

It's Tiger Time Again At Groom For Mustangs

Two years ago the Groom Tigers whipped the Wheeler Mustangs 12-9 at Groom and the win propelled the Tigers into the state playoffs where they met defeat in the semi-finals and last year the Mustangs got revenge on Nicholson Field 27-7 and went on to win the state championship. Those two games are history but they show the magnitude of the annual grudge match between the Mustangs of Wheeler and the Tigers of Groom and that time of year has rolled around again.

It would be putting it mildly to say that both clubs have had their minds on this game since the beginning of the season five games back. Friday night's battle at Groom pits teams with identical 5-0 records for the year and the Mustangs have a 24 game winning streak that was launched after that fateful night two years ago.

The Mustangs have had one other long winning streak in their history and this was 19 games and it was broken by, yes, the Groom Tigers at Groom so you can throw out the window past performances when these two rivals hook it up. Both Wheeler and Groom had easy victories last week in getting prepared for Friday night's 7:30 kickoff. The Tigers won 42-0

over McLean and the Mustangs had an easy 48-0 victory at Miami.

"We were hoping that Miami could have pushed us a little more last week but we did get to give our younger kids more game experience and this could be a factor this week," Coach Joe Allen said this week. "Our kids just went out and did their job against Miami and you don't have to remind them who we play this week," Allen stated.

"Marvin Grimes is running better every week and Miles Farnsworth played an exceptional game on defense for us last week but we will have to have a super effort out of everyone of our kids to whip Groom this week," Allen assessed in looking back at last week's win.

Groom is no different than in the past as they will field an aggressive, hard hitting ball club that will just keep coming after you.

The Tigers will run from both the I and Wing T formations just as the Mustangs do and their defense is a basic split — 6 with a 3 deep secondary.

Groom has been paced by the quick hitting Dwayne Weller from his fullback position and Neil Weiberg who will run from both the wingback and quarterback slots.

Through their first five contests, the Tigers have been a great second half ball club and have done most of their scoring in the final two periods. The Tigers are a sound defensive club and only in the fourth quarter have they given up points and this against the Tiger subs.

The Mustangs coaching staff believes that the Tigers are quicker than last year but they don't have the straight away speed of last year's Tigers. "Groom is a well coached and motivated ball club and they are a lot better than their scores indicate," Allen told the booster club this week.

Injuries prior to game should be no hindrance for either club although reports from both camps indicate players suffering from colds.

Looking at Friday night's game any way that you want it should be one whale of a game and the winner will be the odds on favorite to win the district championship barring upsets.

County STWCD Director Elected

Clarence Zybach of Briscoe was recently re-elected to the Wheeler Co. STWCD board of directors October 7, 1978. Zybach represents five of the districts. Zybach was first elected to this position when the Wheeler County Soil and Water Conservation District was first organized as a District in April, 1948 and has served continuously since that time.

The purpose of the Wheeler County SWCD, with headquarters in Wheeler, Texas is to promote sound soil and water conservation programs on farm and ranch lands within the district and to serve as a voice for farmers and ranchers on conservation matters and other issues affecting private property rights of landowners.

The board of directors coordinates the conservation efforts of various local, state and federal agencies and other organizations and has authority to enter into working agreements with these governmental agencies and private concerns to carry out its purposes.

As one of five individuals serving on the district board of directors, Zybach will be responsible for district policies and procedures for carrying out the district program within the framework of the Texas soil conservation district law.

In Texas there are 198 soil and water conservation districts. Each is a legal subdivision of state government organized by local agricultural landowners with the assistance of the Texas State Soil and Water Conservation Board. Unlike most other legal subdivisions of state government, SWCD's do not have the powers of taxation of eminent domain. All conservation programs managed by the districts are of a voluntary nature to the landowner or operator.

ANNUAL PECAN SALE
The Wheeler Home Demonstration Club is having its annual Pecan Sale. The price this year per case is \$43.00 and \$21.50 half case. Because of the size of our club there will be no home delivery on Pecans and we will need to have orders paid for in advance. We will take orders at these numbers 6-3190 or 6-5830 until Oct. 31. Notice will be placed in the paper of time and place of delivery.

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MUSTANGS ANNIHILATE WARRIORS

The Wheeler Mustangs warmed up for their crucial battle with the Groom Tigers by easily whipping the Miami Warriors last Friday night, 48-0.

The chilled crowd was expecting a harder contest than was displayed and had not the Mustangs played their entire traveling squad of 33, the score could have been just what the Mustangs wanted to run up.

Penalty flags were numerous in the game and oddly enough, the Mustangs were on the receiving end of most of them but even these flags only slowed down the Black Machine momentarily.

Blunted by an offside fine that wiped out an 8 yard TD dash by Marvin Grimes, the Mustangs went to the air for their second completion in the drive and scored their first touchdown on a 13 yard toss from Myron Jolly to Sam Schaffer.

Schaffer made a fine catch in the end zone to cap the 65 yard drive and Mike Evans kicked the Mustangs into their expected lead.

The Warriors just couldn't handle Grimes and the hard running Mustang Tailback garnered 220 yards for the night on 13 carries and had scoring runs of 55, 22, and 63 yards.

Grimes first TD capped a quick 5 play 78 yard drive on the Mustangs second possession of the game and Evans booted the Mustangs into a 14-0 margin at

10:18 of the second quarter. Keeping the pressure on the outmanned Warriors, Wheeler got a big break when Tom Christner blocked a Miami punt at the Warrior 36 moments after Grimes 55 yard run for six.

An incomplete pass and a 14 yard sweep by Willie Valencia set the stage for Grimes next run, this one good for 22 yards and another six pointer.

A roughing the kicker call against Miami on the extra point try gave the Mustangs another chance after Evans kick was low and the Mustangs went the land route for the two points and Kent Vise plunged over.

After the Mustangs third touchdown, Wheeler began substituting liberally and carried the 22-0 lead to halftime.

Showing that they hadn't lost their scoring touch, the Mustangs ripped off 64 yards in five quick plays after Jolly returned the second half kickoff 21 yards.

Jolly passed for 17 yards to Vise who was downed on the Warrior 47 to get the drive under way. Holding Grimes to 3 yards in two plays, the Warriors got their first look at Bret Mosley lugging the pigskin and the

Game Statistics:	Wheeler	miami
First Downs	21	4
Net Yards Rushing	426	62
Net Yards Passing	43	15
Total Yards Gained	469	77
Passes & Completions	8-3	8-2
Passes Intercepted	2	0
Fumbles & Lost	2-2	0
Penalties & Yardage	10-114	3-21
Punts & Average	2-31	10-29
Return Yardage	23	0
Total Plays	55	58

Mustangs wingback responded with runs of 33 and 11 yards to tack the fourth touchdown on the scoreboard.

Vise pulled in a tipped Miami pass at the Wheeler 27 and followed a wall of blockers to the Warrior 15 before being hauled down to make it easy for Jolly to romp over untouched for another score.

Miami was forced to punt after Jolly's touchdown and Wheeler took over at their 37 with just under 4 minutes to play in the third quarter.

This was to be the Mustangs first offensive unit's last series of the game and they weren't on the field long as Grimes broke off the left side on a power play and the Warriors were no match and Grimes circled into the end zone

63 yards downfield. Evans booted the extra point for a 41-0 lead.

Pushed back to their 19 by two successive 15 yard penalties, the Mustangs second unit started Wheeler's last scoring drive late in the third quarter.

Five backs toted the mail for the Mustangs in the 81 yard drive, in fact, 12 different backs were used by the Mustangs during the game. Valencia got his first varsity touchdown with a 14 yard sweep and Evans put the final point up for Wheeler in another easy win.

Hospital Notes

- Old Admissions**
- 9-12 Eula Markham
 - 9-20 S. W. Roark
 - 10-2 Tommie Tyson
 - 10-9 Lawrence Bunch
 - 10-10 Bob Markham
- New Admissions:**
- 10-11 Maria Benavidez Houston Wood
 - 10-12 Roger Nash Earl Tate James Cole Glen Miller Grace Porter
 - 10-13 Glenda Leatherman Casey Velasquez
 - 10-14 W. H. Atkins Mirl Keyes
 - 10-15 Loretta Roach Becky Zybach
 - 10-16 Kervin Roper Lucille Tipps

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Community. Both of their children Charles and Virginia graduated from the Kelton High School.

Mrs. Ambler stays busy sewing, canning, making rugs, assisting with a garden in the spring and summer and keeping the deep freeze full.

Mr. Ambler retired from the duties of operating a farm but still raises agardeneach summer and enjoys hunting and fishing.

The couple puts their travel trailer to good use. They have traveled throughout Texas, Arkansas and Missouri a pleasure which they both enjoy very much.

Mr. Ambler has served his community in many ways through the past years by serving several years on the Board of Trustees of the Kelton School. He was director of the Greenbelt REA Electric, Committeeman on the County FHA and was director of the Shamrock Co-Op Gin.

The Amblers are members of the First Baptist Church of Kelton.

All friends and relatives are cordially invited to come by the reception and visit with the Ambler family.

Carnes Meek Is Buried Saturday

Carnes Carey Meek, 69, died Thursday, October 12, 1978 at his home after several months of illness.

Services were held Saturday, October 14, 1978 at First Baptist Church, Wheeler. Rev. Sanford Cole of Canadian officiated. Rev. Jerry Hogan assisting.

Burial was Wheeler Cemetery by Wright Funeral Home. Mr. Meek was born at Forestberg, Texas June 18, 1909. He was a former resident of Wheeler Co. before moving to Arkansas and Odessa, Texas where he had lived for 17 years. He had been living back in Wheeler for the past 10 years.

He was a retired farmer and rancher and was a member of First Baptist Church. Mr. Meek married Lela Gladys Hix in 1932 at Wheeler.

Pallbearers were his nephews; Alan Hix, Eddie Meadows, Grant Meek, Jay Phil Meek, Kevin Meek and Mark Meek. Surviving are his wife, a son, Kenneth of McAllen; two daughters, Mrs. Patsy Eiland of Odessa and Mrs. Carolyn Sue Anderson of Garden City, Utah; four brothers, Clinton of Carbondale, Ill., Jack, J.P. and Wayne, all of Canadian; two sisters, Mrs. Lois Meadows of Briscoe and Mrs. Lola Cyphers of Odessa; five grandchildren; and three great-grandchildren.

Velasquez Named To City Council

Mayor Pete Burton contacted the Times Wednesday morning to announce the appointment of Johnny Velasquez to the Wheeler City Council. Velasquez will serve the unexpired term of Delbert Thomas. Thomas handed in his resignation at the September meeting of the city council; the resignation was effective October 15, as he will soon be moving outside the city limits.

Johnny and Donna Velasquez have owned and operated the Thriftway store in Wheeler for the past year. They recently returned to Wheeler after spending a number of years in Mobeetie; they owned and operated the Mobeetie Grocery.

Bill Owen reported on meeting with RC&D in Pampa also progress on Sweetwater Creek project.

Leon Moore moved to resend portion of Ordinance #91 pertaining to sewer rates for trailer parks, with charges to be as follows: each trailer home in park at billing tier be charged residence sewer rates. Louis Stas second, motion carried.

Louis Stas motion the meeting adjourn, Leon Moore second, motion carried.

City Council Has October Meeting

November 16, 1978 regular meeting opened with Mayor Burton calling the meeting to order.

Louis Stas motion the minutes be approved, David Cross second, motion carried.

Louis Stas motion the bills be paid as presented, Berniece Hall second, motion carried. Jerry Hefley reported on water and sewer department. Berniece Hall moved Jerry Hefley check to see if a pump Western Industrial Supply has on hand is adequate to handle pumping water into town from the storage house. If so, call a special meeting to determine whether to purchase same. Louis Stas second, motion carried.

Mayor Burton read a resignation from Willie Atkinson. Louis Stas motion to accept same, Leon Moore second, motion carried. Termination date November 1, 1978.

Mayor Burton appointed Louis Stas to serve as Mayor Pro-Tem and head the Water and Sewer Department. Louis Stas motion to adopt Ordinance 105, keeping the sale tax on utility bills after October 1, 1979. David Cross second, motion carried.

Richard Wallace explained receipts and disbursements.

Mayor Burton explained plans to apply for funds to construct an airfield. This is in connection with Beef Cattle Company.

Daryl Snelgrooves, Fire Chief met with Council to report on activities of the department. He also reported the new fire truck is to be ready for delivery December 15, 1978.



GOLDEN ANNIVERSARY FOR CLAUDY BROTHERTON

The golden wedding anniversary of Mr. and Mrs. Claudy Brotherton of Wheeler, Texas will be celebrated Sunday afternoon, October 22, 1978, from 2 to 5 p.m. at a reception in the Fellowship Hall, First Baptist Church of Wheeler, Texas. All relatives and friends of the couple are invited. The couple request no gifts please.

Hosting the reception are the couples children, Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Brotherton, Jr. of Wheeler,

Mustang Band Will Enter Competition

The Wheeler Mustang Band will perform Tuesday morning at Canyon in the Region 1 U.I.L. Marching Contest. The band is slated to perform a "half time program" at 9:45. The 42 members of the Wheeler band will be accompanied in their performance by the nine-man flag corp.

Three of the four band twirlers will enter in Class 1 U.I.L. competition. Performing will be Candy Lewallen, Rhonda Hogue and Elise Christner.

The Wheeler Band's performance will be recorded and played on KPND Radio in Pampa—1340 on the dial. The music will be played within an hour after the performance. The First National Bank in Wheeler will sponsor the radio program.

The band will perform under the direction of Mike Trussell.

Pig Auction

FFA pig auction to be held October 21 at the bus barn, one block south of Main Street, Hooker, Ok. Judging contest begins at 4:00 p.m., auction at 7:00 p.m. Great fun! Great pigs! Great food at the concession stand!

Sponsored by the Hooker FFA Booster Association.



TEENAGERS CAN GIVE: Karen Puryear, representative of the Thursday Review met with a group of Wheeler High School students and urged them to become an active part of their community and give blood Tuesday, October 24, when the blood mobile makes its annual visit. Seventeen-year-old citizens can

BLOOD NEEDED FOR JOHN TOPPER

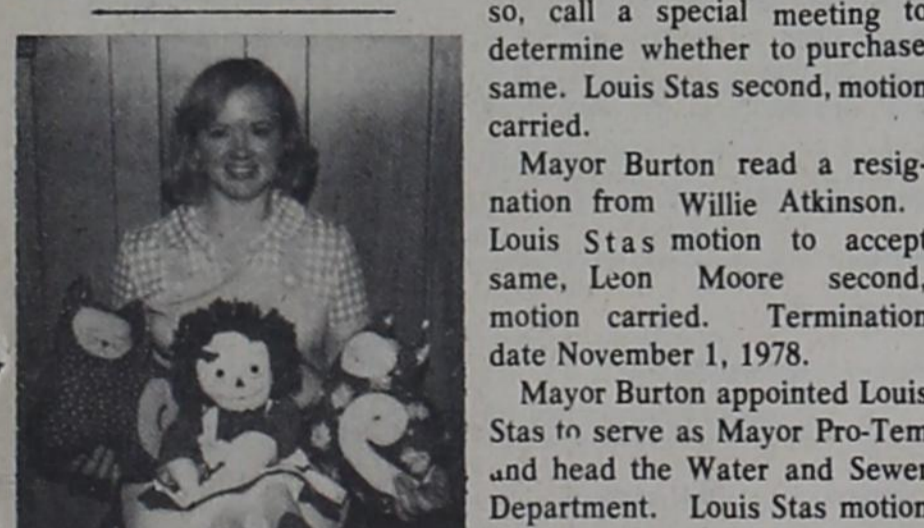
John Topper, a Shamrock resident and area representative for Texas and Southwestern Cattle Raisers Association is seriously ill in St. Anthony's Hospital in Amarillo, where he has been a patient for the past six weeks.

John remains seriously ill; his illness has required a large number of blood transfusions and more may be required. Blood used in transfusions is quite expensive or it can be replaced

Archie Dillon Has 90th Birthday

Archie Dillon was honored Sunday with a dinner on his 90th Birthday in the home of Rex and Virginia Miller. Those attending the dinner were: Mr. and Mrs. Bob Dillon and Melissa Slaton, Mrs. Sandy Parsons, Mrs. Claude McMillin and Mr. and Mrs. Claude Savage of Wellington, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Miller and Dillon and Carrie Hefley of Wheeler, Texas, Duane and Tom Childress, Bill Miller and of course the honoree and his wife Julia Dillon.

Those calling in the afternoon to wish Archie a happy birthday were Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Jones, Mr. and Mrs. Verne Lohberger, Mr. and Mrs. Lee George, Mr. and Mrs. Lee Kiker, Nona Hall, Erskin Grayson, Doris Newsome, Edith Donaldson, Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Zybach, Mr. and Mrs. Spud Moore of Wheeler, Mr. and Mrs. Reuben May of Pampa and Ruby Robinson of Erick, Okla.



"BAZAAR"

The Alpha Mu Alpha Xi Upsilon Eta Chapters of Beta Sigma Phi would like to invite everyone to come to our third annual Arts & Crafts Bazaar. The bazaar will be held at the Wheeler School Cafeteria on Saturday, Oct. 21 from 10:00 until 6:00. This year the public has been invited to sell their arts and crafts also, and we expect to have a wide variety of things available, including Christmas decorations, paintings, string art, stuffed animals and dolls, decoupage, tote paintings, ceramics, and lots of baked goods. Also this year Mr. Harry Kelley of Shamrock will have some of his water colors available. Please try to come — refreshments will be served.

Briscoe News

By Vetola Parker
Helen Helton went to Amarillo last weekend, went on to see Ida Lou and Roy Smith, with Lee and JoAnn White. They also went to Mosquito to see her sister Pearl Hammond.

October 14, Colie and Vetola Parker attended the catered barbecue dinner at Darv and Sammie Atherton gas well site today. Everything was real good. It was catered from Shamrock. Some others there were Clarence and Irene Zybach, J. O. and Hoyle Helton.

Andy and Tracie Davis was there. Their son, Dennis Allen and Linda Davis, Shawn and Corey, from Bentonville, Ark. Sammie's daddy was there Sam Daugherty and family from Amarillo.

We visited in Wheeler hospital Saturday afternoon with Bob Markham and his mother Eula Markham. Grandmother Eula is not doing so well she had a stroke Saturday morning before we got there. They had called her children in.

Andy and Traice Davis and D.A. Davis and family visited the Colie Parkers and J. O. Heltons Sunday morning.

Don't know what happened to my last week news. Colie took it to Briscoe in time to catch lamond Beaty.

Our sympathy goes out to the Meek families and Roy and Lois Meadows in the loss of their brother, Carnes Meek.

Lola and Paulette Cyphers of Odessa were weekend visitors at the home of Roy and Lois Meadows.

Charlie and Edie Phillis and Mike and Stacey of White Deer were Saturday dinner guests of Willis and Verna Fillingim and also visited the Bob Ratliff family the Dick Irvine family and others. Charlie cut firewood to take back, also.

Lilly, Sharon, Mona, Dennis and Shirley Sumpter spent the weekend with Willis and Verna Fillingim. Other Saturday visitors were the Bob Ratliff family, Verna Densberger and Tammy and Tina, Doreen Baker and Jeff. Tom Bible, Rich Irvine, Stephanie and Sharron Mitchell. J. P. and Martha Meek and

boys spent Sunday at Canyon and visited Cindy Meek and Chuck and Phoebe Hartline.

Jack and Evelyn Meek are visiting J. Michael Meek in California.

Grant and Karen Meek and Todd and Lisa and Bob and Sue Ratliff and Kevin were some who attended the 4-H banquet in Wheeler Tuesday night.

Tuesday supper guests at Willis Fillingims were Darrell and Melody Rodenberg and Dustin, Shannon and Darrell and Shonda and Eddie Meek.

Also attending the 4-H banquet were Tom Hill and parents Rolin and Annette and Dick and Ruth Irvine and Becky, Rich, Stephanie and Sharron.

Larry and Vickey Nelson and Danny, Jimmy and Kerri were weekend visitors in Wheeler of their parents, Virgil and Shirley Patterson and Ted and Sybil Nelson.

Last Weeks News
Oct. 3, Iris (Spud) and Mary Wood from Mercede, Calif., have been visiting in Mobeetie and Briscoe communities. They use to live in Briscoe community. I am sure the old timers remember them. They looked wonderful to me. Some they visited besides us Tuesday were Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Aderholt, they visited in the store with Dorothy Walker and others. They ate supper Tuesday nite with Jack and Doris Hayes in Wheeler. They were on their way to see Mary's mother, Mrs. Gudgel now 94 years old. Mrs. Gudgel lives in Ardmore, Okla. I believe. Mary said they planned on retiring soon and visiting us more often.

Some more on Eddy and Leta Meadows baby girl her name is Laura Jean. She weighed 6 pounds 5 ozs.. Her sister, Lyn Gail visited her last Saturday. Another sister, Dorothy Gail spent last week with them.

Mrs. Wilma Bible father Harvey Smith, passed away. His funeral was at Clarendon Friday. Our sympathy goes out to the Walter Bible family and relatives.

Willis and Verna Fillingim attended the funeral. Then they visited Susan Hall and Sheri in Clarendon, Mac and Pattie Ann Shield and children in Quail and Ted and Syble Nelson in Wheeler.

The school board at Briscoe honored the teachers with a supper Saturday September 30 in the cafeteria. Those attending were Mr. and Mrs. Jim Ruthford, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Chandler, Mr. and Mrs. Rolin Hill, Carolyn Nickelson, Mr. and Mrs. Bob Daws, Mr. and Mrs. Bob Maddox, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Bible, Mr. and Mrs. Dick Irvine, Mr.

and Mrs. Dan Trimble, Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Meadows, Mr. and Mrs. Thurman horn, Mr. and Mrs. Dean Tipps, Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Meek, Mr. and Mrs. David Hefley, Mr. and Mrs. Al Lehman, Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Hall.

David and Phillis Hefley and children attended Hefley reunion Oct. 1 in Amarillo.

Cindy Meek now working in High Plains Baptist hospital in Amarillo. She plans to return to college next semester. Visiting the Colie Parkers over the weekend were Garry and Nona Parker and children, Ted and Linda Parker and Scotty and two of their friends, Russ and Chuck all of Dumas. Zetha and Dennis Daugherty of Pampa, Nelson and Gaye Parker, Christine and Curtis, Weldon and Diana Parker of Perryton, Faye Jackson and Flo-

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Book Review

"War Comes To Castle Rising." by Fanny Craddock, is a powerful study of human relationship's set against the vivid portrait of an age in transition. The opulent Edwardian era has drawn to a close and the changes that World War I has brought to Europe are being felt at Castle Rising, the Lorme family seat. As the "war to end all wars" is being fought across the channel, one wing of the castle is truned into a convalescent home for wounded soldiers. The younger members of the Lorme family also fight and some die. Those left behind struggle to maintain the family ties and standards in the midst of the madness of war.

In "Prelude To Terror," by Helon MacInnes, Colin Grant's assignment seems a curious but welcome adventure. As an art consultant on vacation Grant is to fly to Vienna and with a letter of unlimited credit, is to purchase at auction—regardless of competing bidders a painting by the Dutch Master Ruysdael. Grant's fee is generous, but not unexpectedly so considering the wealth of his client, a well-known collector and financier. In Vienna, the atmosphere of adventure abruptly becomes lethal. Grant is stunned to discover he is the key piece in a sinister puzzle, a conspiracy resorting to deception, fraud, kidnapping, and murder to unleash bloody international terrorism.

rene Castlebarry of Pampa and Marianda and Mechelle Parker, Terry and Freddie Daugherty.

Friday night at the Colie Parker for little 88 game were Claude and Mable Parker, George and Avis Parker.

Jennifer Garner was having plastic Surgery in Amarillo Monday on her arm where a spider bit her. Jenifer's mother from Tohoka is visiting them.

Willis and Verna Fillingim visited Mrs. Ortha Nelson, a friend who is in Shattuck Hospital. She is 82 years old and she fell and broke her arm.

Singing and visiting in Abraham rest home in Canadian last Tuesday were Karon, Evelyn, Martha, Suzanna Bush, Lela Adcock, Alice Bell Helton and Lois Meadows.

Last Sunday supper guest at Dick Irvine home to celebrate Beckies 16th birthday were Dan and Kay Gatlin, Richie and Larry. Kay made and decorated Beckie a beautiful cake.

Shannon and Lacy Swift visited Beckie Irvine on Monday.

Sunday dinner guest at Willis and Verna were Allen and Gaye Hale, Elizabeth, David and Sarah, Dan and Rita Fillingim, Dallas and Lindsey.

Hoyle Helton visited Effie Renfro, Sophia Helton and Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Aderholt Monday.

Visiting Bill and Mattie Jackson Monday were Etha Rustin of Pampa Lucille Helton. Friday Bernice Zollar came to see them an ate dinner with them. Also helped them shingle their well house.

Sharon and Chris Wells went home Sunday with Tom and Alice Bell Helton from church. Joe Paul and Joyce Smith of Sayre came.

May Bell Childress visited the Colie Parkers Monday.

Marylu Markham visited Vetola Parker last Thursday. She brought me a mess turnips and greens.

We received around 2/10 inch of rain Saturday night.

Word is Cora Helton is doing just fine. But she is still in the wheel chair. We hope she is soon out of the wheel Chair and walking good.

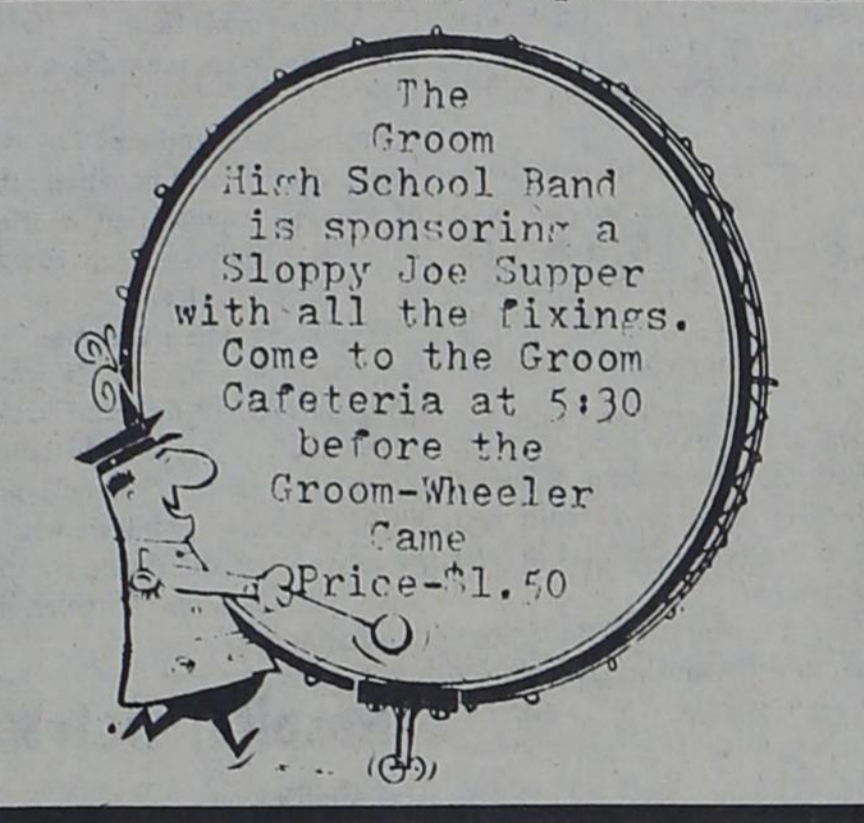
Howard Lohburger visited the Colie Parkers last Tuesday. Our weather has been real cool down in the 40 degrees and damp.

Cliff and Dorothy Walker spent Saturday night with the Charles Davis family in Pampa, and Sunday night with the Bill Walkers at Wildorado.

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Alpha Mu Alpha Rush Party Held

Alpha Mu Alpha Chapter of Beta Sigma Phi met for a rush party at the home of Margaret Dorman, September 25 at 7:30 p.m.

We enjoyed dressing "Crazy" and spending an evening playing Crazy Bridge. Prizes were given for high scores 1st, Teresa Rose, 2nd, Glenda McCasland, 3rd was shared by Donna Rives and Kim Goad. Others attending were: Margaret Dorman, Denise Ware, Rene' Baize, Elaine Rodgers, Melody Simmons, and Bonnie Lightfoot. Our guests were: Kim Ray, Peggy Coffman, Donna Rives, Teresa Rose and Donna Valesquez.

Oct. 9 Meeting

October 9, 1978 the Alpha Mu Alpha Chapter met in the Production Credit Meeting Room. Rushee were presented some basics on the organization of Beta Sigma Phi. We also completed plans for the October 21st Christmas Bazaar. This is our money making project for Oct. Come see how creative the people of Wheeler are.

Xi Upsilon Eta Chapter Meet

The Xi Upsilon Eta Chapter of Beta Sigma Phi met Monday, Oct. 9 in the home of Mrs. Jane Thomas. The meeting was called to order by the president Mrs. Ann Coate. Final plans were made for the bazaar to be held Sat. Oct. 21. Plans are being set for a tour of homes in December. Refreshments were served by Mrs. Linda Hink. Members attending were Lue Crockett, Debra Hiltbrunner, Mary Sue Williams, Nina Walker, Karen Hefley, Lynda Wallace, Linda Hink and Jane Thomas.

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REPORT OF CONDITION

Consolidating domestic subsidiaries of the

First National Bank in Wheeler of Wheeler City

In the state of Texas at the close of business on September 30, 1978 published in response to call made by Comptroller of the Currency, under title 12, United States Code, Section 161.

Charter number 14644 National Bank Region Number 11

Statement of Resources and Liabilities		Thousands of dollars
		THOUSANDS
ASSETS		
Cash and due from banks	1,045	
U.S. Treasury securities	150	
Obligations of other U.S. Gov't. agencies and corps	1,862	
Obligations of States and political subdivisions	3,370	
Other bonds, notes, and debentures	None	
Federal Reserve stock and corporate stock	6	
Trading account securities	None	
Federal funds sold and securities purchased under agreements to resell	200	
Loans, Total (excluding unearned income)	7,211	
Less: Reserve for possible loan losses	87	
Loans, Net	7,124	
Direct lease financing	None	
Bank premises, furniture and fixtures, and other assets representing bank premises	543	
Real estate owned other than bank premises	None	
Investments in unconsolidated subsidiaries and associated companies	None	
Customers' liability to this bank on acceptances outstanding	247	
Other assets	14,547	
TOTAL ASSETS	47,699	
LIABILITIES		
Demand deposits of individuals, partnerships, and corps	6,623	
Time and savings deposits of individuals, partnerships, and corps	39	
Deposits of United States Government	1,097	
Deposits of States and political subdivisions	None	
Deposits of foreign govts. and official institutions	None	
Deposits of commercial banks	155	
Certified and officers' checks	12,683	
TOTAL DOMESTIC DEPOSITS	18,597	
Total demand deposits	5,377	
Total time and savings deposits	7,306	
Total deposits in foreign offices	None	
TOTAL DEPOSITS IN DOMESTIC AND FOREIGN OFFICES	12,683	
FEDERAL FUNDS PURCHASED AND SECURITIES SOLD		
under agreements to repurchase	None	
Liabilities for borrowed money	None	
Mortgage indebtedness and liability for capitalized leases	None	
Acceptances executed by or for account of this bank and outstanding	None	
Other liabilities	208	
TOTAL LIABILITIES (excluding subordinated notes and debentures)	12,891	
Subordinated notes and debentures	None	
Preferred stock a. No. shares outstanding 20,000 (par value)	None	
Common stock a. No. shares authorized 20,000 (par value) \$5.00	100	
b. No. shares outstanding 20,000 (par value) \$5.00	100	
Surplus	352	
Undivided profits	1,104	
Reserve for contingencies and other capital reserves	1,656	
TOTAL EQUITY CAPITAL	14,547	
TOTAL LIABILITIES AND EQUITY CAPITAL	47,699	
MEMORANDA		
Average for 30 calendar days ending with report date:		
Cash and due from banks	1,210	
Fed. funds sold and securities purchased under agreements to resell	253	
Total loans	7,177	
Time deposits of \$100,000 or more in domestic offices	389	
Total deposits	12,884	
Fed. funds purchased and securities sold under agreements to repurchase	10	
Liabilities for borrowed money	None	
TOTAL ASSETS	14,913	
Standby letters of credit (outstanding as of report date)	None	
Time certificates of deposit in denominations of \$100,000 or more (outstanding as of report date)	200	
Other time deposits in amounts of \$100,000 or more (outstanding as of report date)	225	

I, Adrian R. Risner
Name
Vice President & Cashier
Title

of the above-named bank do hereby declare that this Report of Condition is true and correct to the best of my knowledge and belief.

Adrian R. Risner
Signature
October 17, 1978
Date

We, the undersigned directors attest the correctness of this statement of resources and liabilities. We declare that it has been examined by us, and to the best of our knowledge and belief is true and correct.

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WHEELER COUNTY COMMISSIONERS COURT MONTHLY MEETING

OCTOBER 9, 1978
 THE COMMISSIONERS COURT of Wheeler County met in Regular Session at 10:00 A.M. in the Commissioners Court Room, Wheeler County, Wheeler Texas, with Wendell Morgan, County Jeige presiding.

Members Present: Elmer Ray Harrison, Billie V. Atherton, Clois Hanner, & E. E. Henderson, Commissioners Precincts 1,2,3 & 4, respectively, Doyle Ramsey, Sheriff and T.J. Daughtry, County Clerk.

The meeting was opened with a prayer led by Clois Hanner.

The minutes of the Regular Meeting dated September 11th and special meeting dated September 25th were read and approved.

Regular Business-Approval of Bills

Motion was made by E. E. Henderson and seconded by Billie V. Atherton to pay the bills submitted to the County Clerk for the month of September. Motion carried.

Bids Opened-Tank, Pump and Motor (Shamrock Rural Fire Department)

Proper notice having been given according to the laws of the State of Texas, the only bidder was "Chief" Fire and Supply Company of Chickasha, Oklahoma. After consultation with Jerry Burton, Fire Marshall for the City of Shamrock to determine if the tank and equipment would meet with their approval, Motion was made by E. E. Henderson and seconded by Billie V. Atherton to accept the above bid in the amount of \$4,888.99. Motion carried. Copy of bid and specifications are on file in the County Clerks office. Shamrock Dispatch

In past years Wheeler County and the City of Shamrock have participated equally in the cost of the operation of the Dispatch Office located in Shamrock. Considering the benefits of this joint venture and the benefits received by both Wheeler County and the City of Shamrock, motion was made by Clois Hanner and seconded by Billie V. Atherton to continue with this agreement. Motion carried.

The estimated cost of operation for the fiscal year October 1, 1978 through September 30, 1979 is \$35,965.00, therefore, the cost to Wheeler County and the City of Shamrock will be \$17,982.50 each. Copy of the above contract will be on file in the County Clerks office.

Deputy Sheriff David Degers Salary Discussed

After determining that David Deger did not receive a raise in salary comparable to other deputies, motion was made by Elmer Ray Harrison and seconded by Clois Hanner to set his salary at \$775.00 per month. Motion carried.

Wheeler Fire Department

Darrell Snelgroves, Fire Chief, Ken Daughtry, Fire Marshall, Lyndon Loyd and Neil Rogers of the Wheeler Fire Department, met with the Court to discuss various matters concerning the department.

Darrell Snelgroves submitted bills on the fire trucks used to fight fires in rural areas that accumulated over the past year, in the amount of \$1,788.42.

Motion was made by E. E. Henderson and seconded by Elmer Ray Harrison to reimburse the Wheeler Fire Department for the above \$1,788.42. Motion carried.

After being advised by the Court that there had been no decision made regarding the proposal made by the Wheeler Fire Department during the Regular Session of the Commissioners Court dated September 11, 1978, (item 1 and 2 under the heading "Wheeler Fire Department") Ken Daughtry made the following proposal for consideration: The County continue to pay \$75.00 per rural fire when

only tow trucks are required, but when it is necessary to use more than two trucks an additional amount be allowed per truck in excess of two, the dollar amount to be set at a later date by mutual agreement between the Department and the County.

No action was taken on the above proposal.

County Judge, Wendell Morgan suggested that in his opinion an agreement between the Wheeler and Shamrock Fire Departments and Wheeler County should be drawn so there would be no question as to what is expected from all participating parties. Judge Morgan also suggested the possibility of a reciprocity agreement with adjoining counties.

After examination of the report of the Justices of the Peace,

Charley Whiteley, M. D. Nobles and Cecil Amerson, Clois Hanner made a motion that was seconded by Billie V. Atherton to remove Steve Gaines from the County payroll. Motion carried. Effective October 1, 1978.

Steve Gaines Removed From Payroll

Elmer Ray Harrison made a

motion that was seconded by Billie V. Atherton to remove Steve Gaines from the County payroll. Motion carried. Effective October 1, 1978.

Fee For Authorized Travel Set

Motion was made by E. E. Henderson and seconded by Clois Hanner to pay 14c per mile

for authorized travel out of county. Motion carried.

County Agents Report

Linda Daughtry, County Extension Agent (Home Economics) gave her report to the Commissioners Court for the month of September, also her annual report (October 1, 1977 through September 30, 1978). These reports contain 21 pages, outlining various activities. They will be on file in the County Clerks office for interested persons to read.

Road Hand Hired-Mickey Don Parnell

Motion was made by Billie V. Atherton and seconded by Elmer Ray Harrison to hire Mickey Don Parnell for Precinct #1. The salary to be 725.00 per month. Motion carried. Effective date October 1, 1978.

Road Hand Hired-Lonnie Loyal Miller

Motion was made by Billie V. Atherton and seconded by Clois Hanner to hire Lonnie Loyal Miller for Precinct #2. The salary to be \$725.00 per month. Motion carried. Effective date October 10, 1978.

The above men have been employed by their respective precincts on a daily basis.

Cets Program Discussed

After discussion concerning Wheeler Countys participation in the C.E.T.A. program for the

fiscal year beginning October 1, 1978 and ending September 30, 1979, motion was made by Clois Hanner and seconded by Billie V. Atherton to participate again. Motion carried.

The contract governing the administration of this program (which will be administered by the County Judge) contains 63 pages and will be on file with the County Judge.

There being no further business to come before this Court, the meeting was adjourned.

T.J. Daughtry, County Clerk
 Wendell Morgan, County Judge

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COR MD--Gottlieb Schmutz Trust et al to Earl Pregler 5 78 All out int W 1/2 47 B 24
MD--Vernon B Hall et ux to Chalfant Magee & Clifton, Inc 9-14-78 1/16 int NW 1/4 2 RE
D--Marvin N Closter et ux to Lyman Gray Benson II et ux 9-21-78 Lot 14 Blk 2 Shamrock, Mont-Fle Addn
D--F I Parker et ux to Donald Wayne Biggers et ux 10-6-78 Lot 17 Blk F, Shamrock Pott Addn
SUB OL--United States of America to Chalfant Magee & Clifton, Inc 7-12-74 Land not set out
2 AOL--W R Gray to Colorado Interstate Gas Co 5-5-78 M-1 & SW 1/4 SW 1/4 4 BS&F Survey
RDT--United States of America to George S Hooten et ux 10-4-78 Land not set out
ASSIGN OVERRID ROY--Don A Hillin to James H Essman 8-31-78 Sec 42 Blk A-5
OL--Georgeanne Nilsen et vir to E B White, Jr 8-23-78 NE 1/4 Sec 4 Blk L
OL--Marcia N Laughlin Trust et al to E B White, Jr 8-23-78 NE 1/4 Sec 4 Blk L
2 OLs--Fred R Nichols et al to E B White Jr 9-12-78 NE 1/4 Sec 4 Blk 2
ROL--Three L Oil Co et al to Anne N Kelly Trust et al 8-23-78 NE 1/4 Sec 4 Blk L
ROL--Marie Lister et vir to Anne N Kelly Trust et al 8-23-78 NE 1/4 Sec 4 Blk L
P OF ATTY--James D Hitt et ux to Melvin May 8-1-78
D--James D Hitt et ux to Dennis Holstin 10-9-78 E 10 ft Lot 20 Lot 21 Blk 116 New Mobeetie
DT--Dennis Holstin et ux to First St Bk Mobeetie 10-9-78 E 10 ft Lot 20 Lot 21 Blk 116 New Mobeetie
RDT--Canadian Production Credit Assn to J C White 8-7-78 Sec 11 Blk 27
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SUB DT--Gary Houston to Federal Land Bk of Houston 9-15-78 550.24 ac out of Secs 3 to 6 Blk C
HOMESTEAD DESIGN--Joe E Lee et ux to Federal Land Bk of Houston 9-15-78 Pt 1, 6 Blk C
RDT--J T Richardson to Joe E Lee et ux 10-10-78 Land not set out
DT--Joe E Lee et ux to Federal Land Bk of Houston 9-15-78 550.24 ac out of 3 to 6 Blk C
OL--Atcison Topeka & Santa Fe Ry Co to W R Gray & Associates 7-27-78 Pt N 1/2 21 Blk RE
AFF--T A Greenhouse to Violette McCasland Hampton 10-3-78 Sec 1 Blk 3 B & B Sur
ASSIGN OVERRID ROY--Martin L Allday to Sheep Mountain Roy Co 9-29-78 Secs 3, 4 Pt 2 Camp Co Sch Land; Secs 43 to 45, 56, 57 Pt 59 Blk A-4; Pt 1 1 Pt 6, Blk C, 4 Blk E & Sec 1 Blk 3 B & B Sur
RATIF OL--E A Zybach et ux to H L Brown, Jr 10-4-78 SW 1/4 NE 1/4 Sec 11 Camp Co Sch Land
D--Wendell Morgan et ux to Perry Gas Transmission Inc 10-10-78 100'x294' E 1/2 SW 1/4 Sec 37 Blk 17
D--Leon E Sparkman to Moreno

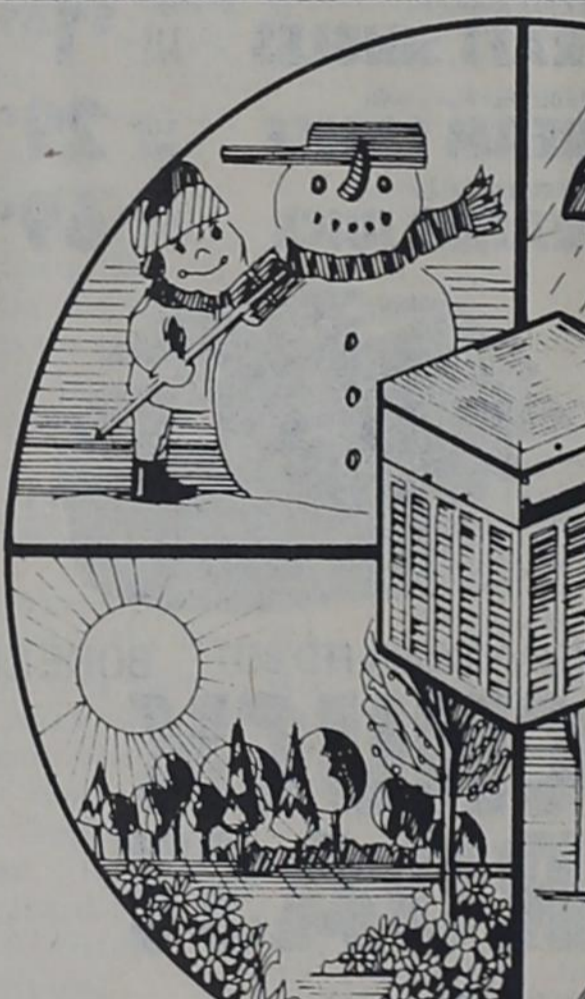
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INTENTIONS TO DRILL
HEMPHILL - Wildcat - Cotton Petroleum Corp. - Studer #3 - 1320' f N & 1320' f E lines of Sec. 2, S.F.I.W. Surv. - PD 16,800' - Amended
HEMPHILL - Red Deer Creek (Upper Morrow) - Gulf Oil Corp. - Isaacs #2-198 - 1250' f S & 2600' f E lines of Sec. 198, C, G&MMB&A - PD 11,700'
HEMPHILL - Canadian, S. W. (Upper Morrow) - Gulf Oil Corp. - Isaacs #2-212 - 900' f S & 2600' f E lines of Sec. 212, C, G&MMB&A - PD 12,000'
HEMPHILL - Humphreys (Douglas) - McCulloch Oil Corp. of Texas - Mathers Ranch #33 - 1620' f S & 1320' f W lines of Sec. 1518, J. Flowers Surv. - PD 7400'
WHEELER - Panhandle - Dilley Production Co. - Rice #3 - 330' f N & 990' f W lines of Sec. 25, 13, H&GN - PD 2600'
WHEELER - Panhandle - Dilley Production Co. - Rice #4 - 1650' f N & 990' f W lines of Sec. 25, 13, H&GN - PD 2600'
COMPLETIONS:
HEMPHILL - Alpar (Tonkawa) - Causon Oil & Gas, Inc. - Knighton #1-80 - Sec. 58, A-8, H&TC - Comp. 9/26/78 - Pot. 90 B?PD - Gor. 2267 - Perfs. 8431' - 8442' - PBTD 8467'
PLUGGED WELLS
WHEELER - Wheeler Pan (Hunton) - Forest Oil Corp. - Franklin #1-58 - Sec. 58, A-8, H&GN - Plugged 5/15/78 - TD 15,530' - Dry
WHEELER - Wheeler Pan (Hunton) & Wheeler Pan (Granite Wash) - Helmerich & Payne, Inc. Lasater Estate Unit #1 - Sec. 26, A-8, H&GN - Plugged 9/7/78 - TD 12,916' - Dry

NOTICE
IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF ROGER MILLS COUNTY STATE OF OKLAHOMA
IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE OF E. L. Fowler, Sr., deceased. No. P-78-17
NOTICE OF SALE
Notice is hereby given that in pursuance of an Order of the District Court of Roger Mills County, State of Oklahoma, made and entered on the 16th day of October 1978, the undersigned Administrator with will annexed of the Estate of E. L. Fowler, Sr., deceased, will offer for sale and sell at public auction to the highest bidder on the 25th day of October, 1978, at 10:00 A.M. in the District Courtroom at Cheyenne, Oklahoma, Roger Mills County, an oil and gas mining lease upon the lands described in the attached Exhibit and marked "A", said land being situated in various counties in the State of Oklahoma and in Texas, upon the following terms and conditions: A cash bonus payable upon confirmation of the sale and a royalty of not less than 3/16 of all oil and gas and other minerals produced and saved from said land, said lease to be for a term of four (4) years and as long thereafter as oil and gas or other minerals may be produced in paying quantities.
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Dated this 16th day of October 1978.
E. L. FLOWER, Jr.

Allison News

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We have been enjoying this nice autumn weather. These cold nights are just a reminder that winter is on its way.
Mr. and Mrs. Greg Lewis of Weatherford, Oklahoma were weekend visitors in the home of Rev. and Mrs. Ronnie Chadwick.
Mr. and Mrs. Red Dukes were in Bridgeport last week visiting relatives.
Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Venison visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Red Dukes Sunday evening. Friday night, Mr. and Mrs. Red Dukes journeyed to Guymon where Mr. and Mrs. Joe Dukes were holding a meeting.
Mr. and Mrs. Normal Dyer of Channing spent the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. Frank George. Mrs. Jean Dyer and family of Amarillo visited the Frank George's Saturday evening.
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Sunday guest were: Mr. and Mrs. Normal Dyer of Channing, Mrs. Mike Dyer and children and Mr. and Mrs. Charles Elliott of Pampa.
Mr. and Mrs. Leon Lane visited Mr. and Mrs. Frank George Sunday night.
Mr. and Mrs. Carl Giddens have just returned from visiting his brothers in Arkansas. They visited Mr. and Mrs. Rance Giddens and Mr. and Mrs. George Giddens of Morrellton, Arkansas. The Carl Giddens also toured the northern part of Arkansas including Bella Vista. They reported an enjoyable trip.
Margaret and Linda Gilmer shopped in Elk City, Oklahoma Friday.
Richard and Carol and children were Sunday dinner guest of Mr. and Mrs. Lee Kiker.
Mr. and Mrs. Lee Kiker visited Leonard Jr. Powledge in the Canadian hospital Sunday evening.
Mr. and Mrs. Pete Gilmer were in Amarillo Wednesday to be with John Gilmer during surgery.
Richard and Carol and children left Sunday to attend the Stockshow at the State Fair in Dallas. Where Richie will be showing some calves.
Mr. and Mrs. Hiram Begert and Bret and Mr. and Mrs. Norman Burton of Canadian journeyed to Gruver, Texas and visited Mr. and Mrs. Oren Burton.
Thursia Poindexter and son Charles and Nellie Long of Cheyenne, Oklahoma, Mrs. Or. Black, Ms. Juanita Boydston and Rev. and Mrs. Virgil Cornwell and boys were Sunday dinner guest in the Nettie Walsh home.
Mr. and Mrs. Carl Giddens visited LaVesta Barbour in Canadian Sunday week.
Mrs. Richard Kiker and Mrs. Mike Dyer took the Allison girl scouts to Lefors Friday for a meeting at the Girl Scout Camp there.
Mr. and Mrs. Ed Begert of Amarillo and Mr. and Mrs. Reuben May of Pampa were in Allison this weekend. Doris Newsome and Edith Donaldson were dinner guest with them out on the Begert place.
Mr. and Mrs. Eddy Walker spent the weekend in Amarillo and visited Mr. John Gilmer in the High Plains Baptist Hospital. He is reported as recovering just fine.
Saturday the Walkers visited the Austin Carnegies who are in the process of moving to Okla. City, Oklahoma.
Mr. and Mrs. Virgil Stinnett of Dumas were guest in the home of Nettie Walsh for a few days last week.
Mrs. Alene Hall attended the funeral of Mrs. Lola Nixon in Shamrock Sunday. Also visited Mr. and Mrs. Roy Hall and family.
Mrs. Claude McMillin of Wellington is visiting this week with Mrs. Bill Miller.
Mrs. Leonard Powledge and Irene Keyes journeyed to Canyon Monday on business.
Rev. and Mrs. Virgil Cornwell returned from the Annual General Conference in Kansas City, Missouri Wednesday. Mrs. Virgil Cornwell journeyed on to DeLeon and visited her parents a few days.
few days. Rev. Virgil Cornwell went on to Amarillo and visited John Gilmer.
Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Harrison enjoyed fishing in Roger, Ark. on the way home from the General conference in Kansas City.
Vivian and Ronnie Harrison and Mrs. Maudie Harrison were Sunday dinner guest of Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Harrison.
Maudie Harrison spent Sunday night with Mrs. Nettie Walsh.
Mrs. Opal Boydston, Juanita, Kim and Cheryl shopped in Amarillo Friday and visited Mr. and Mrs. Warren Brown then attended a Fellowship meeting in night.
Louise and Janice Boydston shopped in Lubbock Friday. Louise stayed Thursday night with Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Montgomery and Janice spent the night with Mr. and Mrs. Cleo Wolf.
Greg Boydston, Justin and Melody Walker spent Sunday night with grandparents Clifton and Louise Boydston.

1977 CLASS B STATE FOOTBALL CHAMPIONS

WHEELER MUSTANGS

VS.

GROOM TIGERS

Friday, Oct. 20, 1978

7:30 P.M. At GROOM

MAKE IT 25

1978 WHEELER MUSTANGS

No.	NAME	Ht.	Wt.	Pos.	Class
11	Myron Jolly	6'0"	177	QB-HB	Sr.
12	Rich Brown	5'9"	137	QB-HB	Jr.
20	Tommy Calverley	5'10"	141	WB-HB	So.
22	Jimmy Ryan	5'10"	150	TB	Sr.
30	Marvin Grimes	6'0"	182	TB-LB	Sr.
32	Kent Vise	6'0"	167	TB-S	Sr.
33	Benny Baker	6'1"	197	FB-LB	So.
40	Bret Mosley	5'9"	176	WB-LB	Jr.
50	Arthur Zepeda	5'2"	136	QG-LB	Fr.
55	Miles Farnsworth	5'9"	154	C-DE	Sr.
60	Vic Bradford	6'2"	178	ST-DT	Jr.
61	Mike Lee	5'11"	170	QG-LB	Sr.
63	George Elliott	5'7"	162	ST-DT	Sr.
64	Russell Gibson	6'0"	188	SG-DE	Jr.
70	Farrell Alexander	5'10"	168	QT	So.
71	Tom Christner	5'11"	164	SG-DE	Sr.
74	Russell Gainés	6'1"	196	QT-DT	So.
80	Sam Schaffer	6'0"	179	TE-DE	Sr.
81	Kevin Andis	6'0"	144	SE-HB	Jr.
82	Mike Evans	5'8"	130	SE-DE	Jr.
84	Kyle Lasley	5'8"	147	TE-LB	Jr.

JUNIOR VARSITY

10	Ty Henderson	5'5"	111	QB-S	So.
15	Robert Ford	5'5"	108	QB	Fr.
21	Tom Childress	5'9"	135	FB	Fr.
24	Loyd Remy	5'10"	170	FB	Jr.
25	Davy Snapp	5'7"	117	WB	Fr.
34	Bart Mosely	5'6"	125	FB	Fr.
35	Wade Moore	5'6"	123	FB	Fr.
41	Ricky Bond	6'1"	192	FB	Fr.
44	Willie Valencia	5'8"	150	WB-HB	So.
51	David Moore	5'5"	123	C	So.
52	Larry Jones	5'4"	138	C	Fr.
65	Paul Bentley	5'10"	137	TE	Fr.
66	Bobby Jones	5'9"	150	QG	So.
72	Dennis Blake	6'3"	213	ST-DT	Jr.
75	Wes Westmoreland	6'2"	214	ST-DT	So.
78	Jack Walker	5'2"	110	SE	Fr.
79	Von Christner	5'5"	104	SE	Fr.
11	Toby Bradstreet	5'7"	136		Fr.
84	Benny Watson	5'10"	160		So.
50	Billy LaForge	5'9"	221		Fr.
40	James LaForge	5'5"	121		Fr.
32	Mike Gallegher	5'9"	147		So.

GROOM TIGERS

NO.	NAME	POSITION	WEIGHT	CLA
10	Gary White	QB	150	JR.
11	Russell West	QB	90	FR.
12	Michael Fraser	B	120	FR.
18	Jigger Britten	B	170	SR.
20	Pat Koetting	E	144	SO.
22	Tony Schaffer	E	152	SR.
30	Dale Brooks	B	140	SR.
33	Ken Weller	B	190	FR.
35	Vince Britten	E	170	SO.
40	Dwain Weller	B	157	SO.
44	Neil Wieberg	B	183	SR.
50	Gary Babcock	T	135	SO.
51	Brett Stroope	C	191	FR.
55	Cary Reed	C-T	167	JR.
60	Mark Bivens	T	200	SR.
61	David Britten	G	163	JR.
62	Greg Hendricks	G	140	JR.
63	John McConnell	G	184	JR.
64	Kevin Kuehler	C	190	SR.
65	Tracy Homer	E-T	116	FR.
70	Mitch Bralley	G	255	SR.
71	Frank Watts	T	187	SR.
72	Gary Bohr	T	160	FR.
73	Tye Bralley	T-G	163	FR.
74	Thomas Bridges	T	185	SO.
80	Danny Shults	QE	175	SO.
81	Jay Hendricks	E	105	SO.
82	Raymond Rutherford	E	80	FR.
84	Jackie Barnett	E	150	SR.

Coaches: Russell Roberts, Kenneth Sweet, Jim Kneipp, Earl Ramsey
 Stats: Steve Britten
 Superintendent: Joe A. Dean
 Principal: Jerry Wilson

Cheerleaders: Donna Bohr (her Betsy Krizan, Connie Crowell, Leonra Wieberg, Lynett Friemel, Madina Baggermar Lisa Sweatt (Masco

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 Johnny & Donna Velasquez
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 Richard and Lynda Wallace
 FRANKENBERY'S TEXACO
 Bob & Valetta Frankenbery
 CARROLL & ROBERTA ADAMS

BAKER AUTOMOTIVE
 Dwayne & Bobby
 BEEF CATTLE COMPANY

M & M GIN
 W. D. & Mary Mitchell
 MAC'S ALIGNMENT
 Mac & Mary Kay Christner
 OMEGA GRAIN
 Daryl Snelgrooves & John C. Vise
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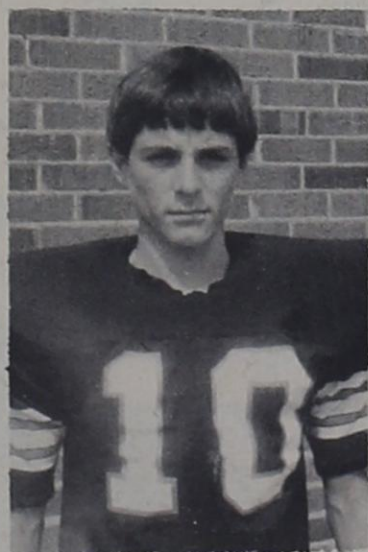
VARSITY:			
Sept. 8	Shamrock	W-46	S- 6
Sept. 15	Chillicothe	W-71	C- 7
Sept. 22	Phillips	W-37	P- 7
Sept. 29	Open		
Oct. 6	*Texline	W-62	T- 0
Oct. 13	Miami	W-48	M- 0
Oct. 20	Groom	There	7:30
Oct. 27	Follett	Here	7:30
Nov. 3	Open		
Nov. 10	McLean	There	7:30
Nov. 17	Booker	Here	7:30

JUNIOR VARSITY:			
Sept. 7	Shamrock	W-20	S- 0
Sept. 14	Claude	W-42	C- 0
Sept. 21	Canadian	W-20	C- 0
Sept. 28	Wheeler 7th & 8th		
Oct. 5	Claude	W-35	C- 6
Oct. 12			
Oct. 19			
Oct. 26	Booker	Here	7:00
Nov. 2	Shamrock	Here	7:00
Nov. 9	Canadian	There	7:00
Nov. 16	Booker	There	7:00

JUNIOR HIGH SCHOOL:			
Sept. 7	open		
Sept. 14	open		
Sept. 21	open		
Sept. 28	Wheeler Fres. & Soph.		
Oct. 5	White Deer	W- 0	W-14
Oct. 12	Phillips	Here	6:00
Oct. 19	Claude	There	5:00
Oct. 26	White Deer	There	5:00
Nov. 2	Phillips	There	6:00
Nov. 9	Claude	Here	6:00
Nov. 16	Booker	There	5:00

5th & 6th GRADE:			
Sept. 23	Booker	Here	10:00
Sept. 30	Booker	There	10:00
Oct. 7	Shamrock	There	10:00
Oct. 14	Shamrock	Here	10:00
Oct. 21	Black & Gold	Here	

Meet Your Mustangs:



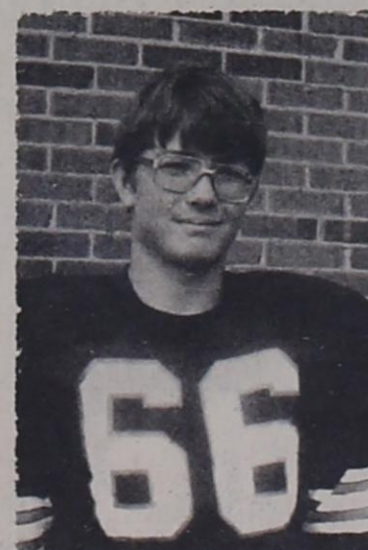
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NORTH WHEELER COUNTY HOSPITAL DISTRICT, DB
 PARKVIEW HOSPITAL
 GENERAL FUND STATEMENT OF REVENUES AND EXPENSES
 FOR THE EIGHT MONTH PERIOD ENDED MAY 31, 1978

PATIENT SERVICE REVENUE			
Inpatient Revenues	\$482,763.05		
Outpatient Revenues	34,823.13		
Total Patient Service Revenues		\$517,586.23	
ADJUSTMENTS TO PATIENT REVENUES			
Employee Discounts	\$ 2,295.62		
Medicare & Medicaid Discounts	69,036.97		
Estimated Bad Debts	38,034.73		
Total Adjustments to Revenues		109,417.27	
GROSS PATIENT SERVICE REVENUE			\$408,168.96
OPERATING EXPENSES			
Administrative	\$ 62,039.01		
Nursing	217,661.72		
Anesthesiology	716.00		
Radiology	23,325.70		
Laboratory	38,244.82		
Dietary	49,140.18		
Housekeeping	23,278.26		
Plant Maintenance	29,853.10		
Clinic	37,124.53		
Total Operating Expenses		481,333.32	
NET LOSS FROM OPERATIONS			\$(73,214.36)
OTHER REVENUE AND EXPENSES			
Ad Valorem Taxes	\$ 85,519.76		
Non-Patient Charges	5,518.24		
Interest Income	740.95		
Gifts & Grants	2,500.00		
Non-Patient Expenses	(1,857.55)		
Total Other Revenue and Expenses		92,421.40	
EXCESS OF REVENUES OVER EXPENSES			\$ 19,207.04

NORTH WHEELER COUNTY HOSPITAL DISTRICT, DB
 PARKVIEW HOSPITAL
 COMBINED BALANCE SHEETS
 MAY 31, 1978

	General Fund	Bonded Debt Fund	Plant Fund	Memo Total
ASSETS				
CURRENT ASSETS				
Cash on Hand	\$ 215.00	\$ -	\$ -	\$ 215.00
Cash in Banks	27,898.61	2,588.21	-	30,486.82
Accounts Receivable				
Patients	157,747.45	-	-	157,747.45
Other	14,232.69	47.03	-	14,279.72
Allowance for Bad Debts	(24,635.96)	-	-	(24,635.96)
Allowance for Medicare Discounts	(7,657.64)	-	-	(7,657.64)
Taxes Receivable	12,566.57	2,284.02	-	14,850.59
Allowance for Uncollectible Taxes	(10,681.58)	(1,941.42)	-	(12,623.00)
Accrued Interest Receivable	-	455.14	-	455.14
Interfund Receivable	4,968.85	-	-	4,968.85
Savings Accounts	37,125.25	-	-	37,125.25
Certificates of Deposit	-	13,949.80	-	13,949.80
Inventories	34,818.64	-	-	34,818.64
Prepaid Expenses	7,599.01	-	-	7,599.01
Total Current Assets	\$254,196.89	\$ 17,382.78	\$ -0-	\$271,579.67
FIXED ASSETS				
Land	\$ -	\$ -	\$ 7,419.75	\$ 7,419.75
Land Improvements	-	-	18,083.76	18,083.76
Allowance for Depreciation	-	-	(6,582.43)	(6,582.43)
Buildings	-	-	282,080.37	282,080.37
Allowance for Depreciation	-	-	(71,040.04)	(71,040.04)
Furniture and Equipment	-	-	153,303.62	153,303.62
Allowance for Depreciation	-	-	(104,911.91)	(104,911.91)
Total Fixed Assets	\$ -0-	\$ -0-	\$278,353.07	\$278,353.07
TOTAL ASSETS	\$254,196.89	\$ 17,382.78	\$278,353.07	\$549,932.74
LIABILITIES & FUND BALANCES				
CURRENT LIABILITIES				
Accounts Payable	\$ 22,689.14	\$ -	\$ -	\$ 22,689.14
Accrued Payroll Taxes	6,262.80	-	-	6,262.80
Accrued Salaries	7,289.26	-	-	7,289.26
Lease-Purchase Contracts	5,362.92	-	-	5,362.92
Accrued Interest Payable	-	3,743.00	-	3,743.00
Notes Payable	6,335.02	-	-	6,335.02
Interfund Payable	-	4,968.85	-	4,968.85
Bonds Payable	-	-	10,000.00	10,000.00
Total Current Liabilities	\$ 47,939.14	\$ 8,711.85	\$ 10,000.00	\$ 66,650.99
LONG-TERM LIABILITIES				
Lease-Purchase Contracts	\$ 5,626.84	\$ -	\$ -	\$ 5,626.84
Bonds Payable	-	-	180,000.00	180,000.00
Total Long-Term Liabilities	\$ 5,626.84	\$ -0-	\$180,000.00	\$185,626.84
FUND BALANCE	\$200,630.91	\$ 8,670.93	\$ 88,353.07	\$297,654.91
TOTAL LIABILITIES AND FUND BALANCES	\$254,196.89	\$ 17,382.78	\$278,353.07	\$549,932.74

Here & There

Laura Guthrie
 My brother, Lee Wimberly and his wife Mable, from Ruidoso, N. M. are with me this week. If I'm fortunate they will stay all this month.

WEDNESDAY STUDY CLUB
 The Wednesday Study Club was inner club hostess at a reception honoring Mrs. Harry Youngblood President of Top of Texas Federated Clubs. (pictured left) Guest clubs for the occasion were the Progressive and Thursday Review Clubs.

The following program was presented:
 Welcome; Mrs. Harold Nash (right). Music, Mrs. Kevin Roper; Book Review, Mrs. Jerry Killingsworth.

We are having a good time, even tho the action isn't so fast and furious as it is in their "always welcome" house in the resort city. They are trying out our climate. It is already pretty frosty where they live. So far, except for a day, we have had balmy weather. Mable and I are great coffee drinkers. We never want the pot dry. In fact this morning we made two pots to start with. Why don't you stop by for a cup?

Saturday night Mr. and Mrs. Nall were surprised and delighted to have freinds from Oklahoma City stop by the Theatre for a short visit. Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Bateman had been to Texline to attend a funeral, so they stopped for a bit of greeting.
 Glen Farmer of Scottsbluff

came on the week end to visit with his mother, Ida Farmer. She was so glad to have him, as she herself has not been able to do a lot of running around for several weeks.

My brother Lee, Mable and I drove to Hollis, Oklahoma, Sunday afternoon. We visited with Lamar and Georgia Guthrie. Lillie Edmondson, my sister-in-law from Tipton, Oklahoma was also there.

We are so glad that Polly Clark a sister of Grace Porter, is staying with her for a while. Grace is spending a lot of her time in the hospital.

Lavell Stephens, Oklahoma City, was with her mother, Ollie Jaco over the weekend. Ollie also has had some time in the hospital, but is at home now.

This is short. Forgive me, but I have to be off to check on my family in Perryton.

Mrs. Florence George was a patient in Wheeler's Parkview Hospital for 10 days recently, and was transferred to St. Anthony's hospital in Amarillo for another week, by her twin brother, Mr. and Mrs. Olaf Rankin of Hereford, Texas. (Everyone should have a twin brother and a sister-in-law like his lovely wife, Maxine.) she says. After leaving St. Anthony's. Florence went home with the Rankins' to spend a week in their beautiful new home which she had never seen. The Rankins brought her home and spent the weekend with her, helping to get into the routine of caring for herself again.

Mrs. Florence George had her step daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Bob Curlee and family from Kenesaw, Ga. and spent last Tuesday night with her. They were in route to Amarillo to attend their daughter's, Lucinda Curlees available.

wedding. She became the bride of Mr. Patrick Reyna of Amarillo.

Hospital From page 1

- Raymond Burks
 - Willie Mae Stevens
 - LaDonna Honeycutt
 - Billy McDowell
 - Billy Stewart
 - Rachel Whiteley
 - Abel Martinez
 - Ruby Free
 - Elsie Wagner
- 10-17
- Dismissals:**
- 10-11 Trecia Lester
 - Laura Martinez
 - Wilber Beck
 - Clyde Dickey
 - Ernest Gordon
 - Martha Williams
 - 10-13 Charlie Brown
 - Rodney Corfield
 - Ollie Jaco
 - Andrew Markham
 - Houston Wood
 - 10-14 Earl Tate
 - Geneva Harris
 - James Cole
 - Micheal Chase
 - 10-15 Casey Velasquez
 - 10-17 Glenda Leatherman
 - Lela Meek
 - Billy Stewart
 - Able Martinez

Mobeetie News

By Mrs. Wilber Beck
 At news time Mark Hefley, who has been in the hospital in Amarillo, is reported improving nicely and hopes to be coming home soon.

Mrs. Tommie Tyson, who has been in the Parkview Hospital in Wheeler for more than two weeks for tests and treatment is improving at this time.

Paul Maulsby of Oklahoma recently visited friends in Mobeetie and Wheeler.

Mr. and Mrs. Butch Leatherman and Allen attended to business in Amarillo, Thursday.

Keith McLaughlin and sons Mike, Jimmy and Kent of Pampa visited the gentleman's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Brooks McLaughlin, Saturday.

Clyde Dickey was released from the Parkview Hospital recently following a week of tests and treatment.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Scribner of Plainview visited friends and relatives and attended to business Monday and Tuesday last week.

Saturday.
 Mrs. Imogene Johnson of Erick, Okla., who has visited in Oregon and California for the last two months visited her mother in law, Mrs. Tommie Tyson this week.

Mrs. Paulene Hooker visited her mother, Mrs. Merra Johnson who is a patient in the Pampa Nursing Center, Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Gordon attended to business in Amarillo, Friday.

The Mobeetie Community extends its sympathy to the Meek family with the passing of C. C. Meek last week.

After nine days in the Parkview Hospital I am back home and feel very well. Thanks for you patience while I was not available.

DECREASES ON TELEPHONE BILLS BEGINNING OCT. 1

Most Texas customers of General Telephone Company of the Southwest will find decreases on their telephone bills beginning Oct. 1, according to F. E. Hightower, vice president — revenue requirements for the company.

Hightower said the Public Utilities Commission of Texas has approved the company's March request to lower extension telephone rates and to offset this revenue reduction by adopting a statewide multipart service connection charge.

The changes will result in an estimated \$2,500 annual reduction in revenues.

"The changes basically mean extension rates, which in the past have subsidized other services, were lowered to 85 cents for both business and residence," Hightower said. "Charges for new installation or changes of service, which have been subsidized by other services, were made uniform across the state to level more nearly reflecting actual costs for the services and to recover the dollars lost through the extension reductions."

The vice president pointed out the net results of the changes will mean existing customers with extension telephones will share in a \$2,614,560 annual revenue reduction as the result of the reduced extension rates. In addition, customers who provide their own primary telephone will receive an 85 cent per month credit.

Hightower said the extension rate reduction will become effective Oct. 1.

Installation and change of service charges also will change Oct. 1. Installation of residential telephone generally will range from a minimum of \$35 to a maximum of \$43.

The 53rd Annual Meeting of the PAMPA CHAMBER OF COMMERCE

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Immunization

The Texas Dept. of Health will conduct an immunization Clinic free of charge Nov. 20, 1978 in Wheeler School Auditorium from 10:30 A.M. to 12 noon. This Clinic is available for all students requiring immunization to meet state requirements. Also to pre-school children.

Party Honors Merra Johnson

Mrs. Merra Johnson who resides in the Pampa Nursing Center was honored in her home in Mobeetie Sunday, Oct. 8 on her 87th birthday by her daughter, Mrs. Paulene Hooker. Those attending the birthday celebration were Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Johnson and Raymond Johnson Amarillo, Doyle Johnson and Mrs. Hooker both of Mobeetie, four of her children. Grand children and great-grandchildren attending were; Mr. and Mrs. Bill Scott, Brenda, Scott, Russell and Robert and Mr. and Mrs. Kirby Brillhart and Audrey and Mr. and Mrs. Larry Patton all of Amarillo; Mr. and Mrs. Mac Shelton of Spearman; Mrs. Willetta Alders of Borger; Mr. and Mrs. Don Moore, Wanda and James and Mr. and Mrs. Gene Harrison, Leslie and Cindy all of Mobeetie. Friends visiting during the day were Mr. and Mrs. Roy Waters of Briscoe, Mr. and Mrs. Buddy Waters and family of Pampa and Mr. and Mrs. Monroe Seitz of Mobeetie.



Her phone is ringing. Unfortunately it's ringing in the kitchen.

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LINES from LINDA

CEA - Linda Daughtry

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Answers about Fabric Flammability

Q. Why is the variety of choices in sleepwear less now than in the early '70's?

A. The federal government prohibited the manufacture and sale of children's sleepwear not meeting rigid standards for flame resistance in 1973 for sizes 0-6X. Similar standards went into affect for sizes 7-14 in 1975. The testing procedure poses technical problems for some natural and man-made fibers, as well as polyester/cotton blends.

Q. What should one look for on the label?

A. The label identifies fibers used in making the garment and care instructions to protect the garment's wearing and safety qualities. In some products, regular soap and detergent which have only a small percentage of phosphates, are not recommended because they permit deposits which inhibit the FR protection. In areas that ban phosphates, wash FR sleepwear with citrate-based detergents. Bleach or commercial laundering should be avoided in some instances. The principal instruction is: READ THE LABEL!

Q. How effective is FR?

A. Former CPSC Chairman Richard Simpson reported in 1977 that in thousands of inspections and tests, CPSC had not found one item of sleepwear out of compliance. FR technology is continuing to advance. Burns

Center experts report that FR sleepwear has provided protection for children in major fire situations, but some suggest essential standards might extend protection more broadly. And

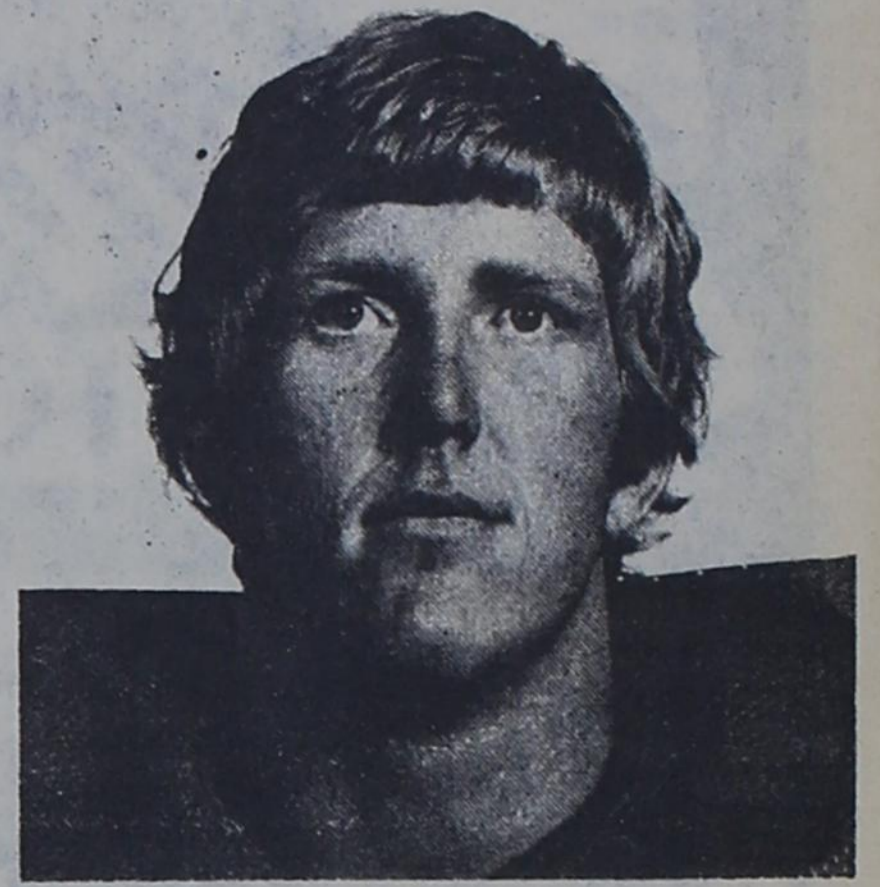
many concerned people are calling for more information on ignition sources (matches, flammable liquids, etc.) before making further decisions on government policy.

Q. How are FR garments made?

A. Some man-made fibers are "inherently" FR. Other man-made fibers and fabrics like cotton are treated with flame retardant to be able to pass the

Verden makes transition well

By JON MARK BELLUE
UD Sports Staff



Profile

"It was a very big adjustment coming from a small school," confessed Verden, whose classes are often larger than the entire enrollment of his high school. "I didn't really know what to expect but I knew it was going to be tough. But right now I feel very comfortable here at Tech."

There were also football adjustments to be made. At the small Panhandle high school Verden could often rely on pure strength but not any more.

"I've had to really learn technique more than anything," said Verden. "In high school I usually outweighed guys by 50 pounds but now I'm up against centers and guards that outweigh me by almost that much."

That is an unusual position for Verden. In high school

Verden

what Jim wanted, Jim got. At Wheeler, Verden was an all-around athlete in every sense of the word. He was a first team all-stater, leading the Mustangs to a 9-1 record. He was also selected to play in the Texas high school coach's all-star game—in basketball. After putting down the basketball Verden picked up the shot put and discus, winning state in both. He put the shot 54 feet, 10 inches and threw the discus 185 feet, 3 inches, smashing the previous class B record by almost 20 feet.

Verden was moved from defensive tackle to noseguard at the beginning of the fall, a move that he really didn't mind.

"I'll play where they put me. The noseguard doesn't read as much as a defensive tackle but you do get more double team blocks. But I just want to help the team and will play where they put me," said Verden.

Wheeler must be a breeding ground for Tech noseguards.

Don Rives, former all-SWC noseguard and now a linebacker for the Chicago Bears, is also a native of Wheeler.

"Don talked to me and encouraged me to think about Tech," Verden said.

Verden currently splits time with Jamie Giles. Each will play several series or both will play when the defense calls for six down lineman.

"I like it. It keeps us fresh," said Verden.

Verden was fresh enough to record three solo and four assisted tackles against Texas. Verden also tipped a Randy McEachern pass.

"They were good," said Verden of the UT line. "They had a lot of quickness and they fire out and hit you."

But UT is history and Verden turned his thoughts to the 7th ranked Texas A&M Aggies.

"I just can't wait. I love to play at somebody else's place. It's really fun to do something well and hear the crowd get real quiet. We will have to go down there in the right frame of mind but there is no doubt in my mind that we will win," said Verden.

Any future goals that Verden has are all team goals.

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I wish to express my thanks to my dear friends and relatives for their good deeds, prayers, cards, and flowers sent to me while I was a patient in the Parkview hospital recently and a special thanks to Dr. Barbour and the nurses staff, and the kitchen personnel; and I was not forgotten by friends and ministers when I was transferred to St. Anthonys Hospital in Amarillo for a week.

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	BALANCE	RECEIPTS FOR YEAR	BALANCE PLUS RECEIPTS	DISBURSEMENTS FOR YEAR	BALANCE
Jury	\$ (654.30)	\$ 3,500.00	\$ 2,845.70	\$ 6,499.00	\$ (3,653.30)
Road and Bridge General	98.68	197,158.53	197,257.21	167,240.07	30,017.14
Precinct #1	28,438.84	34,292.14	62,730.98	32,536.82	30,194.16
Precinct #2	21,485.20	36,137.81	57,623.01	25,598.17	32,024.84
Precinct #3	30,649.96	32,133.60	62,783.56	40,657.33	22,126.23
Precinct #4	52,100.14	33,299.89	85,400.03	32,901.73	52,498.30
County General	(3,189.04)	552,479.77	549,290.73	481,407.49	67,883.24
Court House and Jail	9,856.27	11,551.00	21,407.27	-0-	21,407.27
Lateral Road	46,401.27	166,265.45	212,666.72	125,133.10	87,533.62
Permanent School Fund	587.79		587.79	-0-	587.79
Revenue Sharing	65,010.28	55,463.00	120,473.28	51,781.81	68,691.47
Total	250,785.09	\$1,122,281.19	\$1,373,066.28	\$963,755.52	\$409,310.76

JERRIE MOORE, County Treasurer

available in R. Yard goods departments also offer fabric for home sewing of FR garments.

Q. How did all this get started?

A. In 1970 a well-intentioned and concerned group of physicians and parents, innocently drawing on unrealistic government injuries estimates and encouraged by the Senate commerce Committee moved the Department of Commerce to activate its standard—setting machinery and to produce a mandatory flammability standard for children's sleepwear (0-6X) more recent data suggest these early burn injury estimates were grossly overstated.

Q. Why does FR cost more?

A. Imparting FR to a fiber with only modest trade-offs in comfort, durability, and wearing quality is complex, usually involving literally years of research. Extra production equipment may be required. Sleepwear standards require testing each lot (and consuming fabric in test process). Production runs may be shorter—thus more expensive.

Q. What is all this controversy about tris?

A. Early in 1977 the CPSC banned the FR chemical, tris (2, 3, dibromopropyl) phosphate on grounds that it caused cancer when fed to rats. A complex legal proceeding ensued, and much of the tris—treated acetate sleepwear was withdrawn from the market. CPSC then asked for suggested amendments to the regulations to assure an adequate supply of fabric for sleepwear without significantly increasing the flammability hazard.

Q. Is a child safe if in FR sleepwear?

A. In years past if a seated child dropped lighted matches in his lap, he could set his pajamas on fire. Today the chances are he'd only get a light scorch. But the FR qualities are of limited value in protesting against flammable liquid fuels, scalds, and intense heat.

In the past small ignition sources could start apparel fires. With FR this problem has been greatly alleviated.

Garden Club Holds Auction

The Wheeler Garden Club met Thursday, October 12, 1978 at 2:30 in the home of Mrs. Lee Kiker, North East of Allison. Members present were, Vergie Reagan, Lola Weems, Frances Hefley, Mary Finsterwald, Pauline Hefley, Sallie Harris and hostess Winnie Kiker, with one guest, Ida Farmer.

The group assembled in the spacious den then went into the sunroom to take pictures of the group and conduct the meeting. After the call to order with the Club Collect led by Sallie Harris, the roll call was answered by giving some useful garden hints. Minutes of the May and Sept. meetings were read by secretary, Frances Hefley. It was noted in the September meeting that the club voted to donate an arthritic unit to the new nurse's organization to be used in the homes by patients. The September meeting opened the new year with a 9:30 breakfast in the lovely spacious new home, of Frances Hefley with eleven present and two visitors, Jerry Moore and Gena Mendeola and Rocky. For the October meeting, Mrs. Kiker presented a helpful and interesting program on preparing the gardens for winter. Each person had brought articles for an auction sale to raise funds for the Arthritis Unit. Frances Hefley was the auctioneer who sold things as fast as all get out and in a few minutes by adding up the sales it totaled \$64.60. The secretary-treasurer was requested to give a check to the Nurses Arthritis Organization for the cost of the unit. A very jolly time was had by everyone and Mrs. Kiker served delicious salads, dips, crackers, cake and coffee to finish off the very rewarding afternoon.

The next meeting will be Nov. 9, at the Senior Citizens Home for a Mexican dinner with husbands as guests for an evening of games after the meal.

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State Bank No. 121

Consolidated Report of Condition of "FIRST STATE BANK of MOBEETIE in the State of TEXAS and Domestic Subsidiaries at the close of business on SEPTEMBER 30, 1978.

BALANCE SHEET	ASSETS			Sch.	Item	Col.	Mil.	Thou.	
1. Cash and due from banks	C	7					692	1	
2. U.S. Treasury securities	B	1	E				903	2	
3. Obligations of other U.S. Government agencies and corporations	B	2	E					3	
4. Obligations of States and political subdivisions	B	3	E					4	
5. Other bonds, notes, and debentures	B	4	E				200	5	
6. Corporate stock								6	
7. Trading account securities								7	
8. Federal funds sold and securities purchased under agreements to resell	D	4						8	
9. a. Loans, Total (excluding unearned income)	A	10					2,755	9	
b. Less: Reserve for possible loan losses							20	9	
c. Loans, Net							2,735	10	
10. Direct lease financing								11	
11. Bank premises, furniture and fixtures, and other assets representing bank premises							75	11	
12. Real estate owned other than bank premises								12	
13. Investments in unconsolidated subsidiaries and associated companies								13	
14. Customers' liability to this bank on acceptances outstanding							37	14	
15. Other assets	G	7					4,642	15	
16. TOTAL ASSETS (sum of items 1 thru 15)							11,976	16	
17. Demand deposits of individuals, partnerships, and corporations	F	11	A				1,636	17	
18. Time and savings deposits of individuals, partnerships, and corporations	F	11	B+C				7	18	
19. Deposits of United States Government	F	2	A+B+C				243	20	
20. Deposits of States and political subdivisions	F	3	A+B+C				7	21	
21. Deposits of foreign governments and official institutions	F	4	A+B+C					22	
22. Deposits of commercial banks	F	5+6	A+B+C					23	
23. Certified and officers' checks	F	7	A					24	
24. TOTAL DEPOSITS (sum of items 17 thru 23)							3,862	24	
a. Total demand deposits	F	8	A				2,013	25	
b. Total time and savings deposits	F	8	B+C				1,849	25	
25. Federal funds purchased and securities sold under agreements to repurchase	E	4					350	26	
26. Other liabilities for borrowed money								27	
27. Mortgage indebtedness								28	
28. Acceptances executed by or for account of this bank and outstanding							10	29	
29. Other liabilities	H	9						30	
30. TOTAL LIABILITIES (excluding subordinated notes and debentures)							4,222	31	
31. Subordinated notes and debentures								31	
EQUITY CAPITAL									
32. Preferred stock	a.	No. shares outstanding				(Par value)		32	
33. Common stock	a.	No. shares authorized	6.00				60	33	
	b.	No. shares outstanding	6.00			(Par value)	160	34	
34. Surplus							200	35	
35. Undivided profits								36	
36. Reserve for contingencies and other capital reserves							420	37	
37. TOTAL EQUITY CAPITAL (sum of items 32 thru 36)							4,222	38	
38. TOTAL LIABILITIES AND EQUITY CAPITAL (sum of items 30, 31, and 37)							11,976	38	

I, Helen May, Vice President of the above-named bank, do solemnly swear that this report of condition is true and correct, to the best of my knowledge and belief.

Correct-Attest: *Helen May* President
J.H. Scribner Director
Mattie E. Williams Director

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Why Bill Hale?

WHY BILL HALE?

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WHY BILL HALE?

Bill Hale takes a common sense approach to government. He is against undue government meddling in our lives, and has the intelligence to understand the complex make-up of state government and how to make it work for the citizens of Texas.

WHY BILL HALE?

Bill Hale has the business experience necessary to help plan and

manage the state's \$8 billion annual budget. Bill will review and act on these money matters in a conservative, businesslike manner.

WHY BILL HALE?

Dedication and motivation are necessary attributes of our 66th District State Representative. Bill is dedicated to the belief that the State of Texas should be run in such a manner that taxes will never be an unreasonable burden on its citizens.

Bill's motivation comes from the satisfaction he has enjoyed during the years he has worked for his hometown. He wants to take that trust and civic responsibility to Austin and be the best representative the 66th District has ever had.



Bill Hale is an experienced businessman—he has the knowledge to understand and help plan the state's budget.



Bill Hale is open and accessible to the citizens of the 66th District. In the statehouse, he will listen to your problems and suggestions.



Chairman of the Bill Hale Campaign is George B. Cree Jr. of Pampa. Campaign Manager is Billy Brown of Floydada, and Fred Thayer of Floydada is Treasurer.

VOTE FOR BILL HALE

State Representative 66th District

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Had Enough? Give 'Em Hale For a Change!



Bill Hale for State Representative, 66th District

A Letter From the Candidate

To voters of the 66th District:

They've given away the Panama Canal, and now President Carter, Andrew Young and the State Department are doing their best to give Africa to the Communists. Cheap food policies are about to bankrupt the farmer, and they want to give Washington D.C.—a city populated mostly by bureaucrats—two Senators and a Representative.

If you've had enough of government being run by and for the bureaucrats and big labor, get involved. Start making your voice heard...vote for Bill Hale and talk up his candidacy among your friends.

One new State Representative with common sense ideas will not change the direction our state and country are headed, but it's a step—an important step—in the right direction.

We are all becoming increasingly aware that something is happening to our country, but we are not sure what it is. Inflation is eating up our paychecks, the dollar is being devalued on international money markets, our military superiority is rapidly decreasing and all we can do is wonder, "What can we do?"

I came to the conclusion more than a year ago that there was something that I could do. Right then I began to get involved in the political scene and learned to use my abilities and what influence I can obtain to help get Texas and America back on the track.

You may not think that a single State Representative would be able to get much accomplished. However, I don't believe this is necessarily true. The right man in this position can wield influence that will not only affect the Statehouse in Austin, but will also reach into the Congressional halls in Washington.

If you believe as I do—that it is time for a change—give 'em Hale for a change! Your influence as well as your vote is necessary. I need the 66th District solidly behind me to increase my effectiveness in carrying out your will.

Bill Hale

A Solid Background of Leadership

A lifelong resident of Floydada, Bill Hale has been active in the civic life of his community for some twenty-three years.

Bill served as vice-president of the Chamber of Commerce and was on its Board of Directors. He has been a Floydada City Councilman and School Trustee, as well as a member of the Housing Authority Board of Directors. Bill was a Little League baseball coach and served as League President.

According to Bill, his most interesting and satisfying civic contribution was the four years he spent as President of the

Floydada Development Company. "During this time, Floydada was able to obtain a 42-unit labor housing facility, a 16-unit apartment complex, a Texas A&M vocational training center and an \$80,000 industrial park," Bill states.

For these achievements and others, Bill was named Floydada's Citizen of the Year, and was recipient of the Rotary Community Service Award and the Lion's Club Certificate of Appreciation.

Bill believes his record of community service will be an asset when he puts his abilities to work on the state level.

Bill Hale Wants Local Control Over Our School Districts

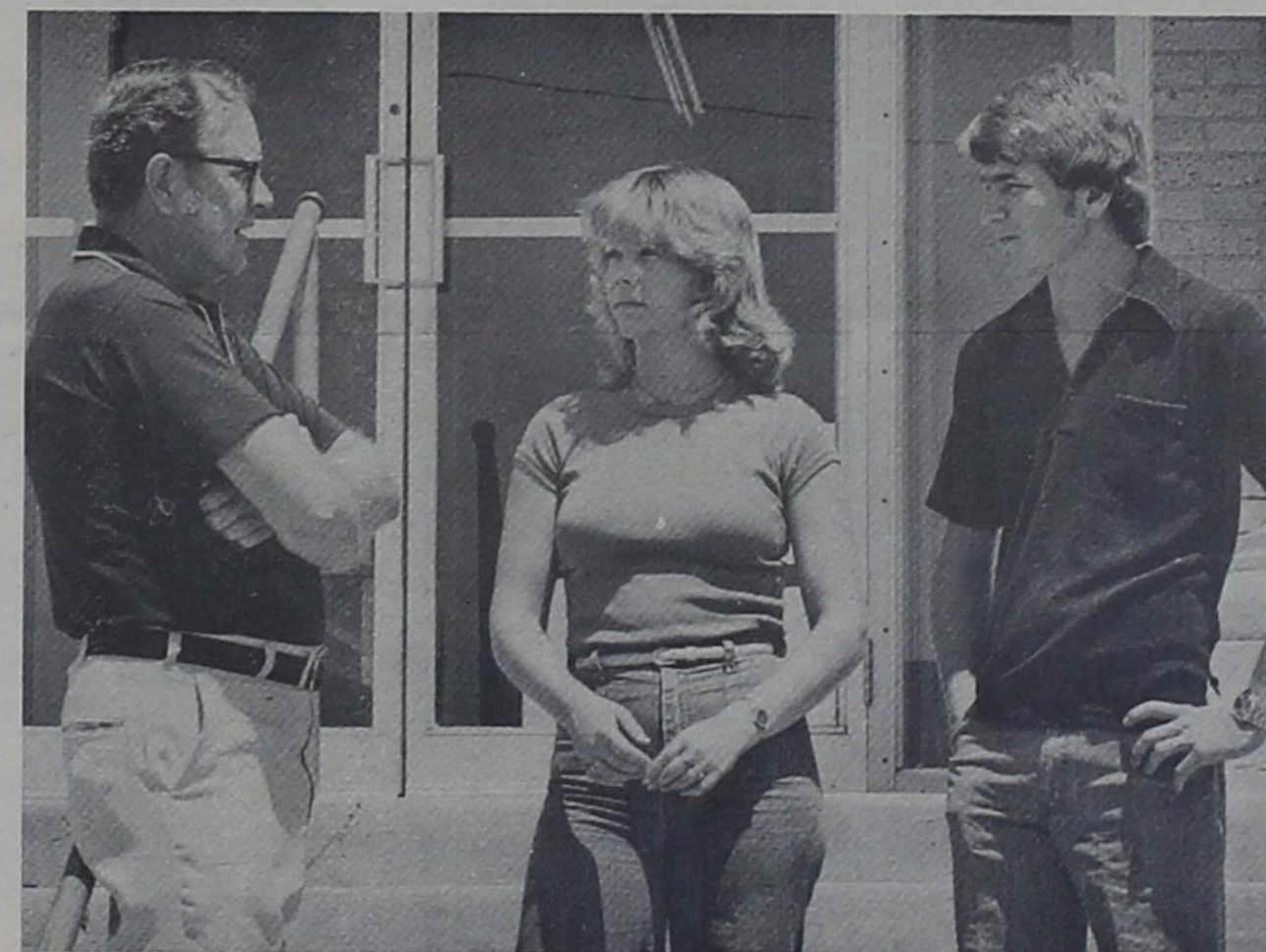
With over 50 percent of the Texas state budget devoted to education, it is fortunate that Bill Hale is not only extremely interested in the quality of education in this district, but is also very knowledgeable in the financial aspects of the state's education program.

"My four years on the school board provided me with useful insight into problems encountered by small school districts, like those in the 66th Legislative District. Fortunately, our area schools are blessed with talented administrators and a large number of dedicated career teachers. This has enabled us to maintain a good academic level in

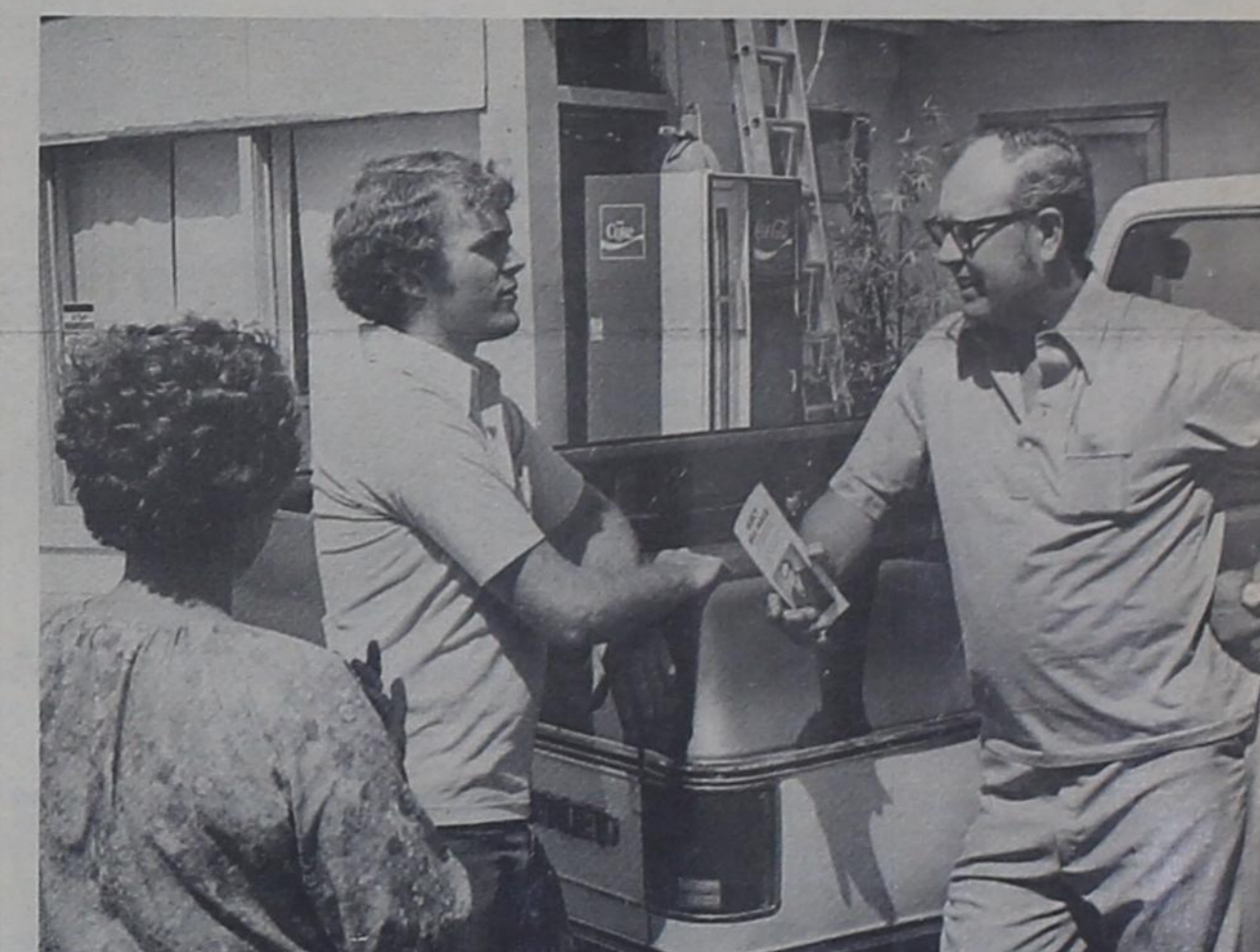
spite of some perplexing financial problems," Hale comments.

Bill thinks, however, that local districts are going to require more state assistance to keep up present educational standards and compensate for a reduction in ad valorem taxes.

"It will be difficult," Bill says, "to keep the liberals in our state government from taking more control over local school districts. We must keep this from happening. The balance of power in Austin between liberals and conservatives is becoming more even, and, with your help, the conservatives will retain control. This will enable West Texas' local school districts to continue to run their own show."



According to Bill, West Texas cannot prosper without quality education for our young people.



Bill has spent the last several months getting acquainted with the citizens of the 66th District. He found the problem of getting quality education for a reasonable price is on nearly everyone's mind.



Bill and Helena Stubbs of Lefors discuss the problems of a housewife raising school age children.



Whether our students enter the world of agriculture, business or science, a good education is a must. Bill wants to keep liberals from tampering with local school districts.

Bill Talks About Taxes

"As Texans we are fortunate to live in a state rich in resources and healthy economically. We should be able to meet the needs of Texans without an oppressive tax burden.

"Unfortunately, property taxes have already risen too high, and those who pay these taxes are shouldering more than their fair share of the load. These taxes—especially at the school

district level—must be reduced without delay.

"Cutting taxes is easy to talk about but difficult to do because tax revenues lost must be replaced from another source—in this case, most likely from the state treasury. There is a powerful element in our state government that will push for more state control over local school districts when the state furnishes a larger part of their financing. This element must be recognized and stopped—we must not lose any more control over our local schools to either state or federal governments.

"We now have a surplus in our state budget, but we must put a sharp pencil to our figures so we will know exactly how far this surplus will go in replacing lowered ad valorem tax revenues.

"Education is our most vital responsibility. More money does not necessarily buy a better education, but our school systems must have adequate financing to do their job properly.

"Let's not be panicked by California's Proposition 13, but let's heed the message California voters sent to their elected leaders. We should go into the next regular session of the State Legislature in 1979 with the purpose of reducing expenses wherever possible and then writing our tax schedule accordingly."



With longtime friend Charlie Berry. Excessive taxation hurts those on fixed incomes the worst.



Bill thinks our schools must be adequately funded without an excessive tax burden. He discusses the problem with Pampa school officials Paul Simmons, Bob Phillips and Bill Jones.



Bill doesn't want heavy taxes to cut deeply into workers' wages.

A Report on the Special Session

"In my opinion this year's special session of the Legislature was called by conservatives who hoped to put a lid on state spending now in the event that liberals gain control of the Legislature in 1979.

"The session was only moderately successful, and the lines are now being drawn for a really tough battle between the opposing conservative-liberal factions when the Legislature convenes next January.

"I visited Austin during the special session and conferred with many of our

Representatives and Senators. They were unanimous in their opinion that lowering taxes will be a major goal of the next legislative session, and that a major battle may occur on the floor of both the House and Senate chambers."

With the 1979 session promising to be a significant one, the people of the 66th District need a thoughtful, conservative Representative to act on their behalf in Austin. Put Bill in the State Representative's seat and let him give 'em Hale!



Discussing tax proposals with State Sen. Bob Price.

Meet Bill, Carolyn and Their Family

Bill and his wife, the former Carolyn Haithcock, were married in June, 1952, following her graduation from Texas Tech. At that time Bill was in the Air Force, stationed at Wichita Falls. During his tour of duty he rose through the ranks from Private to Tech. Sergeant.

After his discharge, the Hales and their young son, Richard, moved to Lubbock, where Bill obtained his BBA in Personnel Management at Texas Tech. While Bill was working on his degree, he and Carolyn became parents of twin boys, Steven and Michael.

"We had a deep belief that small town West Texas was the very best place to raise our children," Bill says. "This was the primary reason we moved to Floydada." Bill became manager of his father's business, Hale's Department Store, and has since been active in the West Texas business community, as well as in civic affairs.

Bill and Carolyn Hale are proud of their sons. "It is our hope that they will be responsible citizens of Texas and the United States," Bill states. All three boys were active in school activities and sports, with Steve serving as student body president during his senior year of high

school.

While Richard was attending McMurry College on a basketball scholarship, he met his future wife, Gail Burden of Garland. Both graduated from McMurry—they were married in 1976. Richard is now manager of the family department store, and Gail teaches in Floydada schools.

Steven, a graduate of the University of Texas at Austin, is a second year law student at Texas Tech School of Law. He married Gay Jones of El Campo last August. While Steve pursues his law degree, Gail is teaching in Abernathy, where they plan to settle.

After attending Dartmouth College for a year and a half on a football scholarship, Michael returned to Texas Tech, where he is working on a degree in architecture. He married Mitzi Reddy of Floydada in 1976. Mitzi received her degree from Tech in accounting and is currently employed in that field.

Bill is a member of the Church of Christ, while Carolyn and the boys attend the First Baptist Church.



The Hales: (seated from left) Mitzi, Gay, Richard and Gail; (standing) Steve, Bill, Carolyn and Mike.



Bill and son Steven are "trapped" into a bridge game against Bill's parents, Mr. & Mrs. Walton Hale. Looking on is Bill's sister, Floy Jean Adkisson, a teacher in DeSoto.



Another "family"—the personnel at Hale's Department Store. (Absent is Irene Irby).



Bill and son Richard talk over the family business.

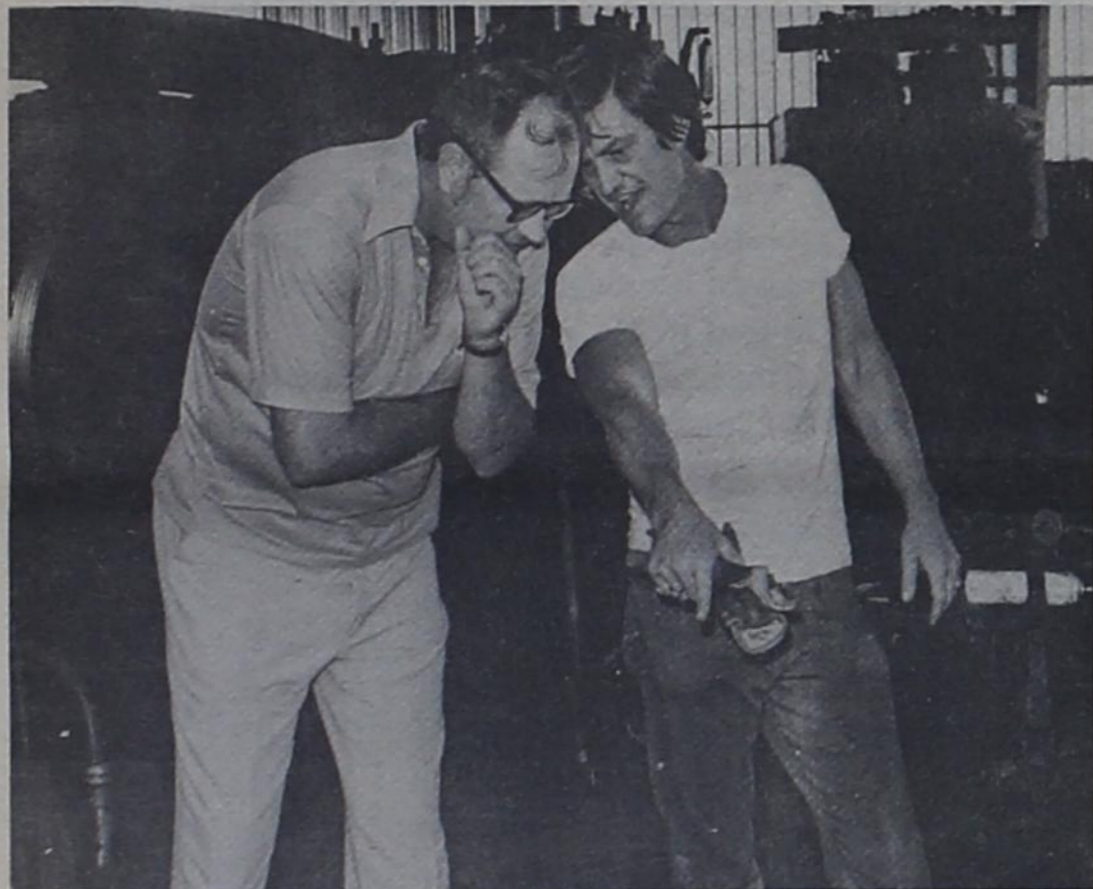
Bill Is Concerned About the Survival of Small Towns

The small towns of West Texas are becoming an endangered species. If Bill Hale is elected to represent the 66th District, they will have a strong advocate in the Legislature. Bill will see that the small towns and agricultural areas get their fair share of state expenditures.

With the population of Texas cities growing rapidly every year, and getting more representation in our state government, the rural districts must have representatives who are dedicated to the belief that our small towns must be kept alive and thriving. Bill Hale is on the side of the small towns, and he is intelligent and knowledgeable enough to fight the enactment of laws that favor urban areas.

This is not just "campaign talk." Bill served as President of the Floydada Board of Development for four years. During this period he learned a great deal about securing federal and state money for small towns. Bill also made many valuable contacts statewide—an asset that will help him in this primarily rural district.

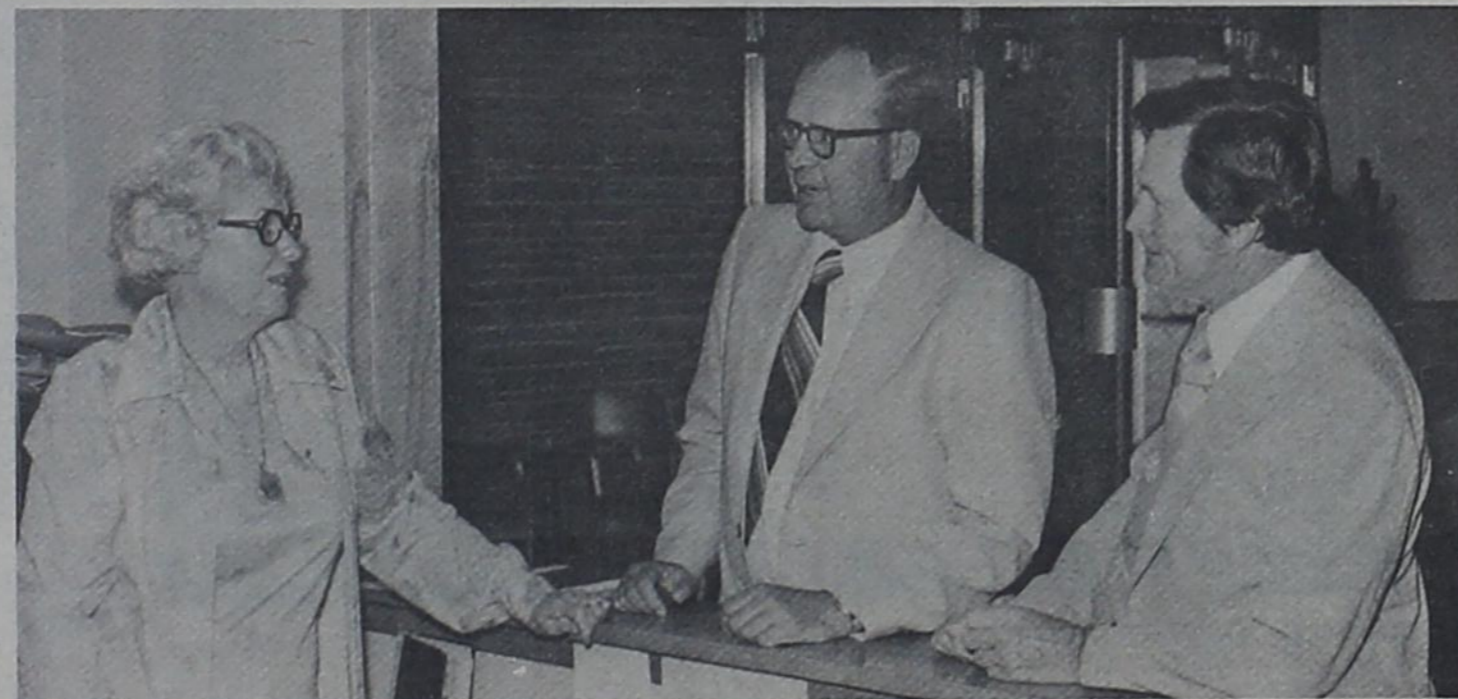
Bill and Carolyn Hale are small town West Texans who believe this is the best place to live and raise a family—where people know and care about others, and where the basic values of life are still respected.



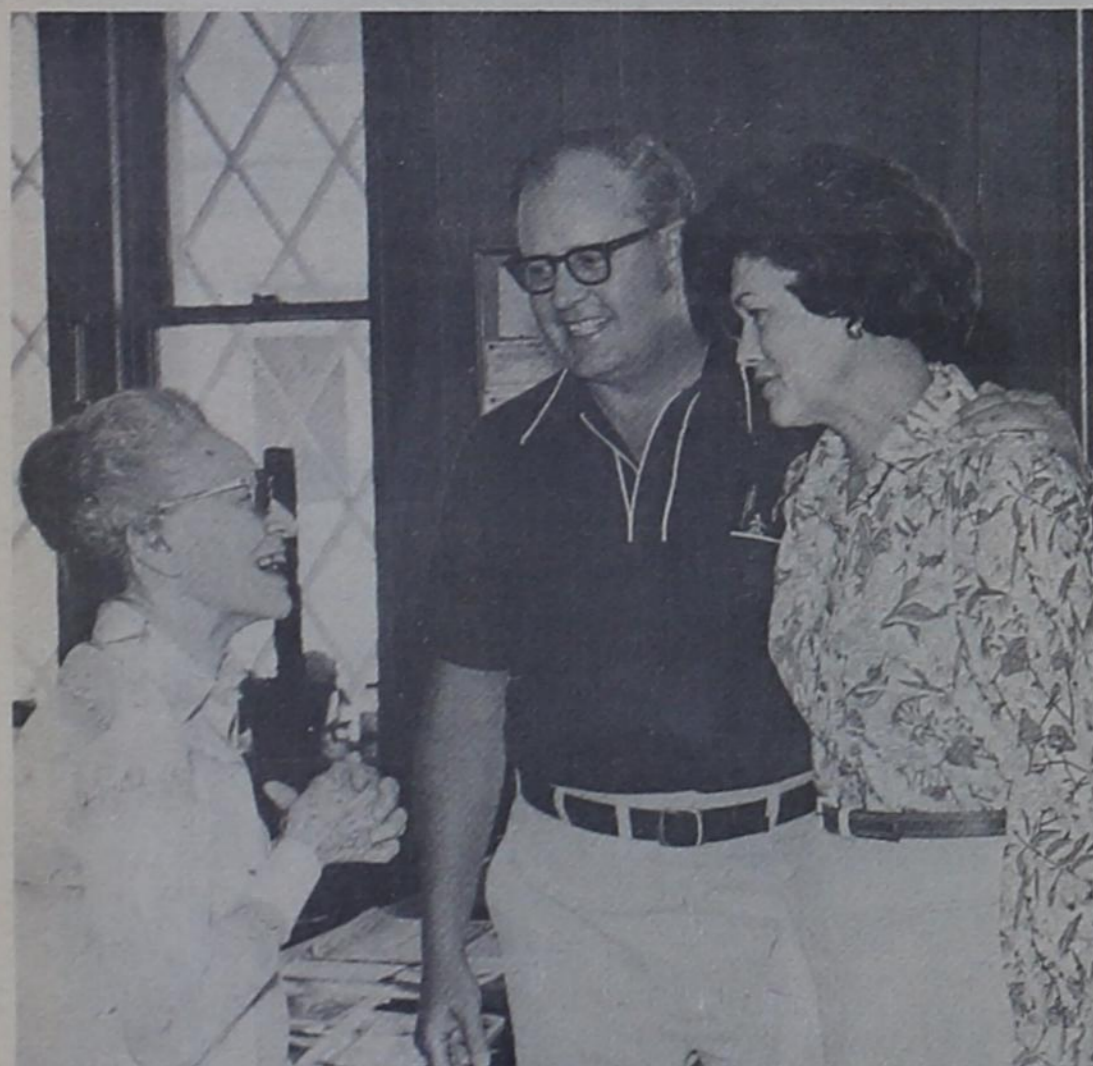
Fletcher Hopper of Southwestern Rail Products points out a process in the manufacture of railroad spikes. Bill feels this plant in Wellington is typical of the kind needed to keep small towns alive.



Bill stops at the home of Dr. & Mrs. Bob Jones. Dr. Jones is president of the Childress School Board.



With Dr. Julian Key of Pampa...good medical care must be available to small town West Texans.



Bill & Carolyn visit with Mrs. Arthur Barker of Lockney. Small town friendships are best of all, Bill thinks.



Small town economics are built around agriculture—it must remain healthy. Here Bill talks with Glenn Bowman, Estelline Farmer, gin manager Frank Hedrick and cotton buyer Linda Huddleston.

Agriculture Touches All of Our Lives

The Farmer's Union, Farm Bureau and the American Agriculture Movement are all working toward the same goal—improving the financial status of farmers and ranchers. Residents of the 66th Legislative District put equity for the farmer high on their list of priorities—agriculture is the backbone of the West Texas economy. Bill Hale will act on agriculture's behalf in the Texas Legislature.

"My personal philosophy is that we'll be much better off with less government intervention in our business," Bill says. "However, I

realize with all the government programs that have been instituted in the last thirty or forty years, we cannot change at once to a program of government non-involvement. While I hope that we can gradually get the government out of our business, we must see that the government does not bankrupt farmers with its 'cheap food' policies in the interim.

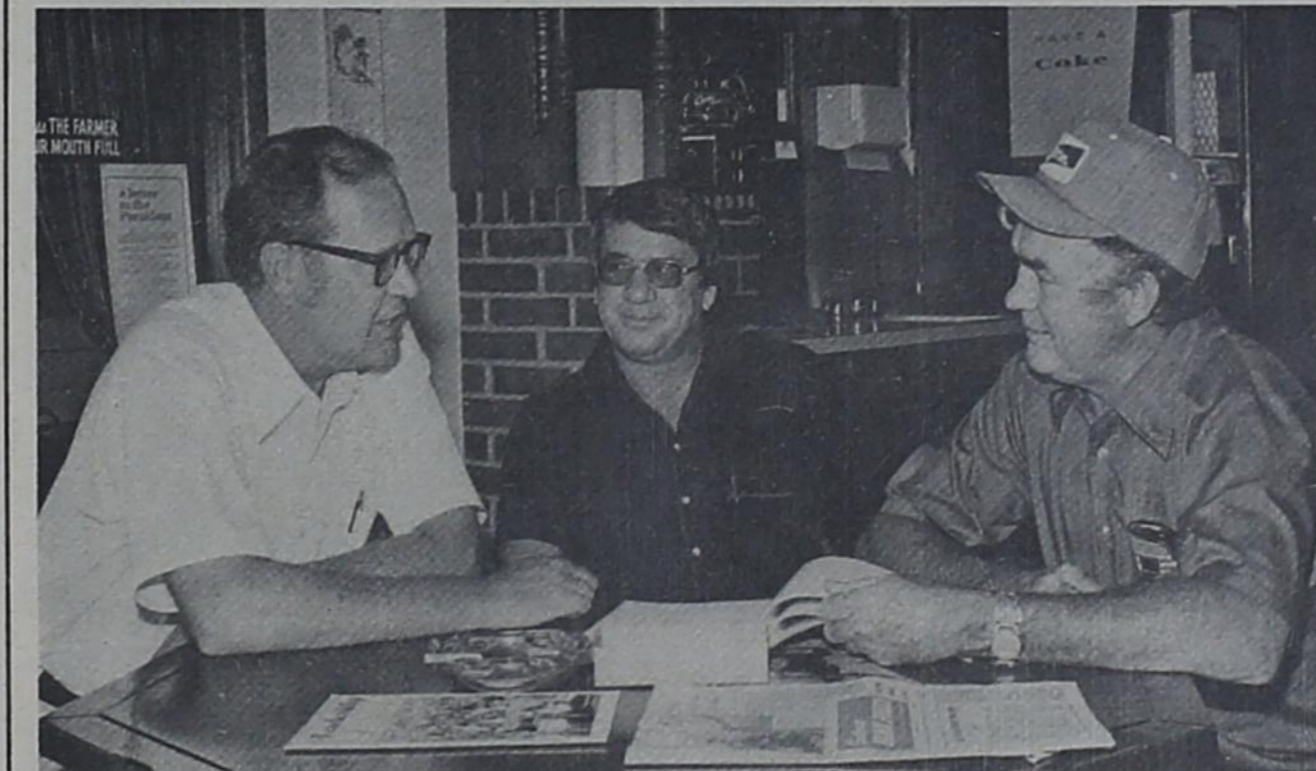
"Government at the state level is not deeply involved with farm legislation. But in areas where it is involved, I assure you I will be the advocate of the West Texas farmer and rancher."



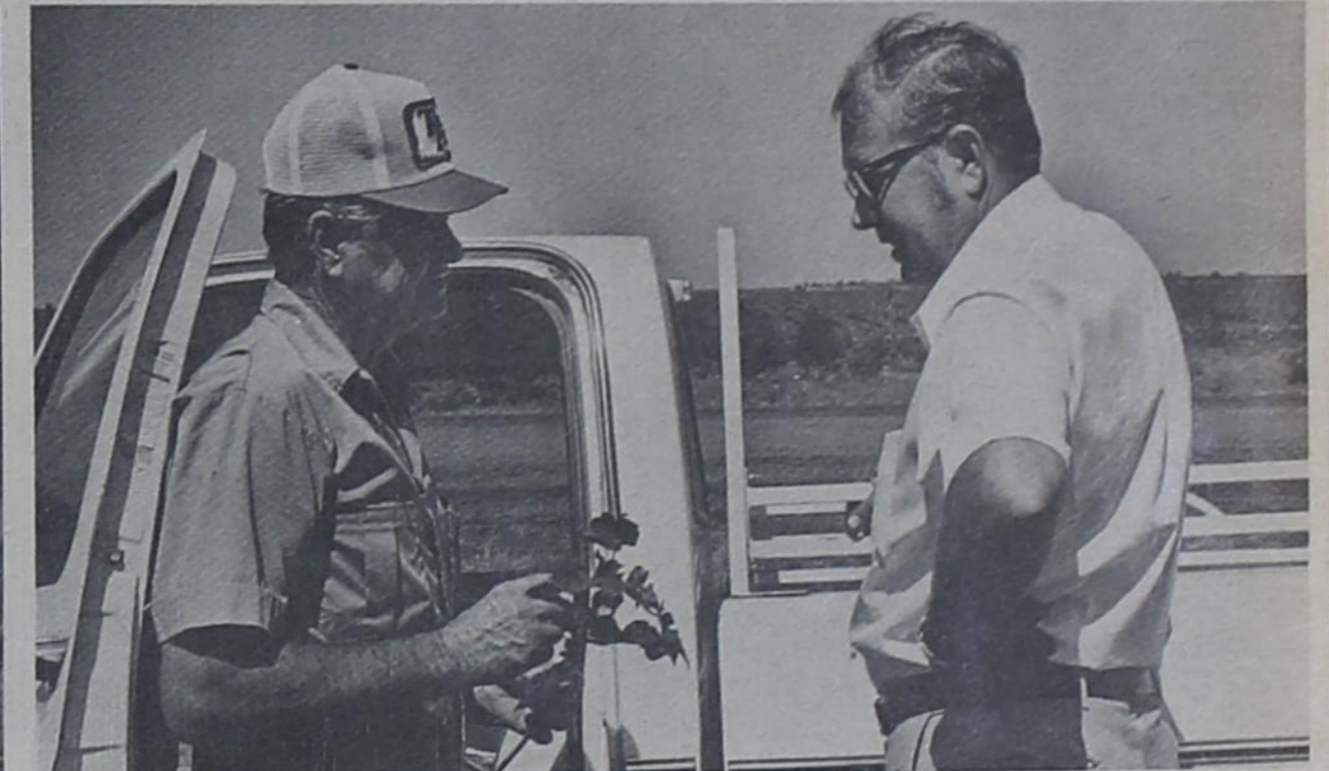
Bill jokes with Floydada farmers Ricky Biggs and Micky Dot Hammonds. Bill realizes, however, that problems facing farmers are not a laughing matter.



Bill Hale wants to sit down with farmers and discuss legislation affecting their lives.



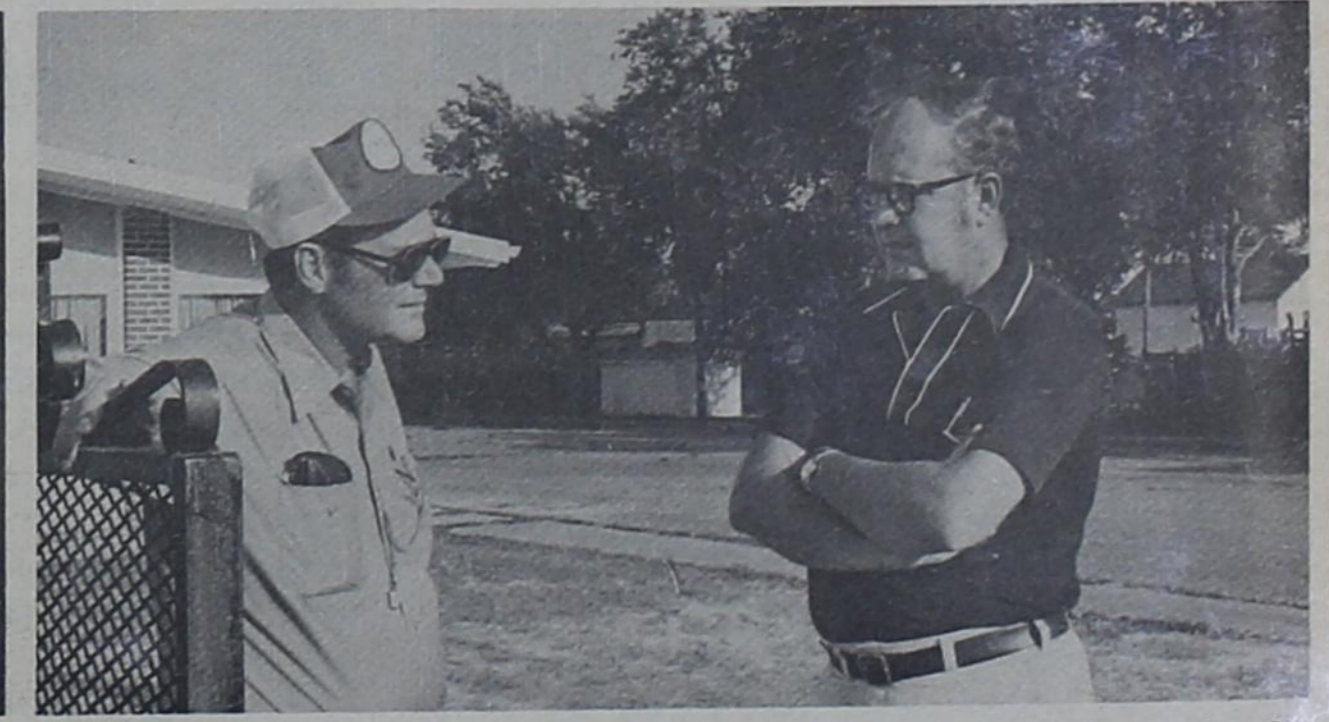
Looking over crop reports with Ray Gene Furgeson, manager of Floyd County Cooperative Gin, and Bill Cagle of Producers Cooperative Elevator of Floyd County.



J.S. Hale (no relation) explains the hazards farmers face getting their crops to maturity. Bill opposes government "cheap food" policies.



Vegetable packing is a big business in the South Plains. Bill's opinion is that the 66th District can't be strong unless its agribusiness is healthy.



Tom Christian, former State Legislator, and rancher and community leader in Claude, gives Bill the benefit of his experience regarding agricultural legislation in Austin.