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Mills County Bank Deposits Up Almost \$3 Million Over Last Year

Deposits in Mills County State Bank showed a record increase during the past year with a gain of almost three million dollars, according to announcement by

W. P. Duren, President of the bank, as reflected in the year-end condensed statement of condition.

The statement appears in this issue of the Eagle.

Deposits on December 31, 1973 were 18,030,474.86 while a year earlier on December 30, 1972 they were 15,219,520.64.

Loans and discounts are also up some. On December 31, 1973 loans and discounts amounted to \$8,937,546.51 compared to \$8,176,163.99 on December 30, 1972.

Total resources of the bank went up more than three million dollars during the past year from \$16,838,420.57 on December 30, 1972 to \$20,042,858.19 on December 31, 1973.

Blood Unit Resets Visit For January 16

The Mobile Blood Unit from Scott and White which was unable to be in Goldthwaite this past Wednesday has been rescheduled for Wednesday, January 16.

The blood drive will be held at the Youth Center of the First Baptist Church from 3 to 7 p.m. Blood may be credited to: Mrs. Sonny Robbins, Machele Lee, baby daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Bert Stewart of Zephyr, or Mills County residents of the future.

State YH'ers Convention January 11-12

"We Laugh, We Learn, We Believe" is the theme for the 1974 Convention of the State Association of Young Homemakers of Texas, January 11-12 at the St. Anthony Hotel, San Antonio. More than 650 Young Homemakers, homemaking teachers, and guests are expected to attend.

Organized in 1961 with two chapters, the Association now has approximately 258 chapters with 4,430 members. The organization is sponsored by Home-Making Education, Texas Education Agency.

Members of the Mills County Chapter of Young Homemakers of Texas who will be attending the San Antonio meeting are: Mary Blackwell, Joy Barnett, Glenda Lemke, Annette Leverett, Betty Johnson, Jean Todd, Carol Graves, Wanda Allen, Janell Sherwood and Theresa Black.

The Mills County Chapter's "Outstanding Chapter of Area IV" application is being considered for state honors.

"Fiesta de Amigos" is the theme of the Friday night Fun Night activity. Back by popular demand will be Minerva Guadalupe who will provide the musical entertainment.

On January 12, Young Homemakers will welcome former POW and Air Force Captain James Ray, who will discuss "The Price of Patriotism."

Also on Saturday morning, the Young Homemakers will elect and install a new president for 1974. She will succeed Mrs. Linda Swanner of Winnsboro.

Exhibits and displays introducing the most modern and up-to-date appliances and homemaking ideas will be hosted by Texas' leading manufacturers during the two-day meeting.

Social Security Agent Schedules Thursday Visits

The Social Security agent from the Brownwood office will be in Goldthwaite every Thursday of each month in 1974 except for November 22, and December 27. The agent is stationed in the Commissioner's Courtroom in the local courthouse each Thursday starting at 10 a. m.

County Judge Cecil Egger For Re-Election

County Judge Cecil Egger is the first to enter the political ring in Mills County for the forthcoming election in 1974.

He tossed his hat into the ring this week as he authorized The Eagle to announce his candidacy for re-election as County Judge and Ex-Officio County School Superintendent, subject to the vote of the Democratic Primary election next May 4.

He is seeking another term in the office to which he was first appointed to serve an unexpired term and later elected to full term.

Mr. Egger formerly served as County Commissioner of precinct four. He is a native of Mills County and has been a resident of Goldthwaite for the past ten years. He formerly resided in the Regency community where he ranched for a number of years.

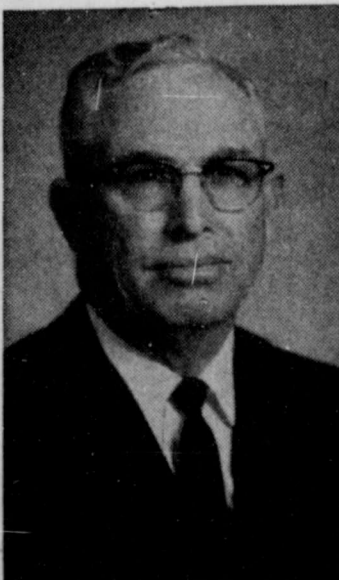
In announcing his candidacy for re-election Mr. Egger made the following statement to the people of Mills County:

"I am announcing my candidacy for re-election as County Judge and Ex-Officio County School Superintendent.

"Mrs. Egger and I want to express our thanks to the voters of Mills County for all the help and consideration given us in the past.

"I have no special promises to make other than that I will endeavor to serve you as I have in the past without favor to anyone and consideration for everyone.

"It is on that basis that I am asking for your vote and support in the Democratic Primary Election on May 4, 1974."



CECIL EGGER



Miss Tanji Renai Cagle, winner of the 1974 First Baby Contest, is shown here with her parents Mr. and Mrs. Ronald

Cagle and her doctor, Douglas Dennis. Miss Cagle made her arrival at Childress Clinic and Hospital

Monday, January 7, 1974, at 10:48 p. m. Laughlin Studio Photo

Childress Clinic & Hospital News Release

MONDAY, DECEMBER 31

Admitted - Willie P. Platte, Evant, Luther Roach, Goldthwaite
Discharged - Dorothy Whittaker, Maude Vann, Winifred Shelton

TUESDAY, JANUARY 1

Admitted - Rita Flores, San Saba, Grace Anna Reynolds of Goldthwaite, Fern Walker, Lometa, Adie Brown, Goldthwaite, Grace Benson Alexander, Goldthwaite, William Manuel Winner of Goldthwaite

WEDNESDAY, JANUARY 2

Admitted - Clifford C. Doggett, Mary P. (Ethel) Massey, Pearl Hudson, all of Goldthwaite
Discharged - Anna B. Reynolds, Leora S. Barton

THURSDAY, JANUARY 3

Admitted - Mark Anthony Leverett, Ollie A. Danford, Leona Moreland, all of Goldthwaite
Discharged - Wm. Manuel Winner

FRIDAY, JANUARY 4

Admitted - Mary C. Wall, Lott B. Rudd, Amelia Sapien, all of Goldthwaite
Discharged - L. E. McCarty, Nettie Fox, Willie P. Platte

SATURDAY, JANUARY 5

Admitted - Betty Mashburn, Eli Edmondson, Maude Mae Landers all of Goldthwaite
Discharged - George W. Brown, Pearl Hudson, Henry W. Kent, Adie Brown

SUNDAY, JANUARY 6

No admittances or discharges

MONDAY, JANUARY 7

Admitted - Walton Dobbins of Victoria, Billye Fallon, Goldthwaite, James P. Fallon, Goldthwaite, Charlotte Cagle, Goldthwaite, Baby Girl Cagle, Goldthwaite, W. F. Spinks, Mullin
Discharged - Mark Anthony Leverett, Mary Caroline Wall, Fern Walker, Lott B. Rudd

Teachers In-Service Workshop Jan. 18

According to announcement the in-service teachers' workshop scheduled for January 11 has been re-set for Friday, January 18, 1974. This is also the date of the Mills County Livestock Show.

Miss Tanji Renai Cagle Winner Of 1974 First Baby Contest

First baby born in Mills County in 1974 is Little Miss Tanji Renai Cagle. She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ronald Cagle of Goldthwaite. She is welcomed by a sister, Melissa Michelle. Little Miss Tanji made her appearance in this world on Monday, January 7, 1974, at 10:48 p. m. at the Childress Clinic and Hospital.

The Mills County prize winner in the first baby contest for 1974 weighed in at 6 pounds 4 ounces. Maternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Doyle T. Miles of Goldthwaite and paternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Cagle also of here.

Maternal great grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. L. T. Howell of Goldthwaite.

Eighteen Goldthwaite Business firms sponsored the "First Baby of 1974" Contest and that many prizes were won by Tanji Renai and her parents.

Business firms and prizes offered are as follows:

City Cleaners, \$5.00 worth of Dry Cleaning; Mills Co. Lumber and Supply, one set of feeding silverware; Hudson Drug Store, one diaper bag; Barnes and McCullough, one gallon of paint for baby's room; Shelton Auto Parts, oil filter for pop's car; Horton's Wagon Wheel Cafe, dinner for mom and dad; Schwartz Food Store, one dozen jars baby food.

Woody Drug Store, Johnson & Johnson Baby gift set; Kauhs Variety Store, half dozen Curly diapers; Mills Co. State Bank, \$10.00 Savings Account; Geeslin Gas Company, Virgil Geeslin, \$2.50 in trade; Steen Hardware, one diaper pail; Yarbrough's, one dozen Curly diapers; Jack's Supermarket, five dozen Pampers.

Western Auto Store, one baby walker; Marj's Tots and Teens, one dozen Curly diapers; Padgett Floral, a big bouquet of fresh flowers; and the Goldthwaite Eagle, one year's subscription.

Jewel Yeager Announces For Re-Election As County Treasurer

Mrs. W. P. (Jewel) Yeager this week authorized the Eagle to announce her candidacy for re-election to the office of Mills County Treasurer, subject to the Democratic Primary election on May 4.

She is seeking her third term in that office where she served the past seven years. Mrs. Yeager is the wife of W. P. (Bill) Yeager, local masonry contractor. A native of Mills County, she is the daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Bramblett of the Trigger Mountain community.

In announcing her candidacy for re-election as County Treasurer, Mrs. Yeager issued the following statement.

"I am announcing for re-election to a third term as your County Treasurer. I have enjoyed serving in this office during the past seven years and have done my best to take care of the duties of the office in the most satisfactory manner and to the best interest of all citizens and taxpayers of the county. "The friendship and cooperation of everyone during the past is deeply appreciated and I hope that I may continue to merit this cooperation and support in the future. "I will continue to do my best

in serving the people of Mills County and it is on that basis and my past record that I am seeking your support. I will appreciate the vote of everyone in the county in the primary election."



MRS. JEWEL YEAGER

Constitutional Revision Committee Begins Work January 8

Austin - Members of the Texas Legislature met in Austin Tuesday, January 8, to begin an historic undertaking, the first full-scale revision of the Texas Constitution in nearly 100 years.

The Constitutional Convention of 1974, composed of the Senate and the House of Representatives has been charged by the people of Texas with studying the present Constitution, written in 1875, and recommending changes to the people.

The recommendations of the Convention must be approved or rejected by the voters of Texas at an election to be set by the Convention.

The Constitutional Convention was authorized by a constitutional amendment approved by the 63rd Legislature and by a 560,000 vote majority at a general election in 1972.

Preparations for the Convention included the appointment of the 37-member Constitutional Revision Commission which met from March through November of 1973 and recommended a new Constitution for Texas to the Legislature.

Texas has existed under a number of constitutions. As a province of Mexico, Texans had at least two constitutions, and a new one was adopted in 1836 when the Republic of Texas was established. When Texas entered the United States, a new Constitution was written, and that was followed by a Confederate Constitution at the time of secession in 1861. In 1866, Texans adopted a new Constitution in order to rejoin the Union.

The present Constitution, written in 1875 and adopted in 1876, was the product of Reconstruction. State government was tainted by land, stock and railroad scandals.

The voters of Texas approved the call to the 1875 Convention by 29,000 votes out of 90,000 cast. The 90 delegates were elected by the people, three from each state senatorial district.

Of the delegates, 75 were Democrats, 15 were Republicans. There were six Negro delegates. The largest single occupational group were farmers, 41 in number. Another 29 were lawyers and others were merchants, editors, stockmen and physicians.

More than a score of the delegates had been high ranking officers in the Confederate Army. Three had been Union Army officers. One was a former United States Congressman and two were former members of the Confederate Congress. Nineteen had been Texas legislators.

Major controversies at the 1875 Convention included education - whether free public schools established during Reconstruction should continue with state financing, the elected officials and the question of land subsidies to railroads.

The Convention standing committees included committees on federal relations, state affairs, the Bill of Rights, the Legislature, the Executive, the Judiciary, Suffrage, General Provisions, Education, Agriculture, Public Lands, Immigration, Crime and Punishment, Counties, Municipal Corporations, Railroads, Corporations, Private Corporations, Revenue and Taxation, Printing and Contingent Expenses, Engrossed and Enrolled Ordinances and Style of Arrangements.

The 1875 Convention decided early to save \$10 a day by refusing to hire a stenographer to record proceedings. As a result there was no official record of Convention action.

The Convention logged 68 working days, between September 6, 1875, when it was called to order, and November 24, 1875, when it recessed. The Constitution was approved 52-11. The state ap-

propriated \$100,000 for the Convention, and some \$70,000 was spent.

The Constitution was sent to the people for ratification on February 15, 1876. It passed by a vote of 136,606 in favor and 56,652 against the new Constitution. Ninety-nine years later, the Convention presents many contrasts.

All the delegates are state legislators - 161 Democrats and 29 Republicans. Seven are black. Six are women, unlike 1875 when all the delegates were men. The 1974 delegation includes 12 Chicanos as compared to the 1875 Convention that listed no delegates with Mexican-American surnames. This is surprising when one considers the role played by Chicanos in the development and fight for freedom in Texas only 40 years before.

The principle occupation is the law, with 92 legislators listing themselves as attorneys. Only 16 list farming or ranching as an occupation. Other professions include teaching, construction, insurance, real estate and public relations. One delegate to the 1974 Convention is a professional football referee.

The Joint Constitutional Convention Planning Committee has recommended eight substantive committees and five procedural committees. The substantive committees would be concerned with the Executive Branch, the Legislature, the Judiciary, Education, Finance, Local Government, General Provisions and Rights, Suffrage, Amendments and Separation of Powers.

The procedural committees would include committees on Style and Drafting, Rules, Submission and Transition, Administration and Public Information.

By Constitutional Amendment, the 1974 Convention must meet January 8 and adjourn on or before May 31 unless a 60-day extension is approved by a two-thirds vote. A budget for the Convention will be adopted.

Proceedings at the 1974 Convention will be completely recorded and transcribed, as have all proceedings of the Constitutional Revision Commission.

Unlike the 1875 Convention, the 1974 Convention has a body of research and recommendations in hand, made available by the Constitutional Revision Commission. This includes a complete draft Constitution prepared after 19 public hearings and 732 hours of meetings.

PCA Loans \$97 Million

Amount of money loaned for agricultural production soared in the area served by Cattleman's Production Credit Association in 1973, according to Charles Conrad, Vice President of Cattleman's in the Goldthwaite office.

Conrad said the association loaned \$97 million to farmers and ranchers in an eight county area, an increase of almost 37 percent over the \$71 million recorded by the PCA in 1972. Cattleman's closed the year end with outstanding loans of \$38,117,678 and a net worth of \$5,809,581. A statement of condition as of the close of business December 31, 1973 appears elsewhere in this paper.

Cattleman's, along with 33 other PCA's in Texas and 445 PCA's in the nation, celebrated its 40th anniversary in 1973. The Production Credit system is owned and operated by farmers and ranchers who are stockholders. Cattleman's PCA makes loans in Burnet, Gillespie, Lampasas, Llano, Mason, McCulloch, Mills, and San Saba Counties.

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Services For Joseph Dennis Conducted Recently

Services for Joseph Allen (Joe) Dennis, 81, retired publisher of the Ranger Times and Eastland Telegram, passed away recently in the Ranger General Hospital after a sudden illness. Services were conducted at 3 p. m. Saturday, January 5, 1974, in the First Baptist Church at Ranger. Rev. Tom Satterwhite officiated. Burial was in the Evergreen Cemetery with Masonic rites. Mr. Dennis was born October 28, 1892, in San Saba, Texas. He married Ethel Jane Long on January 16, 1913, in Goldthwaite, Texas. Mr. Dennis has resided in Ranger since 1919.

He was a member and deacon of the First Baptist Church, a member of Ranger Masonic Lodge 738, Dallas Scottish Rite, Mosiah Temple Shrine of Fort Worth and a 40-year member of the Ranger Lions Club. He had

also served on the board of regents of Ranger Junior College.

Survivors include his wife; one son Duane Jefferson; one brother Walter of Kadoka, S. D.; six sisters, Mrs. Madeline Moreland, Goldthwaite; Mrs. Dee Archer and Mrs. Wilma Meal, both of Bentonville, Ark.; Mrs. Laura Head, Fort Worth; Mrs. Mae Horton, Talpa; and Mrs. Stella Fields, Wheeler; three grandchildren and four great grandchildren.

Freemasonry was introduced into the American Colonies before 1730.

The Girl Scouts of the USA was founded in 1912.



When The Old Bird Was Younger

10 Years Ago —

(Taken From The Eagle Files of January 2, 1964)

James C. Musgrove, communications technician third class, USN, son of Mrs. Altha Simpson of Goldthwaite, is stationed at the U. S. Naval Communications Station, Guam. Musgrove is a graduate of GHS and entered the Navy in June 1962.

Contest winners were announced in the "Yuletide Lighting Contest." Downtown Businesses - Mills Co. State Bank; Homes, Windows - Mr. and Mrs. Charles Childress; Doors - Mr. and Mrs. Norman Duren; Inside Trees, Evergreens - Mr. and Mrs. G. C. Head; Inside Trees, Artificial - Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Parker; Outside trees - Mr. and Mrs. Roy Wilkins; Overall - Mr. and Mrs. Charles Conrad.

Mr. and Mrs. Bobby Boykin of Austin are the parents of a son, Christopher Lynn, born at Childress Hospital, December 23, 1963. Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Carlos Patterson and Mr. and Mrs. Woodrow Boykin, both of Goldthwaite.

Mr. and Mrs. Louis Simms of Comanche really got a nice Christmas present this year - a new baby boy born on the 25th. Mrs. Simms is the former Lena Faye Smith of Mullin.

Mrs. Willa Mae Warren of Odessa and son, Leland Meyer of Ft. Polk, La., spent last weekend with her daughter, Mrs. Monroe Lock and family. She also visited her sister, Mrs. Vera Doggett and other relatives here.

Funeral services for Mrs. L. L. Singleton of Mullin were held in Mullin December 30, 1963. Mrs. Singleton was born in Pauls Valley, Okla., and passed away in Comanche on Dec. 27th.

The children of the late John W. Hill and Tennessee Welch Hill met for a reunion in Goldthwaite during the Christmas holidays. A large number of friends and relatives were in attendance.

25 Years Ago —

(Taken From The Eagle Files of January 7, 1949)

The local PTA and friends are indeed very grateful to Mmes. Joe Palmer, Carl Ledbetter, Mohler Oglesby, Sparks Bigham and Mr. Hope Schultz for the fine program the Intermediate Dept. of our school presented Dec. 21. After the program Pres. Mrs. M. E. Blake bid everyone a Merry Christmas.

Amateur Fight Night will be Saturday night, Jan. 8, at the Legion Hall south of Goldthwaite. Boys from Goldthwaite who will participate in the fights are: Bud Harrell, John Alex Miller, Charles Head, Hamil Lynch, Raymond Earl Mitchell, Jesse Hammond, Billy H. Anderson, Roger Jones, Bobby Seabolt, Billy Seabolt and Larry Dalton.

Mrs. E. D. Hamilton and Mrs. Millard Cockrum and Sara Jane visited Tuesday in Temple with Mrs. Frank Overstreet at the Scott and White hospital.

Miss Tommie Ann Booker returned to North Texas State Teachers College at Denton Saturday after spending the holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Booker.

The ladies of the Mullin Baptist Church had their regular meeting Tuesday afternoon. Those present for the business meeting were Mmes. F. M. Tillman, John Shipman, Harry Locke, Bill Yeager, and Pete Neal.

Miss Ima Gene Wasserman has returned to Business College in Brownwood after spending the holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. G. Wasserman, Bonez and Wyona Wasserman.

Mrs. J. A. Holland and Miss Artie Mosier and Mrs. Jim Jeffers visited W. H. Burleson Monday and found him resting better.

40 Years Ago —

(Taken From The Eagle Files of January 5, 1934)

On Friday, December 29, Mrs. S. P. Sullivan gave a luncheon for her young niece, Miss Constance Trent. The following were present: Misses Mary Margaret Bigham, Lorraine Bledsoe, Addie Mae Summy, Cappy Fairman, Mary Emily McKnight of Marlin, Lottie Belle Hester, Jeannette Martin and Constance Trent.

Marvin Spence Rudd who was seriously injured in an automobile accident in Kansas has im-

proved sufficiently to be able to come home. His many friends will be pleased to know that he suffered no permanent injuries.

The Missionary Society of the Methodist church held its regular meeting Monday afternoon in the home of Mrs. H. B. Johnson. The new president, Mrs. Harry Allen, conducted the meeting.

Homer Doggett and family visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Doggett, in Coleman Sunday.

M. Y. Stokes Jr. and his wife and sons returned to San Antonio Monday where he will be on duty at Fort Sam Houston until April. Miss Adeline Little accompanied them home for a visit.

Fred McClary and Miss Waldine Traylor played "42" in Marion Robertson's home Friday night.

Miss Ida Holland and Butch Rowlett were married Tuesday of last week.

Mrs. Allen Lovelace entertained with a birthday dinner on Christmas Day, honoring Miss Oneita Mashburn.

The Happy Hour Club of Lake Merritt met Tuesday with Mrs. Ira Hutchings. Only a few were present but everyone enjoyed themselves immensely.

Self Culture Club Meets

The Self Culture Club met in the home of Mrs. C. A. Keeler for their annual Christmas party.

The rooms were decorated throughout with Christmas motifs.

Games of "42" were played and gifts were exchanged. Mrs. John Patterson was co-hostess with Mrs. Keeler.

The tea table was laid with lace over a red cloth and crystal appointments were used. Cookies, hot punch, nuts and mints were served to eighteen members.

Mullin Revenue Sharing Money Used For Street Repair

According to announcement received recently all the revenue sharing money received by the

city of Mullin has been used for street repair.

The revenue sharing money

was used according to the wishes of the majority of the citizens of Mullin.

Condensed Statement Of Condition

AT THE CLOSE OF BUSINESS
DECEMBER 31, 1973

CHARTER NO. 369

RESOURCES

Loans and Discounts	\$ 8,937,546.51
Federal Funds Sold	1,700,000.00
Banking House	68,640.00
Furniture and Fixtures	4,131.37
Other Real Estate	8,817.76
Other Assets	224,348.86
Cash and Due From Banks	\$2,249,808.00
U. S. Government Securities	1,851,335.49
Municipal Bonds and U. S. Agency Securities	4,998,230.20 9,099,373.69
TOTAL RESOURCES	\$20,042,858.19

LIABILITIES

Capital Stock	\$ 300,000.00
Surplus	300,000.00
Undivided Profits	790,258.72
Unearned Interest	150,386.85
Reserve for Bad Debts	116,220.10
Other Reserves	122,017.66
Dividends Payable	15,000.00
Other Liabilities	218,500.00
Deposits	18,030,474.86
TOTAL LIABILITIES	\$20,042,858.19

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San Saba Peak—

BY: Mrs. Dutch Smith

Well, Christmas is over and also New Years. We had a wonderful Christmas. We have had quite a bit of company since then.

Our nephew Owen Smith of Arlington and Ralph Eusters and another friend came Friday and hunted birds Friday evening and Saturday.

My sister, Mrs. Bud Conradt, and her husband visited us Saturday night and had supper with us.

Yesterday evening Dutch's sister and husband from Lometa visited us - Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Barfield.

Mrs. Alice McCasland and I attended the funeral of one of our cousins, Mrs. Callie Spears, in San Saba.

Mrs. Busby of San Saba spent a few days with her children, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Lewis, recently. Our grandson, Jesse Ball, has just returned from a trip into old Mexico. He went with the Crawford Church.

We talked to son Chili and his

wife Virginia recently. Chili won a trip to Jamaica and they were to catch a plane in San Antonio for Jamaica Monday morning. This Thursday night is our Singing at the Heritage Home. We hope you will come and help us out. We are counting on you to be there at 7 o'clock Thursday, January 10th.

PERSONAL ---

Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Pribble spent the Christmas holidays in Maryland visiting their children, Mr. and Mrs. Dean Leineweber, Sue and Steve in Rockville, and Mr. and Mrs. Richard Leineweber, Gerry and Ricky in Upper Marlboro.

Clipped from the classified ad section of a newspaper: "Lost: my wife's charge plate. Reward, if returned AFTER Christmas."



Kleingrass eaten short by deer on the Kenneth Wesson Ranch. Note deer tracks in center of photo. (SCS Photo)

Ranchers And Farmers Report Kleingrass Utilized By Deer

BY: Charles Studer
District Conservationist

Reports we receive from farmers and ranchers prove that kleingrass is readily utilized by deer. The seed is readily taken by dove and quail. Local stockmen have been pleased with the quantity and quality of grazing provided by kleingrass. We see evidence every day of the palatability of kleingrass by domestic livestock. However, we are finding that it also provides food for wildlife.

Kenneth Wesson planted some 70 acres of kleingrass on his ranch located 23 miles northeast of Goldthwaite. He planted

in May, 1973, and fertilized with 200 pounds of 21-17-0. He did this work in three separate plots leaving strips of brush between these kleingrass patches. These patches are under one fence and this pasture has been rested from domestic livestock grazing since May, 1973. Kleingrass, for the most part, in this pasture has been continually grazed down to 2-3 inches in height since then. Other comparable plantings of kleingrass reached heights of 2-3 feet before the end of summer. This planting of kleingrass lies adjacent to the Pecan Bayou, however, this locale had very little available browse.

Mullin Community News

BY: Lorene Holland

Mrs. Hattie Vann will celebrate her 100th birthday on January 17, at the Hickman Nursing Home in Goldthwaite.

A celebration for her birthday is being planned and will be held from 2 until 4 at the home. Refreshments will be served and all of her relatives, friends, and just everyone has an invitation to come by at the appointed time and make her happy. Her brother, Uncle Frank Shelton, also lived pass the century mark. Don't forget the date, Jan. 17 from 2 until 4.

Funeral services were conducted last Sunday afternoon at 2 o'clock from Wright-Morelock Funeral Home in Brownwood for Mr. Percy Smith. Mr. Smith passed away in the hospital in Brownwood after a brief illness. He was born September 28, 1887, in Mills County. He was a member of the Masonic Lodge and the Baptist Church in Mullin.

Burial was in Eastlawn Memorial Park at Brownwood. Old Man Winter really moved in on us the past week. We have a beautiful day today (Sunday) but I think winter is on the way again from the reports I get on the radio. I don't mind the cold weather so much, but for the ice etc. - that is another story. It makes the highways so dangerous and also around the homes, too. I've had one fall too many and know what it is.

Guest speaker Sunday morning and Sunday night at the Baptist Church was Mr. Ray Bennett, a history professor at Howard Payne College in Brownwood. A nice crowd was present for each service.

Mrs. Fred Mosier and her niece, Mrs. Bertha Fletcher of Brownwood, left early Monday morning for Carlsbad, New Mex.

where they will visit with relatives. Mrs. Fletcher plans to go on to Globe, Arizona, where she will visit with her son and family. I hope the weather stays good for their trip.

Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Johnson's home caught fire on the roof from a wood heater recently. Gerry was at home and was able to get to the fire before it did too much damage. The house is on the late Joe Singleton place south of Mullin.

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Chappel Hill

BY: Pearl Crawford

We really had some cold, misty weather to start the new year off; we are thankful folks stayed off the roads, but sorry to hear of so many being hurt in falls.

Mrs. C. V. Whatley attended Sunday School and church the first Sunday of the New Year. I think most all the folks had a nice Christmas; I don't think old Santa forgot one sock.

Mr. and Mrs. William G. Crawford and Letricia have been coming to our home every morning and helping with the water works and other chores during the cold weather.

W. W. Ratliff brought some wood to George Saturday and his grandson Troy gave him a hand with the work.

Mrs. Richard Morrow visited Mrs. N. W. Swindle Saturday. We were sorry to hear of Mrs. Jewel Curbo's accident. She is presently in a hospital at Corpus. We wish her a speedy recovery.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Runnels and children visited Mr. and Mrs. Pearl Shipman Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. O. L. Harris were called to the San Saba hospital where their daughter is a patient. She is Mrs. Dass of Brooksmith.

Letricia Crawford spent Friday night with her grandparents Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Crawford.

Troy Ratliff spent a few days with his grandparents Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Ratliff.

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Hickman Nursing Home

Marie Hamilton, Administrator

CONDENSED STATEMENT OF CONDITION OF FARMERS & MERCHANTS BANK

(Uninc.)

PRIDDY, TEXAS

At The Close of Business December 31, 1973

RESOURCES

Loans and Discounts	\$223,168.84
Federal Funds Sold	75,000.00
Furniture and Fixtures	358.15
Cash and Due From Banks	\$179,738.39
U. S. Government Securities	57,620.40
Other Bonds and Securities	128,173.94
TOTAL RESOURCES	\$654,059.72

LIABILITIES

Capital Stock	\$ 10,000.00
Surplus	20,000.00
Undivided Profits	58,958.22
Deposits	565,101.50
TOTAL LIABILITIES	\$654,059.72

I hereby certify that the above statement is true and correct to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signed) Eleanor Jeske Gromatzky

Cashier

Sworn to and subscribed before me this 4th day of January A. D. 1974.

(Seal) Adaline Bufe

Notary Public in and for Mills County, Texas

Services For Clifford Doggett Conducted Friday, January 4

Funeral services for Clifford Doggett of Goldthwaite were conducted Friday, January 4, 1974, at 10:00 a. m. in the Wilkins Funeral Chapel with burial in the Goldthwaite Memorial Cemetery. Minister Joe Woodrum officiated. Arrangements were made by Wilkins Funeral Home. Mr. Doggett, a member of the Church of Christ and a lifetime resident of Mills County, passed away Wednesday, January 2, 1974, at 6:35 a. m. in the Childress Hospital. On July 5, 1891, he was born in Mills County to Mancel Doggett and Emily Brantley. He was

married to Hulda Rebecca Langford on April 6, 1913, in Center City, Texas. Mr. Doggett is preceded in death by two sons Clifford Warren Doggett and Eldon Doggett. Survivors include his wife Mrs. Hulda Doggett; two sons, Earl Doggett, Houston, Glenn Doggett, Fort Worth; one daughter Mrs. M. L. Lindsay, Goldthwaite; four grandchildren and seven great grandchildren. Pallbearers were Bob Steen, B. A. (Arch) Hodges, Burthel Roberts, L. B. Burnham, Jack Elms and Glenn Miller.

Funeral Rites For Mrs. Carrie Dupree Held January 7

Funeral services for Mrs. Carrie Ethel Dupree of Goldthwaite were conducted Monday, January 7, 1974, at 10:30 a. m. in the Wilkins Funeral Chapel. Rev. Dan Connolly officiated. Burial was in the Blanket Cemetery. Arrangements were under the direction of Wilkins Funeral Home.

Mrs. Dupree, a member of the First Baptist Church, passed away Friday, January 4, 1974, at 12:37 p. m. in the Childress Hospital.

She was born June 20, 1894, in Mills County to Albert Anderson Hill and Amanda Moore Hill. On August 25, 1934, she was married to John B. Dupree in Brownwood. They moved to Blanket from Goldthwaite July 25, 1936. She returned to Goldthwaite in 1945.

Mrs. Dupree, who is preceded in death by her husband in 1945, is survived by her nieces and nephews.

Pallbearers were Lee Parker, Bent Aldredge, Lee Roy Stacy, Otto Doggett, Elton Horton, James Hutchings and Clyde Featherston.

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Mr. Joe Treadway will hold his regular Hearing Aid Workshop at the Mauney Motel in Goldthwaite, Monday, Jan. 14th from 1:30 p.m. to 3 p.m.

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Downtown Bible Class Singing

Men's Downtown Bible Class will sing at the Heritage Nursing Home Thursday (tonight) at 7:30 p. m.

Card of Thanks-

Our sincere thanks is extended to each and everyone who expressed their concern during Wanda's stay in the hospital and since her return home.

For the food, flowers, cards and other kindnesses we are grateful.

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Goldthwaite, Texas



Market Report

Lometa Commission Co.

Lometa, Texas

BUD HARRELL, Owner

January 4, 1974

RECEIPTS: 357

Light Weight Steer Calves, 55.00-65.00; Medium Weight Steer Calves, 54.00-60.00; Heavy Weight Steer Calves, 52.00-58.00.

Light Weight Heifer Calves, 50.00-60.00; Medium Weight Heifer Calves, 45.00-50.00; Heavy Weight Heifer Calves, 40.00-44.00.

Feeder Heifers — 38.00-42.00
Feeder Steers — 45.00-52.00
Heiferettes — 36.00-42.00
Stocking Cows — 33.00-38.00
Cows and Calves, 300.00-483.00

Bull Calves — 50.00-58.00
Bull Yearlings — 43.00-46.00
Packer Bulls — 36.00-41.10
Packer Cows — 29.00-32.40

Short run due to bad weather. Light weight steers and heifers were \$2 to \$3 higher. Medium weight steers and heifers were \$2 to \$3 higher. Heavy weight steers and heifers were \$2 to \$4 higher. Yearling weight cattle were \$2 to \$3 higher. Cows and calves were steady. Packer cows were \$2 higher. Packer bulls were \$2 higher.

We had a very strong and active market with very active bidding.

REMEMBER, Our Sale Starts at 12:00 Noon On Friday.

Extension Highlights

BY JUDY BEAVERS

Mills County Extension Agent

The Livestock Show gets underway January 17, 18 and 19. The Clothing Division however, will be judged January 14. The public is invited to attend the Dress Revue Monday evening, January 14 at 7:00 p. m. at the Youth Center in Goldthwaite.

Decorations for the Dress Revue will be provided by the Mills County Young Homemakers. Miss Cheryl Baird, Priddy 4-H Club member will be Mistress of Ceremonies for the Dress Revue. Attend the Dress Revue Monday evening and support the youth of Mills County.

SPECIAL NEWS

Entries for the Craft Division and Canned Goods Division of the Livestock Show will be accepted Thursday, January 17 until 6:00 p. m. at the Showbarn. The Youth Crafts will be judged in two classes: Junior, grades 4-8 and Senior, grades 9-12. First, second and third places in both classes will receive recognition.

Adult Crafts will be judged in Textiles; Flowers (paper, fabric, plastic, beaded, etc.); Wall Decorations; Wood; Ceramics; China and Glass; Miscellaneous Decorations functional and decorative; and Paintings. First, Second and Third places will receive recognition.

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Classification of entries in the Adult Canned Goods Division include: Pickles, Jams, Vegetables, Jellies, Relishes, Preserves and Fruits. Two (2) jars should be entered of each item. One will be opened for judging. Persons entering may pick up opened jars, Friday afternoon to prevent spoilage.

Since Biblical times lentils have been an important contributor to balanced diets. The ancient Egyptians used them. The old Testament records the story of Esau selling his birthright to his brother Jacob for a "pottage of lentils."

The value of this high-protein vegetable has also been recognized for years in Europe and North Africa. Now this "Old World Legume" is enjoying increased popularity in this country.

To cook one pound of lentils: boil gently for about 20-30 minutes in 5 cups of water with 2 teaspoons of salt. Each cupful of uncooked lentils will give you two cupfuls of tender vegetables.

The cooked lentils can be used with, or in place of, greens in your favorite salad, or as a nutritious change of pace main course such as this:

LENTIL PATTIES

For each person to be served: Blend 1 cup of cooked lentils with 1 beaten egg seasoned with salt, and drop by tablespoonfuls into a frying pan of medium hot cooking oil. Press flat and fry on both sides until delicately brown. Serve the lentil patties with a heated tomato and cheese sauce.



"AUNT HATTIE" VANN

Mrs. L. J. Vann To Celebrate 100th Birthday, January 17

Mrs. L. J. Vann, better known as "Aunt Hattie", will celebrate her 100th birthday Thursday, January 17, at the Hickman Nursing Home, Goldthwaite. This has been her home for almost four years.

The family of Mrs. Hattie Vann and the staff of Hickman Nursing home invite you to attend a party in her honor on January 17, 1974, from 2 to 4 p. m. at the Home. Mrs. Vann will be 100 years old on that day.

"Aunt Hattie" has been very spry all her many years and she has always looked to the bright side of life and tried to console those who looked on the dark side. She was always ready to help others in any way possible. She loved people and her friends and neighbors and loved to make new friends along the way.

Everyone around Mullin and joining counties knew "Aunt Hattie" and would call, write and visit her often, and if they didn't she would call them to see if they were alright.

Mrs. Vann has lived in and around Mullin most of her life. She came from North Carolina to Texas with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. P. C. (Sam) Shelton and the rest of her family by train. This was her first train ride and she was apprehensive, but the trip was fine. They first located in Ellis County and later moved to Brown County, near Zephyr.

When Mrs. Vann was about 18 yrs. old she met her future husband L. J. Vann. At this time the Vanns were living on the Vann ranch near Mullin. Mr. and Mrs. Vann were married Sept. 1891 in Zephyr by a Baptist preacher, Bro. Bullock. They made their home on the Vann ranch, but soon moved near Mullin on the Brownwood highway. They later bought a home in Mullin which is now known as the Lark Reed place.

In 1902 Mrs. Vann's husband was ordained as a preacher at the Baptist Church in Mullin.

The Vanns had four daughters, Mrs. S. J. (Totie) Casey of Dallas, Mrs. Jewell (Ivy) Baskin of Mullin, Mrs. Geo. B. (Frankie) Gough of Hamilton and Mrs. Ralph (Neil) Hull. She also has four grandchildren, eight great grandchildren and six great, great grandchildren.

In 1907 the Vanns built a new home, also in Mullin, where they lived until Bro. Vann's death in Dec., 1955.

Mrs. Vann and her daughter Jewell, whose husband had passed away, remained at this place until Mrs. Vann became a resident of the Hickman Home. Her daughter still lives there.

"Aunt Hattie's" motto is Doing For Others. She has always been interested in the sick and the elderly. She also read her Bible every day until her eyesight failed her. Another thing she has always enjoyed is crocheting.

Mrs. Vann is the only living member of her family. One of her brothers, A. F. Shelton who was better known as "Uncle Frank", lived to be 101 years of age. He passed away February, 1972.

We all wish "Aunt Hattie" a wonderful birthday and hope that she continues in good health in 1974.

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Camm Lary, Jr. Announces For State Representative Re-Election

State Representative Camm Lary, Jr. announced for re-election to the Texas House of Representatives. Lary is completing his first term as a member of the House, serving District 43, which is composed of South Bell, Burnet, Lampasas and Mills Counties.

"It has been my privilege to have served the people of District 43 during this past year, a year which saw the Texas Legislature make progress toward more responsive government for the State of Texas. I intend to ask the people of this district to allow me to continue working in their behalf for better government," said Lary.

Noting some important accomplishments, Lary said, "For the first time since 1948 the Texas Legislature was able to pass a two-year appropriation bill without imposing additional taxes upon the citizens of this state. We were also able to take steps to reduce automobile insurance rates and pass legislation designed to solve the problems in our legislative system which had led to scandals in the past."

"Even with the improvements achieved this past year there remains a great deal that needs to be done. There is still waste and inefficiency in our State Government and new methods and controls must be implemented so that the citizens of this state receive the maximum benefits from their tax dollars. In addition, the problem of school financing remains unsolved. The present energy crisis will also undoubtedly pose a number of problems which our State Government must address itself to."

"I was fortunate in securing the passage of nine pieces of legislation for which I was sponsor or co-sponsor. A tenth bill providing for financial disclosure by elected state officials did not make it through the Legislature independently but was incorporated into the Ethics Bill. Several of the measures which I sponsored are important to this district."

During this past session of the Legislature Lary served on the Business and Industry Committee, State Affairs Committee, and the powerful Calendar Committee. In addition, Lary is chairman of the Subcommittee of Industrial Development and has been appointed to several important interim committees.

"I intend to base my campaign on the positive qualities of representation with integrity, experience and energy," said Lary. "As your representative, I will continue to represent you effectively and honestly."

Lary attended Burnet Schools, graduating in 1960 from Burnet High School, where he was active in athletics and held various School Offices.

He graduated from Texas A&M



CAMM LARY

University in 1964 as a distinguished student with a degree in Economics. In 1967 he received a Law Degree from the University of Texas. Lary is also a commissioned officer and a member of the Naval Reserve.

After serving for several years with the State Attorney General's Office he returned to practice law in Burnet. In 1972 he was elected to the Texas House of Representatives for the newly created 43rd District.

Lary and his wife Louise are members of the Church of Christ and both have been active as Sunday School teachers and in other phases of church work. They have a young son, Trey, who was born this past year.

Burns Chosen For Distinguished Honor Award

Jack W. Burns of Goldthwaite was chosen for a Distinguished Honor Award from Texas A & M University's College of Education during the fall semester.

Nine graduating seniors received the award. They were chosen for outstanding scholarship and leadership in the College of Education.

Dean Frank W. R. Hubert made the presentations.

Burns graduated magna cum laude in physical education.

One poor fellow is so bashful he won't open an oyster unless he knocks first.

FAYDETTE'S

On The Square In Evant

January Sale

For the Men

- One lot Bradford hats 1/4 OFF
- Double knit slacks 1/3 OFF
- One lot special purchase slacks \$3 pair
- One lot men's shirts \$2.49 each
- All weather top coats with zip out lining \$13.99 each
- New Wrangler with hood \$12.95 each
- Long insulated jackets \$12.95 each
- Cal-Craft with hood insulated jackets \$10.95 each

For the Women

- Slack suits, blouses, & dresses 1/4 OFF
- Jewelry 1/3 OFF
- Ladies & Girls coats 1/3 OFF
- Capes & sweater coats 1/3 OFF
- One lot bras, reg. \$3 99¢ each
- One lot panty girdles, reg. \$3 99¢ each

Many More Prices Slashed

STATEMENT OF CONDITION

DECEMBER 31, 1973

— ASSETS —

Loans and Interest	\$39,117,678.84	
Less: Reserve for Bad Debt Losses	899,358.48	\$38,218,320.36
Cash		98,366.59
Investment in Federal Intermediate		
Credit Bank of Houston		1,073,640.57
Land and Buildings (net)		174,007.12
Furniture, Fixture & Auto (net)		36,384.57
Acquired Property		20,000.00
Other Assets		46.10
Total Assets		\$39,620,765.31

— LIABILITIES —

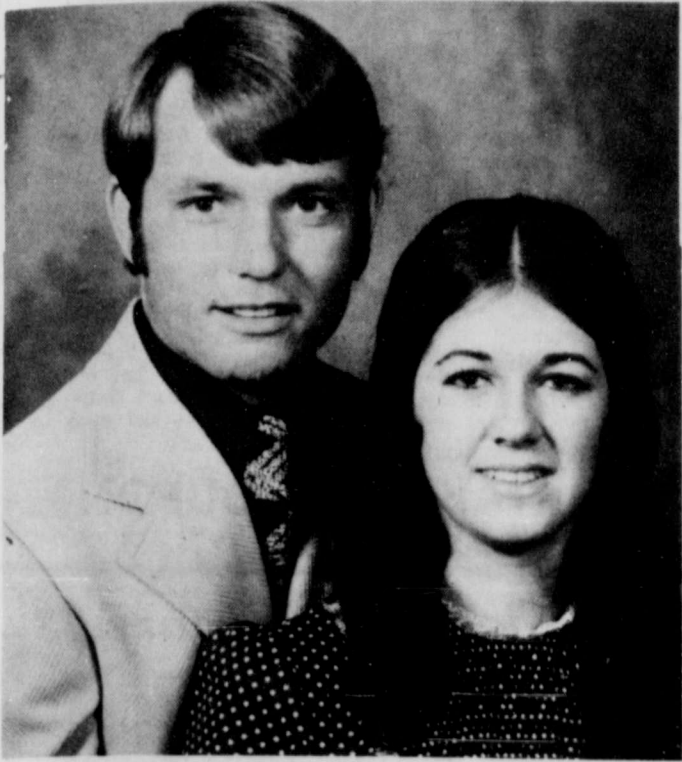
Due Federal Intermediate		
Credit Bank of Houston		\$33,106,840.15
Accounts Payable		19,820.63
Provisions-Federal Income Tax		61,754.99
Provision-Cash Collateral		77,191.64
Drafts Outstanding		545,000.00
Other Liabilities		576.84
Total Liabilities		\$33,811,184.25

— NET WORTH —

Capital Stock-Members	\$ 4,285,985.00	
Surplus and Unapplied Earnings	1,523,596.06	
Total Net Worth	\$ 5,809,581.06	
Total Liabilities and Net Worth	\$39,620,765.31	

CATTLEMAN'S

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MICHAEL PRUETT AND CHRIS BERRY

Couple Plan March Wedding

Mr. and Mrs. Hubert L. Berry announce the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter, Chris Leah, to Michael Scott Pruett, son of Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Pruett of Lake Brownwood. A 1972 graduate of Goldthwaite High School and 1973 graduate of Central Texas Commercial College, the bride-elect is presently employed in the Radiology Department at Brownwood Community Hospital.

Her fiancé is a 1969 graduate of Bangs High School and 1972 graduate of Tarleton State College.

He is employed by the Santa Fe Railroad. The wedding is planned for March 23 in the First Baptist Church of Goldthwaite. Rev. Bill Johnson will officiate.

Luther Roach Rites Conducted Recently

Graveside services for Luther D. Roach, 82, retired Goldthwaite Tex. farmer and stockman who died at 12:30 a. m. Tuesday in Childress Hospital, will be at 10 a. m. Thursday in Sunset Memorial Gardens in Lawton, Okla., under direction of Becker Funeral Home, Lawton. LaRoche member of the Jehovah's Witnesses, will conduct the service.

Mr. Roach was born on July 28, 1891, in Bell County, Tex. He married Ethel Fesler on March 17, 1918, in Mills Co., Tex.

Survivors include his wife of the home in Texas; three sons: Darwin, Lawton, D. K. and F. D., also of Lawton; two daughters: Mrs. Etoile Watson, Albuquerque, N. M., and Mrs. Glorrie Hawkins, also of Lawton; nine grandchildren and one great-grandchild.

GHS Honor List Released; Students Named

Six Weeks

The Goldthwaite High School 3rd Six Weeks Honor Roll has been released and is as follows:

12th Grade - A Honor Roll
Ora Lee Green, Susan Morrow, Sally Saylor, Steven Saylor, Carla Tatum.

12th Grade - B Honor Roll
Lee Ann Aldridge, Gail Berry, Glenda Maddox, Sarah Masters, Tommy Stanley, Liz Truitt.

11th Grade - A Honor Roll
Cindy Johnson, Delilah Wilcox.

11th Grade - B Honor Roll
Camille Bryant, Carolyn Schwartz.

10th Grade - A Honor Roll
Cindy Rickel.

10th Grade - B Honor Roll
Cindy Derrick, Jana Duncan, Clarence Love.

9th Grade - A Honor Roll
Gwyn Saylor.

9th Grade - B Honor Roll
Alisa Browning, Marcia Henry.

Cynthia Koen, Tamra Long, Charlotte Montgomery, Donna Odom, Linda Perry, Tammie Petty, Mark Sides, Sheila Slagle, Valerie Studer, Patricia Williams.

8th Grade - A Honor Roll
Kenneth Lawrence, Lester Saathoff.

8th Grade - B Honor Roll
Randy Benningfield, Robert Berry, Tommy Collier, Gregg Geeslin, James Green, Bruce Hammond, Karla Henry, Yvonne Humphries, Mike Lee, Karen Studer.

7th Grade - A Honor Roll
Melody Gwinnup.

7th Grade - B Honor Roll
Brian Lawrence, Cipriano Sapien.

Mid-Term

The Goldthwaite High School Mid-Semester Honor Roll has been announced and those on it

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Goldthwaite, Texas, January 10, 1974

are:

12th Grade - A Honor Roll
Ora Lee Green, Susan Morrow, Sally Saylor, Steven Saylor, Carla Tatum.

12th Grade - B Honor Roll
Lee Ann Aldridge, Gail Berry, Glenda Maddox, Sarah Masters, Rose Sapien, Tommy Standley, Diane Tischler.

11th Grade - A Honor Roll
Cindy Johnson, Carolyn Schwartz, Delilah Wilcox.

11th Grade - B Honor Roll
Camille Bryant, Melissa Coats, Phyllis Davis, Guenaro Siller, Benita Watson, Laquita Williams, Martha Williams.

10th Grade - A Honor Roll
Cindy Rickel.

10th Grade - B Honor Roll
Cindy Derrick, Jana Duncan.

9th Grade - A Honor Roll
Tamra Long, Gwyn Saylor.

9th Grade - B Honor Roll
Alisa Browning, Marcia Henry, Linda Karnes, Charlotte Montgomery, Donna Odom, Tammie Petty, Mark Sides, Sheila Slagle, Valerie Studer, Patricia Williams.

8th Grade - A Honor Roll
Robert Berry, Kenneth Lawrence, Mike Lee, Lester Saathoff.

8th Grade - B Honor Roll
Randy Benningfield, Gregg Geeslin, Bruce Hammond, Karla Henry, Karen Studer.

7th Grade - A Honor Roll
Melody Gwinnup.

7th Grade - B Honor Roll
Brian Lawrence, Mark Lewis, Cipriano Sapien, Mary Treadaway, Darla Watson.

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Golden Nip
ORANGE JUICE

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CHILI

19 Oz Can **79¢**

BLUE BONNET QTRS
MARGARINE

3 1-Lb Cans **\$1.00**

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FRESH CRISP
CARROTS

1 Lb Bag **15¢**

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GRAPEFRUIT

2 For **29¢**

GREEN
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Pound **9¢**

SUNKIST
ORANGES

Pound **25¢**

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APPLES

EXTRA FANCY Pound **29¢**

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TIDE

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DOG FOOD

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SAMMY'S PRIDE
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ARMOUR'S STAR
BACON

1 Lb Pkg **\$1.09**

ARMOUR'S STAR
BOLOGNA

FRANKS

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ARMOUR'S STAR
HOT LINKS

79¢

ARMOUR'S STAR
CHICKEN FRIED STEAK

79¢

ARMOUR'S STAR
SEVEN STEAK

89¢

ARMOUR'S STAR
CHICKEN HENS

69¢

ARMOUR'S STAR
LIVERS

99¢

ARMOUR'S STAR
GROUND MEAT

89¢

Brownwood Cattle Auction

Brownwood, Texas
WAYNE MAY, Owner
January 2, 1974

MARKET: Buyer attendance poor due to icing conditions on all hiways in area. Prices generally \$1.50 to \$3.00 higher on stocker & feeder classes, except light wts. Slaughter bulls steady. Slaughter cows \$1 to \$2.50 higher.

ESTIMATED RECEIPTS: 384

Stocker Steer Calves, Wts. 250-425-lbs. - 55.00-63.00
Stocker Heifer Calves, Wts. 250-425-lbs. - 48.00-57.50
Steer Yearlings, Wts. 500-700-lbs. - 45.00-52.00
Bull Yearlings - 40.00-44.50
Heifer Yearlings - 42.00-45.00
Plain Feeder Steers, 40.00-43.50
Plain Feeder Heifers, 39.00-43.50
Cows & Calves - Pairs:
Good - 380.00-450.00
Plain - 340.00-375.00
Stocker Cows - 350.00-420.00
33.00-38.50 per lb.

SLAUGHTER CATTLE:

Fat Calves - 42.00-44.50
Fat Cows - 36.00-38.50
Utility and
Cutter Cows - 35.00-37.50
Canners - 28.00-33.00
Shells - 25.00 Downward
Stocker Bulls - 44.00-50.00
Slaughter Bulls - 42.00-45.00
Hogs (top) - None

REPRESENTATIVE SALES:

Henry Marvitz, Comanche, 605-lb. Char. Str. 48.50
Cordell Reed, Sidney, 1250-lb. Wf. Bull 43.00
G. N. Creech, Rising Star, 1740-lb. Blk. Wf. Beefmaster Bull 44.75
& 435-lb. Mf. Hfr. 49.50
& 590-lb. Blk. Str. 54.00
& 610-lb. Blk. Wf. Str. 52.00
& 540-lb. Char. Hfr. 51.75
Jerry Damron, Zephyr, 1430-lb. Hol. Cow 36.75
E. L. McPherson, Pottsville, 450-lb. Wf. Str. 56.00
W. B. McPherson, Pottsville, 560-lb. Wf. Str. 53.00
& 635-lb. Wf. Str. 48.50
Ray Rose, Bangs, 1070-lb. Wf. Pair 43.00
Herman Bennett Rnch, Bwd., 300-lb. Wf. Str. 60.00
& 5 Blk. Wf. Strs. avg. 425 lbs. 56.00

The new Brucellosis regulations by the Texas Animal Health Commission requires that all breeding cattle 2 years of age and over, changing ownership be Brucellosis tested. They may be tested at home or at the auction market where they are sold. Slaughter cows may be sold through livestock markets without testing, if going to a packing house. This rule goes into effect, Jan. 15, 1974, at every market in the state of Texas.

We sold 384 cattle for the total amount of \$86,074.85, an average of \$224.15 per animal. Our commission and yardage was \$1362.05. This was an average of \$3.54 per hd. At 3 percent, the commission would have been \$6.72 per hd. You could have saved \$3.18 on every one you sold at Brownwood Cattle Auction today.

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United Methodist Women Hold General Meeting

The Fellowship Hall of the United Methodist Church was filled on last Monday night with sounds of joy and laughter, mingled with that of prayer and proclamation as fifty women met for the first general meeting of

the new organization called United Methodist Women. Mrs. T. C. Graves presided and the Invocation was given by Rev. Gordon Talk, Pastor.

The tasks, challenges and methods of the new group were

clearly set forth as the Year Books were distributed and programs explained by Mrs. Talk. The officers were introduced and the Interest Groups evoked great response even to the point of fun and hilarity.

Mrs. Lois Hudson had the program and presented the purpose and expectations of the new organization as fourfold:

1. To expand Concept of Mission
2. Get involved
3. Prayer
4. Expectancy.

Lois dis this with clarity and enthusiasm. The singing of contemporary songs made the Hall resound. Mrs. Flowers spoke on the theme of Contemporary Theology and Mission as it relates to women today. Mrs. Ray Duren read the Scriptures from the Book of Acts.

Hostesses Marie Pate and Bonnie Evans made the fellowship hour that followed a truly happy event.

POLITICAL ANNOUNCEMENT CALENDAR

The following have authorized the Eagle to announce their candidacies for public office subject to the Democratic Primary Election on May 4, 1974.

-COUNTY-

FOR COUNTY JUDGE
CECIL EGGER
(Re-Election)

FOR COUNTY TREASURER
JEWEL YEAGER
(Re-Election)

FOR JUSTICE OF THE PEACE
Precinct One
Ernest Thorne
(Re-Election)

-STATE-

FOR REPRESENTATIVE
DISTRICT 43
Camm Lary, Jr.
(Re-Election)

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BY DANNY LONG

MILLS COUNTY EXTENSION AGENT

The new brucellosis regulations (Proclamation of The Texas Animal Health Commission No. AHC-1) were adapted unanimously by the Texas Animal Health Commission at an official Commission meeting in Laredo, Texas, on October 15, 1973. These new regulations will bring the Texas Brucellosis Program into compliance with the National Uniform methods and Rules which are considered minimum standards.

In brief, this new regulation requires that all breeding cattle two (2) years of age and over that change ownership are required to be brucellosis tested. Breeding cattle may be tested on the farm or ranch or at an auction market. Slaughter type breeding cattle may be sold through livestock markets without test until sampled on the kill

floor. The brucellosis test will be good for movement purposes for a thirty day period provided the animal is ear tagged and accompanied by a test certificate.

Beginning January 15, 1974, these regulations will be in full force and effect.

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A Smile

Editor's Note: (The article which follows was mailed into our office by an anonymous person.)

A Smile costs nothing, but it gives much. It enriches those who receive it without depriving those who give it. It takes but a moment, but its memory may last forever.

None is so rich or mighty that he can thrive without it. A Smile creates happiness in the home, fosters good will in

business, and is everywhere a signal of friendship.

A Smile brings rest to the weary, cheer to the discouraged, sunshine to the sad. It is nature's best antidote for trouble, yet it cannot be bought, begged, borrowed or stolen, for a Smile is of no value until it is given away.

Some people are too tired to smile, so give them one of yours; no one needs a smile so much as he who had none to give away.

HEY! Mr. Employer

DID YOU KNOW?

EFFECTIVE JANUARY 1, 1974 THE WORKMAN'S COMPENSATION LAW HAS BEEN AMENDED TO APPLY TO BUSINESSES AND PROFESSIONAL ORGANIZATIONS WHICH HAVE ONE OR TWO EMPLOYEES.

The 1973 Texas Legislature enacted S. B. 283 which made many substantial changes in our Workman's Compensation law. We'd like to call one of these to your attention.

For practical purposes, ALL employees in this state except "domestic servants or casual employees engaged in employment incidental to a personal residence, farm or ranch laborers" should now be protected by Workman's Comprehensive Insurance, or the employer loses his common law defenses if the injured worker sues him.

Formerly you had to have at least three persons on your payroll to be affected. But beginning on January 1, 1974, employers with one or two employees will be brought under the terms of the Workman's Compensation Act.

The question that probably occurs to you at this point is: What if I as a small employer fail to carry Workman's Compensation insurance? Well, if you don't and one of your employees is injured, he has the right to sue you and will almost certainly be awarded damages. (Your liability insurance doesn't cover either the legal costs in such a case or the court judgment.)

By being uninsured the three so-called common law defenses against a suit by an injured employee can't be asserted in court.

These are: The Fellow Servant Rule (The injury was caused by another employee.); Assumption of Risk (The injured worker knew the job conditions were dangerous and assumed the risk.); Contributory Negligence (The injured person was partially at fault himself.)

We are sure that you want to protect yourself and your employees.

Keep in mind that if you have at least one employee, you yourself are then eligible to be covered, and if your spouse works with you as a co-owner he or she may also qualify for this valuable protection—even if no salary is paid. Also, the owners of an unincorporated firm regardless of size may now be included under the Workman's Compensation Insurance they presently carry.

Don't depend on the mercy of a court to protect your business assets... SEE US TODAY!

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CITY OF GOLDTHWAITE, TEXAS

TREASURER'S REPORT

PERIOD ENDING DEC. 31, 1973

Fund	Balance on hand Sept. 30, 1973	Receipts	Disbursements	Balance
Electric Operating a/c	8,038.72	49,924.75	32,132.96	25,830.51
Petty Cash	100.00			100.00
Savings Certificate	15,000.00			15,000.00
Savings Certificate	20,000.00			20,000.00
Savings Certificate	25,000.00			25,000.00
Total				85,930.51
Water Operating a/c	5,305.72	12,091.91	15,015.81	2,381.82
Water Revenue Sinking Fund	11,157.20	3,000.00	7,808.45	6,348.75
Total				8,730.57
Sewer Operating a/c	3,819.67	4,926.24	3,695.10	5,050.81
City Funds - Tax Supported				
General & Street	18,936.64	23,193.71	15,190.90	10,933.83
City - Sewer Bond Sinking Fund	11,801.16	8,493.48	- 0 -	20,294.64
Special Funds:				
Swimming Pool Operating a/c	1,766.04	- 0 -	- 0 -	1,766.04
Social Security Fund	545.67	2,375.32	2,379.64	541.35
Library Fund	1,463.37	217.17	171.77	1,508.77
Library Savings Certificate	15,000.00			15,000.00
Cemetery Savings Certificate	7,160.00	500.00		7,660.00
City Revenue Sharing-Checking a/c	39.78	1,690.00 (10-10-73)	1,786.91	996.85
		1,000.00 Tr. from Savings		
		53.98 (Int.)		
City Revenue Sharing-Savings Cert.	5,000.00		1,000.00	4,000.00
Mills County Fresh Water Supply District #1 Sinking Fund	9,717.70	12,685.03	3,648.00	18,754.73
Savings Certificate	25,000.00			25,000.00
Savings Certificate	10,000.00			10,000.00

Signed:

Don E. Petty - Treasurer for the City of Goldthwaite, Texas

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