

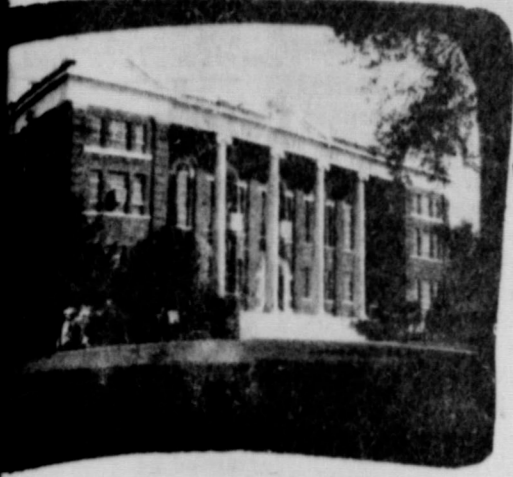
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July 29 thru Aug. 3	31
July 29	3.01
Total for July	2.50
Total for 1970	12.44
Total for 1971	14.12

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4 Killed, 1 Injured In Car Accident Saturday

A trip to a family reunion in Colorado ended in tragedy early Saturday morning when four persons were killed and one injured in a one-car crash 6.9 miles north of Shamrock on US 83.

Dead on arrival at Shamrock General Hospital were William Ray Sheppard, 32 of Arlington, his sister-in-law, Vicky Adams, 15, of Holly, Colo., and his nephew, John Leroy Adams, 11 of Arlington.

Peggy Lynn Adams, 9 was in critical condition on arrival at the Shamrock Hospital. She died at 12:45 p.m. Sunday.

A sister of Peggy and John Adams, Candace Danielle Adams, 8, was released Sunday from the Shamrock Hospital.

John, Peggy and Candace were brother and sisters. Sheppard was their uncle.

Investigating highway patrolmen John Thompson and Wayne Pierce said the accident occurred about 4:30 a.m. when the car, a 1970 model two-door hardtop driven by Sheppard, left the highway, slammed head on into a tree and then veered into a ditch.

They said the driver apparently went to sleep at the wheel. There were no skid-marks.

A farmer, Amos C. Reeves, who lives 8 miles north of Shamrock, discovered the wreckage about 7:30 a.m.

The group were en route from Arlington to a family reunion at Holly, Colo.

Officers estimated that the travelers left Arlington between 11 p.m. and midnight Friday.

CHRISTOPH ECKER OF GERMANY WILL ATTEND WHEELER HIGH SCHOOL

Christoph Martin Ecker of Koblenz, Germany will attend school in Wheeler this year. He will be classified as a senior.

Christoph, 16, arrived in Wheeler July 17 and will stay one year in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Roy Helton and family. His year of schooling in the United States was made possible through the efforts of the United Methodist Youth of Wheeler.

Christoph is the youngest of a family of three boys. His father is a pastor in Koblenz. Christoph's oldest brother, 30, is a teacher and the other, 20, is working as an apprentice at a bank and will return to school this fall.

This will be Christoph's

first year to attend school outside Germany, however he has traveled in several foreign countries. He has been to Switzerland, Austria, Italy, Yugoslavia and Greece.

Christoph has varied interests. He plays the piano and enjoys both classical and rock and roll music. He is interested in politics and enjoys a few sports.

Koblenz, Christoph's home town, is approximately the size of Amarillo, 120,000. The city is located 30 miles south of the capital of Germany and was founded by the Romans 2,000 years ago.

Christoph will be available for talks to groups and organizations later in the year. Groups interest-



CHRISTOPH ECKER

ed in having Christoph as a guest are to contact Rev. Ross Dunn, pastor of the United Methodist Church of Thomas Roy Helton.

ATTENTION! WHEELER EX-STUDENTS AND TEACHERS

August 21, 1971 is the date of our biannual Reunion. Mark this date on your calendar and please try to attend this Reunion. Many people travel a long distance to see old friends and they expect the local people to be there so they can visit and reminisce. Anyone who would like to have Open House Saturday evening at 8:00 p.m. on the date of the Reunion, please contact Adrian Risner.

Everyone is welcome to come and visit and attend the bar-b-q whether you are a Wheeler "Ex" or not. Many will have friends and acquaintances among the "exes" with whom they would enjoy visiting.

The days activities begin with registration from 9:00 a.m. until 4:00 p.m. and end with Bar-b-q supper served by Dyer's from Pampa from 5:30 until 7:00 p.m. Open house will be in local homes beginning at 8:00 p.m.

Watch for future notices in the next two issues of the Wheeler Times.

Football Season Near; Shoes To Be Issued On Wednesday, August 11

Head football coach of the Wheeler Mustangs, Jim Bateman, announced the training schedule for the upcoming football season this week.

Under Interscholastic League rules, no equipment except shoes may be issued prior to workouts and this will be done on Wednesday, August 12th. The coaching staff will be at the athletic offices in the gym from 8:00 AM through the day for the purpose of issuing shoes to anyone desiring to take part in the Mustang football program.

Two day workouts will begin on Monday, August 16th, with the tentative time for workouts having been set at 8:00 o'clock in the morning and 7:00 o'clock in the evening. The Mustangs will work out twice a day for a week prior to the starting of school on August 23rd.

Two scrimmages have been scheduled for the Mustangs before the opening game with Lefors. The

Mustangs will host Shamrock and will scrimmage Hooker, Oklahoma, at a neutral site, probably Stinnett.

"To have a winning program, which Wheeler has had for a number of years, it takes a lot of hard work and sacrifice from the Junior High level through the B Team to the varsity to accomplish this and the coaching staff wants to encourage all boys in Wheeler High School to be a part of this program," coach Bateman stated.

Coaches Bateman, Phillips, Gaines and Bass are in Ft. Worth this week attending the annual Texas High School Coaching School. Due to his work schedule, Coach Bill Wiggins was unable to attend.

Physical examinations are required of all participants in athletics and these examinations will be given to the boys between the issuance of shoes and the starting of workouts.

Local Items

Mr. and Mrs. Guy Brown went to Pampa Sunday and spent the night with her sister, Mrs. Bill Taylor. They spent the day Monday tending to business.

The Annual Reunion of the Hampton family was last Sunday, August 1st, at the Wheeler Park. Those attending were Mr. and Mrs. Gus Hampton of Melrose, New Mexico, Mr. and Mrs. C. G. Hampton of White Deer, Mr. and Mrs. Donald Hampton of Clovis, NM, Mr. and Mrs. J.L. Hampton and Jimmy and Mr. and Mrs. Charles Hampton and Ronnie of Pampa, Mr. and Mrs. Larry Whittle, Deana, Chad and Brad of Liberal, Kans., Mrs. Raymond Jordan, William and Kathy of Dill City, Okla., Mrs. C.M. Hampton, Mr. and Mrs. Dorsie Hampton, Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Hampton and Mark, Mr. and Mrs. Larry Hampton, Steve Hampton, Mrs. Bill Brickey, Robert, Elizabeth and Rose Mary all of Wheeler. Others attending were Miss Carla Dillard of Phillips and Joel, Jenny Mae and Ronnie Simmons of Amarillo.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Childress of Canadian were dinner guests last Saturday of the Loyd Childresses. Others visiting during the weekend were his cousin, Mr. and Mrs. Mac McCleary of Ft. Worth and Tom Crossland and Silas Childress.

Mr. Clarence Robison and Norma Bramhill visited recently in Bethany, Okla. with Clarence's cousin. They went on to Eureka Springs, Ark. and visited Norma's sister, Edna, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Johns and her brother, Lance Cole.

Sunday dinner guests of Mrs. Eula Bradstreet were her son, Mr. and Mrs. Travis Bradstreet and grandson of Pampa and Mr. and Mrs. Coy Bradstreet and children.

Mr. and Mrs. Ewell Steen

went to the Singing Convention Sunday afternoon at the Methodist church in Briscoe. They visited Mr. and Mrs. Roy Waters, their daughter and family of Pampa were there.

Mrs. Eula Bradstreet went to Shamrock one day last week and visited her sister, Mrs. Bill Tate, who was in the General Hospital.

Mrs. Guy Massick and son of Michigan have moved to the Ewell Steen rent house on Canadian street. She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ed Smith. Mr. Massick is away from home most of the time working for an oil company.

Visiting during the week end with Mr. and Mrs. M.F. Addison were all their children, Mr. and Mrs. Gene Boswell and Melissa of Corpus Christi, Mr. and Mrs. Jackie Boyd, Rena and Russell of Eules and Mr. and Mrs. Charles Addison, Steve Mark and Susan of Lubbock. Susan is spending the week with her grand parents.

Visiting recently with Mr. and Mrs. Elgie Dearing were their son, Mr. and Mrs. Beryle Dearing of Stockton, Calif. and their daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Larry Hunter and two children of Hurst.

Mr. and Mrs. Cliff Mason and Mrs. Leon Weatherly and son, Mason of Pampa, visited last Thursday with Mrs. Bob Ramsey. Cliff is improving and still taking therapy treatment in Pampa.

Mr. and Mrs. Leon Red and family of Gruver visited Sunday afternoon with his aunt Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Smotherman.

Mrs. Brivie Greenhouse of Berger spent the weekend with her sister, Mr. and Mrs. Cliff Bradstreet.

Gretchen Treadwell, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Bobby Treadwell, who are in Hawaii and Tanja Treadwell, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Troy Treadwell of Groom are spending this week with their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. T.A. Treadwell.

Hospital Notes

- Admissions**
- 6-24 Faye May
 - 7-18 Gladys Reeves
 - 7-24 Myrtle Lane
 - 7-28 N. D. Ware, Sr.
 - 7-29 Billie Wheeler
 - 7-30 Bessie Baird
 - Wilma Risner
 - 8-1 Doyle Ramsey
 - 8-2 Florence George
 - 8-3 Melinda Davidson
 - 8-4 Ollie Jacob
- Dismissals**
- 7-28 Hattie Lee
 - Sibyl Carter
 - 7-29 Ray Gossett
 - 7-30 Mary Van Zandt
 - Daisy Bradstreet
 - 8-2 Hazel Poston

ARMY 1ST LT. WHITTEN

Army First Lieutenant Billy G. Whitten, 24, son of Mr. and Mrs. Earl H. Whitten, Route 2, Mobeetie, Tex., recently was assigned to headquarters battery of the 214th artillery group at Ft. Sill, Okla., as officer in charge of complex 11.

Lt. Whitten, whose wife, Shelia, lives in Lawton, Okla., received his B.A. Degree in 1969 from West Texas State University at Canyon. He is a member of the Alpha Kappa Psi Fraternity.

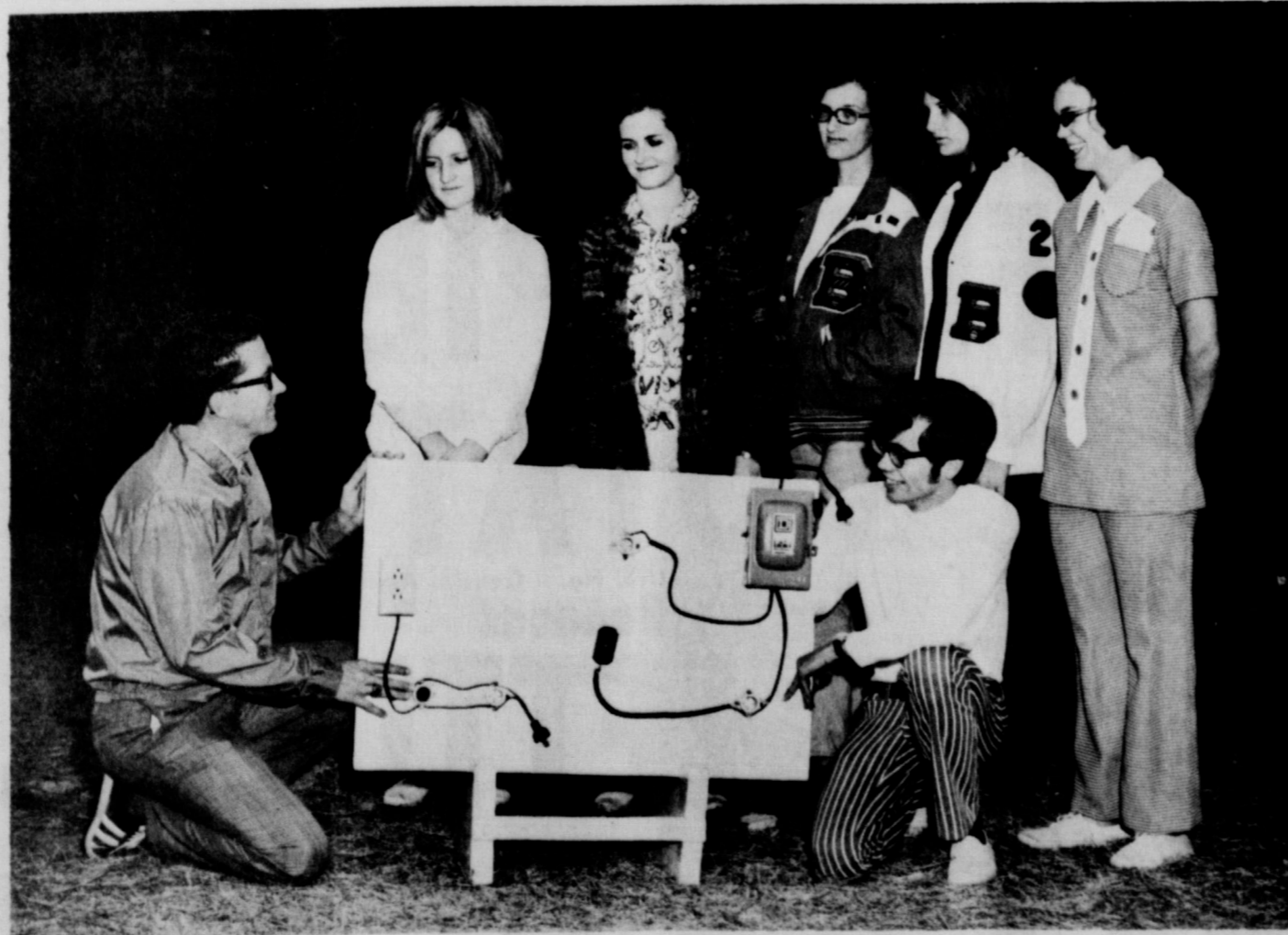
COUNTY 4-H'ERS ATTEND LEADERSHIP ELECTRIC CAMP

Four Wheeler County 4-H'ers attended District Leadership Electric Camp near Cloudcroft, New Mex., July 19-23. The four 4-H'ers attending were Cindy and Kathy Meek of Briscoe, and Dwight Smith and Johnnie Porter of Shamrock. Mrs. Wayne Morris of Wheeler and Pat Palmer, Home Demonstration Agent accompanied the group.

The camp, sponsored by Southwestern Public Service Co. is held for the purpose of providing leadership training and training in electrical knowledge.

Organized recreation and night parties, planned by various counties, were also a part of the camp.

The District 1 4-H Council was in charge of the camp, both planning for and conducting it. Kathy Meek and Dwight Smith worked as council members throughout the week. Approximately 136 4-H'ers and leaders attended the camp this year.



SPECIAL FROM CLOUDCROFT, NEW MEXICO: 6 Wheeler County representatives took part in the 12th annual 4-H Electric Camp sponsored by Southwestern Public Service Co. and held from July 19-23 at Camp Scott Able in the Sacramento mountains of New Mexico. Pictured with instructor Don Bigham of the Pampa office of the electric company, lower left, are: front row: Dwight Smith, Shamrock; Home Demonstration Agent Pat Palmer, Wheeler. Back row: Johnnie Porter, Shamrock; Judy Morris, leader, Wheeler; Cindy Meek, Briscoe; and Kathy Meek, Briscoe.

FOUR DEAD: Four persons died as a result of a one car accident 6.9 miles north of Shamrock. An 8 year old girl survived the accident. The wreck happened at 4:30 a.m. Saturday morning and was discovered at 7:30 a.m.

— Photo by Corky Guthrie

PRAYING RECOMMENDED FOR CONTROL OF VEE

Considerable publicity has been given to Venezuelan equine encephalomyelitis and its impact upon man's horse industry. Mosquitoes are considered to be the prime vectors of this serious disease with severe attack on man and in a milder form on horses. Federal, State and local officials are marshaling their forces in determined efforts to provide large-scale mosquito control where these pests are a problem.

Area control programs consisting of larviciding, spraying and fogging can effectively reduce mosquito populations. Individual homeowners can greatly help to destroy mosquitoes and possibly prevent the spread of VEE by eliminating mosquito breeding areas near their own premises.

Mosquitoes cannot hatch unless they are in water, so standing water should be eliminated. Mosquitoes frequently breed in commonly overlooked containers such as old tires, tin cans, jars, birdbaths, unused fishbaths, evaporative coolers, even on a flat roof where water can accumulate. Also, cisterns and tanks and cisterns should be kept tightly covered. Such areas should be carefully eliminated.

Standing puddles can be treated with a household insecticide or a small quantity of kerosene or diesel fuel,

Canadian Prod. Credit Loans

Area farmers and ranchers borrowed more than \$35 million from Canadian Production Credit Association in the first six months of 1971, according to Larry E. Albin, president.

The Association's loan volume is up more than \$226,000 over the same period last year.

Canadian PCA has offices in Canadian, Pampa, Perryton and Wheeler. The Association makes agricultural loans for farmers and ranchers in Gray, Hemphill, Lipscomb, Ochiltree, Roberts, and Wheeler Counties.

COMPLETES TOUR OF DUTY

Sgt. Kenneth Abernethy has completed four years of duty in the U.S. Marines. He and his wife will be making their home in Amarillo. They are presently visiting the Garland Abernethy's.

PAT'S PARAGRAPHS

By Patricia Palmer, CHDA
Seems like summer has flown by this year. I think it's been a busy one for everybody!

Our county was represented at the District Dress Revue held in the Quality Motel in Amarillo on Tuesday, July 27. Karen Porter of Shamrock was entered in the Senior division. Zana Corse of Mobeetie and Cindy Meek of Briscoe were entered in the Junior division. Approximately 200 area people attended the public dress revue held at 1:15 p.m.

Some publications of interest: The Complete Book of Flower Preservation, by Geneal Candon 1970 Prentice Hall Publishing Co. This exciting and interesting book makes a distinct differentiation between dried arrangements and preserved flowers. Mrs. Candon has given freely of her secrets in preserving the fresh beauty of garden flowers for use in winter arrangements. Excellent reference for those interested in this exciting hobby. This book would have to be ordered from Prentice Hall Publishing

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Allison News

BY: Mrs. Lester Levitt
Lyn Brown and children from Dumas came Sunday and accompanied Mrs. Nettie Walsh to Dumas where she will visit and also attend the Pentecostal Camp meeting in Amarillo this week. Others who will attend are Rev. and Mrs. Oscar Welch, Bruce Harrison, Maudie Harrison, Jimmy Wallace and family and Juanita and Louise Boydston and children.

Several from Allison attended the funeral of Mrs. (Jimmie) L.K. Field at the First Baptist church at Wheeler Thursday. Mrs. Field taught here in the

school for a number of years.
Mr. and Mrs. Lester Levitt visited Mrs. Martha Newton at the Abraham Rest Home in Canadian Thursday. Mr. and Mrs. Leon Boydston and daughter from Canadian and Kenny Boydston from Okla City were house guests in the Kenneth Chandler home Sunday. Jackie Scheller and family from Berger spent the last of the week here with Mrs. John Megee. Other dinner guests on Sunday were Mrs. Lavesta Barber & children. Mrs. Archie Dillon visited her sister, Mrs. Claude McMillan at Wellington,

Tuesday and Wednesday of last week.

The Gary Halls were dinner guests in the James Hall home Sunday.

Mrs. Bob Black, Mrs. Billy Burress from Muskogee, Oklahoma, Jerry Rasco from Dallas and Andy Reed from Pampa were dinner guests in the Damer Reed home Sunday.

Bruce Harrison, Clifton Boydston and family, J.D. Wallace and family and Mrs. Bob Black attended a Pentecostal Camp meeting in Mustang, Okla., Tuesday to Friday.

Rex Miller and Bob Markham from Allison served as pall bearers for Mrs. Jimmie Field at Wheeler Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank George and Leon Lane and

family spent the weekend in Pampa and Stinnett with relatives.

Jackie, Jim and Allen Donalds, spent last week in Albuquerque, N.M. with Harold Jones and family. Mr. and Mrs. Bill Donaldson went to Albuquerque the first of the week where they will get their children. They also will meet Brad, Connie and Jeff Jones from Phoenix Arizona and bring them all to Allison for a visit. The Troy Joneses from Phoenix, Arizona will bring the children to the meeting place.

Mr. and Mrs. David Nall from Plainview spent a few days here with the Lee Hall family and other relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Jones visited Ed Throck-

morton at Northwest Texas hospital in Amarillo Sunday.

Mrs. Edna Begert, Mrs. Millard Donaldson and Mrs. Doris Newsom spent the weekend in Amarillo with Colie Donaldson, Joe Whitens, Johnny Welches and Edwin Begerts.

Mrs. Bill Begert visited the Fourmentins in Wellington Tuesday and Wednesday of last week.

Mrs. Edna Begert, Mrs. Edyth Donaldson and Mrs. Bill Begert attended the singing convention at the Methodist church in Briscoe Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. L.W. Grayson visited in the parental L.S. Aderholt home at Briscoe Sunday.

Mrs. Fred Henson, Mrs. Glenna West and Allison, Mrs. Laletta West and

Clara Hill from Erick, Okla. and Mrs. Bill Begert enjoyed a "cook out" party Saturday night in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Hiram Begert and son.

Castillo-Crawford Vows Are Read

Linda Castillo, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Benny Castillo of Kelton and George Crawford of Allison were united in marriage Saturday at 10:00 a.m. at the Baptist Church of Allison. Rev. Mitchell Phillips, pastor performed the double ring ceremony.

The altar was decorated with white carnations and flowers of white and green decorated the lattice arrangement in the front of the altar.

The bride was beautiful in a white satin train gown with white lace. She carried a white Bible with white carnation bouquet on top. She had a net bridal veil and white accessories.

Barbara Davis from Kelton sang for the wedding accompanied on the piano by Rachael Moore.

Charlie Puryear was the grooms attendant and Donna Miller was bridesmaid.

The ushers were Raymond Castillo, brother of the bride and Johnny Crawford, brother of the groom.

A reception followed the ceremony in the Fellowship Hall of the Church. Mrs. Johnny Burrell, assisted by Mary Boatman from Kelton were in charge.

The couple will be at home in Canadian after a brief honeymoon.

Shower Honors Linda Castillo

A pre-nuptial shower honoring Miss Linda Castillo was given Tuesday night in the home of Rev. and Mrs. Mitchell Phillips with co-hostesses Myrtle Jones, Hazel Miller, Evelyn Dukes, Nona Hall, Lavesta Barber, Doris Newsom, Nadene Reynolds and Mary Cornell.

Delicious refreshments of punch, mints, cake and nuts were served. Those attending and sending gifts were: Dillon, Josh, Edna and Duranda Begert, Becky and Bobby Zybachs, Leota Black, Eddie and Ed Walkers, Megee, LaDonna Elmore, David and Jimmy Gilmers, Weibe, Avis and Mabel Parker, Danny, Virginia and Hazel Miller, Dyer, Rainey, Sparks, Patty and Pearl Harrison, Lane, Reynolds, Newsom, Linda, Allene, Sharon and Nona Hall, Edyth and Kay Donaldson, Mary and Gerrie Cornell, Nelda and Evelyn Dukes, Bradstreet, Evans, Burton, Margaret, Juanita and Louise Boydston, Crawford, Walsh, Phillips, Lohberger, Margaret and Christine Gilmer, Marylu Markham, Grayson, Kelly, Cindy and Peggy Chandler, Glisan Dollar and Myrtle Jones.

CARD OF THANKS

I would like to thank each one who remembered me with prayers, cards, visits, flowers and gifts while I was in the hospital at Shattuck with a broken ankle and since I've been home. It really helps to know you have friends who care. God bless you all. I'm doing fine now.
Verna Fillingim

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Nash of Spearman visited Sunday afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. Shelby Pettit.

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Mr. and Mrs. Roger McFarren and Kyle left Sunday for Austin where Mr. McFarren will attend some school meetings in regard to the Kelton Public School.

Mr. and Mrs. George Davidson, Mr. Johnnie Burrell, Mr. and Mrs. A.C. Johnson and Mr. and Mrs. Harold Sivage attended the Open House Sunday at the Golden Spread Nursing Home at Shamrock. Mr. A.C. Johnson's mother, Mrs. Annie Johnson, who is a resident at the home there is one of the oldest residents there. She is 98 years of age and will be 99 the 10th day of September.

Mr. and Mrs. Mike Welty, Mikie and Jeff spent Sunday in Weatherford with Mr. and Mrs. Dale Rogers.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Orr were in Canadian Thursday to attend the funeral services of Mr. Welch. Mr. Welch

was a brother of Mr. Orr's sister-in-law.

Mr. and Mrs. Chester Jones of Amarillo spent the weekend here with his mother, Mrs. G.W. Jones. They helped the Robert Jones move from Samnorwood to Mrs. Jones place. Robert will be custodian in the Wheeler School and will live at his mother's place until their new home is completed in Wheeler.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Hink, Janice and Janet left Tuesday for a few days vacation of points in Arkansas. They will do some sight-seeing in Oklahoma City.

Mrs. Mary Hink and sons and wife of Tupelo, Okla. are visiting here this week with her brother, Mr. and Mrs. White Whitley and her niece, Mrs. Ruth Ledbetter and Gail.

Mrs. Boatman of Sunray spent Wednesday and Thursday here with her son, Mr. and Mrs. Delbert Boatman.

Mrs. Lige Cooper of Optima, Okla. visited with relatives here over the weekend.

What this county is getting is a good general rain. We talk a great deal about the weather, but we can't do anything about it. The cowmen have a world of grass now, but since culling our herds down in the drouth we don't have enough cows to handle the increased grass.

Now's a good time to spray weeds in most pastures, but don't be fooled by weed spraying, it's much better than clipping. Clipping makes the pasture look good, but spraying kills the weeds and leaves the grass for the cattle. Another thing, a properly grazed pasture just naturally looks rough, as cattle are choosy and spot graze. Properly grazed pastures should have from 25 to 40 per cent surplus grass that makes it look rough. If you are a good cattleman, look at the cattle and you will know what needs to be done.

We have plenty of moisture to get a fall garden started. Noticed John Knoll over at Shamrock getting his garden plowed. There's plenty of time to raise a lot of tomatoes, lettuce, radishes, and other vegetables.

A Pipestone County, Minn. newspaper reported that in 1948 when hogs were selling at 30¢ per pound of \$60 per hog, 30 hogs would buy a new 3 plow tractor. Today

trading with Red China concerning the importing of food items to this country: "Hog Farmers Tired of Low Prices- Housewives Now Buying Pickled Octopus from Red China in Place of Bacon"

I heard a lady in the grocery store complaining about her bill and stating that it looked like the farmer was getting rich. So we took a typical weeks supply of groceries to see where the money went.

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Bleach 45¢	.00
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Dishwashing Detergent 59¢	.00
3 cans Dog Food 36¢	.00
2 rolls Toilet Tissue 38¢	.00
roll Paper towels 29¢	.00
Pkg Napkins 19¢	.00
Box Tissues 37¢	.00
Broom \$1.98	.00
1lb Can Coffee (imported) 60¢	.00
2 cartons soft drinks 98¢	.00
Pkg Potato Chips 49¢	.01
5lb sugar 59¢	.25
Tooth paste 77¢	.00
Deodorant 79¢	.00
2 cans pineappled 70¢ (imported)	.00
2 cans Tuna 64¢	.00
4 cans peaches \$2.12	.40
2 cans Park & Beans 39¢	.01
2 lb round steak \$1.96	.60
3 lbs roast \$2.85	.90
2 lbs. Hamburger \$1.18	.60
3 lbs T-bone steak \$3.75	.60

8.5 oz. sliced ham \$1.38 (imported) .00

3 gallons milk \$3.85 1.56

2 doz. eggs \$1.18 .70

4 loaves bread \$1.00 .12

4 heads lettuce \$1.16 .12

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Russell Killingsworth, who has spent the summer here with his aunt and uncle, Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Killingsworth returned home Sunday and will leave for the Baptist encampment with the Canyon Young People.

Mr. and Mrs. Donald Whiteley, Bid, Sid, and Shane spent the weekend in Oklahoma City with relatives. This was little Shane's birthday and he enjoyed a trip to the Zoo.

Briscoe News

FROM LAST WEEK

Sunday afternoon visitors in the Oral Helton home were Mr. and Mrs. Chan Helton and Jeffery from Amarillo. Kathy Helton went with Belinda Wilhelm on the Barry Reunion at Lake Altus.

Briscoe has all their teachers but two, Home Ec and Math.

Mr. and Mrs. Fat Childress and Loyd Childress spent the weekend in Garden City Kansas visiting.

Mr. and Mrs. H.J. Finsterwald returned home Tuesday after visiting in Bryan and Braham Texas, they carried their grandson Jeff Reynolds home to Bryan. On Monday they attended the 75 anniversary of the Germania Farm Mutual Insurance at Braham there were 3,000 people there.

On their way home the H.J. Finsterwalds visited her brother W.R. Smith and sister Sallie Justus in Abilene.

Mr. and Mrs. Claud Parker visited the Lester Hudsons Friday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Calie Parker visited in Wheeler Friday night with the Weldon Parkers, others there were Florene, Mary Fay and Patricia Castleberry.

Sunday afternoon Mr. and Mrs. Gene Daugherty and boys visited the Calie Parkers and Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Pillers also visited from Oklahoma City.

Sunday dinner guest at the H.J. Finsterwalds were Mrs. N.J. Tyson of Mobeetie, Miss Nannette Tyson of Dallas and Arthur Murren of Tulsa, Okla.

Mr. and Mrs. Gale Singleton and children spent from Tuesday till Sunday in Hereford with her folks the Abe Davis, on Thursday they attended the wedding of her brother, Arch Davis and Dianna Golden.

Moralee Singleton stayed with her grandparents the Abe Davis a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. Weldon Parker visited the Calie Parkers Saturday night on their way to Canute.

Friday afternoon visitors in Calie Parker home were Diana Parker, Florene, Mary Fay and Patricia Castleberry. Florene and girls are moving to Eastland, Texas with her mother and father Mr. and Mrs. Fred Jackson. They all left for Eastland Saturday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Hefley and

children of Wheeler visited the David Hefleys Saturday night

Mr. and Mrs. Truman Scott of Mobeetie visited the Melvin Heltons Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Lester Hudson spent Wednesday and Thursday in Childress on business, they visited their daughter Mr. and Mrs. T.L. Dement while there.

School starts August 16th at Briscoe.

Hoyle Helton visited Vetola Parker Friday morning.

Neta Standlee returned home last Tuesday after a visit to her mothers, Mrs. Lela Snyder in ElCentro, California. She flew out on Friday and returned Tuesday.

Mrs. Snyder celebrated her 84th birthday with a family reunion.

Mr. and Mrs. Donald Bynum and Paula from Poplar Bluff, Mo. came Tuesday night to the E.G. Fillingims and visited relatives.

Mrs. Flora Rose was brought home from the Shamrock Rest Home for a 3 day visit.

The Bynums returned home Saturday and took their daughter Brenda who has been visiting for 6 weeks.

Donna Andler who has also been visiting will stay till September.

Gageby revival ended Sunday night.

The Gageby young people skied at Dean Indian Lake in Okla. Saturday.

Charles Crownover visited LaJo Fillingim Sunday.

E.G. and Willa Fillingim visited Laverne Fillingim in the Shattuck hospital Sunday afternoon. She thought she might come home Monday.

Donna Andler visited Donna Meadows Friday evening.

Willa Fillingim and Eda Bynum visited Mrs. Leon Fillingim in Wheeler Friday night.

Mr. and Mrs. E.G. Fillingim and LaJo attended Oren Davis Wedding in Canyon Thursday evening and spent the night with the Abe Davises in Hereford.

CARD OF THANKS

I would like to thank the many friends and neighbors for the prayers, visits and cards sent me in the hospital and thanks to the Doctors and Nurses for their attentive care.

May God Bless all.

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