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JOHN L. PATTERSON FILES AS CANDIDATE FOR COUNTY JUDGE

John L. Patterson, who was born in Goldthwaite, filed this week as a candidate for nomination as County Judge and County Superintendent of Schools, ex-officio, subject to the July 26 Democratic primary election.

In filing for County Judge, Mr. Patterson is opposing County Judge Lewis B. Porter, who is completing his second term in office. Mr. Patterson filed his candidacy on Monday of this week with Joe A. Palmer, Chairman of the Executive Committee of the Mills County Democratic Party. After he had filed, Mr. Patterson issued the following signed statement:

"In announcing my candidacy for the office of County Judge

and Ex-officio County School Superintendent, I am mindful of the fact that this office belongs to the people of Mills County and that any county officer is a public servant.

"I pledge that, if elected, I will faithfully discharge the duties of the office to the best of my ability, and that I will try to serve the people of the county with economy, fairness, and courtesy."

Mr. Patterson at present is a Mills County Deputy Sheriff in charge of the management of the office of Sheriff C. F. Stubblefield. He was County Judge in Mills County from 1943 to 1948 and this week he expressed belief that his experience in the office qualified him to render further service in the same post.

Mr. Patterson is the son of the late L. E. Patterson, who was County Judge from about 1904 to 1906 and again in the 1920's. The late Judge Patterson died in 1934.

Mrs. Patterson is the former Elizabeth Virden, who was born and reared in the Pleasant Grove community.

In addition to his service in public office, Mr. Patterson also taught school for 17 years at Lake Merrett and Mt. Olive. He is one of the outstanding laymen in the First Methodist Church of Goldthwaite.

Following the official filing of Mr. Patterson's candidacy with Mr. Palmer, County Judge Porter continued to beam amiably but he did order 3,000 "candidate cards" in anticipation of some politicking on his own hook. Indications were that both Mr. Patterson and Judge Porter would conduct vigorous campaigns of the "personal conference" nature.

Wednesday afternoon the rival candidates had a chat in the Court House lobby.

County Trustees

The Mills County Board of Schools Trustees met last Monday afternoon at the Court House and reelected Jim Soules of Star as Chairman. In addition to Mr. Soules, the members who attended for the transaction of routine business were J. Hobart Priddy, A. A. Downey, C. C. Collier and J. D. Berry.

Bad News Comes As Hope Schulze Resigns His Post

Principal Hope D. Schulze of the Goldthwaite Grammar School resigned this week, after he had been offered a contract renewal, to accept a post in the school system at Beaumont.

On his now expiring tour of service in Goldthwaite Mr. Schulze has been Principal here for four years. He also had served as Grammar School Principal in Goldthwaite from 1936 to 1940. From 1940 to 1948 he was Principal of the elementary school at Nederland.

Last summer Mr. Schulze received his Master's degree in education from the University of Houston. He plans to continue his graduate studies with a Doctor's degree in philosophy (education) as his goal.

(Editor's Note: In next week's Eagle there will be editorial comment on the great loss that is being suffered by Goldthwaite because of the decision of Mr. Schulze to assume new responsibility at Beaumont.)

Mr. Schulze announced his decision to resign here shortly after he had received an offer of a contract renewal from the Board of Trustees of the Goldthwaite Independent School District.

LIONS CLUB PAYS TRIBUTE TO 4-H, FFA MEMBERS FOR THEIR HIGH ACHIEVEMENTS

Mills County's deep pride in the glowing achievements of its 4-H Club boys and girls and members of the Future Farmers of America was demonstrated on Tuesday night of this week when they were the dinner guests of the Goldthwaite Lions Club and when President E. J. Howell of Tarleton State College was the principal speaker.

George Logan of the First National Bank of Waco presented silver cups to Armand Zoe Clary for Grand Champion Fryers at the State Fair of Texas, to Billy Mac Newton for a turkey Grand Championship at the Houston Fat Stock Show, to John Howard Owens for the Reserve Champion Calf at the San Angelo Livestock Exposition, and to Dana Howard Saylor, for the Reserve Champion Calf at the Houston Show.

Looking on proudly at the events of the evening were County Agriculture Agent George G. Reese and Y. B. Johnson, Jr., E. C. Evans, C. E. Davis and Don Clark, teachers of vocational agriculture at Goldthwaite, Priddy, Star and Mullin, respectively. Also a proud witness

of the recognition for outstanding achievement was R. G. Burwell, Extension Service Agent for District 8.

Tuesday night's gathering al-



DR. E. J. HOWELL

so was highlighted by a detailed and absorbing report by City Utility Manager W. C. Barnett on progress to date on plans for a proposed swimming pool for Goldthwaite. In behalf of

Mayor Wilson Refuses To Sign Council Minutes

A refusal by Charlie T. Wilson to sign the Minutes of the April 10 meeting of the Goldthwaite City Council at which his resignation was unanimously requested by the Aldermen was entered in the municipal records on Wednesday morning of this week.

The Mayor, whose resignation was requested some 72 hours after he was installed in office, asserted that the Minutes of the April 10 meeting of the Goldthwaite City Council "do not reflect the true facts."

The Minutes were approved by the City Council last Monday night after the Mayor had refused to hear them read. His refusal came as he walked out of Monday night's Council meeting. As he walked out he said: "I don't want to hear the Minutes read; they make me sick."

As long ago as the morning of April 11 City Secretary Raymond Summy provided Mayor Wilson with a certified copy of the Minutes of the April 10 meeting at the request of the Mayor's attorney, William G. Yarborough. At last Monday night's Council meeting the Mayor did not call for a reading of the Minutes of the April 10 meeting, a certified copy of which had been in the possession of his Counsel or himself since April 11.

Undated, and on a plain sheet of white typewriter paper, the following appeared on Wednesday morning stapled to the Minutes of the April 10 meeting signed in ink by Charlie T. Wilson:

"I refuse to sign the Minutes above written, as recording the meeting of April 10, 1952, for the reason that they do not reflect the true facts."

(Signed) Charlie T. Wilson.

"Please paste on or attach to the Council meeting Minutes of April 10, 1952."

The above communication was delivered in person by Mr. Wilson to City Secretary Summy late on Tuesday afternoon of this week.

The Minutes of the April 10 City Council meeting were published in full in the Goldthwaite Eagle of April 13. They were certified as correct by City Secretary Summy—and they were approved unanimously by the Goldthwaite City Council last Monday night.

CHARLIE T. WILSON APOLOGIZES TO CITY COUNCIL BUT LATER TAKES A WALK FROM MEETING AS REQUEST HE QUIT CONTINUES

Text Of Mayor's Apology

The apology that was read to the Goldthwaite City Council last Monday night by Charlie T. Wilson was entitled, "MAYOR'S SHORT TALK." Under the title and in parenthesis was this notation: "(Read before and file with Minutes of Goldthwaite City Council Regular Meeting at City Hall, Goldthwaite, Texas on Monday night May 5, 1952)." The text of the document is as follows:

"Gentlemen:

"I am no politician—neither am I a public speaker, but I have a few words which I would like to say at this time.

"I have been told—and I realize—that I've taken this Mayor's job too seriously. Considering the unfavorable publicity I have received lately, I now realize I should never have consented for my name to be entered on the ticket. Nevertheless, having been elected by a majority of the taxpayers of our town, I feel it my duty to serve them to the best of my ability. I did not solicit a vote during the campaign. I deeply appreciate the confidence placed in me by the people of Goldthwaite. I am quite sure each of you feel the same.

"Naturally I regret the unpleasant trend of events at our last meeting. Please accept my sincere apologies for any or all acts or deeds on my part in that connection. As far as I am concerned that is a closed issue.

"I am obligated to no individual or group—have made no promises—and my only desire is that we may work together harmoniously for the betterment of our City and Community. I hope the old adage, 'A bad beginning makes a good ending,' holds true for this city administration. Thank you.

Charlie T. Wilson,
Mayor."

No Superintendent But School Board Rehires Teachers

Again on Monday night of next week the Board of Trustees of the Goldthwaite Independent School District will meet to select a new Superintendent. As yet, a Superintendent has not been designated, according to Gerald C. Head, Chairman.

Aside from coping with the task of selecting a Superintendent the only major recent action of the Board was to offer contract renewals to Jack Locklear, Y. B. Johnson, Jr., M. F. Hines, Mrs. George G. Reese, Miss Laura Nelson, Miss Love Gatlin, Mrs. Oran Carothers, George W. Reed, Hope D. Schulze (who since has resigned), Gordon Chambers, Mrs. Roy Weatherby, Mrs. Johnnie Belle Oglesby, Mrs. Joe A. Palmer, Mrs. Helen Saylor, Mrs. Julian Evans, Mrs. Carl Letbetter, Mrs. Clyde Cookrum and Mrs. Lee Walton.

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Fashion Shop Moves

The Eagle lost a good neighbor this week when the Fashion Shop was moved north on Fisher Street to the former location of Benningfield Dry Goods by Mrs. Boyd Knowles and Mrs. Pearl Long. A. W. "Uncle Amos" Lilly promptly advertised for a new tenant for the premises formerly occupied by the Fashion Shop. He vouchsafed the information that there are good neighbors on each side of the premises. The neighbor on the north side is the real estate firm of Lilly & Featherston.

That Free For All Ends In Precinct 3

When midnight last Monday came Joe A. Palmer, Chairman of the Executive Committee of the Democratic Party in Mills County, switched on the light, counted up the candidates for County Commissioner in Precinct 3, and went back to sleep knowing that there were only SIX. The latest to enter the free-for-all in Precinct 3—and he entered the race last Monday—was Amos L. Carroll. He is opposing W. T. "Son" Lee, A. A. Downey, Niles E. Wooten, R. T. Ratliff and Ell Edmondson.

1952 Rainfall So Far Totals 8.68 In.; More, Please

Rainfall as measured during the past week in Goldthwaite for the U. S. Weather Bureau by Harry Allen totaled 1.60 inches, bringing the total for the year to 8.68 inches. For Wednesday night and Thursday of last week Mr. Allen's measurement was 1.52 inches of precipitation and he measured another .08 of an inch in Goldthwaite last Friday.

Last Friday, however, other portions of the County benefited from thunder showers that were not dumped on Goldthwaite. Out at V. C. Bradford's ranch on Caradan Road he measured 1.2 inches at the new place that he has built for freshly sheared goats.

"But down in the pasture the rainfall was unlimited," Mr. Bradford said. "If we had had a gallon bucket with a catsup bottle spout on it, it would have filled up. At Monroe Fletcher's there came a flood—lawdy, lawdy."

From Star Mrs. Dora Goode reported 2.1 inches of rain during the past week. Miss Pearl Crawford reported 1.7 inches on Chappell Hill and she said there were reports of three inches of rain at the O. L. Harris and Buddy Robertson homes. Mrs. Clementine Wilmeth Briley reported 1.15 inches of rain during the past week on Ebony way.

Out where the Eagle's Roy Lee Hill lives, 3 1/4 miles southwest of Star, the rainfall during last week was 1.3 of an inch.

As the Eagle went to press this week there was no rain in sight. The temperature was soaring—and so were hopes.

Obenhaus Is Happy

Justice of the Peace E. A. Obenhaus was happy this week because of love in the spring—tra la, tra la, tra la. He officiated at a wedding and if anybody wants to know who stood up before Justice Obenhaus, then just turn to "Wedding Bells" in this week's Eagle and take your pick. Furriners they were, Mr. Obenhaus said, but he added that love still is a wonderful thing.

By H. R. EKINS

What started out last Monday night with all of the appearances of a "kiss and make up" session between the Goldthwaite City Council and Charlie T. Wilson wound up with the Mayor taking a walk from the meeting an hour and a quarter after he had apologized to the Council and with the latter's request for his resignation still on the record.

With President pro tempore Jesse Moreland in the Chair after the Mayor had taken his walk, the Council continued in session for an hour and five minutes, during which it read and approved Minutes of the April 10 meeting at which the resignation of Mr. Wilson was requested unanimously approximately 72 hours after he had been installed in office.

Aside from routine business the major events of last Monday night's regular City Council meeting were as follow:

1—At the start of the meeting at 7:44 p. m., and disregarding the usual procedure of calling for a reading of the Minutes of the previous session, the Mayor called the Council to order and said that he had a "statement of apology" to read. The text of that statement is printed in full in an adjoining column.

2—Following the reading of the Mayor's statement, Alderman Everitt Holland said: "I am ready to accept the apology." Acquiescing in Alderman Holland's assertion were Aldermen Moreland, George R. Gilbert and Carl Letbetter. Alderman J. D. Harper, who was unavoidably late for the meeting, also agreed to accept the apology after he had read it.

3—City Treasurer W. C. Barnett, who presented payment of bills to the Council for approval, specifically asked also for official approval of the method by which obligations of the City of Goldthwaite are paid—or he asked for instructions as to any new methods that may or might be desired by the Council. Although no official or formal action was taken on Mr. Barnett's request while the Mayor was in the Chair, the Council decided to refer the matter to its Finance Committee for study after Mr. Wilson had taken his walk.

4—After transaction of routine business and discussion of a variety of municipal problems, the Mayor, at 9:24 p. m., abruptly arose from his seat and left the meeting despite the fact that there had been NO motion to adjourn. As the Mayor was on his way out one of the Aldermen asked for a reading of the Minutes of the April 10 meeting, pointing out that no action had been taken concerning them. "I don't want to hear the Minutes read; they make me sick," Mr. Wilson said as he took his departure, with the Council still in session.

As a news article elsewhere in this week's Eagle relates, the Mayor on Tuesday put into writing his refusal to sign the Minutes of the April 10 meeting of the City Council. Aldermen said after the Mayor's walkout and after his refusal to sign the Minutes of the April 10 meeting Minutes that, in their opinion, he himself had nullified his own apology, which they had accepted in good faith.

5—Following the departure of the Mayor and with Mr. Moreland in the Chair, the Minutes of the April 10 meeting were read by City Secretary

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CLEAN-CUT ELECTION ISSUES

As a result of the political developments of the past week the voters in Texas will have in the first primary election on July 26 an opportunity to register at the ballot boxes their preference either for Democrats who respect the traditions of their party and the high principles of Thomas Jefferson, or for the Fair Deal-New Deal-Queer Deal exponents of keeping the brass collar on the necks of the citizens.

What happens next July 26 will boil down to this: Votes for Allan Shivers for Governor and for Price Daniel for the United States Senate will represent endorsement of the principles of Thomas Jefferson and a desire to live in an atmosphere of freedom and individual liberty.

Votes for Ralph Yarborough for Governor and for Lindley Beckworth for the United States Senate will mean that the brass collar has been worn for so long that apathetic citizens, not fully aware of how far they have been taken along the road toward socialism and eventual dictatorship, are content to maintain the Queer Deal with all of its waste, its bureaucratic centralization and its callous disregard for the wish of the American people to pass on to their children the freedoms for which our forebears struggled.

The issues in the voting next July 26 will be as simple as that.

Governor Shivers and Attorney General Price Daniel have been courageous in giving both leadership and a voice to those who abhor the brass collar and who want to see the Democratic Party return to the principles of Thomas Jefferson and to be rid of the architects of the Welfare State and their "Papa knows best" attitude—which holds that the citizens are just a bunch of clunks who will, in the end, do whatever they are told to do if they are pushed around long enough.

It is obvious and not merely a matter of opinion that Ralph Yarborough, in his candidacy for Governor of the great State of Texas, and Lindley Beckworth in his campaign for election to the United States Senate, are instruments in the hands of the Queer Deal which, in Texas, has chosen to wear the label, "Loyal Democrats," which is a travesty on our language if ever there was one.

From where we sit and on the basis of having been devoted to true Democratic principles ever since we cast our first ballot, the true Democrats in the election that will be on us before we realize how quickly time marches on are men such as Allan Shivers, Price Daniel and Congressman O. C. Fisher—who have had the courage to speak out for their convictions and against the dangerous trend toward regimentation in our national life that has marked the past 20 years.

We believe it to be good, indeed, that on July 26 the voters will have a choice on issues that are clear and sharply defined. In the Precinct Conventions throughout most of Texas last Saturday a majority of the citizens who participated made it clear that they have responded to the leadership that has been provided by Governor Shivers. Also in the Precinct Conventions the so-called "Loyal Democrats" made it certain that they are as ready as Joe Stalin to distort the meaning of words when, instead of abiding by the will of the majority, they formed rump conventions and talked long and loud of continued bolting right up to the Democratic National Convention at Chicago, where, they hope, the Queer Deal and all of its minions will be waiting to play the role of a rescue party.

The attitude of the so-called "Loyal Democrats" has been that they can disregard the wishes of the majority of the voters of Texas and, by hanging on long enough, fly into the arms of the protecting Queer Deal personification at Chicago.

It is good, too, that in deciding the issues at the ballot box the voters will have the fresh, forthright and reasoned arguments in behalf of freedom and true democracy as spoken repeatedly by Governor Allan Shivers and Price Daniel as against the willingness to continue to submit to the brass collar by Ralph Yarborough and Lindley Beckworth.

The fact that the latter two are in the campaign has made welcome news because when July 26 rolls around the voters in Texas will be able to go on record as to precisely where they stand. The election of July 26 can be decided on the basis of issues and not merely as a matter of personalities. Governor Shivers and Price Daniel have been making the issues clear. They are the survival of freedom under a new government by law rather than by men.

We are proud that from the very start this newspaper has been for Governor Shivers for reelection and for Price Daniel as a candidate for the U. S. Senate. We now have more reason than ever to stay with them.

WHEN THE OLD BIRD WAS YOUNGER

10 YEARS AGO—

(Taken from Eagle Files of May 8, 1942)

The Goldthwaite Lions Club met Tuesday night at 8:00 p. m. in the Methodist Church with Judge Dice from Belton as guest speaker.

Lawrence Morrison Stokes, son of Major and Mrs. M. Y. Stokes of Goldthwaite, has been listed on the honor roll of Southwestern Methodist University because of his high scholarship average during the first semester of the 1941-42 school year.

Mr. and Mrs. Ira Harvey left for Denver, Colo., Thursday for a month's visit with their daughter, Mrs. Frank R. Broadbent, and family.

Miss Sybil Miller of Goldthwaite, who is a student at John Tarleton College, has been elected as the junior class editor of next year's Grassburr. The Grassburr is the school annual.

Ray Ford of Camp Barkley spent the weekend with his little daughter, Ray Ann, and Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Richards.

Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Oglesby moved Thursday from Big Valley to Goldthwaite, and will occupy the Sam Sullivan place west of town.

Dr. J. J. Stephen and family moved Tuesday into their new home on Fisher Street.

Stanley Reeves returned home Friday night from Segundo, Colorado, where he went to attend the funeral of his brother, Cicero Reeves, who was drowned near his home there April 23.—Ebony News.

Pvt. Elmo M. Oxley, son of Mr. and Mrs. E. I. Oxley of Mullin, was graduated recently from the course of the Chanute Field, Ill., branch of the U. S. Army Air Corps Technical Schools.

Private W. Earl Fisher has gone to Scott Field, Ill., to attend a radio school for the next six months. He wrote his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Fisher, he enjoyed the beautiful country and the trip en route from Wichita Falls.—Mullin News.

Last week the people of our community met in the Lutheran Parish House and tendered Mr. and Mrs. Bruno Schrank, whose home and its contents were consumed by fire, a shower.—Pridley News.

The barn on Mrs. J. T. Robertson's farm about four miles west of Goldthwaite was struck by lightning Wednesday night and burned. At the time the Eagle went to press, it had not been determined how much loss was caused by the fire.

Word has been received here just as the Eagle went to press that Marsh Johnson's mother passed away Thursday afternoon at the home of her daughter, Mrs. J. W. Walker, in San Angelo.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack McCarty and Mrs. C. E. Bayley went to Fort Worth Monday and met J. N. Bayley and brought him back for a visit, which was a ten day furlough from Jefferson Barracks, Missouri.

Miss Helen Wigley, who is attending Draughon's Business College, Abilene, is among the higher ranking students whose names appear on the honor roll this year.

Mr. and Mrs. Jon Schooler took Mrs. R. H. Schooler to Ballinger Wednesday of last week. They went to Winters and spent the night with Mr. and Mrs. Albert Sykes. They found Miss Lenora in the midst of graduation activities. She finishes high school this year.

Dr. and Mrs. J. S. Anderson of Brady and his sister, Mrs. F. T. Glascock of San Antonio visited in the E. B. Anderson home Thursday of last week.

What a Bargain—Edward G. Robinson in "Unholy Partners" at the Melba Tuesday, Wednesday.

C. D. Bledsoe spent Tuesday in Temple visiting his brother, who is in a hospital there with pneumonia.

25 YEARS AGO—

(Taken from Eagle Files of May 13, 1927)

Otto Simpson, who recently sold his interest in the Brim and Simpson Garage to Mr. Brim, is having a nice building erected on his lot on Third Street, just

across from Randolph's Lumber yard. Goldthwaite friends will be glad to know that Phil H. Clements has been elected Door-keeper of the House of Representatives.

Since our last report County Clerk Lewis Porter has issued marriage licenses to the following couples:

August Niemann and Miss Minnie Wagner, April 26; C. L. Kite and Miss Jewell Hawkins, May 4; and C. J. Ferguson and Miss Lizzie Watson, May 7.

The Parent-Teachers offered a beautiful electric lamp to the civics pupil who cared to write the best theme on "How I Can Make My Home Town Better." Stella Cobb's theme was found to be the best. Special mention was given also to the themes of Bill Page, Adiel Wilson, Evelyn Nelson, Mae McNutt and Burt-on Leverett.

A delightful number on the week's social calendar was given by Mrs. Jake Saylor, in the late hours of Wednesday afternoon, when she was hostess to the Art and Civic Club in their last regular meeting of the year.

Mr. and Mrs. Hugh McCullough of Hico visited their parents here last weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. C. T. Wilson of San Angelo and Mrs. J. R. Eudy of Coleman visited relatives here last weekend.

Mrs. F. N. Irwin left Wednesday for Marlin for a visit with her daughter, Mrs. Floyd Mullin, and family.

Clell Reed of Ballinger stopped off in Goldthwaite Saturday on his way to his home in Big Valley, where he spent Mother's Day.

Mrs. George Kinney of Tulsa, Oklahoma, is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Shultzs.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Faulkner, Shults and Mrs. Bill Page visited in Brownwood Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Jess Nance of Lometa visited Mrs. Bush Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Baldwin and children of Zephyr spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. J. Evans.

Floyd Frazier and Gus Oberhaus of Brownwood spent Sunday here with their parents.

Mrs. Elmo Smith and baby of Luling visited Mrs. E. L. Pass last Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Bledsoe and family spent last Sunday with Mrs. Bledsoe's parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. G. Forehand of Big Valley.

50 YEARS AGO—

(Taken from Eagle Files of May 10, 1902)

Dr. A. D. Nelson, late of Richland Springs, has located in Goldthwaite and as he is well up in both the science and practice of his profession he will be sure to receive a liberal patronage.

Dr. Nelson is well known to the people of this County, having grown to manhood here and he practiced his profession in Big Valley for some time previous to removing to Richland Springs.

Mr. Green Taft, who resided in Shaw Bend, on the San Saba County side of the river, died at his home at that place Monday morning and his remains were laid to rest in the burial grounds in that community Tuesday.

F. C. Smith of Rio Vista was here the first of the week prospecting. He ordered the Eagle sent to his address in future in order that he might become better acquainted with Mills County and her people. We hope he will decide to locate in this County.

Mrs. J. P. Grundy and daughters left last week for McGirk to visit for a few days and from there they expected to go to Fort Worth, where they will reside. J. O. Grundy accompanied them and may decide to locate in Fort Worth.

Mrs. J. W. Roberts returned Sunday night from Clho, where she was called last week to attend at the bedside of her sister, Mrs. W. W. Fowler, who was very sick. Mrs. Fowler recovered sufficiently to be able to accompany Mrs. Roberts home and will spend some time visiting relatives in this city.

John Mauldin, after visiting Wash Mauldin in Big Valley for several days, left on Monday night's train for his home in Louisiana.

W. M. Nickols and his two sons were in from Star the first of the week.

GUEST EDITORIAL

(Editor's Note: A little more than two years ago the editor of the Eagle had a wonderful visit at the plant of the Deer Creek Pilot, a splendid little newspaper at Rolling Fork, Mississippi. The other day, the Deer Creek Pilot of Rolling Fork published a tip-top editorial that was entitled, "Steel Seizure is Everybody's Concern." The editorial follows in full.)

No longer can we shout "Beware, it's coming." It has arrived. It's right here among us. Socialism has arrived, heralded by Harry Truman's seizure of the steel industry—an industry owned by over a million little people throughout the nation. "So what?" you might ask. This is what, friend. The steel seizure begins the first skirmish in an all-important battle—union bosses and Truman versus our constitutional democracy. And that involves you, friend, right up to the hilt.

But, to make it clear, let's examine the situation from several angles. Let's dissect it as we would a malignant disease-bearing creature from the mucky swamps of totalitarianism.

How can the results of the steel seizure affect us here in Mississippi? Well, there are many ways. But we'll use an example that's right here on our doorsteps. Truman's action—he says—rests upon what he calls his inherent powers under the Constitution to act in emergencies. Now, if he gets away with this steel seizure, a precedent will have been set for further acts of outrage against the people. If Truman has this power he claims, then he can seize your farm or your business just as he has the steel industry.

For example, this year the Truman administration called for a cotton crop of sixteen million bales. To meet an emergency. Now, if those sixteen million bales are not forthcoming, he can take over your land in the name of the government and farm it as he sees fit. Regardless of profit or loss to you. Regardless of the welfare of your family and dependents.

Regardless of anything except his own personal desires for power and plunder. Because Truman has used the dispute between steel management and union bosses as a disguise for his action, it becomes necessary for us to understand that dispute in its basic elements. The trouble began with a demand for higher wages by the union, although it is an undeniable fact that steel workers were already among the highest paid industrial laborers in the nation. There was absolutely no actual basis for the demanded wage increase.

"Why, then," you may ask, "did the union demand it?" This was answered basically by Phillip Murray, steel union dictator, when he claimed that he had to have this increase because he fell behind other union officials in upping wages, and had to catch up with them so as to gain prestige for himself. Naive, perhaps, but that is what he himself said. In other words, he wanted to protect his personal position and power as labor boss. With the steel workers' convention coming up in May, a wage increase strike at this time would be especially beneficial to him in retaining the office he holds.

Why did the Truman administration go along with him in helping to accomplish this end? Well, there are more than a few answers to that. Almost the entire blame can be laid at Truman's personal door. Before we get into the reasons for Truman's personal actions, let us point out why his administration stalwarts went along with him.

Union leaders are hungry, al— (Continued on Page 9.)

Mrs. J. A. Allen and three little daughters left Friday night for Coffeyville and Cherrydale, Kansas.

S. P. McPherson has sold his residence on Fisher Street to Bascomb Sullivan, who has accepted a position in Henry Mart-in's hardware and furniture store.

J. T. Weathers came in Monday from Georgetown, where he has been attending the Methodist College.

J. W. Godwin has decided to move to Ballinger, where he will probably engage in business. Miss Amelia Ashley writes friends here that she is delighted with her work in the Nashville Conservatory of Music.

E. Oden was painfully hurt Thursday afternoon by a large piece of timber falling upon him. He was assisting in unloading some lumber at the lumber yard when the piece fell upon his shoulder, bruising him slightly and hurting his back pretty badly.

S. H. Harper of Star was a visitor to this city Wednesday.

The Eagle's Aery

By The Editor

V. C. "El Vaquero" Bradford of Goldthwaite and a Canadian who is not so well known as Brad have furnished the material for this column this week. First, let's get the Canadian out of the way so that we may get on to Mr. Bradford, tank water and a generous GIFT on his part.

Up in Vancouver, Canada, there is an old boy named Barry Mather, who works on the Vancouver Sun. That is a daily newspaper. Not long ago, Mr. Mather went to a meeting of editors of WEEKLY newspapers. He listened to them talk about their jobs. Then he went back to his job on the daily newspaper, where he got to thinking about what he had heard the editors of the Weeklys say about their work. So he wrote and had published the following—which the editor of the Eagle is printing just for fun:

WANTED COUNTRY EDITOR

We have an opening for a man who can fill these qualifications:

Must be capable of taking Complete Charge as editor, night staff, legal department, music critic, old garden man, composing room, sports columnist, society writer, janitor, advertising manager, copy boy, circulation director, and lad who delivers paper.

The man we are looking for must be willing to put his Back to the Wheel, keep his Eye on the Ball, his Head in the Stars, his Feet on the Ground.

The editor we want must be: A tower of strength to the locality.

A pillar of the community. A penthouse of the municipality.

He must be able to work 17 hours a day on five hours' sleep. Remain sober while drinking and exuberant while thinking.

Entirely independent in politics, he must be a Liberal to the Conservatives, a Socialist to Conservatives, a Socialist to the Socialists.

He must be ready to become chairman of 17 different community groups at the same time and never be late for meetings, especially when only five of these groups are meeting the same night.

The man we are looking for must keep his head clear, his ears open, his eyes peeled, his nose clean, his tongue in his cheek, his mouth shut, his neck in and his chest out.

The type of editor we want must have an expert knowledge of all cultural, fraternal, financial, political, medical, legal, and spiritual subjects.

He must be as willing to substitute for the Superintendent of the Young People's Society as he is to take over as rear-end of the Elks' imitation horse act.

The man we need must be honest but look prosperous.

He must be ready to pay all bills on the dot while waiting for everybody else to pay him.

He must be a combination Boy-Reporter and Father-Confessor.

Preferably the first husband of a wife of the man we want here for Editor should either have been a deep-sea sailor, a CPR engineer, circus acrobat or a sleep-walking

gypsy. Education not necessarily a detriment.

Now that Mr. Mather's "Ad" is in print for everybody to read, the Eagle editor begins to go on record with a statement about the compensations of running a small town newspaper. Last week and early this week this editor nagged V. C. "El Vaquero" Bradford so much that Brad parted with the Remington electric shaver for the sake of having some peace. It happened this way:

Late last week when the sky was blue and there were no little fluffs of white clouds swirling around, Brad told the editor that if the huge new tank at Rancho Bradford on the Canadian Road filled up with water by Sunday morning the editor would give the Remington electric shaver. The editor a brand new Remington contour electric shaver. Cynical and skeptically the editor looked at the sky and went his way, reconciled to having to continue to shave with a piece of broken window glass.

After the rain of last Wednesday night and last Thursday there was about a tub full of water in the new tank at Rancho Bradford. But Brad gathered right over the tank and finally it poured and poured—right smack over the Bradford watershed. By Saturday morning the rumor was around the Square that Brad's tank was full and running around the spillway. An excited editor the editor to confirm the rumor, which had been started by malice aforethought by Brad's Hill, brought from Mr. Bradford the firm statement that the water in his tank lacked the effect of being at the top of a dam. Mrs. Editor was hauling water to Lake Bradford in buckets and saucers. Brad put a stop to that by an out and guarding the source person. He was reinforced 400 goats and an unknown number of Herefords.

Brad, however, generously tended his offer by saying that the editor still could have a new Remington electric shaver if that tank at Rancho Bradford filled up by last Sunday midnight. Well, as everybody knows, Saturday and Sunday were clear, lovely warm and, instead of filling up, the tank was losing water through a deplorable process known as evaporation.

By Monday, the editor (Continued on Page 9.)

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Friends Fete Jimmie Rita Simpson Gift Tea Last Friday Afternoon

Miss G. P. Matsons

and Mrs. G. P. Matson as their guests last Sunday afternoon and family, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas B. Matson and George Thomas, and Mrs. Simpson's brother and wife, Mr. and Mrs. R. M. Martin, all of Brownwood.

Priddy And Mullin Troops Shine

Scout Troops number 44 Priddy, sponsored by the Brown Brotherhood, and 46 Mullin, sponsored by the School, participated this week in a Camporal nine miles from San Saba. The Priddy won third place in camp competition and its Patrol also took second in the over-all average for all Camporal activities. The Hyena Patrol took third in the same competition. Patrols of both the Priddy and Mullin Troops won in competitive events during the Camporal.

Monette Simpson Beauty Contest

Monette Simpson, who is a student at S. W. T. S. T. C., was chosen to represent Beretta in a bathing beauty contest at Frontier's Day. She went among the first ten in the S. W. T. S. T. C. Monette is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Simpson.

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MISS STOCKTON

Mr. and Mrs. N. E. Stockton of Goldthwaite announce the engagement and forthcoming marriage of their daughter, Virginia, to Leo Morris, son of Mr. and Mrs. George Cardwell of Denver City.

The wedding will take place Sunday, June 22, at 4:00 p. m., in the First Baptist Church of Goldthwaite.

Miss Stockton is a graduate of Goldthwaite High School. She received her Bachelor of Science degree from South West Texas State College in San Marcos and has done graduate work at the University of Colorado and the Kermit Intermediate School, and is a member of Beta Sigma Phi Sorority and the Winkler County chapter of the American Association of University Women.

Mr. Morris is a graduate of Brownfield High School. He received his degree in petroleum engineering from Texas Technological College, Lubbock. During World War II, he served with the United States Air Force in the European Theater of Operations. He is presently employed as an engineer for Magnolia Petroleum Company in Eunice, New Mexico.

Chappell Hill

By PEARL CRAWFORD
We were all happy to see another good rain during last week. Our rain gauge measured 1.7 inch. There were reports of 3 inches of rain at the O. L. Harris and Buddy Robertson homes. Everything is sure growing. We think the farmers will all be busy for a few days.

William G. Crawford said he attended a ball game at Pottsville Friday afternoon, but because of a down-pour of rain, they had to return to Priddy and found they had only a shower of rain there.

There have been several on the sick list. Mr. and Mrs. Jess Ivy were sick for a few days with flu.

B. J. Crawford suffered a cold last week.
Mrs. O. A. Evans is on the sick list.
Guests of Mr. and Mrs. Evans recently were Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Bramblett, Mr. and Mrs. Billie McNeilin and Gene, A. L. Crawford, Bob, Ruth, and Ruby Reynolds, and Pearl Crawford. We were glad to learn that Mrs. Evans was feeling much better.

B. J. Crawford is doing nicely. He is able to be around some and enjoy his radio.

Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Bill Partin, Tommie, Jimmie and Jesse, included: Mr. and Mrs. Jay Partin, Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Partin, and Mr. and Mrs. C. G. Partin.

Mr. and Mrs. R. F. Daniel and Gene McNeilin were Thursday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Daniel and Mark.

Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Conner, Dorothy and Mary attended Church at Mullin Sunday night.
Mr. and Mrs. O. L. Harris visited Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Koen at Caradan Sunday afternoon at the W. C. Koen home. Mrs. Curtis Koen is a sister of Mrs. Harris.

Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. O. A. Evans were Mr. and Mrs. Bill Partin and boys and Mrs. F. H. Tlemann, Melvin and Alvin G.

Mrs. Florence Conner of Brownwood is spending a few days with Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Conner and family, and Mr. and Mrs. Ben Bryan.

Mrs. B. F. Boydston and son, Claude, of Lubbock, spent the weekend with B. J. George and Pearl Crawford. Other guests were Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Craw-

BIRTHS

A son, Lohn Kent Davis, was born Friday, May 2, at 9:33 p. m., at Memorial Hospital in Brownwood to Mr. and Mrs. Robert E. Davis, Jr., of 2425 Durham, Brownwood.

The maternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Albert Downey of Route 1, Mullin, and the paternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Davis, Sr., of Mullin. The Davises have a daughter, Barbara June, 4, and a son, Donald, who is 2.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl A. Jeske, Jr., of Priddy, are the parents of a daughter, Donna Kay, born May 4 at 1:38 a. m., at Memorial Hospital, Brownwood. The maternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Reinert, Pottsville, and the paternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Carl A. Jeske, Sr., also of Priddy.

Michael Hardy Collier was born Saturday, May 3, in the King's Daughter Hospital at Temple to Mr. and Mrs. Hermon H. Collier of McGregor. He weighed 8 1/2 pounds at birth.

The maternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Marks of Heidenheimer, and Mr. and Mrs. H. R. Collier of Rt. 3, Goldthwaite, are the paternal grandparents.

Prayer Meeting

With Mrs. O. A. Carothers as the leader there will be an undenominational prayer meeting at 4:00 o'clock next Tuesday afternoon at the home of the Rev. and Mrs. J. E. Coe of the Goldthwaite Church of the Nazarene.

Special Services At The Gospel Hall

The evangelistic Campbell family of Waxahachie will feature services at the Gospel Hall on the west side of the Square in Goldthwaite next weekend, it was announced by the Rev. E. W. Dickson.

Brother Dickson said that the Campbells will be here for a service at 7:30 o'clock Saturday night. Special services on Sunday will include preaching at 10:45 a. m., a basket dinner at noon, baptismal services in the afternoon and an evangelistic meeting at 7:45 o'clock Sunday night. Brother Dickson recalled that Brother Campbell conducted a series of revival meetings at the Gospel Hall a little more than a year ago.

ford and Charles, David Samford of Burnet, Bill Partin and Tommie, G. W. Mason, and A. L. Crawford and William G.

Mr. and Mrs. Billie McNeilin and Gene report a nice rain at their home during Wednesday night and Thursday morning. They also reported a little wind-storm and some hail. The Crawfords and Partins were left in the dark, because the lightning hit the electric line.

Mr. and Mrs. O. L. Harris, George Crawford, and Claude Boydston attended Sam Koen's funeral Saturday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Crawford and William G. visited Mrs. R. A. Stevens and Miss Lola Saturday.

News of Jim Mason suffering a stroke at Fort Worth Saturday brought sorrow to our community. We all remember that Mr. and Mrs. Mason had a gay time celebrating their Golden Wedding, with a nice write-up and picture in the Goldthwaite Eagle.

Sam Koen's death brought sorrow to our community. Mr. Koen had been such a faithful and helpful neighbor to the Evanses and Crawfords. We will miss him. We express our sympathy to his children and loved ones during their hour of sorrow.

Personals

Mr. and Mrs. L. W. Weathers of Brownwood visited relatives here Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. O. R. Ervin of Ranger were guests of his sister, Mrs. W. M. Johnson, and Mr. Johnson and other relatives here last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Hodges, Jr., and little son, Marvin Allen of Port Arthur, visited relatives here last weekend.

TO BE CAPPED



MISS BARNETT

Miss Greta Allene Barnett, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Barnett of Goldthwaite, will be graduated from the Baptist Memorial Hospital School of Nursing at San Antonio on May 23.

In addition to being "capped" upon the occasion of her graduation, Miss Barnett will be one of the two members of her class who have been selected as nurses for Trinity University, also of San Antonio, where they will be in charge of the Infirmary.

Mr. and Mrs. Barnett and their son, Penn, planned this week to attend Miss Greta's Commencement Exercises, which will be conducted at the Riverside Baptist Church in San Antonio with Dr. J. Howard Williams, Executive Secretary of the Baptist General Convention of Texas, as the principal speaker. A number of other functions have been arranged for the graduation period.

Miss Barnett was graduated from the Goldthwaite High School in the Class of 1949. At Trinity University she will also continue her studies while serving as a Registered Nurse. She already has two years of credits toward her bachelor's degree in science, which she intends to receive from Trinity University.

P.-T. A. Meetings

The Goldthwaite Parent-Teacher Association will hold its last meeting of the current school year next Wednesday afternoon at the Grammar School auditorium, where annual reports will be presented and where new officers will be installed. Next Tuesday morning there will be a P.-T. A. Executive Board meeting at the Grammar School at nine o'clock.

Mt. Olive Working

All interested persons were invited this week by A. B. Neal to participate in a Working at the Mt. Olive Cemetery on Saturday of this week. Those who attend should take their tools with them, Mr. Neal said.

Mullin Commencement Week Begins With Baccalaureate Next Sunday

Commencement Week will begin at Mullin next Sunday night at 8:00 o'clock when Baccalaureate Service will be held at the Mullin Baptist Church with the Rev. Frank W. Duggan, Pastor of the Austin Avenue Presbyterian Church in Brownwood, as the Speaker.

Superintendent H. Howard Homsley said that on Thursday night of next week the Mullin

Grammar School graduation exercises will be held at 8:00 o'clock at the Mullin gymnasium with the Rev. Howard Morgan, Pastor of the Mullin Methodist Church, as the speaker.

Next Friday night the Class of 1952 of the Mullin High School will be graduated, also, at 8:00 o'clock, at the School gymnasium. Assisted by their successors, the Juniors, the Mullin Seniors will conduct their own Commencement in the form of a ritual, "The Light of Truth," in which other pupils of the Mullin Schools also will have parts. Diplomas will be presented by Superintendent Homsley.

Members of the Mullin Class of 1952 are Wilma Burdette, Valetictorian; Nell Cobb, Salutatorian; Dick McCurdy, who ranks as the highest boy, scholastically; Melva Joan Pafford, Mary Limbaugh, Nelma Ann Roberts, Billy Ray Anderson, Freddie Spinks, Eldon Gibbard, Lynn Shelton, Henry Pafford, and Billy Jim Shafer.

For the Baccalaureate Service at Mullin next Sunday night the Processional and Recessional will be played by Mrs. Irene Nettleship. The Invocation will be by the Rev. E. E. Barber, Pastor of the Mullin Baptist Church; and the Benediction by Minister Avon Malone of the Mullin Church of Christ.

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Military Police Commander Has Praise For Sheriff Stubblefield

A letter of appreciation from Lt. Col. Jack L. Rhodes for courtesies that were extended in Mills County while elements of his 307th Military Police Battalion were stationed in Goldthwaite was received this week by County Judge Lewis B. Porter and the County Commissioners.

In his letter Col. Rhodes made special reference to Sheriff C. F. Stubblefield, Howard B. Campbell, who donated quarters for the Military Police; and Utility Manager W. C. Barnett, who assisted in installation of the M. P. communications system.

Since his men left Goldthwaite recently, Col. Rhodes has been transferred from command of the 307th Military Police Bat-

...talion, with headquarters at Fort Sam Houston, to Provost Marshal and Commanding Officer of the newly activated Headquarters, 525th Military Police Service Battalion.

In his letter of appreciation, Col. Rhodes wrote as follows: "I want to take this means to express to you and the good people of Mills County our very sincere appreciation for the many courtesies and assistance rendered the Military Police Detachment stationed in your city during Exercise Longhorn. The assistance rendered us by Sheriff 'Stub' Stubblefield, and his very fine cooperation, made our work both pleasant and easier. We are particularly grateful to some of your citizens who

assisted in making our office and quarters quite nice. Stubblefield engineered the project, to which Mr. Campbell and Mr. Barnett contributed.

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Ira Galloway (For election)

FOR DISTRICT JUDGE:
27th Judicial District
Wesley Dice (For Reelection)
Jim Evetts (For election)

FOR DISTRICT ATTORNEY
Henry Taylor, Jr. (For election)
Raymond Thornton (For Election)

FOR COUNTY JUDGE
Lewis B. Porter (For re-election)
John L. Patterson (For 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)

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Methodist Youth Choose Officers

Chester Edward Brooks was elected President of the Methodist Youth Fellowship of the First Methodist Church of Goldthwaite last Sunday. Other officers, who will be installed with the new President on June 16, are Jean Ann Evans, Vice President; Martha Carolyn Graves, Secretary; Ray Campbell, Treasurer; Richard Miller, Reporter; Rosaline Sawyer, Song Leader; and Lathan Merrigan and Miss Graves, Pianists.

The Commission heads were elected as follows: Joan Jones, Chairman of Worship with Mrs. Lovelace as advisor; Jo Ann Duren and James Wesley Nichols, co-chairmen of Recreation with Mrs. Aubrey Hudson as advisor; Maedell Long, chair-

men of Community Service with Mrs. Ray Duren as advisor; and Penn Barnett and Myriene Reynolds Weathers, co-chairmen of Missions and World Friendship with Mrs. Fred Reynolds as the commission's advisor. They have been elected for the 1952-1953 fiscal year.

Personals

Misses Ruby Cave and Love Gatlin attended the West Texas Historical Association meeting at Coleman Saturday.

The Rev. Ed H. Lovelace, Pastor of the local Methodist Church, was called to Sterling City last Friday to participate in the funeral services for one of his former parishoners. He was accompanied by Mrs. Lovelace.

Goldthwaite FFA Chapter Crowns Queen At Banquet On Wednesday

The Goldthwaite High School Chapter of the Future Farmers of America will have W. R. "Bill" Chambers, a member of the State Legislature, as the

room at 8:00 o'clock on Wednesday night of next week.

John Weaver, President of the Eagles Chapter of the F. F. A., will be Master of Ceremonies. He will introduce the guests and he will crown Miss Ann Worley, F. F. A. Chapter Sweetheart, as Queen. The invocation will be by M. F. Hines.

Music will be by "The Foolish Four number 2," but who the members of that quartette are is a mystery known only to Y. B. Johnson, Jr., Chapter Advisor, and he declined this week to divulge the secret. Mr. Johnson, however, will participate in next Wednesday night's program.

The closing ceremony will be by the Chapter Officers who, in addition to President Weaver, are Vernon Whitley, Vice President; Bobby Letbetter, Secretary; Wayne Wicker, Treasurer; Bob Parker, Reporter; John Stark, Parliamentarian; and Wayne Long, Sentinel.



QUEEN ANN WORLEY

guest speaker at the annual banquet at the school lunch-

Personal News Of Mullin

By MARSALTE SUMMY

Miss Bobbie Slaughter spent the weekend with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. L. J. Slaughter, in Goldthwaite.

A. G. Weston visited Mrs. Weston, a patient in Scott and White Hospital, Temple, on Sunday. Mrs. Paul Westdyke of Callas is with her mother, while she is in the hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Perry Yeager and Donald, Miss Mattie Tenny, and Mr. and Mrs. Roger Hanson and baby of San Angelo were visitors in Mullin Sunday.

Lieut. Chas Utzman of Fort Benning, Ga. is visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Alcy Utzman.

Mr. and Mrs. Warren Duren and sons of Goldthwaite visited Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Fisher Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. Clarence Jenkins and Brenda of Brownwood visited their aunt, Mrs. C. L. Summy, Tuesday, enroute to Lometa to visit Mrs. Melvin Murphy and

family. Mrs. A. L. French accompanied them to Lometa.

Mrs. Miranda Kittle visited Mr. and Mrs. G. P. Kittle and Mary in Brady last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Swinney of Medina were recent visitors with Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Swinney.

Miss Myrtle Jones of San Angelo was a Mullin visitor last weekend.

Mrs. Kenneth Applewhite of Tahoka was a visitor last week in the home of Mrs. J. S. Kemp.

Mrs. Dovie Watson of Austin spent the weekend with Mrs. Pearl Absher and Merlene Roberts.

Mrs. Lou Rothwell returned home recently from a visit in San Antonio with M/Sgt. and Mrs. Herbert Rothwell and baby.

Mrs. Glynn Sanders and Roger were visitors in Austin Saturday.

Robert Kelly, U. S. N. and Miss Wanda Holcomb of Sweet-

water were recent visitors with Mr. and Mrs. L. N. Kelly.

Mr. and Mrs. N. E. Wootten were recent visitors in Henderson and Kilgore; they accompanied Weldon Wootten of Rising Star. W. J. Wootten of Kilgore returned home with them for a visit.

-Eagle Want Ads Get Results-

New Time Set For Dickson Radiocasts

Time for the regular Sunday morning broadcasts by the Dickson family of Goldthwaite over radio station KCLW has been changed to 8:30 o'clock from 7:45 o'clock. The broadcasts at 9:00 on your radio dial are by the Rev. and Mrs. E. W. Dickson and their children, Myra and Sonny.

Wedding Bells

Since last report County Clerk Earl Summy has issued marriage licenses to the following:

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Ranchers Here Try Buffel Grass For Both Hay Crops And Pasturage

By CHARLES O. HAENISCH

A new grass, Buffel grass, is being introduced in this area by farmers and ranchers co-operating with the Brown-Mills Soil Conservation District. This grass is a native of South Africa and was first introduced in Texas in 1949 by the Soil Conservation Service Nursery at San Antonio. The first seed crop was produced in 1950. Little is known of the possibilities of this grass in this area, but results that have been obtained

in the southern part of Texas are encouraging. Buffel grass is a perennial summer growing grass best adapted to a sandy type soil. It is usually planted in the spring and early fall at the rate of three pounds per acre in 36 inch rows. It grows in a bunch two to four feet high and is highly palatable. The most important uses for this grass are hay and pasture. The root system of Buffel

grass is very heavy, making it capable of withstanding prolonged drought. This characteristic makes it an excellent grass for the adding of humus to humus-depleted soil in this area.

Several farmers in this area have purchased seed and have planted small acreages. Vance Cockrell, near Big Valley, has planted approximately 25 acres which he plans to irrigate. If this planting proves successful, more will be planted next year.

W. P. McCullough, near Mt. Olive, planned a ten acre field to this grass. A regular planter with cotton plates was used to plant the seed. Cotton seed hulls were added to the seed in order to plant the recommended three pounds per acre. Seed harvested from this plot will be planted on other fields.

Robert Doak, W. A. Hill, Eric D. Roberson, and J. W. Neal are other cooperators who have planted small plots for seed production.

If Buffel grass proves successful in this area, many acres that are now left idle will be planted to this grass for seed production and grazing.

32 guests who were present for a weiner roast.

Mr. and Mrs. Stacy McCasland and Mrs. Abbie Aldridge were visitors in the Brock McCasland home Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. George Nall of Izora visited Mr. and Mrs. Claude Nall Monday.

Mrs. Nelson Waggoner accompanied her sister, Mrs. Frank Shelton, and niece, Mrs. Al Soules, to Brownwood last Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Edd Knight were luncheon guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Alexander Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Blackwell and family of Abilene were recent visitors to his parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Blackwell. They also visited his brother and family, Mr. and Mrs. Hollis Blackwell, while here.

Visitors in the Hollis Hendry home recently were their son, William Richard, and family, of Austin.

Mr. and Mrs. Owen Lee and Mr. and Mrs. Worth Lee visited Mr. and Mrs. Aubry Head, Charles and Prentiss Saturday.

Mrs. Joe Green is doing some papering in her home. She is a pretty good paper hanger, too. Mr. and Mrs. Dan Townsend visited Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Coffman last Thursday afternoon.

Mrs. Jack Elms visited her sister, Mrs. Homer Brown, of Brownwood last Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. George Brown have recently heard from their son, Jamie, who is in the Navy. First time they had heard from him since he was last home.

Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Wright heard from their son, Pfc. J. D. "Jake" Wright—last week. He still is at Inchon. He sent some pictures. He looked real well. We are always glad to hear about and from all the "Service Boys."

Last Sunday was Mrs. Herbert Coffman's birthday. Her parents, Mr. and Mrs. B. T. Arnold of Pearl, and Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Coffman had lunch with her. Mrs. K. M. Coffman, Deron and Kayvon visited with them in the afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Brock McCasland and Grandmother Shaw have gotten ready for the warm weather that will soon be here. They have had their home air-conditioned.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Warlick of Adamsville visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Wright, Ann, Gene and Felton, last Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Coffman went to the auction sale at Brownwood last Friday. While in Brownwood I visited my brother and family, Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Alexander and Ray.

Mrs. Sherwood Owens and Mrs. Ercher McCasland visited their sister-in-law, Mrs. Eual Venable and daughter Ada Nell, who are in a Waco hospital recovering from a car accident. Mrs. Owens reported they were

doing nicely but would have to remain in the hospital for awhile longer.

Mrs. Allen Carter and Mrs. W. Coffman called on Mrs. Frank Carr last Monday noon.

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Center City News

By OLETA COFFMAN

Mr. and Mrs. Aubry Head entertained on Tuesday night of last week in honor of Center City persons who had reached birthday anniversaries in April. Mrs. Head was one of the birthday ladies. Mrs. C. J. Horner baked the birthday cake for the

OUR DEMOCRACY — by Mat

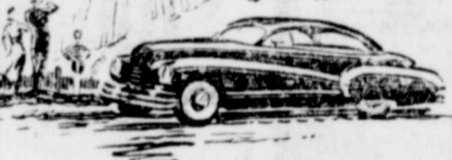
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DOG ODDITIES

By Harry Miller, Director, GAINES DOG RESEARCH CENTER

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RECIPE OF THE WEEK

By Mary Lee Taylor

Easy Apple Cobbler

No. 303 can sweetened applesauce 1/2 cup Fat Milk
1/2 teaspoon cinnamon 4 teaspoons brown sugar
1 cup biscuit mix 4 teaspoons butter
1 Tablespoon sugar

Mix applesauce and cinnamon. Put into 8-inch square pan. Heat in very hot oven (450). Put biscuit mix into bowl. Stir in sugar, raisins and milk. Drop dough from spoon in 4 equal portions onto hot applesauce. Press a hollow in each and fill with equal parts of brown sugar and butter. Bake on center rack of oven 15 min. or until light brown. Serve warm.

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With Calls S. O. Koen Only Six Weeks After His Wife's Passing

Six weeks and three days after the death of his wife, the Oregon Koen of Caradon on Friday of last week at Kermit Memorial Hospital in Winkler County. He had been ill for only a short time.

Koen, better known as "Big Boy" Koen, was 72 last February. The oldest son of the late H. and Angie Koen, he was born in the Blue Ridge community of Hamilton County. Mr. Koen, however, had lived in Mills County ever since he was 9 years of age. He was married to the former Etta Mae Koen of Bell County on November 20, 1904.

Funeral services were conducted for Mr. Koen last Saturday afternoon at the Mt. Zion Church with Elder Jesse and Elder Jasper Cham-

bers officiating. Interment was in the Caradan Cemetery with arrangements by the Fairman-Wilkins Funeral Home of Goldthwaite.

Seven of Mr. Koen's eight children survive him. One daughter died in infancy. The surviving children are:

Mrs. B. C. (Jessie) Wicker of Goldthwaite, Mrs. C. F. (Etta Mae) Lawson of Caradan, W. C. Koen of Caradan, Mrs. R. E. (Eva) McKimney of Rotan, Elmer Koen of Jal, New Mexico, and James and Curtis Koen, both of Eastland.

Also surviving are a brother, Clairborn Koen of Lubbock, a sister, Mrs. Joe Dodgen of Caradan, 14 grandchildren and three great-grandchildren.

Mr. Koen had been a member of the Primitive Baptist Church since August of 1930, when he

was baptized by Elder Chambers. Pall bearers at the funeral service last Saturday were Ottis Koen, Bill Duke, Meredith Stewart, Isaac Conway, Lynley McKimney, and Ottis Bush.

Gene Long Safe After Tragedy On Cruiser St. Paul

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Long this week received the understatement of the year from their son, Gene, who for two tours of duty has been a member of the crew of the battle-scarred cruiser, the U. S. S. St. Paul. "We had a little accident," Gene wrote to his parents. That was all.

Last month Mr. and Mrs. Long and the other members of their family and a host of friends went through a period of great anxiety because of the tragic news that 30 men had been killed in an explosion in a gun turret while the St. Paul was bombarding Red positions in Korea. After the awful period of waiting it was known that Gene Long was safe, although telegrams bearing tragic news went to 30 other families in the United States.

In his letter, Gene Long was attempting merely to assure his family; he was not deprecating the tragedy aboard the St. Paul. Gene's wife, to whom he was married just before he started his second tour of duty in the Korea zone of hostilities, lives in Long Beach, Cal.

Ralph Massey Has More Fun In Navy Than In School!

Hush! Please don't tell anybody — but this week Mr. and Mrs. Jess Massey of Goldthwaite received a letter from their son, Ralph E. Massey of the United States Navy and, do you know what he wrote? That's right; he wrote from the American Naval Base at Yokosuka, Japan that he is "having more fun" than when he was in High School here in Goldthwaite!

Although he is far away in Japan, Ralph reported that he kept in touch with the recent Army-Air Force maneuvers, Exercise Longhorn, by listening to reports on the radio of what went on. His brother, Bobby was one of the soldiers who participated in Exercise Longhorn. He is with the crack First Armored Division, which is stationed at Fort Hood. Another brother, Wayne Massey, is a member of the United States Marine Corps. He now is on duty in Dallas.

Ralph, who enlisted in the Navy at the same time that Larry Simmons, son of Mr. and Mrs. T. M. Glass went in, is a fireman. Larry is on a long jaunt to the Middle East.

home. She had the light on in the kitchen, and was at the sink working out her fresh-churned butter. The lightning crashed and there was an explosion that shook the kitchen. Both doors to the refrigerator flew open; the light bulb shattered into tiny bits; a lamp chimney on the drain board danced off breaking into little pieces; and blackened places appeared along the metal edge of the drain board.

Mrs. Reeves was very much frightened, fearing the lightning had set the house on fire. Luckily she saw Hubert coming. He examined the roof and the attic, but found no signs of fire. He noticed that where Mrs. Reeves' body had touched the drain board there was a spot burned on her clothing, and she found that it had even burned her body. The metal in the electric cord connecting the light to the gas-burning refrigerator was entirely melted, and nothing remained but the ragged insulation. Mrs. Reeves found that her butter (three pounds of it) and her batter-milk were ruined by the shattered glass. They are at a loss to know how the lightning entered the house.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Henry Griffin from near San Antonio spent the weekend at the Griffin home.

Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Wilmet of Sealy spent Thursday night with Mrs. Edna Dwyer. They were on their way to Fort Sumner, N. M., to visit their children and attend a rodeo. In his youth Lawrence farmed here one year with his uncle, the late J. R. Wilmet, Sr.

After five days' visit at the Briley home, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. A. Belch and Billy and Johnny left Saturday morning for their home in El Paso.

Mr. and Mrs. Johnny Egger of Brownwood visited Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Egger Sunday. Mrs. Joann accompanied Mrs. Eugene to church at Oakland Sunday morning.

We see green leaves putting out on the Griffin orchard. We are hoping that will insure a peach crop.

Mrs. Frank Crowder said she went to Friendship Home in Brownwood last week to visit her mother, Mrs. Lula Kelly, and Frank's mother, Mrs. Mary Ivy. She found them and Mrs. Sarah Ann Reeves and Mrs. Horace Reynolds all happily visiting together. Mrs. Reeves had come from another home to visit. Mrs. Reynolds has just come from her son's home in New Mexico to live at Friendship Home. She says she is 300 miles away from any of her kin, but she is happy to be with these women whom she has known so long.

Mrs. Charles White hears that her people who are coming from Germany to live in the United States will land in New York. The German government will notify her three days before time for them to land. She will meet them in Brownwood and will take charge of them from then on.

Star News

By DORA GOODE

There will be a bridal shower, honoring Miss Mae Belle Cox at the home of Mrs. Rex Clifton Friday afternoon May 16. Everyone is invited.

Visitors in the Winfred Sheldon home Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. Winfred Alexander, of Lometa, Mr. and Mrs. Bud Leverton, and Mr. and Mrs. Kirby Moore.

The boys from Pottsville motored over to Star last Tuesday evening and won the baseball game from the Star boys 5 to 4.

Three of our Star men went over to the river fishing, and from the time they stayed we were in hope... but alas!

no fish did we see. Try again, men!

On Friday the Star boys went over to Fairy and won the ball game by a good margin... 14 to 2.

Saturday night last Mr. and Mrs. Bob Clary gave a birthday party for Mrs. Virgie Sheldon.

Everyone reported a lovely time.

Rev. C. A. Hogan filled his regular appointment here Sunday with a full house at the morning service. The Sunday School was almost tops, so let's keep the good work moving forward.

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Ebony News

By Clementine Wilmeth Briley

Minister Ernest Bradley of San Saba will preach for us Sunday. His subject will be, "Why We Are Here," or in other words, "The Purpose of Life." We urge you to come out to hear him.

This community had an inch of rain Wednesday night and Thursday morning of last week, and 15 inch Friday evening. Everything is green and growing, and farmers are working hard trying to get their seed in the ground.

During the electric storm which accompanied the rain Thursday morning a strange phenomenon happened at the Hubert Reeves home. Hubert had gone to take the Briley ball

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| WILDROOT CREME OIL 60c Size | 49c | ARMOUR'S PURE LARD 3 Lb. Ctn. | 47c |
| MODART CREME SHAMPOO 75c Size | 65c | | |

Lieut. John M. Oglesby Admits Austrian Hills Higher Than Texas'

Lieut. John M. Oglesby, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Oglesby of Goldthwaite, has arrived at his new post of duty in Salzburg, Austria, after having been stationed at Fort Lee, Va., for several months.

In a letter to the Eagle that was dated April 27, Lieut. Oglesby wrote in part as follows:

"My new assignment is that of Property Disposal Officer for the Salzburg area. Being so new in Europe I can say only that it is old, beautiful and interesting. AND I REGRET TO SAY THAT THE MOUNTAINS HERE ARE HIGHER THAN THE ONES WE HAVE IN TEXAS!"

"I intend to visit Edgar Leonhard in Germany and other Displaced Persons from Mills County as soon as I have the opportunity. Perhaps you might be able to help me out on the addresses of other local GI's in these parts. News from Mills County is always welcome."

In reply to the above, Lieut. Oglesby, Major M. A. Campbell and his family are stationed at Wiesbaden, Germany. Edgar Leonhard is at Babenhausen and Cecil Bryan, Jr., is at Mainz. The Eagle has a number of addresses of "Displaced Persons" from Mills County but they give APO numbers and not specific places. Perhaps you could find Pfc. Billy Gummelt, who is with the 1944th AACS Squadron. Cpl. Alfred H. Niemann is with Battery A, Third Field Artillery Battalion, Second Armored Division. When you have a reunion, have a whing ding for the

editor, please. Lieut. Oglesby went to his assignment in Salzburg by way of North Africa, France, Germany, Italy and way points.

Roddy Burke Walton Awarded Top Honor

Roddy Burke Walton, son of Mr. and Mrs. Lee Walton of Center City, is one of only nine students at the Texas A. & M. College School of Arts and Sciences who has been named for a Distinguished Honor Award. An honorable mention will be bestowed on Mr. Walton at a special Awards and Merits Convocation at College Station on Thursday of next week. He has been recognized for an "outstanding record of scholarship and leadership."

Mrs. G. C. Seaborn of Coolidge, Arizona, is visiting her sister, Mrs. A. M. Rose.



Agriculture and its place in the American economy was debated for two days in the House last week, as the annual appropriation for that agency was considered and passed.

It was disclosed that since 1940 the appropriation for that agency has been reduced 32 per cent, whereas most of the other departments have mushroomed in growth and cost. Twelve years ago money to run the Agriculture department represented 13 per cent of the Federal budget, exclusive of national defense; today, exclusive of the national defense and payment on the national debt, the cost is three per cent. The employees in that agency, it was developed, have been reduced by over 41 per cent since pre-war.

Among other facts developed during consideration of funds to run this agency during the next year, were these:

Only 175 years ago we had in this Nation 500,000,000 acres of fertile soil. Since then we have wasted 200,000,000 acres of that land, and there is another 100,000,000 that is washing away today.

By 1975, according to the present rate of increase in population, we will have a population of 190,000,000. Unless we make advances in science it will take 115,000,000 more acres to maintain the present high standard of living.

The Pink boll worm has shown up in many Texas counties. It spread to 17 new counties last year. Annual losses on cotton alone due to insects and diseases exceed \$1 billion.

The annual loss from insects to timber and to crops is in the billions. Since colonial days, insects and fire have destroyed 6,750,000,000 board feet of timber, which is nearly equal to our original stand.

On agricultural research—which results in new methods to cope with pestilence and disease—we actually spend each year only a little more than the cost of one destroyer or the cost of 12 B-36 bombers.

Through research, for example, the Department of Agriculture has developed an entirely new poultry industry. The annual cost of this scientific discovery has been equal to only 12 per cent of the cost of a medium sized tank. The Bureau of Animal Industry has found by adding vitamin B-12 to poultry feeds we can produce 9-pound broilers in 9 weeks on 9 pounds of feed. This represents a saving of at least 800,000 tons of feed worth \$80,000,000.

Other items for which funds were appropriated or loan authorizations provided included 4-H club work, vocational agriculture, forest service, soil and water conservation, Federal crop insurance—now on an experimental basis, Farmers Home Administration, school lunch, rural electrification and rural telephone loans, etc.

A recent letter from a friend in Junction referred to the cost of the support program as applied to potatoes, eggs and butter. Actually, there has been no price support program of any kind on potatoes since such supports were prohibited by Congress in 1950. In the case of butter, there has been no price support on that commodity within the past twelve months, and the same is true of eggs.

The egg and potato programs were scandalously expensive in the past, both being perishable in character. The cost of the two amounted to 63 per cent of the total cost of the government support program. In the case of potatoes the Secretary of Agriculture designated potatoes as a basic war commodity several years ago which enabled the extravagant price support program to be applied. Many of us questioned the judgment of the Secretary in so designating

Walter Leonhard Has It Good But Misses Scenery On Bahama Island

A/2c Walter M. Leonhard, son of Mr. and Mrs. H. J. Leonhard of Rt. 3, Goldthwaite, misses the lack of scenery at his new station in the Bahama Islands, where he is part of a great guided missiles project.

"When hearing about the Bahamas, people think it is a wonderful place," Walter wrote to the Eagle. "Some of the places such as Nassau... are nice, but this island is terrible. There is nothing in the line of scenery."

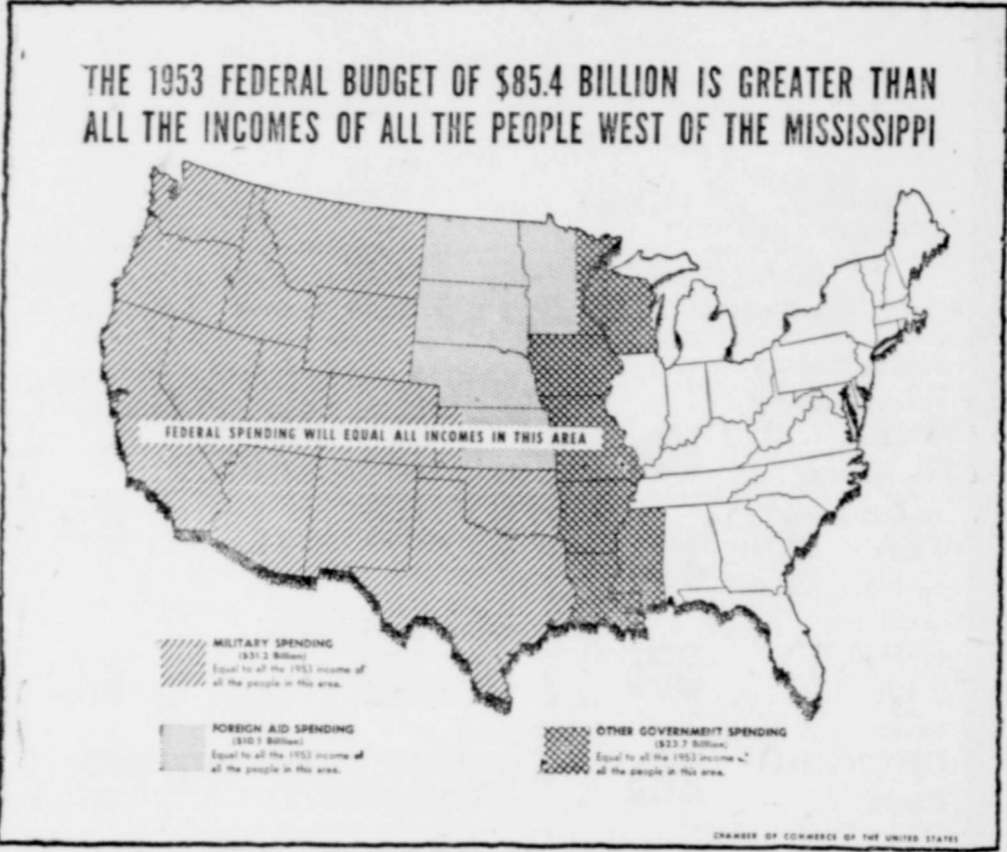
Walter Leonhard then proceeded to tell of having a USO variety show to provide entertainment at the Grand Bahama Air Force Base and to enclose a clipping from "The Missiler," which is the newspaper of the Patrick Air Force Base in Florida. The activity in the Bahama Islands is under the jurisdiction of the Patrick AFB.

The clipping which Walter sent and which he said was "absolutely true" told of "a three day pass every six weeks, good housing, good chow, three-for-one overseas credits, and only one year duty tours." The article told of ten per cent additional pay for overseas duty, close cooperation among men and officers, high morale, PX beer for off-duty hours, an Airman Club and facilities for tennis, basketball, volleyball,

potatoes. When the exorbitant cost resulted, the Congress took the action which eliminated potatoes from the purchase and support program.

Most of the other so-called support programs on farm products have fared better. Both cotton and wheat have made the government money—the government purchasing on depressed markets, then holding to sell on rising markets. Cotton alone netted the government nearly a hundred million dollars.

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THIS STARTLING PICTURE is the result of study by the National Chamber's Government Economy Program, based on figures from the U.S. Department of Commerce. Incomes of all people include all money that goes to individuals as wages, salaries, interest, rent, and dividends. Since latest Commerce Department figures available for the map were for 1950, the Chamber estimated total 1953 incomes at 15 per cent higher than those for 1950. Total 1953 spending under the President's budget would equal the incomes of all persons west of the Mississippi plus 96 per cent of the incomes in Wisconsin and all the incomes in Mississippi.

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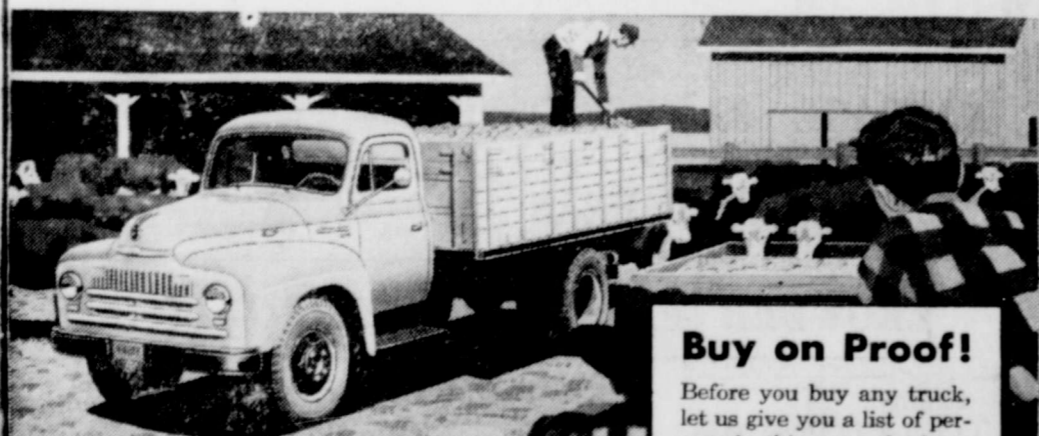
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Editorial

It is to be understood clearly that Brad GAVE that electric shaver to the editor. Anybody reading this column can see for himself that there has been NO mention of either Pontiac automobiles or of Bradford's Western Auto Associate Store.

Parents Of Month
The Goldthwaite Methodist Youth Fellowship has elected Dr. and Mrs. T. C. Graves to be the Parents of the Month for the month of May. They will be asked to participate in all youth activities of the young people's class and the intermediate class that make up the Methodist Youth Fellowship organization.

Ben Dale Coxes Are Together In Kansas
Mrs. Ben Dale Cox and her children, Joyce Ann, 5, and Gary, 3, have gone to Hutchinson, Kan., to join their husband and father, S/Sgt. Cox of the Air Force who now is stationed at a Navy radar installation near Hutchinson S/Sgt. Cox, who served for more than two years in Japan and Korea, was assigned to duty near Hutchinson recently after a furlough. The son of Mrs. Ben Cox of Rt. 3, Goldthwaite, he has been in the Air Force for about ten years. "He is a mess sergeant and a good one," his mother said this week.

Baptist Pastor Speaks To Troops
On Tuesday night of this week the Rev. J. T. Ayers, Pastor of the First Baptist Church of Goldthwaite, was the guest speaker at a gathering of "Servicemen For Christ" at Fort Hood. The invitation to Brother Ayers was extended by Chaplain John Dodd of Fort Hood.

Our Franklin Hauls Red War Prisoners
Franklin Dew Weathers, son of County Treasurer Bertha Weathers, has been helping the United States Navy to haul prisoners of war in Korea to the island of Koje Do, according to letters that were received this week by his mother and his wife, the former Myriene Reynolds. Our Franklin, who is a member of the crew of the U. S. S. LST number 975, also has made a trip from Pusan, at the southern tip of Korea, to Wonsan, which is astride the 38th parallel in the north.

New And Renewal Subscriptions To The Eagle-Enterprise In April

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Irk Black, Route 3
Eli Edmondson, Mullin
H. E. Moreland, City

Baptist Broadcast
The Rev. J. T. Ayers, Pastor of the First Baptist Church of Goldthwaite, this week urged the public generally to listen to a special Mothers' Day message that will be broadcast at 10:00 o'clock next Sunday morning on the stations of the Columbia Broadcasting System by Dr. J. D. Grey, President of the Southern Baptist Convention and Pastor of the First Baptist Church in New Orleans. Next Sunday morning, Dr. Grey will be heard on the CBS Church of the Air. He also will be the speaker for the Baptist Hour broadcasts during July, August and September.

Kills Buzztail
Mrs. Fred Sullivan killed a rattlesnake about 2 1/2 feet long while she was working in her garden last week. Now she is hoping that she will not have to deal with the dead snake's mate.

Bro. Ayers Goes To Convention At Miami On Sunday

The Rev. J. T. Ayers, Pastor of the First Baptist Church of Goldthwaite, and Mrs. Ayers will leave next Sunday afternoon for Miami, Fla., where they will attend the annual meeting of the Southern Baptist Convention from May 14 through May 17.
Brother and Mrs. Ayers will leave their daughter, Annette, to stay with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Harris in Corsicana. Then they will drive on to Mineola where they will be joined by Mrs. Ayers' brother, the Rev. M. M. Harris, and Mrs. Harris, who will accompany them to the Miami Convention. Brother Harris is Pastor of the Baptist Church at Mineola.

After attending the gathering at Miami, Brother and Mrs. Ayers and Brother and Mrs. Harris will return by way of New Orleans and the northern coast of the Gulf of Mexico.
During the absence of Brother Ayers the pulpit at the First Baptist Church will be filled next Sunday night and at both Services of Worship on May 18 by the Rev. Don Jones, Assistant Pastor. Brother Ayers will return in time for the Services on May 24.

Hillside Mission
By LIDA BYRNE
A wise person said: "Blessed is the man who is too busy to worry in the daytime, and too tired to lie awake at night."

Circle Fellowship
A Circle Fellowship meeting will be held at 7:30 o'clock on Tuesday night of next week at the Assembly of God Church in Goldthwaite. The Rev. Hetzel, Pastor, said the meeting is open to the public.



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Lions Tribute

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 against the boys. There must be something important that Mills County has to account for so many trophies here as against so few in so many other places. There are values, however, that come from your work in addition to trophies.

"The first value can be reckoned from working hard and from competing to win—two qualities that have made America great. You boys and girls in your 4-H and F. F. A. work are gaining basic training in citizenship, preparation for life—and you are learning cooperation, too.

"As a second value you are receiving leadership training and you are learning to think and to express yourselves. My generation has contrived only to get the world into an awful mess. All of us grown-ups here, I think, would trade places for you youngsters as you face a world full of challenge. . . . There are just as many opportunities and challenges now as there were in the days of Christopher Columbus. There is the challenge NOT to be satisfied with what you have done but to accept the greater challenge to go on and do more. . . I urge all of you that you continue with your formal education and that as you do you remember that the American way of life, which was won the hard way, is to be cherished. May this program serve as an incentive

to you."
 In bestowing the silver cups Mr. Logan tried to find out why John Howard Owens was displaying a shiner or blackened eye.

"Where DID you get that mouse, boy?" Mr. Logan asked John Howard, who gave only a big grin as a reply.
 Mr. Logan also got a broad smile from Dana Saylor when he said:

"If I had sold a calf for \$3,000.00 I could buy me a nice suit like that too."

Mr. Logan pointed out that winners in one field usually are winners in other fields. He said that Mills County is fortunate in having its County Agent and teachers of vocational agriculture. The teachers and Mr. Reese were given a standing ovation by the assembled Lions and their guests.

G. O. P. Fizzles!

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 four persons. He did not say what happened. He volunteered only the information that he had not been feeling well and that he was NOT an Eisenhower man.

The Democrats did NOT hold any Precinct Conventions last Saturday. Attending the Democratic County Convention on Tuesday afternoon, in addition to the delegates who were elected, were Justice of the Peace E. A. Obenhaus, T. Floyd Sansom, Minister H. E. Cleghorn of

Star, County Judge Lewis B. Porter, Hugh Owen, and H. R. Ekins.

The Democratic County Convention lasted eight minutes.
 P. S. — Republican County Chairman Eaton appeared at the Mills County Court House late last Tuesday afternoon but by that time his fellow partisans, who had waited more than half an hour for him, had gone their various ways.

P. P. S. — The Republican State Convention will be held at Mineral Wells on May 27.

Personals

Mr. and Mrs. O. S. White and daughter, Mary Sue, of Temple were weekend guests of Misses Abbie and Ruth Ervin and R. L. Ervin.

Mr. and Mrs. P. L. Hancock and Kathryn Horton visited the Allan Hortons and Mr. and Mrs. M. F. Horton in Waco Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Maurice Knight and daughter, Martha Jean, are visiting relatives in Arkansas this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Cox and daughters, Gynnell and Karen, visited Miss Lena Mae Jones at San Saba Memorial Hospital Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Steward of San Angelo visited Mrs. Ruby Simpson and son, James Leslie last Monday. They were on their way home from a trip to North and South Carolina and Tennessee.



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MAYOR APOLOGIZES, THEN TAKES A WALK FROM CITY COUNCIL MEETING ON MONDAY

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 Raymond Summy. Alderman Harper moved that the Minutes be approved as read and, following a second to his motion by Alderman Letbetter, they were approved by unanimous vote—thereby leaving still on the record two motions—one by Alderman Holland calling for the City Council to "get a new Mayor for Goldthwaite" and another by Alderman Harper calling upon the Mayor to resign. Both motions had been adopted unanimously at the April 10 meeting, as was shown in the Minutes of that meeting as they were published in full in the April 18 issue of the Goldthwaite Eagle.

Between the start of last Monday night's Council meeting, when the Mayor presented his apology, and his sudden departure at 9:24 p. m., all was harmonious, with mutual deference being displayed around the Council table. The Aldermen appeared astonished at the action of the Mayor in leaving them so precipitately but soon after his departure they resumed their deliberations under the chairmanship of Alderman Moreland and continued until a motion to adjourn was passed at 10:29 p. m.

During the one hour and a quarter that he was present for the Council meeting the Mayor appeared to be highly nervous. In fact, he stated that he was "nervous" as he read his statement of apology and several times he told the Aldermen that he had been "stuck." The Aldermen, while making it clear that they had accepted the Mayor's apology as such, also made it clear that the motion calling for his resignation continued in effect.

The motion to adjourn an hour and five minutes after the Mayor had taken his walk was by Alderman Holland. It was seconded by Alderman Gilbert.

Routine matters that were

considered at the Council meeting last Monday night included: Decision to undertake street culvert construction near the home of W. C. Frazier and at the intersection of Fairman and Reynolds Streets.

A report on the precautions against rabies by Alderman Gilbert in behalf of the Council's Safety Committee. A separate news article on this subject will be found elsewhere in this week's Eagle.

Considerable discussion of the proposed swimming pool project for Goldthwaite, including a report by Mr. Barnett on a Lubbock meeting of the Texas Pool and Beach Association, which he attended with Leston F. Bain at the instigation of the Goldthwaite Lions Club.

An agreement to run electric power to provide for operation of a pump at the holding tank of the City's sewerage disposal plant. The members of the Council were in unanimous agreement that diversion of the outflow from the sewerage plant to land owned by L. B. Burnham was in the public interest and would represent a good investment in preventing pollution of the waters of Nabor's (Bull's) Creek.

Decided, on motion of Alderman Harper, seconded by Alderman Gilbert, to extend the existing two-inch water line on Seventh Street eastward for approximately one block.

There also was inconclusive discussion of a request by Postmaster Lucile Fairman for financial help from the City Council for the installation of drive-up "spouts" on mail boxes at the railroad station and on the Conoco corner opposite the Post Office. The Lions Club also has contributed \$15.00 for a "spout" at the railroad station mail box and Postmaster Fairman also has taken up the matter of an additional "spout" with the City Council as well as with other civic clubs. Mean-

while, she is negotiating with the Department of the Post Office for larger boxes in which to deposit mail both at the railroad station and on the Conoco corner.

Following the departure of the Mayor and before the adjournment of the Council meeting the Aldermen discussed the City's electric utility system with Manager Barnett in considerable detail.

Bank At Priddy Burglarized But Safe Not Opened

Sheriff C. F. Stubblefield, aided by Texas Ranger George Roach of Stephenville, is investigating a burglary of the Farmers and Merchants Bank of Priddy. The bank, which is owned privately by Carl F. Jeske and Eleanor Jeske Gro-matzky, is located in the Jeske store at Priddy.

Last Monday night or early Tuesday morning entry was made into the Jeske store through a rear window, Sheriff Stubblefield said. The burglars made their way into the bank vault, where they found approximately \$75.00 in cash, but they were not able to break into the safe. A knob had been knocked off the safe, however.

Investigation by Sheriff Stubblefield and Ranger Roach showed that nothing had been taken from the Jeske store. The burglar or burglars either were scared away or gave up when they failed to gain access to the bank safe. Entry into the premises of the Farmers and Merchants Bank of Priddy had been made on previous occasions.

As the Eagle went to press Sheriff Stubblefield said that leads in the case were being followed but that no arrests had been made as yet.

Aldermen Urge Cooperation In Fight On Rabies

Continued public cooperation in having all dogs vaccinated against rabies was urged necessity this week by Aldermen Jesse Moreland and R. Gilbert of the Safety Committee of the Goldthwaite Council.

Mr. Gilbert and Mr. Moreland said that with reports of rabid foxes in the vicinity of Goldthwaite, owners of dogs should follow the advice of Dr. Childress and voluntarily have their animals vaccinated to avoid having more steps made necessary by officials. Dr. Childress is Health Officer.

Vaccination against rabies is not only good for a year so all dogs may have been vaccinated a year or more ago. Vaccinations are necessary for the members of the City Council's Safety Committee. They pointed out that vaccinations will be given free of charge by the Mills County Vocational School by appointment and if owners provide their own vaccine.

The presence of stray dogs or dogs on the loose without vaccination tags is a growing concern to the Council, which hopes this will not be necessary to ordinances providing for protection of the public against running and loose dogs.

"We believe that public operation will be forthcoming promptly if the real and present danger to public health is properly understood," Aldermen Gilbert and Moreland said.

Mr. and Mrs. B. A. Hodges and Joe Charles returned last night from a trip to Del Rio, Laredo and El Paso.

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