

Charolais Association Field Day Draws Large Crowd Sunday

Ninety-six persons were present Sunday morning for a special service led by the newtown Men's Sunday School Class of Goldthwaite, kicking off the 1978 Texas Charolais Association Junior Field Day at Banks' Ranch.

Among many people from Mills County, were visitors from all areas of the state and California. The lesson was brought by John Davidson, with special music presented by Gene Talbot.

Following the service, coffee and donuts were served, and registration got underway for the judging events. Western music was enjoyed by visitors during the judging, and through the lunch hour. Those performing were Ruby Clark, Ken Hazlett from Llano, Cliff Whitstine from Owens, E. C. Miller and Louvell Sides.

Bar-B-Que was served at lunch to some 300, representing Charolais breeders from all areas of Texas and an excellent turnout of local cattle breeders.

Mr. Layton Black of Goldthwaite and Mr. Dennis White of Dallas highlighted the day, speaking after lunch to the young people on some of the past problems of the cattle industry, and outlining some of the future goals and anticipations of the industry.

Awards followed, with both big prizes going to Weatherford, Texas! David Mask took home a registered Charolais heifer after being tabulated high point boy, with Jeff Ford, second place. High point girl was Shannon Woody from Weatherford, Texas, who also received a registered Charolais heifer.

Trophies were awarded in the adult judging classes, with high point award going to Robert Ebeling of Marble Falls, second place went to Carroll Lewis of Houston.

The weight guessing trophy went to Bill Manning of Chappell Hill, Texas. Coming in second, and with a narrow difference of 6 lbs., was Keith Meadows of Tyler, Texas.

Following the awards presentation, a large number of

the Juniors took home very nice, and useful, door prizes which were donated by the Mills County State Bank, Cattlemen's Production Credit Assn. of Goldthwaite, JRB Supermarket, Steen Hardware and Gordon Banks.

Closing remarks were made to the youth by Gene Talbot, local youth director, and the program was closed with Mr. Talbot singing

"One Day At A Time". The Gordon Banks family wishes to express their deepest appreciation to all the local merchants who donated door prizes, and were in attendance; to the men who conducted the Bible class; and to the many Mills County people who supported us by their attendance, making this field day one of the largest ever held for Charolais in Texas.



Natalie Whitlock



Marilyn Tiemann



Connie Partin

Pretty Mills Co. Girls Win Clothing Awards

The County 4-H Clothing Revue was held June 24, 1978. The winners were: Connie Partin, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Partin of Priddy, entered two dresses and was awarded a blue and

red ribbon. Marilyn Tiemann, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Weldon Tiemann of Priddy and Brownwood, entered a dress and vest and won a blue ribbon. Marilyn and Connie

are members of the Priddy 4-H Club. Natalie Whitlock, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Luther

Whitlock of Star, won a blue ribbon and will represent Mills County at the District

Revue in Waco on July 25. Natalie entered a western suit. She is a member of the Star 4-H Club.

Additional Donors Listed For Fire Truck Fund

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Some History—

Forehand Ranch 4F Brand-1874

Among the first settlers of the Neighbors Creek community was the late H. G. Forehand, son of J. M. and Rebecca Forehand. He was born October 1, 1858; was married to Mary Agnes Miller in 1877; and ten children were born to this union. All lived to be grown except one son who died at the age of two.

The Forehand family lived at Senterfitt, and moved to the Neighbors Creek community before Mills County was organized. Shaw Creek and Neighbors Creek emptied into the Colorado River on the Forehand Ranch. The old crossing of the river, between these two creeks, was known as the Nichols Crossing, where many drownings occurred.

The cattle brand used by Forehand was 4F, and was registered in Lampasas County in 1874, and has been in use eighty-three years. The brand is now used by W. T. (Bill) Forehand of Midland, Texas (the year 1957).

In the year 1904, H. G. Forehand, with C. C. Yarborough, put into operation the first irrigation system in this part of the county, on adjoining ranches. Other neighbors were the R. C. Johnsons, A. H. Millers, the Cook and Wrinkle families, and the Rev. D. I. Haralson family. Rev. Haralson, who through his admonitions and spiritual guidance, contributed greatly to the salvation of many of the youngsters, whom he affectionately called "his children".

The Volunteer Fire Department wishes to thank those who have donated toward the purchase of the new Fire Truck, and remind others that if a donation is to be made, it can be given to any member of the Fire Department, deposited in the Mills County State Bank, or taken to the City Utilities Office in Goldthwaite.

The fund is nearing the goal of \$10,000, but more is still needed to complete the drive.



Schlueter, Poage Meet

State Representative Stan Schlueter (left) is pictured with Congressman W. R. (Bob) Poage in Washington

at the recent Southern Legislators Conference. Poage and Schlueter discussed matters of concern to Texas farmers

and ranchers, including the problem of foreign beef imports.

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New Blood Donor Plan Inaugurated

Blood Bank "Deposits" Can Be Made On Reg. Basis

An entirely new approach to the local blood recruitment plan will be put into effect on a trial basis beginning July 6, 1978. Dan Connally, Chairman for the Mills County Blood Replacement Program, stated that an agreement with West Texas Blood Services has been made where they will open the blood bank for donors on a regular basis on the same day each month.

The date chosen will be the first Thursday of each month at the Youth Center from 1:00 to 6:00 P.M.

He emphasized as before that West Texas Blood Services that supply our local needs is a non-profit organization depending entirely on volunteers for our blood. As set down in the guidelines of

the National Blood Policy, they cannot pay donors nor can credit be given on accounts for donation of blood. This national established policy stresses that blood is a commodity that should not be bought or sold. Not all blood banks adhere to this code.

Rev. Connally said we are replacing about one-half of the blood used and he urged everyone that is interested in keeping a good supply of blood available for our local needs to mark their calendars on the first Thursday of each month.

An eight-week waiting period is required between donations and a person should not donate more than 4 times a year.

Economic Development District Slates Public Meet

The first of two public meetings will be held Tuesday, July 11, 1978, for interested citizens to discuss their goals and priorities for the economic development of Mills County.

Sponsored by the Pecan Valley Economic Development District and their Board of Directors, it is hoped that citizens input will provide pertinent information in the design of the Overall Economic Development Program for Mills County and the other member counties of the District. This plan will be used as a guide for strategic implementation of solutions to meet the needs indicated.

This meeting will be held at 7:00 p.m. in the County Commissioners Courtroom in Mills County Courthouse.

Members of the Pecan Valley EDD County Committee include Judge James Ledbetter, Dr. Tom Cody Graves, William G. Crawford, William G. Bishop, Del Barnett, and Mrs. Ramona Corona.

All other interested persons wishing to contribute their ideas are cordially invited to attend this meeting on July 11.

Hospital Report

June 20-

Admitted: Leona Scott and Beulah Mae Sanders of Mullin, Billy Ray Hammond of Goldthwaite.

Discharged: Minnie E. Frye, Pearl Bohannon, Willie Mae Warren.

June 21-

Admitted: Albina Ruzicka of Goldthwaite; Charlie Gustan Ising of Hamilton.

Discharged: Maria Barrera, Belinda Baker and baby girl, and Lura Bethell.

June 22-

Admitted: Linda Sue Hunt and baby girl; Jose Robles; of Goldthwaite; and Bertha Mae Poe of Evant.

Discharged: Charlotte Cagle and baby girl.

June 23-

Discharged: Robert Clary, Charlie Ising, and Billy R. Hammond.

June 24-

Admitted: Benito Escamillo; Johnny Chanie Blansit; Lonnie Elton Horton.

Discharged: Beulah Mae Sanders, Mamie Elizabeth Miles, Linda Sue Hunt and baby girl, Jose Robles, and Albina Ruzicka

June 25-

Admitted: Patsy Ann Tyson and baby girl of Hamilton; Laura M. Nelson of Goldthwaite.

Discharged: Johnny C. Blansit.

June 26-

Admitted: Bill Kinchloe of Evant; Lena Epperson of Goldthwaite; and Norma Ann Ray of Mullin.

Discharged: Patsy Tyson and baby girl, and Leona Scott.

Homemakers

To Demonstrate

Microwave

The Mills County Chapter of Young Homemakers will host their July meeting on Thursday, July 6, at Moreland's Appliance Center.

The program will begin at 7:00 p.m. and will be on microwave cooking - the new and exciting way to prepare delicious meals and tasty snacks.

A Litton microwave cooking demonstration will be presented by Laurita Hollingsworth, home economist, who will give ideas on cooking summer foods and basic instructions for microwave cooking. Hints will also be given on the care and usage of these time-saving appliances.

The public is cordially invited to attend.

Children Invited

To Join Summer Reading Program

The Summer Reading Program at the Library has been in progress for a month, but only a small number of children are coming.

Mae Featherston, the Librarian, invites all children to come and take part in the program.

Pecan Valley Economic Development

District Has Semi-Annual Meeting Tues.

The Board of Directors of the Pecan Valley Economic Development District held its semi-annual meeting at the Brown County Courthouse on Tuesday, June 13, 1978.

will attribute to economic growth. In other discussion, Executive Director, Edward Koplan, reported to the Board on current project activities.

funded, would be used in hiring supportive staff to set up three additional offices in the District and to provide more localized service.

Those attending from Mills County were Judge James Ledbetter, Dr. Tom Cody Graves and W. G. Bishop.

A report was given on a pre-application made to Farmers Home Administration for a Rural Development planning grant. Mr. Koplan stated that the grant, if

New Arrivals

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Henry Baker of Goldthwaite announce the arrival of their daughter, Jennifer Lynn, born at Childress Clinic & Hospital June 19, 1978 at 6:47 a.m. She weighed 7 lbs. and 8 3/4 ozs.

Mr. and Mrs. O. F. Carlisle of Mullin. Paternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. R. W. House of Goldthwaite. Maternal great grandparent is Mrs. C. A. Gandy of Mullin.

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Melissa Michelle and Tanji Renal Cagle announce the birth of a baby sister, Tiffany Ryon, born at Childress Hospital June 19, 1978 at 7:51 a.m. She weighed 4 lbs. and 8 3/4 ozs.

Misty and Damon announce the birth of a baby sister, Serena Leigh Hunt, born June 22, 1978 at 8:06 p.m. in Childress Hospital. She weighed 8 lbs. and 1/2 oz.

Paternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Doyle T. Miles of Goldthwaite. Paternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Cagle, also of Goldthwaite.

Mr. and Mrs. David Lee Tyson of Hamilton announce the arrival of a daughter, Davonna Ann, born June 25, 1978, at 7:55 a.m. in Childress Hospital, Goldthwaite.

Accent On Health

Texas Department of Health Fratis L. Duff, M.D., Commissioner

We have become a nation of sun worshippers. Regardless of the season, we go where the sun is to ski, swim, play tennis, boat, golf, garden, bike, fish or simply stretch out in its warmth.

the warning signals are the same as those for sun-related skin cancers. So, it is very important to see your doctor if you see any of the warning signs.

the sun. There is 1 atmosphere of ultraviolet rays. You aren't fully protected in the shade of a beach umbrella. Ultraviolet rays are only partially deflected and are bouncing toward you from all directions—off sand, water, patio floor or boat deck.

Robert Berry Receives Scholarship To Texas A&M

Robert Lee Berry, son of Mr. and Mrs. Carroll Berry, Rt. 3, Goldthwaite, Texas has been named a recipient of an Opportunity Awards scholarship at the Texas A&M University.



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Locals Attend ICA Convention June 22-25 Mr. and Mrs. Pete Tiedemann and Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Cline attended the 4th Annual State Independent Cattlemen's Association Convention held June 22-25, at the Hilton Inn, Austin, Texas.

Wicker Studio North Parker Street Goldthwaite, Texas Phone 648-2471 Mills County Body Works Auto Painting Body Repair Jesse Hammond, Owner, Operator. Gene Shelton, Operator Ph. 648-3226 Goldthwaite

Many people think a suntan makes them look more attractive. It certainly is the fashion today to have a tan, but it wasn't always so. Fifty years ago Americans prized fair, delicate-looking skin.

What is the best method to protect your skin from the dangers of the sun? The best answer to that really sounds too simple—just stay out of the bright sunlight if possible. But if you can't do that, then the next best thing would be to wear protective clothing.

Don't count on being safe on a cloudy day or even under water. Seventy to eighty percent of the sun's rays penetrate clouds and overcast. The rays can even reach you three feet below the surface.

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There is a rare form of skin cancer called melanoma, which accounts for most of the nation's skin cancer deaths, each year. Even though it is not primarily sun-related,

Despite the possible damage to their skin, most people are unwilling to give up their sun-centered life styles. If you are one of these, learn to sun safely.

Horton's Wagon Wheel Cafe will be closed July 2-9 for Vacation. Roger, Betty and Jimmy Horton

4th Of July Gigantic Fireworks Display And Other Entertainment Everyone Invited Roaring 20's Style Show Entire Program Starts At 6:30 p.m. Friday, June 30, 1978 Refreshments Will Be Served Heritage Nursing Home 1207 Reynolds Goldthwaite, Tx.

In varying degrees, commercial suntan preparations contain chemicals called sun-screens. These absorb some of the ultraviolet rays of the sun while letting others through. To work effectively, sunscreens should be applied about 45 minutes before exposure and reapplied after swimming or perspiring.

Here are some additional tips: It's true that sunshine is a source of vitamin D. But it's also true that you get all the vitamin D you need in a well-balanced diet.



Phone 648-2261 Goldthwaite

Mullin Community News



Barbara Ann Bruce

Engagement Announced

Mr. and Mrs. E. R. Bruce announce the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter, Barbara Ann, to Patrick Henaff, son of Mr. and Mrs. Jean Henaff of... Barbara received a Rotary fellowship for a year's study in France. She spent the past year in Paris, where she taught in a language school...

By Lillian Plummer Archie Carlisle of San Diego, Ca., spent several days last week with his aunt, Mrs. Nobie Mosier. They visited with other relatives and friends. Miss Artie & Mr. Willard Mosier recently spent a week visiting with Mr. and Mrs. Phil Johnson at Decatur. They also visited Mr. and Mrs. Bo Musgrove in Cleburne. Mrs. Will Sanders is able to be home after several days in the hospital in Goldthwaite. Guests over the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. Sanders were Mr. and Mrs. Albert Jenke; Mr. and Mrs. Sammy Jenke and children; Mallie Lou Garren and J. P. Sanders; Mr. and Mrs. Glen Sanders and Mr. and Mrs. Huck Alldredge and Lori. Mr. and Mrs. Lynn Moore of Austin were guests of their aunt, Mrs. Ora Wilson, on Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. Paul Moore and Jennifer of Talpa, Bill Fisher of Abilene, visited their parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Fisher. They all went to Arlington to see the Rangers play ball.

Donald Whisenhunt has gone to Sonora where he has employment. Sunday guests of Mrs. Margaret Toliver recently were Mrs. Ernest Obenhaus, Nell Holland, and Carl Bailey of Dallas. Mr. and Mrs. Jack Plummer of Monahans, Jamie Marie Barron of Odessa and Ricky Cowen of Snyder, spent several days with me last week. They enjoyed a fishing trip on the Colorado River. Everyone around here is still looking for a good rain to relieve the hot, dry weather. "For vacation, the only matched luggage we can afford is three shopping bags from the same grocery store."

★ Letter To The Editor

June 23, 2978 Dear Mr. Bridges: Many thanks for the nice "spread" you gave to my Class of '24 in your Eagle edition of June 7. Also, I appreciate receiving the 5 copies of that edition. I am sure no other class of GHS ever has had the type and quality of reunions that ours has had. We're almost like a 'family'. Several of us keep in touch through correspondence all the time. Four years ago I put together a 12-page, letter-size, spiral bound Directory of our class. At the front of the directory we have a picture of our class at the time of graduation in 1924. At the back of the booklet we have a copy of the photograph taken at our Golden Anniversary reunion in 1974, in Goldthwaite. The directory is bound in heavy, gold cardboard, with a picture of the old high school building on the front cover. Maybe some day I will get by your office and show you a copy. Being in the printing business, I think you would like to see this booklet. All members of our class have a copy of this directory. We have the names, addresses, and telephone numbers of every one of the members. We had 38 in our graduating class. Of this number eleven have died, leaving 27 of us. Fifteen of that 27 attended our reunion there in Goldthwaite, May 27, 1978. By the way, if you haven't been by the museum, I hope you and your wife will go by there and take a look at that beautiful painting of the old GHS building our class donated to the Museum this year. Also, you will find there an enlarged, framed photograph of our Golden Anniversary Class picture that was taken in 1974 - the one you ran on the front page of the Eagle of May 23, 1974. Thanks for your generosity and all of your courtesies. Yours truly, S. E. Pass

Regency News -

By Mrs. Alton Jones Hot and dry is all you can hear. Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Cooper went to Lake Tawakoni over the weekend. Mr. and Mrs. Marshall Hodges of Palestine and Mr. and Mrs. Dickie Martin and children of Austin met them there for the outing. They said it was too hot to enjoy. Clayton Phillips of Ft. Worth spent a few days with us last week. Junior Jones of Ingleside and Will Longmire visited us Friday afternoon. Mrs. Clara Wash of Richland Springs and her sister, Tommy Lee, of Houston, visited us Thursday afternoon. Mrs. Oma Hamrick, Mrs. Idell Jones, and Mrs. Jack Stewart had dinner with us Saturday. Mrs. Hamrick and Mrs. Jones went on to Georgetown to spend a week with Mr. and Mrs. Larry Loudamy and children. Mrs. Stewart spent the week with us. Mr. and Mrs. Robert Phillips and Junior of Goldthwaite spent Sunday with us. Mrs. Frank Scott and girls from Kentucky are visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. R. Rowlett.

May Sales Of Savings Bonds

May sales of Series E and H U.S. Savings Bonds in Mills County were reported today by County Board Chairman, W. P. Daren. Sales for the fifth month of the year totaled \$1,260,000, or 29% of the 1978 sales goal of \$65,000,000.

Advertisement for Sun Tan products including Sun Tan Lotions, After Tan Creams, Hawaiian Tropic Q.T., Alo Fashion Coppertone, Sea & Ski Solarcaine Unguentine Aqua-ear Sunglasses, and HUDSON DRUG Goldthwaite.

Stark Family Reunion To Be Held Saturday

The John Charlie Stark family reunion will be held Saturday morning, July 1, at Mills County Park. A covered dish lunch will be served at 1:00 p.m. All friends and relatives are invited to attend.

ASCS NEWS

Funds are not currently available for Emergency Conservation Measures, but we are taking requests. If you need a water storage well, or tank enlarged, please come by to see us. To be eligible producers must have a water facility that failed due to the drought. Brush Control Practices - The county committee is accepting applications on controlling brush. There is a very limited amount of money. But the committee wants all producers to be aware of the practices available.

Services Conducted For

Myrtle Forehand June 23 Mrs. Myrtle (Karnes) Forehand passed away Wednesday, June 21, 1978 at Livingston Memorial Hospital, Livingston, Texas, at age 89. Mrs. Forehand was born July 22, 1888 at Pearl, Texas. She married Blake Forehand in 1906 at Nabors Creek. She was a Baptist. Funeral services were conducted Friday, June 23, in Wilkins Chapel, Goldthwaite, with Rev. Dan Connally officiating. Interment was in Goldthwaite Memorial Cemetery. Survivors include one son, Karnes Forehand of Goodrich; two daughters, Mrs. Pauline Bell and Mrs. Aggie Kenny, both of Goodrich; 5 grandchildren; 10 great grandchildren; one great, great grandchild; a great number of nieces and nephews; and a host of friends. Grandchildren of Mrs. Forehand served as pallbearers.

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Drive Line Facts from a pro on driving to survive. Q. Is it permissible to move a car that has been involved in an accident before the police get there? — C. J., Yoakum A. Yes, if it is a serious obstruction to traffic and can be safely driven. If the accident occurred in a main traffic lane, ramp, shoulder, median or adjacent area of a freeway in a metropolitan area, the car must be removed off the freeway. Otherwise it is usually a better idea to leave it where it stopped. If the impact was serious, remember to turn off the ignition to reduce the risk of fire. Q. I know you can improve gas mileage on the highway by driving at or below 55. But is there anything you can do in town? — C. J., Bronte A. The simplest measure is to avoid jackrabbit starts and hard stops. Most drivers press the gas pedal down too far, pumping more fuel through the engine than it can handle. Accelerating hard and then jamming on the brakes at the next light wastes fuel and wears out the brakes faster. Don't start the engine until you are ready to go. Many people start it as soon as they get into the car, then adjust the mirror, buckle the seat belt and wait for their passengers to get in. And don't run the engine while waiting for the drive-in bank teller to process your deposit. If the engine is warm, it takes almost no fuel to restart it. Q. Are there any disadvantages to cruise controls? — D. P., Abilene A. Not if they aren't treated as automatic pilots. A cruise control can maintain a steady speed better than you can, and that will improve fuel mileage. It also prevents the driver's right foot from becoming cramped, and it allows him or her to give more attention to traffic conditions. If you have a question on driving, send it to: Texas Office of Traffic Safety P.O. Box 1165 Austin, Texas 78767

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STATE CAPITAL HIGHLIGHTS

By Lyndell Williams
TEXAS PRESS ASSOCIATION

AUSTIN—Construction is the boom in Texas. New building values topped \$1.2 billion for the first four months of 1978, up more than half of the amount spent for homes. Values of new construction are 39 percent above the January-April level of last year, according to the University of Texas Bureau of Business Research. A total of 48,779 new dwellings were recorded during the four-month period. About half were for single-family residences, 47 percent for duplexes. Mercantile buildings and stores accounted for 26.8 percent of the non-residential construction. Midland had the highest annual per capita values of new construction—\$557. Bryan-College Station reported \$351; Amarillo \$330, Austin \$310, Houston \$309, and Dallas-Fort Worth \$285.

Program Approved
The State Highway and Public Transportation Commission approved a \$70.5 million program to improve safety and protect investment in 3,766 miles of state-maintained highway facilities. Five hundred and 66 projects are proposed in 193 of Texas' 254 counties. Work on the program is divided almost equally between state and U.S. numbered highways and farm-to-market roads. The program includes resurfacing, widening, base repair and strengthening and spot safety improvements.

Grover Out
In a surprise move, Houstonian Henry Grover withdrew as a potential independent candidate for the U.S. Senate.

Grover's withdrawal brought joy to Sen. John Tower's supporters. Democratic candidate Bob Krueger's backers insisted it didn't make all that much difference, but they conceded conservatively speaking that Grover's vote total would be at least two percent higher without Grover on the November ballot luring some old friends among conservative voters.

Grover had an initial bad showing in the polls and difficulty raising money for his drive to get 16,500 signatures necessary to earn him official listing as an independent candidate. But he insisted that wasn't really the reason for his decision not to run.

Appointments
Judge Charles J. Murray of Fort Worth was named by Gov. Dolph Briscoe as presiding judge of the Eighth Administrative Judicial District. Murray succeeds the late Louis T. Holland of Montague.

Briscoe appointed Jerry Craft of Jacksboro and Willard J. Still of Meridian and reappointed R.E. "Gene" Chambers of Wichita Falls to the board of regents of Midwestern State University. Col. J.W. "Jim" Robinson of Round Rock has been named commander of the Texas State Guard's Sixth Military Police group at Camp Mabry.

Courts Speak
The Supreme Court held former wives of retired servicemen can't sue to garnish retirement benefits. In another case, the court stood firm on its May 7 decision that illegal alien children are not entitled to free public education in Texas schools.

In still another, the court found a San Antonio consumer group could not intervene for gas customers in a suit between the city and its gas supplier. The Court of Criminal Appeals held failure of police officers to identify themselves, before they break down doors does not alone make arrests illegal. The Court of Criminal Appeals also upheld extradition to Tennessee of Mar-

garet S. Medders on larceny charges. Mrs. Medders and her late husband, Ernest, borrowed money and spent millions a decade ago, claiming to be heirs to Spindletop oil wealth.

AG Opinions
Atty. Gen. John Hill determined that bond money held by a sheriff is subject to audit by the county auditor and must be deposited in the county depository along with other county funds.

In other recent opinions, Hill concluded:
—A school district cannot limit a homestead tax exemption grant for senior citizens to those whose income is below a particular amount.

—A justice of the peace may not maintain his office in an adjoining precinct.

—A report of accident insurance claims paid to identifiable students is not public information.

—The state constitution does not bar state agencies from entering into conciliation agreements providing back wages to those who assert valid claims of employment discrimination under the civil rights act.

—A city may transfer a street right-of-way to a county without publication of notice and bids.

Short Snorts
A Railroad Commission examiner recommended approval of Continental Oil Company's application to mine for uranium at 29 sites in six South Texas counties.

Texas Energy Advisory Council is soliciting proposals for a lignite utilization demonstration and a ground-water-heat pump heating, ventilating and air conditioning system.

Retired State Supreme Court Justice W. St. John Garwood of Austin is the new treasurer of the Republican Party of Texas.

Gubernatorial nominee John Hill gave his official backing to Billy Goldberg of Austin as state Democratic chairman. The chairman will be named at the party's state September convention.

Texas Research League says effect of a California Proposition 13-type property tax reduction would be severe in Texas, costing local governments at least \$400 million.

Republican gubernatorial nominee Bill Clements left Austin last week on the first of a series of rural county tours, which he hopes will result in his building campaign organizations in all 254 counties.

Toby Bryant Attends Clerks Conference

Walter A. (Toby) Bryant, County Clerk of Mills County, attended the 84th Annual County Clerks Conference at Lubbock June 20-23, 1978. His wife, Martha, accompanied him.

PERSONAL

Jimmy Holden of Tucson, Arizona, is visiting his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. M. F. Horton and Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Holden. Also, Jean Espanola of Killeen has been here visiting her uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Holden.

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When The Old Bird Was Younger



5 Years Ago

Taken from the Eagle files of June 28, 1973.
During a special ceremony at the final performance of the Fifteenth Annual Invitational Rodeo Saturday night, the Rodeo Arena was dedicated to Thurman Head, who has been Vocational Agriculture teacher in Goldthwaite High School for a number of years and associated with the FFA Rodeo Association. The grounds now bear the name of "T.A. Head Arena." Mr. and Mrs. C.S. "Dutch" Smith of Goldthwaite will celebrate their fiftieth wedding anniversary Sunday at the First Baptist Youth Center in Goldthwaite. Hosts for the occasion are the children of Mr. and Mrs. Smith.

The Lower Colorado River Authority and its 41 customers have received some relief from the shortage of natural gas to produce electricity, due to a change in classification from The Texas Railroad Commission this week.

The power company, previously rated at B2 now assumes an A2 rating, meaning they can get a higher percentage of their previous amount of gas or have no curtailment at all.

15 Years Ago

Taken from the Eagle files of June 27, 1963.
Mills County Texas Historical Survey Committee has secured a Medallion designed by the State Committee to be placed on the Mills County Jail.
The State of Texas is striving to preserve old historic buildings and other historic sites, and every county has a committee

working on these projects.
A Medallion has been placed on the Masonic Lodge Building at Center City and the committee hopes to place more markers in the future.
A landing strip is now in the process of being developed near Goldthwaite by a Mills County Airport Committee, it was announced this week.
The landing strip will be large enough to take care of twin engine transports and any civilian or private aircraft, according to announcement by W.G. Saylor, chairman of the committee.
Mills County Agent George Reese may well be considered tops in guessing the weight of bulls, or at least an expert bull weight guesser.

25 Years Ago

Taken from the Eagle files of June 25, 1953.

Bids for construction of the new Post Office building in Goldthwaite will be opened today, according to announcement by Postmaster, Lucile Fairman. There is a total of ten bids submitted for the job.

A little color was added to the swimming pool Wednesday morning when 14 local businessmen gathered at 5:00 a.m. to paint the floor a bright blue.

Melvin Harris, repairman for Southwestern States Telephone Co., was presented a 10-year service pin at a meeting held at College Station June 14 - 18.

75 yrs. ago (6-28-03) - J.A. Allen purchased a farm from J. T. Smith this week, containing 160 acres. It is a few miles east of town known as the F. J. Brown or J. F. Morris pre-emption.

Wigley Descendants

Reunion Held June 24

Descendants of the late J. B. F. Wigley gathered at the Goldthwaite City Park, Saturday, June 24, 1978 for the renewal of family ties. This is the first time the family has been together in 15 years.
Wigley, a pioneer Mills

County settler, who went on a Chisolm Trail drive as a young boy, married Martha Clarinda Owens of Mexia, Texas in 1886. They moved to Mills County and established a ranch in 1888.

Matriarchs of the Wigley clan gathering were Bertha (Wigley) Weathers, the only living child of the J. B. F. Wigleys; and Effie Wigley, widow of John Fisher Wigley.

The J.B.F. Wigley children included Ethel, Bertha, Walker, Harvey, John Fisher and Louella (Dutch).

The descendants attending the family reunion were: Bertha (Wigley) Weathers family; Mrs. J.F. (Effie) Wigley family; the children and grandchildren of Walker Wigley; and the family of Louella (Wigley) Grantham.

Relatives attending numbered approximately 64, with guests Mr. and Mrs. Darrell Shelton, Alma Clark, Rene, Crockett Masuta, Larry Dalton and Doug Dye.

Tommy Standley

Bound For

South America

Tommy Standley, son of Mr. and Mrs. Ray Standley of Goldthwaite, is bound for South America this summer with the crew of the Texas A&M training ship TS Texas Clipper.

More than 250 cadets, prep-cadets and faculty members of the Texas Maritime Academy are on a 58-day cruise highlighted by ports of call at Fort de France on Martinique and a trip through the Panama Canal on the way to Peru's west coast.

The cadets sailed from Galveston June 10 aboard the 15,000-ton training vessel on their way to 10 stops throughout the Caribbean and South America. Cruise officials report the trip won't be all play.

For the maritime cadets, the cruise is part of the required training for U.S. Coast Guard Licensing in the merchant marine. Prep cadets who graduated from high school this spring are taking college courses in either English, math or history as part of the university's "Summer School at Sea" program.

Sr. Citizens Hold

'42' Playoff Wed.

The Senior Citizens held a '42' Playoff at the Mills County Senior Center on Wednesday, June 21, 1978.

The results of the afternoon's play was as follows: 1st place - Abigail Boatwright and Zenobia Martin; 2nd place - O. Z. Berry and Nonie Page; There was a tie for 3rd place - Lela Burnett & M. L. Lindsay and Nannie Harris & Olanthe Kelly; 4th place went to Will Rickle and Scottie Shaw; 5th place - Loraine Newton and Ruth Dumas.

It was an enjoyable afternoon and if you missed it you might want to plan to take part in the Domino Tournament on July 19th, beginning at 1:00 p.m. at the Mills County Senior Center.



Terri Britten

John Goerdel

Engagement

Announced

Mr. and Mrs. Ronald W. Heath of Goldthwaite announce the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter, Terri Britten (also daughter of the late Johnny O. Britten), to John Goerdel, son of Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Goerdel of Pottsville.

The event will take place

August 5, 1978, at 7:00 p.m. in the Chapel of the First Baptist Church of Goldthwaite.

Rev. Dan Connolly will perform the wedding ceremony. All friends and relatives are invited.

Gary Earl Summy Receives Degree From Baylor

More than 1,100 students received degrees during the commencement ceremonies at Baylor University May 11-12, 1978.

Among the graduates receiving Bachelor of Science

degrees was Gary Earl Summy, son of Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Summy of Goldthwaite. He was a graduate of Goldthwaite High School in 1972.

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Sweet Peas 4 for \$1

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Apple Juice 59¢

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Tomato Juice 59¢

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