

## IMMUNIZATION CLINIC

An Immunization Clinic will be held at Briscoe on Tuesday, September 22, from 10:00 A.M. until 1:00 P.M. in the Home Economics Room.

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MEET BICYCLISTS RIDING FROM CALIFORNIA TO FLORIDA IN A COAST TO COAST CYCLING EVENT RAISING AWARENESS OF THE NEED FOR LIFESAVING DONATIONS BLOOD, ORGAN & TISSUE, BONE MARROW, APHERESIS, CORD BLOOD  
They will be in Wheeler at 5:00 P.M. to 7:00 P.M. They will be fed at Maxey's at 7:00 P.M.



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## CWE CHAT WITH EDITOR

By Louis C. Stas

Congratulations to **Alli Moore** and **Kirt Boedeker** on having been crowned W.H.S. 1998 Homecoming King and Queen.

As usual 'Rob' did an excellent job with the pictures of each of the events. Thanks!

**Aaron Dunnam** and **Don Hudgins** were given an honorable mention in the Amarillo paper's 'Player of the Week'. Aaron ran 31 times for 124 yards and scored two TDs in the 12-7 win over Sunray. Hudgins made 10 tackles and had two quarterback hurries. Congratulations!

**Ernest Lester** has been doing some temperature measuring September 8, 1998. The temperature of some concrete in Wheeler showed 126 degrees in the sun, on the ground showed 120 degrees, and 108 degrees in the shade. He would like to see a comparison worldwide.

I noticed a Dallas man was doing some egg cooking on the pavement.

I am going to have to contact the cross country coach or have 'Rob' make the picture. I showed up Wednesday morning to make a picture and they were not there. I did not have an appointment.

The 'On This Date' in Tuesday's *Amarillo Daily News* was; 'Jack Frye, a Wheeler native and president of Trans World Airlines, spoke at an Amarillo aviation luncheon.'

Ourscheduled travel to south Texas this past weekend was delayed due to Hurricane Francis. Cathi reported some heavy rain and more forecast for the weekend. I am not sure when the next effort for the trip will be.

We made our usual trip to Oklahoma. Made the rounds and managed to play some cards.

The Monday night card game is another story. Barbara, Scott and I won the first game and were in the running for the winning of the next two. But, I relied on Barbara's score keeping the last hand and shouldn't have. Paul, Dwight and Mike out counted us. Win one, lose two.

## Fund Is Established For Jennifer Cavazos

A fund has been set up at Wheeler Banking Center for Jennifer Cavazos, the 16 year old granddaughter of Isabel and Raul Arjona. Miss Cavazos has been diagnosed with cancer.

## County Receives Award For 1997 Employee Safety

Wheeler County has been awarded a 1997 Safety Award by the Texas Association of Counties (TAC), which administers a Workers' Compensation self-insurance pool for counties and other local governments.

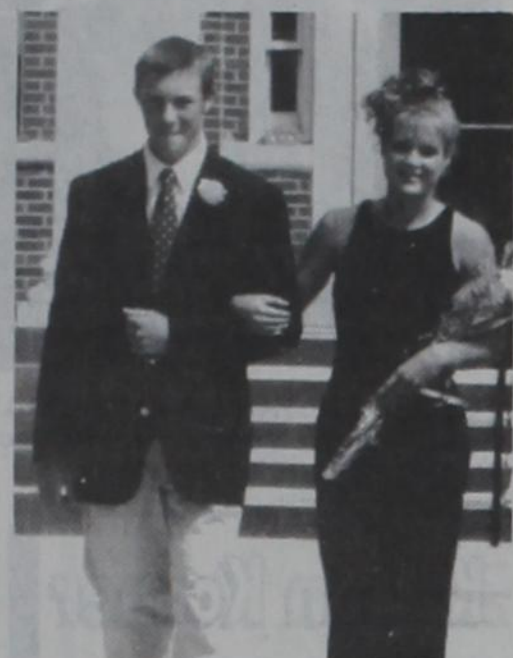
The award was presented Monday, September 14, 1998, to Wheeler County Commissioners Court by TAC Representative, James Cain.

The award was earned for their record of involvement and commitment to safety in the workplace, as well as for controlling their Workers' Compensation claims.

The honor means that Wheeler County, which participates in the counties' pool through TAC, is obtaining substantial savings for their taxpayers as a result of their TAC Worker's Comp coverage. Premiums are reduced for public entities that have lowered their claims rates.

Wheeler County has saved approximately \$53,957.00 in Workers' Compensation costs in 1997 compared to the manual rates for Workers' Comp. (Continued Page 7)

## Introducing . . . 1998 Homecoming King & Queen Candidates



Michael Jones & Kristen Marlon



Kirt Boedeker & Brooke Stevens



Will Woollard & Alli Moore



Aaron Dunnam & Jennifer Shepard

## 2 Vehicle Accident Takes Lives of Two Passengers

A two-vehicle accident near Briscoe Friday afternoon resulted in the death of two individuals. One victim was released from Northwest Texas Hospital on Monday and a fourth victim remains in critical condition at the hospital.

Two pickups collided at the unmarked intersection of county roads DD and 13 about 22 miles southeast of Canadian around 2:30 Friday afternoon.

Patricia "Pat" Black Hudson, 54, of Briscoe and Michael Bradley Johnson, 25, of Watonga, Okla., died at the scene, according to a Texas Department of Public Safety dispatcher.

Ray Shearl Hudson, 56, of Briscoe was released from the hospital Monday.

Raylon Howard Parrish, 32, of Watonga, Okla., remains in the Amarillo hospital.

## County Range & Pasture Tour Is Slated For Oct. 7

The annual Wheeler County Range and Pasture Seminar and Tour will be held Wednesday, October 7, 1998. Rolling Plains Production Credit Association will sponsor a meal following the tour.

The tour will leave from the parking lot of Maxey's Steakhouse. A two-hour continuing education unit (CEU) meeting will be held following the tour and seminar.

Information presented during the event will give beef cattle producers a method they can use to determine how much forage they have available for the winter. This can help them make decisions on the options they have for surviving the winter following (Continued Page 7)

## Kelton Plans Social Sat.

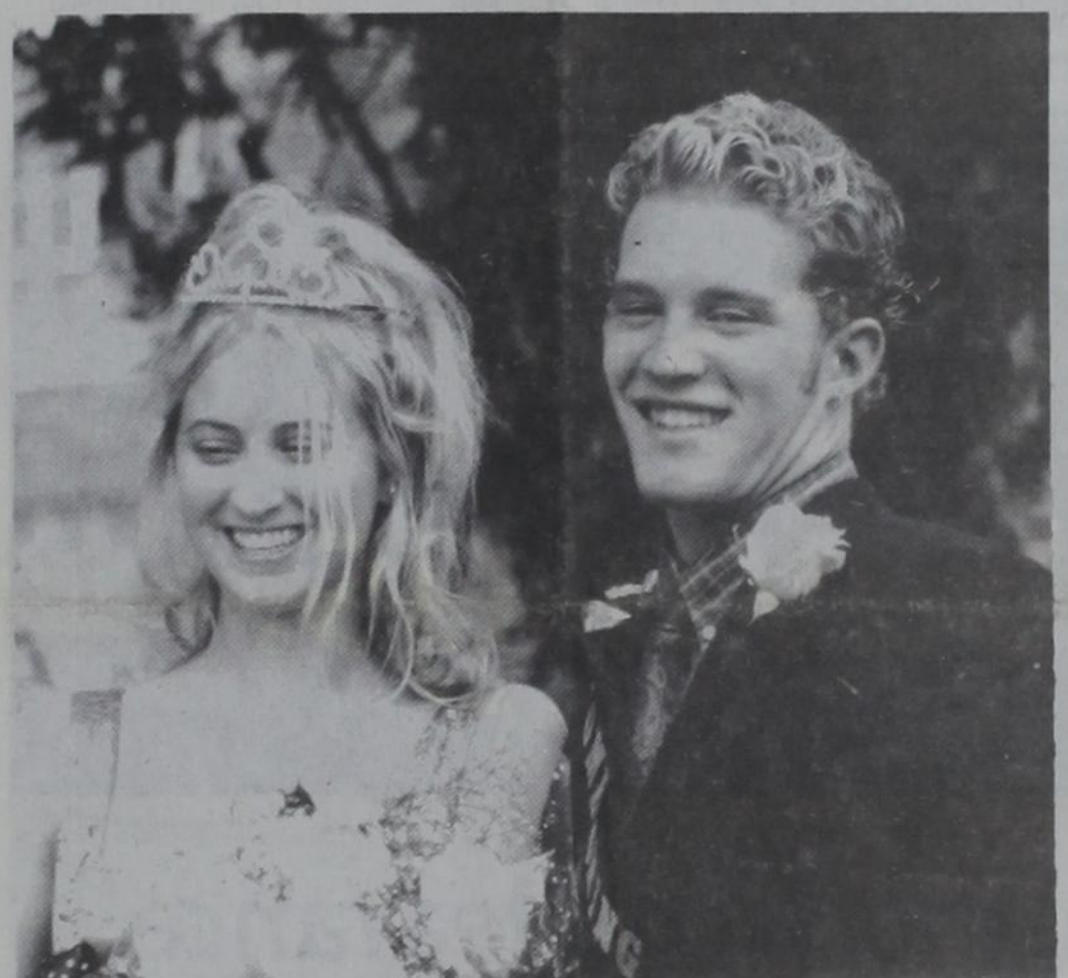
Kelton has a number of new families in our community, and it would be nice to get to know each other. There will be an ice cream and cookie social Saturday, September 19, at 7:00 p.m. in the school cafeteria. Bring cookies, brownies, or a freezer of your favorite ice cream if you can. Bring cards, dominoes, or other games. The gym will be open for the children. Plan to come and spend some time with your Kelton neighbors.

## Cristiana Canaan Will Sell Enchilada Dinners

Cristiana Canaan Church at 401 E. Okla., in Wheeler will be offering Enchilada dinners on Friday, September 18, 1998, from 11:00 A.M. until 2 in the afternoon at the church.

Stop in for Enchiladas, Rice, Beans and Guacamole. Eat at the location or carry it home.

## 1998 W.H.S. Homecoming KING AND QUEEN



**1998 HOMECOMING KING AND QUEEN:** Miss Alli Moore, a senior at Wheeler High School, was crowned 1998 Homecoming Queen at the pep rally Friday afternoon, September 11. Kirt Boedeker, also a Wheeler Senior, was named by his classmates as the 1998 Homecoming King. Alli is the daughter of Dennis and Kim Moore. Kirt is the son of Mimi and Ted Boedeker.

## Mobeetie/Briscoe Bike-a-Thon Is Sat., Sept. 19

The Mobeetie/Briscoe Communities Bike-a-Thon will be held Saturday, September 19, on the north end of Boy Scout Road, 4 miles east of Briscoe. St. Jude Children's Research Hospital sponsors the "Wheels For Life" Bike-a-Thon. Coordinator for this year's event is Mrs. Pam Jones who encourages all residents and businesses to support this community effort.

Registration is at 8:45 A.M., followed by the bike ride. All school age students may participate. Please bring your bike. Safety check your bike for brakes, proper inflation of tires. Safety helmets and other equipment are encouraged.

Refreshments will be provided. St. Jude Children's Research Hospital, founded in 1962 by the late entertainer Danny Thomas, is the largest childhood cancer research center in America in terms of the number of patients treated and treatment success. Treatment is provided at no cost to the family and all findings are shared freely with doctors and hospitals all over the world. Thanks to St. Jude Hospital, children who have leukemia, Pediatric AIDS, sickle-cell anemia, and other life-threatening diseases now have a better chance to live.

## Former Resident Given Prestigious Dentist Award

Raymond K. Martin, D.D.S., received the Academy of General Dentistry's (AGD) prestigious Fellowship award during convocation ceremonies at the Academy's 46th Annual Meeting, July 13, at the Hynes Convention Center, in Boston.

The Academy of General Dentistry is an international organization of 35,000 general dentists. Members are committed to continuing dental education, to give patients the best possible care.

Earning the Fellowship award means completing more than 500 hours of continuing education courses within 10 years, and also passing a rigorous Fellowship examination. Dr. Martin was graduated from dental school at the University of Texas Health Science Center, San Antonio. He has practiced in Mansfield since 1990, and formerly was an instructor at the Tufts Dental Facility for the Handicapped. He also is on staff at Sturdy Memorial Hospital.

In addition to the Academy of General Dentistry, Dr. Martin is a member of the American Dental Association, Massachusetts Dental Society and Southeastern District Dental Society. He also is a member of the Rotary Club of Mansfield and the Mansfield Board of Health.

Dr. Martin lives in Mansfield with his wife, Jean C. Lee, a microbiologist at the Harvard Medical School. They have two children, Tyler and Elaine.

### Hospital Notes

**Old Admissions**  
Estelle Orr  
Winifred Buckingham  
Monroe Seitz  
Virginia Frye  
Ruth Ledbetter  
Oral Helton  
Cliff Hefley  
Elsie Chester

**New Admissions**  
9-8 Travis Bryan  
9-11 Lou Killingsworth  
9-13 Amy Nelson

**Dismissals**  
9-8 Doretta Moore  
9-11 Travis Bryan  
Tilda O'Neal  
Julie Hampton  
Billy Turner



Raymond Martin

## Patricia Black Hudson Services Wed. in Wheeler

Patricia Ann Black Hudson, 54, of Wheeler, died Friday, September 11, 1998. Services were at 10 a.m. Wednesday, at the First Baptist Church in Wheeler, with the Rev. Aaron Lavery officiating. Burial was at the Gageby Cemetery under the direction of Wright Funeral Home of Wheeler.

Mrs. Hudson was born on March 10, 1944 in Pampa to Steve Burl and Norma Lee Glover Black. She attended Wheeler schools. She married Ray Hudson in 1960 at Wheeler. They returned to the Briscoe community in 1995. Mrs. Hudson worked for Safeway for 15 years and was working at the U.S. Census Bureau. She had been a member of the Texas Home Extension Club for 10 years and was a member of the Gageby Baptist Church.

Survivors include her husband Ray of the home; three daughters, EzSonya Hudson, LuCinda Sweet and Cheryl Ann Hudson all of Amarillo; two sons, Brady Lester Hudson of Ripley, Okla. and Rodney Wayne Hudson of Levelland, one sister, Mary Jones of Wheeler, and 10 grandchildren.

The family requests memorials be sent to the scholarship fund at the Fort Elliott School in Briscoe.

## Lester Leonard, 78, Rites Read Sat. in Mobeetie

Lester Leonard, 78, died Thursday, September 10, 1998, at Amarillo. Services were Saturday in the First Baptist Church with the Rev. Dinzel Leonard officiating. Burial was in the Mobeetie Cemetery under the direction of Wright Funeral Home of Wheeler.

Mr. Leonard was born June 4, 1920, at Mobeetie, to Robert and Tassie Leonard. He had been a lifelong Mobeetie resident. He married Jewel Estelle Alexander on March 22, 1941, at Mobeetie; she died in 1993. He owned the Conoco Service Station and was Conoco Distributor for many years in Mobeetie, retiring in 1990.

He was a former fire marshal for Mobeetie Volunteer Fire Department and was a charter member of the Parkview Hospital of Wheeler Board of Directors, serving on the board for a total of 28 years. He was a member and deacon of First Baptist Church.

He was preceded in death by his father in 1971 and by his mother in 1977.

Survivors include two sisters, Laverne Newman of Chickasha, Okla., and Roberta Stevens of Azle; and five brothers, Allen Leonard of Seguin, Dinzel Leonard of Canadian, Aubrey Lee Leonard of Pampa, Jesse Ray Leonard of Houston and Joe Fred Leonard of Wichita Falls.

## Ona Lee Markham, 81 Is Buried in San Jacinto

Ona Lee Markham, 81, a former Mobeetie resident, died Saturday, September 12, 1998. Service were at 2 p.m. Monday, September 14, 1998 in San Jacinto United Methodist Church with the Rev. Bill Fitzgerald officiating. Burial was in Happy Cemetery at Happy under the direction of Schooler-Gordon Funeral Directors of Amarillo.

Mrs. Markham was born at Mobeetie and graduated from high school there. She married James Murray Markham in 1944 at Amarillo. She had been an Amarillo resident since 1957, moving from Tulsa. She was a homemaker and a secretary. She was a member of San Jacinto United Methodist Church.

Survivors include her husband, James; a son, James Lee Markham; three grandchildren; and a great-grandchild.

## Father of Local Woman Is Buried Tues. in Kirkland

Dewell Allen Collins, 72, father of a Wheeler resident, died Saturday, September 12, 1998. Services were at 2 p.m. Tuesday in Travis Baptist Church with the Rev. O.K. Bowen officiating. Burial was in Kirkland Cemetery under the direction of Memphis Funeral Home.

Mr. Collins was born at Kirkland. He married Betty Decker in 1944. He had been a Memphis resident since 1959. He was supervisor for GTE.

He was a member of Travis Baptist Church, Masonic Order and American Legion. He was a U.S. Army veteran, serving in the Airborne Division during World War II.

Survivors include his wife, Betty; four daughters, Lue Crockett of Wheeler, Sue Wilson of Wichita Falls, Kay Blum of Memphis and Rita Flores of Amarillo, 11 grandchildren; and 17 great-grandchildren.

The family requests memorials to Hospice of Amarillo or Travis Baptist Church.



**PRESENTATION:** Wheeler County Judge Wendell Morgan (left) is shown here receiving the 1997 Safety Award from James Cain, Texas Association of Counties Coordinator. The award was earned for their record of involvement and commitment to safety in the workplace and controlling their Workers' Compensation claims.

Linda Cox, Matthew and Bryan; Junior and Lisa Cox, Kayla and Kara. Sharon, Beth and Kathy took Ruby to the Western Sizzling for lunch. Gayla Head sent her a plant. Our 4-H and FFA students had a lot

of exhibits at the Roger Mills Harvest Festival. I see that we have already had a 1,000 visitors at the Washita National Battlefield Park. All 50 states and 30 countries are represented. Keep seeing an ad on TV, install

one TV for \$49 or two for \$99. Reminds me of a merchant we used to have who sold pork and beans for 8 cents or three for 25 cents.

Tammy, Randall, and Jacob Fuchs, Lewisburg, TX, Lisa, Jerry Alexander, Jada and Joel visited the Gerald Tiptons over the holiday.

Like everyone else we saw McGwire hit the home run that broke the record. Years ago, we went to a Cardinal game in St. Louis. Everytime they did something good, a mechanical red bird would sail across the field.

Funerals were Wednesday at Sayre Rose Chapel for Bill Manning who died in Oklahoma City. He would have been 98 the 18th and was a member of the Sayre Baptist Church. Burial was in the Delhi Cemetery. He was an uncle of Esther Pearl.

Services were Friday at the Erick Church of Christ for Alton Tignor, 72. Alton was born and raised in this community. He was a member of the Erick Church. Burial was in the Mayfield Cemetery.

Dale Johnson, 78, died at Lubbock. Dale was raised at Texola. He married Cordelia Bessire of

**ALLISON MENU**

**MONDAY, September 21, 1998 — FRIDAY, September 25, 1998**

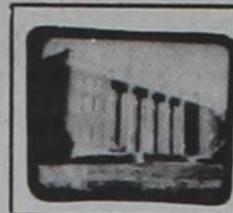
**MONDAY:** Breakfast: Cereal, Toast, Juice, Milk  
Lunch: Pork Chops, Mashed Potatoes, Green Beans, Hot Rolls, Ice Cream, Milk

**TUESDAY:** Breakfast: Pancakes, Juice, Milk  
Lunch: Spaghetti w/Meat, Garlic Bread, Tossed Salad, Peach Cobbler, Milk

**WEDNESDAY:** Breakfast: Breakfast Burritos, Juice, Milk  
Lunch: Polish Sausage, Potato Salad, Onion Rings, Biscuits, Fruit, Milk

**THURSDAY:** Breakfast: Cereal, Toast, Juice, Milk  
Lunch: Soft Tacos, Refried Beans, Lettuce, Tomatoes, Sour Cream, Cheese, Fruit, Milk

**FRIDAY:** Breakfast: Cinnamon Rolls, Juice, Milk  
Lunch: Grilled Chicken Sandwich, Lettuce, Tomatoes, Fries, Fruit and Cookies, Milk



Sweetwater in 1940. Services were at the Schooler Funeral Home in Lubbock.

Dale Roberts, Kansas, and Don Roberts spent Labor Day at Tahlequah with their Aunt Gladys Lewis.

Edith Miller spent a few days with her brother William Earl in Odessa. Doris Miller Vineyard, Tyrone, Beulah Miller, Oklahoma City, spent the night with Iona Miller. They were on their way to Arizona to visit their brother.



**FUTURE MUSTANG AND CHEERLEADER:** Pate and Jessica Alls were on hand Friday for the Wheeler's Homecoming pep rally. They are the children of Ronny and Melody Alls of Wheeler.

—Photo by Azzip Pizza

**Kelton Korner**

By Laura Green

The descendants of Willis and Annie Jones held their Third Annual Family Reunion on Saturday, Sept. 5, at the Kelton cafeteria. Those attending were Christine Hooser of Sarasota, Fla., Jackie and Keith Poteet of Duncanville, Tx., John Hooser and Dillon of Coperas Cove, Tx., Jimmy and Mary Ruth Jones, Laura, Daniel and Casey, Steven, Tracy, Chelsea and Allison Jones of Irving, Tx., Bobby, Tammy, Alesha and Jordan Jones of Pampa. From Wheeler were: Billy Jones, Robert and Ann Jones, Ronnie, Sherri, Tracy and Paige Jones, Larry, Christie, Haley and Katie Jones, Paula, Charlene, Misty and Andrea Jones, Sue Ann Johnson, Brett and Ethan and John, Michelle and Katilynn Jones. From Kelton were: Chester, Vivian, Michael and Alan Jones. Special guests were Jerry, Becky, Coy, Matthew and Casey Jewell.

Jackie and Keith Poteet of Duncanville were guests of the Chester Jones family on Friday and Saturday nights.

Jeremy Jones of Lubbock spent Saturday and Sunday nights with his family at Kelton.

Jimmy Jones of Irving spent Tuesday night with his brother, Chester and family. Chester sent a lot of watermelons back with his family, since there is such a bumper crop, in spite of the hot, dry weather. Some of the larger melons are in the 30 and 40 lb. range and they're not irrigated.

If you were in the Kelton area Tuesday night around 7:00 p.m. you probably got a little wind-blown. We had very high winds, rain and lightning. Rain amounts varied from .10 to .60, the lightning caused several grass fires in and around the area.

Kelton I.S.D. Board of Trustees met on Tuesday, Sept. 8, and appointed new trustees. We would like to welcome Kenneth Abernethy, Brett Buckingham and Paul Calcote to the Board.

D.A.R.E. officer Scott Morgan talked to the fifth and sixth graders at Kelton on Wednesday. He will try to speak to all of the kids thru-out the semester about the dangers of drug and alcohol use. The D.A.R.E. program is a very useful tool in preventing drug and alcohol abuse in our younger children. We are glad to have Scott teaching this program.

Scott, we hope your Dad is well soon.

I called Diane Buckingham, her and husband, Bob enjoyed a visit over the holiday weekend from Bobby, Christie and Baby Julia.

Melinda and Bill Stiles have had a houseful of friends and family, thanks to hunting season.

Alyssa Ray was home from college this weekend. She enjoyed the weekend with her mom, Kim Ray and Kenneth Daughtry. They dined out at Maxey's Friday night and went shopping in Elk City Monday.

I talked to Donna Green in Sham-

**MEALS on WHEELS MENU**

**MONDAY, September 21, 1998 — FRIDAY, September 25, 1998**

**MONDAY:** Fried Chicken, Mashed Potatoes/Gravy, Green Beans, (Alternate: Beef Patty, Gravy, Wax Beans, Seasoned Corn), Bread/Margarine, Mandarin Oranges  
**TUESDAY:** Barbecue Beef On Bun, Baked Beans, Coleslaw, (Alternate: Baked Chicken, Macaroni & Cheese, Stewed Tomatoes, Bread/Margarine), Apple Crisp  
**WEDNESDAY:** Enchiladas/Sauce, Spanish Rice, Tossed Salad/Dressing, (Alternate: Chinese Chop Suey, Rice), Cornbread/Margarine, Pear Cobbler  
**THURSDAY:** Spaghetti/Meatballs, Italian Green Beans, Garlic Bread, Parmesan Cheese, (Alternate: Chicken, Carrots, Mashed Potatoes), Ice Cream  
**FRIDAY:** Fried Catfish, Spinach, Au Gratin Potatoes, (Alternate: Breaded Boneless Pork Chop, Mashed Potatoes, Peas), Bread/Margarine, Gingerbread/Topping

rock. She was on her way to Amarillo with her mom, Jimmy Berry. She was going to have to go back again the next day. I wonder if she's sick of Amarillo, yet?

I enjoyed the Labor Day weekend. My son, William Leven from Groom came home for the weekend. We ate at Mel's and rented some movies.

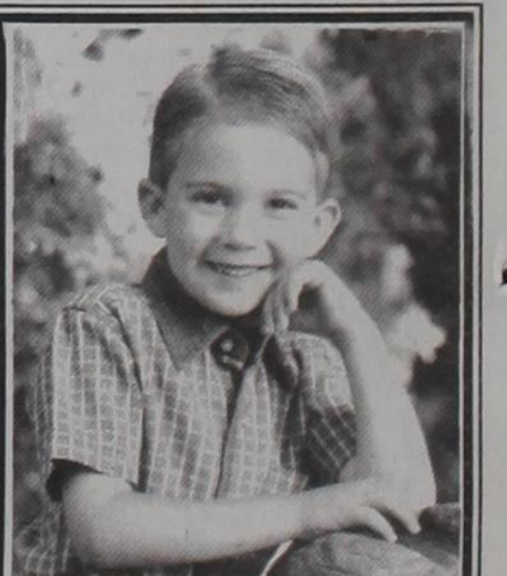
I have been asking around about having a community "pot-luck" supper. If you live in the Kelton area or did live here, let me know what you think. You can call me at 826-1034 or stop by the school and drop your suggestions or news tidbits in the news box. I will be calling or visiting with the people in the area as much as I can. Thank you for all your help. Maybe I'll get caught next week!



**Fort Elliott Elementary Student** of the week for September 7-11, 1998 is Jake Puryear, fifth grade, is the son of Charlie and Tammy Puryear. Jake's favorite subject is math.

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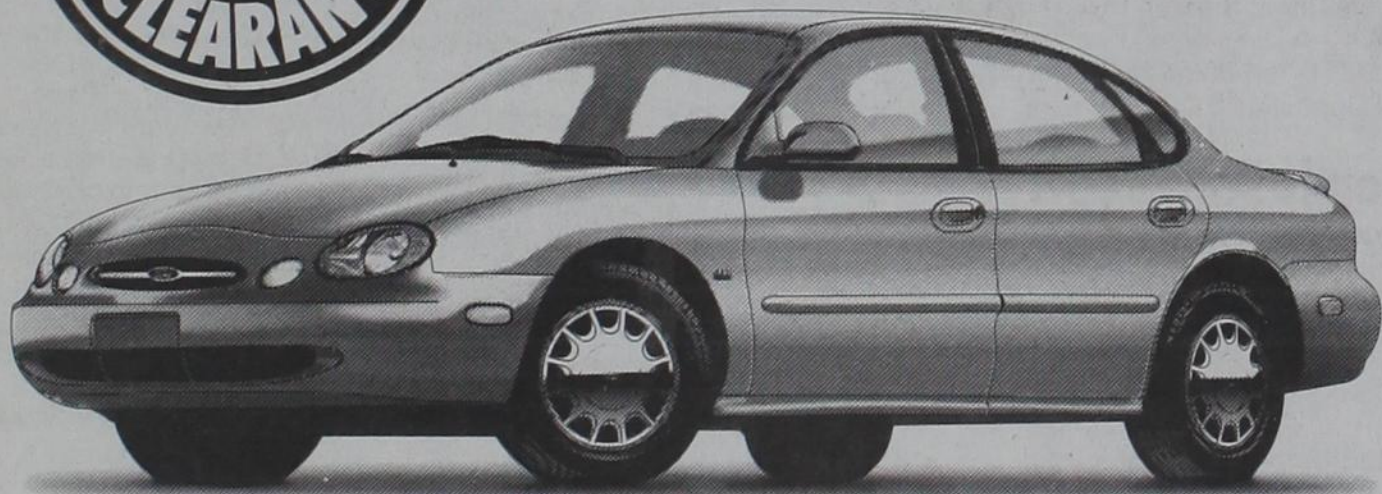
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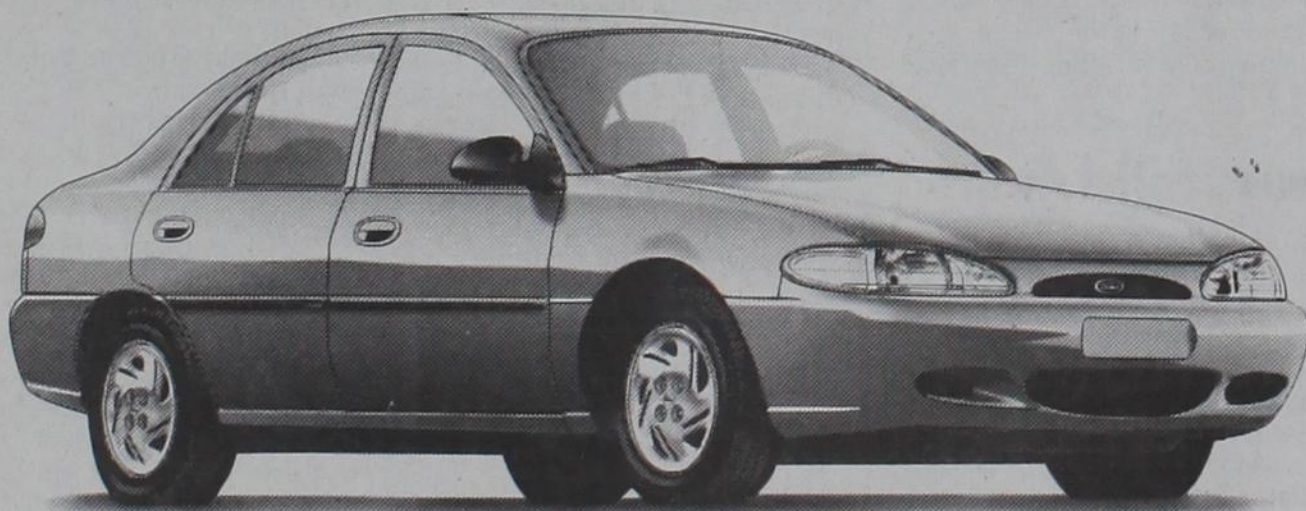


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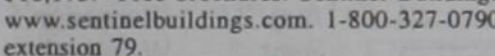
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**#220** 3BR, 1BA ..... 610 W. Texas

**#221** 3BR, 1BA ..... 511 Sweetwater

**#223** 3-4 BR, 3BA ..... 1000 S. Main

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**Wheeler County COURT RECORDS**

List of Instruments filed in Wheeler County Clerk's office from September 2, 1998 - September 8, 1998

**SEPTEMBER 2, 1998**

D—Dicie Prater to Calvary Christian Fellowship Church, 8/31/98, Lots 1 and 2, Blk. F, Potts Add., Shamrock, PARTIAL RDT—Bank of Oklahoma, N.A. to Harold S. Brown, 1/23/98, Pt. NE 1/4 Sec. 67, Blk. 13, H&GN Ry. Company Survey.

**SEPTEMBER 3, 1998**

MD—Leon Red to Donald F. Duncan and TC/MAP 1997-A, 8/27/98, N/2 Sec. 18, Blk R.E., Roberts & Eddleman Survey.

MD—Leon Red to Donald F. Duncan, et al, 8/27/98, N 1/2 Sec. 18, Blk. R.E., Roberts & Eddleman Survey.

CD—Wheeler Community Cemetery Association to Andy Andrews, et ux, 9/8/98, Lot 4, Blk. M-8, 1st Add., Wheeler.

RDT—Hub Hill, Inc. to Blakemore, Inc., 8/31/98, See Instrument.

PARTIAL RDT—Hub Hill, Inc. to Blakemore, Inc., 8/31/98, See Instrument.

DVL—Bob Wilburn, et ux to Ronnie David Harris, et ux, 9/4/98, W 1/2 and SE 1/4 Sec. 26, Blk. 13, H & G.N. Ry. Company Survey.

POA—Jo Wilburn to Bob Wilburn, 9/1/98, W 1/2 and SE 1/4 Sec. 26, Blk. 13, H & G.N. Ry. Company Survey.

DT—Ronnie David Harris, et ux to FirstBank Southwest National, 9/4/98, W 1/2 and SE 1/4 Sec. 26, Blk. 13, H & G.N. Ry. Company Survey.

D—James R. Reneau to Betty Lou Wright, 8/6/98, Pts. Outlot 3, Shamrock.

POA—Floyd F. Morse to Jake R. Morse, 9/3/98.

A OF JUDG—American Bank, N. A. to Charles Hawkins, 8/7/98.

ASSIGN—7777 Drilling Corporation to Saxet Resources, Inc., 9/2/98, See Instrument.

OL—John Oren Coltharp to Crest Resources, Inc., 6/22/98, N 1/2 and SW 1/4 Sec. 58, Blk. A-7, H & G.N. Ry. Company Survey.

OL—Flint B. Coltharp to Crest Resources, Inc., 6/22/98, N 1/2 and SW 1/4 Sec. 58, Blk. A-7, H & G.N. Ry. Company Survey.

OL—Mary Deborah Owens to Crest Resources, Inc., 6/22/98, N 1/2 and SW 1/4 Sec. 58, Blk. A-7, H & G.N. Ry. Company Survey.

C/C PROBATE ORDER—Effie R. Hays to Ex-Parte, 8/25/98.

C/C WILL—Effie R. Hays to Ex-Parte, 8/25/98.

MD—Samson Resources Company to Samson Lone Star Limited Partnership, 8/31/98, Sec. 51, Blk. A-7, H & G.N. Ry. Company Survey.

PARTIAL ASSIGN—Geodyne Nomi-

nee Corporation to Samson Lone Star Limited Partnership, 8/31/98, E 1/2 Sec. 19 and the W 1/2 Sec. 20, Blk. L, J. M. Lindsey Survey.

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Proverbs 3:5: Trust in the Lord with all thine heart; and lean not unto thy own understanding.  
Happy Birthday to Ruth Irvine, Ed Trimble, Pierce Walker and Cody Selby on Sept. 20; Mary Lois Newman, Sue Chandler, Nadine Lane and Shane Everett on Sept. 21; Casey Zybach, Carla Howard, Amanda Johnson and Keith Bellon on Sept. 22; Doug Whaley, John Paul Harris, Janet

Hefner, Sue Lehman and Mona Cook on Sept. 23; Julie Caffee, R. J. Smith, Cassidy Stinnett Kelley and Clifford Waiser on Sept. 24; Bob Blackburn, Clayton May and Felecia McCarty on Sept. 25; Laura Meadows, Rosemary Vise, Ellen Ryan, Lori Baker and Billie V. Brown McClellan on Sept. 26.  
Happy anniversary to Venson and Faye Smith on Sept. 20, and Leonard and Bertha Hollis on Sept. 24.  
We are happy to see stop signs have been put on the east and west roads at the intersection where Pat Hudson and an oil field worker lost their lives. Ray Hudson and another man were critically injured.  
Susan Redding and daughter,

Tommy Joe Potter, were Saturday supper guests and Sunday dinner guests to Jo Redding in Wheeler.  
Congratulations to Bobby and Sara (Powledge) Ford on the birth of their new baby boy, Tate Dalton, born Sunday, September 13, at 7:30 p.m. at Perryton. He looks just like his brother, Ty, 2, and weighed 7 pounds, 11 ounces, and is 19 1/2 inches long. Another red head. Proud grandparents include Leonard Jr., and Teresa Powledge, Nova Powledge is a great-grandmother. Bobby and Sara and boys live where Leo and Cary George used to live.  
Melody and Timm Rodgers and Gabe and Nikki are moving into the Reames place for awhile. The house they were living in sold. They are looking for another house in Canadian.

Fort Elliott Junior High Football team will play at Lefors Thursday, Sept. 17, at 5:00 p.m. Follett will come to Ft. Elliott Thursday, Sept. 24, at 6:00 for Junior High game.

"We are always sowing seeds in life. In everything we do or say. And we will surely reap the fruit of what we're planting every day." Hess from "Daily Bread"

Helen Dyson of Sayre was in the hospital at Oklahoma City and then moved to Northwest Texas Hospital at Amarillo. Pray for Helen. They don't know what is wrong. Saturday Fat and Wanda Childress and Lindon and Wynola Sanders went to visit her. Fat also visited Ray Hudson. Wanda got to see some of the volleyball games at Briscoe before they left. Keep praying for Ray Hudson and his family.

Ft. Elliott High School will host Clovis Christian football team here on Friday, Sept. 25, at 6:00 p.m. Ya'll come!

Kristi Hefley was a weekend visitor to David and Phyllis Hefley. Phyllis

and Kristi spent Saturday at the Volleyball tournament at Briscoe and enjoyed the games and seeing everyone. Our varsity girls won first in the tournament.

Congratulations Ft. Elliott Cougars in their wins against Higgins Thursday night, 47-28 in football game at Briscoe

Ft. Elliott Junior High also played Higgins and won 33-14. On the football team are Junior Newman, Larry Lee Horn, Kaleb Kirkpatrick, George Helton, Calvin Helton, Jason Hathaway, Wesley Hathaway, John Butler, Justin Bryant, Dustin Woodworth and Seth Meadows.

Weekend visitors to Bevard and Diane Dukes and Carissa were Andrea and Tracy Aldridge from Amarillo. They all went to the Ft. Elliott Volleyball tournament at Briscoe. After the game they all ate supper at Mel's diner.

In volleyball Ft. Elliott Varsity girls played Sanford-Fritch J.V., Dumas J.V. and San Jacinto and won all three close games to win the tournament. Congratulations! Ft. Elliott J.V.



lost to Fritch and San Jacinto. Samatha Rowe and Casey Zybach sprained their ankles. Hope soon O.K.  
Pray for Esther and Lee Brown, very dear friends. She has breast cancer and will have a mastectomy Sept. 18 at 8:00 a.m. at Duncan, Okla. Tests have shown that it probably hasn't spread. She is such a lovely person and we have a great God, who wants to help. Their address is Rt. 1, Box 206, Ratliff City, OK 73081.  
Sincere sympathy to family and

friends of Lester Leonard, 78, in his death. A fine man, helpful to many. He even washed dishes at XYZ. He will be missed in many ways. He always grew a bountiful garden and shared with others. We will miss you, Lester.  
Dick Irvine's sister, Rebecca Price, from Lubbock visited Dick and Ruth (Continued Page 6)

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**MONDAY:**  
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**TUESDAY:**  
Breakfast: Breakfast Burritos, Juice, Milk  
Lunch: Soft Tacos, Salad, Corn, Fruit Salad, Milk or Tea  
**WEDNESDAY:**  
Breakfast: Waffles, Sausage, Juice, Milk  
Lunch: Baked Chicken, Mashed Potatoes, Peas, Rolls, Fruit, Milk or Tea  
**THURSDAY:**  
Breakfast: Hot Biscuits, Sausage, Gravy, Jelly, Juice, Milk  
Lunch: Frito Pie, Salad, Fruit, Milk or Tea  
**FRIDAY:**  
Breakfast: Breakfast Pizza, Juice, Milk  
Lunch: Bar-B-Q, French Fries, Ranch Beans, Cookies, Milk or Tea

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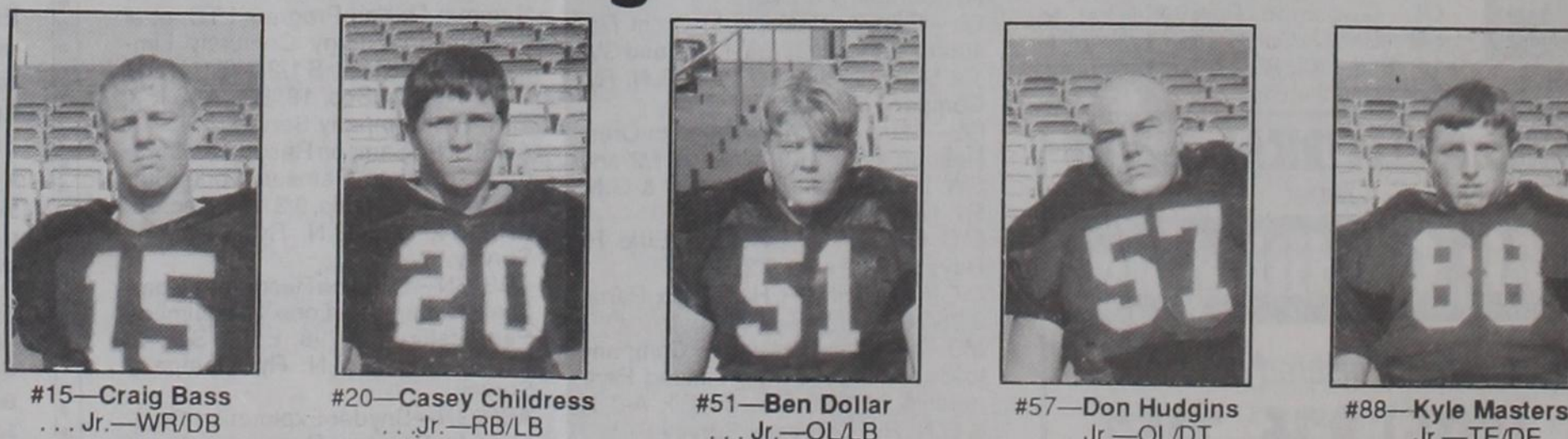
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15	Craig Bass	WR/DB	11
16	Kirt Boedeker	WR/DB	12
17	Aaron Dunnam	QB/LB	12
20	Casey Childress	RB/LB	11
21	Donald Phipps	RB/DB	10
22	Mike Jones	WR/DB	12
24	Caleb Finsterwald	RB/DB	10
25	Tucker Long	WR/DB	12
39	Michael Montgomery	TE/DT	12
44	J. R. Sullivan	TE/DB	12
51	Ben Dollar	OG/LB	11
52	Bret Goad	OC/LB	10
57	Don Hudgins	OT/DT	11
60	Bruce Copeland	OG/DE	11
62	Will Woollard	OT/DT	12
75	Kelby Ledbetter	OT/DE	10
78	Ben Britt	OT/DT	12
88	Kyle Masters	TE/DE	11

**JUNIOR VARSITY**

5	Jacob Britt	QB/DE	9
10	Ivan Guerra	WR/DB	10
11	Justin Chapman	QB/DB	10
12	Michael Shorter	OL/DB	10
28	Gavin McQueen	RB/LB	9
32	Kendall Hefley	WR/DB	9
35	Michael Hall	WR/DB	9
50	Dirk Chapman	OL/DT	9
66	Matt Sullivan	OL/DT	11
69	Chris Simmons	OL/DE	9
70	Cody Case	OL/DT	9
74	Jeff DeBose	OL/DT	9
82	Patrick Burrell	WR/DB	9
85	Cody Jewell	WR/LB	9
89	Michael Hawks	RB/DE	11

Head Coach: Jim Verden  
Asst. Coaches: Kenny Rutherford, Shane Whiteley, Mike Bailey  
Managers: Dwight Arganbright, Creede McQueen, Neal Smith, Blaine Rutherford, Brad Masters  
Cheerleaders: Kristen Marion, Jennifer Shepard, Whitney Simmons, Brooke Stevens, Tina McWhorter, Jordan Emmert  
Mascot: Lauren Weaver

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#15—Craig Bass . . . Jr.—WR/DB #20—Casey Childress . . . Jr.—RB/LB #51—Ben Dollar . . . Jr.—OL/LB #57—Don Hudgins . . . Jr.—OL/DT #88—Kyle Masters . . . Jr.—TE/DE

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Sept. 11	Sunday
Sept. 18	Wellington (Home)
Sept. 25	Spearman
Oct. 2	White Deer
Oct. 9	Open
Oct. 16	Claude*
Oct. 23	Gruver*
Oct. 30	Booker*
Nov. 6	Shamrock*
Nov. 13	Memphis*

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**WHEELERS FOOTBALL**

DATE	OPPONENT
Sept. 3	Wichita Falls Fr.
Sept. 10	Gruver
Sept. 17	Wellington
Sept. 24	Shamrock
Oct. 1	Memphis
Oct. 8	Memphis
Oct. 15	Claude
Oct. 22	Gruver
Oct. 29	Booker
Nov. 5	Shamrock

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I Chronicles 16: 22-25: Saying, Touch not mine anointed, and do my prophets no harm.

Sing unto the Lord, all the earth; shew forth from day to day his salvation.

Declare his glory among the heathen; his marvellous works among all nations.

For great is the Lord and greatly to be praised. He also is to be feared above all gods.

A nice damp, cloudy cool Monday morning here in Allison. Feels like fall is on its way, but I am sure we will have some more hot days a long.

Some of the ladies from the Allison U.P. Church attended a ladies' retreat conference at the Amarillo U.P. church camp ground. Those going were Bobbie Jones, Delia Foster and son, Dilan, Louise Boydston, Pearl Harrison, Juanita Bricker, Opal and Juanita Boydston, Cheryl Dupont, Margaret Gilmer, Tia Boydston, Corinna and Kendra and Arlene Nokes.

The conference began on Thursday evening and went through Friday and Friday night and till Saturday noon. They all reported a wonderful time.

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

Leota Black's weekend guests were Tim and Tina Thomas and Savanna from Amarillo.

I miss Mike and Teresa Dyer being next door, but it's nice to have my little neighbor, Betty Dyer, back in Allison. Neal and Tia Boydston, Corinna

and Kendra Sunday dinner guests were Opal and Juanita Boydston.

Lou Cornell attended a craft show in Stinnett last weekend and also visited Tom and Becky Hefner and boys. On Thursday night Lou went to Briscoe to watch grandson, Junior Newman, play football.

Glen and Nona Elmore's last Thursday's visitors were Glen's sister, Cora Grayson and her son, Willie, from Wellington. Others there were Ray and Sue Giddens, Larry and LaDonna Elmore and Mark Elmore also Mark and Angie Forward and children. Nona visited her sister, Myrtle Dorman at Wheeler.

Troy and Lona Jones spent last

weekend in Lovington, N.M., with their daughter, Connie, and Rick Carpenter and sons. Britton Carpenter, who is a senior in high school plays football on the varsity team. Troy and Lona enjoyed seeing the game and they also won the game. Chase Carpenter is a leader of his Boy Scout Troop at Hobbs and was responsible for a City Flag pole dedication ceremony on Labor day weekend.

Vance and Caroline Boydston's house guest from Monday night to Wednesday morning of last week was Kevin Boydston. Tuesday evening Dick and Cletus Green took Vance and Caroline and Kevin, Lanora Morse and Narvetta Robertson, Roy

Greene, Jamie Green and Shawn out to eat at Mel's Diner at Wheeler. They were celebrating Kevin and Narvetta's birthdays.

Virginia Miller's weekend guests were Lynda Banger from Amarillo, Domer and Hazel Miller and Duane Childress of Elk City. They were with Virginia helping her get ready for a farm sale at the farm of the late Rex Miller, which will be September the 26th, beginning in the morning hours. Lyndon Loyd of Wheeler will be holding the sale.

Pete and Margaret Gilmer were in Amarillo last Tuesday and Wednesday for Pete to see the doctor.

On Thursday Linda Ingersoll and Margaret, Beck and Jeannie Gilmer, all attended the U.P. Ladies' retreat at the Amarillo U.P. church camp grounds.

Sue Chandler took Peggy Chandler to Amarillo last Saturday evening, where she was admitted to the Bap-



tist/St. Anthony's Hospital with a heart problem. Pete went up Saturday evening to Amarillo to be with Peggy and her family.

Rhonda McWhorter took her mom, Ruby Craig, who was very ill last Monday morning, the 7th, to Amarillo to the Baptist/St. Anthony's Hospital, where she had surgery for the removal of her appendix and she had a very bad colon infection. They did the surgery Monday evening. The last I heard, which was Sunday, said she was doing well and could be home in two or three days. We haven't heard today, Monday.

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SEPTEMBER 18, 1998

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Away	TBA
Home	TBA
Away	7:30
Home	8:00
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## WELLINGTON SKYROCKET

Name	#	Gr.	Ht.	Wt.	Pos.
Nakia Nash	2	12	5'6"	150	QB/DB
George Shrubs	40	12	5'9"	170	WR/DB
Shawn Turrentine	9	12	6'0"	175	TB/DE
Edward Torres	72	12	5'9"	225	OL/DL
Jason Wischkaemper	12	12	6'4"	220	TE/DL
Jonathan Killian	21	12	6'0"	185	FB/LB
Joe O'Rear	33	12	5'10"	170	FB/DB
Larry Valles	1	12	5'10"	175	QB/DB
Courtney Dickson	50	12	6'1"	195	OL/DE
Justin Tarver	55	12	5'10"	175	OL/DL
Henry Jaimes	63	12	5'10"	255	OL/DL
Jose Jaimes	51	12	5'10"	225	OL/DL
Dustin Webb	74	12	6'1"	265	OL/DL
Elvis Jaimes	61	11	5'10"	240	OL/DL
Vance Killian	64	11	5'10"	170	OL/DL
Michael Luna	21	11	6'1"	225	FB/LB
Jeremy McClure	60	11	5'10"	170	OL/LB
Ryan Roberson	43	11	5'9"	165	WR/DB
Chris Souder	70	11	5'10"	160	WR/DB
Jason West	80	11	5'10"	170	WR/DB
Rand Munn	23	11	6'1"	175	WR/DB
Marcel Watson	15	10	6'0"	190	FB/LB
Chris Brown	11	10	6'2"	225	TE/LB
Justin Hunter	5	10	5'10"	170	QB/DB
Tanner Jeffery	76	10	6'2"	170	OL/DE
Lamar Thomas	4	10	5'6"	165	TB/LB
Lenny Shrubs	88	9	6'4"	170	WR/DB
Lanny Shrubs	81	9	6'4"	170	WR/LB

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# MOBEETIE NEWS

By: Melba Corcoran

Our sympathy goes out to the family of Lester Leonard. He passed away Thursday morning.

Our sympathy goes out to the family of Pat Hudson. She was killed in a car wreck Friday. Her husband Ray was air lifted to Amarillo. Remember him in your prayers.

Our sympathy goes out to the family of Ona Lee Brown Markham. She graduated from Mobeetie School in 1935. She passed away September 12.

Tuesday, Dale and Melba Corcoran went to Elk City to the eye doctor in the afternoon. That morning Melba visited in Wheeler with Jimmy and Bobby Hill. That evening they visited in Wheeler on their way home from Elk City with Pauline Barnes and Joey Stone.

The electric was off for a while Tuesday afternoon. There was lighting but no rain in Mobeetie between here and the Boy Scout Road they had an inch. East of the Boy Scout road they got 6/10th.

Those quilting Wednesday at Mt. View Quilting Club was Betty Haines, Ines Loveday, Estelle Hodges and Melba Corcoran. Visitors were Ashley, Veronica and baby, Larami, Glen D. Hodges and Bob Haines. Bob and Glen D. installed our new refrigerator.

The Mt. View Quilting Club met Thursday at Totty School House with Betty Haines as hostess. The club finished her quilt. Audrey Seitz will put one in next week. Those attending were Estelle Hodges, Orville Greenhouse, Betty Haines, Ines Loveday, Arica Lancaster, Melba Corcoran and Larami Lancaster. The club meets every Thursday when the weather permits.

D. L. and Colleen Rector of Amarillo visited Friday with Lorene Rector. Dale and Melba Corcoran had gone to Amarillo and met them on the way home and visited beside the road.

Ines Loveday of Tyler spent the week at the Lancaster farm. Her grandson Nicholas of Claude spent the weekend with her. Betty Haines spent several days at the farm this week.

Virginia Mixon of Dumas visited Orville Greenhouse over the weekend. They both enjoyed J. W. Turners visit.

Some of the ex-Mobeetie people

## Alexander Family Holds Reunion Sunday, Sept. 6

The Alexander family celebrated their 22nd annual family reunion on Sunday September 6, 1998 at Celanese Pan-Cel Hall in Pampa. The Alexander original four brothers and eight sisters created a family of children, grandchildren, and great-grandchildren and in-laws that numbers well over one hundred. Ninety-one persons were in attendance on Sunday to include family and very close friends. The original family members are Wilma Gulley, Earl Alexander, Edna Tosh, Juanita Powell, Bonnie Scribner, Audrey Powell, Bill Alexander, Ann Nell Moyer, Carl Alexander, Velma Alexander (Deceased) James Alexander (Deceased) and Jewel Leonard (Deceased). All of the living children were in attendance. Flora (Mrs. James) Alexander was also able to attend. Family came from Tennessee, Colorado and Texas. Those attending were Eddie and Julie Morris and Ebby, Lawrence and Bonnie Scribner, Earl and Audrey Alexander, Shellene and Steve Daney, Wilma Gulley, Lonnie and Audrey Powell, Brenda Clements, Bob and Ann Moyer, Diana Taylor, Shawn Taylor, Becky Mayfield, T. C. and Edna Tosh, Doinda, Masie, Ashton, Heath, and Madison Hayns, Brandon Mayfield, Carlton and Polly Alexander, Billy Scribner, Lindsay Scribner, Earletta and Kelsy Moore and Haley, Richard, Tara Kirby, Garret Scribner, Lori Thompson, J. C. and Linda Burt, Kaitlyn and Nikki Clements, Cory and Amy Shorette, Barbara and Cliff Gage, Charles and Sharon Harper, Marcy Harper and Scott, Benny and Debra Weaver and Thorton, Carl and Mary Alexander, Christ and Debbie Harper, Michael and Garey Sparts, Juanita Powell, Tim and Charity, Edwin D. Gulley, Bill and Carola Alexander, Gene and Karen Barton, Steve and De'ann Bers, Florine Price, Bob and Doris Smith, Myran and Helen Scribner, Janis and Bob Mathis, and Jeff, Brooke Nidde, Flora Alexander, Debbie and David Gillispie, Eldon and Betty Maxwell and Audrey and Lonnie Powell.

camped at the museum campground this weekend was J. W. Turner of Matador, Carlton Alexander of Perryton, Bill and Marlene Scott of Amarillo, Bill and Dutch Elliott, Lawrence and Bonnie Scribner, and Nathan and Nelda Lancaster all of Pampa and Earl and Audrey Alexander of White Deer. David and Angela Turner of Pampa visited Sunday with the group. Ines Loveday of Tyler and grandson Nichols of Claude visited Saturday night with the group.

Dale and Melba Corcoran visited Sunday in Amarillo with Colleen Rector and Mindy. They took D. L.'s trailer home.

Dale and Melba Corcoran and Lorene Rector went to Amarillo Monday. Dale had 2 appointments at the VA and Lorene had one. They visited in Pampa with Agnes Barnes and Peggy Dupy on their way home.

Gene Coward of Canadian visited with his mother Saturday.

It is good to have Leonard and Bertha Hollis back with us. They got back to their home here Saturday afternoon.

Gary and Marilyn Grimes of Amarillo came Friday night and took Doyle

and Bulah Grimes to a cousin's reunion over the weekend in Gainesville. The reunion was held at the Holiday Inn. They had a banquet room rented. There were 57 that registered and enjoyed Saturday night Dinner and Sunday morning breakfast before leaving. The grandchildren of James and Mary Frances Roane held the reunion. Doyle and Marion mother was Cora Bee Roane, Marion Grimes also attended. He went to Hollis, OK and went on with his nephew J. E. Payne. On the way back they all visited with a sister Obeta Vanlandingham in St. Joe. She had a stroke and didn't feel like making the trip. Marion and J. E. visited in Wichita Falls with Marion's brother Kenneth Grimes

Chuck Hogan attended his 60th school reunion over the weekend in Pampa.

Richard and Karen Laverty and Trey, Shaleena, and Brennee of Farwell, TX, Claude and Missy Laverty and Brittney of Amarillo, Caaron Laverty and two friends she worked with at Altus, OK visited their parents Aaron and Claudette Laverty Saturday. Richard assisted with Lester's funeral.

Aaron Laverty visited Monday with Ray Hudson in Amarillo Hospital. Ray had a broken leg and the left heel was broken in 12 places. They can't fix the heel until the swelling goes down. He also has several broken ribs. Keep him in your prayers.

Aaron Laverty and Patricia Hand



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had a wreck Friday. They were hurt but quite a bit of damage to the car and pickup.

Jess and Deanna Mixon ate dinner Friday at the school for Grandparents day. Julia and Jerry took them to Maxey's for supper in honor of Grandparents day. Jess got a pickup for his birthday and anniversary.

Robert Bull went to the doctor Monday. He has been under the weather

## Gageby

(from Page 4)

and their mom, Grace Irvine, for a few days.

Addie Swift went to watch Ft. Elliott Cougars play football with Higgins Thursday night. Saturday she watched most of the volleyball tournament. One of our most faithful fans. She goes when she has a chance. Good for a kid like her.

James and Mardi Ogle have had a very busy summer. Labor Day weekend visitors included Shellie Little and Jessie James Johnson from Hobart, Mindy Pryor and James and Lezli from Albuquerque, Misty and Casey Gilmer, Melody Morgan and Bryan Garrison and Kim from Amarillo.

The "James Gang" sat in lawn chairs in the back yard and dove hunted. That included Grandpa James Ogle, Little James Pryor, 7, and Jessie James Johnson, 4, with their guns. Little James also pulled Kim and Lezli in a wagon behind the riding lawn mower for over an hour. They did see doves and all had fun.

Kevin and June Sheffield and Mable Parker and Jimmy Joe and Sandy Ault and Mabel Parker have been spending time at Mabel's place and visiting relative.

Last weekend James and Mardi Ogle helped Shellie Little move to Hobart, Okla.

Don and Cindy Hartsfield and Hayden and Glory from Canyon visited J. P. and Martha Meek Friday and camped out Friday night.

Saturday they all and Chuck and Phoebe Hartline and Aaron and Tamera went to the Alabaster Caverns near Woodward, Okla., and saw lots of sights. Martha thought there were many steps in the caverns, but they were beautiful with lots of different colors. Over 300 steps.

David Gilmer took his father-in-law, Venson Smith to Amarillo one day for radiation treatments. An old fellow (about my age) crossed two lanes and hit their car. Kinda bunged them up and their cars. Hope you will be o.k. Pray for David and Venson.

Martha Meek is doing well since her shoulder surgery. She has not had much pain since her surgery repaired her shoulder, but she will have to wear the pillow under her arm till Oct. 5. Keep praying for them.

Nice to visit with Fat Jones and Ruby Zybach and Jackie Moore at Wheeler Dairy Queen Friday.

Friday another accident west of Briscoe damaged Aaron Laverty's and Patricia Hand's vehicles some, but no injuries. We are very thankful. Aaron and daughter, Caaron Parker, went to Amarillo to be with Ray and family. Richard Laverty also there. Ray had two broken legs, crushed heel, broken ribs and punctured lungs, maybe.

Nice to have J. P. and Martha Meek go to Miami Senior Citizens Monday night with us. Also there, Leonard and Bertha Hollis and Doyle and Bulah Grimes. 25 in all with 5 tables of 42 and one of Canasta and delicious food. Fun and fellowship. Thanks Leonard and Bertha for helping us and J. P. and Martha host at Miami.

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I didn't have breast, so used thighs. Didn't have Swiss cheese so used yellow singles. I think Ranch dressing would be good. In spite of all the substitutions, it was still good. Will try it again. Willis even liked it.

From Amarillo Daily, Rookie Cookies Recipe.

Near Gageby church a very tragic accident Friday September 11th across the road from Rita and Dave Pearson home, a bad intersection. A new rig has gone up near there with lots of traffic. Two roughnecks in a pickup collided with Ray and Pat Hudson, dear friends, beloved by many. Pat was killed and Ray had broken bones and maybe internal injuries. He and one of the workers were air-lifted to Amarillo. The other one was thrown from the pickup and killed. Pray for Ray and family and friends. So sad.

Two State Troopers were out investigating the wreck site. Rita told them how fast they had been driving (rig workers). She was afraid someone would get killed. She had nearly got run over once. Troopers told her that Hemphill County dirt roads could be 60 miles per hour. In unmarked intersections, the one on the right has the right of way. Please everyone be careful. We'd hate to lose any more friends. Much sympathy and love to the Hudsons and others And the fami-

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for several days. Calvin and Leola Stuart went to Amarillo Friday shopping. They ate lunch with Buster Reedy. They visited Sunday in Shamrock with Bulah Stuart and Gerald. Saturday afternoon Sherry Richardson and Katie of Wheeler visited with them and Gladys Richardson. Bob Aycock visited one evening with Calvin Stuart.

lies of the workers from Watonga. Good to have Leonard and Bertha Hollis back in "God's Country". They came to their home in Mobeetie for probably two months or so.

We enjoyed eating and visiting with them at Maxeys Sunday. Welcome Back!

Rosalie Keelin had lots of company last week. Joey and Risa Keelin and Matt from Pasadena also visited Darv and Sammie and Mickey. Yvonne Topper was also at Darv's helping Sammie. Pray for them all. Joey's family visited three or four days. Some others visiting at Rosalie's were Jimmy Keelin, Gene and Norma Keelin and Kara Kay, Daniel and Tracy, Elaine Craig, Sue Branem and daughter, Glenn Keelin and wife and daughters from McLean, Joy Garrison and Sharon Kennedy and daughter from Fritch. They also went to the volleyball tourney at Briscoe.

Sunday Donald Hill preached at Briscoe Community Church. Elizabeth Meers led the singing. Good service.

We went to Elk City Friday to see Dr. Featherstone about pre-cancer skin places. From Sweetwater east so very brown and dry, almost no crops or green grass. Pray for rain. They might still get a wheat crop in and a little grass grown. They usually get more rain than we do.

Jo Redding had a 42 party at her home in Wheeler Friday night. She served ice cream and toppings. Ones there were C. B. and Maurine Brotherton, Doris Finsterwald, Homer Sanders, Edna May, Nova Powledge, Lois Meadows, Mary Margaret Dodd, Marie Gudge, Charlene and Zeland Rainey, and Jo.

"God be with you till we meet again."

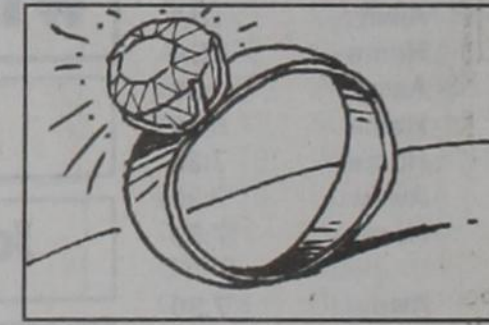
## OLD JAIL MUSEUM NEWS

The campgrounds have been busy this week. Several of the ex-students were camped there till Monday. Then on Wednesday the Bluegrass campers started coming in for the Foul Weather Hoe Down. The rest of them came in over the weekend.

Saturday Bob Izzard tour left the jail in the morning and ended back at the museum for the evening meal, which was prepared, by the museum. Those from Old Mobeetie Texas Association that went on the tour were Joe VanZandt, Billy Finsterwald, Jimmy and Bobby Hill. Those that joined the group for the evening meal were Bernice Hefley, Clint and Maurita Stribling, Chuck and Louise Hogan, Bill and Dutch Scribner and Dale and Melba Corcoran.

Bobby Hill and Louise Hogan attended the Panhandle Marketing and Tourism Meeting Tuesday in Dumas. They have been working on moving the Huseley House. They have some of it nearby to the county line road. They will get all of it that far and then move it all into the museum grounds at the same time. This is so SPS will only have to be here one day to help them get under the electric lines. They think they will have this done sometime next week.

Bill Elliott has been mowing this week at the museum grounds.



The custom of decorating engagement and wedding rings with gems began about 1200.

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## Top O' Texas CattleWomen Conduct Sept. Business

The Top O' Texas CattleWomen met Sept. 1, at Mel's Diner in Wheeler with 15 in attendance. The minutes of the previous meeting were read and approved as read. The Treasurer was absent so no financial report was given.

The local organization will have a page on the State CattleWomen's

## Surprise Birthday Party For Rita Smith Sept. 5

Rita Smith was honored September 5th, 1998 with a surprise birthday party in Lawton, Okla., at the home of Ron and Tanya Stuart.

Hosted by her children, a niece and nephew, 28 people enjoyed a catered meal of Bar-B-Q with cake. The rest of the afternoon was spent visiting, swimming and telling tall tales of the birthday girl.

Those enjoying all the fun were Bo, Cathy and Taffey Dunn of Amarillo; Scott, Mattie, Andrew and Aaron Morris of Canyon; Greg, Ruth, Will and Marcie Smith of Conroe; Matt and Mandy Nelson of San Antonio; Peggy Dunn of Canadian; Rick Heiberg, Matt Smith, Shelley, Don and Taylor Hudgins, Shawn Scholls of Wheeler; Joe Bedouritz of Saint Jo; Dick and Sallie Lipsey of Garland, and Ron, Tanya, Jarod and Todd Stuart of Lawton, Okla.

## Range

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the drought this summer.

Participants will visit one or two sites where J.F. Cadenhead, Extension Range Brush Control Specialist will show how to determine the amount of forage available for the winter and show how to calculate grazing capacity. He will also discuss management of over-grazed ranges and pastures next spring.

Dr. Ted McCollum, Extension Beef Cattle Specialist, will discuss options for dealing with the current situation including supplementation strategies, mineral supplementation and culling the cow herd.

Following the range and pasture meeting Cadenhead and Dr. Carl Patrick, Extension Entomologist, will present a program that will give pesticide applicators two (2) CEUs toward the renewal of their license.

Those planning to attend the Range and Pasture Meeting and/or the CEU meeting must make their meal reservation by 5:00 p.m. Friday, October 2 by calling the Wheeler County Extension office at 826-5243.

## County

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pensation which were published by the State of Texas.

To qualify for this honor, the entity must have a safety program rated in the top 10 percent of approximately 350 governmental entities that collectively self-insure their Workers' Compensation in this pool. Only 38 of these entities were honored this year.

These programs are evaluated by the Texas Association of Counties Safety Specialists who work with each pool member to develop loss control and safety programs.

In the evaluation of the program, the following criteria are considered:

- \* Safety program elements in place;
- \* Activity and success of program in the 1997 calendar year;
- \* Support for the program by the upper management, governing board or commission that directs the operations of the entity;
- \* Recent loss history; and
- \* Improvement in the safety program since 1996.

The TAC Safety Awards are presented annually.

## Extension Update By Joan Gray, CEA-HE

### Money 2000+ Tip of the Week—Savings and Investments

Want to be two-thousand dollars better off by the end of the year 2000? Here's a Money 2000 plus tip of the week: Once you decide on a type of savings or investment product, compare rates offered by different banking institutions. The rates can vary a lot and over time can significantly affect interest earning. Remember the money you save will continue to earn you money if it's in a savings account.

## WHEELER MENU

MONDAY, September 21, 1998—

FRIDAY, September 25, 1998

MONDAY

BREAKFAST: Juice, Toast/Jelly, Cereal & Milk

LUNCH: Lasagna, Salad, Corn, Texas Toast, Apricots, Milk/Tea

TUESDAY

BREAKFAST: Biscuits/Gravy, Scrambled Eggs, Sausage, Juice, Milk

LUNCH: Chili Dog/Cheese, Tater Tots, Pinto Beans, Peaches, Milk/Tea

WEDNESDAY

BREAKFAST: Toast/Jelly, Cereal, Juice, Milk

LUNCH: Cheeseburgers, Lettuce, Tomato, Onion, Pickles, French Fries, Pears, Milk/Tea

THURSDAY

BREAKFAST: Toast/Jelly, Pancake Pup/Syrup, Sausage, Juice, Milk

LUNCH: Steak Fingers, M. Potatoes/Gravy, Green Beans, Hot Rolls, Fruit Cocktail, Milk/Tea

FRIDAY

BREAKFAST: Toast/Jelly, Cereal, Juice, Milk

LUNCH: Baked Potatoes, Ham & Cheese, Celery & Carrot Sticks, Butter/Sour Cream, Bread, Pineapple, Milk/Tea

(Menu Subject to Change)

## Extension Update By Joan Gray, CEA-HE

### MONEY 2000+ TIP OF THE WEEK - AUTO LOANS #2

Want to be two-thousand dollars better off by the end of the year 2000? Here's a Money 2000 Plus tip of the week: You can save hundreds of dollars in finance charges by shopping for the cheapest auto loan. When shopping for your next vehicle, you should contact several banks, your credit union and the auto manufacturer's own finance company to compare rates. The difference in rates could fluctuate your monthly payments from unaffordable to affordable. Make sure you are getting the best rate possible for this type of major purchase. Remember the money you save will continue to earn you money if it's in a savings account. To enroll in the Money 2000 Plus Program, contact the Wheeler County Extension Office at 826-5243.

Hope comes by knowledge. Faith is acting on the knowledge. Love makes everything work.

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## Wheeler Bike-a-Thon To Be Sunday, Sept. 27

The Country Chapel in Wheeler will be sponsoring the bike-a-thon again this year on September 27, 1998 from 2:00 until 4:00 on Mobeetie street, south of West Texas Gas, Inc. in Wheeler. This is on a Sunday afternoon. We tried to get it scheduled last spring but were unable to find a good date that didn't interfere with school activities. All ages are invited, we will be sending home sponsor forms this week to the school age children.

Riders may get as many sponsors as they want with each giving a one time donation (not by the mile or block). St. Jude's gives riders bringing in \$75.00 in donations a sports bag and T-shirt. Riders receiving \$35.00 in donations will get a T-shirt. The rider raising the most money over \$100.00 will receive a dual cassette jambox. In case of a tie we will hold a drawing to determine the winner. Country Chapel will give out a goodie bag with a WWJD bracelet and other stuff to all bike-a-thon participants. Ribbons will be given to the most laps ridden in each age group. All money must be turned in on the day of the event. If you have any questions or need more information please call Christie Jones at 826-5935, Becky Jewell at 826-5031 or the church office at 826-3511.

All donations received will go to St.

## Court

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10633—In the Matter of the Marriage of Thomas Kent Jackson and Mary Lou Woods, 9/4/98, Waiver.

KELTON MENU

MONDAY, September 21, 1998 —

September 24, 1998

MONDAY

BREAKFAST: Cereal, Toast, Juice, Milk

LUNCH: Turkey, Mashed Potatoes, English Peas, Butter Toast, Pudding, Milk

TUESDAY

BREAKFAST: Waffles, Syrup - Peanut Butter, Juice, Milk

LUNCH: Enchiladas, Corn, Salad, Geltin/W Fruit, Milk.

WEDNESDAY

BREAKFAST: Pancake Pups - Toast, Juice, Milk.

LUNCH: Ham, Sweet Potatoes, Black-eyed Peas, Hot Rolls, Cake, Milk.

THURSDAY

BREAKFAST: Eggs, Sausage, Biscuit, Jelly, Juice, Milk.

LUNCH: Hamburger's, Tator Tots, Celery Sticks, Lettuce, Tomatoes, Strawberry Ice Cream, Milk.

FRIDAY

BREAKFAST: Blueberry Muffins, Juice, Milk.

LUNCH: Fish, Coleslaw, Baked Beans, Hush Puppies, Fruit, Milk.



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"Wheeler, town of friendship and pride."



YOUNG FANS: Breann (right) and Brittney Robinson were just a couple of the young Mustang fans and future cheerleaders taking part in the 1998 Homecoming Pep Rally Friday afternoon. The young ladies are the daughters of Nikki and Dennis Robinson.

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## Wheeler Church of Christ

### Congregational Concerns:

On Wednesday afternoon, September 30th, this congregation will conduct its annual "Clothes Give-Away". If you have some clean clothes that you would like to donate, please put them in the multi-purpose building.

A ladies retreat will be held at Quartz Mountain Christian Camp on Friday, October 2nd, and Saturday, October 3rd. The theme of this retreat will be, "I Think, I Can" and the speaker will be Joan Willis. Information about this retreat is posted on the bulletin board.

Mary Gibson is scheduled to begin radiation treatments on Thursday, September 17th, in Amarillo. She has to take five days of these treatments for six weeks. If you would be willing to drive Mary to Amarillo for some of these treatments, please notify her or Mary K. Christner.

Doreean Owen is in critical condition in the Windflower Nursing Home in Amarillo.

Oral Helton, the father of Christine Atherton and Juanell Manning, is hospitalized in the local hospital.

Sympathy must be expressed to Mary Jones upon the death of her sister, Patricia Hudson. The funeral was held last Wednesday morning at the First Baptist Church in Wheeler.

### From The Minister's Desk:

In his play, *Murder In The Cathedral*, T. S. Eliot warned about the danger of hypocrisy, saying: "The last temptation is the greatest treason—to do the right deed for the very wrong reason."

Mr. Eliot is not the first person to warn about the danger of hypocrisy. Throughout His ministry, Jesus warned about the danger of hypocrisy and condemned those people who were hypocritical. (Matthew 23)

But what exactly is hypocrisy? The dictionary defines hypocrisy as "a semblance of having desirable or publicly approved attitudes, beliefs, and principles that one does not actually possess."

From this definition, two important observations can be made. These two observations are: ---

1. There is a difference between Christians who sin and Christians who are hypocritical. This difference is sincerity not sinless perfection.

Jesus did say: "—You are to be perfect, as your Heavenly Father is perfect." (Matthew 5:48) But the Greek word for perfect is *teleios* which means, "Of full stature, of full age, of full growth, or of full development." It is maturity that Christians are sincerely striving to achieve.

As Christians strive to achieve this maturity, their progress will be characterized by mistakes, errors, and sins. Such Christians are not hypocrites because as long as

Christians are in the flesh there will be a difference between the "is" and the "should" of their lives. (1 John 1:8-10)

The evidence of hypocrisy is insincerity not imperfection.

2. Hypocrisy is rapidly becoming extinct. With such attitudes as, "Tell it like it is", and "Do your own thing", hypocrisy is becoming harder and harder to find. But this extinction should provoke regret and not pride.

Hypocrisy is said to be the homage that vice pays to virtue. Where there is no hypocrisy, where vice ceases to shroud or veil itself, a serious condition of wickedness exists. And there is much evidence that shows such a condition presently exists.

For example, women confess their abortions and urge other women to have one. Homosexuals boast of their life-style on television talk shows. Marriage is considered old fashioned and "living in a relationship" is an acceptable life-style. Pornography is openly available to children. Profanity is used by men and women in every aspect of a bluish society.

The extinction of hypocrisy is tragic. And with its extinction sin is openly advocated and practiced. Hypocrisy is wrong! Christians should sincerely do the right thing and they should do it for the right reason.

Bill Morrison, Minister  
Church of Christ  
Wheeler, Texas

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

### Services:

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Sunday Morning Worship ... 11:00 A.M.

Sunday Night Worship ..... 6:00 P.M.

Wednesday Bible Study ..... 7:30 P.M.

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#75-Kelby Ledbetter stops a Bobcat

## Washington D.C. Trip To Be Made Next Summer

Betty Rives and Tammy Moore of Wheeler Junior High are pleased to announce that they are planning a fifth educational trip to Washington, D.C., to be taken June 7-12, 1999, for the students of Wheeler and Shamrock. The group will be traveling to Washington for four days and three nights. These teachers will be working with Lakeland Tours of Charlottesville, Virginia, in coordinating this exciting, once-in-a-lifetime adventure. Lakeland Tours is the nation's largest and oldest student travel company providing tours to the nation's capital.

The group will fly out of Amarillo Airport early on the morning of June 7, and will begin sightseeing immediately upon arrival at one of Washington's three major airports. The daylight hours will be very busy with visits to places such as the Washington Monument, where they will be treated to a view of the Nation's Capital from 555 feet above the ground. The Lincoln and Jefferson Memorials, Ford's Theatre and the Peterson Home (where Lincoln died) are among the sight that the group will tour. Other places of interest will include a stop at the White House, the United States Capitol, the Library of Congress and the FDR Memorial.

One of the most moving and memorable sights the group will visit is the Vietnam Veterans Memorial, a V-shaped wall bearing the names of the more than 58,000 Americans who gave their lives or are still unaccounted for in Vietnam. We will also visit Arlington National Cemetery, where our nation's heroes are buried. Students will witness the "Changing of the Guard" ceremony at the Tomb of the Unknown Soldier.

Students will also visit the Smithsonian, the world's largest museum complex. These museums are the Museum of Natural History, Air and Space Museum, American History Museum, and the National Gallery of Art. They will see the Hope diamond, the interior of a lunar module, and see Thomas Edison's original light bulb.

We will have at least one Night Tour where we usually visit the beautiful, glittering Kennedy Center and take in the magnificent view of Washington from its roof. The Iwo Jima Memorial is also breath-taking at night.

Upon return to our hotel each evening, there will be organized activities such as dancing and swimming. This helps everyone unwind and get ready for the next day of touring.

Parents who wish to inquire about this opportunity for their children may contact Betty Rives at 826-3224 or Tammy Moore at 826-5857. Last year's group had a wonderful time, and many wish that they could go back again. We will be happy to answer any question that you may have about the trip. Last year, we had eighteen junior high students go to Washington. Plan early and reserve a place for your child as soon as you can.

## Hugh Bailey Honored On 80th, 143 Attend

Hugh's 80th birthday party was a great success thanks to our friends and relatives. There were 143 signed the guest register at the school. Several friends he had gone to school with or worked with at Phillips came. He enjoyed all the visiting and reminiscing about ole times. There were 73 at the ranch for bar-b-que, which went over great followed by cake and homemade ice cream. A special thanks for all the friends and relatives who came to my party. Your presence, phone calls and cards were greatly appreciated and enjoyed. Thanks to Steve Walker for the bar-b-que. It was great. To the girls, Sallie Adcock, Susan Redding, Frances Collins, Lois Hughes and Kay Williams, who did such a good job serving and to the women Stella Lankford and Naomi Speck who worked in the back to keep things running smooth. You all did great! It was great to have our son Ray Allen from Alpine home even for just a short time. Thanks for being here for my party Son. Ray had to be home in time to open his office at 7:00 AM Monday so his trip was short and greatly appreciated.

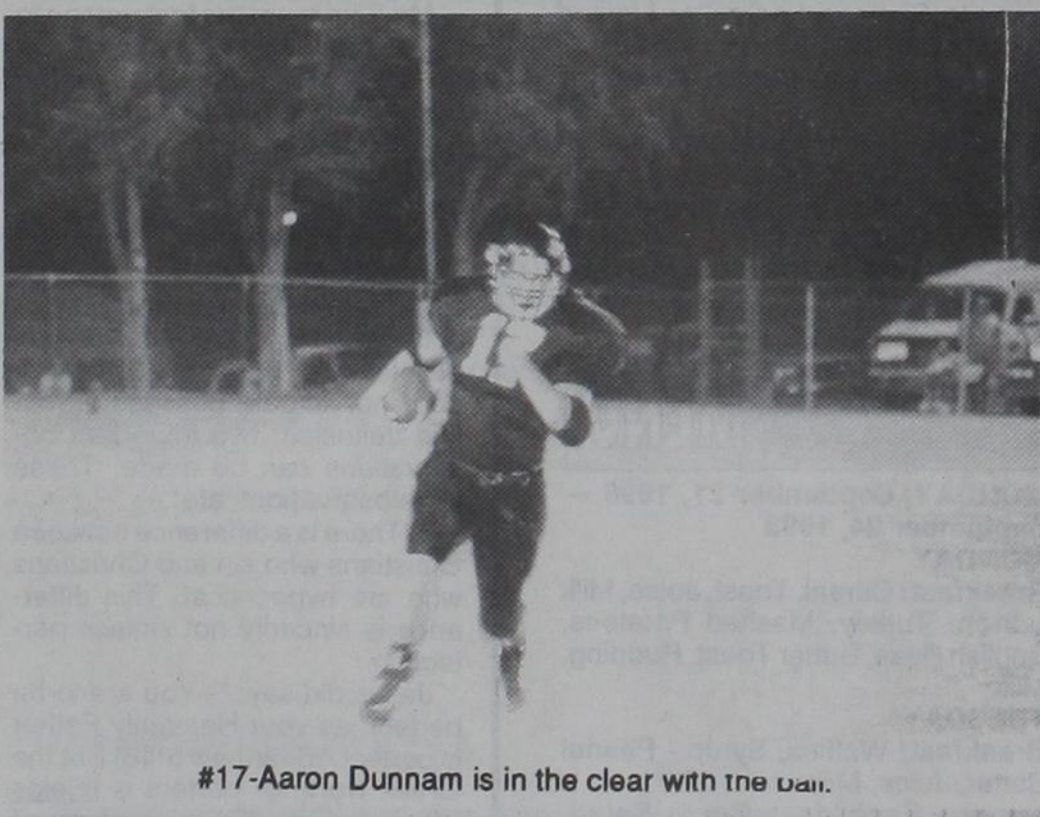
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#15-Craig Bass catches a pass.



#21-Donald Phipps has the ball and is on the move.



#17-Aaron Dunnam is in the clear with the ball.



Let the play begin!



#88-Kyle Masters moves in to help his teammate.

## A Report on the Game

(Editor's Note: The 'Times' did not receive the story tape in time for publication. Therefore we used this article from 'The Pampa News'.)

Second-ranked Wheeler celebrated a happy homecoming with a 12-7 win over Sunray in a non-district battle Friday night.

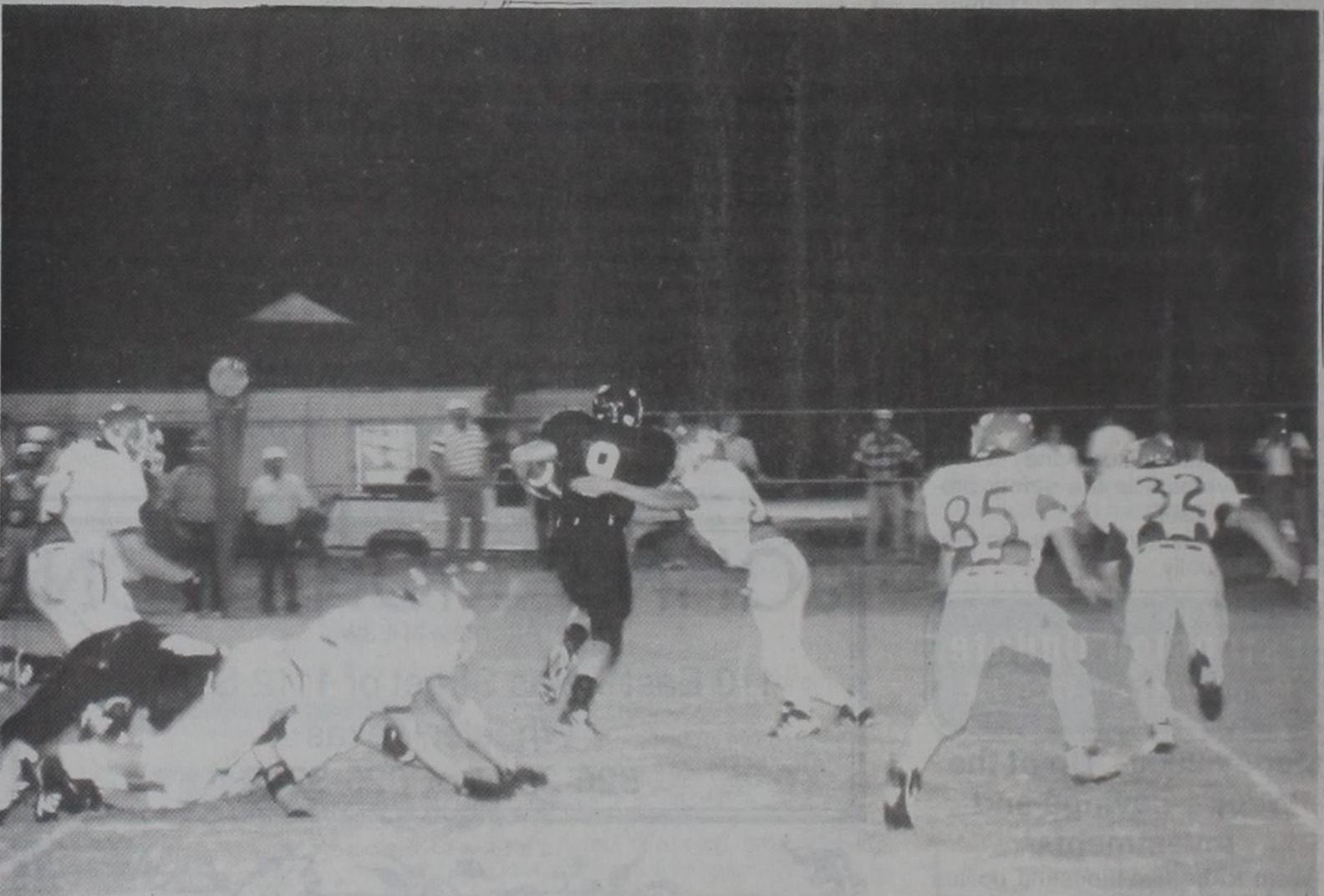
Wheeler, 2-0 for the season, jumped out to a 6-0 lead in the first quarter on Aaron Dunnam's 10-yard



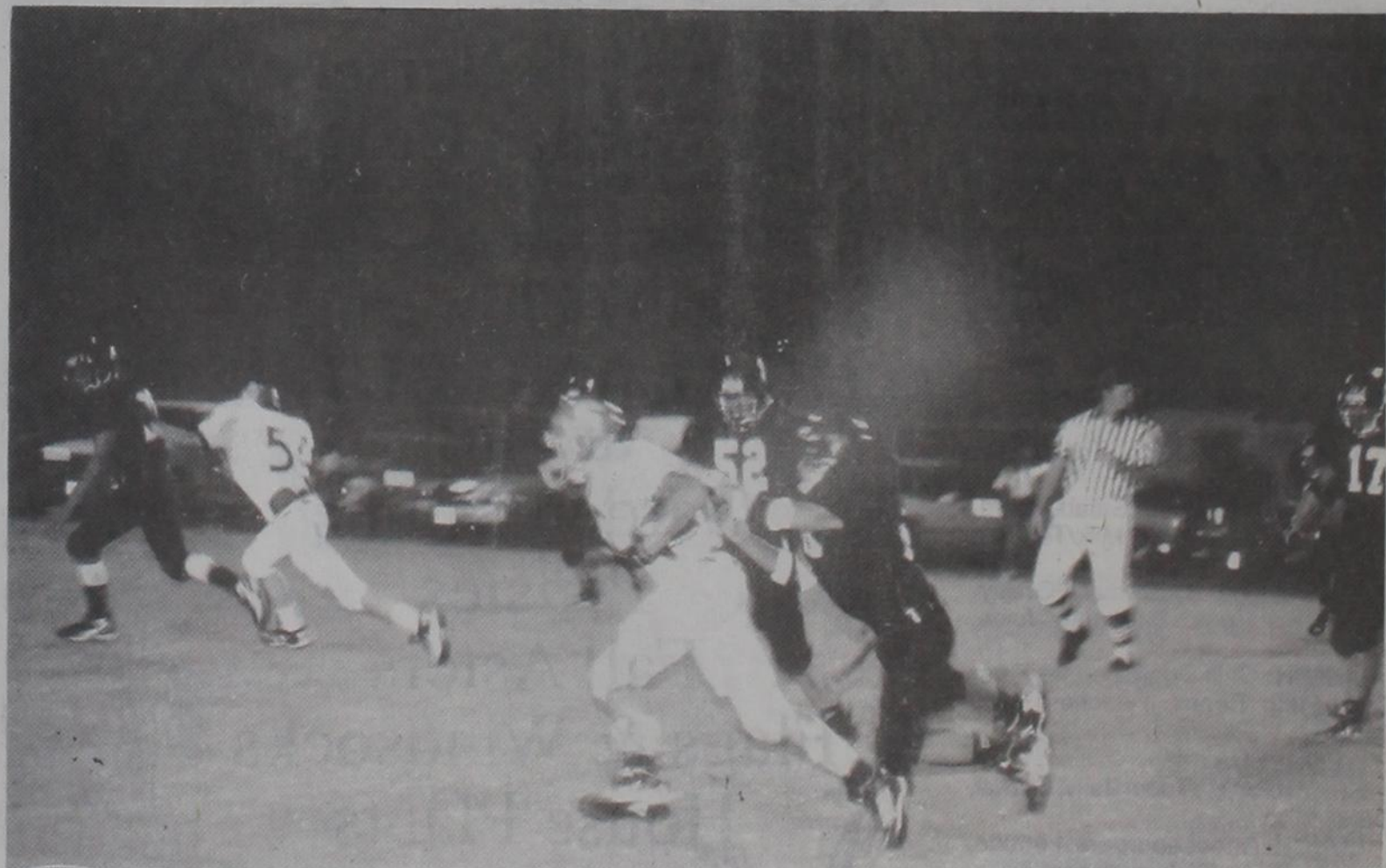
#20-Casey Childress appears to be in the clear with the ball.



#1-Aaron Dunnam going for yardage.



#9-Brooks Brown tries to get through with the ball.



#52-Bret Goad moving in to help #60-Bruce Copeland in the stop.

run. Sunray bounced back to take a 7-6 lead at halftime as Seth Harper scored on a 16-yard pass from Travis Lawler. Harper kicked the go-ahead PAT.

The Mustangs rallied for the victory on Dunnam's one-yard plunge at the 6:11 mark of the third quarter.

Dunnam rushed for 124 yards on 31 carries while teammate Casey Childress had 66 yards on 11 carries. Wheeler had 286 total yards while

Sunray had 150. The Mustangs had to overcome three fumbles and 95 yards in penalties to pull out the win.

"We didn't play very well. We just went out and tried to beat ourselves with mistakes and penalties. Our defense did come out and play well the second half," said Wheeler head coach Jim Verden. "We held Sunray to a minus two yards."

Dunnam also led the Wheeler defense with 7 tackles and 5 assists while Bret Goad had 6 tackles and 2

assists. Don Hudgins added 4 tackles and 6 assists.

The Mustangs are ranked No. 2 behind Tenaha in the Class A Harris poll.

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