

Goldthwaite Eagle

Best Wishes
To Everyone

VOLUME THIRTY FOUR

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GESLIN BUYS "HOME BEAUTIFUL" IN BRADY

Edward Geeslin, former manager of the Goldthwaite Light and Power Company and citizen of Goldthwaite, is proving himself as progressive in Brady as he was in Goldthwaite. The following clipping from the Brady Standard backs the assertion:

"Edward Geeslin, superintendent of the Brady Water & Light Works, who last week purchased the Herschell Newby bungalow home on South Edwenth street, this week purchased from F. R. Wulff the 'Home Beautiful' in Southridge addition. While the terms were private, it is understood the transaction was a spot cash deal, Mr. Wulff acquiring the Newby place, at present occupied by Henry Bowers and family and Mr. Geeslin paying the difference. Mr. Geeslin and family, who have been temporarily occupying the old Kirk home, plan to take immediate possession of their new home. As readers of The Standard will recall, the 'Home Beautiful' is, as the name implies, one of the most beautiful of the Brady homes, and along with it, is one of the best-built and most modern homes in the city, Mr. Wulff having spared no expense in its construction. Many new ideas were incorporated into the building plans and interior finish, and the home has served as a model for many of the more recent home improvements in the city. Mr. Geeslin is to be congratulated upon the acquisition of this most desirable place.

CICERO WARREN'S CAR STOLEN

Last Tuesday morning Cicero Warren started to Lampasas on business, when he had gone about seven miles he gave a tramp a ride.

On arriving at Lampasas the bum told Mr. Warren that he was broke and hungry. Mr. Warren gave him fifty cents and walked off. When he returned about forty five minutes later his car was gone.

The officers were notified in and around Lampasas and it wasn't long until the car was recovered and the thief, turned out to be the tramp who is now in the Lampasas jail, and Mr. Warren has his car back.

NOTICE OF DIVIDEND

The Directors of the Mills County Cold Storage and Produce Company met December 21st 1927, and after a review of the business for the year, declared a dividend of ten percent on all outstanding stock as shown on the books of the company as of date of December 22, 1927. The books of the company are hereby ordered closed against transfer until after January 1st, 1928.

T. B. GRAVES, President.
R. F. McDERMOTT, Sec.

Guthrie Keel of Bangs, Texas, stopped over in Goldthwaite during Christmas to visit with his aunt, Mrs. Kate Page, on his return trip from Austin, where he visited with his mother.

FOR THE SUNDAY "STAY AT HOMES"

Don't stay at home because company came. Bring them to church. The pastor would like to meet them.

Don't let the Sunday paper keep you away. We offer something better.

Don't stay away because it is you are poor. We meet you with a welcome and give you a free seat.

Don't stay away because hard to get ready. Make it a matter of conscience and master your surroundings.

You have a special invitation to hear the series of sermons beginning next Sunday on the subject of "Faith." The morning subject will be "The Rudiments of Faith," and the evening subject will be "The Law of Faith." Sunday school will be held at 9:45 and N. Y. P. S. at 6:00 p. m.

—THE CHURCH OF THE NAZARENE.

PLEASANT GROVE

People of Pleasant Grove were made happy Tuesday when the rain began falling as it was getting rather dry in this community.

Miss Eunice Berry is at home from Stephenville this week.

Miss Estelle Crawford and Miss Irene McMurray visited Miss Letrice Berry Saturday.

Misses Eulius and Bulius Doggett spent the week end with Misses Minnie and Lora Berry.

Mr. Wae Hodges went to Coleman Sunday.

Eric Horton and family of Clarendon are visiting relatives here.

Mr. and Mrs. Oran Coreather are visiting in the Verser home this week.

Noland and Ancel Horton are spending the holidays with home folks.

Mr. and Mrs. Aaron Berry are having some work done on their house this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Moreland visited relatives at Goldthwaite Sunday.

Paul Horton and family visited at Goldthwaite Sunday.

Mr. Newton of McGirk was in this community Tuesday.

Charlie Berry and family visited relatives at Atherton Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Kelly spent the week end with Mrs. Kelly's mother Mrs. M. A. Horton at Goldthwaite.

J. J. Virden visited relatives here the first of the week.

All who attended the party at Clark Millers Monday night report a pleasant time.

Floyd Frazier of Brownwood was in this community Monday.

Misses Ora Mae and Essie Griffin are visiting Mrs. Chas Miller and other relatives here.

Mrs. M. A. Horton is visiting friends and relatives here this week.—XX.

Mr. and Mrs. Austin Taylor and children of Eastland and Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Weatherby of San Saba visited Mrs. A. C. Weatherby during the holidays.

Walter Weathers of Houston spent Christmas here in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Kelly Sayler and other relatives.

"The Good Samaritan"



PAUSE AT THIS HAPPY SEASON OF THE YEAR TO EXPRESS TO YOU OUR SINCERE APPRECIATION OF YOUR

GOOD WILL AND CONFIDENCE.

IN EXTENDING TO YOU OUR GREETINGS AT THIS TIME, WE

VOICE THE CORDIAL WISH THAT THE YEARS TO COME SHALL

FIND US INCREASINGLY WORTHY OF YOUR FRIENDSHIP.

MAY EACH NEW YEAR BRING TO YOU THE REALIZATION OF

YOUR HOPES AND YOUR DREAMS, AND MAY EVERY BUSY DAY

HOLD A GRATIFYING MEASURE OF GOOD-FORTUNE AND HAPPINESS FOR YOU.

HUDSON BROS., Druggists
"What You Want— When You Want It"

ZEPHYR BANK ROBBED SECOND TIME THIS YEAR

Local officers are working on a clue which will probably lead to the arrest of two white men who held up and robbed the First State Bank at Zephyr Saturday afternoon. One of the youthful robbers is believed to be an escaped convict, and has been identified as such from photographs by W. L. Johnston the cashier and others who saw the men in the drug store shortly before the robbery.

No one was in the bank at the time of the robbery except W. M. Skipping, the president; W. L. Johnston, cashier; and the assistant cashier, Alton Johnston. The two young unmasked bandits forced the bank officials into the vault, where they were prisoners for some thirty minutes. Everett Lee, a former employe of the bank unlocked the vault and released the men. Something over \$1,200 in gold and currency was taken.

The robbers made their getaway in a Chrysler touring car which was abandoned about ten miles north of Brownwood on the Blanket highway. The car was found by officers later in the afternoon and proved to be in Station in Brownwood at the automobile stolen from Yarbry & Beckham Filling Station in Brownwood just before noon Saturday. It is believed that after leaving the Chrysler automobile the bandits made their escape in a Buick roadster which was seen parked near the place where the other car was abandoned earlier in the afternoon.

This is the second time this year that the Zephyr bank has been robbed. The other robbery occurred in June, and two men, Chalmers Jasper and James Garvin are serving penitentiary sentences.

RUTH WHEELER ON TARLETON HONOR ROLL

Graduates of Goldthwaite High School are continually going off to college and there demonstrating the quality of students put out by their school. Time after time their names appear on the honor rolls of different colleges, speaking favorably for the excellent preparatory work they receive in Goldthwaite High. The following bit of news comes from John Tarleton College at Stephenville:

"John Tarleton College follows the custom of announcing its Honor Roll at the end of each six weeks and each semester. To make the Honor Roll a student must carry a full course and make not less than 80 on any subject. This is a very high record to maintain, and the student who is able to do it deserves much praise. This month there are 75 who have attained this distinction.

Among the students on this list is one from Goldthwaite—Miss Ruth Wheeler."

Mr. and Mrs. Homer DeWolfe of Austin and Barton Keese of Tulsa, Okla., spent Christmas here with home folks.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Thompson and children spent Christmas here with relatives and friends.

JUDGE DARROCH BECOMES PARTNER OF JUDGE MCGAUGH

R. L. McGaugh of Brownwood and J. C. Darroch of Goldthwaite have formed a partnership for the general practice of law, with offices to be located at 401-2-3 First National Bank building. The partnership will commence January 1, 1928.

Mr. McGaugh commenced practicing in Brownwood in 1904, and held the office of city attorney, city judge and county attorney for six years. He was a partner with T. C. Wilkerson, sr., for ten years.

J. C. Darroch has been practicing law since 1908, is a graduate of the law department of the University of Texas, and has been practicing in Goldthwaite the last sixteen years. He was county attorney of Mills county for a number of years and was a member of the Legislature from that district for two years. Mr. Darroch is a highly respected citizen of Goldthwaite and regarded as one of the best lawyers in this part of the country.

The above clipping from the Brownwood Bulletin, announcing the partnership of Hon. J. C. Darroch, of this city and Judge R. L. McGaugh, of Brownwood, comes as a surprise to the citizenship of Goldthwaite and Mills County. Mr. McGaugh is well known to many of the citizens of this county as one of the foremost lawyers of our parent County of Brown, as well as one of its leading citizens while Mr. Darroch, as we all know, has held for a number of years a position of leadership at the bar in Goldthwaite and vicinity, and has been very active and useful in matters of public consequences affecting our town and community.

Mr. Darroch informs the Eagle that it will be some thirty days before the new firm can occupy the offices selected by them in the First National Bank Building, Brownwood, Texas, and that during the interim he will spend most of his time in Goldthwaite, also that the firm will maintain the office now occupied by Mr. Darroch here, in order to be in position to serve his large clientele in this county.

JAKE HARRISON SHOOTS OWN HAND

About seven o'clock Wednesday evening Jake Harrison accidentally discharged a 38 colts automatic through his right hand. He was rushed to a sanitarium at Temple where his hand was dressed. He is reported as doing nicely.

Miss Ethel Drew of Lometa visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Wallace Leverett and enjoyed the Christmas Reunion dinner on December the 26th.

Miss Virginia Wyatt of Ft Worth has been a holiday visitor in the John Hester home this week.

Mrs. W. O. Holland was called to Plainview last week to attend the bedside of her mother.

Chas Hicks is spending the holidays with homefolks.



W. S. KNUDSEN
President & General Manager
Chevrolet Motor Co.

DETROIT, Dec. 24—Promising the most spectacular low priced automobile of all time, the Chevrolet Motor Company announced here today that a complete new line of motor cars will be introduced to the public January first.

In confirming reports that Chevrolet would very shortly introduce a new car of surpassing interest, W. S. Knudsen, president of the Chevrolet Motor Company, declared that the official announcement covering all details of Chevrolet's sensational new product would come Sunday, January first. No details would be available until that time, he said.

Chevrolet assembly plants have been in production on the new car line since December 12. Factories in Flint, Mich., Tarrytown, N. Y., St. Louis, Mo., Oakland, Cal., Buffalo, N. Y., Janesville, Wis., and Norwood, O., have been humming with activity preparing for the highways the first of the new cars that promise to make motor car history in 1928.

Shipments of the new cars to dealers have been leaving the various assembly plants since December 15 so that the vast country-wide dealer organization may be prepared for the introductory showing next Sunday. Unbridled enthusiasm is being displayed over the new cars by Chevrolet field sales officials, who have been milling into Detroit for the private showing of the new line.

Practically every Chevrolet dealer in the United States will have cars ready for public show Jan. 1. From Bangor, Me., to San Diego and from Miami to Vancouver there will be simultaneous exhibitions of the new car that has caused so much discussion in the last few months.

This gigantic distribution achievement of supplying thousands of dealers with cars in such a brief space of time was made possible only through the racing policy of the Chevrolet organization and the tremendous resources and production facilities of the Chevrolet Motor Company. Never in the history of the industry will so many new models of one make be placed in dealers' hands in such a limited time.

Cars will be ready of the boulevards and highways immediately after the first of the year. Production at the various assembly plants throughout the United States is racing along as fast as precision manufacturing will permit.

Unofficial reports from Chevrolet offices here say that the new car will embody many improvements in design and construction. New standards of beauty are promised. Easier handling and smoother riding qualities are heralded as some of the outstanding features of the new Chevrolet line.

Many unlooked for changes have been made in the appearance of the car, according to reports, providing the new Chevrolet with a beauty and style appeal, unexampled in the low price field.

Without disclosing details,

Chevrolet officials declared that the new cars would embody the results of 13 years experience and progress in the building of low priced transportation. Lessons learned from millions of miles of testing on the General Motors proving grounds have been brought to bear on the new product, officials declared. In fact all the resources of General Motors have been employed for months to design and build the car that is heralded to be by a wide margin the greatest automobile ever offered by Chevrolet.

More than 5,500 newspapers across the entire country will assist through their advertising columns in broadcasting the announcement, which will take the form of one of the most paucis ever attempted in the automobile industry. Every city town and hamlet in the country

will read the details of the 1928 Chevrolet on New Years day.

CENTER POINT

Editor Eagle:

Another Christmas has come and gone. There was a Christmas tree at Center Point. Santa Claus was present.

Brother Forrester filled his regular appointment Sunday morning. The crowd was very small.

Bro. Forrester spent Saturday night in the Ed Jenkins home.

Our school has been dismissed this week for the holidays.

Mr. and Mrs. Emil Steinman spent Christmas day with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. T. Davis.

E. T. Davis and wife spent last Friday in the Will Hill home.

Mr. Roy Pearson and daughter

and Elmo Pearson of Austin, Texas, are visiting in the Joe Spinks home.

Alton Runnels of Bluffton, Texas, was visiting friends last Friday night in this community. Miss Alta Dennis spent Christmas in Brownwood visiting with relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Pat Fallon and little son of Coleman visited Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Fallon last week.

Quite a number enjoyed making Sunday afternoon. Earl Chambers and Mr. and Mrs. Robertson visited in the Hammond home Sunday.

Several from this community went to a party at John Carroll's last Friday night.

Virgil Doggett, Benton Aldridge, Raymond Booker and Ben Habrour attended the

Christmas tree in this community.

J. D. Fallon and family spent Christmas day in Goldthwaite in the home of Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Faulkner.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph McKee and little son of San Angelo spent last week end here with relatives.

Jim Frizzelle spent Christmas day here in the home of Mr. and Mrs. G. H. Frizzelle.

Mr. and Mrs. Ike Irvin and family, Mrs. Decker and son, Elmo, of Ranger, visited here during Christmas.

Mrs. L. C. Oatis and children and Miss Jennie Reynolds and John Aubrey of Dallas visited their parents at Caradon during the holidays.

Miss Lelia Pribble spent the holidays here with her parents,

Mr. and Mrs. A. T. Pribble.

Elmo Littlepage spent the holidays with his parents in Dublin, Texas, returning to Goldthwaite Monday morning.

Miss Vivian Campbell of the University of Texas, spent the Christmas holidays here with her parents.

Miss Mina Steen is spending the holidays with homefolks.

Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Obenhaus and family spent a part of this week in south Texas, where they visited with relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Barrington, and Miss Cora Barrington of Abilene spent Christmas here with relatives.

Miss Doris Thompson enjoyed the holidays here with her many friends.

Floyd Frazier was in our city Wednesday seeing homefolks and friends.

I REPRESENT
THE FEDERAL
LAND BANK
of Houston
Lending money on
land at
5 Percent Interest
All business connected with your loan, including payment of interest, handled in office at Goldthwaite
See me for quick, courteous and economical Service
F. P. BOWMAN

Those Whose Business it is to Know

Lucky Strikes
—the finest cigarettes ever made.
11,105* doctors give written opinions about smoking and throat protection.



WHAT is the quality that Giovanni Martinelli, Mary Garden, William Hodge, David Pelesco, Lenore Ulric, Fiske O'Hara, Blanche Ring, and other famous singers, actors, broadcasters and public speakers have found that makes LUCKY STRIKES delightful and of no possible injury to their voices?

For the answer we turned to medical men and asked them this question:

Do you think from your experience with LUCKY STRIKE cigarettes that they are less irritating to sensitive or tender throats than other cigarettes, whatever the reason?

11,105* doctors answered this question "YES."

These figures represent the opinion and experience of doctors, those whose business it is to know.

Fiske O'Hara, Pleading Stage Star,



"The throat irritates, instruments, and I protect with the utmost care. To avoid irritation, I smoke Lucky Strikes. They are not only kind to my throat but have the finest flavor."



MADE OF THE CREAM OF THE TOBACCO CROP

"It's toasted"
No Throat Irritation—No Cough.

*We here by certify that we have examined 11,105 signed cards confirming the above statement.
LYBRAND, ROSS BROS. & MONTGOMERY
Accountants and Auditors
New York, July 27, 1927.

GREETING of the SEASON

We want to thank our customers for their patronage during 1927 and solicit a continuance of same in 1928.

We have striven to serve you faithfully and to see that every business transaction was satisfactory. Remember we are prepared to take care of your car repair work and accessories, and that we will always trade for and buy any live stock you may have on hand.

Try us in 1928—You'll become one of our customers

RUDD AND JOHNSON

Guy Rudd

Key Johnson

TO OUR PATRONS

Permit us to extend to you our sincere thanks for your valuable support and patronage given us during the short time we have been in your midst.

As a public service corporation we realize that we profit most when we serve best and with this end in view we have resolved to do our best in all our different departments for 1928.

To do more would be impossible; to do less would not be in accord with our aim.

Wishing the entire community all manner of prosperity during the coming year, we are,

TEXAS-LOUISIANA POWER COMPANY

O. E. SCHOW, Manager



Which Shell Is The Pea Under?

The old-time shell-game man is a pretty scarce article nowadays. People figure, I guess, that there's more excitement in buying a tire.

Well, there is, the way some folks buy tires. About the only difference I can see is that they had a better gambling chance in the old days.

Then, you recall, there were only three shells to out-guess, while today there are more different tires and more different prices than you can shake a stick at.

Even this doesn't daunt the hardy motorist, however. He's the world's champion example when it comes to trying to out-smart the other fellow at his own game.

THE SENSIBLE MAJORITY

Of course, these tire-buyers who dicker for a "special discount" or "dealer's price" or a "long trade" are, after all, considerably in the minority.

The great sensible bulk of the motoring population has learned to buy tires just as it buys other things—on the basis of established quality and fair price.

They have learned that it is better business for them to trade with a responsible

merchant who sells tires of known goodness and value, than to try a tussle with the price list especially padded for purposes of "discount."

We operate our business for these good people, and we tell you it makes us mighty proud to realize that by so doing we've built up the biggest tire trade in this part of the country.

SOUND VALUE FOR YOU

Four years We've been at it here in Goldthwaite selling Goodyear Tires strictly on their merits.

We carry now by far the largest stock of tires in Mills county. We buy for cash and take advantage of all discounts. We know no man can beat the values we offer and stay in business.

You trade with us and you'll find what other folks have found; that our plan gives you the limit in low-cost mileage and in freedom from trouble.

You'll find, too, that it'll cost you less money and disappointment in the long run than trying to guess under which shell the other fellow has the elusive pea.

HIGHWAY GARAGE

O. H. SHAW

TOM MILLER

BIG VALLEY

Everything in the valley is running well. Some of the girls and boys are drifting back to see mother and dad. Quite a number will be home during the Christmas holidays to see the home folks. I wish they would all come back. It would be a pleasure to see them all.

Clifford Moreland came in a few days ago from Brownwood and had a short visit with home folks.

Mr. and Mrs. Harbin Gillentine are making quite an extended visit in Comanche.

Mrs. Lee Sykes is visiting with Mr. and Mrs. Reed.

Herndon Nelson came in a few days ago from Georgetown. Herndon is attending school there. Oneta Traylor, who is attending school in Stephenville, came in Wednesday.

Norma Lee Robertson, who is going to school at Belton, came in to spend the holidays with her parents.

Griff McConal, from Thorp Springs, came in Monday.

We are very glad indeed that we have so many nice young men and women who see far enough ahead to go to college and prepare themselves for a broader and more useful life.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Nelson are visiting friends and kinspeople in Dallas and Garland. They will return home in a few days.

Miss Leila Landers is visiting in the Sellers home. Miss Landers has been attending school at Baylor Belton for the past two years.

Santa Claus is very busy now and to save my life, I can't see how the old fellow can do so much at Christmas time. He is hauling from St. Louis with nice calendars to brighten the new year, a barrel of apples from the noted Stark Nursery, all this and more comes to T. P. Reed and family. The writer received a nice picture with appropriate Bible quotations. All the above presents came from Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Reed, of St. Louis.

Farmer would like to call the reporters together for just a few resolutions. Who will you have for your chairman? Miss Flapper has nominated Mr. Mutt for chairman. Do I hear a second? Yes, Busy Bee makes the second. All in favor of mutt-head Mutt as chairman of this meeting say "Ay". The "Ays" have it. Now Mr. Mutt will take the chair.

Mr. Mutt—My dear beloved reporters, I am glad of this great honor that you confer on me in making me your chairman. Now what is the pleasure of the meeting?

Mr. Mutt, I have a resolution to put before the house and

with your consent I will present it. Resolved, that we send a Christmas Greeting to the Editor and his wife. We might even wish the Printer's Devil a Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year. Do I hear a second? Yes, Miss Flirt seconds the motion. Now all in favor of the motion as stated say "I". The "I's" have it. I make the motion that we adjourn for the holidays, go home, and eat turkey and cranberry sauce. All in favor of his say "Ay." The "Ay" carried. Merry Christmas. You are adjourned. — FARMER.

Oma Irvin has returned home for the holidays. She has been attending Byrne Commercial College, of Dallas, and is making good in her commercial work. She may be home all week and again she may return and take up her studies, however the regular opening is January 2. Quite a few Goldthwaite boys and girls, have made good at Byrne and are holding responsible positions, and we feel sure Oma will.

Pay us.—Rural Tel. Co. (adv)

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5%
FARM AND RANCH LOANS
Easy Terms—5 to 36 years
Dependable Service Through
—the—
Federal Farm Land Bank
of Houston, Texas
—See—
W. C. DEW
Goldthwaite, Texas.

Mrs. W. A. L. Graves of San Antonio visited relatives here during the holidays. She was accompanied home by her mother, Mrs. M. M. Weathers.

Dont Blame us if your negligence forces us to discontinue your telephone service and to give you an unfavorable report to the Retail Merchants Association.—Rural Telephone Co.

Persons who are delinquent in the payment of their telephone accounts need not be surprised if we discontinue their telephone service on the first day of January.—Rural Telephone Company.

Pay us.—Rural Tel. Co. (adv)

Mr. and Mrs. Roe left Tuesday morning for their home in Herford after visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. B. J. Park.

Pay us.—Rural Tel. Co. (adv)

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Burrel Park of San Saba visited his parents here Monday and left Monday night for Dallas to attend the Chevrolet dealers convention.

READ For used cars WANT ADS

It is time now for us to make **POULTRY RAISERS ATTENTION**
up a new list of our telephone subscribers for the year, 1928. We have decided to discontinue our telephone service to all persons who owe us past due accounts. Rural Telephone Co.

ZIP PARASITE REMOVER
used in the drinking water rids poultry of blue bugs, lice, fleas and all other insects. Sold and guaranteed by Hudson Bros., Druggists, Goldthwaite, Texas.

BILL'S CAFE

"HOME OF GOOD EATS"

We Make and Sell Bill's Famous

—BRICK CHILI—

Fresh Oysters at All Times

Fine Candy - Tobacco - Soft Drinks

Fruit Cakes - Pies - Bread

A PLEASSED CUSTOMER IS OUR BEST ADVERTISEMENT

Pay us.—Rural Tel. Co. (adv)

Pay us.—Rural Tel. Co. (adv)

SPECIAL LOW PRICE ON 30 x 31-2

Firestone
GUM DIPPED TIRES
\$8.50!

We are offering big savings on all sizes and types of Firestone Gum-Dipped Tires. And we are giving complete service, as usual with every tire. Our tire experts will put them on your car. They will test your inner tubes, inspect the rims, check wheel alignment and make sure that you have

OLDFIELD TIRES
AND TUBES AT
AMAZINGLY LOW
PRICES

the right amount of air in every tire, to insure full mileage. This is the way we help you get all the extra miles from Firestone Tires. We save you money and serve you better.

Rudd & Johnson

Guy Rudd

Key Johnson

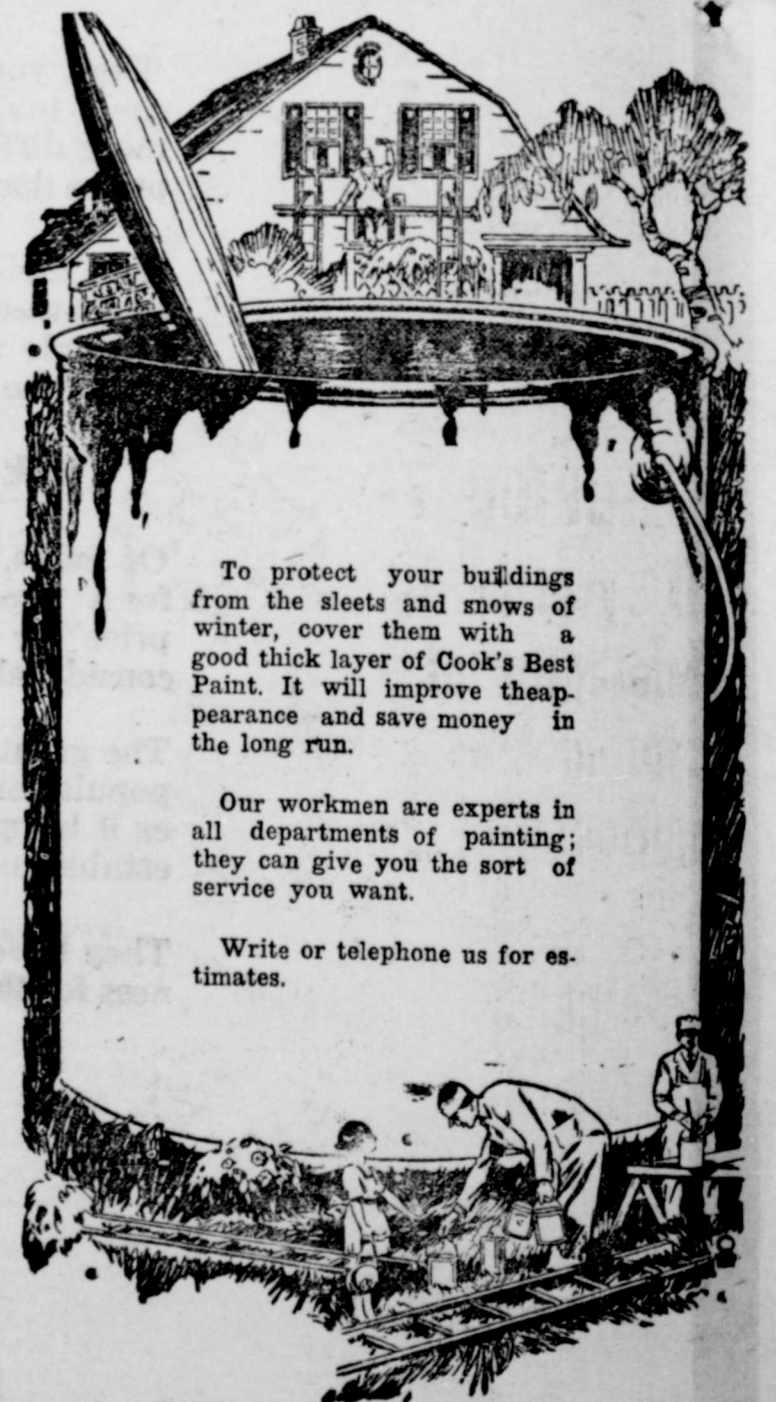
THE TRENT STATE BANK

No business too large for us to handle, none too small to have every courtesy and attention

GOLDTHWAITE, TEXAS

J. C. FAULKNER. MARVIN RUDD
PREMIER BARBER SHOP
On Fisher Street.
EVERYTHING FIRST CLASS—FIRST CLASS WORK
OUR MOTTO.
HOT AND COLD BATHS
FAULKNER AND RUDD, Proprietors.

SAVE THE SURFACE



To protect your buildings from the sleet and snows of winter, cover them with a good thick layer of Cook's Best Paint. It will improve the appearance and save money in the long run.

Our workmen are experts in all departments of painting; they can give you the sort of service you want.

Write or telephone us for estimates.

J. H. RANDOLPH

"The Lumber Man"

Classified Ads

WANTED—Hear from owner Ranch for sale. State cash price, particulars. D. F. BUSH, Minneapolis, Minn. 1-1.

\$1.00 PER HUNDRED—I will furnish you all the Austin Mays Duesberry plants you need at \$1.00 per hundred. I handle all kinds of trees—ornamental and shade trees, and roses, shrubs, etc.—WELLIE SAYLOR. ok.

FOR SALE—500 acres mountain land, 22 in cultivation, 200 more tillable, fine for goat pasture, fenced, partly goat proof. Priced at \$8.00 per acre. If interested see D. D. KEMPER.

POSTED—Our stock barns and lots are posted. Depredators will be prosecuted to the full extent of the law.—Bledsoe & Rudd. 10-13ok.

TURKEYS — Thoroughbred Bronze from prize-winning stock. Toms \$10.00, \$15.00 and \$20.00. Pullets \$6.00, \$8.00 and \$9.00 each. Standard weights and standard markings guaranteed.—P. E. BALLARD, R. 2, Goldthwaite, Texas ok.

DEPENDABLE TREES AND PLANTS, finest trees in fifty-two years. Sure-bearing Peach, Plum, Apple, Apricot, Fig, Nectarine, Jujube, Persimmon, Grape, Blackberries, Hauptberries, Dewberries, Pecans. We pay express, and can tell you best sorts for your location. Shades, Evergreens, climate-proof Shrubs, Roses and Bulbs. We make modern landscape plans. Ask for free catalogue. **RAMSEY'S AUSTIN NURSERY**, Austin, Texas.

FOR SALE—Mammoth Bronze turkeys, April hatch, Toms weighing 24 pounds, \$10.00; Hens weighing 18 pounds, \$1.00. A younger hatch that will be sold cheaper.—MRS. ETHEL ROBBINS, rural phone, Lometa Texas.

400 ACRES LAND, 70 in cultivation, running water; would like to trade with some small sheep man or rent on halves and furnish turkeys to raise from. Telephone Big Valley — W. E. NESBIT, San Saba, Tex.

NOTICE is hereby given that all lands belonging to me are posted and all parties trespassing will be subject to \$200.00 fine. Located on Colorado river 12 miles south of Goldthwaite. L. B. BURNHAM. 12-22-27pd.

FRUIT TREES—For fruit trees and all kinds of nursery stock, see or phone WELLIE SAYLOR, Goldthwaite, Texas. ok.

NOTICE OF BANKRUPTCY

In the District Court of the United States for the Northern District of Texas, a San Angelo

In the matter of Thomas P. Reed and Florence Reed, Bankrupt; No. 439 in Bankruptcy.

San Angelo, Texas Dec. 28, 1927.

Creditors of Thomas P. Reed and Florence Reed, farmers of Goldthwaite, Mills county, Texas are hereby given notice that on the 28th day of Dec., A. D. 1927 the said Thomas P. Reed and Florence Reed were adjudicated bankrupts upon their voluntary petition, and that there will be a first meeting of the creditors of said bankrupts in the office of the Referee in San Angelo, Texas, on the 10th day of January, A. D. 1928 at 2 P. M. at which time all creditors may attend, prove their claims, examine the bankrupts, elect a trustee and transact such other business as may properly come before said meeting.

CARTER T. DALTON, Referee in Bankruptcy.

PECAN TREES—Anyoe wanting pecan trees, especially Texas Prolific-Holbert and Burkett see or phone WELLIE SAYLOR. ok.

TEXAS REDS For Sale — We have a few young hens and cockrels for sale at reasonable prices. See or phone J. C. LONG Manager Texas Red Farm. 1-1.

CHRISTMAS TIME—I have good books, Bibles and Testaments for sale at right prices. BILL WILLIAMS. 2-15.

FOR SALE—Grist mill, belt and pulley; Ford truck; grain seeder; section harrow; Mr. Bill planter; and wagon. All second hand. See D. D. KEMPER. 1 12-23 ok.

ANOTHER CAR OF FENCE

Within the next few days I intend to order another car of woven wire fence and other fencing materials.

All persons desiring to buy fence in his car should book their orders with me at once. JOHN. W. ROBERTS. At Rural Telephone Office.

POSTED NOTICE

Our ranch, known as the Covington place, in the Pleasant Grove community, is posted. No hunting, wood-hauling or other depreddating allowed. Mrs. L. Covington, Miss Edith Covington, L. R. Covington. 23.

Notice

Thoroughbred Jersey Bull and Polan China Boar will make the season at my place one mile south of town.

W. A. Richard.

FOR RENT OR LEASE—Store building on corner by McCullough's Lumber Yard. Especially suited for garage. See J. V. COCKRUM.

LOST—Goodyear 3Lx4-75 diamond tread casing and 1927 Chevrolet rim with "Shelton Chevrolet Co., Dallas" on tire cover between Goldthwaite and Comanche last Monday. Leave at Eagle Office. Reward—J. D. CALLAWAY. 1-6-28 pd.

RDOE ISLAND REDS

Cockrels, good color and from heavy laying hens \$2.00 each.

Choice Bronze pullets single pullets \$8.50 Six or more at \$7.50 each—W.G. Smith. 1-13

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ANNOUNCEMENT

To our friends and patrons we wish to announce that Friday and Saturday Dec 30 and 31st will see our last program in the Dixie Theatre.

During our nineteen months in the theatre here we have at all times tried to give the town the best class of entertainment obtainable. Pictures of historical and educational value and the highest quality picture on the market. We believe, therefore that the town has been benefitted in amusements by our being here: "If the movies were to have with us always" why not have the best, has been our motto, and we sincerely hope Goldthwaite continues to have the best.

For our final program in the Dixie we have Friday night, Anita Stewart in "Whispering Wires" a thrilling comical mystery story on the order of "The Bat" with the exception that it has lots of comedy and "The Bat" had no comedy.

For Saturday we have Jack Hoxie for our Western patrons in "Wolf Tracks." Continuous shows Saturday afternoon from 2 p. m. 'till 6 p. m. Two complete shows Saturday night. First show starts at 7:00 p. m. Second show starts at 8:30 p. m. and ends at 10:00 p. m.

For the young folks who want to wait up for the New Year, we are showing a special show at 10:00 p. m. and ending at 11:45 p. m. Saturday night just before the New Year.

This will conclude our stay in the Dixie Theatre and we wish to thank our friends for their patronage and wish them a prosperous 1928.

Yours very truly,

— MR. AND MRS. E. B. BUFFINGTON

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D. H. HARRISON.

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Your Druggist Can Simplify your Christmas Shopping. Take the children to see his stock of TOYS. Let them choose for themselves—then have your druggist lay their choice away till Christmas. P-23
San Antonio Drug Co.

LARGE SIZE ALUMINUM

Our last shipment of Aluminum ware was large sizes — 6 Quarts to 20 Quarts

- Tea Kettles
- Preserving Kettles
- Stew Pans
- Double Boilers
- Percolators
- Water Pails
- Roasters
- Water Pitchers
- also Enamel Ware
- Tin Ware
- Glass Ware

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QUALITY AT LOW COST

247 YOLKS
Hens get from Purina Hen Chow (Scratch) the material for a maximum number of yolks.

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Purina Chicken Chowder furnishes the material for a maximum number of whites of eggs.

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Purina Chicken Chowder and Purina Hen Chow fed 50-50 is a perfect egg-making ration.

212 WHITES

GRAIN only won't do. Neither will mash alone do. Hens need both, for only in a balanced ration can they get the essential materials needed for the various parts of the egg, the yolk, the white and the shell. Purina Poultry Chows are balanced to maintain the body of the hen and to produce practically an equal number of whites and yolks. Start feeding your flock Purina Poultry Chows and you'll get eggs when you want them. You'll be money ahead.

W. T. KEESE

A LITTLE PUSH

Dear Editor Eagle:

These spells of severe weather are good for something. They keep a fellow shut in doors where he has not only time to read, but where he has time to reflect. Some late spells give us time to think much. I have been ruminating over some of the past. I moved to Mills county thirty years ago this week. I wouldn't believe at that time that so many changes were ahead of us and people survive them. We could stand a few more god changes. Then our best public roads were rocks—I don't mean gravel either—and hills. A score or more of school houses have been built and half as many church houses. Our taxes have increased along with the children and schools, and far beyond proportion of efficiency with many of our rural schools. The independent schools have worked on up admirably and a few rural schools have greatly enlarged their sphere of efficiency, but with all the increase in taxes thru the years some of our rural schools are no better than they were twenty and thirty years ago and a few have gone backward until they are most frazzled out. For the decline the public school system is not at fault, but the people locally failed to add more territory and citizens when the move was on. The public schools will truly and always be on the first page of community and State interest.

Some other changes are worthy of mention: we have done well in exchanging our saloons for sheep and goats, and the Christmas eggnog for Christmas turkey, all of which has lessened society and grown a happier civilization. Twenty-five and thirty years ago in Goldthwaite, people and saloons, milk cows and hogs all stalked about on the same street, except the saloons were stationary and some of the visitors did the stalking. Back in those years one afternoon I saw a cow walking about the street with an empty barrel pulled up over her head. In an effort to eat the loose straw in the bottom of the barrel, she got caught. Folks were laughing about it when some one approached the cow and grasp-

ed her by the tail. The cow jumped from fright and the barrel fell off. Laughter was loud all up and down the street from the onlookers. I implored the friend not to hold on to the tail too long and get hurt. Certainly some people hold on to tails and get unconsciously hurt. I mean bad tails. To talk tales, repeat tales has a reflex influence which will weaken the talker's character.

Amid all the changes of the past the people of this country have retained their sociability. One can't live in Mills county long without catching the spirit and may it ever continue so. A happy New Year to all the people.

—SAM SAY.

NABORS CREEK

Since we have not been heard from in some time, I will tell you about the latest happenings:

The Christmas tree and program at the school house Saturday night was well attended.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Johnson took Christmas dinner with Mrs. Johnson's sister, Mrs. Hamilton.

Lewis Burdette spent Saturday night and Sunday with Carl Letbetter.

Mr. and Mrs. H. S. Davenport and Mr. and Mrs. Morgan Wrin-

kle and son, took Christmas dinner with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. G. Letbetter.

Mr. and Mrs. Johnnie Crawford and family spent Christmas with Mrs. Crawfords mother, Mrs. Wilson at Lampasas.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim White and White's parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Friez

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Letbetter spent Christmas at Scallorn, with her sister Mrs. Bernie Laughlin.

Mr. and Mrs. Omer Weatherby and son Roy were visiting in the Jim Weatherby home Monday.

Several from here attended the Christmas tree at Midway Friday night.

Mr. and Mrs. John Bruton have been visiting J. M. Crawford. Miss Myrtle Crawford accompanied them home.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Marshall have gone to Abilene for a few days visit.

Robert Burdett came home days with home folks.

Friday night to spend the holidays. Mr. and Mrs. Barnie Seaborn are spending a few days with his uncle, Bob Johnson.

Mr. and Mrs. E. G. Letbetter and family, Mr. and Mrs. H. S. Davenport and family were visiting in the Wrinkle home Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Stark and family have been visiting

relatives in the Center Point community.

The young folks enjoyed a social at the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Bishop after the Christmas tree.

August Shanks, Jack Locklear and Clyde Cockrum were visiting in our community Saturday night.

Harry Crawford spent Monday night with Clyde Crawford. Mr. and Mrs. Bob Johnson took supper with Mr. and Mrs.

Jim Weatherby Thursday night.

I guess I had better close and go cut some wood as the fire is burning low.—A FARMER'S SON.

Anna Laura Brown returned home Saturday from Stephenville where she has been attending John Tarleton.

Mr. and Mrs. Burgess Rudd of Cleburne spent Christmas here with relatives.

Clyde Brown returned home Saturday from Fort Worth where he has been teaching school.

Euna V. Brim, popular student of Baylor University, is home for the holidays.

Mrs. Chas. Wilson came in Thursday night to visit home-folks.

Elmo Littlepage and "Bungalow" Greathouse were in Blanket Monday.

Poster Brim made a business trip to Hamilton last Monday.

Miss Lillie Martin returned to Dallas Monday night after spending Christmas here with her parents.

"AMERICAN BEAUTY AGAIN VICTORIOUS IN 1927"

Dear Customer:

We are pleased to advise you that we have just shipped another fresh car of our celebrated AMERICAN BEAUTY AND FORGET-ME-NOT EXTRA HIGH GRADE flour to Goldthwaite, Texas, and we are anxious to have you give it a trial. It is being handled there by the merchants named below.

When you have used it for bread, biscuit or cake you will readily understand why the housekeepers who used our flour won:

FIRST PRIZE ANGEL FOOD CAKE

First, Second and Third Prizes on: Yeast Bread, Raisin Bread, Rolls, Muffins, Beaten Biscuit, Pound Cake, Nut Cake, Gem Cake, Coconut Cake, Gold Cake, Tea Cakes and NINETY-TWO additional prizes and Bread, Rolls, Biscuit and Cake, a grand total of ONE HUNDRED AND TWENTY-SEVEN prizes at the State Fair of Texas Baking Contest of 1926, and THIRTY-TWO prizes at the ALL WEST TEXAS EXPOSITION, 1927.

The flour used by the above prize winners was the same quality as that in this car.

Many of the contestants used flour made by other mills and practically every flour made in Texas, Oklahoma, Kansas and Missouri was used by some of the contestants, but the prizes were WON by those who used OUR FLOUR.

We believe every Texan will be proud of our success, and feel that AMERICAN BEAUTY AND FORGET-ME-NOT flour is entitled to a trial, when it is not only guaranteed by us, but the merchants named below will tell you to take home a sack, use what you want, and if not entirely satisfactory, return the remainder and you will be refunded what you paid for a full sack. Will you not give this HOME INDUSTRY product a trial?

Very truly yours,

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We have leased and opened the New
GULF FILLING STATION
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We are prepared to supply your
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We want our friends to come around
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A Service To Sell To Make Sick People Well.

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SWANGER CHIROPRACTIC SERVICE
Goldthwaite, Texas.

ROCK SPRINGS

We had our regular services Sunday and Sunday night. Our B. Y. P. U. program was fine.

Earl Hill of Waco spent the day Christmas with his mother Mrs. J. O. McClary. He made an awful good talk at B. Y. P. U. Sunday night.

Four of the ladies finished the Orphans' Home quilt at the Nickols home Monday afternoon. We wish to thank Mrs. R. C. Webb for helping us quilt.

Santa was certainly good to all in this community.

Joe Roberts and family spent Saturday and Sunday in the Nickols home.

There was a Christmas tree at the school house Saturday night. Santa had trouble with his reindeer and was a little late, but he got there safe with candy for the children. We were favored with music by Alice and Ray Stark and Wick Webb.

Dan Weton and family of San Angelo visited W. A. Cook and children, and E. W. McNutt and family during the holiday.

Buford Meeks and family of Ranger spent Christmas in the McClary home.

Miss Loduska Lacewell of Goldthwaite visited Elizabeth Nickols this week.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Frank Davis spent a few days in Brown county this week with Elmer McNutt and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Ritchie of Melvin Texas, Mrs. Eugene Williams and son of Bangs Mr and Mrs. Arthur Haynie of Brownwood, G. W. Brack and family of Brownwood, J. Frank Davis and family, Ray and Alice Stark and Jack Robertson ate Christmas dinner with Arlie Davis and wife.

Haskell Gatlin and Joe Davis of Coleman visited the Nickols family Wednesday.

Those who feasted on the delicious turkey dinner at J. T. Robertson's Christmas day were: Mr. Maggie Stephens from the city, Walter Douglas and family, Mason Robertson and family, Woodie Traylor and family, and Mrs. Eula Nickols. From all reports the dinner was fine, even though Mr. Robertson did cook the turkey until one leg fell off.

Eula Nickols visited Mrs. Lula Gatlin one day this week.

We have all payed very close attention to the phone ringing central this week as the Ben Forehand family have already eaten three turkey dinners this week and it is only Tuesday. If they all stay well from such feast, no one need ever be afraid to eat all they want.

Miss Oleta Daniel came home from Belton where she has been attending Baylor College.

W. A. Daniel and family and took Christmas dinner with

Will Dennard and family in Big Valley.

Ben Davis and family of Coleman spent Christmas with Mr. and Mrs. Almos McGowan Mrs. Emma Whitt an grand son of Waco, and O. H. Whitt and family of Longworth, Texas spent Christmas with Abijah Stark and family.

J. O. McClary received a telegram last Saturday saying his grand son was very low with pneumonia. We were sorry to hear that he passed away Wednesday morning. Miss Ethel was at his bedside when death came. We extend our sympathy.

There was several interesting games of forty two at Marian Robertson's Monday night.

There was several Christmas trees in the homes this Christmas.

Loy Long and wife and Homer Doggett of Goldthwaite came out to the Christmas tree.

Dan Holland and family visited in the Circle home Saturday night.

Dwight Nichols visited in the Roberts home at Bulls Creek last week.

Here is hoping Mills County a prosperous year. If these rains will keep up we will be lucky. — BUSY BEE

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ROCK SPRINGS B. Y. P. U.

Subject—The New Leaf in The Book of Life.

Leader—Eula Nickols.

1. Take Time To Meditate.—Austin Cooke.

2. Meditation—Mrs. Marion Robertson.

3. Bible Background—Jno. Roberts.

Quiz—Mrs. Ben Forthand.

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LONG AND BERRY

The Theatre will be closed next Monday for remodeling. New equipment where necessary will be placed in order to give the Theatre-going public the best in motion picture projection.

OPEN DATE WILL BE ANNOUNCED NEXT WEEK

DIXIE THEATRE

Little's

We will continue our Sale through

NEXT WEEK

Everything will be sold all next week at the same price as during our Sale.

WE WANT TO THANK

the people of Mills and surrounding

Counties for your trade in the past;

also your support.

Wishing you A Happy and Prosperous

NEW YEAR

Little's
ONE PRICE ——— THAT'S CASH

SUMMY—OQUIN

A Xmas wedding that of interest and many of the Metho-
past. I moved to. After many
thirty years agony which made
wouldn't believe wife.
that so many is the oldest son of W.
he's. Summy, he has been reared
in this Community and since
is graduation from high school
has been employed by the
Weatherby Auto Co. Where by
his courteous treatment of cus-
tomers he has made many fri-
ends from all parts of the coun-
ty.
The Bride is the Beautiful and
accomplished daughter of Mr.
and Mrs. Jesse Oquin. She too
was born and reared in this
County where because of her
sweet friendliness she numbers
her friends by her Acquaintan-
ces. The happy young couple
left immediately after the cere-
mony for an overland trip to
Waco, Austin, San Antonio and
the Rio Grande Valley. They
are expected home Sunday
where a host of friends are eag-
erly waiting to join the Eagle
in welcoming and congratulat-
ing them.

Misses Florence and Alta
Gray have been spending the
holidays here with their par-
ents.

Mr. and Mr. A. D. Karnes of
Graham, were called to the bed
side of their son Joe Bailey,
who had an attack of appendi-
citis. He was carried to Temple
Wednesday night for an opera-
tion.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Martin
of Clovis, New Mexico, are vis-
iting relatives here this week.
John Patterson, who is teach-
ing in McCullough County,
spent the holidays here with the
folks at home.

Mr. and Mrs. Barney Carter
and children of Ranger and
Mr. and Mrs. Parker and son of
Brownwood spent Christmas
here with their parents, Mr.
and Mrs. P. G. Palmer.

John Ross and wife en-
joyed the two days off during
Christmas week with Mrs.
Ross' father.

JOHNSON-ROSS

At Saturday evening at
eight o'clock, Mr. Jack Johnson
and Miss Callae Ross were quiet-
ly united in marriage, Bro. O.
O. Moore, Pastor of the Metho-
dist Church, officiating.
Jack is the son of Mr. and
Mrs. S. W. Johnson of this city,
having lived here for the past
two years and now employed at
the Highway Garage. Jack has
made more friends in two years
than some people make in a
lifetime.

The bride is the beautiful and
accomplished daughter of Mr.
and Mrs. R. E. Ross, also living
here, having finished high
school in 1925 and then attend-
ed John Tarleton in Stephen-
ville, where she made many,
many friends, as well as in
high school.

The happy young couple left
Sunday morning for an over-
land trip to Dallas and thence
to Oklahoma where the groom
lived before coming here.

The Eagle wishes this fine
young couple the very cream of
life and may their path be a
rosy one.

We will regret to embarrass
any one by discontinuing their
telephone services, but we can-
not afford to render telephone
services to persons who neglect
to pay us.

Rural Telephone Company

HORTON DENNIS

One of the most unexpected
weddings of the Christmas
season was that of Clarence
Horton and Miss Mae Dennis,
who were quietly married on
Wednesday evening at 7:30
o'clock at San Saba Texas.

Mr. Horton is the son of Mr.
and Mrs. C. H. Horton of the
Seallorn community and is one
of the counties finest young
men.

The bride is the beautiful
daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. F.
Dennis of near Goldthwaite
and on account of her sweet
winning way's has a host of
friends in this county and else-
where who wish her much
happiness.

Mr. Horton has a position
with the Santa Fe at Talpa,
and the happy young couple
have gone there to make their
home.

The Eagle joins their many
friends in congratulating them
and wishing them the best.

J. T. Sanders is visiting in
Goldthwaite this week.

Frank Cave is home for the
holidays.

For PILES
PAZO
Guaranteed
Any druggist will refund your
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to cure Itching, Blind, Bleeding or
Protruding Piles. In tubes with
file pipe, 75c; or in tin box, 60c.

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Why not give the wife a treat and
let her enjoy a wholesome meal away
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TRY OUR REGULAR DINNER

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est tenants. Not only pride of possession, but the eco-
nomic soundness of having "something to show for
your money" should convince you that owning your
Own Home is the logical course of procedure.

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LET ONE of our representatives show you how easy it
is to own that desired home. Only a small payment is
necessary at the start and then will follow sums no
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**THE SEASON'S
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"YARBOROUGH'S
Extends to you sincere wishes for A Happy
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We want to thank you for your patronage
throughout 1927 and solicit your
business for 1928, promising
the same courteous treat-
ment and service.

JUST ARRIVED----NEW SPRING COATS

SEE THEM

YARBOROUGH'S
WHERE YOUR MONEY BUYS MORE

PLEASANT GROVE

To The Goldthwaite Eagle: Santa has come and gone, everyone is rejoicing over the presents he left.

Miss Eunice Berry of Spherville is spending Christmas at home.

Misses Trene McMurray and Estelle Crawford visited Letris Berry Saurd yesterday afternoon.

Misses Enlois and Bulois Doggett spent Christmas with Miss Annie and Lora Berry.

Veron Griffin and two sisters, Ora Mae and Effie, of Goldthwaite, Texas, are visiting their friends and relatives here.

The party at Lewis Covington's Friday was enjoyed by a large crowd.

Mr. Nloan and Ansell Horne are spending the Christmas days at home.

Mr. and Mrs. L. O. Kelly and family spent Saturday night and Sunday with her mother, Mrs. M. A. Horon of Goldthwaite.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Berry and family of Goldthwaite visited his father, Will Berry, Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Oran Carothers at Denton are visiting relatives here.

Veron Kelly is sick at this time, but we hope he will be soon.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Horton and family were visiting in Goldthwaite Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Aaron Berry bring to the Bill Parker

Mrs. Will Moreland has dinner with Mr. and Mrs. Lee Berry and family at Goldthwaite.

Ray Geddes left Tuesday morning for Temple to visit his brother, Chester Brisson, who is in the hospital there.

The party at Clark Miller's on Monday night was enjoyed by all who attended.

There was no prayer meeting at this place Sunday night on account of bad weather.

Mr. and Mrs. Dick Ezell are visiting relatives here.

Mrs. Gid Watson and son, Ross, visited her daughter, Mrs. Walker Berry, Friday.

Quite a few of this community spent Saturday in Goldthwaite.

O. H. Berry is the proud owner of a new Ford roadster.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernet Benningfield and family went to see his mother, Mrs. Joe Benningfield, Monday night, who is very sick.

A good rain fell Tuesday which was very much needed.—AM MIKE.

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ANNOUNCEMENT --

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New equipment where necessary, is being placed, and a first class show, with first class pictures, will be offered the theatre-going public.

THE DIXIE WILL OPEN

SATURDAY, JANUARY 14th

AT 3:00 P. M. WITH A MATINEE

and will show three complete programs each week—five nights—thereafter.

We beg the indulgence of the theatre-goers for this two week shut-down, and promise them that they will be well repaid for the inconvenience.

DIXIE THEATRE

JACK CRUMP, Manager

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JESUS AND THE SICK

After the temptation in the wilderness (which immediately followed his baptism), Jesus returned to the place where John was preaching. Here John pointed him out to his two followers as "the Lamb of God." and the two men, (Andrew and John, the son of Zebedee) immediately followed Jesus." Soon Andrew brought his brother Simon (Peter) to Jesus, and the next day the Master called Philip, who went and found Nathanael, and so when he started back home he had five disciples.

On returning to Galilee he attended a wedding in Cana. Here he performed his first miracle. After the wedding he accompanied "his mother and his brethren and his disciples" to Capernaum. In April he went to Jerusalem to attend the feast of the Passover. Here by cleansing the temple and performing many miracles he awakened an interest in his mission which led, among other things, to an interview with Nicodemus.

Late in the autumn he returned to Galilee (stopping at Jacob's well on the way), and at Cana he healed the nobleman's son who was sick at Capernaum. After a winter spent apparently in retirement he attended the second Passover at Jerusalem and again returned to Galilee.

It may have been about this time that John was imprisoned by Herod. The date is uncertain. Up to this time Jesus had not preached to his own home people. He well knew that he was no exception to the rule that a prophet is not without honor save in his own country, and he had thus far refrained from putting the rule to the test. But to keep from his own people the good news which he came into the world to bring merely because the companions of his early days were not likely to honor him was impossible with Jesus, and just as soon as he had gained sufficient attention abroad to insure any sort of hearing at home he turned his face toward Nazareth. We were received warmly at first but his hearers soon became offended and he was rejected. From Nazareth he went to Capernaum.

One day, while walking along the shore of the Sea of Galilee just outside of Capernaum, Jesus saw two brothers Simon Peter and Andrew, fishing. "Follow me," said he to them, "and I will make you fishers of men." And they immediately obeyed and went with him. Going on a little farther, he saw two other brothers, James and John, in a

fishin' boat with their father, Zebedee. And he called these also; and James and John left the boat and their father and went with Jesus into the city. (Capernaum.)

The Lesson Text

Authorized Version ("Print Mark 1:21-34")—(21) And they went into Capernaum; and straightway on the sabbath day he entered into the synagogue and taught, (22) And they were astonished at his doctrine: for he taught them as one that had authority and not as the scribes. (23) And there was in their synagogue a man with an unclean spirit; and he cried out, (4) Saying, Let us alone; what have we to do with thee, thou Jesus of Nazareth? art thou come to destroy us? I know thee who thou art, the Holy One of God. (25) And Jesus rebuked him, saying, Hold thou peace and come out of him. (26) And when the unclean spirit had torn him and cried with a loud voice he came out of him. (27) And they were amazed, inasmuch that questioned among themselves, saying, what is this? what new doctrine is this? for what authority commandeth he even the unclean spirits, and they do obey him. (28) And immediately his fame spread abroad throughout all the region round about Galilee.

(29) And forthwith, when they were come out of the synagogue, they came into the house of Simon and Andrew, with James and John. (30)

But Simon's wife's mother lay sick of fever; and anon they told him of her: (31) And he came and took her by the hand, and lifted her up; and immediately her fever left her, and she ministered unto them.

(32) And at even, when the sun did set, they brought unto him all that were diseased, and them that were possessed with devils. (33) And all the city was gathered together at the door. (34) And he healed many that were sick with divers diseases, and cast out many devils to speak, because they knew him.

Golden Text—He hath done all things well; he maketh even the deaf to hear, and the dumb to speak.—Mark 7:37.

Home Readings—Mon., Mk. 1:21-34, A Day of Miracles. Tue., Matt. 8:23-34, The Commanding Word. Wed., Matt. 15:21-31, The Great Healer. Thurs. Luke 6:6-14, The Withered Hand Restored. Fri., Luke 9:37-45, A Demoniac Healed. Sat. Isaiah 42:1-7, The Liberator. Sun., Psalm 6, Prayer for Healing.

Time—The Spring of A. D. 28.

Place—Capernaum, on the northwest shore of the Sea of Galilee. The site is fixed by one tradition at Tel Hum, by another at Khan Minyeh. Near the latter is a spring which some think is the one Joseph calls the fountain of Capernaum.

The Lesson Story
On the Sabbath Jesus at-

tended the synagogue service, as was his custom, and was invited to speak. The people were soon listening with amazement, for instead of teaching as scribes, who were always discussing non-essentials and quoting the fathers for their authority, he spoke of the deepest spiritual truths and taught as one having authority in himself. It was before the day of asylums, and irresponsible characters of every sort were allowed to wander at will. One of these—not a mere lunatic, but one literally under the power of a demon (and concerning demoniacs we no nothing more than what the Scriptures tell us)—had found his way into the synagogue, and while Jesus was speaking, suddenly broke out with a wild cry "What are you here for?" cried the man under an impulse of the demon. "Have you come here to break us up? I know who you are—you are the Holy One of God, the Messiah!" "Be muzzled," said Jesus, "and come out of him." At these words the man fell on the floor in convulsions, but after a moment he arose a new man, the demon had fled from him. Naturally the incident threw the congregation into a state of excitement, and the people accustomed to talk among themselves in the synagogue, exclaimed one to another: "Here is something new. What wonderful teaching! What wonderful power in his words! for he even commands unclean spirits, and they obey him."

After the service at the syn-

agogue, Jesus went with his disciples to the home of Andrew, where he healed Peter's wife's mother of a high fever, and where at sunset, the Sabbath being ended, he healed a great multitude of sick folk and demoniacs that were brought to him from all parts of the town. It is added that

he could not allow the demoniacs who recognized him to speak of him.
Hollow Hrollers.—One Sunday morning Henry Ward Beecher when he turned home from Church, saw himself on the lounge said in a tone of deep dejection, "I believe that

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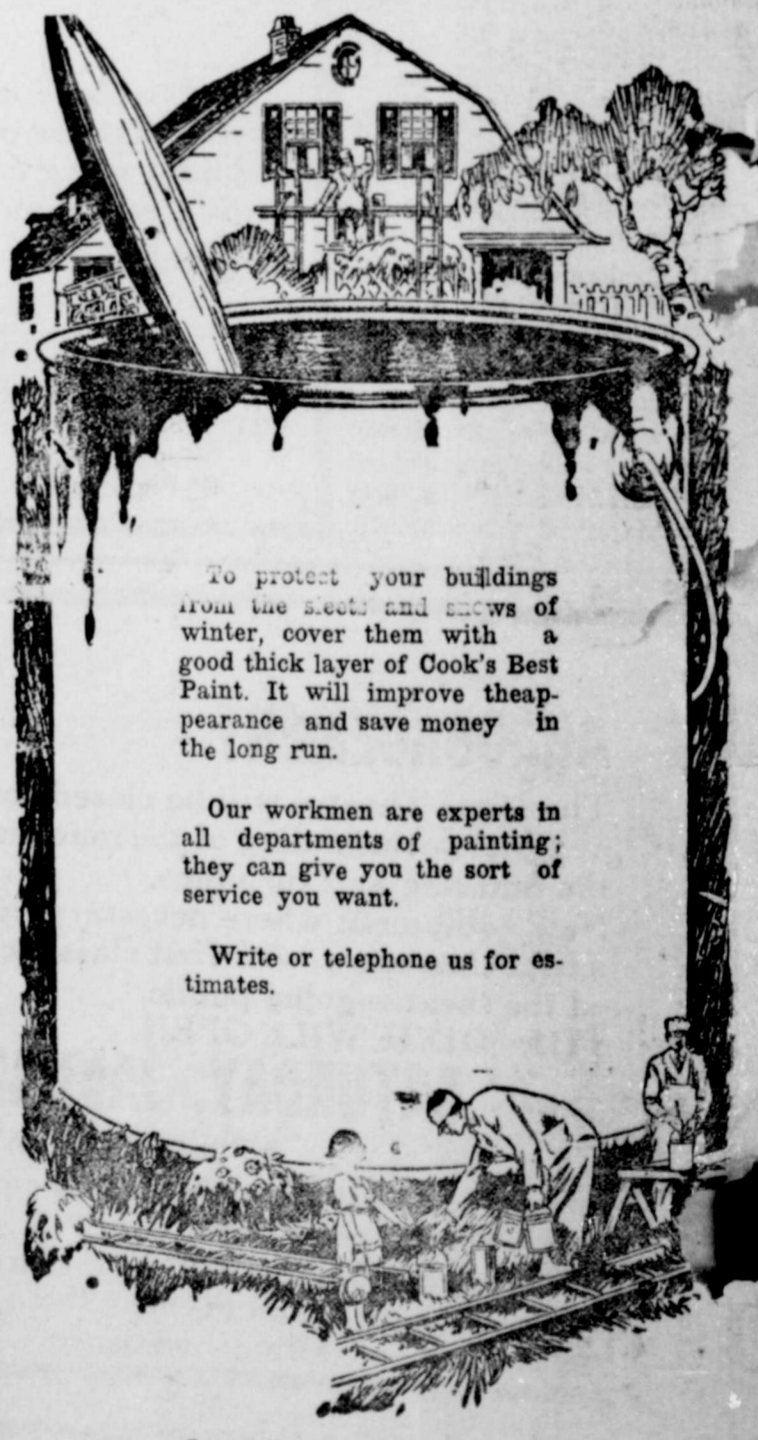
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FRUIT TREES—For fruit trees and all kinds of nursery stock, see or phone WELLIE SAYLOR, Goldthwaite, Texas. ok.

LOST—Goodyear 31x4-75 diamond tread casing and 1927 Chevrolet rim with "Shelton Chevrolet Co., Dallas" on tire cover between Goldthwaite and Comanche last Monday. Leave at Eagle Office. Reward—J. D. CALLAWAY. 1-6-28 pd.

NOTICE OF BANKRUPTCY—In the District Court of the United States for the Northern District of Texas, a San Angelo.

In the matter of Thomas P. Reed and Florence Reed, Bankrupt; No. 439 in Bankruptcy.

San Angelo, Texas Dec. 28, 1927. Creditors of Thomas P. Reed and Florence Reed, farmers of Goldthwaite, Mills county, Texas are hereby given notice that on the 28th day of Dec., A. D. 1927 the said Thomas P. Reed and Florence Reed were adjudicated bankrupts upon their voluntary petition, and that there will be a first meeting of creditors of said bankrupts in office of the Referee in San Angelo, Texas, on the 10th day of January, A. D. 1928 at 2 P. M. at which time all creditors may attend, prove their claims, examine the bankrupts, select a trustee and transact such other business as may properly come before said meeting.

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CHRISTMAS TIME—I have good books, Bibles and Testaments for sale at right prices. BILL WILLIAMS. 2-15.

FOR SALE—Grist mill, belt and pulley; Ford truck; grain seeder; section harrow; Mr. Bill planter; and wagon. All second hand. See D. D. KEMPER. 1 12-23 ok.

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The Sporting English. They have gone betting mad in England. They sell sweepstakes on everything—sports, business, sickness, death; until at last the government thinks of taxing every bet that is publicly made.

The very height of folly or depth of insiury was reached when several prominent men in a prominent parish made a sweepstakes bet whether the vicar would preach on the following Sabbath from a verse in the Old or New Testament.

They all went to church with the stake-holder; but everyone was disappointed for the vicar did not take his text from the Holy Scriptures. He spoke on the subject of revising the prayer book.

JUST A LITTLE SPICE
When Greek Meets Jew.—Said a Greek to a Jew: "Have you seen that excavations on the Acropolis have revealed wires? That proves positively that my people knew the mystery of telegraphy." Replied the Jew to the Greek: "Have you seen that in excavating in Jerusalem no wires have been found? That proves that my people knew the mystery of wireless telegraphy!"

Not Terrifying.—Lee, a politician and lumberman of some note, kept a six-foot black snake in his office. Maud, a stenographer, happened in Lee's office and was frightened at sight of the snake when the following conversation took place:

Maud—Will it bite?
Lee—Not often; its bite is not poisonous.

Maud—How does it fight?
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Maud—How much squeezing power has it?
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THE FIELD AND THE SEED

Matt. 13:19-23. A prosperous farmer invited his pastor to visit him in England with him. At Shrewsbury they drove out to see the old Roman town of Uriconium. Part of the walls of the public bathhouse was still intact and up that they scrambled to survey the site. The ground where the ancient town had once stood was now a field of wheat. It was waving its banners of green in the July sunshine as the wind swept leisurely across it. But radiating from a common center, like the spokes of a wheel, stunted grain.

"Well, I declare," said Mr. Robinson, "if there isn't the diagram of the old town streets traced out in that yellow grain."
"I don't see how you know that," said the minister.
"Why, it's clear as day," replied the other. "where the old streets ran the ground is hard and infertile, and so the wheat that was sown on it is sickly and thin, and has ripened earlier than the rest."

"I see it now," said the minister, "and I also see a sermon in that."
"A sermon?" said Mr. Robinson. "I don't see how you make it out, but I'm glad if I have given you a text. What is he sermon?"

"It's only what we ministers call a 'seed thought' so far, but the idea is this: Did you ever see a perfect illustration of Christ's parable of the sower? Doesn't that represent the seed that fell on thin soil and forthwith sprung up, because they had no deepened earth? I can certainly see types of men and women as I look at that sickly yellow grain on those hard-packed streets. You might as well rottyaise hrao might as well try to raise a crop of peas on a drum head as to try to get spiritual things to take root in their lives. There is a man who travels every thought in his mind level over the dollar path in his brain until it is beaten so hard that nothing else can sprout there. There is the woman who makes society the aim and end of life; she patters up and down that path so much that she tramples the ground so hard that no thought of God or helpfulness can grow in her heart."

"Well," said Mr. Robinson, "I've read that parable a good many times but I never saw

it so plainly before. You can't miss the point with that field before you."—Yuoth's Companion.
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Editor Eagle:

Here we are after a long silence to wish you a Happy New Year. Most everyone here were busy enjoying the holidays. Although it was very cold, many netertainments were given.

Our school opened Monday after the holidays with quite a few new pupils Center City is proud of the progress made in school lines. A new room was added for this term and Miss Lucille Welch elected as third teacher. Prof. Ira Neighbors and Miss Pearl Casbeer being re-elected.

Next Sunday is regular preaching day at the Methodist church and Bro. Homer Miller requests every one who can to come and hear him.

We regret to hear of the death of Mr. Bob Geeslin. He was well known and loved by all in this community. We extend to his bereaved relatives our sincere sympathy.

Lysle Geeslin spent the holidays with his home folks and friends here.

Our community was saddened to learn of the death of Mrs. Elza Smith of Smithville. She was a daughter of Chas. Carter of this place. Her remains were brought here for burial last Thursday. She leaves a husband and five children to mourn her departure.

W. L. Biddle made a business trip to Brownwood one day last week

Several families have moved into this community recently. Among them are Mr. Cornelius of Long Cove, Alfred Garrett of Hamilton, Wick Aldridge from Rattler, Joe Williams from Star, Arthur Walton from Lomea, and Mr. Jones from Caradan with their families. We welcome them to our community and are sure that prosperity awaits them.

Miss Pearl Casbeer spent the holidays visiting in Dialas.

Mrs. J. W. Coffman and sons visited relatives and friends in Ranger last week.

Edgar Simpson of South Bennett attended the entertainment at Arthur Walton's during the holidays.

Boyd Yeager and J. M. Ogles by have installed a lighting system and are now enjoying bright lights in their places of business.

Ocie Langford of San Ange-

lo visited relatives here last week.

Millard Coffman of Abilene spent Christmas with relatives and home folks here.

Hugh Carroll and family, Farrar Head and family and Thomas Atchison and family visited relatives and friends here last week.

Tom House and family moved into the McGirk community. We regret to lose this good neighbor yet we will expect frequent visits since they are not very far away from us.

May this be a Happy and Prosperous New Year to the Eagle and its many readers is our wish—XX.

A HAPPY CHRISTMAS REUNION

On December 26 Mrs. John House of New Mexico, Mrs. Henry Campbell of Sweet Water, Texas and Wallace Leverett of this place, the only surviving members of the older set of Leverett children, met in a happy reunion at a Christmas dinner given in honor of the two visiting members, Mrs. Campbell and Mrs. House, by Mr. and Mrs. Wallace Leverett at their home.

The guests for the occasion included Mr. and Mrs. John House of New Mexico, Mrs. Campbell of Sweetwater, Mr. and Mrs. Browning Leverett of Caradan, Mrs. H. J. Vaughn Sweetwater, Mrs. Will Leverett of Ozona, Mr. and Mrs. Drew McCaughan of Brownwood, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Long of this city, all being related to the Leverett family.

Besides the relatives present at the reunion and dinner were Mrs. J. M. Baker, Mr. and Mrs. Dave Green.

The day was one filled with memories of gladness and of sadness of days gone by, and of hopes for many more such days to come.

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Mrs. Josie Halliburton died the second of January, 1928 at her home in Floydada and was interred at the Mullin cemetery Wednesday, the 4th.

Mrs. Halliburton was a devoted Christian daughter and leaves sad eyed parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Petit, who are overwhelmed in grief, one sister and daughter, Mrs. Bert Lockett, who adored her mother.

The particulars of Mrs. Halliburton's death have not been ascertained, and a more complete details will be in next issue of the paper.

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Which Shell Is The Pea Under?

The old-time shell-game man is a pretty scarce article nowadays. People figure, I guess, that there's more excitement in buying a tire.

Well, there is, the way some folks buy tires. About the only difference I can see is that they had a better gambling chance in the old days.

Then, you recall, there were only three shells to out-guess, while today there are more different tires and more different prices than you can shake a stick at.

Even this doesn't daunt the hardy motorist, however. He's the world's champion example when it comes to trying to out-smart the other fellow at his own game.

THE SENSIBLE MAJORITY

Of course, these tire-buyers who dicker for a "special discount" or "dealer's price" or a "long trade" are, after all, considerably in the minority.

The great sensible bulk of the motoring population has learned to buy tires just as it buys other things—on the basis of established quality and fair price.

They have learned that it is better business for them to trade with a responsible

merchant who sells tires of known goodness and value, than to try a tussle with the price list especially padded for purposes of "discount."

We operate our business for these good people, and we tell you it makes us mighty proud to realize that by so doing we've built up the biggest tire trade in this part of the country.

SOUND VALUE FOR YOU

Four years We've been at it here in Goldthwaite selling Goodyear Tires strictly on their merits.

We carry now by far the largest stock of tires in Mills county. We buy for cash and take advantage of all discounts. We know no man can beat the values we offer and stay in business.

You trade with us and you'll find what other folks have found; that our plan gives you the limit in low-cost mileage and in freedom from trouble.

You'll find, too, that it'll cost you less money and disappointment in the long run than trying to guess under which shell the other fellow has the elusive pea.

HIGHWAY GARAGE

O. H. SHAW

TOM MILLER

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to thank those of our neighbors and friends who so kindly helped and gave their assistance with love and care during the sickness and death of our dear, loving husband and father. May God bless them and keep them and help them to meet Him in heaven and our dear family also. Wishing for them many more years of usefulness during their lives. May we be able to help them some day to repay them for their gratitude. Especially are we thankful for the beautiful floral offerings.

MRS. R. W. GEESLIN.
AND CHILDREN.

Born to Rev. and Mrs. W. H. Lynn a baby girl, Audie Marie, on January 2nd.

Mr. and Mrs. Ben Hurdle of Cameron and Mrs. Floyd Mullan and little son, James Newton of Dallas, spent Christmas with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. N. Irvin.

Judge Anderson made a business trip to Belton Tuesday.

Rightly Directed—A young couple rang the bell rather late one evening at the residence of the Roman Catholic priest. Father Sullivan had retired, but repeated summonses on the door-bell caused an upper window to be thrown up. Father Sullivan's head appeared with the inquiry, "What do you want?" "We wish to get married," said the young man. "O, go to hell," said the holy father, and bang went the window. Nothing daunted the would-be groom inquired for a minister and was directed to the Methodist parsonage. The minister had not retired and invited them into his parlor. On entering the young man innocently explained, "We are Roman Catholics and went first to Father Sullivan, but he told us to go to hell so we came here."—W. T. Harwood.

Persons who are delinquent in the payment of their telephone accounts need not be surprised if we discontinue their telephone service on the first day of January.—Rural Telephone Company.

Miss Juanita Mayberry of San Angelo, is spending her vacation in Goldthwaite and Lometa. Miss Noma Philen, teacher at Pompey Creek School, was a business visitor in Goldthwaite last Saturday.

HATCHERY NOTICE

We will start our
**MAMMOTH BUCKEYE
INCUBATOR**
January the Fourteenth.

Now is the time to hatch your chicks.
Fryers will bring more and the pullets will be laying when eggs are highest.

OUR SERVICE IS COMPLETE
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