

# THE GOLDTHWAITE EAGLE

GOLDTHWAITE, MILLS COUNTY, TEXAS, FRIDAY, JANUARY 31, 1941

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## Drilling to Start on Oil Test Well Soon

Rice Lynn, of San Angelo, is busy this week here in Goldthwaite completing all details for taking over leases for the recently formed drilling syndicate composed of Dr. Emil Ott, W. W. Gruber, Rice Lynn, and Harry Ringle, all of San Angelo. The new drilling location has been set as 8 1-2 miles north and slightly west of Goldthwaite and located on the block of land known as J. F. Burdett tract, 440 feet out of the southeast corner of lot 59, Hayes county school land survey No. 114. Harry A. Ringle and John Huber will be the drillers for the new location. The wildcat will be about 20 miles northeast of the San Saba county wildcat recently drilled by the same operators under the name of the Three Widows Oil Co., and that name will be used again since the 160 acre drilling tract in Mills county also offsets lands owned by widows, Mrs. J. P. Dellis of Goldthwaite owns a tract to the south. Mrs. Sallie Williams of Abilene one to the east and one-half mile to the south is property belonging to Mrs. M. D. Lively of Lampasas. The San Saba county test was abandoned at 1,962 feet after water was encountered.

### Mills County Driller Struck by Lightning

John Harper, about 33, of Mertson was killed and W. W. Gruber and Harry Ringle, both of San Angelo, were seriously burned when lightning struck a Shell lease shack a mile east of Bakersfield, in Pecos county, Monday.

The men were making camp before drilling operations started.

Gruber and Ringle are in an Iran hospital. Late reports are that Messrs. Gruber and Ringle are improving and are expected to be here in the next few days to start work on the Three Widows location.

## Live Stock Judging Team Training for Stephenville Meet

The Goldthwaite high school class in Vocational Agriculture under the direction of Prof. Coffey reports that considerable progress is being made in their departments and are now ready to get into real work.

In the first year class of the FFA work the boys are specializing in the study of poultry. During the first term all time was given to work for beginners. Mr. Coffey states that the first year students are now in a position to engage in poultry culling. Anyone having flocks of poultry they desire to be culled may have the services of his class for culling purposes and work done without charges.

In the second year work all students are busy studying score cards for live stock judging. Now a team must be winner in the area contest before being allowed to participate in a state contest.

Mr. Coffey plans to take the teams to Hamilton in the spring where they will do judging of live stock in a contest to be held there. Also they will enter the area contest which is to be held at Stephenville sometime during the month of April. Three highest scoring teams from the Stephenville contest will be the only teams from this section that are eligible to go to A. & M. College to participate in the state contest in the spring.

Robert L. Steen, local business man, has consented to again assist in the work of coaching the local judging team. Mr. Steen was a very valuable asset in helping to round out Mills county's successful team last year.

## Some Facts About Birth Registration

"The state law requires that the birth of every baby born in Texas shall be reported to the local registrar. Parents of children should make inquiry regarding the birth of their children within 30 days after birth," according to County Clerk Earl Summy.

"Children whose births are recorded either by a doctor or attending mid-wife have the advantage of the following benefits: To prove the right to property inherited, prove citizenship, prove school age, prove age under child labor laws, prove legal age for marriage, prove right to vote, prove right to hold public office, prove age for military service, prove nationality in foreign countries, secure passports, prove qualifications for jury service; establish proof for pensions, insurance, compensation, etc. and to determine the birth rate in the counties and cities.

Births were not required to be registered by law until 1920, therefore many persons born before that date may find that their births have not been recorded. Although there were some doctors who voluntarily registered births before that date. Those persons not having birth certificates may secure printed forms from County Clerk Earl Summy or from the County Clerk of the county in which they live and they may supply the necessary data regarding births and they may have the date attested to by two persons familiar with the facts regarding the births.

One of those persons who sign the affidavit may be a relative but the other person must not be a relative either by blood or marriage. Such completed forms must be sent to the county in which the person was born in order to be registered.

Persons having their births recorded in this manner have the same advantage of the person whose births were recorded shortly after birth.

If a person is registered with either a city or a county, or with the State Bureau, it is not necessary that they transfer or refile the record. Of course, when a birth is registered it should be filed with the State Bureau and a copy kept by the local authorities, but if it was not filed in this way in the past, then there is nothing to be gained by transferring the certificate at this time. The State Bureau can't accept an old date record unless it is passed through the Probate Court. Regardless of that matter, no question can arise if the Judge signs the order.

If an error appears on a record, it may be corrected by filing a correct and complete certificate to which is attached the affidavit of some competent person. Forms for that purpose are enclosed. The State Bureau does not attempt to tell a County Clerk how to correct his records, but in the State Bureau, the face of a certificate can not be changed in any way. The certificate may be corrected by attaching a correction properly dated, duly signed, witnessed and executed.

In some cities children entering the first grade of school are required to present their birth certificate at time of entrance, but this requirement has not yet been made in the schools of Mills county.

### BAND DIRECTOR GOES TO ROSCOE

Don W. Terry, director of band music and teacher in the Goldthwaite public schools, has tendered his resignation and accepted a similar position in the public schools at Roscoe. Mr. Terry has made a host of friends here in Goldthwaite who regret his leaving but extend him their best wishes in his new location.

## It's Time To Start Repaying That Debt

(Brownwood Bulletin)

Brownwood and Brown county owe a great debt. It is not in the form of a bond issue, time warrants or borrowed money. There is nothing on the books of city or county to show for this debt. Yet the obligation is as real and as binding as any funded debt.

It is a moral obligation, a debt of gratitude. The creditor is our neighbor county of Mills and especially its county seat, Goldthwaite. The people of Mills county came to the aid of Brownwood in helping supply land for use in the training of Camp Bowie soldiers. They were friendly toward the project of an army training center at Brownwood and leased their land for use as artillery range and other military training grounds.

Without that land, there probably never would have been a Camp Bowie. And without Camp Bowie, Brown county today might still be in the depths of the worst depression in history. This great debt can't be repaid in cash; but it can be repaid. Mills county is linked to Brown county in many ways—by a fine paved highway; by isolation from other large cities; by similarity of soil, occupations and heritages; by ties of kinship, culture and education; by establishment of the Brown-Mills Soil Conservation District; by the connecting rails of a great railroad.

The interests of these two counties are identical, and their needs are the same. Brownwood has profited most from establishment of the army camp. With other nearby counties, Mills citizens have shared in supplying workers to help build the camp. Many persons and families employed on the vast project have been living in Mills county.

But that debt of gratitude remains, and in repaying it Brown county has the opportunity not only to prove its loyalty to neighbors who come to its aid in times of emergency but also to cement forever bonds that are natural and contain all of the elements of true reciprocity.

At the present moment, Brownwood is unable to supply sufficient housing facilities for all of the families of people desiring to move here. There is a serious housing shortage here.

Goldthwaite and Mullin in Mills county are located within easy reach of Brownwood and the army camp. They are within a short distance of the training grounds where thousands of artillery, motorized cavalry and infantry troops will learn how best to defend the nation.

Brown county people should make it their business to help build Goldthwaite and Mullin into larger communities and should encourage those who are unable to find homes here to seek residences in those towns. Local leaders should place their services at the command of Mills county civic and official leaders to obtain whatever may be needed to enhance the growth of Mills county and to provide more housing facilities in that county.

Whether Brownwood is able to obtain a Federal housing project of its own or not, that should not deter local people from lending their best efforts to obtain a project for Goldthwaite, if such a project would be welcomed there.

And Brown county should begin now to cooperate fully with Mills county in seeking more road facilities linking the two counties and the training area.

The people of Mills county have shown the way to a new era of cooperative development. Brown county should follow through under the slogan, "One for all and all for one."

Now is the time to start repaying that debt. We offer this as a candidate for the position of No. 1 Objective for Brown county.

this program will help in securing better planting seed for the county through the club boys. The two crops which will be encouraged are corn and milo maize. The best obtainable seed of each crop will be secured. 4-H club members may buy the seed at actual cost or seed will be furnished club boys for not more than 2 acres of one of the crops and they can repay the seed in the fall when their crop is harvested. Club boys who intend to take part in this program should talk with their club leaders or with the county agent. Members of the Lions Club Agricultural Committee working on this program for 4-H club boys are Sam von Rosenberg, county agent, A. D. Kirk and Floyd C. Fox.

## Mills County H. D. Council to Meet Saturday, Feb. 1

Mills County Home Demonstration Council will meet Saturday, February 1, at two o'clock in the county home demonstration agent's office. Business meeting will take care of committee appointments, pay for the year books, make additional plans for 4-H and FF. live stock show. Make plans for a special demonstration on "Slip Covers."

All council members are urged to attend this meeting as considerable amount of important business should be attended to.

Emma Scott, C. H. D. A.

## Paving Highway 16 to Start in Few Days

Contractors Thomas & Ratliff, of Rogers and Austin, are reported to be making preparations to begin work of preparing the road bed of Highway 16, leading out of Goldthwaite to the San Saba county line for paving.

According to information here, this contract was supposed to have been started the first of January, but due to a delay on another contract caused by bad weather, it was necessary to secure an extension of time. The contract calls for completion of work within 100 days after starting, at a total cost of approximately \$70,000.00.

Preliminary work of erection of caution signs and road guards have already been completed and work in earnest is expected to begin within a few days.

## NEWS FROM THE COURTHOUSE

County Agent Sam Rosenberg asks the Eagle to notify farm people of Mills county that he will be in his office on Saturdays. This schedule will be followed in order that all people who want to see the county agent can know that they will find him in his office on this day. Sometimes because of out-of-county meetings or some other necessary conflict, it may be necessary for the county agent to be away from the office on Saturday. A large part of the county agent's work requires being out of the office and for this reason it has been difficult for the county agent to be in the office all during the week, so this schedule of being in the office on Saturday is being made for the convenience of people in the county.

### LIONS CLUB SPONSORS CLUB PROGRAM

Sixty-two 4-H club members have already enrolled in nine 4-H clubs in the county, and there are a number of other boys who have not sent in their enrollment cards. The Goldthwaite Lions Club will sponsor a crop-growing demonstration for 4-H club boys during 1941. This program will be used to encourage club boys and to give them their wholehearted support. The crop demonstrations will be an aid to club boys who find it difficult to have 4-H club demonstrations, and also

## Mills County Cotton Farmers May Lose Cotton Allotments

According to G. R. Goosby, secretary of the Mills County A. C. A., records of the office show that this county received a total cotton allotment of 17,616 acres for 1939. 1038 farmers received cotton allotments in that year. Only 503 farmers planted cotton in 1939.

In 1940 Mills county received a total cotton allotment of 16,727 acres. 856 farmers received cotton allotments in that year. Only 371 farmers planted cotton in 1940.

For 1941 Mills county has received a total cotton allotment of 16,409 acres. 733 farmers have received cotton allotments for 1941. Farmers will note, from the above information relating to 1939 and 1940, that many farms on which cotton allotments were issued, cotton was not planted for these years. Unless these farms, on which cotton was not planted in 1939 and 1940, have some cotton planted in 1941, no regular cotton allotments will be issued in 1942. These farms will be considered as new grower cotton frames and will be eligible for only approximately fifty per cent of the original allotments, and will receive no cotton payment for the first year as a new cotton grower.

Considering the above two facts, in which only approximately fifty per cent of the present cotton allotment can be re-established and that no cotton payment will be made for the first year, it is very important that farmers should carefully consider whether they want to lose their present cotton allotment. Farmers should consult the records of their farms and if no cotton has been planted for years 1939 and 1940, they should remember that unless cotton is planted in 1941 the cotton allotment for the farm will be lost.

Cotton payments in the near future will very likely be based on the actual 5 year average yield of each farm, regardless of how low or how high this yield may be. By increasing the average cotton yield per acre, farmers will be enabled to increase their farm checks in proportion to the increase in cotton yield.

## 18 Names Are Added to Live Stock Association

During the past week representatives of the Mills County Live Stock Association report that eighteen new members have been added to the rolls of the association. The following are the names of those who have paid and others are urged to pay their dues and have their names added to this fast-growing list:

- F. P. Bowman, E. B. Gilliam, Jr., W. H. Linkenheger, Claude Dickerson, W. P. McCullough, Lumber Co., Paul McCullough, H. B. Davis Variety Store, W. C. Frazier, W. W. Fox, Dr. J. J. Stephen, Jack Long, F. D. Waddell, A. A. Downey, O. L. Burk, Luther Jernigan, Hobart Priddy, Mrs. R. M. Thompson.

This brings the total membership to 94, and a balance of \$135.96.

The "Fight Infantile Paralysis" buttons. The entire proceeds from the sale of these buttons are being presented to President Roosevelt on his birthday for use in the national fight on infantile paralysis. Fifty per cent of the funds raised in each county will be made available for use in that county if the need arises. Postmaster M. Y. Stokes, Jr., at Goldthwaite has a few buttons left. They sell for 10c. Postmasters William Cline at Caradon and W. J. Marwitz at Priddy have cooperated splendidly in making the buttons available to the patrons of those post offices. Sale of the buttons closes Saturday of this week.

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## FRESHMAN REPORT

We are all about to get over our holidays and exams and are ready to start work again.

When some of our report cards were taken home, things weren't so pleasant, but now, that's all over and we believe we'll do better work this next semester.

We wish to welcome a newcomer to our class, Alvin Brown and also to welcome Miss Gilmer. Although she does not teach any of us we are looking forward to being in some of her classes.

We are very sorry to lose Mr. Terry, our band instructor, who is going to Roscoe, but we want to wish him all the luck and success in the world.

## SOPHOMORE REPORT

If you have noticed a few new faces lately, which looked like they could have belonged to Sophomores, you might have been right. Here is a list of the new Sophomores who entered school here between terms: Derrell Wayne Arnold, Ia Lee Bible, Doris Jean Chapman, and Ver-na Jean Edgington. We want to try to get acquainted with these new pupils and in every way we can, we want to make them feel welcome.

Last Monday morning, we were sorry to hear that Adelaide Holland had just been taken to Brownwood with appendicitis. We are wishing her an immediate recovery so that she can return to her class activities.

## SENIOR REPORT

The ex-Eagles of Goldthwaite and the ex-Tigers of Star are going to have a football game. The date for the game is not set, but will be played in April. The money taken in will be divided and given to the Goldthwaite and Star Senior classes for making the Senior trip.

## SPANISH REPORT

The Spanish Club met last Friday for the purpose of electing new officers for the following semester. The officers are as follows:

President, Glenda Oglesby.  
 Vice president, Virginia Stockton.  
 Secretary, Catherine Epperson.  
 Treasurer, Lollie Obenhaus.  
 Sergeant-at-Arms, Clay McNeil.

Critic, Miss Gilmer.  
 Reporter, Eloise Slaughter.  
 We talked about having a Spanish banquet the latter part of March. We will make our definite plans for it in the near future.

We are also making a Spanish calendar for our club which is going to be very attractive.

## DEBATE CLUB

The Debate Club is sorry to lose its sponsor, Mrs. Barnett. She has coached debate for a number of years. However, we believe that Miss Welch will fill her place very well. Miss Welch is also an experienced debate coach. Both English IV classes are studying debate. We hope that others will join our club after studying and debating in class. At present we have six debaters. Several more are considering coming out.

Debate is the most helpful public speaking activity in high school. Each debater is given a chance to express his own ideas, and at the same time he learns to cooperate with his colleagues and to match arguments with the opposition. The reading and research necessary to prepare a debate broadens the students' education and outlook on life.

We would like to have additional members. If some freshmen and Sophomores would come out and debate for two or

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## SCHOOL SONG

(We know that many of our school supporters do not know the words to our school song, and it is surprising how many members of our high school do not know them. For this reason, we are printing the words this week. Take this copy and learn them.)

Faithful and truehearted let us boost for Goldthwaite High  
 And may she always rank the highest and may her colors ever fly;  
 We will stand for her united, of her deeds we'll gladly tell;  
 Her colors streaming  
 Her face is beaming  
 So here's a cheer for the school that we all love so well.  
 (Chorus)  
 Joyous and ever loyal let us boost for Goldthwaite High,  
 Let every heart sing  
 Let every voice ring  
 There's no time to grieve or sigh,  
 It's ever onward, her course pursuing  
 Ne'er defeated, her ardor cool,  
 And united we will boost for her,  
 our own high school.

Honor she has taken, on the track and with the ball,  
 And may she always rank the highest and may her colors never fall,  
 There's no other that can match her, when her team is on the field;  
 Her boys are fleetest  
 Her girls are sweetest  
 So here's a cheer for the school that we all love so well.  
 (Chorus)

**J. D. Bryan's Sister Is Buried at Pottsville Cemetery**

Miss Sarah Elizabeth Bryan passed away Tuesday, January 14, at 5:30 p. m., in the home at Pottsville which she and her sister, Miss Mary Bryan, occupied. She was 74 years of age and her death followed an illness of seven days.

Funeral services were conducted by Elder Jasper Chambers, Lampasas Primitive Baptist pastor, at 3 p. m. Wednesday in the Pottsville cemetery where a large crowd of relatives and friends gathered. Pallbearers were Richard Bryan, C. H. Bryan, E. H. Bryan, Cecil Bryan, Buck Price and Aubry Lee.

Sarah Elizabeth Bryan was the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. F. W. Bryan and was born in Lamar County, Texas, October 22, 1866. She came to Hamilton County in 1882, and lived in the Pottsville community for many years. A loyal Primitive Baptist, she leaves many friends.

The brothers and sisters who survive are J. D. Bryan of Goldthwaite; Billie Bryan, La Cross, Kansas; J. F. Bryan, Pottsville; B. F. Bryan, Cleburne; Miss Mary Bryan, Pottsville, and Mrs. Martha Dansbee, Bisbee, Arizona. —Hamilton News.

May Dell Griffin  
 May Dell, the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. T. I. Griffin, has always resided in the South Bennett community. She is tall, blond and an average student.

She attended South Bennett for five years and then has come to Goldthwaite these last six, riding on a school bus.

May Dell is a member of the Home Economics Club. She plans to become a hotel operator, but hasn't decided just which school she will attend.

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## Live Oak

By Mrs. J. H. Brown  
 Grandpa Featherston is visiting in the home of C. G. Featherston.

Mrs. Bill Yeager visited with Mrs. J. H. Brown last Thursday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Simpson had a large crowd of relatives visiting them Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Randles visited Mr. and Mrs. Wilford Gray Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. Henry Harkey spent the week end with her parents.

The Jolly Chatter Club met with Mrs. C. G. Featherston last Thursday afternoon. A nice crowd was present. The afternoon was spent in piecing quilts. The next meeting will be with Mrs. Wilford Gray on February 6.

Mrs. Marvin Rudd visited Mrs. Ed Randles one afternoon of last week.

M. L. Green has installed his telephone.

Avery Manuel and family have recently moved into this community from Chappell Hill.

Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Simpson and son, visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Dennis, Sunday.

Mrs. C. G. Featherston was a guest of Mrs. Roy Simpson last

## Big Valley

By Mrs. Woodrow Long  
 Our hearts were made sad last Tuesday when we learned of the passing of our good neighbor and friend, Robert Robertson. The community grieves with his relatives because we feel that we have lost one of our most noble citizens and best loved neighbors. Nowhere could be found a more honorable man or one whose counsel and influence considered greater.

We say to those who grieve to ever look to the Master for comfort.

Mrs. Grace Forehand of Clifton, Arizona, came last Wednesday to attend the funeral of Robert Robertson. She is visiting friends and relatives for a few days before returning home.

Lee Robertson of Roswell, New Mexico, came to attend the funeral of his brother.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Burdett called on Mr. and Mrs. Ben Long last Wednesday.

A baby girl was born to Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Dennard Saturday night. Many friends and relatives have called in the

## NOTICE

**TO CREDITORS OF NATIONAL PROTECTIVE LIFE INSURANCE COMPANY DALLAS, TEXAS**

National Protective Life Insurance Company was placed in receivership by order of the 126th District Court of Travis County, Texas, and its affairs turned over to the Liquidator for the Board of Insurance Commissioners on September 12, 1940.

All persons having a claim against National Protective Life Insurance Company are notified to present the same with legal proof thereon to me at my office in Austin, Texas, within ninety (90) days from November 1, 1940.

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**Center City**  
By Mrs. J. M. Oglesby

Sunday was a beautiful day. Bro. Cooke preached at his regular hours at 11 o'clock in the morning. At night there was a record breaking crowd for this place. He announced in the morning he would show slide pictures and continue his sermon, "Know Abraham." All enjoyed the pictures showing the Caste system of India and the missionary field there. We hope to have Bro. Cooke show more pictures of interest.

We regret very much to lose from our midst Mr. and Mrs. Dan Waggoner. They moved to the home of their daughter near Star. Mr. and Mrs. Waggoner lived here several years and made friends with all who knew them. May their declining days be happy with their loved ones and we hope to have them make frequent visits here.

Mrs. Chas Evans returned to her home at Mexia after spending a number of days here with her father, John Carter.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Eden and son of Cottonwood, Arizona, spent several days last week visiting her father, Wm. Langford and Mr. and Mrs. Joe Langford and Mrs. Monroe Gesslin. They left for San Antonio where they expected to visit their son who is in training.

Wayne Coffman left Tuesday for California after a visit with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Coffman.

Mrs. Emma Casbeer, Miss Gladys, Raymond and Carl visited in the Coffman home Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Caraway of Corpus Christi are visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. J. J. Newton.

Mrs. J. J. J. Newton and daughter, Patsy, visited Mrs. Crews at McGirk Monday.

Duard Atchison, son of Mr. and Mrs. Thos. Atchison and Miss Foy Blevins of Wilson were married last Saturday morning at 10 o'clock in Brownwood. Rev. J. M. Bradford, pastor of Coggin Avenue Baptist Church, performed the ceremony. Duard finished school at Star and attended Howard Payne and Weylan Colleges. Mrs. Atchison was reared near Lubbock where her parents are farming and ranching. She is a junior in Howard Payne College and has visited here a number of times with Miss Wilma Lee. She will make her home here with his parents, while he is stationed in Brownwood as a national guardsman. We wish for them a long and happy life.

Miss Aidelie Welch and Walter Tubbs of Dallas were married at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Welch. Aidelie is well known here and has the best wishes of her many friends for a long and happy married life.

Talmage Head, a national guardsman at Brownwood, visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Head last night.

Mrs. Biddie was carried to a physician Sunday. She has not been well for some time.

Cazy Owens is in a Temple hospital with a badly broken ankle. He was injured by a mule he attempted to harness.

Martin McCasland and family attended services here Sunday morning after a seige of the flu.

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**Pecan Wells**  
By Sarah Yeager

Valentine Savers and son, Fred and Tommy Yeager, visited with John and Oscar Havens Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Green and family, visited with Mrs. B. C. Ball of McGirk Sunday. They also went to Mt. Olive Sunday morning.

We are sorry to report that Grandmother Crews is on the sick list. She has pneumonia. We hope her a very speedy recovery.

Mr. and Mrs. Wesley Crawford from Lometa visited with Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Crawford, Sunday.

Mrs. Allen Harris and Mrs. Cordie Jones spent one day last week with Mrs. Ollen Kemp of Mt. Olive.

Mrs. Cordie Jones and family visited with Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Smith and son, Wayne, this week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Otto Kelly and family of South Bennett visited with Mr. and Mrs. Charley Walker, Sunday.

Sarah and Gertrude Yeager visited with Mr. and Mrs. O. L. Kemp and Merline Saturday and with Mr. and Mrs. James Hodges and Jimmie Saturday night and Sunday all of Mt. Olive.

Oscar Havens is not doing so well.

Grandpa Roberts is still reported to be slightly ill.

Nella Beth Green spent the week end with her Grandmother Ball of McGirk.

Ruth Waldrep of Pottsville visited with Mr. and Mrs. Hilley Newton Thursday night.

Arlice Smith and Bill Hart of the CCC camp at Gatesville, spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. Arch Smith and family.

Henry Yeager spent Thursday and Friday night with Mr. and Mrs. J. J. J. Roberts.

The flu is about to calm down. We hope it doesn't start up again.

**Pleasant Grove**  
By Miss Lenora Brown

Several in this community have the flu and quite a few are over with it.

We are sorry to report that Glendon Benningfield has the pneumonia.

Arnold Kelly spent Friday night with Jamie Brown.

Jonell Wigley spent Wednesday night with Doris Harper.

On February 28 there will be a pie supper at the Pleasant Grove school house. All girls are to bring pies and the boys are to bring money to buy them. Everyone remember the day and be sure to come.

Alta May Perry spent Saturday night with Willie and Bonnie Bell Brown.

The people of this community met Friday night at the school house. The older folks played dominoes and forty-two while the young people played other games. Everyone had a nice time.

Mr. and Mrs. Charley Perry and family from Center Point spent the week end with relatives in this community.

Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Kelly and family and Mr. and Mrs. Donald Warren and family visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Lynsie.

Mr. and Mrs. L. B. Covington visited her mother and other relatives Sunday.

Jamie Brown spent Saturday night and Sunday with Arnold Kelly.

Mrs. Lola Kelly is visiting in the home of George Brown this week.

Mrs. Lewis Covington called on Mrs. Hardie Collier Monday.

We extend our greatest sympathy to the relatives and friends of Burr Hill.

**First Baptist Church**  
E. E. Dawson, Pastor

Many new people have come to the community of late. To them we give welcome and cordial invitation to attend our worship and other services, and assure

them of a perennial welcome. Among the newcomers we recall the Adairs, the Feazles, the Alexanders, the Millers—we will many others, too. It is our sincere hope that your coming may mean blessing for you and for the community.

Next Sunday the regular schedule of services will be held, starting with Sunday school at 10:50, with BTU at 6:30 and evening worship at 7:30.

A BTU training School will be held all of next week at nights, with three classes going. We want Juniors, Intermediates and Seniors to be with us in the good work. Classes will meet both in the afternoon immediately after school and at 7:00 o'clock in the evening.

**Rock Springs**  
By Mrs. Eula Nickols

Rev. McCarty of Brownwood, preached Sunday morning and night to a full house. Rev. McCarty accepted the church as pastor.

Last week was a very sad week for so many friends. We were made so sad to learn our friend and neighbor, Robert Robertson had passed away in Temple. We extend our deepest sympathy to Mrs. Robertson and Norma Lee. Also to Lee and George and their families and other relatives in his going away. May the Lord be your comforter in your sad and lonely days.

We are sorry to know our friend, John Burnett is so sick. Some of you read in the paper about the wreck near Blanco. One of my cousins, Charles William Ford was in the wreck. He passed away last Thursday night. He lived two weeks. He was 21 years, just in the prime of youth. He is the grandson of Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Ford. Death is so sad with the old or young. It seems harder to give up our young and healthy youths.

To the Hill children we extend sympathy to you in the loss of your father. We never know in what way our lives will end.

Philip Nickols and mother and Otis and Besse Hutching attended Charles Ford's funeral in Abilene Saturday afternoon.

Mrs. Ben Forehand from Clifton, Arizona, spent Sunday night with Woodie Traylor and family. We always enjoying seeing our

old friends. Mrs. W. A. Daniel took her to see the Ballard family Monday morning. She left Wednesday morning to visit Dan Long and family in Midland. She will also visit an aunt on her way home.

Frank White and family were called to Mullin Friday. His father was very sick.

Landy Ellis and wife from Stephenville spent Saturday night with their children, Mr. and Mrs. Richard Sowders and children. They also visited Sunday morning in the Ballard home.

Rufus Pierce and wife were dinner guests Sunday of Bro. Dawson and wife in town.

Mmes. Daniels and Nickols went to see Jimmie Frizzle Friday afternoon in town. They were glad to find him better.

Bill Alexander and wife, Mr. Alley from Center City were Sunday guests in the J. F. Davis home.

Mrs. Sam Self visited with Mrs. James Nickols Saturday afternoon.

There has been a war on dogs out here lately. There has been some sheep killed by dogs. Mr. Keen lost several sheep last week. Our dog was found killed in the road not far from home. So we don't know whether he was shot or run over. If he was out hunting a neighbor's sheep, he got what was coming to him.

Mrs. Marvin Spinks has the flu. We hope she will soon be well.

The workers meeting will meet with the Trigger Mountain church on February 7.

Philip Nickols and wife spent Friday night with his mother. His wife spent Saturday with James and family while Philip and his mother went to Abilene.

Woody Traylor and family spent Sunday afternoon with Walter Roberts and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Walton Daniel prepared with others help, a birthday dinner Sunday for her grandfather who lives in Ranger. W. A. Daniel and family enjoyed the dinner. Mr. Mitchell and family from Big Valley who are relatives were present.

Mrs. James Nickols and son, spent Monday with her mother, Mrs. V. D. Tyson at Center Point.

Harry Slatery, national administrator for the Rural Electrification Administration, has written a book titled "Rural America Lights Up."

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**CARD OF THANKS**  
We wish to express our appreciation to our friends and neighbors for their many words of consolation, kindness and beautiful floral offerings, at the death of our father, I. B. Hill. May God's blessings rest on each and every one.

Mr. and Mrs. Oscar B. Hill, Mr. and Mrs. A. F. Herrington and family, Mrs. Ala Howell and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Cole

and family, Truman Hill, Roy L. Hill.

**MOTHER OF MARVIN HODGES DIES AT HOME IN ABILENE**  
Marvin Hodges' mother, Mrs. D. R. Hodges, died at the home of her daughter at Abilene last Thursday and was buried at San Angelo Friday. Those who attended the funeral from here were: Mr. and Mrs. Walter Fairman, Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Burch, Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Hodges, all of Goldthwaite, their daughter, Miss Katherine Hodges of Abilene and their son Marvin Hodges of Austin.

**CHARLES W. FORD DIES OF ACCIDENT INJURIES**  
Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Ford's grandson, Chas. W. Ford, received injuries received in a wreck near Blanco hospital there last Tuesday. He remains here being brought Goldthwaite early Friday and were laid to rest Saturday. Mr. and Mrs. H. Ford attended the

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**SAUSAGE**, Smoked, per lb.  
**SALT JOWLS**, per pound . .  
**OLEO**, All Sweet, pound . .

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**PERSONAL PARAGRAPHS**

A. Palmer was quite sick today, suffering from an inflamed foot.

and Mrs. George W. Hill the proud grandparents of Miss Larita Laurene Morrison January 19. She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Du Morris of Hobbs, New Mexico.

Jessie Ruth Ellis of Dallas visited Mrs. Curtis family last Thursday. She was on her way to where she re-enters Tarleton College.

Marjorie Allen of Texas of Austin, visited her father and Mrs. Harry Al-week end.

Mrs. Mark Alexander has spent last Thursday with his sister, Mrs. Townsen.

Mrs. Jim Weatherby, Mrs. Omar Weatherby and Mrs. W. J. Weatherby attended the funeral of Skiles at Brownwood, Wednesday afternoon.

Mrs. Clyde Eastep spent the week end with her father, Howell at Chappell. They spent a pleasant day at home with his father, Charles Ashley of Llano, Brown, whom he has 25 years. Mr. Brown is in the air corps at San Antonio.

of Tarleton who are visitors with their father: Misses Laura and Mayme Lou Wo-Billy Saylor.

Mr. who is engaged in business near Mul-pleasant caller at the Saturday while in Kirks is one of Mills most energetic stock- always found iden- any movement that benefit both Mills coun- livestock industry.

Gowan, living out on was a pleasant call- eagle office Saturday and his subscription Mr. McGowan has the Eagle for many we enjoy knowing Mr. McGowan.

Mr. Girk has returned a Stephenville hos- and her sister, Miss Joy Gerald at Stephenville.

Mrs. W. T. Kirby left Monday evening for San Angelo to be with her grandson, who made his arrival January 26 at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Willis Park.

Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Campbell and Miss Katherine Stockton left Monday morning for a ten days visit with their son and friend, Allen Campbell, who is in training at Ontario, California. They will also visit Mr. and Mrs. D. Albert Treat at Los Angeles before returning home.

Mrs. Eula Nichols and son, Philip, Miss Bessie and Otis Hutchings, attended the funeral of Charles W. Ford at Abilene.

Miss Bessie Crews returned Monday from a week's visit with relatives at Galveston.

Henry Kemper Dalton of Abilene, spent Sunday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Grover Dalton.

Mr. and Mrs. Neal Dickerson spent last Sunday with relatives at Cross Out and Cross Plains.

L. B. Ashley has had his home on Fisher Street re-roofed.

Adelaide Holland was rushed to a Temple hospital Monday for an appendix operation. She was doing nicely at last report.

Rev. E. E. Dawson took his little granddaughter, Georgia Holiday who has been visiting here, to her home at Hico, Monday.

Rev. Dawson also went to Fort Worth to visit J. H. Burnett, who is in the hospital there.

Wallace Johnson and Marvin Hodges of Austin came last Thursday for a few days' visit with their parents.

Mark Fairman of Texas University of Austin, spent a few days with his home folks.

Sumpter Gerald of Tarleton College, has signed up for a pilot training course. He spent the week end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Gerald.

Mr. and Mrs. Houston Kuykendall moved the first of the week to Miss Dera Humphries apartment.

Mrs. J. T. Morris accompanied by Mrs. Ray Blackburn took Dorothy Eunice to Stephenville, Sunday.

**Welch-Tubbs Rites Solemnized**

Miss Aidele Welch, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charley Welch of the Center City community, became the bride of Walter Marion Tubbs of Dallas, Sunday morning at 10 o'clock at her home. The bridegroom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Tubbs of Ireland, Texas.

Rev. George G. Smith of Eureka, Texas, friend of the bride's family, read the ring ceremony, before an improvised altar of palms and tall baskets of glad- iolias.

The bride, given in marriage by her father, wore a white Marquise wedding dress with a lace bodice and short puffed sleeves of lace squares. The veil of bridal illusion hung from a halo of white gardenias. The bridal bouquet was of pink and white carnations, tied with white satin bows of ribbon.

The living room was decorated with yellow chrysanthemums and acacia matching the color of the gold brocaded satin curtains which served as a background for the altar. The simplicity of the ceremony was accentuated by the warm glow of a huge log fire in the fireplace and by the candles burning on the mantel and on the altar.

Marie Moser Glick, wife of Dean Walter R. Glick of Texas Wesleyan College of Ft. Worth, played Lohengrin's wedding march.

The bride chose as her attendants, her two sisters, Mrs. Jack Tubbs of Osage, and Lucille Welch of Goldthwaite. The groom was attended by his cousin, Jack Tubbs of Osage, who is also a brother-in-law of the bride. Boutonnieres and corsages for the attendants were white and pink carnations matching the bride's bouquet.

After the ceremony, a reception was held in the home of the bride's parents. The dining room was decorated with white flowers, carnations and candy tuft, and pink candles. Presiding at the white wedding cake was Mrs. Jane DeTolbert Sims, dietitian at Texas Wesleyan College and at the punch bowl was the bride's sister, Mrs. Jack Tubbs. Dorothy Jane Sims was in charge of the bride's book which was made and decorated especially for the occasion by Louise Doggett, friend of the bride.

The bride was assisted by her sister, Miss Welch, into a rose wool suit for her wedding trip to Tyler. Brown gaberdine slippers and fitted hand bag, brown kid gloves and brown bonnet-shaped hat and veil were the accessories. She wore a corsage of white gardenias, given to her by the groom.

Guests were chiefly members of the immediate families of the bride and groom. Honoring the groom were his parents Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Tubbs; brothers, James, Glen, Johnnie, George and Elmer; Mr. and Mrs. Virgil Tubbs, Caradan; Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Tubbs, Hamilton. Besides the bride's parents, were Mr. and Mrs. Harry Welch, and children, Charles Edward, Carlos Van, Janetha Lee, and Joe Bill; Mr. and Mrs. Jack Welch and children, Billy Gwen, Bobby Lynn and Beverly Sharon and Louise Doggett.

Out of town guests were Mrs. George Smith, Eureka; Mrs. Glick, Mrs. Sims, Miss Sims and Paul Irwin, Fort Worth.

Mrs. J. B. Townsen visited in Lampasas Friday afternoon.

**Self Culture Club Is Entertained**

Mmes. Jacob Saylor and J. C. Evans entertained the Self-Culture Club at the Saylor home Thursday, January 23. Mrs. Jim Weatherby served as program leader. Southern songs were sung by Mmes. Sam Sullivan, Harmon Frazier, Al Dickerson, Marsh Johnson, R. V. Littlepage and F. P. Bowman, all members of the Schubert Club. Papers on pertinent social conditions in America were presented by Mmes. Frazier, Jim Weatherby, and McDuffy Kessler.

The annual election of officers was held at a business meeting presided over by Mrs. J. A. Hester in the absence of both president and vice president. Officers for the next club year are: President, Mrs. Floyd Blair. Vice president, Mrs. E. B. Anderson. Recording secretary, Mrs. Marsh Johnson. Corresponding secretary, Mrs. Walter Weatherby. Treasurer, Mrs. Joe A. Palmer. Parliamentarian, Mrs. J. J. Stephen. Reporter, Mrs. Malcolm Jernigan. Assistant reporter, Mrs. Jim Weatherby.

Delicious refreshment were served to club members and the following guests: Mmes. Dickerson, Littlepage, Bowman, J. C. Mullan, Claude A. Eacott, D. D. Tate and W. H. Marshall.

**Pleasant Grove H. D. Club Meets**

The Pleasant Grove Home Demonstration Club met Tuesday, January 21, at the home of Mrs. J. E. Benningfield.

Miss Scott discussed the essentials of a good club meeting and directed the club members as they practiced parliamentary procedure. She also mentioned our work for the following year in regard to yeast breads and bedroom improvement.

Those present at the meeting other than Miss Scott and the hostess were Mmes. C. N. Berry, O. Z. Berry, W. W. Berry, Oran W. Carothers, L. B. Covington, Minnie Crawford, L. O. Kelly, A. C. Miller, W. T. Moreland, Geo. Shady, David Watters, Walker Wigley and Miss D'Alva Virden. Mrs. Paul Horton of Star was a guest.

The next meeting will be with Mrs. C. N. Berry on February 11.

**Scallorn H. D. Club Meets at Smith Home**

The Scallorn H. D. Club met in the home of Mrs. Duteh Smith on January 23.

Miss Emma Scott, H. D. agent, explained about the 4-H and H. D. club's fair prizes. The H. D. club members are to receive ribbons this year, as the money prizes are for the 4-H club boys and girls.

She also told us that those of us who have applied for mattresses may also apply for a comfort quilt.

Miss Scott gave an address to which we might send our dead wool to be made into blankets, for a less cost than we expected. Several are planning on sending wool to this factory.

Refreshments were served to 20 club members, Miss Scott and one visitor.

**W. M. U. Has Circle Meetings**

Circle No. 1 of the Baptist Missionary Union met with Mrs. E. B. Anderson on Monday in a Bible study. Mrs. Meeks was the teacher. Mrs. Anderson served popcorn bills to 13 members.

Circle No. 2 met Monday with Mrs. V. C. Bradford. Mrs. Bradford was the teacher for the Bible lesson. There were six members present.

**Workers Conference**

Mills County Baptist Association Trigger Mountain Church February 7, 1941

MORNING

10 Opening worship led by the pastor.

10:20 The outline of the day's program.

10:30 What? Rev. Raymond Sims.

10:40 Who? Rev. Otis Holladay.

10:50 Why? Rev. Ivan Paulk.

11:00 How? Rev. C. K. Roberts.

11:10 When? Rev. Jasper Masagee.

11:20 Special music period.

11:30 Sermon, Rev. R. G. Alexander, San Saba, guest speaker.

12:00 Lunch served by the church to all comers. A church celebrated for its hospitality.

AFTERNOON

1:30 Board meeting.

2:00 Worship period led by the pastor.

2:15 Laymen's period.

(1) What I expect of my pastor, Kenneth Coffman.

(2) My idea of a deacon, Clyde Kerby.

(3) Are women running the churches? Eric D. Roberson.

(4) Are Baptists making progress in Mills county? Ira Byler.

3:00 The women have their

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