

# SUNRAY DOWNS MUSTANGS, 13--6

## Different Game, Different Weeks, Same Story

By Kelly Aderholt

The Wheeler Mustangs saw their record drop to 0-2 and experienced a little dejavu from their season opener in a 13-6 loss to the Sunray Bobcats last Friday night. Just like in the 'Stangs season-opening loss to Gruver, Wheeler has been hurt by a crucial penalty inside the 5-yard line that killed a perfect scoring opportunity.

Wheeler was in this game throughout and displayed some unique Mustang toughness in some situations, but costly mistakes, as well as a few injuries to starters, put the 'Stangs on the short end of the scoreboard.

Both teams came out of the blocks slowly as the Mustangs ran five plays and punted after the Bobcat kickoff. Sunray picked up two first downs on their first possession but the Wheeler defense stiffened and on fourth down from Wheeler's 44 Sunray QB Justin Childers was sacked by defensive end Joe Dan Ledbetter back to Sunray's 46 and the ball popped loose. Freshman inside linebacker Charlie Flanagan recovered for W.H.S.

Wheeler could not move the ball however and after an exchange of there-and-out by both teams, Sunray got its first break. After Bobcat punter Matt Hightower boomed a 46-yard kick to the 'Stangs' 34, Mustang junior fullback Jason Hink fumbled on first down and Sunray recovered.

Sunray then drove straight to the end zone with eight consecutive running plays. Sophomore runningback Robert Vargas went for the last yard and after Hightower's PAT kick, Sunray led 7-0 with 11:03 left in the half.

That would be all of the scoring for the first half. But Wheeler came out stampering to begin the second half.

After the Mustang defense forced a Sunray three-and-out. The 'Stangs went on a long time-consuming drive. Wheeler, keyed by 19 and 25-yard runs by senior runningback Mark Marshall, picked up four first downs to Sunray's 13. Mustang junior QB Chad Dunnam was a force as he bulled and dove for a first down on the 13 when the Ponies faced a fourth and 5. Marshall then gained six yards to the Bobcat 7 on first down. On second down, Dunnam sprinted around right end for an apparent Wheeler touchdown. But the 'Stangs were flagged for holding and pushed back ten yards. Two plays later, Dunnam was picked off by safety Jason Childers on the Bobcat 1.

So after controlling the majority of the third quarter (Sunray ran only six

**Services Are Held For Gracie Mize Today**

Gracie Mize, 84, died Monday, September 14, 1992.

Services will be held at 2:00 p.m. today, Thursday, September 17 in Wheeler Church of Christ. Bill Morrison, minister, officiating. Burial will be in Wheeler Cemetery by Wright Funeral Home.

Mrs. Mize, born in Hollis, OK, moved to Wheeler in 1925. She lived in Sayre, OK, from 1973 until moving back to Wheeler in 1989. She married Claude Mize in 1925 at Wheeler. He died in 1945. She worked as a nurse in the old Wheeler hospital and was a member of the Church of Christ. She was preceded in death by two daughters, Allene Rhoten, in 1966, and Betty Lou Langley in 1952.

Survivors include two daughters, Ruth Dawson of Amarillo and Una Hodges of Wheeler; 12 grandchildren; 29 great grandchildren; and five great great grandchildren.

**Wheeler Jr. Varsity Ties Season's 2nd Game**

After a disappointing opening loss to Panhandle in week 1, the Wheeler JV looked to even their record at 1-1 with a home victory against district rival Memphis. However, everyone on the Wheeler side left with a bad taste in their mouth as Memphis scored late to leave Nicholson Field with a 12-12 tie. The Mustangs opened the scoring on an 11 yard sweep by Jason Bradley, which capped a fine drive of approximately 65 yards. Later in the second quarter, Memphis scored a TD of their own to knot the score at 6. The PAT failed and the squads were deadlocked.

Defense was the name of the game for the Mustangs in the second half as

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**Boulter to Speak Here**

Republican Candidate for Congress, Beau Boulter will give a presentation on "America's Godly Heritage" at Christian Center this coming Sunday night in the 7:00 P.M. service. He will also be on the radio for a live call-in program at 10:00 P.M. The same invitation has been extended to the sitting congressman, Rep. Bill Sarpalius. Neither Christian Center nor KPDR endorses candidates for office. Our interest is information, not campaigning.

**Immunization Clinic**

An immunization clinic sponsored by the Texas Department of Health will be held Thursday, Sept. 17, 1992 from 10:00 a.m. until 1:00 p.m. in the Wheeler High School Auditorium. The following immunizations will be available: DTP, Oral Polio, Measles, Mumps, Rubella and Hib.

The Texas Department of Health is charging a small fee to pay for the cost of the vaccines. **No child will be refused treatment regardless of income. Each child MUST be accompanied by a parent or legal guardian.**

plays in the entire quarter) Wheeler could not put any points on the board.

Sunray was not feeling very sympathetic, however. The Bobcats began a drive on their own 43 and ten plays later halfback Chris Smith scampered 19 yards around left end for a touchdown. Hightower's PAT was blocked and Sunray led 13-0 with 8:43 left in the game.

Wheeler came back strongly driving down to Sunray's 27. After Mark Marshall picked up eight yards to the 19. Dunnam threw incomplete to Ciriaco Meraz and on third down and to Hink fumbled the ball back to the Bobcats with 5:20 showing on the clock.

Sunray could not convert however and punted back to Wheeler's 44. The 'Stangs finally mounted a scoring drive from there. Chad Dunnam threw, scrambled, and scrapped the Mustangs to the Bobcat 32. He threw incomplete from there to Ledbetter on first down but on second down he hit Marshall on a runningback fly to finally put Wheeler on the scoreboard. Dunnam's following pass for converted tight end Todd Baize was incomplete on the try for two points. So with 1:41 left in the game, the Ponies trailed 13-6.

The Mustangs lined up for an onside kick but Ledbetter's kick floundered harmlessly to a Bobcat. Sunray ran out the remainder of the clock from there.

Marshall, Ledbetter, and Dunnam were all bright spots for W.H.S. Marshall, who missed the season opener with the flu ran for 81 yards on 16 carries to lead all rushers in the game. Ledbetter was the game's best receiver as he

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**Boosters Selling Jackets**

The Mustang Boosters will be selling jackets and ponchos this year. The cost of jackets will be \$32.50. They will be black with a quilted lining, and will have Wheeler Mustangs embroidered on the front. The ponchos will sell for \$15.00. To purchase a jacket or poncho, contact a Wheeler Booster or check with Tobytha Wiggins at the school.

**Taking Mum Orders**

Orders for Homecoming mums and garters for Wheeler Mustangs will be taken the week of September 21. The Homecoming game will be against Quanah on October 2 at 8:00. Please order early to assure the quantity and types of mums you want. The HS Cheerleaders are selling this year or you can contact the school office.

**PROCLAMATION**

By The County Judge of Wheeler County TO ALL TO WHOM THESE PRESENTS SHALL COME:

I, Wendell Morgan County Judge of Wheeler County do hereby declare the week of September 20-26, 1992 as FARM AND RANCH SAFETY AND HEALTH WEEK in WHEELER County, for the following reasons:

WHEREAS, the President has proclaimed the 49th Annual National Farm Safety and Health Week and the Governor has proclaimed the same period as Texas Farm and Ranch Safety and Health Week; and

WHEREAS, the National Safety Council estimates indicate that in 1991 farm work accidents resulted in approximately 1,400 deaths and 140,000 disabling injuries. The death rate was 44 per 100,000 workers, having fallen slightly during the past decade, agriculture remains the highest of the major industries and four times their composite death rate. Many more farm and ranch residents and workers were killed or seriously injured in home, recreation and roadway accidents. An undetermined number of people involved in agricultural work suffered job-related illnesses known to cause disability or death; and

WHEREAS, during this week, a statewide farm and ranch accident prevention education campaign is being undertaken by the Texas Farm Bureau; the Texas Farm and Ranch Safety Council; the Texas Safety Association; the Texas Agricultural Extension Service and the 4-H Clubs; the Texas Education Agency through the Texas Future Farmers and Future Homemakers of America, the Young Farmers and Young Homemakers of America, the Young Farmers and Young Homemakers of Texas and the Wheeler County Farm Bureau with the theme, "Take Charge of Your Safety and Health"; and

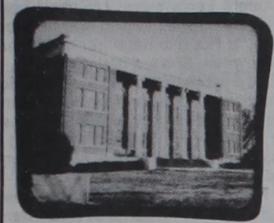
WHEREAS, accident prevention is often a matter of common sense; putting into practice basic safety rules like always buckling your safety belt; reading and following instructions in operator's manuals and product labels; and many other simple sensible measures that involve little or no extra time, effort or expense.

WHEREFORE, I urge all those who live and work on farms or ranches to take necessary precautions to protect their safety and health - on the job and off. I also urge leaders in the agricultural community to bolster safety and health efforts in your area by example and by educational programs.

Signed Wendell Morgan County Judge

**Kelton Cheerleaders Car Wash**  
The Kelton High School Cheerleaders are having a car wash at Kelton School Saturday, September 19, 1992, at 8:30 a.m. Donations accepted.

**Mobeetie Cemetery Workday**  
The Mobeetie Cemetery will have a work day Thurs., Sept. 17 at 6 p.m. Everyone is needed to mow and trim and get it ready for winter.



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## Benefit Fish Fry For Atwood Family

A Benefit Fish Fry for the Riley Atwood family is scheduled for Saturday, September 19. The serving will begin at 4:00 P.M. at the Fire Station, and continue until everyone is served. The Wheeler Volunteer Fire Dept. and the Masonic Lodge are co-sponsors.

Chances are also being sold on a Remington 870 Express 12 ga. Shotgun with the proceeds going to the Atwood family. You may contact any fireman to make a \$1.00 donation. The rifle will be given away after the fish fry on Sept. 19.

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

Ok **MUSTANGS**, you should be 'warmed up' by now, let's show Spearman who they're dealing with Friday night.

—cwe—  
Mark your calendar for Saturday and set your alarm for 4:00 P.M. and let's go eat fish at the fire station. The fish fry is to benefit the Riley Atwood Family. The activity is being sponsored by the Fire Dept. and Masonic Lodge; both have a reputation for setting an excellent table.

—cwe—  
I am not sure when the hop-scotch competition is scheduled at Farm Bureau. I notice they have a grid drawn on the sidewalk. Is this in connection with Farm & Ranch Safety and Health Week, Sept. 20-26?

—cwe—  
I am a week early, but **Birthdays Greetings** to the eldest and only son, **Ronal**. He's in between milestones, age wise.

—cwe—  
I was informed yesterday that I had a visitor at the office when we were gone over Labor Day. Waylan Newman stopped in to say, Hello. Waylan and Nelda were our neighbors back in the early sixties and Nelda kept Ronal, while Barbara worked until Ronal was a year old. Sorry to have missed you.

—cwe—  
William Thomas from El Reno, Okla. came out to see the Stas family last Thursday and had the opportunity to purchase his own Lottery tickets while he was here. I think Speedi-Mart was his last stop as he left Wheeler.

—cwe—  
Also making a short visit over the weekend was C.B. College and work certainly cut into the weekend, but we enjoyed his visit.

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## SENATOR STEVE CARRIKER KICKS OFF FALL CAMPAIGN

Thirtieth district State Senator Steve Carriker, the Democrat from Roby, will be campaigning in ten towns in four days and sandwiching in a meeting of the state's Sunset Commission as the fall campaign season cranks up. "Campaign or no campaign, the state's business comes first," said Carriker of the demands on his time. "Battling one or another state agency on behalf of your district and working on economic development plans or utility rates on the Sunset Commission is alot more important than running around blowing your own horn."

Time is a precious resource for Senator Carriker: He is the only member of the Senate making his living as a farmer. He and his wife Kathy, a school teacher, live on their 2000 acre cotton and livestock operation with their three children. As a full-time father, a full-time farmer, and a nearly full-time legislator, the 41 year-old first term Senator carries a full load.

Carriker has risen rapidly in the 31 member Texas Senate and now chairs the Subcommittee on Agriculture and

**FmHA OFFICE MOVES**

The Farmer's Home Administration office in Wheeler has been moved to the basement of the courthouse. The office day in Wheeler will be each Wednesday from 8-5.

| WEATHER                   |       |       |        |      |
|---------------------------|-------|-------|--------|------|
| DATE                      | DAY   | Lo    | Hi     | Pre  |
| 09-09                     | Wed.  | 64    | 97     | 0.00 |
| 09-10                     | Thurs | 62    | 74     | 0.00 |
| 09-11                     | Fri.  | 78    | 60     | 0.00 |
| 09-12                     | Sat.  | 61    | 89     | 0.00 |
| 09-13                     | Sun.  | 63    | 90     | 0.00 |
| 09-14                     | Mon.  | 64    | 90     | 0.00 |
| 09-15                     | Tues. | 65    | 89     | 0.00 |
| Low for the year:         |       | 01-15 | 14     |      |
| High for the year:        |       | 07-01 | 102    |      |
| Total moisture for month: |       |       | 0.01*  |      |
| Total for year:           |       |       | 14.48* |      |
| Total Snow:               |       |       | Trace  |      |

Courtesy: KPDR-FM Radio

## Mustangs Hope to Get Into Win Column Against Spearman

By Kelly Aderholt  
Does anyone remember the last time Wheeler started a season 0-2? Me neither. I'm not sure I was even born yet.

Nevertheless, the Mustangs are looking for their first win in three tries. They will load up the bus and go to Spearman Friday night hoping to bust into the win column.

It will not be easy though. Spearman returns only two starters from last year's Class AA regional finalist, but an abundance of size and a dose of talent will help to compensate for the lack of experience. The Lynx are also 0-2 but one of those losses is to powerhouse Memphis and Spearman played them fairly evenly last although a 27-2 score might not indicate that.

The Lynx run the Wing-T offense just like the Mustangs and are led by burly

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## Services Are Held For Nora Etta Patterson

Nora Etta Patterson, 96, died Saturday, Sept. 12, 1992 in Wheeler.

Services were held at 2:00 p.m. Monday, September 14 at First Baptist Church in Wheeler. Rev. Robert Helsley, pastor, and Rev. M. B. Smith, Pampa, officiated. Burial was in the Wheeler Cemetery by Wright Funeral Home.

Mrs. Patterson was born Nov. 14, 1895 in Rockwall County Texas. She moved to Wheeler County in 1916. In 1921 she married Harvey Nile Patterson in Wheeler. He preceded her in death in 1966. She was also preceded in death by a son, Dub Patterson, in 1987. She was a homemaker and a member of the First Baptist Church.

Survivors include a son, Nile J. Patterson of Claude; three daughters, Mary Etta Caswell of Pampa, Wilma Patterson of Wheeler, and Floy Belle (Pat) Lewis of Amarillo; two brothers, Ray Pendleton of Oswego, Oregon, and Wallace Pendleton of El Paso, 14 grandchildren; 28 great grandchildren and six great great grandchildren.

Palbearers were grandsons Junior Caswell, Wayne Caswell, Jimmie Lewis, Jackie Patterson, Randal Patterson, Tim Patterson.

## Services Are Held For Bernice Farmer, Sun.

Bernice L. Farmer, 89, died Friday, September 11, 1992.

Services were held at 2:30 p.m. Sunday, September 13 in First Baptist Church. Rev. Robert Helsley, pastor, officiated. Burial was in Wheeler Cemetery by Wright Funeral Home.

Mrs. Farmer, born in Forestburg, moved to Wheeler County in 1921. She married Percy Farmer in 1919 at Pella. She was a homemaker and a member of First Baptist Church.

Survivors include her husband; two sons, Lowell Farmer of Amarillo and Don Farmer of Borger; a daughter, Edna Davis of Plainview; nine grandchildren; 20 great grandchildren and two great great grandchildren.

Palbearers were Bill Davis, Richard Davis, Robert Davis, Butch Farmer, Clifford Farmer, Ron Ray.

The family requests memorials be to a favorite charity.

**Mobeetie First Baptist Church**

## Round Up Sunday Bar-B-Cue Dinner

The First Baptist Church of Mobeetie will be having a barbecue dinner following the morning preaching service. The final service of the day will be around 1:00 p.m. There will be no evening service.

Dress western or casual for round-up Sunday.  
Ya'll come!

## Hospital Notes

| Old Admissions: |                 |
|-----------------|-----------------|
| 8-26            | Gracie Mize     |
| 9-7             | LaDonna Bradley |
| New Admissions: |                 |
| 9-8             | Margaret Heide  |
| 9-10            | Oden Hudson     |
| 9-11            | Larry Porton    |
|                 | Fay Tuckness    |
| Dismissals:     |                 |
| 9-8             | Doyle Johnson   |
| 9-9             | Iona Williams   |

## SHOW YOUR SUPPORT

Money is being collected for a support page for the Ft. Elliott C.I.S.D. activities to be run in *The Wheeler Times*. This page is used as a congratulatory page for all activities at both campuses of Ft. Elliott.

If you would like to have your name appear on this page monthly for the entire school year, please contact Kathy Zybach at 375-2336 or the office at either school campus by September 26.

Let's all support Ft. Elliott Cougars!!

## Caring and Sharing Group To Meet Sept. 21

The regular bi-monthly meeting of the Wheeler Caring and Sharing Group will be held Monday, Sept. 21, 1992 at 7:00 p.m. in the Wheeler Church of Christ Fellowship Hall. Meetings occur every first and third Monday at 7:00 p.m.

For more information contact Sarah Pond or Frances Hefley.

## DARYL SNELGROOES IS WRITE-IN CANDIDATE FOR COMMISSIONER, PRECINCT 1 IN NOV.

Daryl Snelgroes announced this week that he will be a Write-In Candidate for the office of County Commissioner, Pct. 1. Daryl is seeking this office because he feels he can do a good job for the voters. Daryl has filed as a write-in candidate with Wheeler County Clerk; his name will have to be written on the ballot in the space allowed.

Daryl is married to the former Tillie Gilmer and the father of two children: Mique, a freshman at SWOSU at Weatherford, Okla., and Will, a senior at W.H.S.

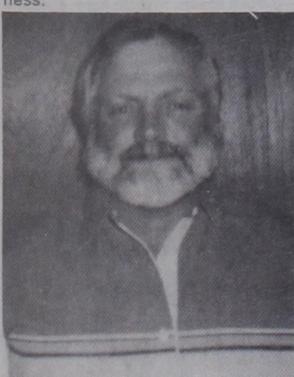
Daryl has been a resident of Wheeler County for 43 years. He spent four years active duty and six years reserve time in the military. He is Fire Chief of the Wheeler Volunteer Fire Department, having been on the department for the past 21 years. Daryl is presently serving on the No. Wheeler County Hospital Board, he has been serving on the board for the past 6 years and is presently chairman of the board.

Daryl has been in business in Wheeler for the past 22 years; he is self-employed at Omega Grain.

## WRITE-IN CANDIDATE PRECINCT 1 IN NOV.

Daryl is a member of the Wheeler Church of Christ.

If given the opportunity to serve as your Commissioner, Daryl will work for the good of the residences and the county and run his precinct as a business.



Daryl Snelgroes

(Pol. Adv. Paid for by Daryl Snelgroes, P.O. Box 656, Wheeler, TX 79096)

## MUSTANG CHEERLEADERS ATTEND CAMP

The 1992-93 Mustang Cheerleaders attended this summer at Angelo State in San Angelo. The squad received superior ribbons and daily spirit sticks for their efforts at the camp sponsored by Universal Cheerleading Association. On the last day of camp this varsity squad was awarded the Camp Championship trophy for their performance of a sideline yell learned during the week. Gayla Maddux was the runner-up in the camp jump-off and won pizza for her squad. Jana Velasquez was selected to the All-Star squad and will join the other All-Stars selected throughout the U.S. to perform at the New Years parade in London. This camp was attended by some 180 cheerleaders and mascots. Pictured (back row, l. to r.) Nissa Boedeker, Corby Chick, Gayla Maddux (captain), Jana Velasquez. (Front row, l. to r.) Julie Porter, Angie Martin (Mascot), Shelby Beers.

## NOTICE OF PUBLIC MEETING

Due to the many problems with the Wheeler County T. V. Translator, channels 39, 41 & 43 off the Mobeetie Tower, the Wheeler County T. V. Construction Board will hold a public meeting at the Wheeler County Court House in the District Court Room at 7:00 p.m. on Thursday, September 17th.

The purpose of this meeting will be to discuss and upgrade of the equipment of the translator system and the possibility of adding KCIT channel 14 out of Amarillo.

Arnold Cruz, a translator consultant for the stations in Amarillo will be present to help answer any questions. Also a representative of the North Rolling Plains Resource Conservation and Development Inc. Board will be present. All interested parties should plan to attend to show support and interest.

Also there is a possibility that channel 14 KCIT out of Amarillo might be added to the Wheeler Cable System.

## TRAP SHOOT

The Ft. Elliott Boosters will sponsor a Trap Shoot on Sunday, Sept. 20, at the Finsterwald Trap Range from 1:00 P.M. till 7. Lots of Prizes.



Sen. Steve Carriker

also Elections and Ethics. He has been active in economic development and public safety and is the recognized Senate leader on senior citizens issues and rural health care.

During his first senate term he passed the first-ever reduction in the oil severance tax, authored a rural doctor training program, wrote the "Options for Independent Living" program to provide vital assistance for the state's elderly, passed legislation to give doctors and health clinics a break on malpractice insurance, and carried Governor Richard's initiative to regulate the dumping of hazardous waste ... in all Carriker has enacted some 100 pieces of legislation as a freshman senator. Many among those 100 bills and resolutions have been repealers of antiquated statutes and bills eliminating or consolidating six state agencies.

Carriker is preparing legislation for the next session on water rights, crime victim protection, and protection of retirees from out-of-state income taxes, as well as several Sunset bills. (Paid for by Carriker Campaign Fund, Box 517, Roby, TX. 79543)

## Isn't It The Truth

By Ab Gunter

The other morning Mama and I were leaving the Mall at Freedom and heading for Spencer about 9 mi away. We

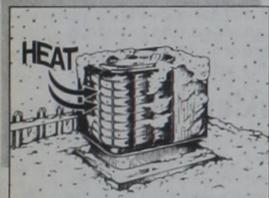


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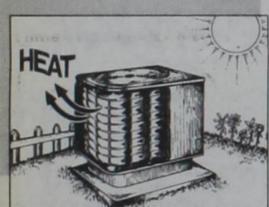
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had just waved at a lady senior citizen that was crossing the street and had just made it to the sidewalk when some NUT, yes I mean NUT, came whizzin' by us going the same way we were. This person was going well over 60 in a 40 mph zone and passed us in a street crossing and also on a double yellow line. Honking as he went by as though we were the ones to blame. If we had been going 40 mph at that point we still would have been in hazzard cause this fool really wasn't worried about anyone including himself. Not far down the road we noticed him again in a yellow line going around a car so I recon this bird is just a quart low or a brick short of a load all the time.

What could be done about such hazzards in many little towns, well one thing that should and could be done here is to cut the trees to the south of the Masonic Lodge so you could at least see them nuts going North on 67. I doubt if speed signs could help as there are at least two signs that let you know that it is a 40 mph zone just ahead and also a caution light warning of a fire engine crossing. Many times I have watched our neighbors cross the street, looking both to the right and left, and nearly get hit. Why? Well a feller's legs won't compete with some fast flying Toyota or Chevy driven by some nut who thinks he or she owns the roadway and shouldn't have to worry about us citizens, senior or not.

Now don't get me wrong, I'm not just talkin about Freedom. I'm talking about Mobeetie or Twitty or El Reno or Cenerton. Matter of fact I'm talking about many small towns all over the country that all have the same problem. Take this gent that nearly caused a wreck with us. He was neatly dressed, a new car and he wuz from Illinois, not that matters but he wuz in a hurry goin through some little ole hick town and he had important business somewhere. He didn't realize this lady that had just crossed the street was somebodys Mother an likely grandmother and was at that time goin to visit some good friend of hers. Neither did this driver realize that Mama and I had a few rights to also be on that road to go about our business what ever it wuz. He never thought that vehicles entering traffic could possibly be going 40 mph the very instant they got on the road.

If he had been going 40 mph as required by state law he could have seen and been prepared to slow to allow things like this to happen. That driver never attempted to apply his brakes, just his horn an I bet he only thought it an aggravation that some country bumpkins interfered with his travel. We got a lot of em on the road, honest we have.

I've seen folks travelin down the road reading a road map, and some enjoying a novel an then others puttin on make up er what ever or even listening to rock music and none of them are payin any attention to where they are going. Think I'm kiddin? Some time just get your wife or husband to do the driving and observe the cars you pass or the ones that pass you. Mama and I had been observing some lady going to work one morning and she was totally involved in the music on her car radio. As we came to a stop light she went whizzin on through the light as though she was at home in an easy chair. Not long ago in Indy Mama mentioned that some lady coming up from behind wasn't watching as the light had changed to stop. I watched this lady talking to her girlfriend beside her and Kawham she hit the car right in front of her. Only then did she quit her motor mouthin. I bet a cup of coffee she told the Cop it wuz the birds fault in front uv her.

None uv us are faultless but we do have some frieks out on the road that shouldn't be....

Ab and Mama

## GAGEBY NEWS

By Verna Fillingim

If you have old hearing aids that are not being used, you might like to send to Hear Now, 4001 S. Magnolia Way, Denver, Colo. 80237. They are a non-profit organization that repairs and reconditions, if necessary, for use by people who need them but can't afford them.

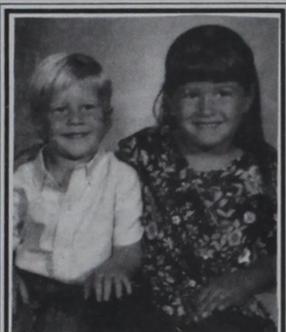
Happy Birthday to Amanda Johnson, Keith Bell and Casey Zybach on Sept. 22, Sue Lehman, Janet Hefner and Kevin Frankenbery on Sept. 23, Cassidy Stinnett, R.J. Smith and Julie

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**GARRETT**, age 2 1/2 and **SA-VANNAH HAMPTON**, age 4 1/2 are the children of Greg and April Hampton of Wheeler.

Age is given at the time the picture was taken.  
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Caffee on Sept. 24, Bob Blackburn on Sept. 25, Lori Baker, Laura Meadows and Rosemary Vise on Sept. 26, Amanda Shields, Gayle Knight, Florence George, Annette Meek, Beth Brown, and Doris Finsterwald on Sept. 28.

Happy Anniversary to Tim and Lisa Bennett on Sept. 28.

Some Labor Day weekend visitors to James and Marty Ogle were Marty's daughter, Melody and husband Tommy and James' cousin Christy and husband Leonard and son Luke, Linney and and Joey from Calif.

"A good memory is fine, but the ability to forget is the true test of greatness."

Fort Elliott J.V. girls defeated Alamo Catholic Girls Tuesday night 10-15, 15-7, and 15-4. The same team also played our varsity girls. We won 15-2, 15-17, 15-2. Good crowd to watch and very good concessions.

There will be a baby shower to honor Stephanie Rachelle, daughter of Tina (Lehman) and Shawn Young at Fort Elliott Cafeterium Friday night Sept. 18 at 7:00 p.m. Everyone invited. Stephanie is doing better.

New girl at Fort Elliott High School is Kelly Blair, a junior, from Twitty. Welcome, Kelly!

Sally May has been keeping niece, Cheyenne Shelton, while her mom, Teresa is recovering from back surgery. She sure is a cutie. Enjoy her smiles at the ballgames.

Trinity volleyball girls will play Fort Elliott Saturday, Sept. 19 at 1:30 at Fort Elliott gym. Junior High and H.S. Varsity, Tuesday, Sept. 22 Alamo will host Fort Elliott at 6:00 p.m. in Amarillo.

"It's nice to know that when you help someone up a hill, you are nearer the top yourself."

Sincere sympathy to Eupha Mae Sorenson and other family members in the death of her brother Ralph Robert Hill, 81.

Sincere sympathy to the family of Orvil Carter, 73, in his death. Ivy Brewster is his sister.

Sincere sympathy to Clark and Vergia Reagan in the death of their daughter, Betty Edmiston.

Sincere sympathy to Ella Trout and Mary Ruth Morris and other family members in the death of their sister, Clara Adams. May God comfort each one.

Sincere sympathy to the family of Earl Rhea Sr., 98. Funeral was Friday at Canadian.

Sincere sympathy to Percy Farmer and other family members in the death of Percy's wife, Bernice, 89.

Sincere sympathy to Helen Singleton and other family members in the death of Helen's mom, Marion Davis, 69. Funeral was Saturday at Hereford. Willa Fillingim and LaJo Crownover went to the funeral. Pallbearers were Gayle Singleton and Andy and Randy and three nephews, Earl and John Yocum and Charles Duvall. Mrs. Davis taught non-English speaking children many years. One of her first students preached the sermon.

The Fort Elliott cheerleaders, moms and sponsors served a delicious pile-on Mexican supper Friday night and put several cute skits to music. Good crowd there to enjoy the food and the skits. Other games were also played. We were there for part of it.

Then we went to Allison Methodist Church to their revival. Rev. Jesse Hodge from Canadian Methodist preached a powerful sermon. Jim Hash (Dayla Johnson's dad) led the singing and sang a special - a wonderful voice. Big crowd there.

Coach Curtis Smith and son Curt took a group of Fort Elliott High School boys to Lake Fryer area near Perryton for a Cross Country Run. Boys going were Dusty Walker, Danny Alley, Corey Kinnaman, Jake Swigart, John Moffett and David Helton. They placed pretty well in a group of 80 or so.

Steve Zybach's wife, Tara, is teaching science at Kelton this year. She also works every other weekend at Elk City Hospital as a medical technician. Nice to see them out to the tournament.

Oden Hudson has been in Parkview Hospital with pneumonia, but is improving and hopes to go home soon. Remember Oden in your prayers.

Kathy Meek and Kim Coleman visited Evelyn Meek Saturday and had lunch with her. Sandra Meek visited Evelyn Friday. Evelyn visited Jewell Holloman in Wheeler Friday night after the Pile-on supper at Briscoe.

Sincere sympathy to the family and friends of Nora Patterson, 96, in her death. A real old timer.

Girls playing on the Kelton volleyball team were Julie Davidson, Lisa Smith, Jodie Crownover, Brandi Connors, Jennifer Kirkland, Kelly Crockett, Misty Lewis, Star Smith and Brandi Wilcox. They defeated Wheeler Christian but lost to Alamo Catholic Saturday.

Chuck and Phoebe Hartline went over into Oklahoma Friday afternoon and fished and camped out. Aaron and Tamera spent Friday night with Meek grandparents and played with Hayden and Glory.

Nice to see Christy (Zybach) and Joe Willingham out to the tournament from Duncan, OK. Lots of grand and great grandmas there. Some were Zelma Reid, Nelda Dukes, Addie Swift.

Visiting James and Marty Ogle and Misty were Misty's sisters and husbands Melody and Tommy, Mindy and husband and baby James and were out to the volleyball games. Nice to meet Addie Swift's sister-in-law, Edith Castle.

Nice to talk to Peggy Thompson in Wray, Colo. She had finished her cosmetology course and is now a licensed beautician. Kelly will be leaving for the Navy September 20. Pray for Kelly. Peggy hopes to get a beauty shop set up soon.

Cheryl Hudson came home Friday from TSTC to Ray and Pat Hudson and Christina. Saturday they all went to Childress for a two day Ashby-Hill

family reunion. Cheryl went back to Amarillo from there and others came home Sunday.

Chuck and Phoebe Hartline and Aaron and Tamera went to Canadian Sunday to see the train and attend the party.

Jada Murray had a slumber party Friday night Sept. 11 to celebrate Shelly's 12th birthday with 13 girls present. Do you think they ever giggled? Saturday night, Sept. 12 they had another slumber party to celebrate Bruce's 16th birthday with 12 boys present. Sounds like fun.

"The better we feel about ourselves, the fewer times we have to knock somebody else down to feel tall."

Joshua 1:9 — Be strong and of a good courage; be not afraid, neither be thou dismayed: for the Lord thy God is with thee whithersoever thou goest.

We enjoyed meeting Lee and Esther Brown and Joanie and Jessica and Margaret Brown for supper at Sirlain Stockade in Pampa Monday night. Then we went to Hobart Street Park and watched Lee Brown and Cecil Reynolds play with a softball group called Firemen. Cecil was the pitcher. The Firemen won 20 to 12 in a good game. We went to celebrate the

twinkies 6th birthday. Lee and Esther went to Chivington, Colo. for their 25th class reunion over the weekend and brought Lee's mom, Margaret back with them. She plans to stay till about Nov. 1. Hope to have her down here next week. She's a darling lady.

You wouldn't believe how Cecil Reynolds pitched and ran after having open heart surgery with 4 by-passes in January. He had walked about 2 miles every day since his surgery, nearly.

Nice to see Letain and Perry Gober, our old mail carriers for several years, in Pampa. They both look real well and seem to be enjoying retirement.

Nice to have Charlie Phillis come by Monday and eat a little lunch (like to have been late) and visit. They were setting a compressor about 3 miles east of Briscoe, maybe on Dorothy and Bulldog Walkers place.

Mike Hall brought a nice group of youth from New Liberty Church and

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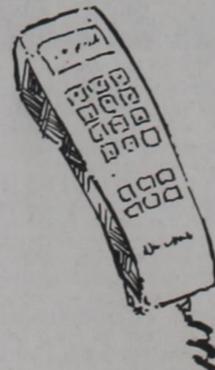
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# BRISCOE NEWS

By Vetola Parker

Monday, 8—Cloudy yesterday. 7 was Dennis Dougherty's birthday. He got married Saturday night, almost on his birthday. Wish I could have gone. Forgot his age, have all birthdays

## Old Mobeetie Association Has Monthly Meeting

The monthly Old Mobeetie Association meeting was held Thursday, Sept. 3 at the hospitality room of the First State Bank. The meeting was called to order by president Ada Lou Lester. Opening prayer was led by Louise Hogan. Steve Dortch of Canyon brought a presentation on what he can do for us, 2 views on a museum; 1st education and 2nd keeper of our heritage. He is interested in a job as a consultant-curator for several museums in this area. He also has some knowledge on applying for grants. Minutes and Treasurer reports were given and approved. Old business was Pressure Tank has been installed. The quilt was on display at First National Bank in Wheeler. Lawnmower has been serviced and working good. Reported we need to purchase a 5 gal. gas can, case of oil and transmission oil. Paint has been bought and some of the painting in the storage area has been done. The paint and supplies are there when anyone wants to paint. A new ladder has been purchased. Louise Hogan reported that a museum sign has been placed at the highway intersection. New business: Ada Lou Lester made a motion, seconded by Eulene Walsler that we purchase the Medallion that was discussed at the August meeting, approved. Ada Lou Lester appointed a committee to get new officers for next year: Austin Caldwell and Maurita Stribling. They will give report at next meeting. Ada Lou read a letter from Steven R. Emmert about our asking for funds from Commissioner's Court. It was suggested that we write a letter stating that we would like to be the Wheeler County Museum and will not expect the county to match any grants that we might seek. Louise Hogan mentioned that Vinita McCain Chambers gave us a beautiful Oil Painting of Gerannimo that she painted in 1988. Louise mentioned that the carpet in the living room is faded and thread bare and suggested we replace it. Motion by Kelly Cross and seconded by Eulene Walsler that we carpet the room and entry way and stairway. Motion amended that we also carpet the bedroom. Motion by Maida Allen and sec by Edith Cross, carried motion by Austin Caldwell and second by Clifford Walsler and adjourn. Those attending were guest, Steven Dortch of Canyon. Members: Austin Caldwell, Sallie Harris, Louise Hogan,

somewhere. A rather cool 60 degrees in Amarillo. Today would have been Michael's birthday tomorrow. 9th is Donna Jean Mathis' birthday. 11 is Kim (Parker)'s. 25th is Jeff Parker's. 26 is Wanda Parker's. It is really quiet this morning. Betti says she sick again. Guess she got it from me. Around 2 Thursday it showered then the sun came out.

At 5 o'clock p.m. Tuesday real pretty, sun is out, just woke from a nap. Anna brought me a bouquet of Zinnias sure was pretty and marigolds. Around 7 p.m. this evening Wednesday it thundered. A small thundercloud between Dean Tipps and Jimmy Madoux, started sprinkling came a nice little sprinkle. Hoyle said they got a flood, she called Christine, she said not a drop. Went on into Oklahoma, big hail over in Okla. They had it last night same area. Hated I missed so many birthdays here lately. Mary Ann's husband Leonard went home. Mary Ann and 2 boys stayed here little while longer. Found this I had left out. First time I forgot Colie's birthday since I met him. I was real sick that day guess is the reason. Pete and Margarette did not get all that hail. Mable said they were living out of their garden. I am glad. Never saw or heard of very many dead doves.

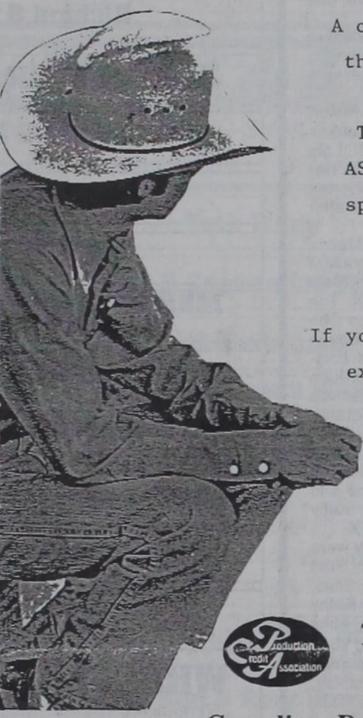
They still saying we don't need the blue quails. They don't fly. You can't shoot them. Mable says doves get your grasshoppers. I have been told you never see a grasshopper in a quail's crow. I have saw dried peas. Kimberlee Reynolds, Katherine Egner can't get the names down or remember them all. No one came in Sunday gettin hot. Today Monday in Pasadena, TX my one and only Uncle Ottis Young is being buried. He has been in a care center in Lufkin for 2 or 3 years. He was 88 years old. He had 3 girls, 4 boys. His wife preceded him in death several years ago. He was my daddy's baby brother. Wish I could have gone to Uncle Ottis funeral. He was buried in Pasadena, Texas. Good way down there. He was 6 years older than me, 88. Bob Zybach wants to thank Eddie Walker for putting a new gate and a sign up at the Zybach cemetery. We all want to say thanks. Think Betti is better and think I am. Betti's mother got to go home from her fall. Sure seemed quick. Broke her pelvis. Wondering about Jimmy Joe and family. My phone on my bed is out of order. Betti will have to hep me on the wall phone. Jean Brown is at Irene's again. Also Lori & Shane & Deedie and Royce. They had a big crowd at church. Irene was happy to have Jean there. It helps to have someone around.

Hoyle came by here last night from church. Brought me a magazine page. Works pretty good. Marylu was feeling better Monday. Tuesday Mable finally got through to Jimmy Joe Ault, they are ok. They only had 5 miles an hour wind but 2 inches of rain. They live on the big island. There were 2 big mountains

just west of them. cut the hurricane down. Mable took Christy and 2 boys to plane Monday. Margarette went to plane with Mable. They had a big dinner at Methodist Church. Christine and boys went with Mable. My phone still out. N.F. brought Daphne before I got up. A pretty day. Daphne brought me some apples. Doc had 2 black cats gone one was a mother with 4 babies still nursing we had 1 cat missing when we came back from Dumas.

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## Corcoran Reunion Held

The annual Corcoran Reunion was held Sept. 6 at the Mobeetie City Hall. The family of Ellen Corcoran Haning was host and hostess for the day. Verna Corcoran was the oldest present and Jennifer Stone was the youngest. Jennifer is Verna's great granddaughter. Evelyn Riley and Maude Trusty families were 100% present. The group had a hamburger cookout and homemade ice cream and voted to do the same next year. The host family next year will be Phil's family. The group decided to put Paul Corcoran's brand at the museum. There was a contest between grandpas and grandchildren on eating long liquorice strings of candy. Those attending were Peeler and Evelyn Haning, Verna Corcoran, Pauline Barnes, Dee and Jennifer Stone, Letha Corcoran, Tommy and Floyce Corcoran, James and Tammy, Red, Tera and Cody, Bessie Keeton, Joe and Louise Ogden, Joe Keith and Cindy Odgen, Leigh Ann, Landry, Luke and Leslie, Ruth Ann Vessell and Jordan, Maude Trusty, James and Veta Trusty and Phillip, Earl and Evelyn Riley, E. W. and Darlene Riley, David and Gertina Riley and Heide, Joe Ray and Jacque Riley and Randie Lyn, Amy and John, Cotton and Clara Ridgeay, Kay and Todd Ridgway, Bill and Virginia Ridgway, Carla Sims, Bridgett and Sarah Ariza and Anna Bell Corcoran, Aaron and Arica Lancaster, Ray and Mary Helen Corcoran, Ernest and Brenda Lancaster and Stormi and LaVerne Corcoran.

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In an early morning service read at 8:30 A.M. on Tuesday, September 1st, at the Stouffer Grand Beach Resort in St. Thomas of the United States' Virgin Islands, Laurie "Kim" Boydston became the bride of Charles "Chuck" Thompson III.

Officiating at the double ring nuptial event was Rev. Drew Wallen. The marital service was read outdoors in a tropical garden setting.

Attendants to the couple were Barbara Fleming of Canyon, who wore a purple mid-length dress and served as the matron of honor.

Best man was Michael Fleming of Canyon, who wore a black tuxedo with purple cummerbund and bow tie.

The bridegroom wore a formal tuxedo with black slacks and white shawl jacket with a white shirt and black cummerbund. His boutonniere was a fuschia dendrobium orchid from the tropics.

For the wedding, the bride was gownned in a white satin floor-length wedding dress with fitted bodice and full skirt.

The bodice featured a hand-beaded Alencon-lace front and back, with short puffed sleeves with hand-beaded lace at the edge and white satin roses for accent. Droplet pearls highlighted the bodice and a large bow and pearl buttons complimented the back waist. Her headpiece formed a crown effect with ruffles, highlighted with pearls and iridescents in a scattered effect. Her double-layered wedding veil flowed to mid-length.

There was a unity candle service conducted by Rev. Roy L. Jones, pastor of the United Pentecostal Church of Allison, Texas. The couple was assisted in the lighting of the unity candle by their daughters, Kimber Boydston and Christin Thompson. The mothers of the bride and groom lit the individual candles.

Following their trip around St. Thomas the newlyweds returned on Saturday, September 5th, to Canyon, where they will be making their residence.

The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Clifton Boydston of Allison, Texas. She received her B.B.A. degree in accounting from West Texas State University in Canyon. She plans to complete her requirements to become a certified public accountant and is employed by Amarillo College in accounting.

The groom's parents are Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Carson of Amarillo, and is employed as the manager for A.I.S. Continental Equipment Corporation in Amarillo.

#### Reception

A reception was held Sunday afternoon, September 13th, in the home of the bride's uncle and aunt, Dr. and Mrs. Willis Harrison in Canyon, Texas.

The bride's table held a three-tiered heart-shaped wedding cake with a fountain. The cake was made by the bride's sister-in-law, Julie Boydston of Allison, Texas.

Serving at the wedding table was Tazia Smith of Clovis, New Mexico; the bride's sister, Cheryl Dupont of Allison, and Donna McWaters of Fort Sill, Okla.

On the groom's table was a German Chocolate cake also made by Julie Boydston. Serving the table, was the bridegroom's niece, Charity Reneau of Amarillo.

### SWEETWATER NEWS

By Mrs. Joe Flowers

Been a sort of stormy week. We just had .2 inch rain but the wind was something else. Blew our electricity completely away. Took it 5 hours to find its way back. Felt sorry for the REC boys out trying to get everyone going again.

I want to apologize to Ruby Sutton. Everything has been sort of sitting loose at our house lately. The news she gave me got mislaid. Anyway, her sisters Maggie Kinne, Chico, and Lela Purvis of Corning, CA have been recent visitors in the Sutton home.

Yesterday, I had cataract surgery. Had got to where I could only read with a magnifying glass. Today I went down and when Dr. Belardo took the patch off, I could read without my glasses! It was a no stitch operation. Truly a miracle. Others there the same day were Leta Campbell, Mrs. Ballard, and Mrs. Harlan Potter. Saw them all again

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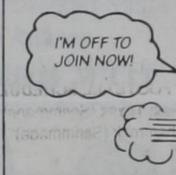
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today, plus Mary?, Opal Baker, Howard Pettijohn and Jewel Barfield.

Joe has been in misery with an infected ingrown toenail, but he can still fiddle. The Kitchen Band went to Bell Avenue Home on Friday and then to Grand Place on Tuesday. Those going were Bessie Perkins, Leonard Taylor, Basil and Billy Doss, Richard Crawford, Roy Swagger, Jack Criswell, Betty Brothers, Hazel Francis, Rose Abla, Margaret Hiller, Donna Mercer, We three and Ole Five String.

Among those we visited with were Howard Metcalf, George Nigh, Billy Chalfant, Robert Cogburn, Cliff Kenner, Clara Lou McGuire.

Mr. and Mrs. Basil Doss have a new little great granddaughter Kimberley Dawn. Her parents are Frances and Tony Huntsberger of San Diego. Grandparents are Glen and Mary Ann Doss of Cordell.

Jack Criswell and Betty Brothers spent the Labor Day weekend at Wheeler with his sister and family. They all enjoyed a tour of the Britt Ranch, where Mr. Walker used to work. Jack and Betty also attended a birthday party for Leon Lane of Allison. Enjoyed the supper and music.

Congratulations to the Security State Bank on their 80th anniversary. David calls it the Social Security Bank and guess it is.

Our visitors were Melvin McIntyre and Linda Walker. Donnie is spending the weekend with the Army Reserve at Ft. Gruver, Muskogee.

Imogene Pickering, Iona Miller, Murray Orgain, and Leona Sanders are home from the hospital. Lola French is at Elk with a broken hip. Her daughter Lolabell of NM was with her. Bertha Coffey is on the puny side after a fall.

The wedding of Kimberley Mattox and Dan Toth, Chicago, was an event of September 5, at the South Main Baptist Church in Houston, TX. The couple will make their home in Chicago where Kim will teach biology in high school and Dan is in the computer field. Kim is the daughter of June and Ken Mattox. Among the relatives attending were Esther Dickey (grandmother) Elinor and Don Meares, Shamrock, Mr. and Mrs. Steven Stokes and Heather, Mr. and Mrs. Jon Medlock and Ryan, all of Amarillo, Anne and Eldon Spencer of Houston, Kelly McFarland and Taylor, Katy, TX.

Those having birthdays lately were Zuma Sutton, Shirley Anderson, Stan Perry, Glenda Calverly, Ray Sites, Lucille Thompson, Fern York, Kathy Heinsohn, Naomi Hagerman, Mike Mong, Jeanie Balough, Durwood York, John Anderson, Carl Hill, Clarence Gee, Laurellen Witt, Gene Keathley, Sally Sites, Elbert Anderson, and O.K. Henson.

I don't know about the rest but O.K. celebrated his 80th in great style. He and Elma and their children spent Labor Day weekend at the Holiday Inn West in OKC. Took in the Holidome, Zoo and such. Those attending were Carolyn and John Ross, Chad and Kyle, Plainview, Ashley Ross, Abilene, Dennis and Deena Henson, Jason, Justin, Nathan, and Nicholas, Tulsa, Greg and Jan Henson, Jeremy and Kristina, SW. Ken and Janie Burrow, Liberty, MO., Jan and Ronnie Latham, Denton, TX., Debby and David Barnes, Jonathan, Will, Lauren, and Kaitlin, Tulia, TX.

It is quite possible Ross Perot will be the next president. He is already on the ballot in 39 states and they expect him to be on all by November. By the time the GOP and Democrats sling mud for 2 months, people are going to refuse to vote or look for someone else as a candidate.

Monte Tucker, Jerry Robison, Heather Davis, Jennifer Taylor, Matt Carlson, Kristin McArthur, Colby Hagerman, Matt Coker, Trampus Fowler, Nathaniel Quinn, Chase, Cade Sites, and Felicia Vidaurri were Western dress up winners at Elk City. They were presented with free tickets to the rodeo by the Elk City Elks, Rodeo Committee.

September School calendar: 17, Cheyenne baseball JH T; 18 Jostens Rings and announcements; 19 Clinton 4-H Barrow show; 20-21 El Reno District Barrow show; 21 baseball Canute HS T; 22 Erick baseball JH T; 25 District baseball playoffs.

Dennis and Lanelle Hayes of Enid spent a few days with her mother Mildred Allen. They all visited Faye and Leroy at Erick one day.

Mr. and Mrs. John Santee and Noelle of Altus spent Sunday with Elec and Helen Ewing.

#### REGION MENU

Sept. 21-25

MONDAY: Breakfast: Cereal, toast, juice - milk.

Lunch: Steak, gravy, potatoes, green beans, hot rolls, pears - milk.

TUESDAY: Breakfast: Oats, toast, juice - milk.

Lunch: Meat loaf, corn on cob, English peas, toast, banana pudding, milk.

WEDNESDAY: Breakfast: Biscuits, peanut butter, syrup, juice - milk.

Lunch: Pinto beans, potatoes, corn bread, cake, milk.

THURSDAY: Breakfast: Eggs, bacon, sausage, biscuits, juice - milk.

Lunch: Hamburgers, tator tots, baked beans, ice cream, milk.

FRIDAY: Breakfast: Sweet rolls, juice, milk.

Lunch: Beef on bun, tator tots, baked beans, cake, milk.

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# WHEELER MUSTANGS vs. SPEARMAN LYNX

FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 18, 1992

SPEARMAN STADIUM — 8:00 P.M.  
SPEARMAN, TEXAS

## 1992 WHEELER MUSTANGS

| Pos        | Ht | Wt    | Class   |
|------------|----|-------|---------|
| Ledbetter  | TE | 6'1"  | 195 Sr. |
| Sabbe      | SE | 5'11" | 155 Jr. |
| Dunnam     | QB | 6'1"  | 185 Jr. |
| Bradley    | B  | 5'11" | 135 Fr. |
| Frank      | B  | 6'0"  | 180 Jr. |
| Meraz      | B  | 5'10" | 140 Jr. |
| Francis    | QB | 5'4"  | 110 Fr. |
| Hardcastle | B  | 6'0"  | 185 Fr. |
| Meraz      | B  | 5'10" | 190 Sr. |
| Ledbetter  | B  | 6'3"  | 175 So. |
| Kenney     | B  | 5'8"  | 115 Fr. |
| Marshall   | B  | 6'1"  | 160 Sr. |
| Hefley     | B  | 5'9"  | 140 So. |
| Stiles     | C  | 5'10" | 155 So. |
| Gins       | G  | 5'11" | 160 So. |
| Flanagan   | G  | 5'11" | 185 Fr. |
| Reidy      | G  | 5'6"  | 125 Fr. |
| Norman     | T  | 5'9"  | 175 Fr. |
| Weatherly  | G  | 5'7"  | 125 Fr. |
| Francis    | C  | 5'2"  | 115 Fr. |
| Woolard    | C  | 5'11" | 175 Jr. |
| Trisom     | T  | 5'11" | 205 So. |
| Warden     | T  | 6'4"  | 185 Jr. |
| Den        | T  | 6'0"  | 140 Jr. |
| Fletcher   | T  | 6'3"  | 275 So. |
| Fletcher   | T  | 6'4"  | 270 Fr. |
| Neil       | G  | 5'10" | 150 Sr. |
| Reimer     | T  | 6'0"  | 195 Sr. |
| Case       | T  | 6'0"  | 200 So. |
| Reimer     | SE | 6'1"  | 150 Jr. |
| Johnson    | TE | 5'9"  | 140 Fr. |
| For        | QB | 5'3"  | 110 Fr. |
| Bedeker    | TE | 6'4"  | 150 Jr. |
| Ze         | T  | 6'5"  | 170 Jr. |

Head Athletic Director: Ronnie Karcher  
Coaches: Jeff Pierce, Shawn Read, Steve Scott, Glyndol Holland, Ron Neal, J. J. Dirickson, Sponsor: Kim Goad, Dayla Maddux (Sr.), Jana Velasquez (Sr.), (Jr.), Julie Porter (Jr.), Shelby Beers (Jr.), (Sr.) Mascot: Angie Martin (Sr.)

(from page 1) 193 pound running-back Vanderburg. The Lynx offensive line averages 262 pounds and is anchored by 262 pound senior tackle. Spearman's 52 defense is led by return-backer Chad Gardiner, a 185 pounder, Vanderburg at cornerback and Swanwick.

The Mustangs adjust their offense and Coach Karcher will look to tone up the defense at various positions. Safety Mark Marshall is in his sophomore position of outside line. Marcus Meraz switching from there to safety. Meraz, who started the season well, was hobbled last week in practice with a knee injury. He will undergo surgery and it is unknown when he will be back. Sophomore Jarrod Ledbetter moved into the outside linebacker position and Dunnam will be transferred from that position to safety. Dunnam is no stranger to the field. He covered for Marshall there when he was injured in the season opener.

(from Page 1) The game was bottled up in their own half for most of the half. Most of the drives ended in a punt. Weatherly recovered one in the 2nd half. However, the punt did not click on every play and failed to take advantage of the position until Bradley's 6 yard run. This drive was run by Andy Francis, and read his blocks well. Unfortunately, the Mustangs were halted by the Memphis defense. The Mustangs looked good for the game when they tried to run out the

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## SPEARMAN LYNX

| No. | Name               | Pos.  | Wt. | Cl. |
|-----|--------------------|-------|-----|-----|
| 11  | Jason Varnon       | QB/S  | 165 | 11  |
| 12  | Roman Arnold       | RB/C  | 171 | 12  |
| 20  | Toby Thompson      | QB/C  | 121 | 11  |
| 30  | Radar Garcia       | RB/HB | 121 | 11  |
| 33  | Brandon Vanderburg | RB/HB | 193 | 10  |
| 37  | Ricky Garrad       | RB/C  | 146 | 11  |
| 40  | Dee Layfield       | RB/LB | 149 | 11  |
| 44  | Lonny Gallegos     | RB/LB | 162 | 12  |
| 51  | Kory Brown         | G/T   | 195 | 11  |
| 52  | Matt Archer        | C/E   | 165 | 11  |
| 58  | Jimmy Healey       | C/E   | 181 | 11  |
| 61  | Dustin Loomis      | G/LB  | 179 | 12  |
| 64  | Sammy Graham       | T/T   | 175 | 12  |
| 66  | Chad Gardiner      | G/E   | 185 | 11  |
| 74  | Nick Renteria      | T/T   | 240 | 11  |
| 78  | Landon Swan        | T/T   | 262 | 12  |
| 80  | Jason Swink        | E/E   | 138 | 11  |
| 81  | Cory Lesly         | E/LB  | 187 | 11  |
| 85  | Brady Reed         | E/HB  | 142 | 12  |
| 88  | Clay Scribner      | E/C   | 150 | 11  |
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COACHES: Rick Smith, Head Coach; Jeff Rowland, and Smith, Jerry Bass, Ryan Rhoades, Wendell Neff

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| Sept. 4  | Gruver—22              | Wheeler—14 |      |
| Sept. 11 | Sunray—13              | Wheeler—6  |      |
| Sept. 18 | Spearman               | T          | 8:00 |
| Sept. 25 | Booker                 | H          | 8:00 |
| **Oct. 2 | Quanah                 | H          | 8:00 |
| *Oct. 9  | Panhandle              | T          | 7:30 |
| *Oct. 16 | Memphis                | H          | 7:30 |
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7th, 8th & JV Football

|          |                     |              |                |
|----------|---------------------|--------------|----------------|
| Sept. 3  | Panhandle—18        | Wheeler—8    |                |
| Sept. 10 | 8th—Memphis 12 W-12 | 7th W-18 M-0 |                |
| Sept. 17 | Wellington          | H            | 4:30-6:00-7:30 |
| Sept. 24 | Clarendon           | T            | 4:30-6:00-7:30 |
| Oct. 1   | Canadian            | H            | 4:30-6:00-7:30 |
| *Oct. 8  | Panhandle           | H            | 4:30-6:00-7:30 |
| *Oct. 15 | Memphis             | T            | 4:30-6:00-7:30 |
| *Oct. 22 | Wellington          | T            | 4:30-6:00-7:30 |
| *Oct. 29 | Clarendon           | H            | 4:30-6:00-7:30 |
| *Nov. 5  | Canadian            | T            | 4:30-6:00-7:30 |

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clock but fumbled with 1:30 to go in the game. The defense rose to the occasion and had Memphis stopped on the fourth down except for a mysterious face mask penalty. The Cyclones took advantage and quickly scored on a half-back pass. After a time-out, the Cyclones were set to kick the XP for the win, but somehow forgot to block Cliff Fletcher, who batted the ball away to preserve the tie.

Coach Pierce had these post game comments: "We played well enough to win and much better than against Panhandle, but a tie is like kissing

your sister and if your sister is like Bumadine Schlevidge, its not much fun at all." The JV tries to get their first win of 1992 when Wellington visits Thursday night. Kickoff is Scheduled at 7:30 P.M.

**8th Grade Colts**  
The Wheeler 8th Grade Colts erased a 6-0 half-time deficit to defeat the Whirlwinds of Memphis 8 to 6 in the season opener for both squads. In a game of many hard hits (two Memphis boys suffered broken bones), the Colts overcame 2 lost fumbles and an ill

advised fake punt to salvage the win. In a game dominated offensively by the Colt line, backs Dusty Case, Travis Stevens and Jason Porton combined for over 200 yards rushing. Despite such gaudy numbers, Memphis opened the scoring with a 74 yard sweep around left end. The PAT was no good. This left the score at half 6-0 in favor of the visiting Whirlwinds. The 3rd quarter saw the Colts get on the board as Dusty Case capped a long drive with a 5 yard score. Workhorse Travis Stevens tacked on the PAT for a two point lead. Surprisingly, that completed the scoring for the evening. Offensive standout was Stevens, who had 147 on 15 carries. "Stevens had a fine effort," said Coach Read, "but Clayton Brownfield and Andy Irvin opened up some large holes for him to run through." Fine defensive efforts were turned in by Bandit Daniel Keelin and linebacker Case. The eighth grade will host the Wellington sparklers Thursday in a game with an approximate 6 p.m. kickoff.



**CHAD DUNNAM**  
The triggerman for the Mustangs is Junior Chad Dunnam. After paying his dues in 1991, Chad is behind the starter in 1992. Thus son, Chad has excited fans with several long runs and only after he has run defensive backers. Defenders return for more action in the coaching staff usually settles in at safety. favorite musician, Ozzy and enjoys hunting and creative activities.



**HEATH SABBE**  
Heath Sabbe, #12, is a vital part of this year's Mustang football team. Though not the swiftest of receivers, Heath runs fine patterns and has a soft pair of hands. Besides split end, Heath has also seen action as quarterback. The junior lines up at half-back on the defensive side of the ball. Heath lists Wayne's World as his favorite movie; however, his musical selections are too numerous to mention. Heath would also like to add that he hopes all Mustang fans DRIVE SAFELY to and from all Mustang games.



**T. A. TAYLOR**  
T. A. Taylor, #85, is a 15 year old freshman. He is a versatile performer for the Mustang JV. T. A. is the backup quarterback and is able to fill in at the other back field positions also. Defensively, T. A. prefers the cornerback position but can also play safety. T. A.'s forte is special teams where he is a "headhunter" on the kick-off team. Also a member of the Mustang Marching Band, T. A. states his favorite song is "Some Girls Do". When not involved in a school activity, you might find T. A. enjoying his favorite movie "Boyz in the Hood".



**KEITH ROSE**  
The starting quarterback for the 1992 JV is Keith Rose, #25, a 15 year old ninth grader. Keith is also an able performer in the secondary as he can play safety or cornerback. Keith is an all around performer as he participated in 3 sports in junior high. Off the field, Keith chooses pizza as his favorite food and rap as his favorite music.

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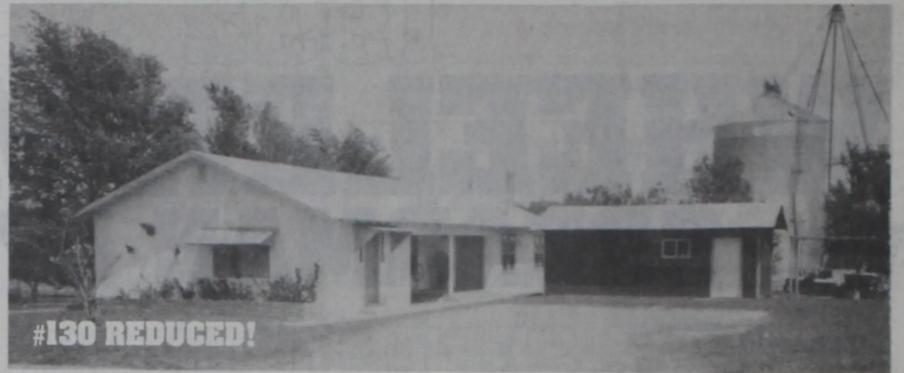
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festive affair and enjoyed by the all the guests. Berga graduated from Wheeler High School in 1924. The graduation exercises were the first held in the new school auditorium. Pictured (l. to r., front row) Lorainne Gardner, Berga Goad, Edyth Gonzales (Back row, l. to r.) Marie Gonzales, Jean Gardner, Linda McKenzie.

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**LADIES NIGHT OUT:** The Wheeler County Extension Homemakers will be hosting their second annual night out Saturday, Oct. 10. Ticket will go on sale Monday, Sept. 2, \$6.00 per ticket. Ticket sale ends Oct. 2. Entertainment for the evening will be Ann Killingsworth and the Mason Jars. There will be door prizes and a silent auction. Make plans to attend this festive fun evening. Bring your spouse or a friend. For more information contact Martha Barker 256-2419 or Audra Morgan (home) 256-2724 (work) 256-3681, Shamrock; Wanda Walker 375-2349, Allison; Patricia Forrester (home) 826-3221 (work) 826-3123, Wanda King 826-3249, Joan Gray (home) 826-3688 (work) 826-5243.

**Sunray** (from Page 1)  
caught three passes totalling 31 yards and made several key defensive plays. Dunnam picked up 46 yards on 11 attempts and threw for 90 yards.

**Chat** (from Page 1)  
Barbara's cousin Romilda Weathers and Warren Arthurs stopped in on their way from Hinton to Pampa, Borger and Amarillo. They were looking for customers for fire wood.

**CARD OF THANKS**  
We would like to thank everyone for the flowers, phone calls, food, cards and prayers in the loss of our daughter Bette Edmiston.  
May God Bless You.  
Clark and Vergia Reagan

**CARD OF THANKS**  
We want to express our sincere thanks and gratitude for the help in putting out the fire, caused by the lightning storm last Wednesday evening, on our farms east of Allison. Had it not been for the quick action of all the fire departments involved and the good neighbors that helped, and the motor graders, much more damage it would have done, such as cattle, hay, and buildings. We appreciate all that everyone did.  
Clifton Boydston and Verne Lohberger

**CARD OF THANKS**  
Thank You—Parkview Hospital, Dr's, nurses, and staff. The family of Nora Patterson wishes to express special Thanks to each and everyone of you for services rendered unto our Mother.  
May God Bless and Reward each one of you.

**The Nora Patterson Family**  
**CARD OF THANKS**  
Thanks so very much to everyone for your cards, flowers, food, visits and those who cared for my yard and flowers and especially for your many prayers during my stay in Amarillo and Wheeler hospitals.  
Also a special thanks to the Wheeler Ambulance Crew and the Fire Department.  
Thanks to all the nurses and personnel at the Parkview Hospital and also Dr. Barbour for their wonderful care.  
May God Bless you.  
Inna Mav

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# Mobeetie News

By Melba Corcoran

Happy Birthday to Chad Stuart and Vandi Vann on Sept. 17. To Barbara Meadows, Deradah Weldon and Letha Corcoran on Sept. 18. To Pat Graham, Stacie Dukes and Debbie Kinnaman on Sept. 19. Pierce Walker, Mike Kelsey, Jane Burke and Ed Trimble on Sept. 20. To Peggy Shelton, Kerby Brillhart and Mary Lois Newman on Sept. 21. To Carla Howard, Margaret Taylor, Bobby Hamilton, Casey Zybach and Amanda Johnson on Sept.

# Here & There

By Laura Guthrie

I'm wondering how many of you knew that last Sunday was Grandparents' Day. I did, but had forgotten all about it. Rather early in the day Melinda brought a card to my room. My mind quickly tried to recall what the occasion was. No luck. On opening it I found a very clever and loving Grandmother's Day message. The day went on. Tim was having to work on the weekend, but Melinda and I went to church. (Because of the undependable state of my "underpinning: I haven't attended church this summer.) Then Melinda offered to take me out to lunch. But I wasn't hungry. So we settled on a hamburger for her and a Breeze for me. Then we had a game of Scrabble—That's my favorite game. After that I mostly slept and read. Melinda had cooked a good meal by the time Tim came home. It was a lovely "Grandparents Day."

It wasn't a happy day for everybody. Some were grieving for the passing of their grandmothers. However I am sure they were expressing gratitude for having had such wonderful grandmothers. Both Mrs. Patterson and Mrs. Farmer were long-time friends of mine and I am glad to have known them.

Ed Forrester is in Amarillo where he is taking therapy for his back. He will be in Amarillo for awhile. His wife Patricia spent the weekend with him. I'm sorry the Mustangs didn't win their game this week. But they will. Just wait, be loyal, and see. That is if they can stand verbal abuse. I don't know the ethics of handling the training of athletes. But I can't believe public abuse (to the ears of hundreds of fans) will be the thing that causes a player to do his best.

A program put out for the Sunray Bobcats vs Wheeler Mustangs game last week is very nice. I hope everyone read the Poem: "He Is Only a Boy". one paragraph goes like this:

Please don't curse the boys down there.  
They do the best they can;  
They never tried to lose a game.  
They're boys — and you're a man.  
I like that. Some body in Sunray must not approve verbal abuse.

## VISITING ELLA TROUT

Visiting with Ella Trout and Mary and Gary Morris this past week were Calvin and Bea Lanners, Williamsburg, N.M., Vohn and Carol Thompson and Dennis and Cheryl King all from Show Low, Ariz. Irene Adams and Jim and Rolena Bolles from, Canadian, OK, Jessie Patterson, Boyd, Tx, R. W. and Dortha Beck, Lefors, Pete and Jimmie McBain, Columbia, Mo, Donna Stafford, Bryan Riddle, Lex, Shonda and Chelsea Mindenhall, all from Liberal, Kansas, Gary and Kelley Riddle, Turpin, Ok., Butch and Brenda Roach, White Deer, Misty Roach, Amarillo, Earl and Sandy and Justin Painter, Pauls Valley, OK, Chuck and Vivian Fiddler, Amarillo, Marolyn Howard, Laketon, Judy Watts, Hammon, OK and Scott Howard, Lefors.

22. To Sue Lehman, Janet Hefner, Doris Whaley and Kevin Frankenbery on Sept. 23.

Happy Anniversary to H.C. and Mary Newman on Sept. 19.

Visiting last weekend with Bill and Shirley Dyson was Debbie Hanner and Thomas of Chico, and Jerry and Linda Dyson and Libby of Pampa.

Wanda Estes visited Verna Corcoran one afternoon.

Pauline Barnes of Wheeler took Verna Corcoran to the doctor Tues. in Wheeler.

The museum had 200 visitors for Aug. with 69 from Mobeetie, 71 from other Texas Towns and 60 from other states. There were also 134 1/2 volunteers hours for Aug. The museum is open Fri., Sat., Sun. & Mon. from 1-4 p.m. It is open other days and times by appointment only.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Taylor of Tabiah,

CA. visited friends in Mobeetie on Tues.

Our sympathy goes out to the family of Clara Adams.

Lisa and Dena Dockins of Wheeler visited Leon and Rose Mary Dockins Fri. afternoon.

Visiting Sat. with Jud and Lorene Rector was Christopher Simmons and Tyler Burch of Wheeler and Dale and Melba Corcoran.

Sat. evening visitors with Dale and Melba Corcoran was Earl and Pauline Barnes of Wheeler.

Orville Greenhouse visited Sun. afternoon in Wheeler with Alvern and Dorsie Hutchison. They also had a nice visit with Mary Hazel and Joe Van Zandt.

Bill Bailey of Pampa visited Tues. with Jap and Alice Bailey.

Allen and Shanna Leatherman of Pampa took Wilber Beck to Balco, OK. to spend the weekend with Glynda and Butch Leatherman and Chris.

Hugh Bailey of Stinnett and Mae Steen of Canadian visited Sat. with Jap and Alice Bailey. Jap is reported as doing better.

Gordon and Wanda Estes took



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## Soil Conservation Grazing Recommendations

A grazing system is the order by which livestock graze a particular range. The purpose of a grazing system is to obtain maximum use of vegetation while maintaining plant vigor.

Essentially four basic systems are used in Wheeler County.

1. Continuous—a ranch is grazed as one unit where livestock have year-long access to all areas.

2. Farmer Stockman—perennial grass is supplemented with annual crops such as small grain for forage sorghum.

3. Rotation—a ranch is subdivided into pastures with each pasture grazed in succession. Livestock are moved or "rotated" to another pasture based on the degree of plant usage.

4. High Intensity low Frequency—an area is cross-fenced into several small pastures. Each pasture is grazed by large numbers of livestock for short periods of time, usually no longer than two or three days per pasture.

A grazing system should be designed to complement existing facilities.

## Gageby

(from Page 2)

Nice to have a call from Deleise Quinton. She was coming down to Nora Patterson's funeral Monday. Deleise helps with special education at Southlawn Elementary and enjoys her work.

Had a nice letter from Willis' brother, Hugh at Grand Prairie. He is doing o.k., but slow recovering from cancer surgery to remove his voice box Aug. 5. He has a lady to help him learn to talk with an electronic device. He also is taken to support groups of other laryngectomies to learn how to cope. Still is on oxygen, but hopes to get it off soon. Remember Hugh and Betty and his family in your prayers. He really appreciates all the prayers and cards and letters. His address is 1306 Oak St., Grand Prairie, TX. 75050.

Fort Elliott Boosters are planning a trap shoot at Finsterwald's Sunday, Sept. 20 at 1:00 p.m. Everyone invited.

J.P. and Martha Meek went to Mobeetie Monday to the Grandparents breakfast at Fort Elliott Elementary.

We enjoyed seeing Evie Aderholt and daughter Sharon Kemp at the Old Settlers Reunion at Mobeetie. Sharon's husband had to work. They both work in Borger. She looked so pretty and happy. So many sweet people to see there at the Old Settlers Day. Saw Henry and Bernice Davis and their wives.

Willis and I enjoyed going to Cheyenne with Homer Sanders and Edna May to eat the B and H (?) Cafe Thursday night. Very good. Came back and played some 42.

"God be with you till we meet again."

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## Wheeler Church of Christ

### Congregational Concerns:

During the week of September 21st, the grocery truck from Tipton Home will be in Wheeler. If you would like to make a financial contribution to their grocery fund, please give your check to Mark Frankenbery.

Ora Hardcastle, the mother of Danny Hardcastle, has been transferred to the local hospital. She continues to recuperate from a broken hip that she recently suffered.

Marvin Dutton, the father of Kim Goad, remains hospitalized in Des Moines, Iowa. His condition has improved.

On this coming Sunday, September 20th, Alfred White will be the guest preacher. He will preach during the morning and evening worship service.

### From The Minister's Desk:

Leo Durocher was one of professional baseball's most colorful personalities. Known as "Leo the Lip", he was a fiery competitor who was an outstanding shortstop for several teams in the 1920's and 1930's.

Following his retirement as a player in 1939, Durocher became a manager, showing the same fiery competitiveness that he demonstrated as a player. As a manager, he led three different National League teams to the National League pennant.

While Durocher is remembered for his exploits as a player and a manager, he probably is best remembered for a statement that he made. This statement was: "Nice guys finish last."

In my opinion, Mr. Durocher needs to meet Mr. Cleveland Stroud, the basketball coach in a small community in Georgia. In 1986 Coach Stroud lead his team to a record of 21 wins and 5 losses. Winning the Georgia State championship. But after winning the Championship, Coach Stroud discovered that an ineligible player had played for forty-five seconds during one of the playoff games. Coach Stroud then reported the violation to the Georgia High School Association which disqualified his team and revoked their championship.

When Coach Stroud was asked about the loss of the championship, he said: "Some people have said we should have just kept quiet about it—that it was just forty-five seconds and the player wasn't an impact player. But you got to do

what's honest and right and what the rules say. I told my team that people forget the scores of basketball games; they don't ever forget what you're made of."

I wish that more people had Coach Cleveland's attitude about athletics and especially when children are involved. There are too many people who have a warped attitude about athletics. To these people, athletics is not simply an extracurricular activity that teaches important lessons about competition, team work, and dedication. Rather athletics is an obsession that is characterized by a cold, vicious pursuit of victory. Like "Leo the Lip" the attitude of these people is: "Nice guys finish last."

There are some people who strive to have the right attitude about athletics. These people are like Coach Stroud. Their attitude is: "You got to do what's honest and right—." Such people will never finish last in any contest that truly matters.

**Epilogue**

To be able to distinguish between important and unimportant issues, it is imperative that people have the correct perspective. For example—

Palo Duro High School won a football game last Friday night. But six of its students were shot in the hall on Friday morning.

Wheeler High School lost a football game last Friday night. But none of its students were shot in the hall on Friday morning.

From my perspective, I am glad that my high school daughter attends Wheeler High School.

**Bill Morrison, Minister  
Church of Christ  
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The lightning struck on the Clifton Boydston farm out north east of Allison last Wed. night and caused a grass fire.

Last Saturday morning Lou Cornell met her daughter Becky and Max Lee Hefner of Stinnett, at Beverly Smiths home in Wheeler and together Lou, Becky and Max Lee traveled to Raton, TX to attend the wedding of one of Becky's girlfriends Connie Posey, while in the area they stopped by and visited Lou's mother in Anson, TX. Returned home Saturday night, Joshua Paul stayed with his aunt Beverly and family at Wheeler.

Gary Hall took care of services last Sunday night at the Allison Baptist Church while the pastor Ronnie and Ruth Chadwick were on vacation.

Zybach Cemetery has a beautiful new gate and sign "thanks" to Eddy Walker.

I would like to say how much I appreciate our post master here at Allison for the post office and the grass around it looking so nice.

Eddy and Wanda Walker were dinner guests last Friday with Jennie Walker and Steve Walker also visited Jennie on Friday.

Labor Day Joyce Walker, Jennie Walker and Ona Black attended the Old Settlers Reunion at Mobeetie. Jennie, Jonathan and Justin Walker went to Shamrock after church last Sunday morning and ate lunch at Pizza place and Jennie and the boys had a sandwich supper at Jennie's Sunday evening before church time. Jennie received several phone calls Sunday from different ones wishing her happy birthday, one call was from her sister Dorothy and Roy McNutt in Calif.

Wilma Gilmer's last Sunday dinner guest were Billy and Rhonda McWhorter, Tanner and Tyler from Wheeler.

Last Wed. Roma and Billy June Brown was in Elk City taking care of business and their granddaughter Theresa Hamlin took them to K-Bob's for dinner.

Peggy Chandler's weekend guests were Marki Stringer and son Chandler from Temple, OK, and Cindy Burrus and daughter Tiffany from Canyon and Brad and Sue Chandler, Jana and Bridget from Wheeler were dinner and supper guests with all of them Saturday. Last Tuesday Peggy and Jennie Walker picked up Gertie Cornell at Wheeler and took her to Shamrock

where they did some shopping and ate out. They also visited Gertie at the Care Center last Thursday.

Tanner McWhorter from Wheeler spent last weekend with his Me-Ma, Ruby Craig.

Loyd and Nona Jones, Lee and Sharon Hall, and Bill and Kay Donaldson attended the funeral of Lois Curlee at Amarillo last Tuesday. Lois lived at Allison several years ago. Our sympathy is for his wife Evelyn and children Bobby and Peggy and their families.

Bill and Kay Donaldson spent Labor Day weekend in Dallas with Allen and Vicki Donaldson and family.

Red and Anna Dukes and Nelda Dukes went to Purcell, OK, last Tuesday to attend the funeral of a friend. Last Wed. Nelda went to Amarillo for business reasons. Nelda was last Sunday dinner guest with David and Becky Zybach. Others there were Christy and Joe Willingham from Duncan, OK.

Those that attended the wedding reception last Sunday afternoon at Canyon for Chuck and Kim (Boydston) Thompson at the home of Dr. Willis and Mary Harrison. From Allison were Rev. and Mrs. Roy Jones, Opal and Juanita Boydston, Bruce and Pearl Harrison, Henry and Cheryl Dupont, Sabrina and Cody, Gary and Julie Boydston, Greg and Amie and Clifton and Louise Boydston. There were several others there from different places.

Frankie Miller from Wheeler and Betty Dyer were dinner guests last Sunday with their dad, Frank George.

Pete and Margaret Gilmer's weekend guests were Becky and Jeannie Gilmer from Amarillo.

Effie Hays returned home last Sunday from a two week vacation to Pleasanton, Calif. She and her sister Virginia went with Virginia's daughter and husband Dianna and Tom Fields and attended the wedding of a great nephew while there. And other places they visited were Lake Tahoe and Grand Canyon and Las Vegas and they attended a base ball game of the Oakland A's at Los Angeles. Effie reported she had a good time.

Mrs. Caroline Morello from Calif. visited several days recently in the home of her father Verne Lohberger, and family. While she was here she also visited relatives in Pampa and attended Labor Day at the Old Settlers Reunion at Mobeetie, Texas and the Elk City rodeo. Verne and Susie attended the Mobeetie school homecoming last week.

We have sure been having some windy, hot and dry weather the past several days. Wonder where all those nice rains have gone.

Linda Hodges from Amarillo and Jim Miller from Spearman visited with Rex and Virginia Miller over the weekend and did their mowing for them. I know they appreciate them coming and doing this. Rex is still on the mend from his surgery.

Lois and Sandy Parsons from

Wellington visited Rex and Virginia last Sunday afternoon.

Lanora Morse's guest from Tuesday to Sat. morning were Jake and Marie Morse from Midland.

Vance and Caroline Boydston's weekend guest were Kevin Boydston from Lubbock and Kyle Boydston from Amarillo. On Sunday Caroline and Vance fixed a birthday dinner for Kevin. Those there were Lanora Morse, Dick and Cletus Greene and Jamie, Kevin and Kyle.

(Marginal Note) Lightning never strikes in the same place twice, unless, of course, you've let your insurance lapse.

Frank George accompanied Leon and Nadine Lane to Sayre, OK, Sunday afternoon where they were the guests of Cokey and Evelyn Chappel for a fish fry supper.

Opal and Juanita Boydston spent last Sunday night with Warren and Charlene Brown in Amarillo and attended the Northside U.P. Church Sunday night.

**MEALS ON WHEELS MENU**

**Sept. 21-25**  
**MONDAY, Sept. 21:** Pork fritters, mashed potatoes, sweet kraut, green beans, Rice Krispy Treats.

**TUESDAY, Sept. 22:** Pinto beans & ham bits, fried potatoes, onion slices, fruit cobbler, cornbread.

**WEDNESDAY, Sept. 23:** Fried chicken, blackeyed peas, brussel sprouts, pineapple creamed pudding.

**THURSDAY, Sept. 24:** Roast beef & gravy, mashed potatoes, buttered carrots, yogurt, hot rolls.

**FRIDAY, Sept. 25:** Breaded veal cutlet, navy beans, buttered spinach, fruit cocktail cake.  
(Menu subject to change)

**WHEELER MENU**

**Sept. 21-25**  
**MONDAY: Breakfast:** Juice, cereal, toast, milk.

**Lunch:** Chili dogs, relish, tater tots, milk/tea, mixed fruit, oatmeal cookies.

**TUESDAY: Breakfast:** Juice, biscuits/gravy, eggs/sausage, milk.

**Lunch:** Goulash, corn, veg. rings, bread, milk/tea, strawberries.

**WEDNESDAY: Breakfast:** Juice, cinnamon rolls, raisins, milk.

**Lunch:** Brisket on a bun, pickle spear, curly Q's, milk/tea, brownies.

**THURSDAY: Breakfast:** Juice, hash browns, sausage, toast, milk.

**Lunch:** Hamburger loaf, m. potatoes/gravy, green beans, hot rolls, milk/tea, brownies.

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

**Lunch:** Corn chip meat pie, salad, chili beans, milk/tea, pineapple, cookies.

Menu subject to change.

**7th Grade Colts Win**

The 7th Grade Colts of Wheeler Junior High opened the season with a 18-0 victory over the Memphis Whirlwinds. Leading the Colts to the win was fullback Jeremy Davis, who carried the ball 14 times for 117 yards and 2 TDs. Layne McCasland opened up the scoring with a 3 yard run to the end zone in the first quarter. Later in the 1st, Davis added his first TD on a bruising 15 yard run. The scoring ended in the second period on the second TD by Davis, a 28 yard jaunt to pay dirt. Other offensive standouts include guards Josh Lee and Bryan Judd as well as center Mike Johnson. The entire defensive unit should be praised for the shutout. Coach Steve Scott stated, "It was a fine effort by all of those kids." It is, however, hard to ignore the individual achievement of Safety Marshall Flowers, who intercepted 3 Memphis passes. The 7th continues play with another home game this Thursday at 4:30, when the Wellington Sparklers invade Nicholson Field.

**Wheeler Falcons Play**

In the first game of the season the Wheeler Falcons got defeated by White Deer Mean Green. Fourteen to six. On the first four possession they fumble ball and lost all four. In the second half were fumble two possessions.

On the nine possession they executed a twelve play sixty six yard drive that ended when Aaron Surnaam scored from four yards out. The extra point failed.

The fifth quarter saw the younger Falcons show their stuff and make prospects for good players for years to come a reality. They were led by Nick Ware, Kelby Ledbetter and Will Smith.

The team plays at 2:00 Saturday at Nicholson Field.

**Wheeler Cross Country Girls Travel to Perryton**

The Wheeler girls traveled to Perryton for their second Cross Country meet of the season, competing in the Lake Fryer Classic. A strong field of teams, from classes 1A through 4A, showed up to compete against a hilly course and strong winds.

The competition began with the J.V. girls. Jeseka Wallace and Cyndi Alley showed alot of improvement over last week with Cyndi placing 38th in 16:55 and Jeseka 40th in 16:57. Stacy Maddux ran her first race of the season, recording a 62nd place in 18:19.

The varsity girls race was won by Stratford, with Wheeler placing ninth. Rochelle Rives was a medalist placing 10th in 13:47. Other contestants placed as follows: Amanda Rives 38th-14:53, Cristy Glassey 45th-15:10, Melissa Chapman 68th-16:11, Nissa Boedeker 75th-16:19 and Sylvia Ramirez 87th-16:50. Dena Compton was unable to run due to an ankle injury.

**Wheeler Extension Homemakers Pecans Are on Sale**

The Wheeler Extension Homemakers club will be selling pecans and walnuts for your holiday baking. Pecans are \$5.00 a lb., walnuts are \$3.75 a lb. The club will be taking orders until October 15. To order your pecans you may contact one of the following: Marie Wright 826-5646, Jane Thomas 826-5792, Donna Moore (Home) 826-5634 (Work) 826-5571, Karen Lewis 826-3065, Wanda King 826-3249, Valetta Frankenbery (Home) 826-3324 (Work) 826-5951, Patricia Forrester (Home) 826-3221 (Work) 826-3123, Katie Finsterwald 826-5804, Marie Adams 826-3019.

All of the girls had improvement in their times from the previous week. The Wheeler teams will travel to Hereford next week to compete in the Hereford Invitational.

**Wheeler Cheerleaders Mini-Camp Is Success**

The Third Annual Mustang Cheerleading Mini-Camp was held on Sunday, August 30. Twenty six spirited campers attended the afternoon session. These girls were taught yells, sideline yells, stunts, jumps, a line dance and skits by the Wheeler Varsity squad. On Friday, September 11 the campers helped raise spirit at the pep rally before the Sunray game. Girls attending the camp were Katie Shipp, Lyndi Finsterwald, Kyla and Brittany Pierce, Dena Dockins, Hayley Hipkins, Lauren Sams, Taylor Hudgins, Jotana Simmons, Darci and Chelsi Dunn, Shelby Brown, Chelsea Brooks, Sarah Risner, Taryn Matthies, Jennifer Haning, Amanda and Nancy Calcote, Kimberly Beers, Mackenzie Chick, Jacinda Watson, Kerri Griffin, Kerri Marion, Mechelle Marshall, Stephanie Lee and Whitney Simmons. The jump-off winner was Kyla Pierce. Thanks to all who attended the camp and helped raise the Mustang spirit!

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**Care Center Comments**  
By Cathy

Last week was busy. When you have a holiday to start the week everyday is like Monday.

I would like to express our deepest sympathies to the families of Nora Patterson and Bernice Farmer. Nora Patterson was a resident with us for nearly six years. We will truly miss her. Bernice Farmer was a resident for only a short time but no matter how short the stay it is always a blessing. May God be with the families during their grief.

Tuesday we started by reading the Amarillo paper. The ladies love to hear their horoscopes. The Church of Christ came to have a birthday party for the residents with birthdays in September. Those celebrating were Joe Richardson, 88, Mary Bowen 86, Mildred Hamilton 79, Bertha Wright 96 and Thelma Gierhart 91. Those helping were Mary Ann Maxwell, Katie Finsterwald, Doraean Owen and Linda Daughtry. Cake and punch were served and enjoyed by everyone.

Wednesday we enjoyed the paper again. Janice Sparlin and Peggy Hunt came and held Bible Study for our residents. Seven residents attended. The residents really enjoy this time and we appreciate the ladies for giving of their time to do it. We played Bingo again on Wed. This seems to be what draws the crowd. We had twenty three residents participate. Joe Richardson was the "black out" winner. The volunteers were Ila Byers and Kathrine Holt. Opal Davidson and Marie Gudgeal came by to serve juice to the residents.

Thursday Fern Rose, Rozena Zybach, and Ila Collins came by to have church services. Twelve residents attended. Shorty Sechrist had a visitor, Clark Reagan. He attended the services with Shorty. That afternoon Maria served popcorn.

Friday we wrote letters for the residents. If you know someone who is a resident here maybe you could take a few minutes to write them a letter or just send a card. Doris Rusk spent some of the afternoon coloring. Gladys Kysar, Irma Lanham and Bea Harville worked on Halloween decorations.

Friday afternoon I played balloon volleyball with the residents. They kept

**Mustang Boosters Says Thanks**

The Mustang Boosters would like to take this opportunity to thank everyone in the community who supported us at our recent Meet The Mustangs cook-out. We were able to donate \$1,000.00 to Mike and Jan Newland thanks to your support. We would also like to thank Beef Cattle for donating the beef, Greg Smith for donating his cooker, Dairy Queen for donating the hamburger papers, the Wheeler Band Boosters for donating potato chips, and Yreva Topper and Bob Stiles for the garden fresh tomatoes and onions. Your efforts are truly appreciated. Thanks!



**Happy 30th Birthday**  
Dell, Megan & P.J.

me running and I think they won.

Saturday we read the paper and then Bea Harville, Icy Littrell, Gladys Kysar and Ethel McWhorter all got some new clothes. They all look very pretty but they look nice everyday. Doris Rusk colored some more pictures. We have all been enjoying listening to Doris play the piano, she is very talented. Ruth Hoggard and Maria Zepeda enjoyed looking through the photo albums. Vena Richardson came down to the sun room and read the paper. We have moved my office and have made a living area in the sun room, it is there for everyone to enjoy. We played Bingo again on Saturday, 19 residents joined us, and we had three guests also. Mildred Hamilton received alot of beautiful plants and flowers from her family.

Sunday the First United Methodist Church came by to have afternoon services with us.

Rita Pearson and Winnie Gilmer came by again this week to play the piano and sing some hymns. Joe Clarke, Shorty Sechrist and Gladys Kysar were some of the residents who helped out on the singing.

We have three residents in the hospital. They are Vena Hopkins, Ora Hardcastle, and Gracie Mize. Please keep these ladies in your thoughts and prayers.

We are looking for a record player. Our residents enjoy listening to music and we have several albums they could enjoy, so if anyone has one they are wanting to give away or you hear of one please keep us in mind.

Saturday we will have a group traveling to Elk City. We will be going to do some shopping at Wal-Mart and then we will be going out to eat. We are looking forward to the trip.

Please come by and visit when you can and thanks again to all those who donate their time and energy to us.

Love, Cathy

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**Happy 14th Birthday on the 19th**  
We Love You!  
Mom, Dad & Cory



**Happy 45th Got ya!**

**God's Word, Forefather's Belief's & Party Positions**

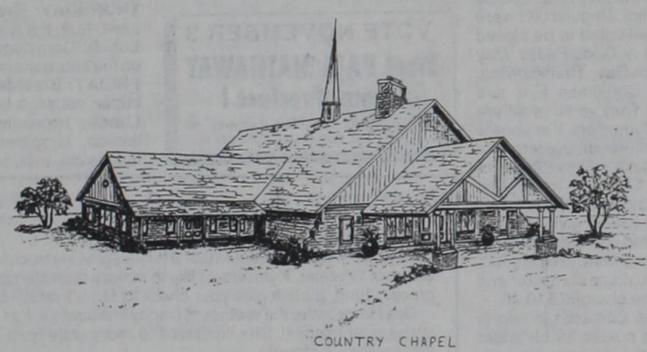
Psalm 9:17, "The wicked shall be turned into hell, and all the nations that forget God." In the beginning of this nation, there was an enormous influence of Christianity and Biblical principals. There was respect for God and His requirements. Some people try to tell us today that our Founding Fathers set up a secular nation. Facts prove otherwise. In 1892, the United States Supreme Court made an exhaustive study of the connection between Christianity and the government of the United States. After reviewing hundreds of volumes of historical documents, the Court said, "These references . . . add a volume of unofficial declarations to the mass of organic utterances that this is a religious people . . . a Christian nation."

The Mayflower Compact began "In the name of God, Amen." It said the effort of the people coming over on that ship included "the propagation of the Christian faith." The Declaration of Independence includes four references to God. Numerous historical buildings in our nation's capital have Bible stories, inscriptions, or quotations engraved on them, including the Supreme Court building itself. Moses and the tablets of the Ten Commandments are engraved on the Supreme Court. I have seen it with my own eyes.

So, it used to be that politicians and leaders were for the most part God-fearing, Bible-respecting people. Today, the Bible isn't considered an authority, much less THE authority. The Forefathers had respect for life and believed it was given by God. They declared that all men are created equal and that unalienable rights given by God to all people include the "right to life"

There is quite a difference between what the Democratic Party and the Republican party stands for this year. The Republican platform says, "We believe the unborn child has a fundamental individual right to life which cannot be infringed." The Democratic platform says, "Democrats stand behind the right of every woman to choose, consistent with Roe vs. Wade, regardless of ability to pay, and support a national law to protect that right." It appears to me that somebody has moved quite a distance from the fundamental position upon which this country was founded.

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COUNTRY CHAPEL

Two years ago on Easter Sunday, a new church—called "Country Chapel"—was born in our community. In less than three years, it has grown through the addition of many families and the grace of our precious Lord.

This coming Sunday, September 20th, we are excited to announce that our first service will be held in our new church building—Bible Study-9:45 A.M. and Worship-11:00 A.M. Our dedication service will be Sunday, October 4th at 3:00 P.M. We cordially invite all of you to be there and help us celebrate and dedicate our new facility to the Lord.

Also, be looking forward to October 4th, as the beginning of our revival with Brother Jerry Hogan, former pastor of First Baptist Church in Wheeler. He and Linda are currently serving as missionaries to Ecuador. (Look for more information next week.)