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"Wheeler, town of friendship and pride."

**CWE** CHAT WITH EDITOR  
By Louis C. Stas

The temperature rises and the sun shines, but bits of our last snow remains in front of the office. That is predicted to change, so enjoy what is left.

Remember the stock show this weekend. It doesn't matter as much about the weather with the show barn, but I remember back when it did. We have had those shows in the cold and/or dirt storms. This modern generation has it too easy.

This is scheduled to be the last paper produced using Sis and Junior. As we have been reporting, they are getting old and are not too reliable. Junior is handicapped—can't read what you are typing and Sis may be running with a transplanted disk drive and the space bar doesn't work right.

A complete computer system is supposed to be in expected Thursday. The change is expected to be an experience for all of us.

Sis and Junior will remain for bookkeeping and mailing. And, if this new stuff proves to be too much for us.

Barbara, Jennifer, Mother Stas and I traveled to Hinton over the weekend to see how the Porter clan was doing.

## MOBEETIE CHEERLEADERS Spaghetti Supper

The Mobeetie Cheerleaders are sponsoring a Spaghetti Supper with all the trimmings (peach cobbler for dessert) before the Mobeetie-Briscoe Junior High Ball Game on January 24, 1991. Serving will be from 5:30 until 6:30.

Prices for adults will be \$4.00, children under 12 will be \$2.00. Serving will be in the Mobeetie Cafeteria.

## AREA STUDENTS

### On Dean's List

Southwestern Oklahoma State University at Sayre has completed the Fall, 1990 Semester with fifty-two students being named for the Presidents and Dean's Honor Rolls.

Students completing a minimum of fifteen hours may qualify for the Dean's Honor Roll by maintaining a 3.00 GPA, with no grade

less than a "C". The following are listed on the Dean's Honor Roll: Charlene Jones, Teresa Matthews, Rosemary Reivius.

### College Night

Shamrock High School will be hosting a college night on Thursday, January 24th from 7:00 p.m. to 8:30 p.m. Representatives from area junior colleges, Texas Tech, WTSU, Wayland, Southwestern Oklahoma State University, McMurry, the armed forces, and others will be present. Any junior, senior or parents may attend this college night and have questions answered.

### T.A.A.S. Results

Individual student results from grades 3, 5, 7, 9 and 11 T.A.A.S. test have been received by Wheeler ISD. The results will be sent home with students when they receive their report cards. Any parent having questions about the results may contact Cecil Thomas at the high school by calling 826-5534.

## WEATHER

Date/Day	Lo	Hi	Pre
01-09, Wed.	28	29	0.00
01-10, Thurs.	24	33	0.00
01-11, Fri.	26	43	0.37
01-12, Sat.	25	58	0.00
01-13, Sun.	29	60	0.00
01-14, Mon.	35	51	0.02
01-15, Tues.	33	56	0.00
Low for the year:	01-01,	13	
High for the year:	1-13,	60	
Total moisture for month:	0.41"		
Total for year:	00.41"		
Total snow:	0.00"		

Courtesy: KPDR-FM Radio

## BRISCOE HOMECOMING FRIDAY

Briscoe Bronco's Homecoming 1991 will be held Friday, January 18th at 5:30 p.m. in the gym. Listed are the Candidates of 1991: Mandy Ferguson, Elizabeth Hale, Tonya Blackburn, Shelly Hunt.



**AMANDA FERGUSON**...is the 18 year old daughter of Gene and Rhonda Ferguson of Briscoe and is currently a senior at Briscoe High School. During her freshman, sophomore, and junior years of high school she was active in volleyball, basketball, and tennis. She received All-District honors in volleyball and basketball. She was also a member of the yearbook staff, FHA and One Act Play.

As a junior she was crowned the 1989-90 Briscoe High School Homecoming Queen. She will give up her crown and title this year, but she is still excited about all the activities planned for Homecoming. As a senior, she is active on the yearbook staff, FHA and One Act Play and she supports the Fighting Bronco teams. After she graduates, she plans to attend college next fall and study towards a degree in medicine.



**TONYA BLACKBURN**...is the daughter of Bob and Becky Blackburn. During her Freshman year she played basketball, volleyball, was a member of FHA, annual staff and was part of the stage crew in One Act Play. As a sophomore this year Tonya is a member of annual staff and hopes to be a member of the One Act Play. Later in the year she plans to attend the FHA state convention.



**ELIZABETH HALE**...is the daughter of Mrs. Gaye Hale. This is her second year to attend Briscoe School where she currently enrolled as a junior. Last year she participated in volleyball, basketball, One-act Play and academic UIL competition. This year she stays busy maintaining an A average. She also enjoys tagging along with the Broncos to film their games. After graduation Elizabeth plans to attend college.



**SHELLY JEAN HUNT**...is the daughter of Melvin and Cathy Hunt. She is a freshman at Briscoe. In her 8th grade year she was involved in basketball, volleyball, track, tennis, and cheerleading. Currently she is enjoying another year as a cheerleader. In the Tri-State Rodeo Club, she barrel races and breakaway ropes. She is also 1990-91 Sweepheart of the Briscoe F.F.A. Chapter and Vice-President of the F.H.A. Chapter. Other activities she has planned for this year are the county stock show, One-Act play, UIL competition, annual staff, tennis and track.

## Weather Information

Information concerning school closings or altered schedules will be broadcast over the following channels:

KPDR radio in Wheeler, 90.5  
KAMR television in Amarillo, Channel 4  
KVII television in Amarillo, Channel 7

For morning changes we will notify the stations before 6:30 a.m. In other instances we will contact the media whenever events occur or as soon as decisions are made.

Glyndol Holland

## Services Held For Jo Anne Austin

Jo Anne Austin, 67, died Wednesday, Jan. 9, 1991. Services were held at 11 a.m. Saturday, January 12 in Fairlans Baptist Church. Rev. Art McAninch, pastor, and Rev. Bud Kidwell, pastor of Central Baptist Church, officiated. Burial was in Westland Memorial Park by Minton-Chatwell Funeral Directors of Borger.

Mrs. Austin, born in Lone Oak, moved to Borger in 1960. She graduated from East Texas State University in Commerce. She was a checker at B&R Thriftway in Fritch. She was a member of Fairlans Baptist Church. Survivors include three daughters, Deborah Anne Moore of Pampa, Karen Puryear of Wheeler and Pamela Reed of Borger; a sister, Glenda Haynes of Lone Oak; and seven grandchildren.

## Rites Read For Dale Snelgrooves

Dale Snelgrooves, 94, formerly of rural Wheeler and relative of area resident, died Sunday, January 13, 1991, at Pauls Valley. Services were held at 2 p.m. Wednesday, January 16 at Pauls Valley.

Mrs. Snelgrooves lived south of Wheeler, Texas for a number of years. She was preceded in death by her husband, Will Snelgrooves in 1960, and two sons, Don Ray Snelgrooves in 1959 and Henry Snelgrooves in 1990. Survivors include one daughter, Retha Gordan of Pauls Valley, four sons, Thad Snelgrooves and Tommy Snelgrooves, both of Pauls Valley, Truman Snelgrooves of California and Cecil Snelgrooves of Wheeler, Texas; numerous grandchildren and great grandchildren, including Steve Snelgrooves of Pampa, Texas; and a daughter-in-law, Shirley Williams, also of Pampa, Texas.

Two hundred sixty-nine animals are entered in the 1991 Wheeler County Junior Livestock Show which gets underway on Friday, January 18 when the hogs and lambs are weighed in. Members of Wheeler County 4-H Clubs and FFA Chapters have been feeding and fitting their animals for several months in preparation for the show.

The market hog show will begin at 9:00 a.m. on Saturday. One hundred seventy hogs are entered. Eighty-one lambs are entered in the lamb show, which will begin at 6:00 p.m. on Saturday. Thirteen steers will be weighed and measured at 1:00 p.m., Sunday, January 20. The steer will begin at 3:00 p.m. on Sunday and will be followed by the heifer show.

One hundred of the top placing animals will sell in the premium sale at 7:00 p.m. on Monday.

Hiram Begert, president of the Wheeler County Livestock Show Association and general superintendent of the show, invites everyone to attend the show and auction sale. He said public support and recognition is very important to the youth who have invested so much money and effort preparing for the show.

Many local individuals are giving their time to make the show a success. Richard Kiker and Stan Tate will be in charge of the beef cattle show, Kyle Adams and Danny Hardcastle will serve as superintendent and assistant superintendent of the lamb show, and Jackie Sparlin and Russell Gaines will direct the hog show.

Canadian Production Credit Association is furnishing the awards for the lambs and hogs and Wheeler County Farm Bureau will supply the beef cattle awards.

## Hospital Notes

Old Admissions
None
New Admissions
1-7
S.B. Hooker
Tony Griffin
Zinnie Bailey
Kent Hall
Grace Spates
Audrey Buchanan
1-9
Kathy Shorter
Ira Morgan
Elaine Merz
Shorly Sechrist
1-10
Lucy Skipper
Dismissals
1-9
Kent Hall
1-10
Willis Gowin
1-11
Tony Griffin
Zinnie Bailey
Grace Spates
Ohmar Smulcer
1-12
Elaine Merz
Naomi Allen
1-13
Kathy Shorter

## Jay Kinnard Will Graduate From SWOSU

Henry Wilbur Kinnard, Jr. will graduate from Southwestern Oklahoma State University at Weatherford. He will receive his B.S. in Pharmacy.

The fall graduates will go through convocation exercises with the spring graduates on Friday, May 10, 1991 at 8:00 p.m.

## MAKES DEAN'S LIST

Southwestern Oklahoma State University has announced Dean's Honor Rolls for the 1990 Fall semester.

There are 606 students on the Dean's List after completing 15 semester hours of undergraduate work with a grade point average of 3.0 ("B") or higher, with no grade lower than a ("C").

Named to that list was Henry Wilbur Kinnard, Jr. (Jay) of Wheeler. Jay is the son of Henry and Phyllis Kinnard of Wheeler.



**VARSITY GIRLS:** These young ladies represent Wheeler on the basketball court. As the regular season draws to a close the girls have a 00-00 record for the year. Team members are (back, l. to r.) Rebecca Hogue, Dedra Dorladies, Lori Vanpool, Ginger Nelson, Leslie Brinkley, Jan Newland—Coach, Gayla Maddux, (front) Bobbie Kuehler, Liz Stiles and Nikki Scott.



**JUNIOR VARSITY GIRLS:** This group of young ladies play Junior Varsity ball and have a record of 00-00. They are (back row, l. to r.) Amanda Flannagan, Shelby Beers, Casey Velasquez, Tobytha Wiggins, Nissa Boedeker, Kristi Wheeler, Rochelle Rives, (middle row) Christy Glassey, Lori Morrison, Julie Porter, Melissa Chapman, Misty Glassey, Marcie Rose, (Front) Jana Velasquez, and Gayla Maddux.

## BUSINESS OF THE WEEK

The Business of The Week would like to spotlight the General Telephone Company of the Southwest. Although the area office is located in Memphis, the General Telephone Company supports the Wheeler Chamber of Commerce and its activities here in Wheeler. The telephone has grown over the years from a luxury to almost a household necessity. Telephone service is taken for granted many times each day. The General Telephone Company was first located in a building behind Hyland's Pharmacy. In 1970, they moved into the building at 409 S. Sweetwater. They presently service 1025 lines in the Wheeler area.

The local service is provided by Joe Montgomery and Walter Simmons. General Telephone offers residential and business lines, key systems, fax machines and other types of communications.

Joe Montgomery has been with General Telephone for 13 years. Twelve of those years have been spent here in Wheeler. He is married and is the father of four children. His spare time is spent in church and community services.

Walter Simmons has lived all of his life here in Wheeler. He has worked for GTE for 10 years. He is married and is the father of three children. He is interested in the Volunteer Fire Department, Masonic Lodge and serves as a Wheeler City Councilman.

without that service. It is then that we realize how dependent we are on our telephone and are glad to see Joe or Walter arrive to help restore our phone service. Take time to tell these men how much you appreciate the job that they are doing for GTE that keeps the phone service in Wheeler operating effectively.

Another member of the GTE Team here in Wheeler is Patricia Forrester. Patricia provides the local office for GTE. It is located in the "Wheeler Times" office at 110 E. Texas. You can bring your monthly telephone payment to Patricia instead of mailing it. She also offers a local repair service for your GTE phone. If she cannot get your phone back in working order, then she will get it to someone who can or she can provide you with a new phone. She has available many of the accessories that you might need for your phone such as jacks, cords, wire, etc. Should you not have phone service and wish to make arrangements to receive this service, you can make these arrangements with Patricia. Patricia has provided these services for GTE for almost 8 years. Stop by and say thanks to Patricia for the job that she does to keep your phone service operating effectively.

## Mobeetie City Council Regular Meeting Held

The Mobeetie City Council met Jan. 10 at the City Hall with Mayor Leona House in charge. Minutes were read and approved as read. The financial report was given and approved. Charles Kuntz the City CPA gave his report. Regular bills were paid. They voted to give the city

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READY TO GO FISHING? How about a lakehouse on a Wheeler County lake? Sleeps 10+.

**FOR SALE**  
**50 acres** on highway between Mobeetie and Briscoe



#102 One bedroom, one bath stucco house on corner lot at 501 S. Sweetwater.



**NEW LISTING:**  
#101. Three bedroom, two bath brick home on Osage Street. Fenced yard with storage building.



MOBEETIE  
#91. Three bedroom mobile home. Assume loan.  
#96. Two bedroom, one bath (remodeled) on large lot in Old Town.  
LOTS  
#98. By the Care Center. \$1500.00.  
#99. By the school. \$5,000.00.

WE HAVE BUYERS FOR:  
-----Up to a section of grass for \$200.00 or less. IMMEDIATE SALE if buyer approves!  
-----Small acreage either with old house or no house. Under \$15,000.00.

#50. Two bedroom, one bath frame home located at 806 S. Alan Bean Blvd.  
#56. Two bedroom, one bath home with siding, cellar, large lot, and carport. 1134 S. Main.  
#58. Large four bedroom, two bath home with two fireplaces, large lot, double garage 512. S. Reynolds.  
#59. Three bedroom, 1-3/4 bath stucco home with cellar and carport. 1100 S. Mobeetie.  
#68. REDUCED. Three bedroom, 1-3/4 bath brick home with large garage and lot. 207 S. Bryan.  
#74. Immaculate two-three bedroom, 1-3/4 bath frame home with two apartments. 805 S. Main.  
#75. Extra large three bedroom, 2-3/4 bath brick home on large lot with lots of storage. 605 S. Stanley.

#78. Two bedroom, one bath stucco home with garage. 508 Kiowa.  
#80. Two bedroom, 1-3/4 bath brick home with garage & carport & workshop on large lot. 1107 S. Main.  
#94. Two bedroom, one bath stucco home with garage on corner lot. 800 S. Sweetwater.  
#81. Two-story brick on five acres. Has three bedrooms, 2-1/2 baths, fireplace and many extras. West of town.  
#95. Three bedroom, one bath, FmHA brick with woodburning stove. 1321 S. Mobeetie.  
#97. Large stucco home with a possible five+ bedrooms, two+ baths on small acreage at edge of town. 1308 W. Oklahoma. Owner will lease-purchase to right party.  
#98. Four bedroom, two bath country home with fireplace, cellar & carport on 2+ acres East of Wheeler.  
#77. Two bedroom, one bath frame home with basement & central air. 601 S. Canadian.

## the smith agency

GREG AND RUTH SMITH  
806-826-5541 or 802-826-3238  
Joe & Betty Lee 375-2381  
Lavon Williams 826-5803  
Jim Hill 826-3094  
Lona Williams 826-3341  
112 E. Texas Street, Wheeler, TX 79096  
RUTH SMITH, BROKER

## Want Ads

**A DIRTY CHIMNEY** can cause a fire. Does your chimney need cleaned or not sure? Call "Chandler Chimney Sweep" 826-5863.

**FOR SALE:** Washer & dryer. Call 826-3780 after 6:00 p.m.

**Real Estate Appraisal & Sales**  
Lavon Williams  
The Smith Agency  
826-5541 826-5803

**IF YOU BUY HEALTH INSURANCE**, you could be paying too much. Specializing in Major Medical and Medi-Care Supplements. CONTACT: Kenneth McCasland 826-3573 or 826-3036.

**Wheeler Fencing**  
AMERICAN MADE  
Bob Wire \$26.50  
T-Post \$1.90  
Cattle Panels:  
52" x 16' - \$12.00  
60" x 20' - \$15.00  
72" x 20' - \$16.50  
Call after 9:00 evenings or before 7:30 mornings  
826-3247 or 826-5626  
Wayne Benefield

**WANTED TO BUY:** Household estates & tractor with front end loader. Call 835-2380.

**Remodeling Construction Concrete Patios Redwood Decks & Gazebos PAMPA POOL AND SPA**  
Waterbed Warehouse  
DAVID BRONNER  
Pampa  
665-4218 & 665-6064

**HELP CLEAN SEPTIC TANK** the EASY WAY with FX bacteria. \$9.98. Tree Roots removed. Drains opened. Ask for the FREE BOOKLET. Wheeler Lumber Yard, Wheeler, Texas.

**Nancy's Fabrics & Etc.**  
404 Main - Wheeler  
826-3268

**Fabric Sale!**  
98¢ yd. to \$2.98 yd.  
on most fabrics.  
Christian Books, Tapes & Music in.

**MARY KAY COSMETICS:** Free facials and delivery. Ruth Richards, 845-2000.

**SAGEBRUSH, INC.** and agency providing employment and residential services and opportunities for developmentally disabled adults, is accepting applications for Executive Director. Salary negotiable, plus benefits. Management experience, degree preferred. Submit resume to Sagebrush, Inc., P.O. Box 839, Sayre, OK. 73662. Attention: Pat Page, by 5:00 p.m. January 28, 1991. EOE

**BECOME A PARALEGAL.** Accredited Member NHSC. Attorney Instructed, Home Study, Established 1976 Financial Aid, FREE Catalog, 1-800-669-2555, Southern Career Institute, P.O. Box 2158, Boca Raton, Florida 33427.

**Shamrock Laundry**  
Open 24 Hrs.  
7 Days a Week  
Corner of 4th & Madden St.  
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**FOR SALE BY OWNER:** Good Extra Income—12 space Trailer Park, 5 furnished Trailer Houses, all rented. 826-5634.

**PUPS TO GIVE AWAY** also Boston Terrier pups for sale. 826-3209.  
**EASY WORK! EXCELLENT PAY! ASSEMBLY PRODUCTS AT HOME.** Call for information 504-641-8003 EXT. 191.

**FOR SALE:** 1050 Grinder mixer, 100 bushel capacity. Phone: 375-2582.

**FOR SALE:** 3 bedroom brick house on 3/4 acre, oversize double garage, R.V. building, storm cellar. 817-549-3338.

**FOR SALE:** 2 1/2 yr. old Polled Hereford Bull, 1600 lbs., cows, calves and steers. Also 440 acres farm 806-826-5774.

**NOTICE TO PUBLIC**  
Any erroneous reflection upon the character, standing or reputation of any person, firm or corporation, which may appear in the columns of this paper will be gladly corrected upon due notice being given to the editor personally at the office at 110 East Texas St., Wheeler, Texas.

The Wheeler Times does not knowingly accept false or fraudulent advertising or other advertising of an objectionable nature, in printed in full confidence in the presentation made. Readers will confer a favor if they will promptly report any failure on the part of the advertiser to make good any misrepresentation in our advertisements.

**Child Care in our Home,** anytime. Starting from \$1.00 an hour and up. **826-3011**

**FOR SALE:** Two 13.5-38 tractor tires and tubes. Phone 826-3112 after 6.

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**Louis C. Stas, Owner and Publisher**  
SUBSCRIPTION RATES:  
Wheeler County... \$15.00 Outside County... \$16.50

**FARM BUREAU TEXAS**  
Insurance Companies  
**Gary Alston**  
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Permanent year-round protection. Changeable from inside. Easy to clean, prowler-proof. Eliminates drafts...Cuts fuel bills...  
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Fine Service for Fine People

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**New & Used GUNS**  
Buy, sell or trade.  
**Johnny Christner,**  
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**256-2166**

**FOR SALE:** 1979 Nova, good condition, 826-3233.

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**AA MEETING**  
Alcoholics Anonymous meets at 7:00 p.m. in the Commissioners Court Room of Wheeler Co. Courthouse on Thursday of each week.

**Wheeler Lodge No. 1099**  
A.F. & A.M.  
**MONDAY**  
7:30 P.M.  
J. M. Montgomery, Sec'y.  
Box 675  
Members Urged To Attend.  
Visitors Welcome.

**WHEELER REDI-MIX**  
REDI-MIX CONCRETE SAND  
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Office Hours: 7:30 to 5:00  
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**CITY DUMP GROUND HOURS**  
Monday, Tuesday  
Wednesday, Thursday,  
Friday, Saturday  
8:30 A.M. til 5:30 P.M.

**FOR SALE:** 1,000 gal. propane tank, like new, wet line. Phone: 826-3112 after 6.

**WANT TO BUY:** a tractor between 50 and 100 horsepower and small farm equipment. 826-5863.

**FOR SALE:** Loveseat, sofa and two chairs, reasonable priced. Phone: 826-3236.

**NOTICE OF RATE CHANGE REQUEST AND STATEMENT OF INTENT**

Notice is hereby given that GREENBELT ELECTRIC COOPERATIVE, INC., (the "Utility") intends to change rates for electric utility service, effective January 22, 1991, or as soon thereafter as may be permitted by law. Based upon a test year ending March 31, 1990, the increase requested over actual test year revenues is \$213,433 or 6.28%. If test year revenues are adjusted to reflect changes in wholesale power costs supplied to the utility, the increase requested is \$258,369 or 7.70%. The changes are applicable to all areas, all customer classes, and all customers served by the Utility.

The Utility intends to change its service rules and regulations including rules relating to obtaining service, the provision of electric service, and discontinuance of service.

Implementation of the proposed changes is subject to approval by the Public Utility Commission of Texas. A statement of intent including the proposed revisions of tariff and schedules and a statement specifying in detail each proposed change is available at the general office of the Utility located at Wellington, Texas.

Persons who wish to intervene or otherwise participate in these proceedings should notify the Commission as soon as possible. A request to intervene, participate, or for further information should be mailed to the Public Utility Commission of Texas, 7800 Shoal Creek Boulevard, Suite 400N, Austin, Texas 78757. Further information may also be obtained by calling the Public Utility Commission Consumer Affairs Division at (512) 458-0223 or (512) 458-0221 teletypewriter for the deaf.  
**Campbell McGinnis**  
Attorney for the Utility

**NOTICE OF SHERIFFS SALE**  
THE STATE OF TEXAS COUNTY OF WHEELER

By virtue of an Order of Sale issued out of the Honorable 31ST Judicial District Court of Wheeler County, on the 7 day of January by the Clerk thereof, in the case of MOBEETIE INDEPENDENT SCHOOL DISTRICT VS BOBBY JOE & CAROL REMY Cause #8489 and to me, as Sheriff, directed and delivered, I will proceed to sell, at TEN (10) O'CLOCK A.M. on the 5TH DAY OF FEBRUARY, 1991 which is the first Tuesday of said month, at the OFFICIAL door of the Courthouse of said Wheeler County, in the City of WHEELER, Texas the following described property, to wit:

A tract of land out of the southeast one-fourth (SE/4) of Section 65, Block A-5, Houston & Great Northern Railway Company Survey, Wheeler County, Texas, lying West of and adjacent to Block 108 of the townsite of New Mobeetie, and described by metes and bounds as follows: BEGINNING at a point 60 feet West of the Southwest corner of said Block 108 on the West side of Hoover Street in said New Mobeetie

THENCE Westerly continuing with the South line of said Block 108 to a point intersecting the East side of the highway running along the West side of the Southeast one-fourth of Section 65, for the Southwest corner of this tract;

THENCE Northerly with the East line of said highway to a point Westerly from and continuing with the South line of Block 107 in said New Mobeetie townsite for the Northwest corner of this tract;

THENCE in an Easterly direction with said South line of said Block 107 to a point intersecting the West side of said Hoover Street for the Northeast corner of this tract;  
THENCE Southerly with the West side of said Hoover Street to the place of beginning; SAVE & EXCEPT that portion of this tract which is now being used as a highway or road and containing 2.56 acres of land, more or less. Levied on the 9 day of January as the property of BOBBY JOE REMY AND CAROL REMY to satisfy a judgement amounting to

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\$5,563.11 with interest from the 11TH DAY OF OCTOBER, 1990 at 10 percent, per annum, and all costs of suit in favor of Mobeetie INDEPENDENT SCHOOL DISTRICT, CITY OF MOBEETIE AND WHEELER COUNTY. GIVEN UNDER MY HAND THIS 9 day of January, 1991.  
**Jimmy Adams, Sheriff**  
Wheeler County, Texas  
By **Rick Walden**  
Chief Deputy

**NOTICE**  
Wheeler County Commissioner's Court will accept bids for two (2) half-ton 4x4 pickups with long wheel base, and wide beds. Minimum specifications may be obtained at the Wheeler County Clerks office, Wheeler County Courthouse, Wheeler, Texas. Bids must be submitted by 10:00 A.M. Monday, February 11, 1991, to be considered at the February 11, 1991 Commissioners Court meeting. Wheeler County reserves the right to accept or reject any or all bids.

**NOTICE**  
Wheeler County Commissioner's Court will accept bids on No. 2 Diesel to be delivered in 500 to 2,000 gallon lots at the following locations: Allison, Wheeler, Lela and Shamrock. Bid is to be for 30 days from February 12, 1991. Proof of liability insurance must be included along with bid. Submit bids no later than 10:00 A.M. Monday, February 11, 1991, to Wheeler County Judges Office, Wheeler County, Texas. Wheeler County reserves the right to accept or reject any or all bids.

**LEGAL NOTICE**  
**NOTICE OF APPLICATION FOR CERTIFICATE OF CONVENIENCE AND NECESSITY TO PROVIDE WATER UTILITY SERVICE IN WHEELER COUNTY.**  
Consumer Water Club, has filed an application

for a Certificate of Convenience and Necessity with the Texas Water Commission to provide water/utility service in Allison, Wheeler County. The proposed service area is approximately 19 miles Northeast of downtown Wheeler, Texas and generally bounded on the north by Hemphill Co. Line Road on the south by Santa Fe Road Bed on the east by Sears St. and on the west by Lee St. The total area being requested includes approximately 30 acres and 26 current customers.

Persons who wish to intervene or comment should write the Rates Section, Water Utilities Division Texas Water Commission P.O. Box 13087, Capitol Station Austin, TX. 78711-3087 within thirty (30) days from the date of this publication or notice. No public hearing will be held unless a request for a hearing is received. Only those individuals who submit a written request to be notified of a hearing schedule will receive notice if a hearing is scheduled.

**NOTICE OF SHERIFFS SALE**  
THE STATE OF TEXAS COUNTY OF WHEELER  
By virtue of an Order of Sale issued out of the Honorable 31st Judicial District Court of Wheeler County, on the 7 day of January by the Clerk thereof, in the case of WHEELER INDEPENDENT SCHOOL DISTRICT VS LEV OLD CONNOR Cause #9057 and to me, as Sheriff, directed and delivered, I will proceed to sell, at TEN (10) O'CLOCK A.M. on the 5th DAY OF FEBRUARY, 1991 which is the first Tuesday of said month, at the OFFICIAL door of the Courthouse of said Wheeler County, in the City of WHEELER, Texas the following  
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**After Hours Video** 111 W. Texas Wheeler  
Phone: 826-3612  
1. Delta Force II 5. Ninja Turtle  
2. Young Guns II (Attack of the Big Mac)  
3. Robo Cop II 6. Adventures of Ford Fairlane  
4. Rough Rider  
**PREVIEWED Movies For Sale**  
Hours: Mon. - Thurs. 1:00 P.M. - 8:00 P.M.  
Fri. - Sat.: 1:00 P.M. - 9:00 P.M. —Closed Sun.—  
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## Care Center By Lots Comments

Our January Birthday Party started off our week so nicely. The First Baptist Church of Wheeler hosted the party. Thank you so much to the Baptist Young Women who prepared the cake and punch and also provided the wonderful entertainment. They were: Pam Arganbright, Beverly Bryant and Josh Bryant, Beverly Smith, Sindy Chapman and Samantha Chapman, Jeannie Hennig, Tina Bond and Amanda Bond, Dolores Simmons, Joetta Sword (piano), Robert Helsley, Randy Rives. Everyone thoroughly enjoyed the afternoon. Those having a birthday in January are S.B. Hooker, Jan. 3, 1912, Martha Schlegel Jan. 13, 1912, T.J. Austin, Jan. 27, 1901, Bob Bidwell, Jan. 31, 1908, Ola Buice, Jan. 31, 1894. Happy Birthday to all. Thank you all for coming.

The weather has played havoc with our schedule around here. Thank you to those who have filled in as drafted volunteers. Couldn't do it without ya!

Our bingo volunteers Wednesday afternoon were Kim Flanagan, Andy Aquirre, Becky Case and Ruth Miles. Those that were here to serve juice were Ned Burrell and Frances Heffley. Thank you all for being here and

making our afternoon a little brighter.

I went home early on Thursday so the pop-corn business was left up to Becky Case and Ann Ellison. They must have popped a Mac Truck full, so Becky says, enough so the 6-2 shift 2-10 shift and 10-6 shift could all have some to munch on as well as all the residents of course. Thank you to you both for a job well done.

Jean Scales read the Amarillo News on Friday morning. Thank you.

Juice cart was provided by Vida Brown and Birdie Hudson Friday afternoon. Thank you both.

Friday afternoon Icy Littrell, Lera Weehunt, Willie Anderson, Addie Hilburn, and Joe Richardson helped Jean Scales and Becky Case make campaign

posters for Employee of the Year. The staff as well as the residents will be asked to vote on Jan. 22nd. You should see the bribery going on around here. Everyone is enjoying a good laugh.

Thank you very much to Jim and Melba Montgomery for bringing Sunday School to our residents each week. We appreciate both of you very much.

Rev. Robert Helsley and members of the First Baptist Church provided afternoon worship on Sunday. Thank you to all who came.

Our Domino Tournament is scheduled for the 22nd at 2:00. Please contact the Care Center to make sure.

See You Next Week!  
Lots

## Allison News

By Christine Gilmer

Galatians 6-7 & 8:

Be not deceived; God is not mocked: for whatsoever a man soweth, that shall he also reap. For he that soweth to his flesh shall of the flesh reap corruption; but he that soweth to the Spirit shall of the Spirit reap life everlasting.

Sorry to be so late with the Jones family holiday happenings, but was unable to contact them. In the home of Loyd and Nona Jones over the Christmas season, beginning on Saturday the 22nd there was all together 57 of Loyd's children, grandchildren and great grandchildren, all five of his children and their mates, 13 grandchildren and 19 great grandchildren. All enjoyed the Mexican pile-on meal and the tree, a draw game we always play. Part of them spent the night with us and part at Lee and Sharon Hall's and one granddaughter and family stayed all night with her aunt Rita Grayson. All was back for breakfast Sunday morning and all had a good time and everyone got home safe. God is great and wonderful. Monday Nona began to prepare the night meal for her children and grandchildren 3 of her sons and wives were there, 7 of her grandchildren and 5 of her great grandchildren, Carol and Bruce and three children. Chris, Jim and Stacey and two children went to see her folks. Tammy and Bobby and two children, Randy and Ronnie, and Kim and Kevin. Terry his youngest son and family who live in Austin didn't get to come. Nona called him on Christmas Day and they were all well. Nona thanks God for such a wonderful family. Loyd and Nona had Christmas dinner with Lee and Sharon and their family. Last week Loyd's granddaughter Brenda came from Denver, Colo. to see him.

I hope everyone enjoyed the last three or four warm sunshiney days as much as I have. It's warm this Monday morning but there is clouds, I believe it's the first morning that is has been above freezing in several days.

Sorry to hear that Jeanette Rainey had an accident on the icy highway on her way to Shamrock. I understand she wasn't hurt much but the van was demolished. We are thankful she wasn't hurt.

Wilma Gilmer's granddaughters and families were Sunday dinner guests at her home. Those there were Billy and Rhonda McWhorter, Tanner and Tyler from Wheeler, and Lisa Farmer, Ryan and Matthew from Pampa. Lisa and her boys spent the weekend with Ruby Craig, Billy, Rhonda and boys also visited Ruby, Jerry and Susan Finney and Jessie from Pampa visited Ruby and Wilma last Saturday.

Ray and Wilma Giddens Saturday guests to help Sue celebrate her birthday were Glen and Nona Elmore, Wayne and Kathy Zybach, Clay and Casey of Briscoe.

Peggy Chandler and Jennie Walker visited Ed Walker and Gertie Cornell last Saturday at the Care Center at Wheeler.

Clifton and Louise Boydston, and Cheryl Dupont and Sabrina was in Canyon last Saturday and helped Kim Boydston and Kimber to get moved to Pampa. Kim will be working at the Coronado Hospital as an accountant.

Opal and Juanita Boydston and Sylvia Brown were last Saturday evening supper guests with Roma and Billy Brown. Sylvia also spent the weekend with Roma and Billy. Sunday night after church Roma, Billy and Sylvia were at Opal and Juanita's for refreshments.

Bill and Kay Donaldson's weekend guest was Allen and Vicki Donaldson and Ashley from Amarillo and also Jimmy and Dawn Donaldson and children.

Edith May's Sunday dinner guests was Edith Donaldson and Doris Newsom. They all went and visited Anna Bell Marshall Sunday afternoon and they played dominoes.

Jim Dukes from Abilene, Texas came and spent the weekend with relatives here at Allison. He stayed the nights with his sister and her husband Minnie Bell and Clyde Vinson. Last Saturday dinner guests at Red and Anna Dukes was, Clyde and Minnie Bell, Jim and Relum and Ruth Hughs from Reydon, OK, and Bessie Crenshaw from Shamrock. Sunday after church, Red and Anna, Clyde and Minnie Bell,



Relum and Ruth, Jim and Nelda Dukes all went to Reydon and ate dinner at the Hill Top Cafe. Jim Dukes left Sunday afternoon going back home to Abilene.

Hiram and Darena Begert spent most of last week in Denver, Colo. and attended the Limousin Cattle events at the National Western Stock Show. Bret stayed at home and took care of the cattle at home.

[Marginal Note] To admit you were wrong is simply to say

you're wiser today than you were yesterday.

Lee and Sharon Hall's Sunday dinner guests were Loyd and Nona Jones, and Tammy Jones, Jordan and Alisa from Wheeler, and Randy and Ronnie Hall from Canyon was still there. They haven't gone back to Canyon to college yet from the holiday vacation.

Becky and Jeanie Gilmer and Linda Ingersol and Andrew from Amarillo spent the weekend with their parents the Pete Gilmer's and celebrated Jeanie's birthday. Justin and Dawn Lohberger from Sweetwater, OK, spent the weekend with Verne and Susie Lohberger.

Zeland and Charlene Rainey's Sunday dinner guest was George and Avis Parker, Mike and Teresa Dyer, Donette, Scott and Amber, Winston and Jeanette Rainey and Nathan and Les and Shrona Seamster.

George and Avis's Sunday afternoon guest was Effie Bessire from Reydon. Horace and Juanita Fillingim visited George and Avis after church Sunday night.

Ed Walker visited awhile Sunday afternoon here at Allison with Jennie Walker.

The ground work has begun here where they are going to put the new post office.

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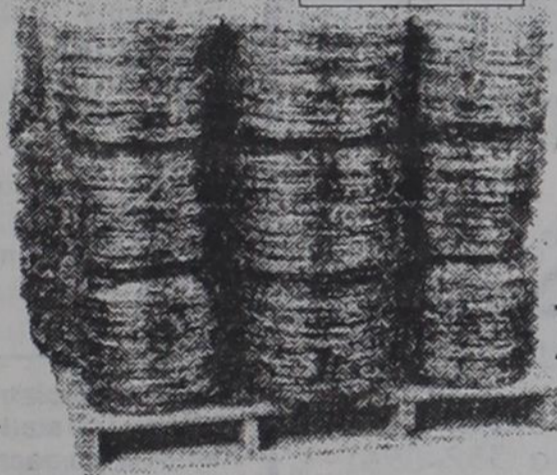
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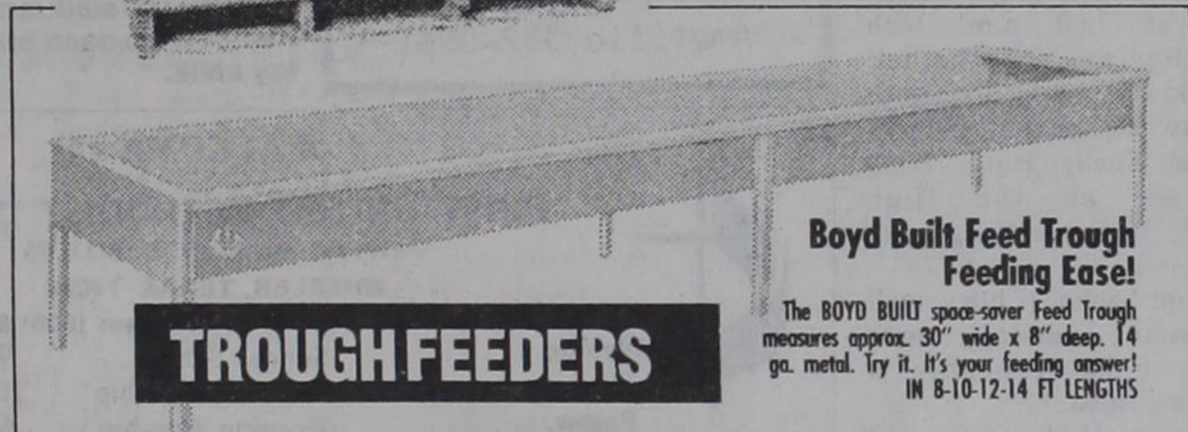
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## Wheeler Church of Christ

### Congregational Concerns:

On this coming Saturday afternoon, January 19th, from 2:00 P.M. to 4:00 P.M. in the multi-purpose building, a wedding shower will be held for Brenda Sparlin.

At the conclusion of the morning worship services on this coming Sunday morning, January 20th, the young people of this congregation—kindergarten through high school—will go bowling at the Harvester Lanes in Pampa. The cost will be \$1.85 per game. The young people should also bring money for lunch at McDonald's. The Church of Christ in Beaver, Okla., will host a Ladies Day on Saturday, January 26th. The speaker will

### From The Minister's Desk:

During a stormy night on Lake Michigan in 1860, a steamboat was rammed by a lumber schooner and sank. And of the three hundred and ninety-three passengers who were on the steamboat, two hundred and seventy-nine drowned.

The hero of this tragedy was a young man who was named Edward Spencer. This young man repeatedly plunged into the cold water of the lake, rescuing seventeen people. But physical strain of his heroism permanently disabled him.

After spending several years confined to a wheel chair, this young man was asked: "What is your most vivid memory of that tragic night?" His reply was: "Not one of the seventeen ever thanked me."

It is a common experience. In His ministry, Jesus was once confronted by ten lepers who said: "Jesus, Master, have mercy on us." (Luke 17:13) Jesus told them to go and show themselves to the priests. (verse 14) And the text then says: "—As they went, they were cleansed." (verse 15) Imagine the feelings of these lepers. They were suddenly and miraculously cured of a dreaded disease. But what was their reaction?

The text says: "Now one of them, when he saw that he had been healed, turned back, glorifying God with a loud voice, and he fell on his face at His feet, giving thanks to Him. And he was a Samaritan." (verse 16) Then the text says: "And Jesus answered and said, Were there not ten cleansed? But the nine—where are they?"

Ten lepers were healed. But only one expressed gratitude. Is the percentage any better with you and me? While we have not been healed of leprosy, we have been richly blessed. But are we grateful?

It would seem that many of us are ungrateful people. For this reason, there are several important observations that

be Nancy Shelly and her lesson will be entitled: "Relationship Building Through Self-Esteem." Information about this Ladies Day is posted on the bulletin board in the lobby.

Ranson Carter remains hospitalized in Amarillo. His condition is extremely serious.

Estell Hubbard had eye surgery last week. She is now confined to her home, but her condition is slowly improving.

Chris Osborne continues to recuperate at home from his recent back surgery.

Sympathy must be expressed to Gene Gibson upon the recent death of his nephew. The funeral was held last week at Austin.

need to be made. These observations are:

1. Gratitude is a key element in a relationship with God and other people. The Apostle Paul stated that prayer should be characterized by "—thanksgiving—" (Philippians 4:5) And gratitude should also characterize the relationship that disciples of Jesus have with other people. Disciples of Jesus are saved by the grace of God. Their salvation is not earned or deserved. Rather it is a free gift of God which they receive by an obedient faith. (Romans 1:1-7, 5:12-21) For this reason, disciples of Jesus should be gracious to other people, urging them to accept God's free gift of eternal life.

2. Gratitude is a virtue that must be controlled. It should be treated like perfume. It is enjoyed, but it is not drunk. The purpose of Christianity is to glorify God and this purpose is warped when disciples of Jesus are overly concerned with self-gratification. (Matthew 5:17, Colossians 3:17) It is imperative that disciples of Jesus control their desire for gratitude.

3. Gratitude is expected, but it is not demanded. Jesus healed ten lepers and only one returned to thank Him. Jesus was obviously disappointed. Yet there is no Biblical evidence that Jesus refused to heal other lepers because these nine were not grateful. Like Jesus, Disciples of Jesus will not allow the ingratitude of people to nullify their good works. They will be deeply concerned about God's reward, believing that his reward is more important than the gratitude of other people.

Gratitude is a neglected virtue! Edward Spencer and Jesus Christ experienced it's neglect. And so will disciples of Jesus. But they will never allow this ingratitude to nullify their commitment to God.

Bill Morrison, Minister  
Church of Christ  
Wheeler, Texas

### An Invitation:

You are cordially invited to attend any of the weekly services of the Wheeler Church of Christ, which meets at 1001 S. Alan Bean Blvd. in Wheeler, Texas.

### Services

Sunday Bible Study	10:00 A.M.
Sunday Morning Worship	11:00 A.M.
Sunday Night Worship	6:00 P.M.
Wednesday Bible Study	7:30 P.M.

# Here & There

By Laura Guthrie

Monday night, Jan. 13, 1991. The day passes slowly. The night will last too long. So it seems with me today. I'm taking a cold, my head is dull, just short of an ache. The tissue has to be ready to catch a nose drip of any second. I'm sure you all know the feeling. I've promised the family that if I'm not better tomorrow I'll see the doctor.

Another thing that makes time heavy is the upcoming Jan. 15 at midnight. Many of us are listening for the gong.

No! I'm not in favor of war, and I would not want the responsibility of making the decision. Sometimes war is necessary. God, many times sent his people into the battlefield and said, "Utterly Destroy". We must face, what we have to do—sending our supplications to God "Continuously".

I see by the paper that our local Chamber of Commerce is stirring around, getting ready for the end of a year's work and looking forward to a new one. I came across this clipping from an old Amarillo News: "There is no influence in any community more potent and powerful for the accomplishment of good, than that of the business and professional men unselfishly banded together for the purpose of promoting the general welfare of the entire citizenship." Lord James Bryce 1838-1922

All of our citizens should feel this way about the welfare of our community. We are proud of our town. I hear from our of town people, so many compliments on our village. Let's keep it that way. Support and unite with the town's leaders. It will give you a great feeling!

The only place I've been lately is to the grocery store last week. While at the check-out counter I saw Mary Weatherly come into the store; with her was a young man of high school age. I knew at once that he had to be of the Water's family. (Mary's family name). When I'd finished paying my bill I hurried to another counter to intercept Mary. Sure enough the young man was her grandson Rowdy Riemer son of Joe's and Mary's daughter, Nancy. Recently Nancy had lost her husband so the parents were in the process of moving the family to Wheeler so

they could help her with her loss and her family. I hope they feel at home and loved here.

Dr. Mendiola has been out of his office a few days while he accompanied his mother to her home in the Phillipine Islands, after a visit with the family here.

Keri Childress of Okla. City spent Sunday and Monday here with her grandparents, Dorothy and Adrian Risner.

Charlene Britten of Lefors, who attends college spent Sunday with her grandmother, Elva Wood. They attended the local Methodist church and ate with other mem-



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bers at a church dinner.

I called Tootsie Jolly to check on her and their son Dean at Tyler who has recently had a heart attack. Tootsie is feeling fine because Dean is improving so much.

Had a letter from Morea Bowles today. She lives in Pampa and has recently had extensive surgery. She says she is feeling fine, cooked Christmas dinner and does most of the chores about the house with help from Kelly and Jeff. She gets her mid-day meal from "Meals on Wheels". Morea is fortunate, her daughter Kelly Wilcox lives in Lefors and grandson Jeff is always willing and prompt to help his grandmother.

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**Gageby News**  
Verna Fillingim

Happy Birthday to Georgia Smith and Shawn Everett on Jan. 13, Rolanda Meadows, and Esther Brown on Jan. 14. Betty Zybach, Lawrence Fillingim, Alicia Hefley on Jan. 15, Dean Tipps on Jan. 16, Joshua Hector and Tamera Hartline on Jan. 18, L.D. Childress and Charles Crownover on Jan. 19, Randy McCurley on Jan. 20, Bob Downs on Jan. 21, Mark Cornett and Andrea Dukes on Jan. 23, Caroline Cornett, Ab Trout, Lisa Bennett, David Zybach, and Susan Hoggard on Jan. 24, Aunt Rosa May Anderson, Dr. Bob Galutia, Bud Lowe and Red Dukes on Jan. 26.

Happy Anniversary to Randy and Sharon Worley on Jan. 14, Larry and Pam Meadows and Chuck and Ann Jones on Jan. 15, Bob and Becky Blackburn and Glenn and Angela Keelin on Jan. 17, Dean and Georgia Tipps on Jan. 20, Mike and Melody Goad on Jan. 24, Bob and Alma Maddox on Jan. 25.

Happy 50th Anniversary to LaVois (Moose) (Aderholt) and L.E. Anderson.

Jodie Crownover is now a teenager! Charles and LaJo Crownover and Boyce, Jodie, Londa and Terri were Sunday dinner guests of E.G. and Willa Fillingim to celebrate Jodie's birthday. Willa always makes a special cake with prizes for her grandchildren.

Sunday dinner guests at the home of Roy and Lois Meadows were Aaron and Claudetta Laverty and Caaron and Beedie Laverty, Evelyn Meek and J.P. and Martha Meek.

In the Kelton Jr. Hi. Tournament Follett girls won first, defeating Allison girls by one point in an overtime. Briscoe girls defeated Mobeetie and Kelton girls to win third. They lost their second game to Follett girls. Briscoe boys lost to Darrouzett boys and lost to Follett boys but won Sportsmanship. Congratulations to all.

David Helton injured his knee in the Follett game. Hope it's soon o.k. This is his first year to play basketball, but he is making a great player, a true Helton.

Nice to have Grant and Karen Meek come to visit and bring our mail to the hospital Tuesday.

Karen Meek and Shonda and Raymond and Isabel Moore went to Abilene last Friday to the wedding of Teresa Moore to Ricky Albus. Teresa and Ricky are attending college at McMurray in Abilene.

Don't forget Briscoe Homecoming is Friday night January 18 at 7:00 p.m. with Mobeetie playing. Basketball Queen candidates are Elizabeth Hale, Mandy Ferguson, Tonya Blackburn and Shelly Hunt. King candidates are all the High School boys. The crowning will be at 5:30.

Briscoe High School boys will play at Miami Tuesday night Jan. 22, at 6:30. Probably a boys J.V. game also.

Briscoe Junior High girls and boys will go to Mobeetie Thursday, Jan. 24 at 6:30.

Briscoe High School boys will play at Kelton Friday night Jan. 25 at 6:30.

Sorry to hear Josh Hector checked in his books and moved to Canadian with his mom and stepdad, Carla and Ted Nall and Shauna and Kelsey and a step-brother. Hope all goes well with you, Josh. We will miss you.

Keith Meek was a weekend visitor to Wayne Meek. He also visited Evelyn Meek and Kristi Hefley.

Sunday we missed Dale and Lisa Helton and David, Doug, Matt and Mark at Church. They were on the puny side. Hope you are soon all o.k. We missed you all!

New people living at the Equity County-Line Co-op are Robert Cano and wife Liz and two little girls. Welcome to Briscoe community. They moved here from Canadian.

So good to be out of "solitary". Willis got dismissed from St. Anthony's Hospital Friday morning. Finally found he had micro-plasma pneumonia and a few Erythromycin pills ran that fever down that had been plaguing him all week. Felt so good that he insisted on going to the ballgame at Allison Friday night. Always an exciting game when we play Allison and so good to visit with lots of people a little. Big crowd there.

Friday night Briscoe boys defeated Allison 60 to 54 in a close game. By quarters Briscoe had 11, 21, 39, and 60. Allison had 17, 33, 39, 54. Tuesday night Kelton High School boys came to Briscoe and were defeated 53 to 72 Dallas 22, Danny 20.

Cheryl Ann Hudson went to Borger to the dentist Monday and also visited Cindy Sweet and

took her and Jessie to Amarillo for Cindy's check-up and shopping.

Cheryl and Mary plan to go to Graham to Mary's great granddaughter's wedding Saturday.

Congratulations to Dwayne and Wanda Lane on the birth of their new baby boy. They live at the KN plant. Named him Morgan Lee.

Nice to have Deleise Quinton and Jill come for a visit Tuesday at the hospital and wash some clothes for me and bring us some of their good well water. Willis is supposed to drink lots of water, but hospital water doesn't taste like home. Some others visiting were Paula Reed and Christy and Samantha, Olaf Sivage, John Shields and Julie Gilmer, Rev. Stan Coffee, Bernie Tapp. Thanks to each of you.

Nice to have Brad and Sue Chandler and Jana and Bridget visit Saturday night and eat supper and play 88. They brought the most delicious fresh corn, still in the shucks. Also nice to

have Ray and Verline Currie and Tina and Dusty Reed from Pampa visit awhile Sunday afternoon. Sure nice to have Tina and Dusty change some light bulbs for me that I couldn't reach.

Phillip Dennis was graduating from Boot camp at Lawton this week. So Aunt Ruth and Uncle Dick Irvine kept their little boys a few days so Glenna, Phillip's wife, could be there with him. Sue Ratliff helped out in the day time by keeping the boys while Ruth is at school. Sometimes Sue visits Grace Irvine when Juanita needs to be gone, and of course Gabriel goes along to entertain.

Bob Ratliff has gone back to work for Fluor Daniels at Celanese.

So nice to go out this Tuesday morning and not slip and slide around. That slipping and sliding isn't as much fun as when we were kids, it's down right scary!

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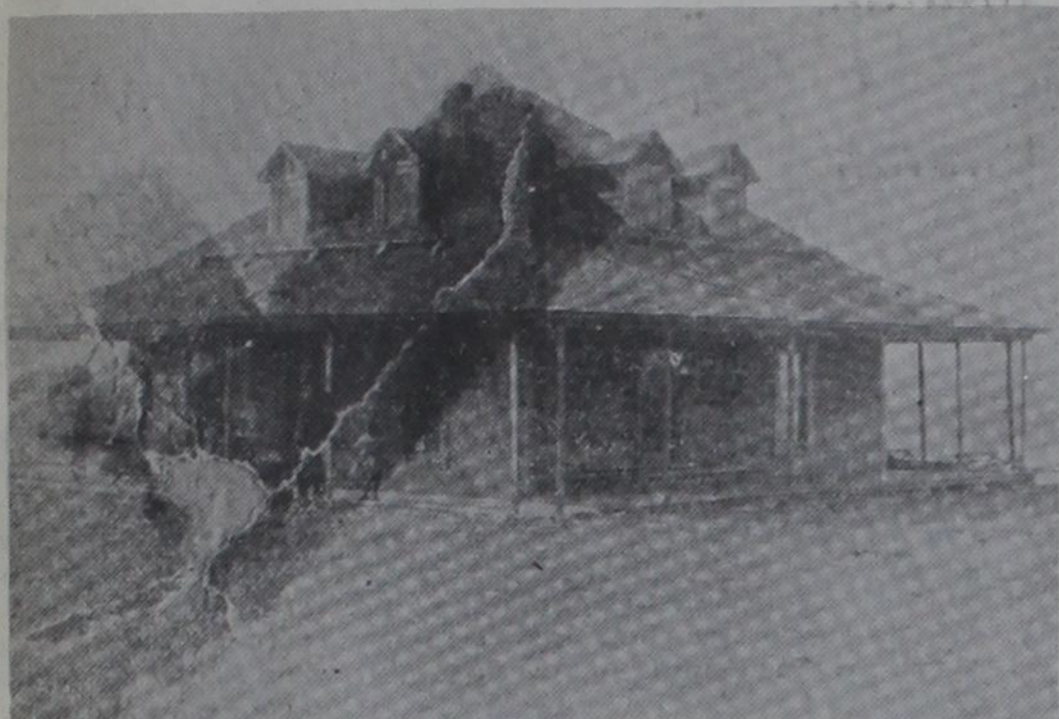
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5. Assets held in trading accounts: 0  
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7. Other real estate owned: 151  
8. Investments in unconsolidated subsidiaries and associated companies: 0  
9. Customers' liability to this bank on acceptances outstanding: 0  
10. Intangible assets: 0  
11. Other assets: 262  
12. a. Total assets (sum of items 1 through 11): 13 798  
LIABILITIES: 13. Deposits: 12 804  
14. Federal funds purchased and securities sold under agreements to repurchase in domestic offices of the bank & of its Edge & Agreement subsidiaries, & in IBFs: 0  
15. Demand notes issued to the U.S. Treasury: 0  
16. Other borrowed money: 0  
17. Mortgage indebtedness and obligations under capitalized leases: 0  
18. Bank's liability on acceptances executed and outstanding: 0  
19. Subordinated notes and debentures: 91  
20. Other liabilities: 0  
21. Total liabilities (sum of items 13 through 20): 12 895  
EQUITY CAPITAL: 22. Limited - life preferred stock and related surplus: 0  
23. Perpetual preferred stock and related surplus (No. of shares outstanding): 1800  
24. Common stock (No. of shares a. Authorized: 1800 b. Outstanding: 1800)  
25. Surplus (exclude all surplus related to preferred stock): 640  
26. a. Undivided profits and capital reserves: 83  
27. Cumulative foreign currency translation adjustments: 0  
28. a. Total equity capital (sum of items 23 through 27): 903  
29. Total liabilities, limited - life preferred stock, equity capital, and losses deferred pursuant to 12 U.S.C. 1823(j) (sum of items 21, 22, and 28 c): 13 798  
MEMORANDA: Amounts outstanding as of Report Date: 1. a. Standby letters of credit, Total: 29  
1. b. Amount of Standby letters of credit in memo 1 a. conveyed to others through participations: 0  
NOTE: This report must be signed by an authorized officer(s) and attested by not less than three directors other than the officer(s) signing the report.  
SIGNATURE OF OFFICER(S) AUTHORIZED TO SIGN REPORT: Bill Howard  
DATE SIGNED: January 11, 1991  
SIGNATURE OF DIRECTOR: Charles Britten, Dick Furstwald, P. B. Kilbuck  
STATE: Texas County: Wheeler  
I and hereby certify that I am not an officer or director of this bank.  
My commission expires April 23, 1993  
Signature Notary Public



**Ain't It The Truth**  
By Ab Gunter

As a kid I lived with our family in the Gunter Hotel just a block W of the courthouse. I never thought much about it but we had all kinds of folks that would stay there and many of them would return time and time again. They were the Drummers as we called them that took orders from the stores in town for merchandise and would go to the next town. We would get the news from these men and as we sat in the lobby they would tell of things that were happening in Ft. Worth or Dallas or other points of interest. We knew most of them and our cook would try to have apple butter or pear preserves and even watermelon rind preserves as each drummer had different likes, but none of them ever complained of the amount or the way Oma cooked the food. Man, we had food that Neman Marcus never had on their shelves. I've seen Grovland Cleveland Alaxanders name on the register and Tris Speakers too. Who were they, they were famous baseball players, that's who. Course that is before most of our times but they were sumthin. They would come there to go huntin with our Dad.

The original building there was a 6 room house 4 down and 2 upstairs. A Mr. Ketchersid was postmaster at Wheeler and he and his family were the first to be there. I believe it was 1914 that a family by the name of Rippys added on to the building and made a hotel out of it. Our family bought it from the Rippys or Hilburns, I forget which and that is when the Gunters moved in. Our family moved to Panhandle where I was born but after Dad passed away we moved back to the Hotel. My Mother called it her castle. Now I can see why, couldn't then.

I hope the editor gets the negative made into a photo and includes the photo along with the article, would make it more in-

**Bridal Shower**

Teresa Moore, Bride elect of Ricky Albus of Burleson, Texas was honored with a brunch Saturday morning December 29, 1990, First Methodist Church, Kelton, TX.

Hostesses were: Dianne Buckingham, Carolyn Buckingham, Paula Britt, Peggy Bryant, Linda Calcote, Barbara Harris, Ann Killingsworth and Wynelle Waldo.

The brunch table was covered with red cloth overlaid with white lace. Centerpiece was a brass candelabra accented with red poinsettas on a mirror tray accented with two white doves. The brunch table was set with silver serving pieces. The refreshment table was covered with a white table cloth, a red poinsettia as a center piece, silver coffee service, crystal punch bowl accented with red napkins.

The registration table was covered with white table cloth and brass candle holder accented with red poinsettias.

Teresa, Mrs. Rachel Moore, and Mrs. Peggy Albus were presented with red poinsettia corsages.

Gift table was covered with white tablecloth with a red poinsettia center piece.

Thirty ladies were served brunch followed by Teresa opening of her shower gifts.

Out of town guest were: Mrs. Peggy Albus, mother of Groom, Burleson, Texas, Karen Meek and Shonda Meek, Briscoe, Helen Singleton, Dimmitt, and MaraLea Graham, Denton, Texas.

**Mobeetie Council**

From Page 1 secretary a raise. They also voted to purchase a new calculator. They also voted to cut off the water to those who are past due and have made no effort to catch up their water bills. They also voted to pay the councilmen when they do the repair work on the water system. They also voted to renew the workmen's compensation insurance. Those attending were Charles Kuntz of Wheeler, Mayor Leona House, City Secretary Alisha Moffett, Councilmen Roy Lynn Stribling, Lena James, Don Moore, and Dale Corcoran.

**Top of Texas CattleWomen January Meeting**

The Top of Texas CattleWomen met January 14 at the Biarritz Club in the Coronado Inn in Pampa. There were twelve members present. Members from Wheeler were Mary Mitchell, Amelia Sims, Vida Brown, Anita Brown, Ravonda Hardcastle, Brenda Hefley, Sherri Whitten, with daughter Megan, Andrea Sims and Carolyn Buckingham from Kelton.

New officers for the 1991

year are: President, Carolyn Buckingham, 1st Vice Pres. Bethal Robinson, 2nd Vice Pres. Ravonda Hardcastle, Treasurer Diane Buckingham, Secretary Andrea Sims.

Several members of the Top of Texas CattleWomen will be attending the American National Cattlewomen convention in Dallas. Those who plan to attend are: Margaret Daver, Pat Youngblood, Lillith Brainard, Amelia Sims, Anita Brown and Carolyn Buckingham.

The CattleWomen have slide and VCR presentations available to groups or organizations regarding Nutritional Information from the Beef Industry Council and Environmental information from "Cattlemen Who Care". Those interested should contact Carolyn Buckingham or Ravonda Hardcastle for details and scheduling.

**Xi Alpha Alpha Xi**

Xi Alpha Alpha Xi chapter of Beta Sigma Phi met January 14 at 7:30 p.m. in the Coin and Cooper Room of the First National Bank, Margaret Dorman served as hostess and Belinda Masters served as co-hostess. The

program was given by Joan Gray, Wheeler County Extension Agent, was over "Bacteria—Good and Bad".

President Margaret Dorman called the meeting to order with the Opening Ritual. A brief business meeting was held discussing a progressive dinner social held Feb. 11. Mae Nash was selected as the January Grandmother of the Month and a Recording Secretary was elected to replace Jodi Hughes who has taken a leave of absence. This will be taken by Jill Alexander. President Margaret Dorman closed the meeting.

Members present were Stacy McQueen, Jill Alexander, Margorie Simmons, Karen Alston, Margaret Dorman, Nina Walker, Belinda Masters and guests Joan Gray and Ames Hwang from Orlanda, Florida.



MR. AND MRS. ROBERT SAWYER

**Huckert & Sawyer Exchange Vows Oct. 13**

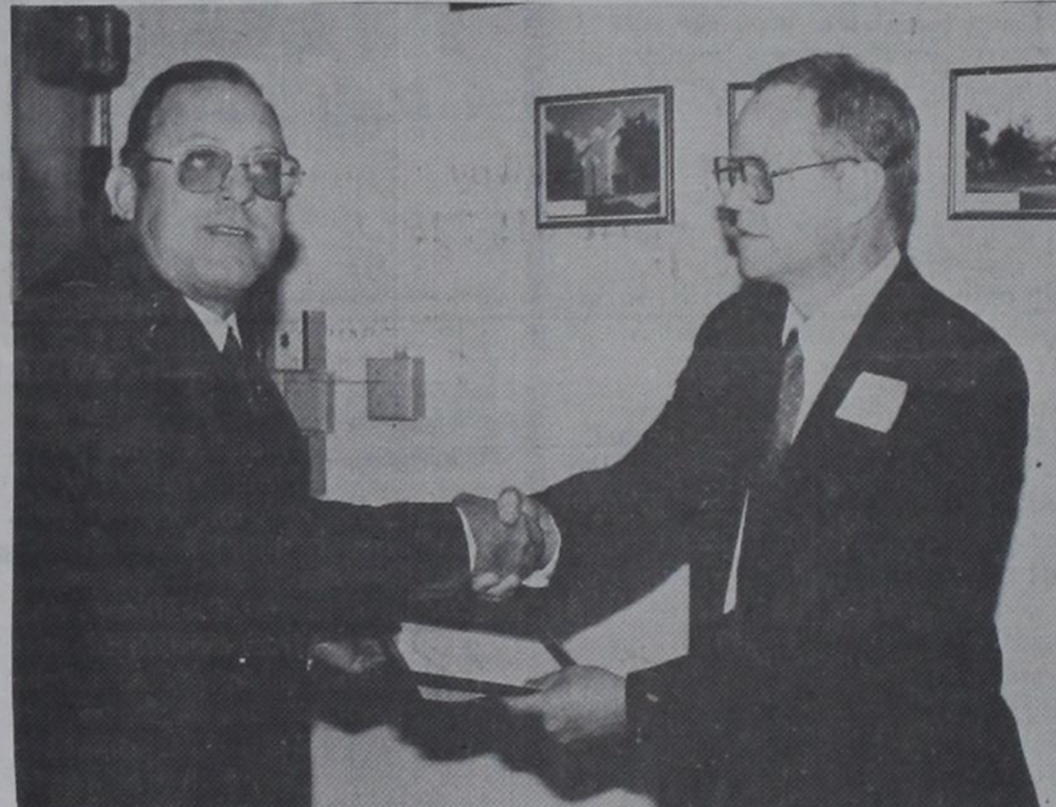
Dana J. Huckert and Robert (Bubba) Sawyer were married in Owassa, Oklahoma, on October 13, 1990. Dana is a 1987 graduate of Wheeler High School and is currently a Pharmacy Technician at St. Francis Hospital in Tulsa, Oklahoma. Bubba is a 1984 graduate of Bristow High of

Bristow, Oklahoma and is currently employed by Burlington Northern Railroad in Tulsa. Dana is the daughter of Donnie and Mary

Huckert of Wheeler. Bubba is the son of Rinda Mattlock of Bristow, Oklahoma and Gary Sawyer, Kellville, Oklahoma. The couple make their home in Tulsa, Oklahoma.

**MOBETIE MENU**

- Jan. 21-25
- MONDAY: Breakfast;** Hot biscuits, ham-bacon, jelly, butter, milk, juice.
  - Lunch;** Pigs in a blanket w/mustard, pinto beans, whole kernel corn, cherry cobbler, cornbread, milk, tea.
  - TUESDAY: Breakfast;** Cinnamon toast, choice of cereal, fruit, milk, juice.
  - Lunch;** Sliced Turkey, w/gravy, green beans, fried okra, apple crisp, hot rolls, milk-tea.
  - WEDNESDAY: Breakfast;** Cowboy bread, buttered rice, cinnamon apples, milk, juice.
  - Lunch;** Steak, scallop potatoes, black eyed peas, peaches, hot rolls w/butter, milk-tea.
  - THURSDAY: Breakfast;** Hot biscuits, eggs, jelly, butter, milk, juice.
  - Lunch;** Italian spaghetti, toss garden salad, corn on the cob, cake, onion rolls w/butter, milk-tea.
  - FRIDAY: Breakfast;** French toast, syrup, butter, sausage-bacon, juice, milk.
  - Lunch;** Hamburgers, French fries w/catsup, lettuce, sliced tomatoes, cookies, milk-tea.
- Menu subject to change.



**AWARD GIVEN:** Local District Conservationist with the Soil Conservation Service, Fred Allison, Jr., pictured at the left was presented a Certificate of Merit

Award by Brent Conlin, Area Conservationist with the Soil Conservation Service in Amarillo, pictured at the right. This award is presented to a select few in the United States. It is in recognition of outstanding performance in directing operations of the Wheeler Field Office of the Soil Conservation Service in attaining a high quality conservation program.

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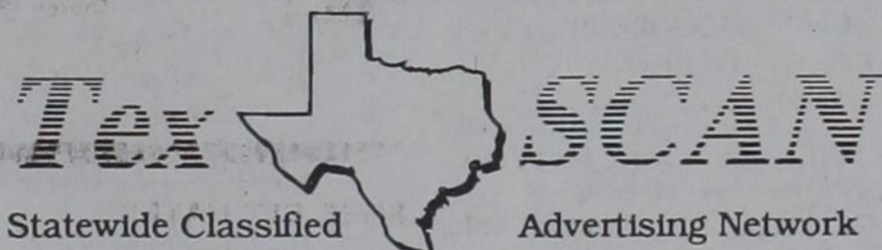
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**NOTICES From Page 4**

described property, to wit:

TRACT 1:

Lots one through eleven (1-11), the East Thirty-nine feet of lot fourteen (E 39' of 14), the west forty-two feet of lot fifteen (W 42' of 15), the East five feet of lot sixteen (E 5' of 16), All of lots seventeen and eighteen (17 & 18), the west twenty-one feet of lot nineteen (W 21' of 19) the east twenty-six feet of lot twenty (E 26' of 20) and the west fifty feet of lot twenty-one (W 50' of 21), Connor Addition I, City of Wheeler, Wheeler County, Texas.

Levied on the 9 day of January as the property of LEV OLD CONNOR to satisfy a judgement amounting to \$4013.96 with interest from the 11th day of October, 1990 at 10 percent, per annum, and all costs of suit in favor of WHEELER INDEPENDENT SCHOOL DISTRICT, CITY OF WHEELER AND WHEELER COUNTY GIVEN UNDER MY HAND THIS 9 day of January

Jimmy Adams, Sheriff Wheeler County, Texas By Rick Walden, Chief Deputy

**NOTICE OF SHERIFFS SALE**

THE STATE OF TEXAS COUNTY OF WHEELER

By virtue of an Order of Sale issued out of the honorable 31st Judicial District Court of Wheeler County, on the 7 day of January by the Clerk thereof, in the case of MOBETIE INDEPENDENT SCHOOL DISTRICT VS LOUIS NATIONS Cause #8963 and to me, as Sheriff, directed and delivered, I will proceed to sell, at TEN (10) O'CLOCK A.M. on the 5th DAY OF FEBRUARY, 1991 which is the first Tuesday of said month, at the OFFICIAL door of the Courthouse of said Wheeler County, in the City of WHEELER Texas, the following described property, to wit:

TRACT 1: Lots twenty (20), twenty-one (21) and twenty-two (22), Block one hundred five (105) of town of New Mobeetie, Wheeler County, Texas

Levied on the 9 day of January as the property of TRIPLE N AG SERVICES, a New Mexico Partnership.

to satisfy a judgement amounting to \$2,552.28 with interest from the 11TH DAY OF OCTOBER, 1990 at 10 percent, per annum, and all costs of suit in favor of MOBETIE INDEPENDENT SCHOOL DISTRICT, CITY OF WHEELER AND WHEELER COUNTY GIVEN UNDER MY HAND THIS 9 day of January

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TRACT 1: The East half (E/2) of lots four (4), five (5), and six (6), block thirteen (13), original town of Wheeler, Wheeler County, Texas

TRACT 2: Lots one through three (1-3) and the west half of lots

four through six (4-6), block thirteen (13), original town of Wheeler, Wheeler County, Texas

Levied on the 9 day of January as the property of CECIL HESS, ET UX, JULIE ROSE HESS

to satisfy a judgement amounting to \$5,473.30 with interest from the 11TH DAY OF OCTOBER, 1990 at 10 percent, per annum, and all costs of suit in favor of WHEELER INDEPENDENT SCHOOL DISTRICT, CITY OF WHEELER AND WHEELER COUNTY GIVEN UNDER MY HAND THIS 9 day of January

Jimmy Adams, Sheriff Wheeler County, Texas By Rick Walden, Chief Deputy

**NOTICE**

After discussion with the City leaders and Council it was determined that it was of an economic interest of the citizens of Wheeler that the City discontinue taxing personal vehicles for the 1991 tax year.

DISTRICT, CITY OF MOBETIE, CITY OF WHEELER COUNTY GIVEN UNDER MY HAND THIS 9 day of January

Jimmy Adams, Sheriff Wheeler County, Texas By Rick Walden, Chief Deputy

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After reviewing the total economical effect of both personal vehicles taxes and real property taxes, it was decided not to continue taxing personal vehicles.

Sincerely,  
Mayor Wanda Herd

