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**Water Under the Bridge**  
BY G. F. B.

**SIMPLE WAY TO WASH CLOTHES AS WE USED TO**

Blit a fire in bak yard to heet kettle of rain water. Set tubs so's smoke won't blow in eyes if wind is pert. Shave one hole cake of lye soap in blin' water. Sort things; make three piles; one pile white, one pile cul-lord, one pile old work britches and rags. Stur flour in cold water til smooth, then thin down with bilin water for starch. Rub dirty spots on board, scrub hard then bile. Rub cullord clothes, don't bile. Take white things out of kettle with broom stick, then rench, blew and starch. Spread tea towels on grass; hand old rags and britches on fence. Pore rench water in flower beds. Scrub porch with hot soapy water. Turn tubs upside down, put on a clean dress, smooth hair with side comb. Brew cup of tee. Set and rest and rock a spell and count your blessings.

You know, it don't take no genius to figger out why we got this cheer energy thang . . .

Wrong way to look at it . . . Most people think of the Christmas season as being from about Thanksgiving until about Dec. 26th or 27th.

Well, the real Christmas season stretches a little further than that, like from Dec. 26th to Dec. 25th of the next year. Of course, decorations and tinsel would get pretty worn if left out all year long, but the love in the hearts of man doesn't wear out, it's a constantly renewed gift of God, and it can be as big or as little as people make it.

Something simply must be done about the cost of this year's Christmas trees! One fellow says he bought one for \$7.50 and his wife is wearing it as a corsage.



## Goldthwaite Businesses Support First Baby Of 1976 Contest

A total of nineteen Goldthwaite business firms are supporting the "First Baby For 1976" contest with that number of prizes being offered to the first baby and his or her parents.

A list of the business firms and prizes offered are:

- Horton's Wagon Wheel Cafe - two free lunches for Mom and Dad
- Woody Drug Store - Johnson Baby Gift Set
- Kauhs Variety Store - Baby Booties
- Mills County State Bank - \$10 Savings Account

- Geeslin Gas Company - \$2.50 in trade
- Padgett Floral - Bouquet of fresh flowers
- Goldthwaite Eagle - One year's subscription
- Dan's Minimax - One dozen Pampers
- Village Garden Center - Baby Flower Arrangement
- Yarborough's - One dozen Curly diapers
- Steen Hardware - Diaper pail
- Kreative Korner - Ceramic dinner set
- Schwartz Food Store - Two dozen jars of baby food
- Western Auto - Wastebasket
- City Cleaners - \$5.00 worth of dry cleaning
- Hudson Drug - Diaper bag
- Head Electric - \$2.50 in trade
- Barnes and McCullough - One gallon of Loe Paint
- Southern Savings and Loan - \$10 Savings Account

Full details of the "First Baby For 1976" contest appear in an ad in this issue of the Eagle.

### Mrs. Hohertz Receives Certificate

Mrs. Carl Hohertz of Mullin received a certificate of commendation from Mr. Carroll B. Bryant, President of the Texas Association for Mental Health.

Mrs. Hohertz raised the highest per capita (39.9c) in Mullin for communities with a population between 100 and 500. The Texas Association for Mental Health netted \$15 thousand for the May '75 campaign, with Mullin contributions totaling \$81.00.

### Students Resume Classes Monday

Goldthwaite, Mullin, Star and Priddy School students will end their Christmas holiday Monday, January 5, 1976.

All four county schools will resume classes on regular time schedule Monday.

### Ridge Singing

There will be a singing at Ridge Sunday, January 4th from 1:30 until 4 p.m. Everyone is invited to come.

There will NOT be a New Year's Eve Party at Ridge this year.

## Mullin Livestock Show Results Announced

Keith Kensing, vocational agricultural teacher at Mullin, reported a fine turnout for the Mullin Livestock Show which was held Saturday, December 20th.

Judge for the event was Gene Tongate of Brownwood.

Results of the show are as follows:

**BREEDING SHEEP**- Rambouillet Ram Lambs- 1st & 2nd Tammy Shelton; Yearling Ram-Tammy Shelton; Ewe Lambs- 1st, 2nd, & 3rd, Tammy Shelton, 4th Sam Shelton, 5th Tammy Shelton; Southdown Ram Lambs- 1st, Ted Hasley; Ewe Lambs, 1st, 2nd, 3rd & 4th, Ted Hasley.

**MARKET HOGS**- Light Wt.- 1st, Sammy Dickson, 2nd & 3rd, Delton Whisenhunt, 4th, Gary Bearden, 5th, 6th & 7th, Delton Whisenhunt. Med. Wt.- 1st, Lance Johnson, 2nd & 6th, Delton Whisenhunt; Heavy Wt.- 1st, Amy Sanders, 2nd, Sammy Dickson, 3rd, Jimmy Johnson, 4th, Randy Johnson, 5th, Philip Johnson, 6th & 7th, Delton Whisenhunt. Champion Hog, Amy Sanders. Reserve Champion Hog, Lance Johnson.

**LAMBS**- Fine Wool- 1st, Monty Carlisle, 2nd, Joe Mangham, 3rd, Charlie King, 4th, Phil Hickman, 5th Delton Whisenhunt, 6th Randy Lindsey, 7th Delton Whisenhunt, 8th, Monty Carlisle, 9th, Charlie King, 10th, Becky Lindsey, 11th, Kay Rigby, 12th, Pam Rigby, 13th Vicky Hasley.

Fine Wool Cross- 1st & 3rd Steve King, 4th Linda Hasley,

5th Dan Jackson, 6th Monty Carlisle, 7th Cynthia Hasley, 8th Delton Whisenhunt, 9th Shawna Shelton, 10th Kim Shelton, 11th Delton Whisenhunt, 12th Don Jackson, 13th Jay Bearden.

Medium Wool, Light Weight Class- 1st Joe Mangham, 2nd Jon Mangham, 3rd Vicky Hasley, 4th Tim Lawson, 5th & 6th Delton Whisenhunt, 7th Carol Hickman, 8th Steve Stamps, 9th Phil Hickman, 10th Lisa Lawson.

Heavy weight Medium Wool Lambs- 1st Ted Hasley, 2nd Steve King, 3rd Joe Mangham, 4th Amy Sanders, 5th Delton Whisenhunt, 6th Brian Mosier, 7th Phil Hickman, 8th Delton Whisenhunt, 9th Carla Rigby.

Southdown Class Lambs- 1st Amy Sanders, 2nd & 3rd Delton Whisenhunt, 4th Vicky Hasley, 5th Cynthia Hasley, 6th George King. Grand Champion Lamb, Ted Hasley. Reserve Champion, Monty Carlisle.

**CALVES**- 1st Randy Lindsey, 2nd Jerry King, 3rd Debbie Lindsey. Champion Calf, Randy Lindsey. Reserve Champion Calf, Jerry King.

The world was a lot better off in the old days when it depended upon Arabia only for a few throw rugs and sun-cured dates.

Sign on a truckload of Christmas trees: "We did your Christmas chopping for you."

A shin is a device for finding furniture in the dark.

## CTCOG Annual Membership Meeting Conducted Recently

The seventh annual General Membership meeting of the Central Texas Council of Governments met Thursday, Dec. 18 at the Holiday Inn of Killeen.

Temple Mayor David Bandy was elected as president of the Executive Committee for 1976. Other new officers on the committee are: Judge James Soules of Hamilton County as 1st vice president, Mayor Kenneth Ambler of Copperas Cove as 2nd vice president, Mrs. Opaline Hardman of San Saba as secretary-treasurer and Judge Harold Harris of Bell County as parliamentarian.

Directors elected were Commissioner Richard Thompson and Mayor Bill Turner of Killeen for Bell County; Judge Doug Smith and Commissioner Cloyce Duncan representing Coryell County, and Judge Paul Verdazco and Mrs. Bert Wood from Hamilton County.

Also, Judge James Hardy and Lometa Mayor Clyde McAnelly will represent Lampasas County, Commissioner Lavert McKinney and Rockdale County

William Collier Perry will represent Milam County, Judge Herbert Faulkner and Goldthwaite Councilman Frank Bridges will represent Mills County, and Judge Jim Baker and Commissioner Calvin Bush will represent San Saba County.

Representatives from the special purpose districts are: L. R. Waters, Temple, representing the colleges; James Dixon, Gatesville, representing the school districts; A. B. Craig, Killeen, representing the water improvement districts; Gilbert Kretschmar, Bartlett, representing the soil and water conservation districts, and Col. Robert Gosney, Fort Hood, representing the military.

Special advisors to the executive committee are Lovett Ledger of Copperas Cove, Sid Wieser of Lampasas and District Judge J. F. Claswon. Immediate past-president is San Saba Mayor H. D. Chadwick.

The general membership also approved the program of work for 1976 and the annual report for 1975.

## The Way It Was All About Mullin

By Ernest Lynn Fisher

Submitted by Hartal Langford Blackwell, History Appreciation Chairman

The land for the cemetery was given in 1908 by W. D. Kirkpatrick and was deeded to the ladies of Mullin provided they form a cemetery association for the sale of lots and care of the cemetery. These ladies have faithfully kept the trust placed in them. The first person buried there was young John Tuggle, the boy killed by the train.

The post office was established in Mullin on July 26, 1886, and T. S. Baird was postmaster. The bank was chartered in 1908 with \$10,000.00 capital, and was robbed on February 1, 1928; the robbers were apprehended. During the depression years of the 1930's the bank failed, as did many others during this period. The old bank building has been remodeled and in recent years has been used as a community center where most activities of Mullin are held.

The Masonic Lodge was organized in Mullin in 1897, and has been active all through the years.

The first school was taught in a one-room house that was used for church as well as school. Mr. Sibley was the first teacher. It was in this little one-room combination school and church that many circuit riders braved Indian attacks, lawlessness and weather to bring their messages to the people. The people of the com-

munity looked forward to these visits by the circuit riders and invited them into their homes for meals. At times, the fare was small, but these brave men appreciated what was given them and were thankful for it.

Mullin, as all early towns, had a public well. People went there to haul water to their homes and businesses. It also furnished water for the many horses that were usually in town. Hitching posts were in front of every place of business, and the public horse trough served several purposes other than for watering horses. It was a dunking pond for pranksters when someone was caught unaware; it was used by the law to sober someone that might have over-indulged himself at the bar; at times a new groom found himself in the horse trough just after the wedding if he didn't hide fast enough. The well was located in the middle of the street near the old bank building and is now covered with a farm-to-market road.

The first windmill in Mullin was owned by Mose Kirkpatrick, and people from near and far and near to see this "thing" that brought water up from the ground.

Other citizens who played an important part in the founding of Mullin were the Brockenboughs, Wards, Reynolds, Colemans and the Woods.

As an illustration of the hardships which were endured by these early settlers of Mullin community, on June 10, 1877, when the corn was in the silk and tassel, there came a killing frost that destroyed all the crops. On January 8, 1885, a blizzard struck that killed many head of livestock and was almost the death of several people in the area.

These are but two of the many hardships our forefathers had to overcome when they came here; a place many said was a bad place to settle. But settle they did, and today Mullin is a thriving little town and proud of its heritage.

## Masonic Lodge Honors Past Members Wives

At their regular December meeting the Goldthwaite Masonic Lodge No. 694 held a Christmas dinner honoring members of the local Eastern Star Chapter and local Masonic widows.

Right Worshipful Bob Weathers, former pastor of the United Methodist Church in Brownwood, now in Killeen and present Grand Chaplain of The Grand Lodge of Texas, A.F. & A.M., was the principal speaker at the dinner.

The Honorable M. A. Campbell of Goldthwaite was appointed as a member of the Committee on Grievances and Appeals No. 1 for the ensuing Masonic year.

The Most Worshipful Thomas C. Yantis of Brownwood, Grand Master of The Grand Lodge of Texas, A.F. & A.M., paid an informal visit following the dinner hour.

More than 150 members and guests attended.

## Fire Dept. Receives Check

The Goldthwaite Volunteer Fire Department received a check for \$75.00 recently from Texas Farm Bureau Insurance Companies as an expression of thanks for the Department's work on the property of Nan Roberts, Route 3, Goldthwaite, Texas.

The money will be used for their loss prevention program.

The Texas Farm Bureau Insurance Companies pay volunteer fire departments this amount when the department works at a fire in rural areas, involving property insured by them.

The Insurance Company believes volunteer fire departments have contributed to reduce the amount of loss involved by fire and more important, to prevent fires. It is their hope this money will help the Goldthwaite Volunteer Fire Department in their program.

## Area Receives Christmas Showers

Some cool weather mixed with wind and some much-needed rain covered the Mills County area over the Christmas holidays.

Christmas Eve, Wednesday, the local area received between 1/4 and 1/2 inch of rainfall.

Eagle Coach Perry Farley has released the Boys' individual statistics for the year thus far:

Name	Field Goal		Free Throw		Rebounds		Steals	Points Total	Points Per Game
	Field Goal Percent	Free Throw Percent	Off	Def	Total				
Mike Lee	24	57	2	9	11	3	40	4.0	
Byron Landrum	29	36	58	90	148	12	121	13.4	
Ray Frazier	30	54	31	13	44	8	115	12.7	
Tim Spradley	18	36	42	36	78	15	44	4.4	
David Miller	28	50	12	24	36	21	110	11.0	
Jay Sims	38	44	17	27	44	3	26	2.6	
Jim Chism	27	0	5	12	17	0	6	.9	
B. J. Truitt	6	50	6	8	13	5	3	.4	
Randy Benningfield	0	0	1	1	2	1	0	0	
Jett Johnson	0	0	1	5	6	1	0	0	

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LASSO these  
New Year Buys at

DAN'S



MAGIC BAKE

All Purpose

Flour

5 Lb. Bag 59¢



Charmin Tissue

4 roll pkg 69¢

Limit 1 Please

Phone 648-3193  
1312 Fisher

BEEF SALE

ROUND STEAK

TENDER BABY BEEF

\$1.39

Maryland Club

COFFEE

2 LB CAN \$1.99

(Limit 1 Please)



Ground Beef

not less than 70 per cent lean

89¢

TENDER BABY BEEF

Sirloin lb \$1.39

TENDER BABY BEEF

Rump Roast lb \$1.19

T-Bone TENDER BABY BEEF lb \$1.39

sliced Slab Bacon lb \$1.39

Detergent

Good Value

giant box

95¢

Pampers Extra Absorbant Diapers 24 ct box \$2.21

Detergent Good Value Liquid 22 oz btl. 39¢

Grape Jelly Kraft 18 oz jar 69¢

Tuna Star Kist 6 1/2 oz can 55¢

Yellow Popcorn Good Value 1 lb pkg. 33¢

Dog Food Pet's Choice Regular, Beef & Liver 15 oz can 14¢

Dry Dog Food Pet's Choice 5 Lb. Bag 99¢

FROZEN FOODS... SAVE!

Orange Juice TV 4 6 oz cans 88¢

Potatoes T.V. Shoestring 20 oz bag 45¢

Corn on Cob TV Mini 8 ear bag 89¢

Fish Sticks Gorton 15 oz box \$1.29

Broccoli Spears 10 oz TV

Brussels Sprouts 8 oz 39¢

Cauliflower 10 oz 39¢

TOPS IN PRODUCE

U.S. No. 1

Russet

POTATOES

5 lb Bag 49¢

Apples Washington State Golden Delicious 3 LB BAG 59¢

Oranges Navel Lb. 29¢

Fancy Cucumbers 3 for 39¢

US No. 1 Ruby Red Grapefruit 5 for \$1

Fancy Bell Peppers 3 for 39¢

Carrots Calif. 1 Lb. Pkg. 19¢

Radishes CELLO 3 6 oz. 39¢

Dairyland Values

Margarine Good Value 3 1 lb ctns \$1

Cinnamon Rolls TV 9 1/2 oz can 39¢

American Cheese Singles Kraft 6 oz pkg 67¢

Rat Trap Cheese TV Mild Cheddar 10 oz pkg \$1.09

Cheddar Cheese TV Chunk Medium 10 oz pkg \$1.09

Hunts Tomato Sauce

6 8 oz can \$1

DAN'S



Good Value Pinto Beans lb Pkg 29¢

Chili Wolf 15 oz can 59¢ Catsup Del Monte 20 oz btl. 49¢

Mary Baker Cake Mixes Lemon, White, Devils Food, Yellow, Dark Chocolate 19 oz box 55¢

Cookies Mary Baker 3 7 Oz. Pkgs \$1



## Orville Greathouse Rites Conducted Tuesday

Orville E. Greathouse, San Antonio, passed away December 28, 1975. Funeral Services for Mr. Greathouse were conducted by Rev. Dan Connally at the Wilkins Funeral Chapel on Tuesday, December 30, 1975 at 10 a.m. Interment followed in the Goldthwaite Memorial Cemetery. Wilkins Funeral Home was in charge of arrangements.

He was born September 8, 1893 in Maybank, Texas to James Edwin and Viola Couch Greathouse.

Mr. Greathouse was a member of the Baptist Church. He moved to Goldthwaite from Maybank in 1917.

Survivors include one son, Joe of Crystal City; two daughters, Mrs. Geneva Howard of San Antonio and Mrs. Orval Anna Silmon of Houston; ten grandchildren; fourteen great grandchildren; two brothers, Ector of Midland and Eurus of Burnet; two sisters, Mrs. Jewel McPherson of Sapulpa, Oklahoma and Mrs. Gladys Venable of Midland.

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He was born September 8, 1893 in Maybank, Texas to James Edwin and Viola Couch Greathouse.

Mr. Greathouse was a member of the Baptist Church. He moved to Goldthwaite from Maybank in 1917.

## Heritage Nursing Home "HAPPENINGS"



that compares with sharing a part of one's self, and here's how some of them shared with our residents - - - The Head Start pupils were among the first to present a spirited Christmas program - - - The G. A. 's were another delightful group. How those girls can sing! - - - And the Priddy F.H.A. - - - so kind of them to remember us in such an entertaining way. - - - The Christmas plants from the Village Garden Center and Dr. and Mrs. R. G. Raley - - - Caroling, to us, is the heart of the Christmas season, and we were glad to have the Lion's Club members and their wives and the First Baptist Church to delight us with this activity - - - The 2nd grade pupils of Glenda Lemke and Bettian Wright presented a Christmas program, displaying an array of Christmas dolls to Santa. This was truly an outstanding presentation and every resident was fascinated by this colorful skit.

Sometimes a December birthday is overshadowed by all the Christmas trappings, but not so our December birthday party! With the Self Culture Club hosting, Julian Evans and Syble Head providing the entertainment, and the family of Mrs. Florence Geeslin furnishing the cake and flowers, we had a gala affair. Besides Mrs. Geeslin, the other honorees were Dr. E. J. Stanford and W. A. Berry.

Welcome to our home - - - Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Miller from Goldthwaite.

Better keep yourself clean and bright; you are the window through which you must see the world.

- George Bernard Shaw

## Regency

BY: Mrs. Alton Jones

We are still dry; it is getting so dusty we nearly smother. When a car passes, the dust covers us up. The newsman talks like it might rain. Let's all hope and pray it does.

Junior Phillips of Goldthwaite spent the weekend with us. His parents, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Phillips, came Sunday for the day and he returned home with them.

Mrs. Howard Hoover of Goldthwaite visited us Monday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Berry of Dublin visited us Tuesday afternoon. He worked for Uncle Sam Jones when he was a young boy, so he still likes to come back to Regency.

A. R. Rowlett visited us Tuesday night until bedtime.

Johnnie Tice of Houston visited a few days with his in-laws, Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Hard, and did some hunting. Jess Whitley of Goldthwaite visited us Sunday afternoon. He had been to Spring Creek to see his dad's uncle, Jack Whitley, and Bonnie.

Twos the night to be jolly and the night we are referring to was our Christmas Party and what a party that was!

Mrs. Thurman Head put everyone in a holiday mood as she played beautiful Christmas songs at the piano. Then Marj Head, her three children and Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Spradley thrilled every heart with their superb singing.

Santa Claus made a grand entry with his ho-ho-ho and a big bag full of gifts and goodies for everyone.

There were red carnation corsages for all the ladies, presented by Mrs. Leta Taylor, daughter of Oscar Simpson.

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## Services For Miss Holley Conducted

Final rites for Miss Lela Eloise Holley of Long Beach, California were conducted at the Wilkins Funeral Chapel on Friday, December 26, 1975 at 2 p.m. Rev. Dan Connally officiated. Interment was in the Pleasant Grove Cemetery. Arrangements were under the direction of Wilkins Funeral Home.

Miss Holley, a member of the Methodist Church and an Eastern Star member, passed away Sunday, December 21, 1975 at the Eastwood Convalescent Hospital in Long Beach, Calif. Born December 1, 1890, in Goldthwaite, she was the daughter of Pleasant Henry Pope Holley and Sarah Ann (Verser) Holley.

Miss Holley was a retired Registered Nurse and Superintendent of Nurses at Elmwood Sanatorium, Fort Worth.

Survivors include 5 nieces, Georgia Payne, Ethel Ellis, Bertie Helm and Lola Smital all of Long Beach, Calif.; Rosalie Fritsch of Phoenix, Ariz., and two cousins, Mrs. Ruth Carothers of Goldthwaite and Nina Verser of Pasadena.

Palbearers were Charlie Miller, O. Z. Berry, Troy Berry, Bill Virden, and Raymond Casbeer.

## Priddy Beta Club Meets

The Priddy Beta Club held a meeting December 10th in the Priddy School lunchroom. Installation of new officers was held. Rita Williams and Dale Partin substituted for the president who was absent.

New members, introduced by Lori Cox, were: Dale Drueckhammer, freshman, son of Mr. and Mrs. Alton Drueckhammer; Vicki Baird, freshman, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Bobby Baird; Randy Kunkel, sophomore, son of Mr. and Mrs. Paul Kunkel; Stevie Tiemann, sophomore, son of Mr. and Mrs. Weldon Tiemann; and Lori Cox, sophomore, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Homer Cox. We welcome our new members with great appreciation.

The 1975-76 convention will be held in January at the Sheraton Hotel in Ft. Worth.

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The CTHSA is currently accepting nominations for membership on its 30-member Governing Board (see coupon below). Persons may nominate themselves or others.

A public hearing on the CTHSA application to HEW for official designation and funding as a Health Systems Agency will be held at 7:00 p.m., January 8, at the CTCOG Annex, 302 E. Central, Belton, Texas. Additional nominations will be taken at that time.

For more HSA information, contact the Central Texas Council of Governments, P.O. Box 729, Belton, Texas 76513; 939-1801.

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## Priddy 'Bits

By: Lela DeHart

The holidays are over for a while. Now, for those New Year resolutions to be made.

The rain sure was fine. We could use more, but we are thankful for what we got - good health, 1 1/2 inches of rain, and all the children home for Christmas. What could be better! Our daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. James Farmer and Cherry Yvonne, came out and spent Christmas with us. Then Friday evening they went on to Ft. Worth to visit his parents. Our son and wife, S/S and Mrs. R. DeHart, came in Wednesday morning and left Sunday morning.

Visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Embrey for the holidays were Mr. and Mrs. Dutton of Carlton; Mr. and Mrs. Oble Embrey of Evans; Mr. and Mrs. Emmet Kincheol, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Sengler, Mr. and Mrs. Sam Embrey, Jim and Pam of Midland; Mr. and Mrs. Leroy Kincheol of Evans; Misses Candy and Bertie Wilson of Mesquite; Clara Lentz and Tayna and Debra Hanes of Ft. Worth; Charlie Swindle and Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Hohertz. Mrs. Rosa Tiemann is spending a few days with her sister, Mrs. Charlie Piper, at Lake Brownwood.

Mrs. Bertha Covington spent Christmas Day with her daughter and family, Mrs. Charlie Schrader.

Mr. and Mrs. Millions of

Corpus Christi, Mrs. Wayne Premer of Brownwood, and Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Seider spent the holidays in the home of Mr. and Mrs. F. J. Holland.

Mr. and Mrs. Gene Bosse and family, Mr. and Mrs. Lohman Feist, Mr. and Mrs. Leroy Schwartz of Priddy, Mr. and Mrs. Jr. Kopp, Mike Niemann, Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Niemann, Mr. and Mrs. Leroy Niemann and granddaughter Tracy Gillian, all of Odessa, spent the holidays with Mr. and Mrs. Carl Niemann.

Mr. and Mrs. Danny Harbour and two children of Liberty, Texas, surprised Mrs. Bertha Covington with a visit.

Mr. and Mrs. M. E. Holland are spending the holidays in Ft. Worth.

Happy New Year!

## Locals Graduate From TSU

A total of 149 seniors were graduated from Tarleton State University, Sunday, December 14, during Commencement Exercises held in Wisdom Gymnasium.

Receiving the Bachelor of Music Education Degree was Sherri Hartley Hunt, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Fred E. Hartley of Hamilton.

Receiving the Bachelor of Science Degree in Agriculture was Reggie Gene Robbins, son of Mr. and Mrs. Sonny Robbins of Goldthwaite.

Receiving the Bachelor of Science Degree in Elementary Education was Robert Lee Williams, also of Goldthwaite.

Finally, receiving the Bachelor of Science Degree in Physical Education was Gary Eugene Bufe, son of Mr. and Mrs. Elton E. Bufe of Mullin.

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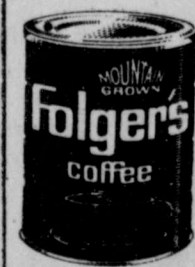
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## Duck Dieoff Reported At Proctor Lake During December

An estimated 1,000 to 1,100 waterfowl have been found dead during the second week of December at Proctor Lake in Comanche County.

Parks & Wildlife Department personnel of Brownwood were called to the scene when the ducks were found by Corp of Engineers personnel while making a routine inspection of the 4,600 acre lake.

The men began stacking and burning ducks for fear of a possible disease spread. Several ducks were immediately carried to the pathology department at Texas A&M for analysis. Later reports revealed disease was not a likely cause.

A mold that occurs on peanuts under certain weather con-

ditions, called Aflatoxin, was a prime suspect; however, a thorough investigation was also being conducted in other areas.

Aflatoxin was first discovered in 1951 and very little is known about it except that it is extremely toxic and could affect waterfowl, livestock and even humans.

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## When The Old Bird Was Younger



### 10 Years Ago

(Taken From The Eagle Files Of December 23, 1965)

Ronald Calder, son of Mr. and Mrs. Glynn Calder, and Rex Bessent, son of Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Bessent, were involved in a head-on car wreck last Saturday night just out of Zephyr. Occupants of both cars were seriously injured and both vehicles were demolished.

The Self Culture Club met December 9th in the home of Mrs. Helen Saylor with Mrs. John G. Berry co-hostess for the annual Christmas party. Mrs. Mabel Doggett was director of the afternoon Christmas program. Delicious refreshments were served to several guests and 15 members.

Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Rickel of Goldthwaite are the parents of a son, Jeffrey Donis, born December 17. Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Kight and Mr. Will Rickel. Mr. and Mrs. Jess Massey are great grandparents.

The annual football banquet was held last Friday night in the American Legion Hall. Carol Johnson, president of the Pep Squad, welcomed the guests and Jim Childress gave the response. Guest speaker was Nick Lanza of Rice University.

### 25 Years Ago —

(Taken From The Eagle Files Of December 22, 1950)

Charles Chaney, son of Mr. and Mrs. T. C. Chaney, will preach at the First Baptist Church of Mullin next Sunday night. Mr. Chaney is a student at the University of Texas and plans to transfer to Howard Payne next semester.

E. B. "Gene" Turbville, popular rancher and stockman, was shot twice in the right

leg last week while on a deer hunt some 15 miles southeast of Llano. He was shot accidentally by someone who thought they were shooting at a buck. He was taken to a doctor in Llano where his wounds were treated and he was released.

E. B. Adams of Goldthwaite has been elected secretary-treasurer of the Monument Builders of the Southwest, Inc. He owns and operates a monument works located just south of Goldthwaite.

### 40 Years Ago —

(Taken From The Eagle Files Of December 27, 1935)

Santa Claus distributed a liberal supply of candy and fruit to the children on the court house lawn Tuesday afternoon. The distribution was made through the Lions Club and the little folk apparently enjoyed the occasion, as did many of their elders.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. W. Jack-

## BIRTHS

Mr. and Mrs. Lesly Michael "Mike" Bosse of Hamilton, Texas, announce the birth of a son, Walter Lee, born at Children's Hospital on December 21, 1975. He arrived at 4:06 p.m. and weighed 7 lbs. 5 ozs.

Maternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Eldor Wenzel of Hamilton, and paternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Lesly Bosse of Shive, Texas.

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The Goldthwaite Garden Club met in the beautiful home of Mrs. Malcolm Jernigan at 2:30 p.m. on December 17, 1975 for Christmas party. Mrs. Lloyd Laughlin directed the gift exchange among members, who had each brought a gift and placed it under the lovely tree decorated with hand made decorations.

The drawing was held for the crystal compote that was being given away and Miss Laura Virden's name was drawn by the president.

Co-hostesses with Mrs. Jer-

nigan were Mrs. B. C. Wicker and Mrs. Lloyd Laughlin who served delicious holiday goodies from a beautiful tea table.

Members present were Mrs. Mmes. Delton Barnett, Woodrow Boykin, N. M. Coats, Herbert Cooke, V. Z. Cornelius, Walton Daniel, Ted Darby, W. P. Duren, Elizabeth Doggett, G. C. Head, Paul Henderson, M. F. Horton, C. A. Keeler, E. D. Roberson, Jim Weatherby, Bill Whittenburg, Cecil Williams, Miss Ruth Ervin and Miss Laura Virden.

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**Round Steak** \$1.09  
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**Celery** 19¢  
**Russet Potatoes** 20 lb. \$1.79  
**8 lb. 79¢**

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**Biscuits** 8 for \$1.00

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**GROUND BEEF** 49¢  
**DINNERS** 39¢  
**PLAIN CHILI** 39¢  
**ORANGES** 5 for 38¢  
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**Milk** \$1.43  
**Buns** 2 for 79¢  
**Maryland Club** \$1.23  
**Luncheon Loaf** 45¢  
**Snowdrift** \$1.39  
**Pineapple** 49¢  
**Pinto Beans** 49¢  
**Pinto Beans** \$1.00  
**Tomatoes** 4 for \$1.00  
**Tomato Sauce** 7 for \$1.00  
**Maxwell House** \$2.59  
**Maryland Club** 39¢

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**Bread** 3 loaves \$1.00  
**Blackeyed Peas** 22¢  
**Maryland Club** \$2.19  
**Miracle Whip** 99¢  
**Oatmeal** \$1.29  
**Corn Meal** 75¢  
**Nestle** \$1.29



## Mullin Community News

By Lillian Plummer

Visitors with Mrs. Ora Wilson were Mr. and Mrs. R. P. Smith of Houston and Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Smith of

Dear Charlotte,

'Tis the morning after Christmas  
And all through this house  
Not a creature is stirring  
Except my dear spouse.

I fervently wish that this abode  
Would disappear  
And oh, how I wish that  
I didn't live here.

Surely Dancer, and Prancer, and Cupid  
didn't go on the roof --  
Because there's many a mark from each  
tiny hoof --

There are marks from the front to  
the back door,  
And from East to West, they left  
tracks galore.

Christmas has lost its joy and its tinkle  
There's not one eye with a twinkle --  
We've got turkey and ham and mince in our  
belly,  
And everyone prefers peanut butter  
and jelly.

Every toy's batteries are dead  
Heaven knows, I'd like to stay in my bed!  
There's lunch to do with leftovers and cheese  
And they'd prefer cornbread and blackeyed peas.

The records are blaring and the tapes, too.  
Today I'd trade this house for an igloo.

But by New Year's surely everything  
will be in place  
And the smiles will return to  
everyone's face.

The day after Christmas I'm not very bright  
But I wish you a New Year  
that's just right!

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Stephenville.  
Mr. and Mrs. Glen Lewis had the following guests in their home: Mrs. Lewis' mother, Mrs. Boykin of Brownwood, and Mrs. Lewis. They all went to see Mrs. Vivian Bowden at Brownwood.

Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Duren and family of Sedalia, Mo. visited with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Duren.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Grady from College Station have been visiting with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Gibbard and sons.

Guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. E. (Bill) Warren include: Mr. and Mrs. Ray Warren of Carthage; Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Warren and family of Ozona; Tom and Sandra Grady and Donna and Larry Blair of College Station; Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Spinks and girls; Mrs. Tyson; and Ben Warren.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Hobbs and family of Brownwood ate dinner the 25th in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Dew Shelton.

Recent guests of Mrs. Ruth Tullios were Mr. and Mrs. Rex Tullios and Sammy of Waco and Mrs. Addie Hart of Brownwood.

Mr. and Mrs. Jimmie Ethridge, Randy and Brad of West Columbia were here during the holidays with Gayla's mother, Mrs. Rene Holland. They also visited with Jimmie's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Howard Ethridge of Democrat.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Mangham entertained the Democrat Quilting Club with a lovely Christmas party. All the members except one were present. Each lady was presented a lovely candelabra fashioned from horse shoes by Mr. Mangham.

Holiday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Chesser were Mr. and Mrs. Pete Chesser, Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Evans, Ken and Jason, and Mr. and Mrs. Larry Chesser and family, all of Ft. Worth. Ernest and Jewell visited with Mr. and Mrs. Tom Cooksey, Jr. and family at San Saba.

Jerry and Dianne Locke of Stephenville and Mr. and Mrs. Joe Carmichael from Dallas were recent guests of Mr. and Mrs. Tommy Shelton and girls.

Mrs. Callie Pyburn ate dinner the 25th with Mrs. LaVerne Pyburn and family at Early.

Visitors with Mr. and Mrs. Grady Hancock were: Mr. and Mrs. Bob Parker and Donna of Kermit; Mr. and Mrs. John Roy Wallace of Graham and their sons, Royce Wallace and Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Wallace; and Miss Marie Wallace.

The Fred Pafford had the following visitors recently: Mr. and Mrs. Glen Hamilton, Ricky, Randy and Tina Womack from Little River; Mr. and Mrs. James Pafford of Brownwood;

Mrs. Bob Scott from Abilene; Mrs. Bea King of Lindsay, Ca. and Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Meyer of Mullin.

Mr. and Mrs. Donald Hinde and children of Maypearl and Mrs. Ethel Wilkins of Goldthwaite were recent visitors of Mrs. Retta Hinde. They also visited with Mr. and Mrs. Albert Cox.

Mr. and Mrs. Aubrey French spent the 25th with their daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Murphy, at San Saba.

Mrs. Jewell Baskin spent several days with her sister, Mrs. George Golightly, at Hamilton.

Mr. and Mrs. Alton Runnels spent the holidays with their daughter, Mrs. Dean Bufe, and family at Euless. They also visited their son, Glendon Runnels and family, and saw their new great grandson, Christened Johnny Wayne Willis.

Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Vandevender from Burleson came for a few hours Saturday. Mrs. Vandevender is Mrs. Fannie Plummer's daughter. She thinks Fannie is slowly improving, but still cannot walk.

Mrs. Ophelia Gandy had the following visitors, Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Gandy and three daughters, Mr. and Mrs. James Green, Mr. and Mrs. Bud Carlisle, and Mr. and Mrs. Dayton House.

"When spider webs unite,  
they can tie up a lion".  
Happy New Year to everyone.

BIRTH --  
Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Ivy of Temple announce the adoption of a son, Charles David. He was born July 9, 1975.

Maternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Bramblett of Goldthwaite. Paternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. D. C. Ivy of Priddy.

Paternal great grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Albert Tischler of Priddy.

## Chappell Hill

By: Pearl Crawford

A beautiful day. Mrs. C. V. Whatly reported 8 tenths of an inch of rain.

We all enjoy our Christmas Cards. I surely enjoyed the letters from Mr. and Mrs. Grover Price of California and Mr. and Mrs. James and Pauline Rouchwell of Washington D. C.

Mr. and Mrs. C. V. Whatly enjoyed a Christmas dinner with 21 present. It was a happy day for all.

Mr. and Mrs. V. T. Stevens enjoyed Christmas dinner with Mr. and Mrs. Lem Price and family.

Mr. and Mrs. E. D. Vann enjoyed Christmas day at home and why not, they received a nice television set for Christmas.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Morrow had a nice Christmas and they promised me a list of their guests so I could put it in the paper.

Mr. and Mrs. Lou Stahanka were Christmas day guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Wesson and family. Other relatives and friends were also present.

Mr. and Mrs. William Crawford, Letricia and Leonia visited Mr. and Mrs. Willie Bufe at the Clifton Hospital on Christmas Day. Mrs. Bufe is a patient there. William visited George and Pearl Crawford and told them Mrs. Bufe was improving. We wish all the sick folks a speedy recovery.

Mr. and Mrs. Pearl Shipman enjoyed a Christmas tree party at their home. Mr. and Mrs. Stone Shipman and family and Mr. and Mrs. Howard Shipman and family were all present Christmas eve to meet Santa.

The Hillview Manor enjoyed a Christmas tree party and

Santa. George and I visited them Friday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Ratliff and baby of Fort Worth and Mr. and Mrs. Randal Ratliff and Troy of Goldthwaite were Christmas guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Ratliff. They all enjoyed the usual Christmas dinner with all the trimmings and Santa visited them.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Nowell and their children, Mark, Matthew, Mary and Michael were Christmas guests of Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Nowell. Matthew stayed a few days to visit and help Grandpa feed livestock.

Mrs. C. V. Whatly called in the Nowell home Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. O. L. Harris spent a few days vacation visiting their children and grandchildren in Houston. Warren Harris has been caring for their livestock.

Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Crawford were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. William Crawford, Letricia and Leonia. We send Happy Birthday greetings to Letricia.

## Personal-

Mr. and Mrs. N. O. Williams and Marilyn of Goldthwaite had as their guests over the Christmas holidays Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Hargroves, Curtis, and Sharolyn of Melvin; Mr. and Mrs. Butch Williams and Randy of Lampasas; Mrs. J. H. Snodgrass of Brady; Cecil Snodgrass of Dallas; and Joe Snodgrass of Oklahoma City, Oklahoma.

Out-of-town visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Holden over the holidays were Mr. and Mrs. Harrol Holden, Mike, Annetta and Jimmy of Tucson, Arizona; Mr. and Mrs. Tom Bloomer and Patricia of Dallas; Rebecca Bloomer of New York City; Mr. and Mrs. Wade Ritchey, Demming, New Mexico; Vivian of Kermit; Mr. and Mrs. Ray Ritchey of Pineville, Missouri; Phyllis of Brownwood; and Mrs. Robbie Lanyon and daughter Jill of Kansas City.

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As the traditional festive fun of the New Year begins with horns sounded and bells rung, we would like to add our voices to the many ones raised in wishing everyone the very best in 1976.

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