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### Goldthwaite Lions Club Installs New Officers Tuesday Night

New officers to serve the club for the next year were installed by the Goldthwaite Lions Club at their regular third Tuesday night meeting at The Hangar.

Guests were members of the Mills County Softball League. Dr. C. C. Sadler, Chiropractor, was introduced as a new member.

Lion President Jesse J. Saegert read a letter asking the club's endorsement of Lion D. A. Barber, who is in the race for District 2-A Governor at the District Convention to be held in Corpus Christi on May 13, 14 and 15. He also read from the Bulletin put out weekly by the Waco Veterans Hospital Complimenting the Lions Club for their excellent program put on there on March 14. Goldthwaite will have charge of a program again on June 20.

He also reported that Lion Secretary W. P. Duren had reported this club in again 100 per cent.

Lion Ben Day, head of the local Soil Conservation Service, announced that at the next meeting, May 4, a motion picture would be shown entitled "On the Other Side of the Fence," and that 22 leading farmers and ranchers of the county would be invited to be guests of various members of the club to see the picture and to tell what they have done and are doing on their farms in the way of soil conservation. This picture is to be shown in various places over the county during the week of May 3 to 8, which has been designated as Soils and Souls Week.

Lions D. B. McCombs and T. C. Graves spoke on the Third Annual Goldthwaite Rodeo to be staged at the Jernigan Arena on the Waco Highway during the nights of May 31 and June 1 and 2, and a motion carried that the Lions Club sponsor the advertising program, as it did last year. An advertising committee will be appointed at the next Board of Directors meeting.

The president appointed an auditing committee composed of Lions Harold Yarborough, Brian Smith, and John L. Gwin.

After the officers had been elected, the new president, Joe B. Karnes spoke on what the Lions Club is doing for the town and county, and complimented the retiring officers for a job well done.

Following are the new officers of the club:

President—Joe B. Karnes.  
First Vice - President — Loy Long.  
Second Vice-President—Brian Smith.  
Third Vice-President—F. M. Stephens.  
Lion Tamer—Jack Reid.  
Tall Twister—John Gwin.  
Secretary-Treasurer—Ray Duren.

Directors—Jesse Saegert, D. D. Tate, Leonard Archer, W. P. Duren, and Harold Yarborough.

### TEACHING TRAINING CLASS AT METHODIST CHURCH

Mrs. Sally Sory, widely recognized as an efficient and interesting instructor in Teacher Training classes through the South West, will teach in a Training class starting on the afternoon of Sunday, May 2nd. Other classes will be held through the week. The course which she will teach is, "The Use of the Bible with Children." It will be particularly interesting to all our children workers in the Church School and to parents of children under twelve years of age.

### MAYOR PROCLAIMS SATURDAY STRAW HAT DAY HERE

Saturday is Straw Hat Day in Goldthwaite.

Mayor Loy Long's official proclamation to this effect follows: "Whereas, this Central Texas sun is beaming with a very unusual brightness these days, and give promise of more brilliance and warmth to come, making it feasible to don lighter attire both in clothing and headgear; "And, whereas, comfort of the people is not only a prime objective in city service but in merchandising apparel as well; "Now therefore, I, Loy Long, Mayor of the City of Goldthwaite, proclaim Saturday, April 24, as the day for the official donning of straw hats and the relegation of worm felts to the clothing closet and moth balls, for by this means only can Goldthwaite keep in step with the advancement of the season and attain that joy of keeping up with the well-dressed man."

County Attorney Pribble is not a stranger to the County Attorney's job. In March he was appointed by the Mills County Commissioners Court to fill out the unexpired term of his late father, A. T. Pribble. He was also County Attorney here from 1937 to 1942.

A. M. Pribble was born and reared in Mills County, is 34 years old, and was admitted to the bar in 1937, after getting his B. A. degree from the University of Texas.

### WEEK-END FISHING

D. D. Tate, Joe Bailey Karnes, Jack Reid and F. M. Stephens spent last week-end as guests of Penrose Metcalf ranch out at San Angelo. These gentlemen reported enjoying Metcalf's hospitality very much, and that the San Angelo country is in the midst of the worst drouth since 1917.

### MISS MAVIS DOUGLAS TO APPEAR IN CONCERT AT M. E. CHURCH

The Schubert Club of Goldthwaite presents Miss Mavis Douglas, noted voice teacher, assisted by the Modern Musicians Club of Brownwood, in a concert at the Methodist Church at 8 o'clock tonight.

The public is cordially invited to attend. It will be the outstanding musical event of the year, and music lovers are invited to be present and enjoy the program.

### CHURCH OF CHRIST

M. E. BLAKE, Minister SUNDAY

Bible Classes—10:00.  
Morning Worship—10:50.  
With Minister speaking of "Characteristics of a Christian" 7:00 p. m.—Young Peoples' Meeting. (Jr. and Sr. classes).  
Evening Worship—7:45. Minister speaking on "Is Baptism Essential?"

MONDAY

Ladies Bible Class—3:00 p. m. Meeting with Sister Dale Reid.

THURSDAY

Mid-week Prayer Meeting—7:45.

Come and be with us. You are given a Christian welcome at the Church of Christ.

### First Game Of Heart Of Texas Hardball To Be Here April 29

The first hardball game ever to be played in Mills County at night under the lights will be the season opener of the Heart of Texas League, to be played on Thursday night of next week, starting at 8 o'clock, on the new Municipal Baseball Park in the northern part of Goldthwaite.

The Goldthwaite Red Sox will take on Brownwood that night for the opening game. This will be the first official Heart of Texas League hardball game. The Heart of Texas League is made of Goldthwaite, Brownwood, De Leon, San Saba, and Novice.

Last Sunday the Goldthwaite Red Sox lost a game to Fredericksburg to the tune of 7 to 2. This, however, was a practice game.

### Eight-Team Mills County Softball League Organized Here Tuesday

Tuesday night of this week, after the Lions Club meeting at The Hangar, the Mills County Softball League was organized, and a full schedule of games will be played here on the new Municipal Baseball Park diamond this summer. The first game will be on Friday night, May 7.

A schedule is to be worked out, with a split-season round robin to be played by three softball teams from Goldthwaite and one each from Mullin, Priddy, Star, and Big Valley, with Moline and Pleasant Grove furnishing one team. Games will be played each Tuesday and Friday nights, and all will be here on the new field. A complete

The new Municipal Baseball Park field will be completed in time for the game next Thursday night. The field is well lighted, and a new grandstand with comfortable seats will be in readiness. Price of admission will be 50 cents for adults and 15 cents for children. W. C. Barnett is manager of the Goldthwaite team.

Starting lineup for the Goldthwaite Red Sox in the game against Brownwood next Thursday night probably will be:

Pitchers—Y. B. Johnson and Dale Reid.  
Catcher—Larry McCasland.  
First Base—Hinton.  
Second Base—C. McLean.  
Third Base—Clayton Egger.  
Short Stop—Cottle.  
Center Field—V. L. Doggett.  
Left Field—C. Conradt.  
Right Field—Ted Kirby.

summer's schedule will be worked out and published before the play starts.

The Goldthwaite Lions Club is sponsoring the Mills County Softball League, and acts through a committee composed of Minister M. E. Blake, Harold Yarborough, Charles Conradt, and George Gilbert.

Meeting with this committee Tuesday night to organize the league were: Hugh Smith of Big Valley, Supt. LeRoy Beard of Star, Supt. Wray B. Williams of Mullin, and H. H. Hook, Vocational Agriculture teacher of Priddy. These gentlemen were guests of the Lions Club Tuesday night.

### EAGLES MEET DEFEAT FOR FIRST TIME

Tuesday afternoon at Legion Park, the Goldthwaite Eagle Baseball nine tasted defeat for the first time this season. A red-hot Lampasas Badger team, that could do nothing wrong, connected for seven hits and five runs, while the Eagles managed for five hits and three runs.

Bill Hammet went the route for Lampasas and Billie Joe Heath pitched the whole nine innings for the Eagles.

Thursday 22, the Eagles will journey to Llano, hoping to have a little less trouble than they encountered Tuesday.

### YARBOROUGH AND DUREN GIVE BASEBALL CAPS

The Goldthwaite High School baseball boys and coach wish again to thank all the businessmen who contributed so generously to give them their extra nice uniforms. Also they wish to thank Yarborough and Duren for contributing all their baseball caps.

### GOLDTHWAITE MAN ON HONOR ROLL

The Daily Texan in its last issue listed James Campbell Caraway of Goldthwaite on the honor roll for Engineering students. Caraway, son of Mr. and Mrs. P. K. Caraway of this city, is a Senior Electrical Engineering student in the University of Texas, Austin.

### COWHOUSE BASIN BASEBALL LEAGUE

The Cowhouse Basin League got under way Sunday, April 11. Pottsville invaded Indian Gap to come out on the long end of a 9-6 score, Wagner pitched good ball for Pottsville going the entire nine innings. A Hooper pitched seven innings for the Gap with L. Hopper relieving him in the eighth inning.

Curtis Smith continued last years style by pitching Purnela to a 23 to 13 win over Goldthwaite. Smith worked eight innings allowing one run and seven hits.

Hamilton edged past Priddy by a 9-8 score. Leonard pitched for Hamilton, with Ernest Hopper doing mound duty for Priddy.

Event outlasted Shive Sunday in a loosely fought game. This game saw a total of three home runs. We noticed that Rodney Love really belted the horsehide.

We were unable to learn too much about the Aleman - Star game except that Star had to muck Batter for Aleman. The score was Star 5, Aleman 3.

The schedule for Sunday, April 18, was:

Priddy at Aleman.  
Purnela at Pottsville.  
Indian Gap at Evant.  
Shive at Hamilton.  
Star at Goldthwaite.

Compound 1080 is an effective rat poison, but it is extremely toxic to dogs and livestock.

### Goldthwaite Grade School Wins First Place In League Literary Meet

Goldthwaite Grade School contestants amassed a total of 33½ points to win first place with Marble Falls making a total of 27 points and San Saba

in third place with a score of 25 points.

In the high school division Goldthwaite tied with Fredericksburg for fourth place.

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Our Air Forces will be much stronger in the future if a bill passed by the House last week is favored by the Senate. Provision is made for 70-group combat units and will bring the air force strength up to the level recommended by General Eisenhower, General Spaatz, Secretary of Air Symington and others.

Last year the President appointed a 5-man Commission headed by Mr. Thomas Finletter, to make a study of our minimum

requirements in aviation. A report was made and the 70-group program was strongly recommended. Moreover, a joint House-Senate Committee made a similar study and made a similar recommendation.

This bill had my active support. In my judgement, the United States should have and maintain the strongest air force in the world. As the situation now stands, we are lagging considerably behind Soviet Russia in air power. The 70-group program will not only vastly strengthen our regular air force but will also benefit our National Guard and our Air Reserve—both of which are very essential components of our Air Force setup.

The Finletter Report, in recommending the pressing need for a stronger air force for our national security, made the solemn warning that "even the most optimistic view of the United Nations" does not assure us "That the world organization will develop in time the necessary authority to prevent

another great war". We know that if there should, unhappily, be another full-scale war, the United States will undoubtedly be the first target. We must be prepared to meet such attack with devastating force in the last two wars good fortune was on our side in that we had allies to hold the enemy in check until we could prepare ourselves for action. We will never have that advantage again if we should be forced into a war. Therefore, while Soviet Russia is making warlike moves, we had better be prepared.

We must be prepared for war if we are to win in the struggle for peace.

**PETE GULLEY VISITS**  
Our friend, Pete Gulley, came to Washington a few days ago from his home in Uvalde to testify before a Senate committee. Mr. Gulley is Secretary of the Texas Angora Goat Raisers' Association and is well known at goat and other Texas livestock sales for his prowess as an auctioneer.

Before the Senate Committee he had occasion to educate Senator Tobey of New Hampshire on the ins-and-outs of the angora goat business. The Senator has a farm in New Hampshire and seems to be seeking a means of getting rid of some underbrush. After the hearing he was a much more enlightened Senator.

**HERB SORRELL FORGETS**  
Not long ago in this column I mentioned the case of one Harold Christoffel, who directed the Communist-inspired CIO strike at Allis-Chalmers. When he appeared before our Committee investigating that strike he swore he was not and had not been a Communist. He was indicted for perjury and the Government proved to the satisfaction of the jury that he was a Commie, and he got from two to six years.

There is a good chance of an indictment being returned against one Herbert K. Sorrell of Hollywood, who swore before our committee the other day that he is not a Communist and said a Communist Party card receipt which we had, allegedly signed him as 'Herbert Stewart', was a forgery. So samples of

his handwriting were sent down to the FBI and they reported that Herbert Sorrell signed that name "Herbert Stewart". So watch for an indictment for perjury.

Sorrell, 50, an ex-prizefighter, is president of the AFL Conference of Studio Unions in Hollywood. He has been a central figure in the long and bitter movie strike out there, which our Committee has been investigating. Don't ever doubt it—there are plenty of Communist in Hollywood.

**FORMER RESIDENT BURIED IN N. MEX.**

(The following clipping of an article appearing in a Clovis, N. M., newspaper tells of the death of the wife of Frank M. McCasland, former residents here. Both Mr. and Mrs. McCasland finished their school days and were married at Center City. They moved to New Mexico in 1907, but have kept up with their friends her by way of the Eagle since. They have many relatives living here. Present at the funeral were: Mrs. Mable Doggett, a sister, Goldthwaite; Mrs. Lillie Cook, a sister, Fort Worth; brothers, W. B. Evans of Houston and Charlie Evans of Mexia; sister-in-law, Mrs. Carry Evans; Martin Stacy, a brother, and Myra and Mason, sister and husband of Mr. McCasland.)

Mrs. Ina McCasland was born August 10, 1884, in Falls County, Texas, and as a young girl moved with her parents to Center City, Tex., near the home of the S. L. McCaslands, parents of Frank McCasland. In the course of time, the young people became acquainted, a romance started and they were married Sept. 5, 1902.

In February, 1907, they and their two daughters, Edia and Leona Bell, moved to New Mexico, then a territory, and filed on a quarter section of land seven miles west and one mile north of Grady. All of their household goods, a wagon, two horses, chickens and one pig were shipped by caravan train to Farwell, Tex., and then the family drove by covered wagon to the tract of land that was to become home. Few people lived in this section of the country at that time.

**Rugged Life**  
During their first two years there was little moisture and farmers had a very short row crop. So did the McCaslands, but the \$200 they brought with them lasted. To get their mail they had to go to Bovina, Tex., but later there was a post office located at Puerto, N. M., which was below the caprock. Two boys, Lester and Delma, were born in the two years, 1907 and 1909.

Conditions turned rather gloomy for the couple as McCasland became ill with typhoid fever, and was sick for several weeks. Mrs. McCasland nursed him back to health, however, in addition to taking care of her small children and hauling water.

**Staked Future On Well**  
After McCasland regained his health the couple was faced with a decision to make. They had just enough money left to pay the doctor bill and drill a water well. If they were able to reach water they would be able to stay in New Mexico—if not, they would have to give up the claim and return to Texas.

Luck was with them, and they made a good well. That, they said in later years, was one of the happiest moments of their lives for, although things had been hard at times, they had come to love the country.

**Pinch Hit As Doctor**  
Early in her married life, Mrs. McCasland obtained a medical book—the type that is available and understandable by laymen—and studied it carefully. With doctors many miles away she was called on by many to help during illnesses, and was never too tired to help day or night.

She was a wonderful wife to her husband, helping him during his many trials and tribulations. In those days there were no men available for hire, and she found it necessary to go to the field to help cultivate and gather the crops in addition to her own nearly all of the clothes for her

family. The McCaslands were ambitious, hard working and conservative, and at the same time they practiced good fellowship and were always willing to lend a hand. They were leaders in the community, always upholding what was right and good. Their home was a stopping place for many people for a night's lodging and food, and Mrs. McCasland became noted for her hospitality and tasty food to friends and strangers alike.

**Retired In 1945**  
In 1945 the couple retired and moved to Clovis, where they lived at 316 Calhoun. The next year they did some traveling going to Texas for several months, and then to California.

After a rest they returned to Clovis, where they visited their daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Wells. On the return trip they visited their other two daughters and families Mr. and Mrs. Wesley Henson in Monte Vista, Colo., and Mr. and Mrs. Burnell Vick of Springer. They returned just in time to help their son, Deb, who is farming the home place, harvest one of the largest wheat yields of their lives.

While in Clovis, Mrs. McCasland acquired many new friends and March 26, while she and a neighbor, Mrs. Frank Cheney, were on their way to a club meeting, she fell and broke a hip. Her attending physician recommended that she be taken to Albuquerque to a specialist for examination. With her husband ill, Mrs. McCasland was accompanied by her daughter, Mattie Lou, and sons, Lester and Z.

**Death Came Quickly**  
In Albuquerque, X-rays and examinations showed her in condition for an operation, which was successful, and it was thought that it would be only a matter of a few weeks before she could return to her home. However, a blood clot formed on March 29, and it was only a matter of minutes until she was dead.

She was buried in the Clovis cemetery, with five of her grandsons, Gene Pettigrew, Ulric, Edmund, U. V. and Udell Henson,

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and a nephew, George Elliott Mason, as pallbearers. The flower girls were her six granddaughters, Mrs. Helen Grawburg, Mrs. Marcine Tipton, Mrs. Mary Lou Henson, Elizabeth Pardue, Ethylene McCasland and

Mancy Ruth McCasland, many, many friends, were present to pay their respects. She was a wonderful mother, and was cherished by all who knew her. She will be missed by her band, children and friends.

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### CARSON—HEROINE OF "DESIRE ME"

Once again Greer Garson clinches her title of the Screen's First Lady with her distinguished playing of a powerful emotional role in "Desire Me," the exciting M-G-M drama being shown on the Melba screen Sat. Mat. and Night.

In one of the most touching and poignant portrayals of her career, Miss Garson essays the role of Marise, a French girl in a small fishing village, who mourns the soldier husband Paul, who has been announced as being dead. When she is abruptly confronted by a stranger, Jean Renaud, who is determined to fill the void left by Paul and who fascinates Marise by his knowledge of the most intimate details of her married life, the dramatic impact of a turbulent plot first makes itself apparent.

### BUCK PRIVATES COME HOME

Smiles guffaws and roars of laughter filled the auditorium of the Melba Theatre when Abbott and Costello's newest Universal-International comedy, "Buck Privates Come Home," open Tues. This is one of the best and funniest Abbott and Costello screen vehicles. "Buck Privates Come Home" is a sequel to "Buck Privates," the team's first starring production made in 1941. Using only the basic idea of the former success, the present film is packed with new laugh-provoking comedy techniques impressed on a story that's certain to please at the theaters.

The screenplay concerns the return to civilian life of the comedy team and their problems trying to retain and make a home for a little French orphan they have smuggled out of Europe. The orphan is played by eight-year old Beverly Simmons who adds immeasurably to the fun.

In an effort to prove they are responsible and able to care for their charge, Abbott and Costello become involved with Joan Fulton and her boy friend, Tom Brown, playing the part of a midget automobile racer, Miss Fulton, in her biggest role to date, gives a performance that should help her towards stardom. This is Brown's first screen appearance after five years in military service and he does an outstanding job.

### SLAVE GIRL

Inspired by an early chapter in American foreign relations, "Slave Girl" has been produced by Universal-International as a red-blooded romantic comedy, with spectacular action and scenic backgrounds of great natural beauty.

The Technicolor picture, which opens Saturday night prevue at the Melba Theatre, takes place at the beginning of 1800 when Uncle Sam appeared rulers of the Barbary States with gold so they would sell captured Americans into slavery.

Yvonne De Carlo appears as a Venetian beauty, imprisoned and made a palace dancer by the Pasha of Tripoli. George Brent, who co-stars, portrays an emissary from Washington sent to ransom American prisoners.

The story is told in an unusual comedy vein, which pokes tongue-in-cheek fun at swash-buckling heroes and pretty maidens generally. "Slave Girl" was written and produced by Michael Fessler and Ernest Pagona, and directed by Charles Lamont.

### INSURANCE MAN WANTED

The Civil Service Commission announces examinations for filling vacancies in the positions of Underwriting and Insurance Accounts Officer and Insurance Examiner (Lay Medical Approver) at entrance salaries ranging from \$3397.20 to \$5905.20 per year. Employment will be with the Veterans Administration in Dallas, Texas. Application forms may be obtained from the post office.

Mrs. Charles Welch and Mrs. Jack Tubbs visited near San Angelo last week.

### Married In El Paso

Miss Shirley Daniels of El Paso became the bride of Mr. Dean De Long of Mansfield, Ohio, in one of the prettiest weddings of the season, April 13.

Saturday they came through Goldthwaite and visited Mrs. De Long's aunt, Mrs. Carl Featherston.

Carline and Randall Chesser spent the week-end in Brownwood and attended a house party at the home of Mr. and Mrs. H. S. Casey honoring Mr. and Mrs. Dean De Long.

### VA STOPS DIRECT SUPERVISION OVER PART 8 SERVICEMEN

The Veterans Administration last week relieved its training officers of all responsibility for the direct supervision of 220,000 nondisabled World War II veterans in training under the GI Bill in Texas, Louisiana and Mississippi.

The change will permit VA's training officers to devote more time to the needs of the 30,000 disabled veterans in training under the Vocational Rehabilitation Act (Public Law 16) in the same tri-state area.

In suspending supervision of GI Bill trainees by direct contact, VA called on all state approved agencies, schools and training establishments to meet fully their obligations under the Servicemen's Readjustment Act (GI Bill).

VA will look, to an increased extent, to state approving agencies to carry out their obligation to approve only schools and establishments that are fully qualified and equipped to give good courses of instruction and are otherwise satisfactory on the basis of current inspections.

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Mrs. Gandie Joiner of Rockdale spent Tuesday night of last week with her brother, D. A. Hamilton, and Mrs. Hamilton.

Mr. and Mrs. Kyle G. Sims and family of Brownwood were here for the week-end visiting his mother, Mrs. J. D. Sims.

Mrs. E. B. Gilliam, Sr. and Miss Ruby Long of Brownwood and Mrs. Leonard Stallings of Ballinger were here to attend The Tuesday Study Club at the home of Mrs. E. B. Gilliam, Jr. Saturday. The book review of "Peace of Mind" was given by Mrs. Stallings.

Week-end guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Hester were their children; Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Hester and son, Richard, of Fort Worth, Mrs. B. L. Means and son, Steven, of Dallas, and Mrs. Orla Garty of Sag Marcos.

Miss Joy Hamilton of Dallas spent the week-end with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. D. A. Hamilton.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Mote of Moody visited their niece, Mrs. Tom Booker, and family over the week-end.

Mrs. Chick Arnold and little son of Odessa came Friday for a visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Doggett.

Mrs. Sue Nora and Ann Leverett of Brownwood visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Claude Eacott.

Miss Tommie Ann Booker of John Tarleton was home for the week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Booker.

Mrs. Walter Doggett and Mrs. Jerry Walker took Sandy Arnold, little granddaughter of Mrs. Doggett's to Brownwood hospital for treatment Monday morning.

Mrs. Inez Leverett and sons, Gary and Guy Charles, spent the week-end with Mrs. M. J. Leverett in Brownwood.

Mrs. O. B. Bell and daughter, Miss Vera Mae, and Mrs. J. D. Berry and little daughter, Pamela, spent Saturday in Cisco visiting Mrs. Bell's sisters.

Mr. and Mrs. D. A. Hamilton attended the Singing Convention at the Methodist Church at Mullin Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Larence Jowidan of Mineral Wells spent Sunday visiting in the home of her mother, Mrs. C. F. Williams and Bill and Alta.

Miss Barbara Porter spent last week in San Saba visiting her sister, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Jo Hanson.

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Miss Melba Malone of Alabama is spending her vacation in the home of her sister, Mrs. John L. Quinn. She has been on the Home Mission Board in Alabama for years, and is known all over the U. S. for her great Christian work. She will speak at churches all over the county while she is on her vacation. She will visit churches in Brownwood and Lometa while here. Mrs. John Evans and Miss Alta Williams were shopping in Brownwood Monday.

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## Mills County Veterans' Vocational School

The schedule for Mr. White, instructor for the Goldthwaite group of agriculture students, has been keeping him on the move this week visiting the different farms and projects of his boys. Grasses are being studied and demonstrations on restoration of pasture grasses have been made in cooperation with the soil conservation group under supervision of Mr. Day. All the agriculture instructors have been working with the conservation service this week on this particular phase of work.

Mr. Duren and his class at Priddy have been making special study of pasture management, brush eradication by goats after bulldozing the ground, restoration of grass, etc. The boys are doing good work along these lines.

Terracing demonstrations are being conducted by Mr. Carothers for his class at Star. Mr. McCombs, county agricultural agent, has been working with the class in this project. The demonstration this week was given at the farm of Mr. J. D. Hunt in the Payne Gap community. Purpose of this work is to prevent sheet erosion. The Star boys are making good progress with their shop for mechanics. They will soon have it ready to pour concrete floor.

Jack Locklear and his carpenters are doing a fine work for the Vocational School this week by making a 14 by 20 ft. addition to the new building which has recently been placed on the grounds. This new building is to be used by the distributive education classes taught by Mr. Williams and Mr. Swindle. It will provide two nice classrooms with office and library facilities.

Mr. Ford and his boys at Mullin have been so busy they have not been able to do anything but work. We have not had him in the office long enough to get a report of the class. This makes it hard on the other instructors as Mr. Ford always helps the rest of us make out our reports.

The next D. E. conference will be held in Taylor on Friday, April 23, and Mr. Williams and Mr. Swindle will take off for that. No classes will be held in their department on that day.

### CARD OF THANKS

We wish to express our deep appreciation and sincere thanks to everyone who by their kindness and words of consolation helped so much in bearing our burdens in the recent illness and passing of our dear husband and father.

May God's richest blessing abide with each of you is our prayer.—

Mrs. C. A. Simpson  
And Children.

Last Sunday Mr. and Mrs. Walter Reed of Lometa, Mr. and Mrs. Ella Herne of Phenix, Arizona, were guests of Mrs. F. D. Webb.

Ernest Strickland of Brady spent several days last week with his sister, Mrs. John W. Roberts and Mr. Roberts. Jud-

son Strickland of Waco was also a guest in the Roberts home. Judson accompanied his father back to Brady.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Webb of Fort Worth, Mrs. Fred Webb of Mills Point left for their homes after spending a few days with their mother, Mrs. F. D. Webb, and other relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Burns returned home Friday from Austin where they visited their daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Hightower and Gale.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Webb of Fort Worth and Mrs. F. D. Webb spent Tuesday with Mr. and Mrs. Walter Reed at Lometa.

Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Weathers of Brownwood spent Monday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Weathers. The Laurence Weathers have just

returned from a two week's visit in Colorado and California and reported a wonderful time.

Randall Chesser spent last week in the home of his sister, Mrs. Carl Featherston. He is spending this week in the home of his sister, Mrs. H. S. Casey, in Brownwood. Randall will return to Mesa, Arizona first of May, where he makes his home with his aunt, Mrs. Joe Chesser.

Mrs. J. H. Harrell was called to Austin Friday to the bedside of her mother who was seriously ill. Mrs. Harrell returned home Saturday night. She left her mother improving. Mrs. Pichardson had an acute attack of lumbago and a form of paralysis with it.

Mrs. John Patterson and Mrs. Tom Collier spent the weekend in Ranger with their sister,

Miss Laura Vireo. Pat Chandler spent the weekend with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Chandler. Pat's companion him to City for a visit.

Mr. and Mrs. G. were in Fort Worth visiting Dr. and Mrs. Gess.

Mr. and Mrs. G. spent several days this week attending the men's Convention. Mrs. H. H. G. is in the Smith's they are away.

Mrs. Anna Brown neesday morning after spending the week with her cousin, H. T. Vaughn.



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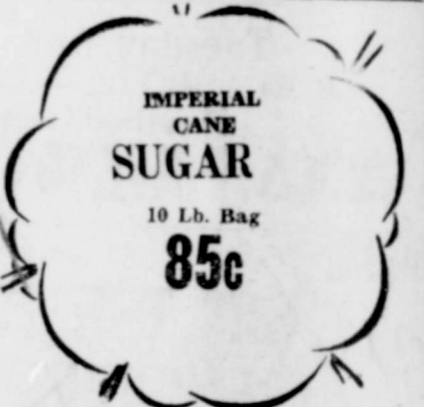
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**Tommy Cook A Veteran Livestock Showman At Age 18**

By BILL ALLEN

NOTE—The following article appeared in a recent issue of the Orange County, Calif., newspaper, and tells of a young Mills County man who graduated here last year and went out in the world and came back good. His father, the late Marvin Cook, died here several years ago, and his mother still lives here.

This easily could be the story of Tommy Cook, who at 18 is a livestock showman of 10 years' experience. If it were not the story of a new 4-H club in Orange county, which, under Tommy's tutelage and a plan unique among California 4-H clubs, seems likely to set a new pace among youthful farmers.

In brief, the story of the new club is this:

It is starting with eight members, two of them girls John A. Pickard, president of the Anaheim Realty Board, has told them that he will underwrite their project. He will see that those who want calves will get calves. Those who want swine will get swine.

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He agrees to see that they get expert training. At the end of the year, if they show at any of the livestock competitions and sell, each must agree to sponsor a new club member and give him a calf of a pig, as they themselves had been grubstaked. So on ad infinitum until it is reasonable to expect that some day the county will swarm with young 4-H members each with a livestock project.

The eight charter members of the club organized Monday night at the home of Arthur A. Schultz on Hwy. 101 outside of La Habra. The young son of that household, it will be remembered, is Wayne Schultz, who last autumn walked off with first showmanship honors at the Great Western Livestock show in Los Angeles. Wayne now is grooming five calves which he expects to show this fall at the Cow Palace in San Francisco and Los Angeles.

Tommy Cook was there also. He is to be herdsman and showman instructor for the club, whose members are only a year or so younger than himself. But Tommy hopped alshow ring as the following will attest:

**BEGAN AT 8**  
He was eight years old when he led his first entry before the judges. At that time he lived in Goldthwaite, Texas, and the show was the Mills county, recognized in its area as tough competition. Tommy placed his shorthorn steer at the top of the show.

The next five years he spent in perfecting his showmanship and learning animals.

When he made his next show appearance at the age of 13 again at the Mills county show he came out of the ring with his Aberdeen Angus marked "Grand champion."

He moved on next year to Brownwood, Tex., whose show

embraced 10 counties. He showed the first place calf Hereford.

Tommy's performance attracted the attention of Robert Halbert of Sonora, Tex., a nationally-known breeder of polled Herefords. Tommy was only 14 years old then, but he entered the employ of Halbert as assistant showman.

So Tommy had fine stock behind him and went on to new honors—at Fort Worth, grand champion bull Hereford, first place get-of-sire and 16th calf steer among 1000 entries.

**NAMED HERDSMAN**  
Meanwhile Tommy was still going to high school. He graduated in 1947 at the age of 17 and came to California where he became herdsman for Frank Vessels of Long Beach. Herdsman on a ranch doesn't mean "a" herdsman. It means "the" herdsman, top man in charge. At 17 Tommy took charge of Vessels' show herd and immediately resumed winning—grand champion female polled Hereford at the Madera show and a whole string of lesser honors. Tommy gave Vessels so many winners that he sold out his herd at the fancy prizes that ribbon winners at livestock shows bring.

Tommy moved over to the employ of Dr. Carl R. Bishop of Midway City. Now at 18 he is herdsman and showman of Dr. Bishop's prize stock which he is grooming for the coming shows.

Quite a boy. It can be understood that when Tommy made a little speech to the new 4-H members he got close, respectful attention.

"When you teach yourself, you never forget," Tommy told the club. "Learn everything you can about calves as quick as you can. Get a calf with good conformation. The rest is up to you. Of course, you can't make a race horse out of a mule but he's got to have a chance to show he's a race horse. Sanitation is 60 per cent of it. If you make money with your first calf, don't blow it all in. But if you lose don't give up."

**GENERAL MANAGER**  
Thereupon Tommy was elected "general manager" of the club in addition to being instructor in showmanship and herdsman. Other officers elected were: Wayne Schultz, president; Paul Lenz of Garden Grove, vice-president; Helen Weir of Anaheim, secretary-treasurer, and Shirley Fairchild of Garden Grove reporter. Others at the organization meeting were George and Richard Mitobe and Bob and Jack Pickard of Anaheim.

When it came to a name, the president of the Anaheim Realty board, the underwriter, stepped in.

"Let's call it the Mustard Seed Foundation club," he proposed.

"Why?" he was asked. Mathew 17:20, he replied. That verse reads:

"And Jesus said unto them. Because of your unbelief; for verily I say unto you, If ye have faith as a grain of mustard seed, ye shall say unto this mountain, Remove hence to yonder place; and it shall remove; and nothing shall be impossible unto you."

So be it, the club answered.

**LOCAL GIRLS ON TEACHERS' PROGRAM**

Gamma Zeta Chapter of Delta Kappa Gamma, a national honor society for women teachers, met in the Goldthwaite School Auditorium on Saturday, April 17, with Mesdames H. E. Patton, Hoyt Cockrell, Oran Carothers, and Miss Elna Fouse as hostesses.

The program topic was "Teaching as a Profession—the Negative and Positive Angles". This was presented as a panel discussion, led by Miss Johnnie Shirley of John Tarleton College, Stephenville. Panel members were the following high school students from towns represented in the chapter: Ann McMurry, Dublin, and Gene Harris, Comanche, affirmative; Marilyn Miller, Gustine, and Joyce Harrell, Goldthwaite, negative. Other high school students who participated in the question and answer period following the panel, speakers were Doralie Leatherwood, Dublin; Julia McDonald, Gustine; Sammie Grissom and Wanda McClellan, DeLeon; and Jessie Petstick, Goldthwaite.

Members of Gamma Zeta Chapter from Granbury, Stephenville, Dublin, Comanche, Gustine, DeLeon, Hico, and Goldthwaite were present.

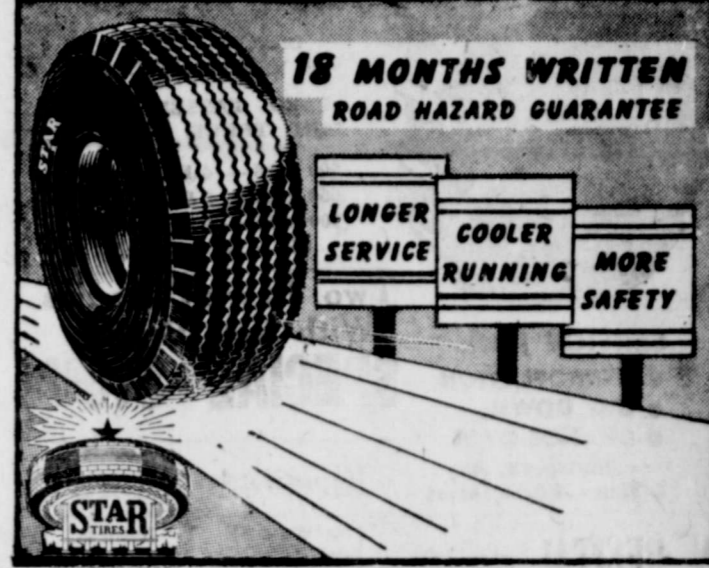
**G. H. S. DELEGATES ATTEND STATE F. H. A. MEETING**

Goldthwaite Future Homemakers will be represented at the Texas State Meeting of Future Homemakers of America in Galveston, April 22, 23, 24, by Geraldine Laughlin, Betty Williford, and Miss Elna Fouse.

Due to the large number of chapters and vast membership in the Texas State Association, it was necessary to limit attendance at the meeting to State and Area Officers and one delegate and sponsor from each local chapter. Geraldine is President of Area XI; Betty is President of the Goldthwaite Chapter and vice president-elect of Area XI; Miss Fouse is sponsor of Area XI and the local chapter. Therefore, all of the Goldthwaite delegates will attend the Executive Council meeting on April 22.

A full program of business, club activities, and fun has been planned for the girls. Betty Williford will give a reading on Talent Night, April 22. Geraldine Laughlin and Miss Fouse will be responsible for directing two or three group games at the Beach Party on Friday

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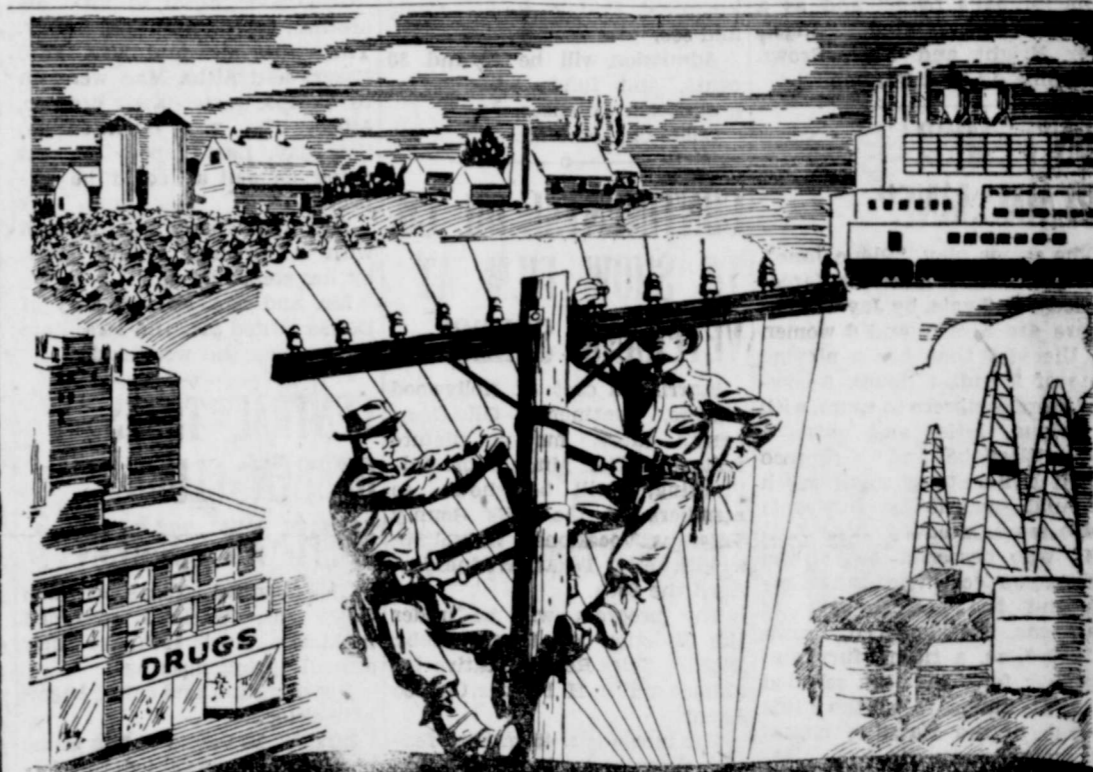


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Mrs. Sam Sullivan presented Miss Joyce Harrell and Miss Norma Sue Ross in a recital at the First Baptist Church, Sunday, April 18, 1948 at 4:00 p. m. The public was invited and there was a reception at the Sam Sullivan residence.

Norma Sue Ross sang the following, "Holy City, Dawn, Kathleen Mavourneen and Indian Love Call", Joyce Harrell, "Lost Chord, Alleluja, Hills of Home, Jubal's Lyre," and as a duet they presented, "Angels Ever, Bright and Fair, Brown Bird Singing, and Carmina."

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**"PLAIN JANE"**

The senior play, "Plane Jane", is a rip-roaring, hilarious, farce-comedy in 3 acts, by Jay Tobias. There are 5 men and 6 women in the play that has a playing time of 2 and 1/4 hours. A cowgirl from sombrero to spurs, with a six-gun, lariat and quilt, a pet rattlesnake and a bronco called Dynamite—a name much too mild—such is the empyronic rodeo represented by Jane Judkias, who descends out of the West upon eccentric Aunt Emma and the eastern tribe of Marsdens. Freckle-faced, brown haired Jane, a riding fury and a roping fool, has been selected by Aunt Emma to be the bride of one of the Marsden boys—the one who can win her.

For the exciting details of this drama, see "Plane Jane" presented by the Senior Class of Goldthwaite High School on April 30, 1948, at 8:00. Don't miss it!

**STAR SENIOR PLAY**

"THE MAN IN THE MOON" Don't miss the delightful comedy presented by the Star Senior Class, Friday, April 23, 8:00 o'clock p. m.

The Characters are: Mr. Hen-

ry West, E. T. Jenness; Billy West, Culver Emdy; Courtney Radford, Bruce McPherson; Clint Yung, Dolan Kinchloe; Ben Wilson, Charles Stephan; Jonah Daniels, Carlos Welch; Mrs. West, Carolyn Guice; Margaret West, Velda Williams; Minerva West, Laveta Adams; Miss Chesterfield, Dorothy Duncan; Miss Gold, Billie Gale Soules; Mrs. Clint Yung, Janie Miles; Crepe Johnson, Alice Rickel.

Who is "The Man in the Moon"? This question will be answered Friday night. Come and see.

Admission will be 15 and 30 cents, and funds will go for graduation expenses. Come on, come all.

**CONTINENTAL OIL CO. TO SHOW FILM AT VETERANS SCHOOL**

Starring a cast of Hollywood players, Continental Oil Company's latest motion picture feature, "The Miracle of Oil-planting" will be shown to members of the Mills County Veterans Vocational School in Goldthwaite, Texas, Wednesday, April the 28th.

The program will be under the direction of R. G. Gibbs, District Sales Representative for Conoco and R. H. Frazier Conoco Agent.

The movie is a 45-minute feature recently produced in Hollywood and Ponca City, Oklahoma, Continental Oil Company headquarters, with a superb cast of professional Hollywood players. In a highly entertaining story, an achievement in the field of modern lubrication is dramatized in a sparkling screen production. Scores of scenes filmed in Continental's 1,280-acre refinery at Ponca City thread into the film. The company's huge indoor swimming pool, the modern and spacious gymnasium, tennis courts, and athletic field

form part of the background for the movie story. Following the camera eye, the movie audience sees at close hand a giant industry in action. The audience is delighted and entertained—there's comedy as well as education—as the story moves along with Jim and Mary Casey and Bill Watson, three members of the Hollywood cast who share in enacting the human interest story.

**SAN SABA PEAK**

—By MRS. DUTCH SMITH  
Mr. and Mrs. Frank Eckert of Miles visited their son and family, Fate Eckert Wednesday and Thursday of last week. They also went on to Temple to see their son, Miles, who was operated on Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ward Carlisle was in Lampasas Thursday visiting relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. John Allin of Los Angeles, Calif., came in last Thursday to visit their daughter and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Velmor Gage.

Also Mr. and Mrs. Gage's oldest son, Gene, and wife and baby came with them.

Mr. and Mrs. Dutch Smith attended the baseball game Friday at Lometa. Lometa and Mullin were playing. Lometa defeated Mullin one point.

C. S. Smith, Jr. of Tarleton Station and his friend, Bobby Spence, spent the week-end with his mother and father, Mr. and Mrs. Dutch Smith and Johnie.

Mr. and Mrs. Allin Eckert of Rosco came down to visit his brother, Fate Eckert, and family. They with Mr. and Mrs. Fate Eckert and Altha Mae went on to Temple to see their brother, Miles, who was operated on Saturday. Last report he was doing as well as could be expected.

Mrs. John Harris was honored with a birthday dinner given by her stepchildren.

Mr. and Mrs. Nalw Malory of Dallas visited Mr. and Mrs. Fate Eckert over the week-end.

**CENTRAL TEXAS GARDEN CLUBS MEET AT MARLIN**

The Central Texas Garden Clubs Inc., District 5, convened in Marlin, April 15th, for their annual spring meeting.

Registration and coffee began at 9 o'clock.

Mrs. W. R. Payne of San Saba, program chairman, led the following program:

Music by Mrs. Floyd Cole of Marlin.

Song by Mrs. C. N. Campbell and Miss Kathryn Cole.

Invocation by Rev. H. B. Streeter.

Welcome by Mrs. W. E. Fairman of Marlin.

Response, Mrs. L. T. Hughes of Hearne.

Music, Miss Merry Berry of Marlin.

Mrs. R. C. Felts, district counselor, presided over the business session.

Judging Schools was chosen as the major project.

Every club contributed toward the support of the State Nature Camp at Kerrville.

Mrs. S. Hancock of Marlin presided at the luncheon. Each club president introduced the members from their club, and in turn advertised their Locale, and what it was formed for. For some it was cotton, for others, white-faced cattle.

Mrs. John Berry of Goldthwaite and Mrs. D. H. Buchanan of Temple, State Chairman, were introduced by Mrs. W. E. Fairman of Marlin.

A movie of Blue Bonnet scenes in Texas was shown by Mrs. W. H. Shader of Marlin.

A telegram was read from the State President, Mrs. John W. Greene, of Austin, saying she could not be present to give her message.

H. C. Mohr of Texas A. & M. College was principal speaker for the afternoon.

District Garden Clubs Inc. accepted an invitation from the Waco Garden Clubs for the fall meeting.

Representatives from the following clubs were present: De Leon, Goldthwaite, Hamilton, Comanche, Hearne, Marlin, Meridian, San Saba, Temple, Temple Methodist Club, San Saba Dirt Gardeners, and two Waco clubs.

The following from Goldthwaite club attended this meeting, Mrs. Mmes. Jim Weatherby, Malcolm Jernigan, Parsons, John Berry, L. E. Miller, M. F. Horton, C. F. Stubblefield, John Patterson, and Miss Ruth Ervin. All were luncheon guests of Mrs. W. E. Fairman, formerly of Goldthwaite now a member of Marlin Club.

**CHURCH OF THE NAZARENE**

**JIM ASHCRAFT, Pastor**  
T. T. Boyd, S. S. Supt.  
Sunday School—9:45 a. m.  
Morning Worship—10:50 a. m.  
N. Y. P. S.—7:15 p. m.  
Evening Worship—8:00 p. m.  
Prayer Meeting—Wednesday 7:45 p. m.

W. F. M. S. Every Second and Fourth Tuesday Night—7:45.  
We welcome you to all of our services.

Mrs. Sam Hill returned home to Brownsfield Monday after a 10-day visit with her sister, Mrs. Ernest Jarrett. Mr. and Mrs. Anon Platt and son, Darwin, of Event were Sunday visitors in the Ernest Jarrett home.

**CARD OF THANKS**  
We wish to express our thanks to our many friends and neighbors for their kindness shown us through the illness and death of our beloved aunt and sister-in-law. For the flowers and food. May God's richest blessing rest upon each of you.  
G. C. Jones and family.

**Chappell Hill—**

By **PEARL CRAWFORD**  
Most all the farmers are busy plowing corn this week. Tom Stevens was on the sick list a few days.

J. W. Townsend of Brownwood visited his daughter, Mrs. C. M. Bramblett and family a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. M. L. Heath and family attended church Sunday and enjoyed dinner in Bill Horton's home.

Mrs. R. A. Stevens and Miss Lola moved to Goldthwaite last Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. O. A. Evans visited Sunday afternoon with Bob, Ruth, Meria and Ruby Reynolds.

Mr. and Mrs. O. E. Martin had as their guests; Mr. and Mrs. Brady Martin of Doof, Mr. and Mrs. Fregman Martin and son of Brady, Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Allen.

—Eagle Want Ads Get Results—

**ETHRIDGE LEAVES GOLDTHWAITE EAGLE**

After fifteen months with the Eagle Publishing Company, James Ethridge has resigned his position effective May 1. He left last Thursday for a two-week vacation and will visit in Seattle and points in Oregon and Montana. Although his plans are not settled at the present, he plans to continue newspaper work.

While employed by The Eagle, Ethridge was engaged in advertising work. He joined the staff January 13, 1947. He is a graduate of Mullin High School and prior to moving to Goldthwaite he served in the army. In preparation for newspaper work he studied in San Jose State College, Oregon State College and The Montana School of Mines.

Ethridge is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Ethridge of Route 3, Mullin.

**ACCEPTS POSITION AT EAGLE OFFICE**

Miss Polly Stubblefield is a recent employee at the Goldthwaite Eagle Office. She will do office work and will also specialize along the lines of advertising.

After moving to Goldthwaite from San Antonio, Polly graduated from high school in 1946, since that time she has been a student of John Tarleton Agricultural College in Stephenville.

Miss Stubblefield has always taken an active interest in newspaper work, and it is with genuine pleasure we welcome her into the Eagle staff.

**Art And Civic Club**

On April 15 Mrs. Voyd Lee Doggett was hostess to the Art and Civic Club in the hospitable home of her mother, Mrs. Geeslin. During the business meeting plans for a program for the coming year were discussed.

During the social hour Mrs. Charles Ford, leader for the day, introduced Mrs. Marvin Hodges whose subject was "The Sprawling Empire" which told of the immense size of Alaska as compared to that of the United States. Mrs. Ford then introduced Mrs. Philip Nickols whose subject "Little Dark Cousin" told of the TB rate among the Indians of Alaska. Mrs. Ford concluded the program by giving some recent development on statehood for Alaska.

Mrs. Doggett served a delicious plate of sandwiches, pie and punch to club members and guests.

**FIRE DESTROYS SULLIVAN CASH GROCERY HERE**  
Fire of undetermined origin breaking out in the Sullivan Cash Grocery about 1:30 Wednesday morning destroyed the furniture and fixtures and most of the contents of the Sullivan Cash Grocery, next to Burt's Coffee Shop.

The Goldthwaite Fire Department fought the blaze for around an hour, and no doubt saved the rest of the block.

Loss has not yet been estimated.

**CAMP-O-RAL AT LAMPASAS**

Boy Scouts Troop 45, Goldthwaite were well represented at Scout Park at Lampasas Friday and Saturday. Twenty seven boys with Scoutmaster Charles Conrad attended the Camp-O-Ral which consisted of Mills,

**REAL ESTATE**

Do you want to BUY? SELL? EXCHANGE? LEASE?

You have asked for one central office to manipulate real estate and property transactions—one central office to handle the deal all the way through.

HERE IS THE SOLUTION:

FREE LISTINGS—FREE CONSULTATIONS—It doesn't cost you one cent. If you don't get what you want, you don't pay. All deals handled on a contingent basis—a percentage of what you get due only when you get it. No red tape—no one else to contact. We handle the deal all the way through out of one office. All abstract, legal and notary work taken care of by this office.

**WILLIAM G. YARBOROUGH**

Real Estate Agent

Lampasas and San Saba counties. Contests were conducted on a Patrol basis and Goldthwaite Scouts ran a close second to Mullin Scouts who won 1st place.

The following boys attended; Jimmy Laughlin, Robt. H. Johnson, Larry Simmons, Bennie B. Long, Terry Blake, Jimmy Elliott, Larry Piper, Wana Saylor, Tim Boyd, C. D. Lindsay, Henry Cagle, Elsie Lee Johnson, Charles Sawders, Bobby Letbetter, David Bryant, Jimmy Bryant, Alvin Doyle Roberts, John Dean Stark, Tom Boyd, John Cooke, Max Booker, Wilburn Miller, Walter

Henry, Tommy Earls, Jack Long, Jerry Long and Blake. All the Scouts wish to thank Mr. Patton, Supt. of Goldthwaite Schools, and the School Board for the use of a school bus to transport them to Lampasas. The Scouts can ever help you feel free to call on us.—Report

Mr. and Mrs. Clark Huddleston and Mary Lynn of Dallas spent the week-end with their mother, Mrs. L. P. Huddleston and Dr. Huddleston.

**BANK'S OFFICIAL STATEMENT OF FINANCIAL CONDITION OF THE TRENT STATE BANK**

at Goldthwaite, Texas at the close of business on the 15th day of April, 1948, pursuant to call made by the Banking Commission of Texas in accordance with the Banking Laws of this State.

RESOURCES	
Loans and discounts, including overdrafts (1,170.06) (CCC Loans)	\$1,288,800.00
U. S. Govt. obligations, direct and guaranteed	1,087,200.00
Obligations of states and political subdivisions	87,150.00
Cash, balances due from other banks, including reserve balances, and cash items in process of collection (including exchanges for clearing house)	468,344.82
Banking house, or leasehold improvements	15.00
Furniture, fixtures, and equipment	18.00
Other assets	18.00
<b>Total Resources</b>	<b>\$2,808,901.54</b>

LIABILITIES AND CAPITAL ACCOUNTS	
Common Capital Stock	50,000.00
Surplus; Certified \$ 50,000.00, Not Certified \$	50,000.00
Undivided Profits	62,343.82
Demand deposits of individuals, partnerships, and corporations	2,497,498.64
Public funds (Incl. U. S. Govt., states and political subdivisions)	147,960.00
Deposits of banks (excluding reciprocal balances)	1,067.00
<b>Total all deposits</b>	<b>\$ 2,646,557.82</b>
<b>Total Liabilities and Capital Accounts</b>	<b>\$ 2,808,901.54</b>

**MEMORANDA**  
Contingent Liabilities:  
Customer's securities held for safekeeping, Series "E" Bonds held for sale under issuing agency agreement, etc. 35,111.18

STATE OF TEXAS, COUNTY OF MILLS:  
I, GROVER DALTON, being Vice President of the above named bank, do solemnly swear that the foregoing statement of condition is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 15th day of April, 1948.  
GROVER DALTON  
VESSEVA SELLERS  
Notary Public, Mills County.

(SEAL)  
Correct Attest—  
W. P. DUREN  
N. E. STOCKTON  
E. D. HAMILTON

**RECAPITULATION**

RESOURCES		LIABILITIES	
Loans and Discounts	\$1,011,219.40	Capital Stock	\$ 50,000.00
Banking House	1.00	Surplus Funds	50,000.00
Furniture and Fixtures	1.00	Undivided Profits	62,343.82
Other Assets	1.00	Deposits	2,646,557.82
Cash and Due from Banks	\$ 468,344.82		
U. S. Government Securities	987,330.72		
Warrants and Other Securities	187,191.54		
CCC Wool Acct.	1,170.06		
Bills of Exchange	213,642.00-1,797,679.14		
Wool & Mohair			
<b>Total Resources</b>	<b>\$ 2,808,901.54</b>	<b>Total Liabilities</b>	<b>\$ 2,808,901.54</b>

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Give Mother Beauty On Her Day!

For those gifts that Mean so Much—yet cost so little—See our display before you buy

Shampoo Set and Dry **50c**      Permanents **\$3.00** And Up

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BRING YOUR CAR TO US FOR BRAKE INSPECTION

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PLUMBING NEEDS...

We Are Equipped To Take Care Of Your Plumbing Needs.

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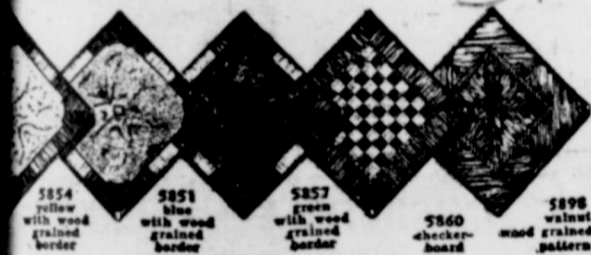
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**ROCK SPRINGS**

By MRS. JOE A. DAVIS

It is very dry in our community. We would surely appreciate a good general rain, for crops and gardens are really suffering for moisture.

Rev. Obrey filled his regular appointment here Sunday, and delivered two good sermons. His regular appointment is the 1st and 3rd Sunday of each month. Mrs. B. D. Tippen, Mrs. J. C. Stark and Doc. Langhlin were on the sick list, but are better.

Rev. Obrey and family and brother, Lawrence Obrey, Mrs. Monk Welch and family and Ronnie Davis ate dinner Sunday in the Doc. Langhlin's home.

Mrs. Mayme Traylor spent Saturday and Sunday in the Rudolph Cook home and attended church Sunday morning and Sunday night.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Frank Davis visited in the Tippen home Sunday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Horace Brooks spent the week-end in Snyder.

Rev. Obrey and family visited in the Cooks, Traylor and Walden Homes Sunday and they ate supper in the J. Frank Davis home.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Griffin had a lot of company during the week-end, but I failed to learn the names. But Mrs. Jimmie Griffin, who has been spending the winter in Houston

with her daughter, Ray, returned home to stay a while.

The Church has planned a social and get-together for Saturday night, May 1st. There will be old time singing and fellowship. Everyone come and be with us.

**Pleasant Grove**

By EDITH COVINGTON

Farmers are hoping to get some rain soon to help the grain before it's too late.

Rev. Weston filled his regular appointment here Sunday afternoon. He was accompanied by his wife and her mother, Mrs. Smith from Mexia.

W. W. Berry was able to be on the sidewalks in town Saturday by using his crutches.

Cecil Virden and Earnie Hairston of Grande Prairie were here over the week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. Francis Soules and son of Spur spent several days with her parents and other relatives.

Mr. Murphy of near Moline visited in the C. N. Berry home Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Berry and W. L. Berry and wife spent Saturday and Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Hubert Berry at Bryan.

Mr. and Mrs. John Covington and son visited with Mrs. Covington last Thursday.

Sam Porter and family and

Mrs. Hightower of Long Cove spent Sunday in the Chas. Hall home.

Mr. Virnell is spending a few days with his daughter, Mrs. W. B. Wilkey, and family.

**Big Valley H. D. Club**

Thursday evening H. D. Club members met in the home of Mrs. Doak with seventeen ladies and the agent with one visitor.

Minutes of the last meeting were read and approved. Mrs. Woods gave council report. Roll calls were answered to "My Favorite Magazine".

The program consisted of a discussion of ways to work with unorganized communities. Mrs. Haensch gave an interesting talk on "Storage Space."

Recreation was led by Mrs. Knowles afterwards delicious refreshments were served.

The next meeting will be in the home of Pearl Long, May 6th. We are to have a book review given by Mrs. Hoyt Cockrell, everyone come.

**CAR WRECKED**

Henry Nowart's 1941 Chevrolet was demolished about eleven o'clock Tuesday night when it was rammed under a truck. The accident happened near the Methodist Church.

—Eagle Want Ads Get Results—

**ROG'S CORNER**

**LITTLE GIRLIES**

Poor little girlies with legs so bare

With no protection from the wintry air

I wonder what the blue northers will say

Finding little girlies dressing this way.

I also wonder how their mothers would feel

If, from their legs, their clothing they'll peel

Then venture forth against the northers so bold

I'll bet you a horse their legs would get cold.

—ROG—

**WILL UNDERGO OPERATION**

Mr. and Mrs. Grover Dalton left Thursday for Fort Worth where Mr. Dalton will undergo a major operation at the St. Paul Hospital in Fort Worth.

Mrs. H. L. Braswell and children returned to her home in Redwood, Calif. after spending a month here with her parents Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Smith. Elmer Gray of Redwood also visited a few days here with his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Smith.

Mrs. R. L. Steen was in Temple the first of this week where she had a checkup at Scott and White Hospital.

Mrs. Wm. Potter of Brownwood spent Wednesday of this week in the home of Mrs. Fred Stephens and other relatives.

Miss Mamie Womack of Dublin was in Goldthwaite visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Womack last Sunday.

J. H. McCarary was taken to the Hamilton Hospital for treatment Wednesday of last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Sumter Gerald and little daughter of Fort Worth spent the week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Saylor.

Miss Mable Malone of Calvert, Ala., is visiting her father, J. E. Malone, and her sister, Mrs. Louise Gwin and family. Miss Malone is employed by the Baptist Home Mission Board.

**FOR RENT**—Two room and bath furnished garage apartment. Hot water and electric refrigerator. Close in. MRS. BOYD MORRIS. Phone 206. 4-23-TF

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**FOR FRIDAY AND SATURDAY, APRIL 23 AND 24**

**CHOICE HOME KILLED BEEF**

**Meats**

**CHEESE . . 2 Lb. Box \$1.00**  
**Sugar Cured Jowl - Lb. 39c**  
**BEEF ROAST . . . Lb. 65c**  
**LOIN STEAK . . . Lb. 75c**  
**DRESSED FRYERS Lb. 69c**

**ARMOUR'S STAR SHORTENING - 3 Lbs. \$1.05**

**WONDER WHIPPED SALAD DRESSING - Qt. 39c**

**WHOLE APRICOTS - No. 2 1/2 Can 19c**

**Grapefruit Juice - 46 Oz. 15c**

**HEART'S DELIGHT SPINACH - No. 2 1/2 Can 19c**

**IN CHUNKS Pineapple - No. 2 1/2 Can 37c**

**TOMATOES - 3 No. 2 Cans 40c**

**DELTA SYRUP - 1/2 Gal. 53c**

**FRESH STOCK**

**Gladiola Flour 25 Lb. Sack \$1.75**

**TIDE IS IN TIDE NEW-Large Pkg. 35c**

**LONG & PIPER**

**GROCERY & MARKET**

**A GOOD PLACE TO TRADE**



**Auction**

**EVERY MONDAY AND FRIDAY**

**CATTLE**—Good Fat Calves 25—30; Medium Calves 20—25; Plain Calves 14—20; Stocker Calves 23—27; Good Fat Cows 16—21; Good Butcher Cows 14—16; Cannors and Cutters 11—14; Plain Stocker Cows, Dry, by Head 75—115; With Calves 115—165; Good Quality Cows with Little Calves 125—210; Heavy Bulls, per pound 18—22.

**SHEEP**—Good Mutton Sheep, per head 9—12; Good Dry Ewes, per head 10—12; Medium Ewes, per head 7—10; Cull Ewes and Wethers, per head 4—7; Good Lambs, per pound 16—18; Medium Lambs, Lb. 14—16; Culls 10—14; Good Ewes and Lambs 12—20; Others 10—12.

**GOATS**—Good Mutton Goats, per head 5—8; Good Dry Nannies, per head 4—6; Medium Nannies, per head 3—4; Cull Nannies 1—3; Good Kids 4—5; Medium Kids 3—4; Culls 2—3.

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LOOKING BACKWARD

THROUGH EAGLE FILES

TEN YEARS AGO

(Taken from Eagle File of April 22, 1938)

Community Public Service Co. sponsors cooking school here—Housewives invited to attend, hear Marie McKenny from the kitchen in Detroit, Michigan.

Arthur Bird's service station is completed and will be open Saturday.

Mrs. Oran Carothers, teacher of the Pleasant Grove Senior Sunday School class, opened her lovely home for a class party. Nineteen were present.

BUSINESS HOUSES BURN at Stephenville—Estimated loss was placed at \$7,000.00.

The local library received some new books for all ages.

Sickness strikes in Eagle family: Mrs. M. Y. Stokes, Jr., was taken to the Santa Anna hospital; her mother, The Eagle Editor, Mrs. R. M. Thompson, was taken sick Tuesday and unable to work.

Merchants are featuring many bargains and free picture shows to speed the recovery of better times.

On Easter Sunday Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Owens of Center City celebrated their Golden Wedding Anniversary at their home.

Brian Smith of Dallas arrived Thursday to visit his mother, Mrs. Frank Smith.

Mrs. Jacob Saylor and Mrs. John Schooler left Wednesday to attend the District Convention of the Texas Federation of Women's Clubs at Eastland.

Mrs. Sam Sullivan and niece, of Dallas, were among the weekend visitors here.

Mrs. John D. Berry and Mrs. J. H. Randolph left Thursday for Austin where they will spend several days visiting relatives and friends and attending the Garden Club Association.

Honor Roll Students from A. C. C. are Lucille Wilmeth, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Wilmeth of Ebony, Merlin Faulkner, son of Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Faulkner and Molene McCasland, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. B. McCasland of Goldthwaite. Miss Suzanne Ayres accompanied Evelyn Gartman home from the University of Texas and enjoyed the week-end in the home of L. J. Gartman.

25 YEARS AGO

(Taken from Eagle Files of April 21, 1923)

The merchants of Goldthwaite are making preparations for a big day on May 7, Goldthwaite's first Trades Day, and sponsored by the Mills County Chamber Commerce and enthusiastically backed by the business men of the city.

Tonight is the regular meeting night for the Mills County Post of the American Legion.

The Goldthwaite City Garage is under new management, beginning today. Roy Conro, former owner, sold the first of this week to Messrs. Kelly Saylor and Burl Parks.

A pecan specialist will spend two days in Mills County this week.

GERMANY MAKES FIRST PEACE OFFER TO FRANCE!! Rent a vacuum cleaner by the day.—FAIRMAN CO.—Ad.

The Merry Wives Club met Tuesday afternoon with Mrs. Neal Dickerson.

Mrs. T. F. Elliott, niece of H. D. Barrow, left the first of this week for Glen Rose, to take treatment at a sanitarium there.

Learn to play the piano without hours of practice—You'll find yourself singing too. The words of the songs are on the rolls.—GARTMAN'S MUSIC STORE.

We are making the standard bee-hive here in Goldthwaite—Cryer Windmill Manufacturing Company.

Texas woman declares she doesn't care to live until she takes Stella Vital, and is restored to health.

The Art and Civic Club met at the home of L. R. Conroe on April 19 and had a lovely program pertaining to Mother's Day.

Mrs. Gillespie will present her Expression Class in a recital at the Dixie Theatre May 1. The proceeds will be given to the Cemetery Association.

50 YEARS AGO

(Taken from Eagle file of April 23, 1898)

The machinery for drilling an artesian well at Forney has been placed and an old boring of 900 feet will be continued through to water.

A number of counterfeit silver dollars of the date 1894 have been put in circulation at Kaufman the past few days. The manufacturer is up to his business, as it is very hard to detect them from the genuine.

Mrs. Lottie Pruitt from near Azle, Tarrant County, was lodged in the County jail at Fort Worth, Sunday under an indictment by the grand jury charging her with murder. Mrs. Pruitt has three children, one of which is with her in the cell.

In the I. C. Everly's ad he says, Buckskin Breeches—Best in the world at \$1 per pair. Every pair guaranteed. Samples of high grade fancy pants to select from. Straw hats for boys, at 5 cents each. Nice lace pillow shams, pretty and cheap at 25 cents a pair.

Wanted to Exchange—We want to exchange dry goods, clothing, notions, boots, shoes, hats, tinware, crockery, and glassware, for cattle, country lard, eggs, chickens, turkeys, geese, ducks, country bacon, beef hides and beeswax.

Woody and Roberts.

Capt. D. T. Bush, one of the most prosperous farmers in this country, was in town Wednesday. He sold several well cured hams and informed us he had 80 more in his smoke house. He is the kind of farmer that succeeds.

Hurlbut Hardware Co. has a new ideal deering harvester and it has steel folding platform, no trucks needed.

B. A. Harris, the Dry Goods Man, has the Grandest Display of new and fashionable goods ever made in Goldthwaite.

The rock work on the first story of the Driskill building has been completed.

Drs. Sharp and Logan were called to Mullin Wednesday to attend D. W. Christian, who is quite ill.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Trent and Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Hammond spent last Sunday on the bayou, near Jackson crossing.

Miss Oliver Baldwin, daughter of Prof. Baldwin of the State University, lectured at the Methodist Church in this city last Tuesday afternoon.

The Odd Fellows, assisted by the Sunday schools of the town, will give a picnic at the tank next Tuesday. Everyone come and bring a well filled basket.

Notice: All persons are hereby notified not to hunt, camp, dig fish bait or other wise depredate on land in my pasture.

H. G. Forehand.

Lon E. Patterson is announced as a candidate for the office of County Attorney.

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Makemson, who lived on the bayou were drowned Sunday afternoon as they crossed a small slough which emptied into the bayou.

He was 64 and she 62. His body was found Monday morning lodged against a tree but hers was not found until Thursday, it was five miles from where the accident occurred.

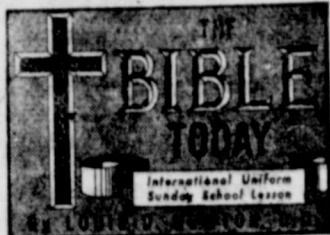
OLDSMOBILE STARTS PRODUCTION STATION WAGONS AT DETROIT

Detroit April 8—Production of station wagon bodies for Oldsmobile has started at Fisher Body's Cleveland, O. plant, it was announced today by L. C. Goad, vice president of General Motors and general manager of the Fisher Body Division.

Oldsmobile is the second GM car division to get "Body by Fisher" on its station wagons, Chevrolet having obtained Fisher as its exclusive source for station wagon bodies last year.

Production for both Chevrolet and Oldsmobile will be handled by the Cleveland plant until a transfer of operations is made to a new Fisher plant at Euclid, O. The new plant, acquired last year, is undergoing virtually complete reconditioning and equipping in preparation for automotive production. When ready for production it will specialize in bodies for station wagons and sedan delivery trucks.

Goad said the Euclid plant probably will be ready for production by early summer.



ZECARIAH 1:1-4; 4: 7-8. DEVOTIONAL READING: Psalms 24: 1-6.

Zechariah Pleads For Righteousness

Lesson for April 25, 1948

ZECARIAH almost certainly was born and reared in or near Babylon, and was trained for the priesthood and ordained of the Lord as a prophet.

His father, Berechiah, was the son of Iddo, the prophet. Though much younger than Haggai, about whom we studied last Sunday, Zechariah began his ministry only two months later than Haggai—a ministry which was to summon the people to righteousness as a condition essential in the rebuilding of the temple and in cleansing themselves of idolatry, if they were to throw off the yoke of their foes. The student will need to read the entire Book of Zechariah to have the background for this lesson. Also Psalm 24:1-6.



Dr. Newton

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LIVING TOGETHER IN GOD'S WAY

"TURN ye unto me, saith the Lord of hosts, and I will turn unto you." Zechariah 1:3. People cannot live together in peace and harmony until first they are on speaking terms with God. The insidious onslaught of secularism was weakening the Jews at the very moment when they needed to be strong and united for the task of rebuilding the temple and restoring their life in Jerusalem.

Read further into the prophecy of Zechariah and note the admonitions of the Lord for kindness one toward another—kindness and understanding and sincerity, which are the indispensable qualities of community life.

WHAT MAKES A PEOPLE GREAT? ZECARIAH reminds the people that the downfall of their fathers had been due to their forgetfulness of God. He calls them now to repentance for their own sins, that they become truly a great people. "Fear not, but let your hands be strong," Zechariah 8:13. "What makes a nation great and strong?"

Not brick, nor stone, nor wood. But justice, love and brotherhood."

Boys and girls will do well to look again at what this old prophet was saying. We long to see the United States a truly great nation. Then let us be strong in the Lord.

GOD HAS A STANDARD

READ chapter seven, verses 8-14, and 8:16-17, for some of the standards which God sets up for his people. "Execute true judgment, and show kindness and compassion every man to his brother. Oppress not the widow, the orphan, the foreigner, or the poor, and never plot evil in your hearts against one another."

Zechariah is here epitomizing the Ten Commandments and the Sermon on the Mount. All of which he to remind us today that we do not need new standards. We simply need to conform to God's eternal standards.

GOD IS TO BE SOUGHT UNTO THE first eight chapters of Zechariah have to do with the essential qualities of life if the people are to rebuild the temple. The last six chapters deal with the general standards of life which we must accept and strive to attain if we are to be well-pleasing unto him.

I like the phrase of the fathers, "God is to be sought unto." And how are we to come into the presence of the Lord? "He that hath clean hands, and a pure heart; who hath not lifted up his soul unto vanity, nor sworn deceitfully," Psalms 24:4.

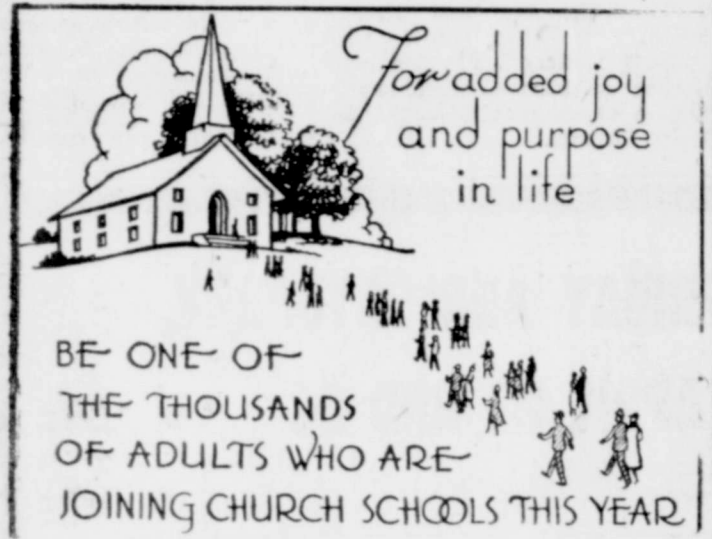
It was not enough to rebuild the temple. God wanted his people to become living stones of integrity and fidelity in the city of God.

This we shall attain only as we seek first the Kingdom of God and his righteousness—constantly seek this daily walk with the Lord, in the light of his word.

"Righteousness exalteth a nation, but sin is a reproach to any people."

By the Bible

If we abide by the principles taught in the Bible, our country will go on prospering and to prosper; but if we and our posterity neglect its instructions and authority, no man can tell how sudden a catastrophe may overwhelm us and bury all our glory in profound obscurity.—Daniel Webster.



THOUSANDS ARE JOINING

Hundreds of thousands of adults are joining the Sunday school. In the Methodist Church alone over two million adults attend this teaching agency of the church.

Adults who join the Sunday school do so because they recognize their need for instruction and guidance in the Christian way of life. This expression is a compliment to their intelligence—it shows an awareness of the greatest values found in life. This response indicates a deep concern for their own spiritual welfare and a feeling of responsibility for helping to make their church more effective in undergirding community life with Christian teaching. Adults who attend Sunday school realize the need for building homes upon faith in Jesus Christ and his teachings.

Those who attend Sunday school have a purpose in life that brings to them not only joy but also an abiding sense of faith. This satisfaction is grounded in the fact that they are discovering greater meaning in life and helping others to discover the joy that comes from unselfish service to the Master.

THE DRINKING-DRIVING PROBLEM

It is the hardest thing in the world to make a man listen to something about which he already has a preconceived and different opinion. He does not even hear what you say, because he thinks he knows better.

Something of the kind must account for the widespread public indifference to the problem of drinking and its relation to highway accidents. Certainly it cannot be said that the true facts have not been presented to the public frequently and forcefully.

There is evidence that the public has learned certain parts of the drinking-driving story and still been deaf to the main point. In a recent opinion poll, the public rated intoxication a leading cause of traffic accidents. But what has not been taken to heart, as the increasing number of such accidents testifies is the all-important question of how much liquor it takes to make a motorist unfit to drive.

Tests show beyond all possible doubt that a very small amount of alcohol slows up drivers' reactions to the danger point. Add to this the other factors usually present—dark highways and late-hour fatigue—and the appalling death and injury rate is not surprising.

But the average drinking driver does not hear all this because he "knows better." His friends tell him he holds his liquor well; a few drinks convince him that he is the smartest and most skillful driver for miles around; and he drives confidently off into the night to suicide and slaughter.

The only way to curb drinking drivers is to have really tough laws. Only aroused public opinion can get such laws enacted. Let's un-stop our ears to the facts. Let's have less highway murder!

One of the big problems of insect control is to find new poisons as fast as the insects become resistant to the old ones. Florida laboratory workers have developed house flies which can withstand twice the amount of DDT that kills normal flies. The Navy has taken over nearly 650,000 acres of public lands at Inyokern, California, as proving grounds for guided missiles and rocket research program.

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## HERD & FAITH HATCHERY

GOLDTHWAITE, TEXAS

### CORN—

Mrs. Ora Black immediate class of the school will sponsor a next Sunday morning with Rev. Cloud will morning worship.

Mrs. Arlie O'Bannon attended Sunday later were luncheon Mr. and Mrs. Wayne

Johnson visited re-san Saba Tuesday. Mrs. H. D. Club will Wednesday the 28th writer. All members to be present to ans for inviting a

neighboring club as our guests. Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Neal were guests Saturday evening of Mr. and Mrs. Webb Laughlin.

Guests who visited Sunday in the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Harris honoring her birthday were; her sister, Mrs. George Joyce, and Mr. Joyce of Odessa, Mr. and Mrs. Bud Conrad and sons and Mr. and Mrs. Day of Long Cove, Mrs. Dan Smith and daughter of Bluffdale, Mr. and Mrs. Velma Gage, Mr. and Mrs. Boyd of San Saba, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Harris of Odessa, Mr. and Mrs. Dee Harris of Lometa, Mr. and Mrs. Dutch Smith and sons Junior and Johnie.

Mr. and Mrs. Webb Laughlin

were guests Saturday evening of Mr. and Mrs. Wallace Durst. Mr. and Mrs. Leon Johnson were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Lee Long.

Mrs. Dick Hall visited Wednesday with Mrs. Jane Johnston. Mrs. Earl Blake came over from Valera for a few days visit with her mother, Ora Black.

Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Black and sons, Huntis and Layton, visited over the week-end in Burtram with Mr. and Mrs. James Teague.

### NEGRO COUPLE MARRIED HERE

Courtesy shown a colored man here last year paid off last Saturday in dollars and cents when County Clerk Summy sold a license and County Judge Patterson performed a marriage ceremony for John T. Caby and Miss Ora Lee Cabiness, who drove over here that day from Camp Hood. Caby has retired from the

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HUDSON BROS. DRUGGISTS

Army after 30 years service. During the last war, he stopped some shrapnel in Northern Italy and has recently been discharged from the hospital, after spending 18 months in a Longview hospital. He said the reason he decided to come to Goldthwaite to get married was because on Feb. 5, 1947 he was sent over here from Camp Hood to take care of two of his best friends who were killed in a car wreck near Scallorn, and the people of the town and county treated him so nice he made up his mind to come back here some time.

This is believed to be the first wedding ceremony ever to be performed for negroes in Goldthwaite, and those who witnessed the ceremony here wish Sgt. Caby and his beautiful young bride much happiness.

### Midway Community Club

The Community Club met with Mrs. Lee Parker Friday, April 16, with five members and two visitors present. The afternoon was spent in quilting.

The Club was sorry to have Mrs. Colle Sevier resign as a club member and reporter. Everyone is hoping to have her visit any time, and be a member again soon.

Mrs. Parker served two kinds of cake and bottle drinks. The meeting adjourned to meet with Mrs. Odessa Tubbs, May 7.

—Reporter  
—Eagle Want Ads Get Results—

Miss Bess Crews spent several days the first of this week in Dallas buying merchandise for the Tots to Teens Shop.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Shipman of Indian Gap were Sunday guests of Mrs. Will Robert's. Mrs. Ted Kirby received a message Wednesday morning that her brother, Millard Evans, is seriously ill of pneumonia at a hospital in Hollywood, Calif.

For reserve-seat tickets to "Plain Jane", see Rita Henry or ask any senior to bring them to you.

Mrs. J. R. Parker left Tuesday for a few days visit with her daughters and their families in Fort Worth.

Mrs. Bruce Burnett spent last week in Houston in the home of her niece, Mrs. J. L. Reese, and family.

—Eagle Want Ads Get Results—

Miss Marialyce Smith was home last week-end visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Barton Smith. Marialyce is a student at Texas University and is certainly enjoying her work.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Edlin of Brownwood and Miss Bess Hutchings spent Sunday with their sister, Mrs. G. W. Hill and family, and Mrs. Hill went home with Mr. and Mrs. Edlin Sunday evening. Mr. Edlin brought her home Monday.—Mrs. Hill.

Don't miss eccentric, deaf Aunt Emma who has sciatic rheumatism and is too old to take a bath.

Miss Tommy Ann Booker, student at John Tarleton was home last week-end and was hostess to one of her school friend, Marie Robertson.

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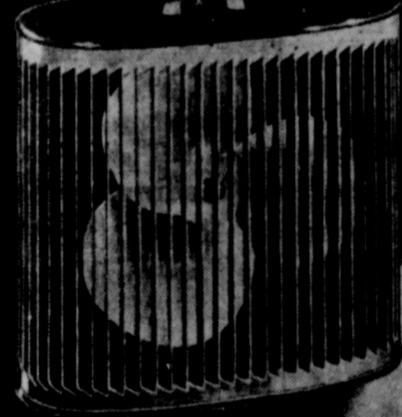
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**TREASURER OF**  
**TY, TEXAS.**  
**NDERSIGNED, as**  
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**Mills County, and**  
**n. L. Patterson,**  
**of said Mills**  
**ating the entire**  
**Court of said**  
**ach one of us, do**  
**that on this, the**  
**April, A. D. 1948,**

at a regular term of our said Court, we have compared and examined the report of Mrs. Bertha Weathers, Treasurer of said County, for the period beginning on the 1st day of January A. D. 1948 and ending on the 31st day of March A. D. 1948, and finding the same correct have caused an order to be entered upon the minutes of the Commissioners' Court of said County, stating the approval of said Treasurers' Report by our said Court, which said order recites separately the amount received and paid out of each fund by said County Treasurer since her last report to this Court, and for and during the time covered by her present report, and the balance of each

fund remaining in said Treasurer's hands on the said 31st day of March A. D. 1948, and have ordered the proper credits to be made in the accounts of the said County Treasurer, in accordance with said order as required by Articles 1636-1637, Chapter 1, Title 34 of the Revised Statutes of Texas, 1925.  
 And we, and each of us, further certify that we have actually and fully inspected and counted all the actual cash and assets in the hands of the said Treasurer belonging to Mills County at the close of the examination of said Treasurer's Report, on this the 12th day of April A. D. 1948, and find the same to be as follows, to-wit:

Balance on hand as shown by Treasurer's Report on the 1st day of January, 1948 \$ 8,877.26  
 To amount received since said date 2,089.75  
 By amount disbursed since said date 1,173.99  
 By amount to balance 9,793.02  
 Total \$10,967.01 \$10,967.01  
 Balance to credit of said JURY FUND as actually counted by us on the 12th day of April 1948 and including the amount balance on hand by said Treasurer at the date of the filing of her report on the 31st day of March 1948 and the balance between receipts and disbursements since that day making a total balance of \$ 9,793.02

**ROAD AND BRIDGE FUND**  
 Dr. Cr.  
 Bal. on hand 16,403.95  
 To amt. rec'd. 12,373.38  
 By amt. disbursed 10,138.10  
 By amt. to bal. 18,939.23  
 Total \$28,777.33 \$28,777.33  
 Balance to credit on said ROAD AND BRIDGE FUND—\$18,639.23.

**ROAD DIS. NO. 1 SINKING FUND**  
 Dr. Cr.  
 Bal. on hand 1,240.54  
 To amt. rec'd. 266.14  
 By amt. disbursed 1,506.68  
 Total \$ 2,054.68 \$ 2,054.68  
 Balance to credit of said ROAD DISTRICT NO. 1 SINKING FUND—\$1,506.68.

**FARM TO MARKET SINKING FUND**  
 Dr. Cr.  
 Bal. on hand 1,497.12  
 To amt. rec'd. 557.28  
 By amt. disbursed 2,054.40  
 Total \$ 2,054.40 \$ 2,054.40  
 Balance to credit of said FARM TO MARKET SINKING FUND—\$2,054.40.

**FARM TO MARKET FUND**  
 Dr. Cr.  
 Bal. on hand 65.36  
 To amt. rec'd. 3,500.00  
 By amt. disbursed 4,148.80  
 By amt. to bal. OD 583.44  
 Total \$ 3,565.36 \$ 3,565.36  
 Balance to credit of said FARM TO MARKET FUND—O. D. \$583.44.

**GENERAL FUND**  
 Dr. Cr.  
 Bal. on hand 9,856.06  
 To amt. rec'd. 3,578.42  
 By amt. disbursed 3,353.22  
 By amt. to bal. 10,093.26  
 Total \$13,434.48 \$13,434.48  
 Balance to credit on said GENERAL FUND—\$10,093.26.

**C. H. SINKING FUND**  
 Dr. Cr.  
 Bal. on hand 1,295.67  
 To amt. rec'd. 139.31  
 By amt. disbursed 1,434.38  
 Total \$ 1,434.38 \$ 1,434.38  
 Balance to credit on said C. H. SINKING FUND—\$1,434.38.

**SPECIAL BULLDOZIER FUND**  
 Dr. Cr.  
 Bal. on hand 7.82  
 To amt. rec'd.  
 By amt. disbursed 7.82  
 By amt. to bal.  
 Total \$ 7.82 \$ 7.82  
 Balance to credit of said SPECIAL BULLDOZIER FUND—\$7.82.

**COURTHOUSE FUND**  
 Dr. Cr.  
 Bal. on hand 10,525.77  
 To amt. rec'd. 3,343.57  
 By amt. disbursed 650.62  
 By amt. to bal. 13,218.72  
 Total \$13,869.34 \$13,869.34  
 Balance to credit on said COURTHOUSE FUND—\$13,218.72

**LATERAL ROAD FUND**  
 Dr. Cr.  
 Bal. on hand 3,419.43  
 To amt. rec'd.  
 By amt. disbursed 1,565.40  
 By amt. to bal. 1,854.03  
 Total \$ 3,419.43 \$ 3,419.43  
 Balance to credit of said LATERAL ROAD FUND—\$1,854.03.

**BRIDGE REPAIR FUND**  
 Dr. Cr.  
 Bal. on hand 421.25  
 To amt. rec'd. 421.15  
 By amt. disbursed 694.92  
 By amt. to bal. 226.23  
 Total \$ 921.15 \$ 921.15  
 Balance to credit on said BRIDGE REPAIR FUND—\$226.23.

**RECAPITULATION**  
 Balance to credit on March 31st, 1948  
 Jury Fund \$ 9,793.02  
 Road and Bridge Fund 18,639.23  
 General Fund 10,093.26  
 C. H. Sinking Fund 1,434.38  
 Special Bulldozer Fund 7.82  
 Courthouse Fund 13,218.72  
 Lateral Road Fund 1,854.03  
 Bridge Repair Fund 226.23  
 Road District No. 1 1,506.68  
 F. to M. Sinking Fund 2,054.40  
 Farm to Market 583.44  
 Total cash on hand belonging to Mills County in the hands of said Treasurer as actually counted by us, Total \$59,401.21

WITNESS OUR HANDS, officially this 13th day of April A. D. 1948:  
 JOHN L. PATTERSON,  
 County Judge.  
 J. Y. TULLOS,  
 Commissioner Precinct No. 1.  
 FRED V. WALL,  
 Commissioner Precinct No. 2.

K. B. HENRY,  
 Commissioner Precinct No. 3.  
 J. F. DAVIS,  
 Commissioner Precinct No. 4.  
 SWORN TO AND SUBSCRIBED before me, by JOHN L. PATTERSON, County Judge, and J. Y. TULLOS, and FRED V. WALL, and K. B. HENRY, and J. F. DAVIS, County Commissioners of said Mills County, each respectively, on this, the 13th day of April A. D. 1948.  
 W. E. SUMMY,  
 County Clerk.  
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**Charles A. Simpson**  
 Charles Albert Simpson was born December 19, 1883, in Burnet County and passed away April 12, 1948 at the age of 64 years, 3 months, 7 days. He was married to Lillie Stark September 16, 1906 and to this union were born 10 children, all of whom are still living except one girl who preceded him in death in 1926.  
 Left to mourn his death are his wife, Lillie Simpson, two sons Herbert of Grand Prairie, and Ferrill of Chicago; seven daughters, Mrs. Lorraine Newton of Whiteface; Mrs. Jewell Casbeer of Anson; Mrs. Olivia Taylor of Hamilton; Mrs. Alta Casbeer of Colorado City; Mrs. Velma Harrell of Grand Prairie; Ruby of Dallas and Georgia Mae of the home. All children were present for the funeral. He also leaves one brother, Andes Simpson of Winters; 22 grandchildren and a host of other relatives and friends.  
 Charlie Simpson, as he was known to his many friends, obeyed the gospel at the age of 22 and was faithful until death. Born in Burnet County, left an orphan at the age of 6, he lived with his grandparents until he married, then came to Mills County where he spent all but four years of his remaining life. He was a good christian, neighbor and friend, but most of all, he was a good husband and a good father to his children.

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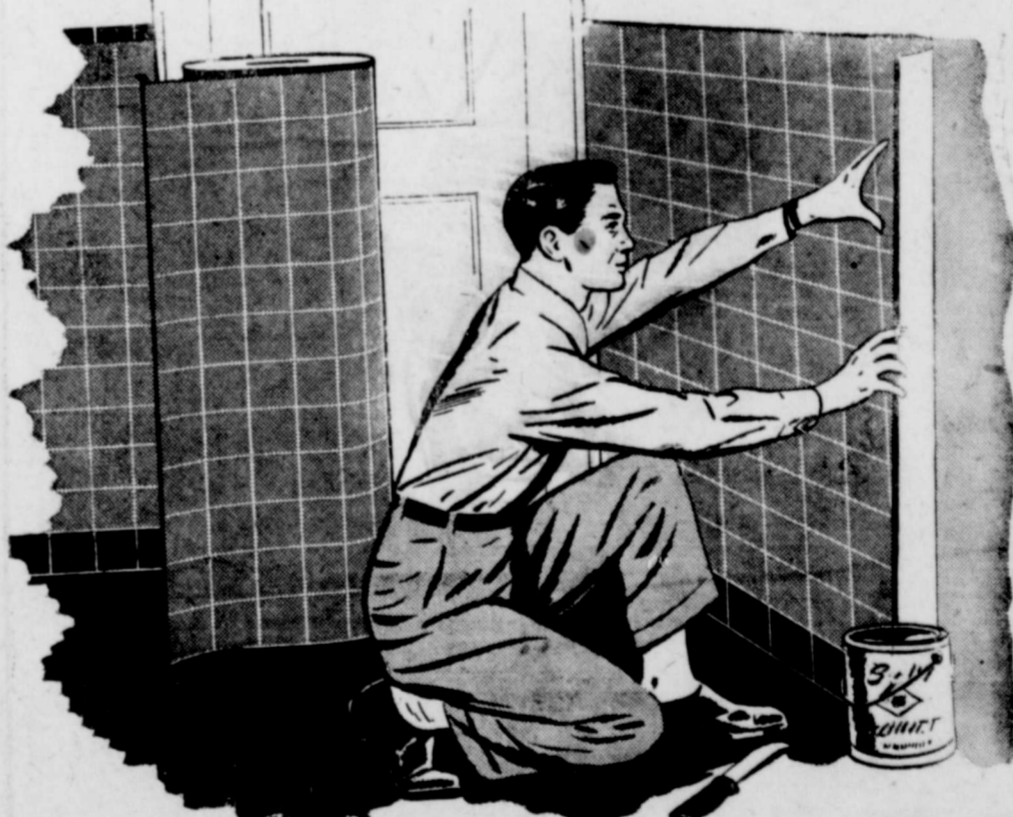
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(Continued from page one)

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Remember the old Big Valley store, Run by Bill Oglesby in the days of yore?

And the son of the Preacher, was it Hatch? He got shot in the water melon patch.

Remember long ago, what a shock, when the town burned out block by block?

Once called to Church by the old Church Bell. Why discontinued? No one can tell.

Drove through Lover's Lane the other day. The trees overlapping. Almost a "One Way."

Let's not forget Professor Skinner. He skinned us all alike—saint or sinner.

Yes, and our own Professor Patton! Millions marvel at how his calves do fatten.

Skirts are coming down, likewise slips. Placing culverts where once were dips.

Last but not least, Old William's Ranch, Deserted village on Herd Pen Branch

Where Mother Fairman taught us kids to sing Without organ tuning fork or anything.

Them's my memories of our country and town The cleanest place to live for miles aroun'.

—ROG.

**WEEKLY W. FORECAST—**

Old Hunnert is plum disgusted. He forgot to make a weather forecast last week for this week—but the Boss don't know it yet. Also, Old Hunnert intended to wait until church services were over Sunday night, and then push in that R buttin for some inches of rain Monday—but plum forgot that, too. Now, so many people has asked Old Hunnert for rain this week—but no palm-crossers yet—that he decided to push in that R buttin hard last night and await results, all for free. So, git your slickers and umbrellas handy, and if you want it to stop raining just remember them magic letters: CPS. The next 3 days won't be very fitten weather for fishing, either.

Saturday, Seniors will be on the streets selling tickets to "Plain Jane". Buy yours now to be assured of getting a seat.



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- 10:55 a. m.—Morning Worship service with the pastor speaking.
- 3:00 p. m. Youth Choir Rehearsal.
- 7:00—Training Union.
- 8:00 p. m.—Evening worship service with the Pastor speaking.
- 9:00 p. m. Youth Fellowship.
- MONDAY
- 3:00 p. m.—Sunbeams at the

- Church.
- 3:00 p. m.—Fielder Circle meeting.
- 3:00 p. m.—Winsome Circle with Mrs. Howard Hoover.
- FRIDAY
- 7:00 p. m.—Teachers and Officers Meeting.
- 7:30 p. m.—Prayer meeting with Miss Mabel Malone of Calvert, Ala., speaking.
- 8:30 p. m.—Choir Rehearsal.

Don't miss seeing "Plain Jane".—**Old funny-faced Jane who needs her hair scrubbed and her fingernails cleaned.** Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Womack and her mother, Mrs. Weatherby, visited Mr. and Mrs. Robert Finley and little daughter, Patricia, in Coleman this week. Buy a reserve seat to the Senior Play, "Plain Jane."—Price 50 cents.

**Political Announcements**

The Goldthwaite Eagle has been authorized to announce the following names as candidates for the offices specified, subject to action of the voters in the Democratic Primary Election on Saturday, July 24, 1948:

- For Representative to the National Congress from Texas 21st Congressional District:
  - O. C. FISHER Of San Angelo, Texas (Re-Election)
  - HOWELL E. COBB of Brady, Texas
  - CHARLES L. SOUTH Of Coleman, Texas
- For State Representative, 104th Rep. District:
  - W. E. HEATLY Of De Leon, Texas. (Re-Election)
- For County Judge and Ex-Officio County School Superintendent:
  - LEWIS B. PORTER
  - JOHN L. PATTERSON (Re-Election)
- For Sheriff, Tax Assessor-Collector:
  - W. L. MAHAN (Re-election)
- For County-District Clerk, Mills County:
  - EARL SUMMY (Re-Election)
- For County Treasurer:
  - A. M. PRIBBLE
  - MRS. BERTHA WEATHERS (Re-Election)
- For County Commissioner, Precinct No. 1:
  - JESS Y. TULLOS (Re-Election)
  - WORLEY W. LAUGHLIN
- For Mills County Commissioner, Prec. No. 2:
  - FRED V. WALL (Re-Election)
- For County Commissioner Precinct No. 3:
  - K. B. HENRY (Re-election)
- For Mills County Commissioner, Prec. 4:
  - J. FRANK DAVIS (Re-Election)

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M. D. LOWRY, Pastor

**THE PASTOR'S PARAGRAPH**

It has been truly said that what is holding us back, religiously speaking, is our refusal to do what we know is right to do. There are very few in the community but knows he ought to be directly and effectively related to some church, but we refuse to do what we know is right about it. Yet we insist on the rights which the church very definitely makes possible in the community and in the entire country. We want to be dealt with as an individual with liberty to pursue our individual way yet we do not seem to realize that genuine religious has always stood for individual liberty. It was the influence of the church and its teachings which made it expedient for our founding fathers to include personal liberties in the constitution in the first place. If we do what we know is right we will effectively relate ourselves to the church which helps to perpetuate our liberties.

- SUNDAY, April 25
- Sunday School—9:45 a. m.
- Morning Worship—10:50 a. m.
- Sermon Subject, "Your Conversion." The Pastor.
- Methodist Youth Fellowship Meetings:
  - Intermediate—7:15 p. m.
  - Senior-Young People—7:15 p. m.

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