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## Water Under The Bridge by G.F.B

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Snow is for the little people. There is nothing more enjoyable to a mother and father than the squeals of joy exhibited by their children upon awakening and finding that a few inches of snow has fallen during the night. But for the other segments of society, it might be pretty for a while, but then it turns

into another one of nature's nightmares. Slick, icy streets, frozen and broken water pipes, and a depressed feeling usually accompany a snowy cold spell that

we just witnessed. The lowly livestock on the ranches hereabouts took a lot of punishment in the cold spell. or five days the thermometer did not venture above freezing and with grass already scarce, and feed prices and feed availability at such terrible stages, it's a wonder that more livestock was not lost in the cold

But, usually after a snow and cold spell such as we had, the spring is early and very green. The winter dove season seems

to be well received from a hunt-Most of the hunters I know

have been out a couple of times and report that the birds are big, fat and plentiful. Texas Department of Parks and

Wildlife says that the winter seaon might not be opened again next year, simply because it takes several seasons to evaluate the results of the split season. Since many of the doves are

migratory at this time of the year, studies will have to be evaluated from other states to see if our hunt has any affect on them. Even if it is only for one year,

it was worth all the excitement and sport. Just have to wear that extra pair of socks and a couple of extra shirts to thwart the cold weather.

With all the talk about high prices of groceries and meats that has been developing in recent years, I decided to do a little research on the subject the other

From my vantage point at the check-out counter, I saw a lady shopper shove a cart into the slot by a cash register. She non-chalantly unloaded a giant oox of washing powder, a familysized tube of toothpaste, a fourpack of toilet tissue, a carton of cigarettes, a loaf of bread, a half-gallon of milk, a pound of bacon and a package of lunch

"I'll swear, I don't know how we're going to eat if food prices get any higher," said the lady shopper. She waved the package of lunch meat in the air. "I have to feed my family this stuff," she said. "We just can't afford to eat steaks and chops or roasts anymore."

I got a quick look at the label on the package and went to the neat counter to check it out. The package contained six ounces lunch meat, and sold for cents. That comes to about 31.20 a pound, if my arithmetic sn't acting up on me.

In the same meat case, chuck steak was 89 cents a pound and so vere some other cuts of beef and pork. Even choice T-Bones old for only \$1.39 a pound. That ave me something to think about. So, Mrs. Shopper, take a closer k at your cart's contents the ext time you start to com-lain about high grocery prices.

#### Men's Bible Cass To Sig At Hickman

The Goldthwaite Men's Downwn Bible Class will sponsor singing at Hickman Nursing ome Thursday night, January at 6:30 o'clock.

December 5. They are C. W. Hughes, grand treasurer, right excellent E. C. Young, excellent grand chaplain; James R. Daven-Everyone is invited to attend and enjoy the music. port, right excellent grand king;

# Five-Day Freeze Worst In Many Years





#### Snow People -

This king-sized snowman was built in Goldthwaite Friday by Mr. and Mrs. Jeff Stewart and Troy Ratliff, Numerous snowmen were seen all over town and

scenes as the bottom picture show were also common. Snow "rolling" and snow ball fights happened all the time. - Laughlin Studio Photo

#### Conradt Jernigan Speak At Banquet

The annual Goldthwaite Eagle football banquet was held last Saturday night at the American Legion Hall

Guest speakers for the evening were Mike Conradt and Gaylon Jernigan, both fine college foot-

after being a kicking specialist with the Baulor Bears, and Gaylon has seem a lot of action with the San Angelo State

ball players from Goldthwaite. Mike is graduating this year

football team. Both boys played their high school football for the

GRAND OFFICERS - New of-

ficers of the Grand Royal Arch

Chapter of Texas were installed

R. Bruce Brannon, most excellent

Mike is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Conradt of Goldthwaite and Gaylon is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Hawley Jernigan of Goldthwaite.
Coach Leslie Johnson present-

ed awards to the varsity players on the 1973 Eagle squad and Coach Randy Baker presented awards to his B-Team players. The other Eagle coaching staff member is Danny Spradley.

The Eagle pep squad was the sponsor of the event.

grand high priest; H. C. Thomas,

right excellent grand scribe; James A. Scott Jr., right excell-ent deputy grand high priest; Obie L. Etheridge, excellent grand orator; Ed Bloomquist, right ex-

At the meeting of the grand

cellent grand secretary.

as Mills County and other counties across Texas experienced several days of severe winter weather this past week.

About four to six inches of snow was recorded across the The snowflakes began to fall late Wednesday evening and continued falling through most of Thursday. It began melting Friday evening when the tem-perature reached 40 degrees. The low temperature reading for Goldthwaite was 6 degrees on Friday, according to Glen DeWitt.

Prior to the snow, sleet fell covering the ground with ice to intensify driving conditions. Schools across the county and state closed for the winter spell. Temperature reading for January are as follows:

		Low		High
Jan.	6		28	36
Jan.	7		30	30
Jan.	8		20	32
Jan.	9		19	20
Jan.	10		17	25
Jan.	11		16	25
Jan.	12		6	40

# Donkey Basketball Tonight

The Goldthwaite Booster Club will present America's funniest game, Donkey Basketball, Thursday (tonight) in the Goldthwaite High School Gymnasium at 8 p.m. Tickets at the door will be \$1.50 for adults and \$1.00 for

students. Following is the program and contestants for each event:

HOBBY DONKEY DERBY GIRLS - Cindy Shaw, Sue Long and Rachel Barton. MEN - Johnny Truitt, Charles Studer and David Watters. FACULTY - Coach Danny Spradley, Bill Harlow and T. J. Wil-

GIRLS DONKEY RACE GIRLS — Tammy Head, Valerie Studer and Tamra Long.

GIRLS DONKEY BASKETBALL FLYING GENNIES - Coach, Mrs. Blackburn and players, Jac Davis, Lee Ann Auldridge, Jana Duncan and Mina Kay Johnson. FAST STEPPERS — Color,

Blue with coach, Mrs. McCasland and players, Sue Germany, Denise Humphries, Brenda Curtis and LaQuita Williams.

BOYS DONKEY BASKETBALL Seniors vs. Underclassmen

SENIORS - Mark Geeslin, Bill Bishop, Andy Cook, Robin Reid, Roy Watters, Danny Sutherland, Ricky Stacy, William Hall and Joe Hollingshead.

UNDERCLASSMEN - Larry Elliott, Mike Simon, Chuck Shaw, Byron Landrum, Ricky Wiggins, Sam Bell, Johnny Truitt, Danny Norwood and Allie Siller.

Masonic Lodge of Texas which met December 5, 1973, in Waco, Texas, Rev. E. C. Young, pastor of the Star and Center City United

Methodist Churches, for the past eight years, was installed "Grand Chaplain of the Royal Arch 'asons of Texas."

# 35th Annual Stock Show This Weekend

#### Reset From Last Weekend

Mills County's 35th annual Livestock Show will be held here this Friday and Saturday, Jan. 19 and 20 at the Mills County Show Rarns.

The show was reset from last week due to the snow and bad driving conditions.

Plans have been completed and the show will be ready for opening Friday morning, according to announcement by W. V. Horton Jr., president of the Mills County Livestock Raisers Association.

Four new categories have been added to the show in 1973. They are horses, rabbits. broilers and turkeys.

The horse competition in particular has stimulated a lot of interest among the horse enthusiasts of Mills County and promises to be one of the high-lights of the show. Over 40 horses are entered in the different classes in the horse judging.

Business people and dividuals are especially reminded of the sale at the Mills Co. Commission Co. Saturday night. This annual event is the end result of the show and is what all the entrants have worked so hard to achieve. President Horton urges all who can to support the sale.

A total of 290 entries have been received for the show. All livestock must be in the show barns by 8:30 a.m. Jan. 19 and remain until 4:30 p.m. January 20, according to show

#### Joe Woodrum **Guest Speaker** At Bible Class

Minister Joe Woodrum of the Church of Christ in Goldthwaite will be the guest speaker at the Men's Downtown Bible Class on Sunday, January 21. The session will begin at 9:30 and go until

Official program for the two day show is as follows:

FRIDAY, JANUARY 19

9:00 a.m. - Official opening of Show and Introduction 9:00 a.m. - Horse Judging 10:00 a.m. - Goat Judging 1:00 p.m. - Goat Judging 3:00 p.m. - Breeders' Sheep 4:00 p.m. - Rabbit Judging

4:00 p.m. - Poultry Judging SATURDAY, JANUARY 20

10:00 a.m. - Fat Lambs 1:00 p.m. - Champion Fat Lamb 1:30 p.m. - Junior Breeding Cattle

1:30 p.m. — Breeding Cattle 2:00 p.m. — Fat Steers 6:30 p.m. — Sale of Livestock

**OFFICERS** 

Officials of the show this year are as follows: W. V. Horton Jr., president; Glenn Sanders, vice-president; Charles Conradt, treasurer; Charles Studer, assistant-treasurer; Jack Edington, secretary and Ronnie Davis, assistant-secretary.

Superintendents of the show are as follows: Glen Love, Horse Supt.; David Smith, ass't Horse Supt; Elton Bufe, Hog Supt.; Rodney Carlisle, ass't Hog Supt.; Roger Sanders, Sheep Supt.; Joe Benningfield, ass't Sheep Supt.; David Watters, Goat Supt.; Wilford Schuster, ass't Goat Supt.; Davis Owens, Cattle Supt. and Milton Meier, ass't Cattle Supt.

Malcolm Jernigan is the auctioneer and W. T. "Buddy" Rountree is the ass't auctioneer. Mike Hoover is the show veterinarian.

# March of Dimes Mothers March Set For Monday

The annual Mothers' March for the March of Dimes will be held in Goldthwaite on Monday night, January 22, it was announced this week by Mrs. Clyde Kerby, local campaign director and Mrs. Chuck Todd Mothers' March chairman.

Mothers are asked to assemble at the Commissioners' Court Room of the Mills County Courthouse at 6 p.m. to begin the work. This will be the central point of the march and the mothers will cover all areas of the city in their canvas.

In 1972, the local chapter helped numerous persons with specific problems. The chapter furnished transportation and transportation and special shoes for a local child with metatarsus addhertus and furnished shoes for another child. The chapter bought insulin for a six month period for a child in Mills County.

funds for these projects came directly from funds derived from the Mothers' March and other donations here for the March of

Mrs. Kerby also announced that the local chapter had has available a film strip in birth defects and the work of the March of Dimes in this area. It can be borrowed for showing by any interested group by contacting

She also reminded mothers that small children may be left with Mrs. Everett Taylor at 1707 Parker Street in Goldthwaite during the Mothers' March.

Other persons associated with the March of Dimes on the local level are W. P. Duren, chairman; Raymond Casbeer, treasurer; and Frances Long and Mark Wiggins, Teen Action Program chairmen.



FRANCES LONG ... TAP Co-Chairman

R. L. Steen is general chair-man of the arrangements com-

lows: Frank Bridges, Publicity; Norman Duren, Catalog and Larry Daniel, Ribbons. FHA AND 4-H

TO EXHIBIT FOOD CRAFTS AND CLOTHING

The FHA girls and 4-H Club members of Mills County will have their food and clothing exhibits at their exhibition rooms in connection with the Mills Co. Livestock Show. The three divisions consist of food, clothing, and crafts. The craft division will include a class for adults.

Also an adult canned goods division will be included in the



W. P. DUREN



RAYMOND CASBEER ... Treasurer



MRS, CLYDE KERBY . . . Drive Chairman



MARK WIGGINS . . . TAP Co-Chairman



MRS, CHUCK TODD . . . Mothers March Head

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# Yarborough Presented Plaque For Boy Scouting Achievements

Harold Yarborough was presented with a plaque for two years service to the Boy Scouts of America Saturday night at Brownwood. He served as presi-

Star Roundblers

Wi Over Mullin

On their own home court, the Star Girls downed the Mullin Girls 40 to 33 in a district game. High pointer for Star was Mitzi Gilbreath with 20 points and high scorer for Mullin was Melba Singleton with 13 points.

Bulldogs out-scored the Tigers 61 to 38 with Danny Whisenhunt scoring 26 points and Jimmy King making 20 points for Mullin and Randal Miles was high pointer for Star with 12

The Mullin Teams will travel to Pottsville Friday night for their fourth district game of the

dent of the Comanche Trail Council in 1971-72.

Rev. Gordan Talk of Goldthwaite, gave the invocation at the presentation banquet and Dr. T. C. Graves presented the Veter-

Guest speaker for the evening was Bill Murray of Austin, a former member of the Texas Railroad Commission.

Installed as new president of the organization was Dr. J. C. Terrell of Stephenville. Also in attendance was the area director. John Clardy of Lubbock.

Yarborough has spent over 40 years in the Boy Scouting program, holding numerous offices on the local and council levels.

#### Two Students From Goldthwaite Make

Two Goldthwaite students are

listed on the Dean's Honor Roll for the fall semester at Angelo State University in San Angelo. Alicia Ann Doggett is listed on the 3.50 to 4.00 honor roll and Carroll Gaylon Jernigan is listed

# Mike Conradt Graduates At Baylor U.

WACO, TEXAS - Baylor University granted 385 degrees at the close of the fall semester December 22.

The number represents a 13.2 per cent increase over the 340 degrees awarded at the end of the 1971 fall semester.

The list of degree recipients includes 299 for bachelor's degrees, 51 for master's degrees and three for doctoral degrees. Thirty-two School of Law graduates who received their degrees in November are included in the

number. Charles Mike Conradt, son of Mr. and Mrs. Charles E. Conradt, 1613 Hanna Valley Road, Goldthwaite, received his bachelor of science in physical education degree in recreation.

Wood impregnated with liquid resin and irradiated with gamma rays becomes a product with the beauty of wood and the strength of

# Gus Kirby, Lifelong Resident Passes Away January 9th

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Funeral services for Gus Albert Kirby of Goldthwaite were conducted Thursday, January 11, 1973, at 4 p.m. in the Wilkins Funeral Chapel. Interment was in the Goldthwaite Memorial Cemetery. Minister Joe Wood-

# **Priddy Teams** Rolling Along

The Priddy Boys and Girls Teams met Lometa in a basket-ball bout Monday night, January 8 on the Pirates home court with both Priddy Teams taking

In the girls game Lometa was downed 79 to 28 with Peggy Holmsley scoring 31 points, Flo Limmer with 18 points, Donna Drueckhammer with 15 points and Dianne Bufe with 13 points

for the Priddy win.
Scoring the 75 to 44 victory
over Lometa were the following Pirates: Lee Wayne Tiemann and Dale Seilheimer with 21 points each, Alvin Limmer and Danny Marwitz with 10 points each, Doug Hopper with 8 points and Doug Feist with 2 points.

Priddy basketball teams won

their first district game of the

season recently. The Priddy girls beat the Pottsville girls by a score of 76-46. Donna

Drueckhammer, high point girl for Priddy racked up a total

The Priddy boys won over the

William Penn's ordinance

for the Pennsylvania Colony

Pottsville boys 100-55. Dale Sei-

lheimer was high point man for

Priddy with 26 points.

of 31 points.

IT'S A BOY

nieces and nephews.

Jeffery Alan Robinson, son of Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Howard Robinson of Goldthwaite, was born at 1621 Fisher Street, Goldthwaite, on Wednesday, January 10, 1973 at 3 a.m.

rum officiated. Wilkins Funeral

Home was in charge of arrange-

Mr. Kirby, a member of the Church of Christ, passed away Tuesday, January 9, 1973, at 10 a.m. in the Childress Hospital, Born August 7, 1888, in Lampasas County, he was the son of the late William Carrol Kirby and Laura Ford Kirby.

He was married to Eliza Beck-

Mr. Kirby was a life time resi-

ner on September 19, 1909, in

dent of this community.

Pallbearers were Dale Reid,

James Knight, L. B. Burnham, LeRoy Miller, Burthel Roberts, Voyd Lee Doggett and Lee Roy

Survivors include his wife,

Eliza Kirby, Goldthwaite, three sons, Billy of Jal, New Mexico,

Ted of Kermit, Forehand of Gold

thwaite; one daughter, Mrs. Laura Beth Laughlin, Goldth-waite; eight grandchildren; two

great grandchildren and several

Laura Ford Kirby.

Hamilton County.

The little lad tipped the scales at seven pounds, six ounces.
Maternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. John E. McCall Jr. of Lytle and paternal grandparents are Mrs. Maydell Kimborough of Odessa and Mr. Garland F. Robinson of Lytle.

Maternal great grandparents are Mrs. Evie Hunter of San Angelo and Mr. and Mrs. John E. McCall Sr. of Rosedale, Kansas. Paternal great grandparents are Mrs. Lucille Hogue of Goldsmith and Mr. A. E. Hogue of Corpus Christi.

#### on the 3.00 to 3.49 honor roll. Garden Club To Join Arbor Day Celebration

Williams Completes Army Training He attended Goldthwaite High FT. POLK, LA. (AHTNC) on School and his father Wallace L. December 1 - Army Private Ter-Williams lives in Victoria.

SQUARE DEALERS ENTERTAIN

A group of young people and adults from the Square Dealers Club entertained the residents of the Hickman Home Tuesday Night, January 9.

Mr. Ralph Homesly, Brownwood, called for the group. Mrs. Homesly, Mr. and Mrs. Miles Banks and Mr. and Mrs. Jim Turner of Brownwood also danced with the Square Dealer Club mem-

Towas !

The members of the Goldthwaite Garden Club along with other Texas Garden Clubs will observe Arbor Day Friday, Jan.

The local club have tentative plans for a tree or shrub planting ceremony on the Court House

Arbor Day has a special significance in our pollution-conscious age. This special day is proclaimed as a day for planting trees, but if anyone miss planting a tree on Friday, it can still be done through February, if the trees are barerooted and any time if they are balled or canned.

Trees furnish juicy fruits and delicious nuts. Essential wood and paper are gifts of trees.

Trees can screen ugly sights and act as noise and wind barriers. They are guardians of our life. They release oxygen to replace the constant used sup-They add moisture to the air and they filter dust and other pollutants.

Man can exist as long as perhaps five weeks without food and without water for possibly five days. But without air, our life expectancy is less than five min-

"For years," the researchers

"man has observed how trees cleanse the air, but he had remained unaware of how important trees are in this role.

"In all instances, tree plantings curb the movement of particulate matter.'

Every family can become a part of the green revolution. The arms are a shovel and a spading fork. The ammunition is a tree. The enemy is air pollution. D-Day is Friday.

Local Garden Club members urge citizens to plant a tree or shrub in their own garden or yard to help beautify our town and to help fight pollution.

# **Predator Control**

Mills County Program Building Program to date are: D. Roberson, Col. V. Z. Cornelius, W. C. Sherwood, C. B. Walls, H. W. McCasland, O. K. Jenkins, Mrs. W. B. Black, C. S. Smith, A. P. Lee, Dr. E. J. Stanford, S. Owens, Cecil Huckabee, McKenzie Brothers, J. D. Mc-Kenzie, T. C. Graves, Wincil D. Page, Gary D. Head, Lee Roy Wagner, S. D. Jernigan and Ray Duren

Total contributions to date of January 15, 1973 is \$1,189.84. Contributions should be mailed to Predator Control Fund, P. O.

# Childress Hospital

O. B. Pierce. WEDNESDAY, JANUARY 10

non, Pearl Bohannon and Gannon Ryan Tidwell, all of Gold-

Discharged: Lupe Lucio.

THURSDAY, JANUARY 11

Admitted: Elizabeth W. Reese

FRIDAY, JANUARY 12
Discharged: Pearl L. Holland, Ruby M. Cave, Winnie M. Kirby, and Gannon R. Tidwell.

SATURDAY, JANUARY 13

Admitted: Joyce Kay Yeager, Pearl T. Shropshire, and Ken-neth Milton Shaw, all of Gold-

Admitted: James H. Earles, Baby Girl Yeager and Martha Barton, all of Goldthwaite; Sara Kilpatrick of San Saba; and Beu-lah Sanders of Mullin.

Admitted: Viola Covey, Huldah Admitted: Viola Covey, Huldah L. Doggett, August Kauhs, and Oscar Vance, all of Goldthwaite. Discharged: Sallie Daniels, Gerald VanderLeest, Ruth Shoe-make, Elizabeth Reese, Minnie Rollins, Mae Egger, Velma Par-ker and Viola Covey.

# required that I acre of trees be left for every 5 acres **Contributors** Additional contributors to the

Box 249, Goldthwaite, Texas 76844.

# Report

TUESDAY, JANUARY 9 -Admitted: Lupe Lucio of Mul-lin; Isaac Theodore Howell, Winnie M. Kirby and Mary E. Creek all of Goldthwaite. Discharged: Ura V. Bryant and

Admitted: Bertha M. Bohan-

Discharged: Bertha Bohannon, Lily Attaway, Pearl Bohannon, and Isaac T. Howell.

SUNDAY, JANUARY 14

Discharged. Mary Creek.

MONDAY, JANUARY 15



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Spec. Tucker is a truck driver

in the 418th transportation company of the brigades 180th transportation battalion. He entered the army in 1964, received basic training at Ft. Polk, La., and was last stationed at Ft. Campbell,

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# Doings by

BY LARRY DANIEL COUNTY AGENT



This is the week for the big annual event of many boys and - the 35th Annual Stock Show for 4-H, FFA, & FHA members. A total of 290 entries from 100 boys and girls are entered in the agriculture division of the show. The homemaking division entries have not been received.

It is hoped that all Mills Co. residents will come by and view the work that many boys and girls have done the past year. The presence of spectators helps in many ways.

The Mills County Program Committee is still actively involved in collecting donations for predator control in Mills County. Many producers have responded but approximately two thousand dollars is still needed to keep the trapper hired for 1 year. Donations may be mailed to the Committee, Box 248. Goldthwaite.

A very special workshop will be held January 25, 7:00 p.m. at the Mills County State Bank. The Extension Service is holding an Income Tax and Record Keeping Workshop for farmers, ranchers and other individuals. The workshop will be conducted by James Denton, Extension Area Economist-Management Special-

ist, from Stephenville. All phases of income tax filing and record keeping will be covered with time for questions and answers. There is no fee for the workshop. For more information, contact my of-

new "Farmer's Tax Guide" is available at my office. The publication gives information on filing farm and ranch income tax returns. The tax guide is indexed so producers can easily find information on specific subjects such as selling a farm, sale of breeding animals, depre-ciation, involuntary conversion and other topics.

Whether you have your return filed by a tax practitioner or do it yourself, this new publication will be useful. The tax guides are free and available at my

This time of year is good for collecting soil samples and sending them in for analysis of soil for needed nutrients of soil. Many producers each year fertilize without use of soil sample information and in many cases they waste much needed fertilizer and

The idea of fertilizing according to your neighbor is very wrong because soil needs vary from field to field. Soil samples are easy to take and cost only \$2 per sample. Soil sample boxes may be obtained from my office.

PAGE 3 THE GOLDTHWAITE EAGLE-MULLIN ENTERPRISE Goldthwaite, Texas, Thursday, January 18, 1973

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BY: MRS. DUTCH SMITH

#### Well Christmas has come and gone again and 1972 is gone. It really is sad when the year is gone and there is so many things I had planned to do but didn't. But that is all in the past now. We had all of our children and grandchildren home for Christmas and we had a wonder-

January has been real cold. When it was cold it was real cold and when it was hot it was

The snow was terrible out here and the roads were simply terrible. They were bad before the but now they are well what is the use of talking

about that. We have had so many of our friends pass away and some were dead and buried before we knew

Our son, Johnie Smith, Margaret and Clif spent last week end with us

Dutch and I were supposed to stay with our grandson, John Smith in Gatesville this week end. His parents, with the Chili Smiths, flew to Florida.

John stayed with their neighbors. The Gatesville Co. Show will be next weekend. John will be showing his calves. Dutch and I played 84 with

some friends in town Saturday

Oh yes. Thursday night, January 25 will be our night to sing at the Hickman Nursing Home Goldthwaite. We would like for anyone who likes to sing to come and help us. I know you would enjoy it. It will be on the 4th Thursday. Mark it on your calender, but don't do like I do, forget to read it.

Well today is a beautiful day. I hope it stays that way for a

Our boys and girls are leaving for college. Our grandson Jesse Loyd Ball has enrolled in Baylor.

Our neighbor David Lewis has gone back to Killeen Junior Col-

#### It's A Girl

Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Don Yeager of Goldthwaite proudly an-nounce the arrival of their baby girl, Deonna Dawn. The little lady was born at Childress Clinic and Hospital on Sunday, January 14, 1973 at 11:30 a.m. She tipped the scales at eight pounds, twelve and a half ounces.

Maternal grandmother is Mrs.
J. P. Slaughter of Goldthwaite
and paternal grandparents are
Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Yeager of

Maternal great grandmother is Mrs. Joe Sutherland of Kerr-ville and paternal great grand-father is Floyd Medford of Gold-

# San Saba Peak McCarty Rites Held Here On January 15, 1973

Rites were held Monday, January 15, 1973 at 10:00 a.m. in the Wilkins Funeral Chapel for Miss Aletta Dean McCarty of Rt. 3, Box 176, Rusk, Texas. Rev. D. G. McCarty officiated. Burial was in the Mt. Olive Cemetery under the direction of Wilkins Funeral Home.

Miss McCarty passed away Saturday, January 13, 1973, in Nan Travis Hospital, Jacksonville, Texas.

Born in Goldthwaite on December 2, 1936, she was the

daughter of Travis Oral McCarty and Mary Lou Kerby McCar-ty. Her church affilliation was Methodist.

Pallbearers were Joe Bailey Kerby Jr., Earl McCarty, Roy Hooker, Jerry Don Hitt, Mike Luikie and Bailey Kerby.

Survivors include her parents. Mr. and Mrs. Travis O. Mc-Carty of Rusk; paternal grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. L. E. McCarty of Priddy; maternal grandfather, S. R. Kerby of Houston; and several aunts, uncles and other relatives.

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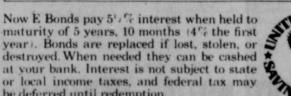
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DEPOSITORY NOTICE

TO: Any and all banking corporations, associations and individual bankers in Mills Coun-

In accordance with Art. 2544, et seq., VACS of Texas, notice is hereby given that at the February Regular Term meeting and with legal setting in the Commissioners' Courtroom February 12, 1973, at 10 o'clock A. M. contracts will be let and entered into for the depositing of the public funds of Mills County, Texas, in one of the above named banks, same to be through contract with Commissioners' Court of Mills County,

In accordance with Art. 2545, VACS of Texas, the above named in rested parties shall make liv to the County Judge an application applying for such funus and setting out the speciic statutory requirements.

Only those submitting proper applications will be considered. This notice posted February 1, 1973. Cecil Egger (Signed)

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County Judge

Mills County Texas.

NOTICE TO ALL PERSONS CLAIMS AGAINST HAVING THE ESTATE OF MARY LET-RICE ROBBINS, DECEASED

Robbins were issued on January 15, 1973, in Cause No. 1895, pending in the County Court of Mills County, Texas, to: Arthur Davis Robbins The residence of such Executor is Mills County, Texas.

Notice is hereby given that

original Letters Testamentary

for the Estate of Mary Letrice

The post office address is: Route 1, Box 228 Lometa, Texas 76853 All persons having claims against this Estate which is currently being administered are required to present them within the time and in the manner pre-

scribed by law. DATED the 15th day of January, 1973.

(Signed) Arthur Davis Robbins, Independent Executor.

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# Cards of Thanks

Words are simply inadequa to fully express the gratitude and appreciation for all the wonderful expressions of sympathy at the passing of our grandmother, Mrs. Jessie Black.

A very special thanks to all that visited her in the nursing home, to the staff and nurse at Heritage Home, to Dr. Child. ress and the nurses at the hospi tal and to Roy and Rachel Wil.

May God richly bless everyone that helped in any way.

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We wish to extend our sincere appreciation and gratitude to all who have been so thoughtful during the time of our bereavement. The beautiful flowers, the cards, the visits, the food, the memorials and your many kind words have been a beautiful tribute to our loved one and a source of strength for us. Our heartfelt thanks to each of you.

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revival. At the end is pro-claimed a great success. There were many accessions to the church. But how many of those souls, do you suppose, experi-enced true repentance for their sins, and felt their need of the sinners Saviour? How many of them felt hell yawning at their very feet and cried out like the Publican of old, "God be mer-ciful to me a sinner?" How many of us who read this message have ever known true repentance, and without which our names can never be written in the Lamb's Book of Life?

In the account from which this message is taken, Jesus as usual, was surrounded by a multitude who were anxious to hear the great truths which fell from His lips. Among other things He was impressing upon them the vital need of repentance. Someone asked Him to explain the Massacre, by Pilate, of a number of Galileans who were offering their sacrafices. "And Jesus answering said unto them, Suppose ye that these Galileans were sinners above all the Galileans, because they suffered such things? I tell you, nay: But except ye repent, ye shall all likewise perish or those eighteen upon whom the tower in Siloam fell, and slew them, think ye that they were sinners above all men that dwelt in Jerusalem? I tell you, nay: But, except ye repent, ye shall all likewise per-ish." Luke 13- 2, 3, 4, 5. Jesus did not hesitate to tell them their need of repentance, in so many words. Nor did He hesitate to tell them the consequences if they did not repent.

# Final Rites **Held For** Leticia Lucio

Final rites were conducted for Leticia Lucio of Mullin Wednesday, January 10, 1973, at 4 p.m. in the Wilkins Funeral Chapel. Interment was in the Goldthwaite Memorial Cemetery. Wilkins Funeral Home was in charge of arrangements. Rev. Bernardo Moraga officiated.

The infant lived only a few hours after birth January 9, 1973. Survivors include her parents. Juan and Guadlupe Lucio of Mullin; three sister, Mary Linda, Nelda and Gloria; two brothers. Joe and Johnnie; paternal grandfather, Agustin Lucio, Mexico; and maternal grandparents, Felipe and Eva Estrado, Menard.

# FHA News -

BY: SUSAN DERRICK

The Goldthwaite FHA Chapter met Tuesday, January 9. The theme for the month was "Sta-ble Home — Stable Life". To carry out the theme there was a panel discussion on the subject of working mothers and the effects their job has on their families. The panelists were: Mrs Cornelia Boykin, Mrs. Judy Wigley, Mrs. Tommie Sue Boy-kin, Mrs. Sue Cockrum, and Mrs. Priscilla Muse. Some of the topics of discussion were: Do you like your job? Is your job convenient to you? Does it require a lot of time away from your family? Do you feel that your family would be better off if you did not work? Does your husband help you at home?

The panel discussion was followed by the business meeting with vice-president, Carla Tatum, presiding.

The project for the month of January is a Mother-Daughter Luncheon to be held sometime during the month. A committee was named to organize this pro-

Several other committees were named to prepare for the FHA Banquet to be held in February. It was also announced that the girls should give their Secret Brothers something and let them know who they are.

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# Troy N. Berrys Celebrate Silver Wedding Anniversary

Mr. and Mrs. Troy N. Berry were honored on their Silver Wedding Anniversary with a reception given by their children on Saturday, December 30th from 2 until 5 p.m.

The memorable occasion was held in the Fellowship Hall of the First United Methodist Church in Goldthwaite. The Hall being decorated entirely in silver and white. All decorations were created by their children.

Approximately 100 friends and relatives attended to extend their congratules and best wishes to the cotal.

Receiving the guests were the honored couple and their children, Darrell, Dudley, Delbert and Donna Dene.

The guests were registered at a table decorated with pot of snow flake mums and spray of several white candles in a silver candle holder.

The rest of the Hall carried out the theme of white mums with silver holders and white candles. The cake was identical to the original wedding cake except it was only in silver and white. There was also a table set up to display pictures of the wedding 25 years ago and a clipping from the paper. The same theme was fol-

lowed as Mrs. Berry wore a flowing aqua blue formal as she did in her wedding and a corsage of two white orchids.

Entertainment was provided by Mr. Thurman Head who played music that was popular during the period in which the honored couple said their vows. The opening number was "Always" which was also the song used during their wedding.

Mr. and Mrs. Perry were married November 29, 1947, in the Baptist Church in May, Texas with Rev. Charles Noble officiat-

Out of town guests registered from Ulysses, Kansas and from Texas towns were El Paso, Shefield, Corpus Christi, Edna, Columbus, Corsiciana, Arlington, Memphis, Irving, Blanket, Comanche, Dallas, Evant, Lampasas and Goldthwaite.

If you want your children to grow up to be successful and have a happy adult life, your example may have as much affect as your admonition. Start by setting reasonable goals for yourself, your spouse and your children, and remember, that praise is a necessary ingredient of success and self-affirmation.

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# Mullin Community News

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BY: MRS, JOHNNIE HOLLAND We have a beautiful, sunshiny day today (Sunday) after, I heard the worst spell of weather all over the state since 1918. I remember the spell in 1918. It was a bad one. We still have snow, but it is melting rapidly. I hope we don't have another one like this for a while.

Don't forget the cemetery meeting Saturday afternoon, January 20, at 2 o'clock at the Community Center in Mullin. All interested people are asked to

Funeral services were conducted last Friday afternoon at Eola for Gid Wailace. Mr. Wal-lace was the son of the late Mr. and Mrs. Black Wallace, all of Mullin. He passed away at his home suddenly on Tuesday afternoon at 5 p.m. Gid grew up in the Duren Community and was well known here. He was the brother of Mrs. Vesta McCormick who lives here in Mullin now.

Mrs. L. J. Vann celebrated her 99th birthday on January 17. at the Hickman Home where she is now staying. We surely hope all of her friends remembered her birthday. We failed to get it in the paper last week to remind you to send her cards.

Jack Davee of Ozona is critically ill at this time. He is suffering from cancer. He is the son of the late Joe Davee and Mrs. Davee who now makes her home in Midland. Mrs. Davee, Jack's wife, is the former Juanell Spinks, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Spinks of Mullin. Her parents and her brother, Freddy Ray, and wife are in Ozona at this time. These peo-ple are all former Mullin people, and are well known here.

Word has been received in Mullin telling of the death of Mrs. Hazel Garcia. Mrs. Garcia was the youngest member of the late John Carlisle family. She died enroute to the hospital. She was a niece of Mrs. Fred Mosier and Mr. Tip Carlisle. Her home was in Downey, California. She, at one time, attended school here in Mullin.

Mrs. Grace (Perkins) May of Chicago, Illinois; also her daughter and family, Dr. and Mrs. Jeff Rosmond and Jessie of California have been here visiting with Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Chesser. Mrs. Jim Tullos. Mr. and Mrs. Fred Ethridge, Mrs. Addie Hart and other relatives. They all had Sunday luncheon

with Mr. and Mrs. Fred Ethridge. Dr. and Mrs. Rosmond are enroute to the East Coast in North Carolina where he has employment in a hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe F. Ivy of Dallas spent the coldest night of last week with his mother,

Mrs. Jewell Baskin. Mr. and Mrs. Bob Parker and Donna Jean of Kermit visited here last weekend with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Grady Hancock and also with her parents. Mrs. Parker has been in the hospital in Goldthwales, but she is out and doing better now.

# Mrs. Ima P. Hudson Interted Here Saturday, January 13th

Services for Ima P. Hudson were held Saturday. January 13, 1973, at 3 p.m. in the Church of Christ, Goldthwaite. Minister Joe Woodrum officiated. Interment was in Goldthwaite Memorial Cemetery under the direction of Wilkins Funeral Home.

Mrs. Hudson passed away at 9:42 p.m. Thursday, January 11, 1973, in Childress Hospital at the age of 78 years.

She was born to Dr. Joe D. Townsen and Mrs. Annie Alexander Townsen on May 3, 1894 in Lometa, Texas.

On December 27, 1925, Ima

married Dow Hudson in Lampasas. Texas. She had lived in Goldthwaite all of her married

Mrs. Hudson was a member of the Church of Christ, Gold-

Pallbearers were LeRoy Miller. Lee Roy Stacy, Billy Whitt, L. B. Burnham, Harold Yarborough and Potty Carter.

Survivors include one son. Lewis T. Hudson, Goldthwaite; two sisters, Mrs. T. B. Rosers and Miss Lila Townsen, Sar Antonio; four grandchildren. Dow Thomas Hudson, Sammy Lewis Hudson, Joe Blake Hudson and Mrs. Sheryl Ann Hood; and two great grandchildren.

# Rites For Sallie McCullough Conducted Saturday, Jan. 13

Final rites for Mrs. Sallie Mac McCullough of Fort Worth were conducted Saturday, January 13, 1973, at 2 p.m. in the First Baptist Church of Goldthwaite. Interment was in the Goldthwaite Memorial Cemetery. Rev. Dan Connally officiated. Wilkins Funeral Home was in charge of arrangements.

Mrs. McCullough passed away Wednesday, January 10, 1973, at the Benbrook Nursing Home in Fort Worth.

She was born May 1, 1881 in Williamson County, Texas, to Ahira Ashabranner and Rebecca Lockhart Ashabranner.

Mrs. McCullough. a member of the First Baptist Church, was married to W. P. McCullough on July 31, 1944. He preceded her in death on August 26, 1957.

Pallbearers were Jessie Moreland, Allen Moreland, Robert Long, Arnold Roberts, Jimmy Wigley and Charles Dennard.

Survivors include two daughters, Mrs. Willie Mae Karnes and Mrs. Frances Eilers both of Fort Worth; four grandchildren and six great grandchildren.

PRIDDY LODGE INSTALLS NEW MEMBERS

Officers of the Priddy Lodge No. 279 will be installed at 2 p.m. Sunday, January 21, at the Robinson Chamber of Commerce Building.

Herman Glosserman, San Antonio, an attorney for the Order of Sons of Hermann will head a team that will install the 1973 officers.

#### CHAPPELL HILL NEWS

BY PEARL CRAWFORD

Oh yes! We sure had some old time winter weather. First rain, ice and then snow. The temperature was below freezing for eight days. Friday morning a number reported Zero. Mr. W. W. Ratliff reported 6 inches of snow. Zero degrees Friday morning. January 12 is about right for this neighborhood.

At this writing we have some snow and ice and a little sunshine. We do have water for house and

I saw Mr. and Mrs. James Blackburn and daughter of Abilene at Goldthwaite. They were on their way home after visiting her sister at Gatesville. They are former residents of this

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Vahenkemp of Killeen and W. P. Ledbetter were at the old home one day last week. We are glad to report Mr. Ledbetter's health has improved. He was able to talk and visit with A. L. Crawford. Mr. and Mrs. William Cook and

son from Denton visited Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Ratliff. Billy Oxford of Killeen spent the week at home feeding live-

We express our love and sympathy to all who lost their loved ones. Folks who have sickness,

having to go to the Homes and

hospital during the weather. William Daniel has been making the roads to feed his livestock and his grandson Don Cox has been helping him with the work.

Mr. and Mrs. C. V. Whatley visited Mrs. Berta White at the Heritage Home Friday. They reported folks at home were doing

Mr. and Mrs. Omer Grimes of San Angelo and Mrs. O. H. Portor of Goldthwaite were last Sunday visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Sunday visitors of Mr. and Mrs.

L. Harris included Mr. and Mrs. Ray Vance Harris and family, Mr. and Mrs. Warren Harris and daughters and Mr. Lewis Harris and daughter of

At this writing we have warm sunshine, some snow and mud. Our good ole neighbor, Mrs. Clemmie Wilcox passed away. The Old Ivy Home hasn't been forwatten.

George and I thank Mr. Rat-liff who helped us get out of the

# Services Held For Mrs. Julia Brown Thursday, January

Funeral services for Mrs. Julia Ann Brown of Goldthwaite were conducted Thursday, January 11, 1973, at 1 p.m. in the Wilkins Funeral Chapel. Interment was in the Big Valley Cemetery. Minister Joe Woodrum and Minister Buck Christian officiated. Wilkins Funeral Home was in charge of arrangements.

Mrs. Brown passed away Wednesday, January 10, 1973 at 4 a.m. in her home in Goldthwaite. Born April 6, 1890, in Hasse, Texas, she was the daughter of the

late Robert F. Butler and Mary Hornsby Butler.

She was married to Andy of Brown December 22, 1916, Hasse, Texas. They moved Big Valley from Hasse in 1918 Mrs. Brown was a member the Church of Christ.

Pallbearers were Fred Novel Dan Denton, Billy Whitt, Pe Oldham, Taz Renfro, Albert Whi ley and Hugh Forrest Sm Survivors include her husb Andy Brown, Goldthwaite;

son, Troy Brown, Abilene; daughter, Mrs. Mary Lou Sai Dallas; two grandsons; one grandsons; one grandsons daughter and one sister, M Beulah Harris, Comanche,

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#### ASSETS

Cash and due from banks (Including \$NONE unposted debits) U. S. Treasury securities Obligations of other U.S. Government agencies and corporations 4,142,83 Obligations of States and political subdivisions Federal funds sold and securities purchased under agreements to resell Other Loans Bank premises, furniture and fixtures, and other assets representing bank premises Real estate owned other than bank premises 16,838,4

TOTAL ASSETS

LIABILITIES

Demand deposits of individuals, partnerships, 5,286,28 and corporations Time and savings deposits of individuals, partnerships, and corporations Deposits of United States Government Deposits of States and political subdivisions Deposits of commercial banks Certified and officers' checks, etc. TOTAL DEPOSITS \_\_\_ \$ 15,219,520.64 \_\_ \$ 6,227,767.12 (a) Total demand deposits \_\_ (b) Total time and

\$ 8,991,753,52 savings deposits Other liabilities TOTAL LIABILITIES RESERVES ON LOANS AND SECURITIES

for bad debt losses on loans (set up pursuant to Internal Revenue Service rulings)

TOTAL RESERVES ON LOANS AND SECURITIES

CAPITAL ACCOUNTS

## Equity capital, total .

Common stock—total par value (No. shares authorized \_\_\_\_ 12,500) (No. shares outstanding \_\_\_\_ 12,500) Surplus Undivided profits 1, 165,45 TOTAL CAPITAL ACCOUNTS TOTAL LIABILITIES, RESERVES, 16,838,42 AND CAPITAL ACCOUNTS

#### **MEMORANDA**

Average of total deposits for the 15 calendar 15, 171,84 days ending with call date Average of total loans for the 15 calendar days ending with call date \_

I, V. L. Williams, Cashier, of the above-named do solemnly swear that this report of condition is true and rect, to the best of my knowledge and belief. V. L. Williams (Signed)

CORRECT-ATTEST:

T. C. GRAVES TOM CODY GRAVES E. B. GILLIAM JR.

W. P. DUREN HOLLIS BLACKWELL DIRECTORS

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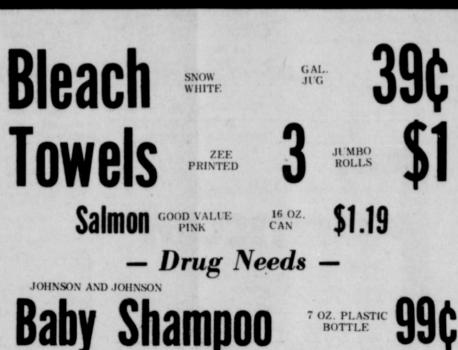
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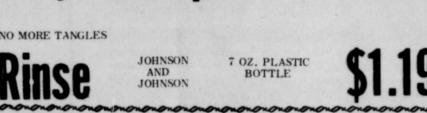
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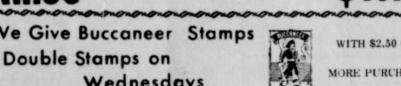
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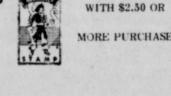
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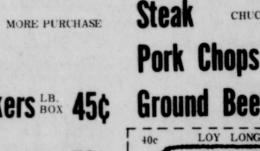
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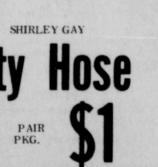














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# Social Security News -

(EDITOR'S NOTE: This is another in a series of articles on the new social security law that has been prepared by Glen Mc-Natt, manager of the Brownwood

The new amendments extend Medicare protection to persons in receipt of social security or railroad retirement disability benefits for at least 24 consecutive months and who are still disabled. This provision becomes effective with the later of: (1) July 1973, or (2) the 25th consecutive month of an individual's entitlement to disability benefits; Medicare protection will end with the month following the month in which a notice of termination of disability bene-

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fits is mailed to the beneficiary, no matter what the month in which disability is held to have

Medicare coverage is extended to persons who are either in-sured or entitled to monthly benefits and to their spouses and dependent children, if hemodialyor renal tranplantation is needed due to chronic renal (kidney) disease. Eligibility for such coverage begins with the 3rd month after the month in which a course of renal hemodialysis be gins and lasts through the 12th month after the month in which an individual had a transplant or dialysis terminates. This provision

will be effective July 1, 1973. Persons eligible for Medicare, either for supplemental medical insurance or for both hospital and supplemental medical insurance, may choose to have their covered health care provided by a Health Maintenance Organization (HMO), a prepaid group health or other capitation plan that meets prescribed standards. This becomes effective July 1, 1973.

Rockefeller Center's R. C. A. building in New York is 70 stories

# Wilcox Rites **Held Here** January 15th

Funeral services for Mrs. Clemmie Wilcox of Goldthwaite were held Monday, January 15, 1973, at 2 p.m. in Wilkins Funeral Chapel with Elder Elmer Isham officiating. Interment was in North Brown Cemetery under the direction of Wilkins Funeral Home.

Mrs. Wilcox passed away on Saturday, January 13, 1973, at 1:40 a.m. in Hickman Home, Goldthwaite, at the age of 82

She was born to Jim S. Caraway and Mary Cason Caraway on August 16, 1890 in Evant, Texas. On December 31, 1908, she married J. S. Ivy in Mills County. He preceded her indeath on March 10, 1964.

On March 16, 1966, she married James Richard Wilcox, who preceded her in death on November 13, 1968. She was a member of the Pri-

mitive Baptist Church at Cara-

Pallbearers were Jerry Ivy, Raymond Ivy, Louis Ivy, Billy Miller, Darrell Thomison and Gregg Jernigan.

Survivors include her five sons, R. G. Ivy of Fort Worth, William Ivy and D. C. Ivy of Priddy, J. T. Ivy and C. B. Ivy of Seattle, Washington; four step-daughters, Mrs. Sylvia Pruitt of Seminole, Mrs. Audrey mith of Buchanan Dam, Mrs. Mildred Huckabee of Miles and Mrs. Billie Thomison of Caradan; eight grandchildren and thirteen great grandchildren.

Europe is the second smallest continent in the world.

# When The Old Bird Was Younger

#### 10 Years Ago -

(Taken From The Eagle Files Of January 17, 1963.)

Groundbreaking ceremonies were held Sunday, January 6, following the regular morning services for the new Methodist Parsonage in Goldthwaite. The pastor, Rev. Charles E. Runk, was in charge of the service. Harry Allen, Weatherman, re-

ported to the Eagle that the temperature dropped to a low reading of 5 degrees for the week. Phil Duren was hospitalized about 10 p.m. Monday Night after receiving injuries when his car

was struck by a train at the crossing on First Street in Goldthwaite. John Reeves, member of the Mullin FFA Chapter, showed the grand champion fat lamb at the 25th annual Mills County Live-

stock Show. Leona Kaye Jackson, daughter Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Jackson Goldthwaite, recently completed 10 weeks of basic training at Recruit Training - Women.

United States Naval Training Cen-ter, Bainbridge, Maryland. Mr. and Mrs. James E. Price are the proud parents of a daughter, LeAnne Renee, born at 7:45 p.m. January 7, 1963, at Glen-

view Hospital, Fort Worth. Gary House, 14 year old mem-ber of the Goldthwaite FFA Chapter, showed the grand champion Fat Barrow at the Livestock Show

A Colt foaled in 1961 shown by Jordan Tully was named grand champion of the Junior Halter Show at Mills County Livestock

Paul Michael McCullough of

Goldthwaite received his Bache-

#### 25 Years Ago —

or of Law degree at University

of Texas on January 26, 1973.

(Taken from the Eagle Files Of January 16, 1948.)

Lee R. Hendry, a former resident of Goldthwaite and well known here, but who is now residing in Coleman, celebrated his 85th birthday anniversary quietly Sunday in the home of his daughter, Mrs. J. R. Eudy at Coleman.

The Mills County 4-H Girls are having a race for 4-H Favorite. Each club has a favorite and the one receiving the most votes will be County Favorite. Competing are Dorothy Feathers-Goldthwaite Senior 4-H; Myrlene Reynolds, Goldthwaite Junior 4-H; Sue Rowlett, Mullin Junior 4-H; Bonez Wasserman, Mullin Senior 4-H; Priddy 4-H, Vernell Niemann and Star 4-II. Geraldine Poe.

The Goldthwaite Band, under the direction of Boyd Hunt, attended a band clinic at Coleman, January 9th.

The first public showing in Goldthwaite of the new 1948 model Ford trucks will take place January 16 at an "open house" to be conducted by the Weatherby Auto Company

Barbara Waddell of Star celebrated her 13th birthday at her home on January 3. Several guest attended presenting her with presents.

A son, James Jr., was born to Mr. and Mrs. James Carter on Sunday, January 4 at 7 a.m. Elizabeth Stockton of Goldth-

waite and Anna Belle Wasserman of Mullin are among the 1,700 students enrolled at SWT in San Marcos.

Col. and Mrs. M. Y. Stokes Jr. and little daughter, Margaret Anne, returned to their home in Goldthwaite for good last Friday. Col. Stokes had been on active duty with Headquarters at Fort

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BY WEEDON WASH

The Schedule for submitting entries to the 4-H & FHA and Women's Division is the same as announced for last week.

Any girls who took dresses home are asked to bring them back by Thursday for placing of ribbons and display.

Proper use and care of appliances insures their greatest value. The following are general rules of thumb for small electrical appliances:

+ Always use the appliance's own electrical cord.

+ Connect cord to appliance before plugging into wall.

Don't use extension cords. +Unplug immediately after

+ Clean after each use. + Don't use scouring pads or cleaners on non-stick coating. + Don't put cold water on hot griddles, saucepans or fry pansit may cause warping.

er or keep free of dust.

"Other small appliances quire special-care tactics. The include blenders, can opener coffee makers, toasters and w fle irons."

For blenders-don't overfilla jar, clean by filling with war detergent water and running low speed or by removing

Can openers-with damp clo remove cutter wheel assem and clean occasionally.

Coffee-makers-wash intention thoroughly, use brush for spe Toasters-empty crumb to frequently, never use fork to

lodge particles. Waffle iron-brush grids w pastry brush, they don't requivashing (the brown film he prevent sticking). If sticking a problem, recondition by ering grids with unsalted ve table oil and letting them he

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AS SEEN IN SEVENTEEN

AND

Declines . . . Rice Quota Vote Set . . . One Million At first glance, it might appear that farm prices are 'up, up, and away". Although prices to farmers do show

Compiled From Sources

John C. White, Commissioner

increases, production costs are also rising so the net result is not as rosy for agricultural producers as it could be. Remember, too, income in rural areas is still about a fourth under the rest of the economy

A Weekly Report Of Agri-Business News

Of The Texas Department of Agriculture

Up, up and away? . . . Sheep On Feed

The Texas Crop and Livestock Reporting Service notes that Texas farmers received price increases for almost every commodity recently. Only calves and sheep are above effective parity, however

Calf prices at \$47.40 per hundredweight are \$1.60 per hundred pounds above parity. Sheep at \$12.30 per hundredweight are \$1.20 per hundred pounds above parity. Beef cattle at \$34 are \$4.20 under effective parity. Hogs at \$29.50 are more than \$2 under effective parity.

Crop prices show an even greater parity discrepancy. Cotton at 21.2 cents per pound compared with an effective parity price of 57.20 cents per pound. Grain sorghum at \$2.79 is below effective parity by 65 cents per hundred

Egg prices at 50 cents per dozen are up eight cents from a month ago, but still almost eight cents below parity. The index of all farm products was 20 points above last month and 13 percent above a year ago.

Farm production index prices paid by farmers was up seven percent from a year ago.

A 22 PERCENT decline in sheep on feed is noted in Texas. Drylot sheep feeders with a lot capacity of 2,000 head or more had 90,000 sheep and lambs on feed for slaughter on Jan. 1. This is 22 percent under a month ago, but five percent above the number on feed this time last

Current intentions to market are: January 50,000; February 32,000; and March 8,000. Marketings during December were 58,000 head.

COMMERCIAL slaughtering plants in Texas produced 194,000 pounds of meat during November, which represents a decline of six percent from the previous month, but nine percent above the total produced in 1971. Nationwide, production of red meat was one percent above a year earlier

RICE allotment for Texas for 1973 is 516,132 acres. Nationwide, the rice allotment was increased 10 percent. A referendum will be held among producers Jan. 22 to 26 to determine if marketing quotas will be in effect. Two-thirds or more of the rice growers voting in the referendum must approve the quotas to make them effective.

TEXAS livestock interests will be represented during the annual Mexican National Livestock and Industry Exposition in Mexico City Jan. 20 to 28. More than 1,000,000 visitors are expected to attend the activities.

Texas will have three exhibit spaces at the exposition. A total of 14 breed associations in the state will be represented. The Houston Livestock Show and the San Antonio Livestock Show will also be involved. The Mohair Council of America will be in charge of a display of textiles.

The Texas Department of Agriculture marketing personnel will be in charge of the entire Texas exhibits.

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