

The Goldthwaite Eagle.

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SPRING GOODS HERE!

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We ask you to see our new lines of Spring Goods, the Newest the market affords, in the Latest Styles and the Newest Shades. Also a complete line of

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GOLDTHWAITE, TEXAS

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A PROCLAMATION

By virtue of a resolution by the city council of Goldthwaite and in conformity with the custom of this city, as well as other cities of the state, in observing "Clean Up Day" on at least one day during the year, I hereby designate Tuesday and Wednesday, March 19 and 20, as the dates to be observed in Goldthwaite for that purpose. On the days named the people are requested to co-operate in the movement by clearing their own premises, together with all alleys and vacant lots of all debris and trash of every kind. Goldthwaite is recognized as one of the cleanest and most sanitary towns to be found and it should be and doubtless is the desire of every citizen to maintain that good reputation.

On the days designated the city will furnish wagons to haul away all rocks and such trash as can not be burned or otherwise disposed of on the premises, provided such refuse is piled in a convenient place. Scrapings from cowlots and barnyards are not included in this plan, but the owners of premises where stock or fowls are kept should see to it that all lots, barns, pens and buildings are properly cleaned and necessary disinfectants used. The hearty co-operation of the people in this movement will be beneficial to our city and to the citizens individually.

WILL H. TRENT, Mayor.

CAR OF SEED

County Farm Demonstrator McDaniel received a car of field seed this week for the farmers of this county. Most of the seed had been spoken for before the arrival of the car.

Brian Smith came in from Camp Bowie for a visit to home folks and friends the first of the week.

Jess Langford arrived Monday from Camp Bowie for a visit to home folks and to meet with his friends.

Jno. H. Davee and family left this week for Grandbury where they expect to reside in future. Their friends here wish them well.

County Treasurer Hudson this week paid off \$5,000 court house bonds. They were purchased from the holder at a premium of one-half of one per cent.

W. J. Sparkman and wife of the Merrell Creek community were visitors to the city the early part of the week and made the Eagle an appreciated call.

T. A. Gardner, one of the best men of the Center City community, looked after business matters in the big town the early part of the week.

The east bound passenger train on the Santa Fe had to be held here Sunday night until authority could be secured from the mayor and the Goldthwaite fire hose was coupled onto a waterworks hydrant and the water tank of the engine filled, the railroad wells here having been pumped dry.

The Eagle appreciates communications of local happenings or on subjects of interest to the people, but must know who does the writing. Communications of a political nature, where the cause of any candidate or set of candidates is advocated or set of candidates is advocated is termed advertising and as such must be paid for at advertising rates.

PLAINVIEW

Editor Eagle:

As it has come a good rain and brought sunshine into all the hearts, we will try to tell all the news that has happened in this community since our last report.

Mrs. L. A. Jones has suffered with measles and a light attack of pneumonia in the past week.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Geeslin are the proud parents of a new boy.

We had a severe accident in our community a few weeks ago. While Misses Seleta and Opal Henry were coming from the well box their pony got scared and ran away and turned the buggy over on them, breaking Seleta's arm and hurting Opal pretty badly.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Lee are the proud parents of a baby girl. Brother Bynum preached at Plainview Sunday afternoon and sure preached a fine sermon.

There will be church at Plainview the first Sunday night in next month.

Miss Ethyl Northcut spent last Sunday night with her friend Miss Opal Jones.

Mrs. Nora Barry is visiting relatives at Plainview.

Mrs. Northcut's mother, Mrs. Mollie Branch, is making her home with her.

Mr. and Mrs. Eddy visited Mrs. Eddy's mother, Mrs. C. C. Jones, last Sunday.

There is going to be a small program at Plainview school house Friday afternoon.

Mr. I. M. Lee went to Fort Worth last week with a load of nogs.

Well as our letter is getting lengthy we will ring off for this time. Come on Dishwasher and Rainbow with those good letters.

ROSEBUD AND SUNBEAM

E. Reynolds of Mullin was meeting with his friends in this city Monday.

B. P. Hurdle made a business trip to the Hanna Valley county the first of the week.

Albert Smith of the South Bennett community was an appreciated caller at the Eagle office one day this week.

J. R. Lee was here from Center City community one day this week, looking after business matters.

C. Ballard of the Goenhour section was looking after business in the big town Monday. He is one of the Eagle's most appreciated friends.

Mrs. J. W. Edlin of Miller Grove was a pleasant caller at the Eagle office Monday. She brought the pleasing information that our friend Emmett Gardner was getting along nicely in San Antonio, where he has a good position with the Pierce-Fordyce Oil Co.

Burrell Park was here from Waco Sunday and Monday visiting his home folks and meeting with his friends. He informed us that Blake Hudson was bookkeeper at Frank Jackson's garage where a number of former Goldthwaite boys are employed, and was getting along nicely.

E. C. Estep was in this city Tuesday en route home to Trent from a short stay in the Goenhour community, where he was called on the sad mission of attending the funeral of his brother-in-law, Mr. J. C. Churchwell, whose death occurred in the Temple sanitarium a few days ago. Mrs. Churchwell has leased her ranch and will make her home at Trent with her brother and his family.

CITY COUNCIL

The city council met in regular monthly session Monday night and transacted considerable routine business, such as auditing accounts and official reports.

An election was ordered for the selection of three aldermen, a mayor, secretary, attorney and recorder. The election is to be held the first Tuesday in April and the aldermen whose terms expire at that time are Aldermen Walters, Marshall and Grisham.

March 19 and 20 were designated as clean up days for the city and the mayor was authorized to issue a proclamation regarding the observance of the days by the citizens.

WAR GARDENS

A garden in every home, in the city as well as in the country, is generally recognized as a very important economic feature in winning the war. Every meal or part of a meal supplied by the home garden will release just that much of other foods that may be exported to our armies and our allies. Besides this, the production of the home garden will become available at a time when our surplus supply of food from last year's crops is lowest and before this year's production is available.

The Patriotic Garden League of Texas, organized in this campaign for the increased production of food and feed, has been a wonderful success. More than 200,000 enrollment cards have been sent to all sections of the state at the request of those interested in the movement, and we now have members enrolled from two hundred of the two hundred and fifty-two counties in the state.



Lice and Parasites Cost \$175,000,000 a Year

according to the report of the United States Department of Agriculture. What the death loss is, due to poisonous germs of disease, can hardly be estimated. The cry everywhere is—"Clean up, disinfect, destroy all forms of parasites."

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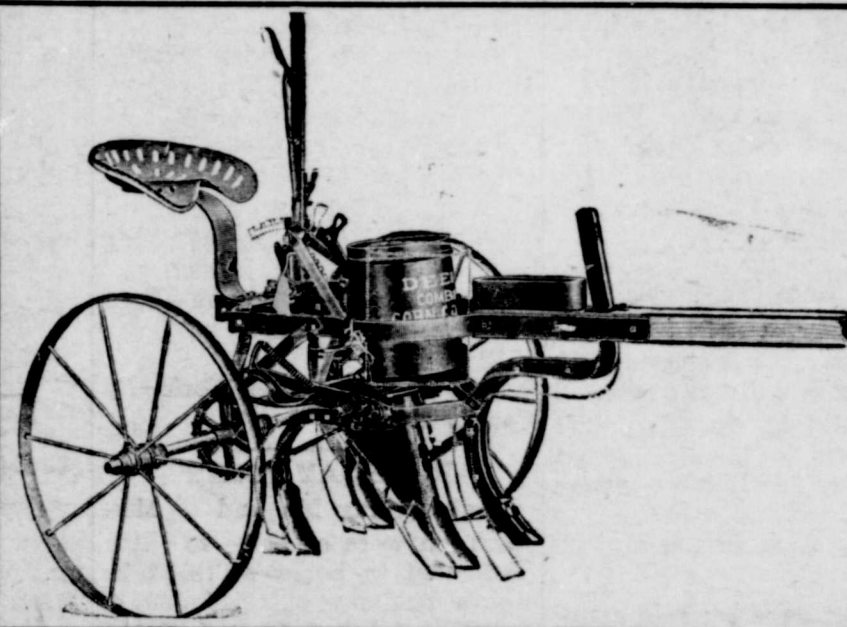
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Is an important business with the farmer. It is necessary that he have the proper seed and that they be planted properly. In order that the planting and cultivating be done in a way to get best results, it is necessary to have First-Class Implements—and the

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covers this requirement exactly. We can supply your every need in this department. Let us show you what we can do for you.

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Full Stock of Coffins—All Sizes and Different Grades

COURT HOUSE FLOWERS

The court house committee of the Self Culture Club have had the flower beds prepared and the bulbs and violets divided and transplanted.

Mrs. J. C. Street donated a rose to replace one that died last year.

We wish to thank Judge Weaver and Mr. Clements for their cooperation in this work.

We have a nice lot of canna bulbs, which we will sell at 10 cents per dozen. If you would like something to make your grounds more beautiful phone Mrs. E. B. Anderson.

MRS. W. C. DEW

MRS. E. B. ANDERSON

MRS. J. C. EVANS

Committee.

JUNIORS TO MEET

Miss Ossie Keese, president of the Junior Red Cross, requests that the members, boys and girls meet Mrs. Irwin in the court house Saturday afternoon at 2 o'clock.

SECRETARY

FRESH GROCERIES

We solicit the patronage of the public on the
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Our stock is complete and fresh and we can fill all orders promptly with the best of everything and at

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F. R. Hines was a business visitor from Antelope Gap the early part of the week.

J. A. Harris and his son were here from Indian Gap Tuesday, looking after business matters.

To join the Red Cross society and buy war savings stamps is a duty every citizen owes the nation.

Mrs. J. S. Bowden and her two little grandchildren came over from Zephyr Thursday for a visit to relatives.

H. E. Dalton attended a meeting of the Pierce-Fordyce Oil company's agents at San Angelo the first of the week.

T. R. Wilcox of the Center City country was looking after business matters in this city the early part of the week.

Keep your eye on the Eagle's announcement column, for several surprises are booked for the near future, if the Eagle's information is correct.

J. M. Petsiek of Caradan, who recently had the misfortune to cut his foot with an ax, was in town Tuesday. He is able to walk but the foot is still quite sore.

M. W. Wright and his wife and children boarded the train here Tuesday for Temple, where he and one child expect to receive treatment in the sanitarium.

W. A. Richards has sold a residence he owned in Brownwood and bought the W. F. Sims residence, in the eastern suburbs of the city. Mr. Sims and wife have moved to their former residence on Front Street, north of the cotton yard.

D. J. Johnson, traffic manager for the West Texas Telephone Co., and Traveling Auditor Cunningham of the same company spent Tuesday in this city. Of course they found the company's business in good shape, for that is the way the local manager, Mr. Rogge, keeps it.

Material is being placed on the ground for remodeling and improving the Courto building occupied by Little & Sons' dry goods store. A second story will be built on the rear of the building and a balcony arranged therein. Other improvements will be made on the interior and a cement walk will be laid on the front. When the work is completed it will add greatly to the appearance as well as the convenience of the store.

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FIFTH SUNDAY MEETING

Program of Fifth Sunday meeting to be held at Priddy Thursday night, March 28th and continuing until the 31st.

Thursday

8:00 p. m. Preaching—R. W. Bynum

Friday

10:00 a. m. Devotional—Bro. Pass.

10:15 a. m. The Bible doctrine of prayer—L. L. Hays and J. D. Long

11:00 a. m. Preaching—W. R. White

12:00 Dinner on grounds

2:00 p. m. Devotional—J. S. Smith

2:15 p. m. Needs of our association—R. W. Bynum and J. R. Davis.

General discussion of our schools—Led by W. R. White.

4:00 p. m.—Adjournment

8:00 p. m. Sermon—J. H. Frizell

Saturday

10:00 a. m. Devotional—E. A. Obenhaus

10:15 a. m. Bible doctrine of missions—G. W. Jackson, D. D. Kemper

11:00 a. m. The church—J. R. Davis

12:00 Dinner on the grounds

2:00 p. m. Bible doctrine of giving—D. I. Haralson, L. L. Hays, C. H. Miles

3:00 p. m. The Sunday school—D. D. Kemper, T. Sykes

4:00 p. m. Board meeting

8:00 p. m. Sermon—Evangelical Repentance—H. S. Thomas

Sunday

10:30 a. m. Importance of young people's work—Prof. Daniel.

11:00 a. m. Sermon—Fred Cokran.

12:00 Dinner

2:00 p. m. Woman's Work—By County Auxiliary

BIRTHDAY PARTY

Last evening Mr. and Mrs. Atkinson were at home to the junior set in honor of the thirteenth birthday of their daughter, Velma Irene, from 6:30 to 7:30.

Upon arriving we were served to delicious punch by Miss Muriel Linkenhoger. After the guests had arrived each one was given a potato, four stick pins, and a couple of napkins and told to make a potato doll. This was a very interesting contest and the prize was given to Miss Maggie Webb for the girls and Irwin Hurdle for the boys.

Next game was a bean guessing contest. The prize was awarded to Miss Dell Harrison, a beautiful box of stationery.

The party was concluded by a trip to the movies.

Those present were Misses Minnie Vaughn, Mary Sue Gray, Gladys Harrison, Louise Vaughn, Nell Harrison, Gene Grisham, Muriel Linkenhoger, Mildred Street, Adell Dalton, Maggie Webb, Caddie Mayberry, Pauline Faulkner, and Messrs. Lawrence Dalton, D. Howard Rudd, Sammie Thompson, Reuben Brown, Jack Rudd, Frank Keese, Irwin Hurdle, Julian Evans, John Jackson, Kinney Graves, Rex Clements, Raymond Little and Leon Baker.

A GUEST

MERRY WIVES

A very enjoyable afternoon was spent by the Merry Wives in session with Mrs. J. A. Gillespie Tuesday, March, 5th. The first hour for business was spent in discussing plans for an early spring picnic.

The treasurer was ordered to pay our dues to the Home Charities.

Aside from the regular membership Mesdames L. E. Miller, W. E. Miller, F. S. Gray, R. E. Clements, Waddy Thompson and J. A. Taylor of Nevada, came in to enjoy the ever pleasing game of "42." Mrs. Fairman never lost a game.

Delicious refreshments were served in Mrs. Gillespie's gracious manner, leaving the members longing for another opportunity to meet in her pleasant home.

REPORTER



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GLORY OF HONOR

Jesus was a carpenter, well was a farmer, he was a surveyor, Frank was a printer. Lincoln was a man. To get at greatness and mighty achievements invariably led to the soil all—honest toil. We are a And three is just as much and honor back of the soil the man who digs with his or welds with his hammer as there is behind the brain of the man whose thoughts, trained and ganized, direct the energies countless workers.

The earth does not belong to the people who inhabit it, those who, in honest toil, multiply its benefits. You to every man than any to you. We are all dependent. In honest toil, ever, every man earns and pays for his heritage.

The most pitiful man on earth is the one with nothing to do. Whereas, the happiest man on earth is the one with the most to do.

So long as you have within you sound and intact, the scores of marvelous instruments for labor and service in your hands, feet, eyes, ears, mouth—each overlooked by a master creation—your brain—complain not that there is nothing for you in honest toil. There is everything in it. There is nothing for you outside of—Bonham Favorite.

DEATH'S VISIT

Miss Kate Johnson died at the family home in the Nabors Creek community Wednesday night, after a short illness with pneumonia, which followed a spell of measles. She recovered sufficiently from the measles to attend school one day, but pneumonia developed and her condition was serious from the beginning. She was a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Johnson and the bereaved parents and other relatives have the sympathy of many friends in their sorrow.

Funeral services were held Thursday afternoon and interment was made in the cemetery at this place.

"SPRING" DISPLAY



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Suits and Dresses
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SATURDAY and MONDAY
March 9 and 11

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The Newest and Latest Styles and the Best
 To Be Had. Two Days Only---March 9-11



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"THE STORE OF GOLDTHWAITE"

Get your fishing tackle at Mullan's Variety Store. (adv)

Protect yourself against loss by fire or storm by taking out insurance with W. A. Bayley. (a)

W. C. Dew and Rev. W. G. Callihan went to Mullan yesterday afternoon to speak in the interest of the Thrift Stamp campaign.

Mrs. James Evans of the Chapel Hill community boarded the train here yesterday for San Marcos to visit her daughter, Mrs. Norris Crook.

F. H. Hancock of Trigger mountain left yesterday for San Marcos to visit his daughter, Miss Addye Jane, who is a student in the normal at that place.

PRIDDY

Editor Eagle:

Another norther has come to pay a visit, hope it doesn't stay long, for we did enjoy the spring days we have had recently.

Mr. Otto Stahnke and father, and Mr. E. M. Meyer and daughter went to Brownwood Wednesday on business, we presume.

At last our new school building is finished and we will move in next week.

Mr. Lon Willis and wife were out here Sunday. They had their home in this little town during the past year, but are now living at Brownwood.

The Lutheran League is making up a program for Easter. We hope by that time they will be able to render a good entertainment.

Miss Lilian McKimmy was the guest of Miss Dona Willis Sunday.

Mrs. Ida Braker went to Comanche Wednesday. Guess she did her spring shopping.

Don't get to hear much news these days, the people all seem very solemn, but this war is enough to give any one the blues. Maybe there will be peace pretty soon. Let's hope for the best.
 SALLY

NEW LAWS

Both houses of the legislature have adopted the "dry zone" bill, which forbids the sale of intoxicating liquors within ten miles of an army or shipbuilders camp. As soon as a joint agreement can be had on the date for the new law to become effective it will be sent to the governor. It is likely April 15 will be the date. The statutory prohibition bill has a mighty fine chance for adoption, but it will not become effective until ninety days after the adjournment of the legislature. A law has also been passed by the legislature making it a felony to commit disloyal acts or use disloyal language in this state.

Work pants, overalls, and shirts cheaper at Mullan's Variety Store. (adv)

For Sale or Trade—A good hatching incubator. Used twice. —Mrs. M. E. Lowrie.

See our line of children's hats now on display.—Mullan's Variety Store

Mrs. S. H. Allen and two little sons are in the city, visiting relatives and friends.

W. V. Sullivan and wife left last night for Drumright, Okla., where they expect to make their home for a time. They lived here a long time and have a great many friends throughout Mills county who regret their departure and will hail their return with delight.

UNITED CHARITIES

We have had a great many volunteers in the Home Service department of the Red Cross, but many others should take membership in the organization. The plan is one of helpfulness to the charitably inclined citizen as well as to those in need, for it protects the one and gives aid to the other. No more worthy cause could be imagined than helping the needy—the "down and out." Give us your membership and your influence in the great cause. See O. H. Yarbrough, D. L. Lanford or myself and we will be glad to enroll your name and take your contribution for the organization.
 W. G. CALLIHAN

Garden seed in bulk and package—Mullan's Variety Store

Well Drill—For well drilling or any kind of well work see or phone me.—A. J. Huckabee

John James' daughter was bitten on the arm by a snake one day this week, at the family home in the Priddy community. She is recovering nicely from the effects of the injury.

Mrs. J. A. Taylor, who spent several days visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Prater, and other relatives, left yesterday for Brownwood and Comanche to visit relatives before returning to her home at Nevada, Texas.

Tennis shoes in all styles—Mullan's Variety Store.

Save Your Eyes

YOU can not buy another pair of eyes, but you can buy glasses that will preserve the pair you have.

If your eyes are giving you trouble, if you are bothered with headaches, or find that you can not read as readily as you used to, it's time you paid us a visit.

Most eye troubles can be relieved with proper glasses if attended to in time. It costs you nothing to consult us and it is decidedly to your interest to do so.

A Graduate Optometrist in charge of our Optical department.

MILLER'S
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22 Million Families in the United States

IF EACH FAMILY saved one cup of wheat flour it would amount to 5,500,000 pounds, or more than 28,000 barrels. If this saving was made three times a week, it would amount to 858,000,000 pounds, or 4,377,000 barrels in a year.

You can do your share in effecting this saving and really help to win the war by omitting white bread from one meal today and baking in its place muffins or corn bread made according to this recipe:

Corn Meal Muffins

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| $\frac{3}{4}$ cup corn meal | 2 tablespoons sugar |
| $1\frac{1}{2}$ cups flour | No eggs |
| $\frac{1}{2}$ teaspoon salt | 1 cup milk |
| 4 teaspoons Dr. Price's Baking Powder | 2 tablespoons shortening |

Sift dry ingredients together into bowl; add milk and melted shortening and beat well. Bake in greased muffin tins in hot oven about 20 minutes. Same batter may be baked as corn bread in greased shallow pan.

New Red, White and Blue booklet, "Best War Time Recipes," containing many other recipes for making delicious and wholesome wheat saving foods mailed free.

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FOOD WILL WIN THE WAR

The oldthwaite Eagle

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Entered at the Goldthwaite post-office as second class mail matter.

R. M. THOMPSON, Editor

The city of Austin is now in the prohibition column for the first time in the history of that municipality. The saloons all closed at 9:30 Friday night.

Officials this week discovered and took over a radio station on top of one of the large buildings in New York. The equipment was sufficient to transmit communications to Germany.

The congressional committee having in charge the railroad control bill has agreed that the government shall retain the control of railway lines for twenty-one months after the close of the war.

The explosion of a bomb in a pile of junk in a steel mill in Fort Worth Monday caused the death of two Mexicans and several white men were injured. The steel mill was at work on government contracts.

The present special session of the Texas legislature is preparing a rugged road for liquor dealers. It does not take a seer to discern the handwriting on the wall relative to the saloon business anyway.

Russia secured a treaty of peace at the price of a disgraceful compromise with Germany. The trouble with the people of Russia is that they have not progressed far enough in civilization to be qualified for self government.

Under government control the railroads have granted very few special rates for conventions and other assemblies, but Director General McAdoo has announced that Confederate veterans will be given a special rate to the annual reunion at Tulsa, Okla.

The manner in which Japan has taken hold of the Russian situation makes a much better feeling in this country toward the little brown men and gives pretty good assurance that they are not such bad folks as we once considered.

The supreme court of the United States this week sustained the judgment of the Texas courts in awarding a penalty of \$22,400 to the state from the Santa Fe railroad for failure to comply with the order of the railroad commission to stop certain trains at Meridian.

The high point to which the cotton market climbed this week will doubtless have the effect of causing more land to be devoted to cotton the coming season than has been expected. But few times in the country's history has cotton reached such a high point.

The verdict of the coroner at El Paso this week was that Judge Beauregard Bryan came to his death by his own hand. Judge Bryan was a prominent man in Texas for a number of years and was at one time a regent of the state university. His father was a member of President Davis' cabinet.

Gen. Pershing has requested shipment of 18,590 pair of shoes for each 25,000 men monthly, which is approximately nine pairs of shoes per man per year. This quantity is in excess of actual consumption and is being used to build up a reserve for all troops in France. When such a supply is accumulated, the quantities per man will be reduced. The Quartermaster General's Department now has on hand and due on outstanding contracts, 7,564,000 field shoes and 7,873,000 marching shoes. It will be necessary to secure more than a million additional shoes during the year.

CAMP TRAVIS

The Camp Travis Hostess House is the goal of a steady stream of mothers, wives, sisters, and friends who find the wide screened porch, the spacious social room, the hospitable open fire and rest room and the attractive dining room a veritable haven. Formal meetings, dances and program entertainments are not given, but here the wives come to spend the hours while waiting to see their husbands who are critically ill at the base hospital, or the mothers arrive often accompanied by the fathers to bid a last farewell to the boys who are soon going away. Sometimes a girl comes to the house to be married depending upon the hostesses for chaperonage.

Since the Camp Travis house was opened a week before Thanksgiving, over fifty thousand visitors have been served in the lunch room. The house is centrally located on Sixth street and Avenue B, and is easily distinguished, as it is stained a soft green, the only building of that color in camp.

When visitors come unexpectedly, the boys are located for them by telephone and notified that they are wanted at the hostess house. Information as to rooms in the city, train schedules, places of amusement, church services, etc., may quickly be obtained from the Information Secretary. Those in charge of the house are: Misses Lucy M. Moore director; Gertrude Keech, business secretary; June Milner, cafeteria manager; G. A. Reeder, hostess, and Emma Feltenberger, information secretary.

Private J. C. Davis of Goldthwaite has been transferred from the 46th Co., 12th Bn., 165th Depot Brigade, to the 39th Co., 10th Bn., 165th Depot Brigade.

HOMES FOR HOME MAKERS

It is hoped that more attention will be given to good homes with trees, shrubs and flowers to inspire the neighbors as well as to comfort and please the owner. The war should be another reason why farm homes should be a borned and beautified.

Farm life loses much of its charm without an orchard to supply fresh, canned, preserved and evaporated fruits for home use. Not only does the expense of living require fruits, but the regular daily diet demands a balanced ration. Yet it is very difficult to prepare meals in a wholesome manner without fruits. Every farmer will find it desirable to the conditions on his farm.

An attractive farm home is a good advertisement. When the house and barn are neatly painted and in good repair it shows thrift. Trees, shrubs and flowers properly placed to adorn the farm home indicate character, high ideals and civic culture. Many travelers who never enter our homes pass them and their only way of judging the kind of people we are is by the home grounds, the orchard, the garden and the livestock. All can not afford fine homes; some must live in very modest cottages till they can pay for the farm and build better homes. But all, no matter how poor or how unfortunate, may have attractive home grounds. If the home be a cabin, and trees, shrubs and flowers hedge it in, the stranger in passing may safely conclude that as soon as the farm produces enough revenue a larger and better home will be built.—Farm and Ranch.

HOME ONCE MORE

J. V. Watson whose home is near Payne, came home from Camp Bowie, at Fort Worth, last Sunday morning. He first visited his sister, Mrs. R. E. Ross of this city and is now visiting relatives and friends at Payne. He will return to Camp Bowie to go on duty the first of next week. Everyone is glad to see him home again although we know he is an excellent soldier for the service of Uncle Sam. He seems to like army life and is ready to do his bit. A FRIEND

Rainfall at Goldthwaite, Mar. 1 to Mar. 6 00.25 in.
Total Rainfall for 1918 to above date 00.95 in.

"The Bank of Service and Accommodation"

\$60.00 in Prizes

For Mills County Boys and Girls

That the production of food and feed in Mills County may be stimulated to its utmost this year and the sale of Thrift Stamps increased, the Trent State Bank will give as under—

\$25.00 in Thrift Stamps

In Amounts of \$15.00, \$7.50 and \$2.50 respectively

To the Three Boys in Mills county, under 18 years of age, who can show the best returns from One Acre of land planted in any kind of food or feed products (watermelons and cucumbers debarred), with the restriction that the land cultivated must be "dry farmed" and a record of sales kept. If the products of the acre are sold to anyone related by blood or marriage to the contestant, the regular market price only can be paid, and no gifts will be considered. This bank will also give

\$25.00 in Thrift Stamps

In Amounts of \$15.00, \$7.50 and \$2.50 respectively

To the Three Girls in Mills county showing the largest returns from a Half Acre planted in a garden, on the same basis as the offer made to the boys.

RULES GOVERNING CONTESTS

All earnings must be, in both cases, invested in Thrift Stamps and a record kept of all sales.

All contestants are required to enter their names at this bank that we may keep a record of such. The plot of ground worked by contestants will be measured and approved by G. W. McDaniel, the county demonstrator.

Contests will close on Dec. 15 of this year. All that will be necessary to be judged will be to exhibit the Thrift Cards and Records of Sales.

No boy or girl living in town need be debarred from these contests, for we can show a record where \$280.00 was made by a girl from the sale of tomatoes raised on a city lot.

\$10.00 in Thrift Stamps

On the above named date we will give to any boy or girl, under 15 years of age, having the greatest amount invested in Thrift Stamps, earned by their own efforts, a prize of \$10.00 in Thrift Stamps. The only stipulation is that the contestants must earn the money the stamps are bought with and show a record of how it was earned.

DON'T OVERLOOK THESE OFFERS—AND BE SURE TO DO YOUR BANKING BUSINESS WITH THE TRENT STATE BANK

"Bank with the Bank you can Bank on"

THE TRENT STATE BANK

"At Your Service"

W. C. DEW, Cashier

TRENCH-FROST

Is your soldier boy's hands and face burning sore tonight from sleet and ice while on duty in the trenches? The cream in the Rexall Soldier's Comfort Kit will soothe and help him so much! The whole kit, with eight comforts, costs only \$1.50 and is ready for mailing—Clements' Drug and Jewelry Store.

YOU WANT THE BEST

If this applies to good things to eat properly prepared you should come to the Recal Restaurant, the Hungry Man's Delight, where everything is served in the most appetizing style and our prices are always right. IVY RICHARDS, Proprietor.

FEED AND FLOUR

I have opened a GRAIN Store in the building formerly occupied by Grover Dalton, next door to Trent & Son's office, where I will carry a full line of

GRAIN AND FEED STUFF

and will also have on hand a stock of the Celebrated

"GLADIOLA" FLOUR

I Will Appreciate Your Patronage

J. C. STREET

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DENTIST
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PYORRHEA
SPECIALIST

GOLDTHWAITE, TEXAS

NOTICE TO FARMERS AND STOCK RAISERS!

The time of year is at hand when your stock is more liable to sickness. As we have at present a good deal of sickness among stock, I urge every stock raiser and farmer to close attention and at any time he notices any ailment among his stock phone me, as my advice is free over the phone and probably I could be of great help to the owner of the animal, as in many cases.

Don't let your stock get sick and go on for 2 or 4 days without medical aid. When they show some ailment, phone me. It costs nothing to ring me and give me the symptoms and in many cases I can save you money and be of great benefit to your stock. Don't wait till the animal is most dead and then go to treating it, as the time to treat anything—man or beast—is at the first attack. Get after it in time. Give your stock a purgative and cleanse their systems of the accumulated poisons. Also use their livers and get the digestive organs to handle their food.

The Tick Fever season is near at hand and I urge all cat owners and farmers to have their cattle vaccinated against this fever. Don't do like some of my customers last year—wait till they lost 2 or 3 good cows and then call me and have the rest of them vaccinated. Have it done before they take the fever, for my medicine has been demonstrated out thoroughly here and every man knows it will prevent Tick Fever. I vaccinated several thousand head of cattle last year and they never had any more tick fever, so there isn't any guesswork about my medicine. It does the work.

If I vaccinate your cattle and within 6 months one of them takes Tick Fever, I will furnish you a treatment of medicine free of charge. If that isn't fair, what is? The first of February is the time to vaccinate against Tick Fever. I keep in stock a nice line of high-grade veterinary medicines and do a general veterinary practice. Calls answered day or night.

Dr. I. L. VAUGHN, V. S.
Stock Inspector of Mills County
VETERINARY SURGEON GOLDTHWAITE, TEXAS

Eggs From SINGLE COMB WHITE LEGHORN

Mated Pens

Egg Record Strain—
\$1.50 per setting, \$8.50 per 100.
Cocks \$5.00.

WHITE LEGHORN FARM MULLIN, TEXAS

Use Magnolia Petroleum pear burning oil. It's the same price.—
A. E. Evans

Protect yourself against loss by fire or storm by taking out insurance with W. A. Bayley. (adv)

If you want gasoline or kerosene by the barrel, phone W. B. Jackson or myself.—Floyd Jackson.

JIM CALAWAY KILLED

Only a meagre report could be given last week of the accident that caused the death of J. B. Calaway, late Friday afternoon. Mr. Calaway was reared here and has a number of relatives and many friends in this county who were grieved when the news of the accident was received. Following is a report taken from the Fort Worth Star Telegram of Sunday:

J. B. Calaway, 40, Bear Creek farmer, was instantly killed and Jack Robinson, 50, also a farmer of the same place, died less than an hour later at St. Joseph's Infirmary, following the overturning of their automobile on the Benbrook road late Friday afternoon. The accident happened a short distance beyond Mary's creek and just at the foot of a steep hill. The car crashed into the ditch. The men were en route home after spending the day here. Calaway was pinned under the wreck and was dead when army men, in a car just behind reached the scene. Robinson was living and conscious, and told Sergt. Harry Louis of the Benbrook hospital, his name and where he lived. Louis was passing in an ambulance at the time, accompanied by Lieut. R. L. Akerhurst, also of the Camp hospital. Louis took Robinson to St. Joseph's. He died a few minutes after reaching there. Louis and Lieut. Akerhurst administered first aid before removing Robinson from the scene.

EPWORTH LEAGUE

Program for Sunday, March 10, 6:45 p. m.

Subject—Progressive Christians
Leader—Mark Fairman
Lord's prayer in concert
Scripture lesson—1st Peter, 1: 11.

Talk by Mrs. Edward Geeslin.
Song
Add to your faith virtue—Mary Evans.

Add to your virtue knowledge—Myrna Miller.
Piano solo—Ruyel Keese.

To knowledge temperance—Emmett Mohler

Song.
League benediction
We had a very interesting League last Sunday evening with 25 or 30 present. Come to the meeting Sunday evening. All young people who are not otherwise engaged are invited.

SENIOR B Y P U,

Program for March 10.

Bible Study meeting.
Leader—Gladys Harrison
Bible Quiz—Mrs. White
Song—He Leadeth Me.
Scripture readings—Repeated in concert.

Prayer.
Opening discussion
The Good Shepherd

Robinson
The pleasant past
Covington
Piano solo—Roy Ge

In straight paths—
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In the dark valley—
Poem—Brazzie Cle
At the king's
Frizzell

Conclusion—D. Ho
Vocal Solo—Norm
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HAPPY HE

R. C. Berry and Armstrong were major in the Company in this city Saturday. Rev. W. G. Callihan and a number of friends being witness the ceremony of good wishes.

The groom's a son of Berry and the bride the daughter of Mr. R. L. Both of the young men reared in this county a great many friends here and elsewhere in county. They are held in esteem by everybody. The hearty congratulations and good wishes of all who know them.

FRUIT GROWERS ORDERS

For Spring 1918, April delivery. Stark Bagg Whole Root, Old Oak Process, Bear Fruit Trees. Dormant in season.

THOS J HARRISON (Salesman 18 years)

Messrs Jesse Lowe, W L Jackson, Jno, W Edlin, Jas L Cartes, O H Hearne, J R Hendricks, S H Watson, A Campbell, Wm. H Oglesby, J C Stark, Wm Dennard, T J Duncan, A H Hill, H H Faulkner, C. A. Faulkner; G Ball, Mrs. P J Simpson, Mrs. M E Faulkner; Lewis Hudson, John H. Burnett, F. P. Bowman, L. E. Patterson, W. T. Moreland, D. J. Weathers, J. D. McKinsey, H. G. Forehand, W. E. Fardue, L. E. Miller.

St. John 3:16

Come join our throng, push fruits along.

Our soldier boys, Our love
Our soldier boys our love
The best we can, "Blessed is the servant" (man)

Matt. 24:46 Luke 12:43

THOS. J. HARRISON
Agent, Goldthwaite.

Also for Holland's Magazine, Farm and Ranch American Fruit Grower, Bibles Testaments

Read the Goldthwaite Eagle weekly.

NOTICE IN PROBATE

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

You are hereby commanded, that you cause to be published in a newspaper printed in Mills County, for twenty days before the return day hereof, a true copy of the following notice: The State of Texas:

To all persons interested in the estate of J D Chesser, deceased, J S Chesser, of Mills County, Texas, has filed an application in the said County Court of said county, on the 4th day of February, A D 1918, for Letters of Administration to be issued to him upon the said estate, which will be heard by said court on the 4th day of March, A D 1918, at the Court House thereof, in the city of Goldthwaite, at which time and place all persons interested in said estate may appear and answer said application if they desire to do so.

Herein fail not, but have you before said court, on the first day of the next term thereof, this writ, with your return thereon, showing you have executed same.

Witness my hand and the seal of the County Court of said county at office in Goldthwaite, this 9th day of February, A. D 1918 W B SUMMY,
Clerk County Court, Mills County, Texas. (Seal)

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At Baker's Store.

Telephone Service

The WEST TEXAS TELEPHONE COMPANY has been a citizen, so to speak, of your community for almost fourteen years. In that time we have passed through periods of good times and hard times, yet it has always been the policy of the company, regardless of conditions, to serve the citizenship of your community to the best of its ability.

We have recently reconstructed the Goldthwaite plant and at the same time laid the foundation for an exchange for a bigger and better Goldthwaite. With your help there will be reared a structure of which Goldthwaite will be proud. Our Manager is at your service.

WEST TEXAS TELEPHONE CO.

F. A. ROGGE, Local Manager

1895

MONUMENT SALE

1917

A nice lot of Monuments and Markers at Close Prices. Can save you 15 to 25 per cent and give the very best material and the highest grade work. How? By eliminating the agent-commission-busines, which means that amount saved for the buyer. Agents will tell you their firms can buy marble or granite cheaper than your home dealer and make you a better price, which is false and misleading, as we dealers pay exactly the same price for the same grade of stock. Figure with me before placing your contract, as I can save you money—and I guarantee my work. Will take feed or Good Stock in trade.

J. N. KEESE

The Monument Man

FISHER STREET

GOLDTHWAITE



MARSHALL & DICKERSON

OWNERS OF THE KELLY

MEAT MARKET

Solicit the public patronage. We supply the Best to be had in Fresh Meat, Sausage, Barbecue and Baker's Bread.
Fresh Home Made Bologna Every Day.

WEATHERS @ FERGUSON Barbers

SOLICIT THE PUBLIC PATRONAGE

Shop Located Between the Banks

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

None but the Best Barbers Employed.

Builder of
Guaranteed
Tanks, Flues,

West Texas 92—PHONES—Rural 92

Also of
Bath Tubs
and

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Milk Coolers,
Gutters and
Piping.

SHEET METAL WORKS
Pump and Windmill Repairing

Lavatories,
Pipe and
Fittings.

Reliable Work. Price Reasonable

Next Door to Electric Light Plant

THE SANITARY SHOP

...WANTS YOUR BARBER WORK...

Hot and Cold Baths

We represent a
First-Class Laundry
and will appreciate the public patronage.

MARVIN RUDD, Proprietor

FOR EVERYTHING IN THE BANKING BUSINESS TRY THE

GOLDTHWAITE NATIONAL BANK

OLDEST BANK. LARGEST CAPITAL. FINEST FIXED. W. E. MILLER, PRESIDENT

ANNOUNCEMENTS

District \$15 00
 County 7 50
 Precinct 5 00

The announcement fee does not include a subscription to the paper.

The following announcements are made subject to Democratic Primary election:

County Judge:
 F. P. BOWMAN
 ROBERT WEAVER

For County Clerk,
 CLYDE D. LANE
 MISS MAY HILL

For Tax Assessor,
 D. D. KEMPER

For Sheriff and Tax Collector
 J. H. BURNETT,
 J. EVERETT EVANS,
 JOE TAFF

For County Treasurer,
 LEWIS HUDSON

For District Clerk,
 M. N. BRINSON
 J. W. McNEIL

For Commissioner and Justice of Peace, Pre. No. 2,
 E. M. GEESLIN

Dr. Campbell now rides in a new Ford sedan.

Bulk Garden seeds at Mullan's Variety Store. (adv)

Floyd Mullan is among the new car owners, having purchased a 5 passenger Chevrolet.

Big line of spring hats now on display.—Mullan's Variety Store.

Rev. G. A. Jarrett was one of the good men of Big Valley who had business in this city yesterday.

Rev. J. T. Weems and wife of Mullan were among their Goldthwaite friends a short time this week.

If you fail to read the advertisements you lose money, as does the advertiser and the Eagle. We all make money by reading the ads.

Fishing tackle, minnow seins and buckets.—Mullan's Variety Store.

County Clerk Sammy has issued marriage license since last report to Ray C. Berry and Miss Bessie Armstrong, Thos C. Tullos and Miss Artie B. Dyer.

Methodist district conference is to be held in Lometa beginning Tuesday night, April 23, and continuing thru Thursday. On Wednesday night, April 24, there is to be a special program by the laymen.

HELP TO WIN OUR NATION'S WAR
 By planting more of
FOOD SEED
 and
FEED SEED
 and less
Cotton Seed

this year than ever before. If you need to borrow, you can get the money at

THE NATIONAL BANK
 W. E. MILLER, President

THRIFT STAMPS

A Word To The Public About Boy Scouts and W. S. S

In the two Liberty Loan drives the Boy Scouts of America raised over two million dollars. It is a patriotic organization—a part of their oath is to be loyal to their country. Their services have been offered to the government and gratefully accepted. President Wilson has spoken words of high commendation and appreciation of their work. One of our boys has won an "Ace Medal" already, having sold \$300 worth of W. S. S. The government offers this beautiful medal to all the boys who sell as much as \$250 worth. I am offering a prize to the boy of our troop who sells the most. The wives of the former presidents, who are now living are offering a beautiful silk American flag to the troop that makes the best record in the state. Doubtless a scout will approach you to sell you either a Thrift Stamp or W. S. S. He can only take your name and turn it into the postmaster, who will deliver you the stamp where you get your mail, either at office or on a route. You are to pay for the stamp when you receive it. The boys are not to handle the money. Give the boys a sympathetic hearing and if possible a response. You will be rendering a two fold service to your country.

W. R. WHITE,
 Scoutmaster.

BIG VALLEY

Editor Eagle:
 As the long looked for rain has not arrived yet, I am about up with my plowing until the rain fall increases.

Quite an acreage has been sown in oats and they are up very well. Some corn has been planted and one field is up.

Mr. Robert Long has planted a nice war garden. Mr. Sykes has planted early feterita. Robertson brothers are planting extensively of early crops.

Notwithstanding the dry spring, some of the many fruit trees are robed in gorgeous bloom. The bits of tender grass that are so silently pushing their glossy blades toward the sun are beautiful indeed and highly appreciated by all livestock.

The barnyard fowl are bestirring themselves and many beautiful eggs are in evidence just now. Even the loyal hen is doing her bit to help win the war. Big Valley people are observing more and more the call to save wheat for the soldier.

Farmers are surely working in a rush planting their crops. Walter Nelson has divided home raised seed corn with his neighbors.

George and Caz Bledsoe are still feeding hogs for market. They sold about 100 head this week.

Sam Trowbridge went fishing last week and caught a nice lot of fish.

Brother Davis filled his appointment in the upper Valley Sunday. Quite a number were present to hear his discourse.

Mrs. Parsons of Oklahoma familiarly known as Miss Mildred Baird, attended church here Sunday to the delight of her many friends.

Our rural mail carrier is making his rounds this week in his new car. J. M. C.

Build Now!

Buying lumber and hog wire at this time is the best investment you ever made. There are several very good reasons.

Unusual conditions make it possible to get twice as much lumber and hog wire as you did in 1914 for the same amount of farm produce.

Interest in lumber and hog wire and the placing of new buildings on your property will increase its value out of all proportion to the cost.

Lumber—the world's greatest building material—and hog wire have advanced much less than any other material used for building.

Double value can be had without sacrificing quality—and the lumber and hog wire of today are better than ever before.

Nothing is more important than conservation at this time, and all grain, stock and implements must be properly sheltered.

Opportunity—such as you have NOW—may never come again. After the war, lumber and hog wire prices may be higher.

We are giving you this information in the right spirit—with a desire to see you buy when you can get more for your farm produce.

BARNES & McCULLOUGH
 "The Lumber and Wire Men" "Everything to Build Anything"

Build Now!

To Whom It May Concern:

All who have unsettled obligations with McKinley-Corrigan Company are again specially notified for the last time to call at the store of McKinley Bros. & Jones on Thursday, Friday or Saturday, March 14, 15 or 16, and arrange definitely to wind up their business with the old firm.

THIS IS IMPORTANT, AS WE WISH TO SAVE YOU EXPENSE AND TROUBLE.

J. E. CORRIGAN,
 C. E. HORTON,
 For Board of Liquidation.

Flower pots all sizes—Mullan's Variety Store

Will Page of Lometa was looking after business matters in his city Thursday.

Start a war garden and get your seeds at Mullan's Variety Store. (adv)

Salesmen Wanted to solicit orders for lubricating oils, greases and paints. Salary or commission. Address the Harvey Oil Co., Cleveland, Ohio. (adv)

Spring dry goods of all kinds get our prices—Mullan's Variety Store.

Miss Grace Jenkins of Mathe is visiting friends Rock Springs and Goldthwaite.

When you are out of oil gasoline phone C E Strickland Russell Mullan's second store. (adv)

Howard Trent of El Paso spending a few days in this city. He is en route home from business trip to Houston.

Farmers' Seed Money at THE NATIONAL BANK

W. E. MILLER, President

CAMPAIGN NOTES

New candidates appear slowly, but they continue to come and the list has grown to where it is very good length. Others are booked for entry in the year future and we can expect a campaign full of vim and enthusiasm.

MISS MAY HILL

In the announcement column appears the name of Miss May Hill of South Bennett community, who is a candidate for the Democratic nomination for the office of County Clerk, which position she is in every way qualified to fill. While it is an innovation in this county for a woman to offer for political office, it is by no means a new idea and many counties in this and other states elect women to offices. Miss Hill is a native of Mills county and is known personally to many of the people, having taught in several communities and is also well known as a church worker and in the circle of women's activities throughout the county. She has had much solicitation from those who favor women doing such work as is clerical, thereby releasing men for heavier labor and for army service. Miss Hill expects to visit every part of the county and the voters before the July 1st, in order that they may see of her qualifications and as for the office.

OUR FRIENDS

Who watches the list of names and new subscribers week to week is forced to the conclusion that our claim is that Eagle readers are the best on the face of the earth. This week following we are pleased to enter their names since last report:

- Ballard, Route 2
- C. A. Faulkner, Route 3
- T. R. Wileox, Center City
- Albert Smith, Payne route
- P. E. Gardner, San Antonio
- W. J. Sparkman, Caradan
- Mrs. E. McDermott, Route 2
- F. K. Lasly, Goldthwaite
- F. H. Hancock, Trigger Mt.
- Miss Addye Jane Hancock, San Marcos.
- Willie Garner, Trigger Mt.
- F. A. Rogge, Goldthwaite
- W. V. Sullivan, Drumright.
- Tom Wrinkle, Fort Neches
- State University, Austin

WHY LEHIGH EGGS

Incubator time is here. Fresh eggs in any quantity, 5c each, at my place. E. A. OBENHAUS

I. C. EVERLY CO.

ALL SUMMER GOODS CLOSED OUT AT COST!
WORK BEFORE YOU BUY SPECIAL SALE

CLOTHING		HATS	
Ladies 20c vests.....	10	Men's \$2 and \$2.50 hats	close out prices..... 1 50
Ladies 75c unisonsuits...	40	Men's \$1.50 hats.....	1 00
Men's 40c undershirts....	25	Boys \$1.00 hats now....	45
Men's 60c underwear....	38		
1 lot men's drawers.....	22		
Boys undershirts.....	22		
BOYS AND MILLINERY		SHIRTS	
1 lot ribbons, all colors and widths, yard.....	3c	Men's percale neckband shirts worth \$1.25.....	75
1 lot ribbons worth 15c to 25c yard.....	8c	Boys 50c neckband shirts	34
1 lot 50c hair ribbons, fancy and all colors....	25c	See these values, cheaper than the cloth alone today	
SLIPPERS		ROSE	
All ladies slippers will be closed out regardless of market value.		1 lot of children's lace hose all colors and sizes, close out price per pair.....	5c
White canvas slippers....	75	Fine for summer wear	
Leather slippers.....	1 50		
Boys leather slippers....	1 40		
Girls white canvas slippers	50		

OUR CLOSING-OUT PRICES BEFORE YOU BUY
I. C. EVERLY CO.

FOOD CONSERVATION

U. S. Food Administration Regulations

Dealers shall not sell consumers a quantity of any food stuffs in excess of thirty days supply.

A consumer buying food commodities in excess of this amount is violating the U. S. food laws pertaining to hoarding, which is punishable by fine not to exceed \$5000 or two years imprisonment or both. Dealers for making such excessive sales are likewise violating said laws, and are punishable by fine not exceeding \$10,000, or two years imprisonment, or both.

Flour sales are limited to town customers to 12 lbs. and to country customers, regardless of distance, to 24 lbs. With each pound of flour the consumer must purchase a pound of flour substitutes. The flour substitutes are corn meal, hominy, corn starch, barley flour, corn flour, rice, rice flour, potato flour, oat meal, rolled oats, buckwheat flour, soy bean flour, and feterita flour and meal. Rye flour is not a substitute. Graham flour is not a substitute, but with every 5-pounds of graham flour only three pounds of substitutes are required to be purchased.

Sugar: To town customers in not exceeding five pound quantities; to country customers, in not exceeding 10 pound quantities. Profit on flour and sugar limited to 1c per pound, except when sold in barrel quantities profit ranges from 80c to \$1.20 per barrel. Wholesalers may not sell to retailers more than 1000 lbs. of sugar at a time, and not over thirty days supply, if less than 1000 lbs. Retailers are not permitted to receive more than 1000 lbs of sugar at one time, and not over thirty days supply if less than that amount.

Farmers who have on hand home grown substitutes, (this does not mean corn purchased and ground into meal) may buy flour in permitted quantities by filing a written statement to that effect and to the further effect that with every pound of flour consumed he and his family are consuming a pound of flour substitutes, which statement must list the amount of substitutes on hand, home grown, and must further state that the consumer is making the statement is not using more than 70 per cent of his normal amount of flour.
J. C. DARROCH,
County Food Administrator.

GAS AND OIL

I now represent the Gulf Refining Co. and appreciate a share of the patronage. When you want gas, lubricating oil, coal oil or anything in the line, phone me at Russell Mullin's second hand store.—C. E. Strickland

Special Free Trial Offer On EDISON'S NEW Phonograph

Thomas A. Edison, through the Edison Laboratories, permits us to offer you the opportunity of having one of his new life-like phonographs in your home three days without a cent of cost to you. The

NEW EDISON DIAMOND AMBEROLA

is a marvelous invention even for a genius like Edison. When you hear it, you will hardly believe your ears, you will wonder how an instrument could be so nearly human. You can even fool your friends with it by putting it in another room and making them think that you have some big singer visiting you. They won't know they are fooled until they see the Amberola.

Of course, you want to know all about this remarkable special offer, so send for a copy of

"A MASTER PRODUCT OF A MASTER MIND" The 20-Page Edison Amberola Booklet

There you will find the three models of the Amberola beautifully illustrated in natural colors. From these illustrations choose the model you would like to have on trial. Then turn to the Blue Amberol Record Catalog (which we will send you) and select any twelve records to be sent you for trial with the Amberola. And you needn't worry for fear that you might damage the records, because they are very durable—they are almost unwearable and unbreakable.

By accepting our free trial offer, you will not be obligating yourself in any way. Even if you do not want to keep it, we know you will speak a good word for the Amberola, which is better advertising than we could buy anywhere.

As a result of this special offer, we may have only a few requests for instruments and we may have so many that we will not be able to fill orders. The sooner you make your request the more chance you will have of getting the instrument and records you choose. Every moment you hesitate you give some one else an opportunity to slip in ahead of you. Right now would not be any too soon for you to make your application.



Clements'
Drug and Jewelry Store
The Rexall Store

ART AND CIVICS CLUB

The Art and Civics club met Thursday afternoon with Mrs. W. E. Miller, hostess.

Mrs. R. M. Thompson and Miss Lawrence Thompson were elected to membership.

To further do our bit in the world struggle, we decided to get a shipment of quilts to be sent to some cantonments where they are needed. Mrs. W. E. Miller was appointed chairman of this work.

The treasurer was instructed to pay our dues in the Home Charities.

Guests for the afternoon included the ladies that worked in the Red Cross surgical dressing department with Mrs. Miller on Wednesday and Mesdames C. M. Borch, J. A. Gillespie, J. T. Prater, J. C. Street and J. A. Taylor of Nevada, Texas.

The following program was carried out:
Subject—Texas Day

Quotation:
"Texas, home for the poor and feeble,

Texas, home for the strong and great,
Ad the world may share the glory

Of our matchless—Lone Star State."

Leader—Mrs. J. E. Miller
Roll Call—Beauty spots of Texas

Song—Texas Land
Paper: Our Capitol—Its history since the days of the Revolution—Mrs. L. R. Conroy

Paper: Life on a convict farm—Mrs. Edward Geeslin

Refreshments of nutcream and cake were served.

Mrs. Taylor presided at the register, where each of us were pleased to be numbered as guests of the charming hostess.

REPORTER

MISS ADDIE SMITH New Stock Spring MILLINERY

I have now on display a beautiful lot of Ladies', Girls' and Little Tots' PATTERN HATS for Spring and Summer wear.

NEW TRIMMINGS BECOMING STYLES AND LOW PRICES

Hats Specially Trimmings and Designed for customers requiring Special Shapes. You can find a Becoming Hat HERE—My Shapes and Trimmings will please you—See them.

MISS ADDIE SMITH, Milliner AT MULLAN'S VARIETY STORE

Mrs. Gillespie announces a meeting of the Civic League in the rest room in the court house Monday afternoon at 4:30.

Ira O. Harvey, the popular mail carrier on Route 1, received the distressing information yesterday that his father was not expected to survive more than a few hours. The old gentleman suffered a stroke of apoplexy some months ago and it is supposed to have been a second stroke that caused his serious condition. Mr. Harvey left yesterday afternoon for DeLeon to be at his father's bedside.

We are headquarters for tennis shoes—Mullan's Variety Store

There is something doing in the oil business here every minute and the time is not far distant when oil wells will be no uncommon thing in Mills county.

The pupils of Cryer school will reader a program tonight at that place and refreshments will be served, the receipts to go to the Red Cross. The children have been trained under the direction of their teacher, Miss Laura Petrick, which is sufficient guarantee that the entertainment will be interesting.

The Goldthwaite Eagle

R. M. THOMPSON - Proprietor.

Saturday, March 9, 1918

W. A. Bayley wants your insurance business. (adv)

Prompt delivery of gasoline kerosene, or lubricating oil.—Floyd Jackson.

Buy a mile of hog wire from Barnes & McCullough and "Help win the war." (adv)

Mrs. J. W. McAlexander returned Wednesday from a visit to relatives in Dallas.

I have a good work team to sell on next fall time.—H. E. Dalton

Everything in hardware, furniture and undertakers supplies—Sullivan & Trent

W. E. Garner was a visitor from Trigger Mountain community the first of the week.

If you want gasoline or lubricating oil, phone me and I will be on the job.—Floyd Jackson.

Everything in hardware, furniture and undertakers supplies—Sullivan & Trent

For Sale—Short horned bull yearlings at my ranch in Big Valley.—R. Robertson.

I guarantee my coal oil not to smoke or smell bad. Try a barrel.—A. E. Evans.

Strayed—A black Poland China sow, left ear cropped, white spot in face. Will pay \$5 reward for her return.—Hugh McKenzie.

For Sale—Several second-hand doors, painted and in good condition. Will sell cheap. Inquire at Eagle office. (adv)

Everybody can plant a garden and thereby help some in providing for local necessities and to that extent helping to win the war.

Read the ad of the Trent State Bank in this issue and make up your mind to make all the feed and food you possibly can this year. Your country needs your help. (adv)

Will Potter and Carl Kelly left a few days ago for Houston to work in the government's ship building department. They are both skilled carpenters.

Send him a Rexall Comfort Kit and make him happy. It takes care of his little wants for a month. Price \$1.50.—Clements' Drug and Jewelry Store, the Rexall Store

Now is the time to do your hog and goat fencing. DO IT NOW and buy your fence from Barnes & McCullough. They carry a large stock of these fences and their prices are absolutely correct. (adv)

W. A. Bayley wants your insurance business. (adv)

EVER SALIVATED BY CALOMEL? HORRIBLE!

Calomel is quicksilver and acts like dynamite on your liver.

Calomel loses you a day! You know what calomel is. It's mercury; quicksilver. Calomel is dangerous. It crashes into sour bile like dynamite, cramping and sickening you. Calomel attacks the bones and should never be put into your system.

When you feel bilious, sluggish, constipated and all knocked out and believe you need a dose of dangerous calomel just remember that your druggist sells for a few cents a large bottle of Dodson's Liver Tone, which is entirely vegetable and pleasant to take and is a perfect substitute for calomel. It is guaranteed to start your liver without stirring you up inside, and can not salivate.

Don't take calomel! It makes you sick the way it loses you a day's work. The straightness of your feet great because it is

"IN A BAD WAY"

Many a Goldthwaite Reader Will Feel Grateful for This Information

If your back gives out; Becomes lame, weak or aching; If bladder troubles set in; Perhaps your kidneys are "in a bad way."

Doan's Kidney Pills are for weak kidneys.

Local evidence proves the merit Mrs. D. G. Womack, South St., Goldthwaite, says: "I suffered a great deal from my back. Sometimes the aches and pains extended into my shoulders and the back of my neck. My feet and ankles became badly swollen and frequently specks floated before my eyes. I used Doan's Kidney Pills and in a short time my back was stronger and the dropsical swellings were reduced. I have used Doan's Pills since then and they have always acted promptly in restoring my kidneys to a normal condition."

Price 60c at all dealers. Don't simply ask for a kidney remedy—Get Doan's Kidney Pills—the same Mrs. Womack used. Foster-Milburn Co., Mfgs., Buffalo, N. Y. (Advertisement)

Forgot What He Needed

From the Republican, Mt. Gilead, Ohio: The editor had an interesting experience some time ago, when a young gentleman came into this office and asked for a copy of the Morrow County Republican. He scrutinized it carefully when a copy was handed him and said: "Now I know!" "What is it you are looking for," we inquired. "My wife sent me after a bottle of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy, and I forgot the name. I went to several stores and the clerks named everything in the line on the shelf except Chamberlain's. I'll try again, and I'll never go home without Chamberlain's Cough Remedy." The Republican would suggest to the proprietors of stores that they post their clerks, and never let them substitute. Customers lose faith in stores where substituting is permitted, to say nothing of the injustice to makers of good goods and the disappointment of customers. For sale by L. E. Miller & Son. (adv)

CARD OF THANKS

We desire to express our sincere thanks to the good people who were so kind and thoughtful of us during our recent bereavement. The people of Goldthwaite could not have been more kind. It is indeed a consolation to know that Mr. Churchwell had the friendship of so many good people in his home community and the counties of San Saba and Mills, where he spent most of his life. We are deeply grateful for all this kindness and will hold these acts in grateful remembrance.

MRS. J. C. CHURCHWELL
E. C. ESTEP
S. H. ESTEP
J. W. ESTEP

MERCHANT'S WIFE ADVISES GOLDTHWAITE WOMEN

"I had stomach trouble so bad I could eat nothing but toast, fruit and hot water. Everything I ate soured and formed gas. Dieting did no good. I was miserable until I tried buckhorn bark, glycerine, etc., as mixed in Adler-ika. One spoonful benefited me instantly." Because Adler-ika empties both large and small intestine it relieves any case of constipation, sour stomach or gas and prevents appendicitis. It has the quickest action of anything we ever sold.

L. E. MILLER & SON, Druggists

Bad Taste In Your Mouth.

When you have a bad taste in your mouth you may know that your digestion is faulty. A dose of Chamberlain's Tablets will usually correct the disorder. They also cause a gentle movement of the bowels. You will find this to be one of the best medicines you have ever become acquainted with. For sale by L. E. Miller & Son. (Advertisement)

W. A. Bayley wants your insurance business. (adv)

Colorite and Elkay's hat dye at Clements' drug and jewelry store. (adv)

For Sale—Some second hand saddles and plow gear. See Chas. Rudd. (adv)

For pear burning I have the oil. See me before you buy.—A. E. Evans

If it's advertised, get it at Clements' drug and jewelry store. (Advertisement)

Everything in hardware, furniture and undertakers supplies—Sullivan & Trent

Protect yourself against loss by fire or storm by taking out insurance with W. A. Bayley. (adv)

Buy your Adler-ika and Tangle at Clements' drug store (Advertisement)

Mrs. M. E. Thompson returned Monday from a visit to her daughter, Mrs. Hicks, and family at Zephyr.

I am still agent for Pierce-Fordyce Oil Co. and will appreciate your orders for gasoline, kerosene or lubricating oils. Prompt delivery and price right.—H. E. DALTON.

Buy your next oil from me. Delivery made promptly.—A. E. Evans

For rent—A three room residence on Front street, convenient to business part of town. Can furnish one or more rooms if desired. For information apply at this office.

W. A. Bayley wants your insurance business. (adv)

We can earn any amount we want to, but if we do not save some of what we earn, we are no better off than the man who just makes a living. Read the offer to make and save made by the Trent State Bank in their ad in this paper. (adv)

The Fort Worth Record of Monday printed a picture of Miss Russia Oden, formerly of Goldthwaite, who is now employed as a stenographer in the Panther City. Her many friends appreciated the courtesy very much, for Miss Russia is quite popular with a large circle of friends.

Is he in the army? Send him often a Rexall Soldier's Comfort Kit. He needs every item, every day. No frills, no unnecessary expense—its ready to mail in a strong carton, \$1.50 at Clements' Drug and Jewelry Store, The Rexall Store. (adv)

Mrs. Parsons, nee Mildred Gaird, spent Wednesday in the city and left on the evening train for her home in Kansas, after a protracted visit to relatives in Zephyr and Big Valley. Her visit was made shorter than she intended because of her baby having been exposed to measles and she desired to reach home before the disease developed.

Everything in hardware, furniture and undertakers supplies—Sullivan & Trent

When you are suffering from that winter cold that stops up your head and nasal passages, you want relief—relief that is quick and permanent. We recommend Rexall Cold Tablets as being the most efficient of all remedies for this trouble, being slightly laxative, to free the system of all mucus and relieve the congestion. Safe, sane and sure. Box of thirty tablets—25c—Clements' Drug and Jewelry Store, The Rexall Store.

CARD OF THANKS

John D. Calaway, Mrs. M. J. Boulter, Mrs. Mollie Garner, Mrs. Jesse Hancock and Messrs. Roscoe Boulter, W. G. Boulter and other bereaved relatives of Mrs. John D. Calaway, whose death occurred in the Trigger Mountain community a few days ago, desire to express their heartfelt thanks for the many acts of kindness shown them and the loving care and attention given Mrs. Calaway during her illness. They are indeed grateful for all the assistance and comfort given by their friends and other friends.

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Do you know that fruit growers have discovered a definite way to make fruit growing pay wonderfully well?

Thousands of farmers have grown rich at it, and easily—because the United States Census figures show that orchards pay eight times as much per acre as grain crops.

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OLD OAK PROCESS Whole Root Trees grow. I will show you, without any obligation on your part, how to succeed with fruit—practical, systematic, certain rules of going at it. I know the varieties suitable to your soil—early bearers, heavy yielders, long lived, disease resistant. Write me today and ask me for the Four Big Secrets of Successful Fruit Growing.

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