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GHS Girls Take Top Honors In Priddy Tournament Last Saturday

The Goldthwaite Girls Basketball Team won over the girls from Sidney at Priddy last Saturday morning by a score of 47-16. Saturday night the Goldthwaite girls again won 35-20 over the Priddy girls. By winning these two games the Goldthwaite girls won First Place in the tournament and brought home the Trophy.

High point girl for the Goldthwaite-Sidney game was Shirley Rowlett with Esther Throne next. In the Goldthwaite-Priddy game, Ada Nell Long was high point girl and Shirley Rowlett next. For the Priddy team, Joan Hopper was high point and Hohertz was next.

The Goldthwaite Boys Basketball Team also took part in the tournament at Priddy last weekend but were eliminated in the first game Thursday night by being defeated 53 to 35 by the Mullin boys. C. D. Lindsay was high point man in this game.

Tuesday night of this week the Goldthwaite Boys and Girls Basketball Teams journeyed to Cross Plains for return games. The Girls won by a score of 36 to 27 with Shirley Rowlett as high point girl. Cross Plains won the boys game with a score of 59 to 27. In this game Carl Smith was high point man for the Goldthwaite team.

School Holidays For Christmas

Goldthwaite Public School pupils will have Christmas Holidays starting next week Thursday. Classes will be dismissed Wednesday afternoon, December 22, at 3:30 o'clock, and will be resumed on the morning of January 3, according to announcement by superintendent J. T. Jones.

Twenty Three Eagles Earned Football Letters

Twenty-three members of the GHS Eagle squad lettered in football this year according to announcement by coaches Ray Akins and Marvin Chambers. This included 22 from the playing squad and their manager.

Following is the list as released by the coaches.

Penn Barnett, Chester Berry, Roger Booker, J. D. Cook, Charles Cornelius, Bobby Elliott, Lester Geeslin, James Gilliam, Charles Head, Lester Henry, Ray Hudson, Walter Jones, Hollis Lawson, C. D. Lindsay, James Petty, Ray Robinson, Carl Smith, Connie Todd, Bobby Tullos, H. T. Vaughan, Johnny Vaughan, Joe Warlick and manager Jimmy Don Elliott.

Maiming Case Goes To Trial At Georgetown

The case of Roy Barton and David Dutton, Brady Ranchers, who were charged in Mills County with mutilating a Fort Hood soldier last July 4, got underway in district court at Georgetown, Williamson County Monday of this week. Monday and Tuesday was spent with selection of jury panel and testimony was being presented starting Wednesday morning.

The ranchers were granted a change of venue from Mills County is October when it became apparent that because of pre-judgment it would be near impossible to obtain a jury here.

Mills County Sheriff C. F. Stubblefield, who investigated the case when charges were filed, is in Georgetown for the trial.

ATTEND TELEPHONE CONVERSION AT JUNCTION

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Frizzelle and Frank McClung attended the Conversion from Common Battery to the Dial System of the Southwestern States Telephone Company and the opening of the new Telephone Building at Junction last Friday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Odie Daniel and children of Brownwood visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Obenhaus Sunday.



Lions And Ladies To Have Christmas Party Next Tuesday

Members of the Goldthwaite Lions Club will entertain their ladies next Tuesday night, December 21, when they will observe their annual Christmas party, ladies night dinner. The dinner, scheduled at The Hangar, will start promptly at 7:00 o'clock.

All those attending are requested to bring a toy gift to be exchanged at the party. After the party all toys will be contributed to the committee in charge of preparing baskets for underprivileged children of this area.

Mills County Hardware Store Is Now Open

Mills County Hardware which suffered fire damage several weeks ago is re-opening for business today, according to announcement by Raymond Cokrum, owner of the firm.

The store has been closed for four weeks while remodeling and redecorating has been in process. The entire store has been redone in new modern color scheme and also has been re-arranged in general for better display of merchandise.

In opening the store the owners have arranged for large stocks of new merchandise to be on display for the shopping pleasure of their many friends and customers. Raymond and Claudia Cokrum extend a cordial invitation to everyone to visit their store.

Mr. and Mrs. Billy Dennard of Waco spent the weekend with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Dennard.

Mills County "Blood Donor Day" Will Be Held Here January 4th

Mills County's "Blood Donor Day", will be held in the First Baptist Church January 4, 1955. The Bloodmobile operation is sponsored by the Mills County Red Cross chapter.

Since the need for blood in our civilian hospitals and for defense purposes continues to be great, Mills County is asked to produce about 90 pints of blood. Appointments to donate should be made with Mrs. Warren Duren, Blood Program Chairman or by calling Mrs. Duren Kerby or Mrs. Raymond Cokrum, Recruitment chairmen.

Mrs. Duren stresses the importance of keeping appoint-

ments so that the collection operation can proceed in an orderly and efficient manner.

During the last Bloodmobile visit to Goldthwaite, 92 pints were collected. The Red Cross chapter hopes to meet this total during the visit of January 4.

As usual the donor station will be staffed by skilled medical, nursing and technical personnel, supplemented by volunteers.

Many hospitals in this area draw blood from the regional center.

For further information on the Bloodmobile visit, telephone Mrs. Warren Duren 132J, chairman of the Blood Program Committee.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Locklear and children of Brady were guests of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. Locklear last Sunday.

Santa To Distribute Treats To All Mills County Children Here Saturday

This coming Saturday, December 18, will be Santa Claus Day in Goldthwaite. The annual Christmas Party where Santa Claus with dozens of helpers will distribute free treats of candy, nuts and fruit to all children of the Mills County area will be held on the courthouse square at 1:30 o'clock in the afternoon.

All children of the entire area are invited to be on hand to visit with Santa and to get their bag of treats. Parents are invited to be here with the children and take part in the event.

The party is being sponsored by the Goldthwaite Lions Club with the support of a large group of business firms of the city.

distribution and will have assisting him a large number of club members.

TONIGHT IS PACKAGING NIGHT

Members of the Lions Club and their wives will meet tonight at 6:00 o'clock at the Smith Campbell Butane Building for sacking treats for this Christmas party. The project is scheduled early in the evening so that it will not interfere with other activities that folks may have planned. The committee in charge announced that a good many volunteer helpers are needed and if the response is good the job will be completed in short order.

Singing At Youth Center December 23

Members of the Men's Downtown Bible Class will have their regular singing at Mills County Youth Center next week Thursday December 23, it was announced this week by Bally Rudd, reporter for the group.

Several visiting quartets are to be present and everyone is invited to attend.

Christmas Play To Be Presented At Methodist Church Sunday Night

Rev. Ed H. Lovelace, Pastor of the local Methodist Church, announces that the young people of the church will present a Christmas Play, entitled "WHY CHRISTMAS?" at the evening service this coming Sunday.

The question "WHY CHRISTMAS?" is asked by a cynical elderly man who is puzzled by the fact that so many typical church members seem not to have caught the true meaning of Christmas. If it has done nothing to make their lives more radiant surely there is nothing to it after all. He decides to give it one more test by looking in upon four families in his neighborhood. In the play which develops members of the Methodist Youth Fellowship portray the life in the four homes selected by the old man.

In pageant form, the traditional Nativity Scene gradually takes shape, forming a background for the play as a whole creating a worshipful atmosphere which will warm your heart.

The part of the elderly man

in portrayed by Mr. James Welton Bowman but members of the MYF make up the remainder of the cast.

The homes depicted in the play are typical of a cross section of any community in America and therefore any similarity to any home in Goldthwaite is purely coincidental.

The public is extended a cordial invitation to worship with members of the Methodist Church in this service which begins promptly at 7:00 o'clock.

Weather Report

Parts of Mills County received nice showers last Saturday afternoon preceding the cool wave which dipped into central Texas. Priddy community received one-half inch of rain while other sections reported good showers in small areas. Goldthwaite received only .09 of an inch which is the only rainfall recorded in Goldthwaite for December.

Post Office Personnel Gets Set For Final Holiday Mail Push

Postal employees are bracing themselves for what may be the busiest weekend in Christmas history.

Explaining the urgency of their problem, Postmaster Lucile Fairman said today:

"I have frequently asked that all Christmas mail be posted before December 15. Now that time has past, and I know from previous experience that the volume of Christmas mail has not reached its peak. Last year the biggest load of Christmas mail came on December 18. The situation is obviously critical. What to do? Use "Air Parcel Post" for your gift packages going to other states. Airmail postage is the best idea for any remaining Christmas cards with out-of-town addresses. Special Delivery and Special Handling will help too.

"There is still time to complete all local deliveries by Christmas IF first-class postage is used. Last minute rushes always begin when the incoming Christmas mail is heaviest

and the Post Office will remain open all Day Saturday, December 18 from 8:00 a.m. until 6:00 p.m.

"But I hope this is one year that every mail bag is empty, every parcel delivered and that every employee can be at home, on Christmas Eve. Then we can relax—at least, until it's time for New Year's cards and 'thank you' notes."

Friends Gather At Newton Ranch

A number of friends and relatives spent last weekend at the Newton Ranch near Austin hunting and fishing.

Those present were: Mr. and Mrs. M. L. Lindsay and son, C. D.; Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Lindsay; Mr. and Mrs. Doward Simpson and son; Mrs. Cordell Simpson; Mrs. Tabitha Langford; Mary Elms; Ann Templin; C. C. Doggett; Bobby Letbetter; Bobby Elliott; A. W. Newton and friends from Odessa.

A Word About Firecrackers

As the Christmas holidays roll around it seems only natural throughout the south that many youngsters, and oldersters too, will take part in doing a bit of celebrating with fire-works.

If it is done with caution there is no harm in it. But, if on the other hand it is done carelessly it can become a nuisance.

It has been called to our attention that some firecrackers are being exploded during the night near homes where there is sickness or where invalids are being cared for, causing a good deal of unrest.

Parents and children are reminded to keep this in mind and to be considerate of others while shooting firecrackers.

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Marine Recruiter Is Here Today

Marine Recruiter Sgt. Blakely is going to be in Goldthwaite, Thursday the 16th of this month. The Leatherneck Sgt. may be found at the Post Office from 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. He is interested in interviewing men and women interested in the world famed United States Marine Corps.

Sgt. Blakely stated that men from 17 to 28 years of age are eligible for enlistment and women from 18 to 30 years of age may apply.

Public Invited To Garden Club's Twentieth Annual Flower Show

The public is most cordially invited to attend the Goldthwaite Garden Club's 20th Annual Flower Show and Bazaar, to be held December 17 and 18 at Duren Equipment Company.

According to announcement by Mrs. Duren Kerby, Publicity Chairman, the Flower Show promises to be a spectacular event with enjoyment for all. In addition to the beautiful arrangements and horticulture specimens there will be a Bazaar, featuring a "Bake Sale", "White Elephant Sale", "Christmas Gifts" and a "Grab Bag" sponsored by the Junior Garden Club members.

Folks are reminded not to miss the Big Christmas Flower Show and Bazaar. No admission will be charged.

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The play "His First Christmas" will be presented at 7:00 p.m. Wednesday, December 22nd, at the First Baptist Church. The play is a famous Dollmaker's story to learn the true meaning of Christmas.

The Dollmaker is played by Colburn Ward and Terry, who helps bring the true meaning of Christmas is played by Adoniat.

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Markets

Sale at the Mills County Auction Ring next Friday will be the last sheep sale until after the New Year according to the announcement by Malcolm Jern-

was a total of 4,385 head of sheep and 1,175 head of goats to pass through the Ring last Friday.

Classes of Sheep were: Wethers and Ewes. The Goat market was about the same with Cotton Goats being down cents per head.

SHEEP
Horn Lambs, 15c to 7c;
Stocker Lambs, 15c to 7c;
Lambs, 12c to 15c; Culls,
Yearlings, 10c to 14c;
Wethers, 8c to 11c; Old
Ewes, 6c to 8c; Stocker Ewes,
per head; Young Ewes,
per head; Old Bucks,
per head; Ewes and Lambs, \$12
per pair.

GOATS
Mutton Goats, \$4 to \$6
per head; Weighing Kind, 4c
per lb.; Good Nannies \$4 to \$6
per head; Cull Nannies, 4c to
\$4 to \$6 each.

EGGS
Large Whites were
at 22c per dozen this
week; Mixed at 30c per
dozen; Pullet Eggs at 18c per
dozen; No. 2's at 12c.
Fat, 45c per pound.

CHICKENS
Hens, 6c and 7c per lb.
per lb.

Sanders Re-Elected State Board

Sanders, manager of the Texas Telephone Co., was re-elected a member of the board of directors for a three year term, Texas Statewide Tele-Communications Inc., at an annual meeting held in Dallas last week.

Other speakers for the meeting were Congressman Poage of Waco and Nelson of the R. E. A.

Choir Presents Cantata

The direction of Cole-son, the Choir of the First Baptist Church will present a Cantata "A Star in the East" at the First Baptist Church on Wednesday evening at 7:30.

Members in the Cantata are: Helen DeLapp, Miss Anna Hale, D. W. Arnold and Haensisch, Mrs. C. W. and Mrs. Coleman will play the organ and piano.

A hearty welcome is extended to everyone to attend this coming Sunday.

J. Milligan, of the Texas State Board of Education, as stated that the state highway area are scheduled for this program.

County Engineer Visits Home

County Engineer is in the most formal manner with work: US 180-181 to Lampasas, Seal Coat.

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"You're lucky yours is a boy. Mine's another pair of stockings hanging in the bathroom!"

Inside WASHINGTON MARCH OF EVENTS

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As for the immediate outlook, the experts are optimistic because so many industries—steel, autos, machinery, housing, textiles and others—are either experiencing a pickup or are continuing at high levels.

People are still spending money heavily, but what one expert calls the most "remarkable achievement" is the fact that Americans today have more of their paychecks left over to buy non-essential items than they did a year ago—while industrial production has dropped nine per cent. There never has been a similar situation.

● UNCERTAIN FATE—On the evidence on hand as of this time, it appears that the new Democratic Congress taking office in January can do little about interfering with President Eisenhower's flexible price support program.

Agriculture Secretary Ezra Taft Benson has indicated strongly that he will oppose any move to change the law at least until after it has a chance to operate for a few months.

The House agriculture committee's Chairman (Chairman-designate, that is) Harold Cooley (D), North Carolina, has said flatly that he will press for ratification of high, rigid supports. So has Senator Allen J. Ellender (D), Louisiana, who will be Cooley's opposite number in the Senate.

However, many members will be inclined to go slowly. Look what happened to Senator Guy M. Gillette (D), who lost out for re-election in Iowa, one of the great farm states, even though he was a strong advocate of rigid supports.

Look again at Senator Clinton P. Anderson (D) who won easily in New Mexico. He's a flexible support man.

● UN-AMERICAN—There appears to be a strong possibility that the House un-American activities committee may be abolished when the new Congress convenes in January.

Rep. Francis (Tad) Walter (D), Pennsylvania, who is in line to head the committee, has suggested that the committee be eliminated and its functions transferred to the House judiciary committee.

Behind the scenes another powerful figure is throwing his support behind Walter's proposal. He is Rep. Sam Rayburn (D), Texas, who will become speaker.

Rayburn has long favored abolition of the un-American activities committee. At one time, several years ago, plans were all set for the committee's demise, but the House leader did not reckon with John Rankin of Mississippi.

The committee at that time was not a standing group, which meant its life had to be renewed every two years. The plan was to allow it to die, but Rankin surprised the leadership by offering an amendment to change the House rules to continue the committee and make it a permanent body. The motion carried.

To end the committee, the House would have to amend the rules again, this time by striking the committee's name from the list of standing groups. This can only be done on the opening day.

UNDERGROUND RESISTANCE SINCE 1825



WHEN THE OLD BIRD WAS YOUNGER

10 YEARS AGO— (Taken from the Eagle files of December 13, 1944)

Little Wayne Michael, the nine pound baby boy of Lieut. and Mrs. Walter M. Jacobson, arrived on the 12th of December, at the Campbell Hospital.

Lieut. Jacobson is at some point of embarkation. Maternal grandparents are Rev. and Mrs. B. F. Renfro.

Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Witty have announced the marriage of their daughter, Miss Golden Louise Witty, to Larry A. Kriska of Ennis, son of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Kriska of Ennis.

The following men left Sunday for induction into the Armed Forces of the United States: Doyle T. Miles, William G. Mason, Herman G. Egger, Norman G. Duren, Albert J. Tully, W. C. Dellis Jr., Houston A. Duren, Arthur F. Schuman, George W. Denman Jr., Herschel E. Williams, H. L. Pyburn Jr.; Transferred: Charles E. Kennedy, from Claude, Texas.

The following men left Thursday for physical examination prior to entering service; Mike O'Shell; Raymond E. Hamilton; Stone Shipman; Robert McCullum; Charles Rasco; Damon Wendel; Elton Bufe; Floyd King; Jack Eaton; Jack Clendenen; B. B. Broyles; Robert M. Smith; Raymond G. Hiller; Walter F. Rost; Earl J. Cox; Edwin R. Bufo; Henry Clay Knowles and Loyd Lee Daniels.

The Ott and Associates Gattlin number 1 well located on the Mrs. A. J. Gattlin farm, 7,480 feet east and 3,660 feet north of the southwest corner of Caldwell County School land, Survey number 112, about six miles west of Goldthwaite, was drilling below 640 feet at 8:00 a. m., Thursday morning.

25 YEARS AGO—

(Taken from the Eagle files of December 13, 1929)

The seven month old son of Mr. and Mrs. Leroy Crossley

at the family home in this city Wednesday night, after several days illness and the remains were carried to the family's former home at Valley Mills for burial yesterday.

Mrs. John Plumber of Johnston, Ohio, spent several days in this city in the home of her sister, Mrs. J. H. Saylor. Last weekend she and Mrs. Saylor left for Fort Worth to visit another sister.

Mrs. G. A. Swain, Miss Adaline Little and Miss Lucille Conroe went to Dallas Tuesday, for a visit and expect to visit in Fort Worth before returning home. They expect to meet Mr. Swain in Dallas.

A fire alarm from Joe Walker's residence near the college Wednesday morning called the fire department to the place, where some weeds and grass had become ignited by fire around a wash pot, but it was extinguished with out damage and by very little effort.

Miss Letrice Berry of Pleasant Grove was in attendance upon the Bartley-Doggett Wedding last Saturday afternoon in the home of Rev. H. E. Moreland.

Mrs. C. H. Ford returned yesterday from Coleman, where she was called several days ago on account of the serious illness of one of her grandchildren, who is much improved.

Mr. and Mrs. Hill DeWolfe visited relatives in this city last Sunday.

50 YEARS AGO—

(Taken from the Eagle files of December 17, 1904)

Mr. M. C. Kirkpatrick's residence, which was one of the most valuable houses in Mullin burned Tuesday night. It is thought the fire was caused by sparks lodging under the shingles on the roof.

C. B. Mohler of Mullin was a caller Saturday and made a contribution to the Eagle's cash balance. He has lately returned from Centralia, Washington, and is content to remain in Mills County. His brother, Emmett

lives in Washington, near Centralia, and is married.

Little Guy, the eight-months-old son of Mr. and Mrs. C. Ernest Strickland died at the family home in this city Tuesday morning.

M. C. Knott and wife of Colorado City arrived in this city Saturday, for a visit to her parents, Rev. and Mrs. Fariss.

J. H. Randolph and wife have moved into their new dwelling on Fisher Street, opposite the Baptist Church.

C. A. Head of Center City, while working with a cow Wednesday became entangled in a rope and his right arm was broken just above the wrist.

Hez Cobb, who recently moved back to this county from the west, was in to see the Eagle this week. He has bought valuable land in Jones Valley and we are glad that he intends to remain in this county.

Edward Bull, son of Mr. S. M. Bull, is here from Nevada to visit home folks and friends. He has lived in the Northwest a long time and thinks that it's a great country.

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HUMAN LIFE IS PERSONAL

The growing number of fatal accidents on the streets and highways has engaged the attention of the White House, and soon a serious effort will be made to do something about it.

Last year (1953) a total of 39,300 persons young and old lost their lives in traffic accidents, and the economic loss was placed at 4 billion dollars in medical costs, property damage and other expenses.

The President's Action Committee for traffic safety has designated December 15 as Safe-Driving Day. The day was observed on a nation-wide basis, under the Committee's sponsorship with the cooperation of various other city, state and national organizations.

Most of the fatalities charged to traffic accidents and much of the property damage and other economic losses could have been prevented if drivers and pedestrians alike would realize their personal responsibility for their own safety as pedestrians, and the safety of themselves and others if they are Drivers. Traffic actually is a personal responsibility.

Pedestrians cannot overlook their responsibility in reducing the traffic toll. Following the laws and applying the courtesies of the road to themselves and others will bring this about. Personal responsibility — it's as simple as that.

Joe B. Kuykendall, Lt. Retired, who is making his home in Inkster, Michigan, until such time when he hopes to move back to Mills County to live, just had to write a few lines and let local folks know how glad he was to hear that we did get some rain in November. He said: "I received my copy of the Eagle and the thrill of a lifetime — and a prayer come true. I think every night since I visited Goldthwaite this past

summer I said a silent prayer for rain." Lt. Kuykendall purchased the old Joe Spinks place on Brown's Creek from Howard Hoover. He commented further: "I hope that it continues to rain and all my friends prosper in the coming years."

This could be called a sad awakening. Mrs. Fred Barton told the story to some friends that as she awoke one morning recently she listened and could hear water running from the roof—or so she thought. She looked out and it was cloudy and she thought to herself, it's raining, and with a sigh she rested a while longer. Pretty soon she had almost rested too long and got up to get ready to go to work. After getting up she discovered what she thought was rain and water running from the roof was water running alright, only it was from a broken pipe in the bathroom with the room practically flooded.

From Garfield, Arkansas comes a note from T. F. Sansom stating: "Thanks for the reminder about our subscription expiring and find enclosed herewith check for renewal. We enjoy so much our visit each week with the home folks through the paper. Regards to the Eagle Staff."

Mrs. Rose Stockton writes from Morgan Hill, California sending greetings to friends along with her subscription renewal. She says: "Enclosed you will find renewal for the paper for another year. Thanks for the reminder. We enjoy the paper so much even though we sometimes fail to see the name of anyone we knew there 50 years ago. There are still peo-

ple living there we know I always enjoy the letter Pleasant Grove especially wishes to you and your workers."

We wouldn't be in Goldthwaite if we didn't take time out to send every one in Mills County a special invitation to our annual Santa Claus Christmas Party which is sponsored by the Lions Club. Arrangements have been made to have special treats for all children who are able to be on hand when Santa makes his appearance on the red fire truck at 1:30 o'clock the afternoon. Merchants are going all out to make the party a success and their plan is that no child shall be overlooked when bags of candy and fruit are handed out. Santa's helpers so make plans now to spend this Saturday in Goldthwaite—you'll find Christmas shopping pleasant among friends and neighbors.

Miss Oma Ervin of Dallas spent the weekend with Abbie and Ruth Ervin.

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AND A WOMAN GRIPPED BY LOVE...



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DOUBLE FEATURE

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Miss Lillie Martin Returns From Visit

Miss Lillie Martin returned last week from a month's visit with friends and relatives in Dallas, Lake Texhoma and points in Oklahoma. She was accompanied by her sister, Mrs. A. F. Kipp of Tuckahoe, New York, who had been visiting here. They met their brother, Fred Martin in Dallas and accompanied him to Oklahoma City, Oklahoma, for a week's visit. They also visited in Muskogee, Oklahoma with Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Updike. During the Thanksgiving Holidays they were joined by Fred Martin and Mr. Kipp of New York, and all enjoyed a few days outing at the C. M. Boatright Cabins at Lake Texhoma, before returning to Goldthwaite.

The Kipps and Fred Martin spent a week deer hunting at the Alfred Schwiening ranch near Sonora. They also attended a Bull fight at Las Vegas, Mexico.

After a few days visit here with Miss Martin they left for Oklahoma City where the Kipps took a plane to New York.

BIRTHS

Mr. and Mrs. Edgar L. Leonard of Temple are the proud parents of a son, John Edgar, born November 26, 1954, in Kings Daughter's Hospital, Temple. He weighed four pounds and thirteen ounces.

Maternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Walter Conner of Goldthwaite and paternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. H. J. Leonard also of Goldthwaite. Maternal great-grand mothers are Mrs. Mary Huffman of Goldthwaite and Mrs. Florence Conner of Brownwood. Paternal great-grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. F. C. Groth of Copperas Cove.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Tiemann of Priddy announce the arrival of a son, Lee Wayne, born at 2:45 a.m., Friday December 10, at Childress Clinic. He weighed seven pounds and five ounces. He has a brother, James Ray.

Paternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Tiemann of Priddy and maternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Ben Kirsche also of Priddy. Paternal great-grandmother is Mrs. J. W. Hiller of Priddy.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank B. Shaw Jr. of 1102 Fisk, Brownwood announce the arrival of a daughter, Malenda Jean. The little lady was born December 8 at 2:47 p.m., at Medical Arts Hospital in Brownwood.

Maternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Martin Heath of Goldthwaite and paternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Frank Shaw of San Saba.

Mr. and Mrs. Oliver Traylor of Goldthwaite are the proud parents of a son, born Saturday, December 11, 1954, at Memorial Hospital, Brownwood. He weighed seven pounds and fourteen ounces and has been named Randy Morris.

Maternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. O. E. Sides of Goldthwaite and paternal grandmother is Mrs. J. M. Traylor also of Goldthwaite.

S/Sgt. and Mrs. David C. Hill are the proud parents of a son, born Friday December 10, at 4:30 a.m. in San Antonio. He weighed seven pounds and six ounces and has been given the name, David Weldon. He has a sister, Becky Jean to welcome him home.

Maternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Jim Bratcher of Sweetwater and paternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. George W. Hill of Goldthwaite.

Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Calder of Mullin are the proud parents of a daughter, Oneta Kay, born in Memorial Hospital, Brownwood, Monday December 6, 1954.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Miles of Goldthwaite announce the arrival of a son, Randal Gene at Childress Clinic, December 14, at 1:50 a.m. He weighed seven pounds and fourteen ounces. He has five brothers to welcome him home.

Maternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. O. Z. Berry of Goldthwaite and maternal great grandmothers are Mrs. W. W. Berry and Mrs. G. N. Hardeman also of Goldthwaite.

Brownie Troop Four Has Meeting

Brownie Troop 4 met at The Little House December 10 at 3:30 for their regular meeting. Mrs. Kemp and Mrs. Rhoades, leaders, and eight girls were present. After the business meeting the girls worked on their project. The troop decided to each bring a gift to the Christmas Party and have Mrs. Yarborough give them the children who are not as fortunate as they are.

Fudge candy was served to the leaders and members present at the conclusion of the meeting.

Self Culture Club Meets Thursday

The Self Culture Club met at the Jennie Trent Dew Library Thursday afternoon, December 9, with Mrs. J. V. Cockrum and Mrs. R. G. Raley as hostesses.

Mrs. S. P. Sullivan was program chairman and Mrs. Ray Duren gave the Invocation. Sarah Jane Cockrum gave a beautiful dance number and a piano solo. Mrs. J. C. Evans told the story of "The Christmas Flower" and Mrs. J. M. Campbell gave the story "The Christmas Tree Ship." The poem, "Invitation" by Grace Noll Crowell was given by Mrs. E. B. Anderson.

A lovely refreshment plate was served the club members at the conclusion of the program.

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Engagement And Marriage Plans Are Announced

Mr. and Mrs. R. M. Burdette of Mullin announce the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter, Anita Jo to Bill Parker, son of Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Parker of Goldthwaite.

The ceremony will be held at 6:30 p.m. December 18, 1954 in the First Baptist Church of Mullin. Friends of the couple are invited to attend the wedding.

Miss Burdette is a Senior student in Mullin High School and Mr. Parker is employed by the Lee Parker Construction Company.

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Personal News Of Mullin

By JEWELL SLAUGHTER

Friends here will regret to learn of the death of Mr. E. T. Cobb, who passed away Saturday afternoon in McAllen. He and Mrs. Cobb left their home here about six weeks ago to spend the winter in McAllen. Funeral services were conducted Monday in Georgetown.

Mr. and Mrs. Linvell Calder are the proud parents of a baby girl. She has been named ONeta

Kay. Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Will Calder of Mullin.

Mrs. Aurtie Keating and Will Chesser visited in Brownwood Tuesday, in the home of Mr. Chesser's sister, Mrs. J. H. Underwood.

Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Smith spent the weekend in San Antonio in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Joe P. Smith.

Mr. and Mrs. D. A. Hamilton of Goldthwaite visited friends in Mullin Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. H. R. McDonald of Pecos visited here last week in the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Hilliard.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Oglesby and son of Forsan were weekend guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. S. H. Davis.

Mrs. Carey Gains of Lometa spent Friday in the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Williams.

Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Slaughter and family visited Wednesday

night in the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Sutherland of Goldthwaite.

Mr. and Mrs. S. J. Fisher were Goldthwaite visitors Monday.

Luther Mosier of Stanford spent last week here in the home of his mother, Mrs. Bettie Mosier.

Mr. and Mrs. Chester Chancellor and son, Robert of Seminole spent the weekend here with his mother, Mrs. J. L. Chancellor. She returned home with them for an extended visit.

Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Kemp and Kay of Fort Worth were weekend guests in the home of Mrs. J. S. Kemp and family.

We are sorry to report Mr. Ebb Oxley, Mr. Tip Hart and Mr. S. H. Davis on the sick list. Hope they will soon be well again.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe H. Fletcher and family of Stephenville were last Sunday guests in the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Fletcher.

Mrs. Chandler and Mrs. Ashley of Goldthwaite visited here Tuesday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Hull of Comanche spent Sunday here in the home of her parents, Rev. and Mrs. L. J. Vann and Mrs. Jewell Ivy.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Davee and family of Hamilton were recent visitors in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Perry.

Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Williams and family of Abilene spent last Sunday in the home of Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Calder and family.

Miss Mary Fletcher of Brownwood spent last weekend in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Fletcher.

Mullin News

On Basketball

Mullin's Basketball Teams, both boys and girls played Brooksmith and Goldthwaite last week. High point scorers of both games were Betty Ethridge and Bobby Edgar. Mrs. J. P. Lockridge is coach for the girls and M. W. Porter is coaching the boys.

Mullin has played four games. Zephyr, Brooksmith, (twice) and Goldthwaite. The girls won two of their games and the boys also won two games.

Program Is Announced For Mullin Schools Homecoming On December 25

According to announcement by the committee in charge of homecoming arrangements for Mullin Schools, plans are being completed for what they hope to be the biggest and finest homecoming celebration they have had.

As in the past the committee has arranged to have former residents that have been gone for some time on the program. This year they plan to have some older ones as well as local people and present highschool students on the program.

The event will be held in the school gymnasium on Saturday evening December 25, Christmas Day, at 8:00 o'clock.

Program for the evening has

been announced by the program committee as follows.

Master of ceremonies— Ralph T. Fisher, Abilene.

Invocation— Rev. J. R. Hagan, pastor, First Baptist Church, Mullin.

Mullin High School Song— Congregation.

Welcome— Mr. B. W. Newhouse, superintendent, Mullin Schools.

Response— Norman Duren, Goldthwaite.

In Memorium— Mary Ruth Fletcher, Brownwood.

Recognition of Graduates and Ex-Students.

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Address— Mr. A. H. Daniel, Waco.

Musical Numbers— Newhouse

Quartet.

Business Meeting— Mr. Kemp, Fort Worth, presiding.

Benediction— Rev. Johnson, pastor, First Church, Mullin.

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His parents live in Priddy. His wife is the former Frances Niemann of Priddy and Fort Worth.

Mrs. Hettie Williams had as guests last Thursday her brother, Wade Jackson, Mrs. Jackson and their daughter, Mrs. Charley Sanford and baby of Burnet and Mrs. Grady Hancock and daughter, Dorothy of Mullin.

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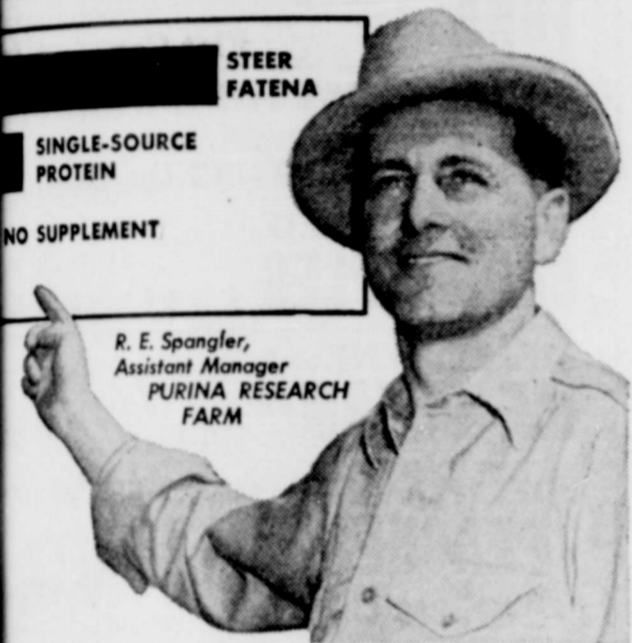
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Clementine Wilmeth Briley Writes
From Temporary Home In El Paso

By CLEMENTINE WILMETH BRILEY

Grace had open house Sunday afternoon for a large number of her friends from the Church. It was something she had wanted to do for a long time but hesitated to undertake because of lack of time. She took advantage of the Thanksgiving holidays. And once she got started a number of her friends offered their services and helped her with everything. They offered her everything she needed from cooky sheets to beautiful china plates and an exquisite silver tea and coffee service which were used to serve the punch and coffee. One brought red pyracantha berries for decoration, and made beautiful chrysanthemum corsages for Grace and me to wear. Lots of people came, and it was very enjoyable. Her friends are such lovely people.

Tuesday night the Church had a picnic supper in the Hospitality Room of the Gas Building. The Gas Company gave us the use of the room and the kitchen and the dishes free. We spread our supper together. And did we have a feast? It made me think of dinner on the ground at Ebony.

Another letter from Mrs. Effie Egger this week said Clayton had just returned from the hunt. He got his limit—one nine point and one six point buck. We left our auto papers at home, so we had to have Mrs. Egger and Clayton get them and send them to us. They did it so graciously and so gladly that I am rather glad we left them, since it gave us the opportunity of having these letters from home. Mrs. Egger said some flowers had come up

at our home since the rains. She said it looked good to see the weeds and grass growing once again. She mentioned turnip greens and onions in her garden and longed to share them with us. I would really enjoy some turnip greens and bacon and corn bread.

I have not heard from Mrs. Edna Dwyer since she left Ebony. But a letter from Daughter Ruth this week said she and her children, Mr. and Mrs. Austin Cawyer, attended the State Teachers' Association at Fort Worth and had Thanksgiving dinner with my Sister Grace. Ednaeth also came up from Abilene to meet them there.

I have always thought I should like to learn to keep my house looking like the pictures in the magazines, but I have never come anywhere near that goal. Carol Jean who stays with her efficient cousin, Dr. Marie Wilmeth, head of the Home Ec. Dept. of ACC, says they have accomplished just that. So she writes her mother to mess up the house for her homecoming Dec. 16. She would like to see a good mess. And now Jill adds to her prayer this request: "Please help us to make a big mess for Christmas."

Robert has made two paper chains. One with a link for each day till Carol comes home and another for the days until Christmas. He takes from each a link each day.

A neighbor has been giving me some baby-sitting to do ever since I have been in El Paso. But now I'm widening out. I have an appointment with another new customer for Monday night. Billy is having a birthday party Saturday. Grace's Chorus is practicing daily for a program of Christmas Carols to be given at the P. T. A. meeting Friday, Dec. 10. Our Sunday School Class has just finished a study of the book of Job, and next Sunday we will begin a study of the book of Isaiah. So life is quite exciting here. And I wish you could see the pyracanthas in El Paso. They grow luxuriantly here. I never saw so many beautiful red berries before in all my life.



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Employees whose jobs are under a retirement system, but who themselves are not eligible for membership, can be covered by social security with out a referendum.

Most employees of the Federal Government who are not covered by another retirement system are now covered under social security. These include persons temporarily employed in the field service of the Post Office Department, temporary consulting employees on a contract or fee basis, patient-employees in Federal hospitals, and employees of Coast Guard exchanges.

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Kelley Community News

By MRS. M. C. PARTRIDGE

Mrs. Alma Sutherland and children visited Mrs. Walter Featherston Monday afternoon. Mrs. S. W. Halcomb visited Mrs. J. W. Featherston Thursday afternoon.

Mrs. M. W. Trotter called on Mrs. M. C. Partridge Thursday afternoon.

Juanita Partridge was on the sick list and missed school two days. Gary Halcomb spent Thursday afternoon with her.

Bill Bishop visited M. C. Partridge Thursday afternoon and helped him load a hog to take to Evant auction.

Mrs. Mattie Howard of Huntsville is spending the week with her brother, M. W. Trotter and Mrs. Trotter.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Featherston spent Sunday afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. Neal Rose. Rev. and Mrs. Jerry Griffin called on Mr. and Mrs. M. C. Partridge and Juanita Sunday afternoon and also Mrs. Alma Sutherland and children.

Mrs. M. C. Partridge visited her mother, Mrs. Ernest Jarrett Monday morning.

Wedding Bells

Marriage license was issued by county clerk, R. C. Summy, during the past week to Robert Winton Wilcox and Frances Earlene Sublett.

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Submitted By Mrs. Bernard A. Koteen - Washington D. C.
Adapted By Ann Pillsbury

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in hot oven (450 degrees F.) 10 to 12 minutes until brown. Cool. Date chiffon filling. Soften—1 envelope (1 1/2 tablespoons) gelatine in 1/4 cup cold water. Beat top 1/4 cup milk 2 egg yolks 1/4 cup sugar and 1/4 cup spoon salt in top of double broiler until well blended. —over hot water (or directly over low heat, stirring constantly). Until mixture will coat a metal spoon. Add softened gelatine. Stir until dissolved. Chill until set, stirring occasionally. Fold in—3/4 cup whipping cream, beaten until very thick 1 teaspoon vanilla and 1 cup dates, chopped very fine. Beat—2 egg whites until stiff mounds form when beater is raised. Add 2 teaspoons gradually, beating well after each addition. Continue to make a meringue which stands in stiff glossy peaks when beater is raised. Fold into the date mixture. Spread into cooled baked pie shell, heaping into fluffed mounds. Chill until firm. If desired, sprinkle lightly with nuts before serving.

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Kelley Community News

By MRS. M. C. PARTRIDGE

Mrs. Alma Sutherland and children visited Mrs. Walter Featherston Monday afternoon. Mrs. S. W. Halcomb visited Mrs. J. W. Featherston Thursday afternoon.

Mrs. M. W. Trotter called on Mrs. M. C. Partridge Thursday afternoon.

Juanita Partridge was on the sick list and missed school two days. Gary Halcomb spent Thursday afternoon with her.

Bill Bishop visited M. C. Partridge Thursday afternoon and helped him load a hog to take to Evant auction.

Mrs. Mattie Howard of Huntsville is spending the week with her brother, M. W. Trotter and Mrs. Trotter.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Featherston spent Sunday afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. Neal Rose. Rev. and Mrs. Jerry Griffin called on Mr. and Mrs. M. C. Partridge and Juanita Sunday afternoon and also Mrs. Alma Sutherland and children.

Mrs. M. C. Partridge visited her mother, Mrs. Ernest Jarrett Monday morning.

Wedding Bells

Marriage license was issued by county clerk, R. C. Summy, during the past week to Robert Winton Wilcox and Frances Earlene Sublett.



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PILLSBURY'S SIXTH GRAND NATIONAL \$25,000.00 RECEIPE

OPEN SESAME PIE

Submitted By Mrs. Bernard A. Koteen - Washington D. C.
Adapted By Ann Pillsbury

Bake at 450 degrees F. For 10 to 12 minutes. Makes 9-inch pie. Toast—2 to 4 tablespoons sesame seeds in 9-inch pie pan at 325 degrees F. For 8 to 10 minutes until light golden brown. Remove seeds, then turn oven to 450 degrees F. Sift together—1 cup sifted Pillsbury's Best enriched flour and 1/2 teaspoon salt into mixing bowl. Add the toasted sesame seeds. Cut in—1/3 cup shortening until particles are the size of small peas. Sprinkle—3 to 4 tablespoons cold water over mixture a little at a time, while tossing and stirring lightly with fork. Add water to driest particles, pushing lumps to side, until dough is just moist enough to hold together. Form—into a ball. Flatten to about 1/2 inch thickness. Smooth dough at edges. Roll out—on floured pastry cloth or board to a circle 1 1/2 inches larger than inverted 9 inch pie pan. Fit—loosely into pie pan. Gently pat out air pockets. Fold edge to form a standing rim. Flute. Prick generously with fork. Bake—

in hot oven (450 degrees F.) 10 to 12 minutes until brown. Cool. Date chiffon filling. Soften—1 envelope (tablespoon) gelatine in 1/4 cup cold water. Beat 1/2 cup milk 2 egg yolks 1/4 cup sugar and 1/4 spoon salt in top of double broiler until well blended. —over hot water (or directly over low heat, stirring constantly). Until mixture will coat a metal spoon. Add softened gelatine. Stir until dissolved. Chill until set, stirring occasionally. Fold in—3/4 cup whipping cream, beaten until very thick 1 teaspoon vanilla and 1 cup dates, chopped very fine. Beat—2 egg whites until mounds form when beater is raised. Add 2 teaspoons gradually, beating well after each addition. Continue to beat until meringue is stiff. Spread meringue on top of pie to make a meringue which stands in stiff glass. when beater is raised. Fold into the date mixture. Bake in cooled baked pie shell, heaping into fluffy mounds. Chill until firm. If desired, sprinkle lightly with nuts before serving.

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- Compacts
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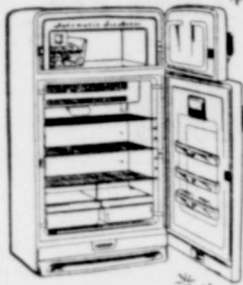


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The Bible, Source of Christian Teaching ILLUSTRATED SUNDAY SCHOOL LESSON By Alfred J. Busch

Scripture—John 20:31; Acts 8:26-38; 17:10-12; Romans 15:4; II Timothy 3:14-17; Hebrews 4:12; II Peter 1:16-21.



Ending the 20th chapter of his gospel, St. John writes: "Jesus did many other signs, but these are written that we may believe that Jesus is the Christ, the Son of God, and that believing we might have life through His name."



Paul and Silas left Thessalonica and went to Berea. Preaching there they found the people received the Word with readiness of mind; they searched the scriptures daily, and many men and women believed.



Paul, writing to Timothy who was on a missionary journey, reminded him that he had known the holy scriptures from childhood, "which are able to make thee wise unto salvation through faith in Christ."



Ending the 20th chapter of his gospel, Peter writes that the disciples are following fables when they preach Christ, for with their own ears they heard God call Him His beloved Son. **MEMORY VERSE—John 20:31**

Officers Start Work On Homecoming For Goldthwaite Schools Next Year

The executive committee has started making plans for next year's Homecoming festivities for the Goldthwaite Schools. At a recent meeting the committee chose to be the honor guests next year all the classes from years ending in 5. By making this choice the most recently graduated class will immediately become a part of homecoming.

The Homecomings are for all ex-students, whether graduates or not, and teachers no matter what year or years they were a part of Goldthwaite Schools, but it seems sensible to select specific classes to be honored each year since the homecomings are annual events.

If you are a member of any of the classes ending in 5 from '55 on back to the beginning of Goldthwaite schools consider yourself appointed now as a committee of one to start working up interest among your classmates for a good reunion. Make a list of your class members if possible and start work on finding names and addresses of those who live away. Also get information about and addresses of your teachers whenever possible.

At this year's Homecoming festivities of Goldthwaite school the class of 1929 was the honored class. They had a good representation with the following in attendance: Clarence Duey—Llano; Clara Cortis (Married name not known) Fort Worth; Virginia McGirk—Arlington; Mae Featherston—Crane; Margie Featherston Manuel (Mrs. Floyd) Goldthwaite; Laura Horton Benningfield (Mrs. Seaborn) Gatesville; Minnie Cody Graves (Mrs. T. C.)

Goldthwaite. If there were others present I'll give their names in a later article.

Officers elected at the last meeting for the coming year are as follows: President—Ruth Featherston Parker (Mrs. Cecil); Vice-president—Raymond Little; Secretary—Louise Doggett Walker (Mrs. Jerry); Treasurer—Julian Evans.

Get in touch with some member of the committee as soon as you have any information about class rolls and names and addresses of members of any of the honored classes for next year. Mrs. Parker's address is Pottsville Star Rt., Hamilton and Mr. Little, Mrs. Walker and Mr. Evans can be reached at Goldthwaite.

Pvt. W. H. Miller Completes Course

FORT BELVOIR, VA., (Spec.) Pvt. Wilburn H. Miller, 18, son of Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Miller of Goldthwaite, Texas, graduated from the eight-week Engineer Equipment Repairman Course, U. S. Army, Fort Belvoir, Va.

The course which Pvt. Miller completed offers training in field and depot maintenance and repair of engineer equipment, attachments and power tools. It is one of the many technical courses conducted at The Engineer School for military personnel of the United States and friendly nations.

Mrs. W. W. Ligon spent Friday in Lometa with her daughter, Mrs. Gallian Kirby, Mr. Kirby and Nancy.

Basketball Receipts

Receipts from the Goldthwaite-Cross Plains basketball game Friday night of last week were \$52.85. Of this amount \$10.00 was paid for officials leaving \$42.85 for the school athletic fund, according to announcement by J. T. Jones, superintendent, who stated that attendance at the game was very good.

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"Pick-Ups"
LEMON SQUEEZER
received about one half
of rain last Saturday night
was appreciated very
as the grain was very

thirsty.
J. D. Hunt and Paul Lee are
our popular coon hunters. Each
have killed three coons in one
finding. One bunch was in a
tree and the other in a barn
eating cotton seed and cake.

We will have our Christmas
Tree at the church here Decem-
ber 22, at night.

Workers Conference will meet
here at the Baptist Church
Monday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Red Arrowood
spent the weekend at Burnet
with Mrs. Arrowood's sister, Mrs.
Joe Harmon, Mr. Harmon and
children.

Mr. and Mrs. James E. Crouch
of Dallas spent the weekend
with the Webb Laughlins.

Mrs. Ferris Akins spent
Thursday and Friday in Fort
Worth shopping. She accom-
panied Rev. Akins, who is at-
tending school there home Fri-
day. Her mother, Mrs. Tenny-
son of San Saba taught school
for her while she was away.

Mrs. Arthur Hunt and Mrs.
Arb Duncan have been work-
ing in Goldthwaite the past
week or two.

Arb Duncan and Glenn Dale
visited the Chock Duncans
Wednesday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Laughlin
of Grand Prairie spent Sunday
with their uncle and family.

Rev. and Mrs. Ferris Akins
and son, Ricky visited the Jude
Miles family Saturday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Webb Laughlin
called in the Ell Duncan home
Tuesday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Omri Newton of
Plainview are spending several
days with her parents and oth-
er relatives.

Mrs. M. L. Truett is visiting
in Mullin with her son, W. P.
Truett and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Gilbert O'Neal
and Mrs. D. R. Miller of Lometa
visited in Moline and looked
after their ranch property.

Mrs. Dave Burns spent one
day recently with her mother,
Mrs. M. L. Truett.

Mr. and Mrs. Wince Bryant
spent Sunday week with her
parents, Mr. and Mrs. Stone
near Naruna.

Chappell Hill

By PEARL CRAWFORD

Showers fell here last Satur-
day afternoon. Jess Ivy reported
a half inch of rain at his place.
Allen Hardgrave and A. L.
Crawford reported a thunder
storm and showers at their
places.

Most of the folks of this com-
munity have gathered some
mistletoe, ranging from a small
amount to a pickup load.

Pearl Crawford visited Mr.
and Mrs. W. A. Elms Sunday
afternoon. The Elms have a
nice flock of baby chicks which
have kept them busy this cold
weather.

Mr. and Mrs. Woodrow Ratliff
have been helping different
families harvest pecans.

O. A. Evans helped W. A. Elms
with his live stock last Friday.

A. L. Crawford and William G.
attended the ball games at
Priddy Thursday and Friday
nights.

Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Schw-
artz attended the ball games
at Priddy on Friday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Bobby Baird
are progressing nicely on the
construction of their new house.
They have moved into the kit-
chen.

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Elms and
Omar Hill of Winters visited
Mr. and Mrs. O. A. Evans last
Friday.

C. J. Bramblett has been a
victim of the measles the past
week. He and Mrs. Bramblett
visited Mr. and Mrs. Clifford
Dellis at Edenburg recently and
he contacted measles from the
Dellis children.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Shipman
visited George and Pearl Craw-
ford last Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Horton vis-
ited Mr. and Mrs. Vergil Cas-
beer Friday. They reported
Granny Huffman quite sick.

R. G. Ivy spent the weekend

with his parents, Mr. and Mrs.
Jess Ivy.

Mrs. O. A. Evans and Pearl
Crawford visited Mr. and Mrs.
A. L. Crawford and William G.
Thursday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Daniel
and Mark visited Mr. and Mrs.
R. F. Daniel and Mr. and Mrs.
Truman Vaughan last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Q. A. Evans
have visited Mr. and Mrs. J. C.
Bramblett real often the past
week. At last report he was do-
ing nicely.

The Long Hunters Club mem-
bers were supposed to hunt with
Jess Ivy Saturday night. They
reported a fox and a coon were
killed on their hunt last week
at the J. H. Vaughan farm.

Mr. and Mrs. Benny Bob Long
of San Antonio were guests of
his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Loy
Long last weekend.

Scallorn News

By ORA BLACK

There will be a Christmas
tree and program Christmas Eve
night at the Scallorn church.
Gifts will be exchanged, so bring
along a gift if you expect one
in exchange for the one you
bring. Every one has a welcome
at the church at any and all
times. Santa will be on hand as
usual.

We became suspicious of the
weather yesterday (Sunday)
and went out and gathered
tomatoes and brought in near
one half bushel from two vines.
All we had left from the sum-
mer drought.

Mr. and Mrs. James Bishop
and children of San Antonio
visited with the W. O. Bishops
Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Turman

spent Saturday night with the
C. H. Blacks.

Mrs. Charles Wright of Mul-
lin spent Thursday night with
her mother, Ora Black and at-
tended the social at the Com-
munity Play Ground.

Mr. and Mrs. M. C. Bishop
and Mr. and Mrs. W. G. Bishop
and Judy went to Pearl Satur-
day to visit with Bills parents.

Mr. and Mrs. Dick Hughes ac-
companied by Miv and Mrs.
Bob Kirby of Goldthwaite at-
tended the Tommy Brooks cat-
tle sale which was held in
Fredricksburg Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. M. C. Bishop and
Mr. and Mrs. Bud Conradt were
in Llano Sunday.

Rev. Jerry Griffin and Mrs.
Griffin of Brownwood and his
parents from Corsicana were
guests Sunday of Mr. and Mrs.
Silas Burk.

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Regular 1.75 **90c**
Interior GLOSS ENAMEL (In Colors) Quart, Sale

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- Electric Perculator
- Coffee Maker
- Waffle Iron

GIFTS FOR SIS

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- DOLL CARRIAGE 4.95
- DOLL BED 5.95

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Turkey Raisers Eyeing Reduced 1955 Production

COLLEGE STATION (Spec.)—Turkey raisers have an eye on reduced production in 1955 because of today's low prices. Such a trend is expected after a record 61,045,000 birds this year, says John G. McHeaney, extension agricultural economist. The extent of cut-back in 1955 depends upon the number of breeder hens held for hatching egg production, says the economist. Sixteen percent more light-breed birds and about six percent more heavy type turkeys were fed out this year. Prices, generally, are five to six cents a pound below last year. Despite these figures, McHeaney says Texas has not kept pace with other turkey producing areas. "The 'in and out' increase and decrease in the total turkey supply will effect prices received by all producers. The stable and efficient producers are the ones who build a solid industry and put on a competitive basis with other high producing areas," says McHeaney.

Kelley Community News

By MRS. M. C. PARTRIDGE
(Written for last week)

Mrs. Bud Lee Sutherland spent Monday afternoon with Mrs. Alma Sutherland and children.

Mrs. J. W. Featherston spent Thursday afternoon with Mrs. Neal Rose.

Mr. and Mrs. M. C. Partridge visited with Mr. and Mrs. G. Bishop Thursday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Robins visited Mr. and Mrs. I. W. Holcomb Friday afternoon.

Rev. and Mrs. Jerry Griffin were luncheon guests of Mrs. Alma Sutherland and children Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Jarrett visited their daughter, Mrs. M. C. Partridge and Juanita Sunday afternoon.

A/IC and Mrs. Cecil Derrick of Waco were weekend guests of C. W. Jones.

Mrs. Alex Shaw spent Thursday afternoon with Mrs. J. W. Featherston.

Mr. and Mrs. M. C. Partridge went to San Saba on business Wednesday.

Miss Joan Featherston came home for a short visit Saturday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Neal Rose visited Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Rose and boys Sunday afternoon.

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By John C. White, Commissioner

SYSTEMIC COTTON POISON

New weapons are being tested in the war against cotton insects which may result in some decisive victories for the farmer.

The Texas Experiment Station has turned up some promising new systemic insecticides that are lethal not only to certain sucking insects but also to such plant choppers as the boll weevil and the cotton leaf-worm.

Unlike the more common insecticidal sprays and dusts that form a protective layer over the outside surface of the plant, systemics are absorbed into the plant and carried by its sap. They may be applied to foliage, soil or seed. In this way, the stalk, the foliage and sometimes the fruit of a plant can be made toxic to feeding insects by treatment with an effective systemic poison.

Systemics are not new to some cotton growers. A few may have used systemics as foliage sprays or dusts against sap-sucking aphids and mites. But the chemicals under tests are the first that also kill insects that chew at stalks, leaves and fruits.

Two of these systemics have been tested in Texas in cooperation with the U. S. Department of Agriculture. They proved lethal to the cotton boll weevil, the cotton leafworm, the cotton leaf perforator—all choppers—and to the cotton aphid and spider mite (sucker) for more than a month. These tests were run under laboratory conditions

Mr. and Mrs. M. W. Trotter had guests from Huntsville Sunday.

Mrs. Ravellet has been visiting her brother, M. W. Trotter and Mrs. Trotter the past weekend.

Mrs. Mattie Howard is now a guest in the M. W. Trotter home.

Mr. and Mrs. M. C. Partridge were in Temple Monday on business. They also visited Mr. and Mrs. Emil Schmidt and family.

Mrs. M. W. Trotter and Mrs. Mattie Howard visited Mrs. J. W. Featherston Monday afternoon.

however. When applied to cotton planting seed in field tests, both compound gave protection against thrips, aphids and spider mites for more than a month.

Research on these systemics is still in the early stages and their desirability is not yet proven. It is still necessary to work out a dependable method of seed treatment that won't lower germination. Also under study is how the chemicals affect plant growth and to what extent they can build up injurious residues in the plant.

The new chemicals are not yet available to growers. So entomologists advise farmers to stick by current recommended methods of insect control for the present and continue to apply insecticides as foliage dusts or sprays. But the tests show promise and may mean a new era in insect control.

Mrs. Clara Rhodes of Brownwood spent Saturday with Mrs. W. O. Kemp and other friends here.

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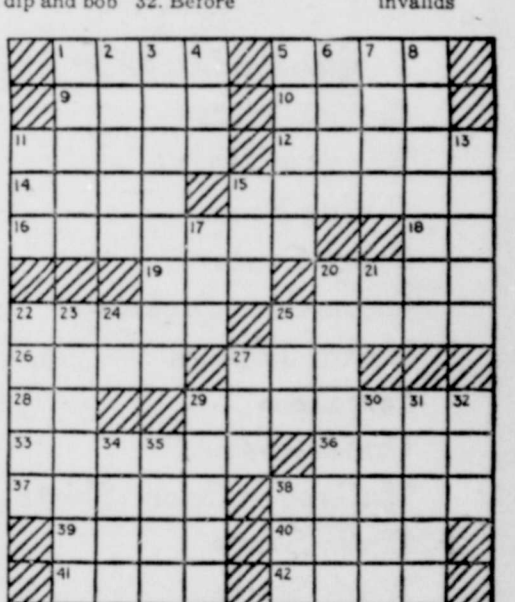
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- German composer
- Asterisk
- Wide-mouthed jar
- Ceremonial room (Pueblo Indians)
- Cut into cubes
- Manacles
- Aluminum sulphate
- Wet thoroughly
- Mark for misconduct
- Exclamation
- Jack of trumps (cribbage)
- Delineated
- Area
- Green herbage
- Sacred
- A size of coal
- Type measure
- Surfeit
- A call for aid
- Close to
- Pass off as genuine
- Talk (Dial.)
- Forearm bone
- Exchange premium
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- End of a hammer head

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- Synthetic ruby
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- River (Eng.)
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- Nest of an eagle
- Boulder
- Exhibits
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- Spawn of fish
- System of sewers
- Sun god
- Bundle of grain
- Self-important
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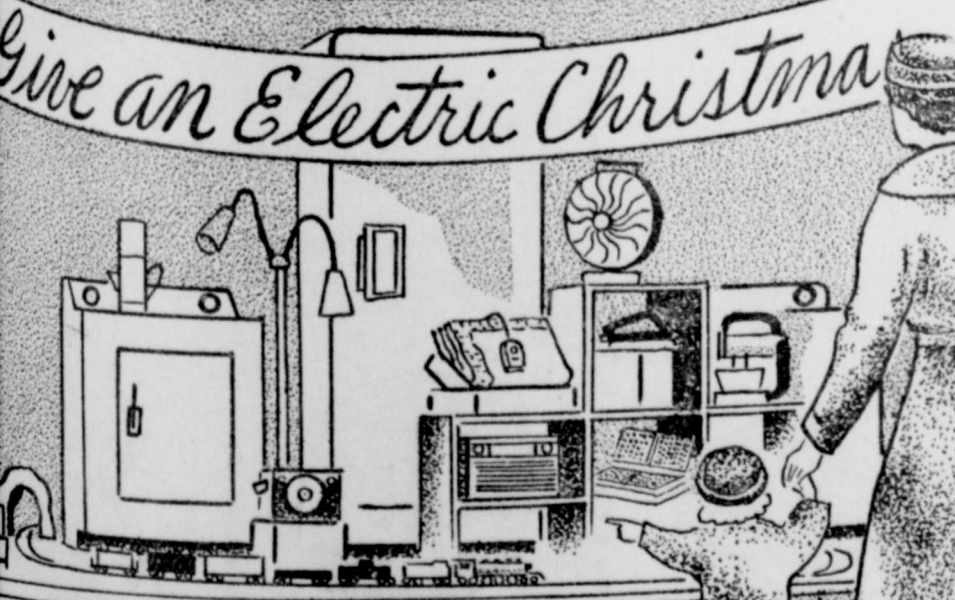
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Mason Cowpunchers Play Host To Deer Park In Class A Semi-Finals

The Mason Cowpunchers last Friday night earned a berth in the state class A semi-final playoffs by defeating the Grape-land Sandies 38 to 14 in Bastrop. No previous Mason team

has ever before advanced beyond the regional playoffs.

Mason will play host in Mason Saturday, December 18, at 7:30 p. m. to the Deer Park Deer to determine who will represent the lower division of the state in the state finals. The winner of the Paducah-Albany game will represent the upper division.

The Mason Punched, after winning District 23-A defeated Bastrop 27 to 13 in bi-district play, then won in regional competition from Hearne 21 to 13, before winning the quarter-

final tilt last week. A capacity crowd is expected for the Saturday night play-off and the seating capacity will be increased to more than double the usual amount. Admission charges will be .50 for students, \$1.00 for general admission for adults, and \$1.50 for grandstand tickets. The latter will be a reserved section with unnumbered seats.

Deer Park, which is in the Houston area, will be making its second-long trip in as many weeks. The Deer played in Hondo Friday night and won 26 to 12.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Keeler and daughter, Barbara of Midland were guests of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. F. Lappe last weekend.

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Last year the local delegation took two special Santa Fe cars to make the one day trip. Some believe that there is a possibility of having enough interest this year to use special train.

The matter will be brought up at the next Lions Club meeting when it will be discussed further.

In the meantime it has been suggested that everyone who is interested in making the trip to Houston on special car or special train in a Mills County delegation is asked to stop in at the Production Credit Association office and leave their registration, or intention to go, with Charles Conradt. By so doing the committee will soon be able to determine if there

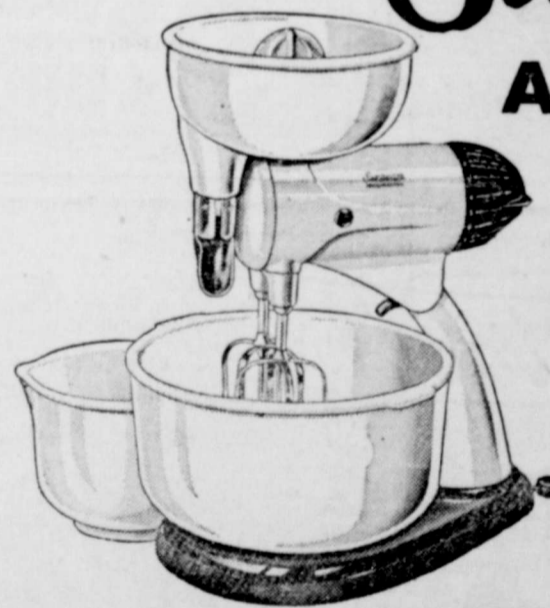
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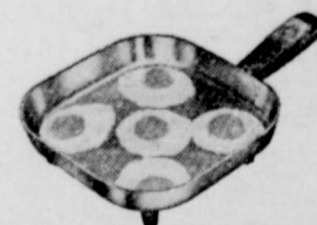
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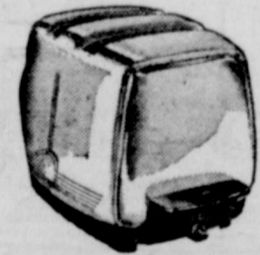
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