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## NEW ADVANCE

# SILKS AND CREPES

## FOR FALL

We are receiving daily New Advance Silks and Crepes, Wool Goods in all of the New Shades, both stripes and plaids. We invite you to come and inspect our Stock of Dress Goods.

**Special**

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We make a Special Price on Lace and Embroidery. Regular 5c grade at only 2 1-2 cents.

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..The CASH Store..

GOLDTHWAITE

HAMILTON

LOMETA

### SMILING BILLIE

Editor Eagle:

I plumed my wings for a sail, but in my quiet moments I became possessed with the thoughts of the horrors of war and the possibility of being overtaken somewhere in mid-air by one of those fighting a'ra'up. I said to myself 'Old wings, thou art not as much plumed for a sail as we first thought.' So I am content to stay close to the one starling and hear the charming words of Mother-in-Law as she so tenderly and lovingly speaks of the dear, dear Billie. Amid the clash of guns, the roar of cannons, the cry of the dying, the heave on heave of the dead and others on the march face to face with suffering and death, I speak in thunder tones of man's inhumanity to man and the awfulness of what man must meet at the great trying day when He who rules the universe will demand an answer to the indictments now being written against us.

Well, I am glad I never killed any one and still more than glad no one ever killed me. We get fearfully sick some times, but they tell us that love sickness and not apt to kill and will gradually subside when we are thoroughly convinced the beloved loves another and our chances for a matrimonial voyage must be sought elsewhere. Such is life and many there be who have trod the rugged path to find disappointment and failure where they were looking for and earnestly expecting better. I have heard it said that even old age fails to obliterate the little spark that was kindled in younger days that seems never to have gone out, but is often fanned into flame and the old boy or girl as the case may be, steps glibly and lightly to the whisperings of love and companionship that ends in matrimonial blessedness.

Shoo fly! Why do you bother me? While in this realm of thought, let me be

And after awhile, when I feel at ease

You then can say just what you please  
So while the years are passing on  
And I think of the days ago.

And come in contact with the false and true

Then as friend of friend I will think of you, SMILING BILLIE

### HIGH PRICE OF PAPER

Publishers are up against the real thing. There is a scarcity of print paper and the price is climbing higher and higher. The Terrell Daily Transcript comments as follows:

'Congratulating itself on the arrival of a carload of paper that was ordered in March, the Denton Record-Chronicle authorizes anybody to wager his or her last copper that it is going to economize in the use of print paper hereafter. The high price of paper would bring about good results if it should beget like good resolutions on the part of a good many of our exchanges. They are wasting good white paper by printing eight-page papers in four page towns. Others are wasting by giving most of their first pages to scare heads. The really successful papers are those that print the news. Big display type where news ought to be deceives nobody, and it costs a lot of money at the present value put on white paper.'

This is excellent advice. Fortunately is the publisher who found himself overstocked at the beginning of the war. America is a neutral Nation, but Americans must pay their quota of the cost of war whether it be in Europe, Asia or Africa. Publishers and their patrons are paying it in the excessive cost of print paper and all other printing materials. No, their patrons are not paying it, because the paper prints as many pages as ever and are put to an extra expense for everything that enters into the manufacture of a daily or weekly journal. Fort Worth Record,

R. W. and Dan Long made a business visit to Brownwood the first of the week.

Fred Dew and wife were here from Sleepy Hollow ranch Sunday visiting relatives and attending the big revival.

R. W. Geeslin of Caradan was a visitor to Brady the first of the week. He attended a district meeting of the Farmers Union.

Mrs. W. H. Nabers and daughter returned Sunday from a visit of a week or ten days with her parents at Goldthwaite.—Brady Standard.

Henry Martin and his wife and daughter, Miss Sophia, returned Tuesday from a visit to relatives at Junction and elsewhere in that section.

Mrs. Ike Breshears returned to her home at Nolanville, Bell county, Wednesday, after a visit to relatives in this city. Her daughters, Mrs. C. D. Lane and Mrs. Key Johnson, accompanied her for a visit.

Mrs. Mary Mauldin of Antelope Gap visited relatives here the first of the week. She was a pleasant caller at the Eagle office and informed us she would spend the next several weeks with relatives in Oklahoma. She will also visit Walter Ford and family at Sonora.

Mr. and Mrs. Elton Noble and little son were visitors from San Saba the first of the week. They were en route home from a visit to relatives in Mullin. Mrs. Noble is well remembered here as Miss Vallie Applewhite and is popular with a large circle of friends.

Rev. J. T. Weems reports the marriage of L. B. Covington and Miss Olive Collier a few days since at the home of Mr. John Nesbit in Pleasant Grove community. The young people were both reared in Mills county and have a host of friends who offer congratulations and good wishes.

### TO BUILD STATE ROADS

President Wilson has approved the national good roads bill that makes \$82,000,000 of government appropriation available for highways during the next five years, provided the states appropriate an equal amount. This is the strongest argument that can be made for roads, as action speaks louder than words. It places the government and the states on record as committed to public highways, especially where post routes are established and where the proper supervision is given.

The amount available from the national government when supplemented by the states will not go very far in building roads. But a few adequate highways properly maintained will do much to stimulate road building. The counties and townships are in no way hindered in voting bonds or providing money in any other ways that the statutes permitted before the recent road law was passed.

One important provision in the bill just mentioned should be emphasized, that of providing for state and national supervision in road building and maintenance. This will require state highway departments where they are not now established. It is said that only two states have no highway departments. One of these is in the Southwest, Texas. To get the benefits of the national appropriation these states will be required to establish and maintain highway departments to promote road building and maintenance.

Let the people of the Southwest prepare to get the benefits of the provisions of this bill. Let each state have efficient engineers in charge of the highway department and see that every dollar spent gets its value in roads.—Farm and Ranch.

T. E. Hamilton and Webb Hill were here from Star one day this week, looking after business matters.

A. J. Cockrum had business in Brownwood the first of the week.

Dr. and Mrs. J. D. Colaway went to Brownwood Monday to consult a specialist.

Mrs. A. P. Carson and her daughter, Mrs. Rose Stockton, of San Jose, Cal., have been here this week visiting friends and former neighbors. They lived in the Pleasant Grove community some years ago and moved from this county to California, but are spending the summer with Dr. Wes Carson and family in Brownwood. These ladies have certainly been welcome guests with their friends, and it has indeed been a pleasure to friends and neighbors of former days to meet with them.

J. B. Whitman has been selected manager of the local baseball team, taking the vacancy caused by the resignation of manager Elmer Moore, who left for Louisiana Saturday to report for duty as civil engineer on a project recently bid in by his father who is a contractor. Mr. Moore made a splendid manager for the team and developed a bunch of raw recruits into a crack baseball aggregation. Mr. Whitman, however, is a man of much baseball experience and has successfully managed other teams, and no doubt will keep the baseball machinery here moving nicely.—Brady Standard.

Now that the election is over we should turn our attention to other matters and lay aside any strife or antagonism that may have been engendered in the campaign. The men who were nominated are good citizens and well qualified to fill the positions, while those who were defeated were equally as good men and fully as well qualified. The voters in most cases would have been glad to have elected all of the candidates had it been possible. Therefore, it is not a case of the best men or those possessed of the best qualification being elected, but simply those receiving the most votes.

Pocket knives, best bargains.—Racket Store.

Miss Bertha Puckett of Brownwood visited relatives in this city this week.

Bring us your produce and butter fat. We pay the highest price for it.—Baker & Littlepage.

Otis Hutchings served as carrier on rural route No. 2 this week during the absence of T. T. Nickols.

Clements serves "Jitney Beer" all fizz and a yard deep. It's cooling and refreshing. (adv)

The county conventions of the Democrats and Republicans are to meet in this city today.

Call for your coupons at Clements' Drug and Jewelry Store and buy your silverware at half price. Ask about it. (adv)

Coal oil by the barrel and gasoline in any quantity. Give me your orders and they will be filled promptly.—H. E. Dalton.

Misses Rosa and Ruyal Keese returned this week from summer school at Austin.

—If you intend to buy land be sure and demand an abstract of the title so you may know its condition, as otherwise you may get a bad title.—E. B. ANDERSON, Abstractor.

Why pay more for your jewelry, silverware, watches, etc., when you can buy them cheaper at Clements' Drug and Jewelry Store? "Dependable Jewelry at dependable prices." (Advertisement)

Postmaster Clements returned last night from a trip thru the western portion of this state and to other states.

Eat a dish of ice cream at Miller's Best-Ov-All fountain. Note the way it's served, notice the quality. See how clean and nice the dishes are polished. You will be well pleased, that's all. (adv)

T. T. Nickols has been at College Station a part of this week, attending the state meeting of the rural carriers. He was scheduled for an address before the convention and the Eagle guarantees his talk was interesting and beneficial to his hearers.

Poultry is valuable. Keep them healthy and in good condition. Dr. Hess' Poultry Panacea will keep them well, fat and healthy. Get it at Miller's Drug and Jewelry Store. Every package guaranteed to give satisfaction or money back. (adv)

The Eagle can only publish one obituary of any person without special arrangements. While we charge for the service, many people do not appear to realize the fact and a bereaved family can not or should not be burdened with accounts for publishing obituaries. The best way is for the writers of obituaries to submit them to the family of a deceased person and let the family arrange for the publication.

Why do the crowds linger at Miller's Best-Ov-All fountain. They know that it's perfectly sanitary, that it's thoroughly sterilized every day. They see how clean the glasses and dishes are kept, they know there are no disease germs lurking around and they find that the quality of drinks served are of the superior quality and that the flavor of the syrups excel in purity and quality. Good reasons why we go to Miller's Best-Ov-All Fountain for our cold drinks and ice cream. (adv)

I will appreciate your patronage and give you first class oil at the market prices.—Harry H. Martin.

Five gallon preserving jars for pickles.—Racket Store.

CITY BEAUTIFUL

We have come to the third lap in our City Beautiful campaign—the decision of the judges and the awarding of the prizes in flower beds and porch box contest.

District No. 1—J. D. and Inez Weems received for flower beds a metal curbing presented by L. B. Walters.

District No. 2—Mrs. Willis Booker, prize for flower beds, 50c worth of merchandise by Archer Grocery Co. Mrs. W. B. Potter, prize for porch boxes, season ticket to Martin & Cline picture show.

District No. 3—Flower beds, Mrs. I. N. Weatherby, received a porch box from J. H. Randolph Lumber Co., Mrs. J. T. Prater second, honorable mention.

Porch boxes—Mrs. Walter Fairman a season ticket to Martin & Cline Picture Show. Mrs. T. F. Toland second, honorable mention.

District No. 4—Flower beds, Mrs. C. L. Bodkin, a hammered brass swinging porch basket by L. E. Miller & Son. Mrs. J. C. Street second, honorable mention.

Porch boxes—Mrs. M. H. Hines a season ticket to Martin & Cline Picture Show. Mrs. J. C. Street, second, honorable mention.

District No. 5—Flower beds, Mrs. J. C. Mullan, a case of grape smash by Edward Goslin. Mrs. F. I. Mullan, second, honorable mention.

Porch boxes—Mrs. E. B. Anderson, season ticket to Martin & Cline Picture Show. Mrs. M. E. Ebers, second, honorable mention.

We wish to thank the town as a whole for their co-operation in this work. Especially do we thank those who so liberally donated prizes. Those entering their names thereby making the contest a success, the judges for their interest, Mr. R. M. Thompson for his courtesies and unlimited space so graciously given in his paper.

A number of business men have painted their store fronts, which adds much to the attractions of our city. It encourages us greatly to note the number of people who are constantly cleaning and beautifying their premises.

There will be three inspections between now and October. At that time the general Clean-up and final awards will be given for the best kept premises in each district.

CIVIC LEAGUE

CONSTIPATION AND INDIGESTION

"I have used Chamberlain's Tablets and must say they are the best I have ever used for constipation and indigestion. My wife also used them for indigestion and they did her good," writes Eugene S. Knight, Wilmington, N. C. Chamberlain's Tablets are mild and gentle in their action. Give them a trial. You are certain to be pleased with the agreeable laxative effect which they produce. Obtainable everywhere. (adv)

EXCLUSIVE AGENCY NOTICE

I have given R. E. Clements the exclusive agency on Logan's Black Pills, Logan's Itch and Eczema Ointment and Logan's Catarrh Relief. J. H. LOGAN, M. D.

BAPTIST CHURCH

Rev. V. B. Clark, a missionary to Havana, Cuba, will preach in the Baptist church here Sunday at 11 o'clock and at night. All have an invitation to hear him.

You Need A Royal Iron  
Right NOW!



The Royal will pay for itself in a few weeks. It will do the average weekly ironing at a cost of one cent for fuel. You are not confined in a hot, stuffy room, but can iron on the porch or in the cool shade of a tree. In five minutes you can have the Royal all ready for use. No firing up your range or walking back and forth to a stove. The Royal is not a new and untried article. It has proved its worth by use in more than 750,000 homes for many years. Call and See the Indispensable Royal Iron

WE ARE HEADQUARTERS FOR  
Hardware, Implements, Vehicles,  
Furniture and House Furnishings

We have a large assortment of Coffins and a Licensed Embalmer is in charge of our Undertaking Department. Both Phones—Day or Night.

BODKIN, HURDLE & CO.

Window shades, wall paper.—Racket Store.

Miss Rubie D. Hzarne has returned from summer school at the University at Austin.

Mrs. Floyd Jackson and baby have returned from a visit to relatives at Kopperl.

Miss Annie Johnston arrived at home yesterday from San Marcos, where she has been attending the state normal.

Rev. E. A. Hunter, pastor of the Methodist church at Lometa, came over yesterday to attend the Methodist revival.

Miller's Rat Exterminator will rid your place of the troublesome rats and save you lots of money in keeping your grain, etc., from being destroyed. (adv)

The mail order houses come in for a pretty hard jolt when the following questions are propounded by some writer who failed to sign his name to the interrogatories. He says: "Do you know of a mail order house that has ever contributed one cent in taxes, or otherwise, toward defraying the expenses of local government far removed from their base of operation. Do you know of a corporation of this kind that has ever contributed one cent toward the upbuilding of either churches or schools? Do you know of one that has ever done anything save pull money out of the community, with absolutely no hope of it ever drifting back? Following up these simple questions, the writer also wants to know why deluded folks will continue to enrich people who have no concern for their patrons, save to extract from their hard earned money, and in advance besides, for goods they never see until the bill has been settled for in advance. Somebody answer this for us please.—Exchange.

J. H. Allen left yesterday for Coke county to spend a week or more with relatives and friends. He desires his friends and customers to know his shop will be closed for a few days, but he will be ready for business when he returns.

Plenty of fly killers at Mullan's Variety Store. (adv)

Table cutlery, spoons, etc.—Racket Store.

EPWORTH LEAGUE PROGRAM

Subject—How missions bless our nation

Leader—Miss Rosa Keese  
Song—"Stand Up For Jesus"  
Prayer

Scripture, Luke 19:41-48  
The blessing of purpose—Edward Goslin

The blessing of stewardship—C. B. Mohler

The blessing of scripture—Miss Winnie Lowrie

The part we take in evangelization—Mark Falkman

Sentence prayers  
Song to be selected  
League benediction.

CHAMBERLAIN'S COLIC, CHOLERA AND DIARRHOEA REMEDY

Every family without exception should keep this preparation at hand during the hot weather of the summer months. Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy is worth many times its cost when needed and is almost certain to be needed before the summer is over. It has no superior for the purposes for which it is intended. Buy it now. Obtainable everywhere. (adv)

MEETINGS TO BEGIN

Rev. D. I. Haralson, assisted by Revs. Morgan and Meyers, will begin a meeting at Nabors Creek Sunday to continue a week or longer. On August 13 Rev. D. I. Haralson, assisted by Rev. L. L. Hays, will begin a meeting at Bulls Springs.

The people of these communities and all others who will attend these meetings are invited to do so.

TAKING BIG CHANCES

It is a great risk to travel without a bottle of Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy, as this preparation cannot be obtained on the trains or steamships. Attacks of bowel complaints are often sudden and very severe, and everyone should go prepared for them. Obtainable everywhere. (adv)

YOU CAN BE RICH  
IT'S WITHIN YOUR REACH!

But whether you are or not depends entirely on yourself. It's the habit of systematic saving by which most large fortunes are acquired.

It Is Not Impossible

You can save a little each week or month, and at the end of the year you will have quite a little start. After that it's easy. Begin NOW to deposit your savings with this good bank.

REMEMBER THAT EVERY DOLLAR YOU DEPOSIT WITH US IS KEPT ABSOLUTELY SAFE AND FULLY PROTECTED AGAINST LOSS.

**GOLDTHWAITE NATIONAL BANK**  
CAPITAL, SURPLUS AND PROFITS---\$85,000.00  
W. E. MILLER, PRESIDENT

1916

Nearly everything.—Racket Store.  
 Jelly glasses 35c per dozen.—Mullan's Variety Store.  
 R. S. Burgess has our thanks for a metallic hand clamp this week.  
 Mrs. L. Covington is visiting her sister, Mrs. Parkar, at Rogers this week.  
 Harmon Lowrie returned yesterday from Houston, where he had been in school.  
 The Eagle has been ordered sent to Aaron Karnes at Snyder and Willie Karnes at Monster.  
 Dr. Wes Carson has been here from Brownwood a part of the week visiting friends and relatives.  
 A. D. Karnes is still in the sanitarium in Temple, but is improving and will soon be able to come home.  
 Phone me when you want gasoline or lubricating oil and I will be there with the goods promptly.—Harry H. Martin.  
 W. H. Thompson of Brenham and his son Lindsey of Brownwood visited relatives in this city the first of the week.  
 Mrs. A. W. Waldrop has returned to her home in Henderson, after a visit to her brother, Dr. S. A. Lowrie, and family.  
 Mrs. Albert Taylor left yesterday for her home in Nevada, Texas, after a visit to her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Prater, and other relatives at this place.  
 Remember when you buy an article at Miller's Drug and Jewelry store you get the best and purest of materials and a positive guarantee of satisfaction or your money will be refunded. (adv.)  
 Strays.—A bay mare three years old, snip nose, droop tail, 15 hands high, been gone five weeks, last seen on Payne road. Will give \$5.00 to anyone to bring her to Goldthwaite. Write me or phone Obe Floydston.—C. J. Crawford, Goldthwaite, Texas.  
 The Root Be served in the big steins at Miller's Best-Ov-All fountain are made different, taste different and are different from any others. They are real Root Beers. Try one, be convinced they are the Best-Ov-All. (Advertisement)  
 I am still offering my farm of 160 acres of land for sale, at the head of Sims Creek, on the Kelly school house and Goldthwaite road, 25 acres in cultivation, 20 acres of good land yet to put in, two new houses and a double crib, 75 barrel underground cistern, eight barrel top ground cistern, hog pen, cow lot two separate pastures, fenced all around, hog, goat and turkey proof and cross fenced with woven wire fence. Will sell at \$8 per acre, will give warranty deed and patent from the state. I want some brush land or the cash money.—M. G. Fesler.

**ELECTION RETURNS**

**Many Surprises and Disappointments Figures Incomplete.**

The Democratic primary election held last Saturday resulted in many surprises and disappointments and, as is always the case, there were some results that were most remarkable.  
 The nomination of Governor Ferguson to succeed himself by a majority of fully 60,000 is conceded, while all of the other state officers seeking re-election were successfully.  
 Submission carried by a very narrow margin, while the Robertson insurance law was sustained by a large majority.  
 In the senatorial contest ex-Governor Colquitt ran far ahead of the ticket, while Senator Culbarson ran second, which will put these two candidates in the second primary. Dr. Brooks was the third man in this race and it was thought for several hours after the close of the polls that he would be in the runoff with Mr. Colquitt.  
 In some counties a complete report can not be made because of the election returns all being locked in the supply boxes, which can not be opened until the meeting of the county executive committee. This condition exists in this county and, therefore, the full report can not be given and the figures here shown may be materially altered by the official count. Just why some election officers refused to follow the plain instructions and the law and send one envelope to the county clerk with a poll list, tally sheet and report of the results is not easy to understand. It is supposed they did not know just how the returns should be made, and, therefore, wanted to be on the safe side and locked everything securely.  
 The party nominees will be as indicated by the following tabulated statement, taken from the telephonic reports on the night of the election and while some of the figures may be changed by the official count the results will be as shown:  
**PRECINCT NOMINEES**  
 W. L. Burks was nominated for public weigher at Goldthwaite and F. P. Eply received a majority of the votes at Mullin for weigher at that place.  
 For Commissioners—A. D. Karnes, No. 1; J. F. Henderson, No. 2; D. A. Hamilton, No. 3; E. J. Griffin, No. 4.  
**DISTRICT OFFICERS**  
 Judge Spann was nominated for district judge by an overwhelming majority, while Judge M. M. White of Lampasas was nominated for district attorney by a small majority.  
 Hon. T. M. White was nominated

# The Careful Man

**IS THE MAN WHO MAKES MONEY**

And they are the kind of men we want to call and price our goods and examine the quality. We take pride in stating that our Wagon sales this year have been greater than on any previous year. Can you guess the reason? We will tell you—we sell the Famous "Mogul" Wagon, and

## The "Mogul" Has Made Good

Our line of General Hardware, Furniture and Vehicles is more complete now than ever. We are Makers of Prices in our line. Come in and see.

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We are Headquarters for FRUIT JARS. Don't Fail to See our Stock before you Buy.

# Sullivan, Trent & Allen

Hardware, Implements, Wagons, Buggies, Furniture, Undertakers' Supplies

for representative for this and Hamilton counties by a healthy majority.  
 Scott Woodward of Stephenville was nominated for state senator over Senator Connor.  
 Col. Jas. L. Slayden was nominated to succeed himself in congress.  
**ELECTIONS ELSEWHERE**  
 Judge J. O. Woodward was nominated to succeed Judge Goodwin as district judge in the Brownwood district, defeating Goodwin by a fine majority.  
 Judge Edson defeated Judge J. L. Lewis for county judge of Hamilton county.  
**MEN'S BIBLE CLASS**  
 Program for Sunday, July 30th, 1916, at W. O. W. hall  
 The relation of the Bible and its teachings to society.—W. P. McCullough  
 What is the difference in God made Laws and Man made Laws?—J. C. Darroch  
 God's commands to study his word.—Dr. Lusk  
 The aims of our down town Bible Class.—Dr. Lowrie  
 To what extent is one man responsible for another.—J. M. Arnold  
 Presiding Elder Cowan came over from Lampasas Thursday evening to attend the big revival at the Methodist tabernacle.

## FLOUR PRIMROSE FLOUR

### A CAR JUST RECEIVED

Why be satisfied with anything less than the best, when you can get "PRIMROSE" FLOUR—bought in the Low Market?

We Buy BUTTER FAT, together with All Country Produce

# BAKER & LITTLEPAGE

The Sanitary Grocers

**TABULATED ELECTION RETURNS**

OFFICE AND CANDIDATE	Goldthwaite	Nabors Cr.	Antelope Cr.	Center City	Payne	Star	Mullin	Fisher	Priddy	Big Valley	Rocky Mts	Rader	Buffalo	Ridge
For Submission.....	179	5	10	338	23	34	27	99	18	10	35	17	1	6
Against Submission.....	91	10	5	734	15	18	49	66	17	86	12	11	28	16
For Robertson Law.....	162	6	7	539	16	31	32	84	24	32	34	15	5	4
Against Robertson Law.....	69	9	5	522	17	12	37	44	2	54	9	11	23	17
For U. S. Senator, R. L. Henry.....	50	4	1	3	7	5	711	51	7	3	9	5	3	3
T. M. Campbell.....	87	1	4	15	7	12	10	45	6	6	11	5	11	1
S. P. Brooks.....	102	5	3	432	3	9	6	34	4	5	23	10	7	7
Chas. A. Culbarson.....	23	4	9	2	6	9	4	5	24	10	6	6	2	6
John Davis.....	5	1	0	1	2	2	6	2	1	1	1	1	1	1
O. B. Colquitt.....	57	1	1	331	20	22	39	44	5	86	6	8	22	14
For Governor, Chas. H. Morris.....	280	14	12	360	24	33	30	151	19	16	46	25	8	723
James E. Ferguson.....	93	4	6	10	43	24	23	58	76	15	97	17	14	723
For Congressman, 14th Dist., James L. Slayden.....	144	11	10	76	22	36	51	185	22	41	33	24	13	21
Joe A. Adkins.....	207	8	9	633	18	17	28	65	10	70	25	10	4	4
For Senator, 26th Dist., R. P. Connor.....	182	10	13	10	40	25	25	131	28	28	26	18	12	20
Scott Woodward.....	163	7	3	252	14	23	47	77	5	75	28	17	16	6
For Representative, 94th Dist., D. W. Stansell.....	88	7	6	7	44	14	17	60	14	77	5	10	11	9
T. M. White.....	277	12	13	655	28	40	47	155	19	33	53	29	11	16
For Judge, 27th Jud. Dist., John B. Durrett.....	113	1	9	126	15	10	18	73	15	10	16	10	5	214
F. M. Spann.....	261	18	10	1277	32	49	70	148	19	102	44	30	9	2733
For Dist. Attorney, M. M. White.....	223	11	11	867	24	37	36	86	18	17	29	19	9	530
DeWitt Bowmer.....	76	4	2	147	5	8	13	86	11	40	12	12	1	8
J. F. Hair.....	39	2	2	211	18	22	37	5	36	9	3	2	1	6
Edgar Monteith.....	31	1	2	1	3	3	7	2	13	4	2	1	3	1
For County Judge, G. H. Dalton.....	165	12	7	9	37	32	30	143	22	60	25	11	2	12
R. B. Weaver.....	217	6	13	4	46	11	26	60	94	14	54	39	13	18
For County Clerk, T. K. Cherry.....	204	12	4	3	56	21	32	84	14	57	48	24	10	12
W. B. Summy.....	183	7	16	9	50	19	28	56	152	22	56	15	17	5
For Tax Assessor, D. D. Kemper.....	156	4	6	3	53	22	31	50	182	27	30	40	15	9
A. E. Evans.....	193	15	11	9	47	23	27	25	49	6	77	17	6	18
G. W. Godwin.....	33	3	4	3	2	15	4	3	6	7	10	1	1	1
For County Treasurer, J. T. Prater.....	97	6	3	5	23	19	12	36	29	2	61	10	7	2
G. W. Templin.....	55	8	2	24	10	9	16	151	24	6	18	10	6	125
Lewis H. Wilson.....	199	11	9	4	46	18	32	23	45	4	38	25	20	5
Geo. W. Jackson.....	33	1	2	11	5	10	19	5	10	10	4	2	2	4

## Now Well

"Thedford's Black-Draught is the best all-round medicine I ever used," writes J. A. Steelman, of Pattonville, Texas. "I suffered terribly with liver troubles, and could get no relief. The doctors said I had consumption. I could not work at all. Finally I tried

# THEDFORD'S BLACK-DRAUGHT

and to my surprise, I got better, and am to-day as well as any man." Thedford's Black-Draught is a general, cathartic, vegetable liver medicine, that has been regulating irregularities of the liver, stomach and bowels, for over 70 years. Get a package today. Insist on the genuine—Thedford's. E-70.

**REVIVAL IN PROGRESS**

**Strong Sermons and Good Singing Large Attendance—Much Interest**

The revival in progress at the Methodist tabernacle has grown in interest thru the week and large congregations are attracted to the day services as well as those held at night. The strong sermons by Rev. Casgidy hold the interest of the people and require careful consideration. He is one of the most able evangelists of his denomination and his splendid work here will be of lasting benefit.  
 The song service is one of the most attractive and helpful parts of the revival and the choir is doing fine work under the leadership of Prof. Ellis.  
 Services are held at the tabernacle each morning at 10 o'clock and every evening at 8 o'clock, while men's prayer meetings are held at 3 o'clock in the afternoon in the business part of town and at 7:30 o'clock in the tabernacle. The ladies also hold prayer meeting each evening at 7:30 in the Methodist church and the young ladies and girls meet for a prayer service at the same hour at the home of Mrs. Edward Geeslin.  
 It is indeed a great and helpful revival.

**FERGUSON-BARTON**

Mr. Lester J. Ferguson and Miss Helen Barton were married at the home of Rev. J. T. Weems in this city last Sunday afternoon. Rev. Weems officiating. These young people were reared in this county and have a great many friends here and elsewhere who join in extending congratulatory and good wishes to them.



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# The Goldthwaite Eagle

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R. M. THOMPSON, Editor

The death of James Whitcomb Riley occurred at his home in Indianapolis, Ind., Saturday night, following an attack of apoplexy. Mr. Riley was a well known writer of verse and was called the "Hoosier Poet."

The judiciary committee of the national senate has unanimously recommended the confirmation of the appointment of Judge Clark of Cleveland, Ohio, to the position on the United supreme court made vacant by the resignation of Mr. Hughes, who is one of those who would like to take President Wilson's place.

Fire in the business district of Austin Sunday afternoon did a vast amount of damage, including the destruction of the plant and exchange of the Southwestern Telephone company. There were one hundred employees of the company at work in the building and all escaped injury. It was the most destructive fire Austin has suffered in its history.

The interest already taken in the second senatorial primary indicates the polling of a heavy vote. In an election where there are only two candidates or where a single issue is involved there is always danger of lethargy on the part of voters, but the campaign that will be waged between this time and August 26 will preclude the possibility of such condition in this election.

A farmer near Hulbert, Oklahoma, saved the bank of that town from being robbed a few days ago. He saw several suspicious looking men pass his farm going toward the town and he phoned the bank about them. The bank was immediately closed, but none too soon, for in a few minutes the men appeared, attempted to enter the bank and failing in their purpose made their escape.

The Eagle congratulates Editor Adkins of Lometa Reporter upon his success in the primary election last Saturday, when he was nominated for county attorney of Lampasas county. He is a young lawyer of fine ability as well as a good newspaper man and the people who supported him in his political ambitions will have cause to congratulate themselves because of the splendid record he will make.

Judge Hughes is to make his speech accepting the presidential nomination by the Republicans in New York next Monday and will, it is supposed, devote a considerable part of his time to a criticism of the democratic administration. It is well he should make such criticism as he desires now, for after the election it will be very unbecoming in him to criticize the administration of his successful opponent.

A chuckhole club consists of four or five men or boys, one of whom has an automobile. Each member provides himself with a pick, shovel or spade; they climb into the car, motor out, fill every hole, bad bridge approach, and any other bad spot that does not require the work of a regular road gang. Each member agrees to fill at least one hole a month and to encourage others to help improve the roads. Join a chuckhole club and be popular.—Holland News.

Negotiations have been practically perfected between this country and the government of Denmark for the purchase of the Danish West Indies by the United States. The terms of purchase are twenty five million dollars in cash and the relinquishing to Denmark of whatever rights the United States may have in Greenland, which is very small. The territory to be ceded by Denmark is the islands of St. John, St. Thomas and St. Croix. These islands are 142 square miles in area and located off the east coast of Porto Rico. They have a population of some thing more than 25,000, mostly negroes and the principal product of the islands is cane sugar.

## NEIGHBORING NEWS

Items of Interest Culled From Local Papers of Towns Mentioned.

### LOMETA

Miss Leticia Cordill is here this week from San Antonio on a visit to Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Walton.

The Missionary society of the Methodist church gave an ice cream supper on the lawn at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Procter last Saturday night. They cleared \$13.15.

James Conley, who works on the Malloy farm, was seriously injured Tuesday on Sims creek while attempting to lead some mules to water. In some way he became tangled in the rope and the mules becoming scared, ran.

Mrs. John Nance was the victim of a serious accident last Saturday morning when she fell and sustained a broken leg. She was going to the smoke house after meat for breakfast, and as it was early, she was carrying a lamp which exploded when she fell, and a more serious accident was narrowly averted.—Reporter.

### COMANCHE

Mrs. Lucinda Mason quietly, after an illness of months, passed away at her home near the high school Wednesday, July 12th.

Last Monday night Miss Vervia Mehaffy, while skating, fell and broke both the bones in the lower arm. She is doing nicely at late report.

W. C. Graham, who passed away at his home in the eastern part of town Sunday night was one of the Texas pioneers and one who offered his life for the land he loved in the great war of brothers.

At 5 p. m., Wednesday, July 12, Aunt Caroline Montgomery, aged 92 years 2 months and 18 days, passed away at the home of her son, Bud Montgomery, a few miles south of Comanche. She had been very feeble for several years on account of advancing years and the end was not unexpected.—Chief.

### SAN SABA

Miss Arma Crawford returned Sunday from Goldthwaite. Miss Minnie Taff, Mrs. Taff, and Billie Housh, brought her home in the Taff car.

A great deal of interest was manifested in the Auction sale of privileges for the San Saba Fair, which was held at the court house last Saturday. The total sales amounted to \$747.50, an increase of \$40.00 over last year.

U. H. Turner brought into town today the largest fish caught in this section within the last year. It was a huge yellow cat, and when placed on the scales was found to weigh sixty pounds. He caught it in the San Saba river, about one and a half miles east of town, near Webster Miller's place.

Will Parker, while pearling in the river near Double Ford, about twelve miles southwest of town, was drowned late Thursday afternoon. At the place where the tragedy occurred the water is only three or four feet deep, but Parker, who is subject to epileptic fits, suffered an attack of one of these and drowned before aid could be rendered.—Star.

### LAMPASAS

H. L. Denson and Mrs. Bettie I. Nation were married Thursday afternoon, July 13, at the home of Rev. W. H. McGee.

Dee Northington and two children of Temple, came in Sunday for a short visit with Mr. Northington's mother, Mrs. A. J. Northington.

The people living in the northern part of Lampasas county have been having some trouble with wolves bothering their stock, and quite a number have formed an association and are offering a bounty for wolf scalps.

Married, Thursday, July 13, G. W. Carroll and Mrs. Annie Evans. Mr. Carroll formerly conducted a wagon yard at the end of Third street, but now lives on his farm near Izora, where he and his wife will make their home in the future.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam F. Stokes, Mrs. E. A. E. Fullwood and Stewart Fullwood left Saturday in the Stokes car for Dallas, Fort Worth, Sterling City and points in Oklahoma. They are traveling for the benefit of Mrs. Stokes' health and will be gone for some time.—Leader.

### HAMILTON

Miss Ruth Grant lies dangerously ill of typhoid fever at her home. A trained nurse arrived Tuesday afternoon, and it is hoped that the sufferer will soon be improved.

Rainfall at Goldthwaite, July 1 to July 26.....00.65 in.  
Total Rainfall for 1916 to above date.....13.25 in.

## A Bank Account

## Will Never Start Itself

You will have to take the initiative yourself, if you desire one.

There is nothing so tiresome as waiting—and no one can afford to wait for things to happen, but a dead man.

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After nine weeks in a Temple sanitarium, Mrs. Taylor Smith returned to her home here last week. For a time her life was despaired of, and friends and loved ones are very happy and grateful for her recovery.

A tastefully planned and quietly beautiful wedding was that of Bernard Cunningham and Miss Annie Cathey at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Cathey in Hamilton last Sunday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. Pat Wren and little sons, J. T. and Lawrence, came over from their farm home near Goldthwaite Saturday to visit Mrs. Wren's mother, Mrs. Charley Valentine, and other relatives and friends. They are well pleased with the new home and are doing well.

The trouble with fooling yourself is that you get into the habit of imagining that you can fool other people. That's how most of us get our big jolts.—Record.

The many friends here of Judge John D. Robinson of Belton regret very much his defeat in the race for congress in the eleventh district, to succeed Bob Henry, who "also ran" for United States senator. Judge Robinson would have made an able representative.

A number of laborers who were en route to the harvest fields of the west were killed and their bodies burned in a wreck on the Denver and Rio Grande near Pueblo, Col. Monday night.

Senator Culberson is so confident of his success in the second senatorial primary that it is said to be unlikely that he will even come to Texas to take part in the campaign.

There has been an attendance of three thousand Woodmen upon the encampment at Wichita Falls this week.

Astronomers have found a great many spots on the sun and predict severe storms.

Tennis goods at Clements' (adv)  
New music at Clements' Drug and Jewelry Store. (adv)

## This Man Is Taking His Time But—



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Tents—Are you going fishing or camping? Better get a tent and other things necessary for your camping outfit at this store. We sell or rent tents, etc.—J. T. Weems

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### PROPOSED AMENDMENT TO THE STATE CONSTITUTION RELATING TO LEVYING TAX FOR SCHOOL PURPOSES

H. J. R. No. 30) House Joint Resolution.

Proposing an amendment to Section 3, Article 7, of the Constitution of the State of Texas, authorizing the levy and collection of an ad valorem county tax not to exceed fifty cents on the one hundred dollars valuation of property for the maintenance of the public schools of the county, and authorizing the levy and collection of an ad valorem district tax not to exceed one dollar on the one hundred dollars valuation of property for the maintenance of the public schools of the district.

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

Section 1. That Section 3 of Article 7 of the Constitution of the State of Texas be amended to hereafter read as follows:

Section 3. School Taxes—One-fourth of the revenue derived from the State occupation taxes, and a poll tax of \$1.00 on every male inhabitant of this State between the ages of 21 and 60 years shall be set apart annually for the benefit of the public free schools, and in addition thereto there shall be levied and collected an annual ad valorem State tax of such an amount, not to exceed 20 cents on the \$100.00 valuation, as with the available school fund arising from all other sources will be sufficient to maintain and support the public free schools of this State for a period of not less than six months in each year. The Legislature may authorize the levy and collection of an annual ad valorem county tax within the counties of this State not to exceed 50 cents on the \$100.00 valuation of property situated within the county; provided, a majority of the qualified property paying voters of the county voting at an election to be held for that purpose shall vote such tax, for the purpose of maintaining the public free schools of the county, and the Legislature may also provide for the formation of school districts by general or special law, without the local notice required in other cases of special legislation, and all such school districts, whether created by general or special law, may embrace parts of two or more counties, and the Legislature shall be authorized to pass laws for the assessment and collection of taxes in all said districts and for the management and control of the public school or schools of such district, whether such districts are composed of territory wholly within a county or in parts of two or more counties. And the Legislature may authorize an additional ad valorem tax to be levied and collected within all school districts heretofore formed, or hereafter formed, for the further maintenance of public free schools, and the erection and equipment of school buildings thereon; provided that a majority of the qualified property tax-paying voters of the district, voting at an election to be held for that purpose, shall vote such tax not to exceed in any one year one dollar on the \$100.00 valuation of the property subject to taxation in such districts, but the limitation upon the amount of school district tax herein authorized shall not apply to incorporated cities or towns, constituting separate and independent school districts.

Sec. 2. The Governor of this State is hereby instructed to issue the necessary proclamation for the submission of this amendment to the qualified voters of the State of Texas at the next general election to be held in November, 1916, at which election all voters favoring this amendment shall have written or printed on their ballots the words, "For the amendment to Section 3, Article 7, of the Constitution of the State of Texas, relating to the levy of ad valorem school taxes not to exceed fifty cents on the \$100.00 valuation in the county and not to exceed one dollar on the \$100.00 valuation in the district, for the purpose of maintaining the public schools of the county or of the district." And those opposed to this amendment shall have written or printed on their ballots the words, "Against the

amendment to Section 3, Article 7, of the Constitution of the State of Texas, relating to the levy of ad valorem school taxes, not to exceed fifty cents on the \$100.00 valuation in the county, and not to exceed one dollar on the \$100.00 valuation in the district, for the purpose of maintaining the public schools of the county or of the district."

Sec. 3. The sum of \$5,000.00, or as much thereof as may be necessary therefor, is hereby appropriated to pay the expenses of carrying out the provisions of this resolution.

(Note.—H. J. R. No. 30 was adopted by the House March 6, years 104, days 12. Was adopted by the Senate, with amendments, March 19, years 25, days 2. House concurred in Senate amendments March 19, years 78, days 19, present and not voting 1.) Approved April 1, 1915.

(A true copy.) JOHN G. MCKAY,  
Secretary of State.

### THANKS TO MILLS COUNTY VOTERS

Through this paper I wish to extend my sincere thanks and appreciation to those who assisted me in securing the nomination for Tax Assessor in the primary last Saturday. To you who supported me and otherwise assisted me in winning the nomination, I am indeed grateful. To those who voted otherwise, I wish to say that was your privilege, which all citizens possess and which every one should exercise, and for you, I have no ill feeling and wish each and every one the very best success possible.

In conducting my campaign, I did so on a high plane, and if I could not have secured the nomination honorably, I certainly wouldn't have asked for it. I am also thankful to my opponents for the fair and square race they made, by not permitting "mud slinging" injected into the race. For both of them, I have profound kindness and trust that I may continue to have their friendship and good wishes, I likewise their supporters. It will be my endeavor, which will be my duty, to make the very best assessor possible, rendering service to all alike, and may it be said at the close of my administration that I have been fair and honest to all and claim the entire voting strength my friends. I thank you all  
D. D. KEMPER

### B. Y. P. U.

July 30, 2:30 p. m.  
Subject—Reading for missions  
Song service  
Chain of prayers for our missionaries in foreign lands  
Memory verse review  
Minutes. Roll call. Announcement  
Song—"Jesus Is All the World To Me"  
Leader—Sister Morgan  
Scripture—Leader  
Reading for missions—Leader  
Prayer for workers in hard home fields  
Song—"Revive Us Again"  
What we find in:  
Foreign mission journal— Mildred Street  
The home field—Lonie Lowrie  
Royal service—Mary Nickols  
Our state paper—Carr's Burt  
Sword drill  
Closing song and prayer

### COMMITTEE

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### CARD OF THANKS

Rescoe Boulter and wife desire to express their sincere appreciation for the many acts of kindness shown them at the time of the destruction of the home by fire and also for the liberality of the people who gave them substantial assistance to enable them to resume housekeeping. They will ever cherish the names of those who helped them in any way.

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I expect to devote my time for a few months to selling Mills county lands. If you have real estate of any kind that you wish to sell or trade and you wish me to try to sell it for you, I will be glad to talk to you about it.

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For District Judge, 27th District  
F. M. SPANN

For District Attorney, 27th District  
M. M. WHITE

For County Judge,  
R. B. WEAVER

For Sheriff and Tax Collector,  
J. H. BURNETT

For District Clerk,  
CLYDE D. LANE

For County Clerk,  
W. B. SUMMY

For Tax Assessor,  
D. D. KEMPER

For County Treasurer,  
LEWIS HUDSON

For County Attorney,  
F. P. BOWMAN

For Public Weigher, Precincts 1, 2, 4  
W. L. BURKS

For Commissioner, Pre. 1,  
A. D. KARNES

For Commissioner and Justice of the Peace, Precinct No. 2  
J. F. HENDERSON

For Commissioner, Precinct No. 3  
D. A. HAMILTON

For Commissioner Pre. 4,  
E. J. GRIFFIN

For Justice of the Peace, Pre. 1,  
A. D. KARNES

For Justice of the Peace, Prec. No. 3  
D. A. HAMILTON

For Justice of the Peace Precinct 5  
E. J. GRIFFIN

For Constable, Precinct No. 1  
JOE TAMM

Fruit jars, rubbers, caps.—Racket Store

Something special at Mullan's Variety Store next week. (adv)

Mrs. Lulu Jones of Hamilton visited Lee Jones and family and other relatives in this city this week.

Mrs. Kathrine Burney of Star came in yesterday from San Marcos, where she has been attending the state normal.

Your money back if not satisfied is the guarantee that goes with every sale made at Miller's Drug and Jewelry Store. (adv)

Spirella Corsets, not sold in stores, Mrs. S. A. Lowrie, Goldthwaite, Texas. Residence appointments by telephone, post card, or letter. (adv)

If it's fruit jars you want we have them.—Mullan's Variety Store.

M. P. Allard, of Chburne visited his son, I. L. Allard, and wife in this city this week. He was accompanied by Sam Wofford and they were en route from Cleburne to Austin.

Now is the time to commence getting rid of the rats. Use Miller's Rat Exterminator and you will get rid of them. It's guaranteed. Sold at Miller's Drug and Jewelry Store. (Advertisement)

Mrs. J. C. Street and son Herbert and two daughters, accompanied by Mrs. J. W. Weathers, made an automobile trip to Austin this week and were accompanied home by Mrs. Lucile Street, who had been attending University summer school.

F. P. Eubank has been here this week from Austin, where he has made his home for a number of years and is engaged in carpenter work. He recently suffered an accident in which his hip was wrenched, causing him to be disabled for a time, but he has now about recovered.

Get one of our 30c brooms.—Racket Store.

At Miller's Best-Of-All fountain you will find that their drinks and ice cream tastes better, looks better and is better. Why, because it's made right, served right and the cleanliness of their dishes and fountain makes it attractive. Come and see for yourself. None but the best served at Miller's. (adv)

—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 thereof 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.

Ten quart enameled buckets next week 25c. at Mullan's Variety Store (Advertisement)

### NOTICE OF HEARING TO APPROPRIATE PUBLIC WATERS The State of Texas No. 158

Notice is hereby given, to whom concerned, that F. Merritt, whose postoffice address is Galveston, Texas, acting for the G. C. & S. F. Railway Company, did on the 6th day of July, A. D. 1916, file an application in the office of the BOARD OF WATER ENGINEERS OF THE STATE OF TEXAS, in which he applies for a permit to impound, divert, and appropriate 1000 acre-feet of water per annum, for the purpose of engine service and other railway purposes; the proposed impounding reservoir to be located on Brown Creek, a tributary of the Colorado river, on parts of Blocks 66, 67, 71 and 72, of the subdivision of Caldwell County School Land League No. 113, and about 4 1/2 miles in a northwesterly direction from the town of Goldthwaite, in Mills county, Texas. The proposed reservoir will be created by means of the construction of an earth dam 1700 feet long with 15 inch concrete and timber core wall, said dam having a 200 foot spillway with a relief spillway 300 feet long, the reservoir thus created having a capacity of 300,000,000 gallons, and from which the water will be diverted by means of a gravity pipe line to the company's elevated supply tank.

A hearing on the said application of the said F. Merritt, for the use and benefit of said G. C. & S. F. Railway Company, as aforesaid, will be held by the Board of Water Engineers of the State of Texas, at its office, in the city of Austin, county of Travis, said State, on Monday, the 28th day of August, A. D. 1916, beginning at 10 o'clock, a. m., at which time and place all parties interested may appear and be heard. Such hearing will be continued from time to time and from place to place, if necessary, until such determination has been made relative to said application as the said Board of Water Engineers may deem right, equitable and proper.

Given under, and by virtue of, an order of the Board of Water Engineers of the State of Texas, at the office of said Board, in Austin, Texas, this 7th day of July, A. D. 1916.

J. C. NAGLE  
JOHN WILSON  
Board.

(Seal) Board.  
Attest: W. T. Potter, Secretary.

### THE LIVING FOR A LIFE

It might not be polite to say that many of us are striving too hard to make a living, but doubtless it is true. With many of us the living is the most important thought that originates in our mind. We toil, worry and complain to such an extent that we do not fully enjoy the living we get.

It is important that we earn and receive a living commensurate with our existence. The head of a family feels the responsibility for those dependent upon him. To be negligent or indolent in this world of course would be unadvisable. But what is fully as important as making a living is making a life.

Doubtless if we would find that what we produce is far more efficient in providing the comforts of life than we supposed. If we would direct our attention with ways and means of living we would find that even a small income from the farm may afford a comfortable living and a happy home. A large income may not do this. Wealth, as important as it is, does not afford pleasure and comfort unless it contributes to making a life. It is character that gives hope, aspiration and contentment.

The Savior of men said: "I came that ye might have life and that you might have it more abundantly." A useful life, a contented happy life is better than riches. Broad acres, cattle on a thousand hills, are not comparable to the pleasure of living.

In a literal sense we should 'take thought for the morrow,' but are we justifiable in dwarfed mental and physical powers simply that we may earn more? Isn't a life greater than a living?

Then why not make a home on the farm and enjoy life? Why not strive to make a life? Why not make the life paramount? This will insure the living.—Farm and Ranch.

### MR. GODWIN DEAD

Mr. J. H. Godwin died at his home in Rock Springs community last Sunday night at 10:30 o'clock, after a long illness. He was stricken with leakage of the heart, lost fell and later a portion of his body became paralyzed and the paralysis finally reached all portions of his body. He suffered long and patiently and for several months before his death it was known to his family and friends that his recovery was impossible.

Mr. Godwin was one of Mills county's best men. He was honest, upright and just, was always on the sunny side of life and had a word of cheer and encouragement for those with whom he came in contact. It has never been our good fortune to know a man who possessed more commendable and lovable traits of character than did he and his life was helpful and uplifting to those who enjoyed his friendship and were favored with his association. It can truly be said of him that the world is better because he lived in it and it is also true that his passing away has caused sadness to a host of people besides his family circle.

The funeral was held in the cemetery at Goldthwaite Monday and was attended by a large number of the friends and sympathizers of the grief stricken family.

### LIFE'S JOURNEY

For every life there is a summit. Happy are they who gain and sad the lot of those who faint and fall in the struggle. Short or long to the top, it can only be scaled by persistent climbing. There must be ambition to do and dare, or the prize will not be secured.

Have you in the vigor of youth begun the journey? Already are you tired and weary? Are you resting by the way in slothful indolence, hoping for wings or sails to bear you aloft without effort? Long before manhood's prime you will miss the top and go down hill. Arouse for another effort. At the base is the thorn, at the summit the crown. There is no escape from the one or the other in the life journey. Which will you have, wealth or poverty, comfort or squalor? Decide in the dew of the morning.

At high noon stand out a man on the peak of endeavor wearing your own crown.—Exchange.

### CHRISTADELPHIAN MEETING

The Christadelphian meeting has been in session at the reunion ground in the southern suburbs of this city all this week and will continue in session thru tomorrow. There is a good attendance and several of the most able preachers of the denomination are here and have delivered some very strong and interesting sermons. A number of people are here from a distance, some coming from other states to be in attendance upon this meeting. The sermons and discussions are interesting and altogether the session has been a decided success.

### CARD OF THANKS

Mrs. J. H. Godwin and children and other relatives desire to express their sincere thanks for the great kindness shown Mr. Godwin during his long illness and the thoughtfulness of their friends after his death. Everything possible was done for him and every consolation was offered the bereaved relatives. They are indeed thankful for all of this kindness and will ever be mindful of the good neighbors and other friends who helped them.

### OSCAR HOWARD DEAD

Oscar Howard died at his home in the western suburbs of this city last Sunday afternoon at 4 o'clock, after a short illness with typhoid fever. He leaves a wife and children besides other relatives who have the sincere sympathy of many friends in their bereavement.

The remains were carried to Mount Olive community for burial Monday and the sad service was attended by many sorrowing friends.

### FINE MELON

Mrs. Isaac Weaver of Nabors Creek brought the Eagle one of the finest water melons this week we have ever seen. It was a present from her and her husband and weighed 57 pounds. It was certainly delicious and we are indeed thankful to these good friends for their thoughtfulness and kindness.

## The Badge of Quality



Wherever you see this emblem you will find a car that is giving continuous motoring satisfaction. Let it be your "Safety First" sign to investigate the Dort.

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We are Offering some Rare Bargains in the Following:

Clothes Pins (best) doz. .... 5c	Peroxide (25c size)..... 10c
Washing Powder, box ..... 5c	Talcum Powder ..... 10c
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Fly Killer ..... 5c	Jelly Glasses, doz. .... 35c
Fly Paper, box ..... 25c	Large Pitchers ..... 25c
Fly Traps ..... 15c	6-quart Enameled Berlin Kettles..... 25c
Heavy Goblets, each..... 8c	Fruit Jars, qts. 1/2-gal. .... 75c
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10-qt. Enameled Pails..... 25c	Enameled Dippers..... 10c
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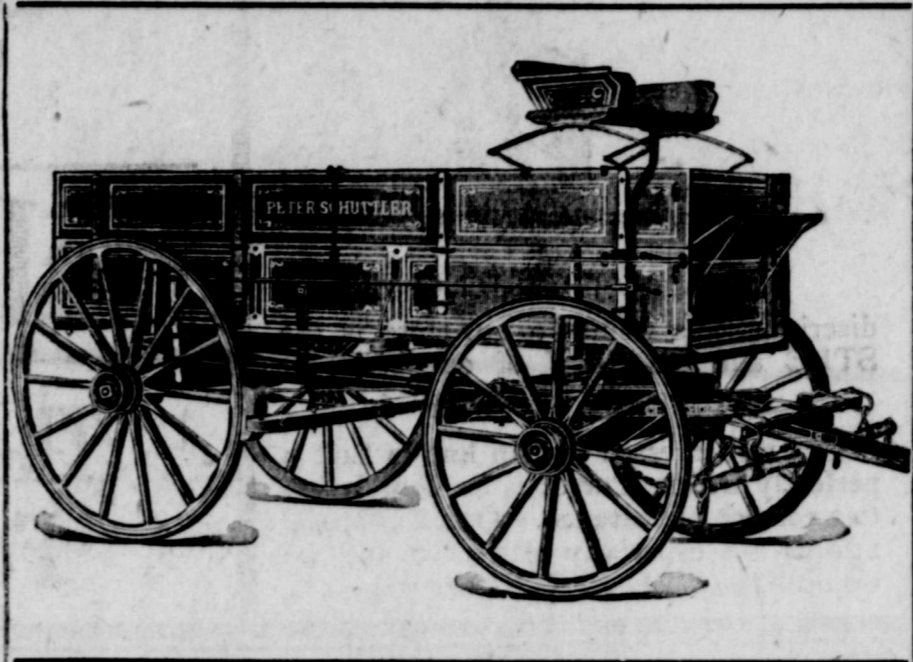
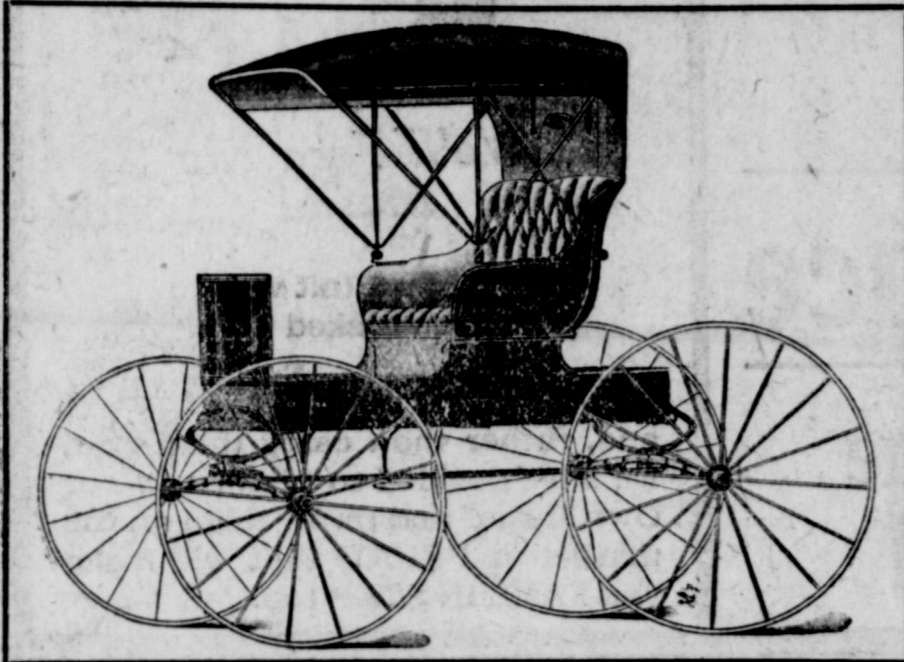
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## "The Store of Goldthwaite"

Cherry Fliz' next time at Clements' Innovation. (adv)

Mrs. Ernest Cooke of Ovallo dropped a dollar in the Eagle's strong box one day this week.

T. R. Wilcox of the Center City community left Wednesday for Bradshaw to visit relatives for a few days.

Mrs. M. E. Ebers and little son and Miss Pearl Ebers returned home the first of the week from a visit to relatives in Killean.

Have your egg drinks built at Clements' Innovation. (adv)

Miss Fay Whitley of Fort Worth has been here this week visiting her aunt, Mrs. C. B. Mohler, and family.

W. H. Birdwell of Temple visited his family and friends in this city the first of the week. He is in charge of a drug business in Temple and is doing well, but no place seems like home to him but Goldthwaite.

We want to show you how well we can please you in filling your doctor's prescriptions. Let us fill them for you next time. We guarantee we will please you, both in price, quality, purity and service.—L. E. Miller & Son, Druggists and Jewelers

The Eagle can only publish one obituary of any person without special arrangements. While we charge for the service, many people do not appear to realize the fact and a bereaved family can not or should not be burdened with accounts for publishing obituaries. The best way is for the writers of obituaries to submit them to the family of a deceased person and let the family arrange for the publication.

Miller's drug and jewelry store is pleasing many by filling their prescriptions. Why not please you. Give us a trial next time. A graduate Pharmacist has charge of our prescription department and we guarantee your prescriptions will be filled just right with the purest and freshest of drugs and we guarantee you will be pleased with our prices and service. (adv)

### ROCK SPRINGS

Editor Eagle:

As I have been absent for some time, I will try and send in some of the latest happenings.

The crops are beginning to need rain as it has been some time since we had any.

Health of our community is very good at this writing. Grandma Stark has been real sick, but we are glad to say is much improved.

Mr. J. H. Godwin died at his home in this community one day this week. Altho he had been sick many months, he bore his suffering with great patience. He leaves a wife and seven children to mourn his loss. Those present at the time of his death were Mr. Claude Godwin of Fort Worth, Mrs. Ernest Cooke of Ovallo and Mrs. Jennie Hooks of Milam county. We extend our heartfelt sympathy to the bereaved ones.

Sunday school is still progressing nicely.

The Baptist protracted meeting will begin here the fourth of August.

The third of next month is the time set to repair the arbor.

There is some talk of building a new school building here. The writer is very much in favor of it.

The Ladies Aid Society met with Mrs. J. R. Davis Tuesday evening.

There was a singing at the home of Mr. Jim Bohannon Sunday night.

Some few of the people of this community have been attending the Christian meeting at Williams Ranch this week.

Rev. Davis happened to quite a little accident this week running his car onto a stump and damaging it a great deal.

Miss Merna Traylor is visiting at Brownwood this week.

Mrs. Louisa Davis and baby of Coleman are visiting Rev. Davis and family.

Most of the people here attended the Williams Ranch picnic. They report an enjoyable time.

Roy and Earl Fisher of Winters visited their cousin, Charlie Simpson last week.

Mr. George Bohannon made a business trip to Big Valley last Sunday.

Miss Zella Barker of DeLeon vis-

ited the Charlie Stark girls last week.

Mrs. Elbert Roper visited her mother at Lometa, last week.

As this is about all the happenings of late will ring off.

JENNIE LIND.

### BIDS WANTED

The School Board of the Goldthwaite Independent School District will receive sealed bids from persons or corporations for the privilege of acting as treasurer for the School Board from September 1st, 1916, to August 31, 1917.

That person or corporation offering the best bid of interest on the average daily balance of said school fund and giving bond as required by law will be selected.

All bids must be filed with the secretary of the school board on or before August 15th, 1916, at which time all bids will be opened and the contract awarded. A. J. HARRISON  
President of the School Board.

### DEMOCRATIC CALL

All members of the Democratic Executive committee are hereby called to meet in the court house in Goldthwaite on Saturday, July 29, at 9 o'clock in the morning for the purpose of declaring the results of the primary election and transacting such other business as may come before said meeting.

A county convention of Democrats is hereby called to convene in Goldthwaite Saturday, July 29, at 3 o'clock p. m., for the purpose of selecting delegates to the state convention and transacting such other business as may properly come before said convention. The delegates selected from the various voting boxes on July 22 will constitute the membership of the convention on July 29.  
JNO. W. ROBERTS  
Chairman Dem. Ex. Com. Mills Co

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I have given R. E. Clements the exclusive agency on Logan's Black Pills, Logan's Itch and Eczema Ointment and Logan's Catarrh Relief.  
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We sold 44 bottles of Miller's Scraw worm Killer last week. We can give you the names of dozens who have used it and they will tell you it's the best yet. Get it at Miller's Drug and Jewelry Store. We guarantee it to give entire satisfaction or your money back. (adv)

Mrs. Watson of Milam county has been here this week visiting her niece, Mrs. C. B. Mohler, and family.

Try one of those Root Beers at Miller's Best-Of-All fountain and you will find it so superior to other so called root beers that you will want another. They are made right, served right and taste right. (adv)

For Sale—A Cassidy 3-horse breaking plow, also a good mower and rake and other farm machinery to sell very cheap and will give time if desired.—J. N. Weatherby,

# The "CASH STORE" News



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The...  
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### The Goldthwaite Eagle

Saturday, July 29, 1916.

We cooled candles at Clements' Drug and Jewelry Store. (adv)

Rooms to Rent—I have one or two furnished rooms to rent.—Mrs. L. W. Faulkner

Haskell Smith and family of Austin were here this week visiting Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Randolph

M. E. Ebers, A. E. Priddy and Lon Willis spent several days in New Orleans the first of the week sight seeing.

George and Everett Smith have been here from Coleman this week visiting their brother, City Marshal Chas. Smith

Clements' Drug and Jewelry Store is exclusive local agent for Eastman Kodak supplies. (adv)

Mrs. W. H. Birdwell arrived at home the first of the week from Madison county, where she had been visiting relatives.

Miller's Rat Exterminator sells for 25c and it will positively get rid of Mr. Rat and save you money. Get it at Miller's Drug and Jewelry Store. Satisfaction guaranteed or your money refunded. (adv)

If you have trouble with the chicken mites use Dr. Hess Mite Exterminator and we guarantee you will kill them all in one application. Guaranteed to do all that's claimed or money refunded.—Miller's Drug and Jewelry Store.

Rev. Robinson and wife are assisting Rev. Bagley in a meeting at Trigger Mountain and reports say they are having a very interesting and beneficial revival.

Your doctor's prescriptions will be filled with the purest and freshest of drugs by a Graduate Pharmacist at Miller's Drug and Jewelry Store and at reasonable prices with a guarantee of satisfaction. Bring us your prescriptions and receipts to be filled. (adv)

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One new wagon and harness,  
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### MULLIN

Editor Eagle:

Good morning. Ho', hotter, hottest, and none of these words do justice to the weather. The intense heat accompanied by a drought, it seems like the next thing will be a blaze.

As the writer spent last week in Dallas attending the great tractor and other farm machinery demonstration, I thought a few words might be of interest to at least some of your readers. The exhibition was in a 1200 acre Johnson grass sod land field and at times it was a working mass of farm machinery, autos, other vehicles and human beings. The land was laid off in blocks and each representative of tractors was assigned his place to plow and at a given signal the racket began and just such a turning of dirt was never before seen in Texas. All sizes and shapes of tractors from the Little Bull, pulling its four plows to the crawling caterpillar moving like a thing of life with 21 discs following and all down to a depth of eight inches. The entire space across the twelve hundred acres was taken and every driver of the many tractors seemed intent on making his tractor the favorite. This with the multiplied thousands of people and perhaps more than a thousand autos, wagons and buggies lent interest and excitement to the scene that will not be soon forgotten by those present. The crowd was estimated at more than 15,000 people and as they moved back and forth under the burning rays of old Sol, handkerchiefs, umbrellas, fans, an over production of perspiration, wagon loads of water and cold drinks were all evidences of something going on. The front side of the tract of land was covered with tents under which was machinery, eating and drinking stands, offices, telephones, typewriters, shops, etc., which gave the field the appearance of a city of tents. I presume every manufacturer of tractors in the United States had representatives all busy showing the advantages his tractor has over all others. One concern had 200 or more salesmen on the ground and the farmers whom I suppose represented every county in Texas, were exceedingly fortunate if they escaped the telling speeches and arguments of some fellow who had goods to sell. It was universally conceded by all present to be the biggest show of agricultural developments that ever paraded over Texas soil and from the way orders were given, for tractors, many were convinced it is the most economical way of turning mother earth. If you prefer not being bothered with agents you had

better keep silent when in the presence of your home dealer in agricultural implements. If you give them just half a show they will have an agent knocking at your door and woe be unto the surplus dollars you have so considerably laid aside for the future good of Sallie and the children. The storm is gathering and it is only a matter of time when tractors are coming to the rescue of every farmer, who has a farm large enough to justify using one. An engine that will pull two double discs will plow more land in a day than eight mules, two double discs and two drivers will plow and will do it cheaper and deeper. As I am not an agent and don't know that I will ever get one cent for shooting off my lip I will stop right here and await future developments.

H. C. COBB

### THANKS TO VOTERS

To the Citizens of Mills County:

I desire to express my deep gratitude for the large vote given me in your county in the recent primary election. The confidence you have expressed in me shall not be misplaced. I shall be glad to have your co-operation, your suggestion and your good will. If there are local matters of interest to you in which I can be of service, you will find me ready to serve you in any proper capacity.

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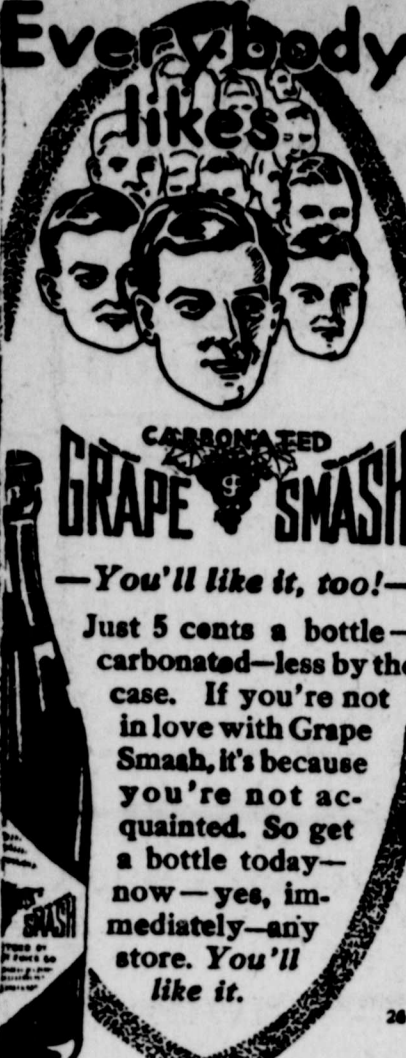
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Send the 'little ones' to Clements' Innovation for prompt attention. Clements' sells goggles and eye shades. (adv)



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Let us frame your picture.—Racket Store.

Bunkalow iron beds, the new styles and the price is right.—J. T. Weems.

Miss Conso Saylor has returned from Denton, where she attended the normal.

Mrs. L. O. Hicks and daughter, Miss Alice May, are visiting relatives in Fort Worth.

Miss Undine Bratton of Fort Worth is visiting her cousin Miss Lucile Conro in this city.

Lost—A large cameo setting in gold stone for man's ring. Finder will be rewarded for returning it to Russell Mullian.

Friends here of Walter Ford of Sonora are grieved to know that he has been confined to his bed for some time with rheumatism. It is sincerely hoped he will soon be fully recovered.

There are enough uncertainties about life without guessing at the title to your land—be on the safe side—have an abstract made by E. B. ANDERSON, and examined by your attorney. (adv)

Mrs. Ponder returned to her home at Millers View Thursday, after having spent some time here, where she was called on account of the sickness and death of her brother, Mr. J. H. Godwin.

Dr. A. L. Taylor's car suffered a mishap Saturday morning at the Austin avenue entrance to Brady Ave. The Doctor was going from town, and as he started to turn up Brady the left front wheel weakened and gave way. No one was hurt. People passing through the subway after the accident, saw the car and thought that it had resulted from some kind of mixup at the dangerous Brady avenue entrance to the subway.—Brownwood Bulletin.

**WEEK-END EXCURSION TO GALVESTON**

**Saturday, JULY 29**

TICKETS on SALE for TRAIN 5, and for CONNECTIONS ARRIVING P. M. OF JULY 29, also for TRAINS No 15 and 17 and CONNECTIONS ARRIVING A. M. OF JULY 30.

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J. M. ARNOLD  
Agent  
Goldthwaite

**OUR FOREIGN POLICY**

Editor Eagle:

On the theory that "a cat can look at a king" and at the risk of being charged with "lese majeste," I hazard the statement, that in his Mexican policy, President Wilson misreads, misjudges and misrepresents the sentiment of the country on this subject and that the results that will be recorded at the polls in November of this year of Our Lord 1916 will so show. Born in the South shortly after the close of the civil war, it was instilled into me that diggers and carpet-baggers were republicans and white folks were democrats and while this is all changed now and many high-class gentlemen vote the republican ticket, yet these early impressions are lasting and I could never vote for a republican. Therefore, I shall cast my ballot for Woodrow and pray for his defeat. I am an American of purest ray serene, neither hyphenated, biased or prejudiced for or against any foreign nation under the canopy of heaven but I am fully aware that it is considered almost treason for one of the obscure masses to question or review the infallible (?) judgment of the temporary occupant of the White House, but "upon what meat doth this our Caesar feed that he hath grown so great" that we whose votes put him where he is and whose votes alone can keep him there are not permitted to express our views as to his official acts or policies that effect us so tremendously?

We often ridicule and criticize the masses in Europe who bow down and worship the crowned heads, yet we ourselves are a nation of hero worshipers and the moment any school master or other person secures sufficient votes to elect him to an important office we ascribe to him all the attributes of perfection and infallibility and, to quote Kalamity Bonner, "our osculations can be distinctly heard, frequently in the vicinity of Madland." In my humble judgment in the handling of the Mexican matter President Wilson has made of us a joke before the whole world. From the time that the mind of man runneth not to the contrary, Mexico has been a country of turmoil, revolution, rapine, bloodshed and banditry until Porfirio Diaz became it's despotic ruler. Whatever we may say or think of Diaz, it must be conceded that he thoroughly understood the Mexicans and realized that nothing appealed to them save physical fear. So he proceeded (by methods that perhaps would not bear too close scrutiny) to make them fear him and his power. In this way he established and maintained for a quarter of a century a stable and reliable form of government. During this time Mexico enjoyed practically absolute peace and prosperity. Her development was phenomenal. Great trunk lines of railroads traversed the republic from north to south and from east to west. She was developed into the greatest mineral producing country on the globe. Vast sugar, coffee and rubber plantations were established and operated, all sorts of business enterprises sprang up and were fostered and protected and Mexico was rapidly assuming a place among the civilized and progressive nations of the world. Then in the fertile brain of Francisco Madero (a dreamer of dreams) was born the idea of organizing and financing a revolution to displace and depose Diaz. With the sentiment, sympathy and moral support of your "Uncle Samuel" this revolution was successful and Porfirio Diaz (the best friend America and Americans ever had in Mexico) was driven from power and died an exile in a foreign land. From that day to this our neighboring republic has never known one moment of peace.

Diaz now being eliminated, Signor Madero assumed the functions and prerogatives of president, but his incumbency of the exalted position was of short duration. Felix Diaz, a nephew of the former president, organized a revolution and attacked the City of Mexico, which was defended by the forces of Madero and Huerta. No sooner had the backbone of this revolution been broken than Huerta, with the treachery of all Mexicans, turned the guns which he controlled on his chief and benefactor, Madero, imprisoned and finally treacherously and wantonly murdered him, and declared himself president of the republic.

This in brief is a history of the

matter up to the time Woodrow Wilson was inaugurated president of this country and was the situation with which he had to deal. A large element of the people of Mexico who were former adherents of Madero, headed by Carranza, but controlled by Villa, would never accept the dictatorship of Huerta and the war went merrily on. President Wilson took the high ground that we could not recognize a form of government founded on treachery and assassination and withheld recognition of Huerta as ruler of Mexico. If he had been content to stop at this there might have been a different story to record, but he went further and began to cast about for a man for president of our neighbor on the south that would be acceptable to him (Wilson). This the Mexicans of all factions naturally resented bitterly. In order to further his plans along this line our president formed a sort of friendly alliance or alignment with Francisco Villa, a bandit of the lowest order and type, endeavoring through him to overthrow Huerta, and this was finally accomplished.

The criminal Villa, being wined, dined, boosted and endorsed by the administration at Washington, renounced allegiance to "First Chief Carranza," and headed a movement on his own account to wrest the so-called government from him. During all this time the lives of Americans in Mexico and along the border were being ruthlessly taken, their property confiscated or destroyed by the Mexicans and there was no redress, there being no responsible government to appeal to and the idea of defending ourselves from these outrages never seemed to occur to our president. These factions, independent of either Carranza or Villa, operated in various sections of Mexico under various leaders, all bandits robbers and murderers and chaos reigned supreme. Our government, failing to realize that we were casting pearls before swine, at irregular but frequent intervals was addressing academic and scholarly protests and ultimatums to the various leaders first chiefs, generals, presidents ad nauseam, to no avail. The murder, rapine, and imprisonment of Americans went on apace and our "watchful waiting" policy continued.

Eureka! Our president has found the solution: He proposes a convention or conference of the numerous and sundry leaders of the various factions, to agree on a president or ruler who would be acceptable to all conflicting elements. This proposal met with the approval of all save Carranza, who flatly and bluntly informed President Wilson that the internal affairs of Mexico was a matter of no concern to the United States and requested that he confine all his energies to this side of the Rio Grande. The mountain refusing to come to Mahomet, Mahomet promptly went to the mountain. We repudiated our erstwhile friend Villa, branded him as an outlaw, set a price on his head and recognized Carranza as president of a de facto government and have since lent him every aid possible.

While this arrangement suited Carranza, it did not appeal to Villa and the other discordant elements and they becoming now bitter enemies of ours as well as of Carranza lost no opportunity to wreak vengeance on Americans and their property both in Mexico and on this side of the Rio Grande. These activities and outrages Carranza was both unable and unwilling to prevent and they finally culminated in the Columbus raid and others of a similar but smaller nature.

The election period coming on apace, Mr. Wilson either awoke or was awakened by the party leaders, to a realization that the country was not in sympathy with his absurd "watchful waiting" policy, which had proved such a ridiculous farce, and that unless some steps were taken to at least make a bluff at protecting the border before the November elections, the Ides of March would find "a new face at the window." Business at once began to pick up. The regular troops as well as the militia of the various states were rushed to the border at an enormous expense but to what end nobody seems to know as the president insists there is no casus belli between our country and the land of the Montezumas in taking this position he professes to be actuated by a maudlin senti-

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you any trouble by shrinking or splitting.

or Extension be sure the joists are sound and thoroughly seasoned. You can rip up and replace the flooring any time. You cannot do that with the roof. So when building, build right. Get our joist, which comes in any size and you'll have a roof that will never cause

**Now Is the Time**

To prepare for the comfort of yourself and your stock for the coming winter. This is the season of the year when people build their houses and barns and make the necessary improvements for Fall and Winter. We have anticipated your needs and are filling our big sheds full to the top with all kinds of the **Best Yellow Pine Lumber**, suitable to build anything you want, no matter how large or small.

**Let Us Sell You Your Lumber**

We need your business, and will render you the very best service in our power and will sell as Cheap as anyone here or elsewhere.

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**GOLDTHWAITE : : : TEXAS**

ment of sympathy for the greasers but he has about convinced the world that what he mistakes for a good heart is merely a white-liver and a broad stripe of orange tint in his makeup. His latest plan to prevent the invasion of our land by the Mexicans and the destruction of our border towns and the murder of our citizens, is to bribe Carranza to be good by furnishing him money, as his treasury is said to be sadly depleted, and a conference with eastern financiers was held recently looking to that end. One serious objection to this plan is that it is black-mail pure and simple, and if we establish a precedent of that sort, in future all that Mexico, or any other bankrupt nation, will feel is necessary in order to raise revenue, is to make a few raids on this country and threaten us with further depredations unless we come across with the coin. O tempora! O mores! Oh rats! Oh hell!

Even after a company of our soldiers was attacked by a Carranza force (under his explicit instructions) part of them killed, others wounded and yet others imprisoned and all sorts of insults and indignities heaped upon them, Signor Carranza squares the whole thing by simply releasing those he had not killed and telling them to "hook it up" with no explanation, apology or reparation and dispatches tell us Mr. Wilson was highly gratified and very appreciative. In other words, kick, lash and cuff poor Fido to your heart's content and then throw him a small bone and he wags his tail in grateful appreciation and licks the hand that smites him.

In his preparedness policy the president has had the endorsement of the country as a whole, but since the latest developments in the Mexican embroil, the common herd is asking itself the question, "Prepared for what?" If we are not to repel the invasions of our own land and if the perpetrators of these dastardly outrages are to go unwhipped of justice, why prepared? To the finite mind it would appear that our good president merely wishes to be prepared to prevent Central Powers handing out too much "rough stuff" to the Entente Allies—but that is another story.

There never has been but two

horns to the Mexican dilemma and never will be. One is to hand off entirely and let them do their worst to themselves and incidentally to us. The other is to take the flag across the Rio Grande and keep it there.

You pay your money and take your choice. W. H. THOMPSON

Clements' Drug and Jewelry Store is exclusive local agent for Eastman Kodak supplies. (adv)

Judge M. H. Hines has been confined to his home by sickness this week.

W. E. Higgins of Croyer was among those who attended the Farmers Union meeting at Brady this week. See our assortment of cedar posts. We have anything in stock from a small fence post to a big log and must sell it.—Barnes & McCullough.

Miss Hortense Power is at home for the summer vacation, to the delight of her friends.

Miss Arle Slaughter of Star arrived at home yesterday from Denton, where she had been a student in the normal.

Mrs. Tom Hall and children of Leon county are here for a visit to her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. D. D. Berry, and other relatives.

Miller's drug and jewelry store is pleasing many by filling their prescriptions. Why not please you. Give us a trial next time. A graduate Pharmacist has charge of our prescription department and we guarantee your prescriptions will be filled just right with the purest and freshest of drugs and we guarantee you will be pleased with our prices and service. (adv)

The members of the Woodmen team, assisted by other members of the order, are preparing to serve ice cream free to the audience upon the occasion of the speaking in the hall the night of August 4. One of the strong speakers of the order will deliver an address to the people on that date and all have an invitation to hear him, no matter whether they are Woodmen or not.

Cypress Tanks in stock at Barnes & McCullough's. Buy you a tank that will not rust out in a year or two. When you build of Cypress you build but once in a life time. (Advertisement)

# SPECIAL PRICES FOR JULY

White Shoes and Slippers, worth up to \$3.00, choice for - - - - - \$1.00

1 lot of 10c Lawn at - - - - - 5c

1 lot of 15c Lawn at - - - - - 7 1-2c

HALF PRICE : All Last Season's Straw Hats : HALF PRICE

1 lot of 25c Silk at - - - - - 15c

1 lot of 50c Silk at - - - - - 25c

Children's Romper Suits, in sizes from 2 to 7 years, special at only 25c

Lace and Embroidery, worth 10c - 3c

White Goods, worth up to 25c - 8 1-3c

Special for June : 1-lb. can of Talcum Powder at only 25c : Special for June

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1st—Our line is Dependable.

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Last, but not least—WE SELL THE GOODS FOR LESS.

Don't Fail to See Us when you have Produce to Sell and Make our Store  
Your Headquarters when you are in the City.

# GRAVES MERCANTILE CO.

INQUIRE ABOUT THE KITCHEN CABINET WE ARE GIVING AWAY

### The Goldthwaite Eagle

Saturday, July 29, 1916.

R. M. THOMPSON - Proprietor.

I will appreciate your patronage and give you first class oil at the market prices.—Harry H. Martin.

Judge E. B. Anderson left Saturday for Panhandle, Texas, to visit relatives. Mrs. Anderson and daughters were already there.

Scott Thompson and his wife and little daughter of San Saba, spent Sunday and Monday with relatives and friends in this city.

If you intend to sell land get your abstract of the title thereto prepared first, otherwise the delay in perfecting your title may cause you to miss a sale.—E. B. ANDERSON.

I am representing a good safe company prepared to make you satisfactory loans on land. Proposition worth investigating.—H. C. Cobb, Mullin, Texas.

For Sale—120 acres of land 5 miles southwest of Priddy, 45 acres in cultivation, 4 room house, wood and water, also plenty of free range. May consider some in trade.—A. H. Benker, Thrall, Texas.

Rev. L. L. Hays and Rev. J. D. Long passed thru the city Monday en route for their homes, after having held a revival at Shaw Bend for a week. The meeting was interesting and a number of conversions were announced.

Poultry is valuable. Keep them healthy and in good condition. Dr. Hess' Poultry Penicillin will keep them well, fat and healthy. Get it at Miller's Drug and Jewelry Store. Every package guaranteed to give satisfaction or money back. (adv)

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 abstract for a reasonable charge and will help you cure titles if defective.—E. B. Ander-

### ACT QUICKLY

Delay Has Been Dangerous in Goldthwaite.

Do the right thing at the right time.

Act quickly in time of danger

In time of Kidney Danger Doan's Kidney Pills are most effective. Plenty of Goldthwaite evidence of their worth.

J. C. Carlock, farmer, Fisher St., Goldthwaite, says: 'I was doing some heavy work and I strained my back and kidneys lifting. At first I commenced to have pains in my back and mornings I couldn't straighten up. The pains extended in my hips and limbs. My kidneys became weak and I had to pass the kidney secretions far too often. I used a kidney medicine, but it did me no good and finally I began taking Doan's Kidney Pills. Soon the pain in my back left and the action of my kidneys became regular. I have had no need of a kidney medicine since.'

Price 50c, at all dealers. Don't simply ask for a kidney remedy—get Doan's Kidney Pills—the same that Mr. Carlock had. Foster Millburn Co, Props., Buffalo, N. Y. (adv)

### BILIOUSNESS AND STOMACH TROUBLE

'Two years ago I suffered from frequent attacks of stomach trouble and biliousness,' writes Miss Emma Verbyke, Lima, Ohio. 'I could eat very little food that agreed with me and I became so dizzy and sick at my stomach at times that I had to take hold of something to keep from falling. Seeing Chamberlain's Tablets advertised I decided to try them. I improved rapidly.' Obtainable everywhere. (adv)

### SWAT THE ROOSTER

Beginning Monday, June 19, we will pay 12 1-2 cents per dozen for all fresh infertile eggs. We hope to be able to pay more if the move meets with the approval of the producers. This offer is based upon the present price of eggs.

WILSON BROS.  
Wholesale Produce.  
Goldthwaite, Texas.

### THE PLACE WHERE GEMS AND GOLD ARE FAIRLY SOLD

Have you ever been there? Have you ever let this place send you a selection of goods from its high class stock to pick a present or gift from? Have you ever sent this place your watch, jewelry, or engraving work? If not why not. It is only twelve hours from you. Will submit prices on all work before doing the job.

Quick, accurate, appreciative and willing to help you.

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### NOTICE

Our car of Wire, containing No. 12 and 13 smooth wire has arrived and we are ready to supply your needs in all kinds of smooth wire.

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The people who carry everything to build anything.

### CHAMBERLAIN'S COLIC, CHOLERA AND DIARRHOEA REMEDY

Every family without exception should keep this preparation at hand during the hot weather of the summer months. Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy is worth many times its cost when needed and is almost certain to be needed before the summer is over. It has no superior for the purposes for which it is intended. Buy it now. Obtainable everywhere. (adv)

### TAKING BIG CHANCES

It is a great risk to travel without a bottle of Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy, as this preparation cannot be obtained on the train or steamships. Attacks of bowel complaints are often sudden and very severe, and everyone should go prepared for them. Obtainable everywhere. (adv)

### TRANSFERS OF SCHOLASTICS

Those who desire to transfer scholastics from one school district to another must make their applications before August 1, in order that the transfer may be legally made.

G. H. DALTON,  
County Judge.

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