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PLEASE, YOU TAKE IT FROM HERE BECAUSE WE JUST CANNOT KEEP FROM LAUGHING!!!

After you get a load of this you will decide definitely that the only place for you to be at 8:00 o'clock on Friday night of next week will be the Goldthwaite Grammar School auditorium, where many of the most distinguished citizens of the



NOT OUR STUB

city will appear as headliners in a Style Show to be sponsored by the Goldthwaite Lions Club. Treading the boards before the footlights in feminine attire will be such bathing beauties as Dr. T. C. Graves, John L. "Hi Neighbor" Gwin, Delton "Puny" Barnett and John A. Jackson. As the Eagle went to press this week a determined Lions Club Committee still was negotiating with Earl T. Fairman with a view toward making him a bathing beauty, too.

Hollis Blackwell In Washington On Wool Crisis

With other leaders from Texas who are gravely concerned because of the "stagnant wool market," Hollis Blackwell of Goldthwaite was in Washington this week to confer on the situation with Department of Agriculture officials. Prior to his departure for Washington Mr. Blackwell said he was hopeful that steps might be devised to tide over not only a price slump but a lack of market for animal fibers. He expected to return to Goldthwaite late this week with news of possible remedies that might be considered favorably by officials in Washington.

In that connection, Representative O. C. Fisher of the 21st Texas Congressional District wrote in last week's Eagle that in Washington there is under consideration "a realistic anti-dumping law" under which countervailing duties would be imposed to compensate for subsidizing by foreign governments. It is recalled that Congressman Fisher, and other Representatives in Congress from Texas, have been worried for some time because of abnormally high "dumping" of Argentine and Uruguay wool in the United States market and the continuing imports of Australian and New Zealand wool at low prices.

Prior to his departure for Washington Mr. Blackwell pointed out that shearing now is in progress and that carload lots of animal fibers are arriving at warehouses that have no market outlet for the product. The market slump and its causes must be faced, Mr. Blackwell said—and that is why he went to Washington at the start of this week.

Mullin Elections

A Mayor of Mullin, a City Marshal and three Aldermen will be elected in Mullin in municipal elections on April 1, according to legal notices that were posted this week by Donald C. Clark, Mullin City Secretary.

Speaking of negotiations, the Judges of the bathing beauties will be Dr. L. P. Huddleston, Harry "Bear" Allen, Oscar Burns, W. Duke Clements, and W. P. "Uncle Proc" McCullough. Now, hold your hats! For the plan that is afoot is to have the Judges, just named, switch costumes with the contestants and themselves appear as bathing beauties. Oh, brother!

This is the best place in this story to announce that reserved seats for the super-colossal spectacle that is in the works for the night of March 7 are on sale at the Production Credit Association office on the north side of the Square. Get your reserved seat early, for a



CERTAINLY NOT JESS

crowded house is certain, as anybody can tell from the foregoing—to say nothing of what is yet to come.

On Friday night of next week feminine sports clothes will be modeled by Everett Holland, Gerald C. Head, Larry Dalton, Sheriff C. F. Stubblefield, Lewis T. Hudson and Lester F. Bain.

The very latest Paris and New York fashion in evening gowns will be displayed by Warren P. Duren, County Judge Lewis B. Porter, E. B. Gilliam, Jr., John A. Hester, Mayor Loy

Precipitation Of 61 Is Help But More Must Come

Including rain, sleet and snow in Goldthwaite last Saturday, Sunday and Monday, Harry Allen measured .61 of an inch of precipitation for the United States Weather Bureau. Mr. Allen added that the moisture content of the snow was negligible.

Some areas of Mills County fared better than Goldthwaite and others did not do so well. Cecil Egger said that out Ebony and Regency way the total precipitation for the weekend measured no more than .25 of an inch.

Last Sunday afternoon, when a thunder shower dumped about half an inch of rain on Goldthwaite, there were only scattered showers up around Trigger Mountain and Chappell Hill. South and southwest of Goldthwaite as much as an inch of rain was reported last Sunday afternoon. Al Langford, Jim Rudd and Bruce Burnett said that was about the way it was down where they live, but the Eagle's own Roy Lee Hill, who lives 3 1/2 miles southwest of Star, said he was in agreement with Mrs. Dora Goode, who reported a total precipitation of .6 of an inch.

Technicians with the United (Continued on Back Page.)

answer the call
1952 RED CROSS FUND

Long, Charles Conradt, Ray Duren and the Rev. Ed H. Lovelace.

Street clothes, feminine, of



COULD BE LEWIS T.

course, are to be shown in the most modish manner possible by Jess Moreland, Joe Bailey Karnes, Harold Yarborough, Dennis D. Tate, Norman Duren,



MUST BE DOC GRAVES

V. C. "El Vaquero" Bradford, and the Rev. J. T. Ayers.

Only the surface of this story has been scratched. You have been given only an inkling of what is in store for the night of March 7. Mr. Bain and Howard B. Campbell were seen conferring privately in the middle of the Square this week but an eaves-dropper on their conversation was able to glean only that there will be SURPRISES on Friday night of next week—SURPRISES that nobody in Mills County could afford to miss seeing personally.

Remember—those reserved



AYERS WANTS SHIRT

seat tickets are waiting for you at the PCA office. Such forms, such figures, such delicate bits of fluff out on that stage—blondes, redheads and brunettes; you wouldn't miss them for anything in the world, would you?

Engineering Plan For Phone Co-op Ready For Okay

Final steps preliminary to start of actual engineering construction for the Central Texas Telephone Cooperative were taken this week when Joe E. Ward, who is in charge of the engineering side of the project, submitted a completed "area design" for the lines of the Co-op.

Secretary Ernest E. Wilson said that Mr. Ward's blueprints will be considered at a meeting of the Board of Directors of the Central Texas Telephone Cooperative in the immediate future so that they may be transmitted to Washington for approval by the telephone division of the Rural Electrification Administration, which has granted a federal loan of \$1,540,000.00 to the Co-op. (The attention of readers is (Continued on Back Page.)

Sealy Is Happier

Mrs. Richard Sealy Reid, the former Miss Nelda Stahnke, left Goldthwaite recently for San Francisco to join her husband who is a member of the crew of the U. S. S. Moore, a destroyer escort. Sealy is a son of Mr. and Mrs. A. A. "Ab" Reid, formerly of Mullin and now of Goldthwaite.

Rep. O. C. Fisher Says Camp Bowie Won't Take Land

A definite statement that military planning for the future of Camp Bowie does not include acquisition of land unless war on a world-wide scale should bring all-out mobilization came this week from Representative O. C. Fisher of the 21st Texas Congressional District.

In a letter from Washington, Congressman Fisher said "there is no likelihood within the foreseeable future of any substantial amount of land being taken by the military for the Camp Bowie maneuver area. The issue may arise later, depending upon the extent of mobilization, but there is nothing to worry about at this time."

Several months ago Mills County citizens, headed by Hollis Blackwell, formed a committee to impress upon the Department of National Defense the great economic damage that would be done to this County in the event that any great portion of it were to be acquired for Camp Bowie.

Congressman Fisher, who is a ranking member of the House Armed Services Committee, worked closely with Mills County citizens in presenting their viewpoints to national defense authorities. He also won assurance that no land in Mills County would be acquired for Camp Bowie without prior public hearings.

Maneuver Claims

Military authorities this week requested that all landholders who may suffer damage in the course of the Army-Air Force maneuvers, Exercise Longhorn, file any claims they may have directly with the Real Estate and Claims Office at Fort Hood. Complaints or claims may be addressed to John Slay at that office or consultation may be by telephone. The telephone number of the Real Estate and Claims Office is Fort Hood 3806. It was emphasized that officers in the maneuver area cannot settle claims.

Clean-Up Week Makes Appeal To City Of Goldthwaite's Civic Pride

City Utilities Manager W. C. Barnett was all set this week to reinforce Harve Willson with extra trucks and men to help to make Goldthwaite look as attractive as possible.

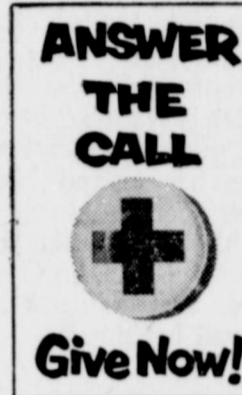
Under the sponsorship of the Goldthwaite Garden Club in cooperation with the city, next week will be Clean-up Week. Mayor Loy Long has joined the Civic Committee of the Garden Club, of which Mrs. M. F. Horton is Chairman, in urging everybody to really clean up for the sake of appearance, sanitation and to eliminate fire hazards.

Baseball Meeting This Friday Night

Attention all baseball fans! A baseball meeting will be held tonight, Friday, at 7:30 o'clock at the Hollis Blackwell warehouse. Clyde Estep, one of the managers of the Goldthwaite Red Sox, said that everybody interested in baseball not only will be welcome at the meeting but is urged to attend. Plans will be made for the Red Sox 1952 season. Mr. Estep said. During the Army-Air Force maneuvers, Exercise Longhorn, teams from the Armed Services will be looking for games. So an early spring is assured, especially for ball fans.

1952 RED CROSS FUND CAMPAIGN STARTS HERE NEXT TUESDAY

Volunteer workers and members of the Mills County Chapter of the American Red Cross will start the 1952 fund campaign effort locally at a "kick-off" breakfast at 7:00 o'clock next Tuesday morning at the Hangar, it was announced this week by Warren P. Duren,



County Campaign Director. Mills County, Mr. Duren said, has a suggested quota of \$2,940.00.

"We shall work very hard to meet our quota," he said, "because all of us realize the vital role that is being played by the American Red Cross, not only in its continuing and ever-expanding humanitarian service but also in its great and effective work in civilian defense."

Mr. Duren listed the following Community Chairmen who will work with him on the 1952 American Red Cross campaign, along with their suggested quotas:

Goldthwaite, Ray Duren, \$1,500.00; Scallorn, M. F. Hines, \$50.00; Center City, S. M. McCasland, \$135.00; Payne Gap, Mrs. V. C. Segelquist, \$35.00; Star, LeRoy Beard, \$135.00; Caradan, R. H. Williams, \$50.00; Mullin, H. Howard Homsley, \$300.00; Pompey Mountain, Ralph Duren, \$35.00; Democrat, Mrs. R. G. Jones, \$35.00; Priddy, the Rev. A. H. Muehlbrad and Mrs. Ed Dearson, \$300.00; Big Valley, C. A. Page, \$60.00; Rock Springs, Mrs. Walton Daniel, \$30.00; Jones Valley, Mrs. M. L. Jernigan, \$40.00; Regency, B. F. Egger, \$25.00; Ebony, Hubert

Reeves, \$70.00; Ridge, Mrs. W. H. Freeman, \$25.00; Pleasant Grove, David Watters, \$35.00; and Pompey, W. A. Triplett, \$35.00.

Mr. Duren said that Chairmen will be appointed later for Mt. Olive and Long Cove, which have suggested quotas of \$25.00 and \$20.00, respectively. He urged that all of the above-named Community Chairmen attend the "kick-off" breakfast next Tuesday morning along with any members of their community whom they may designate to work with them.

In announcing plans for the 1952 American Red Cross campaign in Mills County Mr. Duren urged a careful reading of an advertisement on another page of this week's Eagle, in which the past year's accomplishments of the Mills County Chapter of the organization are listed. Brian Smith is Executive Secretary of the Mills County Chapter.

Mr. Duren also urged careful consideration of a message in the advertisement from Secretary of Defense Robert A. Lovett—a native Texan who was born in Huntsville. In his message Mr. Lovett points out that "the mission of the Red Cross is entirely dependent on the support of our people." He emphasizes the important place of the Red Cross in preserving high morale among the men in the American Armed Services.

The Red Cross, Mr. Duren said this week, is humanity in action. He quoted the following from national headquarters of the American Red Cross:

"When you give through the Red Cross YOU are there to aid the victims of disaster and help them back to normal living;

"YOU are there to provide life-giving blood for a wounded soldier, a mother in childbirth, an injured workman;

"YOU are there to help servicemen and their families, when they are faced with anxieties;

"YOU are there to bring new hope and comfort to bedridden war veterans; and—

"YOU are there to train countless thousands in skills to protect their families and their neighbors in times of emergency."

Military Police Post Established On Fisher Street

Further visible evidence of the build-up for the huge Army-Air Force maneuvers, Exercise Longhorn, this week included the passage of numerous Army convoys through Goldthwaite and the establishment of a Military Police detachment in quarters immediately north of the Lilly & Featherston Real Estate Office.

The quarters for the MP detachment were provided as a public service by Howard Campbell in cooperation with Sheriff C. F. Stubblefield.

Military Police, who patrol in radio-equipped jeeps, are members of Company "A" of the 307th MP Battalion from Fort Sam Houston. The battalion, which is maintaining temporary headquarters at Lometa, is commanded by Lieutenant Colonel Jack L. Rhodes. Col. Rhodes has been a frequent visitor to Goldthwaite during the past week. In fact, he was one of a group of spectators that included Sheriff Stubble-

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YOUR RED CROSS NEEDS YOU

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BEN RAMSEY UP FOR RE-ELECTION

In this week's Eagle we have devoted considerable space to the news that Lieutenant Governor Ben Ramsey will stand for reelection this year. We hope that every Eagle reader will give careful consideration to the announcement by the Lieutenant Governor because in it he states his principles again and he also expresses a philosophy that is of fundamental importance to every citizen of the United States.

A HIGH HONOR FOR GOLDTHWAITE

Signal honor has come to Goldthwaite in the form of the announcement that on March 8 the annual festival of the sixth district of the Federation of Music Clubs will be held here. The festival will bring several hundred visitors to Goldthwaite. Every one of them should be regarded as an honored guest and made welcome.

In this connection, the fact that next week is Clean-Up Week, sponsored by the Goldthwaite Garden Club with the cooperation of the City Fathers, should give added incentive to everybody to spruce up so that our visitors, young and old, will recognize Goldthwaite as a community of self-respecting citizens who have no apologies to offer to anybody.

As for the festival of the sixth district of the Federation of Music Clubs, may it be realized by all of us that the young persons who will participate in it and the adults who have been leading, teaching and encouraging them are creating a richer, fuller life at a time when we have great need for more reaching upward for the good and the fine things that we call culture and without which we still would be savages.

It was written in the long ago that the people of culture are the true apostles of equality. And, "to make reason and the will of God prevail," were words that were offered as a motto for culture. But Shakespeare said it best in "The Merchant of Venice" when he wrote: "The man that hath no music in himself, nor is not moved with concord of sweet sounds, is fit for treasons, stratagems and spoils: the motions of his spirit are dull as night, and his executions dark as Erebus. Let no such man be trusted."

ELECTIONS OF SCHOOL BOARD MEMBERS

A news article in this week's Eagle serves as reminder that School Board elections will be held in Mills County on April 5 and that March 24 is the final date for filing with County Judge Lewis B. Porter the names of candidates for vitally important posts in the public service. On April 5 vacancies are to be filled on the County School Board and there will be elections to the Boards of the Priddy Common School District and to the Board of Independent Districts in Goldthwaite, Mullin and Star. It is necessary and urgent not only to vote in the April 5 School elections but also, between now and March 24, to prevail upon the best men available to file their names as candidates.

WHEN THE OLD BIRD WAS YOUNGER

10 YEARS AGO

(Taken From Eagle Files—February 27, 1942.)

Marriage licenses—Raymond Bolton and Angelyn Maxwell.

Rev. Joseph Davee and wife, former residents of Goldthwaite, but more recently of Brady, have returned to Goldthwaite to make their home. Bro. Davee is in his 85th year.

Wednesday at 12:45 a. m., a lone robber walked into Jack Long's Service Station here, threw a gun on Phillip Nickols, the night attendant, told him to unlock the cash register and then made him stand face to the wall while the robber took \$26 in cash from the register.

J. K. Davis has been confined to his home this week on account of illness.

Mr. and Mrs. Mike Johnson moved Tuesday into the house vacated by Jake Long and family.

Loy Strasner, who is with the R. A. F. at Toronto, Canada, was a week-end guest in the Marvin Rudd home.

J. C. Mullin is quite sick at his home, with very little change in his condition.

E. B. Anderson, who has been ill at his home here for several weeks, is able to be back at his office.

Mrs. D. E. Morris and children, Gerald and Larita, left Thursday of last week to join her husband in Tampa, Fla., where he has employment.

Mrs. Hud Hamilton and Mr. and Mrs. Carroll Lowrie of Corpus Christi came up Sunday for a visit with relatives.

Al Truman Langford, Delmer Don Geeslin, Woodrow Head and Vernon McCasland arrived at a camp in Florida, according to reports of their parents. They have deep sand and wood fires, which are different from Camp Bowie. — Center City News.

Among students making the honor roll at John Tarleton Agricultural College for the first semester of 1941-42 were Billie Ruth Daniel, James Coke Long, and Syble Miller of Goldthwaite.

The Goldthwaite Garden Club met February 18 in the home of Mrs. Neal Dickerson. Mrs. Dickerson, Mrs. Mack Horton, Mrs. H. B. Johnson and Mrs. L. E. Miller were hostesses.

A shower was given in the home of Mrs. Lee Clary for the latest bride in our midst, Mrs. Norris Witty. Mrs. Witty was formerly Miss Lenora Brown.—Star News.

Miss Frances Brammer visited her parents last week near Denton.

Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Duren visited their son, Norman, and wife at A. & M. last weekend.—Duren News.

Rev. and Mrs. E. E. Dawson, Mr. and Mrs. R. V. Littlepage, and Mrs. J. D. Sims attended the Taylor Brothers meeting at Brownwood last Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. Tom Keese is recovering from a case of flu.

Mesdames Farest Frazier, Hulon Fletcher, Carl Patterson, Earl Summy and V. C. Bradford spent last Thursday in Waco.

Mr. and Mrs. H. F. Bethell of Mountainair, N. M., arrived Sunday for a month's visit with her sister, Mrs. W. J. Weatherby.

D. D. Simms left for his home in Fresno, Calif., last Wednesday morning after spending a few days with the E. B. Anderson and Ed Gilliam families.

Last Thursday evening, the Women's Society of Christian Service of the Methodist Church complimented a number of the young women of the Church with a dinner at the Methodist Parsonage.

Mrs. J. S. Kemp passed another milestone Wednesday, and among her gifts was a surprise box, a lovely gift from Mrs. Ford Leineweber, a former neighbor now of Fort Worth.—Mullin News.

25 YEARS AGO

(Taken From the Eagle Files, March 4, 1927.)

Quite a bit of excitement prevailed in our little city last

Friday evening when the team of V. E. Porter started to run on the streets with his two little sons, one four and the other six years of age.

Mr. Porter had left the children to hold the team while he ran into one of the stores on business. The team began to move off, first at a walk and the further they got, the faster they traveled. The boys became panic stricken and began to holler. Young Woodrow Hamilton, seeing the danger, put on his best speed and caught the back of the wagon, bounded in, and secured control of the team at once, saving the boys from serious accident if not from death.—Mullin Enterprise.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom House are the parents of a new boy, who arrived Sunday, February 27.

B. J. Crawford and Gerald of Chappel Hill happened to the misfortune of letting their horses run away with the wagon while on the way to town. No one was hurt but the wagon was badly damaged.

Mrs. W. W. Condon of Abilene is here taking care of Mr. Urquhart's store while he is at Temple with his wife.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Dennis and children of Ranger spent last weekend with relatives here.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Morris visited Mrs. Bob Johnson in Brownwood last Sunday.

Van Lorence of Cross Plains visited Miss Hazel Fulton last Sunday.

Mrs. Joe Evans and little son of Brownwood spent the first of this week with relatives at Center City.

Mrs. R. Collins and little daughter, Dorothy, of Rising Star are spending this week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Chesser.

Mr. and Mrs. John Hester and children spent last weekend in Brownwood with relatives.

Judge E. B. Anderson made a business trip to Fort Worth Saturday.

Miss Addie Smith went to Dallas last Saturday night and spent a few days visiting Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Smith, who were attending the N.E.A. there. While in Dallas Miss Smith bought a nice line of Easter hats.

Mrs. Johnson and Jack spent last weekend in San Angelo.

Mrs. Carroll J. Lowrie and son, Jeff, and Mrs. Beauchamp of Waco spent last weekend here visiting Mr. and Mrs. Jeff Priddy and Mrs. Mollie Lowrie.

Mrs. I. O. Harvey and Lilla and Crystal Beal spent Sunday in Breckenridge.

Miss Lorena Fields, head of the art department of Howard Payne, is visiting in the home of Mrs. Charles Frizelle.

50 YEARS AGO

(Taken From Eagle Files, February 29, 1902.)

J. W. Mangum, the popular and very efficient and painstaking assistant postmaster of Mullin, had business in the probate court Wednesday and while here made the Eagle a pleasant call.

E. J. Shave was in from the Star community the first of the week. The fore part of last month Mr. Shave had the misfortune to be thrown from his horse and the animal kicked him, striking him on the jaw, breaking it and knocking out a number of his teeth. He is now able to be out but suffers considerably with his jaw.

Claude Eacott had the misfortune to cut his arm very badly Tuesday. He was using his knife to cut a bush when the blade slipped and penetrated the muscle in his fore arm. He is reported to be getting along without much suffering and will soon be able to attend to his duties on the ranch.

Gordon Brinson left Wednesday night for San Marchel, N. M. where he has secured a position in the railroad service. His brothers, Henry and Dick, have been at work there a long time and Horace Briggs is also there and has a position as brakeman on the road.

A telegram was received here Wednesday stating that Thurmond Sexton was dangerously low with pneumonia near Fort Worth. His brother George left on the night train for his bedside and wired his family yesterday that Thurmond was

GUEST EDITORIAL

(Editor's Note: An interesting, penetrating and also eminently fair editorial on the scandals in government has been published by the Scrips - Howard newspapers. The Eagle believes that this national election year of 1952 makes this an especially good time to reprint the editorial, which was entitled, "Lack of Competition." It is also especially fitting that the editorial be published in Texas, which suffers so greatly because the traditional American two-party system of government does not operate here. The editorial in point follows:)

One of the fundamental troubles with our government is well dramatized by the scandals in the Internal Revenue Bureau. It's this:

In the last generation, our traditional two-party system has been a one-and-a-half party system.

Efficient, orderly government depends on a fairly even balance between the two parties. This keeps alive a spirit of competition.

But for more than 20 years the Democrats have had it easy. They didn't need to worry much about national elections. The only question was the size of the majority.

In such conditions, the urge to make a good record slackens. There is a greater tendency to appoint the "good fellows" to responsible offices, regardless of qualifications—or even in spite of them.

So we have the sickening scandals in the Internal Revenue Bureau, and elsewhere in the government. Thieves have gained places of high power, but they are far outnumbered by plain incompetents, "good fellows" without the ability to manage a hamburger stand, much less a billion-dollar business.

Despite all the effort to shush and cover up, the courts will send a high percentage of the thieves to prison, but what of the jolly good fellows who actually have been vastly more expensive to the payers of taxes?

That's a loss we are going to take because these men know their way around the bowling alleys at election time, can sing a good tenor or know how to tell a funny story.

It is proper that the Democratic administrations, including Mr. Truman's, should be blamed for all this. But, human nature being in its currently imperfect state, you hardly would be justified in expecting much better.

A good share of the blame must be accepted by the Republicans, who have failed, in this generation, to offer either program or leadership adequate to win the confidence of the American people.

Thus the competitive system, which ought to keep our national affairs in some kind of balance, has failed for lack of competition.

We are coming to another national election, at which a change of Administration seems imperative. But this change will not come by default. Lacking a definite alternative, the voters again may prefer to bear those ills they have rather than fly to others they know not of. They did it four years ago.

That's the responsibility of the Republican leaders, both for their own good and for the future of the country.

considerably improved. Henry Teague of San Angelo spent Thursday in this city and secured a contract to build B. O. Harris a residence in San Saba County, a short distance beyond Warren Crossing.

Lacy Thompson left Saturday night for Terrell where he has secured a good position.

Miss Annie Blakeney of San Saba has been in the city this week visiting her friends, Misses Poca and Kate Taylor.

Mrs. L. R. Conroy was called to Mullin Saturday night by the sickness of her sister, Mrs. Ard. She returned home Sunday night.

Capt. D. T. Bush of Caradan was in the city Saturday. Tax Assessor Tyson and Deputy Assessor Frizzelle are busy taxing the valuation of property to make up the tax rolls for this year. We are informed that the valuations are about the same as last year.

W. T. Beckham and Henry Avery were among the visitors from Big Valley the first of the week.

Tom Gerald of McGirk has sold his farm to Captain E. A. Street of Star for a dry goods store at Evant.

The Eagle's Aery

By The Editor

Since apparently General Douglas MacArthur continues to be a highly popular personage in Texas, the editor thought that this week Eagle readers would be interested in an article with an unusual slant that has been written by Doris Fleeson, who is one of the most astute observers on the American political scene. Miss Fleeson, who really knows her way around both Washington and New York, takes the position that General MacArthur is out to see to it that both President Truman and General Eisenhower suffer defeat. The story, as Miss Fleeson sees it, is told in the following paragraphs.

Gen. Douglas MacArthur is determined that neither his five-star rival, General Eisenhower, nor Harry S. Truman shall be elected President of the United States next November.

Currently he is all out for Senator Robert A. Taft for the Republican nomination and the presidency.

But if Senator Taft does not make it at the Chicago convention, then General MacArthur will be ready to move in and exert all his power to nominate another candidate pleasing to him. Who else pleases him is not discussed; the MacArthur tactic is to assume that if all good men come to the aid of the party, Mr. Taft will win.

The implication is plain that, if necessary, the general will himself make the sacrifice.

This report of General MacArthur's feelings and tactics comes from sources whose access to the general and the Taft inner circle cannot be disputed. General MacArthur appears to assume that the hated President who dismissed him from his powerful Pacific command will be the Democratic candidate. The target is always Mr. Truman: He is the man who must be beaten for the sake of the country.

Possibly the general's intensity might abate if another Democrat were nominated. More probably he will under no circumstances relax his efforts to extirpate the present administration, root and branch.

General MacArthur sees 20 to 30 callers a day in his little Pentagon in New York's Waldorf-Astoria. Only reporters en masse are barred. He does not hold press conferences at which he can be questioned and cross-questioned.

He tells his callers that General Eisenhower is the poorest candidate the Republicans could nominate and would make the poorest President of them all.

He suggests that they go out and work for Senator Taft. He has made no such public statement. His people tell the Taft men that the general does not think a public statement is necessary; that, if he thought it were, he would make it.

The callers come away with the firm impression that MacArthur is saving his Sunday punches for Eisenhower and Mr. Truman.

It was not always thus in the case of General Eisenhower. When attached to the chief of staff, General MacArthur, during the early '30s, Captain Eisenhower wrote some very good speeches for his superior and their relations were excellent. Now the younger man's five stars are as lustrous as his former chief's.

Naturally there is speculation in political quarters as to whether anybody but Taft or MacArthur — might suit the bill to be considered a potential heir to that strength is Senator Everett Dirksen of Illinois. Senator Dirksen will have support of his Warwick, Conn. Tribune, if neither MacArthur nor General MacArthur can make it. How much longer he can go with a G. O. hungry for victory is dubious. In any case, General MacArthur is playing it the same way Senator Taft will in some useful delegates to the year. He will naturally toward his own support none of the other candidates. Governor Earl Warren, General Eisenhower, Harold Stassen have done him any favors. It is a clever move for General MacArthur, to stay behind — not too far behind of one just in case of a tie.

Miss Pearl Casbeer Plugs Eagle, Bank

Every day the Eagle receives wonderful letters from readers but it is rare to have a subscription renewal accompanied by verse. This week, however, Miss Pearl Casbeer of Abilene addressed the editor as follows:

When one is in a distant part To miss the home-town paper is a pity.

It always adds much to daily cheer, And news of those held most dear.

Papers, I see, from many a State, With my home-town paper they can't rate.

So here's my check, on the best of banks Send the paper quick — — and many thanks.

(It is hoped that the communication will be read by Raymond Casbeer and mailed to the management of Mills County State Bank. Casbeer is a member of bank's staff and his sister thoughtfully kept that in mind.)

YOUR RED CROSS NEEDS



Eternal Symbol of Love Marble or granite? Both are designed as a fond tribute to your loved ones. A LASTING TRIBUTE E. B. ADAM ON SAN SABA HIGHWAY — GOLDTHWAITE, TEXAS

Cemetery Stone Work Completion Marks Garden Club Achievement

Marking the passing of another big milestone in an effort that began on April 21, 1943, the Cemetery Committee of the Goldthwaite Garden Club this week announced completion of the stone posts that flank the entrance of the Goldthwaite Memorial Cemetery in northern and westerly directions.

The Garden Club's Cemetery Committee said this week since the effort began a total of \$8,360.53 has been expended for the entrance and flanking stone posts. The Garden Club has been largely instrumental in raising \$1,400.00 for the acquisition of an additional 20 acres of the Goldthwaite Memorial Cemetery, making a grand total of \$9,760.53 that has been expended by the committee for the improvement and beautification of the Cemetery.

A meeting at the Jennie Trent Dew Library on Wednesday afternoon of last week the Garden Club voted to continue the Cemetery Committee, which assumed responsibility for the stone posts. But the work that was planned originally had been done and it has been for, it was said. It was pointed out that so many persons and organizations had helped on the project, for which the local Club received a State Garden Clubs movement award in 1947, that it would be impossible to list all names.

During a period of almost two years, the project has included: Moving fences, cleaning and maintaining the Cemetery

and obtaining an architect at a total cost of \$1,175.00.

2— Construction of the stone entrance and columns at a cost of \$6,976.93.

3— The erection of a memorial stone and bronze plaque at a cost of \$208.60. The Cemetery entrance is a memorial to the men who made the supreme sacrifice in World War II.

The Garden Club's Cemetery Committee started from scratch. It was without funds when the project was adopted in 1943 and so its first fund-raising effort was an auction-rummage sale in October of that year. Proceeds of \$250.00 from the first day's sales generated so much enthusiasm that the Club soon voted to establish its Trading Post, which has been in business ever since and from which a modest but steady income has been derived.

A balance of \$127.65 from a former cemetery fund was voted to the Garden Club's committee. Records show resort to numerous other means of raising funds, including two minstrel shows, a white elephant sale, "which netted \$65.00," cake walks, cake and pie sales, waste paper pickups and sales, and the sale of cook books and calendars—to name only a few.

The Harry F. Edmondson Post number 289 of the American Legion and the Veterans of Foreign Wars raised and donated \$500.00 and there were donations from individuals and groups. Some of them were asked to sponsor the building of stone posts.

In recalling the work of the past nine years, it was emphasized repeatedly this week the help that had been given to the Garden Club's Cemetery Committee by so many persons and groups, including the members of the Garden Club itself and public officials.

As it carries on with its civic contributions the Garden Club's Cemetery Committee will continue to maintain the Trading Post, the sale of calendars and waste paper pickups.

Big Party Friday At Mullin School

There will be fun for everybody this Friday night at the Mullin School gymnasium where there is to be a box supper auction and entertainment—all for the good purpose of raising funds for awards to Mullin athletes who have been doing so well.

The entertaining Farren twins of Brownwood will be on the program and there will be a ventriloquist. Much of the fun also will be centered around the auctioning of box suppers. Presumably the ladies who prepare the suppers will be "sold" off with them.

Superintendent H. Howard Homsley has asked that those who attend the big doings at the Mullin gym Friday night also take pies and cakes that can be auctioned too. Festivities will get started at 7:30 p. m.

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BIRTHS

Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Tyson of Route 4, Brownwood, are the parents of a daughter, Gwendolyn Ann, born Friday, February 22, at 4:45 p. m., in Brownwood Memorial Hospital.

The maternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Lee of Mullin, and the paternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. N. J. Tyson of Zephyr.

Mr. and Mrs. Ellis Mahan of Goldthwaite are the parents of a new son, Ellis Benjamin, born Tuesday, February 19, at 5:30 p. m., in the San Saba Memorial Hospital. He weighed 7 pounds at birth.

The paternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Mahan of Goldthwaite, and the maternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Miller of Meigs, Ga. The Mahans have two other children, Wylie Harris, 3, and Elice, 2.

Center City HD Club

The Center City Home Demonstration Club was scheduled to meet on Thursday of this week with Mrs. Don Geeslin as the hostess. Mrs. Arnold Head, Reporter, said that at the last meeting the Club voted to give \$5.00 to the March of Dimes to aid in the fight against polio.

Mrs. J. S. Kemp Is Honored At Dinner

The family of Mrs. J. S. Kemp of Mullin honored her with a dinner at her home in Mullin on February 17, in observance of her 89th birthday anniversary. She was the recipient of many gifts.

Mrs. Kemp has been a resident of Mullin for many years and her friends joined in wishing her happiness.

Others in the Kemp family having birthdays in February that were honored were: Wilba Kemp and Billy of Fort Worth and Mrs. Marcus Kemp of Brownwood.

Those present for the family dinner were: Mrs. J. S. Kemp, E. A. Kemp and Miss Mary Kemp, Mullin; Mr. and Mrs. W. O. Kemp and family of Brownwood; Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Kemp, Brownwood; Mrs. Della Emmons, Los Angeles, California; Mr. and Mrs. Wilba Kemp and children, Fort Worth; Mrs. Sallie Kemp and Mrs. Beulah Applewhite and Jackie Applewhite, Tahoka; Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Gill, Jr. and son, Whon, Mr. and Mrs. J. N. Ratliff and son, Austin; Mr. and Mrs. Z. D. Kemp, Brownwood and Mr. and Mrs. Glenn DeLappe, Brownwood.

Friends that called in the morning were Mrs. F. E. Leinweber, Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Wilson and Mrs. W. H. Williams.

Cub Scout Party

Cub Scouts who are members of Dens in Pack 5 will gather with their parents and adult leaders at seven o'clock on Friday night of this week at the School lunchroom for their annual "blue and gold" party. Cubmaster Roger Powell said it was expected that about 150 Cubs and grown-ups would attend the party, at which a feature of the program will be a recounting of the history of Cubbing in Goldthwaite.

New Club Is Formed By Scallorn Ladies

At a meeting at the home of Mrs. Silas Burk on Thursday of last week the Scallorn Home Demonstration Club dissolved itself as such and reorganized as a Homemakers Society. Mrs. Ora Black reported that the decision was reached after discussion of the fact that it has been some time since Mills County has had a Home Demonstration Agent. Ten members attended the meeting. The next meeting of the Scallorn Homemakers Society will be held on March 20 at the home of Mrs. Johnnie Crawford.

Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Sutton and Mrs. H. Y. Phelan of Brownwood visited their sister, Mrs. E. L. Pass and Mr. Pass last Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Wilky and baby visited last Saturday with Mrs. J. M. Hicks.

Music Festival Will Bring Fine Talent To Goldthwaite On March 8

Young musicians and their adult leaders from a large area of Central Texas will come to Goldthwaite on Saturday of next week for the annual festival of the sixth district of the Federation of Music Clubs, of which Mrs. Sam Sullivan of Goldthwaite is President.

Arrangements for the festival are in charge of Mrs. T. M. Glass and Mrs. Malcolm Jernigan. Working with them are Mrs. Jim Weatherby, luncheon committee chairman; Mrs. Talbot Ledbetter, who will be in charge of registrations; Mrs. John G. Berry and Mrs. T. C. Graves, who will be hostesses to the judges; and Mrs. Mary Ellen Schulze and Mrs. Sam Sullivan, who will be in charge of pianos—at least eight of which will be needed for the festival.

Registrations will be at 8:00 a. m., on March 8 at the First Methodist Church, Mrs. Glass said. Pianists will play before judges at the Jennie Trent Dew Library, the T. M. Glass home, the Methodist Church and at other places. They will be rated in accordance with their approach to a standard rather than in competition.

Mr. and Mrs. George W. Reed will be tabulators of the scores by the young musicians as they appear before the judges. Mr. Reed is music instructor and director of the band at the Goldthwaite Schools.

Participants in the festival will come from Abilene, Brady, Brownwood, Cisco, Eastland, Ozona, San Angelo, San Saba, Sonora, Sweetwater, Ranger, Colorado City, Lorraine and other places.

Garden Club Will Give Horticulture Books To Library

Book donations to the Jennie Trent Dew Library were voted by the Goldthwaite Garden Club at a meeting on Wednesday of last week, when first prize for competition in colonial flower arrangements was awarded to Mrs. Jack Locklear.

For next month's Garden Club meeting all members have been requested to contribute a book on flower arrangements, horticulture or allied subjects. The volumes then will be presented by the Garden Club to the Library.

At the meeting on Wednesday of last week, which was held at the Library, the hostesses were Mrs. E. D. Roberson, Mrs. M. T. Burnham, Mrs. Gerald C. Head, Mrs. Luther Rudd, Mrs. E. D. Roberson and Mrs. Locklear. Colonial flower arrangements were by the hostesses and Mrs. Malcolm Jernigan, Club President. She was awarded second place while third and fourth places went to Mrs. E. D. Roberson and Mrs. Burnham, respectively.

The program also included projections of pictures by a committee in charge of Mrs. M. Y. Stokes, Jr., a book review of "Planning and Planting Your Own Garden," by Mrs. E. R. Bruce, and "February and March Garden Reminders," by Mrs. E. D. Roberson. An exchange of shrub plants was conducted by Miss Abbie Ervin.

The next Garden Club meeting on March 19 will be observed as "guest day." The guest speaker will be the garden editor of the Fort Worth Star-Telegram, Mrs. Mary Daggett Lake.

R. C. Millers Find Joe's Tennis Shoes

R. C. Miller of Pleasant Grove thought Mrs. Miller had a package in his car and Mrs. Miller thought her husband had made a purchase she didn't know about until last week's Eagle came out and they learned that the package contained new tennis shoes belonging to Joe Eugene Ethridge, 10, son of Mr. and Mrs. Earl Ethridge of Trigger Mountain. Joe Eugene mistook the Miller car for one owned by his Grandpa, Elmer Ethridge of Democrat. But all is well now because Mr. and Mrs. Miller read about what had happened.

er places. It is expected that the festival will attract several hundred participants and visitors.

Most of the participants in the festival will be 18 years of age or under. The big day will offer a rare opportunity to the public when, on Saturday afternoon of next week, there will be a Fine Arts program at the First Methodist Church. Accomplished young pianists will appear on the program, as will vocal artists and choral groups and adult musicians, including some of those who will be judges of the progress of festival participants.

The festival also will offer folk dancing and square dancing. The committee in charge said that further arrangements will have been completed in time for publication in next week's Eagle.

(The attention of readers is invited to an editorial on the significance of the festival that is published on page two of this week's Eagle.)

Goldthwaite HD Club

At a meeting at the home of Mrs. Lee White on Tuesday of this week the Goldthwaite Home Demonstration Club elected Mrs. Glyn Lewis as its T.D.H.A. candidate. Mrs. Lewis presented a T.D.H.A. report. She will be the hostess for the next meeting of the Club on March 11.

All members of Home Demonstration Clubs in Mills County, it was announced at the meeting, have been urged to attend a Home Improvement Workshop that will be held on March 13 and 14 on the campus of the Texas State College for Women at Denton. A limited number of persons who are not members of H. D. Clubs also will be welcome to attend the Workshop.

Mrs. Mae McMillon of Coleman visited Misses Abbie and Ruth Ervin Saturday.

HD Council Saturday

All members of Home Demonstration Clubs in Mills County and especially Council members were urged this week by Mrs. Tom McArthur to attend an important H. D. Council meeting that will be held in the basement of the Court House at 2:30 o'clock tomorrow afternoon, Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Willis Hill spent several days last week visiting his sisters, Mr. and Mrs. O. R. Wilson and Mr. and Mrs. Jim Giles, at San Antonio and his brother, Mr. and Mrs. Webb Hill, at Runge.



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Clarifying the relationship between the Central Texas Telephone Cooperative and those who have committed themselves to be subscribers to its service, Howard C. Perry, President of the Cherokee Rural Telephone Company, last week wrote to the Board of Directors of the Co-op to express complete confidence in the handling of affairs of the organization.

Mr. Perry wrote in behalf of the Directors of his company, which is to be absorbed by the Central Texas Telephone Cooperative, and he said that he and those associated with him had been in communication with enough of those who will receive Co-op service "to know that they are in perfect harmony with your present Board of Directors and the way you are handling the Co-op."

In his letter, Mr. Perry took note of "some rumors of dissension among subscribers" but he said that so far as the people of the Cherokee, Chappel, Bend and Colney areas are concerned "all are well satisfied with the progress made so far."

The letter by Mr. Perry appeared to have been prompted by the fact that some residents of the area in which the Central Texas Telephone Cooperative is to provide modern, dial telephone service have met informally in Goldthwaite on at least two occasions with Co-op Directors to ask for progress reports. There also have been "off the record" suggestions that the Co-op's Board of Directors be expanded—even before it could run its lines and inaugurate service to subscribers. Such matters were dealt with by Mr. Perry in his letter, the full text of which follows:

Board of Directors
Central Texas Telephone Cooperative
Goldthwaite, Texas
Gentlemen:

Since there have been some rumors of dissension among subscribers for telephone service in our section, we would like to explain to you that we are not parties to such. The majority of signed subscribers in San Saba County live and make their homes in and around Cherokee, Chappel, Bend and Colney areas. We have contacted enough of these subscribers to know that they are in perfect harmony with your present Board of Directors and the way you are handling the Co-op.

It has been our understanding from the beginning (as was explained by Mr. Ernest E. Wil-

son, your Secretary, when we signed applications) that the Cooperative was headquartered in, and we to remain in Mills County, Texas. We further understood that the present Board, who are the original incorporators under the charter, would function as the Board of Directors until the annual meeting. At the annual meeting, and not before, it has been our understanding that an incoming Board of Directors would be elected by the members, with due regard to geographical location throughout the whole area of the project.

As far as people throughout these areas are concerned, all are well satisfied with the progress made so far. The vast majority of people throughout here have not asked for any change in your operations nor additions or changes to your Board of Directors.

We have not been parties to any dissenting groups, we did not authorize any person or groups of persons to register any complaints to you on our behalf, and regret that any such representation was made.

While we do not know of any of the McCulloch County subscribers who are dissatisfied with the existing organization as it is now functioning, if, as a whole, they are dissatisfied, then we ask the present Board of Directors to request the Rural Electrification Administration to divide the project into two portions. Then, let the McCulloch County applicants take whatever steps they see fit to further the progress of their own project, but that they not delay the progress of the Mills-San Saba portion of our Cooperative.

Inasmuch as we, the Directors of the Cherokee Rural Telephone Company might help you to understand our position in the matter, and if you think that publishing this in the San Saba paper will be of benefit to you, you are at liberty to do so.

Sincerely yours,
Cherokee Rural Telephone Company

By (Signed) Howard C. Perry, President, and for the Board of Directors.
(Editor's Note: The last paragraph of Mr. Perry's letter obviously has reference to the fact that in its issue of February 15 the San Saba News published a news article by John Bogard describing in some detail a meeting in Goldthwaite at which some residents of the area to be served by the Central Texas Telephone Cooperative asked for representation on the

Nazarene Program Wednesday



The Rev. and Mrs. C. B. McCaull of Dothan, Ala., who are pictured above with one of Mr. McCaull's chalk drawings, will provide the program at the Church of the Nazarene in Goldthwaite at 7:30 o'clock on Wednesday night of next week. The Rev. J. E. Coe, Pastor, said that the McCaulls have traveled extensively in

the United States in the course of their religious work. Mrs. McCaull sings and plays the guitar as her husband makes his chalk drawings of religious subjects. The public has been cordially invited to attend next Wednesday night's service at the Church of the Nazarene in Goldthwaite, Brother Coe said.

The Rev. Kyle Sims Does Mission Work

The Rev. Kyle Sims, principal of the Bend School, has been elected Pastor of the Mexican Baptist Mission at San Saba. Brother Sims, who began his work at the mission two weeks ago, is a son of Mrs. J. D. Sims of Goldthwaite. The mission at San Saba is supported jointly by the Baptist Workers Association of Mills and San Saba Counties.

Miss Darlene Long of Fort Worth spent the weekend in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Long, and with other relatives and friends.

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Co-op's Board of Directors. Mr. Bogard's article was accurate, fair and objective and it was so described by Board members. They have pointed out, however, that pressure for an expanded Board has been applied in most cases by persons who would not be subscribers to Co-op service. It has been pointed out, also, that the Central Texas Telephone Cooperative originated in Mills County, that the "spade" work for it has been done by Mills County men and that expansion has been at the request of residents of adjoining Counties. Secretary Wilson indicated that the Board of Directors of the Co-op might make a statement regarding Mr. Perry's letter after the next meeting of the Board, for which a date has not yet been set.)

See Mullin FFA Boys For The Full Story

Ask any member of the Mullin Chapter of the Future Farmers of America how you can help their treasury. There is a fat hog in the story and it could be that it might end up in your hog pen through the route of donations to the Mullin F.F.A. Chapter. There are good reasons why the Mullin Future Farmers of America need to fatten up their treasury. First, that fat hog has to be fed. Second, the Chapter has its annual Father and Son Banquet coming up on April 10. Finally, the Mullin F.F.A. boys are planning a trip to Mexico. What is to happen to the fat hog will be decided on March 29.

Mrs. Higler Dies

Mrs. Bruce Higler, daughter of Mrs. R. A. Cox, who has lived in Scallorn for about five years, died on February 21. She was born at Novice on March 30, 1920, and was married to Bruce Higler at Coleman in 1942. Survivors, in addition to Mrs. Cox and Mr. Higler, are two sisters, Mrs. Carl Stewart of Coleman and Mrs. Ralph Shaffer of Sweetwater. Mrs. Higler, who was the former Rowena Inez Courtney, was a member of the Immanuel Baptist Church at Talpa and of the Order of the Eastern Star at Coleman.

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Open House Is Held For J. C. Fisher, 80

J. C. Fisher of Zephyr, who was reared near Mullin, was honored on his 80th birthday anniversary by his children. Open house was held at the Community House, Zephyr, last Sunday afternoon. Approximately 200 friends and relatives called to pay their respects.

Mr. Fisher's ten children were present. They are: J. W. Fisher and Roy Fisher, Brownwood; Ernest Fisher and Mrs. Elsie Horton, Lubbock; Mrs. Grace Greer and Mrs. Lois Lockridge, Zephyr; Mrs. Ruth Turner, Blanket; Mrs. Mary Lou Locke, Mullin; Mrs. Melba Coursey, Brownwood and Mrs. Kathryn Smith, Carlsbad, New Mexico.

His two brothers, S. J. and W. T. Fisher of Mullin were present and his sister, Mrs. Ellen Coleman, Comanche. Another sister, Miss Alice Fisher, of Chicago, Illinois, was unable to attend.


Football Practice

Spring football practice, under Coaches Carl Knox and Jack Locklear, began for the Eagles and Eaglets of the Goldthwaite High School on Thursday of last week. Spring training will continue for 30 calendar days under the regulations of the Texas Interscholastic League. Mr. Locklear said that 61 boys had turned out for the spring training.

Coach Knox said this week that the 1952 schedule for the Goldthwaite Eagle already has been completed. The season will start on September 12 when the Eagles play Cross Plains here at home. Conference games will start on October 17.

Star School Meeting

Matters of importance to the citizens of the Star Independent School District will be discussed on Tuesday night of next week at 7:30 o'clock at the Star School gymnasium. Superintendent LeRoy Beard has urged a full attendance at next Tuesday night's meeting.



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Baptist Workers Meet At Priddy Monday With Brother Joe Emery

The Rev. Joseph L. Emery, former Pastor of the First Baptist Church of Goldthwaite, will be one of the featured speakers on Monday night of next week when the Mills County Baptist Workers Association will hold



JOSEPH L. EMERY

its regular monthly conference at the Priddy Baptist Church.

Brother Emery, who recently was elected President of the Baptist Church's District 16, which includes nine Texas Counties, now is Pastor of the First Baptist Church at Ballinger.

The Rev. J. T. Ayers, Moder-



ator of the Association, will present Pastor of the First Baptist Church of Goldthwaite, said that "The Ministry Music" will be the theme of Monday night's meeting, which will start at 5:00 p. m. Meetings of the W.M.S. Board, Supper will be served the host Church at Priddy, which the Rev. Travis Ellis, Pastor, Brother Ellis also will be the Trigger Mountain Baptist Church.

In addition to an address, Brother Emery next Monday night the Rev. James Newman, Pastor of the Caradan Baptist Church, will speak on "God and Worship," and the Rev. Don Jones, Assistant Pastor of the First Baptist Church of Goldthwaite, will speak "Gospel Songs and Song Books."

It is expected also that J. R. Hickerson, Baptist, District Missionary, will attend Monday night's Association meeting at Priddy.

Mr. and Mrs. Erroll Shepard and children of Copperton visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Levi Aldridge, Sunday.

Robert Lee Gibbins of Brownwood spent a few hours Tuesday with his uncle, E. L. and wife.

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Lions Club Hears Of Rapid Growth Of Organization

Goldthwaite Lions and their ladies met last Monday night with Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Smith and Mr. and Mrs. Don Clark of the Mullin Lions Club among the guests to hear Dr. A. Lewis Kline of Del Rio report on gratifying accomplishments by Lions throughout a vast area of Texas.

Dr. Kline, who is Governor of District 2-A, which extends from Brownsville to Winters, was accompanied to Monday night's dinner meeting at the Hangar by Mrs. Kline and by Mr. and Mrs. T. D. Swenson of Llano. Mr. Swenson is Deputy District Governor. There are 148 Lions Clubs in District 2-A and since he became Governor last July, Dr. Kline has visited 106 of them. He will visit the remainder during the next few months.

Lions International now has 420,000 enrolled members in 34 nations. Dr. Kline told the local Club. He reported that in this District all of the Lions Clubs are working on numerous civic projects. When Dr. Kline recently called for a report from

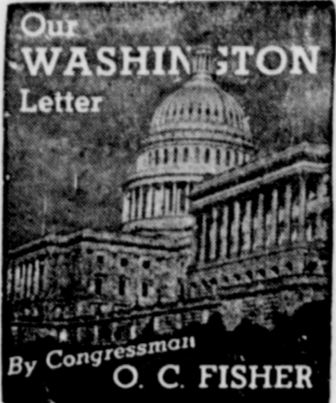
Lions Club secretaries on the work of the individual units the response was 100 per cent. John A. Jackson is Secretary of the Goldthwaite Lions Club.

At Monday night's meeting President Ray Duren called for reports on Lions Club projects here. Leston F. Bain told of plans for the BIG STYLE SHOW that will be produced and presented by the Lions Club at the Grammar School Auditorium on the night of March 8.

Story Telling Hour

Those who attend the regular Tuesday afternoon Story Telling Hour for children of pre-school age, which now is being held at the Mills County Youth Center of the First Baptist Church on Fisher Street, are asked to use the side entrance. The Goldthwaite Art and Civic Club, which sponsors the Story Telling Hour every Tuesday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock, will welcome all children between the ages of three and six and their mothers next Tuesday afternoon.

Mrs. Royce Brown and Royce Deo of Richland Springs spent a few days last week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Ince



Defense officials have come to refer to the exhibits of waste before the House Armed Services Subcommittee as the "chamber of horrors". It is indicated that some members of the armed forces are disposed to write off duplications and waste too lightly. Certainly the taxpayer has a right to be angry when he reads of one service paying substantially more than another service for the same supply item.

This expression and the attendant recent publicity was a result of a committee display of various items, picked at random, purchased by the various services at prices that in some instances were far from uniform, even though the things

bought were practically identical.

For a year now, the subcommittee, headed by Rep. Hebert of Louisiana, of which I am the ranking member, has been exposing waste and inefficiency wherever it could be found. As a result, multiplied millions have been saved, new centralized procurement methods have been set up, and procurement officers have become more economy-conscious. All three of the services have cooperated with the committee in this re-vamping operation.

Of major importance has been the Committee's drive for a uniform catalogue system for all supply items. The Munitions Board has the task of unifying procurement between the services. Already, some 15 million separate catalogue items have been reduced to 1,500,000. This is a painstaking process. In some instances, one item has been found to have as many as 50 different listings.

We are assured that once this uniform catalogue system is perfected, cases of excessive purchases will no longer result. And there will no longer be any excuse for the "chamber of horrors".

Whether we like it or not, ever since our government was founded, politics plays a big part in lawmaking and in party policies, particularly on Presidential election years. Evidence of politics is often bad in legislating, because too much attention is given by some Members to votes in November rather than to what should be done in some instances.

It is no wonder, therefore, that early elections and primaries are watched with eagles by Party Bigwigs, watching for indications of how the voters may line up in November when the chips are down. A special election in New York City last week grabbed Washington headlines because an anti-Truman Republican defeated a pro-Truman Democrat in the election of a Congressman from a normally Democratic district. The vote was light, and it might not mean much. But it was a "straw in the wind" as both Party leaders put their interpretations on it.

Some Dopesters, who get paid for using crystal balls and writing out theories and exploding others, think the "straw" indicates a swing toward more conservatism as opposed to Fair Dealism and excessive spending. If that is true, the trend bodes well for Southern conservatives who have been out-grokn against many of the Truman Fair Deal policies and non-essential spending in recent years, and who have not gone along with the leadership which has been smitten with a pro-labor complex on issues where the Big Brass in the unions have favored excessive spending and many "Welfare State" measures.

Then, there are the crystal gazers who figure the South might revolt this year and thereby throw the election of a President into the House of Representatives for the first time since 1824. If, they reason, the South should refuse to accept the Democratic or Republican candidate for President, and favor their own choice, the election would then go to the House of Representatives.

Personals

Mr. and Mrs. Curley Howard and Mr. and Mrs. Oda Daniel and children of Brownwood visited Sunday with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Obenhaus.

Oscar Burns has returned home from a month's visit in Austin with his son, Mr. and Mrs. James Oscar Burns and James Oscar, Jr.

Guests of Mr. and Mrs. Jim Witty of Star last Sunday were S/Sgt. and Mrs. Don Hill and Mr. and Mrs. Allen Wood and their son, all of San Angelo; and Mr. and Mrs. Wesley Witty and their sons of Longview, Capt. and Mrs. James W. Witty and their children of San Antonio, Mr. and Mrs. Norris Witty and family, Mrs. Lee Clary and her children and Mr. and Mrs. John Witty.

The last time the House decided an election was in the contest between Andrew Jackson and John Quincy Adams. Jackson got 99 electoral votes in the election and Adams got only 84. However, Adams won in the House balloting when Henry Clay threw his support to Adams and as a reward was named Secretary of State.

In the House elections (if an impasse should occur and neither candidate got a majority of electoral votes in November) the voting is by States. Each State has one vote. The vote is cast by the State's Congressional delegation after a caucus. Bitter wranglings could be expected within the various delegations. In the case of Texas, most of the Members are considered conservative and through a coalition consistently oppose extravagance and socialistic measures despite the Party leadership and Administration overtures.

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Personal News Of Mullin

By MARSALETE SUMMAY

Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Pyburn, Jr., and Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Masters visited points of interest in Arkansas last week.

Charles Mankin of Texas University, Austin, visited home folks last week.

Mrs. Della Emmons of Los Angeles has been visiting in the home of her brother, W. L. Barker, and Mrs. Barker.

James Hillman of College Station was a recent visitor with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Hillman.

Mrs. Jack Hynes returned to her home in San Antonio last week after visiting her sister, Miss Reba Tillman.

Mrs. W. S. Kemp and Mrs. Eaton of Brownwood were guests of the local P.-T. A. on Monday evening, February 18th. Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Hays of Somerville visited last week with Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Hays. W. L. Barker visited in the home of his sister, Mrs. Ella Brewer in Waco last week; Mrs.

Della Emmons and Mrs. Baird of California were guests in the home of Mrs. Brewer.

Miss Ellie Thames of Brownwood visited Miss Reba Tillman Sunday.

Mrs. A. F. Shelton visited relatives in Zephyr last weekend.

Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Sam Self were his in-law, Mrs. Julia Self of Comstock and Mrs. May Allen of Mrs. Nell Walker of Leakey.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Finley, little daughters of Coleman, visited Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Wynn Saturday.

Mrs. Dwight S. Perrin, Tucson, Ariz., was a guest of Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Ekins last weekend. Mrs. Perrin stopped off in Goldthwaite three days on her way home from Tucson after a month's stay in New York.

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Loy Long Grocery's RECIPE OF THE WEEK By Mary Lee Taylor

Tuna Macaroni Slices
Broadcast: March 1, 1952

1 well-beaten egg
1/2 cup Fat Milk
1/2 cup water
1/2 teaspoon dry mustard
2 teaspoons grated onion
1/2 teaspoon salt

2 cups cooked macaroni, drained
1 cup grated American cheese
1 cup flaked tuna, canned
4 tablespoons catsup

Mix egg, milk, water, mustard, salt, macaroni, cheese, and tuna in bowl. Put mixture into a greased baking dish measuring about 9 x 5 inches. Bake in a moderate oven (375°) 45 min. or until firm and light brown. Cut into pieces. Top each with equal parts of catsup. Makes 4 servings.

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John L. Boland Gives Away Funny Money During Visit "At Home"

of that funny money Texans have been selling funds for Eisenhower president and that other peddled to Yankee sucker in New York recently was to Goldthwaite late week by John L. Boland, was "back home" visiting Boland, formerly of Mulders, Goldthwaite and lately in town, now makes his headquarters in Cleveland, near the Texas-size bills handed out with great determination were more than five long and 5 1/2 inches. They were marked "One Texas Buck." Called "Gold Certificates," they had that "there is on unlimited amount of good money in the Magnificent State of Texas." What appeared to be an engraving of the Washington was marked "again." A second look at a rootin' tootin' cowboy his pistol. The left of G. W. and the certificate is tender appreciation for cancelling all debts,

public and private." In place of the serial numbers that appear on real money—if any of such still is in existence—there were "I C U R A T E X A N F U R I M 2" and "I O U I 2 B C N U N 1952." Get it? There was, of course, the Alamo, an oil derrick, Texas under six flags and, naturally, "The Eyes of Texas. . ."

Mr. Boland's largesse was distributed only to the Eagle's Miss Ruth Ervin and to Harvey Ekins, who is known, but obviously affectionately, to Mr. Boland only by reputation.

Oh yes—under a seal of a derrick sticking up out of the tidelands on the funny money there was the inscription—"in hock tu ofin." Lest anybody miss that one's meaning, the proper translation is, "in hock too often."

Come back soon, Mr. Boland—but please be advised that the hard traders in the Eagle's composing room refused to accept your funny money in lieu of last week's salary. They are not true collectors of Texicana, are they?

Scallorn News

By ORA BLACK

The weather man played a trick on us with his icy fingers when a cold norther blew in Sunday night bringing showers for which we feel very grateful. Up to this time our rain gauge almost reaches 1/2 inch of moisture.

Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Black spent part of last week in Del Rio and Old Mexico.

We learned with regret the passing away of Mrs. Cox's daughter who's home was in Talpa. Several from our community attended the funeral. The Cox's moved here five years ago from Talpa and have proved to be among some of our true and dependable friends.

Jim Hunt who makes his home here with his sister, Mrs. John Harris, arrived in Lometa Sunday, after having spent part of the winter in Amarillo.

Mr. and Mrs. Hobert Smith and family of Austin spent the weekend here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Fate Eckert.

The musical in our home Saturday evening drew a large crowd of friends and neighbors from surrounding communities. People from Mullin, Goldthwaite, Long Cove, Chadwick

and Lometa were present. The musical furnished by the Smith family, five of them in all, accompanied by Terrell Casbeer and Bob Kirby excelled that of some of our talented radio performers. Charlie Bryant from Goldthwaite brought with him the hymnals used by the Downtown Men's Bible Class where he lead in spiritual singing accompanied on the piano by his little daughter and the writer.

Refreshments were served at a late hour by the hostess assisted by Mrs. Fred Laughlin, Lina McLean and Hazel Black.

Jane Black accompanied by Wanda Traylor from Howard Payne, Brownwood, spent Sunday with her parents.

Thurman Johnson from A. & M. spent the weekend with his parents.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Bishop called Saturday evening in Priddy with the Oxfords.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Blake of Brownwood were weekend guests of her mother, Ora Black.

At this time Monday A. M. the rain has turned to snow and if it continues to fall as it is now doing the ground will soon be covered.

Yvonne Johnson spent the weekend in Franklin with friends.

After spending the winter here with Mrs. Dick Hughes, Mrs. Lona Jenkins accompanied by her brother, Mr. Stucky, father of Mrs. Hughes and Wimple Clements left Friday for Little Rock Arkansas.

Mr. and Mrs. Vernon O'Bannon and daughter, Patricia spent last week in San Antonio exhibiting show stock of Mrs. Dick Hughes.

Mrs. Boogher Here

With their daughter, Mrs. Lane Boogher of Chicago, Mr. and Mrs. Ira O. Harvey drove to San Antonio on Tuesday of this week to visit Mr. and Mrs. Omar Harvey and their daughters, Martha Lee and Carol Lynn. Mrs. Boogher greatly surprised and pleased her parents last Sunday when, unannounced, she arrived in Goldthwaite with her brother, Weyman Harvey of Fort Worth. The BIRD DOG Ted was not allowed to make the trip to San Antonio. He remained at home to keep an eye on the neighbors.

Guests of Mr. and Mrs. Dutch Smith last Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. Clifton Hord of Baird and Corporals Bill and Bob McDall of Amarillo.

Caradan Club Quilt

The Caradan Community Club will meet on Friday of next week with Lottie Denman as the hostess. Members of the Club met on Wednesday of last week for an all-day quilting at the home of Mrs. Roy Simpson. A quilt was completed for the R. K. Shipmans, whose home recently was totally destroyed by fire. At a previous meeting Mrs. Drue Cline was the hostess and special guests were Mrs. Doyle Wright and her new son. The eight members who were present nearly completed a quilt.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Thomas of Amarillo are visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Fate Eckert.

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Mark Fairmans Visit

Mr. and Mrs. Mark Fairman, Jr., of Lockney came to Goldthwaite to visit Mr. Fairman's mother, Mrs. Lucile Fairman, last weekend. Then the three Fairmans drove to Pleasanton to visit Mr. and Mrs. Fred McKenzie and their family.

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By PEARL CRAWFORD

We have had most all kinds of weather. A few showers have been reported. At this writing, we have a little snow and rain and it is much cooler.

Bill Partin sawed wood for F. H. Tiemann Wednesday. It looks as though most all the farmers are up with their work until planting time.

We were glad to hear from Franklin Dew Weathers through the Goldthwaite Eagle. Yes, we all hope Franklin's tour to the Islands will be a happy one. Since Franklin is a grandson of our old neighbor, Mrs. John B. F. Wiggly, we all feel near to him.

Mrs. Jess Ivy made a business trip to Evant Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. O. A. Evans, Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Crawford, and Bill Partin were visitors during last week of B. J., G. H. and Pearl Crawford.

Our latest news of Mrs. Sam Koen is that she is still confined to her room. She had improved the last few days.

Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Crawford and William G. attended the Breeders Livestock show at Hamilton Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. O. A. Evans visited at the Bill Partin home during last week.

O. A. Evans received news Wednesday that his sister, Mrs. J. N. Crook, was seriously ill at her home in Abilene. Willis Aubrey Crook of San Antonio visited his mother during last week. Mr. and Mrs. Crook were residents in this community so long and were such lovely neighbors that it grieves our hearts to hear of her illness.

This scribe enjoyed some home baked light bread at the home of Mr. and Mrs. O. A. Evans Saturday afternoon. Others who visited at the Evans home included: G. H. Crawford, R. C. Petty and Jimmy and Mrs. Jess Ivy.

Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Partin and family of Texas City spent the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. C. G. Partin. Floyd reported three inches of rain at his home, and it was raining when they left.

Mr. and Mrs. William Ivy and children were Sunday afternoon guests of Mr. and Mrs. Jess Ivy.

Tom Stevens, T. J. and Alvis of Lubbock visited at the O. A. Evans and A. L. Crawford homes Saturday. The Stevenses went to the Colorado River to do some fishing.

R. F. Daniel helped his son, Floyd, paper their house during last week.

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Churches Of Christ Sponsor Radio Broadcasts On Sunday Afternoons

Minister James A. Fry of the Church of Christ in Goldthwaite told this week of the inauguration of a nation-wide radio broadcast that may be heard every Sunday afternoon and that has been made possible by contributions from Churches of Christ in all parts of the country.

"I urge that all persons listen to the broadcast, 'A Herald of Truth,' at one o'clock on Sunday afternoon on WBAP—570 on your radio dial," Minister Fry said. He added that the same program also may be heard an hour later—at 2:00

o'clock—every Sunday afternoon at 1490 on radio dials.

The inspiring, religious programs have been on the air for the past two Sundays and they will continue indefinitely, Minister Fry said. Their overall theme is, "The Plea, Back To The Bible." The programs are carried nation-wide on the facilities of the American Broadcasting Company.

"They may be heard on more than 500 stations," Minister Fry said. "The programs are sponsored through the cooperation of hundreds of Churches of Christ, which have no denominational organization but which have banded together to bring messages of encouragement and inspiration into the homes of all of our people, regardless of creed."

After the program was conceived, devoted young men who refused to be discouraged by the cost of radio time on a nation-wide, network basis toured the country to obtain from Churches of Christ the funds that have made the series a reality.

Mr. and Mrs. Omar Harvey of San Antonio and their daughters, Martha Lee and Carol Lynn, spent last weekend with Mr. Harvey's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ira O. Harvey of Fisher Street.

Singers To Attend Baptist Revival

The regular Singing of the Men's Downtown Bible Class of Goldthwaite will start promptly at seven o'clock on Friday night at this week at the Mills County Youth Center of the First Baptist Church. Song Leader W. C. Frazier said that after a half hour those who attended the Singing will attend the revival services at the First Baptist Church, for which the Rev. Frank Gillham is preaching.

Hillside Mission

By LIDA BYRNE

There is evidently a cure for every known disease, as told by inspired men, and printed in the Bible, but we by-pass Wisdom and Understanding, leaving the Bible covered with dust or hidden under something, and through our sins have alienated ourselves from God. As some one has said: "Some of us are not on speaking terms with God." We have adopted the modern way of living and get no satisfaction and peace of mind.

Billy Mace Collier Ends Marine Course

Pfc. Billy Mace Collier of the Marine Corps, son of Mr. and Mrs. Tom Collier of Goldthwaite, was graduated on Tuesday from the Marine Corps Basic Supply School at Camp LeJeune, N. C. During the course he was trained in personnel transportation and disbursing, procurement, distribution and accounting for supplies. Prior to his assignment at Camp LeJeune, Pfc. Collier completed boot camp training at the Marine Corps Recruit Depot in San Diego, Cal.

Witty Going Abroad

Captain James W. Witty, son of Mr. and Mrs. Jim Witty of Star, is scheduled to leave for overseas military service on March 17. His latest Army assignment has been in San Antonio.

Mullin Basketball Juniors Win Tourney

Eighth and ninth grade basketball players of the Mullin School, both boys and girls, played in an invitation tournament at Pooleville last weekend. The girls, coached by Superintendent H. Howard Homsley, defeated Dennis 58 to 32 in the first round and after winning over Santo 42 to 32 in the semi-finals they went on to capture the tournament by defeating Perrin 36-27.

In the first round the boys, coached by Johnnie Smith, won from Dennis. They defeated Pool in the semi-finals, to give them second place in the tournament, but in the finals they were eliminated by Weatherford.

Mullin girls who played in the Pooleville tournament were Betty Ethridge, who continued to maintain her high-scoring record; Queenie Homsley, Peggy Pafford, Barbara Williams, Loretta Spinks, Peggy Bramblett, Sue Rowlett, Bobbie Slaughter, Shirley Eilers, Jane Shelton and Bonnie Harmon.

The Mullin boys were Bobby Edgar, Wesley Lee, Jimmy Davidson, Doyce Anderson, Ross Rowlett, Jake Bramlett, Wayne Mosier, Jimmy Wilkins and Short Chesser.

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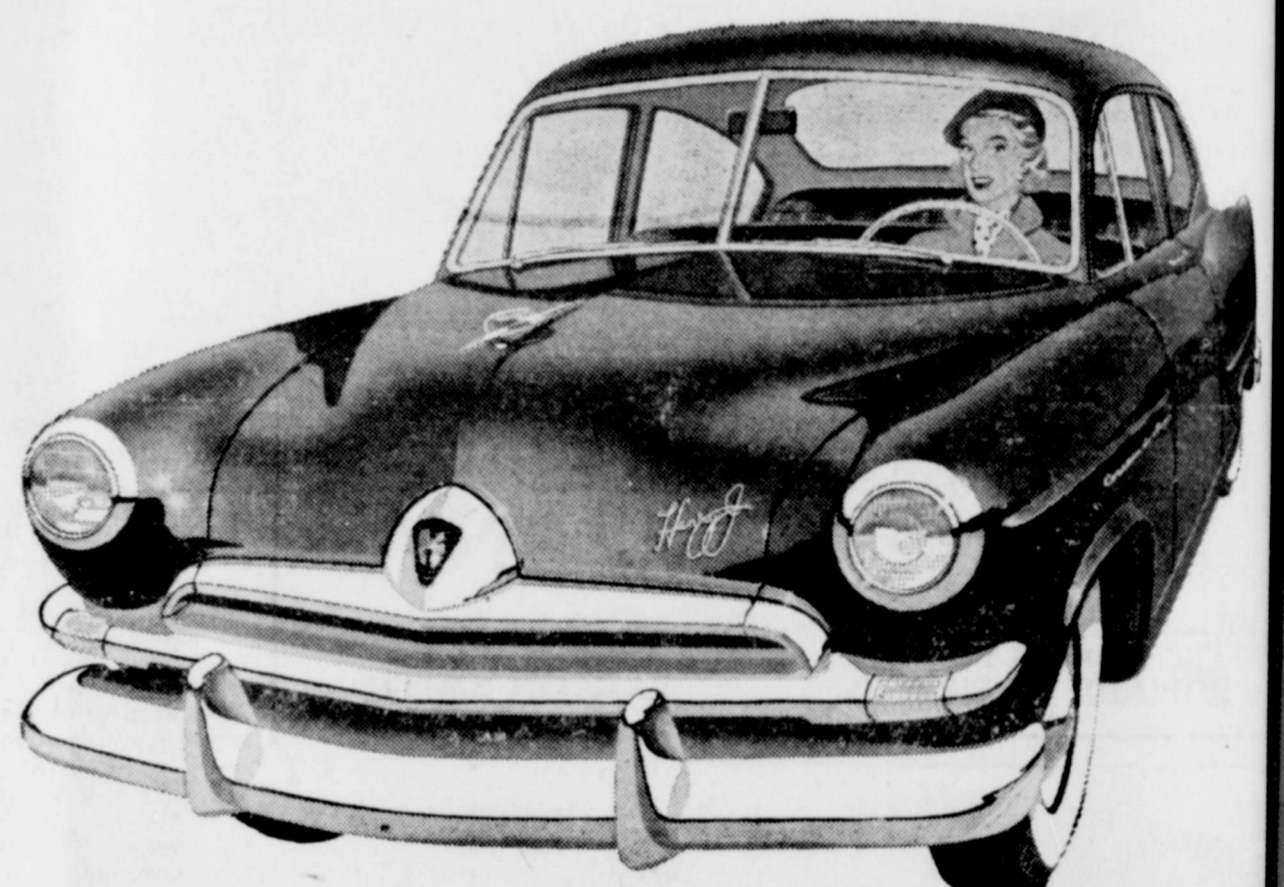
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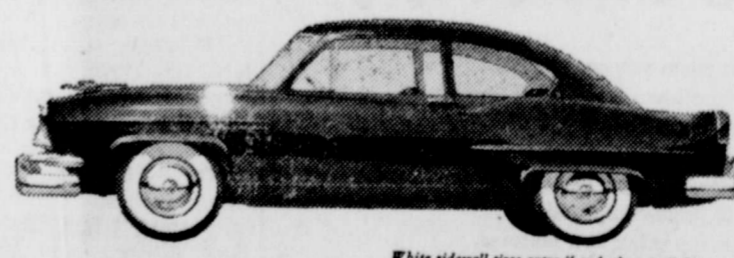
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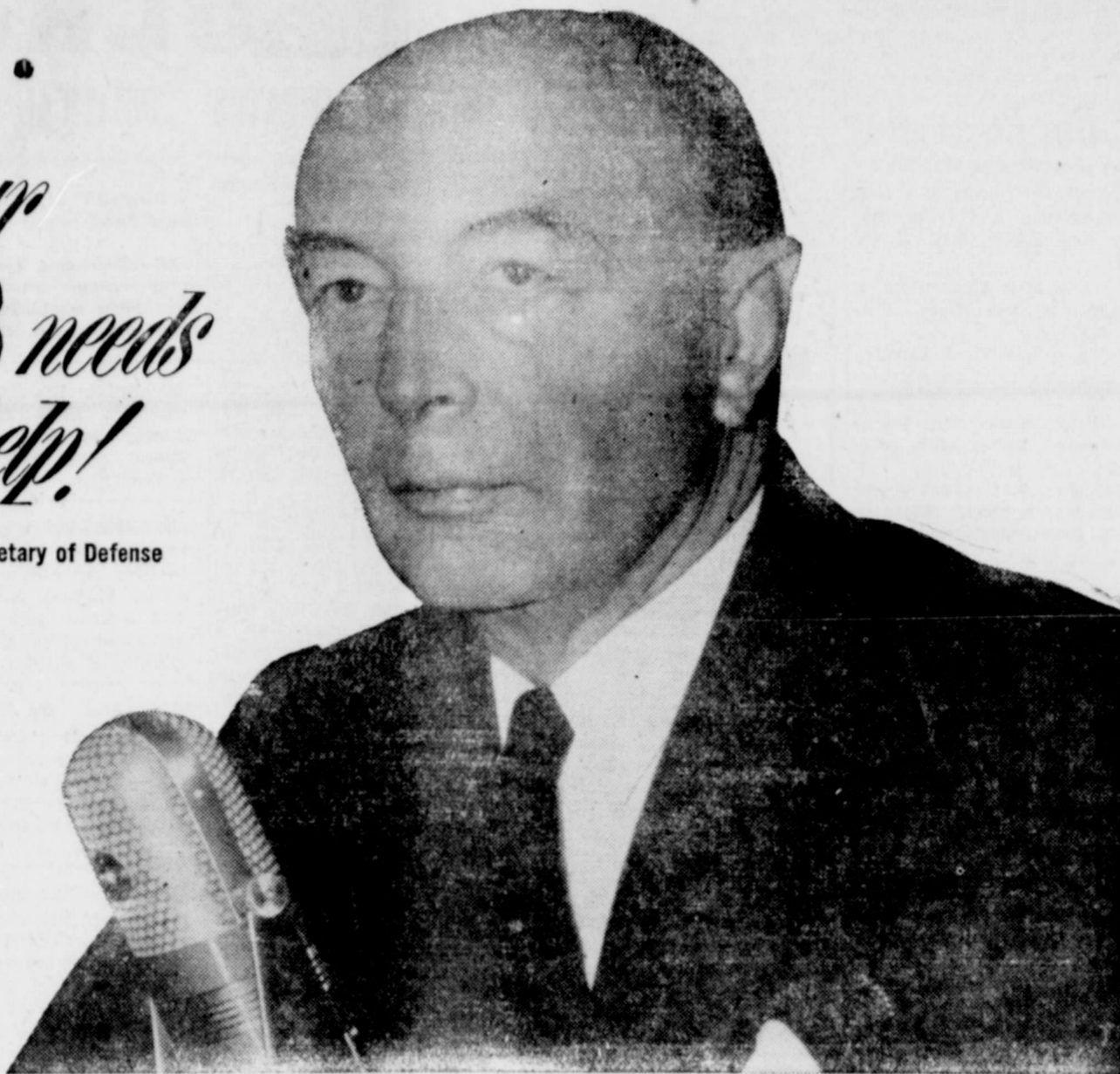
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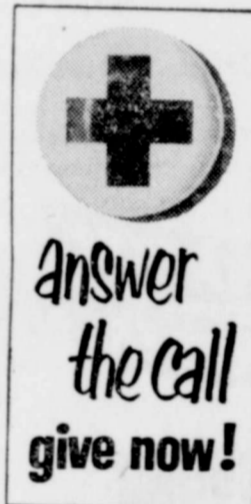
Millions of Americans are being trained by the Red Cross for self-protection in any national emergency. This has required a considerable increase in personnel and the organization will grow larger still as our Armed Forces expand.

America needs the Red Cross and I hope that everyone will support it to the extent of his ability.

Robert A. Lovett
Secretary of Defense



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In 85 Cases Rendered Service to War Veterans and
Their Dependents.
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In 1951 the Mills County Chapter of the American Red Cross also cooperated with the Goldthwaite Lions Club in providing four Open House programs for hospitalized men in the Veterans Administration Hospital in Waco.

**THE MILLS COUNTY CHAPTER OF
YOUR AMERICAN RED CROSS**

Star News

By DORA GOODE

Dude Dupuy of Austin, was in Sunday for a visit with his father, Lawrence Dupuy.

Mr. and Mrs. Roland Kinche-loe of Grand Prairie, and relatives from Pampas met at the home of Aunt Maggie Soules last Sunday.

Mrs. Lonnie Baker, and Mr. and Mrs. Davis ate dinner with the Slim Hurst family last Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Walton Moore were visitors in Star one day last week. They live in the North Bennett community, and like their new home fine.

Mrs. Burt Ball, our postmistress, took several days off over the weekend for a visit with relatives.

Mrs. Will Gent visited her daughter, Mrs. O. J. Lee in Ewant, last week.

Miss Lucy Mae Burrus visited

with her sister at Priddy, over the weekend.
We had over six tenths of an inch of rain during the past two weeks. Some reports in the neighborhood were more than that.

Mullin Personals

By MARSALETE SUMMY

Mrs. Clark Coursey and sons of Brownwood visited Saturday with her sister, Mrs. G. H. Locke.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Reid of Goldthwaite were Mullin visitors Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Sanders, Mr. and Mrs. Garland Aldridge and Mr. and Mrs. R. B. Boyles and Rita Kay were recent visitors in Austin with relatives.

Miss Jo Ann Crockett of Odessa was a recent visitor in Mullin with friends and relatives.

Mrs. Jewell Ivy and Mrs. F. E. Leineweber were Goldthwaite visitors Tuesday.

YOUR RED CROSS NEEDS YOU

Recent visitors in the home of G. B. Wallace and daughter, Mrs. Vesta McCormick, were Mr. and Mrs. Oran Coor, Van Court; Mr. and Mrs. H. G. Wallace and daughters, San Angelo and Mrs. Katie Pyburn, Waco.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Greer and sons of Zephyr were recent visitors with Mr. and Mrs. G. H. Locke.

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NOTICE OF ELECTION

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Donnel C. Clark, Secretary
The City of Mullin
Mullin, Texas.

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FOR SALE—Fresh Jersey cow.—MRS. J. V. COCKRUM, telephone 161. 2-8-TFC

FOR SALE—370 acres, 70 in farm; fair improvements; \$80.00 per acre. Oma Robertson, Real Estate. 1-18-tfc.

FOR SALE—Kelvinator refrigerator, practically new.—MRS. H. R. JACKSON, Santa Fe Section House. 1-25-TFC

FOR SALE—3 lots, small concrete tile house, other out-buildings, located on Lynch Street, electricity, gas, City water, 1 block off pavement. This place is priced for quick sale at \$1,750.00.—LILLY & FEATHERSTON, Goldthwaite, Phone No. 5. 2-22-2TC

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- FOR U. S. SENATOR
Price Daniel
- FOR CONGRESSMAN
O. C. Fisher
(For reelection)
- FOR DISTRICT ATTORNEY
Henry Taylor, Jr.
(For election)
- FOR COUNTY JUDGE
Lewis B. Porter
(For re-election)
- FOR SHERIFF-TAX ASSESSOR-COLLECTOR
C. F. Stubblefield
(For re-election)
- FOR COUNTY CLERK
W. E. Summy
(For re-election)
- FOR COUNTY ATTORNEY
A. M. Pribble
(For re-election)
- FOR COUNTY TREASURER
Bertha Weathers
(For re-election)
- COUNTY COMMISSIONERS
PRECINCT 1
Jess Y. Tullos
(For re-election)
PRECINCT 2
Fred V. Wall
(For re-election)
PRECINCT 3
W. T. "Son" Lee
A. A. Downey
Niles E. Wootten
R. T. Ratliff
(One to be elected.)
PRECINCT 4
J. Frank Davis
(For re-election)

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Plans Are Needed For Upkeep Of Goldthwaite's Memorial Cemetery

Plans are needed for spring work at the Goldthwaite Memorial Cemetery and so, wherever they live now, please give thought to a "lest we forget" message from the committee that is responsible for the care of the Cemetery.

Charles Davis, son of John A. Hester, who is Secretary-Treasurer of the Goldthwaite Memorial Cemetery Committee. Other members of it are Sam Sullivan, Chairman; John G. Berry, Jess Y. Tullos and Roy Wilkins.

It is time to do some spring work at the Cemetery and there are no funds with which to have the work done. The Committee said this week. "The Cemetery is anxious to keep our Cemetery looking well kept and be a credit to our town and county. So those who have lots out there please take note and send in your dues so that the important work can go forward. Please give this worthy cause your thoughtful and financial consideration and support."

Mr. Hester said that checks should be made payable to him as the Secretary-Treasurer of the Cemetery Committee.

Center City News

Continuing progress on the new Center City Methodist Church was marked this week when a new Church bell was installed.

Mrs. W. T. Alexander was honored at a surprise birthday anniversary dinner on February 17. A number of relatives and friends were present for the celebration.

Mr. and Mrs. John Blackwell visited their son, Howard, and their family in Abilene recently.

Sunday visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Coffman were their daughter, Mrs. Odell Langford and her son, Maurice, of Fort Worth.

Mrs. Hollis Hendry is visiting relatives in Arkansas.

Mrs. Frank Carr has been on the sick list.

Mr. and Mrs. Ted Waggoner and their family of San Antonio were guests last weekend of Mr. and Mrs. Nelson Waggoner.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Clendenning and Mr. and Mrs. Roy E. Knight of San Angelo visited last weekend in the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Alexander.

Recent visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. G. Kerner were Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Horner and Peggy and Mrs. Laura Mae Lane, all of San Angelo.

Rachel Elder, forward, and Daisy Whitley, guard, members of the girls' basketball team of the Goldthwaite High School, have been elected to the all-district team, according to notification that was received this week by Coach Jack Locklear.

Mr. Locklear was informed officially of the recognition for the Misses Elder and Whitley by Coach John Albers of Mason, who was secretary of the District 23-A meeting that selected the conference team.

The Goldthwaite girl basketball players finished the season in a three-way tie for second place with Llano and Burnet. First place was won by Mason.

Ben Ramsey To Seek Re-election As Lieutenant Governor Of Texas

By OLETA COFFMAN

Lieutenant Governor Ben Ramsey, who has many friends in Mills County, announced this week that he is a candidate for reelection. In 1950 Mr. Ramsey, who is a native of San Augustine, was elected Lieutenant Governor from a field of 12 candidates. In announcing his



BEN RAMSEY

those goals. He is an old hand in legislative work, which directs the course of the government through the laws it passes.

Mr. Ramsey was a student of the University of Texas' law school in 1931 when he passed the bar examinations, was admitted to practice and was elected to the House of Representatives in the same year. After two terms there, he returned to East Texas for private law practice and in 1940 was elected to the first of two terms of four years each in the Senate.

The late Governor Beauford H. Jester appointed him Secretary of State in January, 1949, and he resigned in February, 1950, in order to be a candidate for Lieutenant Governor. He ran second in the first primary in a race with twelve candidates but won handily in the run-off.

Most of his first primary opponents supported him in the second election.

Mr. Ramsey, a fundamental conservative, recently spelled out his political philosophy, which has irred some labor leaders. In a speech to high school graduates, he warned they were being dumped into a struggle of major proportions.

"The scrap I am talking about," he said, "is a struggle between two ways of thinking, two concepts so far apart that there can be very little in the way of a compromise. This country is going to have to make a definite choice.

"The two ways of thinking are these: "One is the time-honored American ideology, the concept of individual rights and individual initiative, the belief that every man should be allowed to carve his own destiny under conditions of living dictated by the principles of a democracy. That is the concept upon which this country was founded.

"The other way of thinking is the belief that power and authority should rest with the government, that the government should be allowed to control individual activity, busi-

ness activity, labor and wealth, and should have the power to dole out jobs, money, housing, and what have you as it sees fit.

"That way of thinking and the traditional American philosophy are as far apart as any two concepts can possibly be. Yet, the concept of an all-powerful government has taken hold in some places in this country today to a dangerous and incredible extent.

"If you don't believe that concept has been at work, and is still at work, you need only look at some of the activities of our Federal government today."

In asking for re-election, Mr. Ramsey added: "It is the traditional American philosophy of government that I have followed in presiding over the Senate as Lieutenant Governor in the past two years. I shall continue to follow it so long as I hold an office of public trust."

L. T. Shepherd Dies

L. T. Shepherd of Florence, father of E. O. Shepherd of Goldthwaite, died at his home on February 11 after having been in ill health for several years. Although he was a native of Mississippi Mr. Shepherd, who was nearly 72, had spent most of his life in Texas.

Homsley Speaks

Mullin School Superintendent H. Howard Homsey was the guest speaker on Friday night of last week at the football banquet at Lake Worth. At the invitation of Lake Worth Superintendent R. L. Hodges, Mr. Homsey spoke on the elements that make a winning team and the benefits to be derived from football.

candidate for reelection he said that this year he will run on the same principles that he advocated two years ago. They are:

1. A blacktop road to every farm home in Texas.
2. Rural telephones at reasonable rates.
3. Conservation of Texas' vital natural resources, soil and water.
4. Less government, better government, and cheaper government, which is all one and the same thing, for if we have less government we automatically have better government and cheaper government.
5. No new taxes.
6. Honesty in government to protect the interests of the people so that they will get a dollar of value for each dollar of taxes they pay, for the tax burden now is becoming intolerable.
7. An economical government that must keep the state on a cash basis and not plunge it into debt.

Mr. Ramsey also emphasized the need for experience in government in order to achieve

Bill Kincheoloe Is In Navy Service

Bill Kincheoloe of Star, who formerly was employed by the Lone Star Gas Company in San Saba, now is in the service of the United States Navy and is in boot camp at San Diego, Cal. His wife, the former Wanda Byrd, is making her home in Goldthwaite with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Eyrld. Mr. Eyrld is local manager for the Lone Star Gas Company.

Carlin Wicker, son of Mr. and Mrs. Claude Wicker of Caradan, has been listed on the first semester honor roll at San Angelo College.

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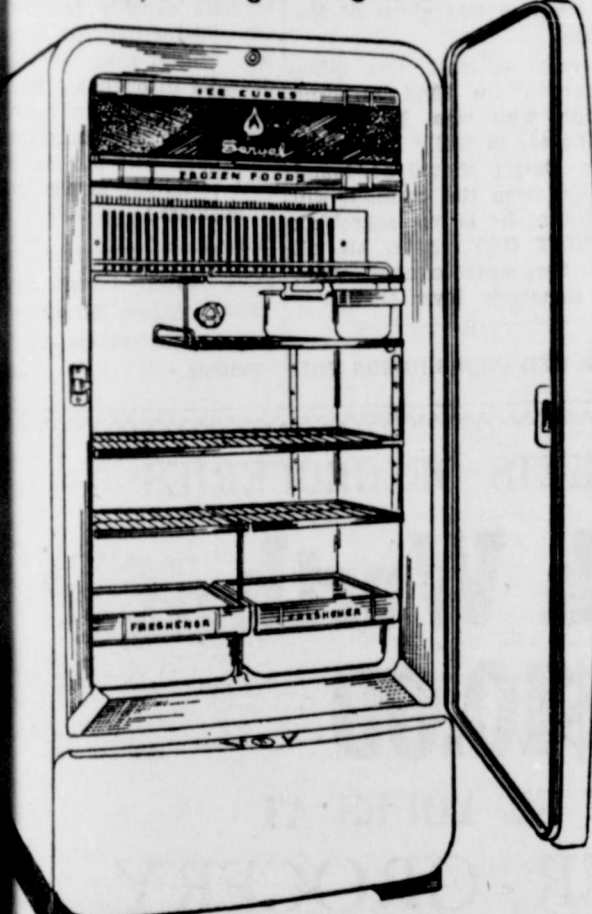
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Bank Work Begins

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where they have more space for the accommodation of the public than they had in the previous location. On Wednesday of this week the cheerful Andrew Baxter, formerly of Greenock, Scotland, and now of Goldthwaite, began painting a sign for Mr. and Mrs. Kirby across the front of their new place of business. It will be in

red letters flashed with white, Mr. Baxter said.

As for the former location of the coffee shop, Mr. Duren said this week that reconstruction work will be extensive, including new flooring, a new entrance, private offices and a directors room. Mr. Duren did not say what plans the bank has in mind for a small, steel-barred opening that formerly provided a means of communication into premises that now

are occupied by "Little's since 1898."

Military Police

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field, Deputy Sheriff Clyde Cockrum, City Utilities Manager W. C. Barnett and several MP's who watched with delight as Mr. Campbell, using both hands, inaugurated the opening of the MP detachment headquarters here by turning a hand generator to provide power for the portable radio-telephone communications employed by the Military Police. Nobody made the slightest move to relieve Mr. Campbell as he ground away at his chore and as a communications sergeant tested his equipment by calling the words, "Bad Boy One, Bad Boy One," into the ether.

Large numbers of the "aggressor" forces that will participate in Exercise Longhorn, including most of the elements of the 82nd Airborne Division from Fort Bragg, N. C., have moved into areas south of Goldthwaite. The build-up for the maneuvers will continue during the next three weeks. Then Exercise Longhorn will begin with an "invasion" of this area about March 17.

Cecil Bryan, Jr. Tells About Army Life In Germany

Mills County citizens who would like to have all the mud they could get will be interested in knowing that over at Mainz, in the American-occupied zone of Germany, there is more mud than anybody wants. News of the mud situation at Mainz has been received from



PFC. CECIL BRYAN
Cecil D. Bryan, Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. Cecil D. Bryan, Sr., of Rt. 3, Goldthwaite.

Pfc. Bryan is with the 14th Armored Field Battalion. He has been on duty in Germany since last July and he has been in the Army since December, 1950. "It rains nearly every night here and it does rain every day," Pfc. Bryan wrote to his parents — obviously knowing that news of rain would be a deep interest to the folks back home. "We have mud a foot deep."

Pfc. Bryan sent some photographs of himself and other soldiers that were taken during a snow storm. And there was a photograph of himself wearing what the well-dressed soldier wears for winter weather in Germany. Here is what Pfc. Bryan wore:

On his head was a helmet. There was a parka as outer covering for his body. Under the parka he wore a woolen liner, a fatigue jacket, long woolen underwear, two pair of trousers, woolen socks that came up to his knees and leather boots with rubber soles that came half-way up his legs.

Even this week's norther in Texas did not call for a get-up like that in Mills County, Cecil. Pfc. Bryan also sent photographs of the fine accommodations that American troops have at Mainz, including what they call an Eagle Club. His photographs also showed some of the fine facilities that are enjoyed at Wiesbaden, where Major Milton Allen Campbell of Goldthwaite is stationed and where he was joined a few weeks ago by his family.

Pfc. Bryan was graduated from the Goldthwaite High School in the Class of 1946. Before he entered the Army he was employed as an electrician at San Angelo.

Capt. J. L. Ervin Back Home From Service In Korea

A transport landed in San Francisco this week and that was a cause for great joy so far as Mrs. W. M. Johnson, the Misses Abbie and Ruth Ervin, and Robert L. "Uncle Bob" Ervin of Goldthwaite were concerned. For the transport brought home from Korea their nephew, Captain J. L. Ervin of the Air Force. He is a son of Mr. and Mrs. O. R. Ervin of Ranger.

During two years of hazardous combat duty in Korea, Captain Ervin flew on many missions and he was given the name, "the Korean Lamplighter," because of a technique that he developed and used for dropping flares to provide illumination for ground troops who were fighting at night.

Captain Ervin, who was a Lieutenant when he started his tour of duty in Korea, was scheduled to arrive in Ranger on Thursday of this week with his wife, Bonnie, who met him in San Francisco—by a request that would not be denied. The request, of course, originated with Captain Ervin himself.

It was expected that soon the Ervin reunion that is about to take place in Ranger will be duplicated in Goldthwaite, where Captain Ervin spent much of his boyhood. Meanwhile, Miss Ruth Ervin now can stop jumping out of her chair every time the telephone rings at the Eagle office. She can also stop worrying about storms at sea and other possible disasters to what, for a while, was the most important transport on any ocean.

Not Enough Rain

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States Soil Conservation Service said that the rain, snow and sleet had helped but that it did not break the drought or begin to compensate for the increasingly lengthening moisture deficiency hereabouts.

"What we need is more and more rain on top of what we have had," Roger Powell said.

What precipitation there was did not last, according to the weather experts, because a cold front moved in and pushed it away. The "little norther" dropped temperatures to 28 degrees above zero last Monday morning. The drop in temperature was particularly unwelcome because it was followed by blue skies and bright sunshine—of which everybody has had quite enough, thank you.

Miss Loraine Burdette, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. L. B. Burdette, formerly of Rt. 2, Goldthwaite, and now of Maysville, Okla., is a member of the cast of the Gilbert and Sullivan light opera, *Patience*, that now is in production at Ranger Junior College.

Local Young Men Enter Services

So far as is known, Bobby Gene Fisher of Mullin, Clyde Wayne Williams, Dorman Theodore Hanks, Millard Earl Collier, Garland Ira Alldredge and Sammie Dee Runnels of Goldthwaite, and George Albert Schumann, Clarence Emanuel Schwartz and Lee Roy Wagner of Priddy were inducted into the Armed Services this week. They reported to Abilene last week and then, on Monday, were due to report for assignment to various branches of the Services.

William Adron Anderson of Mullin, who also reported to the induction center at Abilene last week, was disqualified for service on medical grounds. He suffered a foot injury in a fall in the course of his employment at Plainview some time ago. Mr. Anderson's recovery has not been sufficient to warrant his induction.

The Rev. C. A. Hogan, Pastor of the Star Methodist Church, and LaJoy and LaRoy Clary, Kay McCasland and Billie Welch attended a Methodist Youth Rally at Fredericksburg on Saturday of last week.



LITTLE'S

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Former Pfc. Alfred Carter Finds Old "Top Kick" In 82nd Airborne

Alfred "Classy Bow Tie" Carter, who served for two years with the famous 82nd Airborne Division during World War II, took it into his head this week to look up his old buddies, now that the Division has moved into this area to participate in the Army-Air Force maneuvers, Exercise Longhorn. For anybody else, that would be like looking for the proverbial needle in a haystack. But not for Carter, who is on the staff of the Mills County State Bank.

Resplendent in civilian clothes, including a gay cravat instead of his Saturday morning bow tie, Mr. Carter the other night paid a formal call on the 82nd Airborne Division. South of Goldthwaite he found Company I of the 504th Parachute Infantry Regiment, with which Mr. Carter had the high honor of serving as a Private First Class during World War II.

Now! According to the most reliable statistics, there are at present in the 82nd Airborne Division only about 16 men who had the distinction of serving with Pfc. Alfred Carter. Accordingly, the astounding part

of this story is that at Third Battalion Headquarters, to which he was directed by the gentlemen of Company I, Mr. Carter found, of all things, First Sergeant Odom, who hails from Georgia, and who formerly was Pfc. Carter's Top Kick. The most amazing part of the story is that Mr. Carter was delighted to meet up with his old Top Kick and, what is more, he was KIND to him.

The pair of them went visiting around the countryside and if anybody wants to know just where they went the question should be directed to Mr. Carter in person. Then, check with Mrs. Carter and see what version Frances was given of the reunion.

There is at least one other Sergeant in the 82nd Airborne Division who was known to Pfc. Carter in Sicily and Italy. If Mr. Carter should be found missing from the bank, it will be because he is out searching for THAT GUY. After all, all First Sergeants cannot claim that somebody loves them.

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