

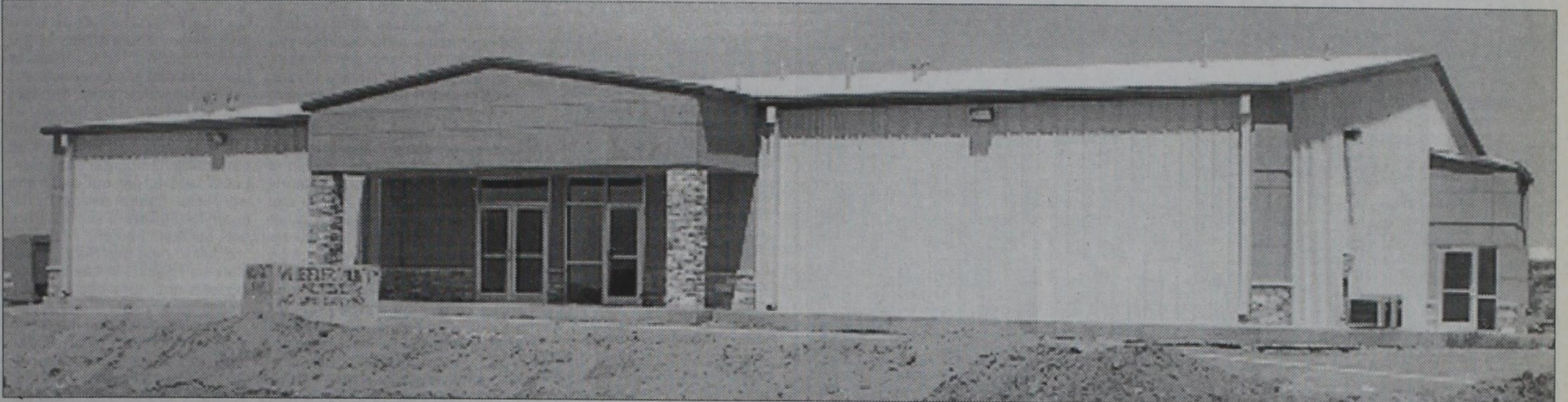
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"Wheeler: town of friendship and pride."



Sneak Peak, Ribbon Cutting, Founders Banquet & Program By Ministerial Alliance To Open County Ag & Family Center

CWE CHAT WITH EDITOR
By Louis C. Stas

The County Ag and Family Life Center is finally completed and the Grand Opening is slated for Friday thru Sunday.

— cwe —
And, as you will see, we have reason to be proud.

— cwe —
I personally greatly appreciate the hard work of the W.A.A.I.C. has put forth in making this dream a reality.

— cwe —
Those making the contributions, which made the facility possible also deserve your gratitude.

— cwe —
Make plans to be at each of the events planned.

— cwe —
We will have an early deadline for the July 30 edition of the paper. I am going on vacation and the paper has to be finished before I leave.

— cwe —
I will have to have everything for the July 30 edition by 5:00 p.m. Monday, July 20. (Not an error, the date is July 20.)

— cwe —
We were in Oklahoma City the last part of the past week. Had to make sure Seth didn't forget who we were.

STORM REPORT

As Reported by...
Stormie Meriwether,
Kindergarten Graduate

In 'The City' they have a big fire-works. I went with Seth and Jennifer. It was in a big park. You can walk around and see all the people before the fireworks blast off. It was awesome!

It's almost time for my vacation! I'm going to see the glaciers and the whales. First we drive a long time. Then we meet the whole big family, even Pop. We get on a big ship and go to the ocean. It will be so cool. I am so excited! I will tell you all about my trip. I hope I see lots of whales and seals. That's it.

Fund Is Established For Daniel Davis

A fund has been set up at the First State Bank of Mobeetie and Wheeler for Daniel Davis the husband of Misty (Jones) Davis. Misty is the daughter of Paula Jones and the late Charles Jones. Daniel has been sick for almost two years. Doctors are not sure what is making him sick. He has been in the hospital numerous times and the ER numerous times. Misty and Daniel have not been able to work much due to his sickness. They are in need of help for medical expenses and daily expenses. Your help is greatly appreciated.

Wheeler Co. Farmers' Market Open In Wheeler Wed. & Sat.

Wheeler County gardeners and growers continue to offer their produce on the square in Wheeler on Wednesday afternoon and Saturday morning.

As the growing season lengthens, more and more produce is available.

On Saturday, the Farmers' Market opens at 9:00 and continues until 12:00 noon or until vendors sell out, whichever happens first.

After 2 Years & \$1.2 Million, County Has Facility To Be Used for Many Activities

In the words of Neita Standlee Evans, "We need to build a Community Center for our kids and grandkids and ourselves, where we can get together, share one another's friendship and Christian Fellowship." This dream is now a reality with the completion of the Wheeler County Ag and Family Life Center.

The facility will offer a place for the community to enjoy 4-H banquets, senior citizens suppers, quilting and craft shows, Blue and Gold banquets for the Boy Scouts, annual Chamber of Commerce banquets, Livestock Boosters suppers, Family and Consumer Sciences activities, Community Gospel Music events, state band performances, family reunions, community safety programs, health fairs, Extension Services Education Programs, a community storm shelter and the opportunity to share Wheeler County's friendship and pride with our neighbors.

Thanks to the generosity of many people, businesses and foundations, Wheeler Area Activities and Improvements Council, Inc., is pleased to announce the Grand Opening of the Wheeler County Ag and Family Life Center. The opening festivities will include several events over a three-day period. A "sneak-peek" is slated to open the building at 7:00 P.M. Friday, July 17, 2009. Hamburgers with all the trimmings will be provided by the Wheeler Lions Club and J. W. Lane and Band will furnish music.

The official Ribbon Cutting is planned for Saturday, July 18, at 6:00 P.M.; this will be followed by the Founders Banquet at 7:00 P.M. Tickets will be required for this event. The tickets may be picked up at no charge at the Wheeler County Extension Office, phone 826-5243 or 826-5516.

On Sunday, Wheeler County Ministerial Alliance will be in charge of the program, which is to be announced.

Sponsors of this three-day event are: Heritage Feeders, Ministerial Alliance, W.A.A.I.C., Wheeler Lions Club, Mr. and Mrs. B.B.Q., and the Wheeler County Livestock Show Association.

On June 9, 2006, area citizens were invited to a free bar-b-cue and were shown plans for a proposed community building. Through much effort on the part of W.A.A.I.C., numerous individuals, businesses and foundations, this project is completed for enjoyment by the people of the area.

Groundbreaking to get the construction under way was held on January 28, 2008. Completion at the time of groundbreaking was set for December 6-7. The project was budgeted in the amount of \$1,360,000.

Greeting visitors in the front of the building are the walls of engraved granite blocks. The one-foot square blocks were purchased by families, individuals, businesses and foundations; they are engraved with names, photos, brands and business logos at a cost of \$1,000 per block, \$500 per half block or \$100 per donor's name. Blocks can still be obtained by contacting the offices of Charles Kuntz or writing WAAIC-Granite Blocks, P.O. Box 489, Wheeler, TX 79096; these blocks will be added from time to time. These donations are tax deductible and through a donation of this kind, you can be a part of maintenance and/or improvement of this facility.

Located at the north edge of Wheeler close to the Wheeler County Show Barn, use of the building can be obtained through the Wheeler County Extension Service. The Extension Service offices are located in the front of the building.

The large meeting room, complete with state-of-the-art audio/visual equipment, has space for seating 396 people for a banquet, using rectangular tables (six per table). The smaller meeting room will seat 96. Seating capacity without tables in the larger meeting room is 450 and the smaller meeting room will seat 120.

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Commissioners' Court Meeting; Burn Ban Is Reinstated July 16

Wheeler Commissioners' Court of Wheeler County met in regular session on Monday, July 13, 2009, at 9:00 a.m., in the Commissioners' Courtroom of the Wheeler County Courthouse at 401 Main Street, Wheeler, Texas, to consider prior bills and discuss matters of mutual concern.

Sixteen items were on the agenda. The minutes of the previous meetings were approved. The monthly reports of the Justice of the Peace, Pct. 2; County Clerk and District Clerk were accepted.

The hourly payroll time sheets were approved for payment. The court voted to pay the bills as approved.

The only action taken on the budget was the moving of funds within the precinct.

Due to the dry, and over 100° weather, the commissioners voted to put the burn ban into effect as of Thursday, July 16.

The court voted to advertise for bids for a 2009 4-wheel drive front-end loader.

Willis Smith was reappointed to the board of Texas Panhandle Mental Health Mental Retardation (MHMR).

The contract with Air Evac Lifeteam for 2009-2010 was approved. Forty-five county employees are on the contract with Air Evac at a cost of \$40 per indi-

vidual. Employees may add their spouses to the contract at a cost of \$10. The total bill for the county is \$1,720.

The \$5 County Road and Bridge Fees and Child Safety Fees for TXDOT will remain in place.

The county approved an Interlocal Cooperation Agreement for Jail Services with Dickens County, Texas. The cost to house inmates is \$48 per day with Dickens County to provide transportation.

Elk City, Oklahoma Pipeline, LP, was allowed to cross County Road 26 for the installation of an oil and gas pipeline.

No action was taken in the consideration of transfer of 624H Front-End Loader from Precinct 3 to Precinct 4.

Joel Finsterwald, County Sheriff, informed the court of the removal of Bo Eddleman from his payroll as a deputy, effective July 22.

No action was taken in the consideration of a vehicle for the Sheriff's department.

No action was taken on the item to consider speed limit signs on County Roads I, J and 3.

The next commissioners' court meeting will be Monday, July 27, 2009.



Hunt Family

Old Mobeetie Music Festival Strikes A Cord, Set July 24-26

Old Mobeetie is getting up for their annual music festival to be held on July 24, 25 and 26. This year's complete line up includes: Star Canyon, Tiny Duncan & the Magic City Cowboys, the Batten Family Band, Hunt Family Band, Link Family Band and Saltgrass.

This week's focus falls on The Batten Family and the Hunt Family, two fan favorites.

Founders of the Batten Family, Darrell and Tempie Batten, began playing music in the 1960's in their hometown of Lubbock, TX. For the past 22 years they played Bluegrass and old time music with Bob Suggs and his wife Taliene. Their group was known as Big Sandy. Over time their children and eventually their children's children began performing with them. Recently Bob and Taliene have retired from performing due to health reasons, and they are truly missed on stage.

The Batten Family currently has 4 generations of singers and musicians. In April of 2003 they recorded 2 new CDs, one gospel and one bluegrass and have performed at various venues in Texas and Oklahoma.

Darrell Batten (Granddaddy) plays rhythm guitar and sings lead vocals. Tempie Batten (Grannie) plays upright bass and rhythm mandolin. Kevin Batten (oldest son, PeePaw) plays lead mandolin and sings harmony. Teresa Batten (daughter-in-law, Kevin's wife, Mamo to Ethan and Madison) sings lead and harmony vocals. Lisa Hilton (oldest daughter, Annabelle's Mia) sings lead and harmony vocals. Paul Batten (youngest son plays lead guitar and mandolin, sings lead and harmony vocals. Bryan Batten grandson, son of Kevin and Teresa) plays lead and rhythm mandolin, sings lead and harmony vocals. Kelly Crowson (granddaughter, Lisa's daughter) sings lead and harmony vocals. Ethan Batten

(great grandson, Bryan's 5-year-old son) sings. Lori Ann Gauntt (granddaughter 4 years old, daughter of Angie (youngest daughter) sings.

Bluegrass Music has always been a part of the Hunt Family's lives. Terry, also known as Dad, grew up in the Ozarks of North Arkansas and was bitten by the Bluegrass bug at an early age. Leanne (Mom) grew up in a very musical family on a dairy farm in Central Missouri.

Andrew started taking fiddle lessons when he was 7 and Jonathan started at about the same age. In a home where Bluegrass and Gospel music were playing on the stereo most of the time, they progressed pretty quickly. Andrew's interest expanded to include the mandolin and Jonathan took up the banjo shortly thereafter.

When a job change included a move from Missouri to Oklahoma, playing music together took on a much larger place in their lives. In 2004 this evening past time took on a life of its own as the family started playing music in their church from time to time. That eventually led to other churches and then more events and engagements and then festivals and larger venues such as Silver Dollar City in Branson, Missouri.

In 2005 the Hunt Family won the band contest at the Oklahoma International Bluegrass Festival and really solidified their skills as a band. "We came out with our first CD later that year 'Hunt Family Bluegrass' that included Andrew and Jonathan's original song 'Blue and All Alone', Terry said. "In 2006 we won the 'Youth in Bluegrass' band contest held each year at Silver Dollar City. 2007 was a great year of growth for us. As well as playing many engagements, we started recording our second CD 'Preachin',



Batten Family

A Letter: Dear Music Festival Fans.

Pull out your lawn chairs and mark your calendars for the 2009 Old Mobeetie Music Festival. This year's celebration will be held on July 24, 25 and 26 on the beautiful grounds of the Old Mobeetie Jail Museum.

Plan to arrive early to secure your favorite parking place, as R.V. parking will still be on a "first come-first serve" basis. We have plenty of hookups and dry camp areas as well as sufficient handicapped spaces.

ADMISSION: Friday - \$10.00; Saturday - \$12.00; Weekend Pass - \$18.00 and Sunday FREE. Children 12 & Under - FREE

There are 139 RV hookups available at the these rates: \$12.00 per day (including tax) / 10

days for \$85.00 / 7 Days for \$65.00 (First-Come Basis)

Dry Camping \$5.00 per day

Seven bands will entertain fans at the Old Mobeetie Music Festival. Enjoy the musical styling of the ever-popular Star Canyon of San Antonio, TX., the soothing sounds of the Batten Family of Lubbock, TX. and the Grand Ole Opry tunes of the Larry Ford Band. Other favorites include the Link Family, Saltgrass, and Hunt Family Bluegrass. The amazing Magic City Cowboys will perform in their traditional time slot Saturday night with some of the best western swing you've ever heard! We are fortunate to have Frank Cleveland providing the sound

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Wheeler's 24th Annual 4th Of July Celebration



Everyone lined up and ready to get the 4th Annual Ben Britt Memorial fun Run/Walk underway.



Ready and waiting for the parade to begin.



The Wheeler Volunteer Fire Department led the 2009 July 4th Parade.



A P.P.&K. Contestant



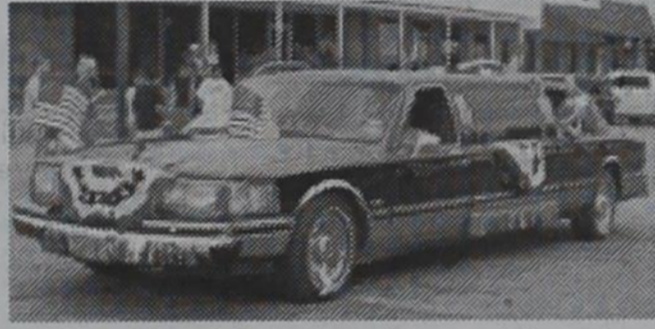
The Soto Family Restaurant Commercial Float



One of several 4-wheelers in the parade.



Wheeler High School Cheerleaders



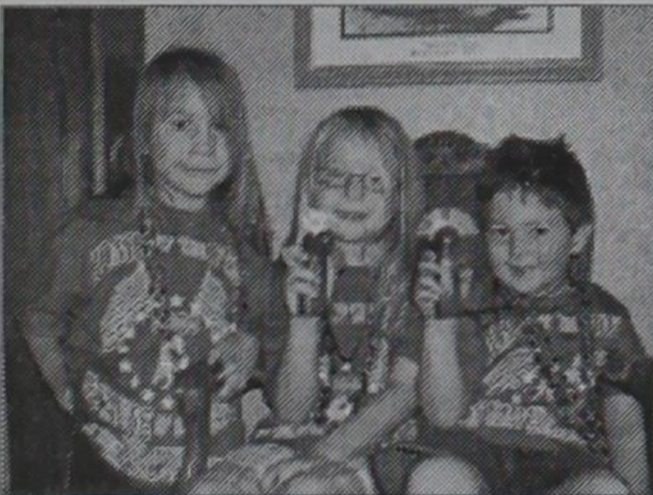
Keith and Shonda Rose drove their stretch limousine.



Another 4-Wheeler in the Parade



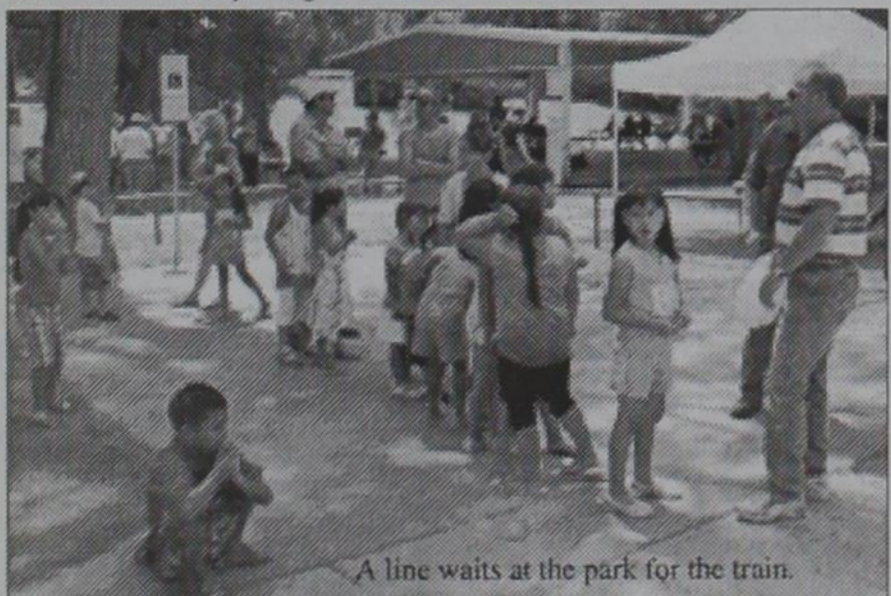
Texas Jack and Johnny Rock entertained at the park.



Stormie Meriwether, Hope Adkins and Dylan Marshall rest a minute at City Drug Bed and Breakfast.



The water slide was quite a popular place at the park.



A line waits at the park for the train.



Jake Ware entertained with his guitar and singing.



WVFD's Water Polo allowed participants to cool off.



Levi Ware accompanied his brother on the drums.

Ag & Family Center Opening July 17-19

MOBEETIE NEWS

By Sue Mayfield

Good Tuesday morning! Are you roasted and well done yet? It can cool down at least 20 degrees any time now and I really wouldn't complain. These 100-degree plus days are not my cup of tea. We certainly must have broken several records by now. Our poor grass and trees are getting so heat stressed. The garden is trying to hang in there. We've seen 112 and 110 degrees on our front porch. It faces north, but still isn't on the cool side.

Monday wasn't quite so bad as it was only in the mid-90s when we were in OKC for Ralph's check-up with the lung specialist. Even though he has lost quite a bit of lung capacity with these last couple of bouts with pneumonia, the doctor was quite pleased with where he is and he doesn't have to go back for 6 months.

Tuesday, it was good to see Kenneth and Brenda Childress in Amarillo. Not so good to see them trying to see the doctor at the VA. Hope you are feeling much better by now, Kenneth. Bob was there to see the dermatologist. We were very lucky and got in as one of the first patients. Dr. Vance did her slicing, dicing and burning and we were on our way. Got to visit with several nice people while we were in the "holding pen", as Bill Satterwhite from Roaring Springs put it. Dela and J. B. Heisman of the Beaver, OK, area had gotten to visit with most of their children in Amarillo the night before. They stayed at her daughter's overnight, but she hosted a big supper for them so the family could be together. They used to work on a ranch north of Mobeetie for part of the Mason family in the early '50s. They stayed only about 6 months. I didn't know any of the people that they named.

Tuesday night was supposed to be Michael's regular day to work, but he and April got their wires crossed and he wasn't on the schedule. He had requested the rest of the week off, starting on Thurs. to go to OK. to watch his sister compete in the Canton rodeo. I guess April thought he meant the whole week. So, he came home, gathered his clothes and was off to Kingfisher to spend the extra time with his mom, Michelle, step-dad, Kevin, and sister, Brianna. Michelle had a Dr. appointment clear across town in OKC on Wed. to see what they can do for her back. So it was good that Michael could go down and help drive.

I thought I was going to get so much accomplished and get the laundry out of the way Tuesday night, but all I accomplished was to fry the dryer. I had hoped it wasn't that bad, but Wednesday morning when I called to be sure to get put on Mr. Bybee's list, he confirmed the bad news. I was moaning and groaning, but then all the paperwork reminded me that it was 22 years old! Poor thing has been more than overworked more than once... may it rest in peace. Then, it was off to Pampa to get a different dryer. I've been hooked on the almond color for years. Is almost impossible to find that in a washer or dryer. Then you have to special order it and I would rather not have to wait 10 days, so white it is! The red dryer was cheaper, but I just couldn't make myself do bright red. Many thanks to Melody Goad. She always makes time to get me out of that wild woman stage.

Congratulations to Travis and Tonya Goad of Reydon, OK. They presented Mike and Melody with another beautiful granddaughter on June 23, 2009. Miss Kenley Brooke Goad made her debut at the Elk City Hospital with many family members there to welcome her. Big brother, Kyler, was very excited to get a new baby sister! When he actually got to see her, he wasn't quite sure about her. Grandma Melody got such a precious picture of the moment. Would love to be able to have read his mind after the expression on his face. He has been a big helper at home. He wants to feed baby Kenley so Mom can fix him some supper. So cute! Congratulations to Grandpa and Grandma, Mike and Melody Goad, great-grandparents, R.L. and Rozena Zybach and great-grandmother, Ida Mae Goad. Shaylie Goad has been doing very well with her golfing this year. She really enjoys competing and getting to play with Grandma Melody and Great-Grandma, Ida Mae. Gatlin is a busy boy and enjoys spending time with Dad, Shane, and Grandpa Mike.

It is so good to hear that Joe Shelton is doing so well after his hip surgery. He is a patient in the rehab wing at the Wheeler Care Center. If you get a chance to go by for a visit, he would certainly enjoy the company since he is grounded for a few weeks yet. Sorry to hear that Jarrett Childress broke his arm the first week of summer vacation. It has been tough. They had casted it hoping it would heal properly on its own. Since it is both bones, right above his wrist, it was a tough one, anyway. Of course, he wasn't lucky enough to have it heal properly, so they had to go back to the hospital and have the bones rebroken and have rods and pins put in to keep it healing



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straight. He has it wrapped up clear to his armpit and has had to wear it that way through this hot spell. He had an appointment Wednesday to see if it was doing okay and could be put in a hard cast. He has to be extra careful with his arm right now (almost impossible for a boy!) He is left-handed and, of course, it just happens to be his left arm that he broke. It has been a real challenge, trying to be a "righty." Sorry your whole summer has been messed up, Jarrett.

Jayton Childress wanted to do something special with her stock show money and decided she wanted to go on an Alaskan cruise. Her friend, Tracy Winter, had gotten an Alaskan cruise from her grandparents, Billy and Sheila Umstead, for a special gift for 8th grade graduation and a special reward for being valedictorian of her class. Jayton bribed Nanny and Paw to go with her so she could go on the cruise. Bless her heart, she bought their tickets because they have been so good to her and done so much for her and her brothers. She wanted to do something extra nice for them... something they wouldn't do for themselves. Isn't she a special young lady?! So Billy and Sheila, Tracy, Jayton, Nanny Sallie and Paw Tim Adcock flew off to join a cruise group. The girls had an exceptionally good time since they got to enjoy the special events with the Circle C Club, a group just for the teenagers. The girls partied every night with them and had special things they got to do even when they went ashore. It was a super time... something they will remember for the rest of their lives. They slept for about 3 days when they got home! The weather was wonderful the whole time. Even though the high temperature was 89 while they were on the cruise

ship, with all the water, it just didn't seem that bad. A jacket felt really good in the mornings and evenings.

Leola Stuart had a very nice surprise when she came home from canasta yesterday. Her grandson, Jarid Stuart, and a friend had taken their day off from work to go to Amarillo and check out an older car to restore. They just couldn't make a good enough deal to make it worth it to Jarid. He wanted to come by and see Granny for a little while and take her to supper at Mel's. Jarid is sure that they make the best hamburgers and French fries in the country and wanted his friend to have that dining experience and get to visit with Granny. She had just had a delicious dessert at canasta club so she begged off since the boys were just going to eat a quick hamburger and go on. Leola tries to get out early and work in her garden and get all her beautiful flowers watered. Sure gets hot fast, though.

Sorry to hear that Peggy Dunn is in the hospital in Lawton having tests run. Hope this finds you feeling much better, Peggy.

Our condolences to the family of Mia Robertson, 76, of Shamrock. She passed away Sunday, July 12, 2009. Services were held Tuesday morning at the First United Methodist Church of Shamrock with Rev. Allen Brooks officiating. Burial was in the Shamrock Cemetery. Mia had been raised in the Wellington area and had raised her children down there. She and husband, Doug Robertson, had a thriving electrical repair business in Shamrock for years. She was such a special person that touched many lives. She is survived by her husband, Doug, of the home; a daughter, Landi Hart, and husband, Jim, of Shamrock; a son, 89 while they were on the cruise

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Parkview Artery AVOIDING AND DEALING WITH SUNBURN

With summer temperatures here, a few precautions can help you avoid the pain and damage caused by sunburn.

Everyone enjoys being outside more during the warmer months of the year. And, of course we all want the healthy glow that a tan gives you. But too much exposure to the sun without using protection can lead to sunburn. Besides being painful, sunburn puts your skin at risk for developing cancer and ages you prematurely. First-degree burn is a typical sunburn with scaling of the skin, where you usually peel a couple of days later. Second-degree burns are blisters on the skin. And severe second-degree burns can result in scarring, fluid loss - even chills and fever that can lead you to the emergency room! So much for a relaxing summer.

Your best bet is to take precautions to avoid getting sunburned in the first place.

Here are the best steps to take:

Sunscreen- Make applying sunscreen part of your morning routine. This is especially important if you live in a sunny climate like the great state of Texas. Put it on after you shower or brush your teeth. It takes the amount of one ounce, or a shot glass full, to cover your entire body. If one bottle of sunscreen takes you from June past Labor Day, you're not using enough! You MUST wear a minimum of SPF 15, AND you also have to use sunscreen correctly. That means putting it on at least 15 to 20 minutes before you go outside. Be sure to cover all areas of the body- including your scalp. Reapply after 2- 3 hours depending on how much you've been in the water and the amount of perspiration you experience.

- Cover up with clothing- Wear dry, tightly woven, loose fitting clothing over your sunscreen. You can also purchase clothing that has "built in" sun protection from athletic stores, or you can wash your clothes once a month in Singuard and add SPF to them.
- Hat- Wearing a wide brimmed hat provides extra protection for your face and scalp.

If you slip up on taking these precautions and find yourself with a burn, here are some things you can do to help alleviate the pain.

- Keep the skin super moist so it won't peel. Aloe gels and after-sun moisturizers are a must!
- Apply topical vitamin C and other antioxidants to inhibit free-radical damage (which acts like explosions in the skin) and causes aging.
- AVOID calamine lotion because it dries the skin out and makes the whole thing worse.
- A cool baking soda bath soothes sunburned skin. Just sprinkle it generously into tepid bathwater and soak for 15 minutes or so. Instead of drying off with a towel, let the solution dry on your skin. Air-drying will make you feel cooler, too.
- Take aspirin or Tylenol to help reduce inflammation and block some of the pain.

Obviously, your best bet is to take the necessary precautions to avoid being burnt in the first place. A tan may look great, but a burn is too painful to be attractive.

Medcat

A perfect summer day is when the sun is shining, the breeze is blowing, the birds are singing, and the lawn mower is broken.



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"Happy Birthday" to Jimmy Nelson, Koby Hood, Pam Shuler, Elaine Rives, Caden Tucker, Jimmy Wilson, Helen May, Blake Hathaway, Kaycee Swift, Beth Wills and Sarah Ford, July 12; Frankie Fletcher, Lynnesa Salas, Brody Umsted, Marshall Andis, James Vise, Mike Lee, June Wheeler, Steve Emmert and Lela Srader, July 13; Kim Countryman, Grant Koen, Mariah Marshall, Kailee Mitchell, Austen Nelson, Audree Nelson, Joyce Edwards, Cally Mahler, Sloan Rose, Bryce Calvert and Abigale Rogers, July 14; Bob Ratliff, Sarah Gentry, Joshua Ryan, James Bagley, Rodney Gurley, Mason Helton, Vickie Luttrell, Madelyn Smith, Kyle Morrison and Reagan Smith, July 15; Lyndol Loyd, Nicole Moore, Austin Wright, Kim Andis, JoAnn Morgenstern, Jason Adams, Patti Bradstreet, Russell Hatcher, Jewell McClellan, Mari Ramsey, Delford Earl, Justin Chapman, Patrick Bennett, Bruce

Copeland, Joe Wagoner, Dixie Chick, Jeana Jones and Jacinda Watson, July 17; April Hampton, Gay Purcell, Mayci Meadows, Mark Tucker, Karen McNeill, Sara Ann Wills, Maddox Rarden and Hope Adkins, July 18.

"Happy Anniversary" to Danny and Lori DeBose, July 12; Buddy and Susan Wood, July 13; R.L. and Rozyba Zybach; Royce and Deedee Zybach and Rick and Tina Bond, July 15; Aaron and Claudetta Laverty, July 16; Dennis and Peggy Thompson, July 17 and Leo and Sylvia Shuler, July 18.

Glad to hear that Evelyn Elliott is able to be back at her house in Elk City. She had spent some months with her sister, Nadine Lane at Allison. So glad she is better. She had to have surgery twice on her leg. Sweet lady!

Heard they had strong winds at Shamrock Saturday night that toppled two trailer houses and some trees and delayed the fireworks start. Glad no one injured. Had some inches of rain.

Aaron Hartline, who is stationed at Fort Sill, was home to celebrate his birthday and visit his parents, Chuck and Phoebe, and Grandma Martha Meek a few days. He was 26. Happy Birthday, Aaron. They ate lunch with Martha.

Michael Killingsworth's birthday was July 10; he was 41 years old. He got an early birthday present that he did not know about. It had

been in the making for 3 months... a 4-day trip (May 16-19) to Las Vegas, NV. He went to six shows and every hotel on the strip. July 10, Ann Killingsworth and Michael ate supper with Russell, Cara and Lezlie Killingsworth at the Lonestar Restaurant in Shamrock to celebrate his birthday. Happy birthday, Michael! Dori Butler also went to Las Vegas with Michael.

Becky Hardcastle went to a Beth Moore 4-day conference at Albuquerque for a Christian Con-

ference and enjoyable time.

June 29, Edwin and Laurel Hershman and Sarita, Micaela and Shelby Dawson left for Indiana. Ed attended his 50th Lebanon High School reunion Thursday and Friday evenings. It was a very well planned reunion and he saw lots of friends. Sarita, Michaela and Shelby Dawson and Alan Hershman hiked in the Indiana State Park of Turkey Run on Tuesday and did some sightseeing. They visited a lot of relatives and friends. They got to see Carolyn Hershman in Muncie, IN., and more friends. It was rainy and cool most of their visit. They went to the Lebanon First Baptist Church Sunday morning for Sunday school and church. The service was special for the 4th of July

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and especially nice. They arrived home July 9...safe, sound and tired.

Earl and Betty Husted enjoyed a visit Saturday and Sunday from their kids: Steven and Edda Husted and Lisa and Steven and Loyce and Eddie Masten from Sanger (near Denton) and their Shitsu puppies (making seven puppies in all at Husted's care).

Coming to Wheeler Care Center Tuesday night, July 7, to make beautiful music for the residents were Robert Jones, Geoff Caldwell, Gene Keelin and Jim Hink, Jim Jackson, Nadine Lane, Leona Coates, Winnie Gilmer and Martha Cook. Thank you very much for the good music, "Nearly Brothers Band" and others. Also visiting were Fredia Caldwell, Verna Fillingim and Nadine's granddaughter. All sounded good. The band plans to be back to Wheeler Care Center, Tuesday, July 21, about 6:30 to make beautiful music. Visitors welcome! See you there! Lots of good singing, too.

No quilters at Totty School Thursday; too much else going on.

Sorry to hear that Jennifer (Maddox) Lee passed out at work at the care center Wednesday from dehydration and had to spend a little time in Wheeler Hospital, but doing okay now!

Happy 90th birthday, June Wheeler. A party honoring June was at Canadian First Christian Church Fellowship Hall Saturday, July 11, from 2:00 p.m. to 4:00 p.m. hosted by June Wheeler's kids: Bill, Joyce, Tom, Ben, Jerry, Eva, Sally and Rick. God bless you, everyone!

Best wishes to Bobby Schubert and Jennifer Ann Galloway in their wedding at Wheeler Baptist Church, Saturday, July 11, at 2:00 p.m. Matt Koen officiated at the beautiful wedding. Many friends and relatives came to share the joy. God bless you, Bobby and Jennifer! They will be making their home in Wheeler. Good to have you in Wheeler. May God bless and guide you all! Pray for them all!

Sue Gaines and Cheryl Richardson, with some help from others, prepared the good hot dog and chili with slaw and other goodies for Wednesday night supper at Wheeler Baptist.

Leona Coates hosted a sing-along of hymns and played the piano at her home in Wheeler Saturday night. Some who came to enjoy the singing, fellowship and snacks were Carson and Jeanette Bird, Earl and Betty

Husted, town of friendship and Helen Steen, Ella Mae Wood, Betty Howard, Mary Galbreath, Sue Marsh, Lurline Benson, Martha Meek, Melissa Walden, Rosalee Atwood and Verna Fillingim. Wesley also led singing. We celebrated Rosalee's 80th birthday, too. Happy birthday, Rosalee Atwood. Thanks, Leona...a nice party; we had a good time.

Nice to meet at Leona's. She has extra folding chairs, songbooks and a piano she can play.

Pastor Larry and Dessi Mitchell enjoyed a weekend visit from kids, Wade Mitchell, and wife, Emma, and grandkids, Carson and Kaylie from Amarillo. The kids came earlier. Nice to have them all out to church at Wheeler Baptist Sunday.

Many friends and relatives from near and far gathered at Wheeler Drug Bed & Breakfast, Sunday, July 5, to celebrate Cecil Meadows' 90th birthday with good food and fellowship. Cecil said he plans to make it to 100! God bless you, Cecil! A friend of many years.

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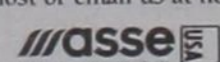
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Week Ending July 2, 2009

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Gas Well Completions
ROBERTS (ST. CLAIR Granite Wash) Mewbourne Oil Co., #853 Jones, Sec. 85,C,G&M, spud 4-22-09, drlg. compl 5-4-09, tested 5-27-09, TD 9950', PBD 9936'

WHEELER (STILES RANCH Granite Wash Cons.) Chesapeake Operating, Inc., #15 Davis '65', Sec. 65,A-7,H&G,N, spud 1-28-09, drlg. compl 3-15-09, tested 5-21-09, potential 7275 MCF, TD 16622', PBD 16522'

WHEELER (STILES RANCH Granite Wash Cons.) Kaiser-Francis Oil Co., #104A.W. Burrell, Sec. 4,L,J.M. Lindsey, spud 11-6-08, drlg. compl 1-5-09, tested 3-15-09, potential 29478 MCF, TD 16492', PBD 15725'

Plugged Wells
HEMPHILL (S.F. CANADIAN Douglas) Chesapeake Operating, Inc., #2A Jones Trust '26', 809' from North & 660' from West Lease line, Sec. 26,1,G&M, spud 8-10-02, plugged 5-13-09, TD 7310' (gas) — Form 1 in El Paso Production
HEMPHILL (S.E. CANADIAN Douglas) Chesapeake Operating, Inc., #2A Jones Trust '26', 809' from North & 660' from West Lease line, Sec. 24,1,G&M, spud 7-19-02, plugged 5-11-09, TD 7450' (gas) — Form 1 in El Paso Production
ROBERTS (PARNELL Upper Morrow) BP America Production Co., #3035 Warren B. Parsell, et al 'A', 1859' from North & 2604' from West Lease line, Sec. 35,43,H&TC, spud unknown, plugged 11-10-05, TD 9900' (gas) — Form 1 in Crescendo
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ROBERTS (WILDCAT & N.W. MENDOTA Granite Wash) Mewbourne Oil Co., #823 Flowers Trust 'A', 467' from North & 660' from West line, Sec. 82,B-1,H&G,N, PD 11350'.
WHEELER (WILDCAT & STILES RANCH Granite Wash Cons.) Linn Operating, Inc., #14 Miller Spinney '39', 1612' from North & 1970' from East line, Sec. 39,A-3,H&G,N, PD 16350'.
Oil Well Completions
ROBERTS (WILDCAT) Range Production Co., #171 Sutter's Mill 'A', Sec. 71,C,G&M, spud 11-26-08, drlg. compl 12-24-08, tested 3-10-09, flowed 46 bbl. cf 36 grav. oil + 172 bbls. water thru 12/64' choke on 24 hour test, GOR 6304, TD 11350', PBD 10882'

ROBERTS (RFC Upper Morrow) Range Production Co., #2 Payne Ranch Gas Unit, Sec. 7,H,D,D. Payne, spud 3-15-07, drlg. compl

HEMPHILL (N.W. MENDOTA Granite Wash) Jones Energy, Ltd., #430H Mendota Ranch 'SL', Sec. 30,B-1,H&G,N, spud 4-15-09, drlg. compl 5-14-09, tested 6-9-09, potential 5121 MCF, TVD 10833', MD 14085' — Horizontal
HEMPHILL (N.E. RAMP Granite Wash) Linn Operating, Inc., #31 Lott '235', Sec. 235, C,G&M&B&A, spud 11-29-08, drlg. compl 12-22-08, tested 3-2-09, TD 13420', PBD 13365'.
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HEMPHILL (BUFFALO WALLOW Granite Wash) Linn Operating, Inc., #31 Lott '235', Sec. 235, C,G&M&B&A, spud 11-29-08, drlg. compl 12-22-08, tested 3-2-09, TD 13420', PBD 13365'.
HEMPHILL (HEMPHILL Granite Wash) Zephyr Lone Star Operat-

ing Co., L.L.C., #2084 Cleveland, Sec. 84,41,H&TC, spud 1-8-09, drlg. compl 1-27-09, tested 4-1-09, potential 1365 MCF, TD 11196'

HEMPHILL (N.W. MENDOTA Granite Wash) Jones Energy, Ltd., #430H Mendota Ranch 'SL', Sec. 30,B-1,H&G,N, spud 4-15-09, drlg. compl 5-14-09, tested 6-9-09, potential 5121 MCF, TVD 10833', MD 14085' — Horizontal
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ROBERTS (WILDCAT) Range Production Co., #173 Bair, Sec. 73,B-1,H&G,N, spud 12-30-08, drlg. compl 1-24-09, tested 3-11-09, potential 7112 MCF, TD 10500', PBD 10370' —
WHEELER (STILES RANCH Granite Wash Cons.) Zephyr Lone Star Co., L.L.C., #301 Dobson, Sec. 1,2,B&B, spud 9-18-08, drlg. compl 10-7-08, tested 2-3-09, potential 4322 MCF, TD 13545' —
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List of instruments filed in the Wheeler County Clerk's office from June 29, 2009 - July 10, 2009.

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 FEDERAL TAX LIEN-United States of America to John Ross, et al, 6-23-09.
 AOL-Chesapeake Exploration LLC to Linn Energy LLC, 6-8-09, Sec. 40, Blk. A-3, H&GN Ry. Company Survey.
 AOL-Chesapeake Exploration LLC to Linn Energy LLC, 6-8-09, Sec. 40, Blk. A-3, H&GN Ry. Company Survey.
JUNE 30, 2009
 MD-T.J. Brooks, et ux to Toby Curtis Brooks, et al, 6-26-09, SE/4 Sec. 55, Blk. 13, H&GN Ry. Company Survey.
 MD-Anite Pitts to Ronald D. Nickum, 6-26-09, 68.14 acs. NW/4 Sec. 1, H&GN Ry. Company Survey.
 EXECUTORS MD-Estate of Robert D. Burrell to Robert W. Burrell, et al, 6-16-09, 148.57 acs. NE/4 Sec. 48, Blk. A-7, H&GN Ry. Company Survey.
 EXECUTORS FINAL DISTRIBUTION DEED-Estate of Eddie Forbau to Darrell Dean Forbau, et al, 6-24-09, See Instrument.
 D-Studer Morton Companies Inc. to Wheeler Christian School, et al, 6-3-09, 3.38 acs. E/2 SW/4 Sec. 37, Blk. 17, H&GN Ry. Company Survey.
 PRIOR RELEASE LEASE-Studer Morton Companies Inc. to Living Centers of Texas Inc., 6-16-09, Sec. Instrument.
JULY 1, 2009
 HOME EQUITY DT-Donald L. Poole, et ux to First National Bank of Commerce, 6-24-09, N 10' Lot 6 and all of Lot 5, Blk. 71, WSSA, Shamrock.
 ROY/MD-Gladney Ross to Big

Sky Mineral Trust, et al, 6-7-09, Sec. 48, Blk. 24, H&GN Ry. Company Survey.
 D-Wildcat Cement Co. Inc. to Vernon Davenport, et ux, 6-23-09, Lot 1 and N 7' Lot 2, Blk. LXXXVI, Shamrock.
 ROW-Bryan Scott Smith to Southwestern Public Service Company, 4-20-09, Pt. NE/4 Sec. —, Blk. L, J. M. Lindsey Survey.

ROW-Bryan Scott Smith to Southwestern Public Service Company, 4-20-09, Pt. NE/4 Sec. 4, Blk. L, J. M. Lindsey Survey.
 ROW-Cledith Burrell to Southwestern Public Service Company, 4-20-09, Pt. NE/4 Sec. 3, Blk. L, J. M. Lindsey Survey.
 ROW-Cledith Burrell to Southwestern Public Service Company, 4-20-09, Pt. W/2 Sec.

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 ROW-Moore Farms to Southwestern Public Service Company, 4-25-09, Pt. NW/4 Sec. 3, Blk. L, J. M. Lindsey Survey.
 ROW-Mechelle Akins, et vir to Southwestern Public Service Company, 5-12-09, Pt. Sec. 3, Camp County School Land.
 ROW-Carolyn Hefley to Southwestern Public Service Company, 4-23-09, Pt. SW/4 Sec. 4, AB&M Survey.
 ROW-Stiles Land Assets Ltd. to Southwestern Public Service Company, 5-14-09, Pt. NW/4 Sec. 5, AB&M Survey.
 D-to Shawn S. School, et al, 6-19-09, 90 acs. Sec. 93, Blk. 13, H&GN Ry. Company Survey.
 ROW-Stiles Land Assets Ltd. to Southwestern Public Service Company, 6-1-09, Pt. NW/4 Sec. 5, AB&M Survey.
 MEMO LEASE/ROW-Gregory Estes, et al to Mobeetie Resource Development LLC, 6-15-09, 100 acs. NE/4; 24.8 acs. SE/4; 95.9 acs. SE/4 Sec. 44, Blk. A-5, H&GN Ry. Company Survey.
 D-Roy M. Johnson Reconstituted Irrevocable Trust to Martin M. Cassidy Jr., et al, 6-16-09, 90 acs. Sec. 93, Blk. 13, H&GN Ry. Company Survey.
 D-William Roy Cassidy to Shawn S. School, et al, 6-19-09, 90 acs. Sec. 93, Blk. 13, H&GN Ry. Company Survey.
 D-Martin M. Cassidy Jr. to Shawn S. School, et al, 6-19-09, 90 acs. Sec. 93, Blk. 13, H&GN Ry. Company Survey.
 D-Frances D. Stagner Trust to Shawn S. School, et al, 6-19-09, 90 acs. Sec. 93, Blk. 13, H&GN Ry. Company Survey.
 D-Edward J. Cassidy to Shawn S. School, et al, 6-19-09, 90 acs. Sec. 93, Blk. 13, H&GN Ry. Company Survey.
 D-George Eric Cassidy to Shawn S. School, et al, 6-19-09, 90 acs. Sec. 93, Blk. 13, H&GN Ry. Company Survey.

JULY 2, 2009
 ASSIGN. ASSUMPTION ROW-Wheeler Area Activities and Improvements Council Inc. to County of Wheeler, 6-19-09, Pts. Sec. 5, Blk. A-4, H&GN Ry. Company Survey.
 EXT. MML-William Gordon Stiles IV, et al to Wheeler Banking Center, 6-30-09, S/2 NW/4; SW/4 Sec. 9, Blk. A-3, H&GN Ry. Company Survey.
 MD-Pamela Callan Brice to Donald B. Lowrie, 6-24-09, Pt. W 202.80 acs. E/2 Sec. 26, Blk. A-4, H&GN Ry. Company Survey.
 RELEASE-Alana Sue Hamon-Daughtry to Lyman Gray Benson II, 6-30-09, No Land Listed.
 ASSIGN.-Sodak Properties Inc. to Blue Dolphin Energy LLC, 6-15-09, Pt. N/2 Sec. 36, Blk. A-5, H&GN Ry. Company Survey.
 C/C PROBATE-Robert D. Burrell to Ex Parte, 7-1-09, See Instrument.
 OL-Patsy Charles Evans to Sanguine Gas Exploration LLC,

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6-17-09, S 212 acs. E/2 Sec. 6, Blk. A-7, H&GN Ry. Company Survey.
 OL-Patricia Nix to Sanguine Gas Exploration LLC, 4-24-09, NW/4 and S/2 Sec. 2, Blk. A-8, H&GN Ry. Company Survey.
 OL-Joe Butler Jenkins to Sanguine Gas Exploration LLC, 6-19-09, Sec. 94, Blk. 13, H&GN Ry. Company Survey.
 EXECUTORS OL-Estate of Daphne Joy Smith to Sanguine Gas Exploration LLC, 6-19-09, Sec. 94, Blk. 13, H&GN Ry. Company Survey.
 OL-Joe Butler Jenkins to Sanguine Gas Exploration LLC, 6-19-09, Sec. 95, Blk. 13, H&GN Ry. Company Survey.
 EXECUTORS OL-Estate of Daphne Joy Smith to Sanguine Gas Exploration LLC, 6-19-09, Sec. 95, Blk. 13, H&GN Ry. Company Survey.
 OL-Patsy Charles Evans to Sanguine Gas Exploration LLC, 6-19-09, E/2 Sec. 95, Blk. 13, H&GN Ry. Company Survey.
 QCMD-John E. Coltharp, et ux to Coltharp Family Revocable Trust, 6-24-09, Secs. 34 and 35, Blk. A-7, H&GN Ry. Company Survey.
 OL-Genell Preston Craig to Sanguine Gas Exploration LLC, 4-27-09, N/2; Pt. SE/4 Sec. 86, Blk. 13, H&GN Ry. Company Survey.
 OL-Sandra Stafford Drost to Sanguine Gas Exploration LLC, 4-27-09, N/2; Pt. SE/4 Sec. 86, Blk. 13, H&GN Ry. Company Survey.
 OL-Delmar Barefoot, et ux to Sanguine Gas Exploration LLC, 4-28-09, N/2; SW/4 Sec. 86, Blk. 13, H&GN Ry. Company Survey.
 OL-Scott Eugene Barefoot to Sanguine Gas Exploration LLC, 4-28-09, SW/4 Sec. 86, Blk. 13, H&GN Ry. Company Survey.
 OL-Bob Bicknell to Sanguine Gas Exploration LLC, 4-30-09, N/2; Pt. SE/4 Sec. 86, Blk. 13, H&GN Ry. Company Survey.
 OL-Billy Jo Preston Vickers to Sanguine Gas Exploration LLC, 4-30-09, N/2; Pt. SE/4 Sec. 86, Blk. 13, H&GN Ry. Company Survey.
 OL-Sherry Preston Brooks to Sanguine Gas Exploration LLC, 4-30-09, N/2; Pt. SE/4 Sec. 86, Blk. 13, H&GN Ry. Company Survey.
 OL-Susan Bicknell Crowder to Sanguine Gas Exploration LLC, 4-30-09, N/2; Pt. SE/4 Sec. 86, Blk. 13, H&GN Ry. Company Survey.
 OL-Suzanne Stafford Montgomery to Sanguine Gas Exploration LLC, 4-27-09, N/2; Pt. SE/4 Sec. 86, Blk. 13, H&GN Ry. Company Survey.
 HEIRSHIP AFF.-Jimmy S. Weaver to Veta Stafford Weaver, 5-8-09, N/2; Pt. SE/4 Sec. 86, Blk. 13, H&GN Ry. Company Survey.
 OL-Jimmy W. Weaver to Sanguine Gas Exploration LLC, 5-6-09, N/2; Pt. SE/4 Sec. 86, Blk. 13, H&GN Ry. Company Survey.
 HEIRSHIP AFF.-Audrey Bean to Pauline Stafford Linn, 5-7-09, N/2; Pt. SE/4 Sec. 86, Blk. 13, H&GN Ry. Company Survey.
 OL-Terry Linn Hood to Sanguine Gas Exploration LLC, 4-30-09, N/2; Pt. SE/4 Sec. 86, Blk. 13, H&GN Ry. Company Survey.
 OL-James Bicknell to Sanguine Gas Exploration LLC, 4-30-09, N/2; Pt. SE/4 Sec. 86, Blk. 13, H&GN Ry. Company Survey.
 OL-Stanley Dean Barefoot to Sanguine Gas Exploration LLC, 4-28-09, SW/4 Sec. 86, Blk. 13, H&GN Ry. Company Survey.
 OL-Kelly Preston to Sanguine Gas Exploration LLC, 4-30-09, N/2; Pt. SE/4 Sec. 86, Blk. 13, H&GN Ry. Company Survey.
 OL-James Houston Preston to Sanguine Gas Exploration LLC, 5-4-09, N/2; Pt. SE/4 Sec. 86, Blk. 13, H&GN Ry. Company Survey.
 OL-Jack M. Weatherford to Sanguine Gas Exploration LLC, 5-5-09, NE/4 SE/4 Sec. 86, Blk. 13, H&GN Ry. Company Survey.
 HEIRSHIP AFF.-Walter D. Bryan to Wanda Nell Gannaway, 5-12-09, NE/4 SE/4 Sec. 86, Blk. 13, H&GN Ry. Company Survey.
 HEIRSHIP AFF.-Walter D. Bryan to Bill Gannaway, 5-12-09, NE/4 SE/4 Sec. 86, Blk. 13, H&GN Ry. Company Survey.

OL-Carole Jean Gannaway Hamilton to Sanguine Gas Exploration LLC, 5-6-09, NE/4 SE/4 Sec. 86, Blk. 13, H&GN Ry. Company Survey.
 OL-Lana Gayle Gannaway Jenkins to Sanguine Gas Exploration LLC, 5-6-09, NE/4 SE/4 Sec. 86, Blk. 13, H&GN Ry. Company Survey.
 OL-Sharon Eileen Gannaway Hale to Sanguine Gas Exploration LLC, 5-6-09, NE/4 SE/4 Sec. 86, Blk. 13, H&GN Ry. Company Survey.
 OL-Joe Don Thompson to Sanguine Gas Exploration LLC, 5-5-09, NE/4 SE/4 Sec. 86, Blk. 13, H&GN Ry. Company Survey.
 OL-Nona Faulkner to Sanguine Gas Exploration LLC, 5-26-09, N/2; Pt. SE/4 Sec. 86, Blk. 13, H&GN Ry. Company Survey.
 OL-Mary L. Thompson to Sanguine Gas Exploration LLC, 5-5-09, NE/4 SE/4 Sec. 86, Blk. 13, H&GN Ry. Company Survey.
 OL-Robert W. Burrow to Sanguine Gas Exploration LLC, 5-5-09, NE/4 SE/4 Sec. 86, Blk. 13, H&GN Ry. Company Survey.
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 OL-Lynn Baize Gannaway to Sanguine Gas Exploration LLC, 5-6-09, NE/4 SE/4 Sec. 86, Blk. 13, H&GN Ry. Company Survey.
 OL-Dorothy Thompson Autry to Sanguine Gas Exploration LLC, 5-5-09, NE/4 SE/4 Sec. 86, Blk. 13, H&GN Ry. Company Survey.
 OL-Bryant W. Thompson to Sanguine Gas Exploration LLC, 5-5-09, NE/4 SE/4 Sec. 86, Blk. 13, H&GN Ry. Company Survey.
 QCD-Howard Dennis Smith, et ux to HS Smith Family Trust, 6-4-09, Pt. N/2; Pt. SE/4 Sec. 86, Blk. 13, H&GN Ry. Company Survey.
 OL-HS Smith Family Trust to Sanguine Gas Exploration LLC, 5-26-09, Pt. N/2; Pt. SE/4 Sec. 86, Blk. 13, H&GN Ry. Company Survey.
 OL-Raymond Thomas Burrow to Sanguine Gas Exploration LLC, 5-5-09, Pt. N/2; Pt. SE/4 Sec. 86, Blk. 13, H&GN Ry. Company Survey.
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 OL-Jimmie Jennings to Sanguine Gas Exploration LLC, 5-4-09, NE/4 Sec. 87, Blk. 13, H&GN Ry. Company Survey.
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 OL-Eula Jean Arnold to Sanguine Gas Exploration LLC, 6-16-09, S 212 acs. E/2; W/2 of S 440 acs. Sec. 6, Blk. A-7, H&GN Ry. Company Survey.
 OL-Loudene Oswald to Sanguine Gas Exploration LLC, 6-16-09, S 212 acs. E/2; W/2 of S 440 acs. Sec. 6, Blk. A-7, H&GN Ry. Company Survey.
 OL-John M. Shelton III to Sanguine Gas Exploration, 5-5-09, Sec. 1, Blk. A-8, H&GN Ry. Company Survey.
 OL-Elizabeth C. Brent to Sanguine Gas Exploration, 5-5-09, Sec. 1, Blk. A-8, H&GN Ry. Company Survey.
 OL-Martha C. Field to Sanguine Gas Exploration, 5-8-09, Sec. 1, Blk. A-8, H&GN Ry. Company Survey.
 OL-Rodney Barker to Sanguine Gas Exploration, 4-10-09, Pt. NW/4; Pt. S/2 Sec. 2, Blk. A-8, H&GN Ry. Company Survey.
 OL-Barbara L. Yarborough to Sanguine Gas Exploration, 5-1-09, NW/4; S/2 Sec. 2, Blk. A-8, H&GN Ry. Company Survey.
 OL-Edward L. Pitcock, et ux to Sanguine Gas Exploration, 4-9-09, S/2 Sec. 11, Blk. A-8, H&GN Ry. Company Survey.
 OL-Marcia Rives to Sanguine Gas Exploration, 4-9-09, S/2 NW/4; SW/4 NE/4 Sec. 11, Blk. A-8, H&GN Ry. Company Survey.
 OL-Terance A. Cook, et ux to Sanguine Gas Exploration, 4-9-09, N/2 N/2; SE/4 NE/4 Sec. 11, Blk. A-8, H&GN Ry. Company Survey.
 OL-Walter R. Williams to Sanguine Gas Exploration, 4-13-09, S/2 Sec. 11, Blk. A-8, H&GN Ry. Company Survey.
 OL-Perry George to Sanguine Gas Exploration, 4-14-09, Sec. 12, Blk. A-8, H&GN Ry. Company Survey.
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 OL-Rio Brazos Mineral Company LLC to Sanguine Gas Exploration, 4-29-09, Sec. 12, Blk. A-8, H&GN Ry. Company Survey.
 OL-Steve Vandiver, et ux to Sanguine Gas Exploration, 4-23-09, Sec. 12, Blk. A-8, H&GN Ry. Company Survey.
 OL-Ken Potter, et ux to Sanguine Gas Exploration, 5-26-09, Sec. 12, Blk. A-8, H&GN Ry. Company Survey.
 OL-Delores Lee Holmes to Sanguine Gas Exploration, 5-12-09, N/2 Sec. 76, Blk. 13, H&GN Ry. Company Survey.
 OL-Alvin B. Holmes to Sanguine Gas Exploration, 5-12-09, N/2 Sec. 76, Blk. 13, H&GN Ry. Company Survey.
 OL-James M. Fields to Sanguine Gas Exploration, 5-22-09, N/2 Sec. 76, Blk. 13, H&GN Ry. Company Survey.
 OL-Nona Faulkner to Sanguine Gas Exploration, 5-26-09, N/2 Sec. 76, Blk. 13, H&GN Ry. Company Survey.
 OL-Haynes Family Trust to Sanguine Gas Exploration, 6-3-09, N/2 Sec. 84, Blk. 13, H&GN Ry. Company Survey.
 OL-R.E. and Liz Haynes Family Revocable Trust to Sanguine Gas Exploration, 6-3-09, N/2 Sec. 84, Blk. 13, H&GN Ry. Company Survey.
 OL-Judy Lynn Browning to Sanguine Gas Exploration, 6-3-09, N/2 Sec. 84, Blk. 13, H&GN Ry. Company Survey.
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 OL-James M. Field to Sanguine Gas Exploration, 4-27-09, S/2 Sec. 85, Blk. 13, H&GN Ry. Company Survey.
 OL-Alvin B. Holmes to Sanguine Gas Exploration, 5-12-09, S/2 Sec. 85, Blk. 13, H&GN Ry. Company Survey.
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 OL-Barbara Rowley Opperman to Sanguine Gas Exploration, 5-27-09, Sec. 94, Blk. 13, H&GN Ry. Company Survey.
 OL-Vera Marie Mayhall to Sanguine Gas Exploration, 5-27-09, Sec. 94, Blk. 13, H&GN Ry. Company Survey.
 OL-Eula Jean Arnold Revocable Living Trust to Sanguine Gas Exploration, 6-16-09, Sec. 94, Blk. 13, H&GN Ry. Company Survey.
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 OL-Vera Marie Mayhall to Sanguine Gas Exploration, 5-27-09, Sec. 95, Blk. 13, H&GN Ry. Company Survey.
 OL-Max Evans to Sanguine Gas Exploration, 6-8-09, E/2 Sec. 95, Blk. 13, H&GN Ry. Company Survey.
 OL-Eula Jean Arnold Revocable Trust to Sanguine Gas Exploration, 6-16-09, Sec. 95, Blk. 13, H&GN Ry. Company Survey.
 OL-Loudene Oswald to Sanguine Gas Exploration, 6-16-09, Sec. 95, Blk. 13, H&GN Ry. Company Survey.
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JULY 6, 2009
 SHUT-IN AGREE. RATIFICATION-Marie Gergeni to Newfield Exploration Mid-Continent Inc., 5-20-09, S/2; S/2 NE/4; NE/4 NE/4 Sec. 30, Blk. A-3, H&GN Ry. Company Survey.
 TDT-Amarillo National Bank to Charter Bank, 6-8-09, 100' x 155' Blk. 44, Stanley Add., Wheeler.
 POA-Carl R. Walker to John Walker, 7-3-09, Pt. Lot 14, Blk. 2, Mont-Lew Add., Shamrock.
 POA-Debra Walker to John Walker, 7-3-09, Pt. Lot 14, Blk. 2, Mont-Lew Add., Shamrock.
 OVERRID. ROYALTY ASSIGN.-Shackelford Oil Properties Inc. to Sam L. Shackelford, et ux, 4-13-09, See Instrument.
 PARTIAL ASSIGN.-Chesapeake Exploration LLC to Larchmont Resources LLC, 6-24-09, Sec. 20, Blk. A-3, H&GN Ry. Company Survey.
 DT-Charles I. Ballard, et ux to Citizens Bank, 7-2-09, See Instrument.
 C/C LIST-Paula V. Parrott to Ex Parte, 5-21-09, No Land Listed.
 C/C PETITION FOR PROBATE-Paula V. Parrott to Ex Parte, 5-21-09.
 C/C WILL-Paula V. Parrott to Ex Parte, 5-21-09.
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 C/C LETTER-Paula V. Parrott to Ex Parte, 5-21-09.
 C/C CLOSING STATEMENT-Paula V. Parrott to Ex Parte, 5-21-09.
 CORR. DT-Robert Jason Hink to Capital Farm Credit, FLCA, 5-27-09, See Instrument.
 NOTICE CHILD SUPPORT LIEN-Brenda Duncan to Troy Duncan, 7-2-09.
 OL-Lois Patterson Cross Testamentary Trust to Newfield Exploration Mid-Continent Inc., 4-28-09, Sec. 62, Blk. M-1, H&GN

Ry. Company Survey.
 ROW-Timothy Montgomery to Enogex Gas Gathering LLC, 2-23-08, Pt. NW/4 Sec. 19, Blk. A-3, H&GN Ry. Company Survey.
 C/C PROB. PROC.-Faye Nell Fyffe to Ex Parte, 6-30-09, No Land Listed.
 D-Yvette Lopez, et al to Juan Antonio Navarret, et al, 5-17-09, .28 acs. SW/4 Sec. 5, Blk. A-4, H&GN Ry. Company Survey.
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 D-Aimee O'Neal Burrell to Gary Langford Sr., et ux, 6-30-09, Pts. Sec. 34, Blk. 23, H&GN Ry. Company Survey.
 ROW-Huff Ranch to Markwest Oklahoma Gas Company LLC, 6-30-09, Pt. Sec. 47, Blk. A-3, H&GN Ry. Company Survey.
 EXECUTORS D-Estate of Ruth F. Robison, et al to Penni Leigh Robison Nelson, 6-26-09, Pt. N/2 Sec. 34, Blk. 23, H&GN Ry. Company Survey.
 POA-Bobbye Carol Hill to James Harold Hill, et al, 7-7-09, See Instrument.
 SECOND AMEND. DT-Walter O. Hill to Bank of Texas NA, 6-18-09, See Instrument.
 AFF-Willia J. Shelton Living Trust to The Public, 6-22-09, Sec. 26, Blk. R.E., Roberts & Eddleman Survey.
 OL-Willia J. Shelton Living Trust to Newfield Exploration Mid-Continent Inc., 6-22-09, S/2 Sec. 26, Blk. R.E., Roberts & Eddleman Survey.
 AFF-Mark Lynn Shelton to The Public, 6-22-09, Sec. 26, Blk. R.E., Roberts & Eddleman Survey.
 OL-Mark Lynn Shelton to Newfield Exploration Mid-Continent Inc., 6-22-09, S/2 Sec. 26, Blk. R.E., Roberts & Eddleman Survey.
 AFF-Vernon Eugene Shelton to The Public, 6-22-09, Sec. 26, Blk. R.E., Roberts & Eddleman Survey.
 OL-Vernon Eugene Shelton to Newfield Exploration Mid-Continent Inc., 6-22-09, S/2 Sec. 26, Blk. R.E., Roberts & Eddleman Survey.
 DVL-Jason R. Manning, et ux to Britt Aaron McCarter, et ux, 7-7-09, Pt. Blk. 44, Stanley Add., Wheeler.
 DT-Britt Aaron McCarter, et ux to Amarillo National Bank, 7-7-09, Pt. Blk. 44, Stanley Add., Wheeler.
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 POA-Lyman Gray Benson III to James C. Fling, 7-7-09, Pt. Lot 14, Blk. 2, Mont-Lew Add., Shamrock.
 D-Jose R. Salas, et ux to Dagobert Huante, et ux, 7-6-09, Pts. Lot 2, Blk. LVII, Shamrock.
 RDT-First State Bank Canadian to Mary E. Nelson, 5-12-09, Lots 1-4, 13, 16-18, Blk. 9, Allison.
JULY 9, 2009
 PARTIAL ASSIGN.-SLT Dakota Operating Inc. to Octagon Energy Corporation, 7-7-09, See Instrument.
 SUF. SURFACE ROW-Leah B. Frye Wilson Trust of 1988 to Newfield Exploration Mid-Continent Inc., 6-1-09, Lot 2, Blk. 5, Brooks & Burleson Survey.
 OL-Richard S. Bowers to Plantation Operating LLC, 4-30-09, Sec. 8, Blk. A-2, H&GN Ry. Company Survey.
 MD-Carol Peterson, et al to Carol Peterson Revocable Trust, et al, 4-1-09, Sec. 39, Blk. A-3, H&GN Ry. Company Survey.
 HEIRSHIP AFF.-Ralph E. Bullington to Ida Davis Bullington, 7-1-09, No Land Listed.
 C/C MERGER-Canadian Longhorn Petroleum Corporation, et al to Barlow Projects Inc., 6-22-09.
 RDT-Mortgage Electronic Registration Systems Inc. to Earl M. Carr, et al, 6-25-09, 1.78 acs. Sec. 60, Blk. A-8, H&GN Ry. Company Survey.
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 HEIRSHIP AFF.-Peggy L. Kindle, et vir to Claud Walter Lamb, et al, 7-8-09.
 ROY./MD-Tenth St. Methodist Church to Southwest Petroleum Company, et al, 6-23-09, Sec. 35, Blk. 23, H&GN Ry. Company Survey.
 MD-V. H. Gourley II Trust to Gourley Royalty Company LLC, 7-8-09, Sec. 8, Blk. A-7, H&GN Ry. Company Survey.
 RDT-Amarillo National Bank to William Kent Vise, et ux, 7-8-09, Lot 7, Blk. 2, Risner Add., Wheeler.
 OL-Elizabeth J. Lippman Essign to Sanguine Gas Exploration LLC, 5-4-09, S 212 acs. E/2; W/2 S 440 acs. Sec. 6, Blk. A-7, H&GN Ry. Company Survey.
 OL-Jean Reeves to Sanguine Gas Exploration LLC, 6-24-09, N/2 N/2; SE/4 NE/4 Sec. 11, Blk. A-8, H&GN Ry. Company Survey.
 OL-Michael D. Burns to Sanguine Gas Exploration LLC, 6-8-09, E/2 Sec. 95, Blk. 13, H&GN Ry. Company Survey.
 OL-Lynn A. Sanders to Sanguine Gas Exploration LLC, 6-22-09, E/2 Sec. 95, Blk. 13, H&GN Ry. Company Survey.
 RDT-Mortgage Electronic Registration Systems Inc., et al to James Dixon, 7-2-09, See Instrument.
 ROW-Stiles Land Assets Ltd. to Enogex Gas Gathering LLC, 1-12-09, Pts. Secs. 3, 17 and 18, Blk. A-3, H&GN Ry. Company Survey and Pt. NW/4 Sec. 68, Blk. A-7, H&GN Ry. Company Survey.
 ROW-Coy Bartz to Enogex Gas Gathering LLC, 1-15-09, Pts. SW/4 Sec. 19, Blk. A-3, H&GN Ry. Company Survey.



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ROW-Miller Family Trust to Enogex Gas Gathering LLC, 1-15-09, Pt. W/2 Sec. 2, Blk. A-3, H&GN Ry. Company Survey.
 C/C PROBATE-Thomas E. Sanders to Ex Parte, 7-1-09.
 AFF-Lyman Gray Benson III to Lyman Gray Benson II, 7-6-09, No Land Listed.
 DVL-Lyman Gray Benson III to Carl R. Walker, et ux, 7-8-09, Pt. Lot 14, Blk. 2, Mont-Lew Add., Shamrock.
 DT-Carl R. Walker, et ux to Wells Fargo Bank, 7-8-09, Pt. Lot 14, Blk. 2, Mont-Lew Add., Shamrock.
 POA-Elizon LA 207-2 LLC to KC Wilson & Associates, 4-30-09.
 TDT-New Century Asset Backed Pass-Through Certificates Series 1999-NCP, et al to Elizon LA 2007-2 LLC, 12-17-08, Lots 9, 10, Pt. Lot 11, Blk. 8, PBA, Shamrock.
 TDT-Elizon LA 2007-2 LLC to LNV Corporation, 12-17-08, Lots 9 and 10, Pt. Lot 11, Blk. 8, PBA, Shamrock.

Mobeetie (from Page 2)

Joe Ed White, and wife, Guin, of Santa Fe, New Mexico; three step-daughters; a step-son; and two grandsons that were the light of her life.
 It was good to see Frankie Jackson and see that she had survived the big holiday weekend celebration at Wheeler. She and husband, Jim, are always so involved in every aspect of the day and evening. They work hard for months getting everything together and then getting things finalized and set up. Each year just gets better and better, but that doesn't mean it gets any easier. Frankie is the president of the Wheeler Chamber of Commerce. They had a wedding to go to in the Dallas area. Son, Tony, and grandson, Wesley, were going to meet them there. Jessica and daughter, Riley, were also going to be there, while Dad was at his school reunion. The Jacksons

enjoy their time with their children and grandchildren. Grandson Luke had a very important baseball game to play in, so Tony stayed home with him so he wouldn't have to miss the honor of playing with this team. The rest of the family was in Dallas to attend the wedding of the last of the nieces and nephews that were single. Where has the time gone?! Mr. Meaker brought our dryer Thursday afternoon. Then, we had to go get a new vent hose for it, which, of course, meant a trip to Wal-Mart. Afterwards, we picked up Jayden and Courtney to come spend a few days with us. Jayden was very disappointed that Michael wasn't here.
 After Bob hooked up the dryer, I did a load of clothes and was so excited to try out the new one. Then, the 220 breaker burned out! So, here we sat, with no dryer again and now no air conditioner in the back of the house! Thank goodness, the guys had the front air conditioners on 110 and on a different breaker box. Granny, Carol Orthman, called and begged off coming down to spend the weekend and going to see Brianna ride in the rodeo queen contest. It was just toooooo hot!

Friday, we got up and headed for Canton. We had to get motel rooms in Fairview, but that was no big deal. The Classic Inn has a new owner and even though the rooms have only two double beds, they are clean, and there is a swimming pool. Jayden was very impressed and wanted to spend all his time out there. There were three other kids about his age, so he had a blast. Todd met us there, so we could all go to Canton and then, it was off to the rodeo grounds. Just as we were arriving, the calves were making their great get-away. Someone had forgotten to shut the gate at the far end of the chute, so they took advantage of it (part of the cowboys got some extra practice.) About 20 minutes later, they had all the calves back and everyone was having a good laugh. All went well and Brianna's cousin, Jasmine Bergsieker, was 2nd runner-up for Princess and Brianna got 1st runner-up for Queen. Brianna also sold the most tickets. It was only their first time to compete in anything like that, and they did their best. I think they both have "the bug" now, though. They got some very nice gifts.
 Michael, on the other hand, didn't have a very good day. His car overheated and wouldn't restart, so it was sitting at a family friend's Yukon. He enjoyed the rodeo and visiting with the family and friends, though.
 After lunch Saturday, with Kevin, Michelle, Michael, Brianna, Kevin's parents, Harvey and Cindy Brooks of Walsenburg, CO., and Todd Mayfield, we went to see if we could get Michael's car going. No such luck, so, after 3 hours, Ricky told us to go on and

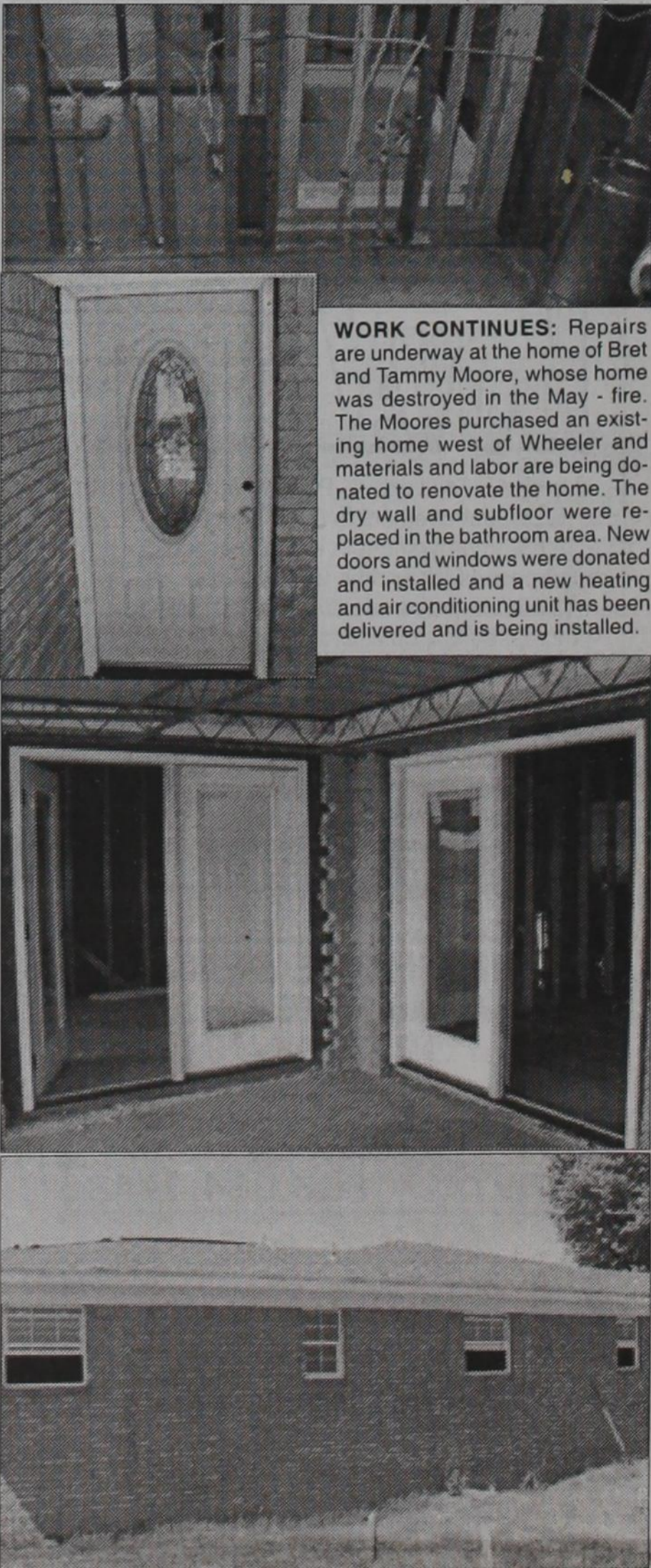
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WORK CONTINUES: Repairs are underway at the home of Bret and Tammy Moore, whose home was destroyed in the May - fire. The Moores purchased an existing home west of Wheeler and materials and labor are being donated to renovate the home. The dry wall and subfloor were replaced in the bathroom area. New doors and windows were donated and installed and a new heating and air conditioning unit has been delivered and is being installed.

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Dear (from Page 1)

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The Old Mobeetie Grade School has been restored and is now the Old Mobeetie Jail Museum Visitor Center located 2 blocks east of the museum. The 1923 building is presently being renovated and houses the new offices for the Old Mobeetie Jail Museum, research room, Wheeler County schools exhibit, gift shop, state-of-the-art kitchen and indoor entertainment facility. Plans are currently under way for the Red River War exhibit room that will also be housed in the building.

Seating is not provided for the festival, so bring your comfortable lawn chairs and pick your favorite spot under the shade trees as you enjoy the sounds of good, old-fashioned music Friday night, 6

p.m. to midnight; Saturday, 10 a.m. to midnight and gospel music, Sunday from 9 a.m. until noon. Visitors may take part in the nightly picking and jamming throughout the campgrounds or enjoy the sounds of yesterday drifting through the air during a leisurely evening stroll.

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See you at the festival, Joe VanZandt, President Old Mobeetie Texas Association

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Old (from Page 1)

Prayin', Singin'", an all gospel project. We were able to finish it in January 2008. Also in January 2008 we competed in the SPBGMA International Band Competition in Nashville, and placed 10th out of 30 bands. It was fun and exciting. We look forward to what God has in store for us through the rest of 2009," Terry added.

Terry shared that Bluegrass music has given the family the opportunity to work together as a team, to travel across this beautiful country, to be challenged to be the best they can be and to meet many wonderful people.

Admission for the music festival is as follows: Friday - \$10; Saturday - \$12; Weekend Pass - \$18; Sunday FREE; Children 12 & Under - FREE.

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Mobeetie (from Page 6)

he would see what else he could do for it. Michael stayed so he could go by his mother's. They finally got it to run, but couldn't stop it from overheating. He made it back to Kingfisher with it, though. We were going to meet them in Clinton Monday AM so Michael could be back to go to work. Michael has poison ivy on his feet and started up one leg. He couldn't walk on his foot, so they were going to go to the Dr. before they met us. Dr. said no work for 4 or 5 days, so he got to stay down there a little while longer. Maybe they can figure out his car problem.

Jennifer Mayfield was taking Erica and friend, Casey, to Dallas to meet PaPa Gerry when her pickup went crazy in Childress, so

email them at mjm806@windstream.net. The museum is located in Old Mobeetie, Texas just off Highway 152, approximately 11 miles west of Wheeler or 32 miles east of Pampa.



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Tim had to come down after he got unloaded to take them on to Dallas. They spent the night with Todd and Lori and then went to the water park before meeting Gerry. They managed to get both vehicles home. Nanna, Cindy Medley, called to have us

Market (from Page 1)

pate as a seller, and each seller handles his/her own sales and money. "Bring your own table and chair(s) and enjoy the atmosphere of a genuine farmers' market typical of a small town in rural America. This is an excellent opportunity for the people of Wheeler County to supplement their income, give their children a chance to earn a little extra money, or just to share your garden goods with others," states Chester Jones.

Buyers are urged to shop early for the best selection.


bring Jayden by Fort Cobb Lake to spend some extra time on Sat. After checking with Tim's, we made a little scenic tour and dropped Jayden off to spend some time with his cousins, Tyler and Matthew. Poor Kourtney slept all the way home.

Please keep our friends and neighbors in your prayers. Have a great week and try to stay cool.


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