

Local Markets

CATTLE
Cattle market was off this week, with the exception of Fat Cows, with sales as follows: Steers \$19 to \$25; Stocker Cows \$15 to \$19; Plain Stocker Cows \$9 to \$15; Bulls \$14 to \$18; Fat Cows \$12 to \$14; Canners and Cutters \$5 to \$11.

SHEEP
Prices on Sheep last Friday steady with Best Lambs \$8; Stocker Ewes \$8 to \$10; Head; Best Fat Lambs 15 1/2 to 16; Culls and Wrinkled \$12; Old Ewes 6c to 7c; Muttons 7c to 9c; Yearlings 8c to 12c; Yearlings Culls 8c to 9c.

GOATS
Best young Goats; \$6 to \$9; Aged fat goats \$8; Kid Goats \$4.

EGGS
Current Receipts, 50c doz.; Large White, 52c doz.; 42 doz.; Pullets, 30c; No. 2's 15c doz.; Waterfowl \$2 lb.

TURKEYS
Hens, 31c; Hens, 18c.

CHICKENS
Hens, 8c; Hens, 18c; 55c to 60c average; Roaster, \$1.00 average; Shell Pecans, 20c per pound; prices vary according to quality.

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Alter Doggett Dies Thursday Morning
Alter Doggett passed away at his hospital Thursday morning, December 18, after several weeks of illness. Funeral services will be conducted for Mr. Doggett at the First Methodist Church of Goldthwaite at 10:00 a. m. Friday morning, December 19, with interment in Goldthwaite Memorial Cemetery. Mr. Doggett was a life-long resident of Goldthwaite and the City area. Further details will be in next week's Eagle.

Coffee Shop Moves To New Location
According to announcement by Mr. and Mrs. Royce Brown, the Coffee Shop will close Saturday night of this week and will move to their new location at 504 Fisher Street, next door to The Eagle office, over the weekend.
The move is expected to be completed and they plan to be open for business in their new home on Monday morning, the announcement stated.

School Board To Receive Petition For Election To Approve Tax Increase

A petition signed by D. R. Edgington and a large number of other taxpayers of the Goldthwaite Independent School District asking the local school board to call a special election to determine whether taxpayers are in favor of increasing the tax levy for local maintenance fund, will be presented to the school board at their next regular meeting on January 5th. The Petition has been circulating during the past week and is still in process of being signed by more taxpayers.
Twenty signatures are required on a petition requesting the special election according to law. The petition which will be

Lions Club Will Distribute Christmas Boxes

Goldthwaite Lions Club is again sponsoring the project of distribution of Christmas boxes filled with candy, nuts, fruit and toys. These bundles of holiday cheer will brighten Christmas for underprivileged children in the Goldthwaite area.

W. P. Duren, Rev. J. T. Ayers, Rev. Ed H. Lovelace, Dr. M. A. Childress and Brian Smith were appointed by Jess Moreland, Lions President, to serve on the Committee to prepare a Christmas list of needy children. Howard Campbell, T. M. Glass, Charles Conrad, R. T. Padgett, J. T. Jones and George Reese were appointed to the Gift Distribution Committee.
L. C. Byrd, Chairman of the Christmas Cards Committee, reported that \$122 was netted from this year's sale of cards, half of which will be given to the Texas Lion's hospital for crippled children in Kerrville.

W. P. Duren Attends Bankers Clinic

Warren P. Duren, Executive Vice President of the Mills County State Bank of this city, attended the Second Annual Farm and Ranch Credit School at Texas A. & M. College on Sunday, Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday of last week.
Classes were scheduled for the four days in discussion and careful study of farm and ranch evaluation and relationship with Commercial banking. The meetings were attended by 175 prominent men representing the Texas banking industry.
Mr. Duren made the trip to Bryan with John Yantis, President of the First National of Brownwood.

Patrons Are Asked To Bundle Christmas Cards For Mailing

In order to speed the handling of the heavy flood of Christmas mail, local patrons have been asked to tie their Christmas cards in bundles and label them as follows: "City" for all Goldthwaite mail; "Routes" for all rural routes; and "Out-of-town" for any mail going out of the city.
Postmaster Lucile Fairman, in making this request, pointed out that many extra hours of detail work will be eliminated and thus speed up the delivery of the holiday mail.

Swimming Pool Fund Receives Boost This Week

A fund for the purpose of providing a swimming pool for Goldthwaite was created this week when Grady Carothers made a contribution in the amount of \$50.00 for that purpose at the regular meeting of the Lions Club on Tuesday night. This is the first contribution toward a swimming pool fund.
The Lions Club has had a committee working on the proposed project for some time trying to work out details of location and other problems involved. This contribution has given the project a shot in the arm and the committee is renewing its activities with keen interest.

Mr. Carothers, in making the contribution, informed the club members that he felt they were all in on the matter since it was part of the funds which were paid him for including this city on his schedule and making his appearance here with his Santa and reindeer team for the annual Christmas party and that he was happy to do that to get the ball started rolling on the project.
Mrs. P. R. Jordan and daughter, Lou Etta, visited Mrs. Jack Locklear and children Tuesday afternoon.

Here Are Results Of Goldthwaite's Invitational Basketball Tournament

In the final stretch of the Goldthwaite Invitational Basketball Tournament held last Thursday and Friday nights and throughout last Saturday in Goldthwaite Gymnasium, Goldthwaite girls' "A" basketball team lost a close match with Lometa girls' "A" players by a shut-out score of 53-49 in the Winners' Bracket. This victory gave Lometa's team the first place trophy of the tournament.
This same narrow loss put the Goldthwaite girls in second place for the meet.
After defeating Goldthwaite boys' "A" team by a score of 49-25, the Lometa boys' "A" line-up went on to gain a victory of 48-33 over San Saba in the finals, making them first place winners. This automatically made San Saba the second place winners of the tournament.
Priddy boys' and girls' teams walked away with the Consolation trophies. The Priddy boys' "A" team took their prize by defeating the Goldthwaite boys' "A" team 30-22 in the finals, while the Priddy girls' "A" team beat Goldthwaite girls' "B" team 18-12 for their trophy.
Misses Mary Ellen Cox and Maedell Long of Goldthwaite won individual trophies naming them all-tournament stars. Dick Lindsay was also presented an individual all-tournament trophy for his skill as he represented Goldthwaite on the basketball court.
Goldthwaite's teams participated in eleven games and had three teams in the finals.
Total gate receipts netted \$178.40 for the games, with expenses going to pay officials \$50 and trophies costing \$67.39. This left a net profit of \$61.01 for the tournament.

School Financing Under Gilmer-Akin Law Is Explained To District Patrons

By J. T. JONES, Superintendent Of Schools
Three years ago we came under the so-called Gilmer-Akin Law so far as schools are concerned. This law was so called because the move was started by two men in our Texas Legislature by the names of Claude Gilmer and A. M. Akin.
The sole purpose was an outgrowth of demands on the part of the people of the State of Texas for a better school system. In these three short years, our state has risen from about thirty-ninth among the forty eight states to where there are only about six or seven states that rank higher than our State of Texas, educationally.
Something was said in my article last week about factors that determine the amount of money that comes from the state to defray the expenses of the many districts within the state of Texas. ADA was explained as a very important factor and the response of our people has been very gratifying toward this explanation. I have been asked, "Just how is our school financed and what part is borne by the local tax payer?"
The detailed explanation on school financing would involve a lot of space but in brief, the school board sets up a budget of operating in August, for the entire school year. This is done after much planning and discussing of the situation. They first determine how many teachers the State permits them to hire on the Minimum-Foundation Program. This number of teachers have their salary paid for at a given schedule by the State. Local boards are not allowed to go below the Minimum salary schedule and draw any state money what-so-ever. Our daily attendance last year averaged 478.73 thus we were allowed to employ 19 class room teachers, an agriculture teacher, a homemaking teacher and a superintendent. These salaries are set by the State and paid by the State.
We are given what is called an economic index on which to figure the amount of our contributions to a minimum program. This amounts to \$12,159.00 for this school year plus payments of principal and interest.
The local taxes may be spent anyway the local board wants to spend them so long as the minimum standards are met. Our lunch room is self-sustaining thus the local tax payer does not spend any money on this. Our football receipts, our basketball receipts, etc., accounts for all monies spent on athletic program thus none of the local tax money goes into this fund but the local tax dollar is spent solely on the school program. If all taxes are paid in full this year, the income from that source will be only \$28,000.00 and our overall cost for school this year will exceed \$100,000.00 thus the State must bear about \$70,000.00 of our school expense.
According to our final budget, we will receive from the State this year the following:
State Apportionment \$32,430.00
Transportation 14,148.00
Salary & Operation 30,825.00
TOTAL \$77,403.00
State Apportionment and Salary & Operation money is that fund from which our teachers' salaries are paid. We shall be able to increase these payments from the State, if our ADA can be raised some, by about \$10,000.
The above is only a skeleton of our school financing plan. Since we have only a margin of \$8,000.00 we will have to increase this before we can be able to maintain better buildings and repair the ones now in use, have better equipment, better libraries, and secure good teachers for every subject and class we offer.

Win One - Lose One

Goldthwaite boys' and girls' basketball teams met Zephyr's teams in Goldthwaite Gymnasium Tuesday night for two of the fastest moving games of the season to date. Goldthwaite girls' "A" team defeated the Zephyr "A" girls after a real scrapper by the score of 29-28.
Zephyr boys' "A" players put forth a surge of power in the last few minutes of the game to win over Goldthwaite's team of boys 37-25.

Methodist Church To Present Pageant, "The Christmas Story" On Sunday

"The Christmas Story" is the title of the pageant which will be presented at a Vesper Service at the Methodist Church in Goldthwaite Sunday afternoon at 5:30 o'clock. Choirs from the Children's and Youth Divisions of the Church School will furnish the musical setting of the traditional story of the birth of Jesus Christ. Mrs. Talbot Ledbetter has trained the choir and is general chairman of the pageant. Other chairmen are: Costumes, Mrs. Farris Jones; Staging, Mrs. James Cooper; Decorations, Mrs. Malcolm Jernigan; Properties, Mrs. Ed Lovelace.
In addition to the choirs, the following will participate: The Minister, Rev. Ed H. Lovelace; The Reader, Mrs. Charles McLean; Two Heralds, Ricky Leinewebber, Marshall Nickols; Trumpeters, Tom Cody Graves, Del Barnett; The Prophet, M. Y. Stokes, Jr.; Mary, Mrs. W. C. Barnett; Joseph, W. C. Barnett; The Angel, Jane Ann Steen; Small Angel, Mary Louise Blair; Elizabeth, Greta Barnett; Wise Men, James Cooper, James Leonard, Wallace Johnson; Shepherds, Billy Ray Blackburn, Tommy Campbell Long, Edgar Leonard, Harold Yarborough.
The public is extended a cordial invitation to this pageant which will take the place of the regular Sunday evening service.

T. C. Graves Re-Elected President Comanche Trail Boy Scout Council

T. C. Graves was re-elected president of the Comanche Council at a meeting of organization held in the Garden of Hotel Brownwood Thursday night of last week. This annual gathering of Scouts from Stephens, East Erath, Comanche, Brown, San Saba and Lampasas counties consisted of a business session, where such matters as reports and election and installation of new officers were completed, and a Christmas Banquet accompanied with presentation of awards. Railroad Commissioner Bill Murray, Jr., was guest speaker of the evening.
Reports showed that the past year was one of the most successful years ever enjoyed by the Council. Under the able leadership of Dr. Graves, the organization showed the largest increase in Scouting activities and membership in its history.
Those attending the meeting from Goldthwaite were Dr. and Mrs. T. C. Graves, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Conrad, Mr. and Mrs. Howard Campbell, Mr. and Mrs. James M. Cooper, Brian Smith and John A. Hester.

First Baptist Church Will Present Christmas Cantata Sunday Evening

The annual Christmas production of the First Baptist Church will be presented this Sunday, December 21, at 7:30 p. m., under the direction of Don Jones, church director. This year it features both music and drama in a pageant-cantata, "The Christmas Story" by H. R. Heath, and Eddy Jones.
Priests and Scribes— Derrell Yeager, Charlie Featherston, Don Elder, Billy Roy Gholson, Danny Galloway, Stephen Smith, Harry Smith, Terry Pribble, and John Davis.
Royal Guards— James Gilliam and John Gilliam.
Children— Jerry and Mike Skiles, Ann and Billy Kemp, Judy Harris, Carol Lynn and Johnnie Beth Elliott, Larry Fuller, Sandra Arnold, Phillip and Gene Aldridge, Bob Fowler, Judy Dalton, Patricia Wright, Lynetta Duren, Patricia Gwin and Jan Yeager.
Main Chorus— Sopranos: Mrs. O. B. Hale, Mrs. Audrey Stark, Mrs. J. B. Burnett, Mrs. E. D. Hamilton, Mrs. Eula Nickols, Mrs. W. C. Holden, Mrs. G. J. Delapp, Mrs. Jim Rudd, and Mrs. Opal Henkes.
Altos: Mrs. J. T. Ayers, Mrs. John O. Carothers, Mrs. Houston Duren, Mrs. C. L. Mashburn, and Mrs. J. W. Strickland.
Tenors: D. W. Arnold, E. D. Vann and J. T. Jones.
Bass: Jim Rudd, Charles O. Haensch and O. B. Hale.
Organist: Mrs. C. W. Lawson.
Pianist: Mrs. Don Jones.
The choir, there will be a number of other groups of soloists. There will be a number of priests from the Junior Department, shepherds and guards from the Intermediate Department, children from the Primary Department, an angel chorus from the Intermediate and Young People's Departments.
Soloists are as follows: Don Jones; King Herod, Charles Smith; Chief Priest, Don Jones; The Three Wise Men, Arnold, O. B. Hale, and Jones; and Mary, Mrs. Ayers.
Angel Chorus— Betsy Peggy Jones, Mildred Barbara Vaughan, Scotty Jones, Carol Carothers, and Fred Reid.
Shepherds— Johnny Brown, Web Mays, Ronald

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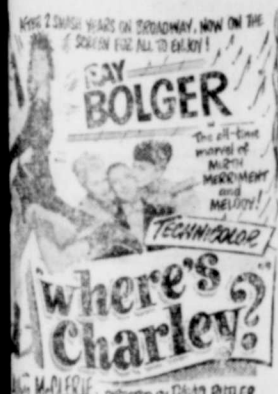
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Watch For EMPLOYMENT NIGHT Starting Soon.

Mrs. Walter Doggett, who spent several days visiting in Dallas, returned home Monday.

Weldon Willson and wife and children, Gelora and Levell, of Waco, visited in the Harve Willson home during the week.

Brie Murchison of Fort Worth spent several days visiting in the W. W. Fox home.

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Bride Elect Is Honored At Shower

On Tuesday afternoon, December 9, Miss Thelma Sue Whitley, bride-elect of Hawley Ingram, was honored with a shower in the home of Miss Margaret Galloway. Miss Joan Jones and Jeanene Heath were co-hostesses with Miss Galloway.

Guests for the happy occasion included Miss Thelma Whitley, the honoree; Mrs. Albert Whitley, mother of the bride-to-be; Mrs. Marrs; Mrs. Martin Heath; and Misses Jeanene Heath, Joan Jones, Louine Berry, Maedell Long, Norma Jean McNamara, Daisy Whitley, Allie Davenport, Janie Long, Peggy Jones, Wanda Wesson, Minnie Williams, Mary Ellen Cox, Roberta Cox and Barbara Letbetter.

Those who were unable to attend, but who sent their best wishes were Misses Marjorie Whitt, Nan Hightower, Joan Featherston and Sarita Howard.

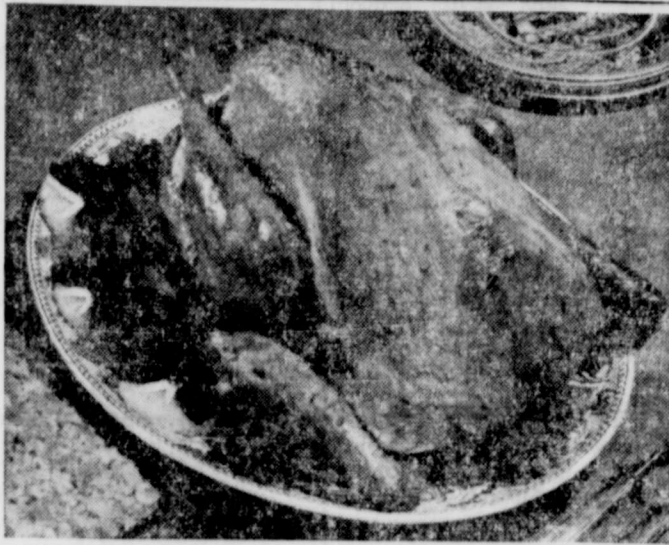
H. D. Club Has Christmas Party

The Goldthwaite Home Demonstration Club met in the home of Mrs. Tom McArthur December 9 for a covered dish luncheon and a Christmas party. There were eight members present and four visitors, Mrs. Ola Howell, little June and Gale Hightower and Mrs. J. T. Ayers.

After lunch and a short business meeting several games were played. Mrs. J. T. Ayers gave two readings, and then gifts were exchanged from the beautiful tree. Everyone agreed that this was the best luncheon and party since last Christmas.

The next meeting will be January 13th with Mrs. A. L. Cole as hostess. All members are urged to be present for the installation of new officers.

Holiday King With Corn Bread Stuffing



There's something about a turkey that makes him a welcome guest in the house when the family gathers for Christmas. He is a regal bird alive, of course, and he's one that loses little grandeur when he has been cooked a golden brown and served astride the biggest platter in the house. And when he is cornbread stuffed, he's fit for even Santa Claus.

Try it ahead of time in a Sunday chicken if you want to be sure before preparing the holiday dinner. You will find corn bread stuffing good with any kind of bird, fish or meat.

ROAST TURKEY WITH CORN BREAD STUFFING
1 16-lb. turkey
2 teaspoons salt
1 cup chopped onion

2 cups bacon fat or margarine
4 1/2 quarts broken corn bread (or part bread)
4 teaspoons salt
2 teaspoons poultry seasoning
1/4 teaspoon pepper
3 eggs, well beaten

Rub inside of oven-ready turkey with the 2 teaspoons salt. Cook onion in half of the bacon fat or margarine until soft, but not browned. Melt remaining fat and add with onion to corn bread. Mix well. Add seasoning and egg and stuff into turkey. Skewer, truss, rub skin with soft margarine or shortening, and place on a rack in an open roasting pan. Cover with clean white cloth moistened with melted margarine or shortening. Roast at a low temperature (300° F.) for 4 to 4 1/2 hours, basting as needed.



CAN SANTA GET IN?—That's what three tiny patients quarantined with chicken pox at Texas Scottish Rite Hospital for Crippled Children wondered as they peered out the window at the hospital in Dallas. The five-year-old boys' fears were unnecessary because Santa (represented by generous Texans) later paid several calls at the hospital. But that was after this picture was made of (left to right) Larry Thompson, of O'Donnell; David Herrin, Muleshoe, and Dewey Echols, Dallas.

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"Democracy And Christianity" Forum Presented At P-T-A Meeting Last Week

Goldthwaite High School Choral Club harmonized on Christmas carols at the P-T-A meeting held last week, while Rev. J. T. Ayers led a forum in which Rev. Ed H. Lovelace, Minister James A. Fry and Rev. J. E. Coe participated in a discussion of "Democracy and Christianity."

The Health Committee requested to meet with Grammar School Principal Jack Locklear in deciding the proper location and estimated cost of the lavatories to be installed in Grammar School by the P-T-A. It was also reported that silverware had been purchased for the school lunchroom at a cost of \$10. Another project, the construction of portable basketball goals, was reported to be in full swing, while \$500.00 has been set aside for the completion of the main project for the year, namely improving the school libraries through the purchase of new books and the reconditioning of those already on hand.

Mrs. Malcolm Jernigan is Chairman of the Library Committee, George W. Reed, Mrs. Joe Palmer, Mrs. Herman Schunke, Mrs. Mary Schulze, Mrs. James Nickols, Mrs. Delton Barnett, Miss Laura Nelson, Miss Florence Whitehead and Mrs. George Reese.

A display of books was furnished and arranged in the lunchroom for the Library Committee with the able assistance of Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Jones, Jack Locklear, Mrs. Jim Weath-

mittee, parents and teachers to inspect by the Cadmus Book Company.

THANKS TO BABY SITTERS
Mrs. Howard Campbell, Reporter, stated that parents who placed their children in the care of Girl Scouts from Troop 6 expressed their gratitude for the baby-sitting service rendered by the girls and their leaders, Mrs. James Cooper and Mrs. P. R. Jordan, during the meeting.

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Gospel Hall Has Guest Speaker

Rev. R. V. Wooster of Meade, Kansas will conduct the Services at the Gospel Hall in Goldthwaite next Monday night at 7:30 o'clock. Rev. Wooster is a brother of W. B. Wooster of this city.

WELCOME TO GOLDTHWAITE

Howard Kemp, formerly of Comanche, is now employed at the Jack Long Service Station of this city. Mr. Kemp and his wife are now residing in an apartment at the home of Mrs. Walter Simpson.

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Personal News Of Mullin

By JEWELL SLAUGHTER

A pall of sorrow was cast over Mullin Friday when word was received here of the death of Charles Ed Wylie. We wish to extend our deepest sympathy to his loved ones.

Mrs. Paul Westdyke of Dallas spent last week in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. G. Weston.

Mrs. Tommy Cryer of Houston was a guest Sunday of her

mother, Mrs. Ila Mosier. Mrs. Sallie Schultz, Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Hammond of Leveland, Mr. and Mrs. Craig Weston of Goldthwaite, and Mrs. Raymond Black were visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. O. E. Rice recently.

Mr. and Mrs. R. B. Boyles and Reta of Brownwood and Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Sanders of Mullin were Sunday dinner guests of Miss Exa and Eli Sanders.

Mr. and Mrs. G. H. Locke had the following guests at their picnic ground for a barbecue supper Thursday night, Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Boase of Zephyr, Mr. and Mrs. James Briggs and Jennie of Idaho, Mr. and Mrs. Leland Lockridge and J. C. Fisher of Zephyr.

Mrs. E. F. White and daughter and Mrs. M. M. Pafford and daughter were Brownwood visitors Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Smith of San Antonio spent the weekend in the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Smith.

Willie Baskin of Whiteface visited Mr. and Mrs. George Fletcher and Mrs. J. L. Chancellor Friday night. Mrs. Chancellor returned home with him Saturday for a visit.

Mrs. Fred Pafford and Mrs. Lewis Pafford visited relatives in San Saba Thursday.

Dinner guests Sunday in the home of Mrs. Betty Mosier were Mr. and Mrs. Bow Musgrove of Coleman, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Mosier and Wayne of Zephyr, Mr. and Mrs. Norman Lee Mosier and children and Willard Mosier, all of Mullin.

Mr. and Mrs. Mike Womack and daughter of San Angelo visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Fisher Friday.

Mrs. Garland Alldridge spent last week in Austin with relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. John Sutherland and children of Goldthwaite, Mr. and Mrs. L. J. Slaughter of Goldthwaite and J. P. and Billy Slaughter of San Angelo visited Mrs. Slaughter and children over the weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Fletcher and sons of Dublin spent Sun-

Mullin High School Chorus To Present Christmas Cantata

The Mullin High School Chorus under the direction of Mrs. Nettleship will present another Christmas Cantata as inspiration for the forthcoming holiday season. The Cantata will be presented at the Mullin Methodist Church on Sunday evening December 21st., at 7:30. The public is invited to attend.

Last year the Christmas Cantata was the high light of the Christian year and Brother Howard Morgan said that he expects still a larger crowd this year. Folks are urged to come early in order to have a place of comfort, seats will be provided as long as there is space in the house, Morgan stated.

Holiday Vacation Means Going Home

Theodore Vernon Marshall, Jr., of Mullin will enjoy a two weeks' recess from his studies at Southwestern University at Georgetown, beginning December 20 and ending January 5.

Preceding his return home, he will participate in a series of Christmas parties, serenades and various other campus activities.

day in the home of Mr. and George Fletcher.

Miss Myra Fisher of Brownwood spent the weekend in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. J. Fisher.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Mitchell of Alexander, visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. T. C. Chaney recently.

A farewell party was given in the home of Mrs. O. E. Rice last Thursday afternoon honoring Mrs. John Plummer, Mr. and Mrs. Plummer and their son, Jack, will soon leave for their new home in Booneville, Arkansas. About thirty guests were present. Mrs. Plummer received a number of nice gifts. A good time was enjoyed by all that were present.

Mrs. T. C. Chaney and daughters were Brownwood visitors Tuesday afternoon.

Mrs. Carl Hohertz and children spent Friday night in Priddy in the home of her mother, Mrs. Alma Schwartz.

Mrs. Joe Brown of Brownwood and Mrs. Azalie Linnewebber and son of Goldthwaite visited Mr. and Mrs. Ford Linnewebber Sunday.

Mrs. William Kemp and Mrs. W. O. Kemp and children of Brownwood and Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Hill of Waco visited Sunday in the home of Mrs. J. S. Kemp.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Ivy and sons and Mr. and Mrs. Oran Woods of Dallas visited Mrs. Jewel Ivy Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Russell Deavers of San Saba and Mr. and Mrs. Hovis, of Colorado City, were recent visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. H. T. Deavers.

Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Brim and children of Brownwood spent the weekend in the home of their mother, Mrs. J. D. Brim, Sr., and Mr. and Mrs. Robert Steen and other relatives.

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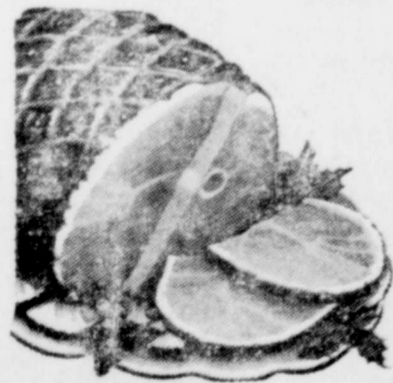
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News Of Pleasant Grove

By MRS. PETE MILES

The Christmas season is very much in evidence all over the county, in the form of trees in the windows, wrapped packages piled high underneath the trees, and also by the lovely cards that fill the mail boxes.

Speaking of Christmas cards, we received one this week from some old friends whom we supposed had long since forgotten us, Mrs. Ina Shady and Miss Bessie Kate Lewis. It makes us feel good to know our dear friends still remember us. Since I don't know their address, may I take this means of saying to Ina and Bessie Kate, "Merry Christmas?"

Mrs. John Covington is in the hospital at Lampasas, where she will undergo surgery Monday morning. We surely wish for her a speedy recovery.

Mr. and Mrs. Pete Miles and Mr. and Mrs. Euell Lemons visited with Mr. J. C. Adams, who is also in the Lampasas hospital with pneumonia. They also visited Mrs. Covington and Mrs. John Vernon Cook, who has a new boy.

Mrs. Segelquist called for Mrs. Pete and Mrs. Jude Miles Tuesday evening and they attended the social meeting and Bible study at the Moline Baptist Church. Mrs. Segelquist delivered a very inspiring talk on the Birth of Christ, which she connected with the story of Lottie Moon.

Mrs. Bobby Baird and Mary Nell spent several days in the Clark Miller home, while Bobby was deer hunting. Seems he had no luck. Bobby, where was the deer?

Mr. and Mrs. David Watters and girls had as dinner guests recently Mr. and Mrs. Clark Miller and Mrs. Bobby Baird and Mary Nell.

Several from here have been on the sick list this week.

Miss Lelia Holly, of Fort Worth, was a weekend guest of Miss Edith Covington.

Mr. and Mrs. Patrick Thornton and children, Pat and Peggy, arrived Tuesday to spend the Christmas holidays with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Whittaker.

Funeral Services For I. H. Ervin Held On Saturday

Funeral services were held for I. H. "Ike" Ervin, 61, of Kennewick, Washington, at the Church of Christ of Goldthwaite in Goldthwaite last Saturday afternoon, December 13, with Minister James A. Fry officiating. Mr. Ervin passed away in a Washington hospital after an illness of four years.

He was married to Miss Georgia Decker of Stephens County on November 8, 1914. Three children, Edward, deceased, Glenn Ervin of Richland, Washington, and Mrs. Mildred Davis of Kennewick, were born to this union.

Mr. Ervin is survived by his wife; the son and daughter; five grandchildren; five sisters, Mrs. L. R. Hendry and Mrs. Mae McMillon of Coleman, Mrs. O. S. White of Temple and Misses Abbie and Ruth Ervin of Goldthwaite; six brothers, J. R., C. D., J. H., and O. R., all of Ranger, J. P. of San Antonio, and R. L. of Goldthwaite.

Palbearers were O. S. White of Temple, Floyd Knott and J. I. Gentry of Odessa, J. R. Eudy of Coleman, and C. T. Wilson and Irby Mauney of Goldthwaite.

Out-of-town friends and relatives who attended the services were J. P. Ervin of San Antonio, Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Ervin, J. H. Ervin, Mrs. Hazel May, Rev. Lynn Robbins, V. V. Cooper, Jr., Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Bauman and Mrs. L. W. Eudy, all of Ranger; Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Eudy, Mrs. L. R. Hendry, Mrs. Mae McMillon, Mrs. B. Close and Carolyn, all of Coleman; Mr. and Mrs. O. S. White and Mary Sue of Temple, Mrs.

Dorman Jackson and Mrs. Helen Pullig of Gorman; Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Knott, Mr. and Mrs. J. I. Gentry and Elmo Decker of Odessa; and E. H. Ervin of Long Beach, California.

Interment was in the Goldthwaite Memorial Cemetery with arrangements by the Roy Wilkins Funeral Home.

Mrs. Dorothy Clements returned Friday from Kingsville, where her father, W. T. Mathis, has been seriously ill. She reports that Mr. Mathis is now much improved, but must remain in the hospital for some time.

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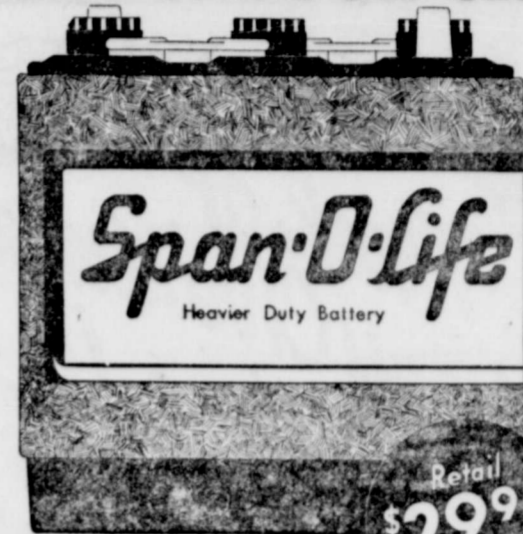
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Eleo Stringer, Principal of Hamilton High School, will be guest speaker for the evening.

Along with Superintendent J. T. Jones, High School Principal Tommie B. Harper, Grammar School Principal Jack Locklear and Coach Ray Akins, there will be approximately 52 grid-iron players and their dates present for the occasion.

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to spend the day with her brother, Dayton Boren, and family. We picked up pecans Monday and Tuesday of last week, so I got to bleach my feed sacks too. But I couldn't get my packages ready to mail by Friday. As John had to take the pickup to the shop Tuesday, I got the one to El Paso off then. We

had dinner with Mrs. Dwyer Sunday, and she said she would take the other one to Beaumont for me. She was leaving Thursday to spend Christmas at Orange. She planned to ride Mrs. Cecil Egger's school bus to Mullin Thursday morning. There her granddaughter, Ednabeth Cawyer, of A. C. C., who was riding to Beaumont with a friend, would pick her up. Mr. and Mrs. Austin Cawyer were to meet them at Beaumont and take them on to Orange.

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Mr. and Mrs. L. J. Teague and Mrs. A. G. Collier of this city were visitors in Brownwood last Saturday.

MIDWAY, NORTH BENNETT COMMUNITY CLUB TO MEET

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Center City News

By OLETA COFFMAN

Rev. Hogan filled his regular appointment Sunday morning and evening at the Methodist Church with a nice attendance at both services.

On Monday night, December 22, there will be a Christmas Tree at the Methodist Church. The children of the community will put on a pageant. Everyone is cordially invited to attend.

Mr. and Mrs. John Elliott and family of Goldthwaite visited Mr. and Mrs. Frank Carr Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Woody Head and family of Grandbury visited over the weekend with his family, Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Head and Truitt.

Sunday afternoon visitors with J. F. Deats and Joe were Mr. and Mrs. Buster Nix, Jeff Holden of Adamsville and Mr. and Mrs. K. Coffman.

Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Horner visited last Friday night with Mr. and Mrs. Harry Welch.

Monday afternoon Mrs. W. T. Alexander visited with Mrs. J. W. "Granny" Coffman while Mr. Alexander attended the auction sale at Goldthwaite.

Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Wright are looking for their son, J. D. "Jake" Wright home soon. Jake has been in Korea the past 19 months or longer.

Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Alexander announce the arrival of their first great-grandchild. A daughter, Annah Dennee, born to Mr. and Mrs. Roy E. Knight of Austin, on December 5. Annah Dennee weighed seven pounds and one ounce. Mrs. Knight will be remembered as Polly Clendenen.

Word has been received here of the death of Mrs. Jack Sparkman, wife of Rev. Jack Sparkman of DeLeon. They have several relatives throughout the county.

Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Hill spent last Saturday with her mother, Mrs. J. Everett Evans, and Gladys Evans of Goldthwaite.

Mrs. Herbert Coffman and baby, Dennis, were reported on the sick list last week, but are better now.

HOMEMAKING DEPARTMENT IS ALL SMILES NOW

The girls in the Homemaking Department at the Goldthwaite High School and their teacher, Miss Louise Irvine, are all smiles this morning. Reason? They are the proud owners of a new Frigidaire range, with double oven, automatic clock, and all the extra features.

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Christmas Cooking Demonstrated

Approximately thirty Future Homemakers and their mothers saw the Christmas cooking demonstration given by Miss Marthe Ritter, Home Economist from the Lone Star Gas Company, in the Homemaking Department Monday night, December 8, 1952. Those attending enjoyed immensely the foods she prepared: steamed cherry pudding, candied apples, walnut cookies, hon-bon cookies, and cranberry spice cake.

Mr. and Mrs. Coleman Walton and daughter, Rhonda Kaye, visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lee Walton, of Center City before moving to Bryan where he will be connected with the Soil Conservation work.

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Government Wants More Flax

Mills County farmers are being asked to grow more flax.

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For three consecutive years the U. S. has failed to raise enough flax to take care of its own needs. Supplies on hand are the lowest in five years.

To encourage a big increase in 1953 flax production, the government has increased its average on-the-farm support price by 2¢ per bushel. Average flax yields this past season were 8.5 bushels per acre in Texas.

But experienced flax growers say that price is not the only attractive feature of the crop. It is unusually resistant to drought, disease, and insect pests. It also takes relatively little labor, and has thus permitted many farmers to keep a larger share of their land in a high return crop.

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Free copies of a 16-page book on raising flax may be secured by writing Texas Flax Improvement Association, Kenedy, Texas.



A. C. DILLMAN

DILLMAN TELLS WHY FLAX STANDS DROUGHT

A. C. Dillman, Texas Flax Improvement Association and former USDA flax expert, tells why flax does so well in dry year. First: the flax plant grows during the cool season when less rain is needed. Second: it has less leaf surface from which moisture can evaporate. Third: its root system penetrates as deep as 3 or 4 feet in its search for moisture. Fourth: flax can survive long periods of drought and still make a good yield when rains come.

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Sergeant John A. Renfro and son of Camp Colorado, are visiting his mother, Mrs. Florine Renfro, and other relatives in Goldthwaite. Sgt. Renfro returned back for duty on January 1, after which he is scheduled to go to England.

Jim Culwell who was carried to a Brownwood hospital several weeks ago, is reported improving and hopes to be home soon. Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Fox spent Sunday in Lampasas.

Miss Lula Jackson is visiting in Oklahoma this week.

Mrs. John A. Hester visited with her children in Fort Worth last week.

Rev. and Mrs. Ramon Sims and children visited Mrs. Ola Howell and brothers, Truman and Roy Lee Hill, last Thursday night.

Charles Ed Wylie Funeral Services Held Last Sunday

Charles Ed Wylie, 20, a former resident of Goldthwaite, was accidentally electrocuted last Friday, December 12, while working on a highline for a power company at Eunice, New Mexico.

Charles Ed was graduated from Goldthwaite High School in May of 1950. In January of 1951 he received an appointment, through Congressman O. C. Fisher, to West Point Military Academy, one of the first in Mills County to receive that honor. He enlisted in the Air Force in June of 1951 and received his medical discharge on October 30, 1951.



CHARLES ED WYLIE

He was married to Miss Jane Long on December 23, 1950, and to this union was born a daughter, Rebecca Jane. He was a member of the First Baptist Church of Mullin.

Funeral services were held in the First Baptist Church of Goldthwaite Sunday afternoon, December 14, with Rev. J. T. Ayers officiating. Interment was in the Goldthwaite Memorial Cemetery with arrangements by Roy Wilkins Funeral Home.

Survivors include his wife and daughter; his parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. R. Wylie of Edinburg; one brother, Glen Wylie, also of Edinburg; his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Absher of Zephyr and Mr. and Mrs. T. E. Wylie of Temple.

Pallbearers were L. L. Wilson, E. A. Kemp, W. P. Duren, Joe P. Smith, A. L. Lee, E. L. Malone, Robert Lewis Harris and Otto Loudemy.

Out-of-town relatives who attended the services were Mr. and Mrs. Claude Lee and Mrs. Al Lee and children of Sweetwater; Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Mier, Mrs. Harry Blanding and Mrs. Catherine Wylie and daughter, Margaret, of Temple; Mr. and Mrs. A. G. Tatum of Fort Worth; Mrs. Tommy Cryer of Houston; Frank and Bryant Smith of Abilene; Mr. and Mrs. Pete Eaton and Mr. and Mrs. P. W. Eaton of Rule; Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Carlisle, Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Smith and Mrs. Marshall Etheridge of Mullin; Mr. and Mrs. Joe Paul Smith of San Antonio; Mr. and Mrs. Tom Absher of Zephyr; Mr. and Mrs. Robert Lewis Harris of Hobbs, New Mexico; Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Barrington of Clovis, New Mexico; Mrs. Jack Attaway of Sulphur Springs; Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Senterfitt of San Saba; and Mrs. Alvie Beck and Hugh Beck of Brownwood.

Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Malone, Manager of the Eunice Branch of the power company which employed Charles, and a number of friends from Eunice also attended the funeral.

Personals

Fred Martin of Oklahoma City spent the weekend with his mother, Mrs. Henry Martin and his sister, Miss Lillie Ann.

Mrs. Worley Laughlin spent last week in Fort Worth with her sons, Charlie and Bill, and their families.

Mr. and Mrs. R. S. Mote, Mrs. Tom Booker and Cloyes McNeil, brother of Mrs. Booker, visited in Temple on Saturday and the men attended the football game.

Mr. and Mrs. Buford Walker of Santa Anna spent the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Walker.

F. H. A. Advisor Attends Council Meet

Miss Louise Irvine, F. H. A. advisor in Goldthwaite, attended the Executive Council meeting in Stephenville, Saturday, December 6th. The purpose of the meeting was to plan the Area F. H. A. Meeting, which is to be held in Stephenville, at Tarleton State College, the 6th of March.

The theme for this meeting will be "F. H. A. in Focus" and the principal speaker for the occasion will be Miss Josephine Pazdral, State F. H. A. Advisor. The girls from Goldthwaite chapter will have the opportunity of appearing on the program, and will work with the F. H. A. Chapter in De Leon.

Ernest Barton and son, Bob E., visited with Mrs. Fred Barton last Saturday.

Mrs. L. E. Lane of Brady visited in the homes of her sister, Mrs. Marion Cockrum and Mr. Cockrum and her brother, P. R. Reid and family a few days last week.

Miss Willie Thompson, of Dallas, visited relatives here last weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom House of John House. Mrs. Lynn and Chappell spent the day Sunday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Mrs. Carter of Brownwood also visited in the John House home.

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days.

Mrs. Charles Stephan of Star
visited Mrs. Paul Lee Thurs-
day evening.

Mrs. Carrie Carswell left
Thursday for Terrell to visit a
few days with a sister.

Mrs. Chock Duncan spent
Friday with Mrs. Milt Hairston.

Mrs. Willard Potts and two
little-sons took supper with her
parents Saturday night.

Our Pastor, Rev. Lewis Spark-
man, handed in his resignation
last Sunday night, effective the
1st of January. We do not know
what his plans are, but we wish
him and his family the best of
everything in their new move.

Mr. and Mrs. Otis Adams and
daughter, Pam, of Fort Hood,
spent the weekend with their
parents, the Clem Adams and
Chock Duncan families.

Mr. Minctt O'Neal stole a
march on his neighbors and
friends two weeks ago Satur-
day by getting married to Mrs.
Tina Reed of Grand Prairie.

Leo Townsen of Center City
visited the Webb Laughlins on
Sunday evening.

The Farm Bureau had a
meeting at the Community
Center Tuesday night of last
week. Pictures were shown on
building up grass and farm
lands.

Mrs. Clara Alexander and
Mrs. Kenneth Munday spent
Tuesday of last week with Mrs.
Milt Hairston.

Mr. and Mrs. Don Fowler of
the Baugh Ranch visited in
Dallas last week.

We still have a few sick in
our neighborhood. J. C. Adams
has had pneumonia but is bet-
ter.

Mrs. Webb Laughlin visited
Mrs. Paul Lee Wednesday.

A good many folks from our
neighborhood are working at
Fort Hood and Lampasas.

Mrs. Paul Lee visited Mrs.
Dave Phillips Thursday after-
noon.

Mrs. Dave Burns, Mrs. Cecil
Burns and Bill spent Tuesday
with her mother, Mrs. Truitt.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Lee visited
in the Lewis Sparkman home
Sunday evening.

—Eagle Want Ads Get Results—

**Grand Officer Visits
Local OES Chapter**

At the regular meeting of
the Goldthwaite Chapter of the
Order of Eastern Star on Tues-
day night, December 9, the new
Deputy Grand Matron, Mrs.
Geraldine Love of Burnet, made
her official visit. Once during
each year the Deputy Grand
Matron of each section is re-
quired to visit each chapter and
give the new Worthy Grand
Matron's instructions for the
year.

This meeting was also the 6th
Anniversary of the Order of the
Eastern Star in Goldthwaite.
The Chapter always celebrates
their Anniversary or Birthday
with a Christmas Party, Christ-
mas tree and exchange of gifts.

It was revealed at this meet-
ing that the Chapter has again
chosen two needy children to
clothe for the coming year. This
has been the Welfare Project of
the Chapter for the past few
years.

The refreshment table was
beautifully decorated, carrying
out the Christmas theme; cof-
fee, cranberry punch and the
"Birthday Cake" with mints
and roasted pecans were served
by Meses: John Berry, W. W.
Head, H. T. Vaughan, Minta
Cockrum, Claude Dickerson, Al
Dickerson and Miss Edith Cov-
ington.

**TUESDAY STUDY CLUB
HAS CHRISTMAS PROGRAM**

With Mrs. Lois Hudson as
hostess, the Tuesday Study Club
held their annual Christmas
program last Saturday after-
noon at the Jennie Trent Dew
Library.

A large turnout of members
and their guests enjoyed the
program of Christmas readings
and stories given by Mrs. Hazel
Bradford.

Hillside Mission

By LIDA BYRNS
And now abideth faith, hope,
charity, these three; but the
greatest of these is charity.—
1st Cor. 13:13.

HOME FROM ARMY

Floyd Rickel, son of W. J.
Rickel of Star, is now home
after receiving his discharge
from the Army effective Novem-
ber 23. Floyd received his basic
training at Fort Hood and
served sixteen months in Ger-
many.

**TO OBSERVE GOLDEN
WEDDING ANNIVERSARY**

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Conradt of
Lometa will celebrate their
Fiftieth Wedding Anniversary
the 23rd of December. They will
hold open house at their home
from 2:00 to 5:00 p. m., all of
their friends are cordially in-
vited to call.

Lt. Jim Bob Steen of Fort Ord,
California, spent last weekend
in the home of his parents, Mr.
and Mrs. Robert Steen.



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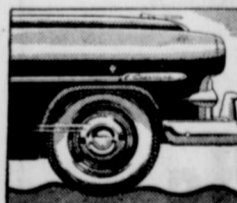
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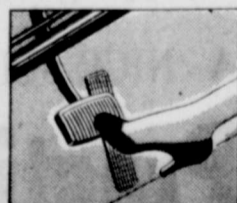
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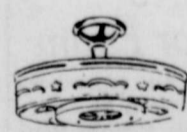
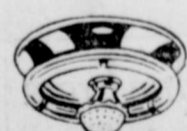
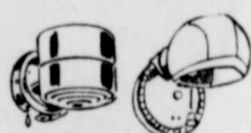
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Twenty-One From Mills County To Report For Exam

According to an announcement made this week by Charles Frizzell, Mills County Representative for the Selective Service System on Local Board Number 8, Ninety young men from Lampasas, San Saba, Burnet and Mills Counties will report for their physical examinations for the Armed Forces on December 21 and 22.

Of this total, eleven men from Mills County will report on December 21 and ten will report on December 22.

Walter Marion Reynolds, George Wayne King, Otto Albert Seider, Claude Howard Dorgan, Joel Lynn Reed, Leslie Elmer Covey, James Robert Dyas, William Elmer Nugent, Farrell Spincer Elder, Charles

Albert Seider and Jacky Ray Eurks, all of Mills County, will be among those to go for examination on the 21st.

Sammie S. Owens, Howard Dwain Runnels, Hubert Franklin Meyer, Weldon Charles Hopper, James Cullen Bryant, Merlin Munday, Alfred Theodore Johnson, Thomas Edward Murphy, Charles Elson Batchelor and Robbie Wayland Dunlop will represent Mills County in the group which will report on the 22nd.

Medical Society Elects Officers At Recent Meeting

At a meeting that marked the retirement of Dr. M. A. Childress of Goldthwaite as President of the Brown-Comanche-Mills and San Saba Counties Medical Society, new officers for the coming year were elected. Dr. Homer Allen, Jr., of Brownwood is the new

President-elect, and Dr. Fleming Pope of Brownwood is the new Secretary for the Society. Guest speakers for the evening were Dr. C. F. Clayton and Dr. George Millington of Ft. Worth.

Eagle Goes To Press Early During The Holiday Week

Goldthwaite Eagles will go to press early for the next two issues because of Thursday holidays in each week, which is namely Christmas and New Year's Day. It is the endeavor of the Eagle Staff to get new papers in the mail one day early for these two weeks.

In that connection, the Staff would appreciate Reporters getting copy in as early as possible in order, for members of Eagle force to be able to spend some time with their families during the holidays.

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