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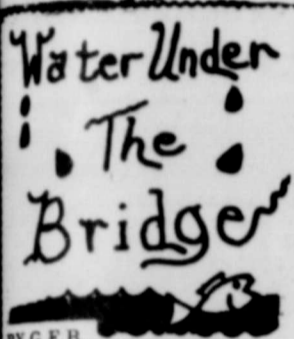
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The reaction of visitors to Mills County is often unnoticed, but in the following case, the reaction is certainly meant to be noticed and passed on:

LETTER TO THE EDITOR --

718 Alpha Road
No. 1155
Dallas, Texas 75240
June 25, 1975

The Editor
The Goldthwaite Eagle
Goldthwaite, Texas 76844

Dear Sir:

This is really an open letter of thanks to the people of Goldthwaite for being themselves. Last weekend I brought a friend of mine, Mike Bryant, to Goldthwaite primarily to see the rodeo. Mike is originally from New York and had never seen a rodeo prior to Saturday night. Needless to say he and his two sons had a very enjoyable time, and Mike even commented that he would like to try some of "that stuff" sometime.

However, the one thing that impressed him the most was the open, friendly attitude of the people. He just could not get over the fact that, "Everybody speaks to each other down there!" We who grew up there take the friendliness very much for granted until someone like Mike calls it to our attention. Perhaps we shouldn't take it so much for granted, and that's the reason for this letter. It is kinda refreshing to get away from the grim, tight-lipped city folks and mingle with the good people. And you are good people -- don't forget it.

Sincerely,
Robert McKenzie

It isn't any wonder that the efforts of the Goldthwaite Old Time Fiddler's Contest and the rodeo are successful. It's the people, not the event, that draws the crowds.

I heartily encourage everyone in Mills County to attend all the services of the County-wide Evangelical Crusade this next week. You'll be glad you did!

Yards Of Month

Mrs. R. Glenn Raley, chairman of the Goldthwaite Garden Club Yard of the Month committee, submitted the following guidelines used to determine the Yard of the Month:

1. First Impression, which counts for 5 percent
 2. Purpose, 5 percent
 3. Design, and there are two categories under this: 50%
 - A. Functional Aspect (20 points) - Suitability to Site, Utilization of Space, Circulation, Pedestrian, vehicular and parking, Drainage Pattern, Additional Use Factors
 - B. Aesthetic Aspect (30 points) - Elements of Design Employed, Originality and Distinction, Additional Qualities
 4. Execution, there are two categories under this also: 23%
 - A. Construction Features, perfection of details - walls, walks, pools, fountains, paved areas, structures, etc.
 - B. Plant Materials, Selection, Placement, Condition
 - C. Maintenance, 12 percent - Neatness in Design, Degree of Perfection, Evidence of Sustained Maintenance
 - D. Final Impression, 10 percent
- The use of plastic flowers detracts from the total score. Members of the Yard of the Month committee try to judge yards during the first ten days each month.

Mills County Community Builders Elect Officers

Mills County Community Builders, the new civic organization for the promotion of Mills County, announces the election of its new officers as follows: Doran Lemke, President; Judy Beavers, Vice-President; Yvonne Sutherland, Secretary; Carolyn Gilstrap, Treasurer; and Clyde Cockrum, Publicity Chairman.

Mills County Community Builders is a purely local organization and is not affiliated with any national organization

and therefore is not obligated to send dues or any other funds to a national organization. The organization will spend all of its funds only for local projects which will directly benefit the community. It is to be a service organization striving to promote Goldthwaite and Mills County and to carry out various projects which will be of benefit to the community.

There are several areas of interest which members of the organization have already selected. They are Recreation, which includes the little league baseball program, adult softball, adult volleyball, and construction of recreation facilities, such as tennis courts, Airport Facilities, Community Cleanup, Industrial Development, and a Community Center.

The organization extends an invitation to anyone who is interested in working on any project to better the community to join with it to work for the project. The regular meeting nights of the organization will be on the 4th Thursday of each month, with the next regular meeting to be held on July 24, 1975, at 7:00 p.m. in the Mills County Park. An ice cream social is planned for the meeting and all persons interested are invited.

Family Land Heritage Program Underway Here

County Judge Herbert Faulkner and Texas Historical Commission chairman Mrs. M. F. Horton are working with the Texas Dept. of Agriculture in registering area farmers and ranchers who qualify for honors in the Family Land Heritage Program for 1975.

The program gives recognition to those who have kept land in the family for 100 years or more, maintaining continuous agricultural operations, Agriculture Commissioner John C. White explained.

Last year over 560 families qualified for certificates and inclusion in the Family Land Heritage Registry, which contains brief histories of all the farms and ranches, the names of current owners, and pictures of early settlers.

"The Texas Dept. of Agriculture has received many requests for the Registry - from universities, historians, and government agencies. It provides an interesting record of agriculture in the early days of Texas, as well as anecdotes about members of families."

"We also included notations on the 100-year-old structures on the property, no matter what condition. This information can be invaluable to researchers," White stated.

"For this reason, we are trying to register all those who qualify - not only to give these people some recognition, but also to have a permanent record of pioneer agricultural producers in Texas."

Application forms are available from the county judge's office. Once completed, the forms must be certified by the county judge or his designate. They are then mailed to the Texas Dept. of Agriculture with any pictures of early settlers which can be copied and returned. Deadline is Aug. 15, 1975.

Singing Group To Present Church Service

A new singing group, "The Front Line For Christ", will be presenting an evening worship service in the First Baptist Church of Goldthwaite at 7:00 P.M., Sunday, July 6.

The service will be composed of new and old favorite songs, testimonies, and an inspiring chalk talk. Members of the group are Jim Patterson, Ricky Robbins and Jeff Mathis who are Juniors at Brownwood High School, and presently employed by the Heart of Texas Baptist Encampment. The group was formed when the young men discovered they had more in common than playing for the Brownwood Lion varsity football team - and that is praising the Lord.

Stores To Close Friday For Independence Day

Friday, July 4th, will be observed as Independence Day holiday by Goldthwaite business firms, with most retail establishments remaining closed for the day.

This is one of the regular six holidays approved by merchants to be observed by closing during the year.

BANK HOLIDAY
Mills County State Bank will be closed Friday in observance of the July 4th holiday.

POST OFFICE
The Post Office will be on regular holiday schedule with no window service and no rural route deliveries.

Southern Savings Branch Office Opens Here

Southern Savings and Loan's branch office in Goldthwaite is now open for business. The office, managed by Ruth Dendard, is located next door to the post office.

Official grand opening will be Sunday, July 13, 1975, from 1:30 p.m. until 4:30 p.m.

During grand opening week, July 14 through July 18, persons may register for daily door prizes and a grand prize of a \$100 savings account. Also, guess how much money is in the jar and win it!

Southern Savings and Loan also has offices in Brownwood, Comanche and DeLeon. Watch the Eagle each week for additional information on the grand opening of the local Southern Savings Office.

Remember deceased friends and loved ones with a memorial gift to your local Heart Association. It's a lasting tribute that supports research, education and community programs to prevent heart disease.



Churches Float

Among the many outstanding floats in the Mullin Bicentennial parade was this one depicting the "Freedom of Religion". The preacher is Mullin's own

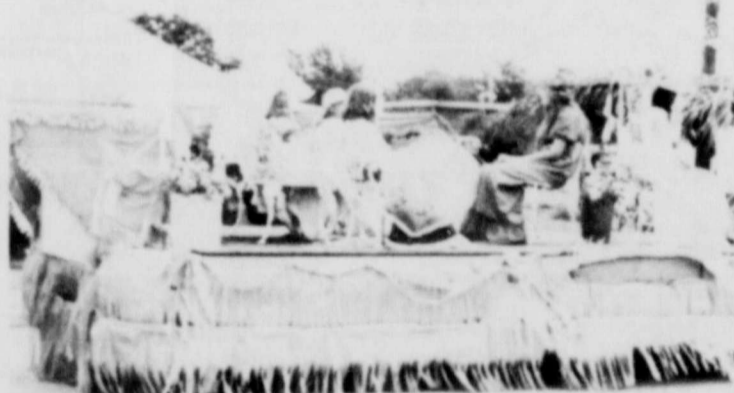
Preacher McNeil. The float was entered by Rev. Joe Rigby, pastor of the Mullin Baptist Church.



Old Timer?

Ricky Stacy drove this Model T pickup in the Mullin parade Saturday. It is owned by his

father, Lee Roy Stacy, of Goldthwaite.



Beauties

One of the many beautiful and colorful floats entered in the Mullin Bicentennial parade was the "Southern Belles" float which was entered by Peggy Sanders. Helping her on the float construction were Ruby Alldredge, Darlene Calder, Leesa Bearden and others.

Around 2500 people were served barbecue, hamburgers and all the trimmings during Mullin's Bicentennial celebration Saturday, June 28th. There was much to see and do and the day will be long remembered by a large number of people. — Laughlin Studio Photos

Hospital Report

TUESDAY, JUNE 24
No Admittances
Discharged - Breta Evans

WEDNESDAY, JUNE 25
No Admittances
No Discharges

THURSDAY, JUNE 26
No Admittances
Discharged - Luciel Hamrick

FRIDAY, JUNE 27
Admitted - R. T. Padgett, Clara P. Solis, Willie Mae Palmer, Goldthwaite
Discharged - Loretta Ingram

SATURDAY, JUNE 28
Admitted - Frank Cantu of Lometa
Discharged - R. T. Padgett

SUNDAY, JUNE 29
Admitted - Thomas M. Mitchell, Nora Mitchell, Charlie K. Reid, Goldthwaite
No Discharges

MONDAY, JUNE 30
Admitted - Sallie J. Williams, Gertrude Jamar, Winnie M. Brown, Goldthwaite
Discharged - Frank C. Cantu, Willie M. Palmer

"Come Alive In '75" County Crusade Slated July 7 - 11

The Mills County Crusade, "Come Alive in '75", will be held July 7 - July 11, 1975. Services will begin at 8:00 o'clock each evening at Eagle Field in Goldthwaite. The crusade is sponsored by the Ministerial Association and various churches of Mills County.

Evangelist for the crusade will be Peter McLeod. Reverend McLeod is presently serving as pastor of the historic First Baptist Church in Waco, Texas. He is a native of Shotts, Scotland, having come to the United States in 1955.

Prior to moving to this country, Mr. McLeod completed his education in grammar school, high school and college of engineering in Scotland. He also holds a Bachelor of Arts degree from Grand Canyon College in Phoenix, Arizona, and a Bachelor of Divinity degree from New Orleans Baptist Theological Seminary in New Orleans, La.

Following his graduation from New Orleans Seminary, he served as pastor of the First Baptist Church in Fort Oglethorpe, Ga. for two and one-half years.

In July, 1966, he was called as Associate Minister of the historic Second Ponce de Leon Baptist Church in Atlanta, Ga. He ministered there until July, 1968, when he moved to Central Baptist Church in Lexington, Ky. On July 6, 1969, Rev. McLeod began his present pastorate at First Baptist.

He has had wide experience in leading evangelistic emphases in both the church and on college campus.

In February of 1970, Rev. McLeod was chosen alumnus of the year at Grand Canyon College. In this same year, he was named one of the Outstanding Young Men of America, being nominated by New Orleans Theological Seminary. Mr. McLeod is married and has two children.

Song Leader for the crusade will be Mr. William E. McGraw, Jr.

Mr. McGraw was born in San Angelo, Texas and is married and the father of two children. He attended Baylor University, East Texas Baptist College, and Southwestern Baptist Theological Seminary.

Mr. McGraw has served in the First Baptist Church, Wintersboro, Texas; Downtown Baptist Church, Corpus Christi; Queensboro Baptist Church, Shreveport; First Baptist Church, Oklahoma City; First Baptist Church, Ft. Smith, Ark.; and now serves First Baptist Church, Waco.

Mr. McGraw has participated in revivals, music clinics and

Garden Center Moves To B'wood Hwy.

According to Mrs. Glen DeWitt, owner and manager of the Village Floral and Garden Center, the business will be open at its new location, two miles north on the Brownwood Highway, Friday, July 4th.

The center has funeral designs, potted plants and gifts, fresh and permanent arrangements, corsages, and cemetery permanent flowers.

Also featured are garden seeds, garden plants and bedding plants in season, Mexican and Italian imports, yard cement planters, and shrubs.

Mrs. DeWitt extends a cordial invitation to each and everyone to visit the garden center at its new location, beginning Friday.

workshops and has served many times on the music faculty at both Ridgecrest and Gorietta.

ATTENTION:

All people in Mills County who like to sing, or even like to try to sing, get warmed up for the Revival - July 7 thru July 11. Come to the football field at 7:15 for a warm-up practice Monday, July 7th. Tell all your friends and neighbors!



PETER McLEOD
... Evangelist



BILL MCGRAW
... Song Leader

YH'ers Elect New Officers

The Mills County Young Homemakers met June 5, 1975, with the Energy Crisis as their program. Mrs. Ann Laughlin, with Lone Star Gas Co., spoke on the gas shortages and Dale Allen, acting city manager, spoke of the electrical and water problems in Goldthwaite.

Mary Blackwell reported that a donation of \$25.00 had been made to the Park Fund for park equipment.

Joy Barnett reported that a rocking chair has been placed in Room No. 6 of the local hospital. This chair is for maternity patients and was placed there in memory of Rhonda House, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Dayton House. Young Homemaker Pat Robertson donated the rocking chair and Franklin Rind donated the upholstery of the chair.

Election of officers was held and the following were elected: President, Joy Barnett; Vice-President, Mary Blackwell; Secretary, Patsy Ward; Treasurer, Tommie Sue Boykin; Reporter, Jo Ann English; and Historian, Vicki Holcomb.

All Young Homemakers are reminded to have their calendar sales and money made from these sales ready to hand in by the July 10th meeting.

A planning meeting was held Monday night, June 30, in the school at which plans for 1975-76 were discussed.

Letters To The Editor

H. V. Dunnam
Box 88240
Goldthwaite, Texas

Dear Sir:
Enclosed you will find a check for \$8.00 to renew my subscription to the "good Old Eagle", the Eagle.
Thanks.

Yours Truly,
Mrs. Agnes Slocum

sending us The Eagle on time each week.

You will please find enclosed check for \$7.35 for another year's subscription to The Goldthwaite Eagle.

We still miss being in good old Mills County, but this is a great county too, with the big fields of maize, rice and this year sun flowers. And the people here are so very nice.

Sincerely,
Mrs. A. O. Dunlap

LETTER TO THE EDITOR --

June 25, 1975
Box 56
Lava, Tex. 77979

Personal-

Visitors in the home of Mrs. C. C. Doggett this past weekend were Mr. Earl Doggett and wife of Houston, Boyd Simpson, Cardell Simpson and Mrs. Minnie Fry.

He wants to help you tour Europe.

Before you enlist, you can select your station from a long list of Army installations... here and abroad. Right now, Germany is available. You have the opportunity to see the Europe that tourists dream about. This, plus good pay, an interesting job and lots of other benefits are good reasons to see your Army recruiter.



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646-9490

Join the people who've joined the Army.

Mullin Community News

by: Lorene Holland

The big day in Mullin has passed, and it was a big day. We really had a crowd, and those who worked so hard deserve lots of credit for their efforts. Just about everyone in Mullin contributed in some way to make the program a success. People really worked together, and that is what it takes.

I met people that I'd heard my late husband speak of. Buck and Joe Weston were two that I'd heard Johnnie speak of. Also, I met Miss Carrie Kirkpatrick and her sister, Mrs. Hancock. I heard lots of people say that they saw people that they hadn't seen in years.

The parade was outstanding! Also, the saloon was quite attractive. The museum was real interesting. Just to sum it all up in one sentence, "It was all real entertaining."

Mrs. Ruth Cwicola of Glen Dale, Calif., Mrs. Azalea Ellis of Comanche, Mrs. Myrtle Garner of Stephenville, and Mrs. Norma Jean Adams and Carl Adams of Midland all visited in Campbell Picketts' home Saturday morning and attended the Bicentennial program here.

Joe and Elaine Herrington who live in California now are attending the Calgary Stampede, a world famous rodeo, being held at the present time in Calgary, Alberta, Canada. Joe is a Mullin boy, the son of the late Dr. Herrington.

Mr. and Mrs. M. S. Savoy of Ft. Worth visited here Saturday in the Will Sanders home. M. S. was one of the fiddlers for the program Saturday. They went to Coleman from here and visited with Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Harper.

Mrs. Ada Duren was delightfully surprised on Thursday night, June 26, when relatives and friends started arriving to help her celebrate her 85th birthday.

Her granddaughter, Geleta Michand, brought down a beautiful cake from Brownwood. Others brought freezers of ice cream and punch.

All of her children were present, which included Ray and May, Norman, Ralph and Helen. Other relatives and friends present were Lola Belle Duren and Bobby Zane, Margaret Duren, Coleta Faye Duren, J. L. Jones of Comanche, Marquita and La Freta Fyburn, Mr. and Mrs. Pete Michand of Brownwood, Kim and Angela

Chesser, also of Brownwood, Mike Welch of Austin, Reta Spinks and Kelly, De Wayne Ferguson, Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Cox, Bill Daniel, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Daniel, Mike, Cathy and Tommy Daniels of Imperial, Mr. and Mrs. Willie Wasserman, Mr. and Mrs. Vee Dunlap, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Spinks, Mrs. Fred Ethridge and Mrs. Bobby Baird.

Mrs. Duren received some nice gifts, and everyone enjoyed helping her celebrate this very special day. Many more happy days ahead, Mrs. Duren!

Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Mahan of Pottsville were here Saturday to attend the program and to visit and meet old friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Mosier, Carla and Britt of Longview visited here over the weekend with Mrs. Noble Mosier and with Dale Mosier and family. They had a nice time Saturday at the program, meeting old school mates and friends.

The Baptist Church will have a note burning ceremony Sunday at their church. In the afternoon, starting at 2:00 o'clock, they plan to have a singing. They would like to have singers from the other churches in Mullin or anyone that would love to come and sing. They would like some duets, quartets, etc., so if you can sing and would care to be on the program you may call Ruth Tullios or Beatrice Ethridge so they may place your name on the program. This is for all, and you may come and go as you please.

Chappell Hill

BY: Pearl Crawford

We received one half inch of rain last week.

George and I didn't get off to the Ryan family reunion Sunday. They are old pioneer residents. We were all sorry Mr. and Mrs. Grover Price weren't able to make the trip. California is a long way from the old home town.

Our sister, Mrs. R. J. Schindler of Bangs, is reported doing nicely at present.

Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Faught who are residents of the Heritage Home seem to be doing well. They still think a lot of their old home town, Leaning.

Mrs. Gilda Mansel is in the hospital. We all hope her health improves soon.

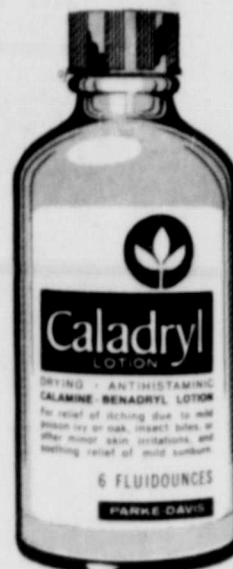
Mrs. Howard Runnels and her family are in the hospital. We all hope her health improves soon. She is at her home in Goldthwaite at present.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Greele visited Mrs. Martha Hopper at the Heritage Home. She is doing nicely.

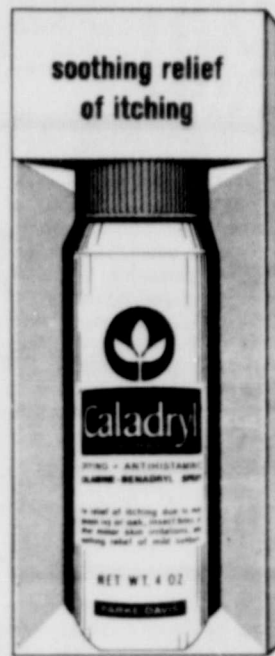
Mr. and Mrs. William G. Crawford, Letricia and Lenena were recent visitors of Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Crawford. W. W. Ratliff has been baling hay.

Edwin Rackow has been combining grain. At this writing he

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Seven Accidents Reported In Mills County

Monday a one vehicle accident occurred in the Mills County Park when the steering mechanism on a pickup malfunctioned, causing the driver to lose control and run into a tree. Darrell Wayne Branson of Goldthwaite, driver of the 1965 Ford pickup, was not injured. The pickup sustained moderate damage.

A 1970 model Chevrolet pickup driven by Dwayne Henry of Goldthwaite was involved in an accident on the Lake Meredith State Park grounds when the vehicle

failed to negotiate a turn, causing the vehicle to overturn. No injuries were reported. The vehicle sustained moderate

damage. Local law enforcement officers investigated both accidents.

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(A) CATEGORIES	(B) CAPITAL	(C) OPERATING / MAINTENANCE
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ACCOUNT NO. 44 2 167 002

MULLIN TOWN 0848

MAYOR

MULLIN TEXAS 76864

(D) Submit proposals for funding consideration by June 16, 1975

(E) ASSURANCE (Refer to instruction E) I assure the Secretary of the Treasury that the non-discrimination and other statutory requirements listed in Part E of the instructions accompanying this report will be complied with by this recipient government with respect to the entitlement funds reported hereon.

Signature of Chief Executive Officer

Date June 17, 1975

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FOR SALE - Nice, big 1.18 acre lot in city limits. High on a hill overlooking city of Goldthwaite. J. B. Pate, phone 648-3457. 6-26-2tp

FOR SALE - House and lot, 1308 Parker St. Excellent location. Good house, 3 1/2 acres, garden, sheds, and good well. 18 mi. East of Goldthwaite, fronts on pavement. 2 year old brick house, 3 bedrooms, 2 baths, Marvin Collier Estate. 52 acres 6 mi. from Goldthwaite, good well, on county road. 90 acres fronts on Highway 81. Excellent barns & corrals. 240 acres in Hamilton Co., improved with good tank, \$350 per acre, loan to be assumed. 486 acres, 1/2 mi. Pecan Bayou frontage. Good fences and corrals. Lots of deer & turkey. 154 acres 12 mi. from Goldthwaite on county road. \$367.50 per acre. 198 acres 4 mi. South of Center City. \$400 per acre, 29 per cent down, owner will carry balance. 523 acres 6 mi. SW of Goldthwaite. \$325 per acre. Deer and turkey. RAY DUREN REAL ESTATE. Ray Duren, Realtor Gary Holcomb, Salesman Box 543 1010 4th St. Goldthwaite, Texas Ph: 648-2500 7-3-2tc

FOR SALE - 52 acres 6 mi. SW of Goldthwaite, good well, on county road. 90 acres fronts on Highway 81. Excellent barns & corrals. 240 acres in Hamilton Co., improved with good tank, \$350 per acre, loan to be assumed. 486 acres, 1/2 mi. Pecan Bayou frontage. Good fences and corrals. Lots of deer & turkey. 154 acres 12 mi. from Goldthwaite on county road. \$367.50 per acre. 198 acres 4 mi. South of Center City. \$400 per acre, 29 per cent down, owner will carry balance. 523 acres 6 mi. SW of Goldthwaite. \$325 per acre. Deer and turkey. RAY DUREN REAL ESTATE. Ray Duren, Realtor Gary Holcomb, Salesman Box 543 1010 4th St. Goldthwaite, Texas Ph: 648-2500 7-3-2tc

FOR SALE - Registered Black Angus Bull, 2 1/2 years old. Good Condition - Ready To Work. Call 648-3133 or 648-3578 after 5 p.m. 6-26-tfc

FOR SALE - Piano and floor furnace. Contact Horace Gray, Ph. 648-3195. 6-26-2tp

FOR SALE - Horses. James Burrus, Box 276, Route 2, Goldthwaite, Texas 76844. 6-26-tfc

FOR SALE - Aermotor mill, tower, pipe and cylinder. Call 648-2756. 7-3-1tp

FOR SALE - Almost new apartment size gas range, \$59.50. Spradley's Furniture and Upholstery, Goldthwaite, Texas. 7-3-2tc

FOR SALE - Signature sewing machine. Has had only six garments made on it. Fancy stitching. Stretch stitch. Double needle. Early American "desk style" cabinet. \$250. Call 648-3433 or 648-3528. 7-3-tfc

1538 acres in Coleman County. Has 450 acres in cultivation, new pipe and wire corrals, several miles of new fence, and good running creek. \$225 per acre.

146 acres NE of Goldthwaite. Has highway frontage, one well, one tank and some deer and turkey. \$300 per acre 10 per cent down.

251 acres on the Lampasas River near Star. Has highway frontage, nice 2 bedroom home with central heat and air, 2 good tanks, 60 acres of Kline grass, 10 acres of coastal Bermuda, many pecan trees and plenty of deer, turkey and quail. \$500 per acre.

TERRY SMITH REAL ESTATE
Box 622
Goldthwaite, Texas
Office 915-648-2767
Home 915-985-3339 7-3-2tc

NOTICES

Due to recent vandalism in the Mills County Park, the rest rooms have been locked. For special gatherings in the park, the keys to the rest rooms may be obtained from the City Office. 7-3-tfc

WANTED

WANTED - Painting or fence building. Call 386-3424, Hamilton. 5-29-8tc

WANTED - Waitress and cook. Apply in person, Carr's Cafe. 5-8-tfc

HOMEWORKERS WANTED IN THIS AREA: men, women, students. No experience necessary; stuffing & addressing envelopes (Commission Mailers). Earn spare-time money at home. \$100.00 weekly possible. Send \$1.00 (refundable) and long, stamped envelope for details; PPS-804, 216 Jackson No. 612, Chicago 60606. 7-3-3tp

MISCELLANEOUS

For all your furniture upholstery work. Extra large stock of fabrics to choose from to fit your budget. Come see us or call 648-2251. Spradley's Furniture & Upholstery, on Fisher Street in Goldthwaite. 4-11-3c

FISH BAIT - Minnows, worms, gulf sh and crawfish. Frozen shad gizzards, shad, liver, shrimp. Also blood bait. A. C. Williams Bait Station On Waco Highway, Goldthwaite. 4-18-tfc

HALE LIVESTOCK TRAILERS
All sizes and types available - Horse, Covered, Open-top and Gooseneck. Mills County Lumber and Supply, Phone 648-3400, Goldthwaite, Texas. 5-2-tfc

HEARING AID SERVICE in Goldthwaite the 2nd Monday of each month at the Mauney Motel from 1:30 to 3:00 p.m. Repairs, Batteries, Cleaning and Hearing Test. Joe Treadway Hearing Service of Hamilton. (In the Hamilton Office every Friday from 10 a.m. til 1 p.m.) 5-9-tfc

SINGER SEWING MACHINES
Used, in good condition. \$29 We also clean and adjust all makes and models. Phone 648-2591. 6-12-4tp

Several size used Air Conditioners in stock. Good condition and good price. HEAD ELECTRIC. Phone 648-3133, Goldthwaite. 7-3-tfc

JUST RECEIVED new shipment decorator fabrics at the B-G PILLOW BARN, 303 West Central, Comanche, Texas. Ph. 915-356-5031. 6-26-2tc

LARGE NEW STOCK - Two way radios. All accessories available. See them now at HEAD ELECTRIC. Phone 648-3133 Goldthwaite 6-26-tfc

RENFRU CABINET SHOP
Cabinets, Fixtures, Formica, Repair, Remodel, Add On's, West Side of Square, Goldthwaite, Texas 76844. Shop Phone Home Phone 915-648-3254 915-966-3333 1-23-tfc

USE ITCH-ME-NOT TO STOP THAT ITCH!
Acts like a local anesthetic. Apply quick-drying Itch-Me-Not (contains 6 itch-stoppers) for eczema, insect bites, bee itches, other surface rashes, antiseptic kills germs, speeds healing. If not pleased in 15 MINUTES, your \$2c back. TODAY at HUDSON DRUG. 7-3-3tc

POODLE PARLOR - Poodle Grooming. Phone 648-2768 or 648-3489. 7-3-2tc

ANTIQUE, Used Furniture, Custom Cabinets & Tops, Furniture Repair & Refinishing, Buy, Sell or Trade. DABNEY CONSTRUCTION, On Hwy. 84 at Durenville. Ph. 648-3234, Goldthwaite. 7-3-tfc

Would like to buy good used saddle. Call 948-3516. 7-3-tfc

FOR SALE - Complete seven piece set of drums, including stool. Good condition. Ph. 648-2581. Tim Spradley. 7-3-2tc

EMPLOYMENT

PUBLIC NOTICE
The secretarial position in the Mills County Extension Agent's Office will become open on July 15, 1975. The position is a part time employment with working hours from 8:00 - 12:00 Monday thru Friday. Anyone interested in this position is encouraged to visit the County Extension Agent's Office on July 11, 1975 between the hours of 9:00 A.M. and 12:00 A.M. All applications will be considered.

CITY PROPERTY

CITY PROPERTY - House for sale at 1403 Trent Street. Can be seen by appointment only. Phone 648-3446. 4-10-tfc

Building Lots For Sale. Call Mills County Lumber Company. Telephone 648-3400. 6-29-tfc

Nice Homes For Sale In Goldthwaite. See CLINE REAL ESTATE, Phone 648-2292. 10-17-tfc

FOR SALE - Brick home, 3 bedrooms, 2 baths, living room, kitchen, den, sewing and hobby room. Central air and heating. Carpeted, paved street, corner lot. Cline Real Estate, 648-2292. 7-25-tfc

Building lots for sale. All utilities available. Dale Allen, 648-2563. 4-3-tfc

SPECIAL TAX CREDITS
Up to \$2000 on your '75 tax bill on a new home started before March 25th. With this home you are eligible!
FOR SALE
Beautiful white brick, scenic hilltop location overlooking Goldthwaite. 503 Ridgeview Drive. 3 bedroom, 2 bath, covered patio, 2 car garage. Plenty of closets, including 2 walk-ins. Extra large rooms. Completely carpeted. Central heat and air. Call 648-3133, 966-3581, 648-3578. 6-5-tfc

B*CKHOE SERVICE - John Deere equipment for digging foundations, cattle guards, cellars, sewer lines and septic tank installations.

HAULING - Black and Sandy loam yard dirt, cliche, concrete gravel, and washed mortar sand. Prompt deliveries.

FOR RENT - Steel scaffolds, plywood forms, air cooled welder and acoustic spray equipment.

SELL & INSTALL - Suspend ceilings, custom built cabinets and formica tops, metal carports and patio covers, replacement aluminum windows and ready-mix concrete and slab finishing. Phone 648-2424 for Truett or Ronnie Aldridge. 5-23-tfc

CARPET CLEANING - Two operations. Heavy shampoo followed by cold water rinse with 140 pound suction extractor. Removes all dirt into disposal barrel. Local references. D. T. Boyd, phone 356-2454, Comanche, Texas. 4-10-tfc

GILLESPIE PLUMBING AND CENTRAL TEXAS INSULATION
Boiler-Booster Service. Repair work and new plumbing. Also practical blown insulation or batt insulation installed with modern equipment. All work guaranteed. . . . phone 648-2573. Goldthwaite. 2-27-tfc

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Mullin Celebration Tremendous

Members of the Mullin Bicentennial Committee, in an effort to express their appreciation for the tremendous support given to the Mullin Bicentennial celebration, submitted the following article to The Eagle:

We feel so proud to be Americans after Saturday's celebration at Mullin. Everything was just perfect. The entire committee is overwhelmed. The people were so willing to do their part, large or small. Without them it would never have been accomplished. We are not forgetting help from outside the Mullin Community.

Legal Notice

NOTICE TO ALL PERSONS HAVING CLAIMS AGAINST THE ESTATE OF IRA P. HUTCHINGS, DECEASED

Notice is hereby given that original Letters Testamentary for the Estate of IRA P. HUTCHINGS were issued on June 27, 1975, in Cause Number 1967, pending in the County Court of Mills County, Texas, to:

MILLIE FRANCES HUTCHINGS STUCK and JAMES N. HUTCHINGS

The residences of such Executors are Fort Worth, Texas, and Blanket, Texas, respectively. The post office addresses are:

MILLIE FRANCES HUTCHINGS STUCK
3505 Creston Avenue
Fort Worth, Texas 76133

JAMES N. HUTCHINGS
Route No. 2
Blanket, Texas 76432

All persons having claims against this Estate which is currently being administered are required to present them within the time and in the manner prescribed by law.

DATED this the 27th day of June, 1975.

GILLIAM, COCKRUM & DUREN
BY: Tom F. Duren
Attorney for the Estate

Published in The Goldthwaite Eagle, Thursday, July 3, 1975. 7-3-tfc

LOST & FOUND

STRAYED - One black steer weighing 500 lbs. Red tag No. 59 in left ear. If found contact Thurman Head, 938-5583. 7-3-tfc

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Mrs. John Neill Services Conducted June 25

Final rites for Mrs. John (Anna D.) Neill of Priddy were conducted Wednesday, June 25, 1975, at 2 p.m. in the Wilkins Funeral Chapel with Rev. Ernest Roper officiating. Burial was in the Brown Cemetery. Arrangements were under the direction of Wilkins Funeral Home.

Mrs. Neill, a member of the Methodist Church, passed away Monday, June 23, 1975, at 6:21 a.m. in the Childress Hospital in Goldthwaite.

Born May 7, 1881, in Stephenville, Texas, she was the daughter of Perry Johnston and Rebecca Mayfield Johnston. On July 24, 1890, she was married

to John Hamilton Neill in the North Brown community. They moved to Priddy from Mullin about eight years ago.

Mrs. Neill is preceded in death by her husband and two sons, Sidney and Jimmie Rex Neill.

Survivors include four daughters, Mrs. Lucille Stowers of Priddy, Mrs. Loraine Lindsey of Brownwood, Mrs. Alma Crockett, Mullin, and Mrs. Billie Smith, Lafayette, La.; seven grandchildren; and five great grandchildren.

Pallbearers were Ernest L. Fisher, Kyle Smith, Grady Hancock, Glynn Sanders, Pat Fallon and Melvin Bessent.

Services Held Recently For George Montgomery

George Thomas Montgomery, 82, of 1412 Phillips Street, Cleburne, Texas, died Saturday, June 7, at Santa Fe Hospital in Temple.

Mr. Montgomery was born in Mills County, Texas, January 19, 1893, the son of John T. and Callie Denning Montgomery. He was a retired machinist and a member of the First Baptist Church, Rio

Vista.

He is survived by a son, George A. Montgomery, Vancouver, Washington; five daughters, Mrs. Pauline Ohlhausen, Fort Worth; Mrs. Marcell Kirkpatrick, Cleburne; Mrs. Jonnie Johnson, DeSoto; Mrs. Bobby Williams, Fort Worth; Mrs. Nadine Newman, Fort Worth; three brothers, Jesse Montgomery, Grand Prairie; John B. Montgomery, Cleburne; Hulon Montgomery, Arlington; five sisters, Miss Ida Montgomery of Goldthwaite; Mrs. Vida Perry, Goldthwaite; Mrs. Susie Stevens, Garland; Mrs. Ora Belle Jones, Fredericksburg; Mrs. Maude Perry, Brownwood; twelve grandchildren and eight great grandchildren; and one grandchild, deceased.

Funeral services were held Tuesday, June 10, at the First Baptist Church, Rio Vista, with Rev. Carroll Jackson and George Ramsey officiating.

Burial was in Greenacres Cemetery under the direction of Crosier-Pearson Funeral Home.

Pallbearers were David Williams, Jimmy Soule, Kenneth Kirkpatrick, Tommy Johnson, Randy Eason, Steve Eason and Johnny Williams.



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Friday, July 4th
In Observance Of
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Maryland Club

Coffee

2 lb can \$1.79

Gold Tip

Tomatoes 3 16 oz cans \$1

Grape Drink

Welchade 46 oz can 59¢



Mott's

Apple Juice quart 49¢

Sea Preme Tuna

Cat Food 6 oz can 10¢

Field Trial, dry 10 lb bag

Dog Food \$1.79

Orange Drink by

Sunkist 46 oz can 49¢



Twin-Pak

89¢

Shurfresh
Hamburger

Buns pkg of 8

39¢



Butterfingers
Baby Ruth
Candy

10 bar pkg 49¢



Reg \$1.95

\$1.19

Antifreeze

Prestone

gal **\$3.79**

2 oz can

39¢

Reg. \$1.65

99¢

Lg. 14 Oz. size

"Dairy Buys"

Meadowlake Soft

lb tub

Margarine 59¢

Food King

Biscuits 10¢ can

A.F.

Sour Cream 8 oz 39¢

Kraft Halfmoon, Longhorn

Cheese 10 oz pkg 89¢

Kraft 16 slices

Cheese 12 oz 99¢

Tropicalla Florida Pure-it's cool

Orange Juice 1/2 gal 79¢

"Frozen Savings"



12 oz can

59¢

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pkg of 4

Beef Tamales 49¢

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Orange Juice 4 6 oz cans \$1

We Use Homekilled Beef

Fresh

Beef Liver lb 49¢

Forequarter Chuck

Roast lb 89¢

Beef Ribs lb 59¢

Boneless, Pikes Peak or

Rump Roast lb \$1.29

Sirloin Steak lb \$1.39

Hormel 12 oz pkg

Steak Fingers 89¢

Boneless Fillets, Turbot

Fish lb 88¢

Prices good Thursday, July 3 thru Wednesday, July 9, 1975



SCHWARTZ FOOD STORE

Goldthwaite, Texas



Accidents Reported Here

Fourth Street in Goldthwaite was the scene of a minor two vehicle accident Thursday, June 19th. Involved in the accident was a 1972 Chevrolet driven by Greta Sue Hines of Goldthwaite and a 1975 Chevrolet owned by Lanora Price Williams, also of here. The Williams vehicle sustained light damage as a result of the accident.

On June 21st a 1969 Plymouth driven by John Rankin of Houston and a 1974 Ford operated by John Forehand Kirby of Goldthwaite were in collision on U.S. 183 in Goldthwaite. Both vehicles sustained minor damage.

A 1965 Chevrolet pickup driven by Opal Green of Goldthwaite and a 1965 Chevrolet station wagon driven by Betty

Portnager, also of here, were in collision Sunday. The accident occurred at a private drive and Pine Street. No injuries were received. Both vehicles sustained minor damage.

Sunday afternoon around 5:30 p.m. on U.S. 183 nine miles south of Goldthwaite a one vehicle accident occurred resulting in minor injuries to several persons. A 1963 Chevrolet pickup overturned on its top when the left rear tire blew out. Betty Burgess of Taylor, driver of the pickup, and the passengers in the vehicle were taken to Childress Clinic and Hospital by Wilkins Ambulance where they were treated and released.

Monday, June 23rd, around 1:00 a.m. a 1974 Allegro motor home driven by Dorothy Ramsey of Gainesville, Florida was in collision with a horse. The motor home sustained moderate damage.

Local law enforcement officers investigated the accidents.

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- + Choice of Ticking
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- + New Innerspring Unit
- + Cleaned, Felted Cotton
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IN GOLDTHWAITE
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Yeager-Phelps Reunion

The Yeager - Phelps family reunion will be held at Lake Merritt, Saturday and Sunday, July 5th and 6th.

All friends and relatives are invited to attend.

BRITTEN PLUMBING & REPAIRS

Bill Britten
1812 Fisher

Phone 648-2523

Historical Survey Committee Appoints Precinct Members

The Historical Survey Committee and the precinct subcommittee met on June 20th at the Mills County Park at 2:00 o'clock.

Mrs. Horton, chairman, gave the aims of the committee and then called on the chairmen of the standing committees to give their reports and introduce the precinct members.

Historical Marker chairman, Oleta Duren, reported that applications are being worked up on Williams Ranch Cemetery, Swinging Bridge at ReGENCY, Mills County Park, and the Oak Tree at Center City. Other applications to be started are Star Baptist Church, Mullin Bank Building, Mullin Methodist Church, Lake Merritt, and the Eagle Office. The money for the marker has to

be included with the application, and if you are interested in any of these sites and would like to donate toward the price of a marker, please send it to James Ledbetter, Mills County State Bank, Goldthwaite, Texas 76844, or to Mrs. Aubrey Hudson, Goldthwaite, Texas 76844.

Precinct members added to the Historical Marker committee are:

1. Carlos Patterson, Barbee Renfro, Melissa Duren
2. Hulda Boykin, Julia Mae Casbeer, Sherwood Jones
3. Leta Durst, Ed. Gasserman, Marlene Shelton
4. Barbara Jennigan, Mrs. Austin Cawyer, O. L. Cannon

the churches of the county, and invited everyone to have a part in the pictorial museum. Precinct members added to her committee are:

1. Mrs. M. C. Partridge, Ruby Nell Berry, L. B. Burnham
2. Mr. and Mrs. Walter Tubbs, Lorene Boykin, Bertie Elms
3. Standley Bessent, Mrs. Arthur Gromatzky, Mary Lou

Locke
4. Iva Cockrell, Alton Jones
Lois Hudson, Finance and Budget chairman, reported that a \$20 memorial had been given through this organization, and cards would be printed to send for this purpose. Send all memorials to Mrs. Aubrey Hudson, Goldthwaite, Texas 76844. Other plans are being made to raise money. Precinct mem-

bers added to the Finance Committee are:

1. Mrs. Tom McArthur
2. Leila Cathey
3. Dortha Schrader
4. Barbara Jennigan

Historical Preservation Committee member Marjorie Manuel told of the research that was being done on cemeteries in the county. The precinct members added to this committee are:

1. Carolyn Laughlin, Greta Sue Hines, Rena Smith, Coleman Taylor
2. Raymond Williams, Lucille Welch, Cleo Carswell, James Geeslin, Mrs. Herman Lee, Bertie Elms, Mrs. Lila Cathy
3. Lorene Ledbetter, Robert Roberson, Iva Cockrell
4. Ernest L. Fisher, Mary Lou Locke, Mrs. Elmer Bossie

The Advisory Committee, James Ledbetter, chairman, added these members from the precincts:

1. Loy Long, Melissa Duren, Billie Ledbetter
2. Lucille Welch, Iva Pearl Head, Lorene Boykin
3. Leroy Johnson, Ann Murry, Eleanor Gromatzky
4. Norma Lee Robertson, Hulon Egger, Austin Cawyer, Lorene Ledbetter

The chairman announced a special committee, Old Settlers and Homecoming, with Judge Herbert Faulkner as chairman and Julian Evans, James Ledbetter, and Geraldine Laughlin serving within. She introduced Judge Faulkner and the County Commissioners, Hawley Jennigan, Bertha Roberts, and Elmo Watson.

It was reported that at one time there were forty-one schools in the county. This large committee will meet every three months.

Extension Highlights
By Judy Beavers
Mills Co. Extension Agent

From The County Agent-
by: Danny Long
Mills County Extension Agent

Livestock and poultrymen spend millions of dollars annually to protect their livestock and poultry from infectious diseases. Numerous factors are involved in the entire disease prevention and protection process, many of which cannot be controlled by the producer.

The body's first line of defense against disease is the skin. When the skin is not mechanically disrupted it provides a wall against penetration of numerous disease-producing microorganisms that are continuously in contact with it. Other first line defense mechanisms given to animals by nature include the mucous membranes that line the body openings such as the mouth, eyes and reproductive tract. These membranes produce enzymes and control PH levels which counteract infections.

When infection progresses past the first two defense mechanisms, the animal's body calls on still a third line of defense known as antibodies.

All these factors come into view as the animal fights infection. There are, however, numerous instances when all of the animal's natural defenses

are insufficient. This is why it is critical that producers establish and maintain a sound health program.

In some areas of the county, there is a growing interest in early weaning of lambs. This procedure seems to be practical for a number of reasons. Research has proven that milk production of most ewes declines rapidly after the second week and is of minor importance after 8-10 weeks.

Aside from the decline in milk production, a lamb's digestive tract after 9 weeks of age is practically the same as that of an adult.

The most commonly used guideline is a weight of 45 pounds or 9 weeks of age. The main advantage to this type of program include the faster mending of ewes, a reduction in the grazing pressure on pastures by the removal of the lambs, older ewes can be sold earlier, forage such as small grain pasture can be more advantageously used by separating ewes and lambs, and a reduction in the internal parasite problem.

Freezers need defrosting and a thorough cleaning before storing the new crop of fruits and vegetables. Consumers should consult their freezer use-care booklet. But if it's misplaced, here are some suggestions.

Unplug the freezer and remove all frozen food. Store the food in a cardboard box or wrap newspapers around it to prevent thawing.

Place clean towels in the bottom of the freezer. Pour cold tap water along the sides to thaw the frost. Using a wooden spoon may help loosen the frost, but don't use metal because it will scratch the lining of the freezer.

As the towels absorb the water, wring them out and replace. When all frost has been removed, wash the inside with one quart warm water to which one tablespoon baking soda has been added.

Rinse with clean water and wipe dry. Replug freezer and wait about 30 minutes before replacing the food.

Turning to other freezer use reminders, take an inventory of food and place the packages which have been stored longest at the top or front.

Now is a good time to match up polyethylene freezer boxes with their lids. Then when it's time to package the food, this job is done.

Most homemakers prefer using the plastic freezer bags with cover boxes. This protects the bag from getting holes in it during storage and freezes in a uniform shape for a better fit.

This season may be a good time to purchase a blancher. Since it's necessary to use one gallon of water for each pound (pint) of vegetables, a large blancher may be the best kind to buy.

A water bath canner is suitable also. Some homemakers use a deep fat fryer basket or improvise a blanching bag from a clean white cloth.

Well - planned fluorescent lighting in the home is a boon to money and energy conscious consumers.

For years fluorescent lighting has been standard in commerce and industry because of its efficiency. Now recent tests in a model home which used more efficient fluorescent lamps instead of incandescent lighting showed a 45 percent savings in electricity costs.

Tests in this model home, designed by the National Association of Home Builders with the help of a lighting specialist, measured electricity costs in each room where fluorescent was used. These were compared with a similar incandescent lighting system. Savings realized from the use of fluorescent lighting ranged from 25-66 percent, depending on an average of 1000 hours.

Previous consumer complaints about fluorescent lighting are ethetically related and can usually be attributed to a poorly designed installation or improper choice of light color. Most of these can be corrected merely by using the more flattering colors of fluorescent lighting - deluxe warm white and deluxe cool white.

Considering advantages and savings of fluorescents can help consumers in planning new homes or in remodeling existing housing.

Legal Secretaries Monthly Meeting

The Brownwood Legal Secretaries Assn. held its regular monthly meeting at Katfish Korner. After the invocation was given, Treva Matthei introduced the guest speaker, District Attorney Gary Price. Mr. Price has been District Attorney three years of a four year term. He was previously County Attorney for Brown Co. for four years.

Mr. Price stated that he is the District Attorney for a three county district, Brown, Coleman, and Mitchell. The District Attorney informed the group of many details of the Grand Jury which many of us were unaware. "The Grand Jury's purpose is to see that justice is done," stated Price. In order to accomplish such purpose, a second grand jury is appointed every term, the length of which varies from county to county, by the District Judge. There are 12 members of a Grand Jury, but only nine of the jury constitute a quorum. While the Grand Jury is in session, all incidents and testimony heard during the Grand Jury meeting is a secret, and each member of such a jury must swear to keep such information confidential and there is a \$500.00 fine if a juror fails to keep his oath. The Defense Attorney must have permission from the Grand Jury to even appear before such a jury while it is in session. Only the witnesses to testify are allowed, and on occasion the Court Reporter will be permitted to enter to record certain testimony if requested.

The purpose of the secrecy of the Grand Jury is to protect the reputations of those investigated in the event that a malicious report has been turned in on someone. The Grand Jury meets the last Thursday of each month.

The minutes were read and approved. The treasurer's report was filed for audit. President, Debbie Gwathmey, announced that BLSA had won the "inches of publicity" contest which we had entered, and we placed 2nd Honorable Mention in the history book contest.

It was announced that the Brown County Bar Assn. will hold a Real Estate Seminar on June 24 at the Golden Bull. All members of BLSA were invited to attend this seminar. This seminar will concentrate on the new changes in the Real Estate Law which became effective June 20.

All members wanting a membership pin to TALS were requested to so state and we are ordering pins at this time before the prices go up. Please contact Debbie Gwathmey if you so desire.

Next month's meeting will feature a film clip on child abuse which will be narrated by Brown County Child Welfare.

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Priddy 'Bits

Lela DeHart

Rain clouds were a welcome sight this week when Priddy and surrounding areas received an inch of rain. Out and what harvest is just over, and hay baling is in full swing.

Mrs. Annie Dreuckhammer who was in the Comanche Hospital is home now and doing well.

Mr. Arnold Schuman of Pottsboro is in the Goldthwaite hospital, suffering from a heart attack.

Mrs. Minnie Stetler is in the Comanche Hospital.

Mrs. Jewel Smith of San Angelo visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Embry two days this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Newman and their two daughters with them from Pasadena, Texas who will be spending part of the summer here.

Mrs. Dorothy Compton of Indian Gap had as her guests her son, Thomas Harrison, and family of Granbury, Texas Wednesday and Thursday of this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Shipman have returned from a short visit to Rockport, Texas and reported a very enjoyable trip.

Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Marwitz of the Indian Gap community returned from a three day visit to San Angelo, Texas where they visited her sons, Walter and John Price, and their families.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Embry visited her sister, Mrs. Daisy Butler, in Carlton, Texas one day this week.

Gary Schwartz killed a bobcat in the Priddy community last week - a BIG cat.

Rites For Mrs. Keese Conducted

Funeral services for Mrs. Lela Evans Keese of Goldthwaite were conducted Monday, June 30, 1975, at 2 p.m. in the Wilkins Funeral Chapel with Rev. Dan Connally officiating. Interment was in the Oakview Cemetery in Mullin. Arrangements were under the direction of Wilkins Funeral Home.

Mrs. Keese passed away Saturday, June 28, 1975, at 10 a.m. in the Childress Hospital in Goldthwaite.

Born July 26, 1893, in Goldthwaite, she was the daughter of William Elmer Nugent and Mary Margaret Orsborn Nugent. In 1910 she was married to W. E. Spruell who precedes her in death. Later she was married to John E. Evans who also precedes her in death. In June, 1958, she was married to William Tom Keese. He precedes her in death.

Survivors include two sisters, Mrs. Mamie Casbeer of Del Rio, Texas and Mrs. Jennie Mae White of Phoenix, Arizona, and a number of nieces and nephews.

Pallbearers were Clyde Featherston, McKinley Humphries, Hammon Humphries, Raymond Casbeer, Warren P. Duren and Pat Fallon.

Honorary pallbearers were Fred Ethridge, Maston Pribble, Ernest Jarrett, William G. Farborough, Homer Eckert and James Carter.

PERSONAL

Mrs. Emily Gilliam is on the European Roadrunner tour sponsored by the Poe-Broad Travel Agency of Dallas. The group will be gone a month and will visit seven countries.

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-Center City-

Sgt. Larry Leeper Completes Course

FL. KNOX, Ky. (AHTNC) June 4 - Sergeant Larry A. Leeper, son of Gene Kinman, Mullin, Tex., completed with honors the noncommissioned officers basic course at the Army Armor School here.

Sgt. Leeper received extensive training in military leadership and instructional methods. His wife, Elnor, also lives in Mullin.

BY: Mrs. Joe Green
As most of you know, Joe and I have been in the hospital all of last year and most of this one. I have my artificial leg. I haven't gotten use to it yet, but I guess I will. It just takes time. Joe is feeling very well.

Services were held at the Baptist Church this morning and singing this afternoon with a good attendance. Nearly everyone out this way is combining grain and most of the women are trying to put up their garden vegetables.

Eva Faye, our daughter, and children and Wayne Harris visited us last weekend. We enjoyed them very much. George Brown visited with us Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. Fred Register visited with us yesterday. N. C. Karnes and Leslie visited with us Friday. Mike, Leo and Leslie Karnes visited with us today. Mrs. Jessie Holland, Oleta Deron Coffman, Mr. and Mrs. Z. Karnes, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Frank and Harold, Jim Green, Floyd Green and Lyge Chambers also visited with us yesterday. We enjoy everyone since we don't get around much anymore.

Mrs. Lois Owens also visited with us and brought some food which we appreciated very much. Others who brought food were Mrs. Walter Frank, Mrs. Oleta Coffman, Mrs. Jessie Holland, Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Green and Mrs. Z. Karnes. I hope no one has had the bad luck we have had. It's bad enough for one to be sick in the family, but when it is two that's worse.

Mr. and Mrs. Roger Foley from Dallas visited Mr. and Mrs. Walter Frank and Harold last weekend. They tell me the

rodeo at Goldthwaite was a big success. We weren't able to go.

Mr. and Mrs. David Landun and family visited Mr. and Mrs. Walter Frank and Harold last week.

I had a letter from my sister in San Antonio. Mother is about the same.

Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Kincheoloe from Llano visited us a while Monday night.

Mrs. Merlene Rayner visited us one day last week.

We are proud to report that Faira Head is back at home and doing very well.

We all have our troubles, but with the good Lord's help maybe we can overcome all of this.

Mrs. Rosa Head hasn't been feeling very well the last few days. Mrs. Edna Head brought us some vegetables one day last week.

Denita Coffman baked a cake and brought it to us. We appreciate it so much.

Zeke Buckner, Mr. George Ireland, Mrs. Eva Ireland and Dale also visited us.

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Booker visited with us a while last Sunday.

Mrs. Norris Witt visited with us one day last week. She brought us some vegetables which we appreciated very much.

We want to send our deepest sympathy to everyone who has lost loved ones. May God bless each and everyone in our prayer.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Mason brought food down here and visited us. Everyone has been so nice and we love all of you.

Lois Eckert and Willie Mae Warren came to the singing at Center City and visited us a while. Also, Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Green, Joann Butler and Lori.

Hillview Highlights



BASEBALL and SNOWCONES What better way for HILLVIEW residents to begin Fourth of July celebrations than attending a Little League baseball game? Members of the Priddy Legion team include Matthew

Bosse, Don Cagle, Wesley Peters, Paul Lentz, Dean Cagle, Glenn Jeffers, Joe Jeffers, Travis Tiemann, Michael Hopper and Kevin Hohertz with coaches, Sam Jeffers and Truman Marwitz.



"If I had a bat and a cap, I'd play, too," was the comment made by resident

Mel Booker; so team member Don Cagle provided both!



And - when a home run was hit - Ruby Kattes takes her nose out of a snowcone long

enough to ask, "Was that a TOUCHDOWN?"

San Saba Peak

BY: Mrs. Dutch Smith

I am really sorry I haven't been writing, but I have been sick and was in the hospital for several days. And I've been real sick since I came home. I am feeling better today. I hope I don't get as sick as I was last week; I think I would have died, only I was too sick. Ha!

We continue to have showers every few days. Our nephew and niece, Mr. and Mrs. Owen Smith, visited us last week.

Mmes. Mack Horton, W.C. Holden and J. T. Hillman visited me one day last week. I enjoyed them very much.

Our son Chlie of Waco visited me while I was in the hospital.

So many of our friends have passed away and I couldn't do anything for their loved ones. But my love and sympathy is extended to you in your sorrow.

Dutch and I attended the Kirby reunion at Lometa June 14th. It was really a wonderful affair. It was so good to see so many of the kids that we had watched grow up. Good night! Do you think I might be getting old? Some of them have grandchildren. Well, that may be.

When we got home that Saturday evening Mr. and Mrs. Carl Brown of Temple and our son Johnie and his son Cliff of Burnet came. We went fishing over at the tank and that is when I got sea sick. I stayed too long watching the water.

My sister and brother-in-law visited us one day last week. I went to church yesterday for the first time in three weeks.

We had our children, the Johnie Smiths, yesterday afternoon. They were just fine. Cliff wasn't with them; he was working at the swimming pool in

Burnet. Of course, we always miss Cliff. But we hope to see him soon.

Our friend, Mrs. J. Carl Brown of Temple, had the misfortune to fall and break her left arm. Sorry, Ruby. I hope it will heal very quickly. My sympathy. I know just how painful it can be, having broken my right arm twice.

Dutch Smith went to Arlington with a group from our church to the Ranger baseball game. My niece, Mrs. Hazel Smith, spent the night with me. They are getting their house started now.

Our son-in-law, Forrest Jernigan, has been real sick.

Our grandsons, Jimmy and Jesse Ball, and Melody and Sid visited me while I was in the hospital. Jesse, Jimmy and Owen Smith helped Dutch haul in hay.

Area Students

On Tarleton

Honor List

Sherri W. Hartley, a Tarleton State University student from Star, has been named to the B Honor Roll and the Distinguished Student List for the Spring Semester 1975.

The B Honor Roll consists of those students who carry at least 12 semester hours and have no grade below B.

A Distinguished Student must post a semester grade point average of at least 3.25 on Tarleton's 4.0 system.

Ms. Hartley is a Music major.

Joyce D. Robertson of Goldthwaite has been named to the Distinguished Student List at Tarleton for the Spring Semester 1975. She had a 3.2 grade average out of a possible 4.0.

Ms. Robertson is a Business Administration major.

Reggie Robbins has been named to the B Honor Roll for the Spring Semester, 1975, at Tarleton State University.

Recently, Reggie was elected president of the Agricultural Business Majors Club. He will serve as president of the organization for the 75-76 semester.

Reggie, a senior at Tarleton, is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Sonny Robbins of Goldthwaite.

McCoys Receive

Degrees

Degrees have been conferred upon approximately 2,350 graduates in Spring 1975 commencement exercises at Texas Tech University.

Degrees were conferred by Dr. Grover E. Murray, president of Texas Tech, in ceremonies in Jones Stadium. The university, with an enrollment of more than 22,000 students includes the colleges of Agricultural Sciences, Arts and Sciences, Business Administration, Education, Engineering and Home Economics, the Graduate School and the School of Law.

Recipients, with majors from Goldthwaite included: Bachelor's degrees - Con Jo McCoy, special education and Michael Charles McCoy, secondary education.

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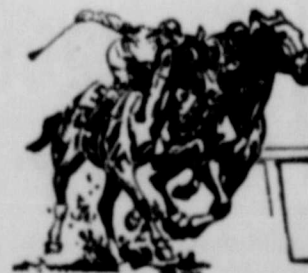
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D. Club

Annual M

The Mills Court Club has its annual meeting in the Church Hall on June 17. Each lady will receive one cent for age, or more if she was not reeve. The hall was crowded with flowers, some of which were wild.

Arts and crafts were displayed and admirers were served lunch at 12:00 o'clock. The meal "Flag Day" was sung to Mr. Home I.

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H.D. Club Annual Meeting

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Ten Accidents Investigated Here In May

The Texas Highway Patrol investigated ten accidents on rural highways in Mills County during the month of May, according to Sergeant Collins, Highway Patrol Supervisor of this area. These ten accidents have resulted in two deaths and eight injuries for the month of May, 1975. These figures result in a total of forty-one accidents with two deaths and twenty-two injuries in Mills County during 1975.

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All choice light weight steer and heifer calves were steady. Medium weight steer and heifer calves were steady. Heifer calves were \$1 higher. Steer calves topped at \$38.75. Heavy weight steer and heifer calves were steady. Yearling weight steers were slow to steady - topping at \$40. Yearling heifers were steady - topping at \$32.50. Packer cows and packer bulls were steady. Cows and calves were steady. WE WILL NOT HAVE A SALE ON JULY 1.

REPRESENTATIVE SALES

Velma Oliver, San Saba, 725 lb. Blk Wf Heifer 31.75
J. C. Bodenhamer, Lampasas, 495 lb. Charolais Heifer 30.25
Estes Smith, Burnet, 4 Head Angus Steers 36.00
T. S. Lemons, Bend, 2 Blk Wf Steers (710 lbs.) 38.50
Mike O'Connor, Marble Falls, 690 lb. Blk Wf Steer 38.50
Agnes Henderson, Reb. Spgs., 1165 lb. Angus Cow 22.10
Jack Wilson, Burnet, 625 lb. Blk Wf Heifer 30.50
Milton Adams, Rich. Spgs., 6 Head Blk Wf Heifers 30.75
Tough Creek Cattle Co. of San Saba, 12 Head Blk Wf Steers 35.40
Archie Hatherford, San Saba, 595 lb. Blk. Wf Steer 37.75
F. M. Shoemaker, Lometa, 430 lb. Blk Wf Steer 36.25
Ward Melke, San Saba, 590 lb. Blk Wf Steer 36.00
McKinley Humphries, Gwaite, 710 lb. Blk Wf Steer 36.75
Gordon McCann, Lometa, 430 lb. Blk Wf Steer 34.75
Kenneth Randall, Lampasas, 560 lb. Hereford Steer 34.75
Wayne Dyer, Lometa, 550 lb. Cow 22.60

NO SALE FRIDAY JULY 4th.
NEXT SALE JULY 11 AT 12:00 NOON.
HAPPY FOURTH OF JULY.



Fine Vegetables

Mr. Fred Wall, former Mills County commissioner, is shown with the twelve pound cabbage which was grown in his garden at his home in Star.

Fredericksburg's July 4th Festival

Fredericksburg's annual Fourth of July Festival will be held July 4, 5 and 6 with three gala days of horse racing, band music and special features.

Many of Texas' finest horses will run in the seven purse races daily, with excellent match races in prospect between the fine horses on the grounds.

Both thoroughbred and quarter races are scheduled daily, including distance races each afternoon.

The "Merchant's Derby" is set for opening day, the "Independence Derby" for closing day.

Fehl's famed Oompah Band, just back from their week's

appearance in Washington, D. C., will play each afternoon with a fine array of marches, polkas, waltzes and other crowd favorites.

Its the ideal way to spend a happy three-day 4th of July. Cool shaded grandstands assure comfort for the crowds and good reserved seat tickets are available through the fair office for each day's celebration.

Personal-

Mr. and Mrs. Pat Fallon, Jr. and son, Thomas Patrick, visited his dad and Johnny Fallon a few days this past week.

History Appreciation Sought By Survey Committee

The following article was submitted to The Eagle by Mrs. Hollis Blackwell, Chairman of the History Appreciation Committee, Mills County Historical Survey.

Many years have gone by since the first white family arrived in the vicinity of Mills County, erected a little log cabin on the banks of the Colorado River, and brought up a family.

Soon after this family arrived, others followed, and these noble people, the original pioneer settlers, with their bare hands, a trust in the Almighty God, and a love for each other, welded a way of life and put together a County we can all be proud of today.

Some of those that came were veterans of the Civil War; some were looking for a new home and a different way of life; others came for adventure and a desire to push Westward. There were, however, a few things in common with all those who cast their lot to raise a family in this new and hostile land; most were of Protestant Faith; most were of Caucasian extraction; and all were without money. This was their stock in trade, and it seemed to work.

It was a custom, when hunting a homesite, to first find water, either a spring or a running stream. Then the first families, with the help of neighbors, erected their homes with hand hewn logs. The willing neighbor was always there to help till the soil, kill the hogs, erect a barn, or gather a crop in need. This was Social Security in its original form.

So it was in this manner that homes were established, children were born, churches were organized, and meetings were held under brush arbors. Then there had to be schools. At first, they were instituted on a subscription basis, and a family could subscribe to send as many of his children as he had money to pay for. Most families had money to send at least part of their children. Teachers were hired, and the school term lasted about three months. If the rains failed to come and crops were short, the teachers were paid with everything from molasses to bacon, ham, or promises. Soon, however, the communities came under the Free School Act, and teachers were paid from \$20.00 to \$30.00 per month and the terms lasted about four months. All children then attended school free.

Hospitals were unheard of, and doctors lived far away from most families. Childbirth was one of the major problems, but with the splendid knowledge of a number of the older women in each community, this problem was taken care of, and in most cases, without incident and without charge. This was a "duty" and they never failed

to comply. The first years were always hardest, because the land had to be cleared and a working homestead set up, but there was fun too. There were taffy pulls, picnics, fishing trips to the river, and there was always

Church someplace, either in a home or in a newly built church building. The camp meetings were looked forward to with enthusiasm because there was visiting as well as worship, and this helped take away some

of the loneliness of being so far from friends in this new land.

We are now in the fifth generation of these brave and noble souls who settled Mills County during the 1860's and 1870's. With only their bare hands to

work with, they asked no odds but looked up to the blue sky and down at the glad earth and with a prayer in their hearts, brought forth a people endowed in spirit second to none.

Certainly, all the accounts possible should be made of the struggles and their beginning and the gathering of an accurate and proper record should be passed by us, the present generation.

Please bring the record of your family history to the Featherston at the Jenny Trout Dew Library.

Any item, document or article of any kind that was used by any of your ancestors, or the settlers of the early day, will be greatly appreciated if either loaned or given to the Mills County Museum we are trying to establish.

Also, any help or information that might lead to a permanent home for the museum will be welcomed by anyone on the museum committee.

Cisco Wrangler Belles To Appear On NBC-TV Special July 3

The Cisco Wrangler Belles of Cisco Junior College will be one of the featured attractions of the "STARS AND STRIPES - SHOW", a television patriotic spectacular to be seen on NBC-TV on the eve of Independence Day, July 3, in prime time at 7:00 p.m. CDT. The Belles will join a host of show business celebrities in the TV special, including Bob Hope, John Davidson, Anita Bryant, Charlie Pride and Juliet Prowse.

The pretty coeds from Cisco, Texas, will perform a feature dance routine in the show, and they will participate in the opening and finale of the telecast.

The Wrangler Belles have become nationally-known since making two appearances in New York's Macy's Thanksgiving Day Parade—in conjunction with the CJC Band.

Director of the Belles is Mrs. Pat Owens. Mrs. Patty Harper

is choreographer, and Mr. Eris Ritchie, CJC Public Relations Director, is the group's coordinator.

The "Stars and Stripes Special" will be taped on June 29 before a live audience of approximately 12,000 in Oklahoma City at the huge Myriad Arena. The Wrangler Belles will arrive in Oklahoma City on Wednesday, July 25, to begin rehearsals.

In addition to Hope, Davidson, Pride and Misses Bryant and Prowse, the show will feature the Mike Curb Congregation, Les Brown and his Band of Renown, the Strategic Air Command Band, which will provide music for the Belles' routines, the Stars and Stripes Chorale, and sports stars Mickey Mantle, Craig Morton, "Mean Joe Green", Terry Bradshaw, Johnny Unitas, Steve Owens, Chuck Knox and Barry Switzer.

Producer of the show is Dick Schneider of New York,

who is also producer of the Macy's Parade in New York and the Tournament of Roses Parade in California. Executive Producer is Lee Allen Smith, an Oklahoma City broadcasting executive who several years ago originated the idea for the televised patriotic extravaganza.

The show is already getting a great deal of advance publicity and build-up. The Wrangler Belles, along with others to be in the special, were mentioned on the "Tonight" Show on NBC-TV recently, and tickets for the show's taping have been in great demand for more than a month.

Melissa Coats of Goldthwaite, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. N. M. Coats, is a member of the Wrangler Belles.

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