

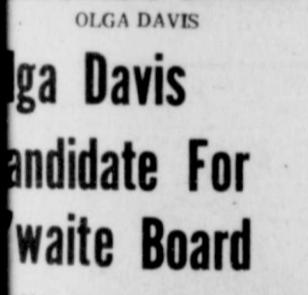
**Water Under
The Bridge**
by G.F.B.

The only one to publicly tell me of my mistake in last week's Eagle was Dr. Childress. The mistake was that I listed the rattlesnake killed by Jack Moran as being 16 inches in diameter "instead of circumference. Actually, it wasn't a mistake. The reptile had been in South Texas only days before and had hitched a ride up this way on a truck loaded with watermelons and had swallowed one just before jumping off in Goldthwaite. I simply measured it at the largest point . . . Shades of Homer Doggett . . .

Did you hear about the guy who broke his leg while raking leaves? He fell out of the tree.

One of the better golfers of the areaabouts played a round at Compass a while back and when it came time to compare scores at the end of the round, the card mysteriously turned up black as a cinder. Strange accidents do happen on the golf course, don't they?

hope everyone takes a good interest in the local political campaigns. This is where the real strength of our country is, with our schools, county and city governments. And if they aren't handled properly it can be a life awfully miserable for the people of this locale. Don't pass off lightly and by all means go to the polls on April 8th for school and city elections and on May 4th for the Primary. Don't just your duty, it's your active.



**Olga Davis
Candidate For
waite Board**

Mrs. Ronnie Davis, a candidate for board member of the Goldthwaite Independent School District, is asking for your support in the April election.

She is married to Ronald B. Davis and they have two daughters, Enda age 12, and Lorraine age 11.

The different offices I have held since our moving here are: Secretary for the 4-H Adults Readers Association, two terms; the present time I hold the office of Secretary-Treasurer of the Mills County Program Building Committee, and secretary of the Band Booster's Club, an active in the Baptist Church, and a leader for Acteens. I work for the Department of Public Welfare as Clerk Typist. My biggest concern and interest is for the betterment of our community and schools. I have an interest in our children of our community and believe they should have the best in education. They are the future of our country.

**Two Vehicle Accident
Hospitalized Three Persons**

**Minor Accident
Friday**

Friday morning a minor accident occurred on Parker Street in Goldthwaite. The accident, which happened around 8:30 a.m., involved a 1970 Chevrolet driven by Jean Johnson Thompson of Goldthwaite and a 1963 Chevrolet pickup operated by Lewis Eubank, also of here.

Mr. Eubank pulled out into the road striking the right side of the '70 vehicle.

No injuries were reported. Wilcox was the investigating officer.

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**Man Jailed
Here For
Forgery**

Last Thursday a Fort Worth man was arrested and charged for forgery and DWI. The arrest was made by Mills County Sheriff H. G. Brooks.

Raymond Collard was charged for passing a forged check in the amount of \$100.52 at Mills County State Bank. The forgery was detected by bank personnel who immediately contacted Brooks. Brooks made the arrest a short time later.

Collard is presently confined to Mills County jail.

**Bennett Creek
Construction
Scheduled Soon**

"Lyles and Lyles Construction Company of Ballinger, Texas was the apparent low bidder for the construction of Site 4, Bennett Creek located seven miles northeast of Goldthwaite on the Clyde Kerby Ranch," said Charles Studer, District Conservationist, with the Soil Conservation Service at Goldthwaite.

The low bid for construction of this site was \$291,038.68. The engineer's estimate was \$341,422.60. Work is scheduled to begin in approximately three weeks.

Seven bids were received in response to the subject invitation. The highest bid received was \$687,343.15.

**Important
Cancer Society
Meeting Tonight**

The Mills County Cancer Society will meet March 28 at 7:00 in the Community Room of the bank. This is the last meeting before the cancer drive and all chairmen of the county are urged to be present in order to pick up materials needed for the drive.

The house-to-house drive conducted by the Young Homemakers with the help of the FHA girls will be held April 8. Mills County's goal this year is \$4000 so please give generously and remember "We Want to Wipe Out Cancer in Your Lifetime!"

Singing

The regular fourth Sunday singing at the Center City Baptist Church will be held Sunday, March 24 from 2 until 4 p. m.

All those interested in enjoying a good evening of singing are urged to attend.

Lions Sponsored Eagle Relays Slated Saturday, March 23

Goldthwaite's annual Eagle Relays track meet sponsored by the local Lions Club will be held this year Saturday, March 23.

Fifteen teams, including the host school, will be entered in the Saturday competition.

Preliminary competition will be held in the morning with the finals in the afternoon, according to head coach Gene Aldridge.

Teams entering the Eagle Relays competition are Mullin, Moezelle, Cherokee, Lometa, Star, Dublin, Ranger, Bangs, San Saba, DeLeon, Richland Springs, Cross Plains, Santa Anna, Hamilton, and the host school Goldthwaite.

Following is a schedule of events:

9:30 a. m. - Begin all Field Events
10:00 a. m. - Preliminary running events begin and will be run in the following order:
440 yard relay, 120 high hurdles, 100 yard dash, 440 yard dash, 330 yard intermediate hurdles, 220 yard dash.
12:30 - 2:30 - Lunch Break
2:30 - Finals in running events

begin and will be run in the following order:
2:30 - 440 yard relay
2:45 - 880 yard dash
3:00 - 120 yard high hurdles
3:15 - 100 yard dash
3:30 - 440 yard dash
3:45 - 330 yard intermediate hurdles
4:00 - 220 yard dash
4:15 - Mile run
4:30 - Mile relay

nie Aldridge, Assistant Starter; Robert Robertson, Score Keeper; Hoyett Browning, Announcer; Danny Spradley, Clerk of Course; Scott McLean, Heat and Lane Director; Lee Ann Aldridge, Assistant Heat and Lane Director; and Gilbert Davis, Awards

Director.
Timers - Wesley Schmidt, Allen Moreland, Toby Bryant, Dan Connally, Mike Wright, Doran Lemke and David Walters.
Catchers - Charles Conrad, Wendell Tucker, Cecil Campbell, Andy Cook, Jim Wells and Mark Geeslin.
Shot Put and Discus - Jimmy Don Elliott and David Schwartz
High Jump - Charles Studer and Blake English
Pole Vault - Kellis Landrum
Broad Jump - Gerry Head



First Place Thinclads

Members of the Goldthwaite Eagle Track Team are pictured above after they took first place in Division IV of the Brownwood Track Meet held last Saturday. The local team racked up a total of 117 points in the meet. -- Laughlin Studio Photo

**Farm Bureau
To Sponsor
Driving Course**

Mills County Farm Bureau will sponsor the Defensive Driving Course April 29th and 30th.

The course will consist of two four hour sessions of instructions and films.

The cost will be \$1.00 for enrollment and .75 cents for the book. Persons taking the course will be eligible for a 10 percent discount in auto insurance premiums.

Farm Bureau sponsored the course last year and due to interest shown, we are offering it again.

If you would like to take the Defensive Driving Course, call Mills County Farm Bureau, 648-2262. Office Hours 9:00 to 11:00 a.m. and 1:00 to 5:00 p.m.

**Eagles Rack Up Division
IV Of B'wood Meet**

Goldthwaite's Eagles placed first in Division IV of the Brownwood Track Meet which was held last Saturday. Goldthwaite racked up a total of 117 points. Runner-up Early tallied 84 points.

Divisions of the meet Goldthwaite placed in are listed below:
Pole vault - 1st, Byron Landrum, 12'; 2nd, Steve Gist, 10'; 3rd, David Miller, 9'6".
Shot put - 5th, Larry Elliott, 41'4".
440 yard relay - 2nd, Goldthwaite team, 45.6.
880 yard run - 2nd, Dale Page, 2:06.6.
120 high hurdles - 4th, Landrum 16.3.
100 yard dash - 1st, Mike Simon, 10.0; 6th, Elliott, 10.6.
440 yard dash - 2nd, Guenaro Siller, 52.9.
330 yard intermediate hurdles - 2nd, Terry McLean, 44.2.
220 yard dash - 1st, Simon, 23.0.
Mile run - 1st, Thomas Hall, 4:57.5.
Mile relay - 2nd, Goldthwaite team with a time of 3:38.5

**EAGLE RELAYS
SCHOOL RECORDS**

Complete rundown of the school track record follows:
440 yard relay - Goldthwaite, 43.1, 1966
880 yard run - Santa Anna, 2:02.2, 1969
120 yd. high hurdles - San Saba, 15.0, 1972
100 yd. dash - Cherokee, 1969; Cross Plains, 1966; Goldthwaite, 1967, all with a time of 9.9
440 yd. dash - Clifton, 51.3, 1969
220 yard dash - Cherokee, 22.4, 1969
Mile Run - Cross Plains, 4:37.3, 1966
Mile Relay - Goldthwaite, 3:28.4, 1966
330 yrd. int. hurdles - Hamilton, 41.8, 1972
8-Man Relay - Goldthwaite, 3:21.0, 1971
880 Yard Steeple Chase - Santa Anna, 2:35.5, 1970

**FIELD EVENTS
SCHOOL RECORDS**

Pole Vault - Goldthwaite, 13'6", 1972
Broad Jump - Lometa, 21'7 1/2", 1970
High Jump - Valley Mills, 6'1", 1970
Discus - Paint Rock, 167'3 3/4", 1967
Shot - Paint Rock, 55' 10 3/4", 1967

OFFICIALS

Coach Gene Aldridge, director of the 1974 Eagle Relays, has announced the following officials for Saturday's meet.
Charley McLean, starter; Ron-

**Elliott Named To
All-American
Football Program**

A local athlete has been named to the Prep All-America Football Program for 1973-74 as announced today by the editors of Coach & Athlete magazine. His achievements will be presented in the Award Yearbook to be published in June. Chosen was Larry Donn Elliott, son of Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Donn Elliott.

The program is an annual honor roll of outstanding high school football players, and is highly regarded by college coaches and scouts as a source for recruiting prospective athletes.

HELPERS

Shot Put and Discus - Sammy Padilla, Greg Geeslin
Pole Vault - Scott Senior, Jet Johnson
Broad Jump - Jay Sims, Richard Burrus and Mike Connally
High Jump - Carson Padgett
Finish Yarn Holders - Chip Head, Mike Odom
Hurdle Setters - James Vigil, Gordon Vigil, Stanley Odom, Jimmy Mullins, Joe Cooke, Rodney Scott, Carson Padgett, Kenneth Lawrence, Brian Lawrence, Mark Lewis.
Presentations of awards at the conclusion of the track meet will be conducted by the Goldthwaite High School Cheerleaders.

**GHS Band Will
Participate In
UIL Competition**

The Goldthwaite High School Band will be participating in the University Interscholastic League Concert and sight-reading contest in Brownwood, Friday, March 22, at 2:20 p. m. Thirty-eight members will be going to represent our school, and we are very proud of these students.

Good luck to the Eagle Band!

BAND BOOSTERS MEETING

The regular band boosters meeting was held Monday night, and the following officers were elected for the new year:
President, Mr. Herbert Cook; Vice-president, Clarence Miller; Asst. vice-president, Ronnie Davis; Secretary, Olga Davis; Treasurer, Betty Scott; Reporter, Jane Ann Johnson.

The meeting time was changed to the first Monday night of each month during football season, and the other meetings will be called by the president.

Myriene Long was appointed chairman for the reception to be held after the spring concert.

A big thank-you to Dwayne Henry for two years of service as president of the club.



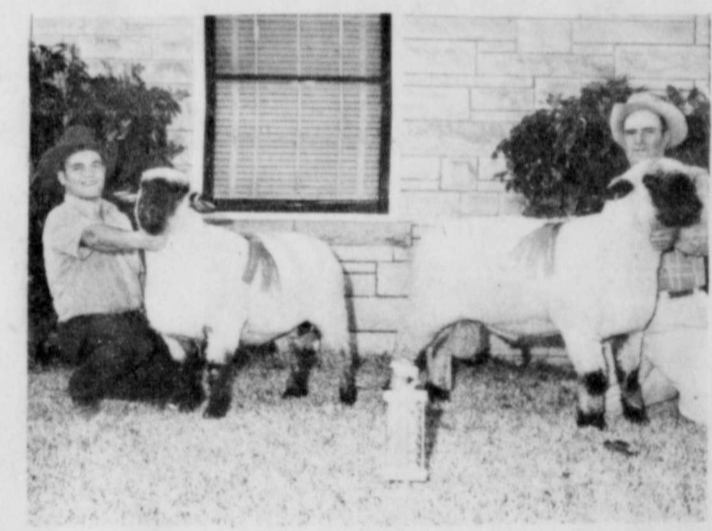
GHS Marching Band

Members of the Goldthwaite High School Band are pictured above. They are, back row left to right, Mark Sides, Richard Haddock (band director), Mike Padgett, Karla Henry, Yvonne Humphries, Mark Lawrence, Bob Long, Steve Price, Tommy Collier, Rose Sapien, Randy Dumas, Steven Saylor, Randy White, Jay Sims, Gregg Geeslin and Sammy Padilla.

Middle row left to right, Dina Elliott, Tino Garcia, Kenneth Lawrence, Dendra Long, Carolyn Schwartz, Tamara Long, Cindy Johnson, Laquita Williams, Sheila Slagle, Mina Kay Johnson, Lanae Landrum, Patricia Williams, Rodney Scott and Gwen Saylor.

Front row left to right, Richard Burrus, Joe Cook, Robert Jensen, Joan Wilcox, Marsha Henry, Terry Slagle, Edna Davis, Mary Treadway, Debbie Wilcox, Ester Padilla, Sheila Vaughan, Ruth Ann Johnson, Kristi Miller and Scott Senior.

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Winning Sheep

Reggie Robbins, a graduate of Goldthwaite High School (left) and his father, Sonny Robbins, are pictured above with Reggie's grand champion buck and ewe. In the Hico Livestock Show held recently, Reggie won the following on his sheep:
1st and 2nd on ram lamb; 1st and 2nd yearling ram; 1st and 2nd ewe lamb; 1st and 2nd yearling ewe; grand champion ram and ewe; and reserve champion ram and ewe. He also took showmanship trophy award for the second straight year.

Placings won at the San Antonio Show were 2nd on yearling ram; 3rd on exhibitor's flock, pen of lambs, and four tooth ram; and 5th on aged ewe. He also took 6th, 7th, 8th and 9th places in the show.

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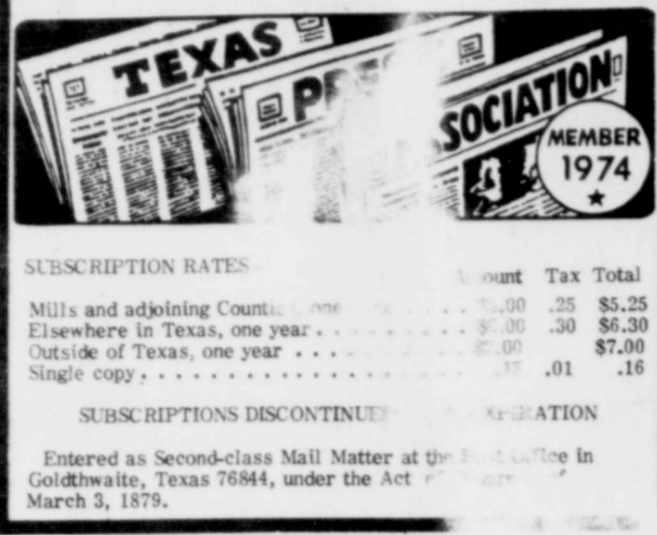
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**When The
Old Bird
Was Younger**

10 Years Ago —

(Taken From The Eagle Files Of March, 1964)

Six GHS players were named to the all-district basketball teams for the 1964 season. They were Gene Aldridge, Gene Gray and Steve Ratliff; and Linda Geeslin, Johnafaye Dryman and Sandra Arnold.

Beverly Rhoades, member of the Goldthwaite FHA chapter, was elected Secretary of Area IV at the meeting held in Stephenville last week. She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. D. E. Rhoades and a junior at GHS.

Modernization of the post office building of Goldthwaite has been authorized by the Postmaster General. Remodeling is expected to be completed early in the fall of 1964.

Work got underway this week on a new addition to RV's Cafe according to announcement by Mr. and Mrs. R.V. Geeslin. The new 14 X 16 ft. addition will provide additional dining space and will accommodate private parties.

The Ebony Community Club met Saturday night for a covered dish supper and a 42 and domino party. Hostesses were James, Cecil Egger, Hulon Egger and Haskell Hicks.

40 Years Ago —

(Taken From The Eagle Files Of March 16, 1934)

Myron Hillman and Jackie Burks won the first four places and Grand Champion lamb of the Hico all breed sheep show. Last Saturday William R. Steele and Mrs. Virgie Sanford of Comanche were married in the County Judge's office, Judge L. B. Porter officiating.

Mrs. Barbara Dell Harkey received word from her husband saying he had landed in Guam with the U. S. Navy. Earl is an Electricians Mate and will serve 18 mos. overseas.

Jim Tom House, son of T. H. House, is a new member of the Tarleton Scholarship Society. He is majoring in Ag. Ed. and has been elected secretary of the Society.

40 Years Ago —

(Taken From The Eagle Files Of March 16, 1934)

The Merry Wives Club honored Mr. and Mrs. Roy Rowntree with a dinner and bridge party as they will be moving to Houston in the near future. The affair was held in the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Dew. Mrs. Rowntree has been a loyal member for 10 years.

Mary Ellen Trent, Floyce Aileen Dickerson, Charline Brim and Billie Weatherby spent Sunday with Lucile Hoover. They enjoyed a delicious turkey dinner.

Luther York has been selected by the state dept. of health to take the place of R. G. Tullock who is being transferred to Abilene.

Commissioners Court met in regular session this week. The highway money was divided among the precincts in accordance with the amount collected from each. No. 1 received \$47.65; No. 2, \$35.60; No. 3, \$177.60; No. 4, \$8.96.

Wednesday, the Art & Civic Club entertained at the home of Mrs. Harry Allen, with a program honoring Mrs. Roy Rowntree, former vice-pres. of District 6, Texas Federated Women's Clubs.

**G'waite Garden Club
Meets In Cornelius Home**

The Goldthwaite Garden Club met March 13th at 2:30 in the home of Mrs. Vance Cornelius, with Mrs. Cornelius, Mrs. M. F. Horton, Miss Ruth Ervin and Mrs. R. Glynn Raley as hostesses.

Mrs. N. M. Coats, president, presided at the meeting. Mrs. Raley, chairman of the Talent Show, gave a report. The show was well attended and money made will be used for the Court House plaza project.

Mrs. Tom Collier was nominated by the club as Senior Citizen nominee.

District 5 Garden Club will meet at Cameron March 20. Several have made plans to attend.

Leader of the program was Mrs. Judy Beavers. Mrs. Jack Elms spoke on plant material for our fall flower show. Mrs. Walton Daniel gave the new approach to Design Principles, containers and mechanics. Backgrounds for arrangements of flowers was discussed by Mrs. Woodrow Boykin.

Mrs. Cornelius created the beautiful arrangement for the refreshment table. It consisted of mountain laurel, crabapple blooms and wild honeysuckle. Refreshments were served to 22 club members.

April 10 the club will meet with Mrs. Paul Henderson, with Mrs. A. R. Neely, C. A. Keeler and Judy Beavers as hostesses. Julian Evans will show slides of beautiful scenes and flowers taken on his latest travels.

Governor Dolph Briscoe has designated March 20 as Mocking Bird Day, climaxing a campaign of Garden Club members all over the state. The resolution states that the Mocking Bird is the state bird and Garden Clubs have objectives of education and beautification. Thus he declared the day for citizens and groups to recognize the birds as symbols of our state.

**Schwartz
On District
11-A Team**

Tuesday morning Coach Gene Aldridge released the names of those from Goldthwaite who made the District 11-A Basketball teams and Honorable Mention.

Carolyn Schwartz was the only girl from Goldthwaite to make the first team in the All-District selections.

Honorable Mention for the girls went to Cindy Johnson and Mickey Ynostrosa.

Making Honorable Mention from the boys basketball team were Thomas Hall, Terry McLean, Byron Landrum and Ken Leonhard.



KATHY THOMAS AND LARRY ROBERTS

Engagement Announced

Mr. and Mrs. Varnell Thomas of Goldthwaite announce the engagement of their daughter, Kathy, to Mr. Larry Roberts of Hereford, Texas. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Lee Roberts of Hereford.

Kathy, a 1972 graduate of Kress High School, is a junior business education major at West Texas State University. She is a member of Alpha Chi and Pi Omega Pi national honor societies.

Larry is a 1972 graduate of

Hereford High School. He is a WTSU student, majoring Agricultural Business and Economics. He is a member of Eta Sigma Honor Society and was the Outstanding Freshman Student in the School of Agriculture in 1973. He is presently employed at Southwest Feedlot, Canyon.

Wedding vows will be exchanged in the Kress Baptist Church, 15, 1974.

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15 Years Ago —

(Taken From The Eagle Files Of March 18, 1949)

Arthur Bromatzky, newly elected member of the Texas Legislature, will speak in Comanche on March 18. Mr. Bromatzky is president of the Mills County Farm Bureau and is anxious to meet people in Mills and Comanche counties.

Jack Hightower, son of Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Hightower, has accepted a position as manager of the Condra Funeral Home in Round Rock, Texas.

**Accidents Here
During February**

The Texas Highway Patrol investigated 7 accidents on rural highways in Mills County during the month of February, according to Sergeant J. O. Tanner, Highway Patrol Supervisor of this area.

The 7 accidents have resulted in no deaths, and 3 injuries for the month of February, 1974.

These figures result in a total of 12 accidents with no deaths and 5 injured in Mills County during 1974.

Market Report

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Feeder Heifers — 35.00-42.00
Feeder Steers — 42.50-48.00
Heiferettes — 34.00-38.00
Stocker Cows — 33.00-40.00
Cows and Calves, 300.00-436.00

Bull Calves — 47.50-60.00
Bull Yearlings — 40.00-45.00
Packer Bulls — 36.00-43.00
Packer Cows — 24.00-33.00

We had a short run due to very welcome rain.

Light weight steer and heifer calves were \$2 to \$5 higher. Medium weight steer and heifer calves were \$1 to \$2 higher. Heavy weight steer and heifer calves were steady to \$2 higher. Yearling weight cattle were steady to \$2 higher. Packer cows were fully steady. Packer bulls were fully steady. Cows and calves were steady to \$20 per pair higher.

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Mullin Community News

BY: Lorene Holland

Mullin has been alive the past week with the hum of lawn mowers, garden tillers and the buzz of pruning saws. The rain we had in Mullin made everything awfully pretty and green. At least it gave us the necessary lift to get out and try to be a little harder.

Mr. Bob Reynolds is in the hospital in Goldthwaite, and he has been quite ill.

We (the Skip-Bo players) had a letter from Jewell Basins who has been with her sister Dink Golightly in Hamilton, Texas. Dink Golightly has been in Scott White Hospital in Temple, Texas. She is much improved now; Jewell is able to walk now. Jewell plans to come home around the first of April if all goes well.

Mrs. Vesta McCormick left today for Kermit to be with her mother, Hollis, who is ill. She plans to be gone about two weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Long, Mr. and Mrs. Theo Scott, Artie Mosier, Vesta McCormick, and Mrs. Mrs. Dusty Durst all attended the singing at Jones Chapel Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Derrell Creek visited Stephen of Austin visited last weekend with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lynn Roberts; also with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Creek. They report no rain in Austin. My youngest little grandson made a grownup statement to me when they were here last weekend. He said, "We need some rain so our plants will grow."

John Carl Smith is home from the hospital in Brownwood where he had surgery. He had a pretty time I understand with an appendix operation. We seldom hear of this operation giving a lot of trouble anymore, but it is used to. Thanks to better foods and medicines.

Mrs. Lucille Jenke of Austin visited Mr. and Mrs. Bill Sanders last weekend with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Will Sanders.

Harry Alldredge received a wire cut on one of his legs while a power saw "got hold of" him. He was helping prune some trees at the Baptist Parsonage when his arm slipped on a limb he was holding, causing the saw to cut his leg. Careful, Terry! These things really work fast. He is on crutches, but hasn't missed school. He is attending P.C. in Brownwood.

The last gotten home from a dinner. It was so grand. One of my neighbors invited me to home for the fish dinner, along with french fries, cookies

and coffee. I really enjoyed it all.

Mr. Willard Mosier is spending a few days at Conroe, Tex., with his grandson Lynn Mosier and wife. Willard likes to attend the stock show where his grandson is teaching agriculture.

Mrs. Harry Heyland, the former Auriel Jones, died Tuesday in a Fort Lavaca hospital following a lengthy illness.

Mrs. Heyland was born Aug. 22, 1899, in Kentucky, daughter of a pioneer West Texas doctor, the late Dr. R. H. Jones and Molly D. Jones of Mullin, Tex.

CENTER CITY NEWS

BY: Mrs. Joe Green

This is Monday morning; the sun is shining, the birds are singing, and spring is almost here.

Hilda Mae Frank was home over the weekend, and she and Eda visited me Saturday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Ace Kinchele visited us Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Green visited us last Tuesday night, and Mr. and Mrs. Jim Green visited us last Friday.

Mrs. Ira Toney visited with me Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Z. Karnes visited their son Roscoe and family last Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Hollom have bought a new mobile home and moved it to their place. It's very nice and I know they will enjoy it.

Oleta Coffman visited me one day last week. Lesa, her granddaughter, had a birthday Saturday. Oleta and Kenneth were unable to go. Happy Birthday, Lesa!

Kenneth and Deron helped Captain Robert Sumpter Gerald build a new fence on his ranch. They have also been working in the field getting ready to sow feed, but are afraid it's too dry to bring it up.

Maybe I will have more news next week, and can tell you about the good rain we are going to have pretty soon.

Snakes do not "hear" in the same manner as humans because they cannot detect air vibrations. Instead, they are ultra-sensitive to ground vibrations and can feel your presence long before you are able to see them.

Class Of '24 Plans Golden Reunion

Saturday afternoon, March 16, five members of the Goldthwaite High School Graduating Class of 1924 met as a Planning Committee to shape up the final structure and arrangements for a Golden Anniversary Class Reunion. The idea originated many months ago, and the Planning Committee held its first business session during the GHS ex-student, Homecoming Reunion last Thanksgiving.

Meeting in the Mills County State Bank Community Center last Saturday afternoon were Lucille Miller O'Brien of Breckenridge, Pearl Casbeer of Austin, Lucille Welch and Robert Steen of Goldthwaite, and Sidney E. Pass of Abilene.

Date for the unusual Golden Anniversary Class of '24 celebration has been set for Saturday, May 18, 1974. This will be the weekend nearest the date of graduation, which was Friday, May 16, fifty years ago.

The Mills County State Bank Community Center will be headquarters for the gathering during the day of Saturday, May 18. Pearl Casbeer and Lucille Miller O'Brien will be co-hostesses for the fellowship time for the 1924 graduates and their spouses. There will be picture displays, scrap book exhibits, a review of one or two other class reunions, and fellowship in general throughout the day.

The class members and their spouses will enjoy a banquet the same Saturday evening in Fellowship Hall of the First Methodist Church. Lucille Welch and Robert Steen of Goldthwaite will have general charge of the banquet arrangements and details. Among other features of the banquet hour will be a memorial service for class members who are deceased, the service to be conducted by Pearl Casbeer of Austin. Nolan Horton of Ponca City, Oklahoma is the present class president.

There were 38 graduates in the GHS Class of 1924, 31 of whom are still living as far as the class officers know. However, the class leaders are unable to account for Homer T. Ervin whose last known address was Miami, Florida. Mail addressed to him recently has been returned unclaimed. If anyone who reads this article knows his whereabouts it will be appreciated if that person will get in touch with any class member named in this news article. The class leaders have the names and present addresses of all other living class members. This within itself is an unusual fact -- after 50 years from graduation!

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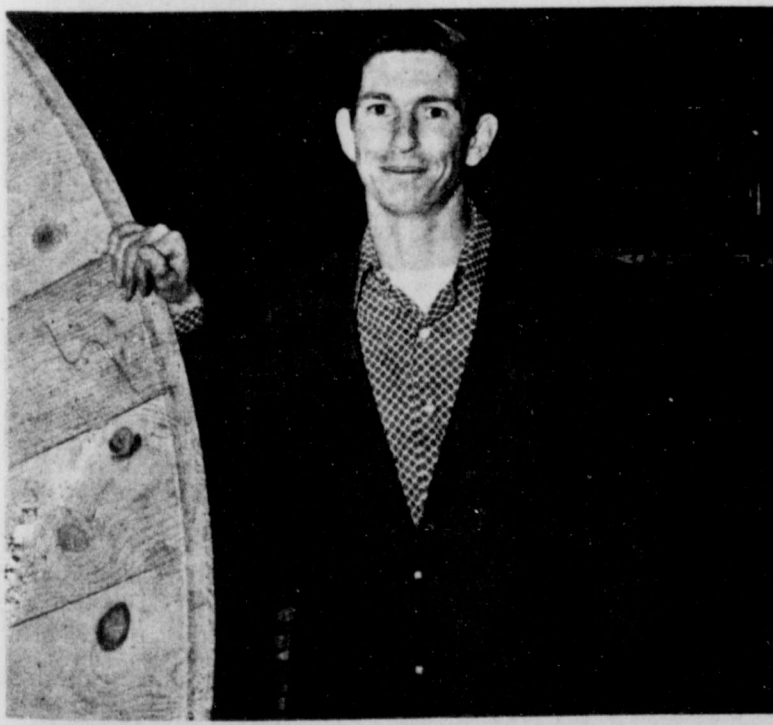
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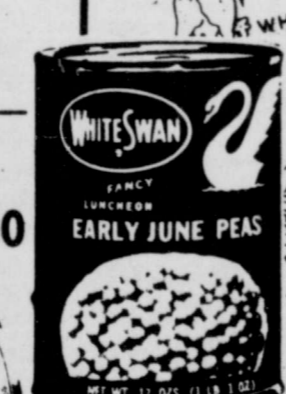
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BY: Pearl Crawford

We received a little rain during the week, and things are looking very pretty.

Visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Pearl Shipman included Mr. and Mrs. Albert Evans Sr., of Priddy and Mrs. R. K. Shipman of May. Mr. and Mrs. John Higgins of Houston were Sunday visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Nowell. Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Partin and son visited Mrs. Sally Partin Saturday afternoon and found her doing nicely.

Mr. and Mrs. Herman Crawford of Austin visited Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Crawford last Monday.

Mrs. C. V. Whatly received a call Wednesday saying her brother, Hubard Richardson of Odessa, was very sick in an Odessa hospital. Their sister, Mrs. Pearl Chambers, and her son visited him over the weekend. We hope they found him much improved.

Mrs. Stone Shipman has been sick with the flu.

Mrs. C. V. Whatly attended Sunday school and church and also visited at the Heritage Home.

We were sorry to learn of Mrs. Pat Fallon's death. We all called her Hassey. She has been crippled and sick a long time. We express our sorrow to her loved ones.

Miss Florence Jones has been doing some visiting. Some of her cousins came by and they all went to San Saba and visited their old home and their grandparents old home down around Bend and Lometa. It was a very happy get-together.

Mr. and Mrs. Floy Cook of Denton were visitors of Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Ratliff; they also visited at Lometa.

Geo. Crawford visited a number of folks at the Heritage Home Friday. He also visited Mr. and Mrs. R. F. Daniel.

W. A. Daniel visited his parents and found them doing nicely.

I enjoyed a short visit with Mrs. George Lewis, Mrs. Bill Woody and Mrs. Ollie Manuel.

Regency News

BY: Mrs. J. A. Jones

Here it is Monday again - - does time fly by! We did get a good rain last week, but not nearly what we need. We are trying to get a garden started. I guess the birds will eat it up, for I never saw so many.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Higgins had company from Baton Rouge over the weekend - - their daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Mike Roberson and children.

Earl Parks of Locker visited us last week.

A. R. Rowlett had supper with his children at Brownwood Tuesday night, Mr. and Mrs. Ross Rowlett and family.

Luther Phillips and wife from San Saba visited us Wednesday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Hamrick of San Angelo spent the weekend with us.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Long of Mullin visited us Thursday night. They had been to see Mr. and Mrs. Dor Johnson and stopped by on their way home and had cake and coffee.

Mr. and Mrs. Butch Rowlett visited Mr. and Mrs. Charles Higgins Sunday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Hard attended the funeral of Mrs. Mable Doggett at Goldthwaite Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Higgins and Mr. and Mrs. Mike Roberson and children visited us Sunday afternoon.

Junior Phillips of Goldthwaite spent the weekend with us. Robert and Diane came out Sunday night and had supper with us, and Junior returned home with them.

Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Simpson of Locker visited Mr. and Mrs. Charles Higgins last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Lehman Teal Sr. of Brownwood and Mrs. Royce Harvey and children of Seagraves visited us Sunday afternoon.

Jess Whitley of Caradan visited us Sunday afternoon. He had been to Neal to see his father, Jack, and stopped on his way home. His wife is in the hospital in Goldthwaite; we wish her a speedy recovery.

BIRTHS

Mr. and Mrs. Mike Sides announce the arrival of a son, Christopher Shannon, on March 12, 1974, in Seaton Hospital in Austin. He weighed 7 lbs., 2 oz.

Grandparents are Mrs. Bettye Hopson of Bryan and Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Sides of Goldthwaite.

Great grandparents are Mrs. Edith Whitt and Mr. and Mrs. O. E. Sides of Goldthwaite and Mr. and Mrs. G. A. Hopson of Bryan.

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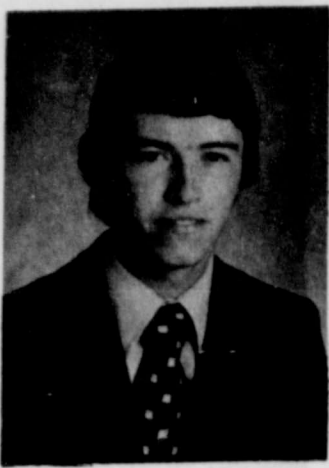
Preapplications For Loans May Be Filed At Brownwood

Preapplications for business and industrial loans in Brown and Mills Counties may be filed with the Farmers Home Administration office in Brownwood. This announcement is made by FHA County Supervisor Harold D. Kennedy, who said provisions of the Rural Development Act of 1972 are now operative in the Brown-Mills County Area.

Kennedy explained that a letter of preapplication is the first step in seeking assistance under the new federal program of financing local business development. The letter should briefly explain the type of industry or business, the proposed market for goods or services, and provide an estimate of the type and number of employment opportunities to be generated. Additional information may be secured by contacting the FHA County office, 510 E. Lee, Brownwood, Texas, phone 646-7413.

"If the prospective business meets eligibility requirements," Kennedy said, "the applicant will be requested to submit a formal application." Eligible applicants - individuals, partnerships, cooperatives, and corporations - should work with their bank or other private lender. Those whose applications are approved will receive loans from the private lender with up to 90 percent guaranteed by FHA. Funds may be used to start or expand business enterprises in rural areas and cities up to 50,000 population. Loan funds may be used to purchase machinery and equipment, to buy land, buildings, and permanent fixtures, and for working capital. Public bodies also are eligible for grants to finance industrial sites that will result in development of private business enterprises.

Additional information needed by applicants or lenders is available at the FHA County office.



JOHNNY JOHNSON

Johnson Named To Baylor Dean's List

Recently named to the Dean's List at Baylor University is Johnny B. Johnson, son of Mr. and Mrs. Y. B. Johnson of Goldthwaite. He is a sophomore majoring in business-law and has earned a grade point average of 3.60.

EVANT JR. PLAY --

The Evant High School Junior class will be presenting their Jr. Play, Friday, March 22, at 7:30 p. m. in the Evant Gymnasium. The class will present "It Walks at Midnight," a three-act, mystery-comedy. Tickets can be purchased from any Evant High School Junior.

The first definite route of travel in Texas was established in 1691 when Domingo Teran de los Rios blazed El Camino Real from Monclova to the Spanish Missions established among the Indians in East Texas.

As of May 31, 1973, there were about 70 thousand miles of designated highways in the Texas highway system, including nearly 40.5 thousand miles of Farm to Market Roads.

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104 cows and heifers plus calves. Here you are offered two good herds of dairy cows plus exotic cross breeding to Simmental, Chianini, Maine-Anjou and Brown Swiss. There are a lot of fresh cows and springers due for heavy production through the spring and early summer. Some cows have calves at side. These cows are Holstein, Jersey, Guernsey and Brown Swiss. Both Mr. Wolfe and Mr. Brooks have been breeding A. I. to Curtiss Bulls and will furnish A. I. receipts on all cattle bred to exotic bulls. All cows and bred heifers banded tested and health papers furnished.

Equipment selling AC-B17 tractor on LP with new overhaul and good rubber and four-row planter cultivator; New Holland No. 271 wire tie hay baler (PTO); No. 56 New Holland hay rack; AC-7 foot mower; New Holland hay crimper; New Holland portable grinder-mixer (PTO)

--Hickman Notes--

ENTERTAINMENT - last week included a very special treat -- THE BOHANNONS of Lampasas. A family affair - this talented musical group is composed of David and Sue Bohannon and their three sons, Brady, Gary and David.

The varied program included Little David at the marimba; Brady, the youngest, strumming and singing 'A Boy Named Sue'; and Gary joining in on 'Wolverton Mountain'. From 'Little Liza Jane' to 'Jambalaya', the selections were outstanding; and we unanimously rated this Saturday evening as one of our most enjoyable.

OUR OWN TALENTED - resident, Myrtle Clinkscales, is a source of almost daily pleasure. When Mrs. Clinkscales sits down at the piano to play and sing, we all drop whatever we are doing and gather 'round for a good time.

EDUCATIONAL - as well as entertaining - would inadequately describe the beautiful slides and interesting commentary brought to us Tuesday afternoon by Dr. Warren Hornung who lives and works in Santiago, Chile. We are grateful to him and to Rev. Gordon Talk for the time given us from their crowded schedule.

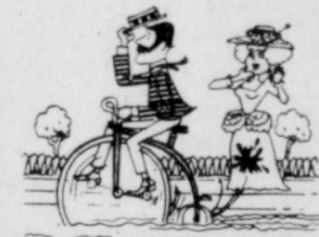
Those who enjoyed the slides were Elbert Tubbs, Jim Hamrick, Frank Beaty, Ethel Holland, Mary Garza, Anna Littlepage, D. K. Crawford, J. C. Langford, Myrtle Clinkscales, Leona Carter, Lucile Karnes, Maide Kirby J. C. Long, Sam McCasland, Pearl McCasland, Alma Hanna, Amber Fesler, Georgia Huse, Lottie Rudd, Leona Moreland, Annie Brim Maggie Lucas, Ruby Kattes, Lucretia Rothwell, Martha Bessent, Zora Roberts and guests, Gladys Cockrum, Ruth Dumas and Willie Mae Cassil.

YOU KNOW - what Vada includes with her Saturday afternoon reading sessions? She makes tape recordings of us singing and talking. That is fun.

NEWEST MEMBERS - of our choir are Frank Beaty and D. K. Crawford. The choir - under the direction of Henry Egger, assisted by volunteers, Edith Smith and Granville Cassil - is still a highlight of each week. The large-print hymnals given us by the Mills County Ministerial Alliance are certainly being used and appreciated.

KICK BALL - is Glenda Lemke's latest addition to exercise class. How 'bout that! And we are just pretty good at it, too! These classes are so much fun, we forget the "therapy" involved and just have a good time. We must sadly report, however, that Geraldine still cannot touch her toes and is still being teased by Pearl Holland and all those who can do it so easily.

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