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Jimmy Harris Is Winner Grand Championship In Top O' Texas Affair

Jimmy Harris of Kelton walked away with top honors in the Top O' Texas Junior Livestock Show which was held at Pampa the first of the week by guiding his 1,055-pound steer, "Eddie," to the grand championship of the show.

Observers stated Harris' calf was far superior to any other shown and was as near perfect as a beef calf can be.

Harris was also judged first in the senior division, Carrell Pitecock also of Kelton placed third in the senior division which is the same position he occupied in the Wheeler County show a week earlier, Jamie Clark of Wheeler placed sixth in the senior division and seventh in the junior division, Gene Watson of Kelton placed seventh in the senior division and Tom Lamon, Jr. of Mobeetie placed sixth in the junior division.

Considering the fact that 1948 was Wheeler County's first year to exhibit stock in the Pampa show, it is significant to note that in addition to having the grand champion of the show, Wheeler County took four of the first six places in the senior division and two of the first six places in the junior division.

Harris' calf sold for \$100 per pound bringing him a total of \$105,500 after shrinkage was taken. The calf was bought by the Lynn Boyd Lumber Co. of Pampa.

Cecil Denson bought a calf entered by Max Baird, Johnson Grain Co., Cecil Richerson and Bill Owen went together to buy a pig which was entered in the show by Jamie Clark, Jack Miller of Mobeetie bought Tom Lamon, Jr.'s calf and the Mobeetie Lion's club bought Joe Van Zandt's calf.

Sixteen Wheeler County calves belonging to Jimmy Harris, Kelton, Carrell Pitecock, Kelton, Gene Watson, Kelton, Jamie Clark, Wheeler, Doyle Greenhouse, Wheeler, M. L. Rowan, Wheeler, Richard Brown, Wheeler, Tom Lamon, Jr., Mobeetie, Joe Van Zandt, Mobeetie, Bob Westberry, Mobeetie, Bill Godwin, Mobeetie, Douglas Corse, Mobeetie, Max Baird, Kelton, Leon Moore, Wheeler, and Harold Loyd Lee, Wheeler were entered in the Pampa show.

Jimmie Harris won the junior herdsman award for keeping the neatest stall and the best groomed calf throughout the show. His prize was a sack of feed.



SEN. GRADY HAZELWOOD

HAZELWOOD TO SPEAK TO GROUP

The Wheeler County Teacher's Association which is the local unit of the State Teacher's Association will hold a meeting at the Clark Auditorium in Shamrock Friday night, March 4 beginning at 8 P. M. according to George Weems president of the organization.

President Weems will preside at the meeting at which State Senator Grady Hazelwood will be the principal speaker. Hazelwood will discuss some of the bills pertaining to school finance according to President Weems.

Everyone who is interested in schools or school finance is urged to attend the meeting.

FARMERS URGED TO SELL SCRAP

There is now a drive under way to collect all the scrap metal possible from every source in order that manufacturers may be able to turn out the farm machinery and automobiles the public is clamoring for and alleviate the shortage which has existed since early in the late war.

The three implement dealers in Wheeler, Hibler Implement Co., Holdeman Implement Co. and Nash Appliance & Supply Co. are running an advertisement on another page of today's Times urging everyone who has any scrap metal of any sort around their place to sell it to one of the dealers who are paying market prices for this material.

The old junk you have laying around your place may not appear to be much and you may not think it would amount to anything when it comes to the building of a new tractor or a new automobile, but just stop to think how many others have an equal amount of the same kind of junk laying around rusting and in the way and remember that if all of you gather this up and sell it, the pile soon grows very high.

No matter how much pure iron ore the steel mills have, it appears that they cannot make steel without a certain amount of scrap iron. Local implement dealers did not completely analyze the manufacture of steel but simply stated it is imperative that the steel mills have scrap iron to go in their mixture.

Local firms which are buying scrap iron include Beaty's Welding Shop and Bob Rodgers.

F. F. A. Sweetheart Contest Will Draw To Close Fri., March 5

James Clepper, vocational agriculture instructor, reports Miss Billie V. Brown one of the senior candidates for F. F. A. sweetheart is in the lead in the race to see who will be given the honor of becoming F. F. A. Sweetheart of this school term.

The winner of the contest will be honored at a program and box supper which is being sponsored by the F. F. A. chapter and is to be held at the Wheeler Gymnasium Friday night, March 5.

Clepper stated members of the chapter would place jars in local stores the first of next week so that it will be convenient for the people of this community to vote for their favorite candidates.

Mrs. W. L. Williams and Mrs. Charlie Sandifer returned from Amarillo Tuesday night after visiting with Mrs. Welton Sandifer who underwent major surgery at an Amarillo hospital recently.

KAVANAUGH POINTS OUT CUT IN STATE AID

The Legislative Accountant has notified the school superintendents that the State will pay 84% of the approved salary aid grant. The cut in state aid to schools is due to the insufficient amount of the appropriation for financing the schools according to the school budget as is required in House Bill 295. County Superintendent Allen Kavanaugh stated.

The State Teachers Association, the Joint Legislative Committee and many of the laymen of Texas have requested the Governor to call a special session of Legislature to appropriate an additional \$3,000,000. (three million dollars) in order that the schools will be allowed to operate the full school term.

The schools of Wheeler County will lose \$8,435.84 if the additional appropriation is not made. School trustees have abided by the laws of Texas by making legal contracts with teachers and other employees. The contract salaries for teachers was determined by the law based on the teacher's college training and experience. After making contracts and planning for the spending of school monies, trustees have been notified that there is not enough money to pay the bills. When the receipts for school funds are estimated accurately, school trustees have an exceedingly difficult assignment in planning a budget. Without this information, such an assignment is impossible.

Since the State Senator and State Representative for this district have faithfully supported all worthy school bills, it is the opinion of school teachers and trustees that our local lawmakers will come to the rescue of the schools by helping grant an additional appropriation if the Governor of Texas will call a special session of Legislature.

The Wheeler, Mobeetie and Kelton schools will each lose over a thousand dollars and Shamrock will lose over three thousand while other schools in the county will lose varying amounts as shown by the table given below:

School	Approved Grant	Amount of 16% Cut
Bethel	\$ 655.00	\$ 104.80
Briscoe	3,799.00	607.48
Kelton	8,058.00	1,289.28
Lela	134.00	21.44
Twitty	1,995.00	319.20
Shamrock	20,519.00	3,283.04
Wheeler	8,617.00	1,378.72
Mobeetie	8,947.00	1,431.52
Total	52,724.00	8,435.84

Mobeetie Will Try To Repeat As Champions In The Valley League

Frank Cooke, manager of the Mobeetie baseball team in the Red River Valley League last season, has announced Mobeetie will again have an entry in the same league.

The Red River Valley League will again be composed of eight teams with entries from Mobeetie, Wellington, Hedley, Childress, Memphis, Acme, Turkey, and Kinkland.

Acme, Turkey and Hedley are taking places of Quannah, Quail and Clarendon.

The Mobeetie club won the championship of the league last season and manager Cooke states they will make every effort to repeat the performance during the coming season.

F. F. A. Judging Team Places At Pampa Show

Wheeler's F. F. A. Judging Team entered the livestock judging contests at the Top O' Texas Show in Pampa this week and entered 12th among the 16 teams entered.

The 12th place rating for the Wheeler team is very good considering the fact that this is the first year Vocational Agriculture has been taught in the Wheeler schools for some time and considering also the fact that many of the boys on other teams have been judging for two years.

Happy Martin of the local team placed fourth in the beef cattle division and was high man in the contest. There were 48 men in the contest.

The Wheeler judging team was made up of Happy Martin, Harold Hardcastle and Gene Colliers.

Newspaper Advertising Pays



GRAND CHAMPION—Pictured above is Jimmy Harris of Kelton with his 1,055-pound steer, "Eddie," which was adjudged grand champion of the Wheeler County Show February 15 and went on to win the same honor in the Top O' Texas Junior Livestock Show at Pampa last Monday. Also pictured with Harris is Assistant County Agent Ralph Jones, who is in charge of boys 4-H Club work in the county, and Ed Davis of Erick, Okla. who was the breeder of the calf.



RESERVE CHAMPION—Pictured above is Jamie Clark with his calf which took first place honors and reserve championship of the Wheeler County 4-H Club and F. F. A. Boys Calf Show held in Wheeler February 14. Clark placed seventh in the junior division of the Top O' Texas Show at Pampa. Clark won the showmanship award both at Wheeler and Pampa Shows. Pictured with Clark is Ralph Jones, assistant county agent.

STOCKMEN TO SPRAY RANGES

Recent reports indicate that 2 4-D offers promise in controlling some of the brushy plants that infest range land, according to Victor L. Cade, State Production and Marketing Administration Commissioner.

Tests conducted during the last two summers in the Texas panhandle and in nearby Woodward, Oklahoma, have indicated that a spray made up of 2, 4-D, soda, diesel oil, and water applied by airplane will kill sand sage, skunk-bush and sandplum.

Stockmen have been so impressed with the results that they have arranged to have about 30,000 acres sprayed this coming spring at a cost of about \$2 per acre. Farmers and ranchers planning to use this method of eliminating sage and other bushes and shrubs on their non-crop pasture and range land should contact the County AAA Office or the county committee for information on payments being offered under the Agricultural Conservation Program to help pay the cost of the operation. Payments on this practice are governed by the percentage of infestation of the plants to be destroyed and a 100 per cent kill must be accomplished. The pasture or range must be inspected by a representative of the county committee before the spray is applied if payment is desired for the practice.

Mr. and Mrs. Allen Kavanaugh were visitors in Clarendon Tuesday night.

Jack Worth Fullingim, who is a junior student at Howard Payne College, was listed on the honor roll for the fall semester at Howard Payne. He is the son of Rev. and Mrs. P. D. Fullingim, formerly of this city.

FREY ATTENDS WHEAT SCHOOL

Interest ran high at the wheat school held at Shamrock at the Tidal Implement Co. according to Keats Soder, Director, Texas-Oklahoma Wheat Improvement Program, who was in charge. Of the seven attendees six stayed for the full course of instruction and took the variety identification test. Of these all six were "graduated" and will be presented certificates of merit as "Primary Selectors" of wheat varieties. In a few hours they all learned enough about kernel characteristics to distinguish between "good" and "poor" milling and baking wheat, advised Mr. Soder.

Heading the staff of instructors at Shamrock for the school was Fred Dines of the Agricultural Department of Tex-O-Kan Flour Mills, Amarillo. Mr. Dines who is the national leader in this field, spent two hours outlining the subject for those present. Another instructor was Kenneth R. Porter of the Texas Agricultural Experiment Station, Amarillo.

Market premiums for good quality wheat varieties that have been paid at major markets such as Fort Worth, Amarillo, Kansas City and Omaha, all fall, are now being passed on to local elevators. Mr. Soder announced at the school. "The day of one price for wheat is already over at the terminals and about over at country points. Local managers who thought it impossible to keep "good" and "poor" wheats separate a year ago are now looking for a way to get the most money for their wheat," Mr. Soder told the group.

Certificates of Merit was awarded to the following: W. K. Frey of Wheeler, J. W. Thomas, J. D. Smith, Curtis L. Thaxton and Earl Kehler all of Wellington and E. C. Hofmann of Shamrock.

GIVE

CROSS TO DRIVE ON MARCH FIRST

McIlhenny, chairman of the Red Cross drive committee for Wheeler County, announced this week that the drive will be held on March 1 and will continue throughout the month of March.

He stated there would be a canvas made of the Mobeetie, Wheeler, Briscoe and Kelton and the drive will be held in the funds which were raised by the Red Cross during the month of January.

McIlhenny announced the committee for the drive is headed by E. J. Holt, Jr. who is the business manager of the bank, S. D. Jones, who will have charge of the drive on the business block south of the city, Dr. V. N. Hall who is in charge of the industrial section, and Homer Moss who is in charge of the collection of the drive.

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THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 26, 1948

Editorial

The 1948 drive for funds with which to operate the American Red Cross for another year opens March first and everyone in America will

be asked to give according to the bigness of his heart to one of the worthiest organizations on earth either in time of peace or war.

The people of Texas had two excellent chances to see the Red Cross perform in times of disaster during the past twelve months and we believe that if they will just stop one minute and think of the good things the Red Cross accomplished both in the tornado disaster at Glazier, Higgins and Woodward then in the Texas City disaster they will dig deep in their pockets to help build up a fund for this worthy organization in order that they may have sufficient money on hand in case of any sort of disaster.

In the Higgins disaster, which was the closer to home, the American Red Cross spent over two hundred thousand dollars on relief and rehabilitation and in the Texas City disaster its expenditures were more than one million dollars.

The greater portion of the money contributed to the American Red Cross stays right here at home in a fund which is administered by your friends and neighbors and a large sum was taken from this fund last year when the news of the tornado reached here and taken to the stricken people of the Glazier and Higgins communities. . . this sum has not been replaced and you are called on to give generously in order that the Wheeler Red Cross Chapter may replenish its funds which are always available to those who really need them.

The Red Cross not only helps in cases of disaster but steps in when it appears that people are destitute and cannot go on without assistance of some sort.

The Red Cross also had many war-time duties one of the most important of which was the collection of blood which was turned into plasma and stored in banks and was administered all over the

world and saved many lives. Prepare now to make a generous donation to YOUR American Red Cross. . . don't wait to be called on for a donation, send your checks to Grainger McIlhany, Wheeler, Texas. McIlhany is chairman of the campaign for north Wheeler County.

Use Gamma Globulin To Protect From Measels

With the incidence of measels more than three times higher than the seven year median, Dr. Geo. W. Cox, State Health Officer, has issued a statement concerning the use of gamma globulin for protecting very young or frail children from an attack of this perennial childhood disease and its often serious complications.

"If you have a child less than five years old who has been exposed to measels, your doctor may recommend giving him gamma globulin," Dr. Cox advised. "Through city, county or state health departments, doctors can obtain gamma globulin free, when parents are unable to pay. Infants and children, whose health makes it inadvisable for them to suffer an attack of measels, may postpone the disease if gamma globulin is administered within eight days from the time of exposure.

The State Health Officer emphasized the fact that gamma globulin cannot give a child permanent protection against measels and added that the protection against measels is ordinarily of about three weeks duration. However, there is no limit to the number of times it can be used, and a baby who is protected by it now can be protected by it again in June or July. Gamma Globulin can go on shielding him against measels until he is old enough and strong enough to stand an attack without serious consequences.

During an outbreak of measels Dr. Cox said that it is well to keep children under five years of age, and more especially frail children, away from all other youngsters who might serve as sources of infection. Statistics show that nine-tenths of all measels deaths occur in children under five years of age.

Francisco Pizarro was the Spanish conqueror of Peru.

Church Calendar

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH

Sunday School 10:00 a. m.
Morning Worship 11:00 a. m.
Evening Worship 7:00 p. m.
W.M.U. Monday 2:30 p. m.
Prayer Service, Wed. 7:00 p. m.
Teacher's Meet. Friday 7:00 p. m.
We preach Christ crucified, buried, risen, and coming again.
M. E. SMITH, Pastor

CHURCH OF CHRIST

Bible Classes 10:00 a. m.
Worship and Sermon 11:00 a. m.
Evening Worship 7:00 p. m.
Ladies Bible Class, Mon. 3:00 p. m.
Wed. Eve. Classes 7:00 p. m.
B. M. LITTON, Minister

THE METHODIST CHURCH

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Morning Worship 11:00 A. M.
Vespers 5:00 P. M.
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Howard S. Bridges, Pastor

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TWITTY BAPTIST CHURCH

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Morning Worship 11:00 a. m.
Evening Worship 8:00 p. m.
Mid-week prayer service 8:00 p. m.
A. C. LYONS, Pastor

KELTON METHODIST CHURCH

Church School 10:00 a. m.
Preaching 11:00 a. m. on second and fourth Sundays.
MYF. WSCS and Bible Study 7:30 p. m.
Preaching 8:00 p. m. on second and fourth Sundays.
H. R. BENNETT, Pastor

KELTON BAPTIST CHURCH

Sunday School each Sunday at 10:00 a. m.
T. U. each Sunday at 7:30 p. m.
Preaching each Sunday at 11:00 a. m. and 8:30 p. m.
A. G. ROBERTS, Pastor

BRISCOE METHODIST CHURCH

Sunday School Each Sunday 10:00 a. m.
Preaching, second and fourth Sundays 11:00 a. m. and 8:00 p. m.
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ALLISON METHODIST CHURCH

Sunday School Each Sunday 10:00 a. m.
Preaching, first and third Sundays 11:00 a. m. and 8:00 p. m.
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ALLISON BAPTIST CHURCH

Sunday School 10:00 a. m.
Preaching Service 11:00 a. m.
Training Union 7:30 p. m.
Preaching Service 8:30 p. m.
L. P. FORT, Pastor

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH
Mobeetie, Texas

Sunday School 10:00 a. m.
Morning Worship 11:00 a. m.
Training Union 7:30 p. m.
Evening Worship 8:30 p. m.
Prayer Meeting, Wed. 8:00 p. m.
R. L. COOKSEY, Pastor

CHURCH OF THE NAZARENE

Sunday School 10 a. m.
Worship 11 a. m.
Evening Worship 7:15 p. m.
Prayer Meeting Thurs. 8 p. m.
J. D. ROEDLER, Pastor

ALLISON PENTECOSTAL CHURCH

Sunday School 10:00 a. m.
Worship 11:00 a. m.
Young Folks Service 7:30 p. m.
Worship 8:00 p. m.
Wednesday Night Prayer Meeting 8:00 p. m.
REV. ROBERT ESTES, Pastor

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Mobeetie, Texas

Church School 10:00 a. m.
Morning Worship 11:00 a. m.
M. G. F. Meeting 6:45 p. m.
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Wed. Evening Prayer Service 7:30 p. m.
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S. H. SALLEY, Pastor

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Mrs. Walker Hostess
Briscoe H. D. Club

The Briscoe Home Demonstration Club met Tuesday, February 17, with Mrs. Clifton Walker as hostess.

Miss Tamsey Riley was in charge of the program which was on Simple Parliamentary Procedure. The members enjoyed a lively drill after Miss Riley discussed rules for conducting a meeting and other rules of parliamentary procedure.

Refreshments were served to Mesdames Lloyd, Oden, K. Douthitt, Oden, Hudson, L. J. Helm, Malcolm Levitt, Henry Lee, Sy Mason, Ed Riley, Lucille Tipps, Roy Waters, Clarence Zybach, Ernest Zybach, Miss Tamsey Riley and the hostess, Mrs. Walker. The next meeting will be in the club house, March 2, with Mrs. Lucille Tipps as hostess.

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SOCIETY

Porter Gives on At Club Meet

Wheeler Home Demonstration Club met recently at the club in the Court House responding to roll call Mesdames A. Minor, J. A. J. M. Porter, Simms and

Following a short business meeting, Mrs. J. M. Porter, our Wheeler Club parliamentarian, gave a very interesting lesson on "Parliamentary Procedure". The club recently purchased a curtain stretcher and anyone wishing to rent it may do so by contacting Mrs. Emma Hastings or Mrs. A. Minor. The fee is fifty cents. The next meeting will be held Wednesday March 3, at 2:30 p. m. at the home of Mrs. A. Minor. The subject, "New Methods of Vegetable Cookery". Members will bring flower seeds or bulbs to trade with someone else.

SCOTT'S SCRAP BOOK

By R. J. SCOTT

THE MOST A STRONG GROWN EAGLE CAN CARRY WHILE IN FLIGHT IS TWO POUNDS.

WHAT IS THE SO-CALLED PLINT USED IN MOST CIGARETTE LIGHTERS? AN ALLOY OF IRON AND CERUIUM.

THERE ARE 4,000 WAYS TO SPELL SHAKESPEARES NAME.

ICEBERGS WHEN WARMED BY THE SUN OFTEN CRACK OPEN WITH VIOLENCE AND LOUD NOISES BECAUSE OF INSIDE STRAIN.

BILL PRICE—Bill Price came to Briscoe his sixth year in school from Arkansas. He is now getting used to wearing shoes even tho he can't get any to fit. Bill has been very interested in all sports especially basketball and baseball. Bill has been a star player for three years. Bill plans to rest from the great strain of school after he finishes here this year. Bill has won many basketballs for his outstanding playing.

JACK FINSTERWALD—Jack has spent all of his school days in Briscoe. He has been outstanding in sports of all kinds especially basketball. Jack has lettered three years in basketball. He is a favorite of all the high school, especially among the girls, even tho he seems quite unconcerned. Jack will also finish this year with high honors and plans also to rest for the rest of his life. Look in next weeks issue for more of these great personalities.

SPORTS NEWS
On Tuesday the 10th of February, Canadian girls and boys came to Briscoe to play basketball. Faye Francis was unable to play on account of a bad cold. The final score was 6 to 12 in favor of Briscoe. Plans have been made twice to go to Quail and Mobeetic, but bad weather has interfered. At the present time no plans have been made to return the games.

The girls are making big plans to attend the District Tournament at White Deer February 27-29. Hope the good weather keeps up. Let's wish the girls good luck. After basketball season is over the girls plan to take up tennis and Volley Ball.

BOYS SPORTS NEWS
The Briscoe boy's team defeated the Canadian team. The score was 30 to 20. Bill Price scored 17 points. We hope to play Mobeetic and Quail in the near future. This will about end up our basketball season this year. We will then take up baseball. We challenge all other schools around here.

Balboa was the first Spanish explorer to see the Pacific Ocean. Russia sold Alaska to the U. S. for \$7,200,000.

SOCIETY

Mrs. H. E. Nicholson Entertains Study Club

The Wednesday Study Club observed its annual "Guest Day" Thursday, February 12, in the lovely home of Mrs. H. E. Nicholson, Sr.

The club waiting list and members of the Junior Study Club were guests. Mrs. George L. Standlee of Shamrock was guest artist for the afternoon and delightfully entertained the group with a review of "Home For Christmas", a simple, wholesome and homey story by Loyd Douglass. Mrs. R. J. Holt, Jr. sang "A Perfect Day" by Bonds. She was accompanied by Miss Margaret Ann Holt.

Those present to enjoy the occasion were: Mesdames Newbourne, L. D. Laughlin, Dallas Geo. Standlee, R. J. Holt, Jr., G. A. Goad, Earl Barnes, Fred Farmer, Lester Robertson, W. K. Frey, guests and members, Mesdames S. Y. Allgood, Lee Guthrie, Carl Laffin, Floyd Pennington, H. M. Wiley, C. J. Meek, J. W. Barr, Harold Nash, Henderson Coffman, Harrison Hall, Nelson Porter, Cora Hyatt, R. D. Holt, J. M. Porter, Frank Wofford, Max Wiley, Harry Wofford, R. Wm. Brown and the hostess, Mrs. Nicholson.

Former Wheeler Girl Is Wed In California

Miss Floy Clark, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. T. (Buster) Clark of Wasco, Calif., became the bride of Don C. Kraft, son of Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Kraft of Lake City, Iowa, on Saturday, January 31, in Las Vegas, Nevada, with Rev. Carter of the Christian Church officiating.

The bridal attendants were Mr. and Mrs. James Douglas, Eugene Elieshur, who accompanied the party to Las Vegas, also witnessed the ceremony.

The bride wore as her wedding costume, a suit of aqua with brown accessories.

Mrs. Kraft is a graduate of the Wasco Union High School, with the class of 1946. She has been employed as secretary at the Hunt Motor Company since last May.

The groom served with the U. S. Navy for three years, receiving his discharge in January. He is now employed with the Wasco Hardware Co.

Mrs. Kraft will be remembered here as the granddaughter of M. L. Clark of this city and Mr. and Mrs. T. W. Reid of Clovis, N. M.

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(Written For Last Week)

SENIOR NEWS
The seniors received their proofs for their senior pictures. Most of them are pretty well pleased with them although they don't do much for the boys. Also the annual pictures came in over the weekend and most of them were better than the senior proofs.

The seniors are thinking pretty much about their trip this spring and they can't decide whether to stay three or four weeks. Does anybody have any suggestions? (school board)

Laverne enjoyed the Mobeetic play very much Monday night as she was in her seventh heaven.

Bill writing some mysterious letters the first of the week. Have you received an answer yet Bill?

JUNIOR NEWS
The junior class have received their play books and have practiced a few times since. Their plans are to have it ready to put on by March 19.

Thurman had a wonderful time Monday night. Thurman is awful good company isn't he Thurman?

Rosemary had a little company Tuesday at noon. Johnnie was in a hurry Rosemary.

Gloria and Janice have been going out with brothers lately. Well girls do you have pull.

PERSONALITY
In the next few issues we are going to print a personality or should we say a character of Briscoe high and we hope that you will know more about them when we are finished.

BOBBY ZYBACH—Bobby started his first year here at Briscoe and has been here ever since. Every since he has been in grammar school he has been particularly interested in sports. He has lettered in basketball three years. He also states that he has lettered one year in football. Bobby plans to attend Texas Tech and study law.

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- FOR SALE**—No. 1 Alfalfa hay, Hefley, Gageby, Texas, 10-2p.

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FOR SALE—1946 practically new 2-ton Chevrolet truck, factory grain bed, 1946 WC Allis-Chalmers tractor and equipment, Philpott Farm Equipment, Miami, Texas, 8-4tp.

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For Commissioner,

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MOBEETIE HI-LIFE

Published each week by the students of Mobeetie High School. Editor—Nancy Ware. Assistant Editor—Mary Louise Matthews. Senior Reporter—Betty Jean Patton. Junior Reporter—Beverly Caldwell. Sophomore Reporter—Geneva Reynolds. Freshman Reporter—Betty Jo McCray. 8th Grade Reporter—Virginia Ware. Sports Reporter—Boys: Onie Sims. Girls: Virginia Henderson.

JUNIOR NEWS

(Personality)
Name—LOU BECK.
Birthday—April 5.
Color of hair—Brown.
Color of eyes—Blue (after a fashion).
Likes—Boys.
Dislikes—Girls.
Ambition—To be a good housewife.
Favorite teacher—Mrs. Crowley.
Favorite food—Strawberry shortcake.
Lou started to school at Magic City. She attended there six years. After that she went to Borger. She attended there 2 years. She came to Mobeetie and entered school as a freshman at mid-term. She was reporter of the sophomore class and is secretary of the junior class. She has taken an active part in basketball the last two years. She has won 2 gold basketballs this year, one at Wheeler Invitation Tournament and the other at the county which was held at Shamrock.
The junior class presented their play Monday night. We had a very good night for it and there was a good attendance. We made \$132.25 at the play and a net profit of \$126.67. We were very pleased with the outcome. Afterwards we had a party at the Legion Hut with our class sponsors and a few outside guests included. Everyone reported a good time. We wish to express our thanks and appreciation to Mrs. Glenn Render who sponsored our play.
Mrs. Render has gone to be with her mother who was operated on Wednesday. Mrs. Van Zandt is taking her place until she returns. It seems the junior class is having all the bad luck this year. We lost another member, Edwin Hogan and Charlotte Hayes were married Saturday night. We hope the rest of the junior class can finish high school together.

"NICK-NAMES"

SENIOR CLASS:
Delton—Moonfixer, Dimples.
Hugh—Rockie.
Thomas—Tommy or Tom.
Vernie—Curley.
Marion—Preacher.
Onie—Bookworm.
Virginia—June.
Mary Louise—Weezie.
Kittie Ann—Nancy or Nan.
Betty Jean—Patty Jean or Pat.
Doris Fern—Foris Fern.
Sidney—Sid.
David—Brightness.
Nellie—Nell.
L. D.—Nothing.
Joyce—Sweetness.
Bonnie—Forgetful.

SENIOR NEWS

The seniors are still working on their annual. There is so much work to do, and as this is the first annual, they have to learn everything new. The seniors are trying to be patient with themselves and hope everyone else will do the same. They have all the material together but the big problem is getting it in order and on the right pages.

Everyone that went with the seniors Thursday night have some sore sides from laughing at Nellie. What about it Nellie?

Sidney, the invitations are really cute. We like them.

Tom and Doyle spent Monday and Tuesday in Pampa at the Fat Stock Show. We hope they had a good time.

Betty spent this weekend in Pampa.

Nancy, did you go to Amarillo Saturday night, as usual?

Mary Louise and Bill are really getting good going to Wheeler every Saturday night.

Doris spent Tuesday night with Betty. Nancy spent Thursday night with her. Poor Betty!

The senior boys were well represented in Wheeler Saturday night.

(Personalities)

SENIOR—Hugh (Rockie) Jeffus has brown hair and blue eyes. Hugh, better known as Rockie to his classmates is an outstanding student in the senior class. He takes part in very little sport, but is a good sport fan and always ready to back them up. Rockie was voted favorite boy of the senior class. He is well liked by everyone and is noted for his good looks. Rockie went to school at Union the first three years and was transferred to Mobeetie in the fourth grade. He has been a member of the present class since. He is six feet tall and weighs 155. He likes to run around. Dislikes work of any kind. His ambition is to be a millionaire. His favorite sport is swimming. His favorite teacher is Mrs. Scribner. His favorite subject is study hall.

BASKETBALL NEWS

The girls played Wheeler last Tuesday night, February 17 at Mobeetie. They won the game by 2 points. There aren't any games scheduled for this week so far.

The boys won their game by one point which was a free shot by Joe Fred. Also the B boys won their game. It was a complete victory for Mobeetie.

GUESS WHO?

ANSWER: Joy Davis.
She is a junior girl. She plays basketball exceptionally well. She is a lot of fun and we all like her. She has light blue eyes and dark hair. Guess Who?

HOSPITAL NEWS

Rev. and Mrs. M. B. Smith of Wheeler are the happy parents of a son, David Lawrence, born February 20.

Lavoy Stewart of Mobeetie entered for treatment February 20. Baby of A. B. Davis of Kelton entered for treatment February 20. Baby of Roy Waters, Briscoe, entered for treatment February 22.

Mrs. Perry Riley, Briscoe, was a medical patient February 22.

Son of Ray Davis, Wheeler, entered for treatment February 22. Daughter of S. M. Dixon, Briscoe, entered for treatment February 22.

Mrs. Holt Green of Wheeler was a medical patient February 23.

Mrs. Jim Barton, Mobeetie, entered for treatment February 23.

Daughter of Vinson Smith of Mobeetie entered for treatment February 23.

Mrs. D. D. Vines of Kelton entered for treatment February 23.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Joshi of Kelton are the parents of a son born February 24.

Baby of Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Hiltbruner of Twitty entered for treatment February 24.

Mrs. I. D. Bower of Reydon entered for treatment February 24.

Thomas Jefferson's home is called Monticello.

Cathrine I. Empress of Russia, was originally a peasant girl.

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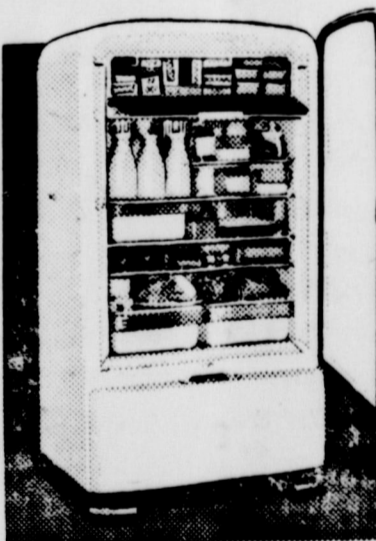
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Broadcast: February 28, 1948

1/2 cup rolled oats, 1 cup sifted, all-purpose flour, 1/2 cup fat milk, 1/2 cup water, 2 tablespoons melted shortening, 2 teaspoons sugar, 1/4 teaspoon salt.

Put oats into mixing bowl. Add mixture of milk, water and melted shortening. Let stand 10 min. Turn on oven; set at hot (425° F.). Grease well 12 two-inch muffin tins. Sift together remaining ingredients. Add milk mixture all at once, mixing quickly but thoroughly. Divide among muffin tins, filling 3/4 full. Bake on oven shelf slightly above center 20 min., or until brown. Serve warm.

You Will Need:
Tall Can PET MILK 13 1/2c
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Nella May
Sopomore Reporter: _____
Fresman Reporter: _____
and _____

F. F. A. NEWS

Friday the Freshman F. F. A. class started their F. F. A. officers. They are as follows: President: Martin Hill, Vice-President: Lucille Richardson, Secretary-Treasurer: Reporter: George Ford, Song Leader: _____, Parliamentarian: _____, Treasurer: _____, and _____.

At our meeting we decided to get the materials and make up some jackets. They'll be delivered by the F. F. A. members on the last day.



"TALK UP OR CHECK THE DL AND WHAT WILL YOU TALK FOR THOSE BIG SMITH WORK CLOTHES?"

RUSS VARIETY

will also get our names on the front. The same will apply to the team.

SENIOR NEWS

Young Clark is a senior. He is secretary-treasurer of the class this year. He is the best in the school. He is a very good student. He is a very good person. He is a very good friend.

Jimmy was certainly getting ready for the coming year.

areas from the loss of his face. The F. F. A. boys had assembly this morning. They had a meeting and elected a few officers.

George we hear your husband has a good candy recipe. Why didn't you let us about it so we could have made the candy for the party Wednesday night.

JUNIOR NEWS

The juniors have selected and created their play. The name of it is "The New Look".

What fun they finally got you didn't they? Be sure and work hard now.

Yvonne, where's your class now? They're out at the school.

What's the name of the play? "The New Look".

Yvonne, I wonder that you had a few weeks to get your class ready for the play.

Margaret, where did you get those bright red gloves? They're pretty.

Yvonne, how do you get away with such things?

What's the name of the play? "The New Look".

So when we see that movie.

Mr. Williams said your movie was "The New Look".

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Dear, we saw you and _____ at the gym, and his favorite teacher is Mr. Tanager.

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Here's How You Can Help

During the war, you were told that in order to supply the need for war materials, the steel mills desperately needed scrap iron. You met this challenge and did a grand job.

Even though you do not hear as much about it now as you did then, the demand for scrap is as great NOW as it ever was. YOU farmers need new equipment more than ever before, most everyone could use a new car, but before we can get deliveries on enough merchandise to even begin to supply the demand the factories must have a steady flow of scrap metals. For the past few weeks several mills have been shut down due to the lack of scrap.

The General Motors Corporation has now started a scrap drive to help alleviate this situation and have asked all interested parties to participate in this campaign.

You, MR. FARMER, are not being asked to donate any junk metal to anyone, but, instead, are being urged to sell all the junk metal you have around your place to dealers who pay highest market prices for this scrap metal which is then sold to the steel mills and consequently to the manufacturers of farming equipment and automobiles.

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paper wads up off the study hall floor Friday?
 Bonnie, did you, Gienda, and Juanita enjoy sitting up at the desk with Miss Mahaffey Thursday. After all girls, you shouldn't make faces at each other in the mirror behind her.

Maurine, from what we hear and by the way you acted when you saw Juanita Saturday night, you must not like the long dresses. Which is the style nowadays?
 Lucille, did you, Leola, Wanda, and some of the other freshman girls have fun Wednesday at noon playing "ring-around-the-rosy"?
 Girls, you are in high school now, and should act your age.
 Edgar, are you really that interested in Georgia, or is it just any girl?
 Maurice, we surely like that car we see you driving! Hint!
 Glenda, were you glad to get to go to the tournament? David missed you.
 Georgia, was that R. J. we saw you with Saturday night? The way you get around we can't keep up with you.
 Dolly, you're really lucky. Not having to take the tests in Home Economics.
 James, did you enjoy General Science class Tuesday, with that artificial respiration giving, going on?
 Glenda, make up your mind. Is it J. T. now or are you just staying on the good side of him for other reasons?
 Juanita, were you disappointed again Saturday night. Friday too maybe?
 LeWayne, do you like snuff street in Shamrock?
 Billie, who was in that white car you like so well. Or do you like the looks of the inside of the car?
 Personalities

Name: GEORGIA FORD
 Age: 15
 Height: Five ft. four inches.
 Weight: 117 pounds.
 Color of hair: Brown.
 Color of eyes: Green.
 Likes: Different people.
 Dislikes: Paper-wad shooters.
 Favorite food: Sour limes, with salt.
 Favorite sport: Basketball.
 Favorite subject: Home Eco.
 Favorite teacher: All of them.
 Ambition: To be a housewife or nurse.
 Name: DICK PENDLETON
 Age: 14
 Height: Five foot, six inches.
 Weight: 125 pounds.
 Color of hair: Blonde.
 Color of eyes: Green.
 Likes: Certain freshman girls.
 Dislikes: To be bossed.
 Favorite food: Chocolate cake.
 Favorite sport: Basketball.
 Favorite teacher: Any of them.
 Favorite subject: Agriculture.
 Ambition: He probably doesn't even have one.

THE OLD HOME TOWN



EIGHTH GRADE NEWS

Mary Bob who took you to church Sunday night?
 Melvin, who took the ball outside?
 Carmelita, are you too good for boys?
 Who hid Mr Carrick's car keys?
 Mary Bob, who kept looking at you in church Sunday?
 Claudell, we wish we could see a letter you wrote to someone.
 Margaret, are you booked up for the week?
 Neal, you should have what was on the board Monday.
 Bonita, we can tell that you only curl your hair once a week.
 Dixie, who have you been writing letters to in code?
 John, how many days out of a week can you make it to school?
 James, we call that a way to get out of school.
 Claudell, was that his brother's wife's sister he was with, or was it Lillian?
 We are glad the eighth grade boys could take their calves to the fat stock show in Pampa.
 Carmelita, your dress is a little early for the season isn't it? We hope you won't freeze.

Lenard, are you so lonesome or do you still have a girl friend?
 Some of the eighth grade girls are finding out about some of Dick's girlfriends in Higgins.
 JoAnn, did you go to Shamrock Sunday afternoon with him?
 Mr. Baker and Anita are going to Mars to see if there is any life up there.

SEVENTH GRADE NEWS

She is five foot, two inches, has brown hair and blue eyes. She has gone to school all of her school years here except one. It so happens that she likes to play basketball very well. Her ambition is to be anything besides a school teacher. She seems to like Briscoe a lot and is always laughing in class. Her favorite subject is history and her favorite teachers are Mr. Baker and Mrs. Williams. Now guess who.
 Gossip
 La Juane, did you and Mary Helen have fun Saturday night?
 LaNell, school takes up at nine, not ten.
 Jo Ann, were you happy Friday?
 Loretta, what's wrong, we never hear any thing out of you?
 Sue, those paper wads hurt you know.
 La Juane, don't you like red heads?
 Seems as though the girls are getting to be regular tomboys.
 Carman are you still acting silly?

Nadine, what was wrong with your finger the other day? I guess that will teach you to fool with pins.

Fliptain, Mr. Baker said for you not to come to school to sleep.
 Jimmy, you and Buddy and Bobby are liable to hurt yourselves.

Mary Louise, you're getting to be a regular bookworm, come on, enjoy life with us.

Glen, Miss Decker said for you and John Dan to quit holding hands.

La Juane, I guess that will teach you to shoot paper wads.
 Carman, we thought you had got grown that baby stuff, sticking your tongue out at people and making faces.
 Pat, what a big mouth you've got.

Helen, Sue, Betty Lou, Marilyn, Mary Helen, Louise, Jo Ann, there are laws in Canadian if you do not know it.

GUESS WHO?

She is a junior girl, with brown hair, blue-green eyes, five foot, five inches tall, weighs 115 pounds. She didn't take part in any sports, but she takes part in every thing else happening here at school. She is as crazy as a loon, and can get along with nearly anyone. She is one of the smartest one of the juniors and she should be, cause she studies nearly all the time. We very seldom see her with any boy, but she tells us that it doesn't seem to bother her, because she loves them all.

BASKETBALL NEWS

The girls went to Wellington Thursday night, and they won their game by a (25-12) score. They were really proud of that, it was the first game they had won in a long time. They were defeated last Tuesday night by Mobeetie by four points. The boys were defeated by one point. And the "B" boys were also defeated by four points.
 The boys played in the District

Tournament for the past two weekends, and didn't have much luck. They are proud to say that one of their players, Bill Robertson, was one of the all District Basketball players.

We go to McLean this Friday night and we hope we can beat them. This will be the fourth time for the girls to play them.

Hand Signals Means Of Self Preservation

(Second of a Series)
 A call to arms was issued today by W. J. Elliott, Chief of the Texas Highway Patrol.

The arms referred to are the kind you stick through car windows to signal your intentions to other drivers.

"Hand signals are a means of self-preservation when you are driving an automobile, as well as a courtesy to the other fellow," Chief Elliott said.

He emphasized hand signals as one of the important laws designed to make motoring safer, and appealed for better voluntary observance of the regulation in "Learn and Obey Traffic Laws" operation with a nation wide program during February.

Captain Polk Ivy of the Amarillo District offered these hand signalling tips:

1. Give signals far enough in advance to allow the other driver to adjust himself—at least 100 feet.
2. Hand signals do not justify you in making an unexpected or illegal maneuver. For example, to make a left turn, be in the left lane before you reach the corner.
3. Get both hands back on the wheel before starting to turn.
4. Hand signals are not uniform throughout the country. A safe rule is to be prepared for anything when the driver holds out his hand.

A Child May Dare So Drive With Care

Austin mail



RUSS VARIETY
 Wheeler, Texas

COTTON ED SAYS:

MONEY DON'T GROW ON STALKS . . . THAT IS . . . LESSIN' THEY'RE COTTON STALKS



Ye kin depend, that regardless of bad weather an unfavorable conditions . . . Cotton is always King fer makin' us farmers that foldin' money

Yep . . . Sometimes a Cotton Crop gets a bad break an gets off to a start that looks plumb awful . . . Take last year . . . Fer awhile most ever crop looked like it was a goin' to do better 'n Cotton. I was shore a rantin' 'bout my plantin' . . . wishin I had less cotton an more a somethin' else. But Cindy (that's my woman) said, "Ed, it's plumb disgustin' that ye kin do somethin' all yer life an never learn nothin' 'bout it. Don't ye know cotton ain't King fer nothin' . . . an ain't ye learned by this time, that when it's all over an the money is counted that Cotton will leave ye more clear money than any other crop?"

Me and Cindy been raisin' cotton fer forty year and she knowed what she was a talkin' 'bout . . . It really paid off big last year. In them forty year it has allus added up that Cotton is the money crop . . . The dependable crop. Some years is better 'n others . . . but compared to other crops, cotton is always the one that leaves the most money on hand an keeps the mortgage off the farm . . . I wouldn't no more try farmin' without raisin' some cotton than I would try goin' to church without my suspenders.

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From where I sit . . . by Joe Marsh



Where Does Your Money Go?

Read the other day where country folks and farmers spend more money, proportionately, on their homes than city dwellers do.

may not have too much to spend—but it goes for those permanent, abiding comforts that make home a nicer place to be.

Doesn't seem hard to believe when you think it over. Take the folks in our town, for instance: They're home-loving people—who'd rather spend an evening by the fire with a mellow glass of beer than go out in search of entertainment or diversion.

And from where I sit, that budget calls for some of the niceties of home life too—like cider and popcorn for the kids from time to time, and a friendly glass of beer for Mom and Dad . . . things that belong with what we mean when we say "Home."

So it's only natural they put more into what means most to them and to their children: their homes. They

Joe Marsh

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What about students? They are what we call. They are what we call. They are what we call. They are what we call.

What about the future? They are what we call. They are what we call. They are what we call. They are what we call.

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CONGRATULATIONS ON YOUR VISUAL AID



These three young women, who are the recipients of the visual aids, are the winners of the contest. They are the winners of the contest. They are the winners of the contest.

MANY PUPILS IN NEED OF SOME VISUAL AID

By V. L. Ritter
Wheeler County Sanitarian

It is a recognized fact that the eyes of today have several times more reading than that of the past. This has led to a serious condition of the eyes.

The general public, as a whole, is unacquainted with the fact that the eyes are a very important part of the body. They are the windows of the soul.

work and personal comfort. All "near normals" who are uncomfortable (showing symptoms of myopia, blurring, spots, etc.) should use the same procedure as "normal" students for the same reason by a competent eye specialist.

Dr. J. M. Gosh has conducted these surveys, assisted by your county sanitarian, and surveys being conducted on Tuesdays and Thursdays of each week from the middle of last October. There remains approximately two months more work to be done in this survey.

Dr. Gosh states that there has been excellent cooperation throughout the survey on the part of school faculties and students participating. Surveys of the local school system did commence on Tuesday, February 24, beginning with the high school.

This survey method is now being consistently used in all school systems and is the basic standard for the majority of cases.

Brown Lights

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KELTON NEWS

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