have changed within recent months. Most cotton growers will have staple food products, foods that are indispensable to the country whether in war or at peace. This means ready sale for the crops, animals and animal products with the privilege of holding the cotton if prices are not satisfactory at picking time.

Diversification of crops by which the necessary food and feed crops are raised will relieve the country, since it will reduce the great expense of handling and transportation of heavy food and feed products and it should make living cost lower. It should put more cash in circulation at home and render the people more independent.

Instead of shipping in foods, other things will be shipped out, the land intensively cultivated and more wealth produced. In fact, this is the kind of farming and business methods that bring permanent prosperity.—Ex.

## SETTLEMENT WANTED

A number of people indebted to me promised to settle when they sold their grain. I acted upon the promises, believing they would be kept and I now request and urge those who owe me to make settlement. No one needs what is due them more than I do and surely I have been lenient and have waited a long time on some of these notes and accounts. This is meant for all who owe me and I hope it will have the result of securing a settlement of the indebtedness. J. D. CALAWAY, M. D.

## THE MAN WITH IDEAS

The progress that has been made in agriculture—and it has been great—has been made by the men with ideas. Not every man with an idea has been an important factor for progress. Some ideas doubtless have retarded progress, but the men without ideas have had no lot nor part in the progress.

The men that have been faithful in their own affairs on the farm have been the greatest factors for advanced methods, but ideas were the beginning, and ideas accomplished the results. The men and women on farms who think logically and systematically about their work, their examples and their influences as parents and citizens are the people who have made it possible for progress and for prosperity, not alone on farms, but in business and in society.

Society is looking for people with ideas and with ideals. The young men and young women of today should cultivate the habit of thinking. Every thought or suggestion from others should stimulate thought and from this ideas should be evolved and ideals built up. These make men and women, purify and exalt society and stimulate patriotism for service to the state and nation.—Farm and Ranch.

## PREPARED FOR LIVING

Regardless of the way the war is settled and the status decided upon for the boundaries of the nations in Europe and the islands of the sea, "preparedness" in all probability will consist in the future more in an available supply of foods for the people and sound patriotism among the people than in armaments, standing armies and navies. The European war has already taught the world a valuable lesson of thrift, independence and nationalism. So long as the ports of the world are open and supplies can be obtained in abundance from other nations, it is of little consequence whether a nation secured its food directly from the farm or whether it exchanged manufactured or mined products for it. Not so when a large per cent of the civilized world is at war and when many ports are closed to commerce. At such times it is of paramount importance for the nation to produce food for its own people.

The same reasoning is logical for the farmer with a small farm. He can specialize in one or more products, sell these and buy certain food products so long as the food products can be obtained easily and cheaply. But as soon as food becomes high and scarce some of these foods are likely to be produced on the farm rather than the specialty which may not find a ready market because of changed conditions as a result of war or disturbed commercial relations.—Farm and Ranch

## FARM FOR SALE

One of the best farms in Trigger mountain country for sale at \$25 per acre, which is \$10 per acre less than similar land in the same community can be bought. There are 151 acres in the tract, 60 or more in cultivation, good 3-room house, well and windmill, fine grass and all fenced, pasture land divided into two pastures. This is a desirable place and will be sold on good terms. See me for full particulars.

J. D. CALAWAY, M. D.

## NOTICE

Whatever a man sows, that shall he also reap. If you want to reap oats, get your seed from W. L. Eddy & Son. We guarantee satisfaction. All seed oats are re-cleaned. We also have corn for sale. Address, W. L. EDDY & SON, Goldthwaite, Texas, Route 4

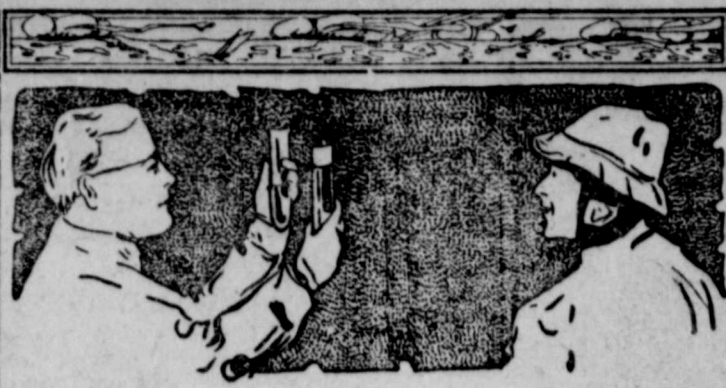
## SCHOOL OPENING

The Goldthwaite public school will open Monday, Sept. 20. The teachers institute of the county will hold its session the week previous to the opening of this school, the institute beginning on Sept. 13. All interested parties should remember these dates.

## COUNTY SCHOOL BOARD

The county board of education held a meeting in this city Tuesday, but no business was transacted other than of a routine nature.

J. S. Chesser of Mullin was selected as a member of the board to fill the vacancy occasioned by the resignation of S. J. Fisher, who has entered the rural mail service.



## Scout and Sentinel

Both safeguard Texaco Quality.

The "Scout," equally at home in boots and oil skins inspecting the cables in a dripping coal mine, in overalls in an engine room testing a cylinder oil, or in a steel mill, watches TEXACO LUBRICANTS at work and keeps in touch with mechanical developments in all kinds of industries.

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The co-operation of "Scout" and "Sentinel"—the investigating and the manufacturing ends of our business—is reflected in the way in which Texaco Lubricants meet all working conditions.

Between them they have helped to solve lubricating problems for thousands of engineers and manufacturers. They are ready to help you when you say so.

The Texas Company  
General Offices, Houston, Texas



Major Trent made a business trip to Brownwood Thursday.

I will buy hog plums that are not too ripe.—J. C. Street.

W. F. Hearne made a business visit to Lampasas this week.

Mountain Peak Flour, best by test. For sale at Grisham's. (adv)

Fruit Jars. Fruit Jars—Sullivan, Trent & Allen.

There is always something new here—McKinley, Corrigan Co.

Corn Chops, Maize chops, pure Wheat bran—all fresh at Grisham's. (Advertisement.)

Dr. M. L. Brown was here from Brownwood Thursday looking after business matters.

Our Buggies "stand up" and the prices are right. See us.—Sullivan, Trent & Allen.

Special sale on Talcum Powder this week at L. E. Miller & Son's Drug and Jewelry Store. (adv)

B. E. McGirk, manager of the Brown Telephone company's business at Mullin, had business in this city Thursday.

The Famous "Free" Sewing Machine for sale at McKinley, Corrigan Co. (adv)

Miss Mabel Sullivan arrived at home Thursday from Denton, where she attended the last session of the state normal, which has just closed for the summer.

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.

Henry Cobb left Wednesday of this week for Brooksmith, where he has been given charge of a business for Walker-Smith Grocer Co. and has taken an interest in the business. Mr Cobb has been connected with the business community of this city for several years and has a fine reputation as a business man and a citizen. He and his good family have many friends in this city who wish them all the good fortune possible in their new home. Mrs. Cobb and children will remain in Goldthwaite until about Sept. 1, when they will join Mr. Cobb at Brooksmith.

The once triumphant commander of revolutionary forces in Mexico, Francisco Villa, who was believed by many of his followers to be invincible, has developed or rather proved himself to be nothing but a brigand and common highwayman in his native country. While he and his villainous followers were confiscating property in Mexico this week he issued a defy to the United States.

The state tax commission has fixed the state tax rate at 55 cents on \$100 valuation, which is 17 1/2 cents higher than the rate last year. This of course includes the 5 cents for Confederate pensions, which is a constitutional requirement. The Mills county rate remains at 50 cents on \$100, which makes the total state and county levy \$1.05, besides special taxes for school purposes. While this rate may seem high, it is much less than is paid in some cities in excess of the state and county rate.

The human mind is a peculiar piece of machinery. Let someone group words into a pleasing phrase and the human mind is prone to accept that phrase as gospel. Since a certain group of words sound well they stick in the mind, they are oft repeated and gradually come to have weight and influence. For instance, someone said: "If your competitor talks about you put him on the pay roll." That sounds big and brave, hence its acceptance. Acting upon that theory people have told us that fighting the mail order evil will help the mail order houses. On the same theory the church helps hell because it fights the devil. We have followed this system of ignoring the mail order evil until its toll upon Texas commerce has grown to appalling proportions. A policy of silence upon this subject has created a business of one hundred and fifty million dollars a year for the mail order houses in this state. We submit that the policy of "silent contempt" is a failure. Its continuation promises to make weeds grow in the streets of our towns. To combat this growing tendency to trade abroad is a task that requires the combined wisdom and energy of all the people. Let us meet the issue frankly and fearlessly. There is no profit in deluding ourselves.—Home Industry Magazine.



# OUR PUBLIC FORUM

J. A. Kemp

On Proper Marketing of Cotton



cotton, said in part:

"We should not only build warehouses, but we should encourage the farmers to put their cotton in them. This must be done by the bankers and business men of the state and it is up to them to get busy. Every business man in Texas knows that it is wrong to force cotton to sell in September and that it is wrong to cause it to be thrown on the market at any time in amounts larger than the market demands, yet this thing has been going on in this country ever since cotton has been a factor in the crops of the South.

Cotton is the very backbone of this country. When the cotton crop is off and the price bad the whole state suffers. When cotton is thrown on the market in a lump the price is forced down and Texas is hurt just as badly as though the price were down owing to bad staple of an off year crop. But business men have overlooked this important factor in the handling of the cotton crop.

We must build warehouses all over Texas this summer and when the crop is baled it can be stored in good fire and storm proof structures, making a receipt for a bale of cotton as good collateral as the best bank note in the Federal Reserve Bank.

The bankers of Texas can finance the Texas cotton crop and I believe they will demonstrate this fact this Fall. We have the money to carry the farmers over. The thing is that the farmer and the banker must get together. It is a mistake to wait until the cotton is picked and then start to bring about conditions for its financing.

The planter must learn that it is to his interest to take proper care of his cotton and that this care can be had only through warehousing. The warehouse receipts will mean ready cash. Look what was done last Fall and the start was a late one. The price of cotton was raised in spite of the influences to hold it down. I do not contend that cotton should bring an abnormal price, but I do believe that it should bring a price that will give the farmer a good return on his investment. This can be done by feeding it to the market as the mills call for it."

A fresh car of Flour, Meal, Chops and Bran just arrived at Grisham's. (adv)

Theo. Wilkins of Blanket has been here a part of the week visiting his friend Prof. T. E. Gay.

W. P. McCullough is now numbered among the auto owners, having bought a Ford a few days ago.

Many farmers have brought oats to this market this week and the good price paid for grain by the buyers here has been very gratifying.

Mrs. Green of Hillsboro, who spent some days here visiting her sister, Mrs. D. Y. Fox, and other relatives, left yesterday for Temple to visit relatives.

The Woman's Missionary society will serve ice cream at the Methodist tabernacle next Thursday night, the receipts to be used to buy seats for the tabernacle.

Many Mills county people who attended the San Saba fair are enthusiastic about it. There is no doubt about the San Saba fair being one of the largest if not really the largest and best county fair in Texas and the people of Mills county congratulate their neighbors for the enterprising spirit that has caused them to build their fair to such great proportions.

We have all kinds of wire and nails. Better get our prices before you buy.—Barnes & McCullough.

Mr. Pate Grimes of Sterling county stopped here this week for a visit to his sister, Mrs. J. P. Hutchinson, of Center City. He was on his way home from Temple, where he was called last week on account of the murderous assault on his nephew and family by a black beast. He reports Mr. and Mrs. Grimes both improving, altho Mrs. Grimes is not yet out of danger.

A car of red painted corrugated roofing just in.—Barnes & McCullough.

## WHEAT MONEY

TO LOAN farmer or buyer at

## THE NATIONAL BANK

W. E. MILLER, President.

We always take care of our customers during the "hard summer time" just the same as during the "easy times."

## WATER WORKS PLANS

Col. L. B. Walters, mayor pro tem of Goldthwaite, makes the following statement relative to the plans and specifications for the water works system, recently submitted by the engineering firm of Dallas:

The estimate, plans and specifications for the proposed water works system was before the council Monday night. After due consideration the council decided changes would have to be made in the plans, and that the company would be asked to make a more thorough and detailed plan. The council realizes the importance of this undertaking and want to be sure everything is just right before they submit it to the people.

## PASTOR CALLED

The conference of the Baptist church, held Wednesday night, issued a call to Rev. A. B. Jenkins to become pastor of the church. Rev. Jenkins held a meeting for the church here early in the year and had fine success. He is a preacher of ability and a pastor of experience and if he accepts the call to the pastorate of the church it is felt that he will be able to do much good here. He is at present engaged in a revival in Lampasas county and no indication of his determination has yet been received by the church.

## CHRISTADELPHIAN MEETING

The Christadelphian encampment at the reunion grounds here is well attended, both locally and from abroad and is proving a most pleasant and beneficial occasion. Some of the strongest preachers of the denomination are in attendance upon this encampment and the splendid sermons have been interesting and helpful to the congregations. It is expected the convention will close tomorrow night, but the services may be continued for some days longer.

## SPRINKLE WITH OIL

The city council held a meeting yesterday afternoon and placed an order for a car load of oil with which to sprinkle the public square and business streets. It is hoped the oil will arrive in the next few days and the work of sprinkling will begin at once. While the cost of oil is much greater than water for sprinkling, it has been found that oil is cheaper when its lasting benefits are considered.

## EXCLUSIVE AGENCY NOTICE

I have given R. E. Clements the exclusive agency on Logan's Black Pills, Logan's Itch and Eczema Ointment and Logan's Catarrh Relief. J. H. LOGAN, M. D.

## Millinery

All that is left from the Summer Season must be sold. Now is the time for Bargains. Our Milliners soon leave for the markets to select Fall Goods.

## Packard Men's Shoes

Sold at most towns at \$4.50 Our Price is \$4.00.

## Tilt Men's Shoes

Dirt Cheap at \$4.00 when you consider the quality.

## Tennis Canvas Oxfords

Men's and Women's only 50c. Children's, 40c.

## Best Table Oil Cloth

White and all colors, yard 19c.

## Fruit Jar Rubbers

Per box 5c. Also Mason Fruit Jar Tops here.

## Tanglefoot

Best Fly Paper, per box of 50 sheets, only 35c.

## Lunch Baskets

All from 25c to 10c each.

## Cotton Pickers' Knee Pads—50c

## Trunks and Suit Cases

From \$10.00 down to \$1.00.

## Rubber Heels

Heavy, Pure, per pair 25c.

## Novels and Love Stories

All Books 10c—and exchanged at 5c each.

## Racket and Variety Goods

We sell these lines more for advertisement than profit. Save Your Money.

## Cost! Cost! Men's Slippers

Down to Cost on all Men's Slippers. \$4 Goods at \$2.50, etc.

## Barefoot Sandals

Mostly size 10, at per pair 40c. Children's.

## Duck! Duck! Duck!

Cotton Sack Duck, best Dallas 8-oz., at yard 10c. We make Special Prices on Quantities.

## Wagon Sheets

Our Own Make. Best Duck, best Thread and Workmanship. Compare weights and prices.

## Domestic

For House Canvas—3 1/2c.

## Window Shades

All colors at only 25c.

## Bathing Suits

50c and 75c. Time to "Get in the Swim."

## Grain Bags

2-bushel, extra heavy, each 20c.

## Lamp Globes

Size 2—5c. One of our many Racket Bargains.

## Children's Black Hose

Special lot on the Bargain Table at 5c pair. Reduced from 15c. Sizes 4 up to 6. See them.

## Priesmeyer

Ladies', Boys' and Children's Shoes are arriving for Fall. All Leather. Not cut off under the Toes. Priesmeyers have made Good Shoes for 50 years. Get Prices on Leather Shoes.

Save the Bills of Your Purchases and You will Receive the Choice of Many Free Premiums.

## I. C. Everly Co.

GOLDTHWAITE, TEXAS

West Side Square

The Cash Store of Bargains and of Free Premiums.

## STATEMENTS SUBSTANTIATED

When the Eagle editor wrote of the trip to the fair and the conditions in the western states and in Texas some people were inclined to take his statements in a spirit of levity or to believe that they were made for business purposes, but the same ideas have since been advanced by other Texans, which prove our conclusions to have been correct and our statements to have been true. In the Fort Worth Star-Telegram of Wednesday appeared an article which said in part:

Texans returning from the Panama-Pacific Exposition at San Francisco will have a better feeling for the natural advantages of their state, according to A. L. Camp of the California Trust Company, the first Rotarian from Fort Worth attending the convention at Frisco last month, to reach home.

"If we had the ginger those fellows have out there, we'd be lots better off here," said Camp Tuesday. "They only have about ten inches rainfall during the year but they don't lose a drop of it. The land is irrigated. Orchards grow on the sides of hills. A sand dune may be transformed into a beautiful tropical garden within two years."

Camp said most of the Texans were not particularly entranced with Frisco or the fair, although the latter showed exposition buildings of beautiful architectural lines.

## JAILER LOSES ICE CREAM

After learning of the ease with which Otis Carter and Henry Laferty have been leaving their cells in the county jail, the officers called an expert and had the lock of their cell remodeled in such a manner that the prisoners could not use a key if they had one, and as the jailer thought could not reach the combinations in any way. "I'll bet you the ice cream you don't get out now," remarked Mr. Brack when the lock-fixing job was fixed.

"All right, I'll take that," says Carter. It's now up to Mr. Brack to add ice cream to the menu of these two prisoners.

Locking them securely in the cell, the jailer left Carter and Laferty to their own devices early Tuesday night. Just before the curtain was raised at the tent show the two youngsters calmly entered and sought their seats. When the performance was completed they approached Mrs. Brack and very politely assisted her in taking the children home. "Just wanted to see the show," they explained when asked how they managed to leave the jail.

The authorities now believe that they have as their guest at the jail one of the smoothest lock combination workers that has ever been in town. It is said that Carter can easily solve any combination in existence, and the manner in which he opens and shuts the doors of the county jail seems to prove this. Just what to do with the two boys is a problem with the jailer and other officers, but as long as they return to jail and are not negligent about leaving the doors open it is probable that they will not be seriously disturbed.—Brownwood Bulletin.

## NOTICE

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## ICE CREAM SUPPER

The Ladies Aid society of Rock Springs will serve ice cream at the school house in that community Saturday night, August 14. The public generally has a cordial invitation to be present and participate in the pleasures of the occasion.

Friends here of J. B. Scoggin of Democrat community learned with regret of his death, which occurred at his home Monday, following a long illness.

Prof. Farrington of Sem Houston normal has been here this week visiting former students of the normal and looking after business matters.

Lost—A saddle blanket between my residence and ranch. Finder will be rewarded for leaving it at my store.—J. C. Street

Mrs. L. H. Little expects to leave tonight for Cleburne to visit relatives for several days.



## Extra! Extra!

The following is a list of our "EXTRA" good things for this week:

Grape Juice, Cherries, Preserves, "Red Rover" Canned Goods, (EXTRA QUALITY) Van Camp's Early June Peas and Soups, Chili con Carne, New Sorghum Jelly In 5-lb. and 10-lb. buckets.

REMEMBER WE BUY CREAM.

## A. D. BAKER

The Grocerman

BOTH PHONES

We sell the "Perfection" Oil Stove.—McKinley, Corrigan Co.

Cashier Tippen of the Mullin bank was one of the many visitors to this city this week.

Call and see the "Mogul"—Sullivan, Trent & Allen.

Try a sack of the Famous Mountain Peak Flour. Just unloaded a car today at Grisham's. (adv)

Buy your Talcum Powder this week at L. E. Miller & Son's Drug and Jewelry Store. Special sale for this week. (adv)

Paul Power is at home from Houston, where he was employed in a drug store for some time. He has contracted to teach one of the good rural schools in this county the coming term.

The Rat problem is solved. Get a package of Miller's Rat Exterminator and we guarantee it will do the work to your entire satisfaction. Get it at L. E. Miller & Son's Drug and Jewelry Store. (adv)

The Eagle has an order for wedding invitations, which are to be issued next week. This reminds us to say that we can furnish the latest kind of wedding stationery at mighty low prices and will always appreciate such orders, realizing that advance information given us is strictly confidential.

## Backache

Miss Myrtle Cothrum, of Russellville, Ala., says: "For nearly a year, I suffered with terrible backache, pains in my limbs, and my head ached nearly all the time. Our family doctor treated me, but only gave me temporary relief. I was certainly in bad health. My school teacher advised me to

## TAKE

## Cardui

The Woman's Tonic

I took two bottles, in all, and was cured. I shall always praise Cardui to sick and suffering women." If you suffer from pains peculiar to weak women, such as headache, backache, or other symptoms of womanly trouble, or if you merely need a tonic for that tired, nervous, worn-out feeling, try Cardui. E-6

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## GOING TO MARKET

OUR Buyers leave Saturday night for the Eastern markets to buy our Fall Stock of Merchandise. Being familiar with the needs of the people in this section, we are going to supply your wants--just that. Buying for three large stores in large quantities and paying cash for what we buy enables us to sell you goods cheaper and at the same time give you merchandise that is dependable. :: :: :: :: ::

Mr. and Mrs. T. F. Toland will represent the Goldthwaite House, W. T. Little will represent the Hamilton House and W. H. Walton will represent the Store at Lometa.

The CASH Store..

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### The Goldthwaite Eagle

Saturday, August 7, 1915.

R. M. THOMPSON - Proprietor

New Saddles at Sullivan, Trent & Allen's. (adv)

Plenty of Mason Jars, all sizes at Grisham's. (adv)

A car of cedar posts just arrived. -J. H. Randolph.

George Whitaker and family of Brownwood came here Monday and joined other friends in a fishing trip to the river.

Will exchange furniture and floor coverings for second hand furniture. -J. T. Weems.

J. R. Cooke has been here from Winters a part of this week looking after his farming interests and meeting with his friends.

Capt. I. T. Moorland, W. M. Featherston and S. M. Carroll were among those who attended the Farmers Union meeting in Houston this week.

I will buy hog plums that are not too ripe. -J. C. Street.

E. Reynolds, one of the leading citizens of the Mullin country, was looking after business matters and meeting his friends here one day this week.

A. O. Harrell and children and Jim Hines returned to their homes in Lampasas county Wednesday, after a visit to G. N. Atkinson and family and other relatives and friends in this city.

S. L. Caraway, who is one of the foremost members of the Christadelphian denomination here, was called home to McGirk the first of the week on account of the serious illness of his wife, but he was able to come back Tuesday, his wife having greatly improved.

Get your Cream Separator from McKinley, Corrigan Co. (adv)

The San Saba Star issued a very creditable daily during the fair at that place last week. The paper was well filled with advertising, giving evidence of enterprise and progress on the part of the business men of that city as well as the editor of that prosperous paper.

### DON'T LEAVE GOLDTHWAITE

No Need To Seek Afar. The Evidence is at Your Door.

No need to leave Goldthwaite to hunt up proof, because you have it here at home. The straightforward statement of a Goldthwaite resident like that given below, bears an interest for every man, woman or child here in Goldthwaite.

J. C. Carlock, farmer, Fisher St., Goldthwaite, says: "I was doing some heavy work and I strained my back and kidneys lifting. At first I commenced to have pains in my back and mornings I couldn't straighten up. The pains extended in my hips and limbs. My kidney's became weak and I had to pass the kidney secretions far too often. I used a kidney medicine, but it did me no good and finally I began taking Doan's Kidney Pills. Soon the pain in my back left and the action of my kidneys became regular. I have had no need of a kidney medicine since."

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

### RECOMMENDS CHAMBERLAIN'S COLIC CHOLERA AND DIARRHOEA REMEDY

"I never hesitate to recommend Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy," writes Sol Williams, merchant, Jesse, Tenn. "I sell more of it than of any other preparations of like character. I have used it myself and found it gave me more relief than anything else I have ever tried for the same purpose." Obtainable everywhere. (adv)

### DESPONDENCY DUE TO INDIGESTION

"About three months ago when I was suffering from indigestion which caused headache and dizzy spells and made me feel tired and despondent, I began taking Chamberlain's Tablets," writes Mrs. Geo. Hon. Macdon, N. Y. "This medicine proved to be the very thing I needed, as one day's treatment relieved me greatly. I used two bottles of Chamberlain's Tablets and they rid me of this trouble." Obtainable everywhere.

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J. M. Hicks made a business visit to Dallas the first of the week.

Car load of cedar posts just in. -Barnes & McCullough.

Mrs. J. P. Grundy went to Brownwood Wednesday for a visit to relatives.

Just received--Car of famous "Light Crust" Flour--McKinley, Corrigan Co.

Jersey Cows--I have some Jersey cows, some fresh, for sale, at my place 7 miles east of Goldthwaite. See or phone me. -J. L. Cortis.

Will pay cash for second hand furniture or will trade new furniture for second hand goods. -J. T. Weems.

D. J. Lockett and J. S. Johnson, two of the prominent and prosperous citizens of the Mullin country, were here Wednesday looking after business matters and made the Eagle an appreciated visit.

T. T. Nickols left Monday night for College Station to attend the annual convention of the Rural Letter Carriers association, held in conjunction with the county judges and commissioners convention.

-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. -V. B. ANDERSON, Abstractor.

Charlie Wilson, knotype operator for the San Angelo Standard, arrived in the city Tuesday night for a visit to his home folks and friends. He learned to operate a machine in the Eagle office and we are proud of the splendid success he has made in his work.

For Sale--The residence known as the R. L. H. Williams place at the corner of Front and Fifth streets. For price, terms, etc., communicate with me at once, as the property must be sold. -J. C. Darroch

If you have friends visiting you or are interested in any other local item which you fail to report it is not fair to blame the Eagle for the oversight. Frequently there are visitors in the town or county and we do not find it out until the item would be historic rather than news.

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In the Monument business in Goldthwaite.

I have a nice stock of Medium Priced Monuments and Markers which I am offering at very close prices. See me before you place your order--I will make it to your interest. I can save you money on your Marble and Granite work, also on Iron Fencing. I will take some good trade on work. :: :: ::

J. D. KESSE  
Fisher Street Goldthwaite



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