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"Wheeler, town of friendship and pride."

BENTLEY NAMED ALL-STATE GUEST RECEIVES HONORABLE MENTION

CWE CHAT WITH EDITOR
By Louis C. Stas

CONGRATULATIONS! to Chad Bentley and Shane Guest. Chad was first team defensive lineman and honorable mention as offensive lineman. Shane received honorable mention as running back. We are proud of both of you.

Congratulations! is in order for the Kelton Jr. High Basketball teams. They won the tournament held over the weekend at Kelton. The second place winners were the Wheeler Jr. Teams. I understand there were some good games played.

Apologies to Andie's. In 'setting up the ad' last week, I left the discount amount blank with the intentions of putting in larger numbers than I had available; then forgot to 'put in' the 40. Andie's has a "Winter Clearance" with discounts up to 40%.

Another "..." was in the second paragraph of "CWE". While writing, the space was left for the date of the only snow received in December. My December calendar with the information marked had been removed. I then failed to get "11" to fill in the blank.

Tom Cook stopped by the office Monday afternoon to let me know he was still 'alive and well'. He reports a "B" average with a '16 hours' of classroom work and a job. Classes start for the second semester Monday.

I am told Dixie Chick is a good "get-away" driver. You will have to check with her for the 'rest of the story'. I'm just sorry it took so long for me to find out.

We are still waiting for the thermometer to be set before we can again start running the weather at the bottom of page 1.

Received a newspaper clipping from Huffman Walker. The column was from the Kansas City Times; the columnist writes: "The United States must read and write with one language." and continues that bilingual education is necessary to improve our position in world trade. "Common use of English is important to maintain our national unity and keep the United States a country that is politically and economically strong."

In the Stas collection of houseplants, we have a "cornstalk". We carried this plant home between the seats from Oklahoma one weekend some ten or more years ago. We recently noticed it was getting ready to bloom for the first time. It now almost reaches the 8' ceiling. A "shoot" was produced at the top of the two major stalks; each had several clusters of buds. I had considered a photograph and was waiting for the 'final stage'.

Over the weekend, in my absence, Barbara noticed the smell of a cheap perfume. It disappeared for a short time and then was back in an instance. The plant was apparently "shooting" its pollen into the air. When Jennifer lost her voice and Barbara also began having a reaction, the plant was pruned.

So much for my picture.
Mobeetie Schedules Basketball Tourney

The Mobeetie Senior Class is going to sponsor a Men's Basketball Tournament on Saturday, February 4, 1989. The tournament will be held in the Mobeetie High School gym. Entry fee is \$50 per team. Interested parties may contact Debbie Finsterwald—Daytime: Mobeetie School, 845-2301 or Night: 826-5975.

Hamburger And Pie Supper

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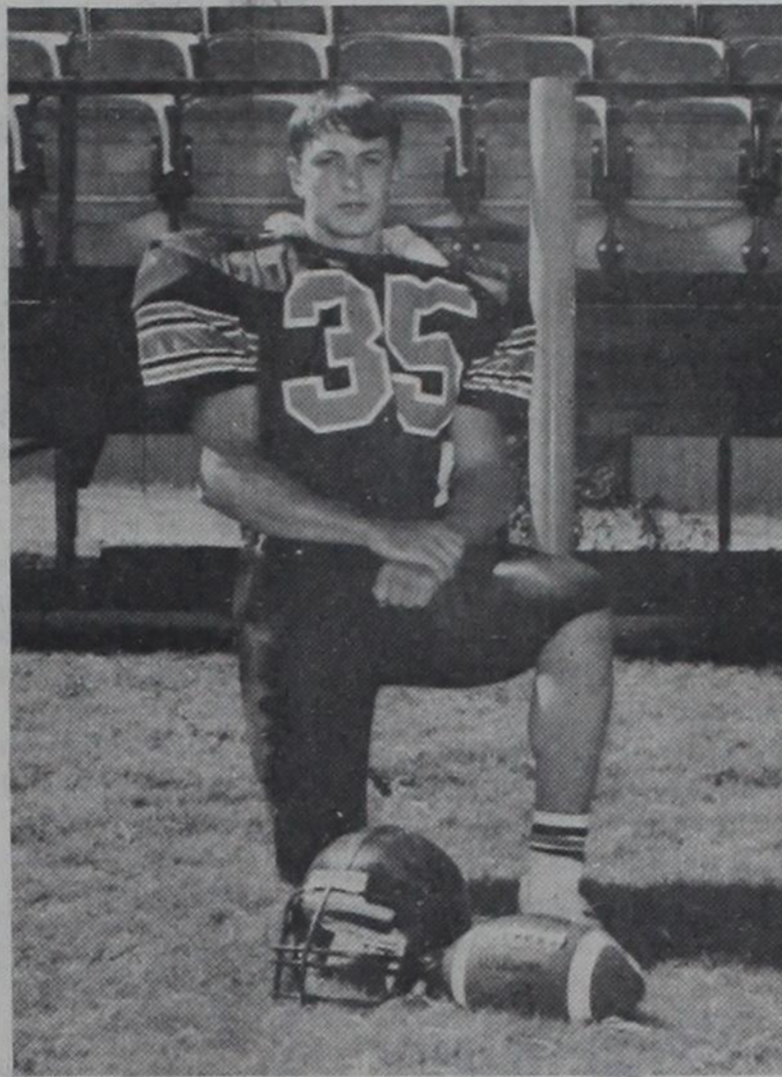
Chad Bentley was named to the 1988 Texas Sportswriters All-State Football Team this past weekend. Chad was chosen as a 1st team defensive lineman, and Honorable Mention offensive lineman. Shane Guest was also selected as an Honorable Mention All-State running back on the offensive team.

Chad was a two-way starter for the Mustangs the past two years, and a two-way All-District selection this year. He was the leading tackler for the Mustangs with 160 tackles. Shane was also a two-way starter for the Mustangs the past two years and a two-way All-District selection

this year. He had 893 yards rushing for the year in only 7½ games, averaging 7 yds. a carry. "Both of these young men meant a lot to our team this year, as dedicated, hardworking leaders, and are very deserving of the honors," stated Coach Karcher, adding that, "both will be missed next year."



CHAD BENTLEY



SHANE GUEST

KELTON TEAMS WIN TOURNAMENT

The Kelton Junior High Tournament closed Saturday night with

Funeral Services Held For Roland G. Russ, Jr.

Roland G. Russ, Jr., 80 died Monday, January 2, 1989 in Hale County, Texas.

Services were held Wednesday, January 4, 1989 in Wood-Dunning Colonial Chapel in Plainview. Silas Short, minister of the Church of Christ, officiated. Burial was in Parklawn Memorial Gardens by Freeman Funeral Home in Plainview.

Mr. Russ was born May 26, 1908 in Wheeler, Oklahoma. He graduated from high school at Canyon Academy of West Texas College and was in the first class at Texas Tech University, where he graduated in 1930. He moved to Hale County in 1930 and taught school for five years. He married Helen VanDervoort in 1933 at Amarillo. They moved to Wheeler in 1934, where he was owner of Russ Department Store. They returned to Hale Center in 1955 and

became involved in farming. While in Wheeler, he was a member of the school board of trustees. He was a member of Garland Street Church of Christ in Plainview and had served as elder of both Wheeler and Hale Center Church of Christ. He was a member of Wheeler Masonic Lodge 1099, a 32nd Degree Mason and a member of Hella Shrine Temple of Dallas. During World War II he was a civilian instructor at Amarillo Air Force Base.

Survivors include his wife of the home; one son, Philip R. Russ of Amarillo; a daughter, Janet Farmer of Midland; a brother, Edgar A. Russ of Lubbock; eight grandchildren; and five great grandchildren.

Casketbearers were Bobbie Wardlaw, David Farmer, Paul Farmer, Kyle Farmer, Brian Farmer, Wayne Greenhaw.

YOUR OPPORTUNITY TO NOMINATE OUTSTANDING INDIVIDUALS TO BE NAMED

The Wheeler Chamber of Commerce is once again taking nominations for the five outstanding individuals, who will be recognized at the annual Chamber of Commerce Installation banquet.

It is the desire of the Chamber to recognize the most deserving individuals in each of these categories. Please make your ideas known and also list the reasons why the individual should receive the honor.

Your nominations will be considered by the committee appointed to select the respective individuals to be named.

It will be necessary that the nominations be returned by Tuesday, February 7. This will give the committees time to consider the nominations and gather additional information if needed.

To: Wheeler Chamber of Commerce
P.O. Box 221
Wheeler, Texas 79096

I would like to nominate the following for the outstanding individual in their respective category:

1. Woman _____
2. Man _____
3. Employee _____
4. Teenager _____
5. Farmer/Rancher _____

Signed: _____

Kelton Jr. High boys and girls winning first place after defeating both Wheeler 8th grade teams.

The girls defeated Wheeler 43 to 25. The boys game ended with Kelton defeating Wheeler 36 to 29.

Nine area teams participated in the annual tournament held January 5, 6, 7. Samnorwood girls and Allison boys won consolation. Allison girls and Samnorwood boys won third place. Wheeler 8th girls and boys won 2nd place. Briscoe boys and Allison girls received the Sportsmanship trophy.

The winning coaches awards were presented to Coach Joey Waldo of Kelton who coaches the girls and Coach Dave Johnson, the Kelton boys coach.

Individual All Tournament trophies were awarded to the following players. These players were chosen by the coaches of the various teams: Deidra Dukes, Allison; Heather Campbell-Shamrock; Rosie Taylor, Kelton; Amy Van Vranken-Briscoe; Amanda May-Mobeetie; Scott Dyer-Allison; Joe Dan Ledbetter-Wheeler; Travis Goad-Briscoe; Damon Remy-Wheeler; Boyce Crownover-Kelton; Jana Velasquez-Wheeler; Angela Pope-Samnorwood; Ginger Nelson-Wheeler; Isabel Lopez, Kelton; Julie Davidson-Kelton; Tory Thompson-Samnorwood; Nick Johnson-Kelton; Dusty Walker-Briscoe; Rodney Holmes-Shamrock; Gary Bryant-Kelton.

Kelton school wishes to thank all the teams, coaches and parents who attended the tournament and express their regret that the tournament was running behind schedule so much Saturday night.



SWEARING IN: John Mann was sworn in as Assistant District Attorney during fall commencement at Stephen F. Austin State University. He was a candidate for the BS degree in Journalism.

1988 Ambulance Report; 269 Calls

O.K. Louis, here is the yearly ambulance report. As usual, I am running behind, or should I say limping behind?

We recorded 269 calls this past year. This is compared to 282 in 1987. There were 83 transfers to Amarillo hospital, 4 transfers to Pampa C.C.H. and 2 transfers to Elk City. We recorded 5 D.O.A. and 2 D.O.S.

Since the Ambulance Service was organized on June 1, 1976 we have responded to 2,701 calls.

Our workers for 1988 were; M.K. Christner, Louis Stas, Dwight Tipps, Lee Hibler, Pam Hibler, Mark Frank-enbery, Jon Sullivan, Joel Finsterwald, Betty Chapman, Larry Jones, Elaine Rodgers, Jim Calderon, Nicki Calderon, Lyndon Loyd, Kyndal Murr Murray.

Cardiac related called are still our number one problem with the percentage running 58% in our area.

Unfortunately the Wheeler area had a number of motor vehicle accidents resulting in several deaths. None of the deceased were wearing seatbelts. While in December two vehicles met head on near Gageby and all four occupants were wearing seat belts and walk away without injuries.

We will be conducting ECA and EMT refresher classes soon. We have several workers who need to renew their licenses in 1989.

Please remember to wear your seat

belts and if you drink, please don't drive! Let's strive to lower our auto related injuries, of which there were 30 incidents.

We all need to work together to make 1989 a safe year in the Wheeler area.

Submitted By M.K. Christner

Hospital Notes

HOSPITAL REPORT

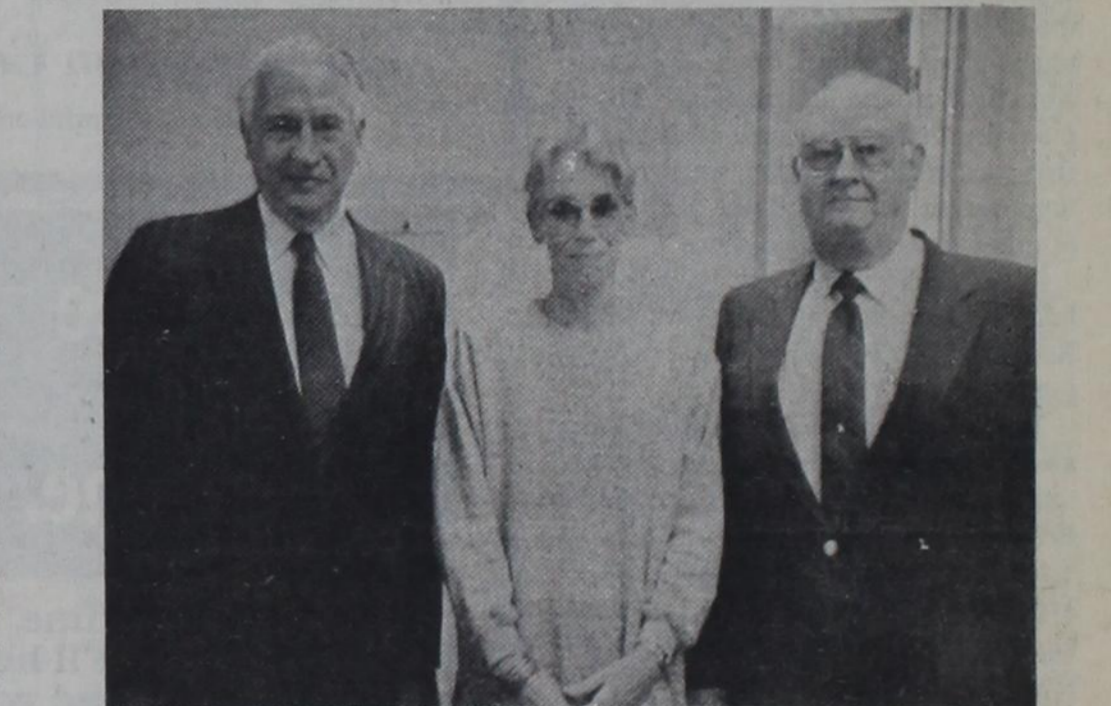
Old Admissions	
12-14	Goldie Gordon
12-24	Eugene Gudge
New Admissions	
1-3	Cordie Shumate
	Jesse Cooper
	Wendall Whitaker
	Mitchell Johnson
1-4	Kay Neuhaus
	Laura Guthrie
	Julia Massey
1-5	Winnie Newsom
1-6	Effie Sanders
	J.D. Tindol
Dismissals	
1-3	Joe Rucker
	Rena Edwards
	Ada Scoggins
1-4	Avis Stas
	Wendall Whitaker
1-6	Katherine Jones
	Jesse Cooper
	Maude Foreman
1-8	Effie Sanders

Band Boosters Say "Thank You"

The Christmas Dinner, Concert, and Pie/Cake Auction sponsored by the Wheeler Band and Band Boosters, was a "hugh" success! The organization netted approximately \$2200.00. We now have enough money in our uniform fund to advertise for bids on the additional 30 uniforms needed. We say, "Thank-You, Wheeler!" It took everyone working together to make this activity a success. A "special thanks" to Steve Walker of "Mr. Bar-B-Que" for fixing and serving our smoked ham, it was

delicious; to Hathaway, Loyd and Tannehill Auctioneers, they did a great job at our Pie/Cake Auction; to Mr. Wilson and Mrs. Atherton for allowing us to use the school facilities; to all the parents and boosters who donated funds and food for the dinner and auction; to KPDR and The Wheeler Times for advertising, to all those who bought pies, cakes and candy at our auction. A big thanks to those who made "cash" donations and a special thanks to Mr. and Mrs. Martinez and

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APPOINTMENT: 31st District Judge, Grainger W. McIlhany appointed Patricia McNeil as Court co-ordinator for the 31st District Court of Wheeler County, effective January 1, 1989.

The purpose of a co-ordinator is to manage the Courts cases, leaving the Judge free to spend his time and energy presiding in Court. Court management has been applauded by attorneys and judges alike, as a major step in updating our Judicial System. By approving a Court co-ordinator system, the Commissioners have done much to improve the efficiency of Wheeler County's Court System.

Wheeler Translator Patrons Are Warned

We are not taking in enough dues. It is a situation of having too many bills for the amount of money we have. We need to know if you want the Translator to continue servicing the area. If so, let us know by donation or cards and letters. If not let us know that, too. Otherwise there is a possibility of our closing down permanently. We will welcome your donation or your past due dues!! The percentage of those who have not paid is too great a number.

James R. Brooks Graduates From SFA

James R. Brooks of Wheeler was among 841 candidates for graduation during fall commencement at Stephen F. Austin State University.

He was a candidate for the BS degree in Journalism.

They deserve a pat on the back from all of us," said Mrs. McNeil.

County Judge Wendell Morgan is pictured to the right.



KELTON ROYALTY: Tuesday night, December 20, 1988, was "Homecoming" for Kelton High School Basketball teams. Brett Buckingham and Noel Johnson were crowned King and Queen. The other candidates for queen were Karla Harris and Susan Davidson, selected by the boys. Chad Caddell and Andy Singleton were also selected as candidates for king. The 1987 king and queen, Perry Alves and Leslie Johnson, the reigning couple, Brett and Noel were presented gold identification bracelets. [Kelton Annual Staff Photo]

Lots of guys taking cattle to the Wellington Livestock sale Thursday. Some there were Bob Ratliff, Clarence Zybach, Eric Zybach, Willis and Leon Fillingim, James Hefley, Troy Treadwell, Truman Bradstreet. Sounded like a good place to visit.

Happy Birthday to Alicia Hefley, Shonda Meadows and Lawrence Fillingim on January 15, Dean Tipps, Jan. 16, Fat Childress, Tamera Hartline, Jan. 18, Charles Crownover, Jan. 19, Bob Downs, Jan. 21, Rhonda McWhorter, Jan. 5, C. B. Brotherton, Jan. 7, Annie Ruth Lee, Jan. 6, Thomas Helton, Jan. 11.

Happy anniversary to Chuck and Ann Jones and Larry and Pam Meadows on Jan. 15, Bob and Becky Blackburn, Jan. 17, Dean and Georgia Tipps, Jan. 20.

Briscoe High School; goes to Miami to play ball Tuesday, Jan. 17 and to Kelton Friday night, Jan. 20. Briscoe Junior High will play at Samnorwood Thursday, Jan. 19.

Nice to see Monett (Treadwell) Jenkins at the Miami ballgame, looking so pretty.

Briscoe Boosters are sponsoring a hamburger and pie supper in the Briscoe Cafeteria next Friday night Jan. 13 from 5:00 to 6:30 before the game with Mobeetie. Price is \$2.50 for a plate except pre-schoolers \$1.50. Proceeds will be used at the County Livestock Show Jan. 21.

There were 2 exciting games with Allison there Friday night with nearly everyone in Allison and Briscoe present to watch. The boys game was close all the way for a final score of Briscoe 78, Allison 72. Congratulations! Approximate scores are Chad Morgan 25, Davy Gilmer 16, Shawn Zybach 12, Shane Goad 12, Ben Meadows 13.

Allison girls defeated Briscoe 55 to 38, Mandy Ferguson 16, Tammy Harwell and Shellie Ogle 7.

Briscoe Homecoming has been set for January 27 with Wheeler.

E. G. and Willa Fillingim were Sunday dinner guests at J.P. and Martha Meeks.

Sunday dinner guests at Evelyn Meeks were Tim and Lisa Bennett and Jimmy and Patrick, Chuck and Phoebe Hartline and Aaron and Tamara and Billie Joe and Tamitha Berryman.

Winnie Gilmer had to patient surgery Friday to repair a hernia. She is doing o.k., but sure hated to miss Davy's ballgame Friday night. David took a few days off from work to be with her. Think he was being lots of help. Missed them at church.

Congratulations to Boyce Crownover, Dusty Walker, Travis Goad, Amy Van Vranken for being on the all-star team in the Kelton tournament. Kelton boys and girls won first in the tournament. Boyce plays for Kelton. We sure need him at Briscoe. Willa Fillingim went to the tournament to watch Boyce play. Lots of other Briscoe people there.

C. B. Brotherton going back for 90 hours more chemotherapy Monday. Remember C. B. and Maurine in your prayers.

Thursday Briscoe Junior High boys and girls played Allison in the Kelton tournament. Allison girls defeated Briscoe. Briscoe boys beat Allison Thursday. Friday Briscoe girls lost to Mobeetie 19 to 24. Saturday Briscoe boys lost to Wheeler 7th and by a very small margin like 29 to 27 to Samnorwood.

E. G. and Willa Fillingim and Martha Meek went to Canyon Friday to see the eye doctor. Willa also visited Kathy Meek there.

Aaron Laverty went to Lubbock Friday and brought Trey and Sharleena back for a visit while Richard and Karen went to conference. Nice to have Aaron and Claudetta and Caaron, Trey and Sharleena and Sue Chander and Jana and Bridget eat lunch with us Sunday.

Very nice to have Don and Cindy Zumstein and Carrie and William and Cindy's dad, Bill Farnsworth, eat lunch with us Saturday. The Zumstein's celebrated their 15th wedding anniversary Thursday. Carrie and William prepared most of supper for them on their anniversary. Bill graduated from Canadian in 1943. He said they used to milk a lot of cows by hand and turn the separator and feed skim milk to the pigs.

I talked to Peggy Thompson at Wray, Colorado. Dennis had more surgery on his eyes the 5th. Came home the next day. Hopes to go back to work Monday the 9th. Think it is really going to help. They ate supper one night with Joe Woodward while in Denver and stayed with a cousin and his wife. Remember them in your

prayers. They brought Clifford Hefley back to the Wheeler hospital from Amarillo Monday. Hope he keeps improving. Remember Cliff and Polly in your prayers.

Sincere sympathy to the family of R. G. Russ in his death. He was one of my favorite high school teachers at Briscoe. Enjoyed shopping at their dry goods store in Wheeler in later years.

We had some exciting games with Kelton at Briscoe Tuesday night. Kelton girls defeated Briscoe girls 56 to 39. Mandy Ferguson made 20 points, Shellie Ogle 6 points, Tammy Harwell 7, Nikki Scott 4. I missed some. Kelton boys beat Briscoe boys 78 to 73 in a hard fought game. Chad Morgan made 25 points, Shawn Zybach 15 (including 3 pointers) Shane Goad 15, Ben Meadows 8, Davy Gilmer 10, Dallas Fillingim 3.

Mack Sheilds went to a funeral at Quail Tuesday for an aunt. Butch Murray and Karla and Shellie and Tim and Lisa Bennett and boys visited the Mack Sheilds Monday night.

Did you see the picture and write-up about Tony, Al and Ben



HEATHER MARIE HAMPTON is the 8 month old daughter of Mark and Melissa Hampton of Wheeler.

Grandparents are Bill and Marie Hampton of Wheeler, Jack and Bernice Hefley of Mobeetie, great grandparents are Ransom and Eunice Carter of Mobeetie and Opal Hefley of Wheeler.

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Griffin in the Amarillo paper Saturday, about their chickens? Front page, no less. Way to go, Griffins!

I give the points made on some of the ball games by each individual, but I feel the ones who can dribble and handles the ball without losing it, rebound and assist and steal the ball and be where needed are just as important. Our kids don't always win, but they always play hard and do their best.

Nice to have Sonya (Hudson) Paul out to church. She was visiting Ray and Pat and Cheryl Hudson. We missed Ma Mary. She's had a cold. Sonya enjoys her work as surgical assistant at Northwest Texas hospital.

Nice to see Elbert and Ruby Zybach out to the Allison ballgame. Remember them in your prayers.

Kelly Paul came for Sonya Sunday and spent the night and they went back Monday.

We enjoyed going to Sweetwater Thursday night to see Alicia and Dustin Yowell play basketball. The Sweetwater Pee Wee boys beat Reydon by a big margin, with all their subs playing. Sweetwater Junior High girls defeated Reydon girls 47 to 35 in a very close game. All really hustled. The referees didn't show up so Leldon Harrison, who used to coach at Allison and now lives at Reydon, was one of the referees and did real well. Sweetwater Pee Wee girls lost their game. don't know about Jr. High boys.

Correction: Jimmy and Tammy Maddox and Jennifer and Bobby and Bonnie Maddox and Bridget, Bonnie Christene, and Bobbye from Altus attended the Maddox family reunion last Sunday at Panhandle. Also Cynthia and John Connors and Melody and Matt.

Correction: Travis Goad made 2 points in the Samnorwood Junior High game. Jan. 2 at Briscoe.

We enjoyed seeing Briscoe-Miami Junior High games Monday night at Miami. Miami defeated Briscoe girls 26 to 21. Scoring were Jenny Van Vranken 4, Lindsey Fillingim 8, Shelly Hunt 5, Sara Powladge 4. Also playing were Keri Nelson, Tressa Perry and Amy Van Vranken. Briscoe boys defeated Miami 49 to 24. Scoring were Travis Goad 17, Donnie Bell 6, Dusty Walker 2, Randy Finsterwald 5 (one 3 pointer) Joshua Purcell 9, Bruce Mize 4, Justin Edwards 4, Jason Mayfield 2

Also playing was Cory Kinnaman. Good to see them all get to play and do good.

Larry and Vickey Nelson spent the weekend at Amarillo to celebrate their 17th wedding anniversary. God bless you!

Keri stayed with grandmother Shirley Jolly. Jimmy and Danny stayed with Chad and Brad Harrison.

Heather Ratliff spent the weekend with Karla Murray; T.J. Trimble

Mobeetie News
By Melba Corcoran

Jack and Bernice Hefley went to Amarillo Monday night to be with Carl and Peggy Carter. Carl is to have surgery tomorrow on his neck and back in High Plains Baptist Hospital.

Lynda Williams is reported as being very ill in Northwest Texas Hospital in Amarillo. Remember her in your prayers.

Mollie Selby attended the wedding of her nephew Johnny Carl Murrell in Pampa Sat.

Johnny Murrell of Pampa visited Sunday night with Mollie Selby.

Dale and Melba Corcoran visited Sunday afternoon with Earl and Pauline Barnes of Wheeler.

Those having January birthdays are Jan. 3, S.B. Hooker Jan. 7, Carol

Briscoe Extension Homemakers Club

The Briscoe Extension Homemakers Club met Jan. 3, 1989 in the Club House for its first meeting of the year.

The meeting was called to order by the new club President Pat Hudson.

Each member recited the TEHA prayer led by Katie Finsterwald.

Pat Hudson gave a devotional "There's Sunshine in a smile"

The roll call was answered with, "What I Like Most About Being An E.H. Member."

A short business meeting followed and new yearbooks were distributed and filled out for the year.

Members present were Irene Zybach, Emma Rogers, Effie Renfro, Martha Meek, Evelyn Meek, Katie Finsterwald, Essie Finsterwald, Mary Dodd, LaJaune Alexander and Pat Hudson, hostess.

The next meeting will be Jan. 17, with LaJaune Alexander serving as hostess and it will be held in LaJaune's home, 203 Bryan.

Wheeler Senior Citizens Meeting

The Wheeler Senior Citizens gathered Jan. 2nd for their regular dinner and game night with 27 members and 1 guest present.

Guest speaker was Roger Davis from Pampa speaking on the changes of Medicare for 1989 and the importance of investing in Tax Free Municipal Bonds.

After the bountiful meal and program a short business meeting was held and officers for the new year were appointed. Appointees are: President, Helen Sabbe, Vice-President Doris Hays, Secretary-Treasurer Elva Wood, Reporter, Lois Meek, Program Chairman Amelia Sims, Decorating Chairman Ione May.

After the business meeting games of Canasta, 88 and dominoes were played and enjoyed.

Those present were: Helen and Eli Sabbe, Roy and Lois Meadows, Jack and Doris Hays, Leon and Veal Fillingim, J.P. and Martha Meek, Hestell Killingsworth, Mary Finsterwald, Opal Davidson, Ione May, Novella Vanpool, Elva Wood, Jean Pollock, Jewell Holloman, Paul Shumate, B.K. Barham, Lawrence Lancaster, Eupha Mae Sorenson, Oleta Jones, Ruth Hoggard, Fannie Mae Bradstreet, Pet Sims, and Amelia Sims.

BRISCOE MENU Jan. 16-20
MONDAY: Breakfast; Cereal, milk, juice.

Lunch; Fish & shrimp, corn on the cob, cole slaw, cake, milk, hushpuppies.

TUESDAY: Breakfast; Donuts, milk, juice.

Lunch; Chicken nuggets w/sauce, corn, green beans, pudding, milk, rolls.

WEDNESDAY: Breakfast; Eggs, Little Smokies, biscuits, milk, juice.

Lunch; Tacos, salad, jello w/fruit, milk.

THURSDAY: Breakfast; Waffles, bacon, milk, juice.

LUNCH: Brisket, red beans, cabbage, cobbler, milk, cornbread.

FRIDAY: Breakfast; rice, toast, milk, juice.

Lunch; Burritos, French fries, fruit, milk.

spent Saturday night. Rhonda Stevens went to Kelton with them Saturday. Isaiah 41:10 Fear not for I am with thee; be not dismayed for I am thy God; I will strengthen thee; yea I will help thee; yea, I will uphold you with

the right hand of my righteousness. Claudetta Laverty's mom, Bessie Addington, has been in the Pampa Hospital with double pneumonia. She also has cancer. Remember her in your prayers.

McCurley Jan. 11, Sallie May Jan. 16, Randy McCurley, Jan. 20, Joe Darnell Jan. 22, Anna Belle Corcoran, Melvin May Jan. 24, Ab Trout Jan. 27, Goldie Gordon and Arthur Don Burke.

Elnita Atkins and Herbert Atkins of Amarillo visited Tuesday in Mobeetie with friends and tended to business.

Our sympathy goes out to Calvin Stuart on the death of his aunt Ruby Morris of Amarillo.

Dale and Melba Corcoran attended the supper and installing of officers of the National Association of Letter Carriers Union in Pampa Sat. night.

Lynn, Denise of Cody Rector of Amarillo visited Sat. with Lynn's grandparents Jud and Lorene Rector.

We hated to see Mr. and Mrs. Rick Allison move back to Oklahoma City, OK. They had been living in Old Mobeetie in the Adams rent house.

Visiting with Ransom and Eunice Carter during this past week were Bobbie Ehrmann of Miami, Doyle and Bulah Grimes of Mobeetie, J.D. Parris of Miami and Johnny Murrell of Pampa. Eunice is improving following her bout of pneumonia.

Lynn, Lisa and Sernia Sims were in Lubbock last week for Lisa's medical checkup. All of her reports were good.

Orville Greenhouse visited Sun. afternoon in Wheeler with Dorsie and Alvern Hutchinson.

Goldie Gordon is still in the hospital and not showing much improvement. She is scheduled to be moved to the Wheeler Care Center this week. Remember her in your prayers.

Doyle and Bulah Grimes visited Wed. in Abraham Memorial Home in Canadian with Bulah's mother Mary Brewer. They also visited Tommy Allen while there.

Mrs. Boyd Kennedy was reported

as having a good week in the Wheeler Care Center. Boyd visits her twice a day.

Bulah Grimes visited Bessie Galmor Monday night while Bob attended the lodge meeting.

Bulah and Doyle Grimes visited this week in Briscoe with Harold and Lessie Austin.

Bessie Galmor is still on the sick list but is still at home.

Dec. 27, Aaron Lancaster of Amarillo was cutting trees on the Ernest Gordon place when a tree fell on his foot and broke his foot and ankle and crushed the tendons and ligaments. Then he took pneumonia. Ariza and Anna Bell Corcoran visited him Sun. in the hospital in Amarillo. Arica called them Monday and said he had got to come home.

Ariza and Anna Bell Corcoran visited Sunday afternoon in Pampa with Pete and LaVerne Corcoran.

Gene Gudgel is still in the hospital but improving and expected to go back to Wheeler Care Center Tuesday.

Bill and Lena James and Billy, Kathy, Jamie and Cody James enjoyed their day off Sunday by spending the day in Pampa.

Mrs. Bulah Stuart of Wheeler and Calvin and Leola Stuart attend the funeral last Friday in Amarillo of Calvin's aunt Ruby Morris.

Dennis Stuart has returned to West Texas University of Canyon after spending the holidays with his parents Calvin and Leola Stuart.

Visiting with Calvin and Leola Stuart over the weekend was Leola's mother Grady Richardson, Dean and Iva Richardson all of Erick, OK., Mike Richardson of Perryton, Eddie, Amy, Vanessa and Jennifer Richardson of Wheeler.

Doyle "Fat" Johnson entered Parkview Hospital in Wheeler Monday afternoon for test.

MOBEETIE MASONIC LODGE #972 held their regular meeting Jan. 9. Guest were District Deputy McKinney of Pampa, Walter Fletcher and Red Bearden of Pampa. Members attending were R. St. John, Albert Trout, Austin Caldwell, Jim Batton, Doyle Grimes, Bob Galmor and Henry Johnston.

MT. VIEW QUILTING CLUB Mt. View Quilting Club met Jan. 5, with Estelle Hodges and Juanita Parker as co-hostess. Refreshments of delicious cake and pop were served.

The club was happy to have Willene Burke as a new member. Those attending were Eva Webb, Lottie Reynolds, Orville Greenhouse, Bulah Grimes, Flora Mae Kelley, Willene Burke, Estelle Hodges and Juanita Parker. The next meeting will be Jan. 19, with Estelle Hodges and Juanita Parker as co-hostess as their quilts were not finished.

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Lines from Linda

Linda Daughtry, CEA
(Home Economics)

**Linda Daughtry — CEA
Freezer and Refrigerator Food Safety**
Winter or summer, severe storms can cause power failure lasting anywhere from several hours to several days.

In addition to coping with other problems caused by storms, consumers need to take steps to ensure a safe food supply and to prevent the loss of perishable foods stored in freezers or refrigerators when the power fails.

To help you weather this year's storms, here are the answers to some common questions consumers ask when they call the U. S. Department of Agriculture's Meat and Poultry Hotline (1-800-535-4555) and local county Extension agents.

Q. How can I prepare in advance to avoid food safety problems during power failures?

A. If you live in an area where severe storms and power outages occur frequently, stock up on non-perishable foods which don't require cooking, such as canned goods, freeze-dried foods, vacuum-packed peanuts, and sterile fruit juice in waxed paper containers.

When your freezer is operating but not full, insert blue-ice freezer packs or freeze water in plastic containers to help keep foods frozen in the event of a power failure.

Find out where block ice and dry ice are available in your community. Know how to handle dry ice safely.

Q. The power has been off for half an hour. What can I do to keep the food in my freezer and refrigerator safe?

A. First, call your local power company and see if they can tell you when the power will be restored. If it will be back on in a couple of hours, everything should be fine, as long as you minimize opening of the freezer and refrigerator doors.

A fully stocked freezer will usually keep food frozen for two days after losing power. A half-full freezer will usually keep food frozen for about one day. If the freezer isn't full, group packages together so they will retain the cold more effectively. Be sure to keep raw meat and poultry items on a tray so that as they thaw, the juices won't get onto other foods.

If the power will be out for a longer period than your freezer will maintain the cold, you may want to put dry ice in your freezer. Never touch dry ice with your hands or breathe its vapors in an enclosed area.

In the refrigerator, food will usually keep for four to six hours, depending upon how warm your kitchen is. If the power will be out for longer time, you may want to add block ice to the refrigerator to keep it cool.

Q. If the power is turned on now, how can I decide what to do with foods which are frozen before the power went off?

A. If ice crystals are still intact and the food is still at 40 degrees or below, it is safe to refreeze. Raw meats and poultry can be refrozen without substantially compromising quality. Prepared foods, vegetable and fruits can be refrozen safely, but quality may suffer. Juices can be refrozen without compromising quality.

If the food thawed but was held above 40 degrees for two hours or less, it is NOT generally safe to refreeze. Raw meats and poultry should be cooked and either served immediately or frozen. Prepared foods and vegetables should be cooked or reheated thoroughly and served immediately. Fruits can be refrozen if they taste and smell acceptable. Juices can be refrozen without compromising quality. Well-wrapped cheeses, butter and margarine can be refrozen.

If in doubt, throw them out! Foods held above 40 degrees for over two hours should generally be discarded because bacteria that cause food poisoning can multiply to unsafe levels on perishables held under these conditions. Fruits and vegetables can be cooked and served immediately, as long as they are still firm with no evidence of mold, a yeasty smell or sliminess. Juices can be used provided they look and smell acceptable. Well-wrapped hard cheeses, butter and margarine can usually be refrozen, but should be discarded if mold or rancid odors develop.

Q. How can I decide which refrigerated foods to keep after a power failure?

A. Fresh meats, poultry, lunch meats, hot dogs, eggs, milk and prepared foods should be discarded if they have been held above 40 degrees for over 2 hours because bacteria that cause food poisoning can multiply to unsafe levels on perishables held

under these conditions.

Fresh fruits and vegetables are safe as long as they are still firm and there is no evidence of mold, a yeasty smell or sliminess. Juices, opened containers or vinegar and oil salad dressings, ketchup, pickles, jams and jellies, and well-wrapped hard cheeses are safe as long as there is no evidence of mold growth, and they look and smell acceptable. Well-wrapped butter and margarine can usually be kept as long as they do not melt, but should be discarded if mold or rancid odors develop.

Q. When I arrived at our weekend home, I was greeted by an awful odor which I traced to the refrigerator. A neighbor informed me that there was a storm last week and power was off for 72 hours. I've discarded everything that is perishable and scrubbed both the refrigerator and the freezer, but the odor persists. How can I get rid of it?

A. Try washing the refrigerator and freezer with a solution of baking soda and water, then place an open box or dish of baking soda in each for several weeks. If the odor persists, substitute several crushed charcoal briquettes for the baking Soda.

If you can still smell the spoiled odor, an open dish of vanilla extract may help. Unfortunately, if the insulation inside the walls of the refrigerator absorbed the odor, it will persist despite your efforts.

Court Records

List of instruments filed in Wheeler County Clerk's office for the week of Dec. 30, 1988 to Jan. 5, 1989
DECEMBER 30, 1988
EXT DT—Thurman W. Calcote et ux to Canadian Production Credit

Briscoe News

By Vetola Parker

Correction: "Doves" instead of doves. My grandma took Doves Kidney Pills and Carter's Little Liver Pills. She was almost 95 years old when she died. If she had not fallen and broke her hip, she would have lived to be a 100 propable.

Thursday morn at 15 after 4 a.m. I was awake feeling my south windows, a bright streak of light like a falling star or meteor it was rather big. At first I thought it fell east of Dean Tipps house. It was too close to the ground it could not burned up. I lay

Assoc. 12-30-88 S/2 Sec 6 AB&M Survey

ABSTRACT OF JUDG—The City of Shamrock et al to Irvin D. Pense 12-29-88

RDT—First Federal Savings and Loan Assoc. to Robert N. Ware et ux 12-20-88 S/2 Lot 13 & all of Lots 14 & 15 Blk 3 Stanley's Second Add Wheeler

P OF A—Edith Sims to Edwin Sims 12-28-88

ASORR—Harold Rogers to James Reneau Seed Co. 9-27-88 SE/4 Sec 49

there, kept looking. As big as it was, it could have been anywhere on a line toward Essie Finsterwald's house. Years ago I saw a same scene, it came out of the sky. Bright, silvery streak, came down; it did not burn up, it hit the ground west of our barn, this side of a fence row. I hollered and pointed. We was standing on our open porch. Colie, Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Parker and I. I wanted to go out there. They would not let me. I had just got home from hospital with a tiny baby. They did not see it and acted like I was seeing things. About 2 weeks ago there was a meator falling for 2 nights. One of my sons said one was falling ever now and then. I did not go out to see them.

There are 245 million protestants in the U.S.A. they say.

Colie visited Ray Morse Saturday morn. Got us some liniment and cough syrup, then visited George and Avis. Morse was going to be gone a few days. Could come a snow. We get sick.

Saturday, sun is out pretty. Colie says not too hot outside.

Ted and Pauline Parker from Dumas came Sat. night. I was not looking for anyone. It was so cold. Ted came in, said the ground will be covered with snow in the morning and down to 15 degrees in the morn. He had just heard it on radio. No snow as yet Monday, Jan. 9th.

Ruby Zybach had 12 degrees this Mon. morn. Rozena had 10 degrees this morn.

Jolene Wilhelm had 10 degrees this Monday morn.

Kevin and Irene Shaffield came in this weekend. Mable said Pete Gilmer been pretty sick with a cold or flu. We wish for him a speedy recovery.

They all met at Dorothy and Cliff's Saturday night. Mable went over. James, Bea and girls were there, Irene and Kevin.

Sunday They all went to James and Bea's. Mable, Cliff and Dorothy. Kevin and June left on job trucking Sun. morn.

Effie Renfro is bringing dinner over to Mattie. They are going to eat together today. Now that is nice.

Hoyle called Panhandle Sunday. Henry and Mildred Davis was there, they were playing crazy bridge. Andy was setting in his wheel chair. Seemed Andy was about the same only they are having more trouble getting him to eat.

Well, our granddaughter Marianda Parker got back from London. The Parade was 4 hours I heard. She got home at 4 in the morn., Tuesday, 3rd. She slept till 3 P.M. woke, ate supper, slept some more. They enjoyed the trip is about all I have heard. Was I

WHEELER ISD MENU

Jan. 16-20

MONDAY: Breakfast; Juice, hash browns, bacon, toast, milk.

Lunch; BBQ on bun, French fries, corn, milk/tea, brownies.

TUESDAY: Breakfast; Juice, cereal, toast, milk.

Lunch; Chicken nuggets, m. potatoes/gravy, green beans, hot rolls, milk/tea, cherry cobbler.

WEDNESDAY: Breakfast; Juice, cinnamon rolls, milk.

Lunch; Pizza, corn, pears, milk/tea, oatmeal cookies.

THURSDAY: Breakfast; Juice, biscuits, sausage, eggs, milk.

Lunch; Hamburgers, curly Q's, lettuce, tomato, pickles, cheese, milk/tea, jello/whip cream.

FRIDAY: Breakfast; Juice, cereal, toast, milk.

Lunch; Mexican pile-on, rice, cheese, salad, chips, milk/tea, pineapple.

Menu subject to change.

ALLISON MENU

MONDAY: Lunch; Chicken strips, mashed potatoes, green beans, ice cream, hot rolls.

TUESDAY: Lunch; Mexican casserole, ranch style beans, sliced bread, Rice Krispie Treat.

WEDNESDAY: Lunch; Bar-B-Que weiners, cole slaw, French fries, biscuits, sugar cookies.

THURSDAY: Lunch; Steak fingers, mashed potatoes, English peas, hot rolls, apple crisp.

FRIDAY: Lunch; Burrito w/chili and cheese tossed salad, fruit.

The Arctic tern spends three months of each year in the arctic regions, three months in the Antarctic and almost six months in the air.



THE WHEELER TIMES

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"Wheeler, town of friendship and pride."

Blk 17

CORR AOL—Basin Royalty Co. to New Jersey Natural Resources Co. et al 12-15-88 SW/4 Sec 4 AB&M Survey

ROL—Exxon Corp. to George Harold Hill et ux 8-31-88 W/2 Sec 1 Blk L JM Lindsey Survey

glad they made it home ok.

Talked to Tolene in Colo., this Thursday morn. The wind was blowing. They were Ok. Tommy went back to Hawaii New Year's to his job. I

was hoping he get a job over here.

Colie gone to Doc Wilhelm's. He gave us 3 little banty roosters to crow for us. Hope I can save them from this dog. She don't know what a chicken is—don't think.

T.V. said 14 Billion hot dogs (Oscar Mayer) ate in U.S.A. last year.

Elbert and Ruby Zybach went to Jane Ann and Curtis Hall's Sunday afternoon to help their great grand son, Direk Murray celebrate his first birthday. Others there were Kyndell, Kathy, Kristy Murray. They had him a little party and cake.

Sunday afternoon at R. L. and Rozena Zybach's they celebrated Shane's birthday—17th. All kids and grand kids, Clarence and Irene were there.

Recently Melvin and Lavern of North Carolina visited R. L. and Rozena and Oleta Rogers from Plainview and sons from Amarillo. Guess there was a lot of Christmas news I did not get.

Scotty Parker is working east of Tulsa.

Many thanks to Kay Luttrell for putting in that news.

Now Fat Childress and Pat Helton really had a reunion.

Saturday night visitors in the K. D. Douthit home were Billie Stuckey of Canadian. Deb Kinnaman and children.

Lou Dean Douthit visited Bob and Deb Kinnaman and family on Sunday afternoon.

K. D. Douthit made a business trip to Amarillo on Monday.

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Wheeler Church of Christ

Congregational Concerns:
A Church Growth Seminar is scheduled for Friday, January 27th, and Saturday, January 28th. Charles Hodge, minister of the Duncanville Church of Christ in Duncanville, Texas, will conduct this seminar. In the next few days, a schedule of this seminar will be mailed to the membership of this congregation.

Sympathy must be expressed to Tressie Blocker upon the recent death of her sister.

Estelle Burgess was hospitalized in Amarillo for a chemotherapy treatment. She is presently at home, but is not feeling very well.

From The Minister's Desk:
One of the fundamental techniques of a football coach is to watch a film of his team's last game. From watching this film, a coach can pinpoint his team's mistakes which will improve his team's performance in their next game.

This is good strategy for a football coach. And it is good strategy for Christians.

Before they go to sleep at night, Christians should playback their day, asking several significant questions.

1. Did I criticize, condemn, or complain in the presence of those people who will be influenced by me?
2. Did I express sincere appreciation to other people?
3. Did I smile at least some of the time?
4. Did I look for the good in other people, overlooking their weaknesses or shortcomings?
5. Did I speak kindly about other people and refrain from gossip?
6. Did I thank God for the countless blessings of life that He has given me?

Having replayed their day, Christians could then pray: "Father, forgive me for the things that I did wrong today. Help me to see those wrongs clearly, not for continuing guilt, but for the purpose of education that I may avoid today's mistakes tomorrow. Give me your wisdom and strength that I may make the necessary corrections in my life. In Jesus Name. Amen."

D. Morrison, Minister
Church of Christ
Wheeler, Texas

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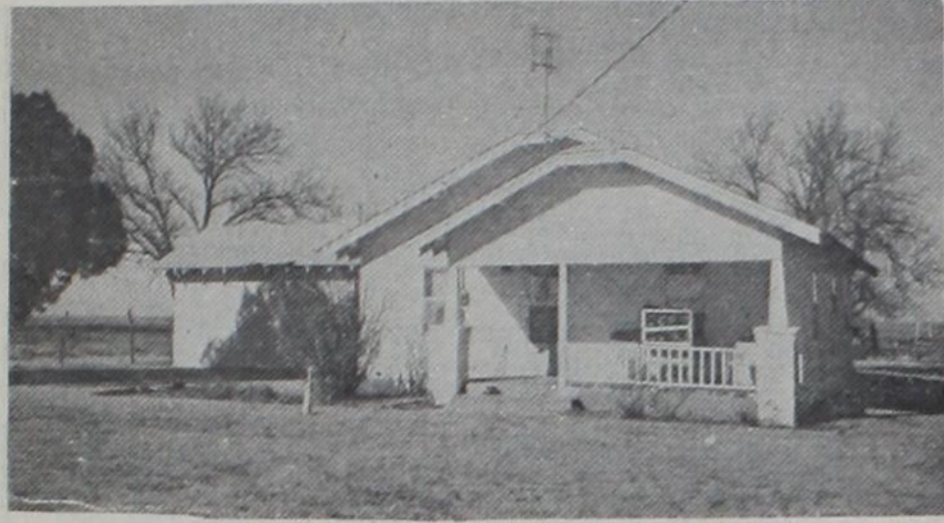
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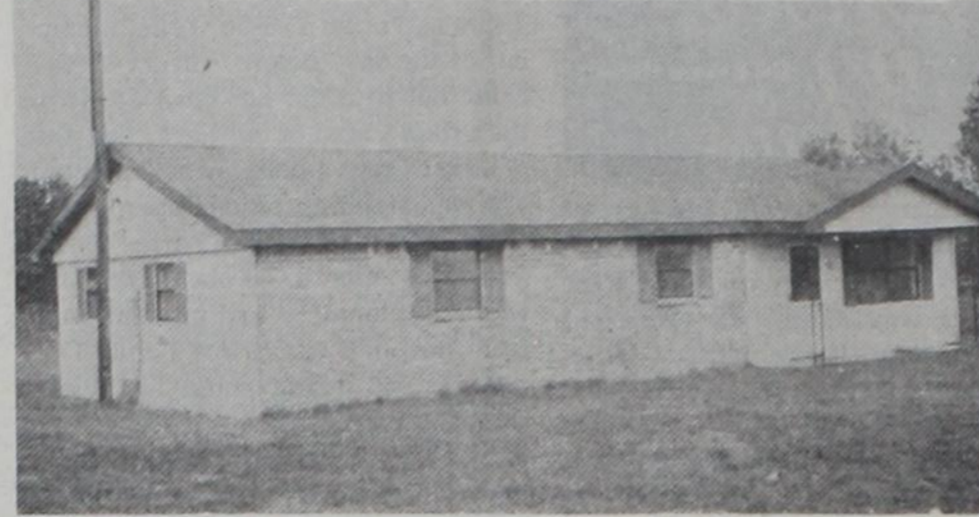
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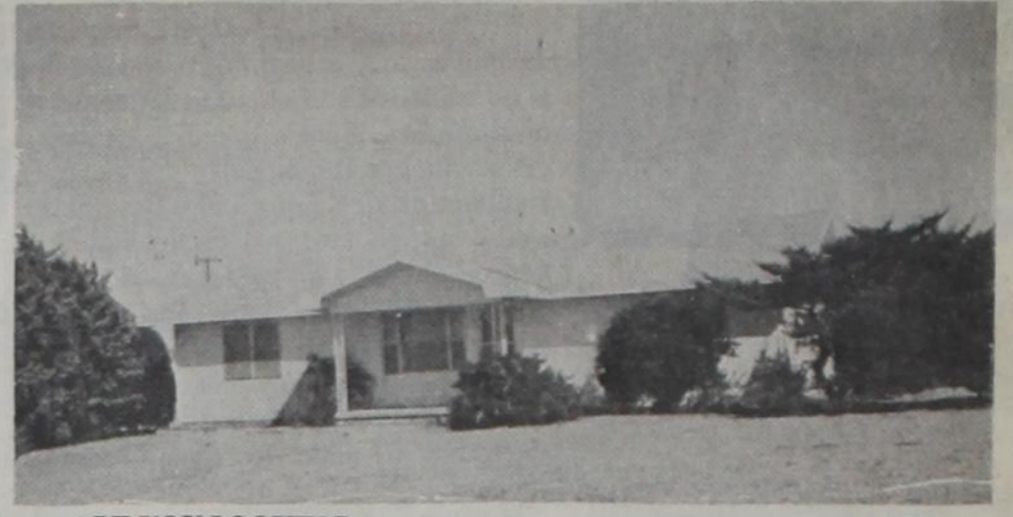
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I will not be responsible for any debts other than my own as of Dec. 19. Paula Warner.

Thank You From Page 1
all the band students for the lovely music and all their hard work.

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Hamburger And Pie Supper From Page 1
The Briscoe Boosters are sponsoring a Hamburger and Pie Supper January 13th from 5:00 p.m. until 6:30 p.m. preceding the Briscoe/Mobeetie High ballgames at the Briscoe Cafeteria. Price will be \$2.50 for each plate served except preschool price will be \$1.50 each. Proceeds will be used at the County Livestock Show, January 21st.

WHEELER ISD IMMUNIZATION CLINIC
An immunization clinic sponsored by the Texas Department of Health will be held Thursday, January 19, 1989 from 10:00 a.m. until 1:00 p.m. in the Wheeler High School Auditorium. The following immunizations will be available: DPT, Oral Polio, Measles, Mumps, Rubella and HIB.

The Texas Department of Health is charging a fee (\$15.00) to pay for the cost of the vaccines. The amount is based on family size, income and ability to pay. **No child will be refused treatment regardless of income.** Each child must be accompanied by a parent or legal guardian.

Girl Scouts To Take Cookie Orders
Girls from Quivira Girl Scout Council will be taking orders for the annual Girl Scout cookies sale from January 18 to February 5, 1989. Types of cookies being sold this year include Trefoils (old fashioned tender shortbread), Samoas (world's most delicious cookie), Do-Si-Dos (peanut butter sandwiches), Echo (chocolate sandwich), Tagalongs (peanut butter patties), Thin Mints (made with natural peppermint), and the NEW Chocolate Chips cookie (honey glazed, all natural fiber rich. Cookies will again sell for \$2.00 per box. Proceeds from the cookie sale support a wide variety of Girl Scout activities including council events, troop programs, and campsites Mel Davis, Lefors and Cibola near Clarendon. For more information on the cookie sale, please contact Frankie Jackson, Wheeler Cookie Chairman at 826-3291 or Quivira Girl Scout Council at 669-6862.

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Thank-You, Wheeler for supporting our organization and helping us boost a program that we can ALL be proud of.

Donneta R. Dollar, President
Wheeler Band Boosters

P.S. Please watch the paper for future band booster meetings and activities. We have a Music scholarship, a band instrument fund, and a band camp fund. All are projects worthy of your support. Thanks!

People believe if you rub your feet with garlic, you will be healthy.

By Mrs. Joe Flowers

The year of the Dragon is now the Year of the Snake. We had settled down New Year's Eve when Helen Bullard called to see if I had my onion cups out to see about the '89 rainfall. David and I hastily set out 12 complete with their thimblefuls of salt. Sad to say ours showed very little moisture for the coming year. Helen said hers were so-so except for a wet March. Now I am keeping track of the first 12 days of January. They are to show the weather for each month. So far only April has any rain. All foolishness anyway, I guess.

We lived it up over the weekend. Set up and watched the New Year bring the big ball down in Times Square. Went to church on Sunday ate plenty of black-eyed peas. Worked hard all day Monday.

With Ed and Eileen Logan and Dovie Wilson over the holidays were Danny, Carol, and Colin Crain from Dallas. Scott, Linda, Blake, Brett Burger of OKC. Robert, Sharon, Stephanie, Natalie, Chris, and Monica Shoffner, Charles, Lanette, Stacy, and Misty Bryan all of Edmond, Wilbert and Inabel Bryan of SW, Don and Ruth Campbell of Kansas City, Leta Campbell, and Carl Gasser both of Erick.

David has been worried because Carl's trailer was gone but seems he sold it to Robert Green who took it off to college.

We are real proud of Michelle Thompson who has been selected to appear in the '88 edition of Who's Who in American Colleges. She is the daughter of Bob and Lori Thompson and a student at OCC.

Mr. and Mrs. Leroy Allen and Randilyn, of Erick, Mr. and Mrs. Brent Maddoux, Jacky Day and children of Claremore visited Flossie Maddoux over the holidays.

Santa Claus is still coming. Roy Swagger had me a nice two year date book to keep in my purse. Sydney Cogburn sent two lovely calendars from Albuquerque. One is of the balloon festival and the other is birds. Pat Zullo sent a cloth bird calendar to hang in the kitchen. We aren't really cousins. Her grandpa Roper married our grandma Morgan.

The Kitchen Band started their 13th year of playing with a program at the Erick Home. As usual, Carolyn made it a party. Among the visitors were Fern Howell, Don Gordon, Mrs. Jefferson and Mrs. Penny's son. Band members were Basil and Billy Doss, Roy Swagger, Clarence and Althea Sanders, Iona Miller, Rose Abla, Hazel Francis, Joyce and Jello Matlock, Betty Brothers, Jack Criswell, Joe and ole Five String, David and myself. The Band has decided to go to the Wheeler Care Center each 5th Tuesday. Next time will be January 31 at 2:30 weather permitting. Gertrude Garrett is Resident of the Month at the home.

That reminds me, we are having our 51st wedding anniversary January 8th. Last year Joe had a national holiday for his birthday on account of Martin Luther King. Not so lucky this year.

The wedding of our granddaughter Ginger Flowers and Kenneth DeMarquis was an event of December 18th at the Grace United Methodist Church in Orlando, Florida. She is the daughter of Tony and Carleene Flowers. Kenneth's parents are Lt. Col. and Mrs. Kenneth DeMarquis of Redman, Wash. Among the out of state guests were Kenneth's mother and sister Catherine, Ginger's other grandparents, Carl and Inez McDaniel of Willow, OK., Mr. and Mrs. Milton McDaniel of Bryan, TX. Mrs. Bess Rowe of McGregor, TX. Mrs. Paul Kruska of Altus.

Seems like a 50% raise is a little exuberant for our brave leaders in Wash. D.C. tho we all want them to live in the style they are accustomed to. Wonder how long they plan to take such a raise each year?

A president who is having to move into a modest little \$2.5 million three bedroom house that his friends are giving him to help out would be very sympathetic to those in need. I really didn't understand why a 3 bedroom house would need 6 baths.

Howard Lohberger has been in an OKC hospital. Hortense Madden and Mozelle Stanton are on the puny list.

The Sweetwater Assembly of God Church presented the church services at the Erick Nursing Home New Year's Day. The Baptist Church will have it the 15th.

The school board election is coming up soon. We have Mike Sites and Y.C. Fuchs in competition. See Yolanda McArthur is on the slate at Cheyenne.

We saw just about everyone in town. Dewitt and Margie Hawkins and some of Margie's kin, Mr. and Mrs. Rex Atha, Lorene Mikles, Jack and Irene McArthur, Fred Head, Lily May Holland, Ike and Jane Schmidt, Julian and Coy Wallace, Mr. and Mrs. Hansford Counts.

Glad our friend Dennis Vannerson of Austin had successful eye surgery. We sure do need our eyes.

Bonnie Rice said she told Arnold she'd fix him anything he wanted for

Christmas dinner. He asked for a big skillet of fried potatoes. Joe would say anything just so it isn't turkey.

New Year's guests of the Ed Logans were Eva Cotts, Billy and Sheila Cotts. Billy is working in NYC at present and Sheila is at Norman.

Mildred Allen had an early Christmas with Leroy, Fay, and Randilyn out from Erick. Mr. and Mrs. Donniss Hayes from Enid.

With Wilma and E.L. Fowler for a Saturday Christmas were Mr. Darrell Heinsohn, Tess, Jamie and Tyler, Vikki and Craig Wildman, Hope McCord, Doug and Gay, Trampus and Lacy, Kenny and Jill Drake, Dustin and Casey, Sayre, Charlotte Fowler of OKC.

Well, the good news is the New Year is off to a fine start and the bad is it's time to send in that last estimated tax and be thinking about the final

papers and the '89 estimate. They have what they call "granny bashing" at Wash. DC. Give the Social Security folks a raise then take it away for the raise in Medicare. All eligible for Medicare who pay income tax will have to pay a fifteen percent surcharge to cover the new catastrophic insurance. Social Security folks already have to pay on half their pension in some cases and it talked that may be changed to 100%.

All of you who love Sweetwater kids don't forget to send your Safeway—Homeland sales slips to the school to help on their computer.

Aunt Emma Perry is spending a couple of months in New Mexico with Neva and Leland Bartlett.

Our Bookmobile driver Carol Schmidt and Jack Corbett were married December 26th with their families present for the ceremony.

About Our Schools

TEACHING STUDENTS ABOUT DEPENDENCE AND INDEPENDENCE

In a day when doing one's own thing is held up as the ideal, the whole issue of independence versus dependence might seem settled. In truth, however, this is an issue we really need to explore. Then, we need to talk to our children about being independent and being dependent. It's one lesson they will need in preparation for living happily today as well as in the future.

Part of being a happy and successful person is using good judgement. It goes without saying that if I choose to do my own thing and run a traffic light, I haven't used good judgement. My common sense has deserted me. There isn't the slightest doubt that it's good judgement to obey traffic lights. And so, doing my own thing is limited by a frame of reference. I am perfectly free to drive the streets of my town, but I'm not free to do my own thing to the point that I interfere with the rights and well-being of others. To do so is a violation of law and statement of my own bad judgment.

When children insist that they have a right to do their own thing as a declaration of their independence, we can only tell them that they are confused about what independence and dependence are. As adults, we must know the difference and be able to relate this difference to children. Yet, we also want them to understand the difference between **addicted dependence** and **invested dependence**. **Addicted dependence** is the ability to make a move without the permission of others. **Invested dependence** means acceptance of other people's ideas and rights along with your own.

Children need to know that being independent is a marvelous thing -- as long as we understand the need for balance. When we sense the importance of our personhood, we can function with independence. When we feel that we are the **only** important people to be considered, however, independence isolates us from all others -- and even from ourselves. That's why we in the schools are trying to teach children that independence, carried to its extreme, **always** isolates.

Therefore, the ultimate test for children who continue to insist on doing their own thing is to ask them whether they really mean what they say. If they do, then they must forego all dependence on other people. For example, they will have to reinvent the wheel. That's why we try to teach children at school that no one is, or can be, an island.

It's through giving that all people grow. We are not teaching **addicted dependence**, but **invested dependence**, for it's here that the key to meaningful and successful living resides. And we need to teach this lesson at home as well.

Our mission is clear: We can only build healthy independence if we know how to promote **invested dependence** in our schools. Then, our children will feel that they can, indeed, do their own thing -- within the limits of common sense. We will have helped them know how to weigh

and balance in order to use good judgement. It's within the gentle frame of good judgement that all freedom lies. This is a lesson we need to teach both at home and school.

Dave R. Summers
Superintendent of Schools Mobeetie

Care Center Comments

If the first week of the new year is any indication of how the rest will be. I guess we're in pretty good shape. That is of course unless someone forgot to eat their blackeyed peas on the first.

Monday was a holiday for some of us. My volunteers were on the job as usual however. Mary Mitchell and Elva Wood were here to visit and serve juice. Thank you both.

Correction from last week: We are accepting not expecting more donations to the dental fund.

The Shamrock Church of Christ Singers came Monday night. Everyone was glad to see them. They were unable to come last month and we missed them. Thank you to all who came.

Tuesday morning Family Alter was held in the dining room, as usual we enjoyed the study very much. Thank you to Carlene Hyatt for playing the piano for us. Mr. Hyatt also does a good job.

I failed to mention the beautiful scarf corsages made and donated to the Care Center ladies by Iona Miller of Erick. This really brightened their day. Thank you.

Wednesday afternoon our bingo volunteers were Erma Riley and Ruth Taylor. Thank you to both ladies, we appreciate you. Fannie Mae Bradstreet handled the juice cart and did a fine job. Thank you.

The "Inspirational" ladies from the Christian Center were here Thursday morning. They were Fern Young, Ila Collins and Rozena Zybach. We have such a good time when they come. Thank you so much.

LaJaune Alexander and Ann Ellison came in the afternoon to pop the pop-corn for us. It sure disappears fast. We sure appreciate you both. Vida Brown and Alice Bell Helton came Friday afternoon to serve juice. We couldn't do it all without our volunteers. Thank you.

We would like to say Thank You to Willa Jean Shelton of Allison for her donation of sterile bandages and many other useful items to the Care Center. A donation was also made to the (Dental Fund). We appreciate your thoughtfulness.

Jim and Melba Montgomery came Sun. morning to teach their Sunday School Class. Our residents appreciate them very much.

Wynes Manney of the Assembly of God Church, Shamrock, came for afternoon worship. Thank you and your members for coming.

CARD OF THANKS

We would like to thank Dr. Mendiola and the nurses for the care that was given to our mother during her illness and death. We would also like to thank the Care Center for the care that was given to her while she was a resident. Thank each of you for the food, flowers, cards and other acts of kindness that was shown to us at this time. May God Bless each of you.
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By Christine Gilmer

Psalm 73-28 & 24:

But it is good for me to draw near to God: I have put my trust in the Lord God, that I may declare all thy works. Thou shalt guide me with thy counsel, and afterward receive me to glory.

We had a Texas Panhandle dust storm here last Thursday. Tumble weeds were rolling on their way east. Sometimes wonder where they all come from.

Clear and very cold this morning in Allison with the sun shining it should warm up right away.

Bret Begert and Kim Hall were crowned Basketball Homecoming King and Queen last Friday night at the Allison before the ballgame started. The Homecoming party followed after the game out at Hiram and Darena Begert's home. They reported they all had a good time.

J.R. and Leota Black's weekend guest were Jeffrey and Tracy Black and Tina Black, Robert Williams and three friends all of them were from Amarillo. Leota reported four degrees at the Black Ranch this Monday morning, that's making it feel like winter weather.

Opal and Juanita Boydston were dinner guest with Len and Betty Brown at their home here in Allison last Wednesday. Last Thursday, Opal, Juanita, Betty and Sylvia Brown, went to Pampa and did some shopping and ate dinner at Hardees.

Virgil and Jean Stinnett of Dumas came by last Wednesday and visited awhile with Betty and Len at their home here.

Jake and May Bell Childress' weekend guest were Nita Childress and Debbie Addy from Groom, May Bell, Nita and Debbie did some shopping at Pampa on Saturday.

Frank Joslyn from the Wheeler Care Center spent a few days last week with Shorty and Helen Crawford.

Ruben and Edna May and Edith Donaldson went to Cheyenne last Friday for medical reasons for Edith and Ruben.

Red Dukes has been attending the ballgames in the surrounding area. Anna has been staying at home with a bad cold.

Glen and Sue Elmore's Sunday evening guest were Ray and Sue Giddens from the ranch.

Jack and Arlene Scheller of



Amarillo brought Bessie Giddens last Saturday from Amarillo. She had been there for two months, had surgery and stayed to recuperate and for therapy treatments. Bessie is happy to be home.

Keith and Ann Boydston had a birthday party at their home last Saturday for Jeanie Gilmer. Those there were Rodney and Linda Ingersoll and Andrew, Becky and Jeanie from Amarillo, Natalie and Jessica. Pete had the flu and he and Margaret were unable to be there. Rodney and Linda and Andrew went back home on Saturday. Becky and Jeanie spent the weekend.

Dick and Cletus Green guests on Saturday was Dustin Jones.

Bruce and Pearl Harrison were in Erick last Tuesday and visited Annie Harrison and from there they went to Elk City and spent Tuesday night with Inez Townsley. Inez was an overnight guest on Monday night with Bruce and Pearl. Last Sunday Bruce and Pearl attended the funeral of Edith (Scrivner) Hooper at Reydon. They came back by Oscar and Erma Hamons and visited awhile and also visited with Jay Harrison. Others there were Al and Eva Schoenhalls, also visiting.

Ronnie and Ruth Chadwick went to Amarillo last Friday and spent the night with Mr. and Mrs. David Chadwick and did some shopping on Saturday and returned home Saturday evening.

Alan and Sheryl Lane and Laurie went to court at Wheeler last Wednesday Jan. 8th. Alan adopted Laurie and now her name is Laurie Lane. She is happy about that and would like for everyone to remember that her name is Lane now.

Howard Lohberger is spending several days with his parents Verne and Susie Lohberger recuperating from back surgery. Aleta his wife is a school teacher and unable to be at home with him.

Ruben and Edna May's visitors last Tuesday evening were Eddie and Barbara Burgess from Quail. Ruben and Edna were in Pampa last Wednesday on business.

(Thought) Kindness is a language which the deaf can hear and the blindness can see.

Roy and Lanora Morse's weekend guest were Rosie Robinson and Joan and Dustin Jones from Yukon, Oklahoma.

Joe Puryear from Hennessey, Okla.

visited Bob and Virginia Puryear from last Thursday until Sunday.

Steve Walker from Wheeler visited his parents Ed and Jennie Walker last Tuesday night.

Eddy and Wanda Walker and family's Sunday dinner guest were Bruce and Pearl Harrison, Jimmy and Vivian Wallace, Clifton and Louise Boydston, Gary and Julie Boydston and Amie and Debbie Boydston, Heather and Jason and Henry and Cheryl Dupont and Sabrina.

Ruby Craig's weekend guests were Lisa Farmer and Ryan and Jerry and Susan Finney from Pampa, Billy and Rhonda McWhorter, Tanner and Tyler from Wheeler were also dinner guests. Wilma Gilmer visited awhile on Sunday.

(Marginal Note) Always be sincere, even if you don't mean it.

MOBEETIE SCHOOL MENU

Jan. 16-20, 1989

MONDAY: Breakfast; Hot biscuits, sausage, bacon w/gravy, jelly, butter, juice, milk.

Lunch; Sliced ham, ranch beans, scallop potatoes, pears, hot rolls w/butter, milk-tea.

TUESDAY: Breakfast; Breakfast burritos, jelly, juice-milk.

Lunch; Mexican pile-on, corn on the cob, toss salad, oranges, hot rolls w/butter, milk-tea.

WEDNESDAY: Breakfast; Cinnamon toast, choice of cereal, fruit, milk.

Lunch; Steak w/gravy, mash potatoes, green beans, peanut butter cake, hot rolls w/butter, milk, tea.

THURSDAY: Breakfast; Hot biscuits, bacon w/gravy, jelly, butter, juice, milk.

Lunch; Italian spaghetti, W.K. corn, cole slaw, cherry cobbler, hot rolls w/butter, corn bread, milk-tea.

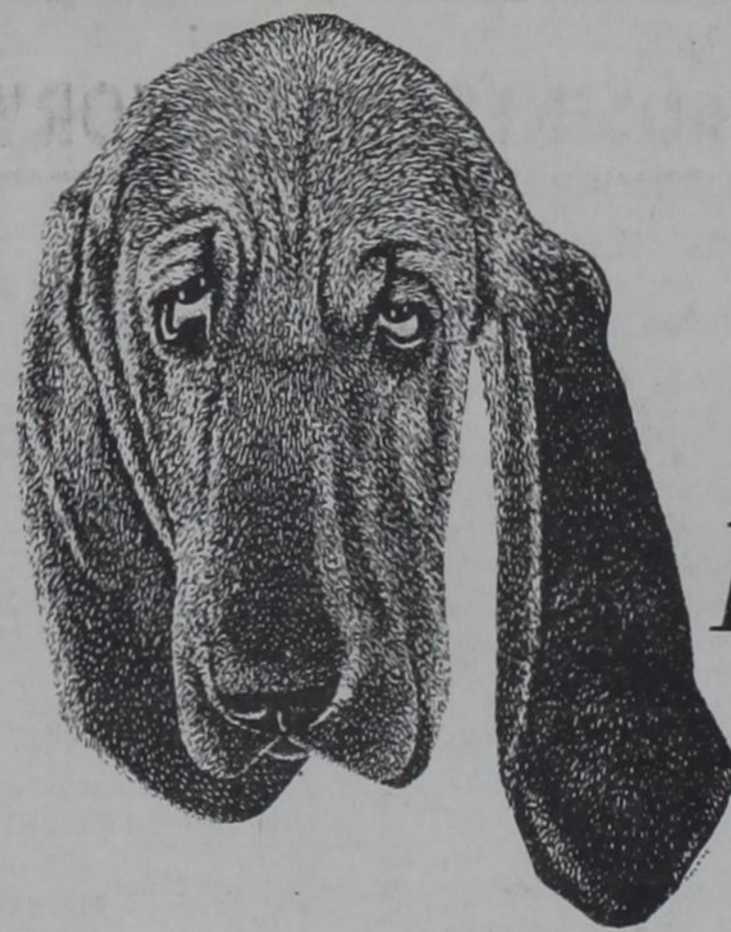
FRIDAY: Breakfast; Pancakes, syrup, butter, bacon, juice, milk.

Lunch; Hamburgers w/cheese, French fries w/catsup, lettuce, tomatoes, pickles, onions, choc. chip cookies, milk, tea.

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Intentional Burning...19	Residence.....6	60.....1	ATWOOD, R.....15.....22%	ATWOOD, B.....2
Heating.....1	Structure.....2	90.....8	AUSTIN.....36.....54%	BABB.....14
Electrical.....4	Vehicle.....3	95.....44	BERTEN.....1.....1%	ELLISON, C.....11
Operator Malfunction...4	Grass.....44	96.....55	CHILDRESS.....11.....16%	HORTON, S.....25
Fireplace.....1	Rescue.....4	97.....45	DAUGHTRY.....39.....58%	JACKSON, T.....10
Fuel Spill/Leak.....1	Oil Field Equipment...3	98.....47	DAVIS.....52.....77%	KENNEY.....7
Equipment Malfunction...12	Dump Ground.....0	99.....49	ELLISON, E.....20.....30%	KOELZER.....12
Cigarette.....2	False Alarm.....3	AVERAGE FIREMEN AT FIRE...12.9	FORD, K.D.....47.....70%	SWIFT.....11
Fireworks.....1	Other.....3	AVERAGE MANHOURS PER FIRE...21.0	FORD, R.....28.....42%	SIMMONS.....54
Lightening.....5	TIME OF ALARM	TOTAL MANHOURS @ FIRES/TEAM 1409	GAINES, P.....38.....56%	DAVIS.....52
Children.....0	A.M.....20	TOTAL TRAINING PER YEAR 1294	GAINES, R.....17.....25%	FORD, K.D.....47
Unknown.....2	P.M.....47	MUTUAL AID:	JACKSON, J.....21.....31%	JONES, L.....46
Refractile.....1	CITY FIRES.....10	We Called...4	JONES, L.....46.....68%	MURRAY.....44
	COUNTY FIRES.....57	Called Us...8	LEE.....43.....64%	LEE.....43
	TOTAL FIRES.....67	Stand-by...0	LOYD.....22.....33%	SULLIVAN.....43
	CALLS PER MONTH	FIRE OCCURANCE PER DAY OF WEEK	McQUEEN.....16.....24%	DAUGHTRY.....39
	January...2 July...7	Sunday.....14	MURRAY.....44.....66%	GAINES, P.....38
	February...11 August...2	Monday.....13	NEAL.....28.....42%	AUSTIN.....36
	March...13 September...3	Tuesday.....9	SIMMONS.....54.....80%	FORD, R.....28
	April...10 October...2	Wednesday...4	SNELGROOES...42.....62%	NEAL.....28
	May...2 November...7	Thursday...9	SPARLIN.....8.....12%	THORNTON...27
	June...3 December...5	Friday...12	STEWART.....12.....18%	LOYD.....22
		Saturday...6	SULLIVAN.....43.....64%	JACKSON, J.....21
			THORNTON.....27.....40%	ELLISON, E.....20
			WALKER.....14.....20%	GAINES, R.....17
				ATWOOD, R.....15
				WALKER.....14
				COLLINS.....1



TOURNAMENT PLAY: Captured above is a snapshot of the Kelton-Wheeler Girls Jr. High game to round out the Kelton Jr. High Tournament Sat. night for first and second place. Renee Atherton, No. 35, tries a two point shot; her team went

on to win first place honors, while Julie Davidson, 23, and Rosie Taylor, 45, assist. Wheeler's Gayla Maddux, 10, Jana Velasquez, 20, and Rochelle Rives, 24, playing defense, bring home a second place trophy.

Kelton Junior High Tournament Games

Kelton boys defeated Wheeler 8th 36 to 29 to win first place in their own tournament. Nick Johnson scored 11 points, Jason Hink 7 points, Gary Bryant 12 points and Danny Buckingham 6 points.

Kelton boys also defeated Samnorwood 36 to 17 in the second round of the tournament. Nick Johnson had 17 points, Boyce Crowover 8, Jason 2, Gary 4, John Jones 3 and Greg Bryant 2.

In the first round of the tournament Kelton defeated Wheeler 7th 52 to 11. Nick scored 9 points, Boyce 10, Jason

3. Gary 18, Danny 4, Heath Honeycutt 2 and Brian Kirkland 6.

Kelton Jr. High girls defeated Wheeler 8th 34 to 25 to win first place also. Rosie Taylor scored 14 points, Kristy Wheeler 7, Isabel Lopez 7, Misty Lewis 2 and Rena Atherton 4.

In the second round of the tournament the girls defeated Shamrock 8th 46 to 36. Rosie scored 33 points, Isabel 5, Julie Davidson 6 and Misty 2.

In the first round of the tournament the girls defeated Wheeler 7th 43 to 13. Rosie scored 20 points, Kristy 6, Isabel 8 and Nacy Davis 6.

Congratulations to the Kelton Jr. High players and their coaches Dave Johnson and Joey Waldo.

Prescribed Burning Maintenance On CRP

What do you think of when you hear the term "range burning"? Many people think of a devastating wildfire which sweeps across hundreds of acres destroying forage and fences, threatening farmsteads, and endangering the lives of man and animals. The destruction caused by wildfire may be long-term and often results in economic hardship for those who fall victim to it. The potential damage that it can cause makes many people hesitate to set a fire under any circumstances. While it is true that fire is a terrible master it can also be a good servant. Think of the uses of fire in our homes. We use it to cook food, warm the house, heat our water, and who doesn't enjoy the bright warmth of the fireplace on a cold night? The key to a safe fire is to control the conditions under which it is used!

Prescribed burning is the application of fire to a predetermined area under conditions where the intensity and spread of the fire can be controlled. A prescribed burn, as the definition implies, requires careful planning far in advance of the day that the match is finally struck. Such factors as wind speed, wind direction, air temperature, fuel load, and time of year must be considered when planning a fire. The first step in planning a prescribed burn is to determine what you want to accomplish. Burning may be used to control unwanted vegetation, improve forage quality and quantity, improve livestock distribution, or reduce wildfire hazard by burning under controlled conditions.

Research and experience has led many land managers to recognize that spring burning of pastures stimulates new growth and seedling emergence in grasses. Burning may also prevent the characteristic "stooling" that occurs in old stands of lovegrass and other bunch grasses. Fire removes the dead center of the stool, allowing room for new growth. Vigorous growth of grass seedlings occurs after burning because there is less shading and more available water. Burning will generally even up the pasture and increase grass production.

The timing of a fire with the spring green-up is critical for good results. If the burn is carried out at the right time it can greatly reduce the early weed crop. This requires that the burn be carried out after weeds have sprouted but before the grass begins spring growth. In some years a few days difference will affect the results.

There are some situations where prescribed burning is not a good option. These include burning near oil or gas installations, farm and ranch headquarters, windbreaks, or steep slopes. Burning areas with highly erodible sandy soils is not recommended. Burning when soil surface moisture is low may kill desirable grasses. If a producer cannot incorporate prescribed burning into his operation there are other options, such as shredding or chemical treatment, which may achieve similar results.

For producers considering prescribed burning as part of their management plan, the Soil Conservation Service can provide helpful advice and assistance in planning a burn. For more information contact the Wheeler County SCS field office.

Kelton Defeats Miami Warriors and Briscoe

Tuesday night, January 3, Kelton girls defeated Briscoe 56 to 39. Noel Johnson scored 32 points, Karla Harris 20 and Sue Ann Jones 4. Friday night Kelton girls also defeated Miami 56 to 46. Noel scored 18 points, Karla 24, Susan Davidson 7, Lori Ray 5 and Sue Ann 2.

The boys also defeated Briscoe 78 to 73 in a close game. Chad Caddel scored 27 points, Brett Buckingham 20, Andy Singleton 15, Scott Bodine 8, Randy Singleton 4 and Bobby Buckingham 4. Friday night Kelton boys defeated Miami 81 to 55. Chad scored 31 points, Brett 19, Andy 12, Scott 13, Randy 4, Brian Walden 1, and J.D. Kirkland 1.

Colts Place Second In Kelton Tournament

The Wheeler 8th grade boys basketball team finished second in the Kelton Basketball Tournament. Wheeler lost to Kelton in the finals 29 to 35. Leading the Colts in scoring were Joe Dan Ledbetter 11, Heath Mitchell 7, and Damon Remy 6. Leading the Lions were Gary Bryant 12 and Nicky Johnson with 11 points.

Wheeler 8th defeated Briscoe 38 to 30 in the semi-final game. Ledbetter scored 20 and Kevin Hazel had 6 for Wheeler. Dusty Walker scored 15 and Joshua Purcell had 7 points for Briscoe. The Colts defeated Mobeetie in the first game 51 to 21. Ledbetter scored 30, Shannon Robinson 8, Hazel 6, and Wade Hampton 4 for Wheeler. Jaime Ledgerwood had 8 and Brian Rossiter scored 5 for Mobeetie.

The Wheeler 7th grade boys played two games in the tournament. They lost to Kelton in the first game 11 to 52. Heath Sabbe scored 6 and Ashley Brownfield had 4 points for the Colts. The 7th grade Colts lost to Shamrock 7th and 8th team 30 to 31. Leading the Colts in scoring were Heath Sabbe 15, Tommy Abell 6, William Patterson 6, and Ashley Brownfield 2.

Wheeler had two players on the All-Tournament team. Joe Dan Ledbetter and Damon Remy made this team.

The 7th and 8th grade boys basketball teams will play Childress at 4:00 p.m. in Childress on January 12. The games will be played in the Jr. High gym.

Alpha Mu Alpha January Meeting

Alpha Mu Alpha met in the home of Betty Chapman on Monday, Jan. 9. Members present were: Debbie Haning, Machille Henson and Lacey, Marla Ford, Sharla Weaver, Brenda Hefley, Kim Moore, Karren Gill, Tanya Waldo, Carletta Burton, Betty Chapman and our guest Cheryl Rives.

Plans were made for a Men's Basketball Tournament to be held in February Betty Chapman gave the program and the meeting was adjourned.

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WESTERN FAMILY BEST NAIL POLISH REMOVER 6 OZ. BTL. **69¢**
WESTERN FAMILY SW. MED. LARGE RUBBER GLOVES 100 **89¢**
WESTERN FAMILY SAIN CARB. LOTION 18 OZ. BTL. **\$1.39**
WESTERN FAMILY 100 WATT INCANDESCENT LIGHT BULBS INSIDE 2-11 "FOOT" PKG. **79¢**

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