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# THE GOLDTHWAITE EAGLE

TIME FORTY-SEVEN

GOLDTHWAITE, MILLS COUNTY, TEXAS, FRIDAY, JANUARY 3, 1941

NUMBER TWENTY-ONE

## Commissioner R. R. ... Fired Tuesday

Jan. 1. — Last official of Railroad Commission ...

am today passing to you the ... of the office, which I am ...

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... of a new State ... to house the ... documents which are ...

... addressing the ... emphasized the ... the peculiar ... of Texas by safeguarding ...

## ... BOND ISSUE

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## Many New Names Are Added to The Eagle List

Since our last report a large number of Mills county citizens have taken the advantage of the exceptionally low rates offered for The Goldthwaite Eagle in combination with other state papers, both daily and weekly, and paid their subscriptions.

For their thoughtfulness in preparing for another year's reading, The Eagle wishes to express its appreciation.

Below are the names of those who have recently paid their subscription to this office: J. A. Allen, Goldthwaite. Donald Oglesby, Rt. 1. C. J. Crawford, Caradan. Elwain Doggett, Fort Sam Houston.

J. J. Henry, La Luz, N. M. J. W. Featherston, Rt. 2. N. L. Verser, Moline Rt. Southwestern States Telephone Co.

Mrs. Hubert Reeves, Ebony. Mrs. A. T. Sellers, Rt. 1. Mrs. S. R. Trone, Maysville, Ark.

R. V. Littlepage, Goldthwaite. Mrs. E. M. Page, Rt. 3. H. B. Curtis, Rt. 1. G. E. Fox, Rt. 2. Leonard Collier, Rt. 2. J. W. Weathers, Goldthwaite. F. R. Hines, Lometa. Mrs. John Allen Todd, Santa Anna.

Miss Edith Covington, Rt. 2. Mrs. L. L. Adams, Goldthwaite. W. E. Miller, Goldthwaite. Mrs. L. P. Corts, Shawnee, Ok. W. T. Forehand, Midland. M. T. Burnham, Rt. 2. Frank Kerby, Caradan. V. Horton, Caradan. C. N. Berry, Rt. 2. D. W. Shaw, Goldthwaite. Irk Black, Rt. 3. Jim Rudd, Rt. 1. Eli Fairman, Goldthwaite. J. H. DuBoise, Rt. 1. Mrs. Lester Johnson, Woodville.

C. O. Norton, Goldthwaite. Mrs. T. A. Langford, Cisco. W. M. Wormser, New York, N. Y.

Mrs. R. W. Geeslin, Caradan. Tom Cave, Rt. 1. W. M. Keen, Rt. 1. C. F. Cornelius Mullin. A. O. Dunlap, Mullin. Mrs. Hugh McCreland. Mrs. W. C. Urbach, Goldthwaite.

Mrs. T. J. Shipp, Caradan. M. L. Spinks, Rt. 1. Miss Lou Ella Patterson, Waco. C. A. Faulkner. Hcmer Denman. E. O. Priddy. S. E. Miller. W. E. Rose. J. C. Blackwell. Mrs. J. W. Dellis. C. M. Bramblett. E. L. Eubank. J. D. Calloway, Mullin. J. R. Parker. O. H. Shaw. Lester Kerby. O. M. Conoley. Mrs. Chas. Bowman, Evant. J. A. Doggett. Mrs. J. M. Baker. A. B. Bledsoe. J. O. Simpson. J. S. Kelly. D. R. Reynolds. Bessie Crews. G. L. Walcott. J. L. Ervin. W. T. Moreland. L. W. Wigley. C. W. Jackson. J. S. Weatherby. J. M. Petsick. W. D. Clements. R. C. Johnson, Sr. R. C. Johnson, Jr. J. D. Walton. A. Arrowwood. J. D. Welch. W. W. Berry. Arlias Berry, Pawhuska, Okla. E. G. Letbetter. Mrs. H. M. Kerby. W. E. Pardue. Lynn Nix. Mrs. D. T. Bush.

... Marriage Licenses—

J. C. Been and Lucille Corbin.

## Highway Accident Without Automobiles

Alfred E. Hurley, 43, of Comanche county was seriously injured in a highway accident at Priddy on Christmas day although no cars or trucks were involved. The horse he was riding skidded on the slick pavement on the highway in Priddy and fell on Hurley, breaking his leg. Then as the horse struggled to get up, he kicked his rider in the head, fracturing his skull.

Because of the flu epidemic it was impossible to secure a doctor in Comanche or Goldthwaite, and the injured man was carried to Hamilton and then to a hospital in Temple. His injuries are serious, but he is now given a chance to recover, relatives who visited him this week state.

## Christmas Lights Attracts Crowds

Mrs. L. E. Miller was one of the thousands who enjoyed the magnificent Christmas lights in the little mining town of Madrid, New Mexico last week. Madrid, which is on the highway south of Santa Fe, is said to have attracted 100,000 visitors during the holidays. On the Sunday evening that Mrs. Miller was there, more than 3,000 cars passed through the town, many of them coming from a great distance.

The display included 15 major Biblical scenes depicting the life of the Christ child and 15 other scenes in motion while loudspeakers broadcast a continuous program of Christmas carols. Electric current for the displays cost over \$10,000 it was said.

## Military Area Is Largest In Southwest

Acreage leased by Brownwood for the United States Army and turned over for use in the training of Camp Bowie troops totals 91,144 acres, it was announced this week.

This acreage includes 2,743 leased for the Camp Bowie campsite. The original campsite aggregated nearly 2,000 acres. Recent addition of more than 700 acres brought the total to 2,743 acres.

The training area located south and east of the camp and extending deep into Mills county covers 83,401 acres. This area includes maneuver grounds rifle range and artillery range. The artillery range is located in Mills county.

Leasing of the acreage was a major task and has required an immense amount of time, energy and negotiations with landowners.—Brownwood Bulletin.

## City Receives Liberal Offer for Light Plant Bonds

At a recent meeting of the Goldthwaite city council, the sealed bids for purchase of the \$1,000,000 issue of municipal bonds for the construction of a second light plant here, were opened.

The high bidder was found to be the Underwood Company of Houston, who bid 4 per cent on the bonds for the first ten years of the issue and 4 1-2 per cent for the second or last half of the issue. The city reserves the right to pay off at any time the unpaid bonds after the expiration of ten years.

No further plans are known as to when any other action will be made toward the beginning of construction of the municipal light plant, which plans to use current furnished by the Lower Colorado River Authority.

## 30.84 INCHES RAINFALL

1940 gave this area a generous rainfall of 30.84 inches. The average rainfall for Mills county is 27.55 inches.

One-fourth inch fell here the night of December 31.

Grain and grass are materially helped by the generous rains.

New lambs prefer the dry and a few of them do not survive through the prolonged rains.

Altitude here is 1500 feet and annual temperature is 65.5 degrees.

## EBONY HOME DEMONSTRATION CLUB HOLDS MEETING

At a business meeting presided over by the new president, Mrs. Wallace Perkins, Mrs. Dale Reid was elected bedroom demonstrator and Mrs. P. R. Reid grains and baking demonstrator. Mrs. Dewey Smith and Mrs. Eugene Egger were appointed program committee. At the admission of our president we agreed to meet twice each month in 1941 instead of once a month as heretofore. Our president also insisted that we conduct our meetings more in accordance with parliamentary law. Next meeting will be the third Friday in January at the home of Mrs. Cecil Egger.

## AUTOMOBILE INDUSTRY GIVES WORK TO 6,500,000

From a few mechanics and bench hands who puttered away in barns making a handful of cars at the turn of the century, present day automobile manufacturing makes possible, directly and indirectly, an annual employment of 6,500,000 people.

## Local Dealer Sells Farm Equipment to Coleman Co. Farmer

Ben Hurdle, salesman in the farm implement department of the Fairman Company, returned Wednesday from a trip to Coleman county where he delivered some farm machinery, having made a deal to the Coleman farmer earlier in the week.

The Fairman Company is well known among the farmers in the adjoining counties as a reliable merchant, and one that carries the largest stock of farm implements to be found anywhere, which probably accounts for their coming such a great distance to trade.

## Arrow Bus Changes Noon Schedule

The Arrow Bus Line has changed the departure time of its noon busses for Waco and Austin from 11:50 a. m. to 1:20 p. m. The change will allow additional time for connections at Brownwood and will not interfere with connections elsewhere.

## FOUR MONTHS SUPPLY OF RUBBER IN U. S.

War's spread has greatly deepened concern over our rubber supply problem, with 96 per cent of our natural rubber having to come through Far East trouble zone. The problem may be eased by boosting production of synthetic rubbers here, but that takes precious time. In the most succinct up-to-date, John L. Collyer, president of the B. F. Goodrich company, told the famed Sales Executives club in New York that 18 months would be required to build and start operating one 35,000-ton synthetic plant—and that this "time lag" must be weighed before assuming that the synthetic type offers an immediate safeguard against possible shortage of natural rubber. He analyzed the nation's rubber position as "four months' supply here, three months' afloat, three months' supply of finished goods on hand—grand total of 10 months' supply," which could be stretched a couple months by greater use of reclaimed rubber. He said his company's view was that free competition should be the prime factor in the government's plans to create essential "standby" facilities for synthetic production.

## O'DANIEL NAMES THREE ON EDUCATION BOARD

Pat Neff of Waco, president of Baylor University; Joe Frost, president of the Frost National Bank of San Antonio, and Maco Stewart of Galveston, Tuesday were appointed by Governor W. Lee O'Daniel to the state board of education to fill three expiring places.

## Winners Announced In Lighting Contest

The Garden Club met in the home of Mrs. Jim Weatherby on December 18, with Mrs. D. D. Tate and Mrs. Sam von Rosenberg co-hostesses.

Twenty five members answered roll call. A short business meeting was conducted by the president.

Mrs. J. C. Evans led a very interesting program on "Christmas Here and There." Papers by Mrs. Joe Palmer, Mrs. E. T. Fairman and Mrs. J. J. Stephen made us feel that we had started 'round the world for our Christmas holidays. Mrs. Marsh Johnson led in singing Christmas carols.

A refreshment plate of fruit cake and coffee was served to club members and a number of guests.

The next meeting will be in the home of Mrs. Earl Clements on January 15, 1941.

According to the decision of the judges in the Christmas lighting contest, certificates of awards were given as follows:

Division 1, Business firms: Class A. Interior window decoration and lighting, first, Community Public Service. Second, R. L. Steen & Son. Third, Little & Sons. Class B. Exterior lighting. First, O. H. Yarborough Store. Second, Floyd Fox Service Station. Third, Community Public Service.

Division 2, Residences. Class A. Doorways. First, Mrs. Kelly Saylor. Second, Mrs. Everett Holland. Third, Mrs. W. J. Weatherby. Class B. Windows. First, Mrs. S. E. Cloninger and Ollie Mayes (tied). Second, Mrs. Walter Fairman. Third, Mrs. John G. Berry. Class C. Outside Christmas trees. First, Mrs. John Hester. Second, H. G. Bodkin. Third, Mrs. Joe A. Palmer. Class D. Shrub decorations. First, Mrs. Earl Summy. Second, Mrs. Jim Weatherby. Third, H. G. Bodkin. Class E. Roofs. First, Mrs. H. G. Bodkin. Second, Mrs. W. E. Miller. Third, Mrs. A. H. Smith. Division 3, Rural lighting. First, Mrs. M. H. Fletcher and Dumble Hamilton, (tied).

The Garden Club wishes to thank everyone who helped in any way to make our town more beautiful for the holiday season.

## YEARBOOKS TO BE GIVEN AT H. D. COUNCIL MEETING

The Mills County Home Demonstration Council will meet Saturday, January 4, 1941, at 2 o'clock in the county home demonstration agent's office. New yearbooks, a different club meeting schedule, and the 1941 cotton mattress program are problems to be worked out. This is the first meeting of the new year. All council members are urged to attend. Emma Scott, C. H. D. A. of Mills county.

## PEACE LEAGUE NEEDED

I endorse your demand that America not only prepare for war but for the prevention of war.

I have a young son eligible to serve now, just as an older one did in 1917-18. But it gives me a feeling of almost utter despair and futility when I think of winning the other war and we threw away our chance for world peace by failing to join the League of Nations. It has been a long and painful journey.

## Official List Mills County Registrants

Last week the EAGLE published another 48 names on the official list of the Mills County Selective Service Board. Following are the next 48 names in the order in which they will be called for training if not deferred. The letters after each name stand for the registrant's permanent post office as follows:

C—Caradan; Com—Comanche; E—Ebony; G—Goldthwaite; L—Lometa; M—Mullin; Moll—Moline; P—Priddy; S—Star; SS—San Saba; Z—Zephyr.

- 337 Curtis Lynn Taylor, G.
- 338 Carrol Menro Berry, G.
- 339 Willie Wilford Saylor, G.
- 340 Max Weldon Harrison, G.
- 341 Ernest Hooper Thorne, G.
- 342 Otto Cleo Newton, H.
- 343 Harry Key Crawford, G.
- 344 Walter Haskell Hicks, M.
- 345 Floyd Curry Blair, G.
- 346 Oliver Lee Taylor, G.
- 347 Vernard Dallas Tyson, G.
- 348 Walter Sylvan Summy, G.
- 249 Hubert Carl Masters, M.
- 350 Robert Lafayette Peterson, G.
- 251 Bernard Milton Perry, G.
- 352 James Clark Sanderson, G.
- 353 R. V. Harris, Com.
- 354 Elmo Wayne Locklar, G.
- 355 Rufus Oliver Green, M.
- 356 Wilbur Leon Jackson, M.
- 357 Oswald Medford Roberts, M.
- 358 Wister Orvel Egger, E.
- 359 Raymond Petty Bledsoe, G.
- 360 Joe Herman Ratliff, M.
- 361 Arthur Louis Bird, G.
- 362 Jack Wilford Bratton, G.
- 363 Clifford Neal Hammond, G.
- 364 Luther Mosier, M.
- 365 Charles Edward Thompson, G.
- 366 Melvin Herman Gilbreath, Z.
- 367 John William Roe, G.
- 368 M. C. Partridge, G.
- 369 Weldon Windgate Swinney, M.
- 370 William Franklin Butts, M.
- 371 Claude Carson Shelton, G.
- 372 Mike Ordell Shell, M.
- 373 Jack Earl Long, G.
- 374 Virgil Edward Tubbs, C.
- 375 Maurice White, E.
- 376 Cecil Carlton Scott, C.
- 377 William Earl Summy, G.
- 378 James William Booker, G.
- 379 Noble N. Henry, G.
- 380 J. A. Townsin Doggett, G.
- 381 Willie Wardell Thompson, C.
- 382 Herbert Michael Semmerfeld, M.
- 383 Bert Lynn Patterson, G.
- 384 James Capple Wilkins, M.

## Atlantic Pipeline Company Opens Zephyr Pump Station

After a shut-down of more than two years, the Atlantic Pipeline Company, a corporation operating an oil pipeline with beginning at Hobbs, New Mexico, and ending at Port Arthur, Texas, and traversing Mills county from the northern edge through to the eastern corner line near Evant, is in operation at the Zephyr pump station, 12 miles south of Waco.



The approaching New Year brings to our attention the Good Will reflected by your patronage in the past months.

There is a mutual satisfaction which grows from Confidence and Friendship and Loyalty in business relations.

It is in the spirit of grateful acknowledgment that we wish you a New Year rich in Health, Happiness and Prosperity.

GOLDTHWAITE EAGLE



**DOGS KILL PORCUPINE**

There are a few porcupine in this area, but they are so scarce that finding one is news. Dogs belonging to Otto Topperwein killed one recently and came home full of quills, according to the Cotulla Record. The porcupine gave the animals such a terrific fight that he filled one dog so full of quills that it was necessary to kill it. Later in the day Mr. Topperwein found the porcupine. It was still alive, but was badly injured.

**JAPANESE SWEAT AS PATRIOTIC DUTY**

Denton. — Predicting that Japan could last a year in a major battle despite the belief of "overly optimistic" observers who say that she would collapse within three months, Don Bate, foreign correspondent and observer on international affairs, said in a recent lecture at North Texas State Teachers College that Nipponese religious beliefs would be the strongest factor to compete with in winning a war against Japan.

Japanese soldiers, he declared, are among the bravest fighting men on earth because their religion teaches them that death in battle means an immediate passage to the halls of the gods.

However, Bate said, the maintenance of a navy even smaller than that of the United States has made Japanese money so worthless in Japan that officials will hardly take their own "yen" on steamers, and in the interior of the country, must back it up with the bayonet. Gasoline for cars has been replaced by charcoal burners installed in luggage compartments, rice can be purchased only between 12 noon and 6 at night, and no cotton, tobacco, or silk goods is available, he said.

Like Germany, Bate declared, the Japanese have abridged peaceful assemblage, muzzled the press, and stamped out, wherever possible, all individual thought. But where the Germans are attempting to win a war by making their people happy, the Japanese are using a "strength through sorrow" movement. The usual bright Japanese colors have been replaced by blacks, browns, and other neutral colors; dance halls have closed and all girls have gone to work; although electricity and water power are plentiful, the air-conditioning equipment for motion pictures has been removed and the people "sweat with the soldiers in China" in order to be patriotic.

If forced to admit failure in China, Bate said, Japan would welcome a fight with the United States or Great Britain, so that she could "go down in a blaze of glory" and not "lose face."

**243 Sportsmen Fined in November**

Austin. — A few out-of-state residents and Texans totaling 243 paid fines for violations of game and fish laws during November, the report of wardens to the executive secretary of the Texas Game, Fish and Oyster Commission discloses. Hunters and fishermen were found guilty of a large variety of offenses and paid fines ranging from \$10 to \$100.

Several deer headlighters suffered to the extent of \$100 each and two brothers were each fined \$125 on two counts, that of headlighting and killing deer out of season. Several out-of-state residents attempting to hunt in Texas without a license were each fined \$100.

Violations for which anglers and nimrods were convicted during the month include: hunting from car, no lure license, hunting without license, killing doe deer, hunting doves after sunset, having unplugged guns, killing squirrel out of season, killing ducks or geese after 4 p. m., shrimping in closed waters, pollution of streams, killing turkey hens, hunting geese before sunrise, unlawful fishing with hands, killing spike buck, over bag limit on ducks, quail and doves, possessing short bass, selling fish from Lake Buchanan, possessing quail out of season, dragging nets, dynamiting fish, selling wild game, taking crappie out of season, no commercial fishing license, no skill license, injuring small fish, illegally dredging oysters, taking fish with illegal line and baiting ducks with corn.

**Gets Two Deer In Own Backyard**

Mrs. W. J. Hardin, Llano, Texas ranchwoman, has to go no farther than her own back steps to get her limit of deer, or at least that is what she did this season, according to the Austin American. Two weeks ago Mrs. Hardin shot a buck which was in her chicken yard and she brought her hunting season to an abrupt close the other day when she bagged another buck when she saw it standing by a woodpile in the back yard.

**Pleasant Grove**

By Miss Lenora Brown

(Intended for Last Week. There were 32 present at Sunday School and quite a few at singing Sunday night.

We are sorry to report that a few in this community are ill with the flu.

Era Mae Hairston is visiting her sister, Mrs. Brit Berry this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. W. Brown and family, Mr. and Mrs. Weldon Lucas and family and Mrs. Will Jeffery visited Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Jeffery and family Sunday.

Tommie Tubbs spent Sunday night with Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Kelly.

Miss Bessie Kate Lewis is spending her Christmas vacation with her sister, Mrs. George Shady.

Lenora and Zelma Brown spent Sunday evening with Rosa Lee Jeffery.

Miss Edith Covington spent the week end in Fort Worth.

Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Bayley and sons, Walter and Calvin are spending a short time with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Bayley.

Mrs. Minnie Crawford, Mr. and Mrs. Will Berry, Mrs. Lora

Hodges, Mrs. Johnnie McMurry and daughter and Mrs. Delbert Shaw and children called on Mr. and Mrs. Brit Berry and family.

Olney Kelly spent one night last week with Norris Witty. Lenora Brown spent Sunday with Rosa Lee Jeffery.

Golden Witty spent Thursday night with Jonell Wigley.

**TRAPPING PREDATOR ANIMALS**

Several thousand coyotes, bobcats and mountain lions are expected to be destroyed by thirty trappers the Texas Game Department put in the field Dec. 1. Most of the trapping is centered in Southwest Texas. Each year thousands of predators, especially coyotes, which are more numerous than members of the cat family, are trapped. The work is done at very little cost to the Game Department, which furnishes traps and pays the trappers 50 cents for each predator taken. The trappers retain the pelts. It is believed this is by far the cheapest method hit upon by any agency for destroying predators.

One half of the population of the earth live upon less than one seventh of its surface.

**New Addition To Eagle Force**

A new member was added to the Eagle force Christmas morning. He is the new son of Mr. and Mrs. J. V. Bourland. The young man has been named James Ray. Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Bourland, Del Rio and Mrs. Pearl Rentz of Smiley.

When the 1900 car chock down the road, without headlights, or fenders, or windshield, or fenders, it cost the driver per mile to own and operate the average is down than three cents.

**Lemon Juice Recipe Checks Rheumatic Pain Quickly**

If you suffer from rheumatic, arthritis or neuritis pain, try this simple inexpensive home recipe that thousands are using. Get a package of Ru-Ex Compound today. Mix it with a quart of water, add the juice of 4 lemons. It's easy. No trouble at all and pleasant. You need only 2 tablespoonfuls two times a day. Often within 48 hours—sometimes overnight—splendid results are obtained. If the pains do not quickly leave and if you do not feel better, Ru-Ex will cost you nothing to try as it is sold by your druggist under an absolute money-back guarantee. Ru-Ex Compound is for sale and recommended by

HUDSON BROS, Druggists

**The SNAPSHOT GUILD MAKING PICTURE-STORIES**



This shot is from our "baking biscuits" sequence—the best way in the world to tell a story in pictures.

PICTURE-TAKING is a lot more fun, for the subjects, if the picture has a story to tell. At our school, we do it this way. First, I have two "story" ideas—one for Ann and one for Jack. Then I take the model, another for Jack. I jot down notes for six or seven pictures that will tell each picture the high spots, or the

low spots. I decide which story shall be the first, we toss a coin. If it wins, it's her story and she is the model, while Jack and I take pictures. Actually, I suppose, most of it—placing the lights, setting the camera, and so on—but to let Jack feel that he's really "directing." We tell Ann what to do for each shot—and usually the whole picture series is made in one time. The following evening it's Jack's turn as model, and he helps me shoot.

Sometimes we invite the next neighbor's little girl over, as usual, so that both Jack and Ann can supervise. She enjoys it—because they fit together to tell a real story.

That outline, incidentally, is typical of our snapshot sequences. Just a step-by-step account of things the children do. Jack, building an airplane model or packing his knapsack for a hike; Ann, learning how to roller-skate, or how to make a rag doll. And they have already made one story sequence of me—loading my pipe, lighting it, sitting down with the evening paper, puffing away as I read, and finally dozing off. Pretty good pictures, too, for youngsters.

You should try this idea of snapshot sequences, if you haven't already. There's fun in it—and the pictures are more interesting because they fit together to tell a real story.

John van Guilder

**Double-Barreled Defense Protects America**



The machine at top, a combine grain harvester, bears striking resemblance to the machine of immediately below, an anti-aircraft gun manned by two of Uncle Sam's artillerymen. America depends on modern farming methods, along with the AAA farm program, have enabled us to build up an Ever-Normal Granary supply of food sufficient for any emergency. The nation has enough wheat on hand, for example, to make 500 loaves of bread for every person.

**WHEN A FARM IS "OPERATED" UNDER AAA PROGRAM**

College Station. — Since the regulations of the 1941 AAA program require that a farm be operated in order to qualify for payments other than for soil-building practices or restoration land measures, the state AAA committee has outlined seven ways in which a farm will be considered as "operated" in 1941.

1. Acreage equal to 50 per cent of the total soil-depleting allotment determined for the farm must be devoted to one or more of the following uses to qualify, George Slaughter, chairman of the committee, said.

- (1) A crop is seeded for harvest in 1941.
- (2) A crop (other than wild hay) is harvested in 1941.
- (3) Legumes or grasses are seeded in the fall of 1940 or seeded in 1941 except in the fall of 1941.
- (4) Sweet sorghums or Sudan grass are seeded in 1941 except in the fall of 1941.
- (5) Land is summer fallowed in 1941.
- (6) Small grains are seeded for pasture in 1941 except in the fall of 1941.
- (7) Acreage considered as cropland is devoted to pastures consisting of perennial legumes or perennial grasses or mixtures of the two.

In addition, a farm may be considered as operated if flood or drought cause failure to carry out any of the above uses, Slaughter said. County committees will settle such cases locally. To be accepted as reason for failure, the flood or drought must have been general over a substantial area of the county.

All bedrooms in a home should be accessible without going through another bedroom, according to Farmers' Bulletin 1738F, which gives suggestions for building rural homes economically.

**CURTIS LONG Food Store**

Pure Cane—Cloth Bag <b>SUGAR, 10 lbs. . . 46c</b>	Pure Hog <b>LARD, 4 lbs. . . . 34c</b>
Full Quart <b>PEANUT BUTTER 21c</b>	Crystal White <b>SOAP, 5 bars . . . 16c</b>

**COFFEE GOLD CUP 2 Lbs 27c**

In Cellophane Bag <b>Marshmallows, lb. 12c</b>	14 oz. Bottle <b>CATSUP, 2 bottles 18c</b>
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**Campbell's Tomato or Vegetable SOUP, 3 cans 25**

Large Size <b>Grapefruit, doz. . . 12c</b>	Nice Size <b>BANANAS, 2 doz. 19c</b>
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**Salt Pork No. 1 lb 11c**

Family Style <b>STEAK, 2 lbs. . . . 35c</b>	Pure Pork <b>SAUSAGE, 2 lb</b>
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# MULLIN NEWS

News Notes Clipped from the Mullin Enterprise

Walter Harris Reed of San Antonio is visiting his mother, Mrs. Jessie Reed.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Coppage and daughter, Sharon, visited Mrs. Coppage's mother in Morton Christmas.

Mr. and Mrs. Jimmie Hawk spent the holidays visiting relatives near Denton.

Ivett Weston of Alpine is visiting his parents here.

Miss Hancock and family of on visited last week with Mrs. Dock McNeill.

Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Hart and children visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Dennis at Pleasanton this week.

Miss Dorothy Rhodes of Huntsville and Miss Frances McCann of Waco visited Mrs. Katye Pyburn here this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Wallace of San Angelo spent a few days as guests in the Rube McDonald home.

Mrs. M. F. Wallace is visiting Mr. and Mrs. Wilford Favors at Paint Rock.

Mrs. A. G. Weston spent a part of the week visiting Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Carmichael and family at Ben Arnold.

Hillman McNeill returned to his home in Rosenberg Friday night after a visit to his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Dock McNeill here.

Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Rader of Florence and Mr. and Mrs. Chester Ratliff of Goldthwaite spent Christmas with Mr. and Mrs. Moody Perkins.

Mr. and Mrs. Lester Howard of Cherokee visited his mother, Mrs. S. S. Dorbandt the past week.

Mr. and Mrs. Glen Calder of Brownwood and Mr. and Mrs. Rupert Anderson of San Angelo visited Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Calder Wednesday.

Miss Sybil Guthrie of San Antonio, Mrs. G. E. Moses and children of LaPorte and Miss Nell Guthrie of O'Donnell and Rufus

Guthrie of Austin were holiday visitors in the John Guthrie home. Also Miss Shirley Guthrie a senior at Denton.

Rev. and Mrs. L. J. Vann had their children and families with them for Christmas day. Those enjoying the day with them were Mr. and Mrs. George B. G. Lightly of Hamilton, Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Hull of Tolar, Mr. and Mrs. S. J. Casey, Jack and Barbara June. Mrs. Jewell Ivy and sons.

Mr. and Mrs. Tyson Summy of Freer spent Christmas with Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Summy. Miss Marsalete Summy returned home with them for a week's visit.

O. J. Canady and family of Stephenville, and Mr. and Mrs. Prentiss Sanders of Uvalde were guests in the Will Sanders home during the holidays and Mrs. J. J. Canady returned home with O. J. Canady for a visit.

On Tuesday of last week Will Chesser, Lenvil Calder, Mrs. Rhoda Williams and Mrs. Will Chesser attended the funeral of Mr. Chesser and Mrs. Williams' brother-in-law, Billy Scott, at Adamsville. Friday, they received a message that Mrs. Billy Scott had passed away and went back Saturday to attend her funeral.

Mrs. Frank Shelton is visiting relatives in Zephyr.

Mrs. E. Reynolds, daughters and son, R. H. Reynolds were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Petty on Christmas day.

L. T. Spivey has received word of a new granddaughter, Mary Helen at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Spivey.

Mrs. Jimmie Fung returned to her home at Lafayette, La., after a visit with her father, L. T. Spivey and family here.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Dunaway and son, Jimmie, of Weatherford, are among the visitors at the John Guthrie home.

Mr. and Mrs. Jot Tucker

spent the holidays near Goldthwaite with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Tucker and Mr. and Mrs. L. W. Wigley.

Mr. and Mrs. L. G. Tillman of Glen Rose, Misses Reba Tillman of Brownwood and Wyno Rose Tillman of Leander have returned to their homes after a holiday visit here with their mother, Mrs. F. M. Tillman.

Mr. and Mrs. S. M. Casey had the following guests during the Yuletide: Misses Thelma Casey of Austin and Mary Frances Casey of Hutto, Mary Bolding and Glenn Casey of San Angelo.

Miss Elizabeth Wright of South Texas, enjoyed the holidays with her brother, John Wright and sister, Miss Jim Wright. The girls were meeting friends here Saturday and Miss Elizabeth returned to the call of her school.

The many friends of J. S. Kemp will regret to hear he is quite ill at his home in this city and under the care of a physician. His daughters, Mrs. G. W. Chancellor and Miss Katherine Kemp of Hot Springs, New Mexico and Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Kemp of Bluffdale are here.

Mrs. Leone Walton has moved her beauty shop to Moline at her pretty new home. Mrs. Walton has made many friends while here seven years and will be greatly missed. She was always glad to help in church, social as well as in civic affairs.

Mrs. W. H. McFarland had the following guests the past week: Mrs. O. R. Clardy and baby Lenda Grace of Brownwood, Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Humble and baby, Sue, late of Ft. Worth are at home with Mrs. McFarland while he has employment in Brownwood.

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Cox of Penwell visited Mr. and Mrs. Will Cox and other relatives here during the holidays. They are well pleased with the west but no place like home and all were glad indeed to see them back in Mills county.

Mr. and Mrs. T. D. Goodwin and daughters of Blanket, A. B. Hodges and family, Arthur Massey and family, F. E. Burkett and family of Goldthwaite, E. L. Burkett and family of this city, Mr. and Mrs. John Burkett of San Saba were the Christmas day guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. H. G. Chambers.

Mrs. W. E. Garner and family attended the funeral of Mrs. Truman Gunter, 31, Monday in Zephyr. She died as a victim of flu and pneumonia. She is survived by her husband and two small children.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Fletcher left Sunday morning for their home in Avenal, California, after a delightful Christmas visit. This was Fred's first Christmas in the home of Mr. and Mrs. G. M. Fletcher for years. The other members of the family all came home and had a merry homecoming.

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tives and old friends.

School will open here January 6. The prolonged vacation is due to a mild epidemic of influenza. Most of the cases are reported improving nicely.

Mr. and Mrs. Barney McCurry were Christmas guests of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. I. McCurry and Mr. and Mrs. J. N. Crockett.

Mrs. S. V. Roberts and Lynn Roberts and family were among the influenza victims recently.

S. J. Eaton is at home from a hospital and now able to be in town.

Mr. and Mrs. K. T. Haynes and son, Wayne of Rock Port, spent the holidays visiting here.

Mr. and Mrs. G. B. Wallace enjoyed the following holiday visitors: Mr. and Mrs. Oran Coor of Eola, Mr. and Mrs. Legal McCormick and children, Marie and Bobby Jack, Mr. and Mrs. Legal McCormick, r., of Oplis, New Mexico and daughter, Pattilou Crouch of Ross City, and Mr. and Mrs. Billy Vaughan of Roaring Springs.

**MULLIN BOY MAKING GOOD**

Ewol Clendenen has accepted a splendid position with the Stephens manufacturing co., of Nashville, Tenn. Mr. Clendenen's headquarters will be at Dallas where he has a pretty new home.

His territory will be north and East Texas sales for men's and boys' clothing. Success to you, and may you continue to progress.

**CHRISTMAS WEDDING**

Miss Velma Foreman and Thomas Hughes of Zephyr were married on the 23rd of December by Rev. Cooper, pastor of the Baptist church in Brownwood.

The bride is a sister of Mrs. J. L. Herrington of this city and has frequently made extended visits here.

They will reside on the Hughes ranch near Zephyr.

**AUTO WRECK**

Rufus Guthrie and Howard Dunaway were in a wreck near Conroe where Rufus was painfully cut about the face and had a badly wrecked car. He was carried to a Conroe hospital.

While Mr. Dunaway was there with Rufus, he had an attack of influenza. They have both recovered and glad to be at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Guthrie.

**POMPEY**

Again we have come to the close of another year. To some it has brought joy and to others sadness. We trust that the new year will bring to each and all prosperity and good health.

D. T. Jenkins has returned from the hospital and is able to be up and around town.

Mr. and Mrs. Gus Wagner of Comanche visited in the Morgan Black home Sunday. Mrs. Herman Carlisle and daughter, were also visitors.

There are quite a few people sick in this community with the flu. Whooping cough is also

making the round among children.

Mrs. Woodie Breazeale and children of Valley View, returned to their home Monday. Mrs. Jack Breazeale went home with them for a few weeks visit.

Mrs. Ed Jenkins and Miss Lucy Ethridge spent Monday with Mrs. W. B. Black.

Clay Duke is a victim of the flu.

Marshall and Elton Lester of Brownwood have been visiting their uncle, Milton Carlisle.

Mr. and Mrs. Tip Carlisle and daughters, Lynn and Mrs. Elzie Pittman visited Mr. and Mrs. S. R. Bean in Comanche county recently.

Mrs. Claud Smith and children of Jones county have been visiting relatives here and at Zephyr.

Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Weeks of Quemado are visiting here and in the Prairie community.

**CURTIS-HARDING**

Miss Virginia Harding and E. M. Curtis were married at the Baptist parsonage in Goldthwaite on December 23.

The bride is the daughter of Mrs. M. O. Sadler of this city and has many friends here. The groom is also well known here and they have the best wishes of a wide circle of friends.

They were accompanied to Goldthwaite by Miss Gladys Sadler, sister of the bride and by Miss Maxine Curtis, niece of the groom.

**A WONDERFUL SURPRISE**

Christmas day, Dr. and Mrs. R. H. Jones were trying to keep each other cheerful and jolly despite the fact they were alone and their children scattered many miles away.

About five o'clock in the afternoon the sunshine came in with Mr. and Mrs. Don Wood and Jacqueline Shelton of Fort Worth.

They brought ready to serve the king of birds and everything that adds zest to a dandy Christmas dinner and what a grand time they all had together.

**NEW YEAR'S GREETING**

1941—a brand new year is here and similar in many respects to the old year just gone. Each new day will bring with the sunrise new opportunity and it bids you work and rise and fight to win.

Each one will hoe his own row and a bit of cheerfulness will help along the way with your neighbor. If the old row is half weeded today you are not giving tomorrow a fair deal, for there is joy only in work well done.

Happy New Year, readers, it's a privilege to greet you and a blessing to be a citizen and live in America and a pleasure to reside in the Lone Star State.

Count your blessings.

Annual meeting of the Texas Agricultural Workers' Association will be held in San Antonio on January 10 to 11.

**FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH**  
E. E. Dawson, Pastor

And now for a New Year! Let's turn over a new leaf in life as well as on the calendar, and resolve to make this 1941 notable for fidelity to duty, energy in service, diligence in self-improvement, and a broader neighborliness.

Next Sunday will be a good time to test our new aims by attending Sunday School and the worship services of our respective churches—you in church and I in mine.

Sunday School at our place ways start at 10. The worship hours are 10:45 and 7:15. There is always a sincere welcome to all comers. May we look forward to next Sunday?

Next Sunday morning is time for our quarterly conference of the Lord's Supper. This is also the annual occasion for a love gift to Buckner Orphan Home. Keep the two things in mind.

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LIVER, lb.	10c
RADIO BACON, lb.	15c

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**PERSONAL PARAGRAPHS**

June Frazier of ... spent part of last ...

Mrs. Lacy Thompson ... to the Hud Ham- ... apartment.

Mrs. D. O. Simpson ... Earl visited Mrs. A. ... on Christmas day.

Mrs. Clyde Estep spent ... with her father, J. C. ... Chappel.

Arlene Little is spend- ... week with her cousin, ... Little in San Antonio.

Mrs. G. W. Scott of ... were guests in the ... Little home Sunday.

C. H. McMillan of San ... in the C. H. Black ... Sunday.

Mrs. W. E. Stockton ... spent Christmas with ... at Fort Worth.

O. H. Blair of Santa Anna ... a week with her son, ... Blair and wife.

Mrs. R. L. Bates of ... spent Christmas with her ... F. N. Irvin.

Mrs. J. H. Pirtle of ... Point, spent part of the ... season with Mr. and ... Elmer Scooby.

S. E. Pass and family of ... spent the holidays with ... parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. L. ...

Mrs. R. L. Sutton of ... Cove spent Friday and ... with her sister, Mrs. E. ...

Mrs. H. A. Sykes and ... of Winters spent the ... holidays with rela- ... here and at Big Valley.

Joyce Johnson of Mid- ... spent several days with ... folks during the Christ- ... holidays.

L. Mauldin of Galveston, ... several days during the ... days with his aunt, Mrs. Lem ...

Jerry Hester of Seguin, ... victim of flu at the home ... parents, Mr. and Mrs. ... Hester during the holidays.

Louise, Ruth and Jean ... spent Christmas holi- ... with their parents, Mr. and ... G. R. Goozby.

Mrs. Parm Childre ... son, Floyd of San Antonio, ... Christmas day here visit- ... relatives.

Mrs. F. D. Reynolds ... daughter, Myrelene, spent ... Christmas day with her ... Mrs. Baber of Dublin.

Mrs. John Potter re- ... Sunday from a week's ... with their son, Horace Pot- ... family at Athens.

Mrs. R. G. Childre of ... aco, spent a few days this ... with her parents, Mr. and ... John Potter.

Mrs. Grover Swaim of ... water, spent the Christmas ... days with her mother, Mrs. ... Little and family.

Willie Long and daugh- ... Frances, of San Benito, are ... ing her father, Jim Rahl ... family.

Mrs. John Barr, formerly Miss ... Lou Grundy, of Sherman, ... her sister, Mrs. M. Mc- ... Monday and Tuesday.

Misses Abble and Ruth Ervin ... Christmas with relatives ... Joleman. Their sister, Miss O. ... White and family of Ranger, ... accompanied them back to Gold- ... nite last Wednesday.

ecil Parker of Dallas, Mr. ... Mrs. H. B. Caudle and son, ... ble, of Fort Worth, and Ruth ... ker of Grand ... visited their ... Mrs. J. R. Par- ... during the Christmas holi-

Dr. and Mrs. J. M. Campbell ... in the Temple hospital with ... flu. They are doing nicely and ... are expected home soon. Sam ... Rahl is there, too, going through ... the clinic.

Miss Lou Ella Patterson, as- ... sistant home demonstrator at ... Waco, favored The Eagle office ... with a call on New Year's Day. ... She returned to Waco on the ... eve of the first.

Ross Wheeler and family and ... H. W. Wheeler and family all of ... Rankin spent Christmas day ... with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. ... D. L. Wheeler and other rela- ... tives.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Kauhs, Mr. ... and Mrs. Will Woody and Rev. ... Harrison of Brownwood visited ... the sick of Goldthwaite who are ... in a Temple hospital, last Sun- ... day.

M. Y. Stokes, Jr., and Buddy ... Stokes visited in Lampasas Sun- ... day afternoon where Buddy re- ... mained to accompany his aunt, ... Mrs. J. T. Rather, Jr., to Hous- ... ton to spend the week.

Miss Louise Gartman of Aus- ... tin spent Christmas in Old Mex- ... ico. She came home Sunday to ... spend this week with her par- ... ents, Mr. and Mrs. L. J. Gart- ... man.

Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Powell of ... Ft. Worth, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. ... Kirk of San Angelo left last ... Thursday after spending the ... holidays in the J. H. Saylor ... home.

Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Frazier ... and daughter, and Mrs. Elmer ... Horton, took their mother and ... Edward Elder to Winters for a ... visit with her sister and family. ... They also visited in San Angelo ... and Ballinger.

Mrs. Billy Stephens, who was ... quite sick with flu during the ... holidays was able to go to ... Brownwood Sunday with Mr. ... Stephens for a few days visit ... with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. ... Cross.

Guests of Mr. and Mrs. Mc- ... Duffy Kessler during Christmas ... week were her sister, Miss Rosa ... Wirz of Waelder, Miss Gladys ... Short, state home economic su- ... pervisor of Austin and her sister ... Miss Marion Short of Waelder.

Mrs. W. B. Potter has been ... very sick at her home in the ... southeastern part of town. Mrs. ... Will Potter of Brownwood has ... been with her during her illness.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Gilliam, Sr., ... of Brownwood, Miss Ruth Long ... of Austin and Mr. and Mrs. Leon- ... ard Stallings of Ballinger spent ... Christmas afternoon with Ed ... Gilliam, Jr., and the E. B. An- ... dersons.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Berry had as ... guests during Christmas their ... daughters, Mrs. F. W. Lein- ... nerweber and family of ... San Antonio, and Mrs. Jim- ... my Fox and husband. Mr. ... and Mrs. Jess Williams of Fort ... Worth, Mr. and Mrs. Ford Lein- ... nerweber of Kempner and Mr. ... and Mrs. Fred Jones of Coman- ... che.

Mrs. Grady L. Bates and son, ... Marshall, of San Angelo, are vis- ... iting in the home of her sister, ... Mrs. L. R. Armstrong. Mrs. ... Bates is remembered here by a ... host of friends as Miss Hattie ... Wilson, but for the many years ... has made her home in San An- ... gelo.

Mrs. A. D. Karnes had the ... following guests in her home on ... Christmas day: Mr. and Mrs. Joe ... Bailey Karnes and Joe Proctor, ... Richland Springs, Mrs. Laura ... York, Ft. Worth, Mrs. Loula Lace- ... well, Lometa, Mr. and Mrs. G. D. ... Carroll and family, Eliasville, ... and Mr. and Mrs. Jim Rudd and ... Juanita.

Mrs. J. A. Palmer, Mrs. R. M. ... Thompson and Larry Stokes ... visited W. H. Thompson in the ... Brownwood Memorial Hospital ... Sunday afternoon. Mrs. J. W. ... Kelly, who had been visiting her ... daughter, Mrs. J. C. Darroch, ac- ... companied them back to Gold- ... thwaite. Edward Palmer of Tar- ... leton College also returned with ... them.

**LAMPASAS COUPLE MARRIED IN GATESVILLE CEREMONY**

A wedding of interest to friends and relatives in Goldthwaite was solemnized Thursday afternoon in Gatesville when Miss Mary Dae Humphries became the bride of J. C. Gartman. The single ring ceremony was performed by Rev. L. C. Loper of Gatesville.

The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Humphries of Lampasas and is a graduate of Lampasas High School. Mr. Gartman is the son of Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Gartman of Gatesville, is a graduate of Gatesville High School and is employed in Lampasas by the Gartman Music shop. Mr. and Mrs. Gartman will make their home in Lampasas.

**7D RANCH ROUNDUP**

We have been having a lot of sickness in our community. The beautiful sunshine gives new hope to begin with the new year.

Woodrow Spinks and family have moved to Rotan. We surely do miss them.

All of Mr. and Mrs. Luther Jernigan's children were at home Christmas.

Little Spencer Renfro has been on the sick list and not improving very fast.

M. L. Jernigan and sons, Seignor and Hawley went on a wolf hunt near Throckmorton and report a fine time. They caught a wolf.

Mr. and Mrs. D. W. Mangham and son of Belton visited in the Jernigan home last week end.

Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Grubbs of Abilene, spent the holidays with the Jernigan family.

**NEW YEAR'S MARRIAGE**

Miss Audrey Wilkey of the Moline community and Garland O. Patterson of the Lake Merritt community were joined in wedlock with a ring ceremony at the Baptist parsonage in Goldthwaite at 7:30 on the evening of December 31. The Rev. E. E. Dawson performed the rites, and Mrs. Dawson acted as witness.

Division Manager W. D. Nuckles and Division Auditor Mrs. S. M. Ringness of the Community Public Service Company, with Division headquarters at Clifton, spent Wednesday in Goldthwaite attending to matters pertaining to the local office.

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The Methodist Church extends a special invitation to all Methodist young people home from school to worship with us next Sunday.

Students from various colleges who were home for the holidays were: Misses Wanda and Wilda Bledsoe, Virginia Ruth Rudd, Bettie Jo Whitaker, Constance Trent, Sarah and Catherine Fairman, Alene Riss, Oleta and Thelma Henry, Veseva Sellers, Laura Helen Saylor, Katherine Hodges, Dorothy Eunice Morris, Gloria Dyas, Nina Summy, Ina B. Hale, Louise Gartman; Edward Eugene Palmer, Glen Collier, John Bowman, Schultz Faulkner, Wallace Johnson, Aubrey Smith, Mark Fairman, Jr., Sumter Gerald, Troy N. Berry, Billy Saylor, Fred and J. T. Soules, Ebert Pierce and Larry Stokes.

Those who have been flu patients this week were: Miss Dera Humphries, Mrs. F. M. Stephens, Ed, Jr., John and James Gilliam, Mrs. Jim Kelly, Mrs. Lucille Fairman, rthur Cline, Little Jeffer Ann McKenny, Mr. and Mrs. W. P. McCullough, Mrs. Florene Renfro, Mr. and Mrs. A. Ware, Mr. and Mrs. Claude Dickerson and son, Dean, Miss Charline Brim, McDuffy Kessler, Tom Collier and family, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Fairman, R. C. Johnson, Jr., and son, Robert Henry and Mrs. Henry Morris.

Willie Ray Wharton of Dallas is spending this week with his aunt, Mrs. Lacy Thompson.

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**DON'T SCRATCH!** Every jar of Paracide Ointment is guaranteed to relieve itching of eczema, itch, ringworm, athlete's foot and other minor skin irritation. Large jar 60¢ at Clements Drug Store. 11-22-tfc

### BURIAL INSURANCE

**"Cash burial expense policies from \$100 to \$300 on ages to 75. Under State supervision. Join in with our thousands of members. Central Texas Insurance Company, Bartlett, Texas. 25¢ Send for Folder."**

**SORE THROAT - TONSILLITIS!** Nothing equals a good mop for sore throat or tonsillitis and our ANAETHESIA-MOP is guaranteed to give prompt relief or your money refunded. Hudson Bros. Druglists. 11-22-tfc

Mrs. Dora Morris received a message from her son, M. C., Thursday that he was able to be moved from the hospital at Fayetteville, Ark., to his home in Lavaca, Ark.

**FOR SALE**—Lot 60 foot front one block long south across street from High School Bldg. See me at Marble yard or phone 40W residence phone. J. N. Keese, Goldthwaite, Texas. 12-6-tfc

**FOR SALE**—Square brand threshed seed oats. Guaranteed free from Johnson grass. From screened seed, 50¢; from same strain unscreened, 40¢. Kate Petsick, Caradan. 12-28 1tp

**LOST**—Since December 4, brown brindle bull dog. Untrim-

## Mrs. Helen M. Stoddard, Well Known Former Indian Gap Citizen, Dies in Dallas Tuesday Morning

Mrs. Helen M. Stoddard, 90, veteran temperance worker in the nation and an early president of the Texas Woman's Christian Temperance, died early Tuesday at a Dallas hospital following a long illness.

Mrs. Stoddard was well known to many of Mills county's older citizens, having spent many years on the ranch of her father, Mr. Gerald, another pioneer of the Indian Gap community.

From Thursday's Dallas Morning News the following item was taken:

More than fifty years ago she became widely known as an active worker for national temperance and was elected president of the W. C. T. U. of Texas in 1891, a position she held continuously until 1907 when failing health forced her to retire and move to Southern California, where she lived until she returned to Texas only a short time ago. Her son, Robert M. Stoddard, died in Ramona, Calif. several years ago and her daughter-in-law, Mrs. Stella B. Stoddard, returned to Texas, locating at Brownwood, where Mrs. Stoddard made her home.

Mrs. Stoddard became seriously ill during Christmas week and was brought to Dallas for treatment. Her body will be sent to San Diego, Calif., for burial beside her son.

Mrs. Stoddard was born in Sheboygan Falls Township, Wis., on July 27, 1850. She attended Ripon College in Wisconsin, Geneva Wesleyan Seminary in New York, where at the age of 20 she was valedictorian of her graduating class. Five years later she married R. D. Stoddard, a classmate, who died in 1880. With her small son, Mrs. Stoddard came to Texas a short time after her husband's death and lived for a time on her father's ranch near Indian Gap, Hamilton county. Later she taught in Comanche College and in Fort Worth University, resigning from the latter position to accept the presidency of the W. C. T. U. of Texas.

**Led Social Reform Drives**  
 "During her early years in Texas, Mrs. Stoddard was active in various social reforms which she helped to obtain through

passage by the Legislature. It was largely through her efforts that the so-called scientific temperance instruction law for teaching in schools the effects of alcohol was passed and she also aided in obtaining passage of a law raising the age of protection for girls in Texas. In 1899 she led the movement for the adoption of the so-called anti-tobacco law for youths in Texas.

"Mrs. Stoddard aided in obtaining location of the College of Industrial Arts, now Texas State College for Women at Denton. Mrs. Stoddard was honored by this school some three years ago when Stoddard Hall was dedicated and named in her honor. She was a member of the commission chosen to locate the new school and served for several years on the board of regents."

### Scallorn

By Mrs. Ora Black  
 Sunday will be our regular church day. Let's all do our best to be present and invite some one to go with us.

I suppose a lot of us are planning to make New Year's resolutions which are fine, but most of us need to improve on the one's we made last year.

Winter T. Stevenson, an old-time settler of Lampasas county passed away at his home near Lometa, December 20. Burial

was at Long Cove cemetery. We regret very much the passing of this good citizen and extend our sympathy to his wife and sister, Mrs. Dee Jones.

Mr. and Mrs. John Kuykendall were Sunday visitors in the home of his mother, Mrs. Kit Claunch of Lampasas.

Mr. and Mrs. Fields of Plainview were guests last week in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Hines.

Mrs. Lila Crawford of Goldthwaite visited one day last week with her mother, Mrs. R. D. Evans.

On account of so much sickness we have not had Sunday School for the past two weeks. Mrs. Ora Black prepared dinner Sunday for forty guests.

We are told preparations have been made to start on the oil well which is to be drilled on the Joe Morgan place.

Mr. and Mrs. John Kuykendall spent Christmas day in Mullin with their daughter and family, Mrs. Frances Kyle.

Guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Hines Christmas day were Mr. and Mrs. Fields Hines of Lometa, and Mr. and Mrs. John Allen Todd and son of Santa Anna.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Ford spent Christmas with Mrs. Ford's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Dee Stanley of Adamsville.

Mr. and Mrs. I. O. Harvey enjoyed a home coming of all their children and grandchildren during the Christmas holidays.

From Denver, Colorado came Mr. and Mrs. Frank Broadus and little daughter, from San Antonio, Mr. and Mrs. Omar Harvey, from Austin, Earl Harvey and from Priddy, Mr. and Mrs. Wayman Harvey and two

## Melba Theatre

Thursday - Friday - Saturday Matinee  
 SHIRLEY TEMPLE AND JACK OAKIE

in  
**'Young People'**  
 SATURDAY NIGHT  
**'Hidden Gold'**

WILLIAM BOYD  
 (Hop-A-Long Cassidy)



SAT. PREVUE - SUNDAY - MONDAY  
 MICKEY ROONEY - JUDY GARLAND

in  
**'Strike Up the Band'**

### CHRISTMAS HOMECOMING

We are sure he will be. Then there will be company's I ren, girls and boys. To enter into the company of the F and the from Le to Camp quarters company of Com dart aso. the 14 sign its me with t gold pines D f m Raiser, G from I kill some time. Canyon, l Mrs. and Mrs. W. M. J. Galle accompanied by their daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Robert spent the week end with daughters, Mrs. H. H. and family and Mrs. Peebles and family at Lavaca, Texas.

## THE POCKETBOOK OF KNOWLEDGE

**BUSINESS AND GOVERNMENT**  
 IT COSTS 3 CENTS TO SEND A LETTER IN THE U.S. — OF THIS AMOUNT, THE GOVERNMENT PAYS THE OVERSEAS 1/2% OF A CENT TO CARRY EACH LETTER.

IT TAKES ALMOST 2 YEARS TO GROW A WAVEAPPLE

AMERICAN TOURISTS LAST YEAR SPENT A BILLION AND A QUARTER DOLLARS FOR EQUIPMENT, GIFTS, AND SOUVENIRS

THE FIRST "MACHINE GUN" WAS USED BY THE AMERICAN ARMIES IN 1860 — IT CONSISTED OF A SCORE OR MORE SEPARATE GUN BARRELS MOUNTED ON A CARRIAGE

THE AUTOMOBILE INDUSTRY USES 68% OF THE LEATHER UPHOLSTERY IN THE UNITED STATES

### David-Goliath Stand of Greeks Spurs Drive for Relief Funds

**SPURRED** by fresh reports of the tiny Greek Army's heroic resistance to Mussolini's forces, the Greek War Relief Association has intensified its nationwide drive for \$10,000,000 to aid distress among the civilian population in the invaded areas.

Appeal for the funds, which will be used for the relief of civilian suffering behind the lines of the fighting Greek army was launched November 20. Already \$614,384.06 has been received for transmission to Athens for distribution by the Administrative Committee for American Relief in Greece.

The funds will go to purchase ambulances, food, clothing and other relief supplies needed to alleviate distress caused by the Italian invasion.

More than 500 local committees have been organized throughout the United States, with the assistance of 2000 Greek clubs and other organizations to aid the mother country.

Harold S. Vanderbilt, American philanthropist and sportsman, heads the list of distinguished men and women who are serving on the National Citizens Committee of which Mr. Vanderbilt is honorary chairman. The Most Rev. Athenagoras, Archbishop of the Greek Orthodox Church of North and South America, is national chairman; and Spyros P. Skouras, head of a national chain of motion picture theatres, is national president.

Also engaged in the appeal are Mrs. Huntington Astor, honorary national chairman of the Women's Auxiliary, and Grand Duchess Marie of Russia, Madame Kimon Diamantopoulou is honorary sponsor of the Auxiliary.

Others who have enlisted in the cause for Greece are the Rt. Rev. Fulton J. Sheen of Catholic Univer-



The Most Rev. Athenagoras turns over a check to Harold S. Vanderbilt, honorary chairman, covering the first disbursement to be made for civilian relief in Greece.

sity and the Rt. Rev. Henry St. George Tucker, presiding Bishop of the Protestant Episcopal Church. National headquarters have been established at 730 Fifth Avenue, New York City.

## January Clearance Sale

### LADIES' WINTER COATS

All Ladies' Coats to go at Less Than Half Price

<b>Ladies' Dresses</b> Many much less than half-price. Some as low as \$1.00	<b>Ladies' Shoes</b> Special Reduced Prices on One Lot Ladies' Shoes as low as \$1.00
Extra Special Reduced Prices on Wool Goods \$1.98 Woolens, yd. \$1.69 \$1.69 & 1.79 Woolens \$1.49 \$1.49 Woolens \$1.19	See us for Sweaters, Jackets, Winter Underwear, Etc.
59c and 69c Spun Rayons, per yard 44c They Must Clear Out—Don't Miss This Sale	Dress Shirts, regular \$1.65 shirts, Each \$1.36

### TRADES DAY SPECIALS

36 inch Outing, 15c values, all you want if the stock holds out. Per yard 10c

Special Reduced Prices on Men's Overcoats

## YARBOROUGH'S

Subscribe for your county paper—The Goldthwaite Eagle—The reading of our ad alone will save you more than the price of the subscription.

## BRIM GROCERY

Friday and Saturday - January 3rd

Ask for your Cash Dividend Coupons. Drawing for Saturday afternoon at 4:00 p. m.

- SPUDS, nice ones—10 lbs.
- FRESH CABBAGE, firm green heads—8 lbs.
- LETTUCE, large crisp heads
- TURNIPS AND TOPS, large bunches, nice tops—each
- CARROTS, nice—2 bunches

OXYDOL Large size 21c 7 giant bars 25c

- BUTTER MILK, fresh churned, bring your bottle—qt.
- FLOUR, Quaker, unconditionally guaranteed—24 lbs.
- COFFEE, Yarborough's—drip or regular—lb.
- MINCE MEAT, quart jar
- MACARONI or SPAGHETTI—3 boxes
- TOMATOES, No. 2 size—3 for
- TOMATO JUICE, 3 tall cans
- OATS, large 5 lb. package
- KARO, Crystal White or Red Label—gal. size
- RAISINS, 2 lb. package
- COCOANUT, in bulk, long shredded, not mixed
- BROWN SUGAR, in bulk light color—2 lbs.

### MARKET SPECIALS

- FRESH PORK LIVER, lb.
- OLEO, crystal bowl free, lb.
- CHOICE VEAL STEAK 2 lbs.
- BACON, we slice it—try it—lb.
- ROAST—chuck or plate—lb.
- LOIN or T-BONE, lb.

HOT BARBECUE! INDIVIDUALLY OWNED AND HOME GROWN!