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## Fiddling, Patriotism Were Flowing Here Saturday



The largest crowd in many a moon was in Goldthwaite Saturday to witness what many observers say is the "first annual" Old Time Fiddlers' Festival for Goldthwaite.

Estimates run from a conservative 1500 to over 2000 attendants for the one day affair.

The fiddlers' contest, sanctioned and approved by the Texas Old Time Fiddlers' Association, was a complete success, according to members of the Goldthwaite Lions Club, sponsors of the event. There were entries in each of the four categories and every one who had a part on the program presented his musical talent to please the crowd, not only to win a prize. Merchants and individuals of Goldthwaite and Mills County raised the \$650 to pay for the prizes to the champion fiddlers.

standing due to recent rains. The stage area, constructed many years ago, and not used but once or twice since its construction, proved to be just the right "arena" for the fiddling. It was said to have been one of the best outdoor locations for the event of any other fiddlers' contest in Texas.

The Goldthwaite Lions Club is to be congratulated for its diligent endeavors in the sponsoring of this event, and the hours of work will never be fully compensated, but a happy and delighted crowd of visitors who said they would be back next year means a lot to those who worked on the festival and ceremony.



### County Emblem Description

Janell Sherwood presented the Mills County Bicentennial Flag at the ceremonies Saturday morning at the Courthouse Square.

The description of the emblem certainly bears repeating, and is listed below:

"The logo is in two parts symbolizing the two hundred years of our nation's history. On the left is the wagon wheel, representing the pioneer spirit which not only characterizes the birth of our nation, but our state and county histories as well. The wheel's circle symbolizes forward progress, and as this circle is not complete, neither is the history of America's peoples complete.

"On the right, the windmill depicts Mills County's dependence on the land and agriculture, and is a reminder that our ecology is vitally important.

"The small inner circle reminds us that Mills County is the most centrally located county in Texas. The eagle is one of our national emblems, and it is also the emblem of our county newspaper and mascot of our county seat's schools.

"The star is symbolic of our lone star on the Texas flag, and the seven wheel spokes represent the 700 plus square miles of Mills County. The six spaces between spokes and the eight blades of the windmill remind us that we are celebrating our Bicentennial six years into the eighth decade of the century.

"The colors; red, white, blue, brown.

"The white background represents purity and the belief in God which is the background for our American heritage. Blue is for truth and peace - two ideals Americans will strive for through many coming birthdays. Red is the symbol for courage and is used here as a memorial to those who have died in the service of this nation. And brown is symbolic of the earth on which we are dependent for our lives and reminds us that we are truly one with all the earth's peoples."

### Opening Of Pictorial Museum

One of the highlights of the Mills County Bicentennial Festival Saturday, May 31, was the official opening of the Pictorial Museum. Pictures of early settlers and early days in Mills County are displayed among interesting and historical items, found or used in bygone days in this area.

The Museum is presently housed in the former PCA Building and will be open two afternoons a week - Wednesdays and Fridays - from 2:00 to 5:00, beginning Friday, June 6. It is hoped that more display items and pictures of olden days will be added to the collection. Please contact any member of the Pictorial Museum Committee for information.

Mr. Herbert Cook, Chairman; Mrs. Herbert Cook, Mrs. Hollis Blackwell, Mrs. Malcolm Jernigan, Mrs. Allen Campbell.

Mr. Cook and his committee wish to thank all those who contributed so much of their time, energy and efforts to make the beginning of the Museum possible - Production Credit Association for the use of the building, Mills County State Bank for space afforded for displays before the present space was ready, Hudson Drug for the glass cases, and Woody Drug for the items of historical interest, all so generously furnished to make the display more attractive, and last, but certainly not least, all those who have contributed the many treasures of Mills County history - pictures, antiques, and Indian relics.

### BICENTENNIAL

The day began with the official Bicentennial recognition ceremony at the Mills County Courthouse. Herbert Faulkner, County Judge, was the master of ceremonies at the affair. Featured were Col. C. M. Crawford, commander of the 8th Battalion at Fort Hood, with the presentation of the American Flag; Lucus "Mickey" Stephens of Lometa, who presented the Texas Flag; John Dudley of Comanche who presented the American Bicentennial Flag; and Mrs. Charles Sherwood of Goldthwaite who presented her Mills County Bicentennial Flag.

Giving responses to these presentations were Mrs. Roy Wilkins, Mayor J. D. Harper, City Councilman Frank Bridges and Judge Faulkner. All of these are from Goldthwaite.

One of the highlights of the ceremony was the contingent of soldiers from Fort Hood who added much impressive atmosphere to the patriotic event. The First Cavalry Band in particular added much to the event. Col. Crawford was in charge of the soldier element.

The festival at Mills County Park was enjoyable, despite the everpresent water that was

## Telephone Rate Increase Tabled; Council Reviews Sewer Project

The Goldthwaite City Council tabled for the second time the passing of an ordinance granting the General Telephone Company a raise in rates for Goldthwaite Monday night.

The action, following much discussion with W. R. Cornelius, a representative of the phone utility, came as a result of the council wanting more information and time in deciding if the rate raises are really needed at this time, as was stated by the phone company in brochures.

Mayor J. D. Harper compared a copy of a 1973 rate increase

brochure with that of the present document and the proportions are markedly different. The rate of return asked for in 1973 was about a 20 percent increase, and now the phone company is asking for nearly a 50 percent increase in the rate of profit that it receives on its investment here.

The general rise in the cost of borrowing money is the primary reason given by Mr. Cornelius for the company seeking a rate hike at this time.

The rate situation will be reviewed again at the next council meeting. The decision to

table came from a motion by Alderman Frank Bridges and was seconded by Alderman Loy Long. The decision was unanimous.

### SEWER REPORT

Three members of the Rady and Associates Engineering firm of Fort Worth were at the meeting to discuss the progress of the Goldthwaite sewer extension and plant project. Darrell Johnson, Tommy Vogt and Bob King were present from Rady. They showed slides and other photos portraying how the sewer planning has been progressing and stated what is left to be done. A timetable showing construction in the latter part of 1976 or 1977 was listed by Johnson. Texas and United States approval on the grant application has to be given before the project can be built. The Environmental Protection Agency will fund about 75 percent of the cost of the project if their guidelines are met.

The engineers recently conducted smoke tests of the existing sewer lines of Goldthwaite and found many places that need correction immediately. Rain water infiltration is a major problem here, and there were several places over the town where thousands of gallons of water flow into the sewer system when it rains, causing the sewer plant to overflow and not operate at peak efficiency.

### OPERATIONS REPORT

The monthly operations report was given by acting City Manager Dale Allen. It showed a profound loss due to the purchase of a \$13,000 bulldozer for the sanitary landfill operation and a new \$4,000 truck for the electric department. Total collections for May were \$32,226.96 and total disbursements were \$49,559.68.

In other city matters, Elmo Watson, employee at the sanitary landfill, appeared at the meeting to discuss things he has seen at the landfill, with some suggestions on the operations there. His suggestions were very noteworthy and the council expressed its thanks to Watson for his concern.

The council did not attempt the screening of applicants for the position of city manager.

Attending the meeting were Mayor Harper, Aldermen Long, Bridges, Jim Smith, Howard Campbell and James Carter. Others attending were City Secretary Lynn Collier, CM Allen, and the visitors previously mentioned.

## "Alive In '75" Crusade Set Here In July

People of Mills County are asked to mark the dates July 7 through 11 on their calendars as the time for the "Come Alive in '75" Evangelical Crusade.

The crusade, sponsored by the Mills County Ministerial Association, will feature Peter McLeod, pastor of the First Baptist Church of Waco, as the evangelist and Bill McGraw, also of First Baptist, Waco, as the singer.

The crusade will begin at 8:00 p.m. nightly at the Eagle football field.

Pastor McLeod and McGraw will be featured in future articles in the Eagle.

### Minor Accident

A two vehicle accident occurred in Goldthwaite on Texas 16 last Wednesday evening. No injuries were received in the accident.

David Miller, driver of a 1969 Buick, was attempting to turn right when he was in collision with a 1967 Chevrolet driven by Richard Covington. Covington was also traveling south at the time of the accident.

The left front of the Chevrolet struck the right side of the Miller vehicle.

Local law enforcement officers investigated.

### Homemakers Meet Tonight

The Mills County Young Homemakers will meet tonight (Thursday, June 5) at 7:30 in the High School. Ann Laughlin of Lone Star Gas Co. will show an energy saving film, "Money to Burn". Since the program is "Goldthwaite Energy Crisis", the YH have asked Acting City Manager Dale Allen to speak to the group about the water situation in Goldthwaite. He will give hints on how much water the citizens of Goldthwaite will have for use this summer.

The election of officers will be held and it is time once again to sell the Community Birthday Calendars so material will be handed out for this and committees named.

## Re Cyclethon Scheduled June 14

A Re-cyclethon, sponsored by the American Heart Association, will be conducted in Mills County Saturday, June 14. Co-chairmen of the Re-cyclethon are Del Barnett and O'Donnell Newton. The program is designed to help support the American Heart Association and to help clean up Mills County at the same time.

Persons wishing to sing up should register at one of the following locations:

Mills County State Bank, County Judge Herbert Faulkner's Office, ASCS Office, Heritage Nursing Home (O'Donnell Newton), Graves Dental Office, Hudson Drug, and New Horizons Ranch (Del Barnett).

### Mullin Bicentennial Meeting Tonight

The Mullin Bicentennial Group will meet Thursday night, June 5th, at 8 o'clock at the Mullin Community Center. The purpose of this meeting will be to finalize plans for the Bicentennial celebration to be held at Mullin on June 28th.

It is requested that those planning to attend the meeting have notes ready for discussion, as there will be much that will need to be completed at this meeting.

## Five Replacement Teachers Hired By School Board

Five replacement teachers were hired by the Goldthwaite School Board at a special called meeting last week. It was announced by Supt. Gilbert Davis.

Mrs. Dean Dickerson was hired as an elementary special education teacher. She has been teaching in the Robstown School District and comes to Goldthwaite with lots of teaching experience.

D. G. Martin of Gustine was hired as high school science teacher. He attended Baylor University and the University of Texas and has recently retired from the Armed Services. This will be his first year of teaching in public schools.

The Board selected Russell Fuller to be the band director for the coming year. Fuller has ten years experience and comes to Goldthwaite from Gorman. He attended McMurray and Tarleton. The new agricultural teach-

er and FFA advisor will be Sidney Long who has fifteen years teaching experience, most recently in the Gale (Borden County) School. Long is a 1954 graduate of Goldthwaite High School and is a past president of the Agricultural Teachers Association.

Prior to the hiring of new teachers, the resignation of Jim Wells as agricultural teacher and Mrs. Cecil Campbell as kindergarten teacher were accepted.

The only position open in the Goldthwaite Schools at the present time is a one-half day kindergarten teacher.

### Rodeo Sign Up

All Goldthwaite youth interested in entering the Invitational Rodeo which will be held here June 19, 20 and 21, are urged to contact Jim Wells as soon as possible.

Water Under The Bridge

BY G.F.B.

## Swimming Classes Begin Monday

According to announcement received this week, swimming classes at the Mills County Pool will be conducted for two weeks this summer, June 9 - 20. Classes will be held Monday through Friday of each week.

The first meeting will take place Monday, June 9, at 8:30 a.m. at the High School Auditorium. Students will register for swimming lessons at this time and will receive their physicals.

All students who plan to take their physicals and register Monday morning should also be prepared for the first swimming lesson immediately following.

Each person taking lessons will be required to pay the regular swimming admission. There is no charge for the lessons.

Classes will be held for beginners (five years and up), intermediate, and advanced.

Beginners will be taught by Carrie Gray, Gwen Saylor, and Cindy Rieckel. The intermediate group will be taught by Frances Williams Covey and Alisha Browning, and Edith Browning will be in charge of the advanced group.

The three classes will be taught for one hour each day, three times a day, for convenience: 9 - 10 a.m., 10 - 11 a.m., and 11 to noon.

There isn't much one can say about the Bicentennial ceremony and the fiddlers' festival of this past Saturday to someone who was in attendance in person. The feeling of satisfaction in knowing that this sleepy little burg has things like this up its pajama sleeves doesn't need to be pointed out to those who were present. But to you who missed it, to those who were out of town or shirked the crowd, let me say you have my sympathy for being less happy than you could have been on Saturday. The emotion of patriotism was very strong in the minds and hearts of the spectators on Saturday morning at the Courthouse lawn. The Fort Hood First Cavalry band had a lot to do with getting this spirit planted, and the speeches kept the thing rolling until and through the benediction. It will truly be one that will be remembered as long as there is a Mills County, and as long as people remain patriotic in their thinking. This space would like to publicly thank Lynn Collier and Lloyd Laughlin, coordinators of the fiddlers' contest and Judge Herbert Faulkner, leader of the ceremony, for their efforts in behalf of the Lions Club and Mills County, respectively. Their devotion to these duties earns them the "bouquet of the week" from Water Under The Bridge.


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**10 Years Ago —**

(Taken From The Eagle Files Of June 3, 1965)

Glynn Sanders, Mills County rancher and registered sheep breeder of Mullin, was named vice president of the Texas Purebred Sheep Breeders Assn. at the group's annual banquet.

Funeral services for Mrs. Minnie Tiemann of Priddy were held May 31, 1965, at Old Washington on the Brazos and passed away May 29 after a long illness. She was a member of the Zion Lutheran Church.

One hundred twenty-nine students were candidates for degrees from Howard Payne College on May 27. Included on the list are Betty Jo Sheldon Black and Carolyn Ann Kemp.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Wesson of Goldthwaite are the parents of a son, Carl William, born May 31, 1965. Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Craig Wesson and Mr. and Mrs. Louis Stahne.

**40 Years Ago —**

(Taken From The Eagle Files Of June 7, 1935)

A fire alarm about noon yesterday called the fire department to the residence of J. L. Boland in the southern portion of the city. Fire from a kitchen stove did slight damage.

In a morning service of charm and simplicity Miss Helen Kuhn, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Leo Kuhn, became the bride of John Keel of this city at the First Methodist Church. The Rev. Virgil Fisher read the marriage service. Both Mr. and Mrs. Keel are University of Texas graduates.

Miss Ella Warren and Tobe Cox were united in marriage

**25 Years Ago —**

(Taken From The Eagle Files Of June 2, 1950)

A new teacher of mathematics for Goldthwaite High was appointed last week by the School Board. He is Lowell E. Burkes, whose mother is Mrs. Jane Burkes of the Mt. Olive community.

With Mayor Loy Long demonstrating his prowess as a bull

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**Elizabeth Porter Israel Summer Worker**

A Texas A&M University graduate student from Somerville has been invited to do archaeological work this summer in Israel.

Elizabeth Porter, who received her bachelor's degree from Texas A&M and her master's from the University of Texas at Austin, has been asked as a supervisor to work at Tel-Hesi, oldest archaeological site in Israel.

The diggings date back about 15,000 years.

Ms. Porter is currently enrolled at TAMU doing advanced graduate work.

She is the granddaughter of Mr. and Mrs. L. B. Porter, Sr. of Goldthwaite.

at the residence of Elder I. A. Dyches Thursday. The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Warren.

Mr. and Mrs. T. S. Gerald, together with their children, grandchildren and other relatives, enjoyed a family reunion in their home here last Sunday. These are annual affairs with the Gerald family. A number of friends also called during the day.

A good many Goldthwaite people are already making improvements in preparation for the showing to be made for Texas Centennial visitors next year.

**Davee Family Get-Together A Success**

The Davee annual family reunion was held at the American Legion Hall in Goldthwaite on Sunday, May 18, 1975.

Those attending were as follows:

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Hammond, Marble Falls; Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Bode and son Andy, Del Rio; Mr. and Mrs. Hub Davee, Nancy and Patricia, Del Rio; Mr. and Mrs. Glen Davee, Teresa, Karen and Kevin, and Mrs. Eva Koog, Arlington; Mr. and Mrs. Henry Davee, Del Rio; Mr. and Mrs. Ozell Robinson (Eva Davee), Goldthwaite; Mr. and Mrs. George French (Minnie Davee Petty), Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Davee, Ft. Worth; Mr. and Mrs. Leon Davee and sons Curt and Chris, Ft. Worth; Mr. and Mrs. Howard Davee, Sterling City; Mr. and Mrs. Johnny Plumley (Vera Davee), and Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Spruell (Bertie Mae Davee), Tow, Tex.; Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Davee, Goldthwaite; Mr. and Mrs. Leiland Davee and children Cindy and Jed, Abilene; Mrs. Delia Davee, Goldthwaite; Mr. and Mrs. James Spruell and children, Flat, Tex.; Mr. and Mrs. Doyle Duncan and Jana, Goldthwaite; Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Hammond, Ray and Coy, Mr. Rube Hammond, Mr. and Mrs. Dewey Bohannon, Mrs. Lyda Walton, Mrs. Willie Casbeer, all of Goldthwaite; H. A. Davee, Temple; Mrs. Christine White, Azle.

A delicious lunch was served, basket style, and the devotional was given by J. W. Spruell. The day was spent visiting and taking pictures. It was agreed to meet the same time and place in 1976.

**Mrs. Adie Brown Services Conducted Friday, May 30**

Funeral services for Mrs. Adie Blanche Brown, 69, of Goldthwaite were held Friday, May 30, 1975, at 4:00 p.m. in Wilkins Funeral Chapel. Rev. Gordon Talk officiated. Burial was in the Pleasant Grove Cemetery.

Mrs. Brown passed away Wednesday, May 28, 1975 in the Childress Hospital in Goldthwaite.

a friend to everyone who knew her.

Survivors include her husband George W. Brown of Goldthwaite; six daughters, Mrs. Lenora Witty, Star, Mrs. Zelma Karnes, Goldthwaite; Mrs. Willie Hamilton, McGregg, Mrs. Bonnie Wellman, Cross Plains, Mrs. Della Sheares, Pitkan, Colo., Mrs. Georgia Conner, Grand Prairie; one son, Jamie Brown of McGregg; twenty-five grandchildren and five great grandchildren; two brothers, Kelly, Brownwood and Vernon Kelly, Trinidad; and three sisters, Mrs. Gracie Perry, Goldthwaite, Mrs. Alma Brown Mullin, and Mrs. Rosa Armstrong of Lampasas.

Pallbearers were Glynn Collier, Norman Duren, O. S. Berry, Charlie Miller, Arnold Kelly, and Ray Berry.

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## Hospital Report

**TUESDAY, MAY 27**  
Admitted - Adie Brown, Gold-  
waite, Webb Laughlin, G'waite  
No Discharges

**WEDNESDAY, MAY 28**  
No Admittances  
Discharged - Wendell R. Jung,  
Daniel T. Miller

**THURSDAY, MAY 29**  
Admitted - Ollie L. Manuel,  
Ala B. Green, James Walter  
Catherston, all of Goldthwaite  
No Discharges

**FRIDAY, MAY 30**  
Admitted - James E. Marler,  
Goldthwaite  
Discharged - James E. Ince

**SATURDAY, MAY 31**  
Admitted - Florence M. Mey-  
Killen  
No Discharges

**SUNDAY, JUNE 1**  
Admitted - Martha A. Bessent  
Goldthwaite  
No Discharges

**MONDAY, JUNE 2**  
Admitted - Isaac Theodore  
well, Letha E. Keese, both  
Goldthwaite  
Discharged - Zola B. Green



RACHEL ANN BARTON

### Engagement Announced

Mr. and Mrs. Z. C. Barton  
of Goldthwaite announce the  
engagement and approaching  
marriage of their daughter,

Rachel Ann, to Randy Wright,  
son of Mr. Doyle Wright and  
Mrs. Vance Toliver, both of  
Goldthwaite.

She will be a senior at Gold-  
thwaite High School and he is  
a 1973 graduate of Goldthwaite  
High.

The wedding will be July  
26, 1975, in the Chapel of the  
First Baptist Church.

### Gay Harper

#### On 39-Day

#### European Tour

Gay Harper was among the  
forty-five Angelo State Univer-  
sity students along with two  
professors from the University  
who left San Angelo last week  
on a 39 day tour that will take  
them to six European countries.

The trip represents the third  
edition of the Angelo State Un-  
iversity European Studies Pro-  
gram - a program designed to  
offer guided travel and on-the-  
site lectures that contribute to  
the students' academic knowl-  
edge and international under-  
standing.

Students who complete the  
program satisfactorily will  
earn six semester hours of  
academic credit.

Gay is the daughter of Mr.  
and Mrs. Billy R. Harper of  
San Angelo and the granddaugh-  
ter of Mr. and Mrs. Roy Wilkins  
of Goldthwaite.

#### PERSONAL - -

Mr. and Mrs. Dale Bates of  
Kansas City visited with Mrs.  
Luther Roach recently. Mrs.  
Raydean Robbins from Okla-  
homa City and Mrs. Pearl Twy-  
man of Kansas City, Kansas  
also visited in her home.

#### PERSONAL - -

Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Lever-  
ett of Haynesville, La. return-  
ed to their home Wednesday  
after spending a few days with  
her sister, Mrs. Aubra Cline.

They also attended the Cline  
family reunion at Lake Brown-  
wood on Memorial Day.

Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Park-  
er and family visited in the  
home of their parents, Mr. and  
Mrs. Aubra Cline and Mr. and  
Mrs. Alfred Parker, Saturday  
night.

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**HAY HAULING WANTED** - Have truck and loader. Contact Randal Miles, 948-3618, Star, Texas. 6-5-12tc

**KLEINGRASS SEED 75 PLS.** Custom grass seed planting. New Brillan grass seed drill. Call Hubert Meyer 985-3519 or B. H. Tholen 985-3548, Mullin, Texas. 3-27-14tp

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**FOR SALE** - Several choice young horned Hereford bulls of breeding age. All registered and reasonably priced. Oran Carothers, 948-3615. 2-13-tfc

**WANTED** - Hay hauling. Equipped with truck, loader, and trailer to haul 250 bales at a time. Call John Solis at 948-3895, Goldthwaite. 6-5-3tp

**KLEINGRASS SEEDING** with Brillan seeder. Also custom bulldozing. Contact Willard Partin, Pottsville, Texas. Ph. 817-372-4646. 3-27-tfc

**Will do custom baiting.** Contact George Hurst Jr. at Center City, 948-3630. 5-15-8tp

**GRAIN TRUCKS & TRAILERS**  
2 Tandem & 1 single axle New Int with 16, 20 & 22 ft. grain dumps. 64 Ford with 16 ft. grain dump, & 1 old Ford with drag axle & 20 ft. bed \$625 as is. 1974 Tempte Hopper bottom, like new.  
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1 New 16 ft. Dugan gooseneck 3 axle Hyd dump trailer  
Many other types of trucks & truck trailers, floats, vans, gravel dumps, etc.  
Johnston Truck, Cross Plains 817-725-6181. 5-22-3tc

**FOR SALE** - Like new. Sell or trade camper for LWB pickup. Call 648-3343 after 5:30 p.m. 5-29-tfc

**SPECIAL** - Loe Latex Paint. \$3.69 a gallon. Barnes & McCullough Lumber Co., Goldthwaite. 3-1-tfc

**FOR SALE** - Bundy clarinet. Used 1 1/2 school years. Real good condition. Call 648-2650 during morning or 938-5574 after 5:00 p.m. 6-5-2tc

**WALKER GARAGE CLOSED**

**FOR SALE** - All hand tools and equipment. 12' work bench with 4 1/2" vise and 6" grinder. 1/2 h.p. air compressor, a valve refacer machine, battery charger, 4-ton jack, and many smaller items. WALKER GARAGE, 1010 Reynolds, Ph. 648-3384. 6-5-1tp

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For all your furniture upholstery work. Extra large stock of fabrics to choose from to fit your budget. Come see us or call 648-2261. Spradley's Furniture & Upholstery, on Fisher Street in Goldthwaite. 4-11-tfc

**FISH BAIT** - Live minnows, worms, goldfish, and crawfish. Frozen shad gizzards, shad, liver, shrimp. Also blood bait. A. C. Williams Bait Station On Waco Highway, Goldthwaite. 4-18-tfc

**HALE LIVESTOCK TRAILERS**  
All sizes and types available - Horse, Covered, Open-top and Gooseneck. Mills County Lumber and Supply, Phone 648-3400, Goldthwaite, Texas. 5-2-tfc

**HEARING AID SERVICE** in Goldthwaite the 2nd Monday of each month at the Mauney Motel from 1:30 to 3:00 p.m. Repairs, Batteries, Cleaning and Hearing Test. Joe Treadway Hearing Service of Hamilton. (In the Hamilton Office every Friday from 10 a.m. til 1 p.m.) 5-9-tfc

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## CITY PROPERTY

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**Building Lots For Sale.** Call Mills County Lumber Company. Telephone 648-3400. 6-29-tfc

**Nice Homes For Sale** in Goldthwaite. See CLINE REAL ESTATE, Phone 648-2292. 10-17-tfc

**FOR SALE** - Brick home, 3 bedrooms, 2 baths, living room, kitchen, den, sewing and hobby room. Central air and heating. Carpeted, paved street, corner lot. Cline Real Estate, 648-2292. 7-25-tfc

**Building lots for sale.** All utilities available. Dale Allen, 648-2563. 4-3-tfc

**CITY PROPERTY** - House for sale at 1403 Trent Street. Can be seen by appointment only. Phone 648-3446. 4-10-tfc

**CITY PROPERTY FORSALE** 1306 Parker, completely furnished, \$10,500. 808 Fisher, \$16,500. Fine business lots. Owner will finance. Contact Glenn DeWitt, 648-2294. 6-5-2tc

**SPECIAL TAX CREDITS**  
Up to \$2000 on your '75 tax bill on a new home started before March 25th. With this home you are eligible!  
**FOR SALE**  
Beautiful white brick. Scenic hilltop location overlooking Goldthwaite. 503 Ridgeview Drive. 3 bedroom, 2 bath, covered patio, 2 car garage. Plenty of closets, including 2 walk-ins. Extra large rooms. Completely carpeted. Central heat and air. Call 648-3133, 966-3581, 648-3578. 6-5-tfc

**IF IT HAS** anything to do with ink . . . paper . . . or office supplies or equipment, call the Eagle Office for assistance. There really isn't any reason to shop out of town . . . phone 648-2244. 2-20-tfc

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## LEGAL NOTICE

**TEXAS WATER RIGHTS COMMISSION**  
NOTICE OF THE REQUIREMENT FOR THE FILING OF CLAIMS OF ALL WATER RIGHTS IN THE MIDDLE COLORADO RIVER SEGMENT IN THE COLORADO RIVER BASIN AND OF THE PUBLIC HEARINGS ON SUCH CLAIMS.

Notice is given pursuant to the Texas Water Rights Commission's order of May 19, 1975, and Section 5.306, et seq., Texas Water Code, that on or before September 2, 1975, any person claiming any right to divert state water, except for domestic and livestock purposes, in the Middle Colorado River Segment including portions of Runnels, Concho, Coleman, McCulloch, Brown, San Saba, Mills, Lampasas, Burnet, Llano, Gillespie, Blanco, and Travis Counties, Texas, shall file with the Texas Water Rights Commission a sworn claim setting forth the name and address of the claimant, the location and nature of the right claimed, including a description of any claim, permit, or certified filing under which the claim is made, the purpose of use, a description of the works and irrigated lands, if any, and all other information necessary to show the nature and extent of the claim.

The Middle Colorado River Segment is that part of the Colorado River Watershed from the confluence of the Colorado River with the Concho River downstream to and including Mansfield Dam; excluding the Pecan Bayou Watershed, the San Saba River Watershed, the Llano River Watershed above the backwaters of Lake Lyndon B. Johnson, and the Pedernales River Watershed above the backwaters of Lake Travis.

Instructions and forms for the filing of claims of water rights under adjudication proceedings may be obtained without cost from the Texas Water Rights Commission, P. O. Box 13207, Austin, Texas 78711. Use of Commission forms is not mandatory. Copies of the Investigation Report for the Middle Colorado River Segment, together with all maps or plats, are available for inspection in the offices of the Texas Water Rights Commission in the Stephen F. Austin State Office Building, 1700 North Congress Avenue, Austin, Texas, and with the county clerks of Brown, Burnet, Gillespie and San Saba Counties, Texas.

Pursuant to Section 5.308, Texas Water Code, the Texas Water Rights Commission further gives notice of the commencement of hearings to receive evidence concerning claims of water rights in the Middle Colorado River Segment in the Colorado River Basin, consisting of portions of Runnels, Concho, Coleman, McCulloch, Brown, San Saba, Mills, Lampasas, Burnet, Llano, Gillespie, Blanco, and Travis Counties, Texas.

At 1:00 p.m. on Monday, October 6, 1975, at the San Saba County Courthouse, courtroom of the 33rd Judicial District, San Saba, Texas, the Texas Water Rights Commission, either as a Commission or through its hearing examiners, will convene and commence hearings on all water rights claims asserted in accordance with Section 5.307, et seq., Texas Water Code. Claimants or their authorized representatives are directed to appear

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Executed and entered of record, this 19th day of May, 1975.

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(Signed)  
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BY: Clyde Cockrum  
Attorney for the Estate

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LETTER TO THE EDITOR  
May 21, 1975  
San Diego, Ca.

I would like to have this put into your newspaper.  
We would like to hear from anyone with information on the Walter H. and Ola Williams family. We know they lived in Mullin in 1954. Mrs. Williams' maiden name is Chesser. Mr. Williams' parents are William L. (Bill) and Bethenia Williams.  
Write Mrs. F. R. Alread, 4057 Debbyann Pl., San Diego, Calif. 92154.  
Thank you for your kindness and help.  
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Pickens  
Texas 76864

Mr. Bridges,

The recent article "List of Pools Found in 1898 Issue" should read: T. B. Pickens Springs School. The time that is probably a typographical error but I seen copy, documents, typed many times this until the entire name, etc. were lost or incorrect.

The recent Bicen- sorial services at Williams reminded me of many and childhood mem- ories. I grew up within about 2 of there. The old Pickens had only one pasture be- ing it and Williams Ranch used to hear the church ring from there. One time I lost in the morning look- ing for my milk calves and when I came in sight of the field it would be Williams. After finally deciding that my Shetland pony have way she took me home. It been to the extreme ends of the pasture several times I couldn't recognize my home. They tell me that that happens to you when you get really and truly lost. It is always told though not on an outside fence and never did. The pasture ad- jacent to Williams Ranch was leased by my father so the fence there was open at the time. My pony had taken home several times but I made her turn around the time before we cleared the timber because I couldn't see my surroundings.

My great-grandfather came from Kentucky and settled the Pickens place and brought him over 400 fine Ken- tucky mares. He was a lover of the horses. As his herd he decided to sell some of the mares and sold I be- lieve 35 head or more of them to fellow and let him make use for them. It turned later the note was not any of some way or other and grandfather had been com- pletely swindled. His son, my grandfather, told me that was one irate man when he covered this. That man was heard of again in this area. My grandfather offered reward for someone to kill so I suppose that was why. My immediate grandfather, man's son, was very re- spected and used to go to church camp meetings and get up and shout Pickens was named after my grandfather.

My grandmother Pickens was Megs before she mar- ried. She had a lot of English and was very proud and active. She used to run a millinery shop in Mullin and had a natural aptitude for anything. If a lady new what she wanted and could not find it my grandmother an idea Grandma could make the hat for her herself. When she lived in Mullin she at one time only ran the millinery shop also kept house and took care of my grandfather, board- ing of the local school teach- er and walked out to the farm every day, milked the cows, churned and sold butter. This is what I can prove it. She cut all her children's hair and they were at home and had all their shoes on Sat- urday afternoon.

I have one aunt living on my father's side but none on my mother's. My aunt is Mrs. M. E. Davis and she lives in Corpus Christi. She is a re- tired school teacher and her husband is a retired Police Officer. I have had many teach- ers and preachers in my family on both sides.

My grandfather and grand- mother Campbell were also teachers in this county and my father was wealthy before he came here. He was the only one I ever heard of who never had his coat before break- ing no matter what the weather. He also drank a glass of milk before his morning meal. His daughter, my last aunt, was buried just a few days ago. She was Mrs. Elizabeth Keating. No one could roast goat like she could. My late uncle, J. L. Pickens Lometa, was the last of my family on my father's side. He was always a great inspir- ation to me when I was grow- ing up. He used to let me drive his car when he came to see us and I remember he brought me my first toy bird and cage. He was a very fine man and so is his son, my Aunt Lois Pickens. I remember one time we were on a picnic from school and were supposed to take a picnic. Since we lived in the country I was afraid my mother would not make my sandwiches and I light bread so I asked

my aunt to fix my lunch and she did a swell job. My uncle had a grocery store in Mullin then and when we got the grocery bill there were items on it for a lunch and my parents were dumbfounded. I was very proud of my lunch and offered to everybody to show off my nice sandwiches and deviled eggs. Aunt Lois is a fabulous cook.

I seem to have run away with myself, Mr. Bridges, but if you will print this I will be glad. It is all true.

Sincerely,  
John C. Pickens

P.S. I feel like this will interest many people who don't live here any more as well as people in this area because all of my people were well and favorably known. My sister, Mrs. D. B. Aldridge, sent you a story about my other grand- parents, the Campbells, after whom I am named and every- one in Mullin said it was a good article. If you print this for me then I won't have to repeat to her what I wrote. Ha!

### Doggett, Saylor On Dean's List

Alicia Ann Doggett and Sally Mae Saylor of Goldthwaite, students at Angelo State University in San Angelo, Tex., are listed on the Dean's Honor Roll for the spring semester at the University.

Ms. Doggett, a senior drama major, is a 1972 Goldthwaite High School graduate. She is listed on the 3.00 to 3.49 honor roll.

Ms. Saylor, a freshman undeclared major, is a 1974 graduate of Goldthwaite High School. She is listed on the 3.50 to 4.00 honor roll.

### Market Report

Lometa Commission Co.

Lometa, Texas

BUD HARRELL, Owner

May 30, 1975

RECEIPTS: 1047

Light Weight Steer Calves, 33.00-36.00; Medium Weight Steer Calves, 32.00-36.00; Heavy Weight Steer Calves, 29.00-36.00.

Light Weight Heifer Calves, 21.00-25.00; Medium Weight Heifer Calves, 22.00-26.00; Heavy Weight Heifer Calves, 23.00-28.00.

Feeder Heifers — 24.00-30.00  
Feeder Steers — 31.00-36.00  
Heiferettes — 22.00-28.00  
Stocker Cows — 16.00-24.00  
Cows and Calves, 145.00-264.00

Bull Calves — 25.00-35.00  
Bull Yearlings — 24.00-30.00  
Packer Bulls — 18.00-25.70  
Packer Cows — 17.00-24.00  
Shelly Cows — 11.00-13.50

Buyer attendance was excel- lent. All choice medium and light weight steer and heifer calves were steady with heifer calves \$1 to \$2 higher. Plain- er kinds of cattle were \$2 higher. Choice 400 pound steers topped at \$35. Choice 400 pound heifers topped at \$26. Fat heifers topped at \$34.75. Feeder steers topped at \$35.50. Feeder heifers topped at \$28.50. Packer cows were \$1 to \$2 higher.

Representative Sales

B. L. Blair, Bertram, 470 lb. Blk wf steer 33.70  
A. J. Whitley, Richland Spgs., 630 lb. wf heifer 30.25  
Ernest Peters, Hamilton, 600 lb. Charolaise steer 33.00  
Owen Lord, Richland Spgs., 485 lb. Black wf heifer 32.50  
Miller Ranch, San Saba, 10 head blk wf steers 33.90  
Anna Lou Ferguson, Burnet, 425 lb. Hereford steer 34.00  
Jay Kuykendall, Cherokee, 795 lb. Angus cow 23.75  
Dee Doyle, San Saba, 905 lb. Angus steer 32.75  
Walter Tubbs, Goldthwaite, 610 lb. Hereford steer 35.50  
Sim Gambin, Placid, 510 lb. Hereford steer 33.50  
Dale Bagley, San Saba, 335 lb. Blk wf steer 34.25  
C. O. Geeslin, Goldthwaite, 625 lb. wf heifer 29.00  
Doug Rainbolt, San Saba, 640 lb. Hereford steer 35.25  
L. M. Stephens, Lometa, 500 lb. Blk wf steer 33.00  
Willard Potts, Lometa, 710 lb. Angus steer 34.25  
Jolene Lively, Bend, 485 lb. Blk wf heifer 30.00  
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## First Annual Fiddler's Festival "Revisited"



**FIRST CAVALRY BAND** - - This group of Army musicians stirred the chords of patriotism in the hearts of those who

attended the Bicentennial ceremony Saturday morning. There is just something indescribable about the way 35 grown men

can play the National Anthem and other patriotic songs. They opened the program Saturday.

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**FLAG PRESENTED** - - John Dudley of Comanche, former member of the Bicentennial Commission of Texas, presents the American Bicentennial Flag

to Mills County Judge Herbert Faulkner. Mr. Dudley is co-chairman of the Comanche County Bicentennial Committee.



**SLEEPY WOKE THEM UP** - - "Sleepy" Thompson, a former member of the original Light Crust Dough Boys band of the 1930's, played several numbers prior to the fiddlers' contest

to commemorate Bob Wills who passed away recently. Sleepy played with the Wills Band for a long time. His rendition of San Antonio Rose was very nostalgic.



**HONOR GUARD** - - This contingent of about 20 Fort Hood soldiers were the official Hon-

or Guard for the ceremony. They stood at attention to commemorate the occasion.



**OUCH!** - - A part of the staff of the Childress Clinic and Hospital of Goldthwaite had a free blood-typing booth at the festival. Shown are Charles

Childress, Yvonne Childress, Gwyn Saylor and Carla Tatum. The program was advertising the regular blood drive sponsored in Mills County.

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**MUCH, MUCH MORE!** - - The above photographs paint only a very small picture of the Ceremony and Fiddlers' Contest and Festival. There were antique autos, good barbeque and fried fish, free balloons, swimming for the kids, stirring speeches, flags on Fisher Street, and one of the most impressive to home-towners and visitors alike was the friendly, warm-hearted spirit of the day. It will live for a long time.  
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**FLAGS RAISED** - - The flag-raisers from Fort Hood slowly raise the Texas Flag and the Mills County Bicentennial Flag following their presentation by

Lucius "Mickey" Stephens and Janell Sherwood, respectively. The Goldthwaite Band played "Texas, Our Texas" while the flag was being raised.

## Mullin Community News

By: Lorene Holland

We have had three pretty days without rain. We really need some sunshine on the gardens, but if it quits raining suddenly things will burn up fast.

A number of Mullin people attended the Bicentennial program in Goldthwaite Saturday. They all seemed to enjoy it a lot.

I have been asked to mention in my letter about the museum that is being planned for the program in Mullin on June 28th. If you have anything that you would like to display - things that people would like to see - please contact Autry or Vera Keating here in Mullin. They would like to make this part of the program as interesting as possible, and they will have to have your help to do so.

A number of new roofs have been put on the houses in Mullin that were damaged by hail. Campbell Pickens has a new roof, new paint job and a new

porch on his house.

Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Anderson will celebrate their 50th wedding anniversary on Sunday afternoon, June 8th, at their home near Mullin. Everyone is invited to attend the reception.

School is out most places now. The students here are having a big vacation now, riding horses, swimming and the many activities that go on during the summer months.

Vacation Bible School started this morning at the Baptist Church in Mullin with a nice crowd present.

Also, a revival will start next Sunday, June 8th, at the East Side Church of Christ in Mullin. Minister Clark Carlo of Monett, Missouri will be doing the preaching. He has held revivals here before. Night services will start at 7:30, except on Sunday night which will start at 6:00 o'clock. The revival will continue through June 15. All are invited to attend.

A nice crowd was present Sunday afternoon at the singing at Ridge. I saw a few people from DeLeon. That always gives me a lift since that is "the old home town".

The homecoming held Saturday night at the school house was well attended and enjoyed by those present. Some former Mullin people there were Mrs. Lucille Preston and her daughters, Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Murphy (Wyno Lee French), Mr. and Mrs. Warren Duren, Mr. and Mrs. B. M. Womack (Allene Fisher), Mrs. Darrell Creek (Nelma Ann Roberts) and others too numerous to get all the names. Jewell (Glanco) Spinks and Norman Duren are the newly elected officers.

The Workers' Conference of the Baptist Church met last Monday night with the Mullin church. A supper was served before the program started. A large crowd was in attendance.

Mrs. Mable Taylor attended graduation exercises in Longview the past weekend for her grandson, the son of Mr. and Mrs. Weldon Pittman.

### Receives Degree

David Drucekhammer of the Goldthwaite area has been awarded an undergraduate degree from Texas A&M University. Drucekhammer is the son of Alton Drucekhammer of Caradan. He earned his degree in agricultural education. TAMU had a total of 2,074 spring graduates.

### PERSONAL - -

Matthew Eilers, son of Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Eilers, is visiting with Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Grell and family in San Antonio.

Matthew will accompany his grandmother, Mrs. Jerry McClement, and Miss Kimberly Grell on a trip to New Orleans, La., Mobile, Alabama, Pensacola, Florida and Mississippi the first week in June.

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## From The County Agent-

by: Danny Long

Mills County Extension Agent



The Mills County Annual Youth Horse Show will be held on June 16, 1975 at the T. A. Head Arena in Goldthwaite. The show will begin with registration at 9:00 a.m. and classes at 10:00 a.m. The event is

open to any youngster who is attending school in Mills County in grades 1-12. The classes for the event will include both halter and performance classes. They are as follows:

- HALTER**
- Class 1 Mares - 3 years & under
  - 2 Mares - 4 years & over
  - 3 Stallions & Geldings - 3 years and under
  - 4 Stallions & Geldings - 4 years and over
  - 5 Champions & Reserve - Mare
  - 6 Champions & Reserve - Horse
  - 7 Showmanship
- PERFORMANCE**
- 8 Western Pleasure
  - 9 Cloverleaf Barrel Racing
  - 10 Pole Bending
  - 11 Reining

The show will be open to the general public and we encourage attendance.

## Carolyn Schwartz Receives Scholarship

Carolyn Schwartz has been awarded an S&H Green Stamp Foundation Scholarship. The grant is for \$300 each year for four years at Texas A&M University.

In order to meet the standards for the scholarship Carolyn had to write comments on a book she had read and a movie she had seen in the past six months and state what was right and wrong with them.

Carolyn, the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Milton Schwartz of Goldthwaite, will be enrolling at A&M in August.

### CARAWAY RITES -

Funeral services for Mrs. Marga Ida Caraway will be conducted Thursday, June 5, 1975, in the Wilkins Funeral Chapel at 2:00 p.m.

Burial will follow in the Goldthwaite Memorial Cemetery.

### Ambulance Service

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### Roy Wilkins Funeral Home

GOLDTHWAITE, TEXAS

## Presents Books



Recently Mrs. R. Glynn Raley gave three Garden Club P.A.T.E. (People and Their Environment) books to the Star School. Receiving the books were, left to right, Mrs. A. Carswell (1 & 2 grades); Mrs.

K. L. Harper (home economics 9-12) and Mrs. J. Flippen (grades 5 & 6). Mrs. N. M. Coats, president of the Goldthwaite Garden Club (far right) presented the books.



Mrs. Raley also gave one Garden Club P.A.T.E. book to the Mullin School. Dr. E. Capps (left), home economics teacher,

was presented the book by Mrs. Coats, president of the club.

## Mrs. Wilkins Attends Salt Lake City Garden Club Convention

The National Council of State Garden Clubs, Inc. held their 46th annual convention May 18-23 at the Hotel Utah, Salt Lake City, Utah. Mrs. Howard S. Kittel, President, Ft. Worth, Texas presided. The convention theme "Creative Action" presented programs on Horticulture, Landscape Design, Flower Shows, Garden Therapy, Bicentennial Projects, Historic Preservation, World Gardening and Environmental Education. Mrs. Vernon L. Conner, Mt. Dora, Fla. was installed as

President for 1975-77 and was the speaker during the final banquet of the meeting.

National Council represents over a million members and is the largest organization of its kind in the world. In attendance were delegates from 50 states and the District of Columbia and over one hundred National and International Affiliate member organizations.

Members who attended the convention included Mrs. Roy Wilkins, of Goldthwaite, Texas, a Vice President and one of ten delegates from Texas. Twenty-eight people attended from Texas. Mrs. Wilkins is also a Master Flower Show Judge, Landscape Design Critic and Texas and National Life Member of the Garden Clubs. She will be serving as President of Central Texas Council of Flower Show Judges in Waco next year.

## \$575.50 Donated To Park Drive

To date, a total of \$575.50 has been donated to the Mills County Park Maintenance Fund Drive. The park committee has set a goal of \$1800 to insure proper care for the local park for the coming year.

Anyone interested in donating to the fund should mail their checks to the Mills County State Bank or give their contributions to one of the park committee-men.

Latest contributors to the fund are: Mr. and Mrs. W. P. Duren Mrs. J. B. Burnett Mrs. and Mrs. Ray Duren Mrs. Ellen Galloway Mrs. Emily C. Gilliam Dr. and Mrs. T. C. Graves Hudson Drug (Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Hudson)

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Mr. and Mrs. Carl Letbetter Boykin Feed Company In the list of contributors published recently one of the names should have read 'Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Winner'.

## Star Community News

BY: Inez Glibreath

We have a beautiful day today, Monday. If everyone is like us we need sunshine so we can mow, plow and pick beans. The rain is always nice, but now for a little dry weather for the farmers. And the road job here is being delayed because of too much water.

The Russell Boyd family visited Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Emdy and Darla. I enjoyed having Mitzi with me Friday and Saturday while Craig was with Roger Sanders at a sheep sale at Houston.

Our oldest son called me from Snyder Friday and I talked to him and his wife about thirty minutes. Since he is a driller in the oil field he works seven days a week and I don't see them very often.

Mrs. Webb Laughlin from Moline was in the shop one day this week. Her husband is in the hospital in Goldthwaite. He was helping repair his roof and fell off the house. He has a broken pelvis. He is 88 years young.

This is going to be a busy week around here. Vacation Bible School starts at the Baptist Church. Also, this Saturday, the 7th, is Homecoming Day. Things have been buzzing toward that. Also, a group of ladies plan to mow and clear the school yard today. Mrs. Gladys Henry visited

## Star Senior Citizens Meet

The Star Senior Citizens met Wednesday, May 28th, for their regular monthly meeting.

After a pleasant morning of visiting, luncheon was served. A business session was then held and plans regarding future activities were formulated. Games were enjoyed the remainder of the afternoon.

Dudley and Carolyn in Copperas Cove this week. Dudley came after her. Gladys also visited Mrs. Avery Poe Sunday afternoon.

News is scarce this week. Can't find anyone at home. Must be picking beans. That

is what I have to do. Florence and Sue spent most of the week at noon with Mr. and Mrs. Chanell, Cindy and Bob. They also visited Thursday afternoon with Mr. Jim at Goldthwaite.

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