

Ephesians 2:9,10 "Salvation is not a reward for the good we have done, so none of us can take any credit for it. It is God himself who has made us what we are and given us new lives from Christ Jesus; he planned we should spend these lives in helping others".

Happy Birthday to Mac Purcell, Nova Stippel on Sept. 8, Wayne Zybach and Steve Horton on Sept. 10, Brenda Wood and Megan Keelin on Sept. 11, Pauline Hooker, Bruce Mize and Wanda Hefley on Sept. 12, Jenny Walker, John Jones and Gayla Hathaway on Sept. 13, Ty Ferguson on Sept. 14, Beulah Grimes, David Gilmer, Penny Hilburn, Mary Ruth Fryar and Carrie Daniels on Sept. 9.

Happy Anniversary to Ronny and De Anna Vandever on Sept. 9, Jack and Pat Morgan, Dan and Ed Uryl Luttrell on Sept. 10, Cliff and Dorothy Walker on Sept. 13.

Fort Elliott Volleyball J. V. and Varsity girls will play at Perryton Tuesday Sept. 10 at 6:00 p.m.

Fort Elliott J. V. and Varsity Volley-ball tournament will be Saturday Sept. 7 at Briscoe. Fort Elliott J. V. and Varsity will be in Perryton J. V. tournament on Saturday Sept. 14. Full con-

cessions at Briscoe all day.

At Fort Elliott Briscoe our Junior
High football team will play
Samnorwood at 5:00 p.m. and our J.
V football team will play McLean J. V

at 6:30 Thursday Sept. 12.

"Congratulations to Ariza and Anna
Belle Corcoran on 60 years of mar-

Best wishes to Leslie Harrison and Jan Chastain as they marry Sept. 7 and Ninnekah, Oklahoma. God bless

From Perryton Ray and Pat Hudson and Cheryl Fraley and Steven John were weekend visitors to Oden and Lois Hudson. So good to have them out to Gageby Church to singing and all taking part. Home folks back. Good to have Lois Hudson with them.

Joey and Risa Keelin and Matt from Houston came Friday night to visit Joey's mom Rosalie Keelin and other relatives. Saturday Gene and Norma Keelin and Daniel and Tracy came out and ate lunch and visited. Sunday they all got together at Gene and Norma's. Monday Joey and Risa and Matt went to visit Darville and S Mie Atherton east of Wheeler.

Joe and Liz Austin and Payton visited each day at Lessie's while Charlotte and Aubrey Brown were visiting. The Browns stayed from Thursday till Monday.

Monday.
Roy and Jane Swift and Fat and Wanda Childress went on to Mora, New Mexico after the volleyball games Tuesday. They took travel trailors and camped out and enjoyed visiting and

Jimmy and Tammy Maddox and Jennifer and Amber went to the Elk City Rodeo Saturday night. Also Dean and Georgia.

"In the choir of life, it's easy to fake the words, but some day each of us will have to sing solo before God."

Romans 14:10 "You have no right to criticize your brother or look down on him. Each of us will stand before the Judgment Seat of God." Dean Tipps and Jimmy Maddox

Dean Tipps and Jimmy Maddox fixed up a D-Kalb seed float for Saturdays parade at Mobeetie. Jennifer and Amber Maddox rode on the float and got first place. Georgia Tipps and Tammy Maddox went to Amarillo Saturday to get supplies for the Boosters.

Gary Hall was preacher at Briscoe Community Church Sunday and had a good sermon.

Lou Dean Douthit's daughter, Peggy, and Don North recently moved their travel trailor to Montana where

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Nice to see Choice Scott out to Old Settlers Reunion. Looking good!

Friends from Bloomburg area came Sunday to visit Fat and Wanda Childress and included Sandie and Vernon Reid, Vernon's sister Ruby and husband James and another couple. They ate supper at Sparlins together. The guests spent the night at Fat's Camp County Retreat, and left Monday morning, deciding not to go to the Old Mobeetie Celebration.

Briscoe Community Church is planning a three day Revival at Fat's Camp County place Sept. 19, 20, 21—Thursday through Sat. There will be different speakers and muscians. Andy Taylor will be one. Everyone is invited. Each night service will start at 7:00 p.m. Bring lawn chairs.

Thank you to all from many places who said they like my column.

Nice to have Deleise and Steve Brown meet us for supper at Luby's Thursday night. Steve is manager of "Legends", a restaurant near Westgate Mall. Steve has three children that live with mothers, but spent time visiting Steve and Deleise this summer. Deleise's son Dave man-

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Next Sunday September 8, Earl and Oneita Kilpatrick, missionaires to Old Mexico, will be visiting Gageby Church preaching and showing slides and telling about their work. Dinner will be served at noon. Everyone welcome. We always enjoy visitors.

Willis and I enjoyed going to Mobeetie Monday. Lots of old timers there enjoying visiting and eating the delicious barbeque lunch. The music was really good. Some playing and singing were Marion Grimes, Dixie Sims, J. B. Duckworth, Carolan Aycock, Cherly Daniels, Pam Jones and others. Good to see lots of friendly faces. "Thanks, Mobeetie, for a lovely day.

Relatives gathered at Briscoe at the School Cafetorium Sunday for a delicious pot-luck lunch to celebrate Dorothy and Bulldog Walker's 60th Wedding Anniversary a little early. Lots of visiting and picture taking.

Ex-Briscoe-Mobeetie girl, Sally Cowan Smith, had her picture on front page of Pampa Sunday paper. Sally is receptionist at the Juvenile Probation office in Pampa.

Nice to have Dale and Debbie Stinnett and Cassidy meet us for lunch at Kentucky Fried Chicken in Amarillo on Thursday Aug. 29. Dale and Debbie and Cassidy and Cuyler were leaving after school to go to Elk Clty to visit Christian (Stinnett) and Frank Brown at Elk City. They all planned to go to Quartz Mountain and fish and explore and visit over the weekend. Think other relatives might meet them there. Cassidy has been delivering for the Pharmacy where Debbie works. Dale and Debbie were both on vacation all week and had been working on redoing their back porch.

Caaron and Brian Parker and Brittane Laverty were weekend visitors to Aaron and Claudetta. Good to have them all out to Gageby church. Keep praying for Claudetta. She is better. Brian and Caaron still live in Lone Wolf. Brian works as a Welders Helper

I talked to Martha Helton. Grandson David is working at a large allnight grocery store at night and taking some computer courses in Indiana.

Lou Dean Douthit went by Wheeler Care Center Monday and took Zinnia Bailey over to the Old Settlers Reunion at Mobeetie. Lou Dean had a card table and chairs to sit and eat and listen to the music. They saw lots of people they knew. Zinnia is mighty alert and perky for 96.

We have a hidden but loud choir of crickets this Monday night. Come on out and let me squash you!

Sorry to hear Charlie Finsterwald passed out in the serving line at Mobeetie and taken to Parkview Hospital. Maybe a light heart attack or too hot, dehydrated. Pray for Charlie.

Happy 50th Anniversary to H. J. and Evelyn (Moorehead) Johnson of Pampa. Evelyn's Dad, Ölen Moorehead was a brother to Mrs.

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Wheeler, town of friendship and price.

Elmer Simpson, Mae Muse and others. H. J. and Evelyn are fine people and the parents of Dr. Jay Johnson, dentist at Pampa and 3 others and grandographs of 9

grandparents of 8.

Sue Ratliff went to Oklahoma City over the weekend to take Bob's pickup to him. They had hit a deer on Aug. 17 and the pickup had been in the shop. Bob works long days 7 days a week there. Many deer around, so be careful. Heather Ratliff is a senior at Canadian and Keith a freshman. Grandchildren Gabe is in first grade and Nikki goes to the babysitter. Sue still works at the hopsital in Canadian. Timm and Melody Rodger should be here in about 2 weeks.

Nice to visit with Mardie Ogle on the

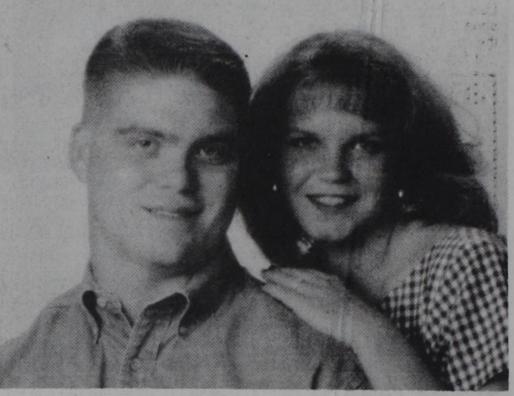
phone. She is doing well now. Misty Morgan is working at McDonalds in Shamrock as is Misty Hallett Young. Melody Morgan is still working at Wheeler Care Center.

Wheeler Care Center.
Gathering at Mabel Parkers on Tuesday to do hand quilting are Dorothy Ogle, Margaret Gilmer, Mardie

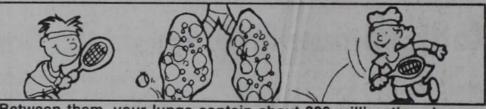
Ogle and Mary Nelson.

Nice to have Sue Chandler and Bridget join us for supper at Mel's Diner Monday night. Brad and Sue have several products to sell made from Emu oil: lotions, oil, gels, shampoos to help with dry skin, arthritis and other things. We had a delicious supper.

"Light your world. Let the love of (Continued Page 4)



ENGAGEMENT ANNOUNCEMENT: Steve and Melonia Simmons would like to announce the engagement of their daughter, Keri Leighann, to Jason Beers, son of Charles and Peggy Beers of Perryton, TX. Keri currently attends SWOSU at Sayre. Jason attends Texas A&M, majoring in Construction Science. The couple plan to live in College Station, TX after their marriage January 4th.



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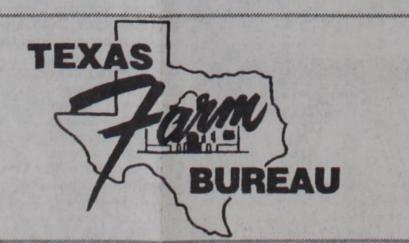
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The raincrow got his act together and brought on the monsoons. We just need for him to back off until after the rodeo, Labor Day, and all those good things. We had a little over 2 cinches all week tho I hear some places really flooded.

Shirley Cogburn called to tell me she had talked to Mr. Cruze and he plans to keep the translator towers going if people will just send in their cidues. Almost every one who has a TV -Tuses the tower and should be very thappy to pay their fair share. It is cheap compared to the 'dish' or cable. Cable users pay from \$20 and up emonthly. A friend told me that her daughter pays \$38 monthly for the dish. I think that varies with the number and sort of channels you want. Lets all keep a good thing going and send our money as soon as we get

J. R. and Ellen Coffey, Burkburnett,

'A Flush

were out to spend a few days with their aunt Bertha Coffey

Editha Hildebrand kept little Alison while Steven and Phyllis were moving to Hammon. She offered us some pears and apples but we had some. We appreciated her thoughtfulness. Wilma Fowler and Elma Henson came by to see us. Elma brought a sack of okra, tomatores, and cookies. They went on down to the Pickerings to pick a mess of peas.

Imogene and Raymond Pickering have been to North Carolina to see their daughter Cheryl Layfield and Sarah. They didn't make it to Indiana to see her brother.

Lanelle and Donnis Hayes, Enid, were out to spend the weekend with her mother Mildred Allen. Leroy Allen and Junior Maddox came out on Monday and took Mildred to see her doc-

With Faye and Leroy Allen last week were Wanda Frazier, and Cindy Stroud, Fremont, CA, Steve and Linda Frazier, Knoxville, Tenn., Ray and Venita Maddox, Vergris, OK, Kelly and Kim Maddox, Kelsey and Kealon, Jackie Day, Brutus and Bobbi, Rick and Sherry Allen, Mark and Nikki, and Melanie, Hammon, Jinf and Donna

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ing cigarettes. Elbert Atkinson, Sally Sites, Lindsey Pruitt, Cal Rogers, and Doris Flowers are among those having birthdays this weekend and getting a national

Edd Susseen. On Friday they at-

tended a memorial service at the Buf-

We appreciate getting our road fixed

up. Sure is nice. We went to Sayre on

152 Saturday. Good to see the coun-

try and the white rail fence around

Lynn Hickey's Valley View farm. Saw

Dorothy Fuchs, Beth Ann Stone, Betty

Sanders, and some folks from Clovis,

NM. Made me remember some 70

odd years ago, Daddy cranked up our

model T and we went to Clovis to see

our uncle. So far, and slow with no

paved roads that it took us two days to

get there. Thursday we saw Randa

Coffey, Joyce Sutton, Harold Bollen

Ken and Jane Burrows, Liberty,

MO. visited the O. K. Hensons last

week. They went to Foss Lake and

dined at the floating restaurant. Was

is an addictive drug, causing cancer

in a third of the users, etc. it seems

time for America to quit raising it much

less subsidizing the tobacco farmers.

Keeping it from children is not enough.

That land will raise other crops. TV

says Target stores are through sell-

Since they have discovered tobacco

and Bobby Holcomb.

falo Cemetery for Jim Frazier.

holiday. Wilma Fowler, Elma Henson, and Louise Perry held the election at the

Hildebrand held the election at the Mcdlock, Hammon, Mark and Felicia school and had 35 vote. Abla, Randy and Randilyn Allen, and

Funeral services were Saturday at the Erick Baptist Church for Beatrice Coffey Boyd with burial in the Erick Cemetery. She was raised in this com-

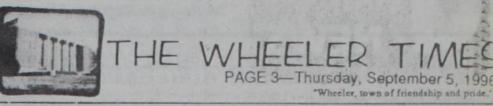
Memorial services were Friday at the Marlow Assembly of God Church for Tom Elroy with burial in the Marlow Cemetery. He was the son-in-law of the J. M. Ashleys. Attending from here were Mr. and Mrs. Ashley, Joe and Faye Mong, Ollie Anderson and Norma Zellmar. Ollie and Norma went on to Ponca City to see Wanda and

Charles and Lynette Bryan, Misty and Stacy, Edmond, visited the Ed Logans and attended the Leroy Bryan

Carolyn Barham and mother Ruby Rush have been to Tulare, CA where they visited Joel and Juanita Rush, and Jeff and Mary Barham, Joe and Keith. They went over to Oceania one day to visit her aunt Inez.

The Roger Mills County 4-H Carnival was held last week at Cheyenne. Lindsey Coffey, Terri Calverley, Ricky Hanson, Jana Hanson, Josh Balough, and Andrea Calaverley attended. They had two booths, Put Put Golf and Shoot the Candle. Adults going were Randa Coffey, Janet Hanson, and Tommy Calverley. I hear Tommy is taking some courses in air conditioning at El Reno.

Molly and Mandy Carlson flew to Toronto, Canada, where they visited Molly's sister Kay Phillips. Highlight was a trip to Niagara Falls. I forgot to asked if they rode the boat. Mandy is



back in college at Edmond, making good grades and playing basketball. Iva Thompson spent the weekend with Peggy and Leroy Dunlap. Dale

and family were up from Wellington to take in the Elk rodeo. May be sort of



ENGAGEMENT ANNOUNCEMENT: Mr. and Mrs. Charles C. Turner III of Fort Worth, Mr. and Mrs. Bobby D. Murdock of Fort Worth and Dr. and Mrs. Louie L. Mendiola of Wheeler announce the engagement and approaching marriage of their children Stacy L. Turner and Vincent Y. Mendiola. Stacy graduated from W. E. Boswell High School in 1987 and attended the University of North Texas. She is now an advertising account executive at the "Fort Worth Star Telegram" in Fort Worth. She is the granddaughter of Dorothy Singleton of Fort Worth and Marie Turner of Palestine and Genevieve Murdock of Memphis. Vincent is a 1986 graduate of Wheeler High School and graduated from Texas Tech University in 1992. He is a stockbroker at the firm of OLDE Stockbrokers in Fort Worth. Vince is the grandson of Dr. Greg J. Mendiola and the late Dr. Rosario L. Mendiola of Manila, Philippines and the late Mr. and Mrs. Faustino E. Yap of Manila, Philippines. The couple will be married Saturday, November 2 at Saint Patrick's Cathedral in Fort Worth. They will make their home in Hurst, Texas.

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While much of the state of Texas endured a droughty summer, the Texas panhandle was blessed with above normal summer rainfall. The rangeland has responded with an increase in the amount of tall grasses such as Sand Bluestem and Indian Grass. Field crops are also looking well. As fall approaches, preparations are being made to plant wheat and rye. One preparation that should not be overlooked is the repair or construction of diversions and terraces.

Diversions and terraces are similar with only minor differences. Terraces occur as a system consisting of at least three while diversions are usually solitary. Terraces are smaller in size, approximately 15 inches of height, while diversions may be up to 3 feet high. Consequently, larger earth moving equipment is often required for constructing a diversion.

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September 9, 1996 to September Monday: Breakfast: Juice, Toast/

Jelly, Cereal, Milk. Lunch: Burrito/Cheese, Salad, Spanish Rice, Crackers, Milk Tes, Apricots, Juice Pops, Cookies. Tuesday: Breakfast: Juice, Biscuits/Gravy, Scrambled Eggs, Pea-

nut Butter, Milk. Lunch: BBQ Chicken, Scalloped Potatoes, Blackeyed Peas, Bread, Milk/Tea, Peaches.

Wednesday: Breakfast: Juice, Cinnamon Roll, Peanut Butter & Jelly Sandwiches, Apple, Milk Lunch: Cheeseburgers, Lettuce, To-

mato, Onion, Pickles, French Fries, Milk/Tea, Pears. Thursday: Breakfast: Juice, Toast/ Jelly, Peanut Butter, Pancake Pups/

Lunch: Steak Fingers, M. Potatoes/ Gravy, Green Beans, Hot Roll/Butter, Milk/Tea, Mixed Fruit.

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The men's monthly business will be held in the multi-purpose building on Monday night, September 9th. A fellowship meal will be served before this meeting business is held. This fellowship meal will be served at 7:00

A thank-you note has been received from the family of Elva Gentry. This thank-you note is posted on the bulletin board in the lobby A thank-you note has been received from the family of Teed Pond. This thank-you note is posted on the bulletin board in the lobby.

The latest mission report from India is posted on the bulletin board in the lobby. This mission report was written by Ron Clayton, a former minister

Puny Griffin is hospitalized in High Plains Baptist Hospital in Amarillo, recovering from heart surgery. His condition is serious.

Charles Finsterwald is hospitalized in the local hospital.

From The Minister's Desk: An important admonition is given to parents in Proverbs 22:6. This famous Old Testament text says: "Train up a child in the way he should

go, even when he is old he will not

depart from it." But how should parents "--train up--" their children? Perhaps the best answer to this question can be found in some suggestions that were recently made by the famous columnist, Ann Landers. Her sugges-

tions were: ---1. Remember that a child is a gift from God, the richest of all blessings. Do not attempt to mold him in the image of yourself, your father, your brother or your neighbor. Each child is an individual and should be permitted to be himself.

2. Do not crush a child's spirit when he fails. And never compare him with others who have outshone

3. Remember that anger and hostility are natural emotions. Help your child to find socially acceptable outlets for these normal feelings or they may be turned inward and erupt in the form of physical or mental ill-

4. Discipline your child with firmness and reason. Do not let your anger throw you off balance. If he knows you are fair, you will not lose his respect or his love. And make sure the punishment fits the crime. Even the youngest child has a keen

sense of justice. 5. Remember that each child needs two parents. Present a united front. Never join with your child against your mate. This can create in your child (as well as in yourself) emotional conflicts. It can also create feelings of guilt, confusion, and

6. Do not hand your child everything his little heart desires. Permit hi know the thrill of earning and

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the joy of achieving. Grant him the greatest of all satisfactions, the pleasure that comes with personal accomplishment.

7. Do not set yourself up as the epitome of perfection. This is a difficult role to play 24 hours a day. You will find it easier to communicate with your child if you let him

know that Mon and Dad can err, too. 8. Do not make threats in anger or impossible promises when you are in a generous mood. Threaten or promise only that which you can live up to. To a child, a parent's word means everything. The child who has lost faith in his parents has difficulty believing in anything.

9. Do not smother your child with superficial manifestations of "love". The purest and healthiest love expresses itself in day-in, day-out training, which breeds self-confidence and independence.

10. Teach your child there is dignity in hard work, whether it is performed with calloused hands that hands shovel coal or skilled fingers that manipulate surgical instruments. Let him know a useful life is a blessed one and a life of ease and pleasure-seeking is empty and meaningless.

11. Do not try to protect your child against every small blow and disappointment. Adversity strengthens character and makes us compassionate. Trouble is the great equalizer. Let him learn from it.

12. Teach your child to love God and to love his fellow men. Do not send your child to a place of worship. Take him there. Children learn from example. Telling him something is not teaching him. If you give your child a deep and abiding faith in God, it can be his strength and his light when all else fails.

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County Extension offices may only fill requests for absentee ballots from August 26 through September 17. Completed absentee ballots must be received in the county Extension office by the close of business on September 27. Ballots will be counted on October 16.

If the referendum is approved, the program would be funded by a mandatory assessment of domestic producers, feeders and exporters of live sheep and greasy wool. The assessment would be one cent per pound on

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NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING ON WHEELER COUNTY APPRAISAL DISTRICT BUDGET

The Wheeler County Appraisal District will hold a public hearing on a proposed budget for the 1997 fiscal year.

The public hearing will be held on Monday, September 16, 1996 at 4:30 p.m. in the appraisal district office, County Courthouse Square, Wheeler.

A summary of the appraisal district budget follows:

The total amount of the proposed budget.

\$ 184,077.

The total amount of increase over the current year's budget.

649.

The number of employees compensated under

the proposed budget.

The number of employees compensated under the current budget.

The appraisal district is supported by payments from the local taxing units served by the appraisal district.

If approved by the appraisal district board of directors at the public hearing, this proposed budget will take effect automatically unless disapproved by the governing bodies of the county, school district, cities and towns served by the appraisal district.

A copy of the proposed budget is available for public inspection in the office of each of those governing bodies. A copy is also available for public inspection at the appraisal district.

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live sheep sold and two cents per pound on greasy wool sold.

No one is authorized to register or to vote on behalf of an individual voter. Any other questions about the referendum may be referred to Kenneth R. Payne, Agricultural Marketing Service, Washington, D.C., toll-free (888)265-8110.

Gageby (from Page 2)

God shine through." Sunday dinner guests of Venson and Fay Smith were Stanley and Jeannette LaGrone and family from Canyon, (Jeannette is a daughter of Maurine Thomas-now deceased) Marlin and Bonnie Thomas from Borger, and David and Winnie Gilmer. Coming later to visit were Tonya and Bill Finsterwald and Brandon and Walter and Tricia Hand and Monty. The LaGrones are cousins to Winnie

and Tricia.

Nice to hear that Mrs. Bud (Kay) Waters is now home to Pampa from Rehab at Lubbock. She suffered a stroke a few weeks ago and is now much improved. She can stay by herself, but her mother and sister live in Pampa and stay with her some to help out. Her left hand still gives some trouble and she takes medication to prevent another stroke and walks with a cane. Great that she can talk good and get around. Keep praying for Kay and Bud.

"The tiny dew drop does the will of God as much as a thunderstorm". Addie Swift went to Pampa to the volleyball games with Clyde and Jane Dukes Tuesday. Thursday Addie went to McLean to watch the football scrimmage with Kay and Scott Luttrell. Our boys did real well, girls, too.

Roy and Jane Swift from Eastland visited Fat and Wanda Childress. They all were out to the volleyball games at Pampa Tuesday and then went on a little trip into New Mexico. Dub and Kelley Swift from Pampa visited Fat and Wanda and Addie Tuesday.

Nice to see some lovely people at Maxeys Sunday: Glenn Williams, Reba Wofford, and Mary Wofford with Adrian and Dorothy Risner, Vida Brown with Elva Wood, Mary Margaret Dodd and Mae and Harold Nash, David and Paula Britt, Jerry and Ann Killingsworth and family, James Verden family

Good to have the Flanagan kids from Mobeetie out to singing Sunday night: Amanda (Onsurez), Charlie, Katie and Shawna. Katie and Charlie sang beautifully for us. Charlie works at Pampa at Albertsons. Amanda is married and lives and works in Amarillo where she is assistant manager of Payless Shoes and takes a college course. Katie is a senior at Fort Elliott.

Others singing were Pat and Ray Hudson, Cheryl Fraley, Evelyn Meek, Martha Meek, Lois Meadows. All sounded good. Willis Fillingim played the harmonica Willa Fillingim had some very good poems. Also Ray Hudson. Other guests were Ed and Laurel Hershman from Wheeler. All guests appreciated.

Charlotte and Aubrey Brown from San Antonio spent a few days with Charlotte's mom, Lessie Austin. They all visited Ed and Laurel Hershman in Wheeler and ate lunch together at Maxeys Friday. Laurel and Charlotte were school friends at Briscoe.

We enjoyed watching our Fort Elliott High School girls play Trinity from Amarillo in Volleyball Tuesday. We won 15-12-15-11. Pretty close. Congratulations! Next Pampa Varsity played Trinity and beat them. Our girls then lost to Pampa, but they are 4 A. I think.

"Why place your hopes and your dreams on a person Who's nothing much more than a liar; who once they get all the votes they need, could care less if your pants are on fire."-from a cartoon.

I was scheduled to have surgery on my ear (stapesectomy) Friday morning. But a deep cold took over me Thursday night. Doctor thought might ought to cancel the surgery for now, because of danger of infection. We hope to later, if it will help me hear better. Dr. Martin Schneider is my

Friday nice to visit with Bud Williams at Panhandle Dairy Queen when we stopped to eat. Denise and husband and children live at Canyon. He works at a radio station in Amarillo.

Nice to have James Moffett's parents, Jake and Lura Moffett from Clarendon out to Gageby Church Sunday with James and Alesha

Weekend visitors to David and Phyllis Hefley were Kristi Meek from Lubbock, Darren Hefley from Nazareth and Chalone Stack from Lubbock.

Rita Pearson went to Canyon Sunday and visited Dallas and Lindsey. David Pearson went to Stamford Sunday and took some grass seed to his dad and visited his folks Albert and Mary Pearson. David helped sow the grass seed and came back late Mon-

Lindsey Fillingim kept books at the volleyball tournament at Canyon WTA&M and enjoyed it over the week-

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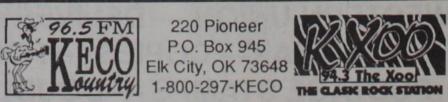
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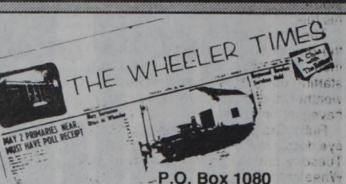
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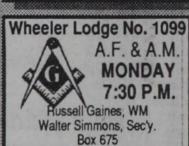
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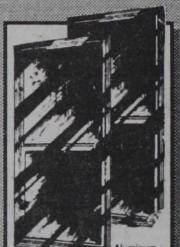
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The Lord is good, a strong hold in the day of trouble; and he knoweth them that trust in him. September is starting out with the same nice cool weather that August gave us, the rains have just been beautiful.

Ruby Craig took a relative to the eye doctor in Pampa a week ago last Tuesday and last Friday took her to Wheeler to the doctor

Last Monday Sa Rita Green and Kelton from Binger, Okla. and Tia Boydston, Corinna and Kendra were all dinner guest with Opal and Juanita Boydston. Last Tuesday evening Opal and Juanita visited Len and Betty Brown at their Allison home and helped them shell peas.

Len and Betty and grandson David and Opal went to Skipout Lake in Oklahoma fishing, Betty don't fish so she fixed lunch for the others.

Roma and Billy Brown and Merlyns last Sunday dinner guest was Sylvia Brown from Wheeler.

My daughter, Johnnie Harrison, from Amarillo visited with me last Saturday. Ruby Craig and Pearl Harrison also visited with us a while Saturday afternoon.

Last Friday evening Teresa fixed a birthday supperfor her husband, Mike, and their daughter, Danette Weller, from Canyon. Others there to enjoy the celebration were Zeland and

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Ray and Sue Giddens weekend guest were their grandsons, Sammy Britten from Amarillo and Clay Zybach of Briscoe. Kathy and Wayne Zybach and Casey visited Sunday afternoon and went home Sunday night. Other guests Sunday afternoon were Mark Elmore and his son, Travis.

The lightning started a fire on the Britt ranch last Sunday morning burn't some big tanks. Firefighters from several different towns were called to help put it out. It was about a mile southwest of Ray and Sue's house.

Pete and Margaret Gilmer's weekend guest were Becky and Jeannie Gilmerfrom Amarillo and Rodney and Linda Ingersoll and Andrew. They all went to Spring Creek in Oklahoma and had a picnic supper there Friday. Saturday morning they all went to Erick, Oklahoma and ate breakfast. Saturday afternoon they went to Mabel Parkers and celebrated Mabel's 86th

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birthday. Mabel is still a very perky little lady.

Rodney and Linda went to Amarillo Sunday afternoon and spent the night with Becky and Jeannie and also Labor Day. Andrew had went home with Becky and Jeannie on Saturday evening and he returned home Monday with his parents.

Rita Grayson, Hattie and Joni went to Fritch last Saturday and spent the night with Rita's brother and wife, Ray

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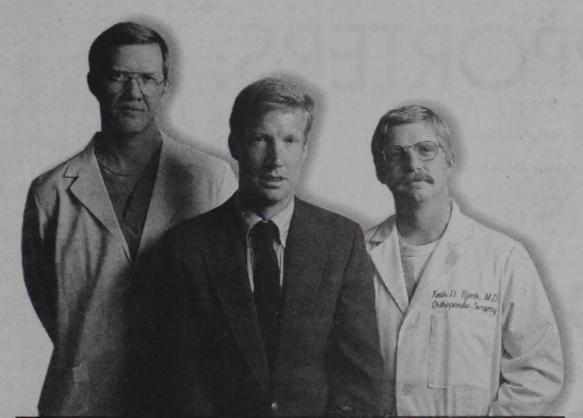
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and Evelyn Aderholt, and attended church Sunday morning at Borger.

Rex and Virginia Miller's Saturday guest was their daughter, Lynda Banger, from Amarillo.

Pearl Harrison went to Elk City last Thursday and spent a couple of nights with Jimmy and Vivian Wallace and Kimberly O'Donnel. They celebrated Kimberly's 16th birthday on Friday. Pearl also visited her sister, Inez Townsley, and came home Saturday.

Last Sunday dinner guests at Louise and Clifton Boydston's were Kevin and Melissa Fleming, Meagan and Ashton from Lufkin and Jonathan and Justin Walker from Canyon, Kim Thompson, Kimber and Brittney from Amarillo, Earny and Sue Martin and family from Jones, Oklahoma, Jeffrey Chadwick and daughter Kabria from Okmulgee, Okla., Bennie and Debbie Boydston, Heather and Jason, Cheryl Dupont, Sabrina and Cody, Beth Koski, Eddy and Wanda Walker, Pearl Harrison and Jean Stinnett from Dumas, Opal and Juanita Boydston visited Sunday afternoon.

Take time to pray—it is the greatest power on earth.

CARE CENTER COMMENTS

By A Resident Reporter

Hasn't the rain been really pleasant? Sometimes the cloudy days make long dreary days. When I was young, I liked rainy days. It seemed I accomplished more than if the weather was beautiful. Oh! well, I just thank God for

I was looking at the calendar last week and saw that Dock Hogue had a birthday on August 27. Dock turned 92, so Happy Birthday, Dock!

Saturday, Barbara took Ruth Hoggard and Margaret Heide to the Mobeetie parade. However, I just found out that they were in the parade. Barbara said, "that they had a good time." They decorated the van with balloons. She said, "that they lost some balloons on the way over." They mentioned that in March we would try and have a float in the St. Patrick's

We were supposed to have a movie last Tuesday, but due to lack of interest or just plain laziness we cancelled. Sorry Cathy, maybe this Tuesday we will feel like watching a movie.

Barbara brought 2 buckets of blackeyed peas for us to shell. Some of us ladies shelled them peas and the next day the kitchen cooked those peas for us and boy was they good.

We played Bingo Wednesday and Saturday. Wednesday, we had 4 blackout winners. They were Opal Gardner, Ruth Hoggard, Zinnie Bailey and Shorty Crawford. Saturday's blackout winner was Opal Garner. Opal what's your secret? Thanks to Katherine Eads, Tom Helton and Shorty Crawford for helping us out.

Delmas Jones and his wife Marda came for church Tuesday. We sang songs and heard a good message. The Christian Center ladies were here for Church Thursday. Fern Young was out of pocket and their preacher filled in for Fern. Sunday we had church with the First Baptist Church of Wheeler. We also had a good time fellowship together.

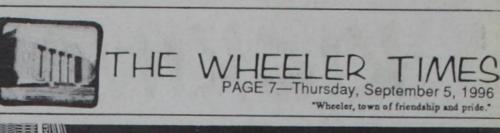
We had Happy Hour Friday night and Barbara served watermelon and cantaloupe. The lobby was full of us old folks, our mouths watering. it was really good.

Extension Update By Joan Gray, CEA-HE

PACKING SAFE SCHOOL LUNCHES

Most kids like sandwiches, but you have to be careful what you pack. Don't pack anything that will spoil unless you have a way to keep it cold. Joan Gray, County Extension Agent - Family and Consumer Sciences says lunch meats hold up well in a lunch box. Include cheese for a dose of calcium. She suggests packing the lettuce and tomato separately and including these little packets of mustard and mayonnaise instead of putting it on the bread. And by all means, add chips. Children need a certain amount of fat. Children also need fruits and vegetables. Send them whole or cut with ranch dressing for dipping. Most children aren't getting the five recommended daily servings. To help keep sandwiches and yogurt cold, you can freeze juice boxes and include them in the lunch box. Or you may want to invest in one of the new insulated lunch boxes. Keeping the lunch box clean is just as important. Wash it daily, and once a week give it a really good cleaning with water and baking soda.







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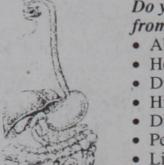
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Michael Hilburn	55	Sophomore	5'9"	140	C	E
Chris Mick	80	Sophomore	5'9"	131	E/QB	LB
Bryan Moran	92	Sophomore	5'9"	135	C	LB
Tanner Smith	88	Sophomore	5'5"	105	SE/RB	S
Jeremy Tomlinson	50	Sophomore	5'9"	140	E	E
Josh Bails	61	Freshman	5'9"	145	E	LB
Curt Smith	8	Freshman	5'5"	126	QB	S
Clay Zybach	21	Freshman	5'10"	144	RB/E	E/LB

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