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Community News

CENTER CITY

We are enjoying these fine days. Farmers are beginning spring plowing and there is some garden talk, so that means gardens will probably be early.

Not very many attended Sunday school Sunday. We think it was on account of the smallpox. However, we hope no other cases will develop since quarantine has been placed on two homes in our community and all school children, teachers and a number of others, who needed vaccination, were vaccinated last week. This is certainly interfering with the school work and ball playing for some. One of the very best players is a patient of smallpox and is under quarantine. Here is hoping all will soon be well again.

Misses Yvonne and Adele Welch are staying with their brother, Harry, and family until Jack is well of smallpox.

Another calamity visited our community Monday afternoon in the form of a fire, which destroyed the home of Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Byrd. Mrs. Byrd was at home alone and tried to put the fire out. Seeing she couldn't, she telephoned for help. Mr. Kendall was assisting and was first to arrive. He tried to put it out also. Being the ceiling it spread rapidly and all that could be done then was to save all they could. Prof. neighbors and Kirby, with a number of the larger pupils from the school soon were on the scene and a part of the furniture. Most of the household goods and their home were destroyed. Neighbors and friends of his good family sympathize with them and are willing to help in any way they can.

Thos. Atchison and Jno. Carter are building a concrete cellar for J. M. Oglesby this week. Mrs. Venable visited Mrs. Nichols at Mrs. Ellis Head's Sunday afternoon.

Mr. Cook of Big Valley was a business visitor here the first of the week.

Stacy McCasland and family, Mrs. Atchison and family, and Mrs. Ellis Reid visited Mr. Head and family Sunday. Jas. Owens, Linn Harbour, C. A. Head attended a conference at Millin Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Hudson and Mr. Hudson's sister visited Mrs. Venable Monday.

Outside ballplayers went to party in Hamilton county Sunday and played ball. They report good game—28-32 in favor of party.

Mrs. Winnie Price and children of Mineral Wells are visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Carter.

Horace Reeves went to Houston Sunday last week to look for work and Mrs. Reeves and little daughter are staying with her mother, Ewell Venable, and family.

BULLS CREEK

After a few days of sunshine, we had a good shower Saturday night. It looks like we might have some pretty weather for the week.

John Burnett is working on the road this week, which certainly will be appreciated.

Mr. and Mrs. Ben McConal moved Saturday on John Burnett's place. Ben has been a real worker lately.

Carlton Renfro and Billie Inell started back to school Monday, after being absent a week entertaining the flu.

Mrs. Venable McConal received word last week that her grandmother had died in California.

Last week I mentioned about a boy dying an error was made in printing. I said oats were dying. I have noticed any oats had, but have noticed several dead cats lately.

Those that visited in the W. McConal home were their daughter, Mrs. Joe Parker, husband and sons from San Saba county, also Mr. and Mrs. Frank Hall and two boys, and Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Boswell and little

EX-REPORTER.

Poll Tax Receipts Show Big Slump

All Taxes Being Paid Slowly as Deadline Draws Near.

Up to yesterday morning 765 poll tax receipts had been issued by the county collector for the current year, as compared to a total of 1968 up to Feb. 1 last year. The figures are given here by boxes together with the total for last year:

No.	Box	1932	1933
1	Goldthwaite	263	108
2	Nabors Creek	24	13
3	Antelope Gap	43	22
4	Center City	143	63
5	Payne	70	30
6	Star	81	28
7	Caradan	98	36
8	Möllin	293	73
9	Fisher	66	13
10	Priddy	213	114
11	Big Valley	73	36
12	Rock Springs	41	11
13	Ratler	22	2
14	Regency	25	13
15	Buffalo	37	30
16	Ridge	37	10
17	Rye Valley	15	15
18	Mount Olive	25	8
19	Goldthwaite	354	122
20	Pompey	45	18
TOTAL		1,968	765

Automobiles 1500 543
Trucks 245 49

Many more receipts will be issued before Feb. 1, which is the limit for the issuance of poll tax receipts that will entitle the holder to vote the next year.

It will also be a violation of the law to run a car or truck on the highway on and after Feb. 1, without a 1933 license.

No Jobs Left Ferguson Says

EX-Governor Jim Ferguson left his desk in his wife's office last Saturday, climbed up on a chair in the ante-room, and made a speech to the hundred job hunters who have crowded the room ever since his wife was made governor.

"Go home," he told them, "and let us go to work. I never saw your faces in the campaign last year, and anyway the jobs are all gone. Stop worrying the Legislature and state officials and let us give you a good administration like we promised."

When he finished speaking, about half of the crowd moved out, but the others stayed on, apparently unconvinced.

M.Y.P.D. PROGRAM

Subject: When are you educated? Leader—Mr. Mayfield.

Hymn.

Prayer—Rev. Hammond

Scripture reading: Prov. 2:1-9—Evelyn Allen.

Talk: What education is not—Leader.

Talk: The scientific attitude, spiritual ideals and a disciplined personality—Marzelle Boland.

Talk: Essential knowledge—Ima Lois Bayley.

Special music: Connie Saylor.

Talk: A fruitful use of leisure time—Pauline Booker.

Prayer—Mr. Bayley.

PROGRAM COMMITTEE

High School Plays First Indoor Game

Fast Games Scheduled by Local Team for Next Week.

Friday night the Eagles opened the indoor court with a 9-8 win over Priddy. Saturday night, they lost a 29-9 decision to Star. Wednesday afternoon they lost a 17-3 count to Mullin the first conference game, while Center City was taking a 3311 drubbing at Star.

Saturday afternoon at 3 o'clock the Center City eagles will tangle with the Eagles on the high school court.

The indoor court schedule will see the Eagles and Priddy mixing it again tomorrow night.

There will be a game between the All-Stars of Goldthwaite and some neighboring place Thursday night. The Eagles will tangle with some county team on Friday night and there will be a tournament on Saturday.

The athletic association play "Good Gracious" will be presented at the Junior High auditorium tonight at 7:45. DIRECTOR.

TRADES DAY

Some of the business men are discussing the advisability of inaugurating a Trades Day for Goldthwaite, to be conducted on plans used by many towns for similar occasions, merchants to make extra low prices for the day and citizens being invited to bring in stock or other property for trade at that time. Trades Days have seemed to be successful here formerly and the Eagle sees no reason why they should not be successful any time.

Baptist Pastor Urges Fight Against Repeal

Gives Figures on Liquor Traffic in Prohibition Days.

Let everybody who has not done so and who believes that the liquor traffic ought to be outlawed, go right now and get your poll tax receipt. You have only until Tuesday midnight to do so.

It seems that some of our leaders are doing everything possible to bring back to our doors the open saloon. This is a time when the common people should think, soberly, wisely and deliberately. If they will do so there will be no question as to the outcome. Please do not let some fellow who is vice-president or a member of the house of representatives or senate mislead you and cause you to vote against that thing which assures you that your home will be protected and that the lives of our boys and girls will be largely protected. Father, mother, brother, sister, how can you afford to lend your influence to a thing that will wreck lives, break up homes, destroy virtue and leave in its trail suffering, death and destruction?

If the saloon was a menace during war days, what would it be during our present day when men are depressed and children are crying for something to eat and wear, and when lawlessness is rampant throughout the country? There are but two reasons for wanting the saloon. First, in order that some may have whiskey to drink. Second, in order that some may profit financially.

Someone has said we have more whiskey to drink now than during the days of the saloon. The person that makes that statement is ignorant, dishonest or just happened not to be here when the saloon was. In 1908 there was one saloon to every 333 persons or one saloon to every 65 families in this country. The year prior to the adoption of the 18th amendment there were 2,095,000,000 gallons of intoxicating liquors consumed.

Someone says the saloon will do away with the bootleggers and the illicit distilleries. Forty years before we had prohibition there were in one city alone more than 4000 speakeasies. And during one year previous to the adoption of the 18th amendment the government confiscated 2391 illegal distilleries. We have always had the bootleggers and the illegal distilleries and when you bring back the open saloon you will increase your bootleggers and your illegal stills.

Someone says we have more drinking among the boys and girls now than ever before and to bring the saloon back they would quit. Let's see about that. Evangeline Booth, daughter of the man who founded the Salvation Army, in speaking about the army houses in New York said that prior to prohibition there were from 1200 to 1300 brought to these houses every night. Another says all the boys and girls at the state universities drink. That is not so. It's true, however, that sometimes a few society "birds" will have a drinking spree. But if you will investigate you will find out that more were sent home from the universities in one week for drinking during the days of the saloon than will be sent home at present during an entire term. And yet some of our legislators are in favor of tempting our boys and girls by bringing back to the doors of our colleges the open saloon. On account of prohibition

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Mills County Asks R. F. C. For \$2500

Better Homes Chairman Named

Mrs. M. Y. Stokes, jr., has received notice from Dr. Ray Lyman Wilbur, president of Better Homes in America, of her appointment as chairman of the Better Homes in America committee for Goldthwaite.

Better Homes committees are being established throughout the nation to arouse interest in the improvement of homes and to organize local civic groups to help each family to information concerning the best ways of taking the next steps in improving their own homes.

There will be special emphasis this year on programs for the repair of old houses and for the encouragement of remodeling and modernization. Many improvements of home premises can be made by the family in their own free time. Unemployed labor can be given employment in the making of the more elaborate improvements. All efforts of this sort will help to render homes more healthful and attractive; will help to keep up values of property and serve to enhance the community's reputation for high standards. Many thousands of homes were improved during the recent campaign, and it is expected that a much larger number of homes will be rendered more convenient and livable by the campaign of 1933.

A PLEASANT EVENING

On last Friday evening Jack Bradley entertained about thirty of his friends. Everybody went expecting to have a good time and we are sure there was not a one disappointed.

Upon arriving we were asked to pass on to the dining room, where we were served the most delicious punch, afterwards everyone gathered in the living room, where the victrola and games were enjoyed by all. Mrs. Bradley, assisted by Mrs. R. L. Armstrong, built a huge fire out in the yard and roasted vealies. With this pickles and bread were served to each guest.

After enjoying these refreshments they played more games, while a few of the older ones enjoyed the popular game of 42. The hour of parting came all too soon, but we said goodbye to Jack, also Mr. and Mrs. Bradley and Joe, wishing that we might be asked again to enjoy another evening in this hospitable home.

CHORAL CLUB

We want all of our loyal supporters to know that the Choral Club will make its first public appearance at the junior high school auditorium Jan. 27, at the play, "Good Gracious." Everyone is invited to attend the play and hear the club sing.

The club is now working on its contest songs, still hoping to win at the State Music Meet at Belton this year. Come and support the club.

FREDERICKSBURG HOST TO AMERICAN LEGION

State Legion officials and the chairman of the 16th and 17th districts will attend a Legion Pow Wow at Fredericksburg next Saturday and Sunday, January 28 and 29.

Members of the American Legion living in Mills county have received a cordial invitation to attend the celebration which will include a big dance Saturday night and a barbecue on Sunday.

Money to be Used to Put Needy to Work on Roads.

Mills county has applied for \$2500 R. F. C. relief funds through the Goldthwaite Chamber of Commerce, W. C. Dew, president, said yesterday. The money will be used to give employment to residents of this county who are out of work and actually need the money to buy food for their families. Road and street work that could not otherwise be done will be provided for by the relief funds. Cemetery cleaning and other useful work will also likely be included.

The money secured from the R. F. C. is not a loan to the county, but is an outright allocation from the \$300,000,000 appropriated by Congress for relief work in the states. It will be deducted from federal highway aid to be allotted the state in the future.

In West Texas alone over 100 counties have already received cash from the R. F. C. for relief work the first payment of \$181,025.50 being made to 78 counties on November 15. On Dec. 3, another allotment of the same amount was made and last week the January allotment of \$348,000 for 109 counties was made.

It is probable that the first cash will be received here early in March.

Here is what nearby counties received for January: Brown, \$7400; Comanche, \$6000; Lampasas, \$1500; San Saba, \$3400; Coleman, \$2775; and McCulloch, \$5050.

REGULAR BIBLE STUDY

Circle No. 3 met in the lovely home of Mrs. W. P. McCullough on top of the hill to enjoy an hour of studying together the book of Ruth.

Each one had some comment to make, thus making the lesson which was led by Mrs. E. B. Anderson, very interesting.

After a very interesting discussion we were favored with a duet "Is My Name Written There" sung by Mmes. Littlepage and Bowman, Mrs. Bowman accompanied on the guitar.

Afterwards Mrs. Anderson played on the guitar while several old familiar songs were sung. The poem entitled "The Wonderful Town" was read and enjoyed by all. It is as follows:

There is a town called Don't You Worry

On the bank of the River Smile Where the cheer up and be happy

Blossom sweetly all the while; Where the never grumble flow-ers

Blooms besides the fragrant try.

And the ne'er give up and patience

Point their faces to the sky. In the village of Contentment,

In the province of I Will, You will find this lovely city,

At the foot of No Fret Hill. There are thoroughfares delightful,

In this very charming town, And on every hand are shade trees

Named the Very Seldom Frown Rustic benches quite enticing,

You will find scattered here and there,

And to each a vine is clinging, Called the frequent Earnest Prayer.

Everybody there is happy, And is singing all the while,

In the town of Don't You Worry, On the banks of the river Smile

Mrs. McCullough servediced lemonade and pineapple cake, which was delicious. We then adjourned to meet with Mrs. Bowman for our next lesson.

Eight members answered roll call and Master Harry Allen Palmer was a guest. REPORTER

RESIDENCE DAMAGED

There was a fire alarm Wednesday morning calling the fire fighters to the home of Henry Rahl, east of the railroad, where small damage was done by a blaze caused by a defective flue.

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J. W. Tippen of Ebony looked after business in the city the early part of the week.

Mrs. Fretze of Nabors Creek community made the Eagle office an appreciated call Saturday.

Vestus Horton of Caradan looked after business in this city the early part of the week.

Small grain is said to be doing nicely in most sections and is affording considerable pasture.

G. T. Stewart of the Democrat community was an appreciated caller at the Eagle office Tuesday.

B. R. Casbeer came in from South Bennett the early part of the week to visit relatives and meet with his friends.

The Eagle, like all other newspapers, makes a reasonable charge for obituaries and cards of thanks.

Prof. Willie Wasserman of Pompey Mountain school, was a business visitor to this city Saturday.

M. Y. Stokes, jr., and family visited his parents and other relatives in Lampasas last Saturday and Sunday.

Earl Summy and wife now occupy the Gartman residence on Reynolds street, at the corner of College street.

J. Everett Evans of Center City, ex-sheriff and tax collector, is assisting in the collector's office during the poll tax and car license rush.

Mrs. C. L. Ruckle and two children, Mrs. Ora Cook, Miss Artie Ruckle and Miss Lucille Hamilton, all of Star, were appreciated callers at the Eagle office Monday.

Ray Duren was a visitor from Pompey Mountain community Saturday and stated he expected to leave Monday for Stephenville, to re-enter John Tarleton college.

Presiding Elder Lovett was here from Llano Sunday and preached in the Methodist church at the evening hour, holding the first quarterly conference afterward.

W. H. Oglesby of Big Valley was among his friends in this city last week end and we were all glad to know his health had improved considerably during the winter months.

J. B. Whiteman entertained from 7 till 11, on Wednesday night of last week with a Stag Party, the feature of which was the series of Bridge played at four tables.—Brady Standard.

W. L. Biddle and Chester Head of Center City were visitors to the big town Tuesday receiving contributions for the help of Mr. and Mrs. G. D. Byrd, whose home was burned the day before.

It is of supreme importance that the patronage of local people go to the local dealers. We are all interested in the prosperity of our local communities and institutions and this is one of the best ways to make them prosper.

Mrs. Eula Nickols, the writer of the interesting letter from Rock Springs, was a caller at the Eagle office Tuesday. No county paper ever had a more faithful or intelligent writer than Mrs. Nickols and the other writers as well as all the readers of the paper appreciate her work.

Misses Katherine and May Duren of Pompey Mountain school were visitors to the city Saturday. They came to arrange for the publication of this week's issue of the Mountain Boomer, their school paper. They have a right to be proud of the excellency of the paper and the general school news it carries.

Mighty few more days in which to pay a poll tax that will entitle the holder of a receipt to vote during the next year. One of the questions pretty sure to be voted on within that time is the liquor question. Better have a poll tax receipt.

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

ROCK SPRINGS

Sunday was a wonderful day with us. We had thirty-three at Sunday school Sunday morning.

The writer from Ridge told me in last week's paper they were beating us in numbers in Sunday school. One reason is you people have more to go to Sunday school. I am sure you don't have a more willing bunch to go than we do. You spoke of Big Valley, too. They should have a large crowd each Sunday. Let's don't quit working at it, if our number is small at times.

Everyone seemed to enjoy the singing Sunday afternoon. We had visitors from Goldthwaite, Lake Merritt, Center Point, and Rabbit Ridge. Come again. You are always welcome.

Miss Johnnie Belle Circle was elected president of the singing class and Woody Traylor vice president.

The B. Y. P. U. program was fine. We were favored with a talk by Mrs. Noah Orr from Brownwood. Mrs. Orr use to be Juanita Davis. She was also one of our active members when she was a young lady and lived here.

If nothing happens this place will be represented at Big Valley Saturday and Sunday.

J. T. Robertson and Oscar Gatlin and Harvey Dunkle spent Monday morning in town.

James Nickols horse fell with him Sunday afternoon and he is now suffering with a sprained ankle.

Elbert Davis and family, Ben Davis and son and Mrs. Noah Orr and son from Brownwood visited J. R. Davis and wife Sunday.

Jack Robertson has work in Brown county. He is working for Arlie Davis.

Rev. J. S. Bowles and family and Orby Woody and wife spent Sunday afternoon on the Gatlin farm.

John W. Roberts had business in town Monday afternoon.

Mrs. Eula Nickols was accompanied by Miss Bess Hutchings of Center Point Saturday afternoon. They called on Jesse Lowe and family in town.

Herbert Cooke wasn't able to attend Sunday school Sunday or B. Y. P. U. Sunday night.

Greta Marie Traylor spent Sunday with Reba Sullivan.

Lou Dell Sullivan spent Sunday with Mary Shipman.

Landy Ellis and wife, Richard Sowers and wife visited in San Saba Sunday. Miss Helen Sowers came home with her brother and wife for a visit.

Cone Sullivan motored to town bright and early Monday morning.

Ira Dewbre and James and Shirley Nickols went to Mrs. Jernigan's Saturday to get a horse for James to work.

Rudolph Cooke dined with Cone Sullivan Sunday.

Mrs. Eula Nickols called on Mrs. Lesly Tuesday morning.

Mrs. Homer Doggett and daughter spent the week end with Dwight Nickols and wife in town.

Mrs. W. A. Daniel and daughters and Mrs. Eula Nickols visited J. R. Davis and wife after B. Y. P. U. Sunday night.

Some of the Center Point boys played basketball with the Rock Springs boys Sunday afternoon. Rock Springs seemed to be the winners, so they say.

Dial Rainey and wife from Ranger are visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Stark.

Earl Clements and wife from town sat until bed time in the Nickols home last Tuesday night.

Miss Nellie D. Cooke spent Saturday night with her father and brothers.

Horace and Nellie D. Cooke, Fred Ethel and Hardy McClary, August Kauh and Fred Shipman visited in the Nickols home.

There was a large crowd at R. C. Webb's at the party Saturday night. Everybody had a large time, so they said.

I wish to correct a mistake I made in last letter before the other party tells me what's what. It was Mr. and Mrs. Meeks, who visited in J. C. Stark's home instead of Miss Minnie Hill.

Mmes. Doggett and Nickols dined in Joe Roberts home in town Tuesday.

Mrs. J. D. Dewbre and daughters called on Mrs. J. C. Stark last Tuesday afternoon.

ARMY TRAINING FOR THIRTY DAYS OFFERED TO MILLS COUNTY BOYS

A thirty day vacation with all expenses paid is waiting for at least one more Mills county boy, and if enough apply, it is practically certain that more will be accepted from this county.

The 30 days will be spent in the Citizens' Military Training Camp near San Antonio from June 19 to July 18. The government will pay 5c per mile transportation both to and from the camp and will provide uniforms, food, shelter, medical attention, military and athletic instruction and any necessary expenses while the boys are in the camp.

Besides military training there are sports of all kinds, including games and swimming, fishing and hunting. Free moving picture shows and other entertainments are provided each evening and regular church services are held by army chaplains on Sundays.

Although Mills county's quota is only for two students, any number may apply, and the greater the number of applicants the more students will be taken.

from the county from which they apply. Last year only one student went from Mills county so the other vacancy was filled by a boy from another county.

Applicants must be between 17 and 24 years of age, physically fit and mature for their age, and must be of good moral character and of average general intelligence. Boys who are capable of being trained for officers are preferred.

Four courses are given, the first requires no previous military experience while each of the following courses requires the completion of the preceding course or its equivalent.

The present indications are that no C. M. T. Camps will be held after this summer, or if they are, the enrollment will be reduced from one-half to two-thirds.

Applicants from Mills county should apply to Judge L. E. Patterson, C. M. T. C. representative at the court house. Information may also be secured from M. Y. Stokes, Jr., at the Eagle office.

Conoco Knows Advertising Pays

Accepted as an expression of confidence in the business outlook for 1933 was the announcement at Ponca City, Okla., this week by the Continental Oil Co., of the approval of the largest advertising budget in the company's history, coincident with the release of an advertising campaign announcing a \$10,000 prize contest in connection with the introduction of Conoco's new bronze high test gasoline.

"Not only will the 1933 advertising budget be the largest in the company's history," said President Dan Moran, "but the major portion of the appropriation will be devoted to the purchase of newspaper space."

The \$10,000 prize contest, which is being announced today in newspaper advertising throughout the country, offers \$5,000 as a grand prize for the best name for Conoco's new bronze gasoline, and \$5,000 in 74 cash prizes for the best slogans describing the merits of the new high test gasoline. The contest will close Feb. 25.

Instructions to keep the flag at the Goldthwaite postoffice at half staff as a token of respect and mourning for Calvin Coolidge were received by Postmaster McDermott last week from W. Irving Glover, acting postmaster general. Flags on all federal buildings will be kept at half mast until Feb. 5, or a month after the death of the former president, the communication said.

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PROTECTING OUR HOMES

At a called meeting of the pastors and ministers of Goldthwaite, January 23, 1933, the following were present: Rev. G. C. Ivins, Elder Clem W. Hoover, Rev. S. O. Hammond, Rev. J. L. Bates, and Rev. J. S. Bowles.

On motion Rev. G. C. Ivins was elected chairman and Rev. J. S. Bowles was elected secretary.

After informal discussion the following resolutions were adopted:

Whereas, there is existing throughout the country a well organized, persistent and determined effort to repeal the Eighteenth Amendment of the Constitution of the United States and Amendment to the State Constitution prohibiting the manufacture and sale of intoxicating liquor and all enforcement statutes for each amendment, and

Whereas, such program if carried out will result in the establishment of the outlawed liquor traffic with all its attendant evils, and

Whereas we deem it an imperative duty in defense of our homes and our families to resist to the limit the doing of anything which might result in the return of the legalized liquor traffic, be it

Resolved, that we oppose, with all the force at our command, every effort to repeal or weaken either the federal or state Constitution or any of the enforcing statutes for either prohibiting the manufacturing, sale or transportation of intoxicating liquor.

Resolved, that in order to a thorough organization of the forces of righteousness against the liquor forces for our county that the citizens be, and are hereby called to meet in the court house at Goldthwaite, Saturday, February 4, 1933, at 2:30 o'clock to take steps to the end sought, and that a full representation of each community be urged to attend said meeting.

Resolved, that the secretary of this meeting be requested to write our representative in the legislature at Austin, requesting that he, by his vote and actions stand by us and the people whom he represents in these suggested measures.

Resolved, that a copy of these proceedings be presented to the Goldthwaite Eagle and the Mullin Enterprise with the request that the same be published in these papers.

Furthermore, it is the ardent desire that all the churches and schools of our county, so far as it is possible, publish the announcement of the above called meeting at the court house, February 4, 1933. Respectfully,

G. C. IVINS, Chairman J. S. BOWLES, Secretary.

CALL BURCH When you want a suit, dress or single garment cleaned or pressed. Call Burch and he will please you.

HENRY W. WATLINGTON, O. B. L., M. C. P., 27 years member of Bermuda Assembly, has been knighted for services to the charming islands, where thousands of Americans find rest and recreation.

RAJAH READY — Rogers Hornsby is working out daily at the "Y" Gym in St. Louis. He will join the Cards as a player, and the fans will see the heavy hitter at second base, if his comeback is successful.

JOHN MARSHALL, son of Walter H. Marshall, Manager of the Vanderbilt Hotel, New York, who is attending Woodberry Forest School in Orange, Virginia, and specializing in golf, is shown getting some practical hints ranging from insurance to health, from the chief of the Vanderbilt, Edward B. ...

WHITES CREAM VERMIFUGE For Expelling Worms HUDSON BROS. DRUGGISTS

DEPRESSION AND WEATHER INCREASING WILD GAME

Mild winters that have made foraging easy and the depression which has cut down the number of hunters have combined to assist in a remarkable increase of game in the Rocky Mountain section of Alberta, according to the fish and game department of the Canadian National Railways.

On a 39-day trip into the hunting region close to the borders of Jasper National Park, Alberta, a party of American sportsmen sighted nearly 700 caribou and more than 200 moose. In one day alone they saw 46 moose, 25 caribou, 8 deer and 3 mountain rams.

In the Brazeau area southwest of the park, they report having seen large herds of elk and they had no difficulty in securing adult male Elk of 10 points or over. These animals have increased so rapidly that the 15-year protection has been lifted.

MAKE TAXATION HURT

One need not be an advocate of the general sales tax to appreciate that it would have one desirable effect: It would make taxation hurt. It would give every citizen, regardless of income, a new understanding of the gigantic cost of the government.

All of us pay taxes. But comparatively few of us pay them directly—and a great many persons who pay indirect taxes think they are escaping taxation altogether.

We pay a tax when we cook and eat a meal, turn on the light, attend a movie, buy clothes, go for a ride, or do almost anything else. These taxes may be concealed in the cost of necessities and pleasures, but they are there nevertheless.

No business can pick money from bushes—every cost of operation, whether it be labor, supplies or taxes must be passed on to the customer.

If more of us felt taxes directly, the chance for really obtaining economical and efficient government would be tremendously improved.

If the sales tax comes, government extravagance and expansion will have again added to the cost of the things we buy—and when it hurts all the people, they may then demand a lower cost of government.

Before considering a sales tax, however, or any other new and increased taxation, public officials would do well to remember that in seeking office at recent state and national elections, they, one and all, stressed the need for economy in public affairs, reduced taxation and, in a number of instances, promised a 25 per cent cut in the cost of government.

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G. C. IVINS, Chairman J. S. BOWLES, Secretary.

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RAJAH READY — Rogers Hornsby is working out daily at the "Y" Gym in St. Louis. He will join the Cards as a player, and the fans will see the heavy hitter at second base, if his comeback is successful.

JOHN MARSHALL, son of Walter H. Marshall, Manager of the Vanderbilt Hotel, New York, who is attending Woodberry Forest School in Orange, Virginia, and specializing in golf, is shown getting some practical hints ranging from insurance to health, from the chief of the Vanderbilt, Edward B. ...

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OWLS

Published by the Student Body of the Big Valley School

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Good Sportsmanship

By Alberta Windham

In every game of life there is only one winner. If he is a good sport he will not let his power to win put him above the other players. In his heart he is proud of himself, but he is careful not to brag about it.

When he is congratulated he is careful not to brag, but passes it off by saying, "Ah, well I'm going to do better next time."

When defeated he is careful not to get mad, but goes to the winner and congratulates him and tells him the game was good and invites him to come back again. He has a determining power that he is going to win next time.

Local News

The wide wave of illness is stretching over our community, causing a great number of our students to be absent from school. Especially is this true in the lower grades; however, this illness is subsiding and we hope for a regular attendance before long.

Mid-Term Examinations

This has been a very busy week as everyone has been busy taking mid-term examinations. The pupils are glad that there is only one mid-term.

Clubs

The fourth grade "Story Hour Club" met this week with story telling as their subject. Gerald Peck won first place in telling stories. This club meets once each week and the members are very interested in its program.

The fifth grade "Longfellow's Club" met this week and proved their interest and ability in their work on poems. Charles Peck won first place in quoting the best and most interesting poem. These clubs are aiding the young members in the further study of literary work.

Who, Who Hiking Club

On Saturday morning, Jan. 7, the members of the "Who, Who, Hiking Club" met at the school house to start on a hike. After walking about two miles, they met Waldine Traylor, who told them that some of the members could not join them on account of sickness.

They reached Mr. Traylor's, and Oliver took them about a mile and half to the creek in a wagon. After they had explored most of the prettiest places, they were ready for dinner. The camp

A man saved a life-saving dog, a large Newfoundland, credited with having rescued many from drowning, thereby reversing the usual order. J. S. W. Thompson of Toronto, first of a human chain stretched out on the ice, through which the dog had fallen, grasped the animal and was pulled to safety with it.

John Leslie Hilton, jr. who was born Dec. 21, in Brooklyn, N. Y., had two teeth at birth, central lower incisors.

Radio receiving sets have been installed in racing stables at Miami, Fla. Trainers said music is soothing to equine nerves.

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fire was built and bacon and eggs were cooked. Just before they were ready to eat four more girls joined them.

After lunch they went to the city. By 3 o'clock they were ready to return home. All were thirsty, so they stopped at Mr. Traylor's for a drink. As they started home one of the girls said, "Oh, look! I see a car coming."

Mrs. Hays jumped up with joy and exclaimed, "It's Jim!"

They enjoyed the ride home and said that next time they would not go so far.

Those that went on the hike were Dora Deane Hale, Valley Faye Kerby, Virginia Dennard, Adell Bynum, Mrs. Hays, Vesuva Sellers, Dona Roberts, Melba Lois and Clemmie Mae Hicks, Nevert Roberts, Bernice and Waldine Traylor and Noma Lee Webb.

Big Valley Owls Beat Center City Bears 21-21

The Center City Bears were defeated to the tune of 24 to 21 by the Big Valley Owls. This game was played Wednesday afternoon on the Big Valley Owls' home court. The Owls had blood in their eyes, so someone was due a trimming. The Owls entered the court led by their captain and center, Clovis Letbetter, followed by the two fast forwards, Buster Moss and Garland Patterson. The two guards took their places, Louis Sullivan and Jack Smith. The score at the end of the half was 12-12. This was followed by another snappy half, which ended in the Owls' favor.

Jokes

Mrs. Hays: Charles, can you give me one use for a cowhide?
Charles: Yes, Ma'am. It keeps the cow together.

Mrs. Hays (to her husband): Your hat is on the wrong way, dear.

Mr. Hays: How do you know which way I'm going?

"Morris," Mr. Hale requested, "name the principal zones."

"The two principal zones, teacher," replied Morris, "are the masculine and the feminine. The masculine is the temperate and the temperate; the feminine is the frigid and the horrid."

Fortune teller: You are going to marry a tall, dark man.

Lorean: Can't you be more specific? All four of them are tall and dark.

Dona, a girl with red hair entered the school room and sat down beside Vernon.

Vernon (edging away): I must not get too close or I shall catch fire.

Dona: Don't be alarmed. Green wood never catches fire.

NEW APPOINTEES NAMED BY WOOD

L. A. Woods, who has assumed office as state superintendent of public instruction has announced temporary and permanent appointees for his department.

W. E. James of Austin was made first assistant superintendent and Miss Ellen Wilson of Waco second assistant.

Other heads were named as follows: H. F. Alves of San Antonio, director of the division of research and accountancy; Mrs. Alma Buchanan of Snyder, chief of the division of correspondence and supplies; J. W. O'Banion of Gladewater, chief supervisor of the division of rural schools; Paul Haines of Waco, director of the division of vocational education; J. J. Brown of San Saba, supervisor of the division of vocational rehabilitation; J. Fred Horn of Austin, director of the division of school plants; J. J. Hendricks of Kerens, director of the division of curriculum and textbooks, and C. L. Kuykendall of Hallettsville, chairman of the division of state board of examiners. B. B. Taylor of Hewitt was named special rural school agent.

Two tiny books, measuring only seven-eighths of an inch by one-half inch, are among the thousands of volumes in the Hobart College Library, Geneva, N. Y. The books are "Washington's Farewell Address" and the "Autobiography of Calvin Coolidge," and contain more than 100 pages each.

SEES NO BIG BENEFIT IN RETURN OF BEER

Predicting that legal beer will return under adverse conditions, Louis M. Hacker, economist and historian, in an article in January Current History under the title, "If Beer Returns," warns that the benefits that will follow the legalization of real beer have been exaggerated. He contends that neither industry, employment, farming nor government revenue will profit to the extent expected by the wets.

"After the original enthusiasm over beer's return has spent itself," Mr. Hacker says, "cost undoubtedly will have a serious effect on consumption. So will the restricted areas of sale and the elimination of the saloon. So will the continuance of the depression. And there are two other factors requiring even more serious consideration. These are that American liquor-drinking habits have changed and that a powerful illicit industry already exists to dispute the field with those brewers who are prepared to pay the high beer excise."

The writer believes the farmer stands to lose as much from the decline in the consumption of milk that is liable to accompany increased beer drinking as he will gain by a moderate increase in the consumption of cereals by the brewers.

Wide Industrial Spurt Doubtful

As to effects upon industry and unemployment, Mr. Hacker says:

"I am inclined to believe that the annual per capita beer consumption will not for some time return to the 1911-14 level, when it was 20.53 gallons, but will be more nearly like the 1919 level, when it was 8 gallons. On that basis the total beer sales for tax purposes will not be 2,500,000,000 gallons, but nearer 1,000,000,000."

"That Americans will quickly slough off the attitudes and traits acquired during the past decade and revert easily to earlier habits, that they will stop drinking spirits, and rise up against the illicit liquor traffic, that they will be entirely satisfied for their alcoholic stimulation with a brewed beverage that is weak in content, highly taxed and relatively difficult to obtain—these miraculous changes are too much to expect."

For over 50 years, Cardui has been helping women just as this Texas lady describes above.

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Got Over Weak, Painful Condition By Taking Cardui

"I was weak and run-down and suffered quite a bit with pains in my side," writes Mrs. Nick Baranco, of Beaumont, Texas. "I was nervous, I did not rest well at night, and my appetite was poor. My mother had used Cardui with beneficial result, so I decided to take it. I surely am glad I did, for it stopped the pain in my side and built up my general health. I took seven bottles in all. For over 50 years, Cardui has been helping women just as this Texas lady describes above. Cardui is sold at all drug stores."

the brewing industry before prohibition, "having not much more than \$850,000,000 capital value and employing about 30,000 persons, cannot be regarded as a major economic enterprise.

"We must not lose sight of the fact," he continues, "that the present illicit liquor traffic in every sense conforms to the definition of an economic enterprise: It utilizes capital for plant and equipment, hires labor, buys raw materials, processes them into finished goods and operates distributing agencies. If anything, in a period like the present, it is more desirable economically than legitimate business because of its quick consumption of capital goods—due to seizures by law enforcement authorities of stills, breweries, trucks, boats and the like—and its high labor costs.

"The better the legitimate brewers will gain mastery over the situation—using capital and giving jobs to men—the more certain they will be to throw other men out of jobs and close up old opportunities for investment and profit. At the present moment it seems to be six of one and half a dozen of the other so far as the total economic gain to society is concerned."

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NEWS ODDITIES

Raincoats have been made for airplanes. They are to be used on the wings to prevent ice forming in winter flying.

In an old quilt in her possession many years, Mrs. H.G. Thurston of Davenport, Iowa, found paper currency worth \$5000.

J. W. Hill of Tulare, Cal., has a pet dog which adopted two kittens. One of the kittens belonged to Hill's ranch, and the other just wandered in from somewhere.

Though its membership has dwindled from 154 to 22, the Holyoke, Mass., Bartenders' Union has maintained its charter and organization since the advent of prohibition.

City Water Commissioners of the Dalles, Ore., are wondering how a 5-inch esel worked its way 140 miles from salt water to become lodged in a residence water pipe.

Shanty dwellers by the Hudson River, New York City, had two young pigs presented to them to be fattened until they could provide a good pork dinner. The men, who are unemployed, are stumped because they don't want to kill the pigs, who have become the camp pets, and they can't go on feeding them.

As Michigan's youngest justice of the peace, Delmar Cleland, 21, is earning the money to complete his education. He planned to enter Detroit Law School this year, but reports business is too good to quit now.

Clarence Hickman of the research department of the Bell Laboratories, New York, presented a modern version of the William Tell incident before the American Association for the Advancement of Science, which met at Atlantic City recently. Mr. Hickman apparently shot an apple off the head of his daughter, Mary, but explained it was a scientific illusion.

Patrolman Robert Allen of Evanston, Ill., started out to serve a subpoena on a wealthy manufacturer. He went to the back door of the man's house and pushed a button. Nothing happened. He pushed again. Three police squads came flying. The push button was connected to a burglar alarm.

Mrs. William Latimer of Vancouver, Wash., went shopping. She ordered her dog to wait at the entrance of a department store. She forgot about her pet, returned home, remembered eight hours later, and went back to the store. The dog was still waiting.

Abraham Martin, 15, of Emmett, Mich., has taught his pet pig to follow him about town. The pig, an 8-months-old Chester white sow, has learned to answer Abraham's call with squeals of delight.

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PRESIDENT OLAYA of Colombia, S. A. and daughter, Lucia, snapped at Recent Military Air Review. They hope that Peru's invasion of Colombian Territory will not precipitate war. But under President Olaya's leadership, the peace-loving Colombians are preparing to leave their coffee fields for the battlefields if necessary.

WALKER'S NEWS—Irving Ben Cooper, (above) one of the leading figures of the Senary investigation of New York City's government, has resigned his post in the Senate Banking investigation of the Stock Exchange.

NEW BABY SENATOR—Senator Robert M. LaFollette, of Wisconsin, who for years has been the youngest member of the United States Senate, relinquishes his distinction to Senator Richard B. Russell, (right) of Georgia, who is 36 years of age.

TWO BETTYS—Betty Webb in real life plays the part of Betty Lou Regent in that thrilling nightly radio mystery serial, "Chandu the Magician."

GEORGE JOHNSTON, famous musician, composer of popular "One More Chance" and now in Hollywood, is shown working on the songs for the new picture of Kate Smith, entitled "Hello Everybody," which will be released soon. Johnston's contract with one of the large motion picture producers has just been renewed.

CAN HE TAKE IT?—Gordon White, (left) seems to be getting the worst of it in his bout with "Toddy" Carroll, during one of the weekly classes conducted for sons of Naval Officers at Annapolis, Maryland.

THE GOLDTHWAITE EAGLE

RIDGE

There will be a pie supper at the school house Friday night, January 27. There will be a short program before the pies are sold. The program and pie supper is being given by the P. T. A. Everyone is invited to be present.

I forgot to mention that we have two new members in our Sunday school. Mr. and Mrs. Chadwick of Rock Springs, Mr. Chadwick is now our superintendent. We are glad to have these good people and would be glad for anyone else to join us. We are working for a bigger and better Sunday school.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Freeman and children visited in Goldthwaite Saturday. Arlie Curtis stayed with her grandmother, Mrs. Curtis Saturday night.

Mrs. Edmondson and daughter spent Saturday evening with Mrs. C. L. Light of Regency.

Mr. and Mrs. Newell Donnan and son, Truman, of McCulloch county visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. O. J. Boatright, this week end.

The P. T. A. met Thursday and selected a play "The Old-Fashioned Mother" to be given in February. Watch for the date in this letter. The members of the P. T. A. also decided for their funds to go to put a well on the school ground.

Mr. and Mrs. Bazzie Lindsey of Fort Worth have moved back in our community. Mrs. Lindsey is Mr. and Mrs. Charley Ashton's daughter, and they are living with Mr. Ashton at present.

Mrs. Kelso spent Thursday night with her sister-in-law, Mrs. Bob Martin, of Center Point. Mrs. Martin has pneumonia and we hope she will be well soon.

S. V. Roberts of Mullin bought some sheep from L. C. Atkinson Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ashton and daughter, Mrs. Lindsey, went to Brownwood Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. D. B. Lindsey went to Brownwood Thursday. We had 43 present at Sunday school last Sunday and Brother Dyches preached for us Sunday evening.

Leona and Raymond Lane spent Saturday and Sunday night in the Freeman home.

Jess Lane and family came through this community Saturday night. They are going to Louisiana.

Several from here attended singing at Ebony last Sunday night.

Leta Marshall is spending this week with Ruby Cummings.

Warren Freeman and Archie Ketchum ate dinner with G. W. Stanley Monday.

Ruby Cummings spent the latter part of the week with Leta Marshall at Mrs. Fowler White's.

REPORTER (1-5-4p)

THE POINTER

Published every week by pupils of the Center Point School. Editor—Adeline Spinks

Chapel

Chapel program was rendered by the primary room Wednesday morning. The senior room will give the next program. We are preparing a debate.

We would be pleased if the patrons of our school would attend these exercises.

Ball Games

The boys and girls of our school and community enjoyed playing ball Friday afternoon. The outside girls were defeated, while the boys tied.

Monday they met again and the girls were defeated by the outside girls. The scores were 16 and 12.

Those That Visited—

Those that visited school Friday were Ollie and Claud Shelton, Julia Dee Fallon, Alva Spinks, Laverne Johnson, Ellen Perry, Carl Spinks, Johnnie Taylor and Lucille Erring.

Those that were there Monday were: Iylene and Wilma Sheffield, Ellen Perry, Julia Dee Fallon, Claud and Ollie Shelton, Willard Davis, Alva Spinks, Laverne and Louise Johnson, Louie Ponder and Lucille Erring.

New Pupils

Little Dorothy Harmon is back in school, after several months of absence. We are glad to welcome her back.

Pupils Absent

Norma Lee Harmon was absent from school Monday on account of illness.

Allene Johnson was also absent Monday.

Johnnie and Deward Fallon were not present Monday.

Teachers Visited Home

Miss Duey visited her home the past week end.

Did You Know That—

It is possible for some deaf persons to hear over the radio? The platypus, a curious Australian animal lays eggs? The heart of a frog will sometimes beat for hours after the frog has died? In one inch of rainfall there are about 27,000 gallons of water to one acre? There is no place on earth where it never rains? Each person sees a different rainbow? Of the thousands of superstitious beliefs relative to the effects that the moon is supposed to have on the earth, the tide is the only visible one? In spite of our highly enlightened civilization, war may not be outlawed for several generations?

RADIO REPAIRS

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THE MOUNTAINEER

Published by the Pupils of Mount Olive School.

Eva Koen Editor
Travis McCarty Ass't. Editor

Bobcats Defeat Indians

Last Wednesday the Bobcats showed themselves superior to the Indians by defeating them by a score of 19-10. Both teams were very anxious to win the game, which caused an unnecessary amount of fouls to be called on the players of each team. Mr. Doris McCarty called the game.

As the tournament is fast approaching, the Bobcats are doing double time on the ball court with greater hope of winning honors than ever before.

Kittens

The Kittens are getting regular practice now and they are learning the value of team work. We defeated Indian Gap's second team last Wednesday and we are expecting to be able to meet their regulars in the near future.

Primary Room

We are surely glad for so many of the students to be back in school. We had several visitors in our room last week—Mrs. Couch, Dosslene, Mrs. Porter, Mrs. Roberts and Jean were here Wednesday. Friday afternoon Mrs. Stanley and Robert Louis paid us a visit. We sure enjoy folks coming to see us. The third grade class made health posters last week. It was hard to decide the best.

This is examination week and that means more studying is necessary.

Community News

On account of bad weather we didn't have much of a program Friday night, but we intend to put on another in the near future.

Mr. and Mrs. George Poer entertained the young folks with a dance Saturday night.

We enjoyed singing very much Sunday and also elected the officers for the following year: Mr. Roberts, president; Mr. Lee Stewart, vice president.

Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Huckabee and children enjoyed a turkey dinner in the D. W. Green home Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Huckabee spent Sunday with Mrs. Mae Hodges.

Bro. Dalton will preach at the Primitive Baptist church Saturday, Saturday night and Sunday. Everyone is invited to come.

Intermediates

Well, we have just passed thru another trying week. We have all been trying to pass on our tests. Our honor roll for this month will appear next week.

It seems that the flu has low-

ered our attendance during the past week. Our teacher had the flu, but was able to continue teaching.

These folks are proud of our first issue of "The Mountaineer" last week.

The boys in this room believe they are real indoor baseball players now. They certainly do not lack for practice. They plan to get new playing equipment soon.

Our teacher evidently does not like for us to be late. If we come in a few minutes late, he calls us 10 o'clock scholars. Exaggeration, I call it.

The teacher was instructing his English class. They were discussing mood. The following sentence was read to the class: "Take the cow out of the lot. 'Now, what mood?' asked the teacher.

"The cow," replied the bright pupil. It seems that Rubin was very unruly one day last week. He was causing plenty of trouble. Finally the teacher walked to his desk, laid his hand on his shoulder and said, "Rubin, I believe the devil has got hold of you."

"I know he has," replied Rubin. Evidently the high school reporter does not report all their room happenings, so again I must report for them.

During a certain physical geography class, they were discussing the planets.

"Has anything ever been discovered on Venus?" asked Mr. Roberts.

"Not if the pictures of her are correct," answered Travis.

High School News

We are preparing for examinations this week. We are all "planning" to make the honor roll.

Johnnie Barrington of Sidney, Texas, visited our school Monday. He went to school here the last two years and we are glad to have him with us again.

Monday morning we adopted an emblem for our basketball team. "Bobcats" was selected for the boys and the girls are to be called "Kittens".

We had several visitors Friday. Mrs. Tully Lee, Mrs. Paul Lee and Miss Arabella Lee. We are proud to have them and will be glad for them to come again.

The other day, just before an examination, Mr. Poer noticed Jimmie seated on a rock with his head in his hands.

"What's the trouble Jimmie?" asked Mr. Poer.

"Well, Mr. Poer, I can't seem to adjust myself to the present conditions. I'm afraid I'm a square peg in a round hole."

RABBIT RIDGE

We are certainly having spring in January.

Most everyone is breaking up their gardens, getting ready to plant.

Hugh Nelson and wife from town sat until bed time with Howard Dewey and wife Tuesday night.

Mrs. Dorman Westerman's brother, Alton Brown, spent a few days this week with her.

Mrs. Abijah Stark spent Friday afternoon with Mrs. A. F. McGowan.

Howard Dewey and wife played 42 at Marvin Spinks' Thursday night.

Little Wallace Whitt from town is spending the week with Hubert Stark.

Quite a few from here enjoyed a party at Bob Webb's Saturday night.

C. H. Black and family from near Scalforn, were visitors in H. B. Bradley's and Dorman Westerman's homes Sunday.

Mrs. Marvin Spinks has been on the sick list for the past week, but is better at this writing.

We are proud of Rabbit Ridge roads. We almost think we live on a highway.

Louie Ponder went to Center Point to church Sunday night.

Mrs. Lowe's son, J. D., was here a day and night this week. We are glad Mrs. Lowe is still improving. Miss Johnson, who has been staying with her the past week returned home Sunday.

Miss Inez Spinks from San Antonio visited her brother, M. L. Spinks and family this week.

I know I didn't get all the news this week. I wish I could get it all. I don't like to leave anyone out.

TRIGGER MOUNTAIN

We are glad to report all those who have had the flu better, especially Mrs. J. B. Lively, who was quite sick for a time.

The shower Saturday night was beneficial to the small grain. Mrs. Cloniger visited her husband over the week end. Mrs. J. D. Kennedy taught in her place Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Roberts and children of Houston are visiting relatives here and at Goldthwaite. They visited W. S. Cunningham Sunday, also Truman Vaughan and family, both of Goldthwaite and of course, Uncle Scott enjoyed having all his children and grandchildren at home.

Mrs. A. B. Campbell of Brady spent the past week here caring for her mother, Mrs. Margaret Lively.

Jno. Kennedy and wife visited in the George Lively home Saturday night.

John Cunningham received a nice present last Friday. Well, we guess it was nice, anyway it was large. Ask him what it was.

Misses Ella and Ruth Vaughan visited the Reynolds girls Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. V. T. Stephens and children visited J. D. Ryan Sunday.

Amos Campbell of Brady came after his wife Sunday.

Oscar Lively visited his mother Sunday and brought Mrs. Denny Fox to stay with her for a few days.

Grady Kennedy and R. E. Davis sold some oats in Mullin Monday.

Orvil Evans visited John Cunningham Monday.

THE FARMER'S WIFE

CENTER POINT

Bro. Renfro filled his regular appointment Saturday night, Sunday and Sunday night. Large crowds attended each service.

Quite a few from here attended singing at Rock Springs Sunday afternoon.

Miss Geneva Sparkman took supper Sunday night with Miss Alleen Johnson.

Mrs. Marion Williams spent the week end with home folks and Miss Ola Belle stayed at her grandmother's.

Miss Inez Spinks spent last week with her sister, Mrs. Joe Anderson.

Bro. Sparkman filled his appointment at Cherokee over the week end.

Bro. Renfro spent Sunday night with Edgar Jenkins.

Mr. and Mrs. E. Hallford, Mrs. Henry Speck, Mrs. Eutis Stevells and Mrs. Harvey Spivey, all of Bangs, visited the Hallford home Saturday night and Sunday.

Mrs. M. T. Harmon of Trigger Mountain visited Mrs. Joe Conner Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Aubrey French and little daughter, Wynno Lee, called on their uncle, J. D. Long, awhile Wednesday afternoon.

Miss Loraine Duey spent the week end with home folks.

Sam Tullos is visiting relatives here.

Gordon Williams has been on the sick list the last few days.

Quite a few reports from different Sunday schools are being given, but so far, our number in Sunday school exceeds any rural Sunday school report I've noticed. Suppose we all pep up and increase our number each Sunday and have a real school.

Mr. and Mrs. Winifred Curb spent a few days last week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. N. Newman.

Bro. Renfro visited in the Ed Davis home Saturday and Sunday night.

Miss Lucille Aaron is spending a few days with her aunt, Mrs. Bob Martin.

Mr. and Mrs. Emil Steinmann visited in the Ed Davis home Tuesday and helped can a beef.

Miss Lucille Aaron dined with Miss Georgia Sparkman Sunday. Mrs. Ruby French spent last week at Goldthwaite attending the revival.

Mrs. Bob Martin has been quite ill with pneumonia, but is greatly improved at this writing.

Fred Davis is helping George Sheffield farm.

Mrs. Jim Harmon spent Sunday with Mrs. Walter Conner.

Calvert Hallford and family visited his mother Saturday night.

Misses Arlie and Lucille Taylor spent Sunday with Merlene Stark. Will Harmon and family visited in the Joe Spinks' home Sunday.

Miss Faye French is at Goldthwaite, attending the revival meeting at the Nazarene church.

Mrs. R. J. and Mrs. Ida Smith, also Mr. and Mrs. J. N. Smith ate supper Sunday night with C. L. Hallford and family.

Misses Claudia Carroll and Julia Dee Fallon have been enjoying some horseback rides.

Mr. and Mrs. Aubrey French visited in the Craig Wesson home Sunday.

Bro. Renfro and Mr. Edlin called on Mr. John Long of Lake Merritt Sunday afternoon.

Mr. Johnson visited Mrs. Julia Taylor one afternoon the past week.

Miss Louise Johnson spent last week with Mrs. Lowe of Rabbit Ridge.

Mrs. Sid Tullos is staying with her daughter, Mrs. Dave Shaw. We are glad Mrs. Tullos is feeling some better.

Mr. and Mrs. T. C. Dempsey, Mrs. Adams and Mr. and Mrs. Virgil Terry, all attended the church services here Sunday night. We are glad to have these folks with us again.

Mrs. R. A. Martin's sister has been at her bedside the past few days.

Everybody come to Sunday school Sunday. BO-PEEP.

HATCHERY NOTICE

I will start my Hatchery on February 6. Bring your eggs Saturday or Monday.

MRS. C. M. BURCH.

CALL BURCH

When you want a suit, dress or single garment cleaned or pressed. Call Burch and he will please you.

ICELANDIC PONIES

For many years I have been interested in Iceland—misnamed, because, comparatively speaking, but little ice is to be found there. Its life, which centers around its remarkable ponies, is especially attractive. Iceland has a climate similar to ours where traveling from place to place is dependent almost wholly upon ponies, although automobiles are growing in number as roadways are built, writes Louise Hastings in Our Dumb Animals.

Someone has said that the burdens of Iceland, are borne almost exclusively on the backs of its ponies. Everybody travels in the interior on ponies, which are raised in the country, because that is the best means of conveyance. For hundreds of years it has been the only means. Every man, woman and child of Iceland can ride. If there is a long distance to travel, extra ponies are taken along to relieve those being ridden every hour. This primitive mode of traveling from farm to farm is interesting, from all accounts, and much to be desired over an automobile when roads are merely tracks and the speed of necessity is not more than from five to ten miles an hour.

These Icelandic ponies are strong and very sure-footed, often going very fast over the stony ground and seldom stumbling, even when obliged to pick their way over the lava rocks and boulders which strew much of the ground in certain sections, or when going in single file along the shelving sides of rocks hundreds of feet up in the air. Bridges, like highways, are rarely to be found, so in crossing deep streams, which are not easily forded on foot, people rely on these little steeds who keep their feet in spite of rolling stones and swift currents.

The chief domestic animals of this country, besides the ponies, are cattle and sheep. Grass here is luxuriant in many valleys, and during the summer months it is mown for fodder. On the quantity of hay harvested depends the number of sheep and ponies and cattle which each farmer can keep over the long winter. With the exception of sheep and horse raising, haymaking is the only agricultural pursuit. Every farm has its small field, but most of the hay grows wild and is a kind of marsh grass found on the boggy moors. When carts cannot be used the ponies take the place of hay carts, great bundles being slung over their backs, one on each side.

The small sure-footed ponies are greatly in demand in other countries, many people liking the peculiar gait of some of them, which is half trot and half canter. When they get to Denmark and other countries that buy them, they are, of course, taught not to fear motor cars, but in their native land they are very much frightened of them and

FIFTH SUNDAY MEETING

To be held with Big Valley Baptist church.

Friday, Jan. 27.

7:00 p.m.—Song and praise service—Claud Losen.
7:30 p.m.—Sermon—Rev. Nicholson.

Saturday

10:00 a.m.—Song and praise service—Floyd Sykes.

10:30 a.m.—The office work of Holy Spirit—Rev. J. R. Davis.

11:00 a.m.—Is baptism essential to salvation?—Rev. L. L. Hays.

11:15 a.m.—If not, why baptize?—Rev. Aaron Shaw.

11:30 a.m.—Sermon—Rev. Jo Friz-zell.

12:00—Noon.

2:00 p.m.—Devotional—Rev. Bedford Renfro.

2:15 p.m.—How can a church command respect from unsaved?—Rev. Nicholson.

2:30 p.m.—The preacher from the viewpoint of laity—Geo. W. Jackson.

3:00 p.m.—Woman's work—Mrs. John Roberts.

7:15 p.m.—Devotional—Rev. Jim Hays.

7:30 p.m.—Sermon—Rev. Richardson.

Sunday

10:00 a.m.—Why maintain a Sunday school?—E. B. Anderson.

10:30 a.m.—The best method of promoting the Sunday school—Claud Losen.

11:00 a.m.—Sermon—Rev. Bradley Allison.

12:00—Noon.

2:00 p.m.—Devotional—Rev. W. T. Kirby.

2:15 p.m.—Our denominational work—W. E. Miller.

2:45 p.m.—Should churches help maintain the prohibitory laws—W. P. Weaver.

3:15 p.m.—Our associational needs—G. C. Ivins.

7:30 p.m.—Sermon—Rev. W. T. Sparkman. COMMITTEE

they rear and plunge and run like wild creatures. In time this problem will be solved, but at present Icelandic ponies are not used to automobiles, as there are only about four hundred miles of roadway over which they may travel with comfort.

Melba Theatre
GOLDTHWAITE
FRIDAY-SATURDAY
"A Passport To Hell"
with
Elissa Landi — Paul Lukas
Warner Oland
SUNDAY — MONDAY
Sunday 2 P. M.
"Hat Check Girl"
with
Sally Eilers

New Grocery Store

We are opening a new Grocery Store in the building formerly occupied by Taylor's Bakery, next door to the picture show.

We hope to be open for business about February 1st., or within a day or two thereafter.

We will appreciate your Grocery Business or any part of it, and will promise you in return — Quality, Service and Prices as good as can be had anywhere.

Come to see us, or phone us, for we will treat you right.

City Grocery
FLOYD F. LIGON, Manager

FRIDAY AND SATURDAY

Maxwell House Coffee, 3-lb can 80c
Oats, Crystal Wedding 18c
Peanut Butter, qt. jar 21c
Dried Peaches, 3 lbs. 32c
Prunes, 3 lbs. 21c
Tomatoes, 3 cans No. 2 22c
Salmon, 2 tall cans 21c
Ground Meat, 2 lbs. 12c
Beef Roast, lb. 10c

We can fill your wants in Valley Fruits and Vegetables.

Long & Berry

MAGNIFICENT GOVERNMENT BUILDINGS

Before it is two years old, the Roosevelt administration will come into a kingdom of magnificent government buildings.

Huge, modern, fireproof structures are rearing their heads eight stories high along Pennsylvania and Constitution avenues.

An army of workmen, 3000 or 4000 strong, swarms over the lofty steel skeletons. Rivet guns split the air with the deafening rat-tat-tat of steel on steel. Great cranes swing ponderously against the sky.

When Uncle Sam builds he builds for the centuries. Yet five of the biggest together will cost but \$42,300,000, compared to \$17,000,000 for the Commerce Department building alone, completed a little less than a year ago.

The difference is ascribed partly to the change in the level of wages and the price of materials and partly to the use of less showy and expensive fittings.

Another reason is that the commerce department building is larger than any of those now under construction.

Three of President-elect Roosevelt's new cabinet members will move into brand new buildings about midway in the administration as the structures being erected include new homes for the postoffice, justice and labor departments.

The justice building will cost \$12,000,000, postoffice \$10,300,000 and labor together with a separate structure for the interstate commerce commission and a connecting wing, \$11,250,000.

The postoffice is expected to be completed by August, 1934, and the others soon after.

New buildings will house the archives of the treasury and part of the activities of the agriculture department.

Up on Capitol Hill the new Supreme Court building, for which the corner stone was laid recently by President Hoover, is taking shape. A new house office building to supplement the old one is getting a new wing.

To save space and provide greater convenience, the postoffice, labor and interstate commerce commission buildings, being erected between Constitution and Pennsylvania avenues and Eleventh and Fourteenth streets, will form one great unit with connecting wings.

On a rainy day the secretary of labor will be able to walk over to see the postmaster general without getting his feet wet, although he will probably wish he had a bicycle by the time he has traversed a few hundred feet of corridors.

Gibraltar-like at the side of the new structures is the great gray hulk of the old postoffice department building. Its days are numbered, although the difficulty of removing that mountain of stone has prevented any definite plans thus far for tearing it down.

In the "new Washington" which will come into being during the time President Roosevelt is in the White House, the visitor will see a succession of great white public buildings, majestic rather than massive, lining broad Constitution avenue, almost from the capitol to the Potomac. Already one may see the outlines of this picture, etched in concrete and steel.

YOUTH AND ADVERTISING

Fifty years ago boys and girls were adept at weaving rag rugs, knotting quilts, carding wool, spinning homespun and stretching carpets. Today boys and girls know the entire abc of the automobile, the electric household utensils, the steam heat system, the aeroplane and the radio. But the youth of today knows little of what constituted the store of knowledge of the youth of yesterday.

The omniscience of youth in every era is ever amazing, but that of today would be inexplicable but for one thing more than all others. That is advertising. In the newspapers and magazines children are finding a vast storehouse of practical and useful information and instruction. The value of this incidentally acquired knowledge can not be measured in class room hours. The youth of America is finding that advertising pays it.

Psychologists have expounded the theory that truths are sometimes observed first by the adolescent. In the case of advertising it may truthfully be said that there are some of mature age who have not yet learned the value of advertising. Advertisers do not buy newspaper and magazine space for the edification of the public, either juvenile or adult, but they recognize the children of today are not only a potent factor in the business of today but the deciding factors in the business of tomorrow.

MOHAIR IN THE HOME

A recent lecture by an expert in home decoration delivered at the Fort Worth Woman's Club gave a bit of information which should be specially interesting to Texas housewives. It is that among the fabrics most favored by authorities for home decoration is none other than mohair, a product more nearly and exclusively "Texas made" than any other that might be imagined.

The lecturer expressed wonder that the beauty and utility of mohair were not more widely appreciated by those women who, for one reason or another, attend themselves to the decoration of their homes without the assistance of a professional interior decorator. It is the "star piece" in the professional decorator's repertoire, she said, having a distinction combined with superior utility possessed by no other fabric for such uses as draperies, slip covers for furniture, and so forth. And it is less expensive than most fabrics used for such purposes.

Manufacturers of mohair fabrics have developed a great variety of designs and fabrics. From the sheerest glass curtains to the heaviest drapes and covers, mohair may now be obtained.

Texas outranks all states and foreign countries in the production of mohair. It is the principal industry of a great section of West Texas. The state would prosper mightily from its increased use. With the testimony of nationally accepted authorities as to the fitness of mohair fabrics for home decoration, Texas as homes should lead in its utilization.—Fort Worth Star-Telegram.

Try Eagle Want-Ads for the best results.

Mullin News

From the Enterprise

MRS. C. R. WILSON DEAD

Mrs. C. R. Wilson, 69, pioneer Mills county citizen died at her home in this city at sunset Saturday. The funeral services were held Sunday afternoon at three o'clock from the Baptist church with Rev. A. R. Watson and Rev. L. J. Vann, officiating. Interment was made in Oakview Cemetery. Randolph Company Funeral Home had charge of arrangements.

Miss Mollie Shearin was born in Lee county in 1863 and married Calvin R. Wilson in 1888. They moved to this county, and settled at Duren about 30 years ago; later moving to Mullin.

She was a loyal friend, a beloved sister and a devoted wife and mother and a consecrated Christian.

She was a light in the home and had an especial talent in the culinary arts. Her breads, cakes and pies seemed to have been touched by a magic wand. She arose early to set her house in the acme of order and had a great joy in her pretty flower yard and fine poultry.

Her slogan was: "A good name is rather to be chosen than great riches." She is survived by her husband, C. R. Wilson, two sisters, Mrs. S. E. W. Hudson and Mrs. W. H. Joekel, besides a number of nephews.

Pall bearers were D. A. Hamilton, W. S. Kemp, W. W. Perkins, S. S. Farmer, Willard Mosser, R. H. Patterson, Conveyer of the flowers were Carl Perkins, Glen Kittle, Barney McCurry, M. R. Wylie and Ward Farmer.

Among the out of town people who attended the funeral of Mrs. C. R. Wilson Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. Harry Doran and children, Mrs. S. E. Kelley, Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Norris, Mrs. Ed Lanham, Tom Hudson, Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Wayland of San Saba, Lee Wilson and Jim Harris of Elgin.

HAPPY BIRTHDAY RETURNS

Miss Katie Jule Crockett celebrated her birthday Wednesday night with a lovely party at the pretty apartment of her sister, Mrs. Barney McCurry.

The decorations were lovely and the jolly guests had a most delightful time, as well as the honoree, who appreciated the many lovely gifts and the love and admiration they conveyed to her from her friends and school mates. The jolliest contest of the evening was the noted "Conversation" and caused the house to laugh. Bridge and other games were enjoyed. A dainty plate of sandwiches, potato chips, pickles, fruit cake and hot chocolate was served to the following: Reba and Wyno Rose Tillman, Iva Lee Daniel, Ida Mae Roberts, Orell Clendennen, Neil Guthrie, Evelyn Reeves, Ida Annie Reed, Adeline Pyburn, Grace Perkins, Aline and Ozella Ince, Tootsie Hancock, Wilba Kemp, John Linn Scott, Joe Hugh Fletcher, Joe Francis Ivy, Seth Farmer, R. D. and Virgil Scrivner, George Roberts, Alva Masters, Odorine Renfro, M. E. Williams and Lewis Pafford.

BIRTHS

Mr. and Mrs. Elzie Pitman of Pompey are proud of a new son, born Jan. 21. The young man is the first grandson of Mr. and Mrs. Tip Carlisle.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Jones of Priddy announce the arrival of a daughter Sunday night. She tipped the scales at ten pounds.

Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Truitt report the arrival of a 9-pound girl in their home in this city Jan. 19.

SOCIAL EVENT OF RECENT DATE

Miss Carrie Kirkpatrick and Mrs. L. D. Brown were honor guests at a delightful social affair at the parsonage recently. The hospitable home was effectively decorated.

Many amusing and interesting contests and games kept the guests absorbed and a joyous spirit pervaded the air. Then a mysterious one for the honorees, guests, were each given a surprise birthday shower of lovely gifts. Delicious refreshments were served to the guests.

Earl Davis was a Goldthwaite visitor Saturday.

Mrs. E. V. Bolten is reported on the sick list this week.

R. T. Ratliff visited his uncle in Brownwood the past week.

W. T. Roberts and family of Belton visited relatives here Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Reynolds visited relatives in Goldthwaite Tuesday.

Mrs. E. V. Bolten is convalescing from a severe attack of acute indigestion.

P. R. Hancock and family of Waco are guests in the home of W. C. Hancock.

Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Burkett carried their turkeys to Brownwood Monday and sold them.

Mrs. W. C. Preston has been ill for the past four days, but was improving at last report.

S. H. Davis' many friends have missed him in town this week. He is reported on the sick list.

W. C. Scrivner and R. H. Patterson looked after business in Zephyr Tuesday afternoon.

Mrs. S. J. Casey made a trip to Temple and spent one day in that city during the past week.

Rev. and Mrs. L. D. Brown have gone to Gonzales for a visit with Mrs. Brown's home folks.

Barbara June Casey has been sick during the week and has had to miss school on account of flu.

Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Smith and Mrs. W. P. Summy of Prairie were Brownwood visitors Monday.

Misses Sybil and Holly Guthrie spent the week end with Miss Mildred Cunningham at Newburg.

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Pickens of Lometa were recent guests of A. H. Pickens and J. J. Canady and families.

Mrs. T. J. Till of Richland Springs has been a guest of her daughter, Mrs. D. L. McNeill, during the week.

Mr. Miller and family of Nabors Creek have moved to the Sawyers residence in the southern part of town.

Mrs. Will McGrew came in Wednesday from Coleman and carried Mrs. S. E. Penland home with her for a visit.

Miss Vada Shelton and Miss Reecie Holland, two of Mullin's girls, who are in a Brownwood hospital for treatment, are slowly improving.

Ray Duren entered Stephenville college Monday and will be in college the rest of the year. Ray is another fine ambitious boy making good.

Mr. and Mrs. Oran Coor and Mrs. L. B. McCormick and daughter have returned to their home on Lapan Flat, after visiting with G. B. Wallace and family.

Mrs. S. E. W. Hudson and Mrs. W. H. Joekel have returned to their home in San Saba, after an extended visit here with their sister, the late Mrs. C. R. Wilson.

A. H. Daniel carried his little daughter, Bonita, back to Brownwood Tuesday for treatment for her severe attacks of asthma. She has had several severe attacks this week.

Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Clark of Brownwood spent Sunday in the home of Mr. and Mrs. L. W. Wigley. They accompanied Miss Willene Wigley home from a visit of several days.

Carol Henry has gone to Lamesa on a business trip. Carol is a fine boy and we hope he finds a good job for he is capable and efficient and would give his employer value received.

County Agent W. P. Weaver of Goldthwaite and Mr. Cockrell of Big Valley made a recent trip to Mullin and did some valuable pruning among the shrubs and trees at John Carlisle's and R. H. Patterson's.

Miss Loraine Lockett of Brownwood came down Wednesday morning to get her grandmother, Mrs. W. C. Hancock, to accompany her home and nurse her sick mother, Mrs. F. L. Lampman, who is seriously ill.

A. E. Hancock, who has recently submitted to a sinus operation, has sufficiently recovered to come home from Santa Anna and spend the week end with his family, returning to Santa Anna Monday for further treatment.

Quarterly conference of the Methodist church was held Sunday. The presiding elder, Rev. J. E. Lovett, preached at the eleven o'clock hour. The conference was previously announced to be held at Star, but owing to an epidemic of illness there it was later transferred to Mullin.

CHAPPEL HILL

Bryan Nichols spent the week end with the Ivy boys.

Mrs. Liss Walker spent Saturday afternoon with Mrs. Ernest Eakin.

Those visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Jess Ivy Sunday afternoon were Arnold Walker, John and Albert Wuelstanger, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Weiderbush and children, Erna, Delois, Pallie, Victor, George Henry and Reginald Rubin, Mr. and Mrs. Norris Crook and their children, Clayton, Catherine, Willis-Orby and Charles Norris, jr.

Ernest Eakin and Harry Clark sawed their wood piles Saturday.

Fritz Buffe and wife visited in the home of Mrs. Buffe's parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. Lorenz Sunday.

Norris Crook and family visited Uncle Jim Evans and family Sunday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. Liss Walker and children, Kathleen and M. C. visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Will Fickle Sunday afternoon.

Clayton Crook and William Ivy attended singing at Priddy Sunday.

Miss Hazel Eakin spent Saturday night with Miss Kathleen Walker.

Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Reynolds and family spent Sunday in the Fickle home.

Pete Ryan spent Saturday night and Sunday with Arnold Walker.

D. Greathouse and Will Fickle and family had business in Goldthwaite Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Clark and children, Ora, A. J., Beatrice, Fay and Dildy, visited Uncle Bill Eakin and wife of Goldthwaite Sunday.

LEGISLATURE RECEIVES FLOOD OF NEW BILLS

Over one hundred new bills have been offered in the Texas senate since the opening of the Legislature, and more than two hundred have been presented to the house.

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SPECIALS

For Friday and Saturday

- 3-lb box Crackers 32c
- 2 cans Campbell's Pork and Beans 13c
- Good sack Flour 70c
- Swansdown Cake Flour 25c
- 1-lb can Par Coffee 25c
- 1 can Sockeye Salmon 20c

3 Bars Vanity Fair Soap . . . 25c
Scissor Sharpener FREE

We don't kill anything but Baby Beef

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Cheapest in the end is the article that gives long service.

SHOES

Here is real quality that can be afforded by all. Bought in case lots and especially made up for us. To the man who is looking for an all leather shoe with good workmanship and good wearing qualities, we have it here for \$1.95 up



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HATS STETSON BORSOLINA MALLORY



We are showing a shipment of the latest styles and blocks. You will agree they are the best hat values you ever saw. We have a wide assortment for you to choose from and you can find one to your liking.

A special group of hats that formerly sold for as much as \$7.50, priced at \$2.50

SHIRTS

We are continuing our Shirt Sale this week. Featuring 'close-outs' of quality shirts at prices never before thought possible. You can save money on shirts and be sure of a smart appearance. They are made by Wilson Bros., Grayco and Shircraft.



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Little's

GEESLIN'S Friday and Saturday SPECIALS

- 10 lbs. Pinto Beans 34c
- 4-lb pkg. Seedless Raisins 31c
- No. 1 Tomatoes, per can 5c
- 8 lbs. pure Lard 49c
- Large White Swan Oats 14c
- Wood Brooms 19c

B. F. Geeslin GROCERIES

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STOP THE SALES TAX!

Every candidate for office last year promised the voters that he would do his part to reduce taxes. Now is the time for them to make good.

The governor in her message to the legislature has demanded the passage of a sales tax which she estimates will produce \$65,000,000 new revenue. If this is done she favors abolishing the valorem state tax which would otherwise bring in \$15,000,000 next year.

That doesn't sound like tax reduction. That isn't tax reduction. Here is the way the proposed tax will work. A three per cent tax will be levied on practically every sale that is made in the state. Take something that everybody uses, sugar, for example. The sugar manufacturer would have to collect three per cent on all the sugar he sells, or at present prices about 11c per 100-lb. sack. The wholesaler would have to pay another three per cent tax which would amount to 12c more. Then the retailer would be soaked for still another three per cent of the retail price or at least 14c more.

Texas is proud of her manufacturers who have shown their faith in Texas by building factories here, buying Texas raw materials, and hiring Texas workers. If this law is passed, the Texas manufacturer will be penalized three percent of his sales, in addition to his other taxes, and will no doubt see much of his business go to factories outside of Texas who pay no Texas taxes at all.

It will increase the cost of living for every man, woman and child in Texas without adding one cent to the income of the average citizen.

It will keep every useless tax-eating employe on the state's payroll and add hundreds of new tax gatherers to be supported by the burdened taxpayers.

It will create thousands of bootleggers of merchandise of all kinds just as the gasoline tax has produced gasoline bootleggers.

Instead of encouraging economy in government, it will make government more wasteful.

The big landholders of the state will be freed of their state ad valorem taxes while the poor tenants will be taxed on their sugar and coffee and flour to make up for it.

IF YOU DON'T WANT TO BE SADDLED WITH THIS INEQUITOUS NEW TAX, NOW IS THE TIME TO SAY SO.

Write a letter or a postal card to your state representative and state senator and let them know what you think about it. Ask your friends to write them. Tell them what you want is less taxes instead of more taxes, fewer tax-eaters instead of more tax-eaters, reduction in expenses instead of increased state expenses. If they don't hear from you they will take it for granted that you have no objection to paying more taxes. Write them what you think, and do it now. You have no time to lose. If enough people will protest, this new tax can be stopped. If nothing is done, the tax is as good as passed already.

If you live in Mills county, send your letters or postal cards to: Hon. Walter Woodward, State Senate, Austin, Texas. Hon. George W. Rollins, House of Representatives, Austin, Texas.

OATH OF OFFICE, UP-TO-DATE

In commenting on the oath of office which was administered to the members of the Texas Legislature when it convened, "Sauce" of the Brady Standard objects to the inclusion of the duel clause and says:

"Can you feature such hokum still being solemnly enacted in this enlightened and advanced age? Small wonder it is that the high costs of government mount high and higher, when it is next to impossible to rid the laws and the rules and regulations of government of such obsolete, such absurd, such completely idiotic practices."

Perhaps "Sauce" is right. Maybe it would be a good idea to cut away those relics of the past of Texas when men were men and wore beards and women wore skirts, when honor was something more than a word in the dictionary and reputations were worth fighting and even dying for.

But if we delete these time-honored phrases from our state officials' oaths, surely we should add something in their place to bring the oath up-to-date and at the same time make it easy for the average politician to understand and to keep. This is the age of spending and of speed. Our officials might be sworn in in this wise:

"I solemnly swear that I have never walked when I could ride and never ridden when I could fly. I have never stopped to think when I could talk and never stopped talking as long as anyone was left to listen. I believe that public office is a public bust, and I would rather for the state to go broke than to lose my job. As a statesman I swear that my first duty will be to spend and my next to raise taxes. I will never buy anything for cash that can be bought on time.

"I furthermore affirm that I shall devote as much time to my office as my private affairs will permit and that I will fight for rigid economy in government so long as none of my pet expenses nor my \$10 a day are reduced.

"I solemnly swear to uphold and defend the eighteenth amendment to the federal constitution provided it does not interfere with my personal liberty to drink what and where I please, and I pledge my best efforts to have it repealed for the wets and enforced for the dries and guarantee to satisfy them both.

"I furthermore swear and affirm that I am not a technocrat and that I do not understand technocracy nor have I aided, abetted or advised anyone in so offending, so help me. Nor have I ever trumped my partner's ace at bridge."

Such an oath would be modern and easy to keep, and the voters would at long last have representatives whose oaths of office mean something and are in keeping with their acts.

THE TWENTIETH AMENDMENT

Thirty-six states have now ratified the twentieth amendment to the Constitution of the United States, and it becomes a part of the law of the land. The 72nd Congress now dragging to a close will be the last "Lame Duck Congress" at which congressmen defeated in the November elections may still control legislation.

After this, congressmen will take their seats on January 3, and the president will be inaugurated on January 20. The amendment will shorten President Roosevelt's term by 43 days and his salary by about nine thousand dollars, but it will be of untold benefit in speeding legislation and reducing the uncertainties existing between the defeat of one president and the inauguration of his successor.

Some Queer Ideas

It seems to the Eagle that one must be in the newspaper business to find all the people with queer ideas and all who act without judgment or reason. Many of these people are not actuated by motives to secure something for nothing or to overreach, but simply have queer ideas. One example is the person who sends to a newspaper for free publication a lengthy obituary and card of thanks when perhaps neither the deceased nor any member of the family ever patronized the publication in any way. Just why do they suppose the publications should be made and how do they think the publisher pays expenses. Under what obligation, for sooth, is the publisher to them when they do not even send the price of a sample copy that they may read their articles. All papers everywhere charge even their best friends and customers for such articles, yet these non-patrons imagine the publisher should be

pleased to pay the expense of publishing their articles free. Another queer fellow is the one who takes the paper as long as it is sent to him on credit and when the publisher tires of waiting on him and discontinues the paper to his address, blandly passes in the price of subscription "for another year."

Then we have the writer who sends in an article on some subject or on various subjects and refuses to let his identity be known, preferring to let the editor "take the fight," notwithstanding the editor has no interest in the matter whatever.

Some send in long articles extolling the virtues and benefits of their services or articles of merchandise and want the publication made free. Yet, they "wonder how a newspaper lives." The fact is, the paper would not live long if its business was conducted according to their desires.

There are other queer ones, but these are just given as a sample.

THE REALM OF SCIENCE

A new theory which indicates that many elderly people who find their sight less keen than it once was can see as well as ever if they merely use much brighter light, has been suggested in Germany by Prof. Arthur Birsch-Hirschfeld of the University of Konigsberg and is reported by the correspondent of the American Medical Association. The methods of eye-testing ordinarily used by oculists make all such tests under about the same light intensity. When so tested, the majority of elderly eyes show some falling off in acuteness of sight. Most oculists believe this to be inevitable, just as many elderly people lose some of the ability of their eyes to adjust themselves to different distances and, therefore, have to wear bi-focal glasses. Prof. Birsch-Hirschfeld has devised new eye-testing methods in which the illumination of the test charts varies.

Among other conclusions, he finds that the real change in many elderly eyes is not any decrease in acuteness of vision, but is merely a change in ability to see in dim light, so that more light than formerly is needed for the same kind of eye work. If provided with this brighter light, these elderly eyes see as well as ever and often as well as present-day young eyes. The brighter light must be obtained without glare, heat or other discomfort, especially when using artificial light. Further experiments are to be made to decide whether oculists' methods of eye-testing should be revised to suit the new conclusions.

BORN BUT UNRECORDED

"Nearly 100 Nolan county babies and children have, so far as vital statistics are concerned, never been born. That's what the Health Unit found out in a checkup over the county. It might be taken for granted that one's actual presence on this earth is proof enough that he was born, but the laws of the land do not always see it that way. Vital statistics are of importance to every state in many ways, and a recorded birth certificate, may, in later years, be of considerable importance to the adult. Texas has always lagged behind other states of the nation in its system of recording vital statistics. So far as Nolan county itself is concerned, parents whose children's birth certificates have never been recorded should take immediate steps to meet the simple but important requirement in that connection." —Nolan County News.

ROCKETS DESTROY HAIL

In Bavaria, Germany, experiments are being made with rockets as a means of protecting crops against hail.

HEALTH HINT

Remarkable experiments which may explain the much disputed power of the mind to make people sick or get them well again, even to help or hinder the catching of germ diseases, have been reported by Dr. S. Metalnikov of the Pasteur Institute, in Paris. These were done with about the simplest and lowliest creature that can be said to have a mind at all, the grub or caterpillar of an insect called the galleria moth. These caterpillars possess what might be called three brains; one in the head and the two others in the form of nervous ganglia, part way along the body. The caterpillars are subject to various germ diseases and can be inoculated against some of these by the injection of dead germs, just as human beings are inoculated against typhoid fever. This inoculation works just as usual, Dr. Metalnikov finds, if the main brain in the insect's head is destroyed or even if the second of the three brains is damaged. The third brain, however, is different. If all three brains are destroyed, the caterpillar still lives, but the germ inoculations no longer have any protective effect. Apparently the mysterious bodily reactions which cause the immunity to germs are not purely physical but also are controlled in part by the nervous system. All of which suggests that man's mind and nervous system may have much to do with resistance or susceptibility to disease. This may explain, in turn, the familiar but mysterious fact that depressed and mentally disturbed people often fall victims to disease easier than people who are determined not to get sick or to get well promptly if they are sick.

What Other Editors Have to Say

PEACE IN 1933

It would be a daring prophet who would assert that the end of the year 1933 would find the world in a more peaceful and harmonious attitude than it is at the present time. The past 12 months have not been marked by many significant steps in the paths of international accord. On the contrary, certain distinctly reactionary trends can be noted. And yet these failures can not but challenge the millions of many nations who realize that the constructive work of eliminating war from the earth is at best a long and laborious process.

The pessimistic commentator on world events no doubt reached at the perils through which this nation and others have just passed. At a time when economic disorganization is still a source of worry and concern to the business and industrial leaders of the United States and Europe, the political problems multiply in importance and complexity. The capitalistic system faces assaults from Russia. The League of Nations faces attack from Japan. The world disarmament conference, which Geneva sponsors and which the United States endorses, has apparently reached an impasse as the new year dawns.

The realist must be completely and unhappily aware of the unfortunate state of world affairs, and yet it is possible for him properly to estimate and analyze the situation without giving way to despair. It is, of course, easy to say that the world could be worse off, but so far as that statement be applied to political affairs it is undoubtedly true. The governments now in power are firmly in the saddle and not at all likely to be overthrown. The incoming administration in the United States has promised a continuity of foreign policy gratifying to the American people, with the prospects that Norman H. Davis will renew his labors at Geneva representing a united nation. Ramsay MacDonald stays at the helm in Great Britain, a tried and true friend of the United States and of world peace. The menace of Hitlerism in Germany seems definitely exploded, with the economic and financial outlook more cheering to the people of that nation. France maintains a government which is still more or less under the control of Briand's spiritual heirs.

It is perhaps true that we have many and greater and more perplexing problems facing us in the new year than ever before, but there are these elements of stability in the world today which were not present 12 months ago. Not long after 1931 passed into history the smoke of the machine guns at Shanghai was drifting west across the map of the nations, the mallet fist of Hitler still threatened the peace of Europe, hints of revolution in a dozen countries contributed to the uneasiness of diplomats and statesmen. A year later, the Japanese have hurled defiance at the League of Nations, but have at least retired from Shanghai in the face of almost universal condemnation. Hitler has been contemptuously dismissed by Von Hindenburg. Soviet Russia has not proved the menace to individual trade that was feared. Governments are stable in spite of economic and social conditions which might have caused riot and bloodshed untold during the months just past.

The future challenges us all, challenges America to take the leadership in devising the formula for world disarmament. The war debt problem remains to be solved. The narrow nationalism which calls for higher tariff barriers and stronger armies and navies must be confronted with the hard economic facts which tell us that man can not live alone as a selfish political entity, but must trade with and associate with his neighbors. The year 1933 should see real progress made in disarmament, an agreement for the reduction of standing armies in Europe and budgets by the one-third ration originally laid down, a reduction which would lift a tax load of billions from the peoples of the continent. The year 1933 should see further adjustments in the limitations emphasized by

PLANTING TIME

Now is a good time to get that orchard or garden planted. Many persons in Coleman county expect to plant gardens this year the two county agents declare.

Either of the county agents here will be glad to give information on planting of orchards, gardens or shrubbery. Farmers and their wives found their gardens to be life savers in 1932 and for that reason alone an increase in acreage of gardens in this county may be expected. With the advent of canning, many persons are eating this winter the vegetables and meats that were canned months ago. Fruits, too, can be canned successfully, of course, and for that reason there has been more than usual interest in planting orchards in this section.

Persons living in this section of the state are fortunate this year in that there is plenty of seasoning in the ground. Thus, a good start is given them in their planting by old mother nature.—Coleman Democrat-Voice.

THE HOUSE SAVES \$2.50

The House at Austin feared to seem callous of the claims of Divinity and so insisted upon spending \$5 per day on a chaplain for the current session. Economizing on God was too much for the members, Texas, they decided, needs prayer and \$5 worth per day is little enough, in all conscience.

It does not appear to have occurred to the House that 150 members severally and sincerely doing their own praying might be more pleasing to the Almighty than the proxy prayers of a chaplain, however, devout. This, however, is not unheralded as a proxy regime, and hired prayers are better than none at all, as the House very properly decides.

Economy, however, does not go utterly begging in the House. The salary of the assistant reading clerk, who will probably do as much work as the reading clerk, has been reduced from \$7.50 to \$5 per day. The House thus triumphantly saves \$2.50 per day. Meanwhile the senate has voted to work for \$8 per day if the House will agree to it. Of course, by losing the bill in the House somewhere the suggestion can be gracefully buried. It usually works out that way. But the assistant reading clerk is lucky to get as much as the chaplain does.—Dallas News.

The London naval treaty, a scaling down of the size of fighting vessels with an accompanying direct economic benefit to the nations primarily concerned. The year 1933 should see a revision of the war debts which would enable the debtor nations to rebuild their economic structure and the United States, the chief creditor nation, to find itself once more with a rehabilitated foreign trade. The year 1933 should see America officially adhere to the world court, should see Geneva take on a new lease of life with the United States, unofficially co-operating with its agencies as never before.

Without being unduly optimistic, we may feel that the peoples of the world have a right to expect that some at least of these contributions to the cause of international peace and the common welfare can be realized before the end of 1933.—Houston Chronicle.

WOMEN IN ATHLETIC CONTESTS

Prof. Umberto Gabbi, director of the medical clinic of the University of Parma, Italy, in an article in the Milan newspaper, Pi-polo d'Italia, advises Italian women not to compete in the more strenuous athletics with the women of the Anglo-Saxon race. However, this article is certainly not flattering to the daughters of the Anglo-Saxon race who broke so many records at the Olympics in Los Angeles last summer.

"They have little grace or delicacy of form," he says of Nordic women who excel in running, jumping and throwing of the javelin. "They are often thick of neck and have Herculean arteries, peninsular hands and territorial feet. Family life attracts them but lightly and they are not greatly concerned with modesty." On the other hand, Italian women are "delicate of muscle and sentiment." They are not built, morally or physically, to compete in the more violent forms of exercise and by doing so they would risk losing their modesty, figure and adaptability for bringing healthy children into the world. He advocates the appointment of a committee to study the problem and decide the kind of sports to which Italian women are suited before the Olympic committee's program of women's athletic training becomes effective.

What Italian girl would want to become the Babe Didrikson of the Olympic games of 1936, after listening to Prof. Gabbi? Why should she feel envious of women with peninsular hands and territorial feet? And how could she resist an argument so persuasive and so complimentary? Conceding that the professor may have exaggerated the imperfections of Anglo-Saxon women without however, asserting that he exaggerated the charm of Italian women, it is safe to say that the young women of Italy will not compete in strenuous athletic contests.—St. Louis Globe-Democrat.

GENERAL CALLES GRADUALLY RETIRES

Dispatches tell of the strong and able administration of the national affairs of Mexico being given by the new president Gen. Abelardo Rodriguez, and of the apparent effort of Gen. Calles to slip into the background.

Gen. Calles has not only had a sufficiency of hard work, responsibility and politics, but he doubtless has the good sense to know that the one supreme task of a "strong man" of any country is to find a way to develop such strength in the government that he may remove himself without causing collapse or revolution.

It is one thing for a Mussolini for instance, to place himself in power and order the affairs of government in such a way as he thinks best for the nation and its people. It is quite another for him to get himself out of power without causing damage to the structure he has endeavored to construct. That is the problem Mussolini faces. Stalin of Russia has the same problem.

Gen. Calles is not quite in the category of these men, for he has all along sought merely to fortify the government, not to exercise the role of dictator openly and absolutely.—El Paso Times.

The Children's Corner

Boys and Girls Here is another Mother Goose drawing for you to cut out and color. Look for another next week.



NEIGHBORING NEWS

ITEMS FROM LOCAL PAPERS OF TOWNS MENTIONED

Lampasas

The annual stock holders meeting of the two national banks of Lampasas were held last week to elect directors and officers for this year. No change was made in the personnel of either bank.

Mr. Joseph Allan received a letter from a niece in Duns, Berkshire, Scotland, this week, telling of the death of Wm. Allan 83, and Miss Jane Allan 96. The two died the same day, Jan. 2. These people were brother and sister of Joseph Allan and David Allan, both deceased, who lived in and near Lampasas for nearly a half century.

Many people want to work for something to eat and wear. This was thoroughly demonstrated in Lampasas this week when the time arrived for the disbursing of the federal relief funds received here through the efforts of the local chamber of commerce. Practically 100 people have filed their names with the committee for work, and around fifty have been given employment a part or all the time this week. The wages paid are \$1 per day for eight hours work. The committee went to Fort Worth last Friday to make bond and receive the \$1500 allotted Lampasas for the relief of local unemployment for two months.

Wednesday afternoon Sheriff A. R. Harvey and Deputy Emmett Ramsey arrested two fellows between Lampasas and Lometa and placed them in jail. The arrest was made after the Sheriff's department here had been called by a Lometa man who said that a man had tried to sell some bridles there that afternoon, and that he was the same man who tried to sell a saddle here about six weeks ago. On being questioned Wednesday the man, who gave his name as D. W. Mangum, about 25 years of age, and a youth, J. B. Cope, about 20 years of age, said they were not guilty of stealing the bridles, lines, tires, etc., in the car. However, just before noon today (Thursday) the older man confessed his guilt, but said the younger man, who is his brother-in-law, knew nothing about the materials being stolen.—Record.

Hamilton

Nathan Robinette, the widely known owner and operator of the Strand theatre in this city, has acquired the management of the well known and popular City Bakery.

The enrollment of the Hamilton Public school has increased since Christmas. There were 595 enrolled up to that date, and enough more have come in to reach the 600 mark. More will enroll.

The First Security State Bank at Cranfills Gap, 25 miles east of Hamilton, in Bosque county, was looted by two unmasked bandits Tuesday, January 17, shortly after noon, who escaped with \$700, leaving Cashier Chris Rhone locked in the vault whence they had forced him to get the money.

Mrs. Joe James and young daughter, Dorothy Joe James, are again at home in Hamilton. They lived in the west for a number of months for the benefit of Mr. James' health. Following his death they have not remained long in any place, but have visited with relatives. They are at home in the Carter Walton former residence just off south Reagan avenue.—Record-Herald.

San Saba

Bill Arch Woods has gone to Oklahoma, to be associated with a play production association.

The Red Cross relief committee is asking for second-hand clothing for the poor and needy. Ladies night was observed by the members of the Richland Springs Lions Club Tuesday evening, when a social was enjoyed by the membership there with the ladies and members from San Saba club as their guests.

Relatives here received a message from Dr. and Mrs. Frank Sorell of San Antonio Tuesday that the latter had a serious accident Sunday when crossing the street to get a newspaper. A car hit and broke his left leg above the ankle and smashed his shoulder badly. Dr. Sorell was

HERE AND THERE

Three hundred boozing farmers broke up the proposed sheriff's sale of a Wisconsin widow's farm to satisfy a mortgage held by her brother. The sale was postponed.

Ten babies, ranging in age from nine days to 13 months, were taken Christmas week from a home in San Antonio by couples who wished to adopt them.

Representative McFadden of Pennsylvania failed for the second time to secure the impeachment of President Hoover by Congress. Ten Democrats, but no Republicans voted with him.

President Hoover in a special message to Congress has urged a sales tax as a means of reducing the country's half-billion dollar budget, but Congress has refused to act on it.

In a fiery speech in the North Dakota senate recently, W. E. Martin urged that 39 states secede from the Union and leave New York and eight Eastern states to get along without the west.

Pasadena traffic cops don't appreciate high-priced humor. When one of them arrested Will Rogers, the comedian tried to laugh it off. "Tell that to the judge," replied the cop. And Will will.

Next President Roosevelt is reported as having approved the farm allotment bill which recently passed the House of Representatives in Washington but favors restricting the crops to be added to cotton and wheat.

Samuel Insull, indicted utility magnate from Chicago, has applied for citizenship in Greece, where he has taken refuge. He was born in England and became a naturalized American, but his passport has been cancelled.

Jack Walton and Henry S. Johnston, both of whom are impeached governors of Oklahoma, are back on the state payroll. Walton as state corporation commissioner and Johnston as state senator. Bill Murray, who as escaped impeachment so far, welcomed them.

Fighting Bob Shuler, Methodist pastor in Los Angeles and formerly of Texas, has lost his radio station. He received a half million votes last summer for senator in the California primaries, running on both the Democratic and Prohibition tickets. His radio station was closed by the ra-

dio commission because of complaints against his attacks on public officials and the Catholic church.

Vandals Sunday night attempted to set fire to the First Presbyterian church at Galveston by lighting pages from hymn books.

Cars have been deadlier than germs to school children, but their mortality has fallen 44 per cent since 1900.

So many candidates have announced for the race to select a successor to Representative John Garner that a Democratic primary and run-off primary are being arranged for fear a Republican might win the post.

Income taxes have gone up. A single man with an income of \$4000 in 1932 will have to pay ten times as much income tax this year as he would have last year. A man with an income of a million dollars must pay \$571,000 income tax.

A meeting of Houston ministers Monday was interrupted by a man who claimed to be a Communist. He said he was a better Christian than the ministers and proceeded to tell them what they should do to relieve distress.

The U. S. Senate voted 66 to 26 to override President Hoover's veto of the bill granting independence to the Philippines in ten years. The House had already voted 274 to 94 against the president. This leaves it up to the Philippine legislature to accept or reject.

NOTICE OF FINAL ACCOUNT

THE STATE OF TEXAS
To the Sheriff or any Constable of Mills County, Greeting:

E. B. Anderson, administrator of the Estate of W. J. Jones, deceased, having filed in our County Court his Final Account of the condition of the Estate of said W. J. Jones, deceased, numbered 808 on the Probate Docket of Mills County, together with an application to be discharged from said administration.

You are hereby commanded, That by publication of this writ for ten days in a newspaper printed in the county of Mills, you give due notice to all persons interested in the Account for Final Settlement of said Estate, to appear and contest the same if they see proper so to do, on Monday the 6th day of February, A. D. 1933, at the Court House of said County, in Goldthwaite, Texas, when said Account and Application will be acted upon by said Court.

Given under my hand and seal of said Court, at my office in the city of Goldthwaite, this 16th day of January, A. D. 1933.

(Seal) L. B. PORTER,
Clerk, Co. Court, Mills Co.
I hereby certify that the above is a true and correct copy of the Original Writ now in my hands.
C. D. BLEDSOE,
Sheriff Mills County.
(Intended for last week)

MORE COTTON IS NEEDED BY RED CROSS

John Barton Payne, chairman of the American National Red Cross, told a senate committee this week that cotton voted by congress last session to provide clothing for the needy, is meeting only about 20 per cent of the demand.

Testifying at hearings on the LaFollette-Costigan bill, under which \$500,000,000 would be raised by a federal bond issue and given outright to the states for unemployment relief, Payne said the requests for clothing were continuing and that more cotton was needed. He did not commit himself on the LaFollette-Costigan bill, but described to the committee the work of the Red Cross in distributing flour

and clothing made from government wheat and cotton.

Payne told the committee that the need for free clothing "is very general."

As to flour, Payne said, "as far as we know, no request has failed to receive the amount asked."

He testified that 4,750,400 families have been aided by government flour and that it has been requested and received in 2999 of the 3075 counties in the country. He said that 20,000,000 bushels still remain to be distributed.

President William Green, of the American Federation of Labor, who followed him on the stand, urged immediate enactment of the half-million relief measure, saying:

"Half our population is living below the level needed to maintain health and efficiency."

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Why buy fruit, or do without it, when you can raise it at home?

Prices for trees are lowest ever known. Plant fruit trees now. . . Peach, Pear, Apple, Fig, Nectarine, Jujube, Berries, Pecans. Beautify your home with Evergreens, Shade Trees, Roses, Flowering Shrubs, Bulbs. Write for free catalog today.

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SPLIT-SECOND STARTING AND SPURT PICK-UP ARE STRESSED

Bronze Color in Pump Will Guide and Protect Buyers—Offers Long Mileage and Improved Anti-knock

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FOR A NAME \$5,000.00 IN CASH

FOR BEST SLOGANS \$5,000.00 IN CASH

\$10,000 IN CASH PRIZES!

Instant Starting Lightning Pick-up Gasoline

Nothing Will Help You So Much to Win as to T-R-Y this Gas in Your Car

Conoco refining chemists have produced a new, improved motor fuel. No matter how different it is, we must call it g-a-s-o-l-i-n-e; for that is the name the public knows for every motor fuel. But this gasoline deserves a special name; one that suggests how "different" it is. How else may the public know?

Conoco () Gasoline! If you can give us the name we want, \$5,000 in cash is yours. \$5,000 more will be divided among those who suggest the best slogans to describe it. What we seek is to make motorists "understand."

To describe the "difference" you must know the difference. To know the difference you must feel it in your motor. The man at the Conoco station will tell you the exciting facts; give you, free, an official contest-information-and-entry blank. Prepare yourself to produce the winning words. Fill your tank with this gas. Within 10 blocks, you'll know why your words may be worth \$10,000.00 to us.

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74 Prizes for Slogans

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1 PRIZE OF . . . \$ 500
1 PRIZE OF . . . \$ 250
5 PRIZES OF . . . \$100 EACH
10 PRIZES OF . . . \$ 75 EACH
10 PRIZES OF . . . \$ 50 EACH
15 PRIZES OF . . . \$ 25 EACH
15 PRIZES OF . . . \$ 15 EACH
15 PRIZES OF . . . \$ 10 EACH

Get Official Entry Blank from Conoco Stations and Dealers

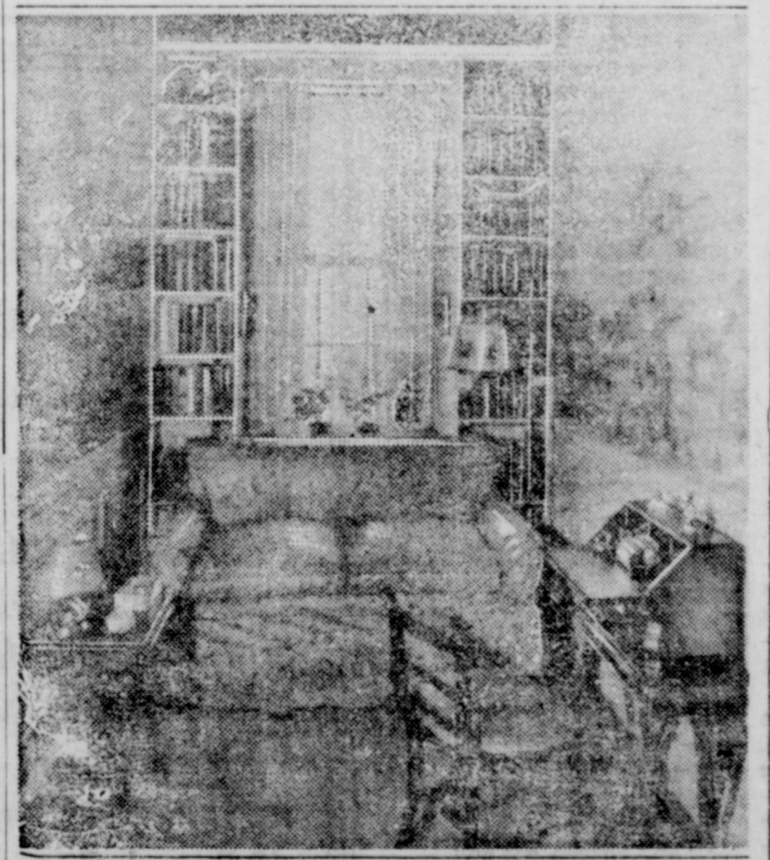
NO INCREASE IN PRICE

CONTEST RULES:

- Names must be not more than 12 letters; slogans not more than 12 words. Submit either or both on single sheet; plain white paper; one side only; but preferably on official contest information-and-entry blank, free at Conoco dealers and stations. Elaborate presentations receive no extra credit.
- Contest closes midnight, February 23, 1933. Entries must be postmarked before that date and hour.
- Continental employees, members of their families and others connected directly or indirectly cannot compete.
- Should more than one person submit exactly the same name or slogan, each will receive full amount of any prize such entry may win. All entries become Continental Oil Co. property, and none will be returned.
- The Company reserves prior rights to phrases and slogans of its own creation, already in prepared advertising. Also it reserves the names "Continental" or "Conoco" gasoline, "Conogas", and "101" gasoline. Whether or not the winning contest name is adopted, prize money will be paid; but the Company reserves the right to use a name of its own creative if decided more suitable and more protectable under trade-mark laws.
- No purchase is required of contestants. Continental Oil Co. executives will be the judges and their decisions final. Winners will be announced over radio, and prize money paid as soon as possible after contest closes.

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BEAUTY in the HOME



Modern Home Decoration Service How to Furnish a Small Alcove

WHAT to do with a small alcove is always a problem. It is usually deep and narrow, possibly with a window at the end—the most difficult of rooms to furnish attractively. Here is an alcove designed successfully for both comfort and beauty. Such a room is really not difficult to arrange. The walls may well be covered with some one of the various soft textured lacquered fabrics that are so charming to see and so easy to wipe clean with a damp cloth. The books are both for use and for decoration. Hardly a library nowadays but has many books bound in the new and colorful way in a material that looks and feels like linen or some other natural cloth and yet is damp resistant, does not show finger marks and is very durable.

The curtains may be of rayon material, the predominating color scheme, or in any practical cloth with a rayon content both sunfast and washable, or in one of the new fast dyed chintzes in some old color pattern, reflecting the sunlight without danger of fading. Very little furniture should be used. A big overstuffed couch will always look well with a cord-de-rac cover which will not fade and is washable, and which has a slight vertical rib which gives an appealing texture.

THE GOLDTHWAITE EAGLE

Mrs. E. L. Pass attended the funeral of Miss Ora Davis in Lometa last Tuesday.

Mrs. J. M. Oglesby of Center City was in the city shopping the early part of the week.

Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Dew were visitors to Temple the early part of the week.

County Clerk Porter reports no marriage license issued for the week up to yesterday.

Mrs. E. L. Pass and Leona returned home Thursday from a visit to her parents at Ogle.

S. O. Oden came in from the Plains country last week end for a visit to his mother and other relatives.

The street force has renewed the culvert across Fisher street, opposite the light company's power plant.

W. H. Thompson came over from Brownwood yesterday to look after some business matters and visit relatives.

Roy Wilkins and wife are the proud parents of a daughter, born last Sunday, at the family home in this city.

A considerable amount of gardening is going on about the city, which looks like the householders intend to defy Jack Frost and plan for early vegetables.

Another sure sign of prosperity coming back is the fact that new places of business are opened in Goldthwaite. This city has a wonderful business record from its very beginning.

Attention is directed to the fact that the Baptist Fifth Sunday meeting is to be held in Big Valley, beginning tonight and lasting through Sunday.

Mrs. J. T. Saunders and baby returned to her home near Fort Worth, after spending several days with her parents here.

G. D. Byrd of Center City was a visitor to the city the early part of the week. He lost his home by fire Tuesday, a more extended report being in the Center City communication. The friends of this good family certainly sympathize with them in their misfortune.

Cold weather of the past few days is certainly in the interest of the prospective fruit crop, for buds are already beginning to swell and with clear, bright weather a few days the whole country will be full of fruit blossoms. A good fruit crop is decided by helpful and we are all hoping the buds will be kept back until

NORTH BENNETT

We had three good sermons preached Saturday night, Sunday and Sunday night. Good crowds attended the services. Bro. Richardson remained over with Mrs. John Harris and family until Monday morning.

Mrs. Mell Booker returned home Thursday, after spending a few days with her sister, near Goldthwaite.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Geeslin were in Center City awhile Friday.

Joe Haines, Ben Nix and Francis Knight were in Goldthwaite Saturday on business.

Mrs. McCasland was visiting a short while in our community Monday.

Several families enjoyed a party at Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Geeslin's Friday night.

Talmage Chapman and Grace McCasland of Center City attended Sunday night services at North Bennett.

Mr. and Mrs. Turner and children of Lake Merritt were visiting Mr. and Mrs. Joe Haines Saturday night and Sunday.

H. L. Huckaby and Faddie returned Saturday to move another load and their stock.

This community is certainly in sympathy with Mr. and Mrs. Byrd, who lost their home Monday afternoon by fire. We hope the loss is not so much.

Mr. and Mrs. Collier and family of Midway attended Sunday night services. Everyone was glad to see them back at North Bennett again.

This community was certainly sorry to hear of Mrs. Eunice Mohan being seriously ill.

Mr. and Mrs. John Harris, who has been seriously ill, her mother, Mrs. John Harris, is staying with her until she is better. Here is hoping she is better when this goes to press.

Mrs. Joe Haines and little son, J. W., also Mrs. Booker and daughter, Ethel, were visiting in the Morris home Monday afternoon.

At this writing the wind is certainly raging. It is reminding us that March is not very far away.

This community was visited Saturday night by a good rain and a right smart of hail.

Grace McCasland and mother, also Mrs. Viola McCasland of Center City were visiting awhile Monday in Martin McCasland's home near McGirk.

BLUEJAY.

HATCHERY NOTICE

I will start my Hatchery on February 6. Bring your eggs Saturday or Monday.

MRS. C. M. BURCH.

COUNTY DEPOSITORY

Sections 2440 to 2453 inclusive of the Revised Statutes of Texas of 1911, provide that at the February term of the Commissioners' Court next following each general election, proposals shall be received from any banking corporation, association, or individual banker in the county that may desire to be selected as county depository for the ensuing two years.

In compliance therewith all banks and banking institutions in Mills county are invited to bid to become said depository and are hereby notified that all bids must be sealed and deposited with the county judge on or before the first day of said court, which this year is Feb. 13, and that all bids so received will be opened in public at 10 o'clock a. m., on Feb. 13.

For fuller information on this matter you are referred to the sections cited. Respectfully

L. E. PATTERSON,
County Judge, Mills Co., Texas

NEW GROCERY STORE

Floyd Ligon has opened a new grocery store in the building formerly occupied by the bakery, on the north side of the square. He is well known to the Goldthwaite trade, having been engaged in business here on his own account in former years as well as having been connected with the McKinley-Corrigan Co. He has many friends here personally as well as in a business way and they all welcome him back to Goldthwaite. He, like some of the others of us, has learned by experience that Goldthwaite is located on the best part of the earth and that no better people live in the world than are found in good old Mills county. He knows the grocery business, knows the people and has every reason to expect success in his business.

BAPTIST CIRCLE

Circle No. 1 met in the home of Mrs. Marvin Rudd last Monday afternoon.

Mrs. Lewis Hudson led the opening prayer.

The devotional, which was the first Psalm, was read by Mrs. Jeff Priddy. We studied the book of Judges.

There were twelve present to enjoy this lesson followed by a very pleasant social hour.

Our next meeting will be with Mrs. Jeff Priddy Monday afternoon at 2 o'clock. REPORTER

THE OLD FAMILY CLOCK IS IT ON THE SHELF SILENT?

Take it to L. E. Miller, the Jeweler where you can get it put in first class order, so it will do its duty by ticking off the Correct Time.

L. E. MILLER,
The Jeweler

BIG VALLEY

We are glad to report that Mary Hapgood is back in school.

Mr. Wasic, who lives in Lower Valley had the misfortune to lose his barn and contents by fire Sunday night. His good neighbors helped him to put up another.

Lewis Hale of Live Oak visited in the Hale home here Saturday. Orville Hale and wife took him home Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. John Burnett is suffering from bruises sustained in a car accident. We are glad to say they are not serious.

Carl Wood was in town Monday looking for a team for farm use.

Harry Oglesby lost two teeth in a dentist's office last Saturday. He is suffering from nervous shock and made some kind of an anti-prohibition talk the other morning.

Mrs. Prentiss Blake of Pilot Point and Mrs. D. G. Barnett and Mrs. Claud Dickerson were visitors at the J. J. Cockrell home last week.

Miss Besse Hutchings of Center Point and Miss Lois Fuller of Goldthwaite visited Mrs. Homer Weaver Sunday.

Mrs. Jim Hays has begun piano lessons under Mrs. Claud Lawson. Allys Morris was in town Monday.

I notice that W. P. Weaver, Mills county's "Will Rogers", is to speak at fifth Sunday meeting. Hear him on the prohibition question.

Our commissioner, John Burnett, is doing some excellent work in his precinct. He has been on the northwest part. We are glad he is now in Big Valley, improving roads.

J. J. Cockrell and Melvin Doak made a business trip to Brownwood Wednesday. FARMER

BAPTIST CHURCH

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the women have gone to drinking. Let's see. On June 1, 1914, one of our leading daily papers said: "A three months' survey shows that 14,000 women and girls visited the back rooms of the saloons on Madison and North Clark streets and Cottage Grove avenue every 24 hours.

Let's notice the cost of enforcing our prohibition laws. The United States Commissioner of prohibition says that the total cost for enforcing this law during the first nine years was \$213,000,000; that the total collections from fines, revenues, etc., was \$460,000,000, leaving a net balance in favor of the government of \$247,000,000.

Those of you who read these lines may not all agree with me, and I allow you that privilege with the kindest of feelings toward you and would not say one word to offend you. But allow me to appeal to your heart—think a long time before you lend your influence for the return of the liquor traffic.

Come to the Baptist church Sunday, where you will always find a welcome, where you will always find a place to serve, where the motto is "Everybody is somebody." PASTOR.

NOTICE!

We will grind and season your meat for chile or sausage. Very reasonable charges.—Bill's Cafe and Market.

BOZAR

As we have not seen any news from our community in quite awhile, will try writing some of the news out our way.

Farmers are very busy plowing and sowing small grain.

Everyone seems to be enjoying these beautiful spring days by planting gardens and getting the old chicken coops ready to raise spring chickens and that is the talk among our women folks.

Miss Dena Mae and Loraine Caloway spent the night Friday with the Misses Vaughn.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Sanderson spent last week end visiting homefolks and friends in Moline.

Miss Inez Caloway and Mrs. Roy Walker and little daughter, Jackie, spent the evening Thursday with friends in Mullin.

Little Miss Amber Florence Graves visited the Will Harmon children Saturday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Gunter from Turkey Peak community visited their daughter, Mrs. Will Garner, a few days last week.

Fred Soules spent the night Thursday with Johnnie Graves.

Roy Walker ate dinner with Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Randles Thursday.

John Caloway and Will Garner attended court in Mullin last Monday.

Mrs. L. B. Woods from Center community visited in the Ward home one day last week.

Wylie Griffin called on the Graves Saturday night.

Miss Dena Mae and Loraine Caloway spent the day Thursday in the Jess Tullios home. Mrs. Tullios and the girls spent most of the day working on patchwork quilts.

Mrs. Roy Walker and little daughter, Jackie, visited Mrs. Walker's grandmother, Mrs. J. A. Perry, last Monday.

Cooper Gunter of Democrat community visited his sister, Mrs. Will Garner, one day last week.

Miss Odena Davis spent the day Sunday with the Misses Caloway.

Rev. Bedford Renfro and John Edlin were seen in our community Sunday.

Jess Tullios and Tom Graves sat up with John Long Saturday night.

Mrs. Tom Graves visited awhile with Mrs. Shields Sunday evening.

Miss Juanita Sanderson, Miss Mabel Lillian and Lee Ruth Graves and Wylie Griffin visited Sunday in the Price home at Lake Merritt.

Price Griffin visited the Caloway home Sunday evening.

Rev. L. L. Hays and Glenn Lewis made a business trip to Goldthwaite Monday.

J. K. Davis went to Goldthwaite Monday.

Carl Marler spent the night in Goldthwaite Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Perry visited at Walker's station Friday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Cleburne Masters from Mullin called on Miss Loraine Caloway Sunday. BLUE BONNET.

BURNHAM'S REPORT

Of money spent on roads of precinct No. 1 for the quarter ending Dec. 31, 1932, and of work done on the Bayou road.

Antelope Gap road	\$ 35.52
Caradan	10.58
Aston Crossing	137.36
Center Point	6.00
City of Goldthwaite	45.00
Andy Hill	5.96
Goenhour Crossing	5.08
Lampasas	98.02
Liberty	2.88
Nabors Crk. and Rye Val.	147.03
Payne Gap	220.03
South Bennett	25.56
Rock Springs	16.72
Simpson	16.68
Ryan	4.42
Lower Wms. Ranch	32.66
Upper Wms. Ranch	10.76
West Line	8.26
Goldthwaite and Double-ford bridge span	315.24
Tools and upkeep, gas and oils	78.00
TOTAL	\$1,219.81

Bayou Road	
Work done on bayou	\$562.22
Donation of Chamber of Commerce by W. C. Dew	100.00
Balance paid by Pre. No. 1	482.22
GRAND TOTAL	\$1,102.03

TURKEY GROWERS' MEETING

All growers interested in next season's turkey marketing are requested to meet in the district court room Tuesday, Jan. 31, at 2 o'clock p. m. SECRETARY.

TRIGGER MOUNTAIN

The rain Friday night and Saturday was greatly appreciated by all.

Mrs. J. E. Lively has been ill and we hope she is better at this writing.

Miss Jewell Bramblett spent the night with Miss Lorene Hill Friday night and made chocolate fudge.

There have been several new students started to school at Trigger Mountain, who are: Miss Lorene Hill, Vernon and Wilson Lewis and Tom Frank Priddy.

George Lewis will occupy the Hays place.

Several from the Trigger Mountain school attended the play and pie supper at Duren school Friday night.

Miss Lorene Hill and Lewis Long occupied two reserve seats upon the stage for annoying the classes by laughing and talking.

Mrs. J. D. Kennedy taught the school Friday, while Mrs. Cloniger remained in town with her husband, who is sick. We hope at this writing he is better.

The Trigger Mountain school got a new basketball last week and is practicing for some match games.

Virgil Bramblett has been on the sick list the last two weeks, but he is able to go back to school and play basketball.

The boys of Trigger Mountain played the Duren boys Friday. They were not successful, but we hope they will do better next time.

Miss Lorene Hill and Jewel Bramblett were together during the week end.

Mrs. J. R. Hill and son and little granddaughter visited in the McNutt home Monday.

Leota Kauhs celebrated her fifth birthday Monday evening. Cake and hot chocolate were served for their lunch.

SUNFLOWER.

ART AND CIVIC CLUB

Mrs. Claud Eacott relieved Mrs. W. P. McCullough as hostess and entertained the members of the Art and Civic club at her home on last Thursday afternoon.

The program on "Portrait, Figures and Genre Painting" was led by Mrs. Marvin Hodges. Mrs. Eacott read a very fitting poem.

Talks were made on "Portrait Artists" by Mrs. Gartman; "Figure Artists" by Mrs. Martin, and "Genre Artists" by Mrs. Rowntree.

Mrs. M. Y. Stokes, jr., with Mrs. Martin as accompanists, gave a solo.

Refreshments were served to the club members and a few guests. REPORTER.

TO TRADE

- 1 Kitchen Cabinet.
- 1 Radio—New Batteries.
- 1 Fresh Milk Goat.
- Will pay cash for mutton goats. See W. P. WEAVER.

HAPPY HEARTS

Several marriages have been solemnized in this county since the last issue of this paper and all of the young folks named have the good wishes of their friends and it is hoped their lives may be long and filled with happiness.

Daniel Smith and Miss Winnie Hayes of Mullin were married last Saturday evening at the Baptist parsonage in this city, Rev. G. C. Ivins officiating. They will make their home in Brownwood.

Lucian Brooks and Miss Audrey Parker were united in marriage at the Baptist parsonage Saturday evening, with Rev. Ivins officiating. The bride's home was in San Saba and the groom has made his home in this city for some time. They will continue to reside here.

J. R. Fulton of this city and Miss Grace Partridge of Ratler were united in marriage by Rev. J. D. Long at his home in Center Point community Sunday afternoon. The groom is a son of Mr. J. C. Fulton of this city and the bride is a daughter of Mr. Frank Partridge of Ratler.

OFFERS TO SELL SELF

At Texarkana, a junior college student who believes that he can not work his way through college has placed himself on the auction block, offering five years of his services in after-college life for the \$3,000 he needs.

ATTENTION DECLAIMERS

I shall open a Dramatic Art Class Feb. 1 and will also do private coaching in declamation. Call 207A.—MARY BOWLES.

CLASSIFIED

Lost—On Highway 74—a new Chevrolet axle. Finder please notify M. L. Jernigan.

Now Ready—Onion and cabbage plants, home grown, at Kemper place, Goldthwaite. Fresh quality plants guaranteed.—Kemper & Starnes.

Will Swap—My Chrysler and pay reasonable cash difference for first class Chevrolet or Ford coach or sedan.—Will Pence, Melba Theatre.

Will Take Trade.—Will take chickens, wood, feed, hogs or anything of value in exchange for battery, generator, radiator or car repairing. (Say charge it).—O. K. Battery Station, East Side Square.

WANTED—Reliable men age 25 to 50 to supply established demand for Rawleigh Products in west Hamilton county. Other good localities available. Company furnishes everything but the car. Good profits for hustlers. Write the W. T. Rawleigh Company, Memphis, Tenn., or see me. Jess Hall, Goldthwaite, Texas. (1-27-31)

Special Bargains

AT The Bargain Store

1 lot Children's school Shoes, consisting of Oxfords, Sandals and High Top Shoes

To Close Out ----- \$1.00 pair

Ladies' Shoes in Work and Dress Styles ----- \$1.00 pair

Men's Work Shoes—Big Counter at ----- \$1.23

Men's and Young Men's Dress Oxfords ----- \$1.95

36-Inch PRINTS ----- 7 1/2c yard

36-Inch DOMESTIC ----- 3 3/4c yard

SPECIAL THIS WEEK

BIG SMITH OVERALLS ----- 79c pair

(Limit One Pair to customer)

Men's and Boys' Work Pants ----- 69c pair

Ladies' House Dresses ----- 49c

Men's Dress Shirts ----- 43c

You Can Save Money by Buying Our Cheap Merchandise

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J. C. MULLAN, Manager
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