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Communist Infiltration | "No Joy Ride for Me," Big Hemisphere Problem | Says Senator of Trip

Special to Central Press

WASHINGTON—The Western Hemisphere nations are rapidly approaching one of the most fateful decisions in Inter-American history—what to do about Communist infiltration in its own back yard.

The United States moved to have the showdown at the Tenth Inter-American conference, scheduled to convene in Caracas in March, by proposing inclusion of the topic under the wording of "intervention of international Communism in the American republics."



Senator Arthur V. Watkins

Inclusion of the topic received the support of all the American republics except Guatemala. The Guatemala government feels that the proposal is aimed at it and that it constitutes intervention in the internal affairs of the country.

Adoption of anything more than pious resolutions condemning Communist infiltration in the Americas will be very difficult precisely because the American republics are pledged not to interfere in each other's affairs.

However, if it accomplishes nothing else, the United States hopes to draw attention to the problem and alert other nations in the hemisphere to the menace.

PROBERS—Rep. Clare Hoffman's announced intention of investigating how deeply junketing legislators dig into the public purse will get nowhere as far as one Republican senator is concerned.

Senator Arthur V. Watkins says he did no dining and dining on his recent three-month tour of 16 countries in Europe, Asia and Africa to discover how United States immigration and refugee laws are working from the standpoint of American consuls. Says Watkins: "In my case, it was not a joy ride. For one thing, my wife and I do not drink and we gave no parties."

The Utah Republican conceded that they attended some social functions in their honor, but: "We walked around with glasses of tomato juice in our hands."

Watkins reported that his expenses, according to provisions approved by Congress, were paid out of so-called counterpart funds—local currencies put up by various countries to match sums extended to them in Marshall Plan aid.

ATOM-PROOF BUILDING—Washington's only atom-proof building will be completed by next June. It will house no new secret weapons or documents, nor priceless historic treasures. It will be used to study the many diseases which plague mankind.

The new home of the Armed Forces' Institute of Pathology is being constructed at the Walter Reed Medical Center. Its designer is Carl E. Mylius, a federal employe for 23 years who has been in the medical plans and operations division of the Office of the Surgeon General for the last seven years.

CORNER FLYING STATION—Final proof that the air age is here comes in the form of a tip sheet to small aircraft owners issued with the official blessing of the Commerce department.

In tune with the season, the Civil Aeronautics Board which is under the department's overall jurisdiction, offers the sage observation that winter flying in small aircraft can be safe and pleasant.

Then CAA proceeds to make like a corner filling station operator with a heavy cargo of anti-freeze on his hands. Item: "The battery is less efficient in winter, and the strain is greater. Use an auxiliary battery for starting in cold weather. Be sure your regular battery is in top condition."

There is considerably more of the same, and the federal agency ends on this paternalistic note:

"Restrain your impatience for the wild blue yonder until your engine and oil are warmed to the point where it is safe to take off."

RIISING STAR IN THE MUSCOVITE HEAVENS



WHEN THE OLD BIRD WAS YOUNGER

10 YEARS AGO— (Taken from Eagle Files of January 14, 1944.)

Captain Elton E. Geeslin sent a letter to his wife on Christmas Day stating that he was in a hospital in Italy to recuperate from physical exhaustion.

Mayor and Mrs. Robert Steen attended the Texas Hardware and Implement Association Convention at Dallas this week.

Luther Jernigan, rancher, cattle dealer—and in his spare time wolf hunter—bought a fine wolf hound from W. W. Balhorn of Cameron, Texas. Mr. Jernigan said that the first time he hunted with the hound, while running a wolf, the wolf circled by him with a rabbit in his mouth. Mr. Jernigan does not know whether the wolf took the rabbit away from the dog or the dog was rounding up all the game in his path.

Mrs. L. W. French passed away of a stroke Wednesday morning at 12:25 in Goldthwaite, where she was brought several weeks ago to be near a doctor. Her home was in Center Point, where she and her husband, L. W. French, and her family had lived. They moved to Mills County 44 years ago.

William G. Rose, 19, seaman first class, USNR, Goldthwaite, Texas, attached to the U. S. Naval Armed Guard Center at New Orleans, Louisiana, has just returned from sea duty as a member of a naval gun crew assigned to an American merchant vessel, it was announced by headquarters of the 8th Naval District at New Orleans. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Neal Rose, Route 2.

Mrs. J. DuBose has accepted a position with Little and Sons Dry Goods Store.

25 YEARS AGO— (Taken from Eagle Files of January 11, 1929.) Monday Morning, January 7,

1929, Miss Lallie Williams and H. E. Read were quietly united in marriage by Rev. Ivins, pastor of the Baptist Church of this city.

William Burwell Johnson arrived at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Jack Johnson January 2, 1929. The little fellow seems to be happily located, and his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Ross, seem to be very proud of him.

A. Howington of Indian Gap community lost his house and all household goods Tuesday night at 7:00 o'clock by fire. It is thought the fire was caused by defective flues.

Mr. and Mrs. Luther O'Quin and family returned to San Angelo after a visit with Mr. and Mrs. M. E. Archer.

Work is being pushed on the new \$125,000.00 power plant and ice factory for the Texas Louisiana Power Company. Concrete for the base is being run, a crew of twenty-five or thirty workmen and engineers being busy at this.

Skillet and dishes gave way to hammers and saws last week when W. F. Brim, manager, decided to re-arrange the kitchen at the Royal Cafe. The kitchen has been entirely remodeled.

Mrs. D. A. Smith and children returned to Dallas Monday night, after a visit here with home folks.

Clarence Herrin and Gerald Elliott of Fort Collins, Colorado, are visiting Miss Leona Pass of this city.

Mrs. P. H. Hamilton is in San Antonio where she is taking a beauty culture course.

F. N. Irwin is still very sick from the effects of a relapse of the flu.

50 YEARS AGO— (Taken from Eagle Files of January 9, 1904.)

F. C. Smith, late of Rio Vista, has located in this county.

Thursday afternoon Rev. J. A. Jarrett's little three-year-old son was kicked by a mule and died from the injury in a few moments afterwards. The child was playing in the horse lot at the time of the accident.

Miss Kate Fairman returned

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SOLILOQUY



Notes like these are music to our ears. Mrs. Ella Bishop of Route 1, Hearne, Texas writes as follows: "Please send me the dear old Eagle, at once, as I am lost without it."

Brian Smith tells of some of his experiences while traveling during the holidays and experiences of one and the other. What could be sner and more encouraging to us than the honesty and sincerity of some youngster. Sometimes you can't help but stop and take notice of how they go about things and wonder just what may be going on in their youthful minds. Take the case of John Robert Mauney, four-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Irby Mauney. I say four-year-old, he will be soon—has a birthday coming up on February 10. Anyway, it was the night before Christmas and it was about time for John "Wobbet" to retire and await that great day, the next morning—Christmas. He was standing in the middle of their front room, someone knocked on the front door, so he said "Come In." To his great surprise there came through the front door Santa Claus—in full dress and a big chuckle and greeting for John Robert. He said to him, "Hello, Robert. How are you? I know you have been a good boy." It was a little while before the little fellow could calm his self composure and his "eyes were still out on stems," as his Dad put it. After a moment, though, he picked up what it took to give Santa a reply, and this is what he said: "I'm fine and I been a good boy—little bit." After Santa was gone John

over, and asked him to stop and say a few words. Just before leaving Brian happened to think about the matter and he asked her: "How old is your child?" and she replied, "He's twelve."

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Robert told his folks—who were witnessing the whole affair—"Santa was here and he left his feathers on too."

Speaking about birthdays a few days ago O. H. Hiller said he quit having birthdays a long time ago but then someone comes along and reminds him that he must be a year older. One morning early he greeted friends with this statement: "I have a new grandson, which is a reminder that I have passed a birthday even if I didn't count it."

Here is your chance to take a nice trip and do a good deed for Mills County and your community. And at the same time lend a hand to some of our boys and girls who will have exhibits in the Houston Fat Stock Show. Plans are underway for a group of county citizens too get together and ride a special Santa Fe car Houston on the day when most of the steer judging is done. From present reports that will be on February 2 or 3. Announcement will be made later the exact date. Charles Conrad and R. T. Padgett have been appointed a committee to the Lions Club to work up the project. They have contacted V. E. Hoover, local agent and he has informed them of special rates that will apply. A party of 30 to 74 to Houston and return coach fare will be \$8.50 plus tax and \$1.28 or total fare \$9.78. Officials have indicated that they will consider giving us special coach for the provided we have 50 or more passengers. These cars accommodate 60 to 65. Train leaves Goldthwaite 1:47 a. m. and arrives at Houston at 8:15 a. m. Leaves Houston at 12:46 p. m. would be a full day but a day worth while for everyone who can go. Special rate for a party of 4.25 per person. Those interested in going should contact Charles Conrad or R. T. Padgett for reservations as early as possible.

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**Library Activities Are Reported At Board Meeting**

The Jenny Trent Dew Library Board members met in regular session Tuesday, December 29, 1953.

Mrs. Jim Weatherby, Librarian, reported a total of 234 books were checked out of the library in December.

The book committee has purchased the following new books: "The Greatest Faith Ever Known," by Ousler; "The Heart of The Family," by De Treirno; "Peace With God," by Graham; "The Female," by Wellman; "The Fun Encyclopedia," by Harbin.

Mrs. Houston Duren donated "Blaze of Noon," by Gann and "The Innevector," by Robey.

The committee reported that at the beginning of the year 1953, the library owned 1,184 books and that a total of 172 books have been donated to the library by individuals in the community and out of the community. Twenty-three have been given as a memorial this

**Holiday Guests At J. H. Long Home**

Holiday guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Long and Henry were: Mr. and Mrs. Lynn Nix and daughter, Mrs. Adrien Anderson, Mr. Anderson and little son, Tommy, all of Plainview; Mr. and Mrs. Earl Nix and daughter, Mrs. Wayne Brewer and Mr. Brewer, of Waco; Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Nix Jr. and daughter, Cheryl Ann, of San Angelo; Mr. and Mrs. L. B. Bramblett and family and John Randle and Freddie Schmidt of Mullin.

Mr. and Mrs. Louis Long and daughter, Marilyn, Mrs. Gladys Davis and children, John Wayne and Vera Mae, and Mrs. Oscar Burns, all of Goldthwaite; Miss Darlene Long of Fort Worth; Mr. and Mrs. Jack Clendenen of Christoval; and Mr. and Mrs. R. G. Blackburn and children, Bobbie and Gary, of Oklahoma.

**Birthday Party At Reynolds Home**

Fred Reynolds and his sister, Mrs. R. C. Petty, were honored with a birthday dinner Saturday, January 2, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Reynolds.

Those present were: Mrs. Reynolds' parents and brother, Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Baber and Rex, of Dublin, Mr. and Mrs. W. K. Holyfield and children, Cella Ann and Billy, Mrs. Darwin Denson and sons, Gary and Clint, all of Fort Worth, R. C. Petty, Sr., and son, Jim of Lake Merrett, Misses Ruth and Ruby Reynolds and their brother, Bob, all of Trigger Mountain, and the honorees.

**BIRTHS**

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Akins are the proud parents of a son, born at San Saba Memorial Hospital, Wednesday, January 6, at 1:42 a. m. The young man weighed seven pounds and 10 ounces and has been named Martin Ray.

Maternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. H. P. Schultz of New Baden and paternal grandmother is Mrs. Rosa Mae Akins of Franklin.

Martin Ray has two little sisters, Mina Ruth and Laura Sue.

Mrs. Curley Howard of Brownwood visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Obenhaus last Tuesday.

Mrs. Levi Aldridge was called to Gatesville Tuesday to be with her mother, Mrs. L. P. Turner, who is ill.

Mr. and Mrs. Dixie Sewell of Brownwood were guests of relatives and friends here last Saturday.

**Explorer Scouts Enjoy Camp At Billy Gibbons**

Fifty-nine Scouts and Leaders opened up the Winter Camp for Explorer Boy Scouts Thursday morning, December 31st, at Camp Billy Gibbons, and closed Saturday noon, January 2nd.

The following from Mills County were in attendance:

Goldthwaite— Jim Cooper, Lee R. Tesson, Leroy A. Tesson, Eddy Jones and Azell Tesson.

Priddy— Oliver Seilheimer, J. C. Kunkel, Harry Driskill, Glendon Runnels, Robert Jeske, Norbert Hiller, George Hiller, and Melvin Pax.

**Girl Scouts Elect Officers**

Girl Scout Troop Number Six met at The Little House last Thursday, January 7, and elected the following new officers: President, Joyce Schuman; Vice President, Wanda Featherston; and Janis Casbeer, Reporter. One new member, Rue Featherston, was added to the

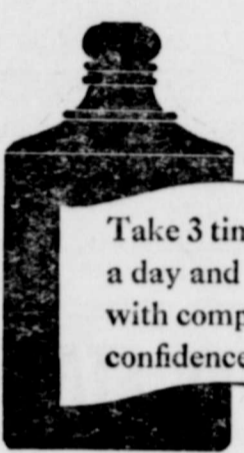
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Troop. Mrs. Walk acted as Leader of the Troop during the absence of Mrs. Johnson, Troop Six Leader.

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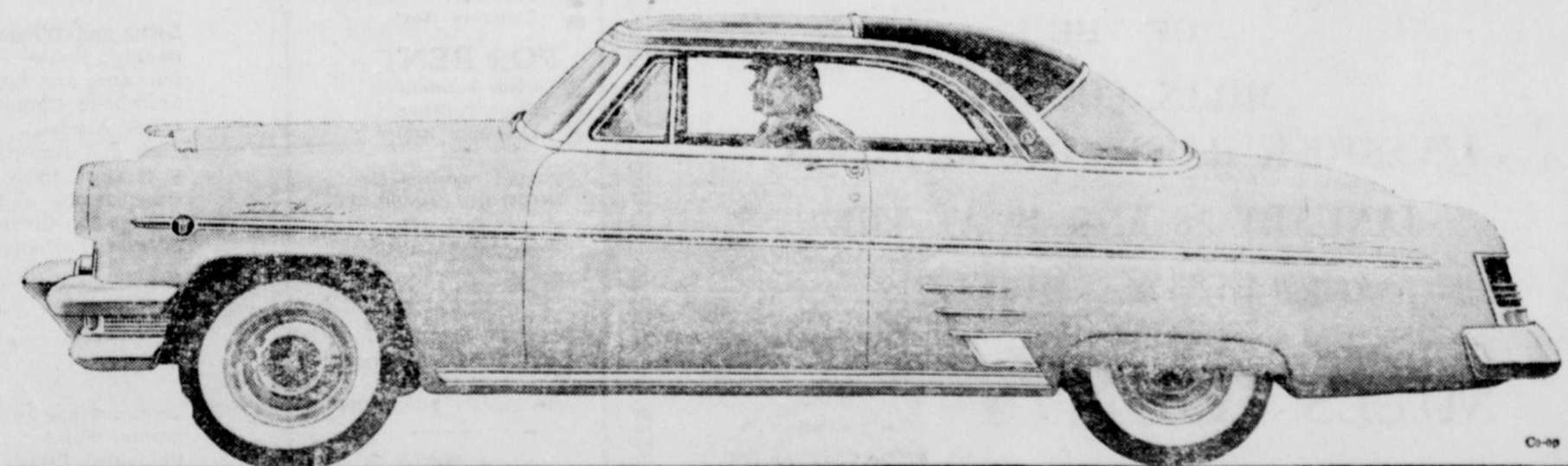


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**TODAYS Menu**  
Sweet Specials for Your Menu

By ALICE DENHOFF  
HERE are some easy and delicious recipes today for Indian summer days.

**First is Banana Bavarian.**  
For 6 to 8 servings, dissolve package orange-flavored gelatin in 1 1/2 c. hot water. Add dash of salt, 1/4 c. sugar, 1/2 tsp. grated orange rind and 1/2 c. orange juice. Chill until cold and sirupy. Whip 3/4 c. whipping cream until thick and shiny but not stiff. Fold into gelatin. Fold in 1 1/2 c. finely diced ripe bananas (2 to 3). Chill until slightly thickened. Turn into one large or 8 individual molds. Chill until firm.

**Choco-Coffee Drinks**  
A cookie or piece of cake, and frozen choco-coffee is something to be enjoyed by young or old.

To serve 4, blend 2 tbsp. cocoa, 3 tbsp. sugar and dash of salt in a small saucepan; add 2 tbsp. hot water and stir until smooth. Cook slowly until thickened, stirring constantly. Remove from heat, add 1/4 tsp. nutmeg and 2 c. milk, stirring until blended. Pour into freezing trays and chill until firm. Fill tall glasses 1/2 full of frozen mixture, add freshly made coffee and top with frozen mixture. Uses 2 c. freshly-made coffee.

To ease the end of summer and plan for the season ahead, try a cold "shift meal."

Fill a crock or glass jar with a good hearty salad, ready-mixed to serve in individual portions. Prepare some julenned cheese, ham, tongue and hard-cooked eggs for a chef's salad. Have greens and French dressing or mayonnaise ready. Mix and chill a pitcherful of fruit punch. Rolls in the breadbox, a cake to cut, or some cookies, and there's an easy dinner combination.

**Chilled Fruit Punch**  
For a nice punch to serve 4, combine 1/2 c. maraschino syrup and 2 c. canned grapefruit juice. Chill in refrigerator. Before serving, add 2 c. cold water. Garnish with maraschino cherries.

An easily-fixed tangy gingerbread dessert would make a fine finish to the above meal. Prepare a package of quick gingerbread mix. Cut in squares, split and serve with Foamy Sauce. To prepare 1 c. Foamy Sauce, cream 1/4 c. butter; add one c. confectioner's sugar, creaming well. Add one egg, 1/4 tsp. vanilla, 1/4 tsp. lemon flavoring. Place over hot water; beat constantly with rotary beater until fluffy. Serve warm. (Keep over warm water.)

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Personal News Of Mullin

By JEWELL SLAUGHTER

Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Jones of Dublin spent last Sunday here visiting in the home of Mrs. Jennie Burnett. Mrs. Burnett returned home with them for a visit.

Mr. and Mrs. Milton Toliver of San Saba spent Friday in the home of her father, Mr. and Mrs. S. H. Davis.

Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Hays were Goldthwaite visitors Saturday.

Miss Thelma Casey of San Angelo spent the weekend here in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. M. Casey.

Mr. and Mrs. Autrie Keating and Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Keating were Brownwood visitors Saturday.

John D. Allen, Division Manager of the Southwestern State Telephone Company of Brown-

wood, was a visitor in the Mullin office last Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. S. H. Davis and Mr. and Mrs. Milton Toliver of San Saba visited in Goldthwaite Friday.

Raymon Ingram of Brownwood visited relatives here Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Tyson and little daughter, of Brownwood, spent the weekend in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Lee and attended the Stock Show Saturday.

Ben W. Newhouse spent several days last week in Austin attending to school business.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Fletcher of Dublin spent Sunday here in the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Fletcher.

W. O. Kemp of Brownwood visited in the home of his mother, Mrs. J. S. Kemp, Friday.

Mrs. Azalie Leineweber of Goldthwaite visited Mrs. Lena Leineweber Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Smith spent the weekend in San Antonio, visiting their son and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Smith.

Mrs. Ruby Alldridge visited Mrs. Ira Alldridge in Goldthwaite Saturday afternoon.

Mrs. C. L. Nettleship was on the sick list last week. We are glad she is able to be back in school.

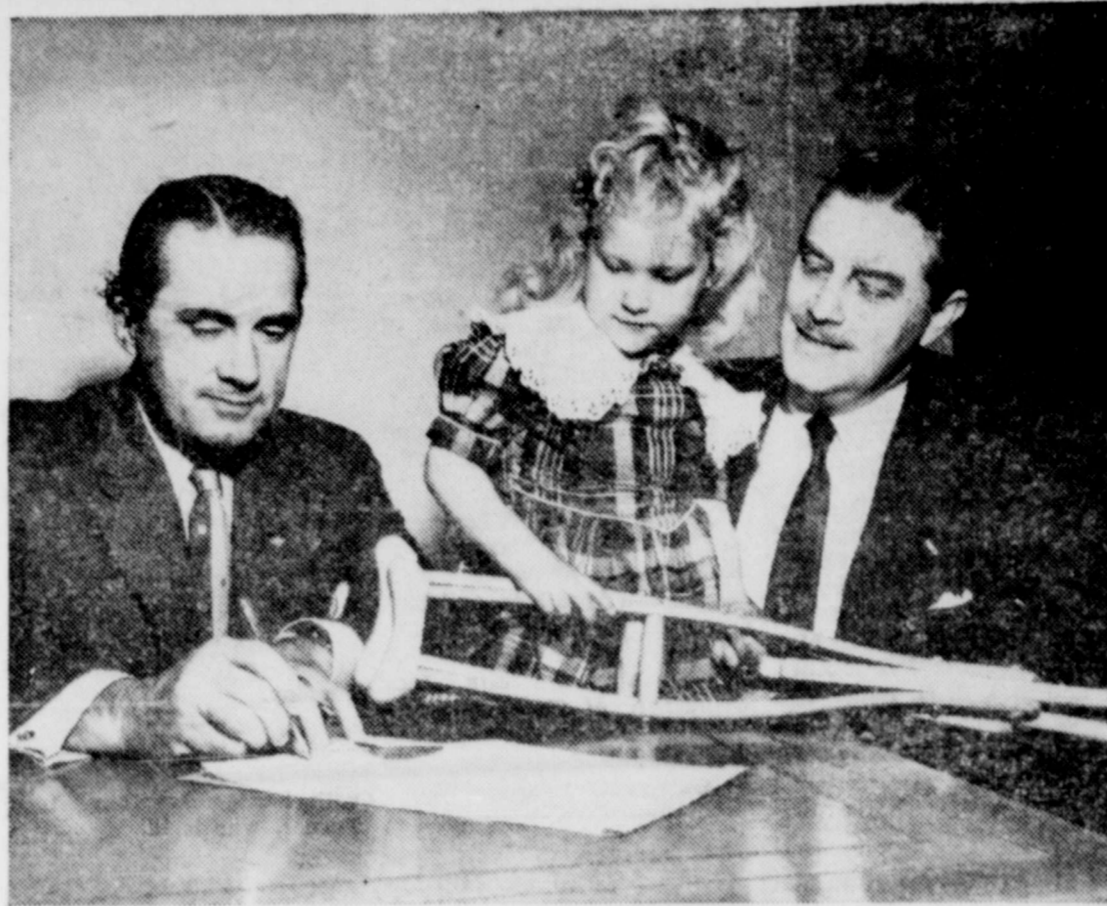
Mrs. Oscar Cooksey visited her daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Maxey in Austin recently.

Mrs. Bessie Johnson of Bellville visited Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Chesser and other relatives here recently.

Mrs. Alene Trimble and sons have moved here in the house recently vacated by Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Dudley.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. King and family have moved here from Zephyr.

Mr. and Mrs. Whitt Reed and baby visited here last week in the home of his mother, Mrs. L. W. Reed.



MARCH OF DIMES MONTH in Texas, January 2-31, has been declared by Governor Allan Shivers, above left. As Governor Shivers signs the proclamation, he is watched by Ruth Ann Bryant, 3206 Cherrywood, Dallas, a three and one-half year old polio victim, and General Robert J. Smith of Dallas, State Chairman of the 1954 March of Dimes Campaign and President of Pioneer Air Lines. The National Foundation for Infantile Paralysis, through the March of Dimes Campaign, is seeking to raise an average of 50 cents for every person in Texas. Part of the 1954 plans are to conduct vaccine field tests in the State.

Mullin F H A Chapter Has Meeting With Program Starting New Year

The Mullin F. H. A. Chapter met Monday, January 4th. The roll call was answered by each member giving their New Year's Resolutions.

The Committee Chairmen, June Hamilton, Patsy Bramblett, Jo Burdette and Betty Ethridge, each gave their reports. The program chairman, Mary Locke, had arranged a very interesting program as follows: "Our Responsibility as a Citizen," by Patsy Singleton, a discussion by Patsy Bramblett on "How to be a Sister Instead of a Boss at Home," and a talk, "The Part Youth Has In Building a Democratic Coun-

try," by Ben Newhouse, superintendent of the Mullin Schools. Project for the F. H. A. Chapter at this time is selling flowers and garden seed. Two teams were chosen with Patsy and Peggy Bramblett as captains. The losing side will entertain the winning side with a party when the contest closes the 1st of February. Next meeting of the Chapter will be on February 1st at 2:15 p. m. Judge John L. Patterson of Goldthwaite will be guest speaker and will discuss the "Civil Defense of Our Community."

A. L. French was a Brownwood visitor Saturday.

W. J. Wootten of Kilgore is a guest in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Niles E. Wootten.

John W. Vines attended the Stock Show here Saturday, and also attended the open house of the new Post Office in Goldthwaite Saturday afternoon.

Mrs. John Harris of Seallorn was a guest of Mrs. Will Burks last Friday.

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Personal Paragraphs

(Heldover from Last Week.)

Homer Doggett and family of Pampa spent the holidays with his mother, Mrs. Evie Doggett and other relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Dave Shaw and grandson, Billy Roy, spent the Christmas holidays in Monahan with Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Griffin and Marilyn Rae.

Shirley Nickols and family of Pampa spent the holidays with her mother, Mrs. Maggie Traylor and other relatives.

Sheriff and Mrs. C. F. Stubblefield and Sam spent the weekend with relatives in Houston.

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Pence of Sweetwater spent the Christmas holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Harris.

Miss Mary Cave of Plainview spent Thursday night with her grandmother, Mrs. Tom Cave and Miss Ruby Cave.

Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Hare of Somerville were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Heath last Sunday.

Guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Blackwell, Christmas Day and during the holidays were: Mr. and Mrs. Howard Blackwell and children of Abilene; Miss Clara Blackwell of Kingsville; Mr. and Mrs. Aubry Hudson and

Ray and Mr. and Mrs. H. Blackwell and Peggy and all of Goldthwaite.

Dennis E. Auldrige, A. N. T., U. S. Navy, Memphis, Tennessee, spent the Christmas holidays with his parents, and Mrs. L. N. Auldrige and other relatives here. Dennis is attending A. T. "A." School in Memphis, and will complete course in five weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. Mohler Simpson and son, Mohler Wheeler, as guests during the Christmas holidays Mr. and Mrs. Herb Hannon of Harlingen; Mr. Mrs. Bethel Eiland and Eddie, from Waynesville, and Mr. and Mrs. R. R. Coe and son, Robert Henry, of Antonio.

Mrs. L. N. Auldrige is spending this week with her mother, Mrs. L. P. Turner of Garfield, who has been critically ill for some months.

Miss Clara Blackwell and Lillian Edmondson returned to Kingsville last Sunday to resume their teaching position in the Kingsville School, on a holiday visit with Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Blackwell.

Household Hint

Eggbeater gears don't take to baths. To wash, hold onto handle above water, and spin only the beaters in warm sudsy water, rinse and dry.

CHARTER NO. 369 BANK'S OFFICIAL STATEMENT OF FINANCIAL CONDITION OF

MILLS COUNTY STATE BANK

AT GOLDTHWAITE, TEXAS, AT THE CLOSE OF BUSINESS ON THE 31 DAY OF DECEMBER, 1953, PURSUANT TO CALL MADE BY THE BANKING COMMISSIONER OF TEXAS IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE BANKING LAWS OF THIS STATE.

RESOURCES	
Loans and discounts, including overdrafts	\$1,061,607.35
1a. (After deduction of \$6,240.00 valuation allowance or bad debt reserve)	
United States Government Obligations,	
Direct and guaranteed	1,199,349.54
Obligations of states and political subdivisions—	
Cash, balance due from other banks including reserve balances, and cash items in process of collection (including exchanges for clearing house)	1,560,444.20
Banking house, or leasehold improvements	10,759.14
Furniture, fixtures, and equipment	10,283.00
Other assets	1,057.45
<b>TOTAL RESOURCES</b>	<b>\$3,926,150.55</b>

LIABILITIES AND CAPITAL ACCOUNTS	
Common Capital Stock	\$ 100,000.00
Surplus: Certified, \$75,000.00, Not Certified	75,000.00
Undivided profits	34,860.00
Demand deposits of individuals, partnerships, and corporations	2,637,062.39
Public funds (Incl. U. S. Govt., states and political subdivisions)	486,363.62
Deposits of banks (excluding reciprocal balances)—	576,807.37
Other deposits (certified & cashier's checks, etc.)—	6,057.17
Total all deposits	\$3,706,290.55
Other liabilities	10,000.00
<b>TOTAL LIABILITIES AND CAPITAL ACCOUNTS</b>	<b>\$3,926,150.55</b>

**STATE OF TEXAS—COUNTY OF MILLS**  
I, E. D. HAMILTON, being Cashier of the above named bank, do solemnly swear that the foregoing statement of condition is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.  
(SIGNED) E. D. HAMILTON.  
Subscribed and sworn to before me this 8 day of January, 1954.  
(SEAL—SIGNED) VICTOR L. WILLIAMS,  
Notary Public, Mills County, Texas.

**CORRECT—ATTEST**  
W. P. DUREN,  
N. E. STOCKTON,  
T. C. GRAVES,  
DIRECTORS

RECAPITULATION

RESOURCES	
Loans and Discounts	\$ 947,847.35
Banking House	3,412.50
Furniture and Fixtures	10,283.00
Leasehold Improvements	7,346.64
Other Assets	1,057.45
Cash and Due from Banks	\$1,560,444.20
U. S. Government Obligations	1,199,349.54
Other Bonds and Securities	82,849.87
Commodity Credit Corp. Certificates	50,000.00
Bills of Exchange	70,000.00
<b>TOTAL RESOURCES</b>	<b>\$3,932,390.55</b>

LIABILITIES	
Capital Stock	\$ 100,000.00
Surplus Fund	75,000.00
Undivided Profits	34,860.00
Reserves	6,240.00
Dividends Payable January 2, 1954	10,000.00
DEPOSITS	3,706,290.55
<b>TOTAL LIABILITIES</b>	<b>\$3,932,390.55</b>

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**MILLS COUNTY STATE BANK**  
GOLDTHWAITE, TEXAS

## News Of The Ebony Community

By CLEMENTINE WILMETH BRILEY

(Written for Last Week.)

Mr. and Mrs. Charm Whittenburg celebrated New Year's Day with a family dinner for all the members of their respective families. Those present included Mrs. Whittenburg's parents, Mr. and Mrs. P. R. Reid, of Goldthwaite; her brother and family, Mr. and Mrs. Dale Reid and Benna and Judy, also of Goldthwaite; Charm's sisters and families, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Williams of Indian Creek and Mr. and Mrs. Edward Egger and Jerry of Brownwood.

Mrs. Charlie Griffin returned home Monday from Sherman where she spent a week being nursemaid to her new granddaughter, Deborah Annette, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Henry Griffin.

We were happy to have out at church Sunday, Mr. and Mrs. Johnny Egger of Brownwood

and Mr. and Mrs. Henry Egger of Regency. Henry said they had the best Christmas ever. Their nephew and foster son, H. C. Griffin, and wife and baby of Houston were with them. They were happy because H. C. seemed so much better than ever before. H. C.'s health was seriously injured from many months in a Japanese prison. Van Willis, also a foster son, and his family from Odessa visited them during the Christmas holidays, too. After church Mr. and Mrs. Johnny Egger and Mr. and Mrs. Henry Egger were guests for dinner at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Egger.

Ernest Malone is still quite an invalid. His friend, Jim King, is staying with him. Mr. and Mrs. Blue Thompson have been working on the electric pump at the Malone home again this past week.

Mrs. W. A. Burn writes from Van Horn that her sister, Mrs. J. E. Bean, fell on the icy streets and broke her right arm. This may delay Mrs. Burn's return to the Malone farm.

The Briley home had special guests for New Year's Day. These were Mr. and Mrs. Numa Crowder and their children, Elaine and George, of Musca-

tine, Iowa; Frank Crowder, his granddaughter, Nelda Holder, and his mother, Mrs. Mary Ivy, 94, of Oakland. The Crowder family and my family were friends when we lived at Utopia in Uvalde County before we moved to this part of the country. I have known Grandmother Ivy since before I was six. Since she was a dear friend to my mother—gone these 14 years—I call her "Mother Mary."

Numa is a minister of the Church of Christ at Muscatine. His wife—a charming person—is the daughter of Dr. Benson, president of Harding College, Searcy, Arkansas. Arkansas has named Dr. Benson Man of the Year for 1953. For old times' sake Motter Mary had to help me wash the dishes and have me play the piano while we all sang. It was a very happy New Year's Day.

Much appreciated cards and letters continue to come from far and near. Among them one from Wyoming from Walter Edmonson who went to school to me when I taught my first school at Lane's Chapel. Under the picture of a little deer on

the back of the card he has written, "This one can't paw you."

I was thrilled at a letter from Katie Myrl Parks written from Camp McGill, Japan. She had just read the Ebony News of November 13, 1953. A friend in Fort Worth had sent her a copy of the Banner. Katie Myrl was only five when I boarded with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Alonzo Parks, and taught school at Locker. She was my devoted friend. Years after I met her all unexpectedly in a meeting of the Sudie Williams Choral Club in the Blue Room of the Y. W. A. building in Dallas. She was a public school music teacher in the Dallas Schools. I was taking a course in public school music from S. M. U. under Miss Sudie Wil-

liams, supervisor of music in the Dallas schools. Miss Williams required both teachers and pupils to be in her Choral Club. I told Miss Sudie that I started Katie Myrl off on her music career. We had an Easter program at Locker and Katie Myrl sang a solo—"Jesus Wants Me for a Sunbeam." She is now librarian at Camp McGill. She has been in Japan since September, and she has an agreement with the army to stay two years.

At the door of Schwartz East Shop in Brownwood Wednesday I met Velma Urdey. She is aunt to Katie Myrl. She also boarded at the Parks home and went to school to me at Locker. She is a lovely person. She teaches in San Antonio. She was on her way out to the Parks

home that afternoon, and she was going by the cemetery at Regency to leave a decoration of red and white roses on the graves of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Lindsey. She said her mother loved white roses and her father loved red ones.

### A Three Days' Cough Is Your Danger Signal

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### DAILY CROSSWORD

#### ACROSS

1. Softens, as hide
6. Endures
11. Musical drama
12. Bay window
13. Boundary
14. Carried
15. Vipers
16. Cry, as a cat (var.)
17. From (prefix)
18. Feminine pronoun
19. Owns
20. Noah's boat
21. Shower
23. External seed coating
24. Vestige
26. Every day
27. Network
28. Prickly envelopes of fruit
29. An eon
30. Spawn of fish
31. Flip
34. Greek letter
35. Clamor
36. French artist
37. Unadorned
39. Tie again
40. Narrow roadways
41. Shore recess
42. Rub out
43. Pares

#### DOWN

1. Missile weapon
2. Like an ape

#### ACROSS

3. Moderate
4. Goddess of discord (Gr.)
5. Perched
6. Parts of ears
7. In a row (poet.)
8. Title of respect
9. Slender, twining stem
10. Smoothly
11. Equip with men
12. Hasten

#### DOWN

13. Greek philosopher
14. One-spot card
15. Swiss river
16. Stamp on
17. Symmetrical
18. Owing
19. Japanese holiday
20. Cleanse with clear water
21. A sprite (Shakespeare)
22. Sand dune (Eng.)
23. Miscellaneous
24. Tear



Yesterday's Answer

35. Perishes
36. Sand dune (Eng.)
38. Miscellaneous
39. Tear



### WATCHES REPAIRED

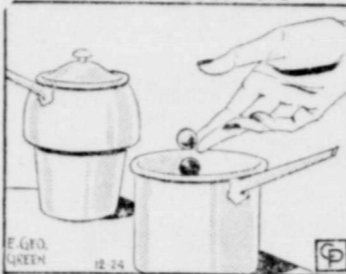
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ON ALL MAKES OF

WATCHES

JUANITA'S SHOP  
GOLDTHWAITE

### Wife Preservers



By adding one or two marbles to the bottom of your double boiler you will be warned by their bouncing if the water has boiled away.

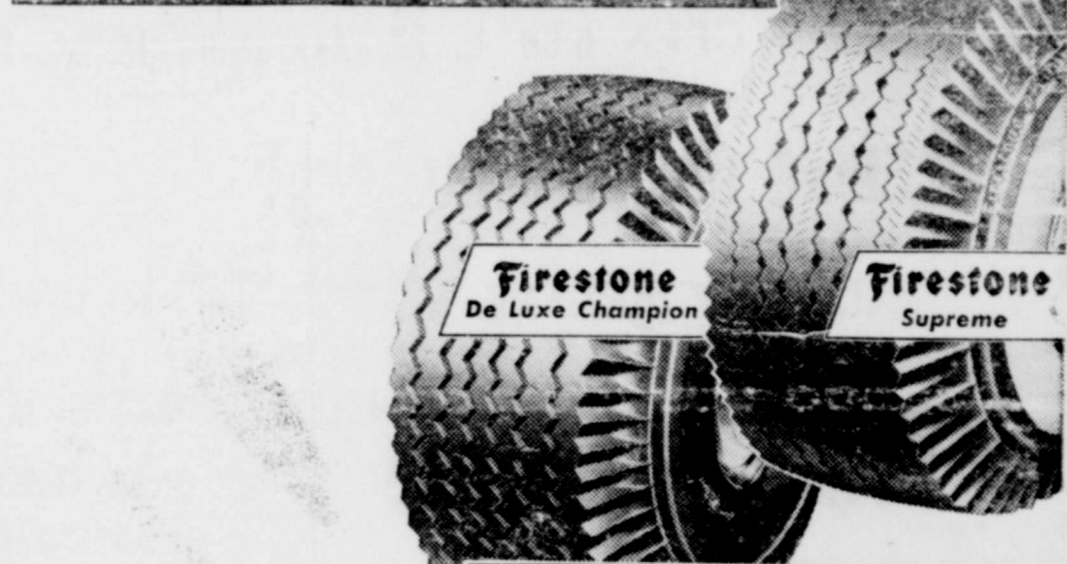
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Goldthwaite Home and Auto  
JOE BAILEY KARNES

To every woman who thinks a clothes dryer is a Luxury...

If you took the second "a" out of the sentence above, you'd be right. A clothes dryer is luxury! But it's not a luxury in the money-could-have-been-better-spent sense of the word.

There are lots of ways that a clothes dryer will save you money as well as work. You don't have to buy as many clothes, sheets, towels, or baby things when you have a gas dryer. Laundry takes so little of your time that you can squeeze it into your schedule more often. (And a dryer cuts out a third of your ironing!)

You aren't the least bit dependent on the weather when you have a gas dryer. You can give your clothes the ultra-violet lamp's sunshine treatment any day (or night) ... rain or shine! And there's no wind-whipping, clothes-pin ripping or sun-fading that make clothes wear out so much faster. Gas-dried things last twice as long!

Clothes drying with gas in most areas is four times as economical as with any other automatic fuel. The fuel cost itself is lower, plus no costly, slow warm-up. Automatic gas dryers dry clothes twice as fast. Their installation costs less.

See the new automatic gas dryers today. You'll be surprised at what they can do!

Lone Star Gas Company

### School Census Taking Is Moved From March To January This Year

Due to a change made since last year, the annual scholastic census will be taken during January 1954, instead of in March as in former years. According to announcement by John L. Patterson, County Superintendent of Schools.

All children who will be six and under eighteen years of age on September 1, 1954 and who reside in one of the school districts under Mills County supervision on February 1, 1954 should be enumerated.

Census supplies are now in the hands of the superintendents of the four Mills County schools.

If any eligible child has not been enrolled by January 31, 1954, please contact your local school superintendent or the ex-officio County Superintendent of Schools, John L. Patterson.

It is suggested that a special effort be made to get every

eligible child who will become six years old by September 1, 1954 on the census roll for 1954-1955.

It should be remembered that scholastics must be rendered in the district of their residence.

#### Household Hint

Since foam rubber is long drying, cover such pillows with a removable zippered ticking which can be easily laundered.

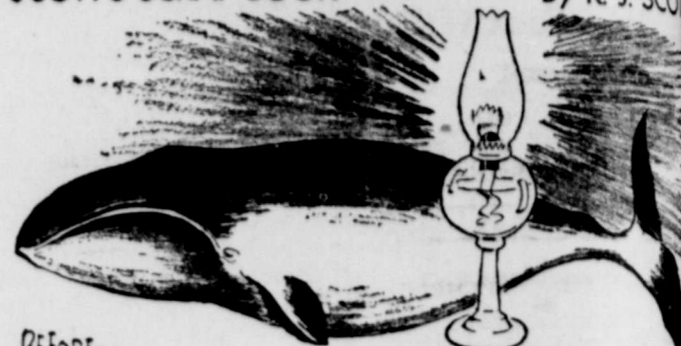
### Holiday Guests At H. R. Collier Home

Mr. and Mrs. H. R. Collier had as their guests during the Christmas holidays the following children and grandchildren: Mr. and Mrs. Luther Whitlock and family of Blythe, California; Mr. and Mrs. E. O. Hiller and family of Elindio; Mr. and Mrs. D. T. Carter and family and Mr. and Mrs. Loyd Hiller and family, all of Kopperl; Mr. and Mrs. L. G. Collier and family, Mr. and Mrs. V. T. Horton and family, all of Goldthwaite; Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Collier and family of Durant, Oklahoma; and Mr. and Mrs. Darrell Head and family of Center City.

Other guests were Mrs. Collier's sister, Mrs. L. S. Karnes, Mr. Karnes and two sons of Eagle Pass; Mr. and Mrs. Elsworth Karnes of California and Mrs. Ray Blackburn and son, Billy, of Goldthwaite.

### SCOTT'S SCRAP BOOK

By R. J. SCOTT



BEFORE MINERAL OILS came into GENERAL USE, WHALE OIL WAS BURNED IN LAMPS IN EVERY PART OF THE WORLD.



WILLIAM HOWARD TAFT WAS THE ONLY MAN TO BE BOTH CHIEF EXECUTIVE AND CHIEF JUSTICE OF THE UNITED STATES.

#### SCRAPS

By I have to follow a recipe... WHAT IS THE BEST DIETARY METHOD FOR PREVENTION OF TOOTH DECAY? REDUCTION OF SUGAR CONSUMPTION.

— IT PAYS TO ADVERTISE —

We're rolling out the red carpet for our

# GRAND OPENING

IN OUR NEW HOME

Old Location Of Goldthwaite Cafe On Fisher Street

## Friday, January 15

(TOMORROW)

OPEN 6:00 A. M. TO 10:00 P. M. DAILY

### OPENING DAY SPECIAL

ALL DAY FRIDAY

## FREE Coffee

SERVED "ON THE HOUSE"

STOCK SHOW VISITORS

We want to welcome you to Goldthwaite next Monday and Tuesday for the Mills County Livestock Raisers' Association's Sixteenth Annual Stock Show.

We invite you to come in and visit STACY'S RESTAURANT in the new location. We will be ready for you with a big welcome and fine food for your enjoyment.



LEROY STACY

### AN INVITATION

We at STACY'S RESTAURANT extend a special invitation to everyone to visit our new home, to inspect our kitchen, Banquet Room, and other facilities. You don't have to eat, just come in anyway and look around - We'll be happy to have you.

### SEE OUR NEW PRIVATE DINING ROOM

Nothing is being spared in providing you, our friends and customers, with the latest and finest in dining facilities.

### FEATURING DAILY

- REGULAR MEALS
- HOME MADE PASTRIES
- SHORT ORDERS
- FRIED CHICKEN
- STEAKS

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CUT THE WAY YOU LIKE IT!

TRY OUR DELICIOUS MEATS

CHUCK ROAST	Lb.	39c	ROUND STEAK	Lb.	69c
FRESH GROUND HAMBURGER	Lb.	39c	LONGHORN CHEESE	Lb.	49c
ALL - MEAT WEINERS	1 Lb. Celo Pkg.	49c	SLICED BACON	Lb.	59c
NO. 1 DRESSED FRYERS	Lb.	59c			
HORMEL OLEO	Lb.	21c			

### Popular Brand CANNED FOODS

FRESH CRISP CARROTS	Celo Bag	10c	KRISPY CRACKERS	1 Lb. Box	26c
HAPPY HOST PEAS	2 303 Cans	33c	ROSE DALE - Cream Style CORN	2 303 Cans	29c

NOTICE: Free Show Tickets with Each \$7.50 purchase given every day. Ticket good for one week from day of purchase.

CRISCO

3 Lb. Can

86c

GOLD MEDAL FLOUR

25 Lb. Sack

\$1.89

HONEY BOY SALMON	No. 1 Tall Can	39c	IMPERIAL SUGAR	10 Lb. Bag	85c	TIDE	Large Box	19c
DURKEE'S COCONUT	8 Oz. Celo Bag	25c	KRAFT DINNERS	2 Boxes	33c	Bright & Early COFFEE	1 Lb. Can	75c

## LOY LONG GROCERY

Prices Good Thurs. Noon, Friday And Saturday

WE RESERVE THE RIGHT TO LIMIT QUANTITIES

**Legal Notice**  
**Treasurer's**  
**Quarterly Report**  
**IN THE MATTER OF COUN-**  
**FINANCES IN THE**  
**HANDS OF Mrs. Bertha**

**WEATHERS, TREASURER OF MILLS COUNTY IN REGULAR SESSION JANUARY TERM.**  
We, the undersigned, as County Commissioners within and for said Mills County and the Hon. John L. Patterson, County Judge of said Mills

County constituting the entire Commissioners Court of Mills County, and each of us, do certify that on this, the 11 day of January A. D. 1954 at the regular term of said court, we have compared and examined the report of Mrs. Bertha Weathers, Treasurer of said County for the period beginning on the 1 day of October and ending on the 31 day of December 1953 and finding the same correct have caused an order entered upon the minutes of the Commissioners Court of said county, stating the approval of said Treasurer's report.  
We further certify that we find the balances in each fund as follows:

General Fund	\$9,353.48
Jury Fund	7,828.95
Officers Salary Fund	3,028.24
Road and Bridge, Precinct 1	425.89
Road and Bridge, Precinct 2	426.25
Road and Bridge, Precinct 3	3,693.42
Road and Bridge, Precinct 4	648.01
Road & Bridge Fund	1,470.89
Road and Bridge, 2 & 3 Sinking Fund	3,688.78
Road and Bridge, 1 & 4 Sinking Fund	2,074.22
Library Fund	346.76
Social Security Fund	471.27
Farm-to-Market Sinking Fund	2,291.97
Bridge Repair Fund	342.43
Courthouse Fund	7,175.47
Road District No. 1 Sinking Fund	97.26
Courthouse Sinking Fund	1,058.22
Lateral Road, No. 1 Fund	2,594.28
Lateral Road, No. 2 Fund	4,208.27
Lateral Road, No. 3 Fund	2,558.56
Lateral Road, No. 4 Fund	4,473.89

Total Cash on hand belonging to Mills County, in the hands of the County Treasurer as actually counted by us — \$58,258.91.

We, do hereby certify and swear that the above and foregoing is true and correct to the best of our knowledge and belief.

JOHN L. PATTERSON, County Judge.  
J. Y. TULLOS, Commissioner, Precinct No. 1.  
FRED WALL, Commissioner, Precinct No. 2.  
A. A. DOWNEY, Commissioner, Precinct No. 3.  
CECIL EGGER, Commissioner, Precinct No. 4.  
Subscribed and sworn to before me by each of the members of the said Commissioners Court, this the 11 day of January 1954.  
(Signed) W. E. SUMMY, County Clerk of Mills County, Texas.  
By Valeria Gray, Deputy.

**Words of the Wise**  
The best prize that life offers is the chance to work hard at work worth doing.  
—(Theodore Roosevelt)

**Large Number Attend Open House At Local Post Office Last Saturday**

By M. Y. STOKES, JR.  
Mr. and Mrs. Mills County and a large number of younger Mills Countians took a good look at the attractive new U. S. Post Office in Goldthwaite, Saturday, when Postmaster Lucile Fairman and Post Office employees were hosts at the open house celebrating the opening of the new office.

After registering in the Postmaster's private office, the visitors were conducted in small groups through the work room of the post office. The equipment and methods for handling incoming and outgoing mail were explained and demonstrated by the employees and the advantages of the new building were pointed out.

The building is entirely modern in appearance, equipment and arrangement. It is of brick and tile construction and contains 50% more floor space than the old building. It is especially well lighted by casement type windows and fluorescent lights so that there is ample illumination in every area of the building and no shadows. Central gas heating, thermostatically controlled, provides a comfortable temperature on the coldest days, and a built-in cooler will keep the entire building cool in the summer. The attractive tile floor was selected for durability as well as easy cleaning. The interior walls are decorated in contrasting shades of buff and light brown while the lobby is of light green glazed tile and plate glass with a trim of light brown and sunlight yellow.

After inspecting the building, the visitors were presented with souvenirs which express appreciation for their attendance and then were served coffee and cookies by the Goldthwaite Lions Club. Cut flowers and potted plants sent by patrons and out of town friends, decorated the office.

Out of town guests included Postmaster and Mrs. Harry Boynton, Hamilton; Postmaster Jessie Gandy, Meridian; Postmaster Esta L. Matson, Zephyr; Postmaster and Mrs. Tate Counts, DeLeon; Postmaster Drue Cline and William Cline, Caradan; Postmaster Paul Lee, Moline; Postmaster Burt Ball, Star; George L. Alcorn, Trustee Texas Rural Letter Carriers, Zephyr; Mrs. C. F. Lawson, Caradan; Mrs. Orville Keese, Indian Gap; R. D. Me-

**Barry Max Booker Home On Leave**

Barry Max Booker, son of Mr. and Mrs. Tom Booker, is home on a twenty-four day leave from the United States Air Force. He will leave Friday for Camp Scott, Illinois, where he will attend radio school for the next six months.

Mrs. O. H. Shaw returned to her home Monday from several days stay in San Saba Memorial Hospital. Her many friends will be glad she is home and improving.

J. A. Spoon of Brownwood has accepted a position with Collier's Grocery and Market. He is in charge of the meat market.

**WALLACE JOHNSON ATTENDS DALLAS MEET**  
Wallace Johnson, of Johnson Brothers, is attending a special merchandising meeting of Firestone in Dallas today. Firestone dealers from all over the territory are attending this meeting where the new 1954 lines of merchandise are shown.

F. M. Lappe, who was formerly with Collier's Grocery, is now employed at Piggly Wiggly in the market.

**Household Hint**

When starching the laundry, separate white clothes from the colored. Colored clothes should be turned inside out before starching, to prevent any possibility of streaking.

**STATEMENT OF THE FARMERS & MERCHANTS BANK OF PRIDDY, TEXAS**

STATE OF TEXAS  
COUNTY OF MILLS  
Before me, the undersigned authority, on this day personally appeared, C. F. Jeske and Eleanor Jeske Gromatzky and Arnold C. Jeske, each personally known to me to be a resident of the Town of Priddy, County of Mills, and State of Texas, and each having been by me first duly sworn according to law deposed and said:

That the Farmers and Merchants Bank, has been conducted continuously since 1917, as a private banking business in Priddy, Mills County, Texas. That said banking business is still being conducted under the firm or trade name of Farmers and Merchants Bank, and that the sole and exclusive owners thereof are, C. F. Jeske, Eleanor Jeske Gromatzky and Arnold C. Jeske.

(SIGNED) C. F. JESKE  
(SIGNED) ELEANOR JESKE GROMATZKY.  
(SIGNED) ARNOLD C. JESKE  
Sworn to and subscribed before me this 11 day of January A. D. 1954.  
(SIGNED) ARTHUR E. GROMATZKY  
(SEAL) Notary Public in and for Mills County, Texas.

**LAFF-A-DAY**



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"It's for MY birthday, isn't it?"

**Condensed Statement of the Condition of the FARMERS AND MERCHANTS BANK (Uninc.) PRIDDY, TEXAS**

AT THE CLOSE OF BUSINESS, DECEMBER 31, 1953

RESOURCES	
Loans and Discounts	\$ 74,852.86
Real Estate	23,000.00
Banking House, Furniture and Fixtures	1.00
QUICK ASSETS:	
Stocks and Bonds	\$ 10,250.00
Cash and Due from Banks	128,156.45
Bills of Exchange	16,808.62
153,215.07	
TOTAL RESOURCES	\$251,068.93
LIABILITIES	
Capital Stock	\$ 10,000.00
Surplus Funds	10,000.00
Undivided Profits	5,407.09
Other Liabilities	730.44
Deposits	224,931.40
TOTAL LIABILITIES	\$251,068.93

I hereby certify that the above statement is true and correct to the best of my knowledge and belief.  
(SIGNED) C. F. JESKE, Cashier

Sworn to and subscribed before me this 11 day of January A. D. 1954.  
(SIGNED — SEAL) ARTHUR E. GROMATZKY, Notary Public, Mills County, Texas

**Billy Collier Is Named Assistant County Agent**

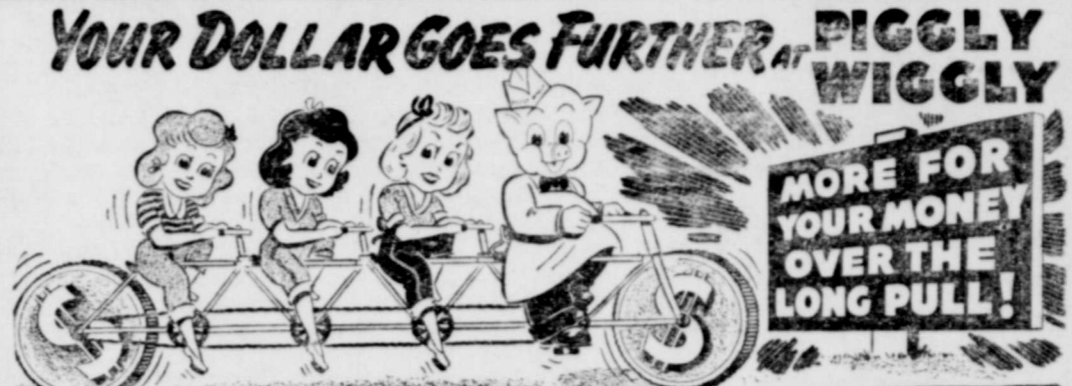
Billy M. Collier, son of Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Collier of Goldthwaite, is the new Assistant County Agent at Corsicana. He was employed by the commissioners court of Navarro County in special session recently.

Two years ago his appointment was approved by the court but he was called into the armed service before he could report for duty and served two years in the U. S. Marine Corps. He is a graduate of Goldthwaite High School and Texas Tech.

**Former Resident Dies In California**

Holland Frizzelle received a message Wednesday afternoon stating that his nephew, Alec Berry, had passed away at his home in California.

Alec was the son of Mr. and Mrs. Tom Berry, former Mills County residents who left Mills County to make their home in California, about ten years ago.



SPECIALS FOR FRIDAY & SAT., JAN. 15 & 16  
DOUBLE GOLD STAMPS EVERY WEDNESDAY



**GOLD FISH**  
89c Value Only 49c  
With Purchase Of 2 POST CEREALS

- BETSY ROSS FLOUR** 25 Lb. Bag \$1.79
- CHASE & SANBORN COFFEE** Lb. 89c
- WALDORF TISSUE** 6 Rolls 49c
- SHUR FINE— Pure Vegetable SHORTENING** 3 Lb. Can 79c

**GOOD TENDER SHORT LOIN STEAK** Lb. 59c



**GOOD CHUCK ROAST** Lb. 41c

**AUGE'S FRESH SAUSAGE 3 Lbs. For \$1.00**

**NICE LEAN PORK CHOPS** Lb. 63c

**BULK SLICED BACON** Lb. 59c

**SHUR FINE— WHITE HOMINY 3 No. 303 Cans 25c**

**TUXEDO 8 Oz. Can 24c**

**IMPERIAL SUGAR 10 Lb. Bag 85c**

**HEINZ BABY FOOD 12 CANS FOR \$1.00**

**STAFF OF LIFE TOMATOES 10 No. 303 Cans \$1.00**

**Sunshine Krispy Lb. 26c**  
**CRACKERS Box**  
**WORTH'S WAFFLE SYRUP Quart 39c**

**Muggs and Skeeter By Wally Bishop**



- DELICIOUS APPLES** Lb. 15c
- NICE LARGE IDAHO POTATOES 3 Lbs. 10c**
- NICE CRISP CELERY** Stalk 15c



Doing the Works of God

ILLUSTRATED SUNDAY SCHOOL LESSON

By Alfred J. Buescher

Scripture—John 4:43-5:47.



In Cana, where Jesus turned the water into wine at the marriage feast, a nobleman came to Him, asking Him to heal his son who was near death. Jesus said to him, "Go thy way; thy son liveth."



As the nobleman neared home after Jesus told him his son would live, his servants met him and told him the son was alive, and that he began to recover at the hour Jesus said he would live.



At the pool of Bethesda, in Jerusalem, many blind, halt and withered were waiting for the healing waters to be stirred. A crippled man was told by Jesus to "Rise, take up thy bed and walk."



Accused by the Jews of working on the Sabbath because He healed the cripple, Jesus answered them, "My Father worketh hitherto, and I work." MEMORY VERSE—John 10:10.



SHE KNOWS . . . IT'S FEEDING TIME!

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Personal Paragraphs

(Heliever from Last Week.) Mrs. O. L. Woody returned home last week from a ten day visit with her daughter, Mrs. Florine Cartwright and daughter, in San Antonio. Mrs. Cartwright and daughter accompanied her home for a few days visit.

Miss Patty Wright, Home Ex. Teacher of Goldthwaite High School, returned home last Sunday from a two weeks visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Orville Wright of Perrin.

James Wesson returned to U. S. Naval Air Base at Kingsville Sunday after a holiday visit with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Wesson, here.

Miss Love Gatlin spent last week in San Antonio with her niece, Mrs. Florine Cartwright

and daughter, Carolyn.

Mrs. Ovella Sperry of Dallas and Kenneth Wesson of A. and M. College spent the Christmas holidays with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Wesson.

Mrs. Thulia Lynn spent the Christmas holidays with her sister, Mrs. Kite in Mineral Wells.

Oscar Gatlin of Brownwood visited his mother, Mrs. A. J. Gatlin the first of this week.

Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Jamison of San Angelo and Mr. and Mrs. Alva Hallum of Brownwood were recent guests of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wilford Gray.

Mr. and Mrs. Royel Wheat and son of Corpus Christi visited her parents and brothers, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Nowell and sons during the past holidays. They also visited Mr. Wheat's relatives in Ranger.

Mrs. Tom House and Jim Tom spent several days during the Christmas holidays with Mrs. Ann Park and sons in Brownsville.

Mr. and Mrs. A. D. Smith of

Mission and Miss Mary Katherine Smith of Austin visited Mrs. Stark and Mrs. Addie C. Davis last weekend. Harry Palmer of Fort Worth and Mr. and Mrs. Grover Dalton of Mullin also visited Mrs. Stark and Mrs. Davis Saturday.

Mrs. Inez Oliver of Houston was a guest of Mrs. W. H. Nelson and Miss Laura Nelson last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Powhatan Carter of Roswell, New Mexico, are guests of Mr. and Mrs. John Berry.

Mr. and Mrs. Ivan Carlston and son, Carl Wayne, of Tulsa, Oklahoma, were holiday guests of Mrs. Leora Barton. This was little Carl Wayne's first visit to his grandmother.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Bohannon spent Saturday night with Mrs. J. W. Roberts and his brother, Mr. and Mrs. Dewey Bohannon.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Smith of Fort Worth visited Sunday with his sister, Mrs. Sallie Featherston and family. They also attended church at the First Baptist Church.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Grizzle visited Sunday with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Obenhaus.

Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Massey left Monday for California.

Mr. and Mrs. S. E. Pass returned to their home in Abilene Sunday after spending the

holidays here with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Pass.

Mrs. Walter Dennis of San Saba is visiting her sister, Mrs. Morgan Wrinkle and helping care for their father, Mr. Gene Letbetter, who is ill.

HOLIDAY GUESTS IN WEWHORTER HOME

Mr. and Mrs. Vernon McWhorter and children, Mila Kay, Jay and Jan, all of Houston, Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Churchwell of San Antonio and Mr. and Mrs. Clive Perry were guests of Mrs. Edith McWhorter during the Christmas holidays.

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Desires To Submit The Following Financial Statement, As Of The Close Of Business On December 31, 1953

ASSETS		LIABILITIES	
Cash in hand and in Bank	\$ 5,353.67	Unremitted Fees	\$ 10.00
Advances for Members	655.14	Dividends Payable	129.50
Mis. Notes & Accts. Rec.	88.25	Legal Reserve	23,045.00
Investments	50,485.00	Association Stock	23,045.00
Capital Stock	23,085.00	F. & F. Reserve	404.80
Furniture & Fixtures	404.80	Surplus	33,438.56
Other Assets	1.00		
	\$80,072.86		\$80,072.86

Last year a dividend of 15% was paid on stock owned by its members. During the last ten years, 110% has been paid in dividends. Thus all stock ten years old has been paid for, and is still worth its face value.

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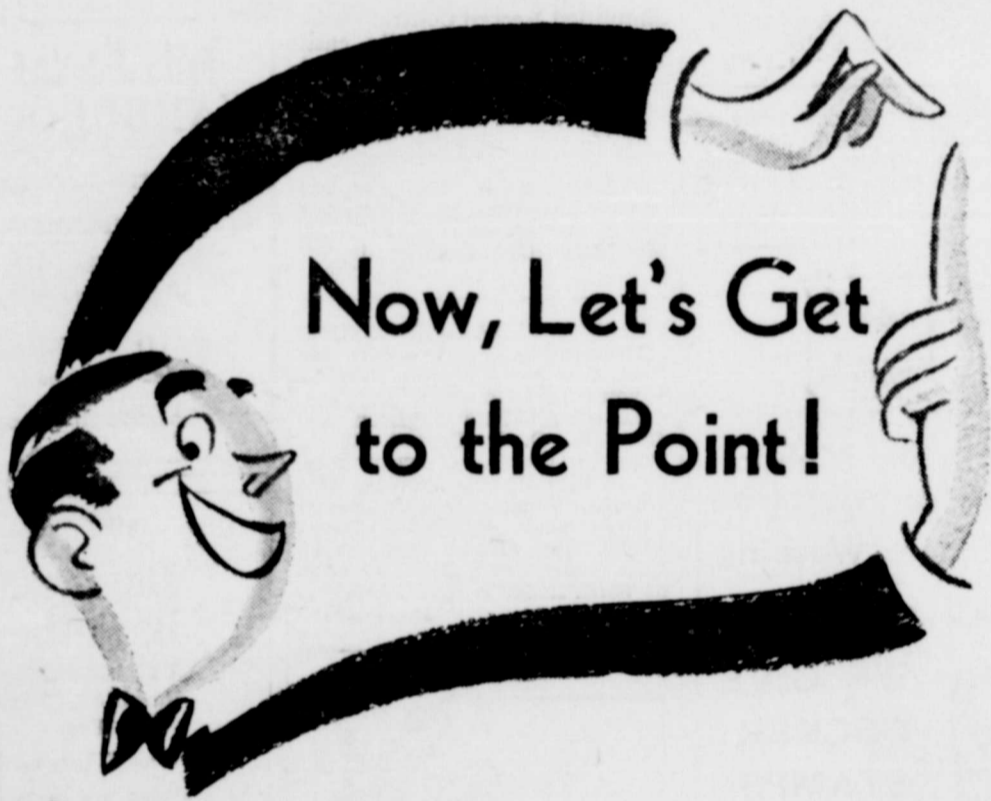
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Total Volume	1950	1951	1952	1953
Of Business	\$4,086,854.92	\$4,395,859.49	\$2,334,604.69	\$1,206,259.64
Salaries Paid	28,882.10	34,209.43	25,850.62	29,876.83
Head Sheep	151,149	145,029	101,852	171,259
Head Goats	66,858	79,096	88,210	98,950
Head Cattle	8,463	9,075	5,572	2,237

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GOLDTHWAITE, TEXAS



**Center City News**

By MRS. JOE GREEN  
(Written for Last Week.)  
Sims preached at the Church here Sunday morning and night. There was good attendance at both services.  
There is quite a bit of sickness in our community at this time. Mrs. Charley Horner has flu, and she is soon better. Grandmother Owens is slowly improving.

Mrs. Tom Watson was carried to the Comanche Hospital on December 31. At last report she was slowly improving. We hope for her a speedy recovery.  
Mr. and Mrs. D. A. Solomon and sons of Waco, Mr. and Mrs. Odie Crews were guests New Year's Day in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Tom House. John L. and family of Dallas and Jim Tom and Billy Jo and family of Waco were also guests of Mr. and Mrs. House.  
Miss Lucille Welch spent the holidays with home folks.  
Mary Katherine Elms spent the holidays with her parents. Sammie Owens and John Howard have both been home for the holidays. John Howard left Sunday for San Antonio, where he is stationed and Sammie has gone to A. and M.  
James Gaither Green and Angie Kruger of Hamilton were married December 31. James is a nephew of this writer.  
Johnnie Carter was a supper guest of the Greens last Saturday night.  
Mr. and Mrs. Elsworth Karnes and family have been visiting Mr. and Mrs. Z. Karnes and Mr. and Mrs. Dan Townsend and families. They left Tuesday for their home in California.  
Mr. and Mrs. Coleman Walton and daughter were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Lee Walton. The little daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Coleman Walton is improving.  
Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Mason have a new son at their home.

Reed Townsen visited the Joe Greens Saturday night and Leo Townsen visited them Sunday.  
Oscar Miles and a friend from Temple and Mr. and Mrs. Luther Bailey visited Mrs. J. D. Yates in Goldthwaite Sunday.  
Mrs. Oscar Hill has been staying with her mother, Mrs. J. Everett Evans in Goldthwaite, who has been ill since the 31st of December.  
Word has reached here of the marriage of Mrs. Ruth Lee and Hubert Geeslin of Goldthwaite. Congratulations.  
Mr. and Mrs. Level Christain and daughter visited Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Ransom during the holidays.  
Rev. and Mrs. Lewis Sparkman had 25 guests New Year's and during the holidays. Mr. and Mrs. Lonnie Goforth and family, Alice Sparkman, Alma Neta and family from Brownwood, C. M. Head and Truett, and Aubrey Head and family.  
Mr. and Mrs. Doyle Head were visitors in the home of Mrs. Rosa Head, Darrell Head and Mr. and Mrs. Frank Kerby during the holidays.  
We wish for all a Happy and Prosperous New Year.

**Holiday Guests In Tom House Home**

Mr. and Mrs. Tom House of Goldthwaite had as guests New Year's Day six of their seven children. Those present were: Mr. and Mrs. Jim Harris and son, Anthony, Mr. and Mrs. Roydston House and four sons, of Goldthwaite, Mr. and Mrs. John L. House and son, Gary, of Dallas, Mr. and Mrs. D. A. Solomon and two sons and Mr. and Mrs. James Humphreys and son, David of Waco and Jim Tom House of Pattison.  
Other relatives present were: Mrs. Ira Alldredge, sister of Mrs. House, and Mr. and Mrs. Otis Crews of Hillsboro. Mrs. Ann Park and four sons of Brownsville were unable to attend.

**San Saba Peak**

By MRS. DUTCH SMITH  
(Written for Last Week.)  
Mr. and Mrs. Jess Ball and sons of Houston spent Christmas with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Dutch Smith. After Christmas the Smiths accompanied them to Oklahoma to visit Mr. and Mrs. Velma Gage, former residents of the Scallorn community.  
Mr. and Mrs. Loyd King had as guests Christmas Mrs. King's family.  
Mr. and Mrs. Fred Hodges of Sterling City spent the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. Loyd King.  
Mrs. P. R. Jordan and children spent the holidays in Wichita Falls with relatives.  
Mr. and Mrs. C. S. Smith Jr. and Lynn of Winters visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. S. Smith Sr., Sunday afternoon.  
Monty Stone and his son-in-law, Loyd and Steve King went deer hunting. Mr. Stone killed a deer but Loyd and Steve did not have such good luck.  
Mrs. Jordan of Wichita Falls spent the weekend with her son, P. R. Jordan and family.  
John S. Smith visited relatives in Houston part of the Christmas holidays.  
Mr. and Mrs. Dutch Smith entertained a few friends with a "42" party last Saturday night.  
Mr. and Mrs. Billy Joe Heath of El Paso and Mr. and Mrs. Wilbur Heath of Lubbock spent the holidays with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Heath.

**Hillside Mission**

By LIDA BYRNE  
Some things do not come to those who wait for others to do their jobs. The Bible says, in Proverbs 13:13, in part: "The soul of the sluggard desireth, and hath nothing."  
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**VIEW OF THE YEAR—By Alan Maver**

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ALLENTOWN, PA

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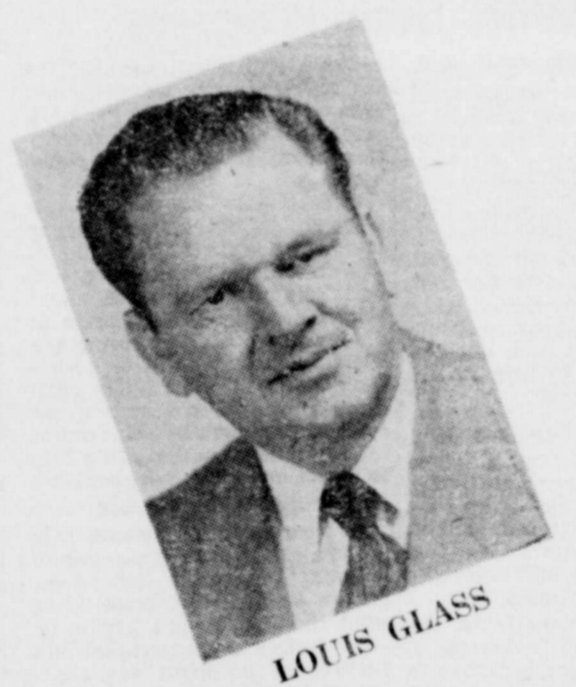
**THE OLD HOME TOWN** By STANLEY



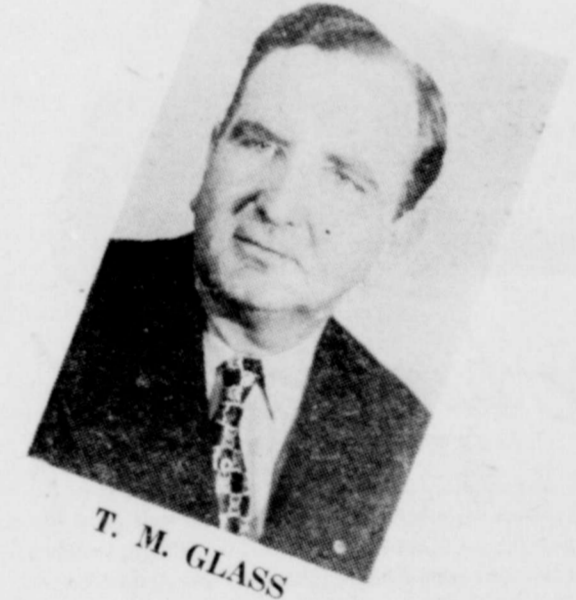
OH, MAGGIE YOU SHOULDN'T A-THROW THAT DISHWATER OUT-- PAWS A-SETTIN' OUT THERE--NOW HE'LL BE STORMIN' IN HERE Madder THAN A WET BEAR!!!

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### School Board Asks City Council To Open Streets To New Property

The School Board voted unanimously to ask the City Council to open two streets immediately that lead to the new school ground where the new primary school is to be built. One of these streets, Clyde, runs parallel to the east line of the John Berry land and the other separates the property of Mrs. J. M. Campbell and E. O. Shepherd. The two streets mentioned are approximately 800 feet in length and will lead to a point near the center of the new school ground off the Hanna Valley Road.

Cline Street will be extended as much as property lines will permit and extended to a good width after reaching the new school property. Other improvements expected to be made include clearing of the grounds, erosion control measures and a new roadway around the twenty-six acres that the new primary building will be placed on. Other improvements shall be added as conditions permit.

Other actions of school board of direct and immediate interest to the public was passing of two resolutions, one of which requires all students to schedule classes and study hall all day, thus denying anyone from leaving school daily to work. A second resolution prohibits anyone that is married from enrolling or attending local schools.

### Party Honors Guy Waldons

The Rock Springs Club honored Mr. and Mrs. Guy Waldon and daughter, Genell, with a going away party last Saturday night. The Waldons are moving to the Canadian community to make their home. They were presented a table lamp for their new home.

Eight club members and their husbands were present, also the following guests: Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Griffin, Joe, Alice Ann, Ronnie, John and Gene Davis, Virginia Morris and J. T. Starks.

Next club meeting will be Thursday, January 21, with Mrs. Joe Davis as hostess.

### TRAPPED WORKER DIRECTS RESCUE



CAUGHT BENEATH the wheels of a freight train in a Philadelphia railroad yard, Patrick Regan, car inspector for the Pennsylvania Railroad, stoically directs the work of firemen seeking to extricate him. Suffering serious leg injuries, he was rushed to a hospital. (International)

### Local Teams Bring Home 2 Trophies From Early Basketball Tournament

By PEGGY JONES  
The local boys brought home a second place trophy last Saturday night by downing May 49-34 in a game played Saturday afternoon and then went on to lose a hard fought game in the finals Saturday night to Early 44-40. The local boys played exceptionally well in both games. Their ball handling was excellent.

Though the girls did not bring home a second place trophy they did win in the consolation finals. They lost their first game Friday night to Early 39-37 in three overtimes. Early later went on to win the tournament by downing Comanche. The local sextette won the second game over Zephyr 49-34 and the third game by a score of 35-26 over Brooksmith. Meedell Long was the leading scorer in both the Early and Zephyr games with 19 and 30

points. Adanell Long was the leading scorer in the Brooksmith game with 17 points. C. D. Lindsay dropped in 13 points in the May game and Carl Smith hit for a total of 12 points. In the Early game Ruben Lippe was the leading scorer with 12 points and Carl Smith scored 11 points.

### Sub-District Meeting Of WSCS

Mmes. John Hester, W. C. Barnett, Harold Yarborough, Malcolm Jernigan, Charlie Bailey, Walter Doggett, Fred Reynolds, M. Y. Stokes and Talbot Ledbetter attended the Sub-District Meeting of the Woman's Society of Christian Service held in San Saba on Monday of this week. Mrs. Hester and Mrs. Barnett took part in the program by presenting a very interesting style show advertising the literature used by the Woman's Society of Christian Service.

The WSCS of the Goldthwaite First Methodist Church has started the study on Jeremiah. The study is being presented by Mrs. John Hester and will continue through the month of January each Monday afternoon at 2:30 p. m., at the First Methodist Church.

### Art And Civic Club Meets Thursday

The Art and Civic Club met last Thursday, January 7, at 2:30 p. m. in the home of Mrs. R. S. Mote with Mrs. George Reese as co-hostess.

Program theme was "Management in Daily Living." Mrs. Milton Tate, president of the club, introduced Mrs. F. M. Horton, who spoke on "Do You Know What You Are Buying?" Mrs. Horton stressed use of consumer publications to compare products.

Refreshments were served club members and two guests, Mrs. Ozella Jones and Mrs. Glynn Raley.



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### BIRTHS

Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Jackson of Brownwood are the proud parents of a daughter, born Saturday morning, January 9, at 5:00 a. m. at the San Saba Memorial Hospital. She weighed six pounds and has been named Rhonda Collett.

Maternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. O. H. Shaw and paternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. H. R. Jackson all of Goldthwaite.

Mr. and Mrs. L. D. Hollingshead of Brownwood are the parents of a son, Tamothy Lance, born January 6, at 10:25 at Memorial Hospital, Brownwood.

Maternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. L. H. Barnett of Brownwood and Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Hollingshead of Mullin are the paternal grandparents.

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### PARENT PROBLEMS

#### Enjoyment of Your Children Grows With Their Progress

By GARRY CLEVELAND MYERS, Ph.D.  
MANY parents enjoy their child from the very time he is born, and find still richer enjoyment as more children arrive and grow up together.

Tending, bathing, dressing the tiny infant and tucking him in for sleep can bring out the tenderest feelings in the mother. This is also true for the father, as he gently holds the baby occasionally, and looks at him, until he gradually learns to help in this little creature's care.

Child's Development  
With more and more pleasure, the father and mother observe this little child's development—his increase in size and weight, the new movements and sounds he learns to make, and especially when he begins to smile.

His growing response to the parents' smile and tender tones, his beginning to coo and then to babble and finally to utter words; and the new things he can do with his hands and whole body, handling, touching, exploring things, and, gradually, his show of thinking, imagining and creating—how enjoyable they are. Before long, he is sitting, reaching, creeping, walking, talking—all these signs of development are amazing and fascinating to his parents.

Father's Care  
It's wonderful for the father to learn to change the baby, dress him, feed him, bathe him, especially after the baby is one or two years old.

The parents' enjoyment of the child can grow richer and richer as this small person begins to put blocks and other things together with a purpose, as he begins to

scribble and draw, as he talks about the things he does and asks questions—as he explores, creates, and seeks more information about the big world about him.

The parents, amazed at this little child's development, enjoy all his new exploits at speech and locomotion, at his creative fun, especially when he talks about things he only sees or hears in his imagination. Then, for years, they enjoy his play at make-believe alone or with other children. These parents write down some of the yarns he spins out of his little head, encouraging him to create more and more of them.

Winning Cooperation  
Of course, these parents face problems in winning this child to do what they want him to do, and in keeping him from doing what they don't want him to do—in winning his cooperation. But these very problems are challenges to his parents' thinking and planning together for the best guidance of this little child, and from this they can gain still more enjoyments.

These parents gain enjoyment from encouraging this child to do for himself what he is able to do, to amuse himself and find fun with other children.

(My new bulletins "Self-reliance" and "Enjoying Your Children" may be had by sending a self-addressed, stamped envelope to me in care of this newspaper.)

Later, the whole family can experience such enjoyment around the dinner table, elsewhere about the home, talking and laughing together, playing games together, having visiting children in the home at times, going places together, building love and happiness that endure.

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