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THE COUNTY SEAT NEWSPAPER

NK DEPOSITS \$200,701.25

eposits in the Mobeetie and eler banks amounted to \$1,399,-2.17 at the close of business Dec. 0, 1944, a gain of \$200,701.25 comd with the corresponding date in 943 according to figures released in accordance with a call made by the Banking Commissioner of Texas. Deposits in the Citizens State Bank of Wheeler increased from \$742,223.22 to \$896,273.30 and in the First State Bank of Mobeetie from \$456,898.70 to \$503,549.87.

NE MORE MEN O INTO SERVICE

Wine Wheeler County men were inrankcase, Coe, John D. McDowell, Sam E. ness district there in interest of the in England.

Thompson and N. F. Young Jr. J. T. drive.

Red was transferred to another board

Fifty per cent of the funds donated treatment in

Delay in announcing the names of the inductees was due to the fact local children crippled by infantile that some of them had to be given a second physical examination. Under directions from state headquarters the local board is not permitted to funds may be obtained from the na- because the Jerries were firing at us. elease the names of men going for and other induction or for their pre-induction accepted for military service or pass their pre-induction physical.

o gas and Besides these, twelve others who der early, left Jan. 2 are reported to have passed their pre-induction physical at the Oklahoma City center. The group inluded: L. Viencent Cobb, William Hagood Lewis, Coy Duard Parker, Wade G. Hampton, Robert Lester Leonard, J. W. Mann, John L. Hol-Macon Barbra Hassell, Law-Thomas Davis, Jr., Roy Francis Repairing Page, Jerrell Davis Russell and T. J. Patterson.

Scouts To Be Presented Charter Monday Night

physician will be presented pins.

All Scouts, boys wishing to become Mrs. Clark was before her marconnected with the local troop and She was born September 8, 1884, at vited to be at the presentation pro- home January 5, 1945, at the age of

local troop and fourteen of the group ber 30, 1900. She was converted and ROPERT are to receive registration cards and joined the Baptist Church at the age badges. Others will receive their's as of 28 years. She came to Wheeler soon as they are received from na- county with her family in 1915. tional headquarters. M. O. McKay is Scoutmaster for the Wheeler troop band, M. L. Clark, and seven children. while Harry Wofford, Homer Pitcock, Four children preceded her in death. coln. Ansel McDowell, Raymond Sayre, The children are: Mrs. Jeff Green

troop is still in need of several chairs Wheeler of McLean. for their hut and anyone having a useable discarded one of any kind that he will donate is asked to please get in touch with some Scouter.

Mr. and Mrs. Milton Finsterwald ere Shamrock visitors Wednesday.

Hospital News

and Mrs. T. A. Treadwell of etie are the parents of a son (solid oal born January 5.

Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Lancaster re the parents of a son born Jan. 6. and chair Mrs. Eugene Myers of Mobeetie

or treatment January 6.

W. Vineyard of McLean enter-

ent Jan. 9.

January 9.

on Newberry entered the hosor treatment Jan. 7.

Communities Asked To Direct Own March Of Dimes Drive Jan. 14-31

Harry Wofford, director for Wheeler County of the President's birthday celebrations and March of Dimes to fight the spread of infantile paralysis, this week requested the various communities over the county to plan their own local drive to raise funds for the worthy cause.

Wofford said that a scroll would be circulated in downtown Wheeler Saturday afternoon for the purpose of obtaining donors names. This scroll would later be sent to the headquarters of the National Foundation for Infantile Paraylsis so proper recognition could be given each donor listed.

Containers will be placed in business houses and anyone wishing to lucted into the armed services early make a contribution may do so by last week, the Wheeler County Selec- placing their money or check in one tive Service Board announced yester- of the containers. Contributions will day. The group that left here Jan- also be taken locally at the Rogue pary 3 for the Oklahoma City Induc- Theatre later in the drive. In a meettion station included Gilbert E. ing held this week in Shamrock it car this Byars, Albert J. Worley, Elton E. was planned the Legion Auxiliary would make a solicitation of the busi-

> ty and will provide treatment for surgeon. paralysis or to combat any epidemic diate area for a time and was on my that might break out in the county way to our foxholes," said Pfc. Bradand, if conditions warranted such, street. "It wasn't an easy trip either tional foundation to combat any such A couple of shells sounded pretty physical examinations until they are the funds go to help finance national fortunate I did so because one landed research to discover the cause of the nearby and I certainly would have disease and preventative measures been hurt badly if I had been stand-

While there was no serious threat Wheeler county during the past year, it will be remembered that in 1943 there were several deaths from the vin N. Bradstreet. disease when it reached near epedemic proportions and one of its main peculiarities is that one never knows where it will strike next.

Mrs. M. L. Clark **Passed Away Friday**

Funeral services were held Monnewly organized Wheeler day afternoon at 2:30 o'clock, for Troop 72 will be presented its Mrs. M. L. Clark, who died Friday harter at 8:00 p. m. at the Methodist afternoon at her home east of Wheelurch next Monday evening, Jan. ed. Rev. A. C. Wood, assisted by Rev. 5. Scouts will also be presented with P. D. Fullingim, conducted the servregistration cards and badges and ices at the First Baptist Church of lowing the services.

couts, parents of Scouts, all those riage Miss Margaret Ann Wheeler. any other persons interested are in- Arlington, Texas, and died at her 60 years, 3 months and 27 days. She There are eighteen boys now in the was married to M. L. Clark Septem-

Mrs. Clark is survived by her hussek Spence and Bill Dison are troop and Mrs. Furman Green, of Albert, stteemen. Rev. Hugh Hunt is Oklahoma; Buster Clark, of Wasco, chaplain and Dr. Glen Walker California; Richard Clark of Twitty; M. L. Clark Jr., of Albuquerque, New

Seventeen grandchildren also sur- at night involving a combat problem Schaffer.

Pallbearers included J. B. Johnson, Lawrence Crowder and O. Nations.

S1 C W. C. Noah arrived in Wheeler Tuesday night for a visit with his service in the Pacific.

PAYS TRIBUTE TO DECEASED

FRIEND, CHARLIE HAMPTON the hospital for treatment that The Times publish the following consolation note received from Grifand other relatives. He graduated A. M. Downs entered the hos-fith Witt, former Wheeler resident from the Wheeler school in May, and lieflong friend of her son, Chartle Bill Green of Mobeetie en- lie Hampton, who was recently killed year. He has been overseas 14 the hospital for treatment on the highway south of Wheeler. It months, serving in the Pacific area.

reads:

hospital for treatment Jan. 8. of our son, brother, father and life James (Scotty) Risner and TiSgt. Ford entered the hospital for long friend I cannot because I, Elvis (Spud) Moore left this (Thurslike Charlie, have lived in the West day) morning for California. SSgt. A. B. Lancaster of Mobeetie where we understood each other in Whitener will report to Santa Monica the hospital for treatment a way peculiar to the West, yet ex- and the other boys to Santa Ana. pressed better than poet ever dared. Harlie Lawrence of Magic From my earliest memory, even this Charlie lives just over yonder hill, a Texas hospital. He has just return-C. D. Trusty of Mobeetie en- moved to a new country. Let's get the hospital for treatment Jan- ready and go see him. With kindest remembrances, Griff. Witt."

LT. N. L. DILLON

Word was received Thursday that Lt. Neville Lee Dillion, 28, son of Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Dillon of Allison, was killed in action in France, December 21.

Lt. Dillon graduated from the Allison High School in 1935 and entered the army in March, 1941. He left the states to go to England last Septem-

His wife, Mrs. Frances Dillon, and infant son, Michael Lee, reside in Farmersville, Texas. No particulars of the lieutenant's

Wheeler Soldier Is Recovering In England

death have been received.

The 303rd Station Hospital, England - Wounded in the legs when a German 88mm shell exploded near him as he was fighting with his Infantry unit east of Aachen, Germany, Private First Class Coy N. Bradstreet, 19, Wheeler, is now recovering at this United States Army hospital

"Pvt. Bradstreet has responded to Fifty per cent of the funds donated treatment nicely and is on the road in the drive will be kept in the coun- to complete recovery," said his ward

"I had been away from our immeepidemic. The other fifty per cent of close and I hit the ground. It was ing up."

The Wheeler rifleman was engaged of an infantile paralysis epedemic in in farming before he entered the army nearly a year and a half ago.

Wounded In Action

Mrs. Stella Megee of Oklahoma City, and formerly of Wheeler, recrived word Dec. 30 that her son, action December 5. Pfc. Megee at- ices in the Wheeler cemetery. tended the local school before entering the armed services four years ago. He has been in the Southwest Pacific area 31 months.

Reported Prisoner

roop committeemen their registra- Wheeler. Burial took place in the gram Monday from the war departtion cards; the troop chaplain and Wheeler cemetery immediately folin action since December.

Commissioned

Wears Wings And Boots and Ind.
Mr. Farris was converted and unit located in the Wiley building, sisters, Mrs. Pearl Mitchell, Hollis, the United States Army Paratroops. when he went to California. to the City Bakery, to receive Oklahoma; Mrs. Lou Blackwell, He has completed four weeks of Jump instructions for Charter night. The Grapevine, Texas and Mrs. Mattie training during which time he made Harry Wofford, Chester Morgan, Ben

> on landing. James Hill, H. H. Herd, S. A. Max- has been steadily developed to a rec- Claud Schaffer, Taylor Patterson, well, Ira Passons, Harry Wofford, ognized war science. American Para- Loubet Moore, Ira Passons, Olin Pentroopers have been recognized dleton and Altha Hunt. throughout the world for their merit-

orious actions against the enemy. In addition to producing jumpers parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Noah, Parachute Specialist Training is given and other relatives. He has been to qualified men in Communications, given a 30-day leave after 2 years Demolition, Riggers and Parachute maintenance, vital skills for Airborne

"To express to each of you the loss | S|Sgt. Hiram Whitener, S|Sgt.

we lived in the dugout, thinking, 'Yes, back in the states and on his way to will be open Monday afternoon. then feel all is well. Now Charlie has ed from the German theatre of war.

New Mileage



How to get new mileage into wornout automobile tires is demonstrated to Miss Dorothy St. Lawrence of Providence, R. I. at the Firestone laboratories. The trick is simple; by merely applying an all-cotton protector to the inner tube and inserting both into the old tire, an additional mileage life of 4,000 to 5,000 miles is obtained. Not bad in these days of rubber shortages.

Last Rites For S. L. Farris Held Saturday

Funeral services were held at the tion His parents are Mr. and Mrs. Mar- First Baptist Church here for Samuel L. Farris, Saturday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock. Rev. A. C. Wood, assisted by Rev. P. D. Fullingim conducted the services. "The Old Rugged Cross" a special solo was sung by Miss Evonne Hubbard, with Mrs. E. H. Kennedy at the piano. Burial was Pfc. Ernest Megee, was wounded in made immediately following the serv- A. B. Lancaster of near Mobeetie, fine record to be established in

> Mr. Farris died in San Diego, Cali- about noon Tuesday. fornia, December 30th, 1944 and his Mrs. Lancaster had been alone at lived at a distance.

J. B. Rogers, is a German prisoner of August 26, 1869, in Clover, South to have been covered by insurance. war. He had been reported missing Calornia. He came west when a young man and settled in Oklahoma. He was married to Miss Bertie Lee Herring December 8, 1902. Ten children, six daughters and four sons were born Claude A. Revious received his to this union. One infant daughter boys and girls, have entered the anrings and was commissioned Flight preceded him in death on March 8, Officer December 23 at Las Vegas, 1923. Those surviving are his wife, Nevada. He completed his training and the daughters, Mesdames Eunice there December 29 and was given a Morgan, Pampa; Elizabeth Boehning, few days delay enroute to Lincoln Tulia; Mary Shaffer, Groom; Ruth Nebraska. F O and Mrs. Revious visit- Strout, San Diego, California; Cordie ed relatives here and in Shamrock Lee Jones, Amarillo. The sons are and left Sunday afternoon for Lin- Boyce Farris, Wheeler; Coleman and Earl Farris, Inglewood, California; and R. O. Farris, Fort Mead, Mary-

Fort Benning, Ga. - Pvt. Fred A. ed with the Baptist Church when a Revious, husband of Mrs. Luvene young man. He and his family moved Friday night, Jan. 12, the Scouts Mexico; Mrs. John Barr, of Wheeler; Revious, of Wheeler, has won the to Wheeler County in 1908, and reare requested to meet at their hut, and Jackie Clark at home; also three right to wear "Wings and Boots" of sided here until the fall of 1941,

Pall bearers were: E. E. Nelms, five jumps, the last a tactical jump Trout, Loubet Moore and Claude

Flower bearers included: Miss Beth Jumping at the Parachute School Stiles, Mesdames Earl Williams,

R. G. Russ To Take Over R. & F. Store

R. G. Russ, owner of the Russ Dry and co-owner with Miss Clara Finsterwald of the R. & F. Variety Store, has purchased Miss Finster-Robert Bean, S1c, is expected to- wald's interest in the variety store Mrs. W. M. Hampton has requested day (Thursday) for a visit with his and is expected to take over active management about Feb. 1.

For the past several months Mr. Russ has owned and managed a variety store in Shamrock.

RED CROSS **NEEDS WORKERS**

man of knitting committee, asks that they may be shipped.

She also states the local chapter Pvt. Buster Walser, in a call to his is in need of workers to make and April 1 and are supposed to go on tered the hospital for treat- morning, I go about my work as when wife Saturday night, said he was help fill 144 kit bags. The work room sale Feb. 1 while a check of the

> Lonnie Lee, Lee Guthrie, Lloyd Lee, Rev. Hugh Hunt, Rev. P. D. Full-Mrs. M. O. McKay was a Shamrock ingim attended a meeting of the Masons in Mobeetie Monday night.

Deputy State Supt. To Be Here Next Week

The local County Department of Education has announced that Deputy H. E. Boulter will visit Wheeler county schools next Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday, January 16, 17 and 18.

The itinerary includes:

m., Twitty; 3:30 p. m., Bethel.

Wednesday, Jan 17-10:00 a. m., Allison; 11:00 a. m., Briscoe; 1:00 p. m., Kelton; 2:30 p. m., Magic City; 3:30 p. m. Kellerville.

Thursday, Jan. 18, 10:00 a. m., Shamrock; 1:00 p. m., Lela; 2:30 p. and 20, to receive payments. m., Pakan; 3:30 p. m., Plainview.

November And December Dairy Feed Payments Are Being Made

Dairy feed payment period for November and December began January 1, 1945 and ends February 28. No payment can be made on months prior to this period. Please bring or mail your milk and cream sales statements to the ACA office before the above mentioned date. Many producers are failing to receive payment on their dairy production as they failed to submit sales evidence before closing date. These payments are made available to off-set the high cost of dairy production and to encourage an increase on a badly needed product as a contribution to the war effort.

Please take advantage of this payment in order to supply needed feeds for your dairy herd. Dairy production is one of the shortest and most essential foods needed and requested produced by the War Food Administra-

V. B. Hardcastle, Adm. Officer Wheeler County ACA

A. B. Lancaster Home Is Destroyed By Fire

The six-room home of Mr. and Mrs. was completely destroyed by fire Wheeler County and especially thank

body arrived in Wheeler Thursday. the house and had left dinner cook- Loan drive. Funeral services were delayed pend- ing on an oil stove to go to the mail ing the arrival of his son, R. P. Far- box and it was on her return to the ris, Fort Mead, Maryland, in the U. house that she noticed it in flames. S. service, and other relatives who All the family's clothing, except what they were wearing, and all Mr. Farris, seventy-five years, four household furnishings were lost in

Local Basketball Teams Enter Shamrock Tourney

Both the Wheeler basketball teams, nual high school basketball tournament scheduled in Shamrock Thursday, Friday and Saturday of this week. Other teams reported entered

Boys - Childress, Quail, LeFors, Clarendon, Vega, Miami, Wellington Mobeetie, Samnorwood, Briscoe, ward Brittain, is in the armed serv-White Deer, Memphis, Shamrock, Kelton, McLean, Canadian, Groom. Girls - Quail, Canadian, McLean,

Kelton, Lakeview, Samnorwood, Briscoe, Groom, Mobeetie, Vega, Wellington. Shamrock.

The Wheeler boys are scheduled to play their first game at 9 o'clock to- held in Wheeler sometime Friday. night and have drawn Shamrock for opponents in the first round. The girls team meets the Lakeview team at two o'clock tomorrow afternoon in the preliminaries.

Cars Will Have Only One '45 License Tag The state highway commission has

ordered a single motor vehicle license plate to be used in 1945 and will require removal of all previous-year plates.

The sigle plate is to be on the rear Goods Store here for several years of all vehicles but truck-tractors which will have a front number. Plates will be smaller, measuring

approximately 10 by six inches. Mo- be validated until February 1. torcycles and sidecars will have a plate 3-3 4 by 7-1 2 inches. All plates will have black numerals and letters on a gold-colored background.

A new numbering system will be used. Under it but four numerals will be on any plate. Numbers will be preceded by two letters, one above the other. A control letter will be used each time 10,000 is reached, so 999 Mrs. Ernest Lee, Red Cross chair- will be highest numeral designation.

Presently, 1942 plates are being all completed knitted garments and used on vehicles with attached smallhospital gowns be turned in soon so er metal tags showing renewal of Licenses for 1943 and 1944.

New license plates are required local tax assessor-collectors office yesterday revealed that no tags have yet been received here.

Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Carter were

DEADLINE ON POLL TAX IS JAN. 31

Collectors To Be In Shamrock And Mobeetie

With the deadline for poll, state and county tax payments coming the Tuesday, Jan 16-10:00 a. m., Mo- last day of this month, T. L. Gunter, beetie; 1:00 p. m., Wheeler; 2:30 p. Tax Assessor and Collector for this county, announces that, as a convenience to the tax payers of Mobeetie and Shamrock, a representative from the office will be in Mobeetie at the First State Bank building Saturday, Jan. 13, and in Shamrock at the City Hall Friday and Saturday, Jan. 19

Persons who have become 21 years of age after Jan. 1, 1944 and before the time any elections may be held during 1945, also persons who were not a resident of this state on the first day of January, 1944, but have since become eligible to vote by length of residence, must obtain a certificate of exemption on or before Jan. 31, 1944 if they desire to vote.

Sixth War Loan Sales Total \$370,937.50

The Sixth War Loan sales tabulation as completed by the Federal Reserve Bank reveals Sixth War Loan bond sales in Wheeler County amounted to \$370,937,50 compared to a quota of \$335,000. Sales of Series E bonds amounted to \$199,562.50 compared to a quota of \$155,000. Wheeler county made a good record in the drive, especially in the purchase of E Series bonds. County Series E sales were 135 per cent of the quota while state wide returns shows that Texas exceeded its E Series goal by only 20.5 per cent. Over-all sales in the state were 143 per cent of the quota.

In revealing the final tabulation of bond sale figures County War Finance Chairman R. J. Holt again paid tribute to everyone who generously opened their purse strings for the war effort making it possible for the ed volunteer workers for the fine job they have done in the Sixth War

W. H. Brittain Dies **Early This Morning**

W. H. Brittain, nearly 80, passed away of a heart attack at the family home in Wheeler at 8:30 this (Thursday) morning. He had been in ill health for several months. A resident of Wheeler for the past thirteen years, Mr. Brittain was a native Texan, born March 13, 1865 in Shelby county.

He leaves a wife and four children, eighteen grandchildren and two great grandchildren. The three sons are: Dewey, Borger; Charlie, Kelton; and Warren of Wynnewood, Okla. Mrs. R. D. Cooper of Borger is the only daughter. One grandson, Dewey Edice and stationed in California.

Only yesterday, the day before Mr. Brittain passed away, was his and his wife's forty-sixth wedding anniversary. He had been a Woodman several years.

Funeral services will probably be

Little Jimmie Cowden is ill with flu and sore throat this week. Miss Blanche Grainger returned to Wheeler Tuesday after a three week's visit with relatives in Commanche.

RATION REMINDER

Meats, Fats - Red stamps Q5 through X5 good indefinitely. No new stamps until January 28.

Processed Foods - Blue stamps X5 through Z5, A2 through G2 good indefinitely. No new blue stamps will

Sugar - Sugar stamp 34 good for five pounds indefinitely. stamp until February 1.

Shoes - Airplane stamps 1, 2, and 3 in book three, good indefinitely.





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Winter Wonderland

Snow storms and icy pavements, traffic tied up and pedestrians skid- gone. with coats of ice, underneath, ready poem today is: for the first sign of spring, there flows life and blossoms and beauty. A maiden lugged a jar of milk . Buds can be seen on many of the To a hermit high on a windy hill, winter growths, if you but search. Although the path was steep and Perhaps they are wrapped inside a coat of soft silky fur, but there they Never did a drop she spill. are too, waiting that smile of warm sun and change to soft winds. It He admired her poise and graceful sounds good to all of us!

Watch Your Driving

Normally, winter driving is a hazard and today with a number of the cars on the road practically wrecks, the menace of harm is increased. We need every bus, truck and automobile to facilitate an already difficult transportation problem. If caution in From the hermit guy upon the hill, winter driving will help hold them No other gal may tread his path on the road until new models are But he's a happy hermit still. available, then let's take the pledge for caution. This is a reminder; the car without anti-skid chains has a braking distance on snow and ice from four to eleven times greater than on dry roads; that dry ice near zero is just half as dangerous as wet ice near thawing; don't drive too close in traffic in winter weather: slow down at intersections; don't overlook the fact that vision is poorer when daylight hours are shorter. Keep the cars on the road with increased care and caution.

Trouble Ahead

European nations hit the headlines with their political troubles and our Allies make proposals and take definite stands in these foreign affairs. We ask ourselves what principle of expression America should voice. What is to be the American policy and action in regard to such governments as France and Greece and Italy and so on, settling their affairs two things in this world for which we and disagreements in revolution and are never fully prepared and them is rioting? Is it our choice that the liberated countries should decide completely for themselves, with a and rioting? We must find our what To him, we are indebted for an inwork together on these questions that up North somewhere and mentioned are constantly arising. Are we to be what his home town was. left, holding the bag? Unity is necessary. We want to know where we stand, what road we take.

You can't be too arrogant with modern science, when you remember they used plastic surgery in India 3,000 years ago!

Some children wish their families would act nicer in public and not disgrace them in front of their friend's parents!

There are some men who should be warned ahead of marriage that the prospective wife is not a good bridge player.

When we were 13 they punished us for reading dime novels, and now children of 8 listen to radio murder mys-

DOGUI

"CALL OF THE SOUTH SEAS"

-with-JANET MARTIN ALLAN LANE

Fri. - Jan. 12-13 - Sat.

"MARINE RAIDERS"

---featuring---PAT O'BRIEN RUTH HUSSEY ROBERT RYAN

Pre.-Sun.-Mon. — Jan. 13-14-15

"LAURA"

-starring-GENE TIERNEY DANA ANDREWS **CLIFTON WEBB**

Wed. — Jan. 17-18 — Thurs.



The **Times** War Time Reporter Says

My Grandady was just naturally a I remember one time when ding, as nature takes winter in hand Grandma got her foot hung in a post and reminds us of those old-fashion- hole. He liked to have died laughing do, we may assure Joe that his words ed winters we used to have when we until he found she had broke his jug were young! There stand the trees he hid in there the night before. And and bushes, masked in a heavy white he was a peculiar man about his blanket, soon to again stand naked eatin'; he never would eat possum and leafless to chill blasts come Jan- and chicken at the same settin'. He uary and February. It doesn't seem said they was alergic to each other possible that where twigs are laden outside and they might be inside. My up bills which are not disposed of in

Take Warning

rough.

form.

And the jar of milk, so white and warm; Yet no question burst from his rug-

ged lips: He covered his mouth so there would be no slips

And from him a lesson could be learned.



By BOYCE HOUSE

Josh Billings said, "Remember the poor-it costs nothing.

And he also remarked, "There is

Recently, we told some Cotulla lepolicy from us? Would it gends about O. Henry, as gathered follow that we sanction revolution by Deputy Sheriff John Wildenthal. the Allies stand for, what influence teresting little incident about Will they plan to exert, how they will Rogers. He met the cowboy humorist

"Cotulla!" exclaimed Will. "That's

Pertinent Paragraphs from Panhandle Press

Items of interest culled from newspapers on the Times' exchange list.

Joe Stedman, super lobbyist before the Texas legislature, is urging the legislature to meet, quickly, wind up its business, and then adjourn. He does not want to see the law makers stay in session for the full 120 days. We fancy that Joe is seeing things and does not want the legislature to see the things of which he happy man until his last drink was is afraid. Naturally he is urging a low appropriation bill; no taxes; no reforms. Knowing legislators as we of solemn wisdom-or are theywill go unheeded, and the legislature vill stay in session for the full 120 days; and that a considerable percentage of the members will be calling for a special session in order to wind -Canyon News the long session.

Officers found the 500-pound safe near Stinnett over in Hutchinson county that was stolen from the Lipscomb County War Price and Ration-

where I'd like to settle down - a place where you don't need a lawyer." And he then related an occurrence when he was in Cotulla about 1906 with a small Wild West show. Two ranch owners, who had been having a controversy about some land, met in the town and a fight resulted. They were big fellows and the scrap was a dandy. When it was over, they shook hands and that was the end of the argument about the land.

"That was probably the cheapest settlement of a case there ever was,' Will chuckled.

Rangeland definitions: Cut out-To separate animal from heard.

Dogie - Weakling calf. Eating gravel - To be thrown from

bucking horse or steer. Four-footing - Roping animal by feet in order to throw it. Grabbin' the apple-When a brone

rider grabs the saddle horn to keep from being thrown. Hazer - Bulldogger's assistant, who picks up the bulldogger's horse

after he has leaped to the steer. High-roller - Horse that leaps high when bucking.

Hoolihaning - Leaping on the manner to knock him down, without safe. twisting him down.

119 W. Kingsmill

FOR FOR CAR-OWNERS

This Will Be The WORST WINTER

Your Car Has Ever Faced!

IF ever a car needed and deserved extra care and extra attention, this win-

ter is the time!

Cold-weather driving, always hard on any automobile, is doubly hard on older cars. And your car, and every car in the country, is an "older car."

Yet it is more important than ever, not only as

precious personal transportation, but as a vital part of the nation's transportation system. So whether your car is three years, seven years, or ten years old . . . keep it alive, keep it rolling, keep it delivering essential wartime service, regardless of age or

To aid you in doing that, to make your car and your tires go farther and last longer, there is intelligent and expert help waiting at every Phillips 66 Service Station.

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checking of anti-freeze protection, battery, oil level, and air filter . . . regular lubrication of every friction point specified by the maker of your car.

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Remember that this winter. even if milder than usual, is a most critical one for older cars. So don't wait

home-front transportation. Drive in for Phillips Car-Saving and Tire-Saving Service wherever you see the Orange and Black 66

for the weatherman to tell you when cold spells are coming. Do your part to prevent the threatened crisis in

Shield . . . the sign of famous Phillips 66 Gasoline and Phillips 66

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ing Office on December 23 or 24. All found that would lead to an arrest. of furniture. How do they do it? of the ration coupons and important papers had been taken from it.

safe it had been pried open with a all. The bats, scientists say, have alcrowbar and was badly damaged. The horns of a steer in bulldogging in a thieves also tried to saw into the

No clue as to the robbers has been

DR. ABNER ROBERTS

OPTOMETRIST

Pampa, Texas

ways known and practiced it. Though the phrase, "blind as a bat," has

much justification, bats get along pretty well without help from their

Phone 382

-Higgins News They send out a series of sh Radar, it seems, is old stuff after

cries, about 30 to a second, so his hear them. These cries, striking jects in their path, are echoed bat the bat picks up the echo and ste away from the obstacle.

eyes. Almost everyone has seen bats Evidently it libels an intellige flying at high speed in old attics, yet animal to call a mentally disorder contriving to miss beams and pieces person "batty."

TAXPAYERS

SHAMROCK AND MOBEETIE

As a convenience to the taxpayers of these towns, this office will offer the following accommodations:

A representative will be in

MOBEETIE SATURDAY, JAN. 13 -- ALL DAY

to receive tax payments. Those wishing to pay on that date may do so at the First State Bank of Mobeetie.

A representative will be in

SHAMROCK FRIDAY & SATURDAY, JAN. 19 & 20

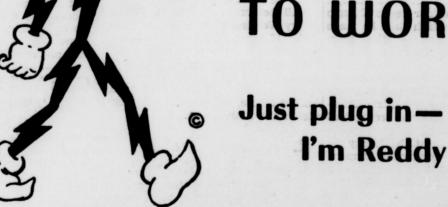
Those who wish to pay their taxes on these dates may do so at the City Hall.

Persons who have become 21 years of age after Jan. 1, 1944, and before the time of any election that might be held during 1945, also persons who were not a resident of this state on the first day of January, 1944, but have since become eligible to vote by length of residence, must obtain a certificate of exemption on or before Jan. 31, 1945, if they desire

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(Intended for last week) Honor Roll

The honor roll includes: Mildred lenderson, Vernon Garner, Paula e, Neta Joyce Gipson, Dortha Mason, Peggy Joyce Harris, Lou Mason, Marnell Rives, Burks, Gwynes Finch Wyn-Lister, Glenna Fay Addison, Ila Carol Bledsoe, Juanell Mixon, Joan er, Margaret Weeks, Charlene larris, James Earl Henderson, Barpara Carol Gipson, Glenda Richardand Sandra Richardson.

Keyhole Kitty

We heard Fern had a good time Saturday night. What about it, Fern? (Sure she did). Peggy has seemed very blue the last few days. Could the mail situation have something to do with that? We wonder why Pat yelled so loud Tuesday night. It couldn't have anything to do with No. 10, could it, Pat? We wonder who Boyd Neel A. was with Sunday? Could it have been anyone from Briscoe, The freshmen seem to be glad basketball game and in a certain boy score was 22-20. Briscoe got the lead from Wheeler? Although tests are midway of the fourth quarter and over we still manage to stay busy held it the rest of the game. Garner writing on research themes.

homore News Our six-weeks tests are over and six points each. we received our report cards Wed-

heaters.

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WHEELER

THOUGHTS OF AN EVERYDAY **AMERICAN**

By Mrs. Charles Warren Community Clock Work

A community running like clock and cooperation are important assets. correct time.

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The most insignificant employee with communities.

work is a splendid thing. Every per- I once visited in one of the largest son in every community is important cities in Texas and had the pleasure to the whole, just as each tiny piece of going with a friend into one of of mechanism in a clock is necessary the largest department stores, where if the clock runs perfectly and gives hundreds of people daily earn their living. Of course the last minute rush If the very tiniest spring, or screw, of frienzied Christmas shopping was score and then gave up 3 points, or any other part of a time piece trying to the clerks, but rudeness and and were trailing at the half 12-11. gets out of place, it throws the whole discourtesy are inexcusable in an emout of harmony, or balance, resulting ployee, and will lose for a firm much business. While standing near the Briscoe came back and managed to The same principle is applicable, to checking counter, I observed that a outscore their opponents in the last on, Beverly Tucker, Sammie Gwinn any individual, not cooperating in the minor employee, spoke not only disadvancement of his, or her, commun- agreeably but almost insultingly to Mobeetie with a score of 24-20. one of the store's customers, who, I In towns, business organizations, or learned afterwards, had traded there even countries, where every one is for many years. The customer nat- the Briscoe girls outscored the Moworking in unison with every other urally felt outraged and said to her beetie girls 30-25. person for the betterment of all con- companion that she could trade elseditions, it will be noticed that such a where-where more courtesy and ap- nip and tuck with Mobeetie on top. spirit of cooperation is bound to re- preciation for her business would be The second quarter saw Briscoe taksult in the whole structure's unified shown. That business organization ing the lead 15-13. In the second half progress. Towns having this spirit was not working like clock work, and Briscoe drew away and pulled to a will inevitably outrank those not for- in the course of a single day that 30-25 decision. Davis led the girls tunate enough to possess this com- employee could lose for that estab- with 21 points. The Briscoe girls are lishment many customers. So it is undefeated.

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ting out of line, or balance. Courtesy

are over. We wonder what the hands of the Briscoe Broncos Fri- points. Ahler of Wheeler was high girl was so interested in the boys day night, December 29. The final point man for Wheeler with 9 points. Girls' Sports of Kelton was high point man with seven points. Candler, Hefley and

Tuesday night, January 2, Kelton ay. Everyone seemed proud of played host to Wheeler. The Kelton their grades. Since there are no jun- boys were seeking revenge for the deiors, this year, the sophomores are feat suffered earlier in the season by discussing giving the seniors a ban- the Mustangs. The final score was 33quet. We plan to give a box supper to 19. The score at the end of the first provide the necessary funds. The half was 19-2. The Wheeler boys pullbut the local team pulled away in the final stanza. Britt of Kelton was Highlights in the World of Sports high point man with 16 points. Gar-The Kelton boys suffered defeat at ner followed closely behind with 13

104 E. 2nd St.

The Kelton basketball girls won a conference game that they played the show Saturday night. with Wheeler, Tuesday, January 2, Barnett of Briscoe were second with the score being Kelton 21 and Wheeler 8. The girls were not in very good shape, as we put it. They shot at quite a few goals that they missed completely. Last Friday night, we with the score being Kelton 20, Bris- are very sorry. coe 22. We were all lucky to be alive because they had just waxed or varn-for the last week. class and our sponsor are very en- ed up to 13-26 in the third quarter ished their floor. Several of the girls had some bruises and a few had a few minor scratches. But we played very hard, and we promise to win the next game that we play on our home court.

Kelton Grade School Club

The Kelton Grade School Club last met on December 29. Miss Rena Johnson met with us. We have two new club members in our class. They are Audrey Reynolds and Domer Miller. We elected new officers last week with the officers are follows: Domer Miller, president; Junior Hink, vice president; Lu Jean Carver, sec-retary; Frank Vines, sergeant at arms; Peggy Joyce Harris, chairman of committees; Oleta Calcote, bad English; Velda Anderson, bad manners; Douglas Smith, safety first; Lucille Richardson, thrift; Maxine Pond and Wilma Lou Mason will help on the program. Lucille Richardson was elected best citizen of the week. We will have our meeting next on January 5, 1945.

Eighth Grade News

The Elephant Club elected new officers December 29. We elected Joe Garner for president: Bud Harris, vice president; Charles Addison, secretary; H. B. Krug, sergeant at arms; Junior Anderson, song leader. Chairman of the program committee, Jimmie Ray Wagner. Johnny Weeks and Allan Lackey will help to get up the program for next time. Allan Lackey was elected best citizen of the week. The club will meet again January 6.

Senior News

The seniors are anxiously awaiting the arrival of their play books. The title of the play is "Which Shall He Marry?" We are anxious to know who plays what part in the play. We know that each of the seniors has a part but no one knows the details. This week the seniors ordered snapshots from Marquise Studios, at Enid, Oklahoma.

A man says the biggest trouble between capital and labor is that too many of us try to get the capital without the labor.



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Items of interest pertaining to the Briscoe Schools

Sport Flashes **Boys Lose To Mobeetie**

By hard playing the Briscoe boys held a defeat to a close score. Trailing by 9 points in the first quarter, the Briscoe boys fought to a 10-9 The third quarter found Mobeetie breaking away and leading 21-13. quarter, but finally lost the game to

Girls Win Over Mobeetie Taking advantage of every break,

The first quarter of the game was

Senior Scents and Non-Scents

The seniors have been quite busy trying to get in their book reports. It is hard to believe, hear and see Mobeetie boys beat Briscoe boys Friday night. Wonder how?

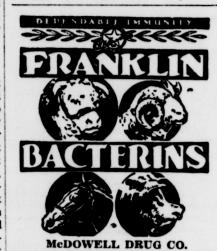
A (little) girl called Bobby out of

Seventh Grade News

We have a new pupil in the seventh grade. Her name is Wilma Jo Lane. We have been covering our books. We have heard that Rayford Hunt played the girls at Briscoe. They won isn't coming back to school and we

Thomas and Sam have been absent

Piggy sporting a new expansion



bracelet from San Diego.

Sammie being infatuated with prominent Texas history character. Namely Houston (Anderson).

The high school students down on their knees hoping that Mrs. Venable

Briscoe playing the worst game of the season with Mobeetie. Be careful

Bessie and Sammie not getting to go to town Monday, but it sure wasn't their fault.

Ewing and Richard visiting in Canadian Sunday. Who were they,

New students in grade school.

Eighth Grade News

We are going to school as usual only why must we have such long, hard lessons? It won't be long until mid-term tests and oh, how we dread

The Freshman Fish Pond We are very proud of the freshman

boys victory over the Mobeetie junior team. The score was 3-34. Keep it up, boys, you are starting off fine.

We are looking forward to the theater party that we are to have

Social Events

Mr. and Mrs. Evans and daughters, Mrs. Fillingim and Mrs. Jack Riley, were shopping in Pampa Saturday. Lottie Marie Zybach, Mary Riley

and Mrs. Willis Fillingim visited in the Doc Wilhelm home Sunday. Iris and Juanita Clepper visited La Verne Finsterwald Sunday. Rozena Helton spent Sunday with

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THE CITIZENS STATE BANK

at Wheeler, State of Texas, at the close of business on the 30th day of December, 1944, published in the Wheeler Times, a newspaper printed and published at Wheeler, State of Texas, on the 11th day of January, 1945, in accordance with a call made by the Banking Commissioner of Texas pursuant to the provisions of the Banking Law of this State.

1	RESOURCES	
	Loans and discounts, including overdrafts	\$512,000.56
	Bank premises owned	1.00
	Furniture, fixtures and equipment	
	Other real estate owned	
	Cash on hand and due from approved reserve agents	410,209.99
1	Due from other banks and bankers subject to check on demand	17,248.81
	TOTAL RESOURCES	\$939,463.36
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Capital stock _____\$ 20,000.00 Surplus: Certified \$20,000.00 ______ 20,000.00 Undivided profits _____ 3,190.06 Due to banks and bankers subject to check on demand_____ 10,305.65 Demand individual deposits ______ 885,967.65

TOTAL LIABILITIES _____\$939,463.36 STATE OF TEXAS, County of Wheeler:

I, R. D. Holt, Cashier of the above named bank, do solemnly swear that the foregoing statement of condition is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

R. D. HOLT, Cashier

(SEAL)

D. E. HOLT, R. J. HOLT, CLARENCE HOLT, Directors Subscribed and sworn to before this 8th day of January, 1945. D. O. BEENE, Notary Public, Wheeler County, Texas

FARM TELEPHONE SERVICE TO BE EXTENDED AND IMPROVED

A joint committee of representatives of Bell and independent operating telephone companies throughout the United States has been formed to advance the nationwide postwar programs which the various telephone companies have been working on individually to extend and improve farm telephone service, it was announced today.

Co-chairmen of the committee are John P. Boylan, president of the United States Independent Telephone Association, the national organization of the thousands of independent telephone companies, and Keith S. McHugh, vice president of the American Telephone and Telegraph Company, representing the Bell operating companies.

"Rural telephone service is more highly developed in this country, under the American system of private enterprise, than in any other country in the world," Mr. Boylan and Mr. McHugh said today in a statement issued by them for the committee. "However, it is by no means as highly developed as we in the industry want to see it, and the industry intends to do everything in its power to provide more service, and better service, at a cost which the farmer can afford.

"Since operating telephone companies throughout the whole country have been working on this problem, a representative joint committee has been formed consisting of a number of their most experienced officials. We believe that the application of new facilities and methods which were under development by the industry before the demands of war interrupted our research and construction program will help to bring telephone service to many new farm customers. As soon as war demands are reduced, we propose to resume and expand our research effort and, along with it, the intensive program for extending farm service which was being carried on before the outbreak of hostilities.

"Over one-half million miles of telephone pole lines serving rural areas have already been built so that more than two-thirds of all rural families in the United States can be served from existing lines. Since 1935 more than 500,000 additional families in rural areas have become telephone subscribers—an increase of 35 per cent. One of the major objectives is to continue this upward trend by making the service over existing lines increasingly valuable and attractive. This the industry intends to do to the limit of

"A second major objective is to extend service at reasonable cost to families not now reached by existing lines. Telephone industry research in the last several years has successfully developed new construction materials and methods which substantially lower the cost of building wire lines to areas not previously reached. In addition, work was started by the industry in 1938 to develop a practical system of transmitting telephone conversations over electric power lines. A similar system can be used over telephone lines to increase their capacity. This so-called rural carrier system transmits a very high frequency current over the wires. From 1940 on, experiments with this system for telephone service over rural power lines were carried forward in a cooperative effort of Bell Telephone Laboratories and the Rural Electrification Administration. Before this work was interrupted by the war, it was clear that a suitable system of this kind could be produced.

"One practical effect of these developments is to make it physically possible to furnish telephone service wherever there are rural power lines and no telephone lines. The telephone companies plan, in cooperation with REA co-operatives and with power companies serving rural territory, to determine the full extent to which rural carrier telephone service can be used economically and effectively.

"The telephone companies also plan to study the possible application of microwave radio systems to rural telephone service and to make use of this and any other new methods which will be helpful in serving the farmer."

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Items of interest pertaining to the Wheeler Schools

Sophomore News

The sophomore class is glad to welcome Bill Willingham as a new student. Bill came from McLean school

The sophomore class met last week and elected June Johnson and Peggy Weatherly to represent the class in the F. F. A. Sweetheart race. June was one of the winners last year, and Peggy was a close runner up. So come on, sophomores, let's win

We were glad to have Melba Waldo in our class Monday. She visited W. H. S. with Floy and Joy Bradstreet.

F. F. A. News

The F. F. A. Sweetheart race is about the most important event of week end in Shamrock with her par-Wheeler High at this time. Each class ents. nominated two girls as candidates, one wishing to put another girl in the day afternoon. contest may give fifty cents and nominate one. The candidates and their the Center community. standings so far are: Seniors, Virginia Marrs, 343; Ada Dell Goad, Freshmen, Lois May, 170; Jo Rean ed to attend.

January 19. At that time the two the buttons on the dress you made in winning candidates will be honored homemaking class? Do you not want at a party to be given by the F. F. A. to study first aid?

English Notes

distinguish between those trouble- next year's work? Well!

ability as actors because drama is pend on whom they were with? their unit of study in literature now. and Bonnye perform!

The sophomores have just finished having a new newspaper circulating reading Tennyson's Idylls of the among some of the students? Ring. Some of the students particularly enjoyed Lancelot and Elaine. 26th of January to get here; could be become the students? the stories but were perhaps inspired coming home? to some chivalrous ideals. The class | Why did Mrs. Brown have two (or began its last unit of study on Thurs- was it three) speech classes Thursday; it was a study of the novel Silas day? Marner by George Eliot.

running in her room. What about boy friends to the junior party-how that, June and Ida Mae?

losing her head and climbing the Iris and Josephine went Tuesday walls Saturday night?

KELTON NEWS

spent the week here with Mr. and

Mrs. Albert Holcomb and family. Pvt. George Henderson, Jr., of Amarillo spent the week end here with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. George

Mr. and Mrs. George Davidson and leorgana spent the week end in Pampa and Borger.

Mr. and Mrs. Buster Trussell spent the week end in McLean.

Grady and Raymond Henderson and Mrs. Otto Blocker spent last week here with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Henderson.

Mrs. Weldon Sandifer and daughter and Mrs. Buddy Vanpool of Wheeler were visitors here Friday afternoon. Miss Mogene Douglas spent the

Mrs. Leo Hubble attended the fuand each penny counts a vote. Any- neral of Mrs. Clark in Wheeler Mon-

The Floyd Carvers have moved to

The Mt. View Quilting club will 280; Juniors, Mary Alice Waters, 24; sponsor a "42" party and a pie supper Patsy Wiley, 50; Sophomores, June at the Totty school house Friday Johnson, 43; Peggy Weatherly, 105; night, January 12. Everyone is invit-

This contest will continue through | Anna V., why did you forget to sew

J. C. and Richard, we certainly hope the girls you nominated win the sweetheart race.

The seniors are struggling valiantly | Charlene, was your visit to plane with verbs again. Some are wonder- geometry class to see all the gooding whether they will ever learn to looking boys or to get a preview of :

some verbs sit-set, lie-lay, and rise- It seems as though Billie Pendleton, Charlene B. and Peggy W. had The Juniors have been trying their a good time Saturday. Could it all de-

It seems everyone had a nice time You should have seen and heard Leon down at Little's house Sunday night. What's this we hear about W. H. S.

What junior girl is tired of a brag-

ging boy friend? It seems that some of the junior It seems Miss Watt doesn't allow girls are too bashful to invite their about it, Josephine?

What's this we hear about J. J. We wonder where Margie, Edna, night?

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WHEELER

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I have sold my interest in the R. & F. Store to Mr. Russ and after this month will no longer be associated with it.

The pleasant relations with all of you the past four years have meant much to me and I wish to thank each of you for your patronage and the many courtesies extended me.

Though I will probably make my home elsewhere, Wheeler will always seem like home to me and there will always be a warm spot in my heart for the people of Wheeler and surrounding communities.

CLARA FINSTERWALD

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SPECIALS FOR WEEK FRIDAY, JANUARY 12th THROUGH THURSDAY, JANUARY 18th



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The Wednesday Study Club met ek for a program on Latin Amer-Mrs. Joe Hyatt, as leader, was and Mrs. Jimmie Mitchener. buring the business meeting the ollowing were elected as officers for he new year: Mrs. McDowell, presit; Mrs. D. A. Hunt, vice president; R. J. Holt, recording secretary treasurer; Mrs. J. M. Porter, coronding secretary and parliamenn; Mrs. W. L. Williams, histor-Mrs. Glen Porter, pianist and

Lee Guthrie, song leader. ose attending were Mesdames W. Barr, Bronson Green, M. L. unter, Lee Guthrie, R. J. Holt, D. A. funt, Joe Hyatt, R. D. Holt, Jimmie Mitchener, Ansel McDowell, Floyd Pennington, J. M. Porter, T. S. Puckett, H. M. Wiley, W. L. Williams, R. Wm. Brown, George Porter, Ed Watson, Buddy Martin, two guests, Mrs. Tom Britt and Mrs. Irene Norman. The club will meet Jan. 31 with Mrs. Floyd Pennington.

PVT, CARLTON MURRELL ONORED WITH '42' PARTY

Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Murrell honored Pvt. Carlton Murrell with a "42" arty in their home Saturday evening. Refreshments of cake and coffee were served to Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Carter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Beck nd family, Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Seitz and family, and Mr. and Mrs. Jim Selby and son, Mr. and Mrs. Rufus McCathern and family, Monroe Seitz and son, Mr. and Mrs. Les-Waters and family, Mrs. Nora Murrell, Pvt. Carlton Murrell and Miss Nan Almonds, and Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Murrell.

BRISCOE H. D. CLUB MEETS TUESDAY

lub met Tuesday of last week with

Mrs. Irene Zybach. We can add good vigorous years by eating correctly. A good way to check this is by the Texas Food Standard which requires daily: 1 qt. milk, 2 servings meat, 3 servings vegetables, 2 servings fruit and 1 serving whole grain products," stated Mrs. Zeman, demonstrator, to the

Those present were Mesdames Sam Standlee, Lee Barry, Ernest Zybach, R. L. Ramsey, Mary C. Zeman and Jr., Mrs. J. F. Rathjen and Bobby

BUSINESS WOMEN'S CLUB ELECTS NEW OFFICERS

The Business Women's Club met business session Monday evening in the home of Mrs. Max Wiley. The ollowing officers were elected for e ensuing year: president, Mary Eunice Noah; vice president, Mrs. Max Wiley; secretary, Mrs. R. H. Forrester; chairman of program comnittee-reporter, Leona Crossland. The e Thriller! were served.

LISTER-CLAY

Miss Peggy Jean Lister and Virgil
C. Clay, Jr., of Oklahoma were quietly married Saturday evening at the ly married Saturday evening at the Bill Ford home.

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and Seersucker.

that are arriving.

MISS NOAH HOSTESS TO WESLEYAN SERVICE GUILD

C. Hallman last week. The Wesleyan Service Guild met the home of Mrs. D. A. Hunt this Tuesday night with Miss Mary Eunice Noah for the installation service. Rev. an operation in a St. Louis, Mo., hos-Hugh Hunt, Methodist pastor, was isted by Mrs. Hunt, Mrs. R. J. in charge of the installation service. to the last report she is recovering Mrs. J. M. Porter, president of the nicely. Woman's Society of Christian Service, was present, and stood with the new officers, thereby showing that Hunt and Donald Hunt left Tuesday

the two societies are united in effort. for Dallas and Austin. They plan to New officers installed were: Miss return Friday. Leona Crossland, president; Mrs. Calvin Harmon, vice president; Miss Ruth Barr, secretary and treasurer; Miss Lela Ruth Watt, spiritual life; Mrs. Wendell Meek, world brother- and Cecil Martin attended a meeting hood; Mrs. Max Wiley, christian so- for extension agents and AAA comcial relations and local church activ- mitteemen in Amarillo Tuesday. ties and Evonne Hubbard was appointed reporter.

Wheeler Tuesday.

where they will make their home.

A short business meeting was held Wednesday for the South Plains in addition to the above.

Delicious refreshments of fresh apple pie-a-la-mode and coffee were of Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Hallman were served to the following: Mrs. Hervey Mr. and Mrs. Delbert Hallman and visited relatives here Sunday. S. Hutchins, Mrs. Max Wiley, Mrs. boys, Mr. and Mrs. M. J. Harris and Mildred Furgeson, Mrs. Calvin Har- little daughter of Shamrock. Callers children of Pampa were Mobeetie mon, Mrs. Wendell Meek, Mrs. H. E. in the afternoon were Mr. and Mrs. visitors Sunday. Nicholson, sponsor, Mrs. J. M. Por- Chas. Flynt and Mr. and Mrs. H. H. ter, and Rev. Hugh Hunt, guests, Greenhouse. Misses Lela Ruth Watt, Ruth Barr, Mary Eunice Noah.

The next meeting will be January 23, in the home of Mrs. Mildred Fur-

COUNTY LINE CLUB MEETS THURSDAY

The County Line home demonstration club met in the home of Mrs. Doyle Standlee Thursday of last

After the regular business meeting, Miss Argen Hix, home demonstration tion on the background of the bed room. She also discussed the new club books.

Refreshments were served to the The Briscoe home demonstration following: Mesdames Charles Taylor, Clyde Meek, Jack Meek, Earl Williams, Miss Hix and the hostess.

> KELTON W. M. S. MET AT CHURCH

The Woman's Missionary Society of the Kelton Baptist church met at 2 o'clock Monday afternoon at the church for a lesson in Royal Service.

Mrs. J. A. Tucker, president, was in charge. Those taking part on the program were: Mrs. L. T. Davis, Sr., Mrs. H. T. Carman, Mrs. L. T. Davis,

LOCAL NEWS ITEMS

W. S. Farmer of Allison was a Wheeler visitor Tuesday.

H. E. McCarley of Pampa was a Wheeler caller Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. O. W. Sullivan of Oklahome City were week end guests neeting adjourned after refreshments in the homes of Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Rathjen and Mr. and Mrs. H. T. Car-

Mr. and Mrs. Delbert Hallman and

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boys of Stillwater, Okla., were visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. MOBEETIE HAPPENINGS

By Mrs. F. C. Peace

Mrs. Mollie V. Russell underwent Cpl. Charles Bartram of Dalhart pital the first of the week. According visited his wife, baby and mother

here last week. Mrs. Ruth Huie and children visit-

Jess Swink, W. E. Mason, D. A. ed in Pampa last week. Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Key of Littlefield spent the week end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Key. M. R. Ayres of Mobeetie was in

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Smith and children moved to Wheeler last week. Mr. and Mrs. Hale are now operat-Jake Tarter, Vernie Hardcastle ing the Mobeetie laundry.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Ing and sons of Wheeler visited their parents here recently.

Sunday dinner guests in the home Mr. and Mrs. Arnold Waldo left of Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Scribner were Mrs. A. H. Bartram, Mrs. Charles Bartram and baby, Mrs. W. A. Scrib-Sunday dinner guests in the home ner and Bud Carrol.

The Bud Wyant family of Gageby Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Bright and

Mrs. Lester Hathaway visited relatives in Vernon recently.

Corcoran and Arletta Jeffus were Wednesday Sunday guests in the P. P. Corcoran

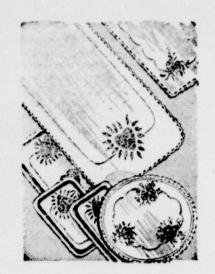
end in Wheeler.

Mrs. Louis Saunders and daughter have moved to Amarillo to be with their husband and father who is sta-

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Riley, Clara | G. A. Brown was a Wheeler visitor

Evangelist Lester Hathaway took Dr. Harris to Oklahoma City Satur-Nadine Henderson spent the week day night where he is receiving medical treatment.

> Miss Betty Riley of Borger spent the week end with home folks. She returned Sunday afternoon.



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Wheeler Personalities

By Mrs. Charles Warren

Among the interesting people of Wheeler is Judge R. H. Forrester, Mayor of Wheeler for the past six years. Judge Forrester has filled Whitener and Wilma Bearden were many important positions in Wheeler, in Shamrock Saturday night. where he has lived, continuously, since 1916, except 22 months when he was overseas during World War No. 1. In that war, he was first a private, then a Sgt. First Class. Following that conflict, he returned to Wheeler in the fall of 1919.

Judge Forrester's first introduction to Wheeler was when he came here to teach in the public school, the 31st of August, 1916. He says that "Wheeler gets in your blood and you never want to leave, once you live here." For the past 29 years, he has been identified with every progressive move for the upbuilding and advancement of this section

A brief resume of Judge Forrester's life in Wheeler county follows: taught school here three years and one term at Mobeetie: was county and district clerk from January 1 1923 to January 1, 1927; in 1927 and 28 was district clerk, and following that, was county judge until January 1, 1931; practiced law until 1938. In the fall of 1938, he accepted rillo. a position with the Federal Land Bank, which position he continues to

Judge Forrester was born in San Angelo, and was educated in the Texas schools and teachers colleges. From his earliest childhood, he wanted to be a lawyer. In his young man- Wheeler County Selective Service hood days, he was interested in foot- Board. His wife is one of Wheeler's ball. His present interest in his leis- most useful and prominent business ure time, is an intensive study of the women, but that is another story. Bible. He has a DD degree. He reads Judge Forrester has led a very full a great deal in the more serious and busy life, and his influence is literature—both fiction and fact.

nity—being a 32nd degree Mason. He the progress of the community. He is a member of the American Legion possesses one of the most extensive and the 40 and 8; the Elks, Oddfel- private libraries in Wheeler county lows, and Lions Club; is public rela- He impresses one as a deep thinkertions officer of the local Rationing with an unusually magnetic person-Board, and is appeal agent of the ality.

LOCAL NEWS ITEMS

J. L. Phillips S1 c arrived Saturday for a visit with relatives. He has just returned from overseas duty.

Mrs. Roscoe Allen, Mrs. Alvie Vanpool, Mary Helen Jones, Louise Mrs. Glen Lackey, who has been

visiting Mr. and Mrs. W. H. White left Monday for Amarillo. Lt. Aubrey Leonard visited rela-

tives in Mobeetie Thursday. He was enroute to Camp Hood.

Mrs. Etta Lee Blocker of California is visiting her parents in Kelton. Mrs. Alvie Vanpool visited Mrs. Blocker there Sunday afternoon. A. J. Williams and Deward Wof-

ford attended a safety meeting in Borger Friday afternoon. Floyd Pennington was a business caller in Shamrock Friday afternoon.

Mrs. Joe Tilley and Bonnie Rae

were in Amarillo Saturday. Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Meek, Mrs Wendell Meek and daughters and Mrs. Elizabeth Wren spent the week end in Amarillo with Mr. and Mrs. Tom Dearen. Mrs. Wren remained

for a longer visit. Mr. and Mrs. Sherwood Blasdel and son were week end visitors in Ama-

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Lamb of Happy isited friends and relatives here Saturday and Sunday

Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Lohberger of Briscoe were Wheeler visitors Satur- day

deeply felt in Wheeler, culturally, He belongs to the Masonic frater- educationally, and in every way in

and Mrs. Floyd Pennington were the Lee Guthrie's were T Sgt. Elvis Thursday evening dinner guests of (Spud) Moore, SSgt. Hiram White-Mr. and Mrs. Jim Risner.

Mrs. Lee Black, Mrs. Edward Trimble and David were week end visitors Mrs. Dudley Callen visited Mr. and Panhandle. Mrs. Armstrong is the daughter of Mrs. Black.

Amy Sue Beckett and Mrs. V. J. Zeman attended a district meeting, which was held for county agents and home demonstrators, in Amarillo and other relatives in Twitty. Tuesday.

Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Whitener included Mr. and Mrs. Jim Risner; S Sgt. Scotty Risner; Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Whitener and children; Mary Helen Jones; Wilma Bearden; Lonnie Whitener and son of Levelland; Mrs. Alvie Vanpool; Louise Whitener; SSgt. Hiram Whitener; Mrs. C. A. Whitener. Claude Davis was an afternoon

Recent visitors in the home of Mr.

Ft. Worth the first of the week. Mr. and Mrs. Lawton Clark and nue of the preceding year. daughters were Pampa callers Sun-

LEONARD GREEN

Mobeetie

Mr. and Mrs. Ira Passons and Mr. | Saturday evening dinner guests of ner and S Sgt. James "Scotty" Risner.

Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Greenhouse and of Mr. and Mrs. Lynn Armstrong of Mrs. A. G. Greenhouse and children of Miami Sunday

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Dison and sons spent the week end in Amarillo. Pvt. Boyd Hensley of Oklahoma City spent the week end with his wife

Mrs. Booker Toon, Sybil and Buddy visited their daughter and sister in Pampa Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. V. H. Bowerman of San Antonio are visiting in the J. M. Burgess home.

LEGAL NOTICE

(First published in The Wheeler

Times Jan. 4, 1945) Notice is hereby given that the and Mrs. A. M. Downs include Pvt. Commissioners' Court of Wheeler Thomas L. Downs, who left Friday County, Texas will on the 12th day or Ft. Meade, Maryland; Mr. and of February, 1945, same being a day Mrs. Gene Porter of Pampa; Mrs. of the Regular Term of said Court, Audrey Downs and son Jerrel; Mrs. accept bids for a Depository for the T. Thompson of Raton, New Mex. County Funds, said bid is to state the Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Whitener rate of interest offered on the funds and daughters visited relatives near for the term between the date of such bid and the next regular time for Mrs. C. F. Ford returned to Bak- the selection of a depository, and ersfield, California Saturday after shall be accompanied by a certified visiting her sons and daughter in check in an amount equal to one half Wheeler, Abilene and Corpus Christi. of one per cent of the County reve-

G. W. HEFLEY, County Judge

SHELBY PETTIT

Wheeler

Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Woodruff

and son have moved to Pampa. Mrs. J. C. Bowerman and children spent the week end in the H. C. An-

derson home in Kelton. Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Martin Callan included Mrs. Beth Miller and children of McLean; Mr. and Mrs. Henry Miller; Mr. and Mrs. John Conner and Iris.

Mrs. Jack Davis and son of Mobeetie were Wheeler callers Monday. Mr. and Mrs. D. E. Holt visited relatives in Walsh, Colo., from Thurs-

day evening until Saturday evening. Texas arrived Monday for a visit Vincent of Lefors returned home with Mrs. C. N. Wofford and Reba. her and visited until Sunday af Mrs. R. J. Holt was a business call- noon.

LOUISE TILLMAN'S NAME PLACED ON HONOR ROLL

Eva Louise Tillman, 1944 gradus of Wheeler high school, and daughter of Mr. and Mrs. E. Tille of Wheeler had her name placed the honor roll for the second weeks at Abilene Christian Colle Abilene, Texas, as a result of making a grade of "Superior" subject.

Eva Louise is a freshman in Abil Christian College and is majorir mathematics.

TSgt. John Wofford of Bryanville, er in Pampa Thursday. Robert

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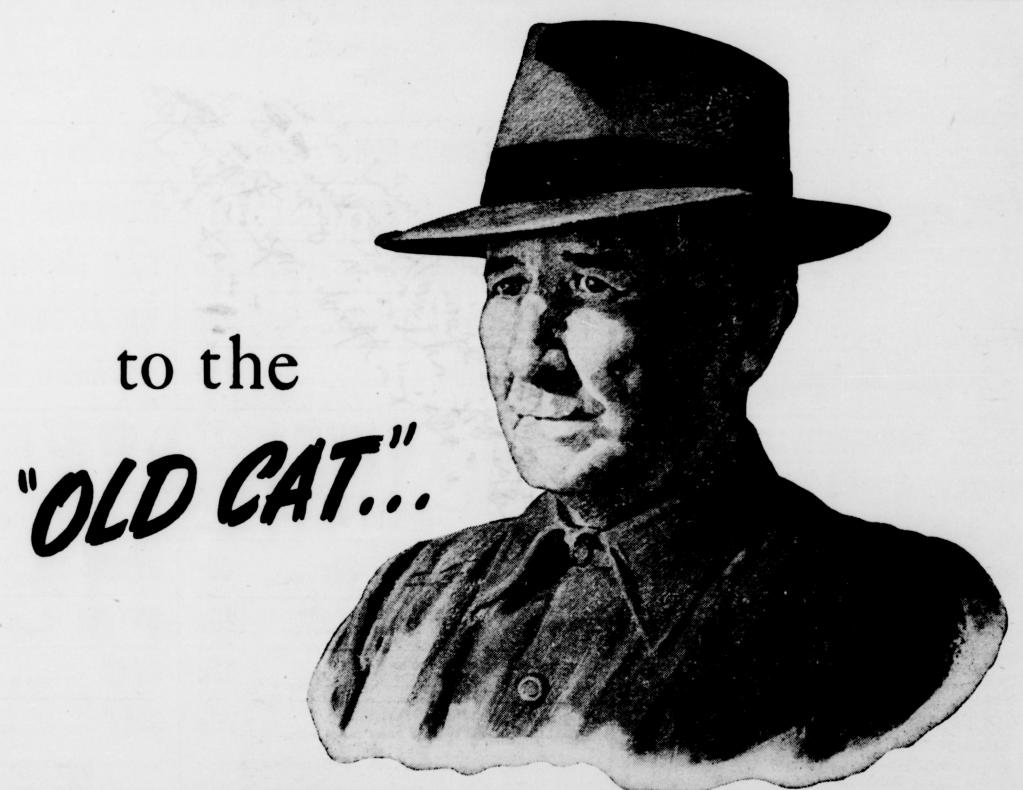
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vins, Sandra Sue Stiles, Royce

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Herd, Gary Hall, Jerry Lewis, Tony

Puckett, Martha Ann Chapman,

Patry Brumley, Malva Sue Savage,

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Carmaleta Brown, Joe Mitchell.

Ninth Grade: A's: Lois May. A's and B's: Ansel McDowell, Caro-

lyn Allison, Vaneta Brewer. Tenth Grade: A's: Peggy Weath

Donald Oglesby, Phyllis Puc-A's and B's: Floy Bradstreet, Joy tt. Donna Greenhouse, Paula Green, Bradstreet, Melba Little, Ida Mae Martin, Vondell Starkey B's: Noi Lou Bolin.

Twelfth Grade: A's: Mary Lee Reid.

Second Six Weeks

First Grade: A's Paula Green. A's and B's: Harry Tipps, Charles Wayne Wagner, Don Dison, Douglas Blasingame, Marceil Underwood, Wanda Sue Stiles, Jarial Shurfield, Ada Pierce, Juanita Sanders, Donna Greenhouse, Harold Glen Douglas, Phyllis Puckett, Donald Oglesby, Glen Gage, James Henry Stone, Beth Slagle, Dennie Bowerman, Barbara Mitchell, Charlene Ruff, Donald Ray Weeks, Vernelda Jo Carson, K. V. Willard.

Second Grade: A's: Katie Pierce. A's and B's: Jerry Barton, Lavonda Callan, Robert Denson, Weldon Woodruff, Lonnelle Lee, Bonnie Moore, Jimmie Wayne Wagner, Don Dison, Douglas Blevins, Sandra Sue Stiles, Royce Spence, Ada Pierce. Juanita Sanders, Jimmie Don Jackard Brown, David Johnson, Dixie

Third Grade: A's and B's: Maxey Herd, Gary Hall, Jerry Lewis, Tony Puckett, J. E. Rogers, Martha Lee Goad, Billie Ruth Morris, Alwilda

Fourth Grade: A's: Betty Jo Tray-

A's and B's: Marilyn Swink, Betty Lou Kidwell, Lajune Mann, Loretta Crowder, Jo Ann Hardcastle, Patricia Hubbard, Nadine Barton, Waunetta

Burgess, Glen Farmer, Buddy Toon. Fifth Grade: A's: Bonita Ragan, Maurine Cole, Lucille Murray, Mary Bob Denson, Bobby Weatherly, Richard Brown, David Johnson, Dixie Sanders, Carmaleta Brown, Joe Mitchell

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Sixth Grade: A's: Maurice Pettit, rine Herd, Bonnie Ray Tilley. A's and B's: Edgar Hubbard, Jack land. Tarter, Chas. Ray Pendleton, Georgia

Seventh Grade: A's: J. T. Johnson. Dorothy Esslinger, Jimmy Green,

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Eighth Grade: A's: Billie V. Brown, Reid.

garet Moore, Mary Helen Hefley, Beth Ford, Wanda Sue Blevins, Ruth Margaret Ann Holt, Georgia Gaye Porter, Peggy Rodgers, Patsy Sue

A's and B's: Melba May, Horace A's and B's: Garland Parks, James Ragan, Doris Ragan, Harold Hard-

> Ninth Grade: A's: Lois May. A's and B's: Ansel McDowell, Ruby Lee Reid, Lloyd Johnson, Henry Ris-

Tenth Grade: A's and B's: Floy Bradstreet, Ida Mae Martin, Vondell Starkey, Peggy Weatherly, June Johnson.

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MOBEETIE HI-LIFE Items of interest pertaining to

the Mobeetie Schools Sports News

The Mobeetie basketball girls met the McLean girls on the Mobeetie court Thursday night. The score at Wheeler. Mrs. John Stilwell. 3-tfc the half was 9 to 28 with the Mobeetie girls leading.

The girls met Briscoe on the Moany kind for the next 30 days. See beetie court Friday night. The girls 3-2tp were determined to beat Briscoe, but they didn't quite get the job done. The score was 25 to 30 at the end of the game in favor of Briscoe.

The starting line up of both games FOR SALE OR TRADE - 20 acres were Virginia Futch, Marion Owens truck farm, sub-irrigated and irrigation well, 1 4 mile from Wheeler and Vera Mixon as forwards, and Belva Abbott, Maurita Lamon and town section. Mrs. Mattie Womack. Betty Ruth Brewer as guards. 3-2tp

The junior boys of Mobeetie played the junior boys of Briscoe Friday night. The score was 3 to 33 in Briscook stoves and heaters. Wheeler coe's favor. The line up for the Mobeetie team was Greenhouse, Reed, FOR SALE-20-Ton Hydraulic Jack Abbott, Leonard and Lamon.

The hard hitting Hornets trampled McLean again last Thursday night, January 4. The final score was 27 to 18 in the Hornet's favor. The game took place on the Hornet court. The lineup was Louis Key, LeRoy FOR SALE - Six-foot Electrolux, Patton, at forward; Orvel Brewer, center, and Wallace Corse, Geo. B. Dunn as guards. The high point man

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Saturday afternoon. Mr. and Mrs. Frank Totty spent Sunday in the W. R. Winkley home. Doug Baird of Megargel spent legally sell any type nursery stock. Thursday night in the Alvis Burke

Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Hill, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Thompson, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Totty, and Messrs. Herman Eisinminger, Herbert Eisinminger and Coony Lawrence were visitors in

9 points. The stubstitutes were Neal Herd and Vernie Mixon.

Again Friday night the Hornets DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE were victorious over Briscoe, who had beaten them in the first game of the season. The score was 24 to 20 in the Hornet's favor. The high stock grown, exhibited or held for point player was Corse with a total his mother, Mrs. I. E. Howard, 2) that such of 10 points.

Abber and Jabber

Wonder why Juanita Walker asked Mrs. Marchbanks if she could stand your kind and thoughtful expressen that the up during classes Monday? Could it of sympathy during the loss of successions be the effects of horse back riding? Why is every one looking at La- want to thank you for the bear does not

Rue's finger? Seems she has gotten a floral offerings and may Cod ormal value new ring? It is thought to be a 1944 each of you. senior ring of Mobeetie high school.

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spent Sunday in the Jeff Seitz 2,000, but in Mr. and Mrs. Tom Hathaw family spent Sunday in the Waters home at Wheeler.

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