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Plans Made For Livestock Show On January 14, 15

Plans for the Livestock Show on January 14 and 15 at the "barn" or agriculture building in Goldthwaite were streamlined on Wednesday night of last week at a meeting of the Mills County Livestock Raisers Association.

Printing of the catalogue for the Show began this week and the Judges were announced by Robert L. Steen, President of the Mills County Livestock Raisers Association.

Frank Jordan of Mason will judge the F.F.A. and 4-H Club steers, Mr. Steen said, while breeders' cattle will be judged by Walter Barrett of Comanche.

At the meeting on Wednesday night of last week the members of the Mills County Livestock Raisers Association voted to request the merchants of Goldthwaite to close between the hours of 1:00 p. m. and 4:00 p. m. on January 15. The Goldthwaite School Board already has voted to dismiss classes for the Livestock Show.

Glynn Collier, Secretary of the Association, announced that at next January's Show there will be ten instead of merely three prizes for sheep in the Southdown crossbred class. It was voted also to have ten instead of just three prizes in the club steer class.

At the January Show, and as the result of a vote of the meeting of the Mills County Livestock Raisers' Association, there will be hog classes for Durocs, Berkshires and Poland Chinas. Satisfactory progress was reported to the meeting by the Superintendents of the cattle, swine and sheep divisions.

Another change for the Show that was voted by the Association provides for having in sheep competition a class for Southdown crossbreds and one single class for all other breeds of sheep.

Weather Report

On Thursday night of last week Harry Allen recorded .09 of an inch of rain in Goldthwaite for the United States Weather Bureau. Since then temperatures have been as low as 12 to 18 degrees above zero, depending upon where the thermometers were located. Roy Lee Hill, who many weeks ago forecast "no rain until Christmas," was asked about his occult powers as the Eagle went to press this week. "It won't be Christmas until next week," he said.

As the Eagle went to press the skies were cloudy and it seemed not to be asking too much to hope that rain would fall as the best Christmas present that Mills County possibly could have.

Methodist Youth To Present Xmas Pageant At Church Sunday Night

"The Tiny Angels", a Christmas fantasy written by Elizabeth Wood Wills, will be presented by the children and youth of the Methodist Church at six o'clock Sunday evening, according to the Rev. Ed H. Lovelace, Pastor.

The pageant is under the direction of Mrs. Talbot Ledbetter and depicts the events leading up to the birth of the Christ Child as seen through the eyes of the six tiniest angels in the heavenly kingdom.

Mrs. Ledbetter, assisted by Mrs. Joe Shelby Langford, Mrs. H. D. Schulze, and Mrs. Lovelace

Here Is Why We Harp So Much On Careful And Responsible Driving

WARNING!



FORMBY'S CAR



THE BUS

The above photographs by Mrs. B. C. Wicker of the Wicker Studio, Goldthwaite, show what was left of an Arrowway bus and a private car early Saturday night just after a head-on collision three-quarters of a mile south of town on the highway to Lampasas. As Deputy Sheriff Clyde Cockrum described the scene of the wreck: "It looked as if an airplane had exploded into little pieces and

Field in San Antonio. Local residents who had seen him driving north just before the fatal crash said that his car a 1936 model, appeared to be "all over the road." The motor of the dead man's car was found some 70 feet from the point of impact. Mr. Formby was wounded while serving in the 36th Division during World War II. Subsequently, he was infected by malaria while on duty in South America. He was on his way to Brownwood when he was killed.

Mr. Formby's body was removed from the Fairman-Wilkins Funeral home to Brownwood, where funeral services were conducted last Monday. He was a former resident of Brownwood.

Miraculously, the other soldiers aboard the bus and the driver, John W. Nance of Abilene, escaped uninjured.

Sheriff C. F. Stubblefield and Deputy Sheriff Clyde Cockrum, who investigated at the scene, said that the accident, which marked the fourth highway fatality in Mills County for the year, apparently was caused when Formby's car rammed the bus. The impact demolished Formby's car and caused considerable damage to the bus, the front of which was telescoped. The front right fender of the bus was ripped off and the front entrance was badly damaged.

Most of the uninjured soldiers proceeded to Fort Hood by bus. The others, who remained behind to aid the injured Glomski and Tune, went on with the hurt men to Fort Hood in a Fairman - Wilkins ambulance driven by Leroy Stacy after Dr. M. A. Childress and the members of his staff had completed their ministrations.

After the crash the dead Formby's shattered car still was headed north, but on the wrong side of the road, and the bus, still was headed south, but also on the wrong side of the road.

Formby, married and a veteran of World War II, was employed as a civilian at Kelly

Redhead Tickets Now Are On Sale For January 8th

Tickets for the big January 8 show at the Goldthwaite School gymnasium, where the pretty All-American Redheads will play the Mills County Male All-Stars under the sponsorship of the Goldthwaite Quarterback Club, now are on sale.

Howard B. Campbell, QB Club ticket chairman, said this week that tickets for reserved seats may be purchased at the Trent State Bank, Little's, the Smith-Campbell Butane Company, Clements' Drug, Yarborough & Duren, Hudson Drug, the Production Credit Association office, Smith's Jewelry and the Goldthwaite Eagle.

"Buy your tickets early to be sure of a reserved seat for the big night at the gym on January 8," Mr. Campbell said. Admission will be \$1.20 for adults and \$60 for children—but all seats at the price for children are in the unreserved section.

More about the Redheads, especially about a pretty gal named "Peaches" Farley, will be found elsewhere in this week's Eagle. But buy your tickets before you read about "Peaches." You will want to be absolutely sure to have a reserved seat—and a quick sell-out is expected.

Santa To Work At Post Office Here On Monday

All good boys and girls who may have last-minute, confidential messages for Santa Claus will be able to deliver them to him in person at the Goldthwaite Post Office next Monday.

Postmaster Lucile Fairman has received word that next Monday Santa Claus will be at one of the windows at the Goldthwaite Post Office from 10:00 a. m. until noon and then from 2:00 p. m. until 5:00 p. m. Between stints the old boy probably will be at the Hangar but John Jackson will keep him well hidden.

Nobody at the Eagle has been very good except Miss Ruth Ervin so she has been assigned to interview Santa Claus at the Post Office next Monday and to ask him to please make train number 73, sometimes called inelegantly "the Doodle Bug," arrive on time every day.

Merry Xmas, Sealy!

County Clerk Earl Summy this week issued a marriage license to Richard Sealy Reid and Nelda DeLois Stahnke. Will the wedding be Saturday night, Nelda?

GHS Classes Of '47, '48; Mullin Ex-es And Others Meet Saturday

So many events have been scheduled for tomorrow, Saturday, that everybody will have a wide choice of what to do and where to go. The following is a calendar of events for Saturday of this week:

7:30 p. m., at the Hangar and any time during the evening thereafter, when the Goldthwaite High School Classes of 1947 and 1948 will have reunions. All members of the Classes of 1947 and 1948 and those who experienced the delights of teaching them will be welcomed at the Hangar Saturday night.

All day Saturday at the

MILLS COUNTY SCHOOL BOARDS TALK AT HEARING IN AUSTIN

An imposing array of Mills County public servants went to Austin on Tuesday of this week to testify before or to listen to testimony before a hearing at the Texas Education Agency that was conducted by Commissioner of Education J. W. Edgarr.

The hearing resulted from an appeal by the Priddy School Board from a ruling by Associate Commissioner of Education L. P. Sturgeon that Priddy School bus number 17 could not operate in a portion of the Mount Olive area because it duplicated bus route number 8 of the Goldthwaite Independent School District.

A decision on the basis of Tuesday's hearing, which consumed about 3 1/2 hours, starting shortly after 8:30 a. m., had not been made by Commissioner Edgarr as the Eagle went to press this week.

Present for the hearing were the following, in addition to Commissioner Edgarr and Associate Commissioner Sturgeon:

Goldthwaite School Board Chairman Gerald Head and Superintendent of Schools H. E. Patton. They attended the hearing upon authorization of the Goldthwaite Board. The authorization was granted, but NOT by a unanimous vote, at a called meeting of the Board last Monday morning.

County School Board Chairman Jim Soules, and J. Hobart Priddy and A. A. Downey, Members of the County Board.

Priddy School Board Chairman Ray Priddy, Priddy Superintendent T. M. Cash, and the following members of the Priddy Board: Will Limmer, C. F. Niemann, O. L. Harris, Albert Goerdel, and Roy Stegemoller.

Prior to the hearing in Austin last Tuesday, Chairman Head of Goldthwaite and

How About Badge For Mrs. Stub?

Last Monday night Mrs. C. F. Stubblefield, aided in her later efforts by Deputy Sheriff Clyde Cockrum, returned the 2 1/2 year old son of Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Hunt to his parents after he had been absent without leave for more than an hour.

Two young citizens, who found the little fellow wandering alone on the highway on the north edge of Goldthwaite, wisely took him to the Stubblefield home. With the Sheriff out putting down crime, Mrs. Stubblefield took over with the result that young Master Hunt eventually was delivered safely to his parents, although he was of no help in the process. Since Deputy Cockrum has a badge, how about swearing in your wife, Sheriff?

Chairman Priddy of Priddy had met informally. As a result of their meeting there was, on Friday night of last week, a meeting among Chairmen Priddy and Head and Secretary Ray Duren of Goldthwaite and Secretary Limmer of Priddy. They were not able to reach an agreement on operation of Goldthwaite and Priddy bus routes in the Mount Olive area—although bus routes are duplicated in other areas of Mills County and in a number of other Counties in Texas as well.

Generally, the hearing was a re-hatch of the "tempest in a teapot" that for some time has caused grave concern to many Mills County citizens who have tried to achieve understanding in the County community interest. In that connection, part of a letter to the editor of the Eagle, dated December 14 and written by Commissioner Edgarr, is pertinent. In his letter, Commissioner Edgarr wrote as follows:

"In all instances we believe that school government is best handled at the local level. The Legislature has very carefully placed management responsibility on local and county school boards. While we are required under the law to hear disputes arising from local boards, we are always hopeful that such disputes can be smoothed out within the community or at least within the county where they occur."

It is expected that the dispute will be considered at a meeting of the Mills County Board of School Trustees early next month, whether or not a ruling based on last Tuesday's hearing has been received from Commissioner Edgarr.

A letter on the subject of the Goldthwaite-Priddy bus route dispute was received on Wednesday of this week from John W. Neal of Caradan. Mr. Neal wrote as follows:

"Since Mount Olive was no longer to maintain a school, we held an election to decide with which district to consolidate. The Goldthwaite district was favored by the majority of voters. Then we thought that this was the American way, and we still think it is the American and best way."

"The election was contested, which still is an American right. However, it was upheld by the District Court and Court of Appeals. This may be verified by Court records. We do not believe it fair for a group of voters to have their wishes and votes ignored, as ours have been. We believe that democracy as well as charity start (Continued on Back Page.)"

Hammond At Waco

Cpl. Jesse W. Hammond, son of Mr. and Mrs. Ray Hammond of Goldthwaite, has been transferred to the James Connally Air Force Base at Waco following a course of instruction in aviation mechanics at the Sheppard Air Base at Wichita Falls.

Yes, Yes, Virginia

Ladies of the Church of Christ in Goldthwaite distributed 48 boxes containing food and Christmas goodies to ill persons, shut-ins and elderly persons on Tuesday of this week. Instead of their usual Bible study period, the ladies of the Church of Christ worked hard and on expanded time to transform the spirit of giving into action.

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PERSONAL CHRISTMAS MESSAGES

As an institution the Goldthwaite Eagle-Mullin Enterprise has no wish greater than for all of our readers to have Christmas turn out to be a time during which worries can be set aside, during which family reunions can bring lilted joy, and during which those who are ailing can feel better. We hope that the small fry who so long have been on edge about what they will find under Christmas trees will not be disappointed. We hope, in short, for everything good for everybody.

A newspaper, just like any other institution, is made up of persons—human beings with their hopes and failures, their dreams and their disappointments. Here at the Eagle we work together to do the best we can to meet our responsibilities. The members of the Eagle staff wish that a separate, individual message, could be sent to each and every one of our readers at this Christmas season. If we did that, we would have to suspend publication for a week or two. So those of us who work together have decided that we should keep on publishing but that this week we shall use this space for personal messages to all of you. Here they are, beginning with ladies first and including those in our small group who subscribe to the highest principles of American journalism and who hope that each week in the future will bring us nearer to realizing our ideals:

MISS RUTH ERVIN: "My wish for all of you is for a very happy Christmas that also will bring peace of mind and heart. May God bless you and keep you in His care—not only for Christmas but during the weeks and years that stretch ahead."

MISS EARLENE NIX: "Merry Christmas, everybody! Don't forget that mistletoe is hanging all over the Eagle office and that since we are feeling cheerful ourselves anything can happen to anybody who might happen to stand in just the right place."

ROY LEE HILL: "I brought that mistletoe that Our Miss Nix has mentioned and if anything happens, I shall be interested in knowing what. I wish a merry Christmas to you all. I warn at this time that I have NO new year resolutions in mind."

ARNOLD KENNETH KELLY: "This is wonderful! With all the Covingtons and Kellys around I won't overlook anybody by sending my Christmas card this way. Vallie, Tooter and Carolyn Kay join me in hoping for a happy Christmas for everybody."

JOE W. BALDWIN: "Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year too."

CHESTER EDWARD BROOKS: "A merry Christmas to each and every one, a happy new year of '52 to each and every man his due, and most of all—greetings to you."
(Our Chester having already had two full length poems published in the Eagle is at it again, as anybody can see from the above. More power to you, Chester.)

FRANKLIN DEW WEATHERS: (Our Franklin is on loan to the United States Navy. He will not be "home" again until after Christmas. He has made it as far as San Diego from Pearl Harbor and although he has been at sea off California since then, we are sure that Our Franklin would want to extend his Christmas greetings to everybody and especially to Texas Highway Patrolmen Billie R. McElroy and Jess R. Askey.)

THE EDITOR: "I join the good members of my staff in everything they have said and double and redouble. Mrs. Editor joins me, and so does our son, Harve, in the kindest of good wishes to readers and friends. I have an additional hope for everybody. It is that during 1952 the Eagle will be able to print much, much more about RAIN than was possible in 1951."

Now, readers, you have the Christmas card from the members of the Eagle staff. All of us have tried to make clear our hope that next Tuesday will be a happy day for you.

WHEN THE OLD BIRD WAS YOUNGER

10 YEARS AGO—

(Taken From Eagle Files of December 19, 1941.)

Howard Crow, 22, former science teacher in the Goldthwaite Public Schools, was lost in action last week in the war zone, according to a Navy Department telegram to his parents. Mr. and Mrs. Hiram Crow, who live in Johnson County.

Aviation Student Glendon Armstrong, known as "Buddy" to his many Goldthwaite friends, came in last Friday night for a short visit to his mother, Mrs. Annie Armstrong, and other relatives here.

Marriage Licenses — Willis Moore and Almarene Helms; Harold D. Hoggard and Norma Conway; Jack Dempsey Ashworth and Frances Inez Cox; Earl Armstrong and Frances Wilson.

Myriene Reynolds and Anna Merle Epperson entertained a large group of their little friends Friday afternoon at Anna Merle's home, the occasion being both their birthdays.

Miss Frances Wilson of Fort Worth and Earl E. Armstrong of Camp Bowie, were united in marriage here early last Sunday morning at the Baptist parsonage by the Rev. E. E. Dawson. Miss Gloria Armstrong and Glendon Armstrong were the only attendants.

Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Hiller of Shive spent Wednesday in the Henry Martin home.

The Eagle last week carried a long letter from Capt. Raymond Collier, brother of C. C. Collier of Goldthwaite. Captain Collier was chaplain on one of the United States battleships reported sunk at the outbreak of hostilities on Sunday, December 7. His brother here has received a telegram from Capt. Collier's wife in California that the Captain was okay.

A message was received last week from Dean Dickerson, Carroll Berry, Alton Rose, Marshall Miller, Floyd McKenzie, and Dave Straley that they were safe and in no immediate danger at Englewood, Calif.

Mrs. Monroe Simms of Sweetwater returned to her home Friday after a visit with her son, A. T. Simms and family.

Mrs. L. R. Conro, who had her shoulder broken several weeks ago, was taken to a Brownwood hospital Tuesday for a checkup, and an examination showed the shoulder and arm doing splendidly.

Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Johnston spent Sunday in Waco with their daughter and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Weaver. They returned home that night.

Misses Abbie and Ruth Ervin received word that their nephews, J. L. and Don Ervin, who were badly burned in a gas explosion near Ranger a month ago, are doing as well as could be expected.

Miss Aggie Forehand returned from Stephenville Monday to accept the position at the Community Public Service Company vacated by Miss Ailene Mahan, who will be leaving soon for California.

Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Cody of Dallas spent the weekend with his sister, Mrs. T. C. Graves and family. Mr. Cody, who is employed by Butler Brothers Wholesale house at Dallas, was transferred to San Francisco, Calif., where he will be operating manager.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Fairman spent several days last week with Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Youngblood at Dallas.

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Greathouse returned last Friday from a two weeks visit. Mr. Greathouse visited with his daughter, Mrs. Claude McPherson and family at Sapulpa, Okla., and joined Mrs. Greathouse later at Falls City, Neb., where they visited her daughter, Mrs. John Smith and husband.

20 YEARS AGO—

(Taken From Eagle Files, December 18, 1931.)

Mr. J. P. Yoes, a brother-in-law to the Priddy brothers, his wife being their only sister, died at his home at Ovalo Tuesday after a long illness, although it was not of an acute

nature until recently. Messrs. J. D. and Tom Priddy left on Wednesday morning's train to attend the funeral and be with the family.

Geneva Faye James, 2 year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. H. James of Zephyr, died in a local hospital Friday, December 11, after an illness of more than a week. Funeral services will be held this (Saturday) afternoon at Mullin with Rev. L. J. Vann officiating. Interment will be in Mullin cemetery.—Brownwood Bulletin.

Several people received quite a surprise when Mrs. Lois Neal and Delton Geeslin announced their marriage of September 26 at 6:00 p. m. at the First Baptist Church, Hamilton, Texas, Rev. Vernon Shaw officiating. The bride is the daughter of J. G. Neal of Goldthwaite and Mr. Geeslin is the son of Mrs. Bob Geeslin, who resides at Caradan.

Included in the delightful club entertainment of the week was that held Tuesday afternoon in the home of Mrs. Hugh McCullough, when she was hostess to only members of the Tuesday Bridge Club. The open rooms were lovely with masses of Autumn flowers and ferns.

Will Page was a visitor from Lometa one day this week.

Hugh Dennard was a pleasant caller at the office a few days ago.

Alton Gatlin of O'Donnel is visiting his mother and other relatives in this city.

Mrs. J. B. Burnett of Nabors Creek community was an appreciated caller at the Eagle office Saturday.

W. H. Oglesby reports 4,957 bales of cotton ginned in Mills County prior to December 1, as compared to 3,977 to the same period last year.

Mrs. D. A. Weems is visiting her daughter, Mrs. G. Hicks on the river.

Mrs. W. B. Jackson spent part of last week with her son, Virgil, and wife at Lometa.

Mr. and Mrs. H. Y. Phelan and family of Bangs visited her sister, Mrs. E. L. Pass, Monday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Conway Evans of Houston are expected in today to spend the holidays with his mother, Mrs. J. C. Evans.

Miss Dorothy Todd, who is attending school at Gilmer, Texas, is expected home for the Christmas holidays Sunday morning.

H. B. Bradley has been very sick at his home a short distance south of town, but his many friends are glad to know he is now on the road to recovery.

51 YEARS AGO—

(Taken From Eagle Files, Dec. 22, 1900.)

A deal has been made whereby J. C. Street will on January 1, buy the J. C. Evans stock of groceries and consolidate his own stock with it and occupy the building now occupied by Mr. Evans. Mr. Street is an up-to-date rustling merchant and with his increased stock and larger building will do even a bigger business than he has done this year.

Since last report County Clerk Smith has issued marriage license to E. R. Alexander and Miss Molly Terry, A. T. Roberts and Miss Vergie Neal, A. F. Grant and Miss Gertrude Mathis.

Last Saturday afternoon Walter Boyls, a young man aged about 16 years, son of Mr. W. H. Boyls of the North Brown community, met with a severe accident. His horse fell with him and his leg was broken by the animal falling upon him. The young man was resting well and getting along nicely at last report.

Those who know Capt. J. W. Driskill as the dignified gentleman he is would not have recognized him had they seen him at his ranch last week chasing a wolf through the field and pastures over the hills and through the dales. He was minus hat and coat and frequent contacts with brush, briars and wire fences left signs upon his clothing. His son, Albert, caught the wolf in a trap and brought it to the house, its fore foot firmly grasped in the trap. Capt. Driskill, believing the varment's leg broken gave orders that it be turned loose and the dogs al-

GUEST EDITORIAL

(Editor's Note: With so many persons worried over the fact that President Truman appears more interested in the "Queer Deal" than in the country as a whole, David Lawrence has written an article on the breakdown of morals in government. Following is the article in which Mr. Lawrence says why a cleansing is inevitable.)

By DAVID LAWRENCE

Sometimes the dark clouds of gloom have their silver lining and soon reveal their own rays of hope. It is too early as yet to say that a house cleaning of the most far-reaching nature is in prospect in Washington, but the signs point to something more drastic than the government has witnessed in decades of history.

For what is happening is a breakdown in morals that has been confined to no political party or administration—a sort of creeping paralysis that has had its origin in the Jacksonian motto: "To the victor belong the spoils."

For what's wrong with official Washington is politics—the materialistic philosophy that governmental authority is political power and that special privilege is one of the normal and natural attributes of governmental discretion.

What's happened really is that centralized government is face to face with its first major crisis in 50 years. The trend toward control of everything in Washington has made the states and counties and cities less and less important as the federal government has collected and disbursed most of the money. With big taxes has come big expenditures and hence big power of discretion in spending and in administering laws.

The Republicans who held power for many years came a cropper under this system. They betrayed their trust by dispensing favors to large corporations and to the special interests which had contributed most heavily to campaign funds.

When the Democrats came in crying a "New Deal," the country was led to believe—through F. D. R.'s inaugural address, for example—that the "money-changers had to be driven from the temple." Here at last—the people thought—was a reform administration with all the virtues necessary for a new era. Gradually materialism began to eat its way into officialdom.

The Works Progress Administration and the Agricultural Adjustment Administration were used to win the 1936 election, and many government departments which disbursed federal money used their power and influence to help win the 1940 election. Under the Roosevelt administration the doctrine that "the end justifies the means" became the paramount approach. It became the custom

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lowed to chase it. The dogs caught it but were soon glad to get help to turn it loose. It then developed upon Capt. Driskill to recapture the wolf, for he could not allow his reputation as a frontiersman and a wolf chaser to suffer by letting the varment get away, so he grabbed his gun and gave chase and succeeded in bringing in the scalp, but at a great cost to his nerves and dignity.

Mrs. J. C. Vickers and children left Monday night for Dublin to spend the holidays with relatives.

W. D. Fuller of the Nabors Creek community made the Eagle a pleasant call Tuesday.

Ed Levy and wife of Brownwood came down on Friday night's train to visit Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Jackson.

W. R. Hester was in to see us Tuesday and we were glad to learn his eye sight was greatly improved.

W. H. Leverett has moved from the South Bennett community to the farm he recently bought in the Caradan community.

Mrs. Dora Stockton of Lometa spent the first of the week in this city visiting Mrs. J. G. Stockton and Miss Kate Taylor.

W. B. Jackson's father, Mr. J. F. Jackson of Brownwood, arrived in this city on Tuesday evening's train to spend a few days.

Misses Johnnie Garvin and Ella Brown of this city and Ella House of Center City are assisting in Dr. Brown's drug store during the holidays.

J. A. Harris of Washboard sold cotton on the market here Thursday.

W. L. Burks of Center City was among his friends in this city Tuesday.

The Eagle's Aery

By The Editor

One little paragraph on page one last week about how the editor had become a Grandpa contained the simple statement that the old coot was going to go out and buy himself a cane. That started a chain of developments about which Granddaughter Kathleen some day will be interested in reading. So, Kathy, the following paragraphs are for you.

The Eagles still were flowing to the Post Office last Thursday morning while the editor, in accordance with his exalted executive position, sat at his desk. There was a great bustle in the back shop but all was quiet in the Eagle's Aery when in rushed Miss Pauline Booker, completely out of breath but with a gleam of triumph in her eyes. She placed on the desk a red and white candy cane all wrapped up in cellophane and then, from the lips of Mills County's leading authoress, there tumbled the following words:

"I just read the Eagle Grandpa and I went out to get you a cane before you could get one for yourself and here it is and it is the best I could find and I hope you will like it." Miss Booker then stopped for breath. She had to, because she had run out of first chance to thank Miss Pauline, who now should be informed that the cane was promptly confiscated by Uncle Harvey, who has it hanging on his Christmas tree but who has served warning that he may eat it before Christmas Eve rolls around.

The next thing that happened was at the Ekins home where the editor was resting, obeying the orders of Dr. Fred W. Farley for the first time in a week. Upon responding to a pounding on the front door, the editor viewed E. B. "Sir Eric" Adams who at once thrust a stout cane forward with the words, "Here, Grandpa, I've suspected you've been needing this for a long time."

Mr. Adams, it developed, had taken time out from his monument making to read the Eagle and when he saw the news

about Kathleen he traveled the way to Hudson Drive bought for Grandpa Dring stick that the editor had been twirling around the for the past week. With hour after the presentation Mr. Adams the editor in the rotunda of the House to Judge Lewis H. that he was not decreed intended to use his stick in manner of a brute, twirled it so vigorously rubber end tip flew nearly conked his Honor eye.

Judge Porter, instead of Grandpa in content Court, helped him to in the judicial chamber the judge, with mullin strips of paper, fixed to ber end so that if ever come off it will have to be off. Everybody has not kind to Grandpa as Mr. er. Mr. Adams and Judge. Here are some of the lies that ought to be Kathy:

Grandpa drove up Post Office and after out of his back he read his cane. An "old boy name is known to the turned to another "old said: "See, he can't get a car without a cane him!" Two minutes later master Lucile Fairman out from behind her window, "What in the are you doing with that? The editor just went of mail box with as much as he could muster, read a spirit of charity, to the Christmas rush of Post Office, the Postma not had time to read Eagle anything but to about the Postmaster.

One thing troubles it is this: Distinguish zens, such as V. C. quero", Bradford, Ho Campbell, Dumble, H. Glynn Collier and W. C. have been trying to m editor buy and distrib Ordinary cigars would they have insisted po there had to be a w editorial distribution (Continued on Page

**Merry Christmas
to all of You**

May the glow of your Christmas candles reflect all of the joys and fulfilled desires of the past year—and may that radiance forecast the coming year as the best and brightest of them all.

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BIRTHS

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Buttery, Jr., of Llano, are the parents of a daughter, Brenda Ann, born Saturday, December 8, at 9:20 p. m. in Brownwood Memorial Hospital.

The maternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Wasserman, of Mullin, and the paternal grandmother is Mrs. H. C. Buttery, Sr., of Llano.

Pangburn's Candy—Hudson's.

Miss Ada Margaret Geeslin Weds Billy Ray Hardcastle December 16

The marriage of Miss Ada Margaret Geeslin of Goldthwaite to Billy Ray Hardcastle of Meridian, was solemnized at 4:30 o'clock, Sunday afternoon December 16, in the First Methodist Church of Goldthwaite.



MRS. HARDCASTLE

EAGLE PHOTO BY WICKER STUDIO
The Rev. Ed H. Lovelace read the service after music by Mrs. Mary Ellen Schulze, organist, and Mrs. Joe S. Langford, vocalist.

The bride is the daughter of Herbert C. Geeslin of Goldthwaite, and the groom's parents are Mr. and Mrs. William Hardcastle of Meridian.

The bride's attendants were Miss Nelda Stahnke of Goldthwaite, maid of honor, and Mrs. Bob Ham of Denton, bridesmatron. Miss Stahnke wore a light beige moire taffeta dress with navy blue and pink accessories. Mrs. Ham wore a pastel blue crepe dress with black and white accessories. They each carried a nosegay of white carnations.

Bob Ham, friend of the groom, was best man and O. A. Hardwick of Meridian was groomsman. Ushers were H. Glen Geeslin, brother of the bride, of Brady, and Royce Hall of Meridian.

Mr. Geeslin gave his daughter in marriage. She wore a ballerina-length gown of white tulle and silk velvet. Her shoulder length veil was attached to a tiara of orange blossoms, and she carried a bridal bouquet of a white orchid atop streamers of white carnations.

The groom's mother wore a steel blue taffeta dress with pink and navy blue accessories and a pink carnation corsage.

Out-of-town guests were A. L. Carter of Norman, Okla., father of the groom's mother; Mr. and Mrs. Tom Bomar of Silverton, Mrs. N. M. Lawler of Goodnight, Mrs. Leo Upton of Fort Worth, Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Snead, Mr. and Mrs. O. A. Hardcastle, Mrs. Royce Hall and Mr. and Mrs. Jack Kirby, all of Meridian; and Mr. and Mrs. Jess Jenkins of Walnut Springs.

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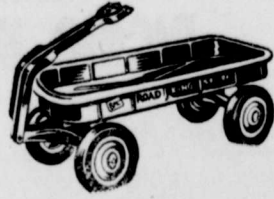
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Miss Wilkins Is Honored At Tea Marking Troth

On Saturday afternoon, December 8, Mrs. Roy Wilkins was hostess for a tea at the Jennie Trent Dew Library honoring her daughter, Nell Carman. In the receiving line with Mrs. Wilkins and her daughter were Mrs. P. O. Harper, and Misses Mary Stringer and Mildred Weiss.

The guests were invited into the reception room by Misses Jean Ann Evans and Marsha Wilkins and to the tea table where the announcement of Miss Wilkins' approaching marriage to Billy Ray Harper, U. S. Navy, was made. The table, which was laid with a lovely cutwork cloth, was beautiful with silver appointments, and the bride-elect's chosen colors of silver, blue, and gold, her sorority colors, were used.

Miss Dorothy Munson served the cake, and Mrs. J. D. Harper assisted in serving the punch while Miss Virginia Spencer, Miss Wilkins' room-mate at Southwestern University, presided at the bride's book. Mrs. Ed H. Lovelace and Mrs. Mary Ellen Schulze played selections on the piano during the afternoon.

Out-of-town guests present for the affair included Mrs. E. D. Stringer and Miss Mary Stringer of Hamilton; Miss Virginia Spencer, Donna; Miss Dorothy Munson, Dallas; and Miss Anne Hasse, Llano.

Jesse Moreland Is Still Hauling Paper

One of the women's organizations of the Mullin Methodist Church is better off to the tune of \$24.61 because that cheerful trucker, Jess Moreland, hauled waste paper to Waco and sold it for the benefit of the Mullin Methodists. Mr. Jess is about to take off for Waco with paper to be sold for the cemetery committee of the Goldthwaite Garden Club. Here's hoping that all of those for whom Mr. Moreland has done so much for free have sent him Christmas cards.

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Scallorn HD Club

Gifts were exchanged and appropriate Christmas games were played at a meeting of the Scallorn Home Demonstration Club at the home of Mrs. C. T. Wrinkle on Wednesday of last week. There were ten members and two guests present. The members voted to change the regular meeting day of the Club to the third Thursday afternoon of each month. The next meeting will be held on January 17 at the home of Mrs. Ora Black.

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Dr. Graves Elected Scout Council Head

Dr. T. C. Graves of Goldthwaite was elected President of the Comanche Trail Council of the Boy Scouts of America at a Council meeting in Brownwood on Thursday night of last week. Dr. Graves, who formerly headed the south district of the Comanche Trail Council, succeeds Dr. E. J. Howell, President of Tarleton State College.

Mrs. J. A. McCrary will leave Saturday for a ten days visit with relatives in Stephenville, Fort Worth and San Antonio.

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Self Culture Club Marks Spirit Of Season With Gifts To Others

A Christmas program at which members of the Self Culture Club of Goldthwaite added lustre to the spirit of giving by remembering those in need was held last Saturday afternoon at the Jennie Trent Dew

Library. The members of the Club took gifts to the meeting—not to be exchanged among themselves but to be distributed by organizations such as the Downtown Men's Bible Class and by individuals who knew of homes where Christmas would not be bright without help to Santa Claus.

Mrs. Tate Improves As Gift To Dennis

The finest Christmas present that Dennis D. Tate could possibly have had came ahead of time with wonderful improvement in the condition of Mrs. Tate, who has been seriously ill. Mrs. Tate again is a patient in hospital in Brownwood having been returned to Brownwood from Terrell Clinic, Fort Worth where diagnosis showed that she was not suffering from a heart ailment as had been feared. In all probability Mrs. Tate will be able to leave the hospital on Christmas Day so as to join in a family reunion at Brownwood.

Singing This Friday

Song Leader W. C. Frazier of the Downtown Men's Bible Class of Goldthwaite urged everybody this week to attend a Singing sponsored by the Class to be held tonight, Friday, at the Mills County Youth Center of the First Baptist Church. Mr. Frazier said that a fine program is being arranged for the Singing.

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Many Aggies Are At Army Signal School

Lieut. Herbert D. Horton, son of Mr. and Mrs. M. F. Horton of Goldthwaite, now is at an Army Signal School at Monmouth, N. J., where, he reports, there are "so many Aggies" that it is just wonderful. Former cadets at Texas A. & M. College who are stationed at Monmouth will have their own Christmas tree and party, Lieut. Horton said.

A. & M. Favored

An announcement by the Texas A. & M. College news service said this week that ten students from Mills County now are studying at College Station. They are James T. Hillman and William Walker Lockridge of Mullin, Sammie S. Owens of Center City, Clarence Sidney Smith, Jr., of San Saba Peak, and Paul T. Koshi, Marshall Middleton Miller, Eugene Waldon Trotter, Roddy Burke Walton, Spurgeon Ray Webb, and Kenneth David Wesson, all of Goldthwaite.

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**Sad Coincidence
Enters The Life
Of John L. Gwin**

Mr. and Mrs. John L. Gwin returned to Goldthwaite on Sunday night of last week after a sad mission to Jackson, Alabama, where they attended double funeral services for Mr. Gwin's aunt and uncle. Mr. and Mrs. Hatley Hudson, who died about 24 hours apart.

While at Fontana Dam in North Carolina, Mr. Hudson died of a heart ailment in the early morning hours of December 3. The following day Mrs. Hudson, who was in hospital at Mobile, also died. Funeral services were held at the old family home at Jackson on December 6.

Mr. Gwin was reared in the home of Mrs. Hudson. His own parents, the late Mr. and Mrs. Grady Gwin, had died in Jackson in 1918. Their deaths were only eleven days apart and at the Christmas season.

While Mr. and Mrs. Gwin made their journey of sorrow to Jackson their children remained in Goldthwaite.

**Stubblefields Are
Set In Washington**

William T. "Bill" Stubblefield, son of Sheriff and Mrs. C. F. Stubblefield, has settled into his new job as Director of Station Relations for the National Association of Radio and Television Broadcasters in Washington and he and Mrs. Stubblefield and "Little Bill" have moved into a pleasant home at nearby Silver Spring, Maryland.

After visits to Goldthwaite and Rio Grande City, Mrs. Stubblefield and "Little Bill" flew to Washington to join Bill on December 8. Mr. Stubblefield has become a member of the National Press Club.

Mrs. E. H. Hapgood visited in Brownwood Monday.

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**Convocation To Start Wednesday
At Gospel Hall In Goldthwaite**

The Holy Convocation at the Gospel Hall on the West Side of the Square in Goldthwaite, which will bring a number of visitors, will open with a Service at 7:30 o'clock on Wednesday night of next week. Thereafter, a daily Service for children at 1:30 p. m.



MRS. PAULINE PARHAM
and through a Watch Night Service on New Year's Eve, there will be Services daily at



THE REV. ALBERT DURHAM
10:00 a. m., 2:00 p. m., and 7:30 p. m. In addition, there will be

Rev. Mrs. Calvin Cook, both of whom will preach and conduct some of the singing.

Present for the convocation will be Mrs. Pauline Parham, who is editor of "The Apostolic Faith," which is described as the official organ of the original Apostolic Faith. It is published at Baxter Springs, Kan. The first issue was distributed in 1898.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Yeager and children were visitors in Austin Saturday.

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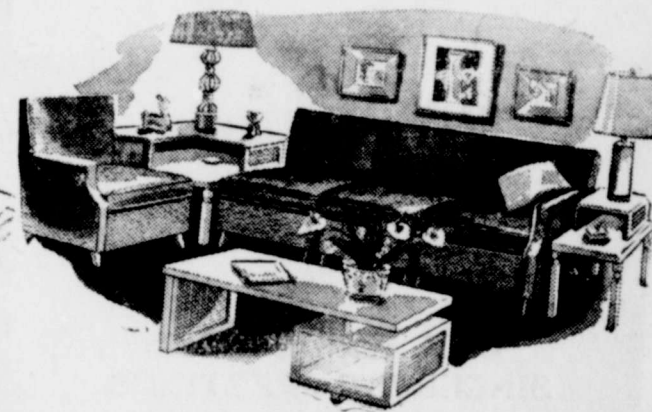
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Mr. and Mrs. Louis Hardin of Hardin visited his cousin, Levi Aldridge and family Monday.

News Of The Ebony Community

By Clementine Wilmetth Briley

Eugene Egger went to Arkansas last week. Johnny Egger was trucking a load of cattle there for some one, so Gene went along with him. But he didn't come back and put his place on the market as some of these men have done. He says he didn't like the country there at all.

Mr. and Mrs. Charm Whittenburg are doing some interior decorating at their house. Mrs. Eugene Egger has been spending several days in Brownwood helping her mother, Mrs. Elizabeth Ketchum, paper her house.

Marvin Cole of Brownwood came out and spent a day with his sister, Mrs. Blue Thompson, last week.

John Briley met Barney Edmondson of Regency at the mall box Tuesday. He was hunting Dewey Smith. He wants a well drilled. His stock water is getting low. Barney says he has a hundred pounds of fescue seed to plant. But he is not depending on rain. He says he doesn't look for rain till next fall. He is going to do some irrigating out of the Colorado.

Dewey Smith has just recently finished drilling a well for Edward Egger over in his east pasture.

We were glad to have Mr. and Mrs. Thompson out for Sunday

School Sunday. Mrs. Edna Dwyer had dinner at the Briley home Sunday after church.

Bro. Gilbert Allan preached for us the second Sunday. We were glad to have Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Reeves present. He will preach for us again the second Sunday in January. We hope we'll have a crowd out.

Bro. Allan said when he anticipated preaching for us the first time, he came out the Sunday before in the afternoon to try to locate the place. When he came to Edward Egger's rock house he saw across the road from it that big brick building with its rounded roof and that "E" high in the end. He thought, "That is a gym, and that E stands for Ebony." It was Edward's brick barn, but it was quite complimentary to Ebony for him to think we had a gym. Anyway he really had found Ebony.

Christmas will soon be here. There will be no grandchildren at the Briley home this year. Granddad has already said, "We won't need a Christmas tree this year." I had always thought I would go ahead and fix a Christmas tree even if the children didn't come home. Anyway I can hang some evergreen on the front door and sing the Christmas carols.

Chappell Hill

By PEARL CRAWFORD

Bill Partin celebrated his birthday Saturday night. Those who enjoyed the party were: Mr. and Mrs. C. G. Partin, Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Partin and family, Mr. and Mrs. George Stahnke and family, Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Partin, and Mrs. Bill Partin and Tommy and Jimmie.

Mr. and Mrs. Billie McNeerlin and Gene visited Mr. and Mrs. Jess Ivy Wednesday night.

Mr. and Mrs. T. V. Stevens and Mr. and Mrs. Avery Manuel visited Mrs. R. A. Stevens and Miss Lola Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Allison and son, Charles, of Kingsville visited in the Walter Simpson home Saturday.

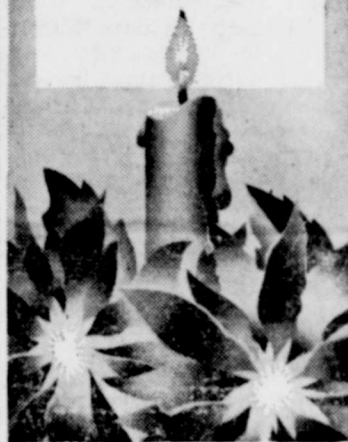
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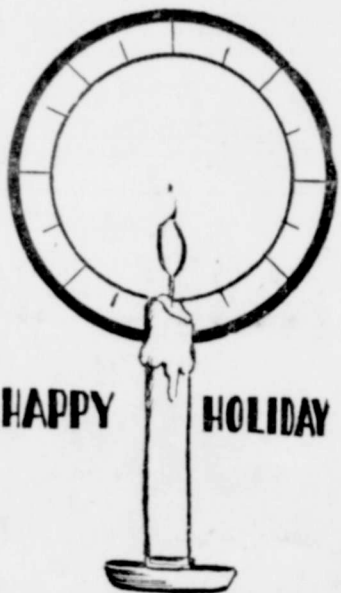
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News Of Scallorn

By ORA BLACK

Sunday evening at 7:00 o'clock friends will meet at the Church to greet Santa who is always present to greet the youngsters and hand out a bag of goodies to all good little boys and girls. After a short program and with the singing of carols, gifts will be distributed by Santa from a well laden tree.

Weekend guests in our home were Mr. and Mrs. Earl Blake of Brownwood.

Mr. and Mrs. John R. Smoot and son Ronnie of San Antonio were weekend guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. G. Bishop.

We read that our granddaughter, Jane Black, was among the honor students for the first nine weeks at Howard Payne College.

Clark Bristow, one of our good neighbors, was taken to McClosky Hospital last week, where he will remain for treatment.

Several from here went to Moline Sunday to attend the birthday celebration of Webb Laughlin.

Personals

Mr. and Mrs. Earl McCrary and children, Jimmie, Joe and Diana Linn spent the weekend with Mrs. J. A. McCrary.

The Rev. and Mrs. J. T. Ayers will go to Lubbock on Sunday to visit Brother Ayers family. They will return next Wednesday for the regular mid-week prayer service and then will go to Corsicana to visit Mrs. Ayers' family. They will, of course, be accompanied by their daughter, Annette.

Pangburn's Candy—Hudson's.

Romona Schuster Joins Sorority

Miss Romona Schuster, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Emil Schuster of Priddy, has been initiated into membership in the Gamma Delta Chapter of the Alpha Iota honorary business sorority at Brantley-Draughon College in Fort Worth.

Mullin Personals

By MARSALETE SUMMY

Mrs. W. T. Anderson and Sarah Jane were recent visitors in Plainview with Mr. and Mrs. George McCasland.

Mr. and Mrs. Dusty Durst of Mason visited with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Williams, last week.

Hon. O. C. Fisher was meeting friends in Mullin Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Murphy and children of Lometa were recent visitors with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. L. French.

Mr. and Mrs. Oran Coor of Van Court were recent visitors with her father, G. B. Wallace, and sister, Mrs. Vesta McCormick.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Reid of Weatherford were recent visitors with relatives here.

Mrs. Garth Gist of Brownwood was a recent visitor with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Otto Singleton.

Mr. and Mrs. E. P. Hodges have received a message relative to the birth of a granddaughter, born to Mr. and Mrs. Norman Hodges of Kermit.

Miss Margie Fomsley of Abilene spent the weekend with her parents, Superintendent and Mrs. H. Howard Homsley.

Sgt. B. E. Strickland of Fort Sill, Oklahoma, spent the weekend with Mrs. Strickland and children.



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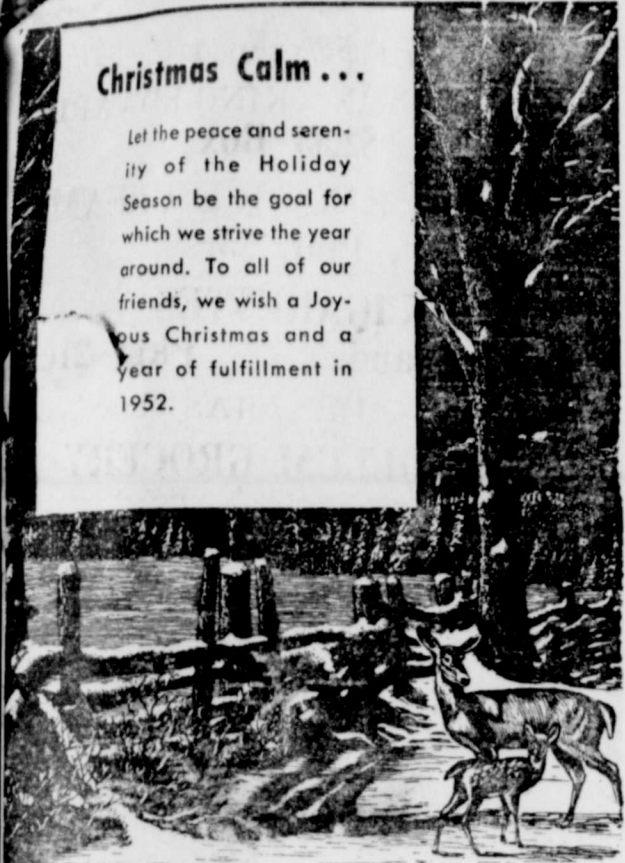
Trees a-glow with colored lights - be-ribboned gifts heaped beneath the tree - stacks of greeting cards from friends and loved ones - the heart-stirring melody of Christmas carols - stockings hung up on the mantle - the promise of a princely feast on the morrow - but, first Santa's visit and the mad scramble of eager children to see what he has brought.

This is Christmas. May all of this be yours - and to it we add our warmest and kindest wishes.

Mr. & Mrs. V. C. Bradford

Christmas Calm...

Let the peace and serenity of the Holiday Season be the goal for which we strive the year around. To all of our friends, we wish a Joyous Christmas and a year of fulfillment in 1952.



JACK REID & JERRY WALKER



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For us on Christmas Day—and may its glow reflect the radiance of our cordial wishes to you and yours, this Christmas—and always.

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Bill Wood

Play At Star Gym At 8:00 PM Friday

At 8:00 o'clock tonight, Friday, the curtain will go up on "Her Emergency Family," a play in three acts to be presented at the Star School gymnasium by high school students. Proceeds will be used for the purchase of instructional motion picture films. Admission is 25 cents for adults and 15 cents for children. There will be Christmas songs between acts of the play.

Members of the cast are La-Joy Clary, Mary Lou Whitehead, May Bell Cox, Ann Wright, Mary Katherine Elms, Nell Reeves, Davis and John Howard Owens, Bill Beard and Ernest Ricket. Mrs. W. L. Smith has directed the play during rehearsals.

That Melvin Harris, That Alta Frizzelle

"The News," house organ for employees of the Southwestern States Telephone Company, reported as follows under the signature of Alta Frizzelle in its November issue:

"You may have your square dance callers, hog callers, cow callers, etc., but we have a professional caller in our office, MELVIN HARRIS, The Fox Caller. This week he goes out, calls up five fox one night and the next night calls up two wildcats. He must have had his caller bottom side up."

That was the whole story. YOU figure it out.

Maedell Long Stars

Maedell Long, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Long, was selected to be a member of the All-Tournament basketball team at Dublin last week. While Miss Long carried off individual honors, neither the Goldthwaite boys or girls teams played in the finals and they lost in consolation contests.

Mullin Basketball

The girls' team of the Mullin High School finished in second place in an invitation basketball tournament for which Mullin was host last week.

Xmas Program Of Art And Civic Club

The Goldthwaite Art and Civic Club had two Christmas celebrations—one a party at the home of Mrs. C. F. Stubblefield and the other a seasonal fete at the Jennie Trent Dew Library for the youngsters who have been attending the Story Telling Hour that is sponsored by the Club on Tuesday afternoons, except during the holidays. Mrs. J. H. Saylor was program chairman for the party at the Stubblefield home and at the Library party for children Mrs. Raymond Summy told the story of "The Littlest Angel." The children exchanged gifts and received paper cones filled with candy.

Schrank Initiated

Ollie Schrank, son of Mr. and Mrs. Ed Schrank of Priddy, has been initiated as a member of Delta Nu Alpha, transportation fraternity at the University of Texas in Austin.

Letter To Miss Jane Ann Steen

Dear Miss Steen: It's a good thing that you were due home for the Christmas holidays on Thursday of this week so that Miss Frances Hynds, alert and energetic press agent for McMurry College in Abilene, can have a rest. Miss Hynds, who rarely lets a week go by without distributing a press release about you, reported this week that you were one of 57 McMurry students who made the mid-semester honor roll. She reported also that you would be home this Thursday and that you would resume classes at MCMURRY College on January 2. It is not your mother who gets all of the publicity that falls your way — it is that Frances Hynds, who ought to be getting a raise in salary one of these days.

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THE GOLDTHWAITE (Texas) EAGLE

have found out that the following proverb is an absolute fact: "Whoso keepeth his mouth and his tongue, keepeth his soul from troubles." Proverbs 21:23.

Mr. and Mrs. Louis Hardin of Hardin visited his cousin, Levi Auldridge and family Monday.

News Of T

Eugene E's Hospital at Waco has last week 50 disabled men who trucking family ties or whose for some s have been severed. along wit, 35 gifts had been come from Mills County. The this man last Sunday took 43 men including seven pipes, 13 didn't t sox, five handkerchiefs, all neckties, three boxes of Money, and ten T-shirts.

but gift of a pipe and tobacco was sent by Larry Fuller, young on of Mr. and Mrs. Tom Fuller. He had earned the money for the gift himself and Larry made it clear that he, himself, had wanted to brighten the life of a disabled veteran.

Other gifts were furnished by the Scallorn H. D. Club, the Goldthwaite H. D. Club, Mrs. John A. Hester, Mrs. E. D. Hamilton, Mrs. Warren P. Duren, Mrs. Owen H. Yarborough, Mrs. J. M. Campbell, the Mills County Service League, of which Mrs. A. L. Whittaker is President; Mrs. Joe Shelby Langford, Mrs. A. L. Cole, Mrs. Tom McArthur, Mrs. Bruce Burnett, Mrs. T. C. Graves, Mrs. R. S. Mote, Mrs. Tas Renfro, Mrs. Willis A. Hill, Miss Elna Fouse and, of course, young but generous and kind - hearted Larry Fuller.

Mrs. David O. Clements sent

a carton of cigarettes and a carton of chewing gum. Mills County had been asked for 15 cakes for the disabled veterans at Waco. But the Lions and Red Cross delegation last Sunday took 31 cakes and some of them were used at Christmas parties this week.

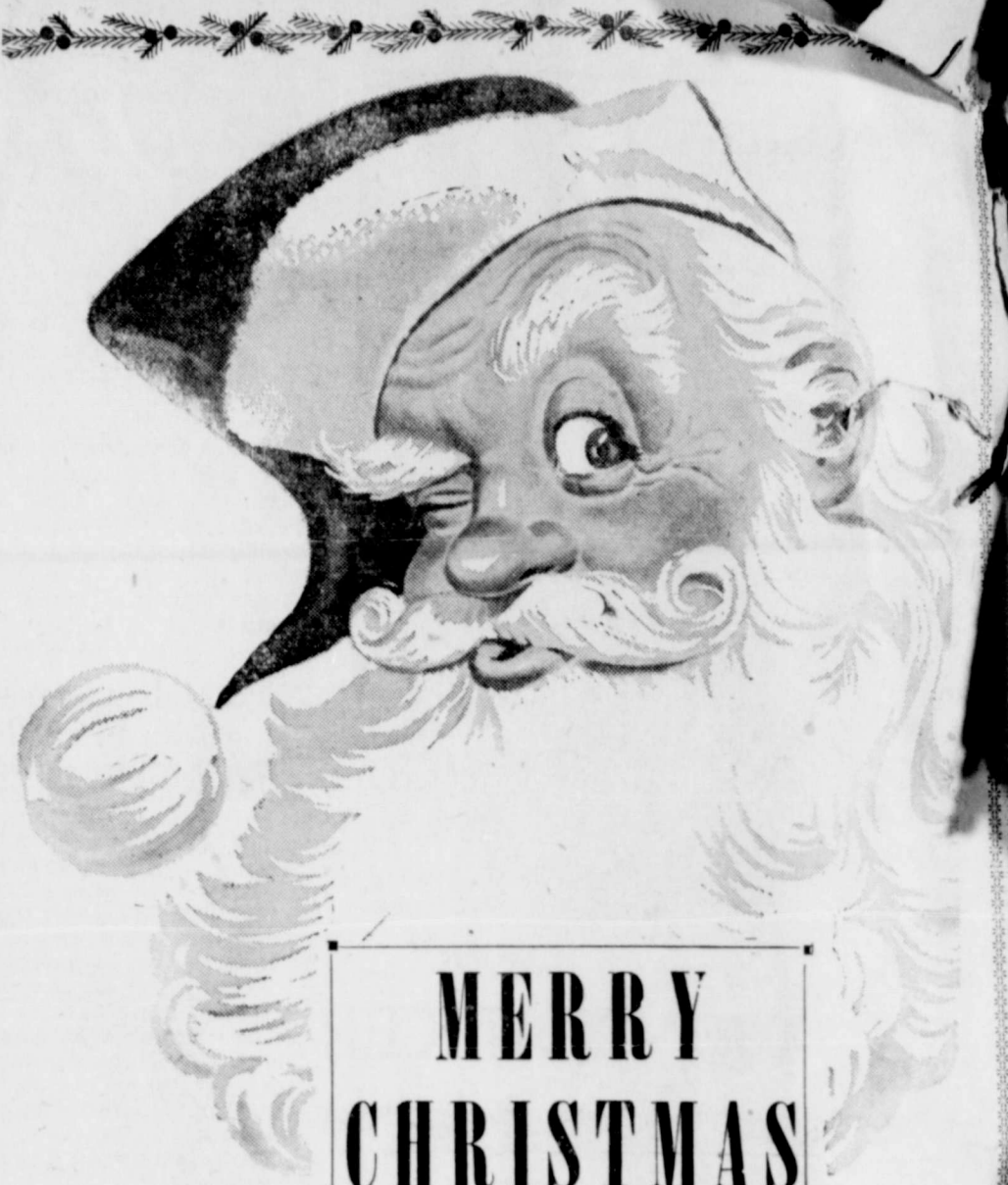
Cakes were baked by Mrs. Dow Hudson, Mrs. John A. Hester, Mrs. Dutch Smith, Mrs. A. L. Cole, Mrs. Tom McArthur, Mrs. J. M. Campbell, Mrs. R. D. Robertson, Mrs. Dora Pardue, Mrs. Fred D. Reynolds and Mrs. H. R. Ekins.

Also Miss Elna Fouse, Mrs. Bruce Burnett, Mrs. Jewell Yeager, Mrs. D. A. Hamilton, Mrs. J. Sherwood Owens, Mrs. R. S. Mote, Mrs. W. M. Johnson, Mrs. John Parker, Mrs. T. C. Graves, Mrs. Elmo Watson, Mrs. R. D. Baker and Mrs. Forrest Thomas, Mrs. James M. Cooper, Mrs. Tas Renfro, Mrs. A. L. Reese, and Mrs. C. F. Stubblefield.

Also Mrs. Joe Shelby Langford, Mrs. Melvin Harris, Mrs. Fred Laughlin, Mrs. A. T. Pribble, Mrs. John A. Jackson, and Mrs. Walton Daniels.

Mrs. Henry Martin and daughter, Miss Lillie Ann Martin left Monday morning for Oklahoma City, Okla., to spend the Christmas holidays with Mr. and Mrs. Fred Martin.

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Miss Norma Kathryn Hammond Is Bride Of Richard Doyle Duncan

The study of the First Baptist Church of Goldthwaite was the scene for the wedding of Miss Norma Kathryn Hammond of Goldthwaite and Richard Doyle Duncan, also of Goldth-



MISS HAMMOND
WICKER STUDIO evening, December 22, at 6 o'clock. The officiated ceremony. Hammond and the groom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. T. E. Duncan, also of Goldthwaite. Miss Linouise Dellis of Gold-

thwaite attended the bride as maid-of-honor, and Troy Duncan of Lometa, brother of the groom, was best man.

For the ceremony, the study was decorated with an arrangement of white gladiolas on the mantel with candelabra on either side of the fireplace. Traditional wedding music was played throughout the ceremony with Mrs. Claude Lawson at the organ.

The bride was attired in a navy blue silk shantung suit with navy and white accessories. She carried a white Bible, topped with baby chrysanthemums.

The maid-of-honor wore a forest green suit with brown accessories. Her corsage was of white carnations.

The mother of the bride wore a gray gaberdine suit with black accessories and a pink carnation corsage. Mrs. Duncan, the groom's mother wore a black crepe dress with matching accessories and a corsage of pink carnations.

Mrs. Duncan is a graduate of Goldthwaite High School, and Mr. Duncan also attended Goldthwaite High School and is now employed in Midland, Texas, where the couple will make their home at 1012 1/2 North Colorado Street. The immediate families and a few close friends of the couple were present for the ceremony.

Nelda Stahnke Is Married Saturday To Sealy Reid

Miss Nelda Stahnke and Sealy Reid of the U. S. Navy were married in the study of the First Baptist Church of Goldthwaite at 7:30 o'clock Saturday evening, December 22. The Rev.



MR. AND MRS. REID
EAGLE PHOTO BY WICKER STUDIO J. T. Ayers, Pastor, officiated at the double-ring ceremony.

The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Louis Stahnke, and the groom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Reid, all of Goldthwaite.

Mrs. J. C. Wesson of Goldthwaite attended her sister as matron-of-honor. Best man was Lieut. Doyle Reid, brother of the groom.

For her wedding, the bride wore a pink suit with navy and pink accessories. Her corsage was an orchid, and she carried a white Bible, topped with white carnations.

Mrs. Wesson wore a ginger and brown suit with winter white accessories. Her corsage was of white carnations.

Immediately following the ceremony, the couple left on a wedding trip.

Mrs. Reid graduated from Priddy High School, and Mr. Reid is a graduate of Goldthwaite High School. He has had two tours of duty in Far Eastern combat areas. After having survived the sinking of a mine sweeper, on which he was a member of the crew, he returned to service in the Korean War aboard the U. S. S. Moore, a destroyer escort.

He will leave the 2nd of January to report for duty at San Diego, California.

to the marriage ceremony in a horse and buggy and then made their home near Democrat until the late summer of 1903 when they settled at Long Cove, where Mr. Hill operated a peach orchard and stock farm until his retirement.

Mr. Hill is 70. He was born in Van Zandt County but has lived in central Texas most of his life. Mrs. Hill, the former Beulah Godwin, is 68. She was born in Hunt County but moved to Mullin with her parents about 1890. They have three children, Allen Hill of Lampasas County, Mrs. Barton Hodges of San Antonio, and Mrs. Bill Manning of Long Cove. They have seven grandchildren.

Mr. and Mrs. E. P. Hodges of Mullin were among those who helped the Hills to celebrate their Golden Wedding anniversary.

Personals

Mr. and Mrs. Lynn Nix and Earlene visited last Sunday in Waco with his brother, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Nix and Yvonne.

James Wesson of the Corpus Christi Naval Air Station spent the Christmas holidays with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Wesson.

Jackie Gerald, who is stationed at Memphis, Tenn., spent his Christmas leave with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Duey Gerald, and other relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Nix, Jr., and daughter, Cheryl, and Dennis Nix spent Christmas Day in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Columbus Conner at Eddy, Texas.

Miss Barbara Jeanne Sublett Is Wed To Gordon Chambers At Avoca

Miss Barbara Jeanne Sublett of Avoca, Texas, became the bride of Gordon Chambers of Goldthwaite, Sunday, December 23, at 6:00 o'clock in the evening at the First Methodist Church of Avoca. The Rev. J. H. Crawford of Stamford and the Rev. Billy Wilkinson of Avoca performed the double-ring ceremony.

The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. M. J. Sublett of Avoca, and the groom's father is Mr. Walter R. Chambers of Burkett.

For the candlelight ceremony, the church was decorated with all white flowers, using calla lilies, mums, and gladiolas. The bridal aisle was marked with candles on alternate pews with satin and floral arrangements.

Mrs. Irving Turner of Avoca, organist, played pre-nuptial music. Soloist was Miss Ann McNeely of Abilene, who sang "Oh, Promise Me", "I Love Thee", and "Wedding Prayer".

Miss Sue Dudley of Anson, Texas, was maid-of-honor, and bridesmaids were Miss Era Jane Anderson of Colorado City, and Miss Janice Thompson of Lockney. Flower girls were Gail Coleman of Coleman, niece of the groom, and Jo Carolyn Jensen of Avoca. Ronnie Baker of Avoca was ring-bearer.

Dell Riley of Imperial, Texas, served the groom as best man. Ushers were Richard Buckley of Knox City, Herbert Blessing of Abilene, Harold Glenn Chambers of Burkett, brother of the groom, and Max Williams of Avoca.

The bride, given in marriage by her father, wore a gown of white duchess satin with mold-

ed bodice, buttoned down to the waistline in a V, and fashioned with chantilly lace inset on the bodice forming a redingote effect on the skirt. The very full, floor length skirt was worn over a hoop, and her veil of imported illusion was attached to a lace calot. The bridal bouquet was centered with a white orchid, surrounded with French carnations.



MRS. CHAMBERS
The maid-of-honor wore a dress of gold taffeta with a net overskirt and a matching net stole and headdress. Her flowers were maroon mums made into a basket effect. The bridesmaids wore identical turquoise taffeta dresses with net overskirts and matching stoles and headdresses. All dresses were strapless and worn over crinoline petticoats. The bridesmaids carried identical bouquets of gold mums.

Candlelighters were Theresa Williams and Patsy Meleen of Avoca. They wore turquoise taffeta dresses with matching net stoles and wristlets of gold carnations. The flower girls wore short gold taffeta dresses over crinoline petticoats and carried double nosegays of maroon mums, centered with gold mums.

Immediately following the ceremony, a reception was held at the Humble Social Center in Avoca. The table was covered with white net over white satin with silver appointments. The maid-of-honor's and bridesmaids' bouquets were used as the centerpiece. Those in the house party were Miss Coyita Griffin of Santa Anna, Mrs. C. H. Edgington of Burkett, and Mrs. Y. B. Johnson, Jr., of Goldthwaite.

For traveling, the bride wore a red suit with reptile shoes and bag with winter white hat and gloves and an orchid corsage.

Mrs. Chambers is a graduate of Avoca High School and is now a senior in McMurry College at Abilene. She is a member of Gamma Sigma social club, Wah Wah-tay-see, F.T.A., Press Club, and is on the Totem staff. She represented Stamford in the 1951 Miss Texas contest.

Mr. Chambers is a graduate of Burkett High School and McMurry College and is now a teacher in the Goldthwaite Public Schools.

Following a short wedding trip, the couple will be at home in Goldthwaite.

Belton, and Mr. and Mrs. Pat Obenhaus of the USAF.

Ervin Visiting
J. P. Ervin of San Antonio, Mr. and Mrs. O. S. White and daughter, Mary Sue, of Temple were guests of Misses Abbie and Ruth and R. L. (Bob) Ervin during the holidays. They spent Christmas Day in Coleman with their sisters, Mrs. L. R. Hendry and Mrs. Mae McMillon.

At the noon hour their nieces, Mrs. J. R. Eudy, Mrs. J. P. LeMay, Mrs. C. T. Wilson and B. Close served the entire group a delicious turkey dinner with all the trimmings in the Eudy home.

Mr. and Mrs. L. W. Hill Visit In Goldthwaite After Golden Wedding

Christmas was quiet for Mr. and Mrs. L. W. Hill of Long Cove, Mills County, still were recovering from the big time

when they told not only of the host of relatives and friends who had helped them to celebrate their Golden Wedding Day but of their vivid recollection



MR. AND MRS. L. W. HILL
They had only last November 24 when they celebrated their 50th wedding anniversary.

Mr. and Mrs. Hill were visitors in Goldthwaite last Sunday,

tions of a half century ago. The Hills were married on November 24, 1901, at the Methodist Church in Goldthwaite by the late Rev. Biggs. They went

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Hester Smith And Bill Elliott Are Bride And Groom

Miss Hester Smith and Bill Elliott of Brownwood were married in a double-ring ceremony in the home of the officiating minister, Dr. N. J. Salyer, Brownwood, Saturday, December 8, at seven o'clock in the evening.

The bride's parents are Mr. and Mrs. E. P. Smith, 1607 First, Brownwood, for many years residents of Mullin, and Mrs. Mary Elliott, Brownwood, is the mother of the bridegroom.

The bride was attired in a pink faille street-length dress with elbow length sleeves and full skirt. She wore a pink hat and black accessories with a white carnation corsage. She wore a cameo pin that belonged to Mrs. T. H. King.

The matron of honor, Mrs. Chas. Hale, a cousin of the bride, wore a green wool dress with black accessories and a corsage of pink carnations. Miss Melba Cheairs, who was bridesmaid, wore a green wool suit with black accessories.

Sgt. Chas. Hale, Carswell Air Force Base, served the bridegroom as best man.

The bride is a graduate of Mullin High School and is employed by W. C. Groom as a secretary. The bridegroom is a graduate of Brownwood High School and is employed by the Central Texas Gas Company. The couple will reside at 1605 First, Brownwood.

Others attending the wedding ceremony were Mrs. N. J. Salyer and Miss Alyce McLean.

Caradan Club Will Meet On January 4

The Caradan Club will meet on Friday of next week with Mrs. Claude Wicker as the hostess. Mrs. Coley Sevier, Reporter, said that the Club's new President, Mrs. Andrew Montgomery, has issued a cordial invitation to all interested persons to attend the meeting. The Caradan Club, at its last meeting, celebrated Christmas with the members exchanging gifts at the home of Mrs. Virgil Tubbs. There was a Christmas tree, gifts for children and refreshments.

Xmas At Harveys

Mr. and Mrs. Ira O. Harvey had a good Christmas with members of their family visiting them at their home on Fisher Street. Mr. and Mrs. Weyman Harvey and their sons, Richard and James of Fort Worth, spent last weekend at the Harvey home and returned to Fort Worth on Christmas Day. Mr. and Mrs. Omar Harvey and their daughters, Martha Lee and Carol Lynn, arrived from San Antonio in time for Christmas dinner. The BIRD DOG Ted, who had a field trial during the holiday season, returned for the festivities from Fort Worth with the Weyman Harveys.

Mrs. Myra McQuary has been visiting in Fort Worth and Hamilton during the holidays.

Mr. and Mrs. Judson Strickland and daughter have been visiting Mrs. Strickland's mother in Waco.

Walter Summy, Jr., of the U. S. Air Force spent the Christmas holidays with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Walter "Jake" Summy of Fisher Street.

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A HAPPY NEW YEAR

THE FAMOUS REDHEADS ARE COMING!!



First thing you know it will be January 8 and you will be in a terrible fix if you let too much time go by before you buy your tickets for the big show at the Goldthwaite School gymnasium — the All-American Redheads, girls, against the Mills County Male All-Star Basketball players.

Tickets for the sparkling entertainment at the School gym on the night of January 8 now are on sale at Smith's Jewelry, the Production Credit Association, Hudson Drug, Yarborough & Duren, Clements' Drug, the Smith-Campbell Butane Company, Little's, the Trent State Bank and the Goldthwaite Eagle.

Reserved and unreserved seats sell at \$1.20 each for adults and 60 cents for children and the way to be sure of the seat you want is to buy a reserved seat and buy it early.

It is to be hoped that by this time next week the men who are to play the All-American Redheads—Mills County's own—will have been identified. They are certain, according to rumor, to include Coach Carl Knox, Y. B. Johnson, Jr., Gordon Chambers and of course, some others. The Goldthwaite Quarterback Club, sponsor of the January 8 basketball extravaganza, has voted that the best talent is to be sent against the Redheads for the sole purpose of winning. Y. B. Johnson is authority for the statement that Mills County has within its borders male basketball players who are quite capable of taking the Redheads to the cleaners.

That brings up the ladies who are pictured above. The Redhead who takes up only one column of space is Ruth Harms. She is described as "the pride of Shell City, Mo., where she created a State record by scoring as high

as 102 points in one game, not to mention many other games in which she scored between 80 and 90 points." How do you like that, Y. B. Johnson?

Like most of the Redheads, Miss Harms stands six feet tall with only stockings on her feet. Let it be emphasized that her press agent and NOT V. A. Hudson, President of the Quarterback Club, describes Miss Harms as "a powerful specimen of the female species."

The Redhead who occupies two columns of space in the picture above is Bonnie Gilliland. She is known in the world of basketball as "Muscles." Another six footer, she is a gal from Cotter, Arkansas. Bonnie has been ballyhooed in advance of her appearance in Goldthwaite as a clever ball handler—"a tower of strength who did her part last season in creating a new world's record of 128 victories as against only 57 defeats for the Redheads." And how do you like THAT, Y. B. Johnson?

Howard B. Campbell, Chairman of the ticket committee of the Quarterback Club, is out with a warning that unless you buy your tickets early you will be sorely disappointed come the night of January 8. Now that the holidays are just about out of the way there is going to be something in the nature of a terrific rush for tickets—Mr. Campbell hopes.

The Redheads are coming to Goldthwaite not only to provide an evening of fine and entertaining basketball but also to give a boost to the treasury of the Quarterback Club, which is an organization of citizens who are devoted to encouraging the athletic programs of the Goldthwaite Schools. To become a member of the Quarterback Club all you have to do is to go to Glynn Collier at the Trent

State Bank and pay your membership fee and dues.

The Redheads not only are champion basketball players but they go in for showmanship. One of the feature players is Red Mason, who has been publicized widely as the "Red Skelton of the Courts." She has been called the "world's greatest comedienne show girl." Press agents go in for descriptions of that sort but in the case of the All-American Redheads the ballyhoo artists have been supported by such publications as Sport Life Magazine. It calls the gals who are coming to Goldthwaite on January 8 "those riotous Redheads."

The public relations experts of the Goldthwaite Quarterback Club point out that even if you may be lukewarm as a basketball fan, you will have a grand time on the night of January 8 at the Goldthwaite School gymnasium because both the Redheads and the Mills County Male All-Stars will put on a show that will be fun for everybody.

Personals

The Eagle's very own Franklin Dew Weathers, who has been on loan for several months to the United States Navy, was expected to arrive in Goldthwaite on furlough on Thursday of this week. Since he took leave of absence to join the Navy, Franklin has been through "boot camp" at San Diego, Cal., and has spent some time at Pearl Harbor, Hawaii, aboard the U.S.S. LST 975. Welcome home, Franklin!

Howard E. Gill, Director of the Goldthwaite Schools Band until he returned to active duty in the Navy, has sent holiday greetings to all of his friends in Mills County from California, where he is stationed. Mr. Gill wrote that he hopes to be released from Navy service along about next March. He is a hospital corpsman in the Navy.

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Star News

By DORA GOODE

I know you've all had a nice Christmas. And right here I want to say "thanks" to all who remembered us at the holiday season. It was so nice to get those cards and letters, and it made a warm glow in our hearts. One letter was from a friend, Sister Cora Ryan. Her husband, Bro. Geo. Ryan, used to be the Methodist pastor here. Sister Ryan says that she still enjoys Church work, and always enjoys reading the news from Star. Well, Star is about the same as of yore, maybe not quite so big. You see these dry years have been hard on us, too. But what's left of us enjoy gas and electricity. We can use that to see and to keep warm by whether we have anything to eat or not. But I won't be pessimistic about this drouth. We'll get through it some way, if we have to go to Arkansas.

Sister Ryan says that Mr. and Mrs. Webb Hill live there, too, and the Eagle is passed around.

The Rex Clifton family was made very happy a few days ago, when their son, Dean Campbell, or "Dizzy", came in for the Christmas holidays.

Mrs. Lonnie Baker spent Christmas with her daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Johnny Fuller, of Brownwood. Anselm Fuller, who is stationed at San Antonio, was in home for Christmas day.

Rex Goode has returned to the West after a fortnight's visit with home folks. He likes Oregon best of any place yet.

Lawrence Du Puy is in Ft. Worth for the holidays, visiting in the home of his son, John. Mrs. Du Puy has been there for some time under a doctor's care.

Mr. and Mrs. Lant Adams, who have been out near Post for the ginning season, are in home for holidays. Some of the children coming in to be with them are Mr. and Mrs. Eddie Franks, of Houston, and Mr. and Mrs. Stubbs and son, Paul, of Abilene.

Mr. and Mrs. Nummie Lunz and children of Crystal City are visiting in the homes of Mr. and Mrs. Van M. Gilvray, and Mr. and Mrs. Harmon McCasland.

Mr. and Mrs. Weldon Edwards and son of Clyde are spending Christmas with Mr. and Mrs. John Soules.

Mr. and Mrs. Ben Udd, baby daughter, and Mrs. Hazel Waddell, have come in home from Ft. Worth.

Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Knowles of Austin are spending the holidays with the Jim Williamson family and other relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Hardy Collier had all their children home Sunday for a family get-together. I failed to get all their names.

J. B. Wallace, who is stationed in Oregon, is in home for the holidays.

Misses Alice and Christine Rickel, and Frances Beard are in home for the Christmas festivities, from Howard-Payne College.

Mr. and Mrs. Delbert Decker, of Odessa, have come in home for a visit with their parents during the holidays.

Mr. and Mrs. Wilson Head and daughter, of Denver City, are visiting home folk and other relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Nelson Shave are spending the holidays in the Fred Shave home.

Bro. C. A. Hogan and wife have returned from a visit to South Texas.

Mr. and Mrs. Boots Boykin and family have returned from the Post section for a visit with homefolks.

Mr. and Mrs. Johnny Boykin and baby Charles, are spending Christmas with the O. Z. Cox family.

Well—good folks, that's all tonight, Let's turn our backs on doubt and fear, And follow the star's guiding light, As we approach the coming year.

Personals

Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Biddle of Goldthwaite were holiday guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Denton of Pecan Wells.

Guests in the home of Mrs. J. W. Weathers during the holidays were: Mr. and Mrs. Joe J. Johnson, Mr. and Mrs. Joe J. Johnson Jr., and children of Fort Worth, Mrs. L. W. Weathers, Brownwood, and Clifton Stanley of Comanche.

Mr. and Mrs. Kyle G. Sims and children of Bend visited his mother, Mrs. J. D. Sims and other relatives here Christmas Day.

Those present for a Christmas tree and supper at the John C. Howell residence in Goldthwaite Christmas Day were Mr. and Mrs. Tom Howell of San Saba; Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Schafer and Edwin of Nimrod; Mr. and Mrs. Ace Howell of San Saba; Mr. and Mrs. W. G. Lynn and daughters of Brownwood; Mr. and Mrs. John D. Howell of Denver, Colorado; and I. K. Howell and Miss Mary Moss of Austin.

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—Eagle Want Ads Get Results—

Santa Claus Makes Many Merry At Fairman Home Last Monday

Employees and business associates of Earl T. Fairman and several out-of-town guests got the Christmas season off to a flying start on Thursday night of last week, when Santa Claus, ably assisted by Brian Smith, did very well indeed by boys and girls who had been good—and adults, too.

The party was held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Fairman, where there was a gorgeous out-door Christmas tree. Maurice and his crew from Lampasas barbecued beef, goat, lamb and turkey and if anybody went hungry it was no fault of the host and hostess.

Among the distinguished guests were the Duke d'Atri, Prince of Aragon; the Duchess d'Atri and their son, Umberto. The Duke d'Atri, who is head of a family in which three royal and noble lines focus, also is a mining and chemical engineer who now is engaged in mining operations near Van Horn. His Duchess is a Texan—the former Avon Zalten of Carson County.

The Duke d'Atri was, one of the earliest opponents of the Italian dictatorship of the late Benito Mussolini. In opposition to Mussolini he renounced his Italian citizenship and became an American citizen. Now 55, the Duke d'Atri fought in the French Army during World War I. He fought with the Free French under General Charles de Gaulle, with the rank of Brigadier General, during World War II.

(At a later date an account of the achievements of the Duke d'Atri and his fight for the principles of freedom will be published in the Eagle.)

In addition to professional entertainment that was provided by an orchestra from Brady, there were songs at the party by Comer S. Bishop of the Texas Bank & Trust Company in Dallas. He was accompanied at the piano by Mrs. Bishop. Mr. Bishop is a Director of the Trent State Bank. Lucius M. Stephens of Lometa, another out-of-town Director of the local bank, and Mrs. Stephens, also were among the guests.

Miss Martha Carolyn Graves entertained the guests with her accordion and Harvey Ekins recited "The Night Before Christmas—Texas Version." There was much other fun and entertainment but no single reporter could have kept up with everything that was happening. To attempt a complete guest list without the help of Miss Veseva Sellers is something this reporter definitely will NOT undertake and as the Eagle was being put together this week Miss Sellers was not available—what with most of Goldthwaite being closed up for Christmas and its after-effects.

Mr. and Mrs. Allen M. Horton of Waco visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. F. Horton, and Kathryn Ann during the holidays.

CAR OWNERS PLEASE NOTE

Official announcement was expected during the coming week of the garages in Goldthwaite and elsewhere in Mills County that will inspect motor vehicles so as to comply with the provisions of the new Texas safety law.

Sheriff C. F. Stubblefield urged all owners and operators of motor vehicles to watch for news of the places at which vehicles may be inspected and declared safe for operation on the highways. Without safety certifications it will not be possible to obtain new 1952 car and truck registration plates, the Sheriff pointed out.

The new Texas Motor Vehicle Safety-Responsibility Law becomes effective on Tuesday of

next week. Under that law licenses to own or operate an automobile will be suspended if owners or drivers are involved in a traffic accident and fail to meet damage claims up to \$15,000.00. For advice regarding the Safety Responsibility Law, Sheriff Stubblefield said, owners of motor vehicles should consult their insurance agents.

Texas Public Safety Director Homer Garrison, Jr., has warned that all motor vehicle owners should deal with reputable insurance agents, preferably those known to them, to make certain that any policies that might be written will meet the requirements of the new Texas law.

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By MARSALETE SUMMY

Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Kirby of Goldthwaite visited Sunday afternoon in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Tom Cooksey, Jr.
 Miss Thelma Casey of San Angelo was a weekend visitor in home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. M. Casey.
 Mrs. W. J. Chaney of Goldthwaite spent Sunday with Alex and T. C. Chaney and family.
 Howard Homsley and Sarge Homsley attended services for J. R. Upton in Goldthwaite, Sunday.
 Mrs. S. M. Casey and Mrs. Thelma Casey were visitors in San Saba Saturday.
 Mrs. J. H. Neill was a Brownwood visitor Monday.
 Mr. and Mrs. Thos. Jones and children were recent visitors in

St. Worth with Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Tucker and family.
 Mrs. W. D. Bryan and Wayne and Miss Alta Pay McDonald of Stephenville were weekend visitors with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. D. McDonald.
 Mr. and Mrs. Niles Wootten were recent visitors in San Angelo with Mr. and Mrs. Johnny Woods and children.
 Mrs. W. H. Simpson has returned home after visiting relatives in Breckenridge.
 Mrs. J. W. Ratliff is visiting Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Denson and daughter in Zephyr.
 Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Dudley of Seagraves are visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Barker.
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