Bicentennial Celebration Mullin's All Day **Event Saturday**

June 19th, will BIG DAY in Mullin, ople have worked hard ng what they feel is largest celebration the largest celebration be a great experience share in the 200th y of America, and they invite everyone to come them celebrate. There admission charge. scheduled day has been and a five-block area corated to put every-

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festive mood. ration will begin at 8:00 visitation of flea and making acquain A special entertainment planned on the Show stage from 9:00 a.m. featuring Buddy Bill Neely, and Larry The opening ceremony in at 9:45.

ade entitled the "Ameriwill emerge from the of Fiestaland at 10:00 hich will feature all type and entries.

will be a frontier town the atmosphere of the settlement, including Fence Saloon with tainment. Don't miss the Tall Texan Bank. Cemetery, The Saddle Shop, Blacksmith The Lost San Saba Mine, other attractions. ors are to be on the

en passing through ferritory, as the Kiowa Anadarko, Okla. and will include auth-

exican food and coslawaiian girls in grass nd scenes of Louisiana-Featured in the French will be Francine star attraction and of "Francine's Band" Old South area will depict s from that era in history an old-fashioned

of musical enterplanned from five stage location our town. These will feature the wellartists Buddy Wilson, and Larry Kirbo Dennis Thacker of The Bohannon of Lampasas and lots metown entertain-

attractions of the day a Beard Contest, style street shoot-out, and er activities.

nax our celebration al night-time program ed from 6:30 to 9:00 "Happy Birthday

of food is planned a barbeque dinner. lexican, French and bod, hamburgers and



INDIAN SCENE - Vada Shipman, Shawn Calder and Edna Wasserman pose in costume readying for the visit by Oklahoma Indians.



FEATURING Wild West Sasparilla, the Rail Fence Saloon in Mullin will be the gathering spot for many thirsty visitors at the Mullin Bicentennial Celebration Saturday. Passing by the Saloon were Mrs. Grady Hancock, Jewel Baskin and Ruth Tullos.



Annual FFA Invitational Rodeo Slated June 17, 18 & 19

/olume 80 - Number 11 Goldthwaite, Mills County, Texas 76844

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Goldthwaite's 18th annual in vitational rodeo opens tonight and will continue through Saturday night. The annual event, sponsored by the local FFA

Established in 1894

night at 8 p.m. at the T. A. Head Arena, north of the elementary school. Thursday afternoon (today) a street parade will get underway

at 5 p.m. The parade will ori-ginate at the high school. Course of the parade will be down main street to the courtnouse and back up the north side of the square. All schools invited to participate in the rodeo have peen urged to take part in the parade.

Business firms as well as civic groups have been invited to participate in the parade with floats and other suitable entries. Members of the FFA Chapter will appreciate the support of everyone taking part this annual event to help make it a success.

Events for the three nights include bull riding, wild horse race, bareback bronc riding, ribbon roping, tie-down roping, breakaway roping, rabbit race (pre-schoolers), armadillo race (sixth graders and under), grade school girls barrels and poles (sixth graders and under) junior high girls barrels and poles (seventh and eighth graders), high school girls barrels, and high school goat tying.

A total of twenty schools will be taking part in the three nights of rodeo action. They are, along with the host school, Brownwood, Lometa, Zephyr, San Saba, Gustine, Hamilton, Comanche, Evant, Blanket, Pottsville, Early, Bangs, Star, Priddy, Mullin, Richland Springs, Lampasas, Rochelle, Brady and Mason.

The first five places Thursday and Friday night in each event will be awarded ribbons.

\$390 Donated

Trophies will be presented to the first three places Saturday night.

J. C. Thomison, FFA advisor and Bobby Boykin, president of the Rodeo Association, invite each and everyone to attend the three nights of rodeo action.

Priddy Bond Election Monday

Monday, June 21, the Priddy Independent School will hold a \$25,000 bond election according to David Casey, superintendent of schools.

Polls will open Monday morn ing at 8 a.m. and remain open until 8 p.m.

The elction will be held at the Priddy School.

Youths Arrested In Star Burglary

Three Copperas Cove youths were arrested last week for the burglary of the Star School lunchroom

Charges were pending against David Van Note, William Peters and Kenneth Pitts, all of Cop peras Cove.

The trio allegedly burglar ized the school and took candy soda water, frozen french fries, frozen fish sticks and assorted other grocery items. Some of the merchandise was recovered by local sheriff's officers.

Piranah Fish Caught In

Colorado River

Homer Halford, of the Winchell area, was fishing on a trotline on the Colorado River last Wednesday when he hooked a strange looking fish. He brought the scaly monster, actually only about a foot long,

Editor's Note: A long search for pictures of the original Palmer Building resulted in the following two snapshots. The building is ocated in the far right of the Parade picture.)

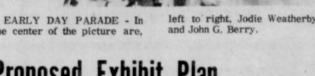
And The Mullin Enterprise

Thursday, June 17, 1976



ing near them are Mrs. E. M Wilson and Tom Rossin.





Proposed Exhibit Plan Accepted By Museum Committee

aunations to the Museum Fund The proposed exhibit plan presented by Mrs. Malcolm Jernigan to the Mills County Mrs. J. H. Harris, in mem-H. Harris ory Mrs. Fisher Wigley, in mem ory of Fisher Wigley Mrs. Tom McArthur, in mem ory of Mrs. Henry Bessent, Mrs. Ella Meyer and Mrs. Jerry Davis Mr. and Mrs. E. D. Hairston, in memory of O. K. Berry Country Store Proceeds, memory of Old Settlers of Mills County

OLD PALMER BUILDING -

On the left are two ladies whose

names are unknown and stand-

of sandwiches drinks. ice cream, and es from the sweet shop. fists from all over Texas on hand to exhibit their d crafts.

ve American

ans At

FRANCINE OLIVER, of Austin

will be a star attraction at the Mullin celebration. She will be musical "Oklahoma" and performing with her band during the day.

lin Celebration

Mullin Bicentennial will native Americans, rs of the Kiowa Indian at their celebration on day, June 19th. These ay, June 19th. Indians, consisting of the Beaver family from Ana-Oklahoma, are being to Mullin through conmade by Emma Nelle Carney, formerly of She married Sid Carney, aw-Creek Indian, when stationed at Camp Bowie World War II. Mr has worked with the u of Indian Affairs for nber of years and has ved numerous commendaor outstanding achieve-

Beaver family, who will ured in several dances ng the Eagle, Shield, and es, have been featured al dances throughout the The dancers will be 11; Jamie, 9; Jerry, 13;

arney Tartsah will Lord's Prayer in Indian anguage. Flint Carney me gymnastics and step.

ind Mrs. Beaver are n the Indian arts, in-ead work and feather for their children's

Carney and his family in Mullin for the day's

modeling her costume from the





LOST SAN SABA MINE - Huck Alldredge and Ernest Lynn Fisher_show spectators the location of the San Saba Mine. The mine is just one of a myriad of attractions to see and

> **Mullin Bicentennial Queen Contest** Fri. Night

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The crowning of the Mullin Bicentennial Queen will take place Friday night, June 18, across from the Mullin Com-munity Center. Eliminations will begin at 8:30 p.m. A program will be conducted in connection with the queens contest.

Judges for the contest will Harry Hoit, Abilene; Darrell McCane, Bangs; and Mrs. Jean Sowers, San Saba. To date a total of nine junior high and high school girls are competing for the title.

Princesses from the grade school have already been selected. They are Lana Spinks, first grade; Karla Rigsby, sec-ond grade; Pam Covey, third grade; Amy Sanders, fourth grade; Kay Rigsby, fifth grade; and Cheri Smith, sixth grade.

The father, somewhat dis-gruntled, returned home from a round of golf. When asked by his small son how he had done, he replied: "Let me put it this way, son. Your father got to hit the ball more than anyone else."

To Park Fund

Members of the Mills County Park Committee are now taking donations to insure the upkeep of the local facility for the

1976-77 year. To date, a total of \$390 has been donated to the fund. Latest contributors are the Price Reunion and Mr. and Mrs. Aubra Cline.

Those wishing to donate to the drive should send their check to Mills County State Bank or present it to one of the park committeemen.

authorities who identified the thing as a South American piranah

Local game warden Benny Schriver said that the fish was caught just a few miles above Mills County and that persons finding anything unusual in the river should contact him.

Piranahs are very voracious, often attacking large animals and even people in their native habitat.

Schriver said that it is a violation of the law to sell or release these fish in Texas axcept under permit for scien-tific use, and then only for dead laboratory specimens.

second Monday of each month,

will now meet the second and

fourth Mondays. It was a split

vote of the commissioners, with Comm. Ray Lindsey and Lewis

Watson voting for and Comm.

Burthel Roberts and Hawley

Jernigan voting against. Judge Faulkner voted for to break

Commissioners Court meet-

The County lawmakers ac-

cepted an outside audit prepared

by Iris Rudeseal of Brownwood.

She recommended several

things to the court that would

streamline operations and

would avoid questions and prob-

lems in the future. She advised that receipts be issued for all

fines paid the county on a rou-

tine basis, not just when re-

quested, and that no personal

monies be mingled with county

The court approved the pur-chase of four new voting boxes

to replace worn out boxes.

funds for change.

ings begin at 9 a.m. AUDIT ACCEPTED

the deadlock.

Commissioners To Establish **Redistricting Plan**

The Mills County Commissioners Court has asked Anderson County Judge N. R. Link of Palestine to come and aid the local leaders in establishing a redistricting plan.

ige Link, fresh from a redistricting situation in his home county, will come free of charge to help commissioners set up guidelines and get the arduous job of rearranging county representation under way.

Judge Link will be here for a special meeting on July 9 from 9 a.m. until 2 p.m. at the Commissioners Courtroom in the courthouse. It will be a public meeting, according to Mills County Judge Herbert Faulkner, and anyone is invited to come and comment to the grou

In other court matters, the commissioners voted to add another meeting date to their regular schedule. The court, which now meets only on the

in 1906.

at its regular meeting on June was accepted unanimously by the Committee, and plans for refurbishing the Palmer Building are under way. The Palmer Building, future home of the Museum and recently purchased from Mrs. Joe A. Palmer, was originally a one-story building built in 1893 by Bernard Lammers for the firm of Bratton and Conro. The upper story was added by Camp No. 230 of the Woodmen of the World

Pictures of the building in its early days have been found after long searching, by several most recently by Mrs. John Berry and Mrs. Annie Armstrong, and it is hoped that even more might be uncover-

Such an interesting and historical building will be an appropriate location for museum, and applications are pending for a National Register Listing and a Texas Historical Marker, both of which will add even more prestige to the Mills County Historical Museum. The Museum is presently housed in the former Cattlemen's Production Credit Building and their community spirit and generosity, along with the support of those who have given financially and those who have furnished items relating early Mills County days, have made the Museum an attraction to all who have visited it for over a year. More funds will be needed for the remodeling of the build-

ing, and Herbert Cooke, Committee Chairman, has said that after talking with many Mills County residents, he is certain that Mills County can and will support a museum. Donation: may be sent or given to Darryl Kirbo, Treasurer, Box 72, Mullin, Texas; Herbert Cooke, Route 2 Box 99, Goldthwaite, Texas; or the Mills County State Bank, Goldthwaite, Texas. Most recent memorials and

Col. and Mrs. M. A. Campbell Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Sykes Mrs. Bell Evans Mr. and Mrs. Ray Duren



TUESDAY, JUNE 8

Admitted - Claude Wren, Goldthwaite; Ora M, Black of Lometa

Discharged - Henry L. Egger WEDNESDAY, JUNE 9 Admitted - Rebecca Ann Head

and Baby Girl Head, G'waite Discharged - Charlie Reid, Ora M. Black

THURSDAY, JUNE 10

Admitted - Richard Louis Mikeal, Goldthwaite; Ernest R.

Wall, Evant No Discharges

FRIDAY, JUNE 11

Admitted - Nelda Jeske, Charlie S. Miller, Goldthwaite Discharged - Jessie L. Mc-Fall

SATURDAY, JUNE 12 Admitted - Mary Ellen Stan-

ley, Goldthwaite Discharged - Rebecca Head,

Baby Girl Head SUNDAY, JUNE 13

No Admittances

No Discharges

MONDAY, JUNE 14 Admitted - Maude Parker, Robert L. Steen, Maxie H. Lawson, Goldthwaite; Wilburn Rex Williams, Mullin

Discharged - Claude Wren, Nelda Jeske, Robert L. Steen

MULLIN ARTIST Susie Kirbo Stewart holds the Mullin Comen orative plate that will be sold for \$7.50. The plates will be sold at one of the flea market booths at the Mullin Celebration Sat.



GE 3 THE GOLDTHWAITE EAGLE-MULLIN ENTERPRISE Coldthwaite, Texas, Thursday, June 17, 1976

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Waddill Reunion will be urday and Sunday, June

20, at the American Hall, Goldthwaite. friends and relatives are Please bring a lunch.

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Mr. and Mrs. Pete Schurba of Harlingen, Texas, were in the Eagle Office for a visit. The general session of the Mills County Bicentennial Com-They will be here a few weeks mittee will meet Monday, June visiting with friends. Mrs. Schurba is the former Virginia Simpson, and gradu-ated from Goldthwaite High

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21, in the Commissioners Courtroom at 4:00 p.m. This will be the last planning meet-ing before the activities on the 3rd and 4th of July, so all with the class of 1933. members are urged to attend.

HI, I'M

WALLY

Everyone is reminded to turn in their parade entry descrip-tion and to vote for Mr. and Mrs. Mills County.

Bicentennial Group

Meets June 21

Yards Of Month

Receiving Yard of the Month honors for June were Mr. and Mrs. Hud Hudson, Guest Yard, and Mr. and Mrs. G. C. Head, Member Yard. Yards are idged by members of the aite Garden Club

Mullin Community News Marshall and other relatives at Mr. and Mrs. Johnny Plun-kett, Jay and Cindy of Lubbock and Mr. Dale Williams and Henderson.

daughter Bonnie of Houston spent the weekend with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Claude Williams. Mr. Darryl Hinde of Mesquite visited with his aunt and uncle, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Cox, over the weekend. Mr. and Mrs. Ray Hammond of Marble Falls visited over

the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. A. K. Shelton. Other visitors in the Shelton home were Mrs. Lawanna Satterfield of Brown-wood and Miss Ruth Dennis and Mrs. Bruce Scott.

Mrs. Grady Hancock and her daughter and granddaughter, Mrs. Dorothy Jean Parker and Donna of Kermit, recently went to visit Mr. and Mrs. M. E. Williams at Mineola. They also visited two aunts who live at

My nephew and family, Mr. and Mrs. Ozell Cox of Pampa, ate lunch with me Saturday. They had come from a visit with my brother, Carter Cox of Tye. Was sorry to hear that Carter isn't doing too well. Mrs. Rex Ivy of Kingsville and Mr. and Mrs. Mike Ivy and Ricky of Midland recently

visited with Mrs. Jewell Baskin. The Ivys were here to attend the Burkett Reunion at Lake Merritt. Guests of Mr. and Mrs. Frank

Spinks were Mr. and Mrs. T. Medart, Tommy and Candi of Leander

Mrs. Dorothy (Lindsey) Powell is still in the Rehabilitation Center. Her address is Baylor University Medical Center, 3600 Gaston, Dallas, Texas 75246, Room 4706.

A lend-and-borrow library is being established in a corner of Shelton's Grocery in Mullin. The library is a Boy Scout service project of Eli Chris Haglestein of Sanderson

Books and magazines of vari-ous kinds will be placed on a shelf, and the public is invited to borrow these books, as well as donate any they have completed. The success of the library depends on people return-ing the books they have read and donating others. This will in a small way compensate for the lack of a local library. This will be a non-profit project. Boy Scouts, after passing the first class level, are required to complete a project for the benefit of other people for each advancement of higher rank.

Mrs. Ernest Obenhaus visit-ed with her mother, Mrs. Margaret Toliver, recently. Other visitors with Mrs. Toliver were Mr. and Mrs. Buz Garner and Michael and Ricky of Proctor Mrs. Paul Moore and baby

daughter of Talpa visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Fisher, over the weekend. Don't forget that Saturday

June 19, is to be a BIG DAY in Mullin. Everyone is welcome! 'If you are suffering from

a bad man's injustice, forgive him lest there be two bad men."

Personal

Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Lever-ett of Haynesville, La. were weekend guests of her sister, Mrs. Aubra Cline. Sunday they were entertained in Mills County Park with a picnic lunch with the following attending: Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Booker of Austin; Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Duke, Joe, John and Jean Ann of Austin, and Katherine Clark of Austin.

Also, Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Parker, Ken and Kerri of Brownwood; Mr. and Mrs. Willis Cline, Lori and Larry of Brownwood; Mr. and Mrs. Coy Cline, Kimberly and Jason of Brownwood; Mr. and Mrs.





FIRST YEAR LEARN SECOND YEAR EARN

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5 years	343.88	687.75	1031.68	1375.56	1719.44	3438.87	6877.74
10 years	790.97	1581.94	2373.04	3164.01	3954.98	7909.96	15819.92
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Tennis Tourney

The June tournament of the

Taking home the trophy in

the championship division was

Herman Johnson and Jane Ann

Johnson who defeated Clyde

Cockrum and Carolyn Schwartz.

In the consolation bracket it was Wanda Rind and Bill Luce

over Lydia Muse and Kip Welch.

After the finals, all the mem

bers and guests enjoyed ice

a women's and men's doubles

Social Security

Representative

The next tournament will be

Goldthwaite Tennis Association

ended Saturday after sixteen mixed doubles teams battled

for first-place trophies.

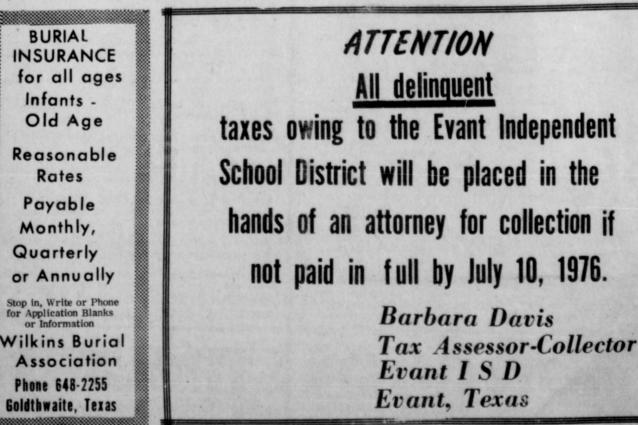
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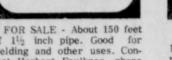
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6-17-3tc FOR SALE - 1974 Buick Opel. Perfect condition, 29,000 miles, 32 miles per gallon on highway. 32 miles per gatter 6 p.m. Call 648-3258 after 6 p.m. 6-17-2tc

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6-17-4tp WANTED - Custodian for Goldthwaite Cemetery. Apply at the City Utilities Office.

6-17-1tc YARD SALE - Wednesday

Thursday and Friday, 9 to 5. On Brownwood highway. Little bit of everything. Ph. 985-3528. 6-17-1tp

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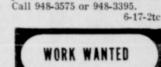
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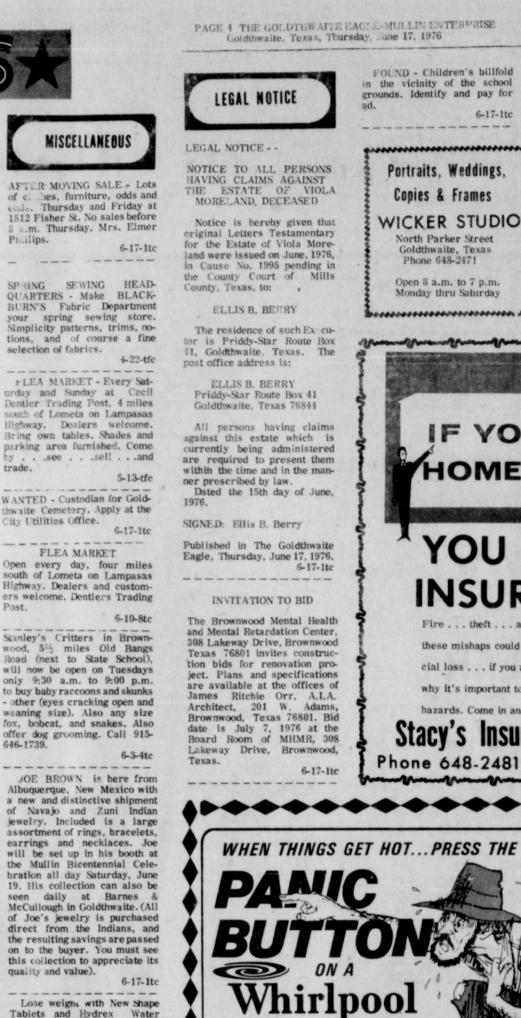
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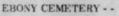
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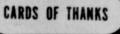


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A large crowd attended the North Brown Cemetery mark-er dedication Sunday. It was a very pretty afternoon and things looked pretty down there. Edwin Rackow is combining

grain in this neighborhood. Mr. O. L. Harris is a patient at the local hospital. Robert Lewis Harris of Ft. Stockton has been helping Mrs. Harris with their work and visiting at the hospital. We wish all the sick folks a speedy recovery. Mrs. Pauline Wilson and Mrs. Mary Roe and two children of Austin visited Mrs. Lucy Schindler at the Bangs Nursing Home. Mrs. Wilson reported her mother was doing nicely. On the way they visited Mr. and Mrs. William G. Crawford, Letricia and Leonia.

Mr. and Mrs. Steve Ratliff visited their parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Ratliff Sunday and took the children home after a week's visit.

Mr. and Mrs. Lou Stahnke attended church at Priddy Sun-

day. Mr. and Mrs. V. T. Stevens visited Mrs. Maud Parker and Mrs. Eva Denton at Hillview Manor Weanesday and found them doing nicely.

We are happy to report that Bobby Johnson has returned home from the Temple V. A. Hospital and is doing nicely. Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Nowell are harvesting their grain crop. Their grandson, Mark, is helping them.

W. W. Ratliff has been doing some garden work. Canning is the order of the day down there. Mr. and Mrs. Howard Runnels and children and Mr. and Mrs. Stone Shipman were Saturday visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Pearl Shipman



Mr. and Mrs. Darrell Wayne Head of Goldthwaite are the parents of a baby girl, Rebecca Renae, born at Childress Clinic, June 9, 1976. She arrived at 6:26 p.m., weighing 7 lbs. 1/2 oz. Maternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Keeney of Star and Mr. and Mrs. Doyle Miles of Wichita Falls. Paternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Darrell Head of Center City. Maternal great grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Pete Miles of Goldthwaite and Mr. and Mrs. I. T. Howell, also of Goldthwaite.

Paternal great grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. H. R. Collier of Center City and Mrs. Rosa Head of Center City.

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DELIGHTFUL to have Gore Dance School erform for us. They

NOW, but just wait NT EVENTS ... Brian as been here to show tiful slides, and the have sung for us. The have played taped nd we do enjoy both nbell and Hazel Mosely niano, AND Velma Gladys Cochran,

ice. Beth Miles and ager are volunteers enjoy at Hillview favorite weekly the bus trip and

the residents' choir. We are missing the Cassils, but "Thanks", Marvin Yeager, for leading our songs. EACH MONTH we look for-

ward to the string band, the DTMBC singing, the movie, and the birthday party. Don't miss

the birthday party Tuesday, June 15. Laurella Lelson, John Denning, Maebell Duncan have birthdays. SUNDAYS are always special. John Davidson teaches our Sunday School class and one of the Mills County churches brings the Sunday afternoon de-

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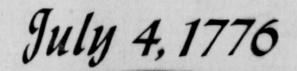
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The Way It Was "The Circuit Riders"

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Saint Paul's eagerness to carry the gospel to all the people makes a good comparison to the early circuit riders of Mills County. Their days were long, their devotion profound and their dangers many.

One circuit rider, Reverend G. W. Templin, had four past-orates. He rode to one on Saturday night - on to another on Sunday morning - then to the next to preach at 3 p.m. on Sunday afternoon and finally finished his circuit on Sunday Often they rode for night. miles without seeing house or human

There was a discipline about the circuit riders that was amazing. They were always on time, always ready to help and always enthusiastic wherever a few people gathered to hear their message.' There was a compulsion from within that drove them on, no matter how great the odds against them. There were not many

log cabin or the shade of a tree would do as well for delivering a sermon. There were no parsonages, church commit-tees, conferences or electric organs, but there were souls to be saved and they said, one to the other, "What are we waiting for?" And on they went. Indians lurked beside many of their trails and at times men tried the very souls of

those early ministers just to see how sincere the "preachers" really were; the elements, their nights in the open, rain, snow and the scorching heat a part of their lives. Many times early ministers and circuit riders were forced to arm themselves for protection against a lawless land. At early meetings, guns were leaned against walls just inside doors of the little log churches.

People may ask, "How did they stand it?" The answer is, "Many of them didn't." Many died under it. They either died from exposure, burned themselves out with the strenuous pace they set for them-

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lves, or were killed by Indians and lawless men.

Perhaps the words Jesus gave the Desciples when he said, "Take no gold, or silver, nor copper in your purses; no bag for your journey, nor two tunics, nor sandals, nor staff", as they started to go forth on their ministry parallels closely the mission of the circuit riders. Money they did not have - their clothes were few and they never saw a staff. The one exception would be the bag, for a bag they did have - a saddlebag. There is no way to describe

the fantastic storage of a west-ern saddlebag. The circuit riders' saddlebags were magic for out of them came Sunday Schools, churches, marriages, homes, conversions and most importantly came the strengthened lives of men and women. From those saddlebags came hope and encouragement to the lonely, deprived and homesick pioneers in Mills County when the land was wild and untamed An old circuit rider might well have made the following tribute to the two old saddle-

bags he had carried across his saddle for uncountable miles and many years. "These old saddlebags are worn

wrinkled, and so am I. If you want to know what caused the wrinkles, ask the cold nights, stormy winds and pelting rains ask the red splattering mud of Hanna Valley or the black sticky mud of Pleasant Grove. Ask the water that flows down Bennett Creek or the Pecan Bayou. Ask a certain bank on the Colorado River where these old bags washed ashore when my horse and I were trying to swim that swollen stream. These saddlebags were once my traveling library, wardrobe and often my cupboard; at times they held my horse's oats. They often were stuffed with Bibles, a side of bacor. Treshly ground sausage or a dressed wild turkey. They were filled to overflowing many times with fresh vegetables, lye soap, sauerkraut, fruits and berries and even honey. All this was a circuit rider's pay when there was no gold or silver or copper to give. This was our "support". Some of these wrinkles tell of laughter, mis-takes, and a few tell of sadness in our life, but most tell of our many, many triumphs." By 1855 people of all Protestant faiths and a few Catholics were moving into Mills County. The first congregation meet and hear a circuit

Mullin Creek. William Henry Vann, Sr. lived as a small boy on what is now the line between Mills and Brown Counties, and went to

rider was in the cabin home of Charles Mullin in 1857 on

school at Lane's Chappel. He wrote in a journal of his life the following:

"There was preaching once a month by some circuit rider preacher, and I remen Brother Davis who walked from Goldthwaite - twenty miles away. He would wade the Pecan Bayou, and sometimes when the Bayou was up he would undress and wade across, holding his clothes high above his head. Another old-time minister was Uncle Johnny Hanna, preacher and Indian Ranger, a man small in stature. He was a typical westerner. All the preachers wore boots. The songs were from old hymnals with no notes, and all songs were sung to two meters - long and short. Another preacher, Brother Vest, used to scare me with his portrayal of the story of Noah and the flood. Brother Benningfield was a very pious and good man. Brother Jarrett was a Missionary Baptist, and he and his family often came our house for dinner and they were fed first - so we children had to wait for the second table and get what was left. We usually had fried chicken on Sundays when the preachers came.

Early circuit riders and ministers were M. N. Weatherby, Methodist; Thomas Burrows, Baptist; Charles H. Miles, Baptist; H. Childress, Metho-J. Vann, Baptist; L. dist; L. L. Hays, Baptist; J. W. Kelly, Methodist; D. I. Haralson, Baptist; J. R. Wilmeth, Church of Christ; Reverend Wyatt, Holi ness; Randolph Smith, Church of Christ; J. S. Bowles, Meth-odist; J. M. Mickle, Baptist; C. W. Templin, Methodist; M. Gilliam, Presbyterian; Kelly Father Kelly and Father O'Hara, Catholic; M. J. O'Quinn Methodist; J. C. Combs, Baptist; Billy Green Shaw, Baptist; W. J. Weems, Church of Christ; Joe Benningfield, Methodist; G. A. Jarrett, Baptist; and Rev-

erend Bynum, Baptist. Not all the above men were circuit riders. Most of them were early pastors in small pioneer churches, but the rewards of their ministry are seen today in the churches and lives of people in Mills County.

Often, the early-day ministers of all denominations gathered at various places over the county - especially along the Colorado, and large congregations of people arrived in covered wagons, hacks and horseback for a long protracted camp meeting. When people reached this shady retreat, they were in no hurry to leave, for the camp meetings were looked forward to for months. It is hard for us today to

realize the large part they played in the life of the pioeers and the religious life of the people. There were joyous greetings

as family after family arrived, and immediately set up camp. It was a time for worship talking of religion, and visiting - all three a rare treat to people of the frontier who



Benita Watson, Steve Meyer United In Marriage Recently

Miss Benita Watson and Steve Meyer were united in marriage in a candlelight ceremony at the home of the bride's parents.

Edwin Young, minister of the Church of Christ, officiated the vows at 8 p.m., May 21, 1976. Parents of the couple are Mr. and Mrs. Elmo Watson of

Route 3, Goldthwaite, Texas, and Mr. and Mrs. Richard Meyer of Belton, Texas. The bride was given in marriage by her father. She wore a floor-length gown of silk organza over peau de sole. Her elbow-length veil extended from a rose caplet, and she carried a bouquet of white daisies.

Becky Wilkins, twin sister of the bride, was her only attendant. She wore a floor-length gown of shaded green and carried a bouquet of white daisies. Jack Walker of Troy, Texas,

served as best man. Robert Meyer, brother of the groom, lighted the candles.

A reception followed. Mem-bers of the houseparty were Mrs. Patty Wiley, Mrs. Marie Watson, Becky Wilkins and

Corey Ray. After a trip to Kansas City the couple will reside in Belton, Texas.

The bride is a 1975 grad-

The Mullin Square p will sponsor a square in the streets of Mullin ing the Mullin Bicen Celebration, Saturday, Ju There will be no admis charge, and all area to are invited to attend. are welcome. The dance time is free p.m. until midnight. 0

Mullin Squar

Dance June

for the dance are Bob of Brownwood and Di of Waco.

Personal

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lived so far apart.

Some of the favorite places for holding a camp meeting were at Regency, Peck's Crossing, the Blow-out, Brother Haralson's place and Warren's Crossing on the Colorado River.

They also met at Slacks Crossing and Chessar Valley on the Bayou and Pompey Creek. There were huge meetings on Bulls Creek on land now known as the C. A. Womack place. The Holiness Church had a big tabernacle on Bennett Creek in Center City on land now belonging to the Oglesby children, and many camp meetings were held there. The land was eventually sold to the Oglesbys and the tabernacle sold to the Hearns and moved. The Holiness camp meetings at Center City had come to an end.

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Bicentennial Mills County Historical 'Bits' **Commission Regular Meeting** The next few weeks will be

The Mills County Historical Commission met June 10 in the Commissioners Courtroom with Mrs. M. F. Horton, chairman, presiding.

the climactic finale to an ex-

citing year for Mills County. In the past few months, the

citizens of our area have ex-

perienced the excitement of Fiestatime, the glamour of a

full-fledged pageant, the toe-

tapping beat of the old-time fiddlers, the drama of the old

west, and in general, a re-

newal of pride and community spirit that is reflected in the

'Hi, Neighbor!'' greeting that

meets you on the street. We hope that you will all turn out for the CELEBRATION

IN MULLIN, "AMERICANA", on June 19th. There promises

to be much in store for both

participants and observers

old-time 3rd and 4th of July, don't miss any of the activities

to be held in Goldthwaite and

the Mills County Park on those

dates. We have a variety of

parade entries from the Brady

the World to the Early Drill

Team to many other surprises.

It is something out of the ordi-

TENNIAL by joining in on the festivities, and help us to wish AMERICA "HAPPY BIRTH-

thwaite and W. S. Rudd of Big

Spring; eleven grandchildren;

ten great grandchildren; and

one great, great grandchild. Mr. Rudd was preceded in

death by a daughter, Leota Mag-

Pallbearers were his grand-

sons, Billy D. Magness, Buck Orvig, David McPherson, Rex

McPherson, Danny Davis, Wal-

lace Gootman, Ronnie McKinney

Honorary pallbearers were

Elroy Morgan, J. Lee Harris,

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Gus Talley Rudd, 83, a life-

time resident of Energy, died

at 11:15 p.m. Friday in Gold-

thwaite. Services were held at

Baptist Church in Gustine. The

Rev. Calvin Gray officiated. Burial was in Energy Ceme-

p.m. Sunday in the First

Born April 3, 1893, in Co-

manche County, Mr. Rudd was a farmer. He married Ola

Horner, August 27, 1911, in

Survivors include his wife; son, Claude Rudd of Bell-

ville, Ill.; three daughters, Mrs.

Forrest (Frances) McPherson

of Floresville, Mrs. McDonald (Maye) Applewhite of Richard-

son, and Mrs. Gilbert (Guyla)

Davis of Goldthwaite; two brothers, Guy Rudd of Gold-

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Energy.

It was reported that Mrs. Hollis Blackwell has a portion of the material for the history book in the hands of the printer, Mr. Frank Bridges. The publication is to be completed by September. The chairman appointed

nominating committee made up of Mmes. Gerald Head, Lloyd Laughlin and T. C. Graves. new officers are to be installed in December. These officers will be made up of Mills County residents who are interested in preserving Texas history.

The historical marker chairman invited each one to be present at the dedication program for the North Brown Cemetery Official Texas His-torical Marker, Sunday, June 13, at three o'clock. She read the inscription which will be placed on the marker for the Mullin United Methodist Church and announced that the dedication program will be at a later date. She also announced that the application for the Regency Suspension Bridge marker had been passed, and the application had been mailed for the Pleasant Grove Cemetery. Mrs. Oran Carothers did the research and wrote the story on the history of the Plesant Grove Cemetery.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Weatherby gave a generous memorial honoring his mother and father, Mr. and Mrs. James S. Weath-erby, and the North Brown Association com-Cemetery pleted the amount to finance the marker for the cemetery. Mrs. August Wasserman and her daughters are giving the Mullin United Methodist Church marker in memory of their

husband and father. The Williams Ranch Cemetery Association is giving the markers for the Williams Ranch Settlement and the grate the founder, Mr. John Williams.

The amount of \$250 each was taken out of the treasury of the Historical Commission for the following markers: The Well and Dam, The Regency Suspension Bridge, and Pleasant Grove Cemetery. Mrs. Forrest Jernigan asked

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for old pictures to be brought in to the courthouse for display during the July 4th celebration. Judge Herbert Faulkner is in-te:ested in finding a picture of Judge J. P. Grundy (1888-1890) and Judge A. V. Logan (1894-1898) to add to his collection of the former judges of Mills County.

Walton **Reunion Held** Recently

The Walton Reunion was held at the Legion Hall, Sunday, June 13, 1976. The morning was spent visiting, and at noontime many friends and relatives enjoyed a delicious picnic lunch.

After lunch, visiting, picture taking, and dominoes were enjoyed by all. It was decided that the family would meet annually the second Sunday in June.

Those present were Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Mason of Slidell, La.: Mr. and Mrs. Luther Mason La.; Mr. and Mrs. Luther Mason of Lawndale, Calif.; Mr. and Mrs. Rip Clary and Venora, Lampasas; Mrs. Othell Dilley and R. L. Woolsey, Austin; Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Fields, Gilmer, Texas; Mr. and Mrs. Virgil Burns, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Cowley, Tod, Rickey and Kelby; Mr. and Mrs. L. W. Davee, John, Elmer and Cindy; Mr. and Mrs. W. Dawomen Newton from Abilene; Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Gill, Stephenville, Texas; Mr. and Mrs. Jim Mason and Jane, Waco; Mrs. Elsie Walton, Marble Falls; Mr. Winford Walton, Coleman; Mr. and Mrs. Paul Vernon and LeJune; Mr. and Mrs. Gary Armour; Grace Mason; Delton and Tony Mason, all from Grand Prairie; Mr. and Mrs. Mark Dawson and son, Irving; Mr. and Mrs. F. B. Billingsley and daughter, Arlington; Mr. and Mrs. Glyn Walton, Hurst; Mrs. Lyda Walton, Irva Cline, Jewel Newton, Mrs. Ray Blackburn and Mr. and Mrs. Virgil Casbeer, all of Goldthwaite, Texas. Also, Mrs. Glady Collier of Goldthwaite

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Correction -

The following names were left off the list of families living in the communities of Brown, Lake Merritt and Trigger Mountain (The Way it Was, June 10):

Dellis, Petty, Brashears, Daniel, Stuck, Long, Rev. I. L. Taylor, Harmons, Eakins and

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Treadaway Graduates From TSTI

Tommy F. Treadway, son of Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Tread-way of Route 3, graduated May 28 from Texas State Technical Institute at Waco with a 4.0 grade point average for work

done during the spring quarter. Treadway, a 1975 graduate of Goldthwaite High School, majored in meat processing and marketing while at State Tach Tech.



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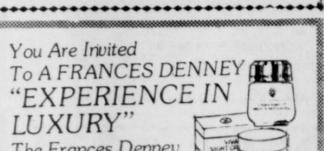


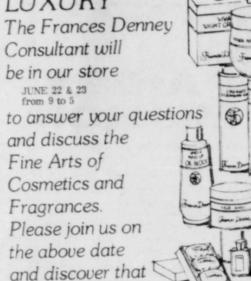


Jan Bynum joins Ruth, Jewell and Helma at the **Priddy Beauty Shop**

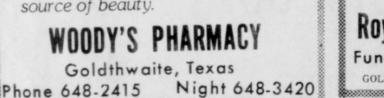
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churches of the county for bringing the devotionals to TO INVITE YOU - Father of the Year Award party, honoring Floyd D. Spradley, Sr., June 17, at 2:30 p.m. All friends and relatives are in-

vited to attend. PLEASE COME - Heritage Home Style Show, July 2, 1976, at 7:00 p.m. Lots of entertainment and Bicentennial festivities are planned. WELCOME - Ben Williams from Gatesville and Julius and

Willie Kauhs from Goldthwaite. Correction-In the O. K. Berry obituary, which appeared in the June 6th

Eagle, the name of Mr. Berry's son-in-law was left out of the list of survivors; also, six of the honorary pallbearers were not named. Please excuse the omissions, which were submitted to the Eagle in this manner



poles, flags, and keyhole. First place winners will receive spurs, second place will win ewelry, and third will be awarded boot jacks. Ribbons will be given through six places.



A corsage to the youngest child, Latricia Crawford, A gift certificate for a Mills County History book to Mrs. R. L. Shuffield who came from Funeral Home Corona, New Mexico, the far thest distance. GOLDTHWAITE, TEXAS

And a Mills County medal lion to Mrs. Jim Weatherby in appreciation for her dedicated work on the cemetery

through the years, Mrs. Billie Weatherby Led-



Mrs. Jim Weatherby and Mr. Joe Weatherby at the marker.

North Brown Cemetery Marker **Dedication Staged Sunday**

was

The

A dedication program com

memorating the founding of the

staged Sunday afternoon, June

13, at three o'clock at the ceme-

tery. The setting was very distinctive with the new red brick

columns and walls marking the

entryway with a concrete drive

United States and Texas flags were displayed behind the brick

entry on either side of the

Judge Herbert Faulkner serv-

ed as master of ceremonies,

and the Rev. Ben Welch of the

Goldthwaite United Methodist

Church gave the invocation. The

Pledge of Allegiance was led by Mr. W. P. Duren after which

Mrs. Billie Ledbetter led the

song "God Bless America".

way, Mr, Ray Lindsey for the

projects. Mrs. M. F. Horton, chairman

of the Mills County Historical

Commission, was introduced

after which each of the outof-town guests were recognized. Mrs. W. P. Yeager made pre-

Corsages to Mrs. Lura O'Quinn Bethel and Mrs. Claude

Saylor for being the oldest per-

sentations as follows:

sons present,

Appreciation was expressed Mr. Buddy Morgan for in-

going into the cemetery.

drive.

North Brown Cemetery

The inscription on the marker reads:

wood said the benediction.

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Marilyn Roberts **Receives** Degree 12, at 10:30 a.m. One hundred sixty-eight de-Receiving the Bachelor of grees were conferred at grad-uation exercises for Baylor Science degree in Dental Hygiene was Marilyn Roberts, College of Dentistry held at daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Arnold Roberts, Goldthwaite. Gaston Avenue Baptist Church, Dallas, Saturday, June

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