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LITTLE'S CASH STORE

Makes Your Cash Go Farther

Little's
ONE PRICE - THAT'S CASH.

We invite you to make our Store your Headquarters and when you think of Dry Goods, Etc.—THINK OF US.

Don't Forget that we carry a Complete Stock of Merchandise to select your wants from, and remember we are going to Sell you the Best for Less. Get that point--Best Goods for Less Money.

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REMEMBER

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LITTLE & SONS

..The CASH Store..

GOLDTHWAITE

HAMILTON

LOMETA

OPPORTUNITY

They do me wrong, who say I come no more
When once I knock and fail to find you in;
For every day I stand outside your door,
And bid you wake, and rise to fight and win,
Will not for precious chances passed away,
Weep not for golden ages on the wane!
Each night I burn the records of the day—
At sunrise every soul is born again,
Laugh like a boy at splendors that have sped,
To vanished joys be blind and deaf and dumb;
My judgments seal the dead past with its dead,
But never bind a moment yet to come.
Though deep in mire, wring not your hands and weep;
I lend my arm to all who say: "I can."
No shame-faced outcast ever sank so deep,
But yet might rise again and be a man!
Dost thou behold thy lost youth all aghast?
Dost reel from righteous retribution's blow?
Then turn from blotted archives of the past,
And find the future's pages white as snow.
Art thou a mourner? Rouse thee from thy spell;
Art thou a sinner? Sins may be forgiven;
Each morning gives thee wings to flee from hell,
Each night a star to guide thy feet to heaven. WALTER MALONE.

Harry Martin has been at Shive this week visiting relatives.

W. A. Moore has been here from Brownwood this week, looking after business matters.

Hugh and Pat Henry and J. L. Chancellor were here from the Democrat community the first of the week.

The campaign is on and we are glad to know that so many good men are willing to serve in the positions of trust.

Miss Annie Thompson left Sunday night for Tyler, after spending the holidays with her mother and other relatives at this place.

Miss Ruth Pardue has returned to her music school at Indian Gap, after spending the holidays with relatives and friends in this city.

Mr. and Mrs. Hiller came over from Shive in their car Sunday for a visit to Henry Martin's family and Mrs. Schweining returned home with them for a visit.

Rev. Raymond Locks of Mullin filled the pulpit in the Methodist church Sunday night. His sermon has been highly complimented by those who heard him.

Commissioners court was in session Monday for the purpose of approving the delinquent tax record prepared in the comptroller's office, which is the "last word" in the record of tax payments.

The Eagle received a kind letter of encouragement and helpfulness this week from Mrs. J. S. Bowles of Brownsville. Kind words of appreciation from those so well qualified to judge the merits of our work make our duties much easier to perform and our burdens lighter.

Charley Jackson filled the pulpit in the Baptist church Sunday night and fully met the expectation of his friends. He bids fair to be one of the foremost preachers of the Baptist denomination and Goldthwaite people are proud of him.

CLUB MEETING

Business Men's Organization to Resume Work After Vacation.

There has been little done by the Commercial club during the busy fall months, but it is now proposed to resume the work with renewed activity. President Dew and his co-workers will issue invitations next week to a great many of the business men and property owners to attend a meeting next Tuesday night and enlist for a year's work for the good of the town and county.

A commercial organization is necessary in every town and the Commercial club at Goldthwaite has demonstrated many times the benefits of such an organization. The truth of the statement that "in unity there is strength" can be more clearly shown, perhaps, in a commercial organization than in any other way. Primarily it brings the business men closer together and enables them to understand each other better and this alone is a most desirable end to be attained. But it is not all an organization of this character can accomplish. Work can be done and ends can be attained in the name of an organization and by united effort that could never be done by individual effort.

Again, every town of importance is expected to have a commercial organization and a town that has none is not considered in the progressive class. Goldthwaite has a club all right and it is a good one and can show much good work accomplished, but it is necessary that more members be secured, in order that more may be accomplished for the good of the town and county.

Every property owner in the county should be interested in an organization of this kind and while it would not be practicable for all to become members of the Goldthwaite club they should give it their moral support and their commendation. All property owners in the town can be-

come identified with the organization at a mighty small cost and the benefits they will receive can hardly be recounted. The monthly dues are only 50 cents and this money is all used for the benefit of the town or county.

The most important work for the club is road building and looking after the town's interest in its trade territory, but road work is not the only object of the club. New enterprises can be secured and increased resources can be procured for enterprises already in existence and the town and county can be greatly benefitted in many ways.

Let every business man, professional man, property owner and all others who feel an interest in the town's welfare respond to the invitation to attend the meeting next Tuesday night, Jan. 11.

CITY COUNCIL

The city council held a regular monthly meeting Monday night, but no business of importance was transacted outside of the regular routine. A number of matters of importance were discussed, but no definite action was taken.

Another meeting is to be held tonight to receive bids on the water works bonds recently authorized and is the intention of the council to have work begin on the water system at an early date.

BUSINESS CHANGE

Houston Harris has purchased an interest in the grocery business with M. G. Cline and the business will be continued under the firm name of Cline & Harris. The firm has recently moved from Fisher street to the west side of the square and does a good business, which is strictly cash. Mr. Harris was employed in Mills County Hardware company's store for some time and has a large circle of acquaintances and many friends.

Miss Majorie and Verge Taylor of Mullin visited their sister, Mrs. Harry Martin, in this city the first of the week.

John Schlee and a party of friends came over from Priddy in his car Monday to look after business matters.

Hez Cobb, one of the best men of the western part of the county, had business in the metropolis the first of the week.

J. A. Gillespie and family returned Saturday night from Ladonia and Cleburne, where they spent the holidays with relatives.

Mrs. Reginald Lovelace arrived from Memphis, Tenn., last Friday night for a visit to her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Bodkin, and other relatives.

Mrs. C. B. Mohler was called to Mullin the first of the week by a message announcing the serious illness of her mother, Mrs. Randolph Whitley.

Don't forget to pay your poll tax before the end of this month. A receipt dated later than the last day of this month will not entitle you to vote next year.

W. A. Bayley has accepted a position as bookkeeper and office assistant for M. N. Brinson. He is a business man of fine qualities and stands high with everybody, for he is a man of integrity and the highest principles.

The Comanche county singing convention is to meet at Democrat the first Sunday in April and many Mills county singers will likely attend. The Eagle editor is indeed appreciative of a kind invitation to be present and fully intends to be there.

D. W. Webb was here from Big Valley the first of the week and made the Eagle a pleasant call. He has recently returned to this county from a protracted stay in San Saba county and is glad to be home again and we are mighty glad to have him with us.



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Calls for and delivers all Laundry
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Special Rates on
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Close Cash Prices on everything.—
McKinley Corrigan Co.

We can supply you with chops and
ribs.—Baker & Littlepage.

When you come to town, remember
the Big Sale at McKinley Corrigan
Co. (adv)

Red Rust Proof Seed Oats for sale
at 50 cents per bushel.—Frizzell &
Geeslin.

Bring your Turkeys to Baker &
Littlepage. (adv)

Gasoline by the barrel or less quan-
tity and the best lubricating oil
sold.—Fred Martin.

Priamrose flour is the kind you
want. A car just arrived at our
store.—Baker & Littlepage.

Riley Welch and family returned
to their home at Sterling City Mon-
day after spending the holidays with
relatives here and at Center City.

S. T. Weathers has enlarged and
greatly improved his barber shop
and now occupies the entire lower
floor of the Burdett building.

Miller's Drug and Jewelry Store
keeps on hand a stock of Blackleg
Vaccine for Blackleg. Get it now.
Save your stock from Blackleg. (adv)

Liquid Smoke will help in saving
your meat and giving it a nice flav-
or. We have it.—Baker & Littlepage.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Burdett are
preparing to move back to this city
from Big Valley, where they lived
the past year. Their many friends
are glad of their return.

Mrs. K. F. Cunningham has been
here a few days visiting her mother,
Mrs. Grundy, and other relatives. She
and her husband are moving from
Hearne to Otey, in the coast country.

Children we will announce in the
Eagle next week the six prizes we
are going to offer on Blue Jay tab-
let-backs and any tablet with our
name on it. Watch the Eagle next
week.—L. E. Miller & Son.

Rev. and Mrs. J. G. Forester have
received the pleasing information
that Jack Forester Henderson has ar-
rived at the home of Mr. and Mrs.
John Henderson at Welder. Mrs.
Henderson was quite well known here
as Miss Ruth Forester.

The Eagle editor has never receiv-
ed a present he appreciated more
than he did the beautiful cake sent
him this week as a New Year's pres-
ent by Mrs. J. W. Grisham of Mar-
lin. It is decidedly pleasing to us
to be numbered among the friends of
this excellent lady and her remem-
brance this week was received with
the satisfying knowledge that we
still hold her friendship. We trust
the entire year will be as pleasant
to her as the receipt of this gift was
to us.

A GOOD MAN GONE

Mr. C. H. Harrell died at his home
in this city Thursday morning, after
a short illness and his remains were
interred in the cemetery here yester-
day morning.

Mr. Harrell became ill Friday
night of last week, but his illness
was not thought serious until his
heart's action became involved and
his death was attributed to paralysis
of the heart. The announcement of
his death carried grief to many, for
he had many friends and no enemies.
He located in Hanna Valley about
twenty-five years ago and from there
he moved to Rock Springs. Twelve
or fifteen years ago he moved to
this city, where he engaged in car-
penter work and continued in that
occupation until the time of his
death. No man stood higher in the
estimation of those who knew him
and none could claim more friends
among his acquaintances. He was
free from evil thoughts and evil mo-
tives and his life was an inspiration to
those with whom he was associated. He
was truly a good man in every sense
of the word and the world is better
because he lived in it.

He leaves a wife, two daughters
and two sons, besides other relatives
and to all of them the sympathy of
the people is extended.

A. E. CLUB MEETING

The Art and Embroidery club met
in business session with Mrs. Walter
Fairman Wednesday afternoon.

This meeting was greatly enjoyed
by all present.

Among other business, it was de-
cided to entertain our husbands with
a turkey dinner Monday night at
the Rock hotel.

A delicious salad course was serv-
ed.

The meeting adjourned to meet
with Mrs. Chas. Rudd Jan. 19th
MEMBER.

EPWORTH LEAGUE PROGRAM

January 9, 1916.

Song

Subject—A Christian's Faith,

John 5:1-15

Leader—Mark Fairman

Prayer

Duty of God—Miss Mary Alice

Lowrie

Duty of man—Miss Sue Burch

Duty of one's self—Edward Gees-

lin

Our privileges—Clyde Hudson

Christian Activity—Mrs. Edward

Geeslin

Song

Benediction.

Dor, Brown and wife, Mrs. J. C.

Evans and Clark English were here

from San Saba Sunday visiting Mrs.

Whit Smith and children.

Blackleg Vaccine at Miller's. Vac-
cinate your cattle and save them
from Blackleg. (adv)

Another car of the celebrated Teddy
bear flour just in. It's the best.—
Baker & Littlepage.

Wm. Cline has accepted a position
in the county clerk's office and is
getting along nicely with the work.

Vaccinate your stock with Black-
leg Vaccine. Save them from Black-
leg. You can get it at Miller's Drug
and Jewelry Store. (adv)

Bring in your hens and roosters
and leave the fryers at home. We
will pay 8 cents per pound for hens.
—Baker & Littlepage.

Children save your tablet backs
and clippings from Miller's. You
may get one of the six prizes they
are going to offer you. (adv)

The Woman's Missionary society
will meet in the Methodist church
Monday afternoon for a Bible study.
All members are requested to be pres-
ent at 3 o'clock.

The Ladies Aid society will meet
in the Baptist church Monday after-
noon at 2:30 o'clock for a Bible
study. Mrs. J. D. Calaway will be
leader and the 5th chapter of Romans
will be used for the study.

C. E. Anderson, who was employ-
ed in the jewelry department of Mil-
ler's store during the busy season,
left this week for Wichita Falls
where he will be engaged in the
same line of work. His family will
move to that place in the near fu-
ture.

I am the man who cut the price.
Give me your hauling. I transfer
trunks for 15 cents and do other job
hauling in proportion. Phone me at
Marshall & Dickerson's market or
Key Johnson's residence.—Lee H.
Level.

Blacklegoids at Miller's. Get it
now. Save your stock from Blackleg.
(Advertisement)



To all our friends who have been loyal for many years, who have
helped us and whom we have helped as best we knew: And to the newer
friends whom we will cherish through the years until they become old
friends: And to prospective customers whose friendship we want and
will strive earnestly to deserve, we tender this

GREETING

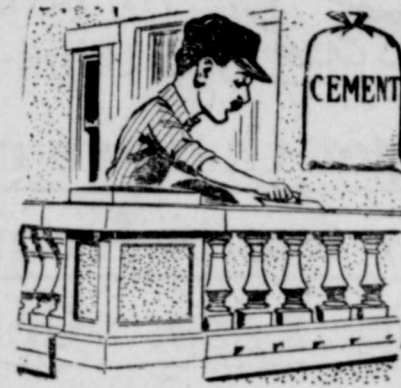
May the New Year be a Prosperous and Healthy one: May Joy and Reompense
come to you: May it be Our Pleasure to add to Your Success and Happiness.

GOLDTHWAITE NATIONAL BANK

When You Build

A House, Barn, Fence, etc., or do any other
building or repairing, we want to supply the
Material. Our Prices will always be found Sat-
isfactory and we guarantee the Quality.

For Repairing Stone Porch Work



Only the best Cement,
etc., should be used, if
permanence is an ob-
ject and unsightliness
is to be avoided. We
carry an exceptionally
high grade of Cement,
etc., for high grade
work. See that it is
used when contracting
for any building or re-
pairing operation.

We are especially well stocked at this time
and we can supply you with all kinds of Wire
Fencing, Painted and Galvanized Roofing, etc.

FIGURE WITH US

Barnes & McCullough

The Lumber, Wire and Fence Men

FINE WORK

Geo. Mayer is repainting and oth-
erwise improving the interior of
Graves Mercantile Company's grocery
department and is also doing some
of the same artistic work on the bul-
dings of Sullivan, Trent & Allen. Mr.
Mayer has the contract for painting
and decorating the interior of Henry
Martin's building and will do the
work as soon as he completes the
two contracts first mentioned. He
is a workman of splendid ability and
his artistic work has been benefi-
cial to the town in a number of
ways. There are few painters with
the artistic ability of Mr. Mayer. He
can paint a picture beautifully, is an
expert and artistic sign writer and
then is a house painter of few equals.
It is decidedly advantageous to the
town to be able to show such fine
work as Mr. Mayer does.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

The Eagle is authorized to make the
following announcements, subject
to the Democratic primary election:
For County Judge,
G. H. DALTON
For Sheriff and Tax Collector,
J. H. BURNETT
For District Clerk,
CLYDE D. LANE
For County Clerk,
W. B. SUMMY
T. K. CHERRY
For Tax Assessor,
A. E. EVANS
D. D. KEMPER
J. M. GEESLIN
For County Treasurer,
J. T. PRATER
LEWIS HUDSON
GEO. W. JACKSON
For County Attorney,
F. P. BOWMAN
For Public Weigher, Precincts 1, 2, 4,
W. L. BURKS
For Commissioner, Pre. 1,
JAS. RAHL
For Commissioner and Justice of the
Peace, Precinct No. 2
W. G. WELCH
J. F. HENDERSON
For Commissioner Pre. 4,
E. J. GRIFFIN
For Justice of the Peace, Pre. 1,
M. H. HINES
For Justice of the Peace Precinct 5,
E. J. GRIFFIN

CAMPAIGN OPENS

Good Men Offer Their Services To the People.

The county campaign has been formally opened this week by a number of good men announcing their candidacy for the various offices of the county and precincts. All the candidates have not yet made their formal announcements, but enough have made public their intentions to open the campaign in earnest and from now until the close of the polls at the July primary there will be "something doing" in a political way.

The Eagle will endeavor to introduce the candidates thru its columns to those who may not know them and will tell of some of the most important characteristics of each of them.

JUDGE DALTON

Judge G. H. Dalton announces in this issue as a candidate for re-election to the office of county judge. He is now serving his first term and is making a good record in the management of the affairs of his office, which also includes the supervision of the public schools of the county. He is a man of the highest honor and unchangeable devotion to duty and has the confidence of the public. It would be almost impossible to tell the people of this county something of Judge Dalton that they did not already know, for he has been a citizen of the county a long time and has filled many positions of honor and trust with credit and fidelity.

J. H. BURNETT

In the announcement column appears the name of J. H. Burnett, who announces as a candidate for re-election as sheriff and tax collector. He is serving his first term and has added largely to his list of friends and supporters by his conduct of the affairs of the office. He is careful in the discharge of every duty and is giving his friends every reason to be glad they selected him for that most important position. Those who have business with any department of his office are given every attention and his official business receives his careful attention at all times. It would be hard to find a more capable official than Mr. Burnett.

A. E. EVANS

One of the most thoroughly competent as well as one of the most popular officers in Mills county is Alonzo Evans. He has made a record in the office of tax assessor which gives him just cause for pride and his friends are proud of his work and his efficiency. He was reared in Mills county and knows every section of the county perfectly well, understands the property values in every part of the county, knows the people and the resources of the county and every part of it. In short, he gives careful study to matters pertaining to his official duties and is in position to discharge those duties in a way to make his services decidedly beneficial to the county and people.

W. B. SUMMY

Mr. Summy submits his name as a candidate for re-election to the office of county clerk. It is no news to the people of Mills county to say he is thoroughly qualified to fill the office he holds, for everybody is fully confident of that fact. There is not an office of more importance to the people than that of county clerk, for the records and documents in that office are of vital interest to everybody, and it is important that the keeper of the office be capable and painstaking. Mr. Summy is faithful to his duties and is ever courteous and accommodating to those having business with him and no county in Texas can boast of having a more efficient clerk.

J. T. PRATER

In the announcement column appears the name of J. T. Prater, who is a candidate for county treasurer. Mr. Prater is an old-time citizen of the county, having been engaged in business at Center City before Goldthwaite was on the map and was afterwards engaged in business here for a long time. He has been deputy county clerk for several years and his efficiency in that position has been marked. He is a careful and painstaking official who realizes the importance of accuracy and the necessity for keeping the records in proper form at all times. He is one of the best known men in the county and has many friends and supporters in every part of the county.

D. D. KEMPER

The announcement of Mr. D. D. Kemper as a candidate for tax assessor appears in this issue. He is a man of the highest qualifications and is in every way worthy of the confidence of the public. He has lived in Mills county a long time and has been engaged in farming, school teaching and selling medicines, therefore, is well known to the people and is well acquainted with every part of the county. He has never before asked the voters for their favoritism and in this campaign he has a great many strong supporters. He is an affable and courteous gentleman and will prove a mighty strong candidate.

There is no more important office than that of county commissioner and there is no man better qualified to fill such an office than W. G. Welch of Center City, who submits his name to the voters of precinct No. 2 as a candidate for commissioner and justice of the peace. He was reared in that precinct and knows all about property values and the county's needs and resources. He served as sheriff and tax collector some years ago and his experience in that office helps to qualify him for the duties of commissioner. It is almost useless to attempt to introduce him to the people for everybody knows and likes "Bud" Welch.

W. G. WELCH

The announcement of J. M. Geeslin appears in the proper column. He is a candidate for the office of Tax Assessor and has a great many friends and supporters in all parts of the county, especially in the eastern portion, where he is best known. He was reared in Mills county and no man stands higher or is better qualified to discharge the duties of the office to which he aspires. He is a farmer by occupation and his experience in that line of work and his knowledge of land values should be of especial benefit to him in filling the office. He is a good citizen and a good man and everybody likes him.

J. M. GEESLIN

Mr. Henderson is a candidate for commissioner and justice of the peace in precinct No. 2. He is a farmer of the Caradan community, those who know him best are his strongest supporters. He has lived in the same community for ten years and is one of Mills county's best men and most valuable citizens. He has had some experience in assessing taxes, therefore, has gained considerable knowledge of property values and other matters that would be useful to him as a commissioner. He has the support of many good men in all parts of the precinct and is recognized by all as a strong candidate and a good man for the place.

J. F. HENDERSON

One of the best and most competent men announcing for office is Lewis Hudson, who offers as a candidate for county treasurer. He is an old-time citizen, having been a resident of the county long before the town of Goldthwaite was organized. He was engaged in the market business here for a long time and of late years has been in the stock business. He is a careful and capable man and there is not one who is more universally esteemed by everybody. He is qualified to fill any office in the county to which he might aspire and everybody knows he is one of the strongest men in the race for treasurer and he has a great many friends in all parts of the county.

LEWIS HUDSON

Judge M. H. Hines is serving the people of this precinct as commissioner and justice of the peace and offers for re-election to the last named office, but will not be a candidate for commissioner. Since he has been a member of the court he has been one of the most painstaking and active workers. His record in that office and as justice of the peace is one that reflects credit upon him and proves him capable of filling any position to which he may aspire. There are no better men than he and none that stand better with the people. He is faithful, conscientious and ever watchful of the interests of his constituents and the county generally.

M. H. HINES

Mr. F. P. Bowman announces in this issue as a candidate for re-election to the office of County Attorney—a position he has held since last election with credit to himself and benefit to the county. Aside from looking after the interests of the state and county in the courts, he has been instrumental in bringing into the county treasury a considerable amount of money for delinquent taxes, and for this he has been highly commended. Mr. Bowman is a lawyer of ability and looks carefully after every duty devolving upon him as county attorney. Those who know him have full confidence in him and those who do not know him are assured that he is a man of the highest character and well worthy of the trust reposed in him by the people of the county.

F. P. BOWMAN

Mr. Rahl offers as a candidate for the office of commissioner for Precinct No. 1, which position he is eminently qualified to fill. He is a business man of experience and his extensive acquaintance throughout the county, not only with the people, but with the property interests, makes him especially well suited to fill the office of commissioner. Mr. Rahl is one of the pioneers of this county, having located here in early manhood and he knows the resources and needs of the county at large and every section of it. He is a popular gentleman and would make a mighty strong candidate for any office to which he might aspire.



We Continue To Grow!

Our business in 1915 was decidedly satisfactory and we thank those who contributed in any way to our success.

We expect to put forth even greater efforts during the good year 1916 to serve our customers and make our business of more benefit to the people than it has ever been.

We hope for the continued patronage and good will of the public and solicit their co-operation in making our store of greater benefit to all.

BODKIN, HURDLE & CO.

T. K. CHERRY
The announcement of Kent Cherry as a candidate for County Clerk appears in the proper column. He is a young man of high character and is in every way deserving of the confidence of the people. He was reared in the Big Valley community and has spent most of his life on a farm in that section, except the time he was in school. He has been employed by Little & Sons for several years and prior to his employment by that firm he had several months experience in the clerk's office. There is not the slightest doubt about his qualification for office and he has the hearty support of many friends over the county. He is a young man of pleasing address, courteous manner and upright deportment and the voters would have no cause to regret selecting him for the responsible position.

C. D. LANE
Clyde Lane is serving his first term in the office of District Clerk and submits his name as a candidate for re-election. During his incumbency he has given careful attention to the duties of the office and has shown himself to be well worthy of the confidence reposed in him by the people. The affairs of his office are in order at all times and he gives careful and courteous attention to those having business in his department of the public service. He is well known to the people and his qualifications are fully appreciated by everybody. He was reared in Mills county and his friends are proud of the success he has made.

E. J. GRIFFIN
Jack Griffin is one of the most faithful and conscientious members of the commissioners court and has given the people good service in the position of Commissioner and Justice of the Peace for his precinct. In announcing his candidacy for re-election he has the hearty support of many friends in all parts of his precinct and many on the outside who would be glad to be able to vote for him. He is enthusiastic on the question of good roads and gives a considerable amount of time to that part of his work. He gives attention to all parts of the district represented by him and is highly esteemed by those who know of his work and efforts.

G. W. JACKSON
In the announcement column appears the name of G. W. Jackson as a candidate for county treasurer. Mr. Jackson is a farmer and stock raiser living a short distance south of the city and is one of the most highly esteemed men in Mills county. He is well qualified to discharge the duties of the office and all who know him realize full well that the finances and other valuable assets of the county would be safe in his keeping even if he had no official bond. He has never before offered for any office, altho he has frequently been urged to do so by those who recognized his fitness for such position. There are no better men than George Jackson in this campaign.

W. L. BURKS
W. L. Burks offers as a candidate for the office of Public Weigher at Goldthwaite. He is one of the most popular officers in the service of the people of Mills county and is also one of the best qualified. He was appointed last summer to fill the unexpired term of Mr. Karnes, resigned, and has since filled the office to the satisfaction of those who had business with him. He is well acquainted with the duties of his office and is always at his place of business ready to serve those who may require such service. There are no better or more honorable men than W. L. Burks and he is mighty strong with the people.

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EXTRA FINE STOCK FOR SALE
Pure bred, White Orpington cockerels. Larro and fine. None better at one dollar each. Also one trio Black Minorcas. Large, extra quality beauties.
L. B. WALTERS,

PROGRAM
Worker's Conference of Mills County Baptist Association at Trigger Mountain church Jan. 10th and 11th, 1916.
Monday night
7:00 p. m.—Sermon—J. H. Hunt
Tuesday
9:30 a. m.—Devotional—C. H. Miles
10:00 a. m.—The Place of Prayer in our Work—Jim Daily, Joe Frizzell, J. R. Davis
11:00 a. m.—Our Immediate Baptist Program—R. W. Bynum
11:15 a. m.—Why sustain Christian schools—E. D. Morgan
12 m.—Dinner on the ground
1:30 p. m.—Devotional—J. S. Smith
2:00 p. m.—The number, kind and location of our Baptist schools—L. A. Bagley
2:30 p. m.—What shall we do in the Educational Campaign—G. W. Jackson, L. L. Hays, and J. H. Hunt
3:30 p. m.—How to make our fifth Sunday meeting a success, D. D. Kemper, C. M. Head, and J. D. Long
4:15 p. m.—The Judson Centennial Week—E. D. Morgan
7:00 p. m.—Why take our Denominational papers—C. H. Miles
7:30 p. m.—Preaching—J. R. Davis
Come and contribute, and receive your share.
E. D. MORGAN, For Com.

A NEW STORE
Henry Martin has purchased \$6,000 worth of goods from B. A. Harris and will open a dry goods store in his building on the east side of the square as soon as the necessary arrangements can be made. This purchase does not include all of Mr. Harris' stock, but a part of the different lines carried by him. An inventory of the goods has been made and the building for the new store is being made ready. Mr. Harris will continue business with the remainder of his stock until he either disposes of the remainder or finds a new location to embark in business. Mr. Martin was engaged in the hardware business here some years ago at the same stand he will hereafter occupy with his dry goods business.

OWES HER GOOD HEALTH TO CHAMBERLAIN'S TABLETS
"I owe my good health to Chamberlain's Tablets," writes Mrs. R. G. Neff, Crookston, Ohio, "Two years ago I was an invalid due to stomach trouble. I took three bottles of these Tablets and have since been in the best of health." Obtainable everywhere. (adv)

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R. M. THOMPSON, Editor

The attorney general has ruled that it is a violation of law for any incorporated commercial club to participate in a poll tax payment campaign.

The death of Judge Joseph Lamar occurred in Washington the first of the week. He was a native of Georgia and had been on the bench of the supreme court of the United States for a number of years.

San Patricio county was placed in the "dry" column by the election on the prohibition question last Saturday. Several precincts in the county have been "dry" for some time. Bee county is to vote on prohibition today.

An attempt was made to rob the bank at Mansfield, Tarrant county, Sunday night, but the robbers were frightened away by the night watchman and others he had summoned to his assistance, after they had blown the outer door to the vault.

State wide prohibition became effective at midnight, Dec. 31, in the states of Iowa, Colorado, Oregon, Washington, Idaho, Arkansas and South Carolina. There are now nineteen states entirely "dry" and a great many others partially under prohibition.

A report was in circulation for some time that Governor Ferguson proposed to call a special session of the legislature in the near future, but he announces positively that he will do nothing of the kind.

The opera house at Abilene was destroyed by fire Monday, causing a loss of \$20,000.

Resigning the office of United States district attorney for the territory of Hawaii because he could not be "honest and happy," Jeff McCarn has returned to the United States leaving the affairs of his office in charge of Horace Vaughan, formerly of Texarkana, Texas. McCarn is also a former Texan, but now makes his home in Nashville, Tenn.

It is important that every voter secure his poll tax receipt before the end of the present month, else he will no longer be a voter. Next year promises to be one of the most interesting campaign years the people have seen for a long time. A man without a poll tax receipt in a red box campaign will have many causes for regret. Receipts must bear a date not later than this month to entitle the holder to vote.

A movement has been started in Arizona and California to induce the national government to settle all claims against Mexico in return for a portion of Southern California, which territory is to be added to the states mentioned. By this arrangement Arizona would be given a portion of the Gulf of California and it would also bring under American control the entire Imperial valley irrigation system, which now extends into Mexican territory.

A news special from Ballinger says Judge Woodward of Coleman will be a candidate for district judge in that district against Judge Goodwin, who will seek re-election. Both gentlemen are well-known here, this county having formerly been a part of the thirty-fifth district. Judge Woodward is a very able man and served as district judge some years ago and was succeeded by Judge Goodwin. Both have many strong friends in this county and the campaign will be followed with interest.

Upon his return from the peace expedition to Europe, Henry Ford announced a complete change of view as to the influence keeping the European war going. Before he made the trip he believed the "higher ups" were responsible for the continuity of the war, but now he says it is the men in the trenches who want the fighting to continue until their adversaries are overcome. He believes his mission was successful in a measure, in that it has started people to talking and thinking of peace and he hopes for the result to be an ending of the hostilities.

NEIGHBORING NEWS

Items of Interest Culled From Local Papers of Towns Mentioned.

HAMILTON

Lee Jones, J. D. H. Wallace and their families of Goldthwaite and Dr. Jones of Cisco, were Christmas guests in the home of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Jones.

Last Thursday, December 23, in San Antonio, Texas, Judge Green H. Goodson, the last of the noted trio, Judges Edson, Bell and Goodson, died at the home of his son, Dr. Tom Goodson, where he had gone for medical treatment and to recuperate after a very serious illness at his home in Comanche.

Monroe Schrank, youngest son of Mrs. Fritz Schrank of Aleman, was recently conveyed to Temple where he is a patient in a sanitarium and his condition is reported to be quite serious. He had suffered intense pain in one of his heels for several weeks, and in the operation the surgeons drew out a quart of poisoned blood, and they are doing heroic work to save the limb, thinking perhaps amputation may finally be necessary to his restoration to health.

Considerable excitement was occasioned in Hamilton Monday evening about 7:30 o'clock when a fire alarm was turned in from the residence of Mayor E. A. Perry. Mrs. Perry was alone in the home when some paper or trash which had fallen into a hot air pipe became ignited from the furnace in the basement and the blaze shot up into the room. The fire company responded to the call but the fire had been extinguished before they arrived on the scene.

At a meeting of the Hamilton School Board, held at the Bank & Trust Company building Tuesday morning Prof. T. L. Vance, who has served as superintendent of the Hamilton public schools one and a half years, offered his resignation which was accepted by the Board and Prof. R. D. Foster, principal of the high school was elected to succeed him. In turn, Prof. C. M. Livsey, of the high school became principal. A successor to Mr. Livsey has not been elected up to the present day. Prof. Vance leaves today with his family for Vernon, where he will succeed Prof. Geo. J. Mason as superintendent of Vernon public schools.—Record

SAN SABA.

Mrs. H. H. Taylor and children enjoyed the yuletide vacation with relatives at Brownwood.

G. C. Hill, the Ford expert at Elton Noble's garage, went to eat Xmas dinner with a brother, at Star Mills county.

Hon. E. B. House came up from headquarters at Austin to spend the holidays with the family at Horse Creek.

Pat Eubank, a San Saba's revival years ago, was in town Thursday. He is a carpenter by trade and has been living in Austin for several years. He also visited his brother at Goldthwaite, the Washmen and Mrs. B. F. Lewis at Richard Springs.

A difficulty at a dance near Cherokee last Friday night resulted in a pistol play and four parties receiving knife wounds. Lon and Hugh Smith, brothers, Ross Dean and Leslie McCurdy are the wounded parties. Lon Smith received a stab which penetrated one lung. He was hurried to Temple and placed in a sanitarium, and at last reports was resting well. Reports say that Dean received a dangerous wound in the throat, Hugh Smith and McCurdy received less dangerous cuts.—News

LAMPASAS

Mrs. Wilson, mother of W. A. Wilson of the Adamsville section, died Sunday morning at the home of her son. She was about 79 years of age and was well known to many of the Blade's readers.

Ben Grimes, who was at Carlisle for some time for the benefit of his health, came here one day last week and spent Christmas with relatives in Lampasas. Mr. Grimes is editor of the Cameron Enterprise, and thinks he is now able to return to his work.

Tom Romans, living in what is known as the Buffalo Prairie community a short distance the other side of Naruna, had the misfortune to lose his barn and its contents by fire Saturday. A horse in a stable adjoining the barn was burnt to death. Three saddles, 400 bushels of corn and a lot of other feed stuff were burned and there was no insurance.

Mr. Romans is wondering how the fire could have started.

F. W. Bader's attorneys tried to get the court of appeals to re-open the case of their client and see if they could not get a new trial for him. Their motion was denied and it seems now that their is nothing left for Mr. Bader to do except go to the pen and serve a term of fifty years for the killing of Constable John Connell at Lometa last spring—unless he fails to live that long or can get a pardon. It is expected that Bader will be transferred to the penitentiary at Huntsville or Rusk in a very few days.—Blade.

COMANCHE

Dr. Tom Goodson of San Antonio attended the funeral of his father at Comanche this week.

Just as we are going to press comes the news of the death of Lee Anderson at his home in the eastern part of Comanche from pneumonia.

On Christmas morning at 9:45 A. E. Jenkins and Miss Gertrude Jones were quietly married at the home of the bride's grandmother, Mrs. T. J. Burks.

Jesse McKinsie, son of C. S. McKinsie, died at his home near Mercers Gap Christmas and was buried on the following day at Mercer Gap cemetery by the L. O. O. F. Lodge.

Gln report of Dec. 13, as given by reporter, S. W. Switzer, gives 6124 sales gained by Dec. 13th, 1916, as against 16,079 by the same date of last year.—Chief

WHY YOU SHOULD USE CHAMBERLAIN'S COUGH REMEDY

Because it has an established reputation won by its good work.
Because it is most esteemed by those who have used it for many years, as occasion required, and are acquainted with its good qualities.
Because it loosens and relieves a cold and aids nature in restoring the system to a healthy condition.
Because it does not contain opium or any other narcotic.
Because it is within the reach of all. It only costs a quarter. Obtainable everywhere. (adv)

Rainfall at Goldthwaite, Jan. 1 to Jan. 5..... 00.10 in.
Total Rainfall for 1916 to above date..... 00.10 in.

HARD LUCK and A FRIEND

WHEN a man has hard luck and things do not turn out as he expected; when sickness enters the family and the hard knocks all seem to come in a bunch—does some good friend step up and offer his sympathy? Yes, likely.

Does he pat you on the back with words of encouragement? It is probable.

Does he offer you the services of his bank account? Not often.

But if you have been a saver, no matter what your lot may be, your bank account is better than your best friend. The money you have left here will do what he will not. It will put you on your feet again. Others have proven it—you try and see.

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FIRST-CLASS STEAM LAUNDRY

Basket leaves Wed. Returns Fri. night.

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And give Ten Shoe Shines with Every Dollar's worth of Work.

My Tailor-Made Clothes Look Better, Wear Longer and Cost Less. Samples on Display.

PHONE 126—E. D. ANDERSON—PHONE 126

G. W. Graves made a business visit to Brownwood the first of the week.

Another car of Primrose flour just in—Baker & Littlepage.

J. N. Crawford made a business visit to Lampasas the first of the week.

C. P. and W. J. Jones were visitors to the big town from Center City the first of the week.

A car of cotton seed meal and hulls mixed and also a car of cotton seed meal at our feed store.—Frizzell & Geeslin.

Hugh Corts and his mother, Mrs. Fred Corts, returned Wednesday from a visit to relatives in Fort Worth and Shawnee, Okla. They spent several weeks on the trip and enjoyed the time very much.

Robbers held up and robbed a Brownwood man in his barn lot at his home Monday night. He was relieved of \$200 in cash.

Secretary McAdoo has asked congress to appropriate \$100,000 to study and demonstration work in finding the cause and remedy for palagra.

There is an epidemic of "grp" in all parts of the country. No section or state is free from it. So serious has it become, in fact, that an appeal has been made to the national health department for assistance in checking the spread of the epidemic. In the northern climate it is more severe than in the south and many deaths have already been reported and the disease is rapidly spreading, many new cases being reported every day.

Dr. PRICE'S CREAM BAKING POWDER

Sixty Years the Standard

Adds to the
healthfulness of the food

CONTAINS NO ALUM

Information from Peking, China, says: Yuan Shi Kai president of China, who has accepted the proffer of an Emperor's crown upon "request" of various elements in the nation, entered the Palace in the Imperial yellow chair, sat on the throne and was announced as "His Imperial Majesty," at the New Year's Day reception given for Chinese officials. He is already addressed as Emperor by the Chinese, although the formal coronation ceremony has not taken place.

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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 kidneys 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 pains 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)

IN MEMORY OF S. F. HARPER

I have waited for some time to write a tribute to the memory of the late S. F. Harper, feeling my incompetency to do justice to the subject, but having lived at Brother Harper's home for almost a year and enjoyed his hospitality I feel it my duty to tell what I know of him: He was a manly man, a gentleman of the highest type. He believed in supporting his country and being loyal to it and was ever ready to pay to the tax collector the amount due to his county and state, not with unbecoming manner, but with true patriotism. He showed himself a home builder, having something to build with, i. e., the necessary means backed by the right principles and such a combination always makes a go. He believed in a better and more thorough education for the coming generation, envied no one, was ready to help the needy and was charitable and big hearted.

Brother Harper and this writer were not far from the same age. During my stay at his home he was indeed a brother to me and his many deeds of kindness to me still linger in my memory. He was mirthful at times, but the more I knew him the more I was convinced of his fidelity to God and to his church. He was ever ready to support his pastor and help in other ways for Christ's sake. He was a kind and indulgent father and affectionate husband and he often spoke of his desire and prayer that his children might honor God and he also prayed for his church.

I wish to say to his kind family that they have my deepest sympathy. Their loss is Brother Harper's gain. May his children emulate his example. Brother Harper believed in carrying things out in due and ancient form. Although he has passed away, his good influence still lives to bless the world.

Suffer me to say at the close of this tribute that I expect to meet Brother Harper in the land of flowers and eternal bliss.

J. H. BRILEY.

Bhony, Texas,

We have another car of Primrose flour, fresh from the mill.—Baker & Littlepage.

NOTICE OF SHERIFF'S SALE

The State of Texas, County of Mills Know all men by these presents:

By virtue of an order of sale issued out of the Honorable District Court of Comanche County, Texas, on the 30th day of November, A. D. 1915, by W. D. Carpoll, clerk thereof in the cause of No. 3455, H. W. Kuteman vs. E. H. Rauhut et al, and to me as Sheriff directed and delivered, I will proceed to sell for cash at public auction to the highest and best bidder, within the hours prescribed by law for Sheriff's sales on the first Tuesday in January, A. D. 1916, it being the 4th day of January, A. D. 1916, before the court house door of Mills County, Texas, in the City of Goldthwaite, Texas, the following described property to-wit:

Being 160 acres of land in the name of D. A. Barton, Patent No. 320, Vol. 8, abstract No. 23, in Mills County, Texas, located in the Northern portion of Mills County, Texas, and commonly known as the "Schuster property," and being the same land described in deeds from D. B. Hill, dated July 24th, 1903, recorded in Vol. 4, at page 373, and from R. Schuster to E. H. Rauhut, dated November 20th, 1903, recorded in Vol. 4, at page 356 of the deed records of Mills County, Texas, to which reference is made, said Barton survey being for 320 acres of land.

Said property being levied on by me by virtue of said order of sale on the 9th day of December, A. D. 1915, as the property of E. H. Rauhut, to satisfy a judgment in the sum of \$2331.32, with interest from October 19th, A. D. 1915, at 10 per cent per annum and all costs of suit, in favor of H. W. Kuteman.

In said cause and in said judgment it is provided that if the proceeds of the sale of certain property in Comanche County, Texas, fails to bring the amount due on said judgment as above stated, then in that event the above promises will be sold to satisfy any balance that may be due on said judgment, not to exceed the sum of \$909.40, with interest from October 19th, A. D. 1915, at 10 per cent per annum and all costs of this suit, and when this property is sold, it will be sold to satisfy whatever balance may be due on said judgment, after the sale of the property in Comanche County, Texas, said balance in no event to exceed the above named sum of \$909.40, interest and costs of suit, and said property will be sold at the time and place above stated, and in the manner above stated to satisfy such balance due.

Witness my hand at Goldthwaite, Texas, on this, December 9th, A. D. 1915.

J. H. BURNETT,
Sheriff, Mills County, Texas.

NOTICE IN TAX SUIT

The State of Texas and County of Mills:

To the unknown owners, P. C. Stribling, S. G. Ragsdale, J. M. Lanham, J. B. Carden, J. J. Mills and S. E. Allen and all their heirs and legal representatives, and all persons owning or having or claiming any interest in the following described land, delinquent to the State of Texas and County of Mills, for taxes to-wit:

Lot No. four (4), in block No. (13), thirteen, in the City of Goldthwaite, which said lot is delinquent for taxes for the following amount: \$7.49 for State taxes and \$11.97 for County taxes, including interest and penalty, and you are hereby notified that suit has been brought by the State for the collection of said taxes, and you are commanded to appear and defend such suit at the May term of the District Court of Mills County, and State of Texas, to be held at the court house, in Goldthwaite, in said County and State aforesaid, on the first Monday in May, A. D. 1916, same being the first day of May, A. D. 1916, and show cause why judgment shall not be rendered condemning said land or (lot), and ordering sale and foreclosure thereof for said taxes and costs of suit.

Witness my hand and the seal of said Court, at office in Goldthwaite, this 22nd day of December, A. D. 1915,

C. D. LANE, Clerk,
District Court, Mills County, Texas.

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.

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Farmers Exchange Lumber Yard

J. D. BRYAN, Proprietor

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We will be glad to give you the opportunity to "LOOK INTO IT," and also furnish you with estimates, color cards and other valuable information which will assist you when painting, varnishing or doing any refinishing.

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THE LUMBERMAN

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GRAIN AND FEED

We have bought the W. E. Pardue grain business and leased his building and elevator. If you have grain or feed stuff of any kind to sell, see or phone us. If you need any kind of feed for horses, cows, poultry, etc., come to us or phone your order and it will have prompt attention. We Want Your Business.

MONUMENT SALE

I have about 40 Monuments and Markers on hand that I will sell at Very Low Prices. They range from \$10 to \$75 in price. If you are interested, write, phone or come to see me and I will make it to your interest. I will also take some feed—corn, hay or oats—on work, at a fair price.

I want to thank the people for the patronage given me in the past 20 years, this being the close of my 20th year in Goldthwaite, and I wish one and all a Happy and Prosperous New Year.

See me before placing any contract for a Monument or Marker.

J. N. KEESE

The Monument Man

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GOLDTHWAITE

HERE TO STAY!

We are not expecting to leave Goldthwaite this year or at any other time, but will continue in the mercantile business at this place. We carry a large and well selected stock of General Merchandise and can make it to the interest of our customers and the general public to deal with us. In our

DRY GOODS DEPARTMENT

we have a large stock of Reliable, Seasonable and Dependable Goods, selected especially for this trade, and we feel we are in position to offer every advantage our customers could desire or expect. Our

GROCERY DEPARTMENT

is kept well stocked with High-Grade and Wholesome Goods at all times. We buy in large quantities and always get the **LOWEST PRICES POSSIBLE**, thereby enabling us to offer Special Inducements. We solicit the trade of the people of this section for the coming year.

**We Buy and Sell Country Produce of All Kinds.
Give Us an Opportunity to Prove that We Want Your Business.**

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The Goldthwaite Eagle POPULATION OF GOLDTHWAITE

Saturday, January 8, 1910

and mules to sell on
Cockrum & Rudd.

Baker & Littlepage buy your pro-
duce and sell you what you need
in the grocery line. (adv)

Mrs. Floyd Mullin was very sick
the first of the week, but is report-
edly considerably improved.

L. W. Leverett and family return-
ed Friday night from a visit to rela-
tives at Sweetwater and in other
parts of the west.

I will appreciate your patronage
and give you first class oil at the
market price.—Fred Martin.

Mrs. W. L. Brinson and children
left for Lometa yesterday to make
their home, her husband being en-
gaged in the barber business at that
place.

Seed Oats—I have 1,000 bushels of
seed oats, clear of Johnson grass and
cotton stalks, for sale at 40 cents per
bushel at my barn in Rock Springs
community.—W. J. Stark.

Phone me when you want gasoline
or lubricating oil and I will be there
with the goods promptly.—Fred Mer-
tin.

Elder R. W. Harrell arrived from
Austin Thursday night in response to
a message announcing the illness of
his brother, who had already passed
away when he arrived.

Mrs. F. M. House and her daugh-
ter, Mrs. Josie Capps returned to
their home in New Mexico the first
of the week, after spending the holi-
days with relatives and friends here
and at Center City.

Fred Dew of Sleepy Hollow ranch
returned yesterday morning from
Fort Worth, where he shipped a car
of fat hogs this week and realized a
very satisfactory price for them. E.
Reynolds of near Mullin shipped a
16-months-old hog in the car and real-
ized \$24 for it. The hog weighed
550 pounds and was sold by the buy-
er at Fort Worth to be in the best
marketable condition of any hog ever
shipped to that market. The buyer
evidently did not know that Mills
county always has the best.

OUR FRIENDS
It is indeed a pleasure to note the
many good people who renew for the
Eagle each week, thereby giving sub-
stantial endorsement to the work we
are endeavoring to do. Those who
have renewed their subscriptions or
entered their names as subscribers
since last report are:
Mrs. K. F. Cunningham, Otey
J. H. Allen, sr., Goldthwaite
Mrs. E. Sansing, Abilene
Hez Cobb, Ratler
Dr. C. M. Harris, Shaw, Miss
A. J. Cline, Goldthwaite
Mrs. Rosenquist, Neosho, Kas.
C. H. Ford, Goldthwaite
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Mrs. E. Herrington, Humphrey,
Ark
Charley Jackson, Waco
Ernest Jackson, Thorndale
S. P., McPherson, Goldthwaite
Miss Pattie McPherson, Denton
Miss Bonnie McPherson, Demmett
E. F. Virden, Richland, N. M.
W. C. Stark, Cross Plains
M. M. Lee, Star
Rude Mathis, Sterling City
D. W. Webb, Big Valley
D. D. Kemper, Mullin
Mrs. T. S. Hawkins, Rock Springs
J. W. Hiller, Indian Gap
Riley Welch, Sterling City
Mrs. A. J. Gatlin, Rock Springs
W. O. Oden, North Brown
W. A. Smith, Kermit
W. A. Robinson, Marietta, Okla.

PASTORS.
—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 contem-
plate selling your land, have an ab-
stract thereto prepared first, so you
will know what kind of title you can
make to it, as the purchaser is al-
most 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 reason-
able charge and will help you cure
your titles if defective.—E. B. Ander-
son.

Good horses and mules to sell on
Cockrum & Rudd.
H. F. Butts of Mullin has accepted
a position with Henry Martin in the
dry goods business.
E. F. White presented us some
delightful greens this week, for which
we thank him very much.
Mrs. W. L. Burks has been in Mul-
lin this week in attendance at the
bedside of Mrs. Randolph Whitley
Mr. and Mrs. Fifer left for their
home in Brenham Thursday night,
after a visit to her parents, Mr. and
Mrs. W. H. Morgan, in this city.
—If you intend to buy land be sure
to demand an abstract of the title,
so you may know its condition, as
otherwise you may get a bad title.—
E. B. ANDERSON, Abstractor.
Mrs. Mamie Thompson and daugh-
ter, Miss Lida, left last night for
Dallas, where they will make their
home. Mrs. Thompson's residence
in the eastern portion of town has
been rented by Mr. Burdett.

Start The New Year Right

Buying where you can get Most for the Money

By Buy

- ☐ We can save you money if you will let us.
- ☐ You will find our stock more complete this year than ever before.
- ☐ OUR PRICE IS THE SAME TO ALL.
- ☐ We mark our goods close, giving you the benefit of the low Prices.

Compare Our Prices and Be Convinced that We Can Save You Money

MULLAN'S VARIETY STORE

"The One-Price Store" PROPRIETOR
FLOYD MULLAN :: :: ::

Get your Blacklego... at M...
Save your stock from blackleg. (adv)
The boiler of a railroad locomotive
exploded Tuesday evening a short
distance from Lampasas, scalding
the engineer, fireman and bra...
severely. The boiler flew some dis-
tance from the track, but the re-
mainder of the train remained on
the rails and traffic was only delayed
a few hours.
The friends here of W. C. Stark
were much surprised a few days ago
to learn that he had been married
to Miss Vienna Gaines since July 7.
The wedding took place at Lampasas
and the young people decided to
keep it secret for a time. The
bride is a teacher in the school at
Cross Plains and Mr. Stark will
also be employed in the same school.
Mrs. Stark is a sister of Mrs. Arthur
Power of Star. Both of the young
people have a great many friends
and well-wishers who extend congrat-
ulations.

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THE Addition to our New Buildings has been completed and we are now busily engaged in transferring our stocks to our new location. We will be located in the buildings recently vacated by Baker & Littlepage and M. G. Cline & Son, just across from Little's store, on Fisher Street. We invite our customers and the public generally to call on us frequently and inspect our Large and Well Selected Stocks of Hardware, Furniture, House Furnishings, Vehicles, Implements, Etc.

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CITATION

The State of Texas
To the Sheriff or any Constable of
Mills County—Greeting:

Oath having been made as required by law, you are hereby commanded to summon Emily A. Stansbury and her husband, J. Stansbury, Mary E. Ransom, and her husband, R. J. Ransom, Ann W. McClay, and her husband, John McClay, Alice J. Dyer, and her husband, J. T. Dyer, the unknown heirs of Thos. Bertrand, William T. Bertrand, Walter H. Bertrand, M. J. Coggins, S. R. Coggins, M. J. Coggins, S. R. Coggins, Marsta or Maretha or Martha A. Sanders and her husband, J. D. Sanders, Zannie McMahan and her husband T. H. McMahan, Hallie K. or Hattie K. McMahan and her husband, Albert G. McMahan, Fannie T. or Fannie L. McMahan and her husband John W. McMahan, Walter I. McMahan, Walter T. McMahan, Lee J. McMahan and his wife, Mamie McMahan, Josephine I. or Josephine T. Quigg and her husband W. P. Quigg and Angeline F. Davis, Eliza J. McMahan, T. H. McMahan, Eliza J. McMahan and her husband T. H. McMahan, F. H. McMahan, G. W. Denton, Mary T. Denton, Mary Denton, Ann L. Eggleston, W. H. Eggleston, Dora Eggleston, Imogene Stecker, Imogene Sleeper, L. G. Stecker, L. G. Stecker, William C. Eggleston, Henry P. Eggleston, John McDougall, Charles E. Richards, Rhodes T. Herndon sr., M. V. McMahan, and the unknown heirs of each of the above named defendants who may be deceased, it not being known to the plaintiff whether any of them are deceased, by making publication of this citation once in each week for eight successive weeks next previous to the return day hereof, in some newspaper published in your county, to appear at the next regular term of the District Court of Mills County, to be holden at the Court House thereof in Goldthwaite, on the first Monday in May, 1916, the same being the 1st day of May, 1916, then and there to answer a petition filed in said Court on the 26th day of October, A. D. 1915, in a suit numbered on the docket of said Court No. 1486, wherein W. C. Johnson is plaintiff, and each and all of the above named persons and the unknown heirs of each and all of the above named persons who may be deceased are defendants, and said petition alleging:

(1)—That plaintiff resides in Mills County, Texas, and that the residence of the defendants and each of them is unknown to the plaintiff and his attorneys, and the names of the heirs of the said defendants and each of them are unknown to the plaintiff and his attorneys.

(2)—Plaintiff alleges that he is the owner and in the possession of in fee simple, subject alone to the purchase money notes executed by him in favor of J. W. Driskill, in his own right and as his own property, and that certain lands and premises, together with all of the improvements thereon, lying and being situated in the County of Mills and State of Texas, and being particularly described as follows, to-wit:

First tract—The J. T. Benedict survey of 320 acres, patented to John H. Herndon, assignee, by Patent No. 737, Vol. 8, dated October 20th, 1852, and being Certificate No. 674.

Second Tract—The John W. Driskill 84 1-10 acre survey of land, situated and described as follows: In Mills County known as survey No. 21, about 13 miles N 50 W from County Site, said land having been purchased and fully paid for in accordance with an act approved February 23, 1900.

Third Tract—The John M. Little 320 acre survey, patented to T. H. McMahan, assignee of John M. Little, by patent No. 700, Vol. 8, dated September 27, 1852, said patent recorded in Vol. 2, page 208 of the Patent Records of Mills County, Texas.

Fourth Tract—The Wm. H. Eggleston 640 acre survey, sometimes called the Ann L. Eggleston survey, and shown on the official map of Mills County, Texas, as the Ann L. Eggleston survey, but patented to the heirs of Wm. H. Eggleston, deceased, assignee of Thos. Tobey, by Patent No. 312, Vol. 19, dated February 13, 1871, by virtue of Certificate No. 174.

Fifth Tract—The W. H. Eggleston 640 acre survey, sometimes called the Ann L. Eggleston survey, and appearing as such on the official map of Mills County, but patented to the heirs of W. H. Eggleston deceased by Patent No. 313, Vol. 19, dated February 13, 1871.

Sixth Tract—The W. C. Blair survey No. 796 patented to Meredith Walton, Geo. W. Williams, Wm. L. Williams and John D. Chesser, assignees of Wm. C. Blair, by patent No. 147, Vol. 8, containing 320 acres of land dated June 12, 1871, and situated and described as follows: In Brown County, now Mills County, known as survey No. 796, on Blanket Creek, a tributary of Pecan Bayou, about 17 miles S 44 E of Brownwood, being part of the land they were entitled to by virtue of Cert. No. 11, Class 2nd, issued by the Board of Land Commissioners of Victoria County to Wm. C. Blair for 640 acres dated May 1, 1843, transferred by said Wm. C. Blair to Meredith Walton, Geo. W. Williams, W. L. Williams and John D. Chesser dated September 9th, 1870.

Seventh Tract—987 acres of land more or less out of the Thomas Burtrand 1-3 league survey, formerly in Travis County, later in Brown County, and now in Mills County, Texas, patented to Thomas Burtrand by patent No. 630, Vol. 9, dated October 22, 1852, and recorded in Vol. 2, page 209 of the patent records of Mills County, Texas, located by virtue of Certificate No. 256, and known as survey No. 24, the land herein described being out of the North part of the said survey, and described by metes and bounds as follows: Beginning at the N. W. Corner of said survey on Pecan Bayou from whence an elm 10' in dia. brs. N 20 E... vrs; thence E 5385 vrs. crossing Blanket creek to a stake and mound from which a P. O. 8' in dia. brs. S 40 E 14 vrs, do 10' in vrs. S 83 E 18 vrs, thence S 1137 vrs. to the N E Corner of the S 1-3 of the said survey owned by John W. Harris et al a stake in Blanket creek for corner from whence an Elm brs. N 45 E 75 vrs do S 49 1-2 W 8 vrs, thence W with the N line of the Harris tract 4380 vrs to the E bank of Pecan Bayou a stake from whence an Elm brs. S 86 1-4 E 10 vrs, do S 7 1-2 E 9 vrs, thence up the Pecan Bayou with its meanders to the place

of beginning. Said lands containing in the aggregate 3314 acres of land, and all of which land is situated in that part of Mills County, formerly lying in Brown County before the creation of Mills County, on March 15, 1887, and its organization on September 12, 1887, and known as the Driskill Ranch, said lands being the same and all thereof described and conveyed in the deed from J. W. Driskill, A. V. Driskill, husband and wife, to W. C. Johnson, plaintiff, as evidenced by their deed dated August 31, 1915, filed for record on September 6th, 1915, and duly recorded in Vol. 45, pages 14, 15, 16, 17, 18, 19 and 20 of the deed records of Mills County, Texas, to which said deed and the record thereof reference is here made in further or additional description of said properties.

(3)—The plaintiff represents that he and his vendors, immediate and remote, are now and have continuously been in possession of said lands and premises for a long term of years, over, above and in excess of the ten years next last past.

(4)—Plaintiff alleges that he and his said vendors J. W. Driskill and A. V. Driskill have been for more than three years prior to the institution of this suit in peaceable and adverse possession of all of said lands and premises under title and color of title and that this plaintiff is now in such possession under such title and color of title and, therefore, any interest, right or claim of the defendants and each of them, if any they ever had, in and to said lands and premises is barred by the statute of three years limitation.

(5)—Plaintiff further represents that he and his vendors, J. W. Driskill and A. V. Driskill, under whom he claims, have for more than five years prior to the institution of this suit had peaceable and adverse possession of all of said lands and premises, cultivating, using and enjoying the same and paying taxes thereon, and claiming under deeds duly registered and that said plaintiff is now in such possession so cultivating, using and enjoying the said property and paying taxes thereon and claiming under deeds duly registered, and that therefore any and all rights, title and interest of the defendants and each of them in and to all said lands and premises, if any they ever had, are barred by the statute of five years limitation.

(6)—Plaintiff further represents that for more than ten years prior to the institution of this suit plaintiff and his said vendors J. W. Driskill and A. V. Driskill, under whom he claims, have had peaceable and adverse possession of said lands, premises, tenements and hereditaments, cultivating, using and enjoying the same and that plaintiff is now in such possession of said property and lands and all thereof, cultivating, using and enjoying the same and that, therefore, all and every right title and interest of all the defendants and each of them in and to said lands and premises, if any they ever had, is barred by the Statute of ten years limitation.

(7)—Plaintiff further represents

that for a number of years over and in excess of the ten years next prior to the institution of this suit, plaintiff and his immediate and remote vendors under whom he claims have had and now have peaceable and adverse possession of said property, lands and premises, cultivating, using and enjoying the same, and therefore, that all and every right, title and interest of all the defendants and each of them in and to said lands and premises, if any they ever had, is barred by the statute of ten years limitation.

(8)—That all of said statutes of limitation and all rights of limitation in plaintiff under said statutes, the plaintiff now pleads in bar of the rights, claims and demands of the defendants and all of each of them.

(9)—Plaintiff further represents that none of the defendants whatsoever herein named and that none of the defendants herein referred to as the unknown heirs of the defendants or either of them herein named have any right, title or interest whatever in, to or upon said lands and premises or any part thereof whatsoever; but that because and by reason of certain defective acknowledgments appearing in the history of said title in the conveyance or conveyances made by some of said defendants and because of the defective execution of certain of the deeds of conveyances by others of said defendants and because of defective or obscure recitations of the proper and accurate names in the conveyance or conveyances of other of said defendants and because of the defective record of the conveyance or conveyances executed by others of said defendants and because of the omission by others of said defendants to acknowledge their deed or deeds of conveyances, and because of the omission through inadvertence, neglect or mistake of others of said defendants to execute deeds of conveyances at all, although their intention to so execute is manifest; and because of the absence from the record of proper administration proceedings in, to, covering and relating to the estates of others of said defendants necessary to make the records show and disclose the authority of such defendants to execute and convey good, proper and sufficient deeds of conveyance properly conveying title to the properties in and by said deeds intended to be conveyed, and because of various and divers other and sundry omissions of the defendants or some of them to convey their right, title and interest in said property to either J. W. Driskill or his immediate and remote vendors, and because of various other omissions, defects, errors, clerical and other omissions apparent of record in the deed and other records of Mills and Brown Counties, Texas, relating to the title to said properties or a part thereof, said records do not disclose that the defendants and all of them herein mentioned either by name and the unknown heirs of said defendants named parted with or divested themselves of the title to said property, lands and premises and all thereof, and the records in said Brown and Mills Counties, Texas, thus disclose that the said several defendants hereinbefore named and the unknown heirs of the said several defendants hereinbefore named have an interest or claim in and to and part ownership of all or

some portion, respectively, of said lands and premises, and each and all of which constitute and is a cloud upon the title of the plaintiff and damages and slanders plaintiff's title to said lands, property and premises.

Wherefore, plaintiff prays for judgment for all of said lands and premises and the title thereto against all and each of said defendants and all and each of the unknown heirs of all and each of said defendants and that all claims of right title and interest in, to or upon all said lands and premises or any part thereof in favor of all or either of said defendants or the unknown heirs of all or either of said defendants be adjudged and decreed to be without merit and to be clouds upon plaintiff's title and that plaintiff have judgment removing said clouds and quieting his said title and he prays for costs and all such other and further relief to which he may show himself entitled, both in law and in equity.

Herein, fall not, but have before said Court, at its aforesaid next regular term, this writ with your return thereon, showing how you have executed the same.

Given under my hand and the seal of said Court, at office in Goldthwaite this the 22nd day of November, A. D. 1915.

C. D. LANE,
Clerk, District Court, Mills County, Texas.

CLUB MEETING

The Merry Wives met in a regular meeting at the beautiful new home of Mrs. J. A. Gillespie on Tuesday afternoon, January 4th. On account of illness among the club members only four were present. However, after all business had been attended to, four invited guests arrived to add to the merriment of the Merry Wives. Before the business meeting adjourned, Mrs. Owen Yarborough was voted into the club.

The first social diversion of the afternoon was a musical contest which created quite a little excitement. But the principal feature proved to be that most popular of all games—"42." Mrs. Will Trent, as usual, carried off the prize—a box of bon-bons. She carried it off in every sense of the word for it was not awarded her until after a delicious refreshment course of hot chocolate with whipped cream and wafers was served—hence she felt no hesitancy in failing to pass it around, for fear of being refused.

The invited guests were: Mesdames Walter Fairman, John Brown, J. D. H. Wallace and Harry Martin.

The club next meets with Mrs. Clyde Hudson.

REPORTER

Children, save all your Blue Jay tablet backs and all tablet backs with L. E. Miller & Son's name on them. They will be worth something to you. Will announce the prizes in next week's Eagle. (adv.)

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

The Goldthwaite Eagle

Saturday, January 8, 1916.

R. M. THOMPSON - Proprietor.

J. A. Gillespie made a business visit to Brownwood Wednesday.

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

Big stock Cook and Heating Stoves.—McKinley Corrigan Co.

Hogs can not slip staves in Pittsburg fence. Sold by Barnes & McCullough. (adv)

Get the famous "FREE" Sewing Machine cheap while sale is on.—McKinley, Corrigan Co.

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

R. O. Harris was here from San Saba the first of the week, visiting relatives and meeting his friends.

Pittsburg perfect fence stands erect and stiff over hills and thru valleys. Sold by Barnes & McCullough. (adv)

Quality considered, the cheapest fence as the Pittsburg perfect. Let us show you.—Barnes & McCullough.

I make a specialty of buying second hand furniture. See me about what you have to sell or trade.—J. T. Weems.

John and George Tippen, two of the leading men of the Buffalo country, had business in this city the first of the week.

Prevent the spread of diseases by the use of Hydrated disinfectant Ljme. Barnes and McCullough have it for sale. (adv)

Most of the young folks who came home from school to spend the holidays have returned to their studies in the various schools and colleges.

Spirella Corsets, not sold in stores, Mrs. S. A. Lowrie, Goldthwaite, Texas. Residence appointments by telephone, post card, or letter. (adv)

Jesse Forester returned to his studies in Southwestern university at Georgetown the first of the week, after spending the holidays with his home folks in this city.

Dr. Roberts of Capadan returned from Temple Tuesday night with his little grand son who had been in the sanitarium at that place for a number of weeks.

Mrs. W. S. McCall and baby left for their home at Waco Wednesday after a visit to her parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. C. Humphries, and other relatives in this city.

For Sale—The residence in the northern suburbs of Goldthwaite known as Rev. A. Atkinson's home place. Apply to me for price and other particulars.—G. N. Atkinson (Advertisement.)

J. D. Faith and his wife and little daughter came over from Temple Tuesday evening for a visit to Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Allen and other relatives. Mr. Faith is engaged in the hotel business and is prospering. He has a great many friends in this city.

Rude Mathis of Sterling City was a pleasant caller at the Eagle office one day this week. He was reared in this county, but has been away a number of years. His relatives live in the neighborhood of Star and he has been there visiting for several days.

I am running a job wagon in the city and will appreciate the patronage of the public. A phone message to Marshall & Dickerson's market or W. E. Grisham's store will reach me promptly. I transfer trunks and do other light hauling on short notice.—L. H. Level

Friends here of J. H. Randolph and family deeply sympathize with them because of the death of his mother, which occurred at her home at Try, Bell county, last Sunday. She had been sick for some time and Mr. and Mrs. Randolph had been at her bedside for a week or more before her death.

Editor Adkins of the Lometa Reporter spent Monday in this city and made the Eagle a pleasant call. He is a practicing attorney as well as an editor and was looking after the interests of some of his clients in the court at this place. It was indeed a pleasure to meet with him, for he is a man of ability and an 'old timer' in the work.

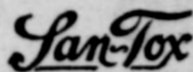
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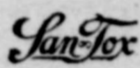
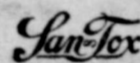


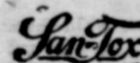
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SMILING BILLIE

Editor Eagle:

The same old horse to ride, the same old cow to milk, the same fields to plow, the same battles to fight, some of the same people to misunderstand, criticize and slander you and perhaps some of the same correspondents to read after, during 1916 that we have had to encounter through 1915. We are better or worse for having lived through another year. We are told it is hard to find middle ground and hold it as the tendency downward is so great. The minute we stop on the upward pull the brakes are not sufficient to hold us on a standstill, so back we slide. Now this sliding proposition on a steep grade is calculated to increase its rapidity until a fellow might get such a fall that the last spark would be extinguished and we be unto the slider. It's best not to slide, but if we should slide, let's own the corn and say we slide. Somehow it looks like it is hard to keep out of the old ruts. If we have been drinking, lying, cheating, let's quit. If we have been slipping around with both eyes on the law and a hand on an open door to vice, shame, and disgrace of any kind and bent on wilful violation of the law, let's stop and ask ourselves the question: Will it pay? If it won't pay, why pay such a price? If we have been disobedient to home rule and drifting away from mothers and fathers entreaties and gone of into a life of shame that is causing us to lie and hide to cover up had we not better retrace our steps? Don't think your tracks are all covered up and the public ignorant of the cloud that is gathering about you, unless there is an uncalled for amount of talking being done.

There is nothing in all of God's creation more commendable and lovely than a real true girl with high ideals and visions of a happy useful life and trying to live that life. Boys are not going to make any undue advances with a girl living up to such ideals. Nine times out of ten, where there is a wreck of character the girl is largely to blame. Keep yourself in a lady's place and you will be a lady still. If you get the idea that marriageable propositions may not come your way without you doing unbecoming acts to win some fly-up-the-creek with a slick tongue, you'll be very apt to find him and very likely to your sorrow when it is too late. The best way to win the affections of a real gentleman is to be a real lady. Never do anything that you will be ashamed to tell mother. She is your best friend and has spent many sleepless nights studying and planning for your pleasure and happiness, while the boy in whom you are confiding may be planning your downfall.

A fellow traveling in an airship has opportunities of looking down on scenes that beggar description, yet everything unbecoming does not have to be seen from midair. The thundering and lightnings in advance of an awful stormcloud that foretells trouble, sorrow, disappointment and wreck of life and character will sooner or later break forth in all its fury upon those who are playing into the hands of others by wilful disobedience and deception of the mother who gave them birth.

Beware: beware, the voice of virtue cries, Beside your path a slimy serpent lies,

And in after years you'll be glad indeed That you, to the warning voice gave heed. SMILING BILLIE

BEAR THIS IN MIND

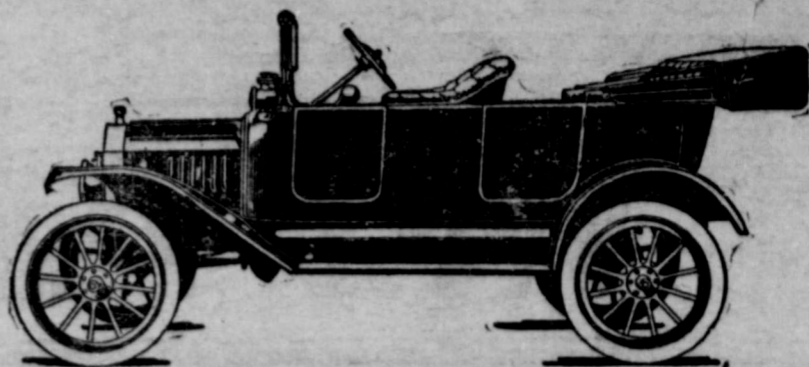
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GINNERS REPORT

The report of the ginner of Mills county, made to the federal department at Washington, shows that 6244 bales of cotton had been ginned in this county up to Dec. 13, as compared with 15,703 bales ginned up to the same date the previous year.

LAUGHTER AIDS DIGESTION

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Ford Agent, Goldthwaite, Texas

Real Estate

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