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Fifteenth Annual Invitational Rodeo To Be Staged June 21-23



SCS Staff

Field office staff of the Soil Conservation Service—The SCS staffs the Brown-Mills Soil and Water Conservation District in a plan of work. Standing left to right are N. S. Ward, Soil Conservationist; Carl Casbeer, Conservation Technician; Jessie Adams, Secretary; Norvell "Bud" Sathoff, Range Conservationist and Charles Studer, District Conservationist. This week the Goldthwaite Eagle is publishing its annual Soil and Water Conservation Edition and it is hoped this week in the Eagle, the Eagle staff wishes to thank

the local SCS field staff for its splendid cooperation in assembling all the material and pictures that make up the edition. Also special thanks is issued to all the fine advertisers whose messages make the soil conservation possible. It is the hope of the Eagle staff that the message of soil conservation will be reverberated in the hearts and minds of the landowners and operators of the Central Texas area and that our land and other natural resources will be with us and in abundance for generations to come.

White Sox Split Games

The Goldthwaite White Sox team lost their Saturday night game which was played here against Coleman. The score was 3-1. Tommy Hudson was the losing pitcher for the Goldthwaite team. Sunday afternoon the White Sox brought home a 17-11 win over Santa Anna. Johnny Robinson was credited with the

team's win. This weekend the White Sox will play Comanche Merchants here Saturday night at 8 p.m. Sunday the team will see action at Brownwood for a double header against the Brownwood Falcons. Game time will be at 2 p.m. Season record for the team now stands at 2 wins and 3 losses.



Salute The Flag

The Goldthwaite chapter of the Young Homemakers built a big and beautiful full-color crepe-paper flag to be displayed to motorists in downtown Goldth-

waite and it has been drawing quite a lot of attention. It has been reported that numerous passing motorists have stopped

Goldthwaite's fifteenth Annual Invitational Rodeo, which is sponsored by the local FFA Chapter, opens tonight and will be staged Thursday, Friday and Saturday nights, June 21, 22, and 23. Thursday afternoon (today) a big street parade will get underway at 5 o'clock. The parade will begin at the elementary school grounds. All schools invited to participate in the rodeo are urged to have as many horseback riders in the parade as possible.

FFA Advisor and Vocational Agriculture Teacher, Thurman Head, and Jim McCoy, President of the Mills County Rodeo Association, promise three nites of exciting action for rodeo fans. Each night the performance will get underway at 8 p.m. in the FFA Rodeo Arena, north of the elementary school here.

Business firms and civic groups are invited to participate in the parade with floats and other suitable entries, according to announcements made by McCoy and Head. The members of the FFA Chapter will appreciate the support of everyone taking part in order to help make this a successful rodeo.

Events for the three nights of the rodeo include: breakaway roping, calf riding, goat sacking, bull riding, wild horse race, calf roping, barrel races and ribbon roping.

Goldthwaite, host school, has

invited eighteen schools to participate in the annual event. They are Rochelle, Lampasas, Mullin, Richland Springs, Priddy, Star, Bangs, Early, Pottsville, Evant, Comanche, Blanket, Hamilton, Gustine, San Saba, Zephyr, Lometa and Brownwood.

Ribbons will be presented to the first five places each night and trophies will be given to the three top teams. Overall winners in each event will be awarded individual trophies. Boys and girls who are enrolled in the seventh grade and under are eligible for the grade school events.

Contestants entering the high school events must have been enrolled in the 8th-12th grades inclusive during the 1972-73 school year.

Participating schools are encouraged to have as many horseback riders as possible in the parade and in each night's grand entry.

PAST FFA SWEETHEARTS OF GHS TO BE HONORED WITH COKE PARTY

A Coke Party honoring all past sweethearts of the Goldthwaite FFA Chapter will be held Saturday, June 23, 1973, in the Community Room of Mills County State Bank.

All mothers of the Sweethearts are invited to attend the party with their daughters at 3 p.m.

First Baptist Church Mission Trip To Mexico Begins Saturday

On Saturday morning a group from the First Baptist Church will leave for a week of Vacation Bible School and Mission work in Pinar, Mexico. There will be twenty-four making the trip, including both young people and adults. The trip will be to try to help in Mission work started by Texas Baptists along the Rio Grande River.

Jobs for the week will include Vacation Bible School, Painting the Mission, Recreation work, repairs to the Mission building and to have a Revival for the Mexican People of the Village.

This will be a different type of trip than the Baptists have taken in the past and proves to not only be a time for work, but a time of spiritual renewal and fellowship. Leading the trip

will be Rev. Dan Connally, Pastor and Harry Mathews, Minister of Music and Youth.

Others making the trip will be Dale Connally, Kelli and Mike Connally, Jim and Leonda Smith, Allan and Anna Gene Moreland, Becky and Susan, Earl and Ruth Dumas and Randy, Winzell and Beth Page, Mrs. Moses Padilla and Sammy, Yolanda Sapien, Francis Williams, Cindy Rickett, Alisa Browning, Donny Humphries, Bernardo Moraga and Mrs. Adrian Long. The money for the trip has been made by the Young people in car washes and bake sales, also through donations by many of the church members and other members of our community.



Glenda Williams
Physical Education Teacher

Glenda Williams Accepts Teaching Position Here

Miss Glenda G. Williams, a graduate of Azle High School, has been appointed by the Goldthwaite School Board as the new Junior High and High School girls PE teacher and freshman and one section of sophomore English. Miss Williams was a four year letterman in high school basketball and also played basketball while enrolled at Weatherford Jr. College.

She is a graduate of Texas Tech University in Lubbock.

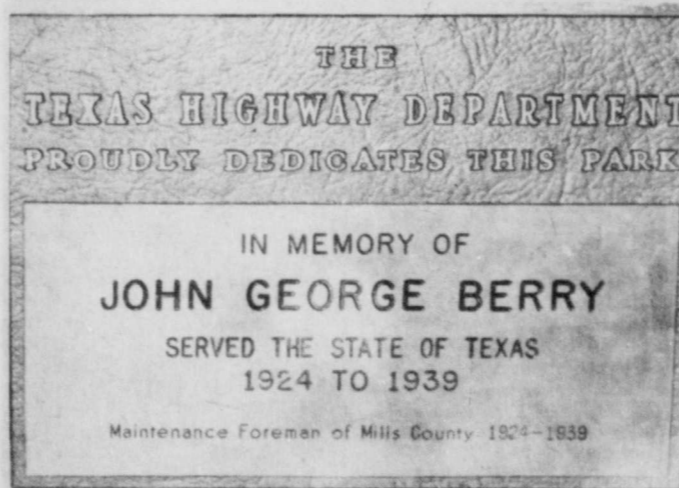


Park Dedication

The widow of John George Berry, top photo, poses for the photographer after the dedication ceremonies of the John George Berry Park here last Thursday morning. Also pictured is Mrs. John Stephens, niece of Mrs. Berry and her two daughters. The ceremony was well attended. The marker, pictured below was placed at the

park in the memory of Mr. Berry, who was the maintenance foreman in Mills County from 1924-1939. The Texas Highway Department has done extensive work to beautify the area, which lies at the intersection of Highways 16 and 183 in Goldthwaite.

— Laughlin Studio Photos



G'waite Lions Club Installs 1973 Officers

Officers for 1973-74 were installed Tuesday night at a Ladies' Night meeting of the Goldthwaite Lions Club.

Installing officer was Harold Yarbrough. Installed as the new president was Gilbert Davis. First, second and third vice-presidents were Tom Cody Graves, Charles Studer and Frank Bridges. Raymond Casbeer was installed as secretary-treasurer and Cleto Martinez was installed as Lion Tamer. Truett Alldredge and Blake English were installed as Tall-twisters.

Directors for 1973-74 were installed. They are: outgoing president Horace Brooks, Walter "Toby" Bryant, W. P. Duren, T. C. Graves, Paul Henderson, and Glynn Raley. Lion Charles Studer was in charge of the program and introduced Dr. Robert Thompson, of Scott and White Hospital of Temple. Dr. Thompson is a blood specialist. He talked about the different factors involved with

blood donating and that it is one of the most important items facing medicine today. The supply of whole blood must be kept up, he said. He commended the citizens of Goldthwaite for their past interest in blood drives

and urged local citizens to keep giving blood as often as possible. Dr. Thompson was accompanied by his wife, who works with the mobile blood units that travel the Central Texas area.

Randy Baker Resigns As Assistant Coach

According to announcement received by the Eagle Office Tuesday, Randy Baker, assistant coach for Goldthwaite Public Schools has resigned. He will be teaching at Lake View High School in San Angelo. His resignation was accepted by the board Monday night. A replacement will be hired in the near future.

Danny Long New County Agent

Mr. Danny Long formerly of Winiers is the new County Agent for Mills County, according to announcement by County Judge, Cecil Egger. Mr. Long, assistant county agent in Marlin, will take over his duties here July 1st. He attended Texas Tech. Lubbock and his family consist of a wife and three children.

Demands Met

Evant Lady Kidnapped Monday Morning

Monday morning around 11:30 a.m. Mrs. Jack Elam, wife of the president of the First National Bank in Evant, was kidnapped from her home in Evant by a young man and woman.

The woman, identified as a resident of Hamilton, is now confined to the Coryell County jail in Gatesville.

At press time the man remains at large. The pair went to Austin by car and the man boarded a bus for points unknown. The woman was later caught by police officers.

The woman allegedly forced Mrs. Elam at gunpoint to leave with them. She was blindfolded and tied and a ransom note was

left attached to the front door of the Elam's residence in Evant. The pair took Mrs. Elam three miles west of Evant and left her on a creek bank and waited for Mr. Elam to answer their demand.

The note told Mr. Elam to leave \$30,000 in the Evant Park for them to pick up. Mr. Elam did not return home so the kidnapers telephoned him at the bank and told him that they had custody of his wife and demanded the money.

Mr. Elam secured the cash and left it in the park as per the demands of the kidnapers. The man and woman, however, did not choose to remain on the scene and left her on the creek bank and proceeded on their way to Austin. They took Mrs. Elam's \$6,000 ring and valuable watch. These two items have not been recovered.

Mills County Sheriff Horace Brooks, Deputy Randal Ratliff and Highway Patrolman Bobby Wilcox assisted in the search.

Key '73 County Religious Survey Set For Sunday

KEY '73 is an effort on the part of churches in North America to call our Continent to Christ. Many of the churches in Mills County are participating in this effort. There are prayer groups meeting on Thursday nights. There is a joint Study of the Gospel of Luke each Sunday night in Star. There will be a Mills County Crusade in the football stadium in Goldthwaite on July 8-13.

A part of this effort is an attempt to place in every home in Mills County a Gospel of Luke and at the same time make a religious survey of the county. At 2:45 p.m. Sunday afternoon several individuals will meet at First Baptist Church to make the survey and distribute the Gospels of Luke. We need help in this effort and invite interested persons to help.

We also want the people of Goldthwaite to know we will be coming to their home this Sunday afternoon to ask about four questions about their religious history, invite them to the Mills County Crusade, and give them a Gospel of Luke.



Jim Wells
New FFA Advisor

Head Resigns; Jim Wells, Jr. Takes Position

According to announcement by Supt. Gilbert Davis, Thurman Head has resigned as Vocational Agricultural Teacher of the Goldthwaite Public Schools, effective July 1, 1973.

Mr. Head has taught 26 years, 14 of which have been in the Goldthwaite Schools. Jim Wells Jr., a graduate of Bronte High School and Tarleton State College, Stephenville, will fill the position left vacant by Mr. Head.

Mr. Wells has been presently teaching in Comfort, Texas, for the past three years. His father has recently purchased a farm seven miles north of here.

He, his wife, Sheila, and their two children, Cody, age four, and Christy, age two, will move to Goldthwaite and begin his duties on July 1st.

The students as well as the administration of Goldthwaite Public Schools regret the loss of Mr. Head as a faculty member but are looking forward to working with Mr. Wells, stated Supt. Davis.

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Waltons Have Recent Get-Together

Families and friends of the Waltons gathered at the Legion Hall Sunday, June 10, 1973. A delicious dinner was served at the noon hour. Afterwards visiting, picture making and dominoes were enjoyed by all.

Present were Mr. and Mrs. Lee Walton of Marble Falls; Mr. Hardy Collier of Goldthwaite; Mrs. Sue Walton, Mrs. Iova Cline of Goldthwaite; R. L. Woolsey, Bill and Othel Dilley and family, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Woolsey and family, Mr. and Mrs. George Woolsey and family, Miss Nancy Smith, Mr. and Mrs. Stephen Price of Austin, Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Schiomen and family, Cedar Park; Mr. Fred Woolsey, Del

Rio; Geneal Whipple, Salt Lake City, Utah; Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Mason, New Orleans, La.; Mr. and Mrs. Freeman Mason, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Vernon and family and Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Mason and family, Grand Prairie. Also Mr. and Mrs. Forest Billingsley and family, Arlington; Mrs. Elizabeth Swindle of Portland, Oregon; Mr. and Mrs. Roy Walton and family, Houston Texas; Mr. and Mrs. Virgil Burns, Abilene; Mr. and Mrs. Emory Walton and family, Eastland; Mr. and Mrs. Glyn Walton, Hurst; Mr. and Mrs. Lealand Davee and family, Abilene; Mr. and Mrs. A. G. Collier, Mrs. Emma Whitlock, Mrs. Opal Henkes, Mrs. Jewel Newton and O'Donnell, Mr. John Denning, L. B. Burnham, Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Collier, Mr. and Mrs. Ray Blackburn, Mr. R. G. Blackburn, Mr. and Mrs. Orville Harris and Mrs. Lydia Walton all of Goldthwaite.

Annual Garden Club Pilgrimage Day

A group of ladies are members of the Goldthwaite Garden Club spent a most enjoyable day Friday viewing gardens for the annual pilgrimage. They drove to Cleburne where they visited the day Lily garden of Mr. and Mrs. Mabry Adams. It was a breath-taking sight to see the many shades, sizes and plantings of the hundreds of day lilies

in their garden. There was every shade of yellow, red and pink that you can imagine. The garden was landscaped with many shrubs, ground cover, a beautiful fountain, groupings of lovely lawn furniture, and many other flowers and ornamental plants. Located in their garden was a small building which housed

a fine observatory and Mr. Adams had a group of interesting slides that he shows to visiting groups. In this building is a guest room and a study and the ladies all signed the guest book there. Music was sounding all over the garden as the tour was in progress, Mr. and Mrs. Adams are hybridizers of daylilies. Another impressive garden was located on the grounds of the Field Street Baptist Church in Cleburne. It was a small area (20 by 50 feet) of graveled landscaping with shrubs planted around the edge for the background of a beautiful fountain built high with native stones. At the foot of the rock garden was placed an open Bible at John 3:16 in marble. It is lighted for a beautiful moonlight effect with the trees and shrubs accented. The garden could be viewed from the inside through a large glass window and from the walk way outside. The assistant pastor, Rev. Jimmie Jones, was the host at this garden.

MRS. J. L. TURNER RETIRES FROM TEACHING

Mrs. J. L. Turner, who spent seven years teaching in Mills County, retired from her teaching career at the close of the 1972-73 school term at Jonesboro last month.

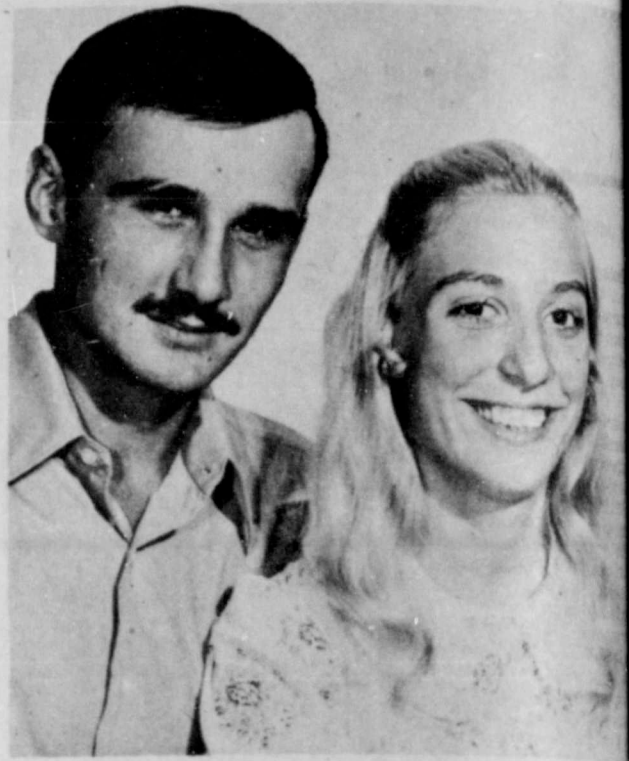
Mrs. Turner, the former Miss Edith Short, was inspired to become a teacher by her seventh grade teacher. She graduated in 1928 from Drasco High School at Winters as valedictorian of her class of 13 students. She attended Tarleton State College and Texas Tech University before beginning her teaching career at Nemo near Glen Rose.

After receiving her bachelor of arts degree in 1936, she taught at Weatherly Ward in Borger for two years.

In 1939 she married J. L. Turner and they bought a small ranch near Mullin. After teaching in the Mills County Schools for seven years, Mrs. Turner and her husband sold their place and bought a ranch near Ireland in 1951.

Among places she has taught are Hurlwood, Clauene, Pettit, and Purlmela.

Mrs. Turner plans to paint, do craft work and learn to fish. She said she had been living with a sportsman for 34 years and had never had time to enjoy outdoor life.



MISS DENISE HUMPHRIES

Humphries, Oxford Engage

Mr. and Mrs. Douglas Humphries of Goldthwaite announce the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter, Denise, to Billy Oxford, son of Mr. and Mrs. W. P. Oxford of

Priddy. The wedding is planned for June 21, 1973, at the First Baptist Church, Goldthwaite.

— Laughlin Studio Photo

Mrs. Ethel Neighbours Rites Conducted June 20

Services for Mrs. Ethel Soules Neighbours of Star, Texas, were conducted Wednesday, June 20, 1973, at 2 p.m. in the Wilkins Funeral Chapel, Goldthwaite.

Survivors include two daughters, Mrs. Wilson (Iva Pearl) Head and Mrs. Carl (Lula Mae) Casbeer both of Star; two granddaughters, Mrs. Ira Kay Grebe of Dallas and Mrs. Sheryl Harper of Star; two sisters, Mrs. Bertha Boykin and Mrs. Pearl Boykin both of Star; one brother, Jim Soules of Star and four great grandchildren.

Funeral services were held at 2 p.m. in the Wilkins Funeral Chapel, Goldthwaite. Burial was in Hurst Ranch Cemetery. Mrs. Neighbours passed away Monday, June 18, 1973, at 4:38 p.m. in the Heritage Home in Goldthwaite at the age of 83 years. She was born in Lampasas County, Texas, on July 31, 1889, to Frank M. Soules and Florence Richardson.

Childress

Clinic & Hospital News Release

TUESDAY, JUNE 12

Admitted — Leon Farr of Lometa; Clifford C. Doggett, Cary Davis Owens, James W. Featherston and Mattie Featherston all of Goldthwaite.

Discharged — Clara Howard.

WEDNESDAY, JUNE 13

Admitted — Mary R. Woody of Goldthwaite.

Discharged — Edith Bailey and Joe P. McGlothlin.

THURSDAY, JUNE 14

Admitted — Henry Gibbard, Caver Brown, Anna Liesa Houk and Baby Girl Houk.

FRIDAY, JUNE 15

Admitted — Mary Faulkner of Goldthwaite.

Discharged — Maria Porraz.

SATURDAY, JUNE 16

Admitted — Kinnie Kemp and Ruth Walker both of Goldthwaite.

SUNDAY, JUNE 17

Admitted — Letrue Sullivan, Effie Kerby, Gracie Alexander and Brenda Jo Ward all of Goldthwaite.

MONDAY, JUNE 18

Admitted — Elizabeth Reese, Martha Barton and Roxie Knight all of Goldthwaite.

Discharged — Cary D. Owens and Benjamin E. Simpson

Senior Citizens News

Thirty-five members were present at the Goldthwaite Senior Citizens luncheon held last week.

Guest at the meeting was the granddaughter of Rev. Tom Mitchell. Brian Oglesby showed slides of his trips to Canada and northern United States.

The next regular meeting of the group was scheduled for June 20.

MULLIN SENIOR CITIZENS

The regular meeting for the Mullin Senior Citizens was held Monday, June 18, with 25 present.

A delicious luncheon was served at the noon hour with Fred Pafford giving the Devotion.

The work period was held in the morning and was a very busy time for culer bags, purses and dolls, all were made.

In the afternoon games were played. There were six grand prizes awarded to the following: Mrs. Lorene Duniap (2), Mrs. Ella Lawson, Mrs. Lula E. Ebridge, Mrs. Pearl Reynolds and Mrs. Ruth Tullos.

Visitors of the day included Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Denson of Early and Mrs. Ella Lawson of Goldthwaite. Also the coordinator, Mrs. Mildred Anderson, was present and Mrs. Alberta Gerald and Mrs. Gladys Cockrum.

The next meeting will be held Monday, July 2, at the Mullin Community Center and the work period will be making paper weights.

Everyone is asked to be present and visitors are always welcome at any of the meetings. Bring a covered dish and join the group.

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THE SITUATION IS DRASTIC

The natural gas fuel for the electric generating plants of our supplier, The Lower Colorado River Authority, has been drastically curtailed by the Coastal States Gas Producing Company as essential to meet current and anticipated electric generating requirements of the Lower Colorado River Authority. There is no indication whether or when the curtailment will be lifted. Fuel oil is being used as a substitute, but this source is also in short supply, and it cannot be delivered in sufficient quantities to solve the natural gas curtailment, even if it is available.

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- ★ Substitute fuel oil is in short supply and deliverability is uncertain
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- ★ Every possible step to solve the problem is being taken

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2. Cut off all air conditioning where possible.
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6. Reduce lighting levels as much as possible; turn off all unused lights.
7. Cut off all outside lighting, short of eliminating security lighting.
8. Cut off all unnecessary electrical appliances, such as second refrigerators, extra television sets, extra radios, etc.
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COME IN AND START SAVING MONEY TODAY!

MORELANDS

Home Appliance Center
South "Y" Goldthwaite

Mullin Community News

MRS. JOHNNIE HOLLAND
Bobby McCormick the son of Vesta McCormick has just returned from a three weeks vacation abroad. He made many trips and Saturday night a party got together and he showed slides of the different places he visited. It was so interesting to see the many beautiful buildings in the different countries; also another very interesting thing was the way they congregate together and build villages on top of high hills. They visit the hill sides and ways. He carried us through Italy, Austria, Switzerland, Italy, Austria, Switzerland. One outstanding thing was how clean and neat everything looked in all the places we visited. Along the highways were no bill boards and no junk cars. He came over from Greenland and brought

us right back to the air port in Houston.
Those who saw the pictures were Mr. and Mrs. Claude Kaylor of Carlsbad, N. M.; Artie Mosier, Noble Mosier, his mother, Vesta, Winona Murray, Charlene Mosier and I. Charlene also showed pictures Sunday night in her home but I was unable to attend. She also visited last summer some of the same places Bobby did.
Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Hillman, Kenneth and Laura of Albuquerque, N. M. have returned home after visiting here with his mother, Mrs. J. L. Hillman. While here they also visited Mr. and Mrs. Willie Wasserman, Mr. and Mrs. Darrell Shelton and Mrs. Warren Clark of Brownwood.
Mr. and Mrs. Claude Kaylor of Carlsbad stopped here for a visit with her mother, Mrs. Fred Mosier, on her return from

Houston where Claude went for a medical check-up with a heart specialist in Houston. He had heart surgery about three years ago, and now he says he can do things that he has never been able to do before.
Sherrod and Charles Cowan of Rankin have been here visiting with their grandmother, Mrs. Lillian Plummer.
Nice crowds have been in attendance each night at the East Side Church of Christ Revival. Minister H. E. Robertson of Springfield, Missouri, and Minister Raymond Stiner of Le Contes Mills, Penn. have been doing the preaching.
Mrs. Green Buchanan from near Caldwell visited here last week with her mother, Mrs. Margaret Toliver. She is the former Amber Toliver.

WHEN THE OLD BIRD WAS YOUNGER

10 Years Ago—

(Taken From The Eagle Files Of June 20, 1963)

Heavy rains covered the entire Mills County area Sunday when from two to over five inches of rain was recorded in various sections.
Mr. and Mrs. H. D. Horton and boys, Mark and Roger, and Mr. and Mrs. M. A. Horton and daughters, Nan, Jan and Cynthia Kay spent Father's Day with Mr. and Mrs. M. F. Horton.
Recent visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Bob Black were Mr. and Mrs. Bobby Huckabee of Fort Worth, Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Williams and Gary of Shive and Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Huckabee. (Star News)

Mr. and Mrs. Dale Henry, Bart and Durk, spent the weekend with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. K. B. Henry. Durk and Bart remained for a longer visit. (Daren News)
Mr. and Mrs. Aaron Stacy of Fort Worth visited Mr. and Mrs. Dan Covington on Father's Day.
David L. Cole of Fort Worth is spending a week's vacation visiting his parents Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Cole and other relatives.

Grace Cooksey Honored With Birthday Party

A wedding shower was held last Saturday at the home of Mrs. Hulon Egger in the Regency Community complimenting the former Sue Rowlett, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Andy Rowlett. (Mullin News)
Charles and Helen Griffin and their three little girls have returned from Japan and have been visiting at the Griffin home. (Ebony News)

25 Years Ago—

(Taken From The Eagle Files Of June 18, 1948)

Dr. C. M. Smith and wife and two children have moved to Goldthwaite and Dr. Smith will open his office in the Mrs. A. T. Pribble residence about July 5 for general practice of medicine here.

The beautiful home of Mr. and Mrs. T. M. Glass was open to the club ladies of Goldthwaite Saturday afternoon, when the Garden Club entertained with a Flower Show and Silver Tea.
On Friday, June 11th, Emory Muehlbrad and Miss Wandalle Hohertz were married in Zion's Lutheran Church at Priddy, by the groom's father, Rev. A. H. Muehlbrad.

Carl Letbetter, owner and operator of Letbetter's Welding Shop here received a mangled hand on Thursday of last week while working at Comanche.

One of the most worthwhile events in Girl Scouting has occurred at Lake Meavritt this week. A Day Camp under the supervision of Mrs. Charley McLean was held for four days.

Mrs. Jim Harris of Elgin and her granddaughter, Miss Lenett Underwood of Houston are visiting in the home of Mrs. Harris' sister, Mrs. D. A. Hamilton and Mr. Hamilton.

Miss Carlene Featherston left Goldthwaite Sunday night for Brownwood where she will spend the summer with her sister, Mrs. R. B. Balentine.

Mrs. Robert Steen and Jane Ann went to San Angelo Tuesday morning to attend the Brucks-Bratton wedding.

Mr. and Mrs. Ted Vance of Goldthwaite visited Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Creek and Jimmie Friday night.

The body of Capt. T. H. McArthur was returned for burial last Wednesday morning. Survivors include his father and stepmother, Mr. and Mrs. Tom McArthur of Caradan.

40 Years Ago—

(Taken From The Eagle Files Of June 30, 1933)

The Amica Class met with Mrs. Swanner Thursday night, June 22, for the purpose of organizing the class. Herman Richards was elected president.

The fair association plans to arrange for a jubilee and race meet at the fair grounds in Goldthwaite some time in August, according to President Toland.

The G. W. Jackson family is enjoying a reunion at the family home in Southern suburbs of the city.

A wedding which created quite a bit of interest among friends was performed last Wednesday evening at 6 o'clock at Mullin, when Johnnie Taylor and Miss Vera Conner were married. Bro. I. A. Dyches performed the ceremony.

M. Y. Stokes, Jr. and his wife and sons returned yesterday from a three-weeks visit to the world's

fair at Chicago and to relatives and friends in St. Louis, Mo., and Ardmore, Okla.
Jesse Moreland spent last week end in Austin, visiting Marlin Ross, who is a student in the University.
Taken from Cort's Dairy Ad, phone 1617F21 — Beginning on July 1st, we will sell milk at the following prices: 1 pint, 3 cents; 1 quart, 6 cents and 1 gallon, 20 cents.
The store and filling station belonging to Will Black at Pompey was completely destroyed by fire at an early hour Friday morning. (Mullin News)

Mrs. J. P. Dellis and daughters, Misses Ola Mae and Catherine, have returned from a visit with relatives in San Saba. (Mullin News)

Miss Laura Nelson has gone to Arlington for a visit and she will go on to the century of progress fair in Chicago.

A large crowd assembled at the court house last Saturday to hear Mr. Weaver explain the cotton reduction plan.

Grace Cooksey Honored With Birthday Party

The children, grandchildren and great grandchildren along with close friends gathered in the home of Jack and June Cooksey to make a surprise birthday party for Mrs. Grace Cooksey of San Saba.

Under the trees in the garden at the home of the Jack Cookseys in Mullin was the setting.

There were flowers, food, a birthday cake, saying "Happy Birthday Muz," as her children call her. Also home made ice cream, gifts and beautiful cards.

Thirty-four guests were present: Mr. and Mrs. Bill M. Cooksey and Bart of Monohans; Mr. and Mrs. Tom Cooksey Jr., Mark and Robbie of San Saba; Miss Debbie Maxcey of Richland Springs; Mr. and Mrs. Max Cooksey, Becky, Jim and Colleen of Irving, (Martha was in Vernon); Mr. and Mrs. Bill C. Cooksey, Billye Kay Terrell, Leslie and Wayland of Odessa, (Eric is in service and Candy was in school); Mr. and Mrs. Larry Slaughter of San Saba; Mr. and Mrs. Tommy Shelton, Shawna, Kim and Kristi of Mullin; Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Robertts, Gina, Curtis and Keith of Deceatur and Mr. Billy Hobbs of Brownwood dropped in to wish Grannie a Happy Birthday.

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Thanks to the citizens of Mullin for their donations of \$179 and the other articles that were given to us.

Special thanks are also offered to Jay Lock, Edith Koen, Mr. and Mrs. M. L. Heath, Janis Harris, Lilla Burnett, Myra D. Holland, Mr. and Mrs. B. L. Sutherland, Mrs. W. A. Heath, Boykin Feed Store, Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Wiedebsch, Mr. and Mrs. Willie Schoen, Mr. and Mrs. Forest Jernigan, Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Spradley, Mr. and Mrs. Victor Wiedebsch and the Goldthwaite Fire Department.

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Him to the ends of the earth. Just before His ascension He gave the great commission to make disciples of all nations. Indeed, in His discourse on the vine He made fruit bearing (witnessing) the test on proof of discipleship... by this shall all men know.

Witnessing, fruit bearing, making disciples is the real function of the Christian. The Christian movement in its greatest periods of growth has moved forward upon the feet of martyrs who thought obedience more important than life itself. In fact the word martyr is the O. T. word for witness... meaning one who had first-hand knowledge of a fact or event. And so it came to pass that those who had first hand knowledge of the risen Christ laid down their lives as a witness to Him. The New Testament Evangelists taught that to win others to faith in Christ was of supreme importance.

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The expected and longed for awakening will not come easily. There must be: (a) a penitence more widespread and thorough; (b) prayer by families and persons that will cause personal inventories and lead to sacrifice; (c) a sense of urgency of the utmost importance for confronting friends and loved ones with the truth of putting God first in life; (d) a genuine expectancy... must look for and expect a spiritual awakening, sinners saved and Christian fellowship in Mills County a greater reality. Expectancy grows out of much work done. There can be no crop without faithful cultivation.

To be confronted by Christ means that everything is at stake and a decision is demanded. Therefore those who witness must themselves have first-hand knowledge of Christ and be able to witness with understanding, love, clarity and vitality.

Key 73 is a challenge and an opportunity to arrange calendars, engage in work to be done, and to pray earnestly and expectantly that Mills County may experience a refreshing and renewing visitation of New Testament Evangelism.

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Dance June 23
There will be a dance in the UB Saturday Night, June 23, from 8 until 12 p.m. The dance will be held in the gymnasium. "Leather" will play. They will have a good band, and all the young people in the county and surrounding area are invited to dance.
An invitation is extended to all college students who are home. The dance will be chaperoned by the UB Summer Calendar for the regular events is as follows:
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Mrs. Harris**

Final rites for Mrs. Lucile Jackson Harris of Lometa were conducted Thursday, June 14, 1973, at 2:30 p.m. in the Wilkins Funeral Chapel. Interment was in the Goldthwaite Memorial Cemetery. Wilkins Funeral Home was in charge of arrangements.

Mrs. Harris, a member of the First Baptist Church, Lometa, passed away Tuesday, June 12, 1973, at 9:15 p.m. in the San Saba Memorial Hospital in San Saba.

Born August 27, 1904, in Nolanville, Texas, she was the daughter of Ernest Hambrick and Dolly Kensey Hambrick.

She was married to Herbert R. Jackson on December 3, 1921, at Killeen. He died December 31, 1961.

On May 3, 1969, she was married to Robert T. Harris at Junction.

Pallbearers were Ray Duren, Fields Hines, Carroll Dooley, O. C. Laceywell, Ernest Oakley, Ran Davis and B. W. Brown.

She is survived by her husband, Robert T. Harris of Lometa; one son, Jerry Jackson of Belton; one daughter, Mrs. R. S. (Katherine) Safley of Junction; seven grandchildren; six great grandchildren; two brothers, E. B. Hambrick of Ducan, Arizona and Ernest K. Hambrick of Austin and one sister, Mrs. C. H. (Mable) Jackson of Las Cruces, New Mexico.

**Rites For Miss
Auguste Noack
Held June 17**

Funeral services for Miss Auguste Selma Noack of San Angelo were conducted by Wilkins Funeral Home Sunday, June 17, 1973, at 4 p.m. in the Wilkins Funeral Chapel. Interment was in the St. John's Cemetery.

Miss Noack passed away Friday, June 15, 1973, at 2:15 p.m. in the Baptist Memorial Hospital in San Angelo.

Miss Noack, a member of the Lutheran Church, was born Sept. 25, 1892, in Fayette County to Ernest F. Noack and Clementine Tiener Noack.

She moved to Houston in 1908 where she made her home until she moved to Comanche where she stayed until 1966. She has been a resident of San Angelo since that time.

She is preceded in death by her parents and two brothers, Charles and Will.

Pallbearers were Paul Carl Ising, Edwin Knipstien, J. C. Noack, Alfred Noack, Vernon Jeschke and Rude Sommerfeld.

Survivors include two sisters, Mrs. W. H. Tiemann of Hamilton and Mrs. Helen Niemann of San Angelo and one brother, Paul Noack of Indian Gap.

Market Report

Lometa Commission Co.

Lometa, Texas

BUD HARRELL, Owner

June 15, 1973

RECEIPTS: 1050

Light Weight Steer Calves, 66.00-89.00; Medium Weight Steer Calves, 62.00-70.00; Heavy Wt. Steer Calves, 52.50-56.00.

Light Weight Heifer Calves, 54.00-70.00; Medium Weight Heifer Calves, 50.00-57.00; Heavy Weight Heifer Calves, 46.00-55.00.

Feeder Heifers - 48.00-52.00
Feeder Steers - 51.50-57.50
Heiferettes - 32.00-41.00
Stocker Cows - 33.00-36.50
Cows and Calves - 300.00-475.00
Bull Calves - 54.00-64.50
Bull Yearling - 46.00-54.50
Packer Bulls - 35.80-40.80
Packer Cows - 26.50-34.00

Choice light weight steer and heifer calves were fully steady to \$2 higher. Medium weight steer and heifer calves were steady to \$1 higher. Heavy wt. steer and heifer calves were fully steady. Yearling weight cattle were \$1 higher. Cows and calves were steady. Packer bulls were steady to 50c lower. Packer cows were fully steady to 50c higher.

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Goldthwaite, Texas, Thursday, June 21, 1973



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June 21, 22, & 23



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Events Include

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- Bull Riding
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Riddy Senic
Citizens Org
rogram

On Thursday, June 14, the Senior Citizens Club held a luncheon in the Fellowship Hall of the church in Priddy to honor the members of the program under the Senior Citizens and Services program. A covered dish luncheon was served at the noon hour and group singing followed before lunch.

After lunch Mrs. M. Anderson, coordinator of the program, spoke concerning the program and its purposes. The program is a volunteer program. Mrs. Anderson from Goldthwaite mentioned the group about volunteer officers were selected for the program under the Senior Citizens and Services program. Schuster was selected as the coordinator.

Each Thursday evening a program is selected as the monthly program. A luncheon will be served.

Mrs. Anderson brought craft work that she had made in the Hamilton School and it was suggested that the next meeting evening be a craft work of any kind to be displayed.

We invite all Senior Citizens to come to the luncheon and enjoy the fellowship of their neighbors and friends.

There will be a dominion day program and has been very successful in getting this program in Priddy.

Buyer's Cattle

WOOD, LEADS
MAY, Owner
13, 1973

MARKET: Buyer's Cattle steady to 50c higher. Steer calves steady to 50c higher. Heifer calves and steers steady to 50c higher. Feeder calves and steers steady. Plain feeder calves steady. Good cows a \$1.00 per pair higher than about steady.

ESTIMATED RECEIPTS

Stocker Steer Calves - 350-425-lbs. - 58
Stocker Heifer Calves - 250-425-lbs. - 48
Stocker Yearlings - 400-700-lbs. - 41
Bull Yearlings - 41
Heifer Yearlings - 41
Plain Feeder Steers - 41
Plain Feeder Heifers - 41
Cows and Calves - 425.
Plain - 360.
Stocker Cows - 31
Bulls or 225.00-375.00

LAUGHTER CATTLE:

Pat Calves - 44
Pat Cows - 25
Utility and Cutter - 21
Canners - 25
Shells - 20
Stocker Bulls - 37
Slaughter Bulls - 34
Bugs (top) -

REPRESENTATIVE SALES:

Travis Holleman, Br
40-lb. Char. Bull
Ernest Pallette, Ri
40-lb. Char. Bull
Bert Wright, Zephyr,
40-lb. Blk. Str.
R. E. Gist, Zephyr,
40-lb. Blk. Wt. Bull
Homer Norris, Cros
33 lb. Wt. Pair
Ernest McBride, Br
40-lb. Wt. Str.
A. L. Buchannon, Ri
40-lb. Wt. Str.
Harold Limmer, Com
40-lb. heifers averag
200-lbs.
Clude Bunnell, Brown
40-lb. Wt. Str.
A. L. Fabis, Brownwo
40-lb. Blk. Wt. Str.
L. E. Smith, Rochelle,
40-lb. Blk. Wt. Hfr.
Lee Bros., Comanche
40-lb. Wt. Cow

We sold 943 cattle for amount of \$221,587 average of \$234.98 per head commission and total together was \$221,587. At 3 per cent commission would have been \$6,647.55. You could have had on every one you bought. Cattle Auctioneers volume of cattle buyers, more buyers more bids and more of our cattle. Try us!

Priddy Senior Citizens Organize Program

On Thursday, June 14, thirty Senior Citizens met in the Fellowship Hall of the Lutheran Church in Priddy to organize a program under the Senior Opportunities and Services (SOS). A covered dish luncheon was held at the noon hour. They enjoyed group singing and visiting before lunch.

After lunch Mrs. Mildred Anderson, coordinator for the program, spoke concerning the services and purposes of the program. The program will be run by volunteers. Mrs. Cornelia Martin from Goldthwaite talked to the group about volunteerism and officers were selected to get the program underway. Mrs. Schuster was selected as director.

Each Thursday of every month will be selected as the meeting time for this program. A covered dish luncheon will be served each week.

Mrs. Anderson brought a display of craft work that had been done in the Hamilton Senior Center and it was suggested that at the next meeting everyone who has craft work of any kind bring something to be displayed or exchanged patterns.

We invite all Senior Citizens, any one interested in the program, to come to the next meeting and enjoy the fellowship of our neighbors and friends.

There will be dominoes for all. Mrs. Mild was present at the meeting and has been very instrumental in getting this program started in Priddy.

Brownwood Cattle Auction

Brownwood, Texas
WINE MAY, Owner
June 12, 1973

MARKET: Buyer attendance was normal. Slaughter bulls steady to 50¢ higher. Stocker cows steady to 50¢ higher. Heifer and feeder steers and heifer calves and yearlings steady. Plain kinds some lower. Good cows and calves \$1.00 per pair higher. Stocker cows about steady.

ESTIMATED RECEIPTS: 943
Stocker Steer Calves, 250-425-lbs. — 58.00-84.50
Stocker Heifer Calves, 250-425-lbs. — 48.00-66.50
Stocker Yearlings, 500-700-lbs. — 48.50-56.00
Heifer Yearlings — 47.50-54.50
Plain Feeder Steers — 48.00-53.00
Plain Feeder Heifers — 44.00-48.00

Cows and Calves — Pairs:
Good — 425.00-500.00
Plain — 360.00-435.00
Stocker Cows — 32.50-35.00
per lb. or 225.00-375.00 per hd.

SLAUGHTER CATTLE:
Fat Calves — 44.00-47.50
Fat Cows — 29.00-34.00
Utility and Cutter Cows — 29.75-33.00
Canners — 25.50-29.00
Shells — 20.00-25.00
Stocker Bulls — 37.75-45.00
Slaughter Bulls — 34.25-41.25
Rags (top) — 32.50

REPRESENTATIVE SALES:
Travis Holleman, Brownwood, 41.25
Ernest Pallette, Rising Star, 43.00
Burt Wright, Zephyr, 57.50
H. F. Gist, Zephyr, 70.00
Homer Norris, Cross Plains, 500.00
Ernest McBride, Brownwood, 71.50
A. L. Buchannon, Rising Star, 51.50
Harold Limmer, Comanche, 78.00
Clay Bunnell, Brownwood, 82.00
A. L. Fabis, Brownwood, 84.00
E. E. Smith, Rochelle, 42.00
Lae Bros., Comanche, 36.50

We sold 943 cattle for the total amount of \$221,587.47, an average of \$234.98 per animal. Our commission and yardage added together was \$3526.53. This was an average of \$3.73 per hd. At 3 per cent the commission would have been \$7.05 per hd. You could have saved \$3.32 on every one you sold at Brownwood Cattle Auction today. Our volume of cattle attracts more buyers, more buyers means more bids and more dollars for your cattle. Try us!

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Patties LB. 99¢

Crackers ZESTA SALTINE LB. 39¢

Tissue GOOD VALUE TOILET 10 ROLL PACK 79¢

Pears GOOD VALUE 2 303 CANS 65¢

Dressing KRAFT LIQUID ITALIAN OR CATALINA 39¢

Marshmallows KRAFT REG. 16 OZ. BAG 29¢

Drinks SHASTA DIET OR CANNED REG. 5 12 OZ. CANS 49¢

Tomato Sauce LIBBY'S 2 FOR 29¢

Tomatoes GOOD VALUE 4 303 CANS \$1

Corn KOUNTY WHOLE KIST KERNEL 5 12 OZ. CANS \$1

Catsup HUNT'S 20 OZ. BTL. 43¢

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Cheese
LB. BOX 69¢



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GIANT SIZE 79¢



SKIPPY

Peanut Butter 18 OZ. JAR 69¢

GOOD VALUE

Mayonnaise QUART JAR 59¢

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Banquet Cream Pies
CHOCOLATE, COCONUT LEMON AND BANANA 14 OZ. EACH 29¢

Orange Juice TV 12 OZ. CAN 39¢

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Pork & Beans GOOD VALUE 6 300 CAN \$1

Green Beans LIBBY'S CUT 303 CAN 29¢

Quality Produce

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Cucumbers LB. 23¢

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There will be a stated meeting of Goldthwaite Lodge No. 694, A.F. & A.M., Thursday, June 21, 7:00 p.m. All Masons Cordially Invited Harvey G. Parker, W. M. Eugene L. Dyes, Sr., Sec'y

Area Sustains Wind Damage

Strong winds were reported in all sections of the county Saturday night. A chicken house was over turned and a water tower moved approximately half a block on the old Rollie Collier place at Mullin. It was also reported that three buildings were moved on the Johnson Turkey Farm.



PHIL DUREN
... Honored In Waco
Waco Jaycees Install Duren

Phil Duren, son of Mr. and Mrs. W. P. Duren of Goldthwaite, was recently installed as the 1973 state director of the Waco Jaycees. Phil was installed along with the other officers of the organization at the forty-fifth annual banquet in the Holiday Inn West recently. Phil, along with four other members of the Waco Jaycees, has been selected for inclusion in the 1972 edition of "Outstanding Young Men of America." Nominated earlier by the local chapter, they were chosen in recognition of their professional and community leadership.



MISS CATHEY LANGPAAL

Engagement Announced

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Langpaal of Orlando, Florida, announce the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter, Cathey, to Robert David Lane of Panama City, Florida, son of Mrs. Jesse Turpin of North Bend, Washington and Mr. Frank Lane of Roxburg, N. C. The wedding is planned for Saturday, June 30, 1973. The bride to be is a '73 graduate from State University of Tallahassee, Florida. Her fiancé was graduate from the University in '72. Miss Langpaal is the granddaughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Cathey of Mt. Olive Community.

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MRS. JAMES BRACHT
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Betty Blair, James Bracht Exchange Vows June 9th

Miss Betty Carol Blair, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Blair of Lampasas, became the bride of James Bracht, son of Mr. R. D. Bracht of Houston, on Saturday morning, June 9, at the First Presbyterian Church. The bride is the granddaughter of Mrs. Henry Hudson of Goldthwaite. The Rev. John A. Lewis read the marriage vows. Music was provided by Mrs. Kline Whitis. Given in marriage by her father, the bride was attended by her sister, Miss Mary Louise Blair. Best man was J. C. Mosley of Houston. Seating guests were Tom Hairgroves of Bryan and Dr. Scott Sargent of Fort Worth. For her wedding the bride chose an Empire lace and silk organza gown designed with a high neckline and mutton sleeves. An embroidered cap held her floor length veil of illusion which was edged in lace. She carried a bouquet of white daisies framed in baby's breath and sprigged. She wore the traditional blue garter and a lucky six pence in her shoe. Her maid of honor was attired in a light yellow gown trimmed in antique lace and carried a bouquet of yellow daisies. The mother of the bride wore an aqua blue silk linen dress with a corsage of white gladioli. After the ceremony, a reception was held at the Fellowship Hall of the Church. The bride's table was laid with a cut-work cloth and centered with an arrangement of yellow and white daisies flanked by silver candelabra holding white tapers. The three tiered wedding cake was decorated with yellow flowers. Pineapple punch was served from a silver punch bowl. The groom's table was covered with a natural linen cloth decorated with smilax entwined with bronze flowers and centered with a brass candelabra holding

honey-gold candles. The chocolate cake was decorated with fruit. Coffee was served from a silver service. Members of the house party included Elizabeth Ann Hairgroves of Bryan, Cindy Razner of Austin, Brenda Mosley of Houston, Margaret Sargent of Ft. Worth and Mrs. V. A. Hudson of Goldthwaite, aunt of the bride. After a wedding trip to South Texas the couple will make their home in Houston. Pre-nuptial parties for the bride included a rice bag party given by Mrs. T. J. Casbeer and Mrs. Johnny Cockburn at the Cockburn Ranch and a luncheon given by Mrs. J. H. Rhoden at her home in Burnet. A miscellaneous shower hosted by the United Presbyterian Women was held at the home of Mrs. J. C. Ewing. The bride will be remembered by her many friends here as her father was owner and operator of the Piggly Wiggly store in Goldthwaite.

Little League Play Continues

Saylor continues to hold the league in the county little league. Thursday game between Saylor and Bank resulted in a 10-0 upset for the bank. Mullin defeated Boykin by a 13 to 3 score the same night. In Monday nights double headed Mullin fell to Priddy 18 to 5 and Boykin fell to Bank with 13 to 11.

STANDINGS	TEAMS	WINS	LOSSES
	Saylor	4	0
	Priddy	3	1
	Bank	2	2
	Mullin	1	3
	Boykin	0	4

Start-of Summer

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Social Security Agent Here Today
Anyone having questions about any phase of the Social Security program should contact the agent from Brownwood, Thursday, June 21, (today). He will be at the Commissioners' Room in the Courthouse at 10 a.m.

Huffman Reunion Sunday
The Huffman Reunion will be held Sunday, June 24th, at the home of Will and Lula Mae Horton. All relatives and friends are invited to attend.

Singing
The regular fourth Sunday singing at the Center City Baptist Church will be held Sunday, June 24, 2 until 4 p.m. Everyone is invited to attend.

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\$345,870 In Loans Made To Mills Residents In 1973

Loans for the amount of \$345,870 have been made to rural residents of Mills County in the first six months of the 1973 fiscal year. This was announced by Harold D. Kennedy, County Supervisor of Brown and Mills Counties for the Farmers Home Administration, an agency of the United States Department of Agriculture.

\$205,910.00 of these loans were

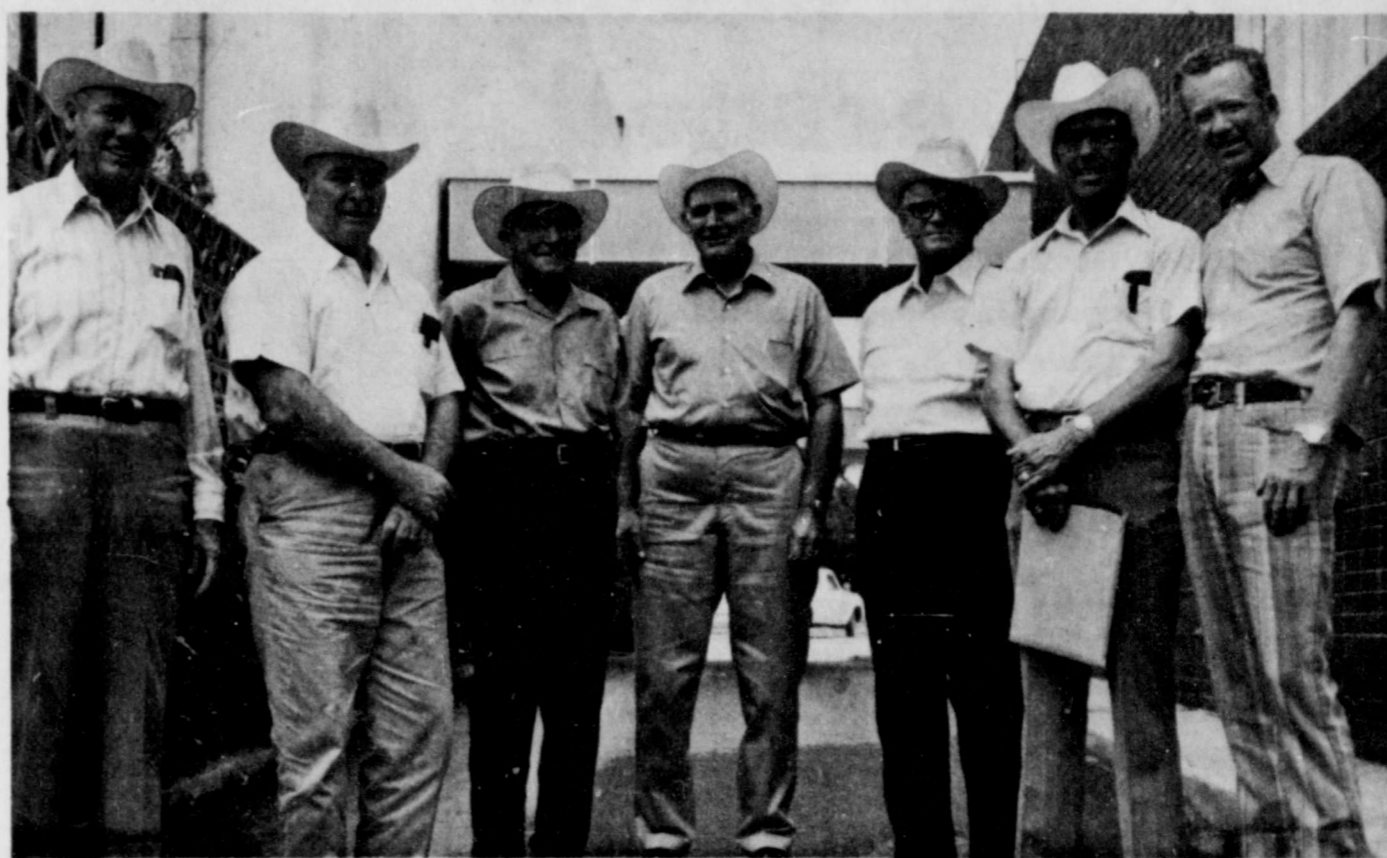
emergency loans made to farmers and ranchers of Mills County to enable them to continue their operations for the 1973 crop year. These loans could not have come at a more opportune time because of the rising cost of feed, fertilizer and other essential operating expenses, and the losses resulting from severe weather conditions that have occurred in recent

years in this area.

Farmers Home Administration has 20 major loan programs in which all of them are specifically designed to help carry out a national growth policy to develop the resources of rural areas, provide new employment and business opportunities, enhance rural environment, and upgrade the standard of living for all the people who wish to

live in the rural areas.

Loan programs are intended to help people handicapped by limited capital and income to improve his earning power and his standard of living. These loans are intended for rural people who are unable to obtain credit elsewhere to finance their actual needs, at rates and terms they can reasonably be expected to pay.



Soil Conservation District Directors

The Brown-Mills Soil and Water Conservation District Board meets once a month to carry on the Districts Plan of Work.

Members of the Bennett Creek Water Control and Improvement District meet with them to discuss progress of flood control

programs on Bennett Creek. Those attending are (left to right) Walter Tubbs, Arnold Head, Sherwood Owens, W. G. Bishop, Hu-

bert Meyer, O. B. Byrd and Kenneth Boyd.

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The Great Plains Conservation Program continues to be a popular program in the Mills portion of the Brown-Mills Soil and Water Conservation District. Ninety-two Mills County farmers and ranchers have made application for participation in the program. As of this date contracts have been signed on 21 operating units.

Producers participating in the GPCP are Eric D. Roberson, Perry Day, Floyd Daniel, Hubert Reeves, J. A. Cawyer, Dale Reid, Kenneth Wesson, Maxwell Kirkpatrick, Hubert Meyers, O. L. Harris, Aubrey Muse, Wilson Head, Glynn Collier, Wyverne Platt, G. L. Kemp, Jimmy Wigley, J. S. Owens, Bobby Baird, Thurman Head, Arthur Gromatzky and Don Geeslin.

The GPCP was authorized by Public Law 1021 passed by the 84th Congress to minimize climate and economic hazards. Under this program cropping and grazing systems and enduring soil and water conservation practices are applied to bring greater stability to operating units in the area.

Priority of assistance under the program is made according to wind and water erosion problems.

PLANT SUCCESSION IS IMPORTANT TO RANGE

One of the most important basic principles of range management is plant succession.

This is the replacement of one or a group of associated plants by other plants.

For instance, seep mulky and hairy grama, which are often found on hillsides, will be replaced by little bluestem, side oats grama and tall grama when good grazing management is practiced.

Growing Concern About Growing

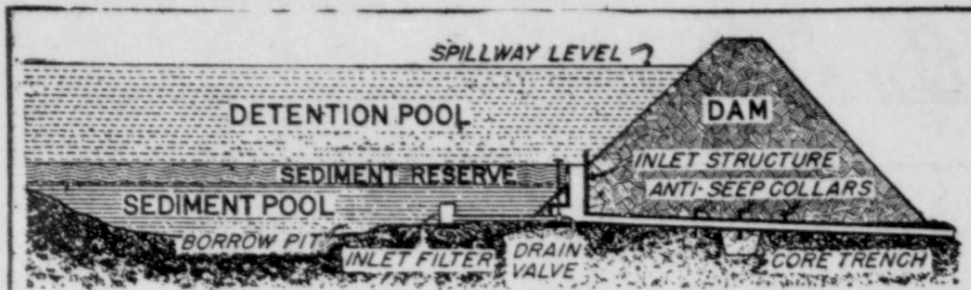


Soil depletion is everyone's concern . . . because soil depletion not only endangers personal prosperity, but community growth as well. We heartily endorse the practices of all Professional Agricultural Agencies.

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Mills County Coastal Totals 20,000 Acres

Coastal bermudagrass has become very popular in Mills County - about 20,000 acres have been planted. Some plantings have resulted in unbelievable amounts of grazing, but others are producing very little. The difference is management in most cases. The first step is to prepare a clean firm seedbed, plant healthy sprigs at the right time,

control weeds and grass by spraying or shredding and protect from grazing until the grass is established.

Once your grass is established there are some important points to consider before opening the gate.

The first point is that coastal is a fast growing grass - it will complete its growth cycle in

about 30 days. Since it grows fast it uses lots of fertilizer - a ton of good coastal will have about 30 pounds of nitrogen and 10 pounds of phosphorus. Coastal will take about 120 pounds of nitrogen and 40 pounds of phosphorus off an acre each year - at least this much should be replaced.

Another point to consider is that the food stored in the roots produces the new leaves in the spring. Since the growth process takes place in the leaves grazing should be delayed until it reaches 8 - 10 inches in height. Then graze it no shorter than 6 inches during the growing season.

The method of harvest is important if high production is desired. Since coastal has a 30 day growth cycle the ideal harvest would be to rest it 21 days and graze it 7. This would take four pastures. Other rotations would use two pastures to rest 14 days and graze 14 days or three pastures to graze 10 days and rest 20 days.

If you would like more information on management of coastal bermuda or other pasture or range grasses the personnel at the Soil Conservation Service office are ready to help.



Prior to planting and two to three times each year the bermudagrass is fertilized with a spreader like this. Here Carey

Owens, Bill Bishop and Hubert Meyer discuss the spreader. SCS Photo



After seedbed was prepared a sprigging machine such as this was used to sprig bermudagrass.

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This is another way to prepare seedbed. Here a big ox chiesel is used followed by farm dem.



Thurman Head prepares seedbed on his ranch south of Goldthwaite with this chiesel. Chieseling operation was followed by tandem culti-packer sprigged to coastal bermudagrass. 200 lbs. of 15-20-0 was applied prior to last planting. SCS Photo



Contractor tree dozes brush on the Glynn Collier Ranch north-east of Goldthwaite. Collier will follow-up with highway tandem and farm tandem prior to sprigging to coastal bermudagrass. SCS Photo

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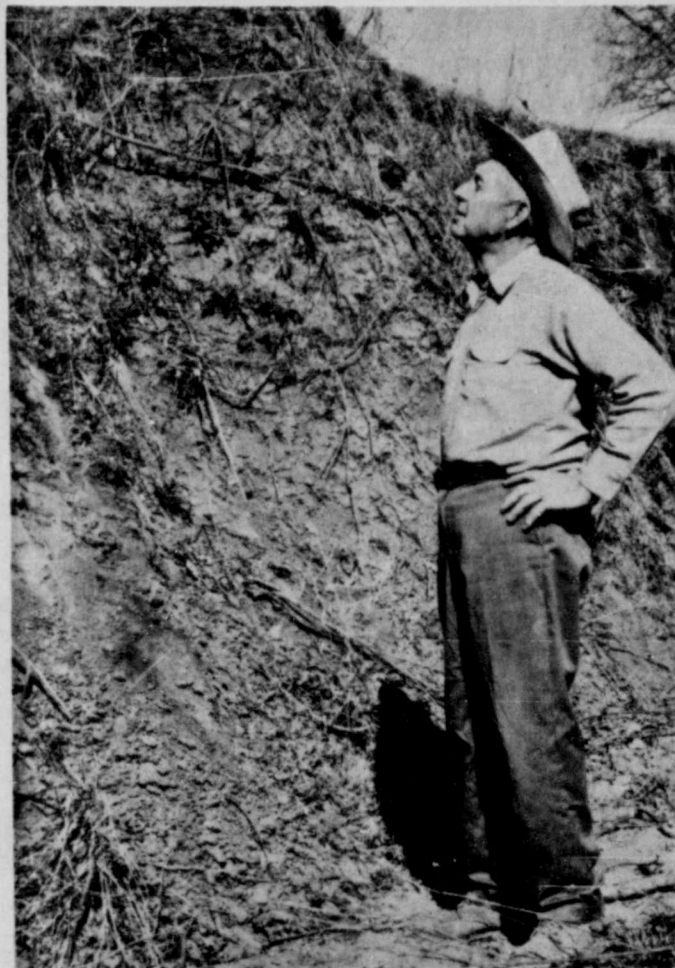
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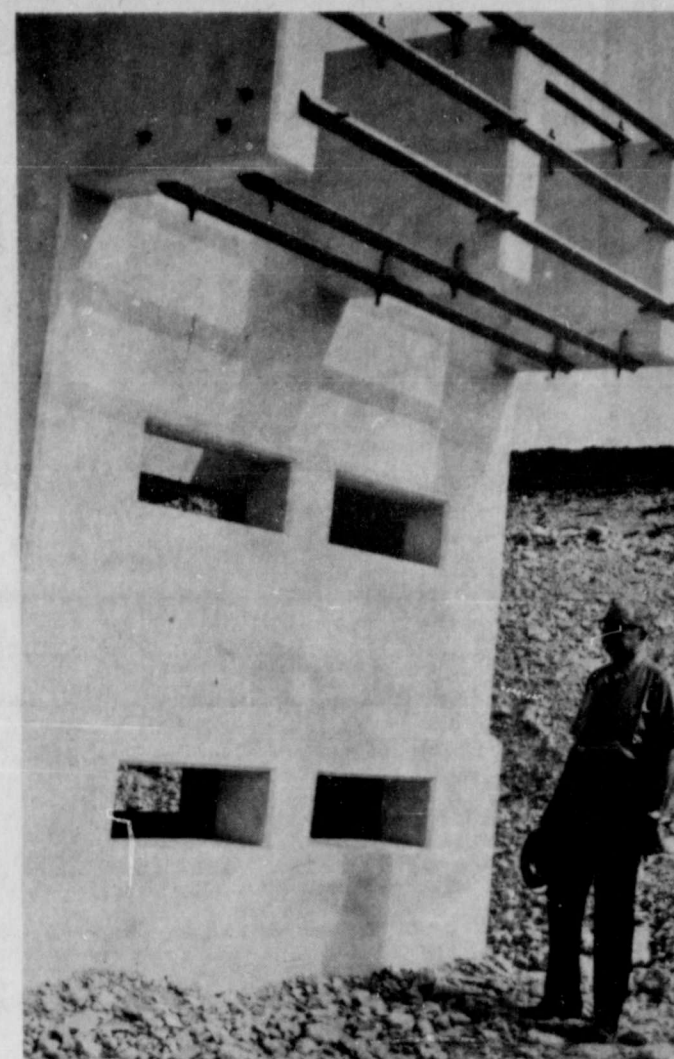
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Bill Bishop, Howard Campbell, Hubert Meyer, Sherwood Owens, Ray Hollums and G. L. Kemp discussed kleingrass seeded previous spring. This picture was taken the first week in October 1972. Kleingrass continues to be a popular grass in the Brown-Mills Soil and Water Conservation District. — SCS Photo



Hubert Reeves examines critical area adjacent to Colorado River. Severe erosion was taking place as water concentrated at this point. This critical area is on Reeve's Ranch located 21 miles west of Goldthwaite. — SCS Photo



Warren Duren observes draw down tube on Site 2 Bennett Creek. Bros. of Athens, Texas, are the contractors. SCS employee, Clayton Anglin and Eugene Williams have been inspecting the construction work on Site 1 and 2, Bennett Creek.

Remember The Time?

Yes, there was a time, about the time when the telephone first made its appearance as a vital link between town and country, a farmer or rancher could move on to new ground when his acreage slowed down in production. The need for protecting and conserving the soil was given little thought in those days.



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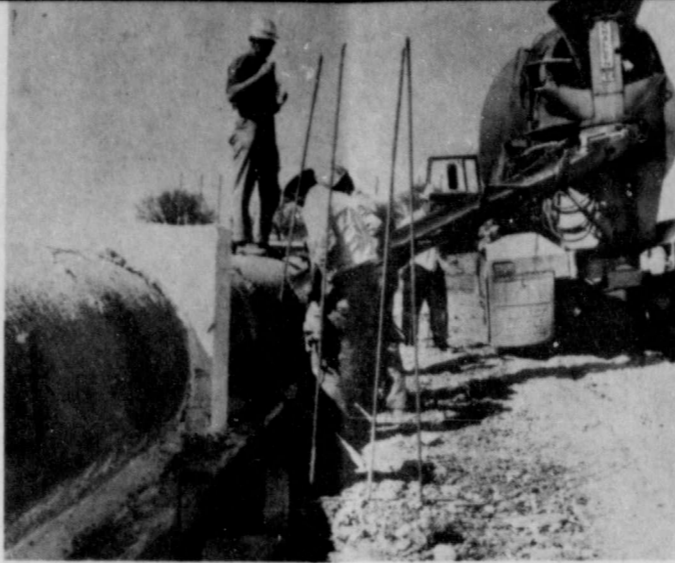
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Bob Alford, SCS Inspector, examines concrete pipe installed on Site 5A, Brown-Mullin Creek, located on the Walter Weatherby Ranch eight miles north of Goldthwaite. Picture shows pipe being

secured to footing. This pipe is part of the principal spillway and extends through the earthen dam.



J. S. Owens who ranches at Center City is rather proud of his TAM Wintergreen hardinggrass. On the left (Photo No. 1) Sherwood evaluates two year old stand that has provided consi-

derable quantity and quality grazing, especially from about the 1st of March to April the 15. On right (Photo No. 2) Sherwood watches a calf grazing the hardinggrass. Wintergreen harding-

grass met with some disaster the past couple of years due to dry springs and hard spell in January of 1972. However, several pastures made and the stockmen are pleased with the results. It has generally done well this spring and it was fertilized and weeded.

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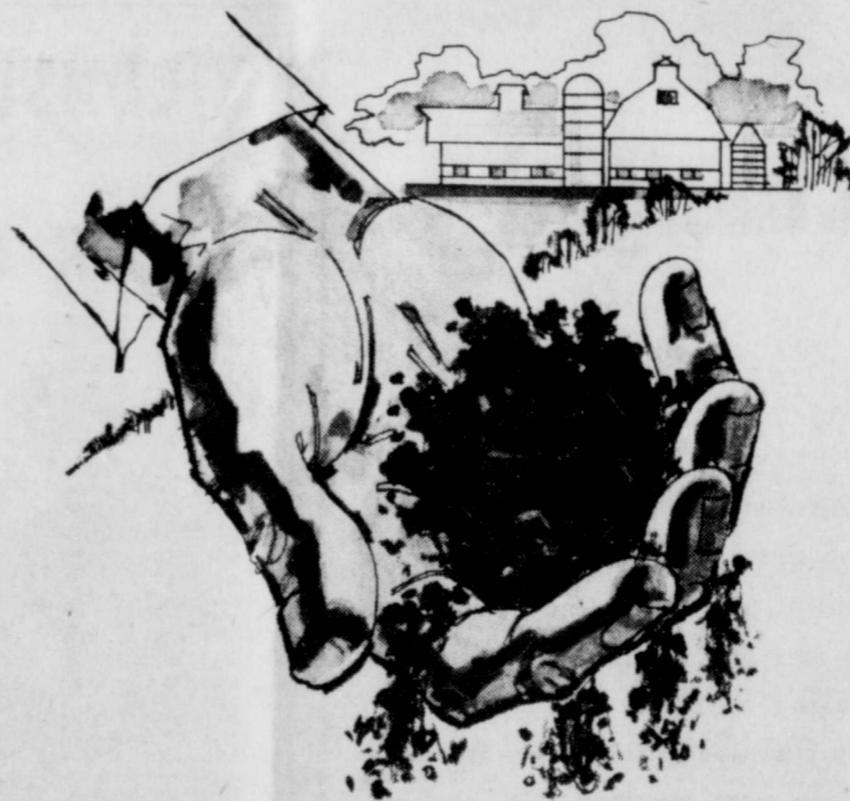
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U.S. Approval Needed To En- RC&D Project

Charles Studer, district conservationist with the Soil Conservation Service has announced the final application for the Central Texas Resource Conservation and Development Project Area has been forwarded to Arlington, D. C. and is presently in the office of the U.S. Department of Agriculture, awaiting final approval by the project officials.

This RCD program was initiated for a six county area a meeting in Killen in 1972. Civic leaders, Soil Water Conservation District directors, Central Texas COG representatives from Bell, Lam, Coryell, Hamilton and Comities met to discuss the possibility and feasibility of a project area.

San Saba County later joined the proposed project. All counties presently comprise Central Texas RCD Project and are included in the Central Texas COG.

Representatives of the project area met at Killen in February 1973 to organize an executive council, adopt the constitution and by-laws, and prove the draft application was then sent to various and Federal agencies for review and comment. The final of the application was sent to the Governor's office for approval in April 1973. The completed application was submitted to the Soil Conservation Service on May 8, 1973.

Studer stated it is not known what length of time might be required before further word will be received on this application. He stressed the fact that local people will need to continue to collect data on proposed projects while waiting for final approval on funding.

The proper groundwork make a great difference in final project, as soon as approval is granted in Washington he said.

"The purpose of an RCD project is to assist people in the care of their natural resources and improving community economy. The main concept of a program is to allow people to work together for a better community, and to improve economical and social conditions. Team work between local organizations is the key to this project. Participating be cities, counties, private organizations and individuals."

The program was authorized by the Department of Agriculture through the Food and Culture Act of 1962, and locally developed, initiated, and directed. Each project has its own locally developed goal. The SCS has a partnership in the USDA program.

The Executive Council selected to direct the project of the RCD Project area is composed of one member representing each county in the area and one member representing the Central Texas COG. Representatives from County are W. R. Lindsey, Hubert Meyer, Gilbert Kretzschmar, Little River-San Gabriel is the Executive Council Chairman, George Jaegler, of County is Vice-Chairman and G. Welch of the Central Texas SWCD is Secretary.

If you are planning on a seeding program, contact local field office of the Soil Conservation Service first, to obtain the needed soils information and information on the local adapted grasses.

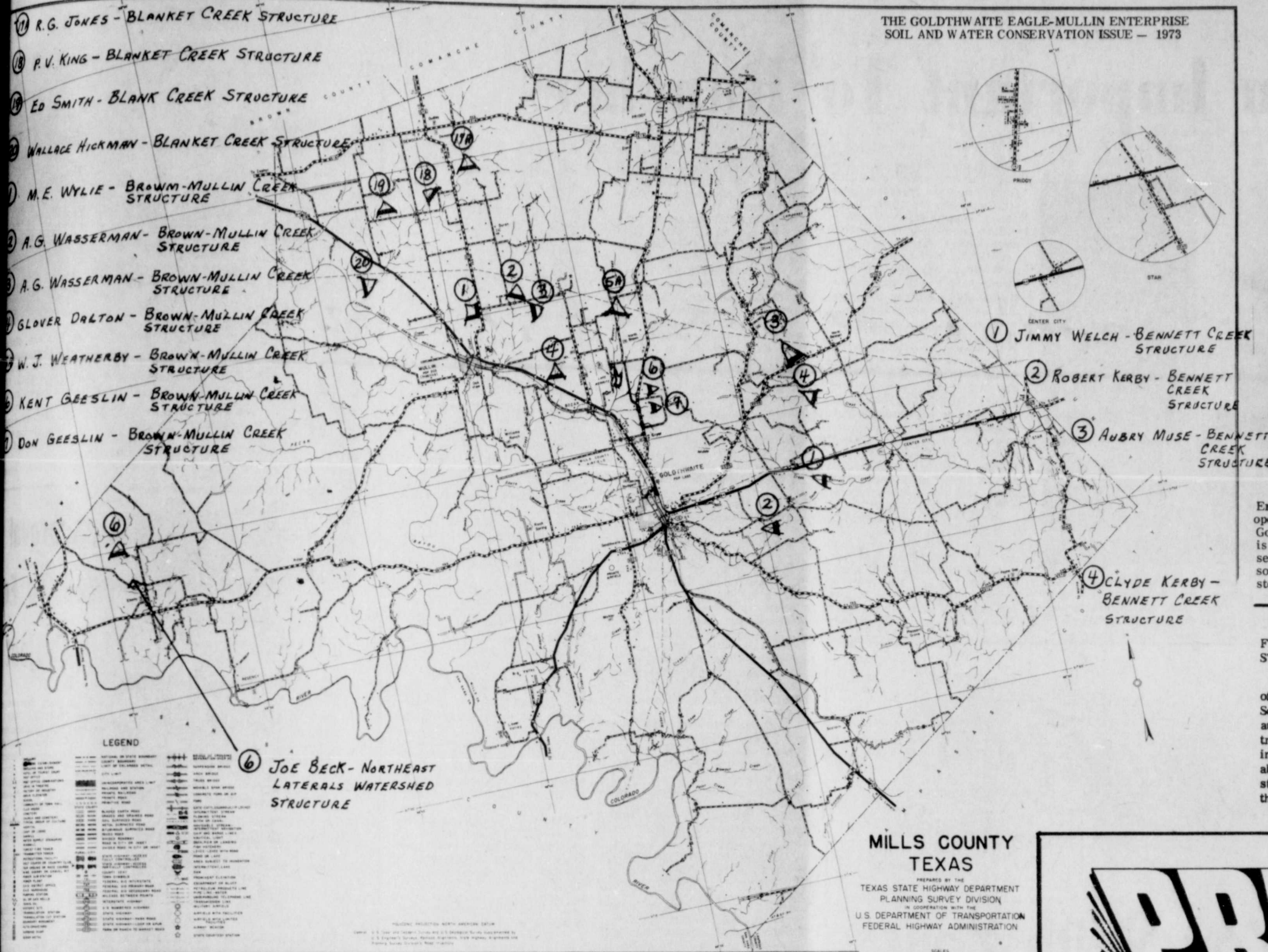
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Erie D. Roberson well drilling operation on his place west of Goldthwaite. Water development is essential to realizing a conservation program. The Roberson well, to be used for livestock water by storage and by several pastures. Management systems can be utilized with the aid of proper water locations. — SCS Photo

FLOOD CONTROL WORK STARTED BACK IN '46

Under the Flood Control Act of 1944, Public Law 543, the Soil Conservation Service was authorized to apply special treatment for flood prevention in sub-watersheds covering about 30 million acres in 12 states. This work started in the fiscal year 1946.

ARTESIAN WELLS GET NAME FROM FRANCE

Artesian wells get their name from Artois, France, where the first one was drilled. First really deep well, however, was in Paris, it was begun in 1832 and completed eight years later at a depth of 1798 feet.

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Tractor Safety Very Essential For Farmers

Whenever anyone pushes himself to the limit, as many farmers will be doing this spring, he becomes more accident-prone. This means that tractor safety, always important, has added importance this year.

In the United States, tractor accidents account for 800 to 1,000 deaths each year. In addition, tens of thousands of farmers suffer disabling injuries, and millions of dollars are taken in property damage, medical costs, time off from work, lost earning power, and insurance costs.

It is appropriate that tractor safety is the theme in the U.S. Department of Agriculture's year-round safety campaign. In keeping with this theme, the following tips for safer tractor operation are offered:

- Stay clear of ditches, embankments, holes, etc., to avoid upset.
- Keep children and other "passengers" off and away from the tractor.
- Cut speed when turning, crossing slopes, or when on rough, slick or muddy surfaces.
- Stay off hills and slopes too steep for safe operation.
- Engage clutch slowly with heavy loads to avoid backward tipping and don't overload.
- Hitch heavy loads only to drawbar and use front weights to balance tractor, if needed. If drawbar is on 3-point hitch, set it no higher than fixed drawbar.
- Keep power take-off shields in place and turn off PTO before unclogging, adjusting or servicing equipment.
- Set wheels as wide apart as practical for the job for better stability.
- When stopped, take tractor out of gear, firmly set brakes, and/or use park lock. Take the key with you.

USDA initiated a year-round safety campaign in 1972 to encourage special activities and timely safety practices each month.

The program is coordinated with the National Safety Council. In past years USDA has promoted National Farm Safety Week during July, and Fire Prevention Week in October.

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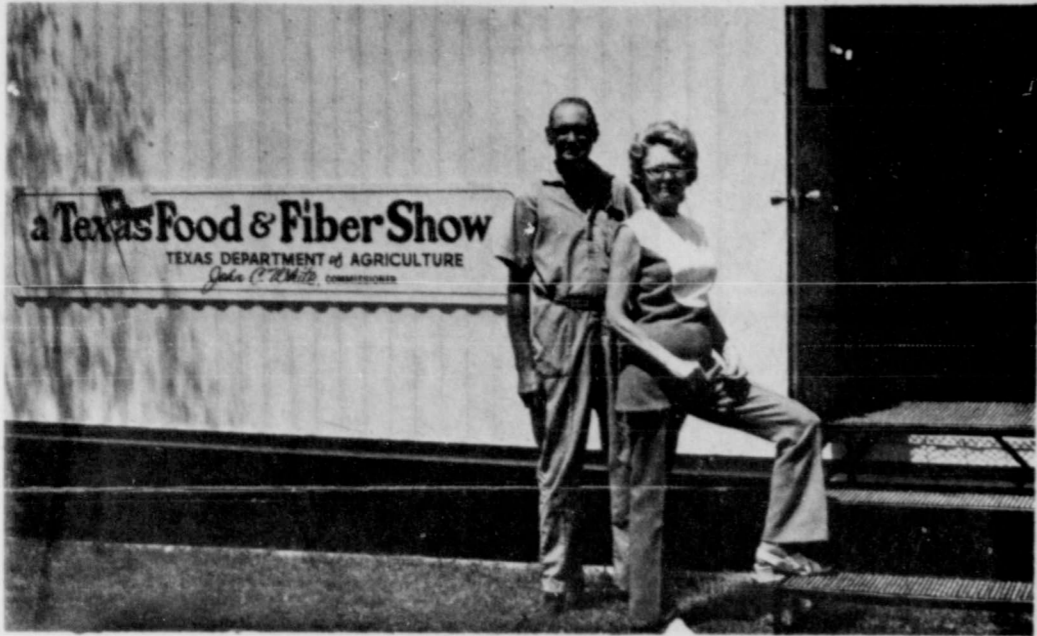
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TAP Program Important To Ranchers



Goldthwaite residents, Jesse and Madaline Moreland are ready to set out again with the Food and Fiber mobile unit to tell the

story of Texas agriculture. Sponsored by the Texas Department of Agriculture, the van has rolled into every major city

and nearly all counties in the state for visitors to view slide shows and get information on Texas farming and ranching.

Goldthwaite farmers and ranchers have a public relations, advertising, and marketing service working for them in the Texas Department of Agriculture, according to Commissioner John C. White.

"Poultry, livestock, and natural fibers produced in Mills County have had special seasonal promotions in grocery stores, the State Fair, along highways—even in Japan," Commissioner White stated.

This work is done under the TAP (Texas Agricultural Products) program, administered by the Marketing Division of the Texas Dept. of Agriculture. Initiated in late 1968, the TAP program has had astounding success and has drawn unlimited commodity groups who vote to contribute funds. The Texas Department of Agriculture furnishes the ideas and personnel to help in the promotion.

Part of the TAP program is a familiar sight to Goldthwaite residents—the big Food and Fiber van operated by Jess and Madaline Moreland. They travel the state to tell the story of Texas agricultural products. The van features slide shows on Texas products. The Morelands

also pass out recipes for Texas products and information on the quality and abundance of Texas agriculture.

Usually a different agricultural product is chosen every two months for promotion, but often the advertising is extended by the co-sponsoring group. The effects are felt for many weeks after the campaign, Commissioner White explained.

"Turkey is an example. In one grocery chain, sales jumped from 1200 pounds to 10,000 pounds after the TAP campaign. Advertising of turkeys at Easter and turkey as a summertime treat has added to year-round consumption of turkeys," White said. Turkeys will be promoted this summer in July and August.

NATURAL FIBERS PROMOTED

At the State Fair in Dallas, mohair and wool products have their own displays in the Food and Fiber Pavilion. Both will be included in the November and December TAP promotions. Posters of natural-fiber fashions will be on display in stores, and clothing will be featured in style shows during the fall.

Commissioner White has urged Goldthwaite sheep and goat raisers to hold off marketing their breeding stock for slaughter. Mohair production declined in 1972 by 72,000 pounds in Mills County.

"I sympathize with sheep and goat raisers who are losing their stock to the predators. But if we can get this problem solved, TAP can open up more wool markets," Commissioner White stated.

"The demand for wool and mohair have increased in the past two years, and TAP promotional personnel are planning to bolster this desire.

"Mohair is bringing much higher prices, and there is real potential in the export field. Texas produces over half of the world's supply of mohair. We should try to keep as many commodities as possible in the world market," Commissioner White said. "TAP can sell it if we can produce it."

VARIED APPROACHES

Other products from Goldthwaite will be promoted this year. Eggs are featured in May and June in the Texas Star Cook-Out. Peanuts will be part of the Texas Star Kick-Off in September and October. Pecans will be included in the Thanksgiving and Christmas promotions.

One of the most extensive programs is the grain-fed beef promotion, which is almost year-round. The popularity of beef, despite rising prices, is accountable in part to TAP point-of-purchase appeals in markets.

TAP promotions include radio and television spots, newspapers, billboards, point-of-sale posters and streamers, mailings with statements of financial and utility companies. About 400 billboards are used on each promotion, and individual mailings amount to about 1,500,000.

Texas Department of Agriculture employees also go into a bout 14,000 food stores over the state to set up special displays, posters, streamers, and recipes featuring Texas products.

"Taste of Texas" seminars are given at various times to bring buyers and sellers together at dinners where all-Texas foods are served. Most of the dinners have been held in the state; however, they have also been staged as far away as Tokyo, London, and Edmonton, Canada.

Demonstrations called Lamb-a-ramas and Beef-a-ramas are given all over the state of Texas. "Stretching Your Food Dollar" is the theme of some of the sessions.

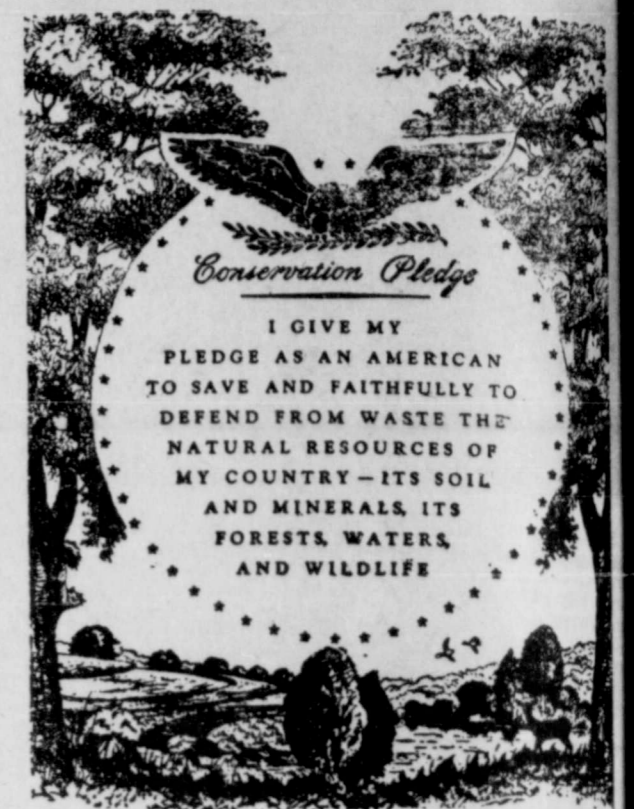
EXPORT PROGRAM

The TAP program was expanded in 1972 to include marketing specialists who bring the buyer and seller together on national and foreign sales of livestock and other products.

Angora goats from Brady were sold to the Russian government through TAP negotiations. Many sheep and goats for slaughter have been shipped to Mexico through TAP arrangements. Texas also entered into export negotiations last year on a broader scale with Japan and European countries for all type of products.

"During the first three years of TAP we were just appealing to Texans to buy Texas products. Now the emphasis is on techniques which actually increase sales, here and abroad," Commissioner White stated. "TAP is one of the best things that has ever happened to the Texas agricultural market."

"Goldthwaite residents can help local farmers and ranchers by buying Texas products. At the same time, they are also supporting the whole economy of our state. Our population is now centered in the cities, but agriculture is still the backbone of our economy," Commissioner White said.



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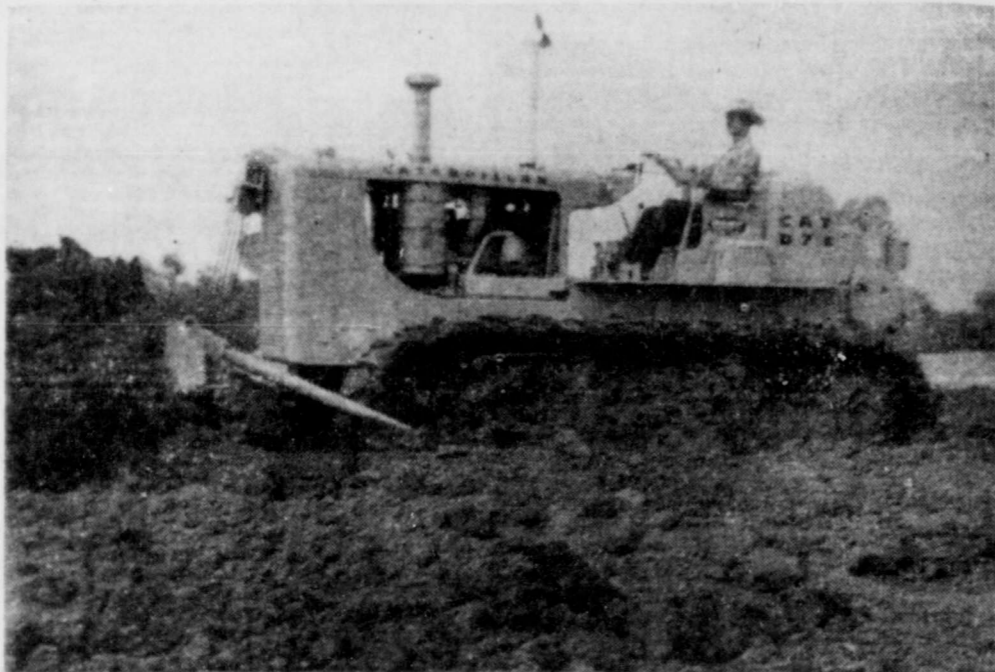
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RC & D Committee Stands For Betterment

The Brown-Mills Soil and Water Conservation District and Mills County Commissioners Court recently agreed to become co-sponsors of a Resource Conservation and Development Program.

The district and county will join Soil and Water Conservation Districts and County Governments in San Saba, Hamilton, Bell, Coryell and Milam Counties in the development of projects to expand opportunities for improvement of communities. The program can assist these units of government in enhancing their economic, environmental, and social well-being.

The program's concept includes an expansion of views, ideas, activities and program efforts to achieve more prosperous and attractive communities. Hubert Meyer, a member of the Brown-Mills SWCD and W. R. Lindsey, Mills County Commissioner, presently represent the district and court on the Central Texas Resource Conservation and Development Committee. A local committee of interested individuals will be organized in the future to aid in the development of worthwhile projects in the county.

The RC & D Program was authorized by the Food and Agriculture Act of 1962. The basic objectives of the program is develop, improve, conserve and use the natural resources of the area to provide employment and other economic opportunities to the

people of the area. To provide to local leadership the opportunity to more fully coordinate and use the facilities

and techniques available under current agricultural programs. The Soil Conservation Service is responsible for the administration of the Program.

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S. Ward, C. D. Owens, Bud and Douglas Sellars observed and evaluate enclosures on Perry Pigfoot Ranch south of Arroyo, Texas. A joint tour of the Middle Colorado and the Central Texas Chapters of the Soil Conservation Society of America was recently conducted on

the Pigfoot to study the ecology, history and natural beauty of the ranch. Carry has an abundance of little bluestem and Indiangrass throughout the ranch. Considerable deer and other wildlife can be observed in natural habitat.

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SOIL IS LIFE



The Mills County Commission met for their regular meeting. The Court is a sponsor of the watershed program in the county. The Brown-

Mills Soil and Water Conservation Districts appreciate the fine cooperation the Court has given to the conservation job in the county. From left to right are

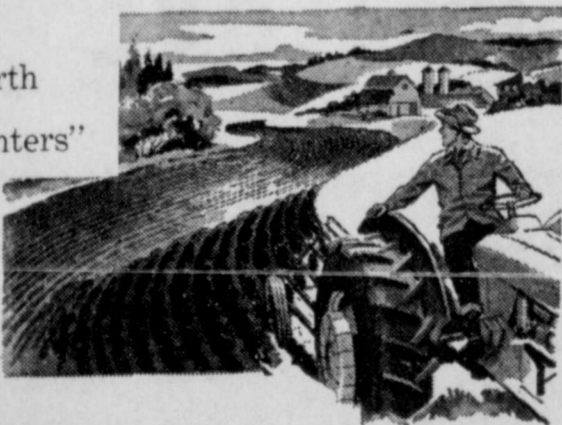
Hawley Jernigan, Fred Wall, Cecil Egger, W. R. Lindsey and Berthel Roberts.

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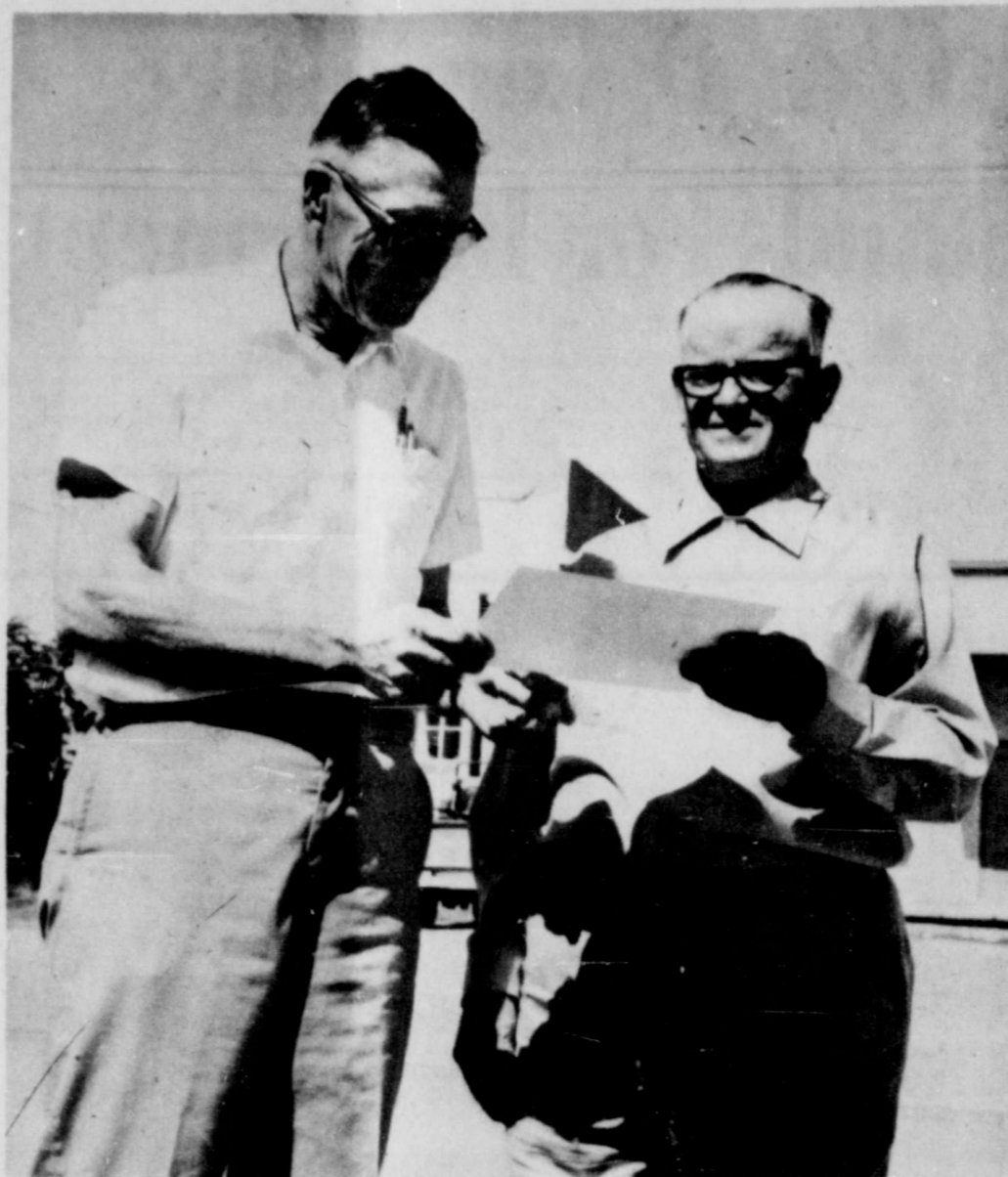


It smells good. It feels good. Treated properly and tenderly with care, it provides our food and our income. Handled without thought for the future, it withers and grows poor . . . depriving us of our livelihood.

Agricultural science has shown us the way to farm security by discovering new ways of soil conservation.

We are glad to cooperate with the Soil and Water Conservation District supervisors here, and with other representative groups in emphasizing the importance of this program.

**CATTLEMAN'S
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Robert Meyer, Director of the Brown-Mills Soil and Water Conservation District presents certificate of Appreciation to Carl

Casbeer for more than 30 years service to the farmers and the ranchers of Mills County.

Casbeer is a Conservation Technician on the Soil Conservation Service staff at Goldthwaite.

Carl Casbeer Lauded For 30 Years In SCS

On April 15, 1973, Carl M. Casbeer completed his thirtieth year as Conservation Technician with the United States Department of Agriculture and over 28 years with the Soil Conservation Service. Carl spent his entire career with the Soil Conservation Service assisting land users in the Brown-Mills Soil and Water Conservation District to solve conservation problems on their land. He has seen many changes and innovations in the conservation program—the advent of the root plow, the use of chemicals to control invading brush species, the re-seeding of depleted range to adapted native grasses, the use of introduced grasses such as Koeniggrass, K. R. Bluestem, Lovegrasses, and Coastal Bermuda, parallel terrace, intensive management of pasture grasses, and the high intensity-low frequency grazing systems on native ranges.

In tribute to his ability, Carl has received the following awards: A certificate of merit and cash award in 1957 for superior performance of his duties. Joined in a field office award in 1971 receiving a certificate of merit and cash award for commendable performance in providing assistance to the Brown-Mills Soil and Water Conservation District. He also recently received a certificate of Distinguished Service from the Brown-Mills Soil and Water Conservation District for outstanding contributions to the District.

According to James A. Glynn, Area Conservationist of Brownwood, Carl has remained a flexible and loyal conservationist throughout the years, is highly respected by his fellow employees, and has earned the gratitude of all who have worked with him over the years.



Charles Conrath and Eugene Williams observe the addition of another joint of concrete pipe as it is added to the draw down tube on Site 1, Bennett Creek.

This site is located on the Jimmy Welch Farm east of Goldthwaite.

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THE GOLDTHWAITE EAGLE-MULLIN ENTERPRISE
SOIL AND WATER CONSERVATION ISSUE - 1973



The Farmers Home Administration Mills County Committee met to review and certify applications for eligibility and for amount of loan needed for rural people of Mills County. Standing

(Left to Right) are Assistant County Supervisor, Bobby Mobley, County Committeemen James Aldridge, Delton Barnes and C. R. Emdy, County Supervisor, Harold D. Kennedy is shown.

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Like any business, a farm must conserve its resources if it is to pay. We have confidence in the wisdom of our country's farmers. Many of them have already begun a program of soil and water conservation on their land.

If you are not already following conservation measures on your farm, call the Soil Conservation Supervisor of this county today. He will be glad to advise you on a program for your own land - and you'll reap the profits.

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Construction Of Watershed Dams Tremendous In '72

By: CHARLES STUDER
Construction of watershed dams in Mills County have made tremendous headways during 1972. Six dams in the Brown-Mullin Creek Watershed were completed, except for regrading. At present there are three dams under construction. Two dams have not been advertised for bids, but a contract on construction of Sites 3 and 4 on Aubrey Muse and Clyde Kerby should be awarded in the next few months, states Charles Studer, District Conservationist with the Soil Conservation Service at Goldthwaite.

When these two structures are built plus the ones now under construction, there will be 16 floodwater retarding structures in the County. The Brown-Mills Soil and Water Conservation District and Mills County Commissioners Court are co-sponsors of the watershed program in Mills County. In addition, the Bennett Creek Water Control and Improvement District is a co-sponsor on the Bennett Creek Sites. "Many individuals in the

county contributed to making the watershed program in the county successful," stated W. G. Bishop, District Director of the Brown-Mills SWCD. We hesitate to name any individuals for fear of omitting some one from the list. In Bennett Creek, when things became bogged down, J.S. Owens was the one we always went to get things started again. The primary objectives of the

watershed program in Mills Co. are to provide flood protection to the agricultural lands subject to the Brown, Mullin, Bennett and Buffalo Creeks. Proper land use and treatment in the interest of soil and water conservation. Wildlife and recreational benefits are important objectives being met by the installation of flood prevention works of improvement. Other benefits such as livestock water are incidental to construction of these dams.



Erwin Brockmayer was the low bidder on vegetation of Sites 1, 2, 3, 4, 6 and 7 Brown-Mullin Creek Watershed Dams. Here Brockmayer blows hay mulch on Site 4 located on the Glover Dalton Farm six miles north of Goldthwaite. This mulcher cuts up the hay and blows it on the steep side slopes of the dam to hold down gully erosion and keep the seeded grass in place. — SCS Photo

Plan Pastures To Get Even Grass Distribution

Livestock are lazy! They repeatedly graze convenient areas, close to water, salt, bed-grounds, and shade. Only when the plants they prefer are eaten down to the point they can no longer get ahead of them from such places will they go further away to seek forage. Sheep and goats tend to graze into the wind and will often over-use the end of the pasture from which the prevailing wind comes. Cattle try to avoid rough, steep, or stony land, while sheep and goats use such areas more readily. Although deer use level open grasslands, they like to spend much of their time in the protection of brush, trees, or rocky areas.

Because of these grazing habits, if there are any over-used areas in a pasture, they are around places of animal concentration. Often it happens that part of the pasture is severely over-used, while another part of a pasture is actually under-used, because of poor distribution of grazing. Light, or non-use of a part of a pasture, will not make up for too heavy - use of another part. Some problems of grazing distribution cannot be completely corrected, but many can be. Developing watering facilities in parts of a pasture, which have been under-used, helps take the grazing pressure from areas too heavily used. Cross-fencing to reduce pasture size can help, if pastures are too large, or if they include two or more kinds of land, which animals do not use to the same degree.

Whenever practical, cross-fences should follow the boundary between different kinds of grassland, or range sites. Salt and minerals should be placed at a distance from water or on sites animals normally do not graze enough. This helps to entice them into such areas and, thereby, to pull them away from parts of the pasture which have been used too much. Protein supplements fed during winter months should never be placed in areas where livestock naturally concentrate - for to do so will only encourage still heavier use of forage plants on such areas.

Even under the most ideal situations, there may be small "sacrifice areas" around water where grazing use will be heavy, as well as under-used areas where animals do not graze enough. It is to the advantage of the livestock producer to do all he can to keep the size of both over-used and under-used areas to a practical minimum. If a landowner has five pastures, or more, a short-duration - high intensity rotation grazing system would tend to relieve such conditions and

areas of over and under-used. The key is still "management."

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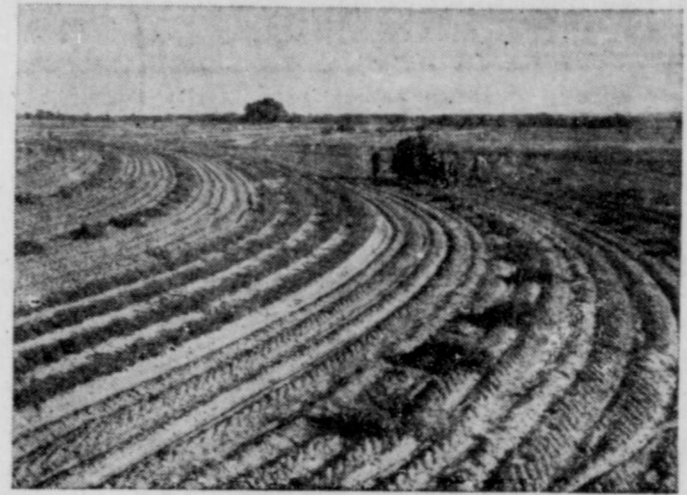
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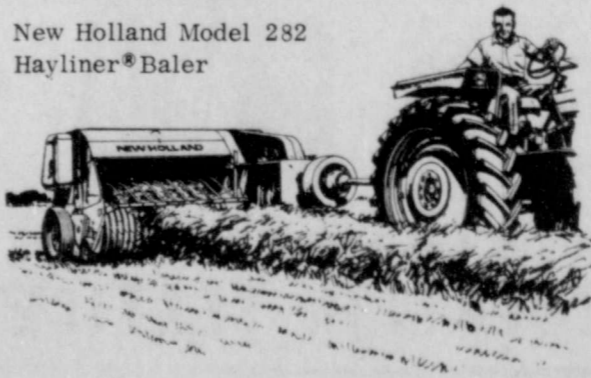
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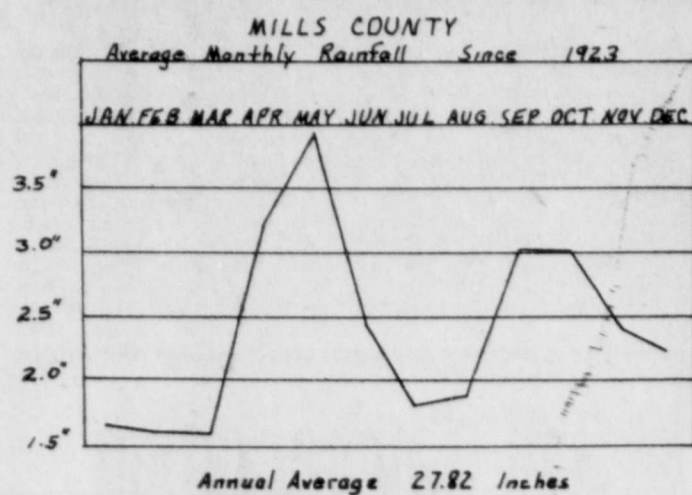


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Mills County Rainfall Averages 27.8 Inches



A look at the rainfall records for Mills County since 1923 shows that for the 40 year average we get 27.8 inches per year. But the records also show that 56 percent of the time our rainfall is below the average.

March has the smallest average, 1.60 inches, but January with 1.66 and February with 1.51 are not much better.

May has the largest average with 3.94 inches and April had 3.21 inches. September, 3.02 and October, 3.01, having better than a 3 inch average.

Only one time since 1923 has May had less than an inch and that was .47 in 1972 - remember that?

April and May average having more than 2 inches 75 percent and 80 percent of the time respectively.

Since we have about 20,000 acres of coastal bermuda in the county, lets look at some production possibilities.

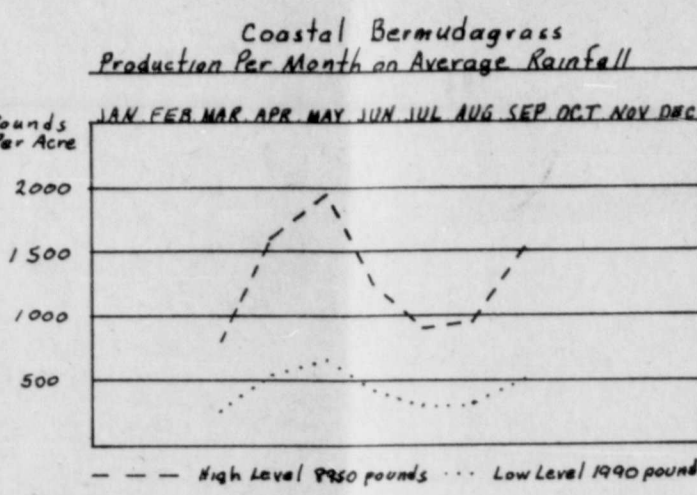
Our "growing season" rainfall average is 20.9 inches. Well fertilized coastal will produce a ton of grass per acre on about 4 inches of moisture. This means we should produce about 5 tons with average rainfall on good land.

About 1 1/2 tons to 2 tons will be tramped down and left for erosion control and to conserve moisture, this leaves about 3 tons to harvest. Many people figure a cow will need a half ton of grass per month. So in average years an acre of coastal should run a cow for 6 months.

But our rainfall is below the average 56 percent of the time so it may be a good idea to plan

a base herd of something less than a cow per acre for the growing season. This would depend on several other factors, some of which are the amount of winter grazing available, the

amount of hay on hand, the amount of fertilizer applied and how much rotation can be done. The Soil Conservation Service personnel are available to work on grazing plans in detail with farmers and ranchers.



Mills County Judge Cecil Eger and County Clerk Toby Bryant examine the draw-down pipe on Site 2, Bennett Creek. This floodwater retarding structure is being built on the Robert Kerby Ranch southeast of Goldthwaite. — SCS Photo

Soil Map Now Available From Local SCS Office

A multi-colored general soil map of Texas has now been published and is available for sale to the public, a local conservation official said this week.

Charles Studer, district conservationist for the U. S. Soil Conservation Service at Goldthwaite, said the beautiful 36-by-45-inch map can be seen in his office. It shows soil information compiled from years of detailed soil survey work by the Soil Conservation Service in cooperation with the Texas Agricultural Experiment Station.

Studer said the map lists basic soil information which should be useful to teachers, planners, conservationist, contractors, engineers, developers, realtors, farmers, ranchers, researchers, and others.

The map gives color delineations of the 73 major soil associations (containing 161 separate soil series) in the state and their extent. It also lists special limitations of the soils that affect their use.

Inset maps show rainfall, temperature, and length of growing season across the state. Current and potential urban and rural uses by soil associations are also listed.

Published cooperatively by the Texas Agricultural Experiment Station and the Soil Conservation Service, the map is available in two sheets or printed front and back. Printed front and back, the map costs \$3.00. Printed on two separate sheets, the map costs \$4.00.

For mounting on a wall, Studer recommended the two-sheet style. For folding and filing, he said the map printed on both sides might be the best.

The map may be purchased from the Department of Agricultural Communications, Texas A&M University, College Station, Texas 77843.

Order blanks can be obtained

THE BIBLE SPEAKS OF CONSERVATION

"For the Lord thy God bringeth thee into a good land of fountains and brooks of water, of fountains, and depths that spring out of valleys and hills; A land of wheat, and barley, and vines, and fig trees, and pomegranates; a land of olive oil and honey.

"A land wherein thou shalt eat bread without scarceness, thou shalt not lack anything in it; a land whose stones are iron, and out of whose hills thou mayest dig brass. When thou shalt eat and art full, then thou shalt bless the Lord thy God for the good land which he hath given thee."

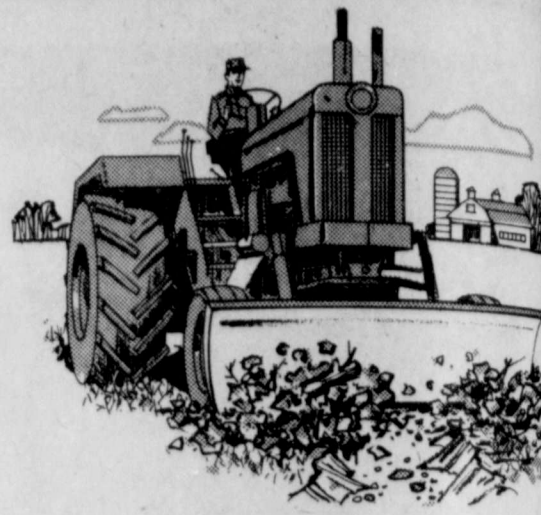
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EROSION HAS TAKEN a third of our precious topsoil. As our original topsoil averaged only nine inches—that leaves us only six inches from living on denuded ground. If we keep up the present rate of thoughtless soil practices, we will be living on a desert within another 50 years.

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