

Frank McClung Retires After 30 Years With General

After almost thirty years in the telephone business, Frank McClung, local communications technician for General Telephone, is retiring. He has been in Goldthwaite since 1954.

Mr. McClung started his career in August 1948, in Coleman, Texas, as an exchange repairman. He subsequently held positions in Brownwood and Brady before moving to Goldthwaite.

McClung is married to the former Jackie Martin, and the couple have three daughters. Mrs. Vicki Rudd and Mrs. Kay Wood, are also residents of Goldthwaite.

Mr. McClung is presently serving as commander of the American Legion, is a member of the Lions Club, and a member of the Methodist Church.

He said his plans include a possible sight-seeing trip to Canada this summer, a little fishing, some gardening, and a whole lot of relaxing.

Jerry Seider has been selected as communications technician in Goldthwaite, according to Bill Drennan, Brownwood Division Manager for General Telephone Company of the Southwest.

Mr. Seider started his telephone career in October 1949, as a lineman in Brownwood, and is currently serving as a customer service specialist. In Goldthwaite, Mr. Seider will be responsible for the installation and repair of all telephones in town. There are presently 1,404 telephones served from the Goldthwaite office.

Mr. Seider is a 1963 graduate of Priddy High School. He is married to the former Phyllis Holland, and the couple have three children, Kevin, Melanie, and Ashley.



Retiree, Frank McClung hands the keys over to his successor, Jerry Seider.



Frank McClung, retiree, showing new local technician, Jerry Seider interior of the Goldthwaite plant.

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Local Girls, Boys In District Playoffs



Television is being exalted (mostly by itself) as the way most Americans wish to be communicated with.

But no one can convince me that the constant "psychological inroads" made by the tube are good for what ails you.

The news seems to be pointed toward creating one "big and happy world government" with the big continuing on their upward path and the rest of us losing ground.

The simple truth is that the United States is losing ground in order for the others to catch up faster, and that includes Communist Russia.

Any dope will tell you that to ease out of the Panama Canal, for example, will give others the advantage over the U.S. It can't be any other way. No treaty or set of rules and regulations will change that fact. It's eminent.

And this isn't intended to be a gripe session... please contact your representatives about the subjects you feel merit your attention. After all, if it catches your eye, it should be brought into the eye of the person who can do something about it.

And speaking of television, one of those commercials featuring french fries comes to mind.

It used to say, "tastes like homemade"... now it says "tastes like the restaurant makes."

Local basketball enthusiasts are getting their hunger satisfied this year. The two varsity teams, boys and girls, have packed just about all the excitement possible into a district race, and the playoffs are just beginning. Competition is fierce among the teams, but should be carried out only in a fair and sportsmanlike way. When emotions get heated up, sometimes tempers are not far behind. The reputation of our fine institutions and towns are at stake whenever our teams play.

Let's win, and to do it respectfully and graciously is what the game is all about.

By the way, congratulations are in order to Eaglelet coach Rhonda Yarborough and Eagles mentor Smokey Brister for the fine jobs done this year.

Best of luck in the playoffs.

Since this is winter, the following "corn" shouldn't sprout... I hope!

And thwn there was the biologist who crossed Moby Dick with a frog and ended up with a whale of a wart.

The wheel was man's greatest invention until he got behind it.

People who live beyond their means must eventually learn to act their wage.

Football player: "How come God made all of you girls beautiful but dumb?"
Cheerleader: "He made us beautiful so you can love us, and He made us dumb so that we can love you."

GIRLS WRAP-UP

The Eaglelets wrapped up a second half win by defeating Early 62-38. Ruth Ann Johnson scored 20 points, had 9 rebounds, and 5 steals. Sandra Derrick had 18 points, 6 rebounds and 6 steals. Sheila Vaughan had 16 points, 4 rebounds and 4 steals; and Melanie Vaughan had 11 points and 3 rebounds.

DeAnna Henry cleared the board 14 times and stole 4 passes. Cynthia Berry had 12 rebounds and 1 steal; Karen Studer had 3 rebounds and 3 steals; Karla Henry had 4 rebounds and 2 steals; Tina Studer had 1 rebound; and Angela Beavers had 2 rebounds. Ruth Ann made 7 assists.

The score by quarters was: 23-2; 34-11; 48-24; 62-38. The Eaglelets will meet Early in a play-off game in the Brownwood Coliseum at 7:00 p.m. Friday, preceding the first-half championship for the boys banner.

Dublin 85-40. Ruth Ann Johnson scored 29 points, had 5 rebounds and 5 steals; Sandra Derrick had 19 points, 4 rebounds and 1 steal; Sheila Vaughan had 18 points, 3 rebounds and 3 steals; Angela Beavers had 11 points, 3 rebounds and 2 steals; Melanie Vaughan had 8 points and 3 rebounds; DeAnna Henry had 5 rebounds and 4 steals; Cindy Berry had 4 rebounds and 3 steals; Karen Studer had 2 rebounds and 2 steals; Karla Henry had 4 rebounds and 1 steal; and Tina Studer had 3 rebounds and 1 steal.

BOYS WRAP-UP

The Goldthwaite Eagles managed to keep the ball rolling in District 10-A basketball this week, but it took an inspired Bangs team to do the rolling.

Bangs beat Dublin by a nine-point margin on Tuesday night in Dublin to wrap up the second half championship in 10-A.

This means that Goldthwaite, Early and Dublin will have a playoff to determine the first half champion, by virtue of the tie that existed at the halfway mark.

The coaches of the four schools met Tuesday night and the first half playoffs will begin with Goldthwaite playing Dublin Thursday night, at 7:30 at the Howard Payne Gym. Early drew a bye in the first round and will play the winner of the Eagle-Lions game Friday night, following the girls championship game in the old Brownwood Lions gym. The girls game will get underway at 7:00 with the boys game to follow at around 8:30 p.m.

The winner of the first round game will play Early Friday night in the Brownwood Coliseum. The girls game is set first at 7:00, and the boys game will follow at about 8:30.

Coach Smokey Brister commented that the Bangs team looked real tough in the game against Dublin and are very much improved over the first round game where the Eagles came out on top.

The Varsity boys won over Dublin, 53-49, in the Eagle gym Tuesday, Feb. 7. It was an evenly played game with the Eagles dominate all the way. The score by quarters: 12-4; 24-17; 36-33; 53-49.

POINTS, REBOUNDS AND STEALS —

Rodney Scott, 15-8-1.
Jett Johnson, 11-9-3.
Lester Saathoff, 11-9-4.
Mike Lee, 10-3-6.
Jay Sims, 6-9-4.

EARLY WINS OVER EAGLES, FEB. 10

On Friday, February 10, at Early, the Eagles lost to Early with the final score 46-43. This put the Eagles 4-2 in the second half of the season. The score by quarters: 10-6; 24-17; 32-29; 46-43.

POINTS, REBOUNDS AND STEALS —

Lester Saathoff, 16-15-3.
Rodney Scott, 11-4-1.
Mike Lee, 8-4-1.
Jett Johnson, 6-5-2.
Kenneth Lawrence, 2-3-2.
Jay Sims, 2 rebounds and 1 steal.

Kip Welch, Randy Benningfield and Mike Jenkins contributed much to the game also. The team has always worked as a unit and are proud of their 9-3 standing for the 1978 season. The fans enjoy every game, win or lose. The three losses were to Bangs 1 point, Dublin 1 point, and Early 3 points.

JUNIOR VARSITY VS. NEW HORIZON

The J.V. Eagles won over the New Horizon Bucks, Monday night, February 6,

Mills Countian Fined; Given Probated Term

Anthony Harris, 40, of Goldthwaite was arrested by Sheriff H. G. Brooks Monday afternoon and charged with theft of feed in Mills County Court Tuesday morning.

Harris allegedly had been taking feed from the Blackwell lamb feed lot and transporting it across a fence to his feeders in an adjoining pasture.

Sheriff Brooks said Harris had apparently been using this method of operation for

some time, and on Monday night, Brooks staked out the location and allegedly caught Harris at the scene.

Mills County Judge James Ledbetter levied a fine of \$1800 and court costs against Harris. He also ordered Harris to make \$4670 restitution to Hollis Blackwell for the feed that was allegedly taken over a 15 month period. Harris was also assessed a one year probated jail term.

NOTICE TO ALL WOMEN VOLLEY BALL PLAYERS--

Women's volley ball practice will be Thursday, February 16, beginning at 7:00 p.m. in the Goldthwaite gym.

All women who are interested in playing volley ball should be at this practice session this Thursday night.

Sponsored by Fire Dept.

Big-Top Circus Here February 23rd

The Circus is coming to town! There will be plenty of excitement in Goldthwaite on Thursday, Feb. 23, sponsored by the Goldthwaite Fire Department.

This is a full and complete circus in every way. Everyone will enjoy a fantastic live circus performance PLUS a midway lined with the largest menagerie of animals in the circus world today. You will see all kinds of animals from all parts of the world. Everything from a

baby Hippo to a 70-year old elephant. All of these animals are on display to the public absolutely FREE!

One of the feature acts in the main circus performance, under the big top, is Joey Matheson. You will roar with laughter at his hilarious clown acts. Joey is the first graduate of the Ringling Bros. & Barnum & Bailey Circus Clown College. Not only is he the master of comedy, but also one of the finest hand balancers in the circus profession today. See him walk up a flight of stairs on his hands! After that you will say what he does is impossible. Don't miss seeing him.

The circus will be set up at the baseball field, on Old Priddy Road. Tickets are available from any member of the fire department. Advance tickets are \$2.00 adult - \$1.00 children under 12 years old. At the gate, \$3.00 adult, \$2.00 children under 12.



Clowns That Will Perform In Circus Here February 23rd

Sheriff's Office Busy With DWI's

The Mills County Sheriff's office was busy last Friday night, handing three separate driving while intoxicated cases.

All three were taken to the Brown County jail until they could be dealt with in County Court.

Marcia Henry On Honor Roll

Marcia Henry, a student at the Central Texas Commercial College in Brownwood, has maintained an "A" average for the six-week period ending February 9, 1978, according to report from Bonnie Rutledge, Secretary of the College.

Council Election Set April 1 For 3 Places

Goldthwaite's City Council called an alderman election for April 1, 1978 at its regular meeting last Thursday night. Aldermen whose terms expire this year are Tom

Cody Graves, Loy Long and Felton Wright.

Deadline for filing for the office is March 1, 1978 at the City Utilities office in Goldthwaite. The election will be held there also.

Carrie Gray Sportsmanly

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Numbers Down But Livestock Culling Eases

AUSTIN—Texas livestock producers rang in the New Year with the thinnest herds in quite a while, but indications are that recent heavy culling has eased a bit, Agriculture Commissioner Reagan V. Brown has announced.

Brown reported that the number of cattle and calves marketed through auctions statewide towards the end of the year was down some 18

per cent from October, when some of the heaviest runs in recent years took place.

Sales of sheep and lambs also decreased sharply, Brown noted, as did hog sales. A drop of 10 per cent was shown in swine sales, but this did not come close to the 62-per-cent decline in goat sales since October.

"Sales may have seemed to decline drastically in some cases," Brown said, "but actually may be above or equal to levels set last year. The sales drops seem large when compared to the unusually high marketings in the fall."

Lula Morrisey Services Held Monday, February 13

Funeral services for Mrs. Lula Morrisey were conducted Monday, February 13, at 2:00 p.m. in Wilkins Chapel, Goldthwaite.

Interment was in Goldthwaite Memorial Cemetery. Rev. Forrest Pesch and Minister Roland Fry officiated at the services.

Mrs. Morrisey was born December 22, 1899 in New Mexico, was married to Leo J. Morrisey in 1925 in Omaha, Neb., and moved to Goldthwaite from Meridian 29 years ago. Her mother was Mary Elizabeth Hayes and her father Frank Eckert. Survivors include 4 brothers, Allen Eckert, Sweetwater; Howell Eckert, San Angelo; Fayett Eckert, Amarillo; and Homer Eckert, Goldthwaite; one sister, Mrs. Mattie Tinkler of Robert Lee; and a number of nieces and nephews.

Pallbearers were Marvin Laughlin, Johnny Vaughan, Farrest Jernigan, Charles Conradt, Homer Doggett, Taz Renfro. Honorary Pallbearers were Dutch Smith, Prentis Rahl, Barney Laughlin, C. H. Black, Earl Blake and Tip Heatherly.

Windfall Seen

New Social Security Act amendments may bring a \$5.8 million windfall to the Texas treasury, according to the National Conference of State Legislatures.

There will be a stated meeting of Goldthwaite Lodge No. 694, A.F. & A.M.

Thursday, Feb 16, 1978 7:00 p.m.

All Masons Cordially Invited Bobby Wilcox, W.M. Owen B. Yarborough, Sec.

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Tests Approved

A new program to test 100,000 Texas students on reading, writing, arithmetic and citizenship has been approved by the State Board of Education.

Achievement tests will be given in April to pupils selected from elementary, junior high and high schools in every region.

Results will be tabulated by regions and statewide. The program is expected to judge levels of achievement for comparison with national averages and for use in efforts to improve learning in the public school system.



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- PARADE All Varieties LUNCHEON MEATS 6 Oz. Pkg. **49¢**

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New Horizons Ranch Program Explained; Brought Up To Date

No news may be good news in many places, but lots of news is even better news at New Horizons Ranch and Center of Goldthwaite.

1977 was a banner year for our program which serves boys with a history of problems. As a group, we have had many successes and received much welcome news in recent months.

Some of the more exciting events have included the receipt of the state sales tax exemption. As a non-profit center, New Horizons is eligible to receive contributions which are tax-deductible by the contributor. We feel confident this development will further stimulate the generous support from individuals and organizations who have supported us in the past.

For example, one of the most dynamic programs now in operation at the Center is the Honda bike program. Using 24 Honda 70 minibikes furnished free of charge by the Honda Motor Company,

the staff has developed an activity to teach self-discipline and promote self-confidence, along with introducing basic mechanical skills and bike riding.

The boys ride both on tracks they have constructed on the 150-acre campus and off-campus with occasional excursions and trips to Piny Barnett's Ranch.

Of course, minibikes are not the only thing moving along this time of year. Most of the students are involved each day in campus academic programs as well.

New Horizons now has two vocational teachers, one academic teacher and one aide. The Vocational Program has been extremely successful this year with its General Construction Shop, which incorporates carpentry and welding instruction, and the Mechanics Shop.

The New Horizons boys have done much of the work on the shop buildings, housing these two programs.

Many tools for the shops were furnished by the Texas Education Agency.

The focus of the vocational component of the program is now primarily oriented toward helping students acquire marketable skills which can support independent living once the boys are ready to leave the center.

Along these lines and toward this general goal, New Horizons has been extremely fortunate to receive the assistance of Rev. Ben Welch of the First Methodist Church, Goldthwaite, to serve as chaplain. Rev. Welch meets each week with students who are interested in participating in the on-campus religious services.

In evaluating the overall program direction for the past year, it is evident that these changes and additions have added a new dimension to our already-existing services and programs. In addition, the general population of the center has shifted somewhat - and is now made up primarily of Texas youngsters, whose families can participate more fully in our program at New Horizons.

It is also apparent that much of the unprecedented success we have had this year with our boys is due to the availability of these families and their local community resources, combined with the continuing support from the people of Mills County.

Planning for the future of these programs is proceeding optimistically. A 12-member Board, made up of local citizens will soon be utilized in providing current information to the community about our programs and needs. The current Board members are: Clyde Cockrum, Jr., Dr. Tom Cody Graves, Gilbert Davis, Cruz Corona, Frank Bridges, Dr. Marvin Childress, Rev. Dan Connally, Warren Duren, Sue Cockrum, J. D. Harper, Herbert Faulkner and Lewis Hudson.

It is also anticipated that Board members will be able to assist the center in securing support for the con-



Boys Riding Honda Bikes At New Horizons

Brown Supports Parity Goal Gained Through Free Market

AUSTIN--Agriculture Commissioner Reagan V. Brown has announced he supports the goals of the current farm movement, "if those goals can be achieved in the marketplace through the free enterprise system."

In a recent statement, Brown said, "The call for 100 per cent parity by many

farmers and ranchers is a position I can support if continuing development and upgrading of programs and equipment. Although New Horizons has been successful in securing grants as a result of its non-profit status, it is likely that much of the cost of new programs and the equipment necessary to operate these must be raised from contributions, materials and donations of materials, money or labor.

New Horizons is licensed for child care by the Texas Department of Human Resources. A licensing worker visits the center quarterly to insure that all standards of care are being met.

Visitors are welcome to New Horizons on weekday between the hours of 9 a.m. and 4 p.m. A call in advance will help in planning a tour of the facility.

(Contributed)

their goals can be achieved in the marketplace through the free enterprise system."

Brown said he had been assured by farmers and ranchers that this was their objective.

"Farmers and ranchers must have unimpeded access to domestic and foreign markets. This means protection from embargoes, boycotts, restrictive legislation, price ceilings and other restrictions to free trade. We can achieve for the farmers and ranchers a fair share of this country's prosperity," he stressed.

"The American farmer and rancher is fighting for his very survival," he continued. "He has less control over the prices he receives than any other industry. The cost of production, compared with the prices agricultural producers receive today, places losses at Depression levels."

Special Thanks Given To Green Fund Donors

Goldthwaite High School wishes to thank everyone who has donated to the James Green Fund, which has helped defray the medical expenses of many people of the town contributing, Charles Conradt and Buddy Rountree conducted an auction at the Dublin game last Tuesday night, February 7th. They auctioned cakes which were donated by the

following students: Kelly Sheppard, Stephenie Landrum, Karen Studer, Sandra Derrick, Mary Treadaway, Shelly Covington, Debra Hobson and Becky Hogan.

The buyers of the cakes were Hollis Blackwell, Mills County Locker, Mills County State Bank, Yarborough's, G. C. Head Insurance, Leroy Stacy Insurance, Gordon

Banks, Schwartz Food Store, Hill Country Store, and Steen's Hardware.

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New Arrival

Mr. and Mrs. David Bruce Holley of Evant, Texas wish to announce the arrival of a son, David Bruce Holley II, born February 9, 1978 at 12:30 P.M. at Childress Clinic and Hospital in Goldthwaite.

Maternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Fred W. Bray of Houston, Texas.

Paternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Shelby Martin of Madera, California.

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★ Star Community News

Monday evening, Feb. 6th, the Junior High teams went to Cherokee where they won their games with the Indians.

JR. HI DISTRICT TOURNAMENT AT STAR

On Thursday and Friday the Jr. High District Tournament was in the Star Gym. There was a good turnout for the games. Teams participated from Priddy, Lometa, Cherokee and Star.

The final results were Priddy girls and boys in 3rd place; Star girls and boys 2nd place; and Lometa boys and girls took 1st place. The officials chose six boys and six girls for all-tournament medals. Those chosen from Star were Gina Britten, Becky McMullen, Darryl Newton and Jamie Tidwell, who received medals.

The Star community extends deepest sympathy to the Donnelly family in the death of Mr. Donnelly.

There are many sick at this time, so it might be a good idea to take precaution and eat right and dress warmly. Among those who are ill is Shirley Duncan, who is in the hospital with the flu. We hope she gets well soon.

(Too late for last week)

JR. HIGH VS. PRIDDY

The Star Jr. High played at Priddy Monday night, Jan. 30th. The girls played well and won by 4 points. The boys lost their game by 9 points. They end the season with the Junior High Tournament at Star this weekend. They played in the Evant Tournament over this past weekend. The Jr. High girls earned the Consolation trophy, but the boys played for third place on Saturday evening and lost to Gatesville 7th Grade. Both teams have played real well this year.

STAR LENDS PLAYERS TO POTTSVILLE

On Jan. 31st, the Star High School was scheduled to play Pottsville, but due to illness the Pottsville coach called to forfeit the game, but Coach Buffe offered to

lend him some girls to play so that they could go ahead and have a practice game. It was quite a game, and a problem deciding who to yell for. Patti Knight, Dixie Clary and Kelly Whitlock played for Pottsville. The final score was Star 67 and Pottsville 26. Dixie was high point player for the Pottsville team. Those who scored for Star were Natalie Whitlock, Terri Britten, Stephanie Hartley and Ramona Tidwell.

The star-Pottsville boys game was the real thing and the final score was Star 45 to Pottsville 44. Those who scored for Star were Huntis Dittmar, Phillip Hartley, Harold Franks, Vandell Norwood, James Griffin, Steve Boyd, and Glenn Rhoades.

STAR PLAYS IN LOMETA TOURNAMENT

The High School boys "B" team played in the Lometa "B" team Tournament, beginning with a game against the Lometa Football team Thursday, which Star lost. They returned on Thursday to play Lometa "B" Team and they lost that game by 4 points.

Friday evening the High School played at Lometa and it was the worst called game this writer has ever seen. The girls lost with a final score of 31-56. The boys played as hard as they could, but lost with the final score being 40-64. The officials for these games were the worst I have ever seen and because of this, the game was unnecessarily rough.

BIBLE STUDY BEGINS

The Star Baptist Church began a Bible Study and Prayer meeting at 6:00 p.m. on Sunday, February 6. The subject under study at present will be Christian Doctrine. If you do not attend church services somewhere on Sunday evening, why not join in this study.

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Services For Floyd Donnelly Held Saturday, Feb. 11

Funeral services for Floyd Paul Donnelly, who passed away Saturday, February 11, 1978, were held Monday, Feb. 13 in Wilkins Chapel, Goldthwaite, with Rev. Forrest Pesch officiating. Mr. Donnelly, age 65, was born May 25, 1912 in Lavaca County, Texas. On September 28, 1937 he was married to Agnes Schindler at Sweethome (Lavaca Co.), and they moved to Star from Lavaca County in 1959. He was Catholic. Interment was in the Payne Gap Cemetery. Survivors include his wife, Agnes; two sons, Floyd Don-

nelly of Goldthwaite, and Ervin Donnelly of Gustine; 5 daughters, Betty Jean Waterson of Tyler, Julia S. Holder of Athens, Mary Lou Mims of Medina, Phireasa Luedeke of Stephenville, and Helen Young of Dublin; Also 2 brothers, Alton Donnelly of Yoakum and Alvin Donnelly of Corpus Christi; three sisters, Pearl Wise of Palfrrias, Ruth Henry and Mable Hoffer of Corpus; 8 grandchildren and 1 step grandchild. Pallbearers were Doris Patterson, Steve Jurek, Pat Carswell, Paul Lee, Glenn Dale Duncan and J. D. Hunt.



AUSTIN—Only a little more than 60 per cent of the state's eight million eligible voters are registered, and Texas Secretary of State Steve Oaks has kicked off a massive drive to raise the figure. The registration effort aims at signing up at least another one million voters. A bilingual staff will coordinate the effort from Oak's office, working with newspapers, radio and television stations and civic groups. For the first time, voters can register by mail with a postage-free post card application form submitted to county tax assessor-collectors. When an application is processed, a new yellow registration certificate will be mailed to the voter. Current blue cards expire March 1. Voters now registered automatically receive 1978-79 certificates, but many are being returned due to changes of address and a "cleanup" of voter rolls. In Dallas, 28 per cent of the 600,000 certificates have been returned to local election officials, Oaks said. Voters who haven't received their yellow certificates already, should make applications now, Oaks advised. Registration is possible up to 30 days before an election. More than 2,000 grocery and convenience stores and about 500 high schools, colleges and universities will receive application forms distributed by Oaks' office. Eleven thousand letters will be sent to citizens organizations requesting their help.

Services For Hettie Booker Held Saturday

Funeral services were held for Hettie Sloan Booker on February 11, 1978, in the Wilkins Chapel, with Rev. Ben Welch officiating. Mrs. Booker, 91, was born August 2, 1886 in Coryell County. She was a Methodist. Interment was in Rose House Cemetery, Coryell County, Texas. She is preceded in death by a daughter Lalla Burney, May 5, 1977. Mrs. Booker passed away Thursday, February 8, 1978 at Heritage Nursing Home, Goldthwaite. She moved to Goldthwaite from Lampasas in 1951. Survivors include a son, James R. Sloan of Austin; one sister, Lalla Davenport of San Antonio; one niece, Hester Davenport; and a nephew Jack Wicker, of Littlefield. Pallbearers were Andy Morgan, Buddy Morgan, Roy Conner, Bobby Morgan, David Conner and Homer Doggett.

Edgar Burkett Services Held Saturday, Feb. 11

Funeral services for Edgar L. Burkett, of Mullin, were conducted Saturday, Feb. 11, 1978 in Wilkins Funeral Chapel at Goldthwaite, with Dayton House officiating. Mr. Burkett, 88, was born May 28, 1889 in Mullin. He married Evelyn Barton in Mullin on April 20, 1910, and they lived in Mills County most all of their married life. She preceded him in death in June, 1953.

He was a member of the Church of Christ and the Masonic Lodge. He passed away Thursday, February 9, 1978 in Citizens Memorial Hospital, Victoria, Texas. Interment was in the Oakview Cemetery at Mullin. Survivors include one son, Jake B. Burkett of Lancaster, N. Y.; two daughters, Mrs. Juanelle Curtis of Goliad, and Mrs. Blanche B. Britt of Victoria; 1 brother, John Burkett of Goldthwaite; three sisters, Mrs. Gladys Hodges of Goldthwaite; Mrs. Bertie Chambers of Mullin; and Mrs. Madell Goodwin of



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Appeals upheld constitutionality of the law changing the method of capital punishment from the electric chair to injection by lethal substance. An Austin federal district court held the Texas child pornography control law unconstitutional because it doesn't provide that films and photographs to be banned must be "obscene." A drug manufacturer won a retrial, through Supreme Court verdict, of a case in which a Corpus Christi man who lost his hearing after taking one of the company's infection control drugs was awarded a \$400,000 damage verdict. The Supreme Court upheld a jury verdict against the suit by a man who said he traded a Dallas hotel for Burnet County lake lots but discovered the person he was dealing with didn't own the lots. A life sentence assessed a Wichita Falls police officer accused of hiring a gunman to kill his estranged wife was upheld by the Court of Criminal Appeals. The Supreme Court concluded a company's term royalties were not ended by a 103-day drilling halt in Live Oak County. The Third Court of Civil Appeals agreed an architect accused of placing his name and seal on plans for a hospital in Brownsville drawn by another architect should lose his license. Appointments Gov. Dolph Briscoe named Corbin J. Robertson Jr. of Houston chairman of an advisory committee to the Natural Resources Council. Briscoe appointed C.W. "Bud" Duncan Jr. of Killeen judge of the 27th district court of Bell, Lampasas and Mills Counties. He also appointed T.J. Massingill of Houston to the Veterans Land Board and Charles B. Skiller III to the Texas Commission on Alcoholism. Short Snorts J. Chrys Dougherty of Austin and John Estes of Dallas have been nominated for president-elect of the State Bar of Texas board of directors. Election for the State Bar presidency will be by written ballot among 30-

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Bruce Perkins, Pastor
Sunday School, 10:00 a.m.
Morning Worship, 11:00 a.m.
Evening Worship, 7:00 p.m.

Mullin
BAPTIST CHURCH
Joe Rigsby, Pastor
Sunday School, 9:45 a.m.
Morning Worship, 10:50 a.m.
Bible Study, 6:00 p.m.
Evening Worship, 7:00 p.m.
Wednesday Prayer Meeting, 8:00 p.m.

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ZION LUTHERAN CHURCH
Rev. Don Vlasak, Pastor
Sunday School, 9:30 a.m.
Worship Service, 10:30 a.m.

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Morning Worship, 11:00 a.m.
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When The Old Bird Was Younger



5 Years Ago

Taken from the Eagle files
of February 15, 1973.

Goldthwaite Volunteer
firemen braved sub-freezing
temperatures last Thursday
night to fight a fire at the
Jerry Dellis home, located on
Reilly Street. The entire
contents of the house were
destroyed.

Susan Derrick has been
named GHS's 1973 Betty
Crocker Homemaker of To-
morrow.

Approximately 20 enthusi-
astic Garden Clubbers of
Goldthwaite turned out for a
brief Arbor Day ceremony
and the planting of two
Crepe Myrtles on the Mills
County Courthouse lawn on
Tuesday, February 6th.

A special called session of
the Goldthwaite City Council
gave all city employees a
generous cost of living pay
increase last Saturday morn-
ing.

The group of basketball
super stars, the Harlem
Stars, will make their ap-
pearance in Goldthwaite on
Friday night, Feb. 16, at the
Goldthwaite High School
gym.

45 yrs. ago (2-10-33)-
Sherman Millican uncovered
an Indian grave in Lampasas
county recently near Bend.
His plow struck a rock,
exposing 8 skeletons - one of
them had an arrow through
it.

15 Years Ago

Taken from the Eagle files
of February 12, 1953.

Johnny Wigley, age 13,
son of Mrs. Fisher Wigley,
entered the grand champion
steer of the 1953 Houston Fat
Stock Show and Rodeo.

Colliers Grocery, owned
and operated by Leonard
Collier, will celebrate its 3rd
Anniversary with a special
sale and added attractions
this Friday and Saturday.

Mrs. Jim Weatherly was
elected Librarian of the
Jennie Trent Dew Memorial
Library at the meeting of the
Library Board last Wednes-
day.

Chester Brooks has re-
signed from the Eagle Staff,
where he has been working
in the news and mechanical
departments, along with his
school work as a senior of
Goldthwaite High School.

LeRoy Miller officially be-
came the new owner of the
service station formerly
known as George Gilbert
Service Station, located on
the southeast corner of the
square last Friday. He is the
former owner of Miller Gulf
Service Station, now owned
by Oma Shaw.

According to announce-
ment by the office of the Tax
Assessor - Collector, 1,178
Poll Taxes were issued
before the deadline of Janu-
ary 31, 1953.

25 Years Ago

Taken from the Eagle files
of February 14, 1963.

Darlain and Darleen Sher-
wood, twin daughters of Mr.
and Mrs. W. C. Sherwood,
are the 1962-63 Sweethearts
of the Goldthwaite FFA
Chapter. They are juniors in
high school.

Tots To Teens Shop in
Goldthwaite has been sold by
Bessie Crews to Jane Hamil-
ton, effective last Thursday,
February 7.

Central, Texas Telephone
Coop. Inc. has purchased the
Ewart Telephone Com-
pany, it was announced this
week by R. C. Summy,
manager of the co-op at the

Mills County Farm Bureau Newsletter Extension Wrap-Up

Danny Long
County Agent

The Mills County Farm
Bureau Policy Development
Committee plan to seek help
and advice from all members
in the County this year.
Chester Huggins is chairman
of this Committee. Others
serving on the Committee
are Mrs. Huggins, Mr. and
Mrs. Arnold Head and Mr.
and Mrs. Nick Sublett.

Our local Farm Bureau is
very much concerned about
the policies and objectives of
some of the groups that are
proclaiming to represent all
of the ranchers and farmers
of America today.

We welcome comments
and suggestions by all who
have a sincere interest in
Mills County farming and
ranching.

Later this year the Policy
Development Committee
plans to conduct meetings in
the communities of Mills
County to give each of you a
chance to present your ideas
on how we can improve the
agricultural situation in our
county.

company headquarters in
Goldthwaite.

Durenville is opening for
business today under new
management of George Mel-
ton, operating as Melton's
Truck Stop - open house this
Saturday from 8 a.m. - 10
p.m. with free coffee and
donuts.

Richard Jones arrived home
Friday night after 28
months service with the U.S.
Army in Germany. He re-
ceived his discharge on
February 6.

65 yrs. ago (2-8-13) - Mr.
T. W. ... purchased
500 acres of land from J. C.
Street in Payne community.
This is part of the old Spruill
Ranch and is valuable prop-
erty.

7:00 p.m. This date is
tentative. The TDA informed
me that the training for
certification requires 1-1/2
hours to complete.

This is very likely the only
certification training pro-
gram we will be able to
schedule in our county due to
the schedule of the TDA
training personnel. If you
plan to utilize the method of
control, I strongly encourage
you to be recertified.

If you have questions, or if
we can be of service, please
feel free to contact the
County Extension Agent's
Office - 648-2650.

Lula Shave Services Held

Chappell Hill News

Pearl Crawford
How did you like the sleet
and a little dab of snow? Not
too good out this way, we
keep around the fire.

Warren Harris has been
helping Mr. and Mrs. O. L.
Harris feed livestock.
William G. and Albert
Crawford have been coming
to feed our livestock. It is not
so hard when you can carry
the feed in a pickup.

Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Now-
ell have been busy with little
lambs. We hope they have
good luck.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C.
Wesson, Clinton and Carl
were Sunday visitors of Mr.
and Mrs. Lou Stanhke. They
enjoyed dinner and supper
together.

We have very little news.
We do have pretty sunshine
today. We wish all the sick
folks a speedy recovery.

Political Announcement Calendar

The following have author-
ized the Eagle to announce
their candidacies for public
office subject to the Demo-
cratic Primary election to be
held Saturday, May 6, 1978.

COUNTY

For Mills County Judge
James Ledbetter
Billy B. Hale

For Justice of the Peace
Precinct 1
Ernest H. Thorne
[Re-Election]
Marvin Lindsay

For County Treasurer
Evelyn Smith
Peggy Jenkins
Dee Harris

For Mills County Clerk
and District Clerk
Walter A. "Toby" Bryant
[Re-Election]

Cynthia Carr

For County Commissioner
Precinct 2
Lewis D. Watson
[Re-Election]

For County Commissioner
Precinct 4
Hawley B. Jernigan
[Re-Election]

For County Commissioner
Precinct 1
[Unexpired]
W.G. "Bill" Bishop

STATE

For State Representative
District 43
Stan Schlueter
[Re-Election]

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Eggs 2 dozen \$1.00

Sour Cream, Half & Half, Whipping Cream 49c

Cottage Cheese 99c

Texize 69c

Tabby 5 for \$1.00

Pie Filling 99c

Apple Juice 89c

Peaches 2 for 79c

Popcorn 19c

Tamales 39c

CRISCO \$1.69

Grape Jelly 99c

Peanut Butter 79c

Prune Juice 69c

MILK \$1.55

Tissue 4 for 69c

Towels 2 for 79c

Vienna Sausage 3 for \$1.00

Chili 3 for \$1.00

Tomato Sauce 7 for \$1.00

Green Beans 5 for \$1.00

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Pie Shells 39c

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MORTON Assorted MEAT DINNERS 59c

Miracle Whip 78c

Corn 4 for \$1.00

Crackers 49c

Pinto Beans 29c

SCOT TOWELS 49c

JOY \$1.79

Light Bulbs 2 for 79c

Right Guard \$1.39

Syrup 79c

Coca-Cola or Sprite 4 for \$1.00

Salad Dressing 59c

Rolls 3 for \$1.00

Tomatoes 3 for \$1.00

Oatmeal 89c

Sweet Peas 5 for \$1.00

Carnation 99c

Friskies 5 for \$1.00

Corn Flakes 12 for 49c

Tomatoes 29c

Potatoes 20 for \$1.24

Ice Cream 88c

Mullin Community News

By Lillian Plummer

Visitors with Mr. and Mrs. Linville Calder during the weekend were Mr. and Mrs. Lois Williams and Kenneth of Lockney; Mr. and Mrs. John Higgins of Lake Merritt; Mrs. Mary Nickell and Chad, Mrs. Opal McKinney, Mrs. Vernon Brannon and Mr. and Mrs. Rex West, all of Brownwood; also, Mr. and Mrs. Audrey Keating, Mr. and Mrs. Dusty Durst, and Rex Williams of Mullin. Many friends and relatives were saddened by the death

of Mr. Edgar Burkett. Mr. Ed was one of our pioneer citizens of this community. Mrs. Ollie Lee Holland of San Angelo visited here over the weekend with her sisters, Mrs. Eva Belle Roberts and Mrs. Lewis Pafford. Mr. and Mrs. Jim Weatherby of Goldthwaite visited in my home Sunday afternoon. Mr. and Mrs. Jake Burkett of Lancaster, N.Y. were here a few days last week. Mr. and Mrs. Jake May spent last week in Birmingham, Ala. They visited their daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Jeff

Roseman and children. The Mays stopped at the National Military Park, Vicksburg, Miss., on the return trip. Mr. and Mrs. Douglas Sedberry of Waco spent the weekend with her mother, Mrs. Margaret Toliver. Mr. and Mrs. Elbert Phillips went to Richardson Saturday to see their son, Riley Phillips and family. Mrs. Alta Dean Bufo and little granddaughter of Eules spent Saturday and Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Alton Runnels. Mr. Rex Tullos of Waco is here visiting with his mother, Mrs. Ruth Tullos. Mrs. Eva Slater spent the weekend in Lampasas with her daughter and family. Guests of Mr. and Mrs. Will Sanders were Mr. and Mrs. Albert Jenke of Austin; Mr. and Mrs. Walter Sanders and Mr. Roy Sanders of San Antonio; Mr. and Mrs. Bill Sanders of Star; and Terry Aldridge, who is moving from Brownwood to Longview. Mrs. Mallie Lou Garren of San Antonio was also a visitor in the Sanders home last week. Friends of Mrs. Jewell Baskin will be happy to hear that she is recovering satisfactorily after having surgery in a Dallas hospital. "The optimist is as often wrong as the pessimist, but he is far happier".

Cowdogs Real Roundup Time Friends

AUSTIN—if it's true that dog is man's best friend, then the relationship between cowdogs and cattlemen should be extremely close, notes Agriculture Commissioner Reagan V. Brown. Indeed, hardworking cowdogs have long been an asset to cattlemen and other livestock producers when it comes to rounding up stock, says Brown. "A good dog offers many advantages during a roundup because he is fast, intelligent and can maneuver tighter than a horse can," said Brown. "The use of dogs on Texas ranches is by no means a new thing," Brown said. "Man and dog have been working side by side for years. The amount of labor that a good cowdog can save is truly amazing, and, in these inflation-squeezed times, such efficiency means dollars saved."



MAN'S BEST FRIEND - Texas cattlemen have found dogs, such as the Border Collie shown above, to be almost invaluable when rounding up cattle and other livestock, according to Agriculture Commissioner Reagan V. Brown. Dogs are fast, smart and maneuverable, he notes.

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Mr. Rex Tullos of Waco is here visiting with his mother, Mrs. Ruth Tullos. Mrs. Eva Slater spent the weekend in Lampasas with her daughter and family. Guests of Mr. and Mrs. Will Sanders were Mr. and Mrs. Albert Jenke of Austin; Mr. and Mrs. Walter Sanders and Mr. Roy Sanders of San Antonio; Mr. and Mrs. Bill Sanders of Star; and Terry Aldridge, who is moving from Brownwood to Longview. Mrs. Mallie Lou Garren of San Antonio was also a visitor in the Sanders home last week. Friends of Mrs. Jewell Baskin will be happy to hear that she is recovering satisfactorily after having surgery in a Dallas hospital. "The optimist is as often wrong as the pessimist, but he is far happier".

Hospital Report

FEBRUARY 7.
Admitted: Clara Ward Lawson, Altha Lee Robertson, of Goldthwaite.
Discharged: Edith Mae Fryer, Lena Brown and Velma Lucille Lawton.
FEBRUARY 8.
Admitted: Addie Elizabeth Soules of Evant.
Discharged: George Lawson Kemp.
FEBRUARY 9.
Admitted: Janie Thresa Holley and Baby Boy Holley of Evant; Lola Bell Ducey; Patty Johnson, of Goldthwaite.
FEBRUARY 10.
Admitted: Henry William Kent and Floyd P. Donnelly of Goldthwaite; Robert Clary of Evant.
Discharged: Olga Seider.
FEBRUARY 11.
Admitted: Lena Brown, Shirley Ann Duncan and James Rodger Horton, all of Goldthwaite.
Discharged: Patty Joyce Johnson.
FEBRUARY 12.
None Admitted; None Discharged
FEBRUARY 13.
Admitted: Ola Mae How-

ell, Sudie Rebecca Walton, Julian D. Evans and Mollie Ann Duncan all of Goldthwaite; Aaron O. Newton of Hamilton.
Discharged: James Rodger Horton, James Isaac Green, Antonio DeLeon, Altha Lee Robertson, Robert Clary, Janie Thresa Holley and Baby Boy Holley.

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Senior Citizens' Bits and Pieces

The Klitter Klatter Band is busy again as they played for our Rest Homes last week. February 14th the Band went to South Park Health Care Center in Brownwood to play, as they rocked in rocking chairs and rolled in wheel chairs to benefit the Heard Fund.
Calendar for the Week:
Feb. 17: 11:45 Meal at the Center.
Feb. 20: Holiday.
Feb. 21: 9:00 - 5:00, Veterans Adm. Officer at Center; 11:45, Meal.
Feb. 22: 10:00-12:00 Health Clinic at Center; 1:00 - 4:00, Goldthwaite Center games.
Feb. 23: Social Security Representative at Center; 11:45, Meal; 10:30-Band leaves for Central United Methodist Church, Brownwood, to play and fellowship.
MENUS FOR WEEK:
FEBRUARY 17 -
Vegetable Soup, Hamburger, Potato Chips, Tomato, Onion and Pickle Mustard & Salad Dressing, Ice Cream.
FEBRUARY 21 -
Ground Beef, Whipped Potatoes, Carrots; Hot Biscuit, Canned Fruit Salad.
FEBRUARY 23 -
Fried Chicken; Orange Juice; Buttered Noodles; Green Beans; Hot Roll, Cream.
A reminder that the County Senior Center will close February 20 in observance of Washington's birthday.
Sign on a billboard: "I am not watching the news."
The facility of riches stated plainly in two places: the Bible and the income tax form.

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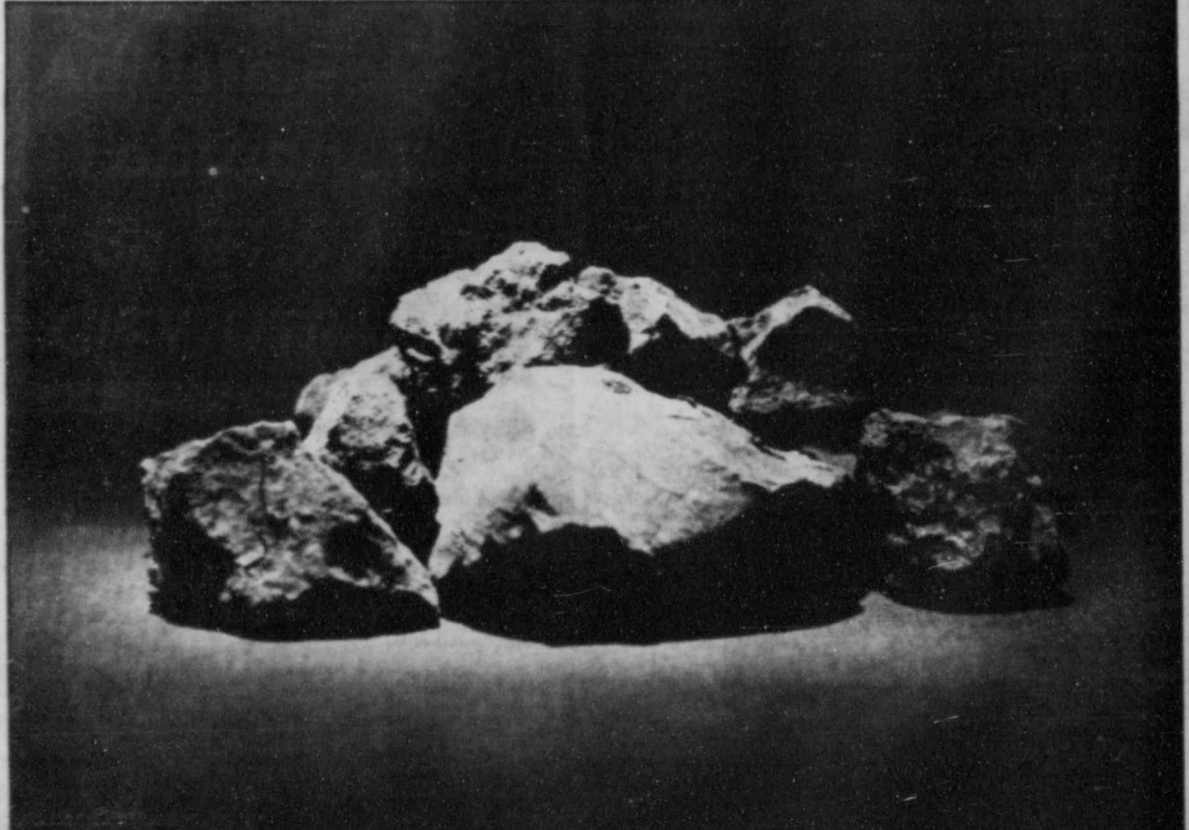
Under Section 8 of the Housing and Community Development Act of 1974, families or individuals with low incomes and/or who are elderly (62 or older), disabled, displaced or handicapped may qualify for financial help with their monthly rent payments provided the rental unit meets the "fair market rents" established for the program by H.U.D. You may rent a privately owned apartment, a single family home, a duplex or a mobile home.

The maximum income limits for families and individuals who may qualify for rent assistance in the CTHAPP area are shown below:

County	Number Of Family Members							
	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
Bell	\$5400	\$6200	\$7000	\$7800	\$8300	\$8800	\$9300	\$9800
Coryell	5400	6200	7000	7800	8300	8800	9300	9800
Hamilton	4400	5000	5600	6300	6700	7100	7500	7900
Lampasas	4700	5300	6000	6700	7100	7500	7900	8400
Milam	5100	5800	6600	7300	7800	8200	8700	9200
Mills	4900	5600	6300	7000	7400	7900	8300	8800
San Saba	3600	4200	4700	5200	5600	5900	6200	6600

Under the Section 8 program almost all families or qualified individuals whose ONLY INCOME is from Social Security, AFDC, or Disability benefits, or from minimum wages may be eligible for rent assistance. So... if you feel you are your family might qualify meet with a CTHAPP representative at our Belton offices or at one of the regularly scheduled periods in your area.

FOR MORE INFORMATION
Mills County Courthouse
Second Floor
1:30 p.m. to 3:30 p.m.
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Regency News

Mrs. Alton Jones
We sure have been having some terrible weather. Rain, Sleet and Snow, an the coldest time I ever saw. So many people have the flu.
Zora Rowlett went to Brownwood Tuesday to stay with her sick grandson while his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ross Rowlett taught school. Andy and Zora Rowlett had supper with Mr. and Mrs. Taylor Duncan Sunday night.
Robert, Diane and Junior Phillips came out Saturday afternoon to help us get some wood. Also Jerry and Jeanette Cooper was in on the wood gathering.
Alton, Kay and I visited Uncle Jack Whitley and Bonnie Friday afternoon, they were as usual.
Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Cooper went to Palestine Friday to spend a few days with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Marshall Hodges.
The Robert Phillips' of Goldthwaite and Luther and Jeanie Phillips of San Saba had supper with us Sunday night.
Jess Whitley of Goldthwaite visited us Sunday afternoon. He had spent the day with his dad, Jack Whitley and Bonnie at Spring Creek.
Mr. and Mrs. Earl Parks of Locker visited us Sunday afternoon.
The Parks family have our sympathy in the loss of their sister, Katie Merle Parks. Scott Sears visited us Sunday afternoon.

Mills County Youth Among Houston Livestock Show Entries

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Twenty Mills County 4-H
and FFA members will
participate in the 1978
Houston Livestock Show and
Rodeo, February 22 - March
5th. With more than 22,500
expected livestock entries,
the Houston Show will once
again be the largest in the
world.

Those from Goldthwaite
exhibiting livestock are:
Stuart Bridges, Debbie
Lindsey, Tassie Long, and
Chad Beavers.

From Mullin there will be
exhibitions by Rickey Mini-
ca, Amy Sanders, Delton

Whisenhunt, Debbie Lind-
sey, Becky Lindsey, Scott
Kirby, Bodie Kirby, Don
Jackson, Sue Jackson, Lee
Jackson, Jerry King, Jeff
Shelton, Tracy Couch, and
Randy Perry.

From Star there will be
Steve Boyd and Lee Owens
exhibiting.

Opening the rodeo on
February 24 for two per-
formances is Mac Davis;
followed by other famous
country-western celebrities
on each night of the Live-
stock Show and Rodeo.



BITSY HILL

Mrs. John Hill Visits Here Thurs. On Campaign Trail

Mrs. John (Bitsy) Hill was
in Goldthwaite on Thursday
afternoon, February 9, on
behalf of her husband's
campaign for Governor.

A reception from 2:00 -
4:00 p.m. was held for Mrs.
Hill at the Mills County State
Bank Community Room. She
was going from here to San
Saba and Gatesville.

Mrs. Hill is covering as
many communities as possi-
ble during the campaign,
since John is busy in Austin
and will not have much time
for campaigning. They had
covered over 70 counties
when she was here.

Bitsy's life in Austin is
divided among her primary
interests of assisting her
husband's political career,
contributing to Austin civic
affairs, and enjoying her

children and four grand-
children during visits at the
family ranch near Dripping
Springs. Her civic activities
have included heading the
1976 Travis County Ameri-

can Cancer Society drive and
serving on the advisory
board of the "Meals on
Wheels" program for senior
citizens.

Research is Improving Widely Popular Pecan

Commercial pecan pro-
duction in Texas has, for
many years, gone up and
down like a yo-yo. Now sci-
entists believe they have
discovered a major cause of
such widely varied produc-
tion.

To get some idea of what
this discovery has meant to
pecans, consider these fig-

ures. Within the past five
years, pecan production in
Texas has varied from 20 mil-
lion pounds, with sales of \$8
million, to 75 million pounds
and sales of nearly \$31 mil-
lion.

Experiment Station re-
search reveals that a defi-
ciency of minor elements
may be partly to blame.
Zinc nutrition research has
led to a breakthrough in
minor element nutrition that
has boosted yields of pecans
and increased profits as
much as \$170 per acre, ac-
cording to Dr. J. Benton
Storey, professor of horticul-
ture with the Texas Agricul-
tural Experiment Station
(TAES).

The minor element work
on pecans has spinoff bene-
fits for other crops such as
cherries, almonds, lettuce,
peaches, apples, and beans.
This Experiment Station-
pioneered research has
shown astonishing results in
California. Cherry yields
were increased by \$780 per
acre, almond yields by \$300
per acre, and black-eyed
peas by 420 pounds per acre.

In 1977, Storey says ex-
tensive trials are underway
on other crops throughout
the United States.
The pecan, the most wide-
ly distributed tree crop in
Texas, is the State tree and
native to 152 counties. Na-
tive pecan groves in these
counties total 625,000 acres.

About 30 additional coun-
ties with commercial pro-
duction boost the State's
total of planted orchards to
200,000 acres. In addition,
uncountable thousands of
pecan trees grow in home
landscapes and are valued
for their beauty, shade, and
food.

A new, large, pecan vari-
ety, Kiowa, that can be
grown in either east or west
Texas, has been released by
the Agricultural Research
Service (ARS) USDA. This
pecan is usually sold un-
shelled to customers. The
Kiowa comes into bearing
4 years after planting, com-
in pecan orchards in the
Trans-Pecos has resulted in
two methods of improved
weed control. The first, an
improved knife-type shallow
cultivator, is already in ex-
tensive use in the area and
has given better weed con-
trol with decreased power
output.

There has been a 16-per-
cent increase in nut size by
reduced root pruning ac-
cording to Hanna. This in-
crease in nut size has been
realized on production of
2.75 million pounds

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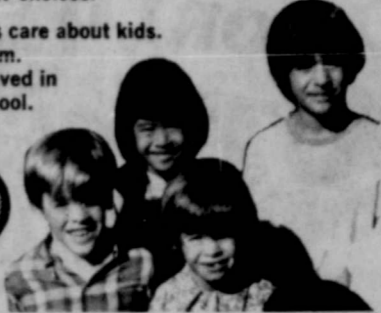
For parents of 2 to 5 year olds
When parents read to pre-schoolers, it makes
it easier for the youngsters to read later. Obtain
books and read to your child often. Introduce
your child to the library early.

For parents of 6 to 10 year olds
You can enhance your child's interest during
early school years. Include your child in activi-
ties, such as museums, trips, plays, the zoo.

For parents of 11 to 14 year olds
Junior High School students want to know
the "why" of what they're learning. Encourage
family discussions and explore the facts.

For parents of 15 to 17 year olds
Teenagers often worry about their life plans
and occupations. Discuss decisions openly with
your teenager. Talk to teachers and counselors
to find out how you can help your child make
important choices.

Teachers care about kids.
Help them.
Get involved in
your school.



Mills County TSTA

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Engagement Announced

Mr. and Mrs. George M. School, attended Cisco Junior
Sears of Zephyr have an- College and Tarleton
nounced the engagement State University. He is
and approaching marriage presently employed by the
of their daughter, Sandra Kay, Kohler Company.

The February 25th wed-
ding is planned for 7 p.m. at
the Zephyr Church of Christ
with Robert Barkley officiat-
ing. Friends and relatives are
invited to attend.

A graduate of Zephyr High
School, the bride-elect is
employed at the Brownwood
Community Hospital. The
prospective bridegroom, a
graduate of Mullin High

Lometa Commission Company Market Report

Lometa, Texas

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Light Weight Steer Calves	45.00	60.00
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Heavy Weight Steer Calves	48.00	55.00
Light Weight Heifer Calves	38.00	48.00
Medium Weight Heifer Calves	38.00	46.00
Heavy Weight Heifer Calves	38.00	43.00
Feeder Heifers	33.00	39.00
Feeder Steers	44.00	48.00
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Cows and Calves	185.00	314.00
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Packer Bulls	28.00	34.50
Packer Cows	24.00	32.50
Shelly Cows	18.00	24.00

All choice light weight steer and heifer calves were
fully steady. Medium weight steer and heifer calves
were fully steady. Heavy weight steer and heifer calves
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higher.

REPRESENTATIVE SALES

Dale Duncan, Goldthwaite, 430# Charolais	
Cross Heifer	at \$42.75
Roy Conner, Bee House, 295# Charolais	
Cross Steer	at \$58.50
H. L. Berry, Goldthwaite, 420# Hereford steer	at \$54.50
and 350# Hereford steer	at \$57.00
G. E. Duncan, Brady, 385# BWF heifer	at \$46.50
340# BWF steer	at \$59.00
450# BWF heifer	at \$44.75
and 330# BWF steer	at \$66.00
Charlie Hood, Florence, 350# Hereford steer	at \$58.00

All classes of cattle were fully steady with last weeks
sharp rise. Packer cows and plainer kinds of cattle were
\$1 higher. We had a very active market.

REMEMBER, OUR SALE STARTS AT
12:00 NOON ON FRIDAY



Promise during 1978 to give your body at least as good care as you give your car. You take your car in once a year to have it spread. Right? Well, why not do the same for your body? Periodic examinations are the best way yet devised to detect bodily disorders while

they can still be treated successfully," says Dr. Fratis L. Duff, Commissioner of Health, Texas Department of Health. "Let your doctor look you over thoroughly once a year whether you're ailing or not. Make it twice yearly if you're middle-aged. Your physician can give

you the proper schedule." Do your clothes seem to fit a little more snugly these days? If so, it could mean you're putting on weight, which is a lot harder to take off than it is to put on. "Too much weight contributes to high blood pressure, and may be associated with hardening of the arteries

habit. If you still smoke, now's the time to quit. Tomorrow could be too late," said Dr. Duff. Proper nutrition should go hand in hand with the other resolutions for good health in 1978. To provide your body with the essential nutrients to make it function properly, proper diet is necessary. Don't overlook fresh fruits and vegetables.

"Following these resolutions may sound old-fashioned, quaint, even unimportant in this age of open-heart surgery, organ transplants, and other forms of highly sophisticated medical technology," said Dr. Duff. "But good health today can be described as a do-it-yourself proposition in many ways. One of the chief health problems today in the country is behaviour-related illness."

Dr. Duff noted one example: A few years ago, Dr. Lester Breslow, Dean of the School of Public Health, and various forms of heart disease," said Dr. Duff. "Also, it means impaired vigor, greater surgical risk and greater danger from otherwise minor illnesses."

On the other hand, if you've noticed an unusual loss of weight, you should consult your physician.

A good, physician-prescribed exercise regimen will keep your body in shape, tone up your heart muscles and put the spring back into your step. There are many ways to get exercise. Jogging might be right for some, while brisk walking or other forms of exercise may be recommended for others.

Getting plenty of sleep is another resolution which will be beneficial—especially during the cold winter months when the body's defenses should be at their peak.

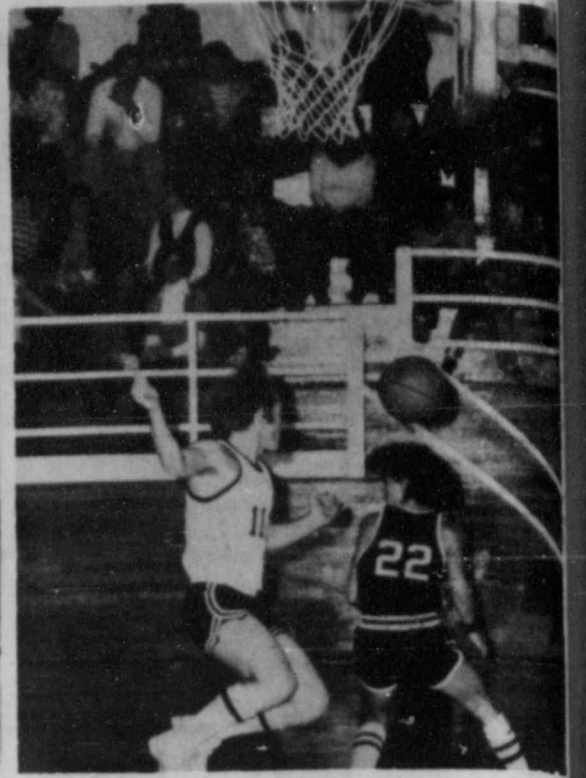
What about smoking? "Statistics linking smoking to cancer and heart disease continue to pile up, and it is tougher and tougher to rationalize the smoking

University of California at Los Angeles, studied 7,000 adults for five and one half years. The results showed that seven simple health habits—three meals a day at regular intervals, eating breakfast, moderate exercise, seven or eight hours sleep a night, moderate weight, no smoking, and no alcohol or only in moderation—were associated with longer life.

"These specific studies showed that a 45-year-old man who practices at least three of these habits can expect to live to about age 67," Dr. Duff said. "But a man who has six



Ruth Ann Johnson lays one in against Early



Mike Lee In Action Against Dublin

Smoking Health Hazards Reduced After Quitting

Almost everyone agrees today that smoking is bad for your health. Almost all smokers agree that they ought to quit. But quitting isn't all that easy. There are all sorts of gimmicks, medications, clinics and other aids to help you quit smoking. Most of them will work for some people. None of them will work for all people. If you contemplate quitting, remember that each person must find the way that suits his particular needs. If one way doesn't work, try another. Over 30 million Americans have found a successful way to quit smoking. Including most doctors. Physicians see the brutal effects of smoking on their patient's bodies, and decide for themselves to quit.

The decision to quit smoking is a personal one. Many people quit because they wish to get rid of the effects tobacco already has had on them, like a chronic cough, or to prevent future health problems, like lung cancer. Others quit in hope their children will never take up the habit, or because they can think of better ways to spend their money. The American Medical Association's pamphlet: Smoking: Facts You Should Know, offers some hints that have worked for other ex-smokers:

- Write down a list of the reasons you smoke and another list of reasons to quit. Review the latter and add new ideas to it.
- Keep track of when you smoke

or seven of these habits can expect to live to age 78, a difference of 11 years." Dr. Duff said the study also reported that the physical health of those following all seven good habits was consistently about the same as those 30 years younger who followed few or none of the practices.

Dr. Duff also has some additional hints for a healthier new year. "People living in towns and cities owe it to themselves and their neighbors to obey local and state laws pertaining to health protection. For example, if your town has a dog leash law, adhere to it. Keep your animals in good health and protected from rabies, which is still a threat—especially in rural areas.

While disease in Texas continues to be relatively low, the threat of epidemics hasn't subsided. Check the immunization records of your entire family—not just the children. Remember, adults need a booster shot for tetanus every 10 years.

Resolve to give some of your time and effort to such awesome problems as water conservation, pollution abatement, juvenile delinquency, drug abuse and the growing number of elderly people in our society. Lend your support as a responsible citizen to community efforts to solve these problems. After all, they affect you, too.

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Yarborough's

MAY 27, 1978
The date for the 4th Annual Mills Co. OLD FIDDLERS CONTEST And Old Settlers Reunion (This year including the ex-students, teachers reunion)

- Flea Markets
- Fish Fry
- Barbecue
- Arts and Crafts
- Ol' Time Fiddlin'

Sponsored by the Goldthwaite Lions Club

Order and Notice of School Trustee Elections

Notice is hereby given that an election has been ordered to be held in the Goldthwaite, Mullin, Star and Priddy Independent School Districts, Saturday, April 1, 1978 being the first Saturday thereof, for the purpose of electing the following school district trustees and county school board members.

- Goldthwaite - Three trustees for a regular three-year term each
- Mullin - Three trustees for a regular three year term each
- Star - Two trustees for a regular three-year term each
- Priddy - Two trustees for a regular three-year term each
- County School Board - Three trustees for regular three-year terms

The elections in Mullin, Star and Priddy School Districts will be held at their respective school buildings while the election for Goldthwaite School District will be held in the Commissioners' Courtroom in Mills County Courthouse.

Wednesday, March 1, 1978 is the filing deadline for candidates to get their names printed on the official ballot.

James W. Ledbetter, Co. Judge ExOfficio School Superintendent Mills County, Texas