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GOLDTHWAITE, MILLS COUNTY, TEXAS, AUGUST 10, 1912.

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Ladies' White Buck Lace and Button Shoes.
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Ladies' Velvet Lace and Button Shoes.
Ladies' Pat. Leather Lace and Button Shoes.

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Men's Gunmetal Lace and Button Shoes.
Men's Pat. Leather Lace and Button Shoes.

Misses' and Children's White, Black and Tan Lace and Button Shoes.

Goldthwaite Mercantile Co.

COMMERCIAL CLUB
Commercial club met in regular session in the Masonic Monday night. President L. being absent, ex-President Alin presided at the meeting.

President appointed W. C. Street and R. M. Thompson auditing committee to re-nest meeting the receipts of funds for the barbecue, together with left in the fund to be the subscribers.

Committee of three to draft of thanks to the citizens who assisted in fair a success. Messrs. Edward Geeslin and R. were appointed as such

MEETING FARMERS' UNION.

of the Farmers' Union met in regular session at the county fair grounds, called session of the Farmers' Union at 8 o'clock in Goldthwaite, Aug. 17, for the purpose of the report of the delegate State Union and for the any other business that for the body. All locals to send full delegations member of the Union in is respectfully invited by their advice and devise means and plans a re-organization of the county. Brethren, lay along for that day and show your Union spirit and dance at this meeting.

M. FEATHERSTON,
President.
L. Secretary-Treasurer

was here from Arizona visiting his parents, W. C. Kirby, and other returned home Wednesday.

Mrs. E. P. Thompson and children have visited relatives in Zephyr this week.

Mrs. D. H. Trent and son Howard left Tuesday for El Paso to visit Walter Weathers and wife.

Mrs. T. A. Lovelace of Mullin has our thanks for a renewal of her subscription since last report.

Leonard Skaggs spent Sunday in Temple with his wife and baby, who were visiting relatives in that city.

A. J. Weathers left Friday night for Sulphur Springs to visit his sister, Mrs. Bays, who was quite sick.

Miss Nina Kight and her brother Grover have been here from Hanna Valley this week visiting the family of County Attorney Wood.

Prof. Goodnight and family now occupy a residence on Fisher street, known as the Trent place, having moved from the H. G. Bodkin residence, south of the square.

I. M. Ward has moved back to this city from Cleburne. His health has improved a great deal by traveling around and his friends hope he is fully restored to health.

Mrs. Fannie Wynn of Bangs visited relatives here the first of the week. She and Mesdames Robertson of Big Valley left Tuesday for Boaz, N. M., to visit Lee Robertson and wife.

Miss Myra Prater left Saturday morning for El Paso, to complete her arrangements for the beginning of school. She will then go to Cloudcroft, N. M., to spend the remainder of the summer.

City Marshal Caldwell returned Sunday night from attending a reunion of his relatives in eastern Texas. His father, Mr. I. W. Caldwell of Rogers, came home with him for a visit.

W. M. Welticke and his wife and daughter were here from the Priddy country Tuesday. They came this far with L. Fuelberg, who returned to his home at Brenham, after a visit to them. Mr. Welticke renewed his subscription while here.

UNIVERSITY COURSE A FINANCIAL SUCCESS.

Seven years ago a young woman already having a permanent certificate to teach became discouraged at the prospect for working for fifty dollars a month, decided to go to the University of Texas, and borrowed the money for her expenses. She was able to take advanced standing and graduated at the end of three years in debt \$360. She says:

"From time to time, as the amount borrowed began to creep into the hundreds I became fearful and doubtful whether I had followed the best plan. Yet I could see that the investment was safe, its economic basis being increased earning capacity. From my present viewpoint I consider my years in the University a success financially. I reckon from observation that a liberal salary for me, if I had not attended the University, would be \$85 per month for nine months. For seven years, at the rate of \$65, the amount of money earned would be \$4095. My salary since leaving the University runs as follows: \$900 \$945, \$1200, \$1300 per year; total, \$4345. Thus I am \$240 to the good. It means that three years at the University have fitted me to earn in four years \$240 more than I could have earned in seven years with my former earning capacity. Eight hundred and sixty dollars seems a formidable sum to a young woman and yet there is no great risk provided the borrower can offer as security a sound constitution, a healthy brain, a lively ambition, and enough self-pride to make her wish not to disappoint her friends or her family who have invested in her. Finally, I am pleased, who borrowed the money, and have taken an interest and delight in my success as student and teacher."

Mrs. Maud Jenkins and little son arrived from Arkansas last Sunday for a visit to W. E. Miller and family.

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W. TEXAS PHONE 91

Edw. Geeslin, Mgr.

RURAL PHONE 93

Ed Graves and his sister, Mrs. Miller, came over from Belton Sunday to visit their mother, Mrs. H. R. Graves, and other relatives. All of Mrs. Graves' children were with her in her home here Sunday and it was indeed a pleasant time for her, as well as for the other members of the family.

Mrs. W. H. Wood and son Earnest spent part of last week in Hamilton and Miss Anna Bell, who had been visiting relatives there came home with them. Tom McKinley, Jr., accompanied them home for a visit.

Misses Edith Miller and Jewel Yarbrough went to Ballinger the first of the week.

Head from Misses

2 Cars of the Latest Styles Enterprise Buggies just unloaded--Mills County Hardware Co.

—'Sure Nuff' chile sauce, at Grisham's.

—Cline & Son can save you money on groceries.

—Don't forget the special sale on groceries at Clines.

—A new lot of refrigerators at Weems & Burks's.

—Dry weather prices are named on groceries at Clines.

—Nice, fresh box chocolates by express every week at the Palace of Sweets.

—Go to Weems & Burks for new and up-to-date furniture and house furnishings.

—You will enjoy a drive in one of Rudd's new vehicles. Phone your order to the stable.

—A lot of good crate lumber we would like to dispose of cheap—Cockrum & Rudd.

—If you want pure milk, feed your cows pure feed. Order from Harper & Barrow. Both phones.

—A number of second hand buggies to sell cheap and on any kind of time—Cockrum & Rudd.

—Cline & Son will make it interesting for you if you will give them your order for groceries.

—Weems & Burks will trade you new furniture and take second hand furniture in payment.

—For Sale—A number of good second hand buggies cheap and on any kind of time—Cockrum & Rudd.

—Sherwin—Williams paint is not a cheap paint but a good one. Harris & McCullough sell it.

—Sherwin—Williams paint is the cheapest in the long run. For sale at Harris & McCullough's.

—You might just as well save something on your grocery bill by trading with Cline & Son.

—Fresh meat, barbecue, bread and home made lard at Hudson & Rahl's meat market. Both phones.

—Fresh groceries all the time at Grisham's.

—Weems & Burks have pretty new furniture to trade for stock, second hand furniture or nearly anything.

—Give Cline & Son a chance to fill your next bill of groceries and you will be pleased with the result.

—You can enjoy a Sunday afternoon drive in a livery stable outfit for a mighty little money. Phone and see.

—You can just as well save money by giving Cline your order for groceries and you get the best of everything.

—Cline & Son are the grocery people who are anxious for your trade and will make special prices for the cash.

—Phone the livery stable when you want a single or double rig, for long or short drives.

—Weems & Burks have the prettiest line of art squares and rugs you ever saw at reasonable prices.

—We keep 'em busy unloading lumber for Harris & McCullough. We are filling our big sheds getting ready to supply you with whatever you need in building material.

—'I was cured of diarrhoea by one dose of Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy,' writes M. E. Gebhardt, Oriole, Pa. There is nothing better. For sale by R. E. Clements.

—If you sit in a cool draft when you are heated and a stiff neck or lame back, you will be looking for something that will ease the pain. Fix your mind on Ballard's Snow Liniment and don't be talked out of it because it is the best pain relieving liniment you can get anywhere. Price 25c, 50c and \$1.00 per bottle. Sold by R. E. Clements.

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CHARMINGLY attractive garments producing that prepossessing quality known as style.

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These can be worn with equal affectiveness, whether beneath a rich, costly dress or under a simple, inexpensive gown—the result is the same—A **STYLISH FIGURE.**

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DEMOCRATIC NOMINEES.

Goldthwaite, Tex., Aug. 6, 1912.

I, Jno. W. Roberts, chairman of the Democratic Executive Committee of Mills county, Texas, do hereby certify that at a Democratic primary election held in said county, on the 27th day of July, 1912, as shown by the respective returns made to me, there was polled in said county a total of 1106 votes.

I further certify that of said votes the candidates for county and precinct offices were duly canvassed by the Executive Committee for said county and party, and the following named persons were declared the nominees:

For County Chairman: Jno. W. Roberts.

For County Judge: S. H. Allen.

For District Clerk: L. E. Booker.

For County Clerk: W. B. Summy.

For Sheriff and Tax Collector: E. O. Priddy.

For Tax Assessor: A. E. Evans.

For County Treasurer: S. T. Wells.

For County Surveyor: F. M. Long.

For County Attorney: J. C. Darroch.

For Public Weigher Pre. No's. 1, 2, & 3: A. D. Karnes.

For Commissioner Precinct No. 1: M. H. Hines.

For Commissioner Precinct No. 2: J. R. Carter.

For Commissioner Precinct No. 3: R. F. Swindle.

For Commissioner Precinct No. 4: Reide M. Haynes.

For Public Weigher Precinct No. 3: G. A. Pyburn.

For Justice of the Peace, Pre. No. 1: M. H. Hines.

For Justice of the Peace, Pre. No. 2: J. R. Carter.

For Justice of the Peace, Pre. No. 3: J. F. Brockenbrough.

For Justice of the Peace, Pre. No. 4: Walter Nelson.

For Justice of the Peace, Pre. No. 5: J. M. Jones.

For Justice of the Peace, Pre. No. 6: A. Lorenz.

For Constable, Precinct No. 1: C. W. Lindsay.

For Constable, Precinct No. 2: T. G. Preston.

For Constable, Precinct No. 3: Seaborn Jones.

For Constable, Precinct No. 4: W. N. Griffin.

For Constable, Precinct No. 5: G. C. Kight.

For Constable, Precinct No. 6: A. H. Braker.

I further certify that said Primary Election was held in accordance with the law, and that the returns thereof were made in accordance with the law, and that the above and foregoing is a true and correct list of the nominees of said county and precinct offices as declared by the Executive Committee of the Democratic party in Mills County, Texas.

Jno. W. ROBERTS, Chairman, Democratic Executive Committee of Mills County, Texas.

I, R. J. Atkinson, Clerk of the County Court in and for Mills county, Texas, do hereby certify that the foregoing tabulated statement of the nominees of the Democratic party of Mills county, Texas, for county and precinct offices for Mills county, is a true and correct copy of the original now on file in my office.

Given under my hand and seal of office, at Goldthwaite, Texas, this the 7th day of August, A. D. 1912.

R. J. ATKINSON, Clerk, County Court, Mills County, Texas.

By W. B. SUMMY, Deputy.

Gordon Mackey, now with the Van-Smith drug company at Austin, was married at Burnet Monday to Miss Lola Chamberlain. He and his bride came here to spend a day or two at the home of his parents. S. N. Childre is spending a day or two here with his son, Parm Childre. He has recently been down in the Uvalde country, and reports some wonderful crops in that section of the country, though he says it is now very dry there. Mr. Childre lives near Star in Mills county.—Lampasas Leader.

—If you are buying land require the seller to furnish you an abstract of his title, so you may know you are getting a good title. If you contemplate selling your land, have an abstract thereto prepared first, so you will know what kind of title you can make to it, as the purchaser is almost sure to want to know. I have the only complete set of abstracts of the land titles of Mills county and will make your abstracts for a reasonable charge and will help you cure your titles if defective.—E. B. Anderson.

The many friends here of Col. J. L. Lewis of Hamilton congratulate him on his splendid majority in the race for county judge of Hamilton county and we all know he will discharge the duties of the office with credit to himself and the county.

—Fresh grape juice for your punch. Try it. 10c to 75c per bottle at Grisham's.

SOCIALIST NOMINEES.

Goldthwaite, Texas, August 3rd 1912.

Mr. Robert Atkinson, Co. Clerk, Mills County, State of Texas.

Dear Sir:— This certifies, that at a county convention of the Socialist party of Mills county, held at Goldthwaite on Saturday, August the third, between the hours of 2 p. m. and 4 p. m., candidates for county and precinct offices were nominated as follows:

For County Judge: J. R. Wilmuth.

For County Clerk: V. S. Meeks.

For District Clerk: S. M. Boydston.

For Sheriff and Tax Collector: C. T. Echols.

For Tax Assessor: W. T. Roberts.

For County Treasurer: J. L. Fisher.

Precinct No. 1, Commissioner and Justice of the Peace: W. K. Ford.

For Weigher: A. S. Cockrum.

Precinct No. 2, Commissioner and Justice of the Peace: B. J. Crawford.

For Constable: R. L. Armstrong.

Precinct No. 3, Commissioner and Justice of the Peace: D. J. Reynolds.

For Constable: P. H. James.

For Public Weigher: Hosi Fisher.

Precinct No. 4, Commissioner and Justice of the Peace: E. F. Townsend.

For Constable: W. F. Dempsey.

Also the following selection for County Chairman was made, T. J. McMillin.

E. P. SHELTON, Chairman, Mills County Executive Committee, Socialist party.

I, R. J. Atkinson, Clerk of the County Court, in and for Mills county, Texas, do hereby certify that the above and foregoing statement of the nominees of the Socialist party of Mills county, Texas, for county and precinct offices for Mills county, Texas, is a true and correct copy of the original now on file in my office.

Given under my hand and seal of office, at Goldthwaite, Texas, this the 7th day of August, A. D. 1912.

R. J. ATKINSON, Clerk, County Court, Mills County, Texas.

By W. B. SUMMY, Deputy.

CITY DEPOSITORY.

Notice is hereby given that in accordance with the law passed by the 29th Legislature providing for and regulating state, county and city depositories, the City Council of the City of Goldthwaite, Texas, will, at its next regular meeting, to be held in said city of Goldthwaite on Monday night, Sept. 2, 1912, the same being the first Monday night in said month, receive proposals from any banking incorporation, association or individual banker in said city who may desire to be selected as the depository of the funds of said city. All bids shall be delivered to the Mayor of the City of Goldthwaite on or before Sept. 2, 1912, at noon. Said bids shall be sealed and shall state the rate of interest that said bidder offers to pay on the funds of said city for the term between the date of such bid and the first regular meeting of the council in September, 1912, and shall be accompanied by a certified check for not less than one-half of 1 per cent of the city revenue for 1911, and shall otherwise comply with the law regulating city depositories.

The City Council will publicly open all bids at the meeting of said council on Monday night, Sept 2, 1912, and reserves the right to reject any and all bids.

JAS. RAHL, Mayor of the City of Goldthwaite.

Attest: L. E. MILLER, City Secretary.

BIDS WANTED.

Notice is hereby given that the Commissioners Court of Mills county is ready to receive sealed bids for the removal of the old court house rubbish. No bids will be received later than Saturday, August 17. Each bidder must state length of time he will require for completing the job. The Court reserves the right to reject any and all bids submitted. All bids must be filed with the County Clerk not later than Saturday, August 17. For further information apply to S. H. Allen at County Judge's office.

This notice is given by order of the Commissioners Court.

At the national convention of the new party, styled the Progressive party, held in Chicago this week, Col. Theodore Roosevelt was nominated for president, and Governor Johnson of California was nominated vice president. It is said the new party will probably nominate candidates for state offices in Texas.

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4 ball Professional Croquet Sets, each... \$1 00
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White shoe Polish for All white Shoes... 10c
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\$1 25 Handsome Gold and Floral Dinner Plates, set... 75c
Galvan z-d Wash Tubs, 75c down to... 35c
Galvanized or Tin Water Pails, 10-q... 15c
Wonderful Values in Granite Ware... 5c, 10c, 15c, 25c, etc.

Wardrobe Coat and Hat Hooks, each... 1c
Big Steel Bread Pans, 19x14 inches... 12c
6 sheets of the Celebrated Tanglefoot Fly Paper for... 5c
Biggest Towels in the State for the money... 10c
Comfort Cotton, Big 3 1/2 lb. Rolls, 3 for \$1 00
All 12 1/2c and 15c Fancy Dress Gingham, now... 10c
Ladies' Gauze Summer Undervests, cut to 5c
You will see many Articles of everyday need on our 5c, 10c, 15c and 25c Sections, Help yourself.

Ladies' White Buck Slippers at COST, COST, Our price lists will appear in the Eagle Only. DUCK, Duck, 10 Bales 8-oz., 10-oz., 12-oz. Best Grades and Lowest Prices. We meet Any Competition.

Shoe Socks, pair... 15c
Solid Brass Shoe Tacks, box... 5c
Cotton Pickers Sacks, 9 ft. long, only... 75c
Leather Cotton Pickers Knee Pads, pr... 45c
Big line of Suit Cases, \$7 00 down to... \$1 00
Swell line of Trunks, \$12 00 down to... 2 00
100 prs. Boys' Blue Bib Overalls, pair... 33c
Twice the Wear in every Pair, TILT Men's Shoes... \$3 50

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White Elk Sole Blucher Work Shoes... \$1 75
We are getting ready for a Big Fall Millinery Business.

Thousands of Pairs of Black Cat Hose being Opened up,
New Fall Men's Suits, all wool, only... \$12 50
Few more \$2 50 and \$3 00 Spectacles, pr \$1 00
McCall's Patterns 10c. McCall's Magazine 5c Bazaars, Free.

Everyone says our RIFON \$1 00 Work Glove beats the World.

Always plenty of Jno. B. Stetson Hats at only \$3 50 Worth \$5 00

We guarantee each LONGLEY Men's Hat at \$ 00 Try one.

Old lengths Stand. Meritas Oilcloth, yd... 15c

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R. M. THOMPSON, Editor

It is now thought that congress will adjourn on August 15 or a few days thereafter.

Congressman Burleson of Texas has been made one of the managers of the Democratic national bureau of speakers for the presidential campaign.

The Mexican rebels appear to be determined to force the United States to interfere in the revolution in that country. They persist in acts of hostility toward the Americans and the Mexican government is powerless to give protection to the citizens of this government.

A man in Vienna shot and killed his wife and when put on trial for the crime he claimed that his wife was fatally sick and he could not bear to see her suffer, so he shot and killed her. The judge fined him \$2 for carrying a pistol without license and released him.

The state Democratic convention is to be held in San Antonio beginning next Tuesday. Some of the politicians predict a lively time, as it is thought a majority of the delegates will be at variance with the administration and the platform proposed will likely precipitate a row.

The Federal department of Agriculture has issued its report showing the condition of cotton in the United States by states. The Texas crop is shown to be in better condition than any other state in the Union, being 89 per cent normal. The condition in the United States as a whole is only 80 per cent of normal.

Now that we are in a dead political calm, many of the leading newspapers of the state are advocating a law that will limit the number of campaign speeches in the hope of improving to some extent, at least, the quality. The flow of gas has been phenomenal during the past campaign and perhaps of as low grade as it is possible to find it in its native state, but no cases of asphyxiation have been reported and while the politicians are making the meter spin they are not stirring the legislative caldron and the escape of gas is far better than drawing off a new batch of laws.—Commercial Secretaries.

Learn to be short. Long visits, long stories, long exhortations and long prayers seldom profit those who have to do with them. Life is short. Time is short. Moments are precious. Learn to condense, abridge and intensify. We can endure many an ache and ill if it is soon over, while pleasures grow insipid and man intolerable, if they are protracted beyond the limits of reason and convenience. Learn to be short. Lopp off branches; stick to the main fact in your case. If you pray, ask what you would receive and get through; if you speak, tell your message and hold your peace. Boll down two words into one and three into two. Always be short.—Selected.

The American public is declared to have contributed \$120,000,000 to swindlers during the past year, on get-rich-quick schemes principally and through having responded to advertisements of fake concerns. The post-office authorities have doubtless saved the same gullible public from loss of much more than the sum quoted, but in spite of all the efforts of the government to stamp out the swindlers, there was an estimated increase of \$50,000,000 thus lost as compared with the previous year. Several hundred convictions and other hundreds of indictments pending, did not appear to thin the swindlers out very much, nor serve as a warning to the public. The losses fall heavily in some cases, but taken in the broadest sense, the general public did not suffer. The money was merely transferred from sucker to sharp, and it got into circulation.—Temple Telegram.

NEIGHBORING NEWS.

Items Culled From the Leading Local Papers.

LOMETA

Mrs. W. H. Gallenkamp was a Goldthwaite visitor Sunday.

Otis Page went to Georgetown the first of the week on a visit to friends and relatives.

C. V. Stephens of Cleburne was here first of the week visiting his father, L. W. Stephens.

Mrs. Sam Buttrill was carried to Temple Sunday for an operation for appendicitis. She has been critically ill at the home of J. H. Buttrill for several days.

A post card from Roy Stephens states that he is beginning to get acclimated over in Brewster county and thinks he will like his new vocation.—Reporter.

HAMILTON

We regret to chronicle the death of Mary Blanch, the little three-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Soloman which sad event occurred at their home in the Springdale community, Thursday, July 25.

Rev. Thos. Booth was the victim of quite a serious accident Friday morning when chopping kindling wood in the yard. A small piece of pine flew up, hitting him in the right eye, piercing the ball and causing him great pain though not seriously injuring the eye.

In response to a telephone message summoning them to the residence of W. A. Creamer, about six miles west of town on the Pottsville road, County Attorney P. M. Rice and Justice R. A. Baggett left about 6:30 Wednesday afternoon to hold an inquest over the body of Miss Eveline King, which was discovered in a tank about 5 o'clock by her nephew, Mr. Creamer, with whom she made her home. It is thought that brooding over her failing health and condition of loneliness caused Miss King to take her life.—Record.

COMANCHE

A wreck occurred near Proctor on the Frisco Friday morning, and a car was completely demolished.

The first bale of cotton for this season was brought into Comanche and marketed Thursday, August 1, the firm of Neely-Harris-Cunningham Co. being the purchasers. Besides the price received for the cotton, Mr. Jones was the recipient of about \$20. in premiums.

When the Frisco arrived at Hasse one day last week, a lady, whose name we have not learned, and her daughter, were scarcely able to recognize the place as their destination, the cause of their trouble being ptomaine poison from the eating of cold chicken.—Chief.

LAMPASAS

Miss Hortense Power, who has been visiting Mrs. Carleton Abney and Miss Louise Harris here, has returned to her home in Goldthwaite.

The body of Miss Esther Howard of the Lake Victor section passed through here Tuesday morning. She died at Sterling City, where she had been taken with hope of improvement.

J. W. Davis of the Andersonville neighborhood reports that he lost a fine horse from a wire cut on the foot, the animal practically bleeding to death.

The proposition to increase the Masonic annual dues from \$2.00 to \$4.00 per annum was defeated at the regular meeting Saturday night, and a proposition was at once entered to make the annual dues \$3.00 per year. This will be voted upon at the next regular meeting without discussion.

W. H. McGee has gone to Temple where he will attend a meeting of the board of managers of the Baptist encampment association, and at this meeting plans will be made for the encampment of next year, as well as making further efforts to provide for raising funds for the debt on the land.—Leader.

SAN SABA

S. J. Bross returned last week from a visit to his mother at Mullin.

An informal dance was given at the Clark Hall Wednesday evening, the negro string band furnishing the music. About ten or twelve couples enjoyed a most pleasant evening.

Miss Lucy Rector is at home after taking a special course in the State Normal at Denton. She will teach in the public school at Brady the coming year.—Star.

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COLDTHWAITE, TEXAS

BROWNWOOD

J. A. Austin received a message last night informing him of the death of his brother, Judge M. A. Austin, which occurred very suddenly at Jacksonville, Fla., last night.

The home of Geo. T. Connell was destroyed yesterday at about eight o'clock, the fire originating from the explosion of a lamp which was being filled by his daughter, Miss Annie Connell.

Brownwood and Brown county are to be represented by an exhibit at the state fair this fall. Secretary D. F. Johnson of the Commercial club has reserved space in the exhibit hall for the Brown county exhibit.

W. E. Hodge, who made the race for sheriff against M. H. Denman, was in town today with his work clothes on and said he was hard at it getting ready to pick 175 bales of cotton he has on his place.

T. L. Sansom, a prosperous farmer of the Mercury country, is now making arrangements for the purchasing of casing, with which he expects to case off a strong flow of oil that was struck in his well at a depth of 124 feet.—Bulletin.

THE TRIALS OF A TRAVELER.

'I am a traveling salesman,' writes E. E. Youngs, E. Berkshire, Vt., and was often troubled with constipation and indigestion till I began to use Dr. King's New Life pills, which I have found an excellent remedy.' For all stomach, liver or kidney troubles there is nothing better. Only 25 cent at R. E. Clements.

CITY COUNCIL

The city council held its regular monthly meeting Monday afternoon. There was no business transacted out side of the auditing of the accounts and the transacting of routine business.

OBITUARY.

M. C. Ross was born in Cherokee county, Texas, Jan. 5, 1857, and died at Mullin, Mills county, Texas, July 2, 1912, at 2 o'clock in the afternoon. He was married to Delpharo Ward Jan. 6, 1879. Four children was the fruit of this union, three daughters and one son. His wife and three daughters are still living to mourn his loss, but not as those who have no hope. They look forward to a happy reunion some sweet day. I. T. Ross, their noble boy, went to the better world a few months before his father. Brother Ross and his son, I. T. were converted two years ago this summer at Mullin at a meeting conducted by Rev. R. D. Moon and the writer. They both joined the M. E. Church, South, at that time.

It has been my privilege to know Brother Ross for about thirty years. He was always a good citizen and had many friends. In the early settling of this country he often came to hear me preach. I often spoke to him about being religious and I have kept in touch with him all these years. On the night of his conversion, when he arose from the altar of prayer, he said to me, 'Brother Templin, here is the answer to your prayer of thirty years.' Brother Ross is gone from us. We miss him, but we know where to find him. Just a short time before he died he sang two verses of Old Time Religion. We layed his body to rest in Oak View cemetery to await the morning of the Resurrection. Out of the dark Valley of Death Faith sights the rising star of immortality. What would we do if we did not have the Christian's hope.

May God's rich blessings be upon the bereaved ones. May they make an unbroken family in the sweet by and by is the prayer of a friend and brother. G. W. TEMPLIN.

Take It In Time.

Just as Scores of Goldthwaite People Have.

Waiting doesn't pay.

If you neglect kidney backache, Urinary troubles often follow.

Act in time by curing the kidneys. Doan's Kidney Pills are especially for weakened kidneys.

Many people in this locality recommend them.

Here's one case:

Mrs. J. P. Martin, 208 Taylor Ave., Brownwood, Texas, says: 'For several years I was subject to attacks of kidney trouble. During these spells, my back was very weak and there was a dull ache through my kidneys. The kidney secretions were also scanty and I felt all out of added to my misery. Doan's Kidney Pills were so highly recommended by my friends that I decided to try them and procured a box. After using part of a box I began to get relief and in a few days I felt able to get up and attend to my work. I have never failed to get relief from this remedy when I have taken it since then and I am only too pleased to recommend it.'

For sale by all dealers. Price 50 cents. Foster-Milburn Co., Buffalo, New York, sole agents for the United States.

Remember the name—Doan's—and take no other.

—Constipation is the starting point for many serious diseases. To be healthy keep the bowels active and regular. Herbine will remove all accumulations in the bowels and put the system in prime condition. Price 50c. Sold by R. E. Clements.

—Harris & McCullough have just unloaded a car of Lone Star cement.

LOCAL AND PERSONAL

—Special attention to children at Clements.

H. A. Sykes and his daughter, Mrs. Chas. Miller, have returned from a visit to relatives in Oklahoma.

J. S. Livingston of Star went to Lometa the first of the week to attend to some Masonic lodge matters.

—For Sale Cheap— 75 acres of land, 2 horses, a wagon and a cow. Inquire at Big Valley of Mrs. J. M. Chandler.

J. T. Tubb and his daughters, of McGirk, boarded the train here Monday morning for a visit to San Angelo.

G. B. Boswell has returned from a trip to Iowa and Missouri. He visited his old home and enjoyed the trip very much.

Miss Ethel Campbell returned to her home at Salado Monday, after a visit to her uncle, Mr. A. Campbell, and Scott Thompson and wife in Big Valley.

Mrs. J. C. Nichols of Caradan and her daughter, Mrs. Mahan, boarded the train here Monday en route to Garza county to visit relatives and look after some business matters.

Mrs. James Senterfitt and children arrived from Corpus Christi the first of the week for a visit to her parents Mr. and Mrs. A. V. Lane, and other relatives.

J. W. Fisher of Mills county, while en route home from a visit to Del Rio, stopped over here a few days with his brother, Bob, and wife, who in turn accompanied them home—Jarrell View.

—Strayed—A small red heifer branded H. on left side. A reward for information as to whereabouts.—W. F. Hearne.

—'Cully Cooler', the short route to 'Cool Colorado'.—At Clements.

—Apply a cotton cloth wet with Ballard's Snow Liniment to all wounds, cuts, burns, sores or blisters and note its wonderful healing power. It is prompt and very effective. Price 25c, 50c and \$1.00 per bottle. Sold by R. E. Clements.

—You must come and inspect the cedar posts we are unloading. It is the best car of cedar ever unloaded in Goldthwaite. We will have any kind of posts you want.—Harris & McCullough.

Sheriff Priddy left Sunday for Austin to secure requisition papers for Matt Casbeer, Dick Williams and John Morgan, who completed their terms in federal prison at Leavenworth, Kas., on Thursday and are under indictment here for selling liquor in local option territory. He expected to spend a few days at the sheriffs' convention at Fort Worth before going to Leavenworth.

Women!

If weak, you need Cardui, the woman's tonic. Cardui is made from gentle herbs, acts in a natural manner, and has no bad results, as some of the strong drugs sometimes used. As a medicine—a tonic—for weak, tired, worn-out women, Cardui has been a popular success for over 50 years.

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Take **CARDUI**

The Woman's Tonic

Mrs. Lula Walden, of Gramlin, S. C., followed this advice. Read her letter: "I was so weak, when I first began to take Cardui, that it tired me to walk just a little. Now, I can do all the general housework, for a family of 9." Try Cardui for your troubles. It may be the very remedy you need.

PROPOSED AMENDMENT TO THE STATE CONSTITUTION SO AS TO AUTHORIZE THE GRANT OF AID TO INDIGENT AND DISABLED SOLDIERS AND SAILORS AND THEIR WIVES.

(S. J. R. No. 9) Senate Joint Resolution.

Senate Joint Resolution to amend Section 51, of Article 3, of the Constitution of the State of Texas, so as to authorize the grant of aid to indigent and disabled Confederate soldiers and sailors and their widows, and to soldiers who served in the militia and in organizations for the protection of the frontier and their indigent widows, and to grant aid for the establishment and maintenance of a home for the indigent and dependent wives and widows of Confederate soldiers and sailors, and such women as aided the Confederacy, and authorize a special ad valorem pension tax, and making appropriations for same.

Be it enacted by the Legislature of the State of Texas:

Section 1. That Section 51, Article 3, of the Constitution of the State of Texas be so amended as to hereafter read as follows:

Article 3. Section 51. The Legislature shall have no power to make any grant or authorize the making of any grant of public money to any individual, association of individuals, municipal or other corporation whatsoever; provided, however, the Legislature may grant aid to indigent and disabled Confederate soldiers and sailors who came to Texas prior to January 1, 1900, and their widows in indigent circumstances and who have been bona fide residents of the State of Texas since January 1, 1900, and who were married to such soldiers and sailors anterior to January 1, 1900; to indigent and disabled soldiers, who under special laws of the State of Texas, during the war between the states served for a period of at least six months in organizations for the protection of the frontier against Indian raids or Mexican marauders, and to indigent and disabled soldiers of the militia of the State of Texas, who were in active service for a period of at least six months during the war between the States, to the widows of such soldiers who are in indigent circumstances, and who were married to such soldiers prior to January 1, 1900, provided that the word 'widow' in the preceding lines of this section shall not apply to women born since 1851, and also to grant aid for the establishment and maintenance of a home for said soldiers and sailors their wives and widows, and women who aided in the Confederacy under such regulations and limitations as may be provided for by law; provided, the Legislature may provide for husband and wife to remain together in the home.

The Legislature shall have the power to levy and collect, in addition to all other taxes heretofore permitted by the Constitution of Texas, a State ad valorem tax on property not exceeding five cents on the one hundred dollars valuation for the purpose of creating a special fund for the payment of pensions for services in the Confederate Army and Navy, frontier organizations and the militia of the State of Texas, and for the widows of such soldiers serving in said armies, navies, organizations or militia.

Sec. 2 The Governor of the State is hereby directed to issue the necessary proclamation for the submission of this amendment to the qualified voters of the State of Texas at the general election of State officers, in November, 1912. At which election all voters favoring this amendment shall have written or printed on their ballots the words: 'For the amendment to Section 51, Article 3, of the Constitution relating to increase of Confederate pensions;' and the voters, opposed to said amendment, shall have written or printed on their ballots the words: 'Against the amendment to Section 51, Article 3 of the Constitution, relating to increase of Confederate pensions.'

Sec. 3. The sum of \$5,000 or so much thereof as may be necessary is hereby appropriated to pay the expenses of carrying out the provisions of this resolution.

INDIAN KILLED ON TRACK.

Near Rochelle, Ill., an Indian went to sleep on a railroad track and was killed by the fast express. He paid for his carelessness with his life. Often its that way when people neglect coughs and colds. Don't risk your life when prompt use of Dr. King's New Discovery will cure them and so prevent a dangerous throat or lung trouble. 'It completely cured me, in a short time, of a terrible cough that followed a severe attack of grip,' writes J. R. Watts, Floydada, Tex., 'and I regained 15 pounds in weight that I had lost.' quick, safe, reliable and guaranteed. 50c and \$1. Trial bottle free at R. E. Clements.

Proposed Amendment To The Constitution Authorizing Cities of More Than 5000 Inhabitants To Adopt Their Charters By Vote Of The People.

(H. J. R. No. 10.) House Joint Resolution.

House Joint Resolution proposing an amendment to Section 5, of Article II, of the Constitution of the State of Texas, providing for cities of more than five thousand (5000) inhabitants to adopt their charter by a vote of the people.

Be it resolved by the Legislature of the State of Texas:

Section 1. That Section 5 of Article II of the Constitution of the State of Texas be amended, so as to hereafter read as follows:

Section 5. Cities having more than five thousand (5000) inhabitants may by a majority vote of the qualified voters of said city, at an election held for that purpose, adopt or amend their charters, subject to such limitations as may be prescribed by the Legislature, and providing that no charter or any ordinance passed under said charter shall contain any provision inconsistent with the Constitution of the State, or of the general laws enacted by the Legislature of this state; said cities may levy, assess and collect such taxes as may be authorized by law or by their charters; but no tax for any purpose shall ever be lawful for any one year, which shall exceed two and one-half per cent. of the taxable property of such city, and no debt shall ever be created by any city, unless at the same time provision be made to assess and collect annually a sufficient sum to pay the interest thereon and creating a sinking fund of at least two per cent thereon; and provided further, that no city charter shall be altered, amended or repealed oftener than every two years.

Sec. 2. The Governor of this State is hereby directed to issue the necessary proclamation, submitting this amendment to the qualified voters of Texas at the next general election held in this State, or in case any previous election shall be held in this State for other purposes, then this proposed amendment shall be submitted to the qualified voters of the State. At such election, those favoring the amendment shall have written or printed on their ballots, the words: 'For amendment to Section 5, Article II, of the Constitution, authorizing cities of more than five thousand inhabitants to adopt their charters by a vote of the people;' those opposing said amendment shall have written or printed on their ballots the words: 'Against amendment to Section 5, Article II, of the Constitution, authorizing cities of more than five thousand inhabitants to adopt their charters by a vote of the people.' The sum of five thousand dollars, or so much as is necessary, is hereby appropriated out of the Treasury of the State of Texas to pay the expenses of the publication of this amendment and the proclamation for the election.

FLYING MEN FALL

victims to stomach, liver and kidney troubles just like other people, with like results in loss of appetite, backache, nervousness, headache, and tired, listless, run-down feeling. But there's no need to feel like that, as T. D. Peebles, Henry, Tenn., proved. 'Six bottles of Electric Bitters' he writes, 'did more to give me new strength and good appetite than all other stomach remedies I used.' So they help everybody. Its folly to suffer when this great remedy will help you from the first dose. Try it only 50c at R. E. Clements.

LUMBER

If you are going to build a HOUSE, BARN, FENCE, CELLAR or anything that needs L-U-M-B-E-R Figure with us, for we believe we can save you Money and know we can furnish you the VERY BEST MATERIAL

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J. N. KESSE

Both Phones. Fisher Street, Goldthwaite.

REAL ESTATE

460 ACRES— In Mills County, fronting on the Colorado river, three sets of good improvements, 150 acres in cultivation, 250 acres more first-class valley land, on public road in 4 miles of railroad, 150 acres can be irrigated. This is the cheapest farm on the Colorado river and is well worth \$40 per acre. See me and learn the reason for offering this land at the low price, partly on time, \$25.00 PER ACRE of only.....

F. M. LONG, Goldthwaite

WHITE CREST FLOUR

Is the Highest Grade Flour ever sold in this town, we think. There's no better Flour made, that's certain. Let's give you a sack to try. Other grades are

"CREAM" AND "TROPHY" and they are good, but we especially recommend

"WHITE CREST"

SACK FOR THE ASKING, AS A TRIAL

GARDNER & FAULKNER

BOTH PHONES

—Get rid of your flies—Tanglefoot, 10 sheets, at Grisham's.

—J. C. Street pays 75c per bushel in trade for peach seed.

Mrs. J. B. Whiteman is visiting friends and relatives in Fort Worth.

—Get the 'Cully Cooler' habit. It won't get you. 'Clements says so.'

Mrs. Jesse Oquin and children have been visiting relatives in Killeen this week.

Mrs. J. C. Newman left yesterday for a visit to relatives in Waco and Mexia.

For Sale—A Wheeler & Wilson machine. Will be sold very cheap. Apply at this office.

—For Sale—A new wagon, just received, will be sold at actual cost—Cockrum & Rudd.

—Alta Vista Ice Cream, recognized as the standard of Texas, served at the Palace of Sweets.

J. E. Greathouse and family now occupy the R. L. H. Williams residence on Front street.

—Don't worry about your salad dressing—Just try a bottle of that already prepared, at Grisham's.

—C. P. C's. pretty colorings for dainty cakes for unique parties. Get the genuine. Mrs. D. Goode has it.

Miss Louise Harris left Thursday for her home in Big Springs, after a visit to relatives and friends in this city.

Walter Ford is preparing to move to his residence, known as the Kirby place, now occupied by Dr. Lowrie and family.

Will Richards has again taken charge of his restaurant, which he leased to a young man from Mullin a few weeks ago.

C. T. Echols of Mullin was here last Saturday to attend the Socialist convention and made the Eagle a pleasant call.

Dr. Jim Gooch of Shive came over in his auto Thursday to accompany his aunt, Mrs. Reed of Brownwood, this far on her way home, after a visit to Shive.

The Baptist Association of Mills county convened with Big Valley church Thursday night and will continue through tomorrow.

J. J. Evans of Snyder is here visiting his cousin, our handsome and popular tax assessor. He is contemplating opening a bakery here.

—Everybody wants California exotics. Seventeen flavors and 141 quality. See Mrs. D. Goode, the California agent. Phone Rural 175 2r.

V. T. Little expects to leave today for St. Louis and New York to buy goods for his firm. His brother, John, of Hamilton, will accompany him.

G. W. and J. H. Alldredge, Dr. Roberts, Mrs. Squires and Mrs. T. R. Wilcox left Thursday morning for Winters, to attend a meeting of a Primitive Baptist Association.

There was a good rain in most every part of the county Thursday night and showers continued through yesterday. These rains will be of great benefit to the cotton crop.

There was a considerable wind storm near Star Thursday night. Some damage was done to the barns of Will Teague and Frank Shelton, and other damage of small consequence has been reported.

"Were all medicines as meritorious as Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera, and Diarrhoea Remedy the world would be much better off and the percentage of suffering greatly decreased," writes Lindsey Scott, of emple, Ind. For sale by R. E. Clements.

—Carpet renovator is what you've been wanting a long time. C. P. C. quality is best; it takes out the dirt, grease spots, fruit stains, raises the nap and brightens the colors. Mrs. D. Goode has it.

One of the most common ailments that hard working people are afflicted with is lame back. Apply Chamberlain's Liniment twice a day and massage the parts thoroughly at each application, and you will get quick relief. For sale by R. E. Clements.

On account of the meeting of the Association there will be no preaching services in the Baptist church in this city Sunday, the pastor and a number of the members expecting to attend the meeting at Big Valley. On the following Sunday morning at 11 o'clock Mr. T. C. Yantis of Brownwood will lecture on the 'Passion Play' in the Baptist church here and there will be no preaching services in the Methodist church at that hour, in order that the congregation of that church may have an opportunity to hear the lecture.

—When you yawn a good deal in the daytime, feel dull, aches and want to stretch frequently, it is an unmistakable symptom of malaria, and unless you do something at once you are in for a spell of chills. Herbine prevents or cures the disease. It drives out the impurities on which the malarial germ thrives, strengthens the liver and cleanses the bowels. Price 50c. Sold by R. E. Clements.

SHERIFF'S SALE.

The State of Texas, County of Mills.

Notice is hereby given that by virtue of a certain order of sale issued out of the Hon. District Court of Mills county on the 22nd day of July, 1912 by L. E. Booker, Clerk of said Court, in favor of M. G. Cline, A. J. Cline, W. J. Henry and Mrs. Sarah Holland, joined by her husband, W. D. Holland, for their title to an undivided one fourteenth each in and to the J. W. Cockrum Sur. 160 acres, hereinafter described in a certain cause in said Court No. 920 and styled M. G. Cline et al vs John Cockrum et al placed in my hands for service, I, E. O. Priddy, as Sheriff of Mills county, Texas, did on the 31st day of July, 1912, levy on certain real estate situated in Mills county, Texas, described as follows, to-wit: The J. W. Cockrum 160 acre pre-emption Sur. patented to the heirs of J. W. Cockrum by letters patent 169 Vol. 24 dated Sept. 18, 1891 and meted and bounded as follows, to-wit: Beginning at S. E. cor. of 160 acre pre-emption Sur. in the name of J. H. Shahan, a stone mound in the N. line of M. McGowan Sur. for S. W. Cor. of this Sur. Thence N. 71 E. 822 vrs. to the S. W. of the J. W. Nixon pre-emption Sur. a stone md. in the N. line of the McGowan Sur. bears N. 71 E. 83 vrs. Thence N. 19 W. 1100 vrs. a stone md. in the S. line of a 93 1-3 Sur. made for the State of Texas, by virtue of Cert. No. 741 issued to J. H. Hawkins for the N. E. Cor. of this Sur. Thence S. 19 W. 822 vrs. to the S. W. Cor. of said Hawkins Sur. a stone md. in the E. line of R. M. Hand Sur. for S. W. Cor. of this Sur. Thence S. 19 E. at a 150 vrs. pass the S. E. Cor. of said Hand Sur. and the N. E. Cor. of J. H. Shahan Sur. at 1100 vrs. to the place of beginning bearings marked X, and levied upon as the property of J. W. Cockrum Heirs, and on the first Tuesday in Sept. 1912, the same being the third day of said month, at the Court House door of Mills county, in the town of Goldthwaite, Texas, between the hours of 10 A. M. and 4 P. M. by virtue of said levy and said Order of Sale I will sell said above described real estate at public vendue for cash to the highest bidder as the property of J. W. Cockrum Heirs. And in compliance with law I give this notice for publication in the English language once a week for three consecutive weeks, 20 days preceeding said day of sale in the Goldthwaite Eagle, a newspaper published in Mills county.

Witness my hand this 31st day of July 1912. E. O. PRIDDY, Sheriff, Mills County, Texas.

ARE EVER AT WAR.

There are two things everlastingly at war, joy and piles. But Bucklen's Arnica salve will banish piles. It soon subdues the itching, irritation, inflammation of swelling. It gives comfort, invites joy. Greatest healer of burns, boils, ulcers, cuts, bruises, eczema, scalds, pimples, skin eruptions. Only 25c at R. E. Clements.

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11 days of joy
Something doing every minute
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Will exactly "fill the bill" when it comes to turning under the stubble, breaking new ground or doing any other Fall plowing. We can supply you now and would like to have an order for present or future delivery.

A NEWTON WAGON

Will be mighty fine in moving the crop this Fall. Better get one right away and have it ready when you need it. We have received another car of these Celebrated Wagons and can supply you with the size you want.

Furniture and Hardware

Our general stock of Furniture and Hardware was never more complete and we appreciate the splendid share of patronage the people have given us in this line.

Coffins of All Sizes and Grades

Bodkin, Hurdle & Company

FIRST BALE

The first bale of 1912 cotton brought to Goldthwaite was marketed here Thursday by J. C. Hawes of the Center community on the bayou. The bale weighed 584 pounds and was bought by S. P. Sullivan for \$13.20 per hundred, making it net \$82.45. A. E. Evans circulated a subscription list and raised \$25.75 for a premium, making the bale net the grower \$109.20. Following is a list of those who donated to the premium:

A. E. Evans	.....\$5 00
Walter Fairman	.....\$3 50
Little & Sons	.....\$2 00
Goldthwaite National Bank	.....\$2 00
Geeslin Mercantile Co.	.....\$1 00
L. O. Hicks & Son	.....\$1 00
J. C. Street	.....\$1 00
Weems & Burks	.....\$1 00
Mills County Hardware Co.	.....\$1 00
Trent State Bank	.....\$1 00
Bleeker & Koen	.....50
Henry Martin	.....50
Faulkner & Oquin	.....50
Urbach Bros.	.....50
Johnson & Son	.....50
W. B. Jackson Hdw. Co.	.....50
D. H. Trent & Son	.....50
Grover Dalton	.....50
Bodkin, Hurdle & Co.	.....50
Goldthwaite Mercantile Co.	.....50
R. E. Clements	.....50
J. D. Brown	.....50
J. D. Urquhart	.....50
Harris & McCullough	.....50
Cockrum & Rudd	.....50
I. C. Everly Co.	.....25
Dr. J. H. Logan	.....25
J. M. Allen	.....25

The first bale last year was brought in on Aug. 7 by A. S. Croom of near Mullin. It was bought by L. O. Hicks & Son for \$12.25 and a premium of \$37.45 was raised for Mr. Croom.

BACHELOR MAIDS

Despite the inclemency of the weather, quite a number of the Bachelor Maids met with Miss Zella Prater for their regular meeting last Friday evening.

It was decided to add the telling of jokes to our list of amusements hereafter. Misses Prater and Clyde Lowrie were chosen captains. Miss Prater's side will tell jokes next time. After the business session dainty score cards were passed and the ever fascinating game of 'bunco' was indulged in. At the close of the game Miss Kate Fairman scored highest and received a dainty hand made handkerchief.

Refreshments of delicious cream and cake were served.

Reluctantly we bade Miss Prater goodnight.

Our next regular meeting will be with Miss Nora Hooks.

A BACHELOR MAID

SECOND BALE

Soon after the arrival of the first bale Mr. R. J. Burdett of Cryer community brought in the second bale. It was ginned by Walter Fairman, who also ginned the first bale, and was sold to Geeslin Mercantile Co. for 13c per pound. The bale weighed 520 pounds.

LUMBER

DON'T MAKE A MISTAKE

WE all make mistakes occasionally, but the man who goes on making the same mistake is not a very wise man.

One of the easiest mistakes in the world to make is when you don't buy Lumber to make the proper repairs about your place. We can point you to people who have already lost enough to pay for a good barn this year by not going ahead and making the needed repairs about the place or by backing out from doing what they ought to in the way of improvements.

Make up your mind what you have to have and come to us. We will make an estimate as to cost and furnish the proper materials. No matter how small the bill, we will appreciate it just the same. Respectfully---

HARRIS & McCULLOUGH

W. P. McCullough, Mgr.

S. W. Corner Square

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Enrollment last year 316. Co-Educational. Boys and girls under careful supervision. Handsome new Dormitory for girls, costing \$45,000 00. Faculty composed of skilled specialists in the following departments: Literary, College and Preparatory; Bible; Business; Art; Expression; Music, Piano, Voice and Stringed Instruments.

FOR CATALOGUE OR OTHER INFORMATION ADDRESS

JOHN S. HUMPHRIES, President, Brownwood, Texas.

—Fresh home made sorghum, mince meat, and apple butter in bottles. Nice new line fresh cakes, all kinds, just in.—W. E. Grisham.

L. H. Little and his son Lewis visited Hamilton last Sunday and Miss Adaline, who had been visiting there for several days, returned home with them.

C. L. BODKIN

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REPAIR WORK ON HARNESS,
SHOES AND ALL LEATHER
GOODS PROMPTLY AND
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Everybody's Drinking It THE "CULLY COOLER"

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After You Have Suffered From Eye Aches

For a while you will appreciate the immense relief that comes from the wearing of properly fitted glasses.

All the burning sensations cease—

And all the aches and pains.

And where discomfort formerly was is now absolute eye comfort.

This change can be brought about in a very short time indeed—and we are ready to undertake it any time you say.

EYES TESTED FREE.

No charge for anything but the glasses—and our prices are right.

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Jeweler and
Optician

NOTICE OF SHERIFF'S SALE.

Public notice is hereby given that by virtue of an order of sale issued out of the District Court of Tom Green county, Texas, on the 25th day of July, 1912, and to me the undersigned directed, on a judgment rendered in said court in cause No. 2279 on the 6th day of July, 1912, in favor of Mrs. Julia A. Bailey, plaintiff, and against E. L. Dear, L. O. Hicks, J. T. Owens and Jess Smith, for the principal sum of One Thousand, Seven Hundred and Eighty-four and 64/100 Dollars (\$1784.64), jointly and severally, with interest thereon from the 6th day of July, 1912 at the rate of ten per cent. per annum, and all costs of suit, which said judgment is a foreclosure of plaintiff's vendor's lien as same existed on the 31st day of October, 1907, on the following described tract of land situated in Mills county, Texas, to-wit: 173 acres of land, a part of the Moses Hughes Survey, described by metes and bounds as follows: Beginning at the N. W. corner of the Robt. Joy 160 acre Survey, the same being the N. E. corner of a 200 acre tract out of this Moses Hughes Survey, conveyed by W. J. Shaw to E. L. Dear, Dec. 14, 1906, by deed recorded in Vol. 25, page 269; Thence S. 87 W. 623 vrs. a stone mound, from which a L. O. hrs. S. 68 E. 23 vrs. Thence S. 60 W. 560 vrs. to the W. line of a 1065 acre tract of land conveyed by J. D. Harris to L. O. Hicks, a stone mound, from which a L. O. hrs. S. 78 E. 50 vrs.; Thence N. 1254 vrs. with the E. line of the G. E. Brown tract, a stone mound for N. W. corner of this tract in E. line of said G. E. Brown tract, a L. O. hrs. N. 24 E. 24 vrs. a B. J. hrs. S. 63 E. 16 vrs.; Thence N. 76 E. 616 vrs. a corner; Thence S. 61 E. 134 vrs., a mesquite tree for corner; Thence S. 73 E. 218 vrs. to N. E. corner of this 173 acre tract; Thence S. 4 E. 814 vrs. to the place of beginning.

I, E. O. Priddy, Sheriff of Mills county, Texas, have this day levied on said real estate, and after having advertised same for sale for the time and in the manner required by law I will proceed to sell said real estate to the highest and best bidder for cash on the first Tuesday in September, 1912, same being the 3rd day of said month, between the hours of ten o'clock A. M. and four o'clock P. M. before the Court House door of Mills county, Texas, in the town of Goldthwaite, for the purpose of enforcing payment of the above amount of \$1784.64 adjudged to plaintiff, Mrs. Julia A. Bailey, against defendants E. L. Dear, L. O. Hicks, J. T. Owens and Jess Smith, jointly and severally, with interest thereon from July 6th, 1912, at the rate of ten per cent. per annum, and all costs of suit, and the further cost of executing this writ, and I will make to the purchaser at said sale a deed for said premises on compliance with the terms of sale.

Witness my official signature at my office in the town of Goldthwaite, Texas, this 26th day of July, A. D. 1912. E. O. PRIDDY,
Sheriff, Mills County, Texas.

PROGRAM FOR STAR W. H. M.

At Mrs. B. C. Soules on Aug. 19.

Mrs. Nette Hamilton conduct opening exercise from her favorite chapter in Bible.

How many times do you find the word agony in the New Testament? Mrs. Mary Soules.

What Governor of Damascus endeavored to take St. Paul and make him prisoner?—Mrs. T. J. Hamilton.

Prove that God protects his children.—Mrs. F. M. Soules.

What good man was rebuked and punished because he did not control his sons?

Who received the Divine call to his work by being touched with a live coal?—All the mission. Special business, come.

ELECTION RETURNS.

Result of Primary as Reported Last Week Was Correct.

The returns from the Democratic primary of July 27 printed last issue were correct and it is not necessary to again give the table.

The Democratic Executive Committee met Saturday and canvassed the returns and Chairman Roberts has made his reports to the state chairman and the various district chairmen.

Some of the figures from the primary that were not given last week may be of interest to the readers. The following were the total votes for the candidates named:

For U. S. Senator:	
Morris Sheppard	550
Jake Wolters	323
C. B. Randell	78
Matt Zolner	7
For Governor:	
Governor Colquitt	510
Judge Ramsey	565
For State Senator:	
C. G. Foust	380
R. P. Connor	354
S. C. Findley	195
For Representative:	
Rev. A. R. Watson	740
D. W. McKee	258
For County Judge:	
S. H. Allen	730
J. W. Mason	341
For District Clerk:	
L. E. Booker	572
J. B. Brinson	501
For County Clerk:	
W. B. Summy	744
J. T. Prater	337
For Sheriff and Tax Collector:	
E. O. Priddy	1018
For Tax Assessor:	
A. E. Evans	790
C. H. Miller	281
For County Treasurer:	
S. T. Wells	1065
For County Attorney:	
J. C. Darroch	1059
For County Surveyor:	
F. M. Long	996
For Weigher at Goldthwaite:	
A. D. Karnes	385
W. L. Burks	312
For Commissioner, Pre. No. 1:	
M. H. Hines	341
For Commissioner, Pre. No. 2:	
J. R. Carter	125
W. H. Leverett	82
For Commissioner, Pre. No. 3:	
R. F. Swindle	173
J. F. Brockenbrough	112
E. F. Casey	77
For Commissioner, Pre. No. 4:	
Reide M. Haynes	55
Wm. Dennard	54
Walter Nelson	53
For Weigher at Mullin:	
G. A. Pyburn	142
T. W. Cryer	75
L. L. Wilson	67
Wiley Clay	58

NOTES

Rev. Watson beat his opponent 482 in this county and 359 in Hamilton county.

Daniel E. Garrett of Houston and Hatton W. Sumners of Dallas are the nominees for congressmen at large.

B. E. Looney defeated J. L. Walthall for attorney general and Earl Mayfield defeated John Wortham for railroad commissioner.

Wortham holds the position on the commission now by appointment of Governor Colquitt and Walthall will serve as attorney general after Sept. 1 until the election, Attorney General Lightfoot having resigned.

The nominees for justice of the peace and constable in the various precincts will be seen by reference to another column.

BUSINESS CHANGE

W. L. Burks this week bought the interest of E. C. Estep in the furniture and house furnishing business, heretofore conducted by Weems & Estep and the firm will hereafter be Weems & Burks. The Eagle is informed that Mr. Estep will continue to make this city his home, but will devote his time to his farm and other interests. Mr. Burks is the public weigher at this place and is a popular gentleman and is a valuable addition to the firm.

FILE ACCOUNTS

Any person holding an unpaid account against the Democratic Executive Committee of Mills county is requested to present same to me at once, as I desire to pay all of these accounts immediately.

J. N. W. ROBERTS, Chairman.

—Tanglefoot 10 sheets 10c—at Grisham's.

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G. M. Mason is in the city from the Cold Springs community. It is understood that he will likely engage in the gin business in a neighboring county the coming season.

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DEMOCRATIC CONVENTION

The Democratic county convention was held in the Masonic building last Saturday afternoon and most of the precincts of the county were represented. County Chairman J. W. Roberts called the meeting to order and was elected chairman by acclamation, while R. M. Thompson was elected secretary.

The chair was authorized to appoint a committee of five on credentials and representation. He appointed P. H. Clements, J. R. Clark, G. W. Jackson, G. H. Dalton and F. F. Henry.

E. B. Anderson, J. C. Street, L. B. McCormick, T. T. Havens and J. T. Allen were appointed to select a number of Democrats to serve as delegates to the various conventions and report such list to the convention for ratification. The following were selected and confirmed by the convention: W. E. Reid, John R. Carter, J. L. Chancellor, Hugh Henry, J. R. Clark, H. C. Cobb, Dr. R. H. Jones, J. M. Sanderford, Robert Swindle, Robert Weaver, Wm. Dennard, J. C. Darroch, E. B. Anderson, J. C. Street, L. E. Patterson, F. R. Hines, R. W. Barr, Luther Garrett and Jas. Rahl.

The delegates are uninstructed and all or any number of them can attend the state convention or any district convention and cast the votes of this county.

A resolution was adopted requiring the delegates to vote as a unit on all questions and authorizing Cullen F. Thomas of Dallas to cast the votes of this county in any convention where there are no representatives from the county.

COUNTY COURT.

County court will convene in this city Sept. 2 and the following citizens have been named as jurors, to appear Sept. 2, at 1:30 p. m.

T. D. Perry, O. H. Yarborough, B. P. Hurdle, P. E. Gardner, J. W. Edlin, I. K. Griffin, A. J. Cline, W. A. Cooke, A. F. Bledsoe, W. E. Nugent, R. C. Johnson, Webb Hill, F. R. Hines, W. L. Eddy, Chas. Smith (Big Valley), M. E. Archer, J. D. D. Berry, Vestus Horton.

NEW FALL GOODS

We are now receiving some New Fall Goods most every day and will be glad to show you these new things. Our buyer expects to leave in the next few days for St. Louis and other places to finish our Fall buying and pick up the very Latest Out in the way of **Dress Goods, Novelties, Ladies' and Men's Dress Suits, Etc.**

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Edward Geeslin made a business visit to Lometa Wednesday.

G. N. Harrison of Brownwood had business in this city the first of the week.

—We are keeping them busy unloading lumber for us.—Harris & McCullough.

—For Rent—A nice cool south room. For information apply at the Eagle office.

Frank Geeslin left Wednesday for St. Louis to buy fall goods for the Geeslin company.

—Chase away that hot, tired feeling with a Cully Cooler at Clements' Innovation.

Mrs. J. P. Grundy and Miss Estel went to Brownwood Wednesday for a visit to relatives.

J. L. Fulton and family were here from Chadwick community one day this week, buying goods.

Mrs. R. M. Thompson and daughter Miss Lawrence, have been in Brownwood this week visiting Mrs. W. H. Thompson.

Dr. L. P. Huddleston left Monday night for Kentucky, to wind up his father's affairs, the old gentleman having died last week.

Mrs. M. O. Sims, after a visit to relatives here, left Wednesday for a visit to her mother and other relatives in Fort Worth, and from there she will go to Mississippi for a visit to relatives.

—See us for Sherwin-William paint. We carry a large stock of paint and you can get what you want in paint, and paint that is good.—Harris & McCullough.

—Ladies make \$3 to \$5 daily selling dress goods, skirts and handkerchiefs. Free outfit. No capital required.—Mutual Fabric Co., Dept. 709 Binghamton, N. Y.

Judge E. B. Anderson had business in San Saba the first of the week.

Mrs. Frank Geeslin left Wednesday for Houston to visit her parents. Her cousin, Miss Fay Goss, who had been here visiting for several days, accompanied her to Houston for a short visit before returning to her home at Hempstead.

Give your patronage to the man who pays you what he owes you and thereby encourage settlement of obligations. To refuse to give patronage to one who pays you simply because he does not owe you a 'hard account' puts a penalty upon the payment of debts and encourages the hard pay man in 'standing off' his bills.

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Proposed Amendment To The State Constitution Providing That Members of The Board of Regents Of The State University And Boards of Trustees And Managers of The Educational, Eleemosynary And Penal Institutions Shall Be Elected Or Appointed For The Term of Six Years.

(H. J. R. No. 9.) House Joint Resolution.

An Act proposing an amendment to Article 16 of the Constitution of the State of Texas, by adding a new section thereto, to be entitled "Section 30a"; providing that the members of the Board of Regents of the State University, and the boards of trustees or managers of educational, eleemosynary, and penal institutions of the State, and such other boards as have been, or may hereafter be established by law, may be elected or appointed for a term of six (6) years, one-third of the members of said boards to be elected or appointed every two (2) years, in the manner provided by law, fixing the time for holding the election and making the appropriation therefor.

Be it resolved by the Legislature of the State of Texas:

Section 1. That Article 16 of the Constitution be amended by adding a new section thereto, to be known as designated as '30a,' and to read as follows:

Section 30a. The Legislature may provide by law that the members of the Board of Regents of the State University and Boards of Trustees or Managers of the educational, eleemosynary, and penal institutions of the State, and such boards as have by law, may hold their respective offices for the term of six (6) years, one-third of the members of such boards shall be elected or appointed every two (2) years in such manner as the Legislature may determine; vacancies in such offices to be filled as may be provided by law; and the Legislature shall enact suitable laws to give effect to this section.

Sec. 2. The foregoing Constitutional amendment shall be submitted to a vote of the qualified electors for the members of the Legislature, at the next general election to be held in this State, at which election all voters favoring said proposed amendment shall have written or printed on their ballots: 'For the amendment of Article 16 of the Constitution of the State of Texas, regulating the term of office of the Board of Regents of the State University, and other Boards of Trustees, or Managers, heretofore or hereafter established by law.' And all voters opposed to said amendment shall have printed or written on their ballots the words: 'Against the amendment of Article 16 of the Constitution of the State of Texas, regulating the term of office of the Board of Regents of the State University, and other Boards of Trustees, or Managers, heretofore or hereafter established by law.'

Sec. 3. The Governor of this State is hereby directed to issue the necessary proclamation for said elec-

tion, and have the same published, as required by the law of this State.

Sec. 4. The sum of five thousand dollars, or so much thereof as may be necessary, is hereby appropriated out of any funds in the State Treasury, not otherwise appropriated, to defray the expenses of said proclamation, publication, and election.

Proposed Amendment To The State Constitution Creating The Office of Prison Commissioner And Making The Term of Office of The Board of Prison Commissioners Six Years.

(H. J. R. No. 22) House Joint Resolution.

A Joint Resolution proposing to amend Article XVI of the State Constitution by adding thereto Section 58, creating the office of Prison Commissioners, and making the term of office of the members of the Board of Prison Commissioners six years, and making an appropriation.

Be it resolved by the Legislature of the State of Texas:

Section 1. That Article XVI of the Constitution of the State of Texas be amended by adding thereto a new section which shall be known as Section 58 and shall read as follows:

Section 58. (Article XVI.) The Board of Prison Commissioners charged by law with the control and management of the State prisons shall be composed of three members appointed by the Governor, by and with the consent of the Senate, and whose terms of office shall be six years, or until their successors are appointed and qualified; provided that the terms of office of the Board of Prison Commissioners first appointed after the adoption of this amendment shall begin on January 20th of the year following the adoption of this amendment, and shall hold office as follows: One shall serve two years, one four years, and one six years. Their terms to be decided by lot after they shall have qualified, and one Prison Commissioner shall be appointed every two years thereafter. In case of a vacancy in said office the Governor of this state shall fill said vacancy by appointment for the unexpired term thereof.

Sec. 2. The Governor of this State is hereby directed to issue and have published the necessary proclamation for the submission of this proposed amendment to the Constitution of the State of Texas to the qualified voters for members of the Legislature of the State of Texas at the next general election to be held in this State. All persons favoring said amendment shall have written or printed on their ballots 'For a six years' term for Prison Commissioners' and those opposed to the adoption of this amendment shall have written or printed on their ballots 'Against a six years' term for Prison Commissioners.'

Sec. 3. The sum of three thousand dollars (\$3,000), or so much thereof as may be necessary, is hereby appropriated out of any funds of the State Treasury not otherwise appropriated to defray the expenses of publication of the Governor's proclamation submitting this proposed amendment.

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