

# The Wheeler Times

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THE COUNTY SEAT NEWSPAPER

## MOBETTIE TO FULL WEEK ACTIVITIES

Baccalaureate exercises for the seniors will be held in the Baptist Church, Sunday, May 12, at 8:15 o'clock. Rev. E. J. local Baptist minister will be the speaker.

Evening at 8:00, P-TA for the forthcoming year installed.

At 8:15 graduation exercises for the 8th grade class will be held with Joe McDonald, Okla., as guest speaker.

Evening at 8:15 Senior exercises will be held at the High School Gymnasium, May 16, 1957.

For these services will be given by the school choir.

In the senior class are: Kelly, Lovella Patton, Sue Derrick, Geof- fery Jay Godwin, Paul Bobby Risner, Billy Alford Corcoran, Mrs. Witt, who finished high school in Odessa will receive her diploma from her former class.

Seniors plan to tour Colorado with Mr. and Mrs. J. H. accompanying them on the trip. Mrs. Scribner is sponsor of the senior class.

## PLAYERS ASKED REGISTER SOFTBALL

Wafford, president of the Kiwanis Club, this week has asked anyone interested in softball this summer in this area to register their names at the Tax Assessor-Coll. Office in the courthouse.

Names of about all ages will be registered. Leave your name, whether a boy or girl, on the register.

Those who get the program early in June. Sponsors will have to be found for the players are registered.

Men and women may be registered. Teams will be organized and schedules of play will be made out. Teams from surrounding communities that desire to play in the regular schedule will be asked to contact Agent Bryan Swaim, or Mr. Rives. If this is done the regular schedule of play will be made to include the regular schedule of play.

Those who fail to register between Saturday noon on May 18 and Sunday noon on May 19 will not be included in the regular schedule of play.

## MOBETTIE NEWS

Home of Mr. and Mrs. J. Patterson was the scene of a party, Friday night, May 10. Marcella Patterson was the hostess to the girls in the Freshman class of the Mobettie High School. Enjoying the occasion were Omega Dixon, Inez Hooker, Jo Dickey, Faye Hathaway, Sue Newman, Sandra Sue Sandra Coward and the hostess.

Barton, is reported in this week. F. Lester returned to his home after being confined in Albuquerque, N. M., hospital several days.

Mr. and Mrs. M. S. Beck, Mr. and Mrs. Boyd Beck, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Woodie Beck of Lefors, Mr. and Mrs. Beck of Amarillo, Mrs. Beck of Amarillo, Mrs. Beck of Miami, and Mrs. Beck of Mobettie.

Greenhouse of Duran, Sunday with his parents, Mrs. Aubrey Greenhouse, and Mrs. Bud C. Scribner. David Ann spent last week with his mother, Mr. and Mrs. Scribner. Mrs. Laverna Scribner who has been visiting her mother.

Mr. and Mrs. Hoyt Dunn and Mrs. Ann and Mrs. M. J. with the family of Saint Jo, Mr. and Mrs. John Dunn. G. W. Johnson and son visited Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Johnson and family.

## BRISCOE CLASS TO FINISH ON THURS. NIGHT

Baccalaureate services for the Briscoe Seniors was held Sunday, May 12, in the Briscoe Auditorium at 11:00 A. M. The processional and recessional by Inez Standlee. Invocation by Dewayne Neel. Audience standing for the invocation and remained standing for the hymn, "Blest Be The Tie That Binds." The chorus sang two numbers, "Someone To Care" and "The Keys To The Kingdom." The address was given by Fred Cary, "Highways of Life" Methodist Charge Lay Leader, of Pampa. Benediction was also by Dewayne Neel.

Commencement exercises will be held Thursday night, May 16, 1957, in the High School Auditorium. Inez Standlee will play the processional and recessional again for the class. Mr. George Weems will give the invocation. Charolette Eiland and Billie Douthit will sing "A Perfect Day." Salutatory address will be given by Ruth Fillingim and the valedictory address will be given by Camilla Eiland. Doyle Standlee will present the diplomas, and presentation of Awards and announcements will be made by Dalton Vaughan, superintendent. The chorus will sing "Till We Meet Again" and John Abbott will pronounce the benediction.

Eighth Grade graduation exercises will be on Thursday night, May 23, at 8:00 p.m. in the Auditorium. Mrs. O. K. Henson of Sweetwater, Okla., will play the processional and recessional marches, and O. K. Henson will give the address. Mary Mitchell will sing a special song "Over Shadowed." Bob Riley will give the valedictory address and Charlotte Ausfin will give the salutatory.

## PUPIL TRANSFER DEADLINE NEAR

Parents who want their children to attend school next term in a district other than the one in which they live must make application for transfer on or before June 1 of this year, according to Jesse J. Dyer, Wheeler County Superintendent of Schools.

Mr. Dyer stated: "If your child's grade is not taught in the home district, you may transfer the student to any district within the county or to an adjoining district in any other county that you prefer.

"If the child's grade is taught in the home district, you must fill out a special transfer form, and also must have the written consent of the home district for the child to transfer — plus a written acceptance of the receiving school.

"Both forms must be filed in the County Superintendent's Office, on or before June 1, 1957."

All necessary forms are available at Mr. Dyer's office in Wheeler.

## New Deputy Will Be Named By Sheriff

Luke Henley, deputy sheriff in the Shamrock area for the past two years, was relieved of his duties last Thursday night by Sheriff Bus Dorman.

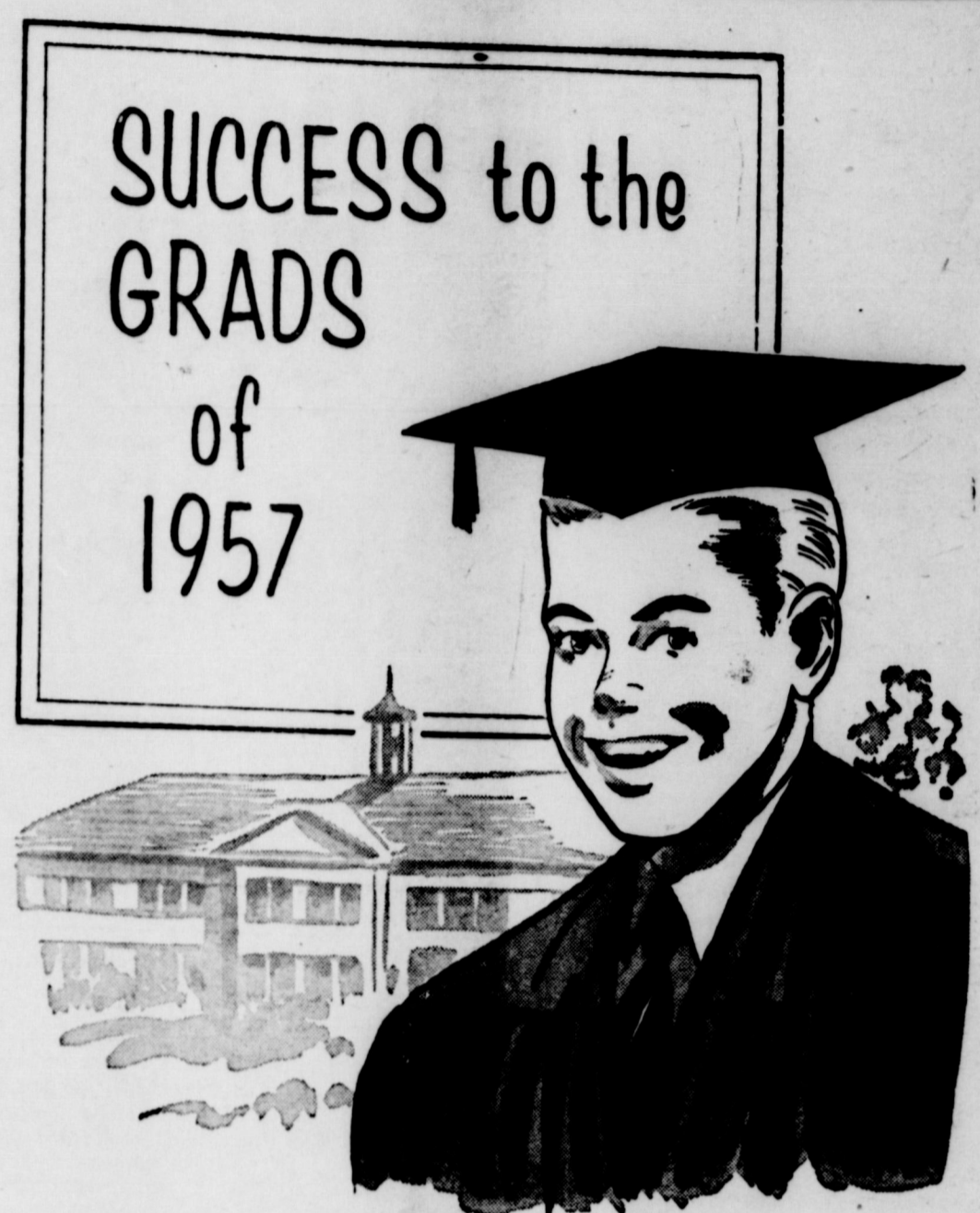
John Topper, deputy at Wheeler, is now serving in the south side of the county. Sheriff Dorman said.

A man to replace Henley will be named soon, he added. Henley was formerly a peace officer at McLean, and served as deputy at Mobettie three or four months before being transferred to Shamrock about two years ago.

## HOSPITAL NOTES

**PATIENTS ADMITTED**  
Mrs. S. E. Mayfield, Gageby, May 9  
Glossa Fattor, Mobettie, May 9  
Marjorie Herd, Wheeler, May 9  
Jackie Johnson, Wheeler, May 11  
Mrs. J. A. Callan, Wheeler, May 11  
**PATIENTS DISMISSED**  
Mrs. Meiba Montgomery, Wheeler, May 13  
Mrs. E. O. Kelly, Allison, May 15  
Annett Rives, Twitty, May 8  
Sondie Bradshaw, Wheeler, May 11  
Jay E. Martin, McLean, May 10  
Glossa Fattor, Mobettie, May 11

# SUCCESS to the GRADS of 1957



We know your graduation is the first step toward success and a happy and useful life. Our sincere best wishes in all of your future endeavors.

## The Wheeler Times Staff

## 51 Seniors Will Graduate From Five High Schools In This Area

The five high schools in the north part of Wheeler County — Wheeler, Mobettie, Allison, Briscoe and Kelton — are graduating a total of 51 seniors this year.

Commencement exercises were held at the Allison School on Friday, May 10; Wheeler, Briscoe and Kelton seniors are to receive diplomas this week; and Mobettie's graduation program is scheduled for Thursday night, May 23.

Wheeler High School leads in the number of graduates with 16 — seven boys and nine girls. Mobettie has a total of 11 — six boys and five girls; Briscoe 10 — four boys and six girls; Kelton nine — six boys and three girls; and Allison five — two boys and three girls.

Shamrock High School has 55 seniors, making the total number of graduates for Wheeler County of 106.

Closing programs for the schools have been announced as follows:  
**Wheeler**  
Baccalaureate services were held in the high school gymnasium at 8 o'clock Sunday night, May 12, and commencement exercises are scheduled for 8 o'clock Thursday night in the gymnasium. Rev. Carlton Thomson, pastor of the First Methodist Church, delivered the baccalaureate sermon; and Rev. Edwin Hall, pastor of the St. Paul Methodist Church in Pampa, will give the commencement address.

Eighth grade graduation will be held Friday night, May 17, in the grade school auditorium.

**Mobettie**  
Rev. Gene Grace will deliver the baccalaureate sermon for the Mobettie seniors at 8:15 o'clock Sunday evening, May 19, at the First Baptist Church in Mobettie.

Graduation exercises for the senior class are scheduled for 8:15 p.m. Thursday, May 23, in the Mobettie gymnasium. Fred Cary of Pampa, will deliver the commencement address.

Eighth grade graduation will be held in the gymnasium at 8 o'clock Wednesday night, May 22.

**Briscoe**  
Baccalaureate services for the Briscoe seniors were held at 11 o'clock Sunday morning, May 12, in the high school auditorium. Commencement exercises are scheduled for 8:15 o'clock Thursday night, May 16, in the high school auditorium.

Eighth grade commencement will be held at 8 o'clock Tuesday night, May 21, in the auditorium. School will turn out on Thursday, May 23, and a school picnic will be held that day. The seniors will leave on their trip to Denver, Colo., at 5 o'clock Friday morning, May 24.

**Kelton**  
Baccalaureate services were held for the Kelton seniors at 11 o'clock Sunday night, May 12, in the Kelton gymnasium, with Tom Lawrence delivering the sermon.

The seniors will receive their diplomas in commencement exercises slated for 8 o'clock Friday night, May 17, in the gymnasium. Dr. Jack Walker will deliver the address.

**Allison**  
Allison seniors were the "early birds" this year. Their baccalaureate services were held in the Allison Methodist Church at 2:30 o'clock Sunday afternoon, May 5, with Rev. Joe Dukes delivering the sermon. Their commencement exercises were held on Friday night, May 10, in the high school gymnasium.

**Methodist Vacation Church School Time Set**  
All interested boys and girls, ages 4 to 12, are invited to attend the Methodist Vacation Church School, which will begin at 9:45 a.m. on Sunday, May 19, and continue daily through Sunday, May 26th.

A wonderful week of worship, Bible study, activities, games, stories, songs and excursions has been planned. An appreciation of others, & a concern for their welfare will be stressed in each department. "Meet Your Neighbors" will be the Junior text. The Primary Class will study "Friends at Home and In the Community." The Kindergarten text will be "Friends Far and Near."

The second session will be held from 6 to 8 p.m. on Sunday, May 19th. Week day sessions will be conducted from 9 to 11 a.m.

**NOTICE**  
Meeting Thursday, May 16, at 3:00 at Cafeteria. Please bring all band uniforms ready to be checked in uncleaned. Other business will be discussed. Every member please attend this meeting.

## WHEELER CLASS EXERCISES BE THURS. NIGHT

Baccalaureate services for the Wheeler High School senior class were held Sunday evening at 8 o'clock in the Wheeler Gymnasium. Rev. Carlton Thomson, pastor of the First Methodist Church of Wheeler, brought a thought provoking message to a full house.

With the audience standing, Mrs. Doris Forrester played the processional and recessional. Harry Wofford brought the invocation. A ladies' trio, composed of Mmes. Harrison Hall, R. J. Holt, Jr., and David Britt, sang "The Lord's Prayer." Mrs. Sylvia Lee played a piano solo and E. M. Borden, Jr., Minister of the Wheeler Church of Christ, gave the benediction.

On Thursday night of this week the Commencement Exercises will be held for the class at 8 p.m. in the gymnasium. Mrs. Forrester will again play the processional and recessional. Minister E. M. Borden, Jr., will give the invocation. Sharon Green, daughter of Frankie and Roe Green will render the Salutatory. Al Thomas, David Britt, Carlton Thomson and Dick DeArment, will sing "Day Is Dying In The West" Sheila Patterson, daughter of the late Winston and Mrs. Patterson will give the Valedictory. "Till We Meet Again," sang by senior girls.

The Commencement address will be made by Rev. Edwin Hall, pastor of St. Paul's Methodist Church of Pampa. Principal B. Barham will present Special Awards. Supt. A. E. Brown will present Eighth Grade and High School Diplomas. Rev. Carlton Thomson will give the benediction.

## KELTON CLASS COMMENCEMENT FRIDAY NIGHT

Baccalaureate exercises for the 10 high school seniors and 15 eighth grade graduates of Kelton schools were held at the School Gymnasium on Sunday evening, May 12. Tom Lawrence gave the baccalaureate address. Mrs. Myra Finch played the processional and recessional. Mrs. Tom Bryant gave the invocation. The Junior and Senior girls sang "Faith of Our Fathers," and "Lords' Prayer." Rev. A. G. Roberts gave the benediction.

On Thursday night of this week the Kelton school will hold the graduation exercises for the eighth grade class. Ernest Henderson will give the address. Mrs. Finch will play the recessional and processional. Raymond Moore will give the invocation. Salutatory, Gayla Dale, Class History, Bill Stiles, Song, Glenda Lee Henderson, Class Will, David Treadwell, Song, girls trio, composed of Cherry Abernethy, Cecelia Beasley, and Donna Dale.

Class prophecy, Vernell Abernethy, Valedictory, Dolores, Beasley, which are pre-school age children; junior age through 12 years of age (Continued on last page)

## DEADLINE FOR RODEO ENTRIES 5 P. M. MAY 27

Boys and girls who plan to enter competition in the Wheeler County Junior 4-H Rodeo were reminded this week that their entries must be turned in not later than 5 p.m., Monday, May 27, said County Agent Bryan Swaim.

Entries may be left at either of the following places: Tax Assessor-Collector Thurman Rives, Home Demonstration Agent Vara Crippen or County Agent Swaim.

There is no entry fee, but each person entering is required to buy a child's ticket, the price of which is 50c. Those entering may get their ticket when they turn in their entry blank.

The entry blanks must be signed both the person entering and by the contestant's parents.

The Junior 4-H Rodeo will include three brackets: small fry, (Continued on Last Page)

Mr. and Mrs. M. L. Carson and sons of Irving, brother of Mrs. Grady Harris, came to spend the week end and to visit his mother, Mrs. Belle Carson at Canadian.

## GUEST SPEAKER WILL ADDRESS C-C BANQUET

Every member of the Wheeler Chamber of Commerce, and other persons interested, are urged to attend the monthly meeting of the C of C at Nora's Cafe, 7:30 o'clock Tuesday night, May 21.

Guest speaker for the evening will be Marvin C. Nichols, Fort Worth, partner in two consulting engineering firms and a member of Texas Water Resources Committee for the past five years.

"Mr. Nichols is qualified by education, experience and travel to deliver an interesting address, and we are expecting visitors from several neighboring communities," said Dick Guynes, Cof C manager.

"Ticket agents will call on you in the meantime, as it will be necessary for us to know how many to prepare for," Mr. Guynes said.

## TWO TRUSTEES ARE ELECTED AT ALLISON

John Glisan and Lloyd Jones were elected to the board of trustees of the Allison Independent School District in a special election Saturday, May 4. The two men complete the seven-member board.

Glisan topped the ballot with 85 votes, and Jones polled 79. They defeated two candidates for re-election, E. O. Kelly, who got 73 votes, and Rex Miller who polled 69.

The four men had tied with 70 votes each in the regular school election on April 2, making it necessary to hold a special election to fill the remaining two vacancies.

Elected to the board on April 2, were Joe Dukes, Vern Lohberger, Lee Kiker, Willie Bergert and Bob Markham. Markham was the only member of the retiring board of trustees to win re-election.

## CITY PARK TO BE FIXED UP

The City Park is being cleaned, painted and repaired for use this summer. Mayor Kirk announced this week.

A great deal of work has already been done there but it is not completed, he said. Much of the brush and other debris has been removed. A mower has been purchased and it is expected that the grass can be kept in better condition this season than in years past.

The City and the County have combined and are replacing the bridge by the park. It is hoped that this will terminate the need for a continual repair. It will still be a few days before work on the bridge is completed but the concrete structure should be permanent.

Plans have been made for lighting of the park and the facilities are being secured at this time. The lighting of the park will permit wider use of its facilities this summer.

The City Officials and the women's clubs who have taken so great an interest in the park are to be commended. They are providing a fine service for the citizens of our community.

## Community Auction To Be Held May 25

Clean out your attics and basements and bring anything of any value that you don't need to the Auction sale, on Saturday, May 25. The sale will start at 1:30 p.m. at the North Side of the Courthouse Square.

Anyone interested in cleaning merchandise, may contact Shelby Pettit in order to have same advertised in this week's paper. If you have a piano, or other pieces of furniture that you don't want, bring it to the free auction, or call Shelby about it, and he can give you information concerning the sale.



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**Mrs. Helen Seitz To Receive Diploma**

Information received by The Times since the first pages of this edition came off the press, changes the Mobeettie graduation picture.

Mrs. Helen Seitz will be graduated with the Mobeettie seniors, increasing the number of students receiving diplomas from 10 to 11 -- six boys and five girls.

Mrs. Seitz is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John E. Allen. During her sophomore year, Helen was married to Joe Seitz, son of Mr. and Mrs. Monroe Seitz. She attended schools in Pampa and Odessa, completing her high school work at Odessa. She has asked that her credits be transferred to Mobeettie, where she will receive her diploma with her former classmates.

Mr. and Mrs. Everett Mason were called to Pittsburg, Penn. on account of death of Mrs. Mason's mother.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Buchanan of Frederick, Okla., daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Hooker have sold their business in Frederick, and are now looking after ranching interests in Moberidge, S. D.



Pictured above are the nine members of the 1957 Kelton graduating class. Supt. Joe Bailey has served as class sponsor. Sharon, Stiles, Carolyn Ledbetter, Jerry Luckey, Loyd Anderson, Charlie Burrell, Karen Higdon, Joe Jones, Charlie Lang, and Sammie Miller.

**Guest Speaker —**

(Continued from page one)

Mr. Nichols was city engineer in Amarillo and has been consulting engineer for a score of Texas cities on water supply problems. He operates farms in Lyndon, Rockwall and Hunt Counties and has held numerous directorships and high offices in planning commissions, chamber of commerce, public works, and civic and charitable organizations during the past 20 years.

Mr. Nichols, a veteran of World War I, was special state representative on the U. S. Coast and Geodetic Survey. He received the Keystone Award Boy's Club of America in 1948; was special commissioner in Hemphill Street condemnation proceedings, and was consultant to Administrator General Service Administration in re-

cent years.

His consulting engineer firm is engaged in private practice of engineering, specializing in hydraulic problems. During World War II, he and his present partner, Feese, served as architect-engineer on 21 major installations for the U. S. Army, Air Force and Navy.

In other Chamber of Commerce business, Mr. Guynes said that through oversight, the following members were not previously reported: A. E. Brown, Wheeler Lockers and Grocery, Nash Appliance and Refrigeration, Wheeler Abstract Co., First National Bank, R. J. Holt, Jr., P. & G. Laundry and Farm Bureau.

The Dairy Cream Drive is a new member.

J. G. Watson and his FFA boys have placed a map of Wheeler County, showing the different types of soil found in the county,

in the lobby of the Chamber of Commerce office," Mr. Guynes said.

"You are invited to come in and see what kind of dirt we have. It is a unique exhibit," he declared.

"With 14.92 inches of rain recorded so far this year, things are going to look different from what they have during the past six years," the C of C manager said.

**Locals**

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Robertson and baby of Amarillo were week end visitors with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Hooker and Mrs. Bessie Robertson.

Mrs. J. W. Durham was called to Berger Tuesday, to be with her daughter Mrs. Clifford Farm-

er who underwent major surgery.

Mr. and Mrs. J. I. Maloy of Clinton, Okla., were visitors in Wheeler Thursday.

Mrs. Sidney Mayfield of Gageby was in the Wheeler hospital Thursday and Friday.

Mrs. Annie Ruth Lee was a patient in a Pampa hospital a few days last week.

Jen Helton from Gruver was a visitor in Wheeler and Briscoe, Tuesday and Wednesday.

Joy Sartor of Amarillo is visiting her aunt this week, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Smith.

Mr. and Mrs. Norrell Perkins and baby of Berger visited in Wheeler and Shamrock over the week end.

Mrs. Nellie Horton Brock of Amarillo visited Harris' home Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert and daughters spent the visiting in Matador and Springs.



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**Financial Statement**

**City of Wheeler, Texas**

Statement of Receipt and Disbursements of the Water and Sewer and General Accounts for the Fiscal Year ending March 31, 1957.

Beginning Balance April 1, 1956..... \$769.11

**Receipts:**

Gross Receipts tax .....	839.27
Transfer from general account .....	900.00
Meter deposits .....	245.00
Net Ad Valorem taxes .....	7,221.43
Water and sewer receipts .....	24,281.11
Machine work and rental .....	7.45
Paving liens and interest .....	40.99

**Total Receipts .....** 33,535.25  
**Total Receipts Plus Balance .....** \$34,304.36

**Disbursements:**

Refunds for overcharges and connections paid by citizens .....	305.40
Salary .....	7,503.60
Income tax withheld from salaries .....	(337.50)
Councilmen fees .....	472.50
Meter deposit refunds .....	240.00

Cash transfer to sinking funds .....	2,400.00
City Lawyers .....	200.00
City Auditor .....	360.00
Power and lights .....	2,152.88
Insurance and bonds .....	437.52
Truck gasoline, oil & repairs .....	1,500.24
Fire department (fires and meetings) .....	1,571.00
Water and sewer system labor .....	1,086.65
Repairs, materials, & supplies .....	1,716.05
Telephone line rental .....	161.56
Street labor and other street expense .....	473.63
Printing and advertising .....	181.85
Freight .....	23.27
Office supplies and postage .....	265.23
Dog disposal expense .....	3.50
Heating fuel .....	83.42
Capital expenditures .....	890.20
Office rent .....	105.00
Library .....	12.50
Payments on grader indebtedness .....	1,680.00
Interest .....	387.19
Election expense .....	288.70
Checks returned by Bank .....	91.10
Withholding taxes paid .....	327.30
Miscellaneous expense .....	35.60
Park labor .....	17.10
Legal expenses .....	225.00
Retirement of water tower indebtedness .....	3,500.00
Water and sewer bill withheld from meter deposits .....	(6.92)
Transfer to water and sewer account .....	900.00
Fire truck warrants retired .....	500.00

**Total Disbursements .....**  
**Balance April 1, 1957 .....**

\$29.75  
\$4.50



# Kelton To Graduate 9 Juniors On Friday Eve

Joe Bailey has announced that nine graduates in the class at Kelton High School will be the highest ranking in the class. Sharon Stiles, who had a high school grade average of 94.8, Carolyn Ledbetter, a Valedictorian with a grade average of 93.8, Jerry Lackey, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Lackey, was Salutatorian of the class with a four

year average of 90.5. Jerry Anderson has attended all 12 years of school here at Kelton. He has been outstanding in basketball four years, baseball two and track two years. Loyd Anderson was class favorite in 1955-56, reporter in 1956-57, took part in school plays, member of the 4-H club 7 years, and member of the annual staff this year. His present plans are to attend Sayre Junior College.

CHARLIE BURRELL, son of Mr. and Mrs. T. R. Burrell, has had 4 years of basketball, 4 of baseball, and 3 of track. He has been active in class plays and during the 1956-57 term he was selected class favorite, most handsome boy, and has helped as annual staff member. He also plans to attend college at Sayre Junior College.

JERRY LACKEY, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Lackey, was Salutatorian of the class with a four year average of 90.5. Jerry Anderson has attended all 12 years of school here at Kelton. He has been outstanding in basketball four years, baseball two and track two years. Loyd Anderson was class favorite in 1955-56, reporter in 1956-57, took part in school plays, member of the 4-H club 7 years, and member of the annual staff this year. His present plans are to attend Sayre Junior College.

SHARON STILES, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Stiles, is graduating with a high school average of 94.8, made in three years, which disqualified her from receiving honors. She has served her class well as reporter in 1954-55, FHA president in 1955-56, student council secretary in 1956-57 and Editor-in-chief of the 1957 annual. She has been active in the school plays, and the Interscholastic League play in 1955-56, pianist of the Choral Club from 1953 thru 1957. She was chosen Miss Kelton in 1955-56 and 1956-57. Most Beautiful in 1955-56 and to Who's Who in 1955-56 and 1956-57. Sharon plans to enter Baylor University next fall, majoring in Math and continuing her work in music.



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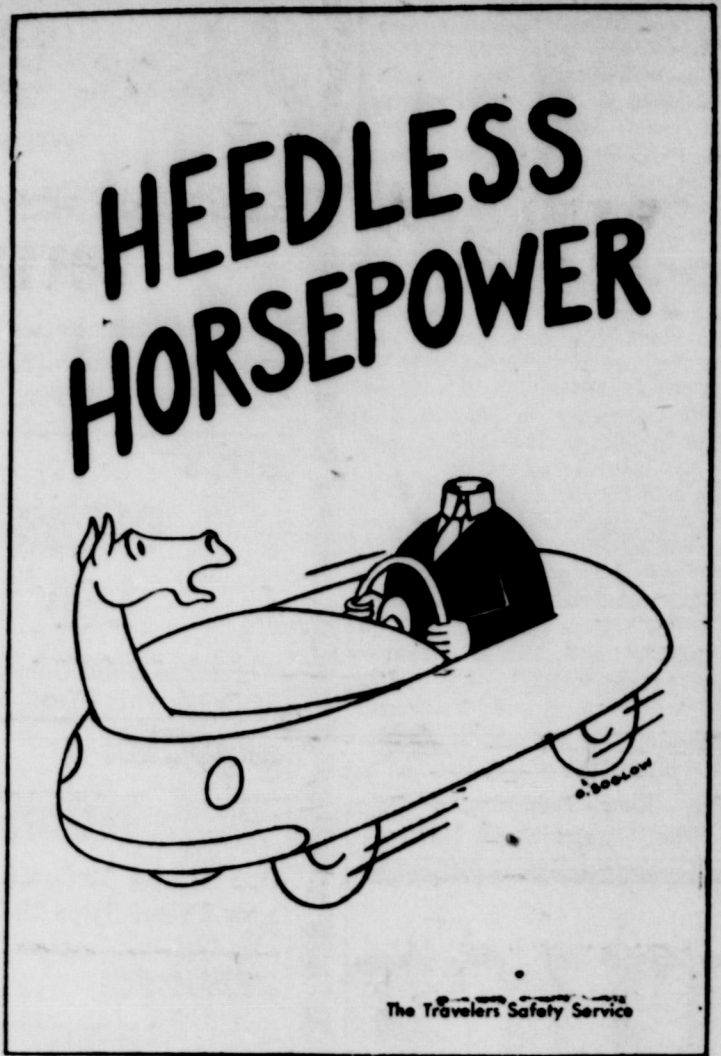
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TO: MARY ELLEN CULLIS, THE HEIRS, UNKNOWN HEIRS AND LEGAL REPRESENTATIVES OF MARY ELLEN CULLIS; THE HUSBAND, IF ANY, OF MARY ELLEN CULLIS; ALL PERSONS CLAIMING ANY TITLE OR INTEREST IN THE NORTHWEST QUARTER (NW/4) OF SECTION SEVENTY (70), BLOCK THIRTEEN (13), H&GN RR CO. SURVEY, WHEELER COUNTY, TEXAS, UNDER AND BY VIRTUE OF THE POSSIBLE EXISTENCE OF A DEED FROM MRS. FRANCES GORDON TO HER DAUGHTER MARY ELLEN CULLIS PURPORTING TO CONVEY THE SAID NORTHWEST QUARTER OF SAID SECTION 70, BLOCK 13, H&GN RR CO. SURVEY, WHEELER, TEXAS, AND REFERRED TO IN AFFIDAVIT OF MRS. FRANCES GORDON DATED MARCH 2, 1936, RECORDED IN VOLUME 89, PAGE 593, DEED RECORDS, WHEELER COUNTY, TEXAS;

**GREETING:**

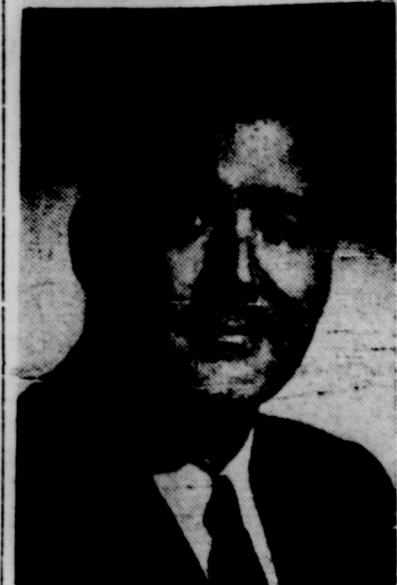
You and each of you are hereby commanded to appear before the Honorable 31st Judicial District Court of Wheeler County, Texas, at the Courthouse in Wheeler, Texas, at or before 10 o'clock A. M. of the first Monday after the expiration of forty-two days

**Heedless Horsepower** by O. Soglow



of the District Court of Wheeler County, Texas. ISSUED AND GIVEN UNDER MY HAND AND THE SEAL OF SAID COURT at office in Wheeler, Wheeler County, Texas, this 14 day of May, 1957.

MRS. RENA SIVAGE  
Clerk of the District Court of Wheeler County, Texas 23-4tc  
SEAL



DR. WILLIS M. TATE

**WTSC SPEAKER ANNOUNCED**

Southern Methodist University's president, Dr. Willis M. Tate, will be the speaker for West Texas State College's spring commencement exercises to be held here May 26. Some 260 students will be candidates for degrees.

The combined baccalaureate and commencement services will be held at 5 p.m. in the West Texas State field house, where President James P. Cornette will award degrees following Dr. Tate's address. Activities for graduating students open May 23 with a Senior Class Day assembly. President and Mrs. Cornette will honor graduates at a reception May 25.

Fifth president of SMU, Dr. Tate became the youngest man named to that position in 1954. An alumnus of the institution, he earned his B. A. degree there in 1932 and his M.A. in sociology in 1935.

Dr. Tate has done additional graduate work at the University of Texas and the University of Chicago. He holds honorary Doctor of Laws degrees from Texas Wesleyan College and from Centenary College, and the Doctor of Humane Letters from Oklahoma City University.

The speaker was a member of SMU's Southwest Conference championship football team of 1931. He was an all-conference tackle that year and received honorable mention for All-American.

Dr. Tate was principal of the Alamo Heights Elementary and

from the issuance hereof, same being Monday, the 1st day of July, 1957, and make written answer to the plaintiffs' original petition filed in said Court on the 6th day of March, 1957, said suit being Cause No. 4666, wherein Jay Gordon, James J. Gordon, Helen Gurley, a feme sole, Minnie Gill, a feme sole & Gordon Barnes are plaintiffs & Mary Ellen Cullis, the heirs, unknown heirs and legal representatives of Mary Ellen Cullis; the husband, if any, of Mary Ellen Cullis; and all persons claiming any title or interest in the Northwest Quarter of Section Seventy (70), Block Thirteen (13), H&GN RR Co. Survey, Wheeler County, Texas, under and by virtue of the possible existence of a deed from Mrs. Frances Gordon to her daughter Mary Ellen Cullis purporting to convey the said Northwest Quarter of said Section 70, Block 13, H&GN RR Co. Survey, Wheeler County, Texas, and referred to in affidavit of Mrs. Frances Gordon dated March 2, 1936, recorded in Volume 89, Page 593, Deed Records of Wheeler County, Texas, are defendants.

The nature of said suit is as follows:

Said suit is an action in trespass to try title as defined by the Statutes of the State of Texas and prescribed by the Rules of Civil Procedure of the State of Texas, alleging ownership in fee simple by plaintiffs Jay Gordon, James J. Gordon, Helen Gurley, Minnie Gill and Gordon Barnes of the title to the following described land and premises located in Wheeler County, Texas, to-wit: All of the Northwest Quarter (NW/4) of Section No. Seventy (70), in Block No. Thirteen (13), H&GN RR Co. Survey, Certificate

No. 2/295, Wheeler County, Texas, save and except an undivided one-fourth interest in and to all of the oil, gas and other minerals in and under and that may be produced from said land, as conveyed to Park T. Grimes by Frances R. Gordon in mineral deed dated May 12, 1934, recorded in Volume 80, Page 534, Deed Records, Wheeler County, Texas; plaintiffs' title also now being subject to outstanding oil and gas lease to E. K. Caperton, lessee; plaintiff alleging additionally that plaintiffs have title under the three year statute of limitations prescribed by Article 5507, the five year statute of limitations prescribed by Article 5509, and the ten year statute of limitations prescribed by Article 5510, all of the Revised Civil Statutes of Texas; that the defendants actually own no interest therein and any apparent interest should be removed as a cloud upon plaintiffs' title; and seeking recovery of the title to the land and premises above described, together with the removal of any apparent cloud upon the title of the plaintiffs, costs of suit and general relief.

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Junior High Schools in San Antonio after graduation from SMU, and in 1942 was named by the San Antonio Junior Chamber of Commerce as the Outstanding Young Man of the year in that city.

In April, 1943, he went to Houston to become executive assistant to the pastor of the First Methodist Church, which was then the largest church in Methodism.

Dr. Tate joined the SMU staff in 1945 as assistant dean of students, and in 1948, he was elevated to dean of students. In 1950, he was made vice-president in charge of development and public relations.

Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Dyson and family, of Pampa were Sunday guests of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Dyson.

Mr. and Mrs. Orvel Brewer and family of Pampa, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Alexander and family of White Deer, and Mr. and Mrs. Doyle Grimes and family were Sunday guests in the home of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jeff Brewer.

Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Sims recently visited in Hereford with their son and family, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Sims, enroute home they visited another son, Mr. and Mrs. Wilbur Sims in Panhandle.

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participating in 4-H club work nine years, four of which was served as president. He was elected to Who's Who in '56-'57, the past two years he has been a member of the annual staff and had parts in the school plays. His present plans include attending Texas A&M.

Visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. E. F. Armstrong of Kelton, over the Mothers Day Week end were their children; Mr. and Mrs. Weldon Armstrong, of Abilene; Mr. and Mrs. Albert Gunter and children of Pampa; Mrs. G. C. Wilkinson of Corona, Calif., mother of Mrs. E. F. Armstrong also was a guest. She will visit here several weeks before returning to her home. She would love to visit her friends in her daughters home at Kelton.

Mrs. Essie Young of Pampa visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Garrison, Sunday.

STILES, daughter of Mrs. Gordon Stiles, is with a high school diploma, made in three months. She has served as reporter in '54-'55, president in '55-'56, student secretary in '56-'57, and chief of the 1957 annual. She has been active in the interscholastic play in '55-'56, pianist in the school club from '53 thru '56 and beautiful in '55-'56 and '56-'57. She plans to enter Baylor next fall, majoring in continuing her work in



LACKEY, son of Mr. J. L. Lackey, was salutatorian of the class with a four point average of 90.5. Jerry has been in sports, lettering in basketball, three years in baseball and three years as class treasurer in '56-'57, partici-



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## BRAVE WORDS

That's my daughter Ellen standing up there in her cap and gown. Valedictorian of her class! I'd be a strange mother if I didn't feel a lump in my throat, and a tremendous surge of pride.

It just doesn't seem possible that my Ellen is grown-up. Like any mother, I have visions of a tiny baby... a little girl in pigtailed... a child, beginning school.

And now here she is, speaking about the future that she and her classmates envision... the things

they are going to try to do... their hopes and dreams.

They are brave words, all of them... brave dreams. And like all parents, I pray that most of them will come true. But I know that in times of failure, my Ellen will have an added strength because of her Faith, and her devotion to the Church.

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	Book	Chapter	Verses
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Tuesday	Colossians	3	12-25
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**CAROLYN LEDBETTER**, the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Ledbetter is valedictorian with a grade average of 93.8. She has been outstanding in basketball and volleyball for four years. She has served her class as president in '52, secretary in '53 and '56, secretary of student council in '55, council at large in '56-'57. President of student council in '56-'57. Carolyn was elected Who's Who in '55-'56 and Miss Personality in '56-'57, and served on the annual staff in '56-'57. Carolyn plans to enter West Texas State college next fall.

Mrs. C. N. Wofford visited her sister, Mrs. Ruth Jett, in Tulsa, Okla., last week. She and her sister visited their brother and family, Mr. W. S. Bishop of Spadra, Ark., also.

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Mr. and Mrs. Troy Treadwell and children of Pampa, and Mr. and Mrs. Herman Lee Jenkins and daughter of Wellington spent Sunday in the home of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. A. Treadwell.

Mr. and Mrs. Weldon Sandifer and daughter, Suzanne of Kermit, Texas, spent the week end with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Sandifer and Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Williams and other relatives.

Junior Robertson of White Deer was a business caller in Wheeler Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Flynt of Pampa visited his sister, Mr. and Mrs. K. L. Franklin, Sunday.

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Mr. and Mrs. Adrian Risner and Darla, Mr. and Mrs. Bob Douthit and children and Mr. and Mrs. Jim Risner spent Sunday at Whiteflair in the home of Mr. and Mrs. F. M. Casey.

**Deadline For —**  
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age; and senior, 13 years of age up and still in school.

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Ribbon roping — senior boys and junior boys.

Soda pop race — senior girls and junior girls.

Girls goat tie-down — senior girls and junior girls.

Ribbon goat race — small fry.  
Shoe scramble — small fry.

**Kelton Class —**  
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ley. Presentation of awards by Joe Bailey. Presentation of certificates, Mrs. Jewel Reed, Mrs. Johnnie Burdette.

On Friday night, May 10 seniors will be in commencement exercises at Kelton Gym. Mrs. Finch the processional. Mrs. Reed will give the Salutatory by Jerry La Junior and Senior Girls.

Address by Dr. Jack Valedictory. Carolyn Bailey. Presentation of awards. Mrs. Johnnie Reed. Allen Lackey.

All closing exercises promptly at 8 o'clock in ing. The senior class of 1957 is "High Aims Character and Great O ing Out Great Minds"

Mr. and Mrs. Elgie Deering and daughter visited their daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Floyd George of Borger, Sunday.

Mrs. Harl Etter of Shamrock and Pat Etter of Amarillo visited Mrs. C. N. Wofford and Reba Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Grady Harris visited Mrs. Dora Harris Sunday with Mrs. and the Charlie Ellis.

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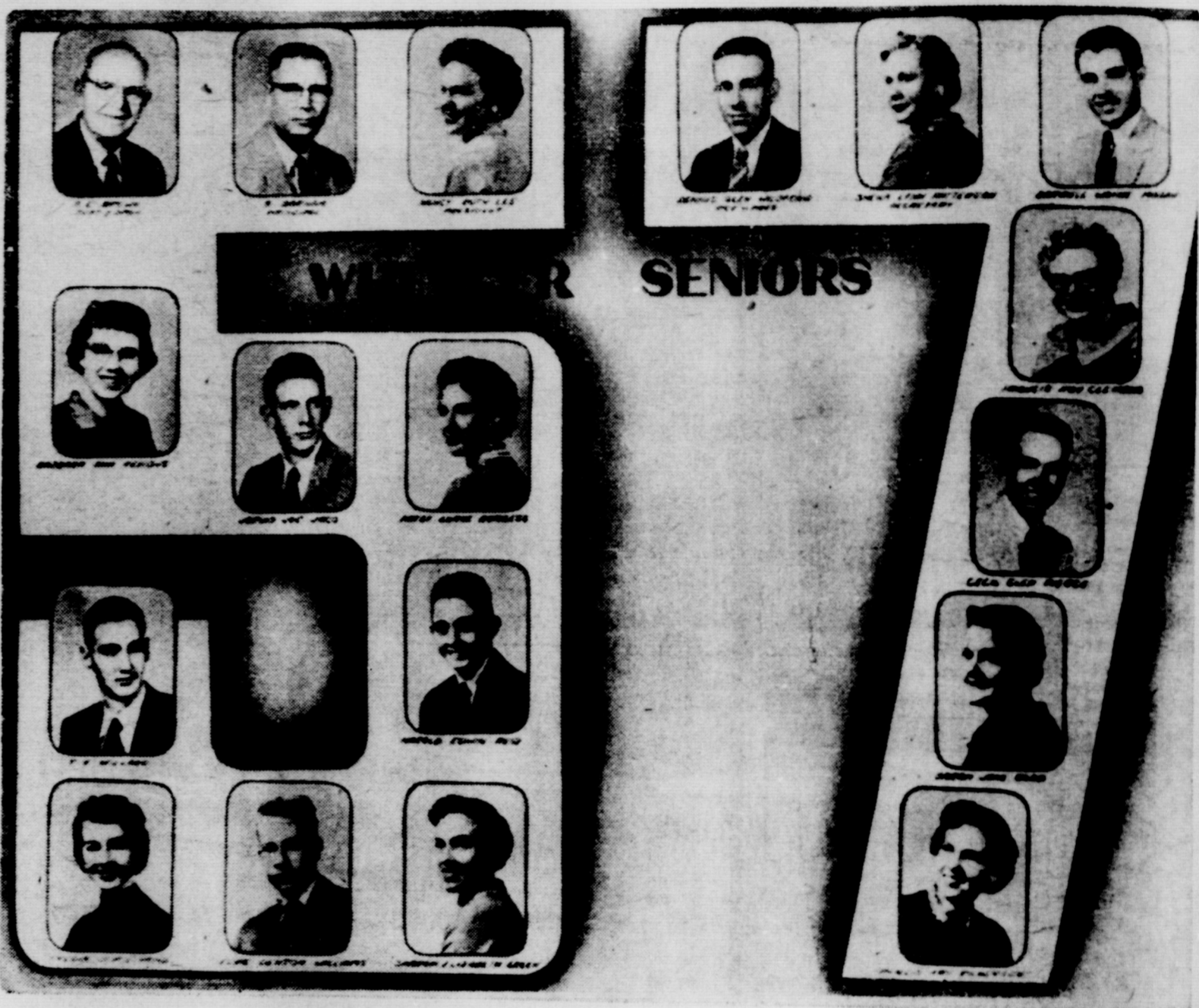
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Wheeler High School has 16 graduates, nine girls and seven boys. Mr. A. E. Brown is Supt. of Schools, and B. Barham is high school principal. Sheila Patterson is Valedictorian. Sharon Green is Salutatorian, and Elvie Williams is highest ranking boy. Nancy Lee is class president, Dennis Wilsford

is vice president and Sheila is secretary. Other members of the class are: Barbara Ann Revicus, Jarvis Joe Jaco, Patsy LaRue Burgess, Harold Edwin Reid, Fredia Pond, K. V. Willard, Phyllis Kay Richerson, Sarah Jane Goad, Cecil Glen Pierce, Francis Kay Clemens, and Darrell Wayne Moore.

## Wheeler Has 16 Graduates In 1957; Commencement Is Thursday Night

The Wheeler High School graduation exercises will be held on Thursday evening at the school gym. A class of 16 members will be graduated. Of this group Nancy Lee is class president; Dennis Wilsford, vice president; Sheila Patterson, secretary; A. E. Brown, Sponsor and school superintendent; with B. Barham, high school principal.

Short sketches of each of the seniors follows:  
**SHEILA PATTERSON** is the daughter of Mrs. G. W. Patterson, and was born at Wheeler, October 7, 1938. Sheila has spent all of her school days at Wheeler. She has participated in pep squad for four years. FHA, three years and class secretary-treasurer her junior and senior year. She was vice-president her freshman year, and on the annual staff her junior and senior year. She has served on the Corral staff and was an FHA Delegate. Sheila is also the valedictorian of her class.

**SHARON GREEN**, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Roe Green, was born at Wheeler December 1, 1938. Sharon attended Shamrock and Memphis schools, when she was in

the first grade. She has spent all the rest of her school days in Wheeler. She has played basketball, volleyball and softball for four years. In her freshman year she was on the student council, class secretary and in FHA. Sophomore year she was chosen Best All Around, Class Favorite, in FHA and in Summer Theatre. Her junior year she was student council president, Most Beautiful, Best All Around, in the Junior play, won the Meek Award, won third in State Poetry Reading, Dist. Tennis champion, football queen attendant, basketball Queen, on the Corral staff, and in FHA.

Sharon has been on the student council her senior year, and was chosen Miss Wheeler High, Most Popular, won second in Regional Poetry Reading and Dist. Tennis. She was chosen Most Intellectual, and the Outstanding Teenager in the Community. She is the Salutatorian of the class, and was football queen attendant, in the senior play and on All Tournament Team at Shamrock and Canadian.

**ELVIE WILLIAMS** is the son of Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Williams, and was born at Memphis, January 22,

1939. Elvie has attended Memphis and Estelina schools before coming to Wheeler. He has been a student in Wheeler schools since 1955. He has been active in football, basketball and track during his high school days. He was president of the class his sophomore year, also Class Favorite and FFA Historian. He was president of the class his junior year and chosen Most Friendly and Most Intellectual his senior year. He was in the senior play and in the Summer Theatre in '56. Elvie was active in all FFA work. His freshman year he won an award in Greenbelt District Chapter Conducting, and won an award in Senior Farm Skill in '55 and '56. He was an FFA Delegate to State Convention at Houston in '55. He won honors in the District Ready Writers in '56 and District Tennis in '56 & '57. He also is the highest ranking boy in his class.

**JOHN BRUCE TOPPER** is the

son of Mr. and Mrs. Bill Topper and was born February 4, 1939 in Stockton, Calif. He entered Wheeler Schools in 1946 and has attended eleven years here. He attended Longfellow Schools in San Francisco one year. He has been active in football for three years, baseball two years and track two years. Bruce was junior class favorite and was in the junior

play.  
**DENNIS WILSFORD** is the son of Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Wilsford and was born May 1, 1938, at Shamrock. He entered Wheeler Schools in 1945 and spent all of his school days in Wheeler. Dennis was active in all sports, playing football for three years, basketball four years, track four years, and baseball and volleyball for three years. He was vice-president of the Junior and Senior classes, a member of the student council his senior year. Dennis was in the junior and senior play. He was on the all regional football team for the term '55 and '56. He was in FFA for three years, and on the all tournament team at Panhandle.

**KAY CLEMENS** is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Clemens, and was born January 19, 1939 in Lubbock. She entered Wheeler School in 1954 and has spent three years here. Kay attended three

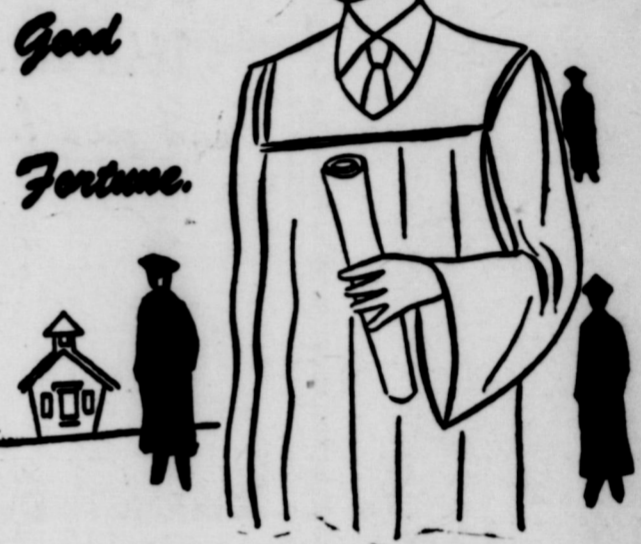
schools in Amarillo before coming to Wheeler. Those schools are: San Jacinto Grade School; Forest Hill Grade School; and Horace Mann Jr. High. Kay has been active in school activities, taking part in band for three years, pep squad, one year, summer theatre, one act play, FHA for two years, basketball for two years, volleyball and softball one year. She was class president her freshman and junior years. She attended Senior Girl Scout Conference in '54.

**HAROLD REID** is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Otis Reid and was born in Wheeler, on January 20, (Continued on last page)

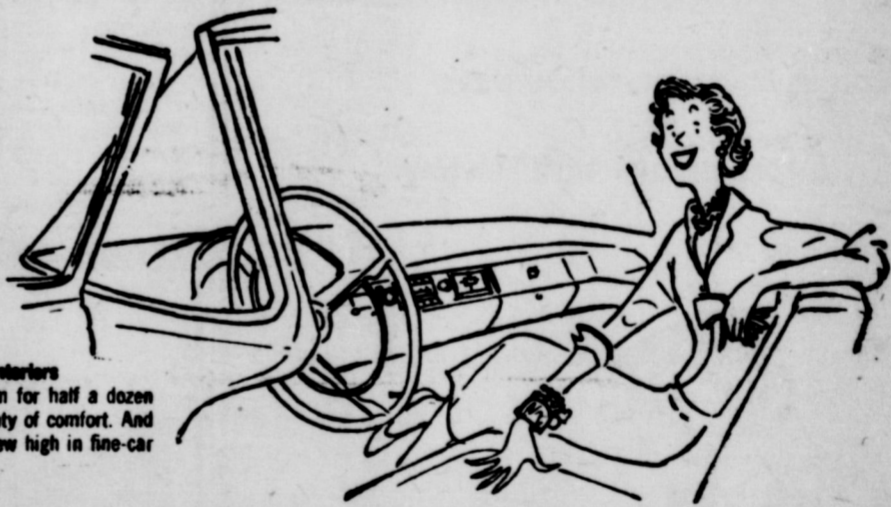
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 Mobeetie, Texas

Mmes. Lester Hathaway, Foy Farmer, E. E. Johnston and Aubrey Greenhouse, were Pampa visitors Monday.  
 Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Murrell was a Shamrock visitor Monday.  
 Misses Mary Sue Brewer and Nancy Gibson of Amarillo recently visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Jeff Brewer.  
 Mr. and Mrs. Hoyt Dunn and family of Amarillo, recently visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Dunn and Mr. and Mrs. George B. Dunn.

**Success TO YOU**



Well done and good luck.

**Leonard's Service Station**  
 Mobeetie, Texas



Fictured above is the 1957 graduating class of Mobeetie High School. L. R. Reaves is school superintendent and principal Mrs. J. H. Scribner is class sponsor. The class is comprised of four girls and six boys. Geoffrey Caldwell is class president, with Alford Corcoran as vice president. Jay Godwin is valedictorian and Janie Barton is salutatorian. Other members of the graduating class are: Paul Willyard, Sue Derrick, Bobby Risner, Mary Beth Kelly, Billy Mundy, and Lowell Patton.

**Mobeetie Graduates To Get Diplomas Thursday, May 23**

Four girls and six boys comprise the Mobeetie High School graduating class of 1957. The three highest ranking students of the class, two boys and a girl have done all of their school work in the Mobeetie Schools.  
 Supt. L. R. Reaves says that the group will be sorely missed as they go their several ways after graduation. "This is a group of swell kids," he said. "They will have no trouble making a niche for themselves in the world."  
 Sketches of the seniors follow:  
**JAY GODWIN**, valedictorian of the senior class, is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Willard Godwin of Mobeetie, Texas. He was born February 17, 1939, at Mobeetie, Texas, and he has spent all of his school life in Mobeetie. Jay was president of his class his first two years in high school & was elected "Mr. M. H. S." when he was a junior. Jay was elected class favorite and pep squad favorite this year. He is secretary of the graduating class and business manager of the annual. As valedictorian of the seniors, he has an average of 92.89 for his last two years of high school work. Jay has lettered in football, baseball, and basketball his four years in high school, serving as co-captain of the football team this year. Jay plans to attend college next fall and study engineering.  
**JANIE BARTON**, salutatorian of the senior class, is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Barton of Mobeetie. Janie was born March 9, 1938, in Wheeler, Texas. Janie has attended Mobeetie School her entire school life. She has participated in sports her four years in high school. She has been a member of the pep squad for four years & was pep squad leader her junior year. She was class favorite her freshman and sophomore years. She also has held an office in her class every year. She participated in the student council her sophomore year. Her senior year she was elected the neatest girl in high school and the senior girl with the most pleasant personality. She was typist of the annual staff. At the present her plans are undecided.  
**ALFORD CORCORAN**, son of (Continued on next page)

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This is your day. Remember it always. Best wishes to you.



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**TO YOU**  
 class of 1957

A chorus of best wishes

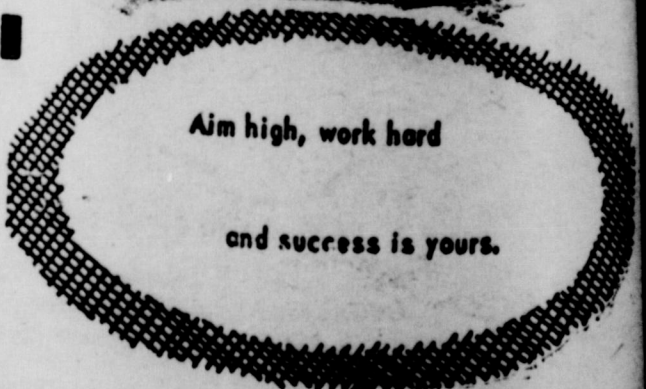


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# Allison Graduates Five Seniors Friday, May 10

Allison High School was the first in the county to complete its year of work. Baccalaureate services were held on Sunday, May 5 with Commencement exercises on Friday night, May 10. Supt. D. L. Malin stated that this year's graduating class had been exceedingly cooperative in school functions and that they were assured of a niche in life as they separate and go their respective ways.

Short sketches of the seniors of 1957 follow:

**MARY ANN HARRISON** is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ray Brown, and is married to Willis Harrison. She is high ranking student in the class with 95.78. She is an officer in FHA and has played on the basketball team four years. She has spent all her school years in Allison schools. She is Sec-treas. of the seniors class.

and will attend West Texas State this fall. She was also a member of the Glee club.

**LINDA LAVONNA GLISON** is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Glison, and has attended all her high school years in Allison. She played basketball four years and held an office in FHA. She is the second ranking student of her class with 95.76 ave. and is editor of the school paper. A member of the Glee club and member of the student council. She plans to attend Bethany College in Bethany, Okla., this fall.

**JOHNNIE R. HALL** is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Hall and is third ranking student in his class, with a 94.91 average. He has been on the ball team four years, played baseball, and is a member of the school orchestra & a member of the student council. He

plans to attend Kansas A&M this fall.

**GAYLE HALL** is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Rayburn Hall, and is the senior class president. An FFA officer, played basketball four years, and is a member of the Glee club and also member of the school orchestra. She plans to enter Abilene Christian College in September or West Texas State.


**WILLIS HARRISON** is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Harrison of Allison. He is vice-president of the senior class and played basketball two years. Also played on the baseball team. He is an officer of FFA. He plans to enter West Texas State in September.

**DOYLE CORNELL** likes a little finishing this year.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Laffin visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. J. Laffin in Miami, Sunday.




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**D. L. MALIN**


## ALLISON SENIORS




**WILLIS HARRISON**




**GAYLE HALL**




**LINDA LAVONNA GLISON**



**JOHNNIE R. HALL**




**MARY ANN HARRISON**



**DOYLE CORNELL**

# 1957



**JOHNNIE R. HALL**

Fictured above are the graduating class of Allison High School. The class consists of three boys and three girls. D. L. Malin is school Superintendent and sponsor. Class roster is, Mary Ann Harrison, Valetictorian with 95.78 average and class secretary; Linda Lavonne Glison, Salutatorian with a grade average of 95.76; Johnnie R. Hall, highest ranking boy and third ranking student with an average of 94.91; Gayle Hall, class president; Willis Harrison, vice president; and Doyle Cornell.



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Misses Karen Barker, and Evelyn Fillingim, and Pepsy Helton of Canyon, Joan Helton, Mona Finsterwald and Nelda Fulk of Amarillo were all visiting relatives at Briscoe this week end and attended baccalaureate services Sunday morning at the Briscoe Auditorium.

Max Alexander of Pampa visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ray Alexander over the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Wofford and girls spent Sunday afternoon in Shattuck, Okla., visiting.

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Mr. and Mrs. Albert Chapman

To the patrons of Wheeler Gas Company of which we are one:

In the Wheeler Times under date of May 9, 1957 we find the Wheeler Gas Company once again coming at us with a statement that is, to say the least slightly misleading and off color. This statement is made up in nine paragraphs so let us take a look at them one at a time.

No. 1

We question this. We think that it is and has been well known that Wheeler Gas Company has done this. We see nothing wrong with this and no reason to be secretive about it and think that it has been as it should continue to be.

No. 2

Once again the financial state enters into it. In their profit and loss statement as given to the City Council for consideration the Wheeler Gas Company claims an average yearly or annual loss for the past five years in the amount of \$3,551.29. This did not include the year 1956 but the 5 years immediately preceding 1956. For this year which was after extension of the City limits and bringing a good many more customers within the City proper they gave us nothing.

Now here they tell us they are better able than other merchants to extend credit and if necessary to lose delinquent accounts.

May we here compliment the Wheeler Gas Company for making this statement. It would seem that here they are trying to be fair and make an honest statement.

When they gave the City Council the profit and loss statement showing an annual loss for the five years in the amount of \$3,551.59 we did not believe then and we do not believe now that these figures reflected a true condition of the finances of Wheeler Gas Company.

Not one of the merchants who sell the items mentioned in this paragraph are complaining about losses, and Wheeler Gas Company is, according to their own opinion as expressed in this statement better off as to finances than are these people. On this statement the Wheeler Gas Company and the City Council are in perfect agreement.

No. 3

This is not a true statement of facts. In appearing before the authority here mentioned our local banker, Mr. R. J. Holt, Sr., did not say one word regarding this. And your Mayor did not complain about the manner in which they handled collections, except that he did bring out that they had failed to draw on the accounts around Briscoe. No other accounts were mentioned and the ones around Briscoe are not the ones Wheeler Gas Company refers to in this article. The Briscoe accounts was not a matter of extending credit but simply a failure by Wheeler Gas Company to draw on these accounts and bring the money into the business for the year 1956.

We recognize the fact that in some cases here an emergency may have existed. We do not know. Our criticism as Wheeler Gas Company well knows was directed to the accounts that were perfectly solvent and could have, and should have been drawn on each month.

We shall make further comment on this paragraph near the end of this article.

No. 4

We were reasonably certain in our own minds that the losses had been small as stated here. But since they state that their rates are based on receipts and not on sales. Then money from accounts such as those around Briscoe should have been brought in since all they had to do was draw the drafts and collect them. The fault here is entirely with the Wheeler Gas Company. At this point we would raise a question. Why this article in the paper and what are we arguing about now. The entire matter has been placed in the hands of the Gas division of the Railroad Commission of Texas. And this was done by Wheeler Gas Company. Why not let them decide the issue. That is what we will have to do anyway so why quibble about it.

Our point of objection is where they blame Mr. Holt and the Mayor for the action they are taking in regard to collecting their accounts. We did nothing, and your Mayor said nothing about the accounts they speak of in this article. Your Mayor only spoke of the accounts around Briscoe. Mr. Holt made no comment whatsoever regarding this.

No. 5

We think that instead of a few. That practicing every grown person knows that the Railroad Commission, through its gas division has such jurisdiction over a gas Company operation in the State of Texas.

No. 6

We know nothing of the rules here mentioned. I would see nothing fair in such a rule, or in any business taking such a stand as mentioned here, especially in a small community such as ours. Almost any business man would extend a reasonable amount of credit to anyone should the necessity arise, even our Mayor would do it.

We see no reason why Wheeler Gas Company should not but there may be laws or rules preventing it.

No. 7

Rather blunt. We think it would be slightly off line to bring this on someone on such short notice.

No. 8

If this is to be a new policy set up by the Company that is their own business, and we shall criticize. But we do object to the insinuations in this article that this is forced upon them, and by them upon the customers, all due to the appearance of Mr. Holt as the Mayor at the gas rate hearing.

No. 9

We do not think they merit any cooperation whatsoever in any attempt by them to carry out or to alter a policy such as is outlined in this article.

The further comment we stated we would make regard to paragraph 3 now follows.

The accounts mentioned by the Mayor were the accounts that are spoken of in the article by Wheeler Gas Co. had failed to draw on during the later part of 1956. Furthermore Mr. Holt spoke not one word regarding these accounts. The Mayor only spoke out on this matter. And after the question ask him by the attorney for Wheeler Gas Co. regarding the deduction of bad accounts explained that they were not bad accounts but that the Gas Co. had failed to draw on them. It was the contention of your mayor that this his opinion would not be allowed in or for a profit or loss statement.

The testimony of your mayor regarding this is read from a typewritten page. A photostatic copy which is in the hands of The R. R. Comm. Said copy was made by them and is as follows.

If their income is to low why have they failed to collect for the last six months of 1956 on the accounts around Briscoe community. They draw drafts on the customers by agreement with them. The customers have been complaining about this and say it is a work a hardship on some when they have to pay up at once. This is known to Wheeler Gas Co.

These customers have approached Mayor asking what could be done about this. The Mayor of course could not answer this.

And why since report shows that interest on the deposits is paid on first billing at January 1. And on December accounts, then why was this done February billing and deducted from January accounts of 1957 instead of 1956. Could it have been in order to help fix books for 1956 as they wanted them to show. This also we do not think would be allowable.

### End Of Testimony Regarding Accounts

As previously stated Mr. Holt made no comment whatsoever about this. Why then does Wheeler Gas Co. attempt to bring his name into this.

Citizens of Wheeler, do you remember a statement in the Wheeler Times when the bond issue was before us that was signed Citizens Committee and which said something like this.

### Don't Buy A Pig In A Poke

It may or may not have been good advice at that time. It probably would be real good to use here at this time. Folks take a good look at it.

Then this thing about the tail trying to wag the dog that we also read about in the Wheeler Times. It seems that at certain times some of the articles that are printed in the Wheeler Paper are just wonderful.

C. B. KIRK  
Mayor City of Wheeler, Texas



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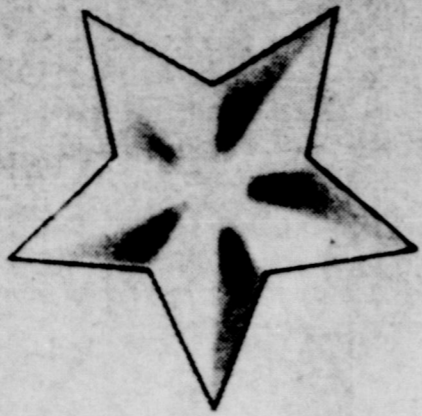


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# BRISCOE SENIORS 1957



The graduating class of Briscoe High School, pictured above is composed of four boys and six girls. Dalton Vaughan is Superintendent, and W. F. Howard is class sponsor. Camilla Y. Eiland is Valedictorian of the Class, Ruth Fillingim is Salutatorian, and C. G. Dodd is high ranking boy. The class roll follows: John Richard Abbott class president, Geraldine Caudell, vice president, C. G. Dodd secretary, Camilla Y. Eiland, Valedictorian, Ruth Fillingim Salutatorian, Carol Joyce Mason, Charles Milton Finsterwald, Jimmy D. Selby, Willie Parker, and James Walter Wyant.

## Briscoe To Graduate Ten Seniors In Class Of '57

"Although we have only ten seniors this year they have had a large place in the activities of the school", Supt. Dalton Vaughan said in announcing the closing of activities of the school. These organizations in Briscoe, we are proud to have had the opportunity of helping them get a part of their education and know they will be a credit to Briscoe and to Wheeler County," he said.

Short Sketches to the Briscoe seniors follow:

**C. G. DODD, Jr.**, was born August 17, 1939, and is the first child of Mr. and Mrs. Grady Dodd. C. G. was president of the class his junior year, and secretary of the class his senior year. He has played basketball all four years, baseball three years, and track his junior and senior year. C. G. was in the junior and senior class plays and was chosen favorite his sophomore and senior years. He was chosen Best All Around Boy his senior year and served as student council president his senior

year. He was FHA Beau his junior year and was sports editor both junior and senior years. C. G. was also Harvest King his sophomore year. He is the highest ranking boy in the graduating class.

**CAMILLA Y. EILAND** was born May 10, 1939, and is the fifth child of Mr. and Mrs. A. S. Caudell. She has participated in basketball for all four years and was captain her junior year. She also played softball and volleyball. Geraldine has been active in FHA, both school plays, secretary of the student council, reporter of FHA and vice-president of the class. She was on the annual staff and was chosen Harvest Queen one year and the Most Athletic Girl her senior year.

**CHARLES MILTON FINSTERWALD** was born October 28, 1935, and is the son of Mr. and Mrs. H. J. Finsterwald. Charles has been active in FFA for three years and was in the plays, both junior and senior years.

**JOHN RICHARD ABBOTT** was born October 20, 1938, and is the fourth child of Mr. and Mrs. E. D. Abbott. He played basketball four years, and is president of the graduating class. He was president of the class his sophomore year. John has participated in FFA four

years. Vice-president of FFA in his sophomore year and was president his junior year. He has had a part in each of the plays, given by the juniors and seniors.

**RUTH FILLINGIM** was born in September 20, 1939, and is the third child of Mr. and Mrs. Leon Fillingim. She has played on the basketball team for four years and was captain of the team her senior year. She also played softball and volleyball. Ruth was FHA president her senior year, and was in the class plays both junior and senior year. She was class favorite her sophomore and senior years. She was harvest queen her freshman year and personality queen her senior year. Ruth was also chosen best all around girl in her senior year. She is also salutatorian of her class, with a four year average of 88.58.

**CAROL JOYCE MASON** was born March 10, 1940, and is the first child of Mr. and Mrs. S. E. Mason. Carol played basketball her freshman and sophomore years. She was secretary of the sophomore class and assistant editor of the annual at Briscoe. She




**CAROL JOYCE MASON** was not enrolled at Briscoe when she first attended the school and is the third ranking student in the senior class. She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. S. E. Mason of Briscoe.

moved to Farmington, N.M., during her junior year and was a member of the state commerce club, vice-president of FTA, a member of FHA in Farmington. She remained in Farmington for

part of her senior year and then returned to Briscoe where she will finish. She is third highest in the graduating class with an average of 87.66. Her plans are to enter West Texas State College in Canyon in September.

**JIMMY D. SELBY** was born June 30, 1939, and is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Jim Selby. He was president of the class, also queen escort her senior year. Jimmy has been in Briscoe since he was born. (Continued on next page)



We congratulate you and wish you unlimited success.

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# Top Briscoe Students Have High Averages



**CAMILLA Y. EILAND** was born October 6, 1939, and is the fifth child of Mr. and Mrs. M. B. Eiland of Briscoe. She has participated in FHA; was the class historian and in the junior and senior class plays. She was class favorite one year and FHA Sweetheart her senior year. Camilla was the annual editor and Annual queen. Vice-president of the class one of the high school years and basketball manager her senior year. Her senior year she was also Who's Who in business, history and English.

Camilla is the valedictorian of the Briscoe graduating class with an average of 88.91 for the four years.



**RUTH FILLINGIM** was born on September 20, 1939, and is the third child of Mr. and Mrs. Leon Fillingim. She has played on the basketball team for four years and was captain of the team her senior year. She also played softball and volleyball. Ruth was FHA president her senior year, and was in the class plays both junior and senior year. She was class favorite her sophomore and senior years. She was harvest queen her freshman year and personality queen her senior year. Ruth was also chosen best all around girl in her senior year. She is also salutatorian of her class, with a four year average of 88.78.

## More Briscoe To

(Continued from opposite page)

of FFA for four years and was treasurer of FFA his junior year. He was the class favorite his junior year and a member of the student council and annual treasurer his senior year. Jimmy played basketball three years and was in the junior and senior plays.

**WILLIE PARKER** was born April 18, 1938, and is the third child of Mr. and Mrs. Colie Parker. He has been in FFA for three years, on the Dairy Judging team one year and the Livestock Judging team for two years. Willie has played baseball four years and volleyball his senior year. He has been in the junior and senior plays.

**JAMES WALTER WYANT** was born August 26, 1939, and is the seventh child of Mr. and Mrs. I. E. Wyant. He has been a member of FFA for three years and played basketball for two years. He has also been in both the junior and senior plays.

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### Wheeler County Soil Conservation District News

Wheeler County has more farms participating in the Conservation Reserve of the Soil Bank than any other county in the United States. The County ASC committee recently informed Soil Conservation Service personnel assisting the district that a few large counties had more acres in soil conservation Reserve but none have more contracts. A few soil conservation districts may have more farmers participating because a number of districts include more than one county.

The recent rains as well as the soil bank program have stimulated grass seeding. A large acreage will be changed from clean tilled crop to soil conserving and soil building crops. This change in land use is the first step to good conservation. Treatment is not effective unless the land is properly used.

Sweet clover seeded with grass several years ago is coming back to a good stand this year. During the dry years, the grass used all the moisture and the clover seed did not sprout. A good example is the farm of Joe Weatherly. All the bare acres between the grass clumps is clover. If the clover seed were not there, this area would be covered with weeds. The cows are using the clover at this time and giving the grass a good start. Since clover lives through one winter, it should furnish more grazing next year. While clover is



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not a dependable pasture in dry years, it can be used to keep down weeds in wet years and improve the soil at the same time.

## Locals

Maurine Herd was a patient in the Wheeler hospital several days last week.

Bro. Tipton of Hedley was a Wheeler visitor Friday.

Tom Loran of Amarillo was visiting in Wheeler, Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Bobby Adams and Debbie of Morton, were week end visitors with her sister and family. Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Meek of Gageby.

Thurston Young was in St. Louis on business last week.

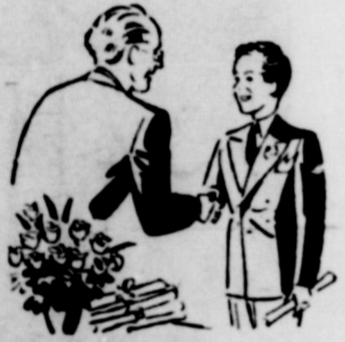
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Wheeler, Texas



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**Locals**

Janice Jaco of Amarillo spent the week end in Wheeler visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Marl Jaco. She attended baccalaureate services for her brother, Sunday night at the High School Auditorium.

Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Close and daughters of Stratford spent the week end in Wheeler, visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Goad, Sr. They also attended baccalaureate services for Sarah Goad Sunday night.

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Mr. and Mrs. Paul Simpson and children of Amarillo visited his parents Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Simpson Sunday.

Mrs. Mae Muse of Pampa, and her son Harper of the Navy, San Diego, Calif., were visitors at Briscoe and Wheeler over the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Forrest Vise of Happy, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Hefley, were Wheeler and Briscoe visitors over the week end.

Mrs. J. A. Callan fell Saturday and fractured a bone in her leg. She is a patient in the local hospital at this writing.

Don Alexander of Perryton spent the week end in Wheeler with his wife, who has been visiting her parents, the R. B. Mann's for the last two weeks. He also visited his parents Mr. and Mrs. Ray Alexander.

Mrs. Lula Clay of Twitty, L. G. Clay and Wilma Cook spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Daughtry. Mrs. Clay is Mrs. Daughtry's mother.

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1939. He has spent all of his school years in Wheeler. Harold has played football, baseball and basketball for all four years. He played softball one year, volleyball for two years and was in track for three years. Harold was in the junior and senior plays and was a member of FFA for three years. He was president of the freshman class. Harold was chosen on the all regional basketball team in '57.

**SARAH JANE GOAD**, is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Goad, Sr., and was born in Wheeler, March 10, 1939. She has attended all of her school years in Wheeler. Sarah has participated in band and FHA for three years. She was vice-president of band one year, treasurer of pep squad one year and class president of the sophomore class. Sarah was a member of the student council and in the junior play. She was chosen most beautiful one year and band sweetheart.

**NANCY LEE** is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Loyd Lee and was born in Wheeler, February 20, 1939. She has attended school here all of her school years. Nancy was in the pep squad two years, FHA for three years, band majorette, two years and FHA secretary one year. She was secretary of the junior class, and had roles in the junior and senior plays. Nancy was on the student council one and the Freshman class favorite, senior personality, senior class president, chosen Most Friendly Girl in high school and the Most Likely to Succeed.

**FREDIA POND** is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. George Pond and was born in Wheeler, March 27, 1939. She entered Wheeler school in 1945 and has attended the Kelton schools. Fredia has played basketball, volleyball, and softball for four years. She was cheer leader her junior and senior year. She was football queen attendant her junior year and Football Queen her senior year. She has been in FHA for three years, and in the junior play. Fredia was chosen Junior Class Favorite and was editor of the annual her senior year.

**K. V. WILLARD, Jr.**, is the son of Mr. and Mrs. K. V. Willard and was born in Wheeler, June 5, 1957. He has attended all of his school years in Wheeler. K. V. has played basketball, football, and volleyball three years. He has been active in FFA and was its president his freshman year. He was basketball King his junior year and class favorite his sophomore year.

**JOE JACO** is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Marl Jaco. He was born in Wheeler on December 15, 1938, and has attended school here all of his life. Joe has played basketball and football for four years and took part in track events three years. He also played softball one year and volleyball one year. He was in the senior play, and in FFA for three years. Joe was chosen on the all regional football team in '56, and all tournament team at Shamrock twice and Canadian once. He was chosen Most Handsome his junior year and Most Athletic his senior

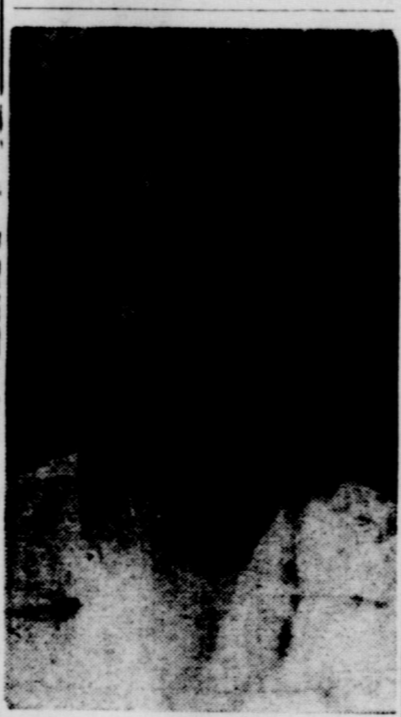
year.

**DARRELL MOORE** is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Loubet Moore. He was born at Wheeler, October 1, 1937, and has attended school here for twelve years. He has played football four years and was given Honorable Mention his junior year and was selected on the second team All Regional his senior year. Darrell was in track four years, and made All District his junior and senior year. He was in the junior play and a member of the student council. He was president of FFA his junior year and has been a member of FFA for three years.

**BARBARA ANN REVIOUS**, the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Coy Revious, and was born at Wheeler, January 10, 1939. She has spent all of her school years in Wheeler, with the exception of two months in Vernon Grade School. Barbara has played basketball, softball and volleyball for four years. She was student council representative one year and in the junior and senior plays. Barbara was on the annual staff her senior year. She was chosen Class Favorite her senior year.

**CECIL PIERCE**, son of Mr. and Mrs. M. W. Pierce, was born at Wheeler, September 6, 1938. He has attended all of his school years at Wheeler. Cecil has participated in FFA four years and was a member of the student council one year. He was Chosen Freshman Favorite, Senior Personality, and the Most Likely to Succeed. He was also in the senior play.

**PHYLLIS RICHMOND**, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Richmond, was born June 15, 1939, at Wheeler. She has attended school for twelve years in Wheeler. Phyllis has played basketball and volleyball for four years. She played tennis, two years and softball four years. She has been in FHA for three years and was in the junior and senior plays. She was Football Queen attendant her



**ELVIE WILLIAMS**, son of Mr. and Mrs. Cotton Williams is the highest ranking boy in the Wheeler Senior class with a grade average of 89.1.



**SHEILA PATTERSON**, daughter of Mrs. and the late Winston Patterson is valedictorian of the Wheeler senior class with a grade average of 93.2.

sophomore and senior years. Chosen Most Athletic her senior year, cheer leader her senior year, and assistant editor her senior year. Phyllis also played in the band for two years.

**PATSY BURGESS**, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. M. C. Burgess, was born in Wheeler, August 1, 1939. Patsy has attended all her school years at Wheeler. Patsy was active in sports as follows: volleyball two years; basketball one year; softball, two years; and in the pep squad two years. She was a member of band for two years and FHA for three years. She was FHA State Delegate one year. She has served on the annual staff and Corral staff, also in the junior and senior plays.

**Locals**

Edna Whitener, and Mr. and Mrs. Roy Wright of Shamrock were Amarillo visitors Sun. Edna visited with her sisters, Mrs. Winnie Norrid and Mrs. Ina Young.

Guests in the Joe Weeatherly home Sunday were: Mr. and Mrs. Fred Waters; Mr. and Mrs. Doyle Waters and baby of Borger; and Wanda Herd of Amarillo.

Winnie Reid of Lamesa, is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Otis Reid and other relatives this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Mitchell and baby of Dell City, spent the week end in Wheeler and Briscoe with their parents, Mrs. C. D. Mitchell and Mr. and Mrs. Edd Riley and family. Mrs. Mitchell and baby re-

mained here to visit her parents and other relatives for a longer visit, but Joe returned to Dell City, Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Holdeman and children of Pampa, and Miss Lucille Hutchison of White Deer were Wheeler visitors over the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Daughtry were Pampa callers Monday.

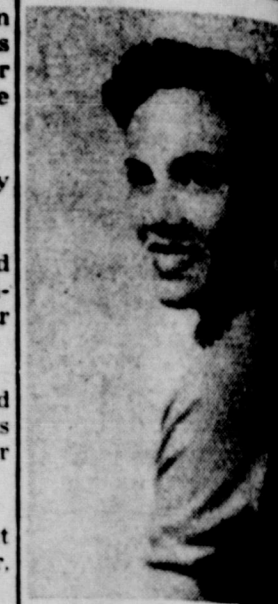
Shelton Nash of McLean visited his mother, Mrs. Estell Nash Sunday. His wife visited her mother in Wellington.

Mrs. Clarence Whittenburg and son of Canyon, visited her parents Mr. and Mrs. Morris Burgess over the week end.

Mrs. Don Gipson and baby spent Mother's Day visiting her mother, Mrs. Jewel Rimmer.

Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Crossland and daughter of Amarillo, spent the week end visiting his parents, B. F. Crossland's Sr.

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**SHARON GREEN**, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Roe Green, valedictorian of the Wheeler senior class with a grade average of 91.4.



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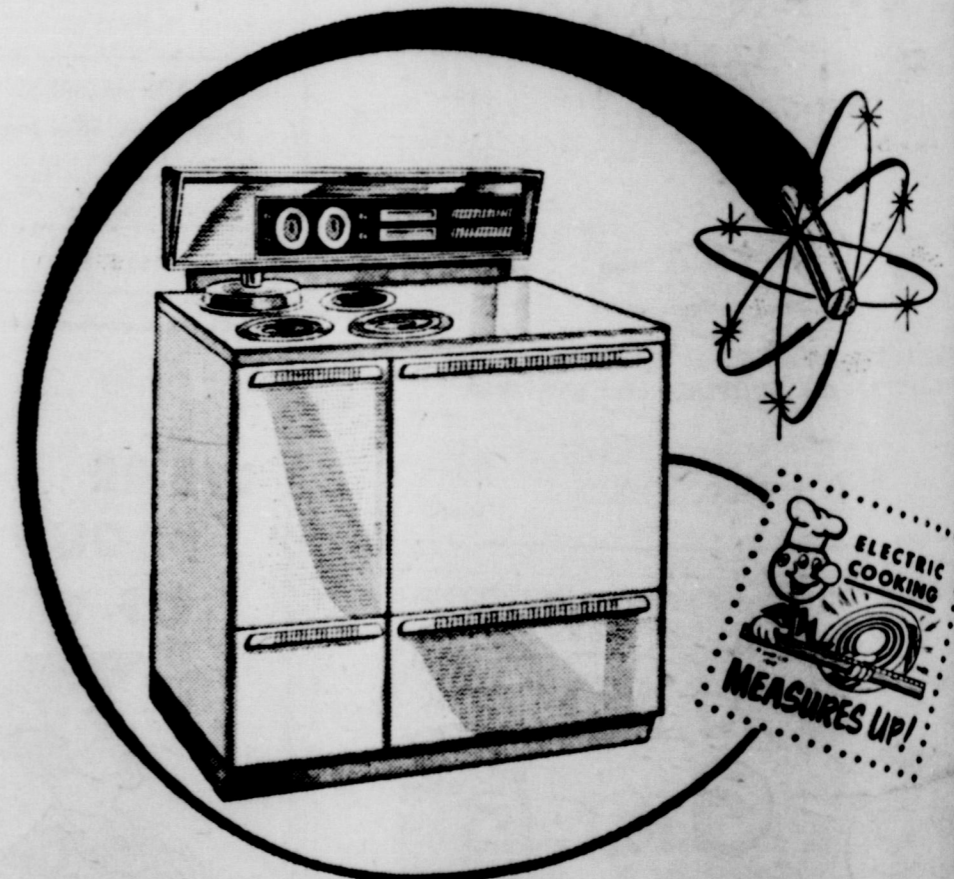
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