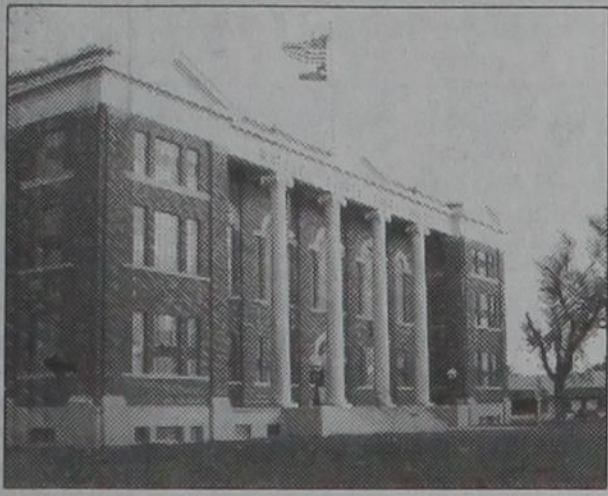


ATTENTION VETERANS

Wheeler County Veterans are invited to a dinner at the Wheeler Volunteer Fire Department Monday, November 12, 2007 at noon.



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CWE CHAT WITH EDITOR
By Louis C. Stas

Wheeler Shoppers Can Win 'Cash'; Lucky Shoppers To Share \$1500

Congratulations, Haley and Taylor Sparks! These young ladies ran in the regional cross country meet last Saturday and qualified for the state meet.

Haley placed third and Taylor placed seventh with 176 runners participating.

GO MUSTANGS! Defeat Memphis. We still have a chance to make the play-offs.

Seems odd to have Christmas items on the front page already, but changes have been made in the 'Cash' drawing and the Chamber's Christmas Open House.

The chamber is urging individuals wanting a crafts booth to contact them as soon as possible. We have a form on page 9 for making reservations for a booth at the open house.

And, Christmas is not that far away.

Had to turn the heater on at the office and house Tuesday morning.

We were in OKC this past weekend. We left on Thursday, as Barbara had work in Anadarko and I went to be her 'runner'.

It was also the weekend for the 'Women of Faith' convention. Wheeler was well represented.

On Sunday we were at the Meriwethers for dinner. First time in a long time we have been able to make it.

Cards were played Monday
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The annual Christmas Drawing will again be offered by the progressive merchants of Wheeler. The drawings are sponsored by the Wheeler Chamber of Commerce. Certificates will be given away to lucky local shoppers during the two-day Chamber Christmas Open House. The merchants of Wheeler feel this is one way they can thank you, their customers, for the support you have given them during the year and are giving you a chance to share their profits.

There will be major changes in the drawings this year. There will be **only** two drawings during our Christmas Open House on December 1 and 2 at 2:00 p.m. both days on the square. A total of \$1500 in Wheeler 'Cash' will be handed out to lucky Wheeler shoppers. The amounts in the envelopes will be larger than years past, bringing more excitement to the drawings.

The 'cash' will still be in the form of Wheeler Bucks to be used at our local businesses listed on the back of each slip of script.

Tickets for the drawings will be given out only in **November** at Hyland's Pharmacy, Marshall Discount Auto, Peso Dollar Store, Thriftway Market Square, Navadades Saharay, Wheeler Lumber Company and The Net Shack.

As has been the practice for the past several years, script is given away to the lucky individuals instead of cash. The script can be spent like money with any of the participating merchants named on the back of the script. The value of each slip of script will be printed on the face of the script.

Remember, each time you enter participating stores you are entitled to a ticket; ask for it, sign it and deposit the ticket in the containers which are conveniently located in the sponsoring firms.

You will receive one ticket per each one dollar of the purchase value up to a maximum of \$500.

When the day of the drawing arrives, all of the tickets will be placed in a large container and the winners drawn. You **MUST** be present to win; however, husbands and wives may claim each other's prizes.

Each sponsor giving tickets will display a poster in their window indicating they are giving drawing tickets.



STATE BOUND: Haley (left) and Taylor Sparks will be competing in the state Cross Country meet this Saturday. Haley placed third at the regional meet this past week and Taylor placed seventh. These young ladies are both freshmen. **BRING HOME THE GOLD!**



HALEY SPARKS was named to the *Globe-News* "Athlete of the Week Honor Roll". Haley, a freshman on the Wheeler Cross Country team clocked a 12:17.44 to take the bronze at the region 1-1A meet, one of two Wheeler runners who finished in the top 10 to qualify for the state meet.

Two Cross Country Girls State Qualified

Wheeler Varsity Girls teams in 7th as a team out of 24 teams. Individual results:
Haley Sparks 3rd 12:17
Taylor Sparks 7th 12:26
Stacie Hanson 24th 13:07
Gladys Zapata 19th 14:47
Sarah Miller 109th 14:34
Mayra Martinez 118th 14:46
Kaylee Marion 119th 14:47
There were 176 runners.
Diana Corral and Giovanna Luna went as Alternates.

Both Haley and Taylor Sparks qualified for the State Meet at Round Rock Nov. 10th. They will run at Old Settlers park at 10:50.

Make 'Christmas Open House' Booth Reservation Early For Best Location

Wheeler's Christmas Open House will be held in the Wheeler School Cafeteria on Saturday and Sunday, December 1 and 2, 2007. The Christmas season in Wheeler will officially begin in Wheeler this year on Saturday, December 1. Businesses on the square will open their regular hours on Saturday and some will open Sunday.

A form is printed in this week's edition of the *Times* for those interested in having a booth at the Open House.

Remember, get your reservations in early, as the booths will be marked off in a first come, first serve basis.

This is an excellent opportunity for local crafters to display and sell their products. Santa Claus has arranged his schedule to be in Wheeler on both days at 2:30 PM. The *Times* will announce the location at a later date. The children will have an opportunity to visit Santa and receive a stocking from the jolly old elf. Pictures with Santa will be made by Xi Upsilon Eta.

The Mini Crafts Mall will be located in the Wheeler School Cafeteria this year.

Hours for the Crafts Mall will be 12 Noon to 8:00 P.M. and 2:00 to 6:00 P.M. on Sunday.

The Chamber would like to have food booths so shoppers can eat or snack while at the mini mall. This will be an added convenience for the vendors.

Reservations are being taken. Use the form in this edition of the *Times* to reserve your spot or, you may contact the Wheeler Chamber of Commerce at 826-3408. Members of the Wheeler Chamber of Commerce are not charged for a booth space.

Earn some extra money for Christmas. Did you make more plum jelly than you need? Sell it at the crafts show.

Wheeler Banking Center will be holding a drawing at the end of the Christmas Open House at which time \$250 cash will be given away to some individual. To be eligible for the drawing, one only needs to make a purchase from a vendor at the mall; one ticket will be given with each purchase. Each shopper will be responsible for putting their ticket and/or tickets in the hopper, which will be located at the cafeteria.

The Square House Museum from Panhandle, TX will have a Pioneer Christmas exhibit set up for everyone's enjoyment and education.

The Open House is for the purpose of giving Wheeler shoppers an opportunity to see what

Mustangs May Still Qualify For Play-offs

Wheeler moved closer to a possible playoff berth with a District 3-1A victory against Quanah on Friday, November 2.

Wheeler (4-5, 2-2) built a 21-7 lead on senior night and held off Quanah (5-4, 3-1).

Richard Watter scored two touchdowns for Wheeler, which held the Indians to 206 yards. Watter had 97 yards and Tyler Richardson 81 yards rushing, while Tevin Mitchell had 84 for Quanah.

Quanah 8 0 0 6 16
Wheeler 0 15 6 0 21
Q—Safety
Q—Chris Carter 9 run (kick failed)

W—Richard Watter 5 run (Terry Menefield run)

W—Watter 20 run (Menefield kick)

Q—Menefield run (run failed)

Q—Josh Reid 5 run (pass failed)

| | Quanah | Wheeler |
|---------------|--------|---------|
| First Downs | 16 | 14 |
| Rushing Yards | 139 | 191 |
| Passing Yards | 67 | 66 |
| Total Yards | 206 | 257 |
| Comp-Att-INT | 4-10-2 | 2-2-0 |
| Punts-Avg | 1-29 | 3-25 |
| Fumbles-Lost | 4-1 | 7-3 |
| Penalties-Yds | 0-0 | 4-50 |

Wheeler merchants have to offer in the way of Christmas gifts.

Services Tues. For Addie Lilly Swift, 95

Addie Lilly Swift, 95, passed away Saturday, November 3, 2007, in Wheeler, Texas.

Services were held at 2:00 P.M., Tuesday, November 6, 2007, at the Country Chapel Church in Wheeler, Texas, with Pastor Kyle Ohsfeldt, Pastor of Grace Baptist Church, Pampa, Texas, officiating.

Burial was in the Wheeler Cemetery, Wheeler, Texas, under the direction of Wright Funeral Home, Wheeler, Texas.

Addie Lilly (Maw Maw) Swift was born to Morris E. (Babe) and Annie Ma (Duncan) Castle, February 13, 1912, in Shannon, Texas. Maw Maw Swift passed from this life Saturday, November 3, 2007, at age 95.

Addie married Auther Andy (Buster) Swift on December 6, 1929, in Sayre, Oklahoma. To this union was born a daughter and five sons. Buster preceded her in death in 1962 and also a son, Versie Wayne, in 1935. Addie was a big fan of the Dallas Cowboys and loved watching her grandkids in all of their activities following the Briscoe Broncos; later, the great-grandkids being the Fort Elliott Cougars and, lastly, the great-great grandkids in T-ball.

Addie was preceded in death by her parents, husband, son, grandson, Wayne Childress; a great-grandson, Johnny Wayne Dukes; granddaughter, Britney Hathaway, sister, Mary Powell, and brother, Morris (Hap) Castle of Shannon, Texas.

Survivors include Wanda and L. D. Childress of Briscoe, Roy and Jane Swift of Eastland, Dub and Mary Swift of Pampa, Bob and Zedell Swift of Wheeler and Glen and Kathy Swift of Eastland; grandchildren, Cathy and Melvin Hunt, Kay and Scott Luttrell, Jane and Clyde Dukes all of Briscoe, Pat Childress of Wheeler, Morris Swift, Kelly and Bill Shelton of Pampa, Brian and Jennifer Swift of Wichita, Kansas, Lacey Hathaway of Wheeler, Shannon Cantwell of Dallas, Ty and Cris Swift of Mobeetie, Ken and Joanie Swift, Gail and Lynn Williamson of Eastland, Kyle and Adrian Swift of Plano, Texas and Courtney Swift of Round Rock, Texas; sister, Beulah Stuart of Shamrock, Texas, and brother, Fred Castle of Shannon, Texas; 26 great-grandchildren; 21 great-great grandchildren; and a host of nieces, nephews, friends and other relatives.

Online guest book may be signed at www.wrightfuneraldirectors.com

RUN HALEY AND TAYLOR RUN!

STORM REPORT

As Reported By...
Stormie Meriwether
Pre-Kindergarten

We rode the big bus to the town. All the kids wore costumes. We said, "Trick or Treat" to all the people. They gave us lots and lots of candy! We went to see all the Grandmas and Grandpas at the hospital. They were not sick. They gave us hugs and candy and things. All the kids love the people. They are so nice to us.

MUSTANG Bus send off Friday

at 3:45 at Maxey's
Tailgate party at Memphis stadium
Friday before the game from 6:00-7:00
Please bring your own sack lunch
We will be there ready to support those Wheeler Mustangs!!!!

Minutes For Special Meeting Of Parkview Hospital Board Oct. 29

The meeting was called to order at 5:00 p.m. by Chairman Thomas Helton in the Board Room at Parkview Hospital.

Present were: Thomas R. Helton, Chairman; Sue Chandler, Vice Chairman; James Batton, Secretary; Dale Garner and Ray Hudson. Also present: Ann Fagan Cook, RN, BSN and Charles Michael.

The Chairman moved to Agenda Item 5 to allow Charles Michael to present the quote for our employee health insurance policy for the year beginning December 1, 2007. Mr. Michael explained that if we accept the quote today, this would lock in the price for next year even though our current year runs through November 30, 2007. This would not change even if we had a catastrophic

event during the next five weeks. After some questions from Board members Dale Garner made the motion to accept the quote. Sue Chandler seconded the motion and the motion carried unanimously. Mr. Michael left the meeting at 5:15 p.m.

Ms. Fagan Cook presented the bids for floor covering in the x-ray area out to the back door and to the nurse's station. Sue Chandler made a motion to accept the bid for doing the entire area. Ray Hudson seconded the motion and the motion carried unanimously.

Chairman Helton led a discussion regarding the cover for the ambulance unloading area. The group then went out to look the situation over and make recommendations for what might work. It was decided that a carpenter would not be something that would work. Dale Garner made a motion to table the discussion and allow Ms. Fagan Cook to get a bid for a permanent structure from the company that built the ambulance barn in Shamrock. Ray Hudson seconded the motion and the motion carried unanimously.

The group then moved to the lobby area and reviewed the bids to create an office for the administrator. This would allow the business office to expand without having to build an additional structure. This would leave a smaller lobby area. The group then visited the waiting room in Hall A. Consensus was to renovate this room with paint and new furniture. Ms. Fagan Cook was instructed to get information regarding pricing for

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Hay Producers Are Warned Of Fraud

Producers should be aware of a hay fraud scam that is currently being attempted on producers in Texas and Arkansas and maybe in other states.

The scam is initiated by someone contacting a local producer from out of state claiming they are interested in purchasing an amount of hay: 15 round bales in Hempstead, Van Buren and Washington counties, Arkansas and 60 round bales in Smith County, Texas. The person needing hay, supposedly from out east, sends the producer a 'cashier's check' for the purchase price. In the Texas case, the 'buyer' requested that the producer deposit the check and provide \$1500 to the 'hauler' and an additional \$1500 to a 'broker'. In each of the cases, the 'buyer' would have gotten a free load of hay and the 'hauler' and 'broker' would have received money from the producer. In each of the cases, producers asked banks to evaluate the checks and in each case, the checks were found to be fraudulent.

Before selling any hay to anyone that is not known personally, producers should ensure that the checks they are being paid with are legitimate. Producers with alleged 'cashier's checks'. If you suspect you are the potential victim of a scam, report the action to your local law enforcement authorities.

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The second grade class went on a field trip to Market Square in Wheeler to pick out a pumpkin, they then designed their pumpkin and Mrs. Koen and Mr. Matt Koen carved the students pumpkins for them to take home at the end of the day. The students include: Alli Banda, Audra Alley, Jessica Morales, Bobby Blackburn, Payton Garza, and Kionte Brand.



Audra Alley



Jessica Morales



Laney Garcia, Emily Cook, Clint McKee, Kiera Hurtado, Jayton Couch, Corbin Whitmire, Brock Buckingham, Ransley Cochran, Cassidy Carter, Kaleb Kimbro, and Shasta



LeighAnne Cook, Ryan Cook, Eli McKinley, Bryce Rowley, Cody Carr, Cristian Contreras, Putreal Morgan, Brett Hennig, MaKali Marshall, and Luis Martinez



Brock Buckingham

Mrs. Hales' first grade class at Ft. Elliott made their Halloween sacks themselves. The girls took two pieces of felt and cut the ends, tied the sides and bottoms, put a handle on them and added decorations of their choice. The girls did a great job and the bags were very useful Halloween night for all their "trick or treat" candies. Good job Girls! Back row: Karsyn Terrell, Emily Coulter, Jaylye Coffman, McKinley Begert, Front Row: Camryn Clark, Kilie Walser, and Janie Poindexter.



Wheeler Girl Scout Troops 243 (Brownies) and 147 (Juniors) joined two other troops from Memphis and Canyon for a camping trip November 3rd & 4th at Camp Mel Ray Davis. Here is a group photo of the girls and volunteers and leaders in attendance as well as some of the activities the girls were involved in.



Esther Gonazles shooting an arrow during Archery.



Caitlynn Walker with a leader from Memphis demonstrating a lashing.

ALLISON NEWS
By Juanita Boydston

But the fruit of the Spirit is love, joy, peace, longsuffering, gentleness, goodness, faith, Meekness, temperance; against such there is no law. And they that are Christ's have crucified the flesh with the affections and lusts. If we live in the Spirit, let us also walk in the Spirit. Let us not be desirous of vain glory, provoking one another, envying one another. Galatians 5:22-26

Be ye therefore followers of God, as dear children; And walk in love, as Christ also hath loved us, and hath given himself for us an offering and a sacrifice to God for a sweet - smelling savour. Ephesians 5:1 & 2

Bless the Lord, O my soul: and all that is within me, bless his holy name. Bless the Lord, O my soul, and forget not all his benefits: Who forgiveth all thine iniquities; who healeth all thy diseases; who redeemeth thy life from destruction; who crowneth thee with lovingkindness and tender mercies; Who satisfieth thy mouth with good things; so that thy youth is renewed like the eagle's. The Lord executeth righteousness and judgment for all that are oppressed. He made known his ways unto Moses, his acts unto the children of Israel. The Lord is merciful and gracious, slow to anger, and plenteous in mercy. For as the heaven is high above the earth, so great is his mercy toward them that fear him. As far as the east is from the west, so far hath he removed our transgressions from us. Psalm 103:1-8 & 11 & 12

The weather here in Allison on this Tuesday morning is very COLD. It got in the thirties last night. After being cold today its to get back in the seventies. What a roller coaster ride in temperatures. Everything is getting to look like fall around here, but you can see more beautiful colors everywhere as well.

Louise Boydston journeyed to Amarillo, Texas where she stayed a week there to visit with her brother, Darrel Harrison who is still in BSA Hospital at this writing. We are all rejoicing that he finally opened his eyes and can answer questions with a nod of yes and no. That stroke after his surgery really messed him up bad. A stroke is a terrible thing to happen to anybody. Darrel is in our prayers and we know that we serve a prayer answering God and that there is nothing impossible thru God. Praise be to God!!

Louise stayed most of the time with her daughter, Kim and family. Thought I would give you a report on Donna Jo Nall. When she fell they found out she had broken her pelvic bone. Our prayers and best wishes are with her.

Roma and Billy June Brown traveled to Pampa, Texas on Wednesday for both of them to see the eye doctor. They did some shopping while there. Then on Monday they traveled back to Pampa, Texas where Billy June received her new glasses. They did some shopping while there as well.

Kendall Wood of San Angelo, Texas enjoyed the weekend with his grandparents, Pastor F.R. Johnson and wife, Olene. Kendall preached for the United Pentecostal Church on Sunday morning. Did a great job. Then Sunday evening Kendall preached for the Pampa United Pentecostal

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Church pastored by Bro. Ben and Sis. Beverly Corbitt. While Kendall was in Allison, he and his grandpa enjoyed hunting some and Kendall got him a deer or two. Congratulate Kendall!!

Bro. Roger Johnson of Amarillo, Texas visited in the home of Pastor F.R. Johnson and wife, Olene. Bro. Roger Johnson and Pastor F.R. Johnson enjoyed doing some hunting. Bro. Roger Johnson is the pastor of Northside United Pentecostal Church in Amarillo, Texas.

Tuesday, Vance and Carol Boydston and Opal and Juanita Boydston gathered in the home of Glenn and Betty Boydston and visited with them and their company, Bill and Penny Baumann from Yucca Valley, California, who had stayed a few days with Glenn and Betty. They all enjoyed a very delicious homecooked meal. Very good and lots of good ole visiting for sure. Juanita Boydston enjoyed showing them how to make a freezer of homemade vanilla ice cream. It was yummy good!!

Wednesday, Opal and Juanita Boydston and Vance and Carol Boydston traveled to Wheeler, Texas where they took Vance to pick up his car that had been repaired by David Gilmer at Gandy's Garage. Afterwards they shopped some before heading home. Also Vance went by Ft. Elliott and paid his taxes.

Later Wednesday, Opal and

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Wheeler Church of Christ
Our Fall Meeting at the Church of Christ is this upcoming weekend, November 10-11, 2007. Our speaker will be Bret McCasland (brother of Stacy McCasland). The title of the meeting will be, Keeping the Dream Alive.
Have you ever had a dream you wanted to come true? Have you ever dreamed about what your church could become? Have you ever tried to convert your dreams into realities? In four Bible-based messages, we will study how your dreams for the church can be changed into reality.
On Saturday at 7:00 p.m., the lesson will be about unity. On Sunday at 9:30 a.m., we will talk about benevolence. At 10:30 a.m., the subject of prayer will be addressed. After that, everyone is invited to stay at the building for a potluck luncheon. When everyone is finished eating, there will be one more lesson concerning love. Everything will most likely be finished around 1:30 p.m. and then we will be done for the day.
Bret is the speaker for the Key to the Kingdom program, a Bible-based show that reaches over half of the world's population as it is played on many satellite and cable systems. It is especially watched in India where our local congregation helps support some who do follow-up work there, both in English and the Indian language, Telugu. Bret is a good guy and a good speaker and we want to encourage everyone to be here for the lessons this weekend. If you have any questions, call the church building at 806-826-5542.
Shawn D. Johnson
Services:
Sunday Bible Study..... 9:30 A.M.
Sunday Morning Worship..... 10:30 A.M.
Sunday Night Worship..... 6:00 P.M.
Wednesday Night Worship..... 7:00 P.M.

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the Wheeler Times. All is appreciated. (Sorry about my mistakes.) Thanks for your help! Wouldn't be much column without help from others.
Remember to pray for all our servicemen and women, especially those overseas. Remember God loves you and so do we!
Happy Birthday, LaJo

Crownover. Hope you are having fun (Nov. 6). Charles and LaJo Crownover went to Lubbock Friday to watch grandson, Andrew Striley, run cross-country. Also going were Londa Crownover and Jodie Striley and Madison. Andrew's team did well... 7th out of many and Andrew was first on his team. Congratulations! Sunday,

LaJo and Terri Crownover went to Amarillo to hear Andrew play with the Amarillo Youth Symphony.
Pray for Chris Schubert, son of Bob and Shelly Schubert, who had been ill in Wheeler Hospital with pneumonia. He is Joetta Sword's grandson and Kylie's brother. He is doing some better.
Congratulations, Wheeler Mustangs for winning over Quanah, 21 to 14, Friday night. Yea!
Pray for Margie Meadows who has been in Wheeler Hospital and is some better.
Many relatives and friends from many places gathered at Wheeler Drug Bed and Breakfast, Saturday afternoon, to celebrate F.M. Grimes' 90th birthday, hosted by his family. Jerry and Jill Lister and Marion played pretty music. Delicious chocolate cake, punch and other goodies were served. Happy 90th, Marion, and many more. Also singing and making music with the group were Jay Godwin and Geoff Caldwell and maybe others. God bless you everyone!
Congratulations to Josh and Suzie Lee of Wheeler in the birth of their new baby boy. Mason Porter Lee was born Oct. 21 at Amarillo weighing 5 lbs. 4 oz. and was 18 inches long. Grandparents include Dr. Bob and Glenda Galutia and Mike and Tina Lee. Leo and Sylvia Shuier are great-grandparents. Mason is also welcomed by proud big brother, Ashton, 5. God bless you everyone! Suzie teaches at Wheeler High school, or will be.

"For the Lord himself shall descend from Heaven with a shout, with the voice of the archangel, and with the trump of God; and the dead in Christ shall rise first: Then we which are alive and remain shall be caught up together with them in the clouds to meet the Lord in the air: and so shall we ever be with the Lord. Wherefore comfort one another with these words." (Thessalonians 4:16-18)

Happy Birthday to David Blankenship, Isaac Hawks, Trent Ware, Carl Scales, Wynelle Waldo, Maurita Stribling, Jordan Alls, Patty Ann Shields and Tracy Densberger, Nov. 4; Shelby Jones, Stacy McWhorter, Janice Christley, Phillip Hernandez, Cindy Bradstreet, Travis Wilson, Wiley Bailey and Brittany Daniels, Nov. 5; Jerry Hefley, Becky Sallee, Arielle Sword, Tandy Wright, Andy Lavati, John Turner, Andy Shipp, LaJo Crownover, Erica Zybach, Shannon Cantrell, Steven May, Steven Corse, and Gary Gilliland, Nov. 6; Jane Bright, Mike Gallagher, Stacy Mansoor, Kandi Weatherly and Shot Childress, Nov. 7; Juanita Fillingim, Lisa Wills, Dorothy Miller, Dale Sides, Cuyler Stinnett, Rick Jones, Rodney Hudson and Glenn Hughes, Nov. 8; Kathy Hathaway, Luke Mick, Lacey Henson, Carolyn Sabbe, William Scales, David Jones and Seth Stribling, Nov. 9; Claudine Finsterwald, Mandy Meadows, Travis Thiessen, Virginia Moore, Will Smith, Kelley Wilson, George Helton, Helen Singleton and Brad Harrison, Nov. 10.

Happy Anniversary to J.C. and Patty Brooks, Nov. 4; Tim and Terri Patterson, Nov. 5; Gary and Eva McClellan, Trent and Jordan Ware, Dean and Nikki Hathaway and Ricky and Barbara Hodges, Nov. 7; Roy and Nell Bradstreet, Nov. 8; Richard and Bonnie Meadows (60 years) and Tim and Sallie Adcock, Nov. 9; and Jimmy and Marie Adams, Nov. 10. God bless you, everyone!

Everyone over 50 years invited to Golden Agers at Wheeler Baptist Church, Thursday, Nov. 15, at 11:30 for Home Health taking blood pressures, blood sugars, etc., followed by a good potluck meal and program. See you there!

Sorry to hear that Charlotte Coward had to have exploratory surgery and many adhesions were removed. Charlotte is 95. She is now out of ICU and in a room at the hospital and is expected to be brought back to Wheeler to Parkview Hospital soon. Pray for Charlotte; she has always been a spunky lady.

Congratulations to Brian and Shelby Walden on the birth of their new baby boy at Childress, Tuesday, Oct. 30 and named Tucker Rayce. He was expected to be home to Shamrock on Thursday. Grandma Cathy Hunt was going down to hold and love him. He is also welcomed by big brother, Rayden, who is pretty proud of him. Best wishes to all.

Sincere sympathy to family and friends of Addie Swift, 95, in her death. A dear little lady. Funeral services were Tuesday at 2:00 p.m. at Country Chapel in Wheeler with burial in Wheeler Cemetery.

There will be a church-wide early Thanksgiving dinner at Wheeler Baptist Church next Sunday, Nov. 11,

at noon. Family and friends are invited. The church will provide turkey and dressing, ham and rolls with others bringing desserts, salad or vegetables for a time of thanksgiving and fellowship. See you there!

Jessica Ware and Klaire and Brice, new baby, have been staying some with Gary and Tresa Ware so Tresa can help with the babies. Jessica had a C-section. Great grandma, Ella Mae Wood, enjoyed visiting them and holding and feeding the baby some Sunday. He is doing well now; had seemed a little premature at first.

Many thanks to all of you who help with items for Country News. Those who have moved away seem to especially enjoy hearing about people and activities back home. God bless you. Thanks, too, to those who E-mail items to

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Congratulations to Garrett and Jessica Ware on the birth of their new baby boy. Briceson Brady was born, Monday, Oct. 29, weighing 7 lbs. 8 oz. and 21 inches long at Childress. Best wishes to all! Gary and Tresa Ware and Mike and Theresa Seguro are the proud grandparents. Brice is also welcomed by proud big sister, Klaire Ware. God bless you everyone! Ella Mae Wood is great-grandma.

Glad to hear that Charlotte Coward is now out of ICU and into a regular hospital room in Amarillo and expected to come to Wheeler Hospital very soon. Keep praying for Charlotte. She is one spunky lady.

Wes and Cindy Bradstreet went to Alvarado over the weekend to visit Mike and Ember Keith and Miles, Jenna and Zach. Also expected to be there were Andy and Tracy Bradstreet and Sandy and Brad Cooper. They were celebrating Cindy's 53rd birthday and Ember's 30th birthday. Happy Birthday, Cindy and Ember.

First Sunday Singing has been changed to second Sunday, Nov. 11, at Mobeetie Baptist Church. A preacher will be coming Nov. 4 I view of a call to pastor Mobeetie Baptist. Everyone invited to Mobeetie Baptist Nov. 4 and also Nov. 11 at 6:00 p.m. for singing. We will be praying for you. Lots of good singing and food on Nov. 11. Pray that Wheeler Baptist will be able to find just the pastor that God has chosen for us.

This Wednesday morning there is a wild wind blowing partly out of the north, but kind of swirls around, too. Glad I don't have to be out much. Pretty cool.

"Nearly Brothers and No Mountain Boys Band" will be back to Wheeler Care Center to make beautiful music Tuesday night, Nov. 13, at 6:30. Visitors always welcome; the more the merrier.

Diane and Jack Cody from Graham were weekend visitors to Diane's mom, Mary Margaret Dodd. Diane and Jack are retired from many years of teaching except Jack teaches some in a Junior College. Bud and Texas also live at Graham. Bud is Mary's brother, Bud McCarroll, who grew up at Briscoe. Bud and Texas' daughter and husband from Austria have also been visiting them.

"If I can stop one heart from breaking, I shall not live in vain; If I can ease one life the aching or cool one pain,

Or help one fainting robin into his nest again, I shall not live in vain."

Tuesday, Earl and Betty Husted had to go se a foot doctor. So, Joyce Wood from Shamrock led singing for Sing-a-Long and church at Wheeler Care Center while Nina Hervey played the piano and several residents out to enjoy it. Tuesday was also Bobby Downey's 47th wedding anniversary. Friends from White Deer came to visit with Bobby; a nice surprise.

Wanda Childress also came to visit her mom, Addie Swift, who has not been very well. Visits are so important to the residents. Remember Addie in your prayers. Addie died.

Don't worry about anything, instead, pray about everything. Tell God what you need and thank him for all He has done. If you do this, you will experience God's peace, which is far more wonderful than the human mind can understand. His peace will guard your hearts and minds as you live in Christ Jesus" (Philippians 4:6,7).

Nice to have a call from Erma Riley at Tuttle, OK. She is doing pretty well and will be 91, Dec. 28. Her mind is good. She misses going to church after all these years, but the church is so cold. She can't see to read much, but enjoys playing the piano, as she has for many years, and watching some TV. She calls daughter, Annie Henderson, of a morning to let her know that she is O.K. When Annie gets off work in the evening, she comes by for a visit. Some friends come visit some. Erma was fixing to do some ironing, but can't stand for very long (like most of us older ones), but sitting some helps.

Sincere sympathy to family and friends of Lorene (Treadwell) Jenkins, 87, of Wellington, in her death. Treadwells lived west of Briscoe for many years and attended Briscoe School. Lorene was the oldest of ten children born to T.A. (Bud) and Eunice Treadwell and married H.L. Jenkins in 1942 at Hollis. She is survived by sister, Monett Jenkins of Miami, and three brothers, James, David and Bobby Treadwell.

Enjoying quilting and visiting at Totty School Thursday were Betty Haines, Sydney Lynch, Melba Corcoran, Augusta Brown and Betty Rogers. It was a beautiful day. Visitors always welcome.

Dolores Simmons and Cindy Bradstreet prepared the delicious Wednesday night supper at Wheeler Baptist with casseroles, salad, beans and other goodies. Visitors welcome, always. Thank you!

Nice to have Sue Chandler come Thursday and take me to lunch at Maxey's and a good visit. She was signing payroll checks at the hospital, too. She is secretary.

Bob Wills is coming along since his surgery to replace some things in his shoulder and sew up the tear in his rotor cuff. He has been un-

comfortable and was hard for him to sleep sometimes and takes exercise to help and pain pills. Keep praying for Bob and Evangeline. We've missed them at church at Wheeler Baptist. He hopes to be back soon and we hope so, too. (Nice to have Bob Wills back Sunday to teach our class.

Did you get your clocks set back? I got most of mine done. My grandma clock needs more care than I can give. I accidentally knocked the pendulum off and it doesn't run very well that way. I'm expecting to have Lee Murray from Pampa come some day and fix it. He had worked on it once a few years ago and always does a good job.

Congratulations Wheeler cross-country team... as a team, they won 7th Hayley was third out of over 200 girls. Hayley and Taylor will advance to State competition at Round Rock in about 2 weeks. Stacie Hanson was 24th out of over 200 girls. Kaylie Marion's time was 14.46; Myra Martinez' was 14.42 and Sarah Miller's was 14.32. Gladys Zapata was 92nd. Deanna Corral also ran. They run 2 miles in competition. Just the top 10 girls advance to State competition, so only Hayley and Taylor advance to State, but we are proud of all of you! You may all get to go next year. Good luck at State!

Cecil Meadows said the doctor said he was doing really well. Cecil enjoys having his kids and spouses all come to visit once a week and grandkids, too. Thursday night he was expecting Dale and Shonda Meadows from Pampa to come visit and take him out for supper. Sounds good! Most of his daughters-in-law and granddaughters are schoolteachers. He is proud they got some education and he is thankful to be doing so well, even though he has only one leg.

A large group of AMW ladies from Wheeler United Methodist Church enjoyed lunch together at Maxey's Thursday, tended to their business and had a good time of fellowship.

Pray for Darrell Harrison who is still gravely ill at Amarillo. Think his left side is paralyzed; he has a treach for breathing. His wife, Johnnie, needs heart surgery for a plugged aorta. Pray for Johnnie. Darrell's mom, Pearl Harrison, is not well, either. Darrell is a little better. Keep praying.

Some more going to Lubbock Saturday to watch the Wheeler girls run in regional competition were Buddy and Dianne Sparks, Sherry Clark and Camryn and Dawson, Shelly Sparks and Nicholas and Brayden Moore. The girls competing went on a bus. Hayley and Taylor Sparks will advance to State competition at Round Rock in November. Best wishes! We are proud of you!

"Help us, Lord, to give our burdens to your tender, loving care. Grant us faith to trust you fully, knowing that each one you bear." (From Daily Bread)

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On October 22, 2007, The Better Public Broadcasting Association, Inc. filed an application with the Federal Communications Commission for a new FM noncommercial class A radio station in Wheeler, TX, on channel 203 operating at 100W from an antenna 17 meters tall located at 35-25-57 x 100-16-31. The officers and directors of The Better Public Broadcasting Association are Dennis Burton, James Turvaville, and Jon Garrison. A copy of the application is available for public viewing in the public file at 306 South Canadian, Street, Wheeler, TX.

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Oil & Gas NEWS

(New Location, Completion and Plugging Report made possible by Oil & Gas Reporting Service, 3930 Beaver St., Vernon, TX 76384. Doris Harrison, Phone: 940/552-6644.)

Week Ending October 31, 2007

Intentions to Drill
HEMPHILL (BUFFALO WALLOW Granite Wash) Cimarex Energy Co., "Washita Ranch, '22', Sec. 22, A-1, H&GN, PD 12800", for the following Horizontal wells:

#1H, 2616' from North & 1753' from West line of Sec. (BHL: 670' from North & West Sec. line)
#2H, 2616' from North & 1763' from West line of Sec. (BHL: 467' from South & 2020' from West Sec. line)
#3H, 2616' from North & 1773' from West line of Sec. (BHL: 670' from North & 2030' from West Sec. line)

HEMPHILL (BUFFALO WALLOW Granite Wash) Linn Operating, Inc., #55 Lola '235', 2173' from South & East line, Sec. 235, C, G&MMB&A, PD 14225'

HEMPHILL (BUFFALO WALLOW Granite Wash) Noble Energy, Inc., #4617P Graham, 293' from North & 150' from East line, Sec. 46, A-

2, H&GN, PD 14000' (BHL: 752' from North & 467' from East Sec. line) Directional well
HEMPHILL (WILDCAT & BUFFALO WALLOW Granite Wash) Linn Operating, Inc., #5 Rogers '61', 1980' from North & East line, Sec. 61, A-2, H&GN, PD 12450'

HEMPHILL (WILDCAT & BUFFALO WALLOW Granite Wash) Cordillera Energy Prtnrs, 111, L.L.C., #5079 Forgey, 939' from South & 1980' from West line, Sec. 79, 41, H&TC, PD 12800'

HEMPHILL (WILDCAT & SOUTH BUSSARD Upper Morrow) Philcon Development Co., #1 Jailhouse, 1750' from South & 700' from East line, Sec. 61, 42, H&TC, PD 11500'

HEMPHILL (WILDCAT & HEMPHELL Douglas) Laredo Petroleum, Inc., PD 13500', for the following wells:

#1 Begert '31', 660' from South & West line, Sec. 31, 41, H&TC.
#1 Begert Trust '3', 660' from North & West line, Sec. 3, 41, H&TC.
#1 Tepe Estate '37', 660' from North & 1980' from West line, Sec. 37, 41, H&TC.

HEMPHILL (WILDCAT & N.W. MENDOTA Granite Wash) Cimarex Energy Co. of Colorado, Flowers '61', Sec. 61, B-1, H&GN, PD 10800', for the following Horizontal wells: Rule 37

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HEMPHILL (WILDCAT & N.W. MENDOTA Granite Wash) Mewbourne Oil Co., #1925 Leslie Webb, et al 'R', 294' from South & 1586' from East line, Sec. 192, C, G&MMB&A, PD 11200'. Rule 37

HEMPHILL (WILDCAT & EAST SHREIKEY Upper Morrow) Protege Energy, L.L.C., #4 Hardin '77', 660' from North & 1980' from West line, Sec. 77, A-2, H&GN, PD 14000'

ROBERTS (WILDCAT) Cimarex Energy Co., PD 12000' for the following wells:

#13 Charles Lips '4', 467' from North & East line, Sec. 4, 44, T.E. White

#2 Killebrew '215', 1750' from North & 1550' from West line, Sec. 215, 42, H&TC. #4 Killebrew '218', 1280' from North & 765' from East line, Sec. 218, 42, H&TC.

ROBERTS (WILDCAT & ALPAR-LIPS St. Louis) Range Production Co., #301 Courson Ranch, 1265' from South & 1426' from West line, Sec. 1, —, BBB&C, PD 11000'

ROBERTS (WILDCAT & LIPS Morrow) Range Production Co., #127 Courson Ranch, 1962' from South & 1322' from East line, Sec. 27, A, H&GN, PD 9500'

WHEELER (WILDCAT & ALLISON-PARKS Granite Wash) Samson Lone Star, L.L.C., #7 Fuhrman '19', 467' from South & West line, Sec. 19, RE, R&E, PD 15000'

WHEELER (DYCO Granite Wash) Linn Operating, Inc., #2 Zybach '12', 467' from South & 2173' from East line, Sec. 12, RE, R&E, PD 14865'

WHEELER (WILDCAT & DYCO Granite Wash) Linn Operating, Inc., #5 Lohberger '13', 2173' from South & 1993' from West line, Sec. 13, RE, R&E, PD 14885'

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Henry was glad to see me. In fact, all of the chickens were, with the exception of Blackie. I had to take her off the nest and put her outside, although it did no good for she was back in that cozy little nest as fast as those little feathered feet would carry her. Guess we are in for a long winter without her as she sits in her empty nest waiting for nothing. Henry took his usual jabs at Glenn Frosty Forrest's shoes and legs. Glenn said his usual thing, "You shouldn't ought to do that Henry." Henry pays him no mind and keeps up the attack until Glenn leaves the chicken pen. I know that Henry missed him and he probably did not enjoy attacking Juanita as much as she gathered the eggs. Henry is just spoiled, but he loves me.

Bill and Penny, our house

guests for the week, have been lucky not to catch my cold or Glenn's. They flew home with us from California for some fun and

relaxation in Texas after Bill retired from the Federal Fire Department. We have had to cut our activities down to smaller trips to see our area and still have a great time since we both have colds. They did get to go deer hunting which was a "first" for

them. Penny got excited to see the deer out in their natural habitat. They also visited our favorite lakes and restaurants and the battlefield of Black Kettle. Bill is a history buff and Penny likes good food. Penny got to drive our tractor and everything is still standing on our property, although I thought Glenn should have garaged the truck just as a safety precaution. Not to worry, as she is a good tractor driver although I did not let Henry and the other eight chickens out during this period of time. She was gracious enough to teach Juanita to make her famous peanut brittle that she started making about 40 years ago for our family and is our family favorite. I will hate to see them leave and, of course, I am still wishing they would move here.

It is so hard to believe we are into November already! What happened to this year? Now we have the time change to deal with and that certainly messes up everything for me. My motto is to leave the time alone and slow down the year. Everything is going way too fast for this southern woman! Love to all of you.

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COUNTY JAIL REPORT FOR OCT.

10-31-07

04-07 Retaliation \$5000 bond Taylor
Chambers, Melody Farmer 36 w/f Amarillo TX 10-06-07 Theft by check \$2000 bond Taylor
Nottingham, Jay Anthony 52 w/m Wheeler TX 10-07-08 to 10-08-07 Randall Co Wrnt Bond Denied Taylor
Salas, Julio Cesar 23 w/m Wheeler TX 10-10-07 to 10-12-07 Randall Co wrnts - Released to Randall Co
Nottingham, Jay Anthony 52 w/m Wheeler TX 10-11-07 to 10-12-07 Attempt to take weapon from officer \$5000.00 bond Meadows Randall Co Wrnt - Released to Randall Co
Matthews, Verguel Jr 29 b/m Shamrock TX 10-17-07 to 10-17-07
Hemphill CO Wrnt \$2500.00 bond Meadows
LoneElk, Carolyn NMN 55 i/f

Shamrock TX 10-18-07 to 10-18-07 Tampering with government document \$5000 bond Emmert
Gray, Steven Lee w/m Shamrock TX 10-19-07 Misd Probation Violation - Bond denied Hefley
Lopez, David Anthony 22 w/m Dumas TX 10-22-07 Driving While License Invalid \$1000.00 bond Meadows
Goodwin, Ryan Wayne 29 w/m AR 10-27-07 to 10-27-07 Poss of Marijuana <2oz \$1000.00 bond Meadows
CURRENT INMATES
Womack, Justin
Holdren, David
Longoria, Daniel
Fleming, Elisha
Segura, Beau
Ezelle, Albert
Chambers, Melody
Gray, Steven
Lopez, David

Charton, Chance E 22 w/m Norman OK 10-01-07 to 10-01-07 Bond Surrender \$5000 bond Emmert
Harrison, Tyrone Russell 30 b/m Shamrock TX 10-01-07 to 10-

Wheeler County COURT RECORDS

List of instruments filed in the Wheeler County Clerk's office from October 22, 2007 - October 26, 2007.

OCTOBER 22, 2007

OL-Alan W. Broadbent to Continental Land Resources LLC, 7-3-07, NW 1/4 Sec. 1, Blk. 4, Brooks & Burleson Survey.
D-Ronald N. Sharp, et al to Etta Marie Sharp, 10-1-07, S 1/2 Lot 2 and all of Lot 3, Blk. 55, WSSA, Shamrock.
C/C PROBATE-Herbert Donald Coleman to Ex Parte, 10-15-07.
PARTIAL ROL-Mid-Continent II LLC to Amarillo National Bank Trust Division, 10-15-07, Sec. 22, Camp County School Land.
AMEND. UNIT DESIGN.-Noble Energy Inc. to Norman Spillman, et al, 10-19-07, Pt. Stephen Keith Survey and Pt. Sec. 22, Blk. L, J. M. Lindsey Survey.
HEIRSHIP AFF.-Gerald Mark McMerney to Ofelia Drucilla Martine, 10-12-07, NW 1/4 Sec. 37, Blk. 25, H&GN Ry. Company Survey; and Sec. 58, Blk. 24, H&GN Ry. Company Survey.
HEIRSHIP AFF.-Mary C. McMerney to Ofelia Drucilla Martine, 10-12-07, NW 1/4 Sec. 37, Blk. 25, H&GN Ry. Company Survey; and Sec. 58, Blk. 24, H&GN Ry. Company Survey.
OL-Kyle Wayne Bagwell to John

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Hosp

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this furniture as well as for the new lobby area. This will be presented at the regular November board meeting. Dale Garner made a motion to accept the lower bid for building the wall and to allow B&G Electric to do the electrical work. Ray Hudson seconded the motion and the motion carried unanimously.

Chairman Helton asked if there was any other new business. There was none and James Batton made a motion to adjourn. Ray Hudson seconded the motion and the motion carried unanimously. Meeting adjourned at 5:50 p.m.

Chat

(from Page 1)

evening at the Meriwether Ranch at Wheeler. We play out there so Stormie's bedtime schedule is not 'thrown off'.

-cwe-

Rhonda, Mike and I won the first and last games. Barbara, Leroy and Dwight won the second game.

-cwe-

Parkview Artery Be Prepared for Winter Weather

During these cold winter months, most of us would prefer to sit inside the house by a warm fire, sipping on hot chocolate. But, unfortunately, life goes on, even during winter storms. So if you must brave the cold weather to run to the grocery store or take the kids to school, here are some safety tips from us to you to keep you and your family safe.

Wear many layers instead of just 2. For example, a t-shirt, a turtle-neck, a sweater or sweatshirt, a polar fleece coat and then a parka or heavy coat. Not to mention 2 pairs of socks, and 2 pairs of gloves. The more layers the better, and always put your little ones in one layer more than you are comfortable wearing.

Assemble an emergency supplies kit for your home in case it is not safe to go out during a storm. Be sure to include bottled water (at least one gallon per person per day), non-perishable food and a can opener. The kit should also include a battery powered NOAA weather radio, flashlight, extra batteries and extra warm clothing. Assemble an emergency supplies kit for your car too and have the vehicle winterized before storm season.

Know What To Do

If experts indicate severe weather could be headed your way, stay tuned to local radio and TV stations for updated information on conditions. Know the difference between a winter storm watch and a winter storm warning. Exposure to cold can cause serious injury such as frostbite and hypothermia. When a winter storm warning is issued, follow these tips to stay safe and warm during the storm.

- Stay indoors during the storm.
- If you must go outside, several layers of lightweight clothing will keep you warmer than a single heavy coat. Gloves (or mittens) and a hat will prevent loss of body heat. Cover your mouth to protect your lungs.
- Understand the hazards of wind chill, which combines the cooling effect of wind and cold temperatures on exposed skin. As the wind increases, heat are carried away from a person's body at an accelerated rate, driving down the body temperature.
- Walk carefully on snowy, icy, sidewalks.
- After the storm, if you shovel snow, be extremely careful. It is physically strenuous work, so take frequent breaks. Avoid overexertion.
- Avoid traveling by car in a storm, but if you must...
- Carry an emergency supplies kit in the trunk
- Keep your car's gas tank full for emergency use and to keep the fuel line from freezing.
- Let someone know your destination, your route, and when you expect to arrive. If your car gets stuck along the way, help can be sent along your predetermined route. • Stay safe and stay warm. Medcat

Winter is the season in which people try to keep the house as warm as it was in the summer, when they complained about the heat.

Oil (from Page 4)

RANCH Consolidated) Forest Oil Corp., #101 Moore, 467' from South & 567' from East line, Sec. 1, H&GN, PD 15400'.
 WHEELER (WILDCAT & FRYE RANCH Consolidated) Questar E&P Co., #4034 Huff, 467' from North & 2173' from West line, Sec. 34, A-3, H&GN, PD 16300'.
 WHEELER (IVESTER Atoka) Crest Resources, Inc., #2021 Buckingham, 516' from North & 1001' from East line, Sec. 21, L, J.M. Lindsey, PD 16300'.
 WHEELER (WILDCAT & STILES RANCH Atoka) Chesapeake Operating, Inc., #5 Legg '7', 1980' from North & 467' from West line, Sec. 7, E, G.W. Jacobs Survey, PD 18000'.
 WHEELER (WILDCAT & STILES RANCH Atoka) Forest Oil Corp., Britt, Sec. 1.5, B&B, PD 15900', for the following wells:
 #801, 1650' from North & 2310' from East line of Sec. #901, 2310' from South & 990' from East line of Sec. #1001, 1650' from South & East line of Sec.
 WHEELER (STILES RANCH Granite Wash) Newfield Exploration Mid-Con, Inc., #14 Britt Ranch 'B' 45, 905' from South & 1725' from West line, Sec. 45, A-3, H&GN, PD 15900' (BHL: 1210' from South & 1650' from East Sec. line) Directional well
Oil Well Completion
 HEMPHILL (HEMPHILL Granite Wash) Unit Petroleum Co., #1 Jarvis 'A', J. Fanning Survey, spud 7-10-07, drlg. compl 8-7-07, tested 8-29-07, flowed 5 bbl. of 45.2 grav. oil + 25 bbls. water thru

46/64" choke on 24 hour test, GOR 62000:1, TD 12050', PBTD 10466'.
 ROBERTS (N.W. MENDOTA, S.W. Granite Wash) Unit Petroleum Co., #6 Waterfield 'C', Sec. 105, C, G&M, spud 11-10-06, drlg. compl 12-28-06, tested 5-1-07, flowed 23 bbl. of 47.6 grav. oil + 32 bbls. water thru 28/64" choke on 24 hour test, TD 11232', PBTD 10204'.
 ROBERTS (N.W. MENDOTA, S.W. Granite Wash) Unit Petroleum Co., #8 Waterfield 'C', Sec. 105, C, G&M, spud 6-17-07, drlg. compl 7-5-07, tested 7-5-07, flowed 26 bbl. of 47.2 grav. oil + 38 bbls. water thru 22/64" choke on 24 hour test, GOR 20107, TD 11200', PBTD 10900'.
Gas Well Completions
 HEMPHILL (MEG Granite Wash) Latigo Petroleum Texas, L.P., #1 Cook '64', Sec. 64, 41, H&TC, spud 2-26-07, drlg. compl 3-26-07, tested 8-29-07, potential 1564 MCF, TD 12500' PBTD 12354'.
 HEMPHILL (MEG Granite Wash) Latigo Petroleum Texas, L.P., #1 Hanson '40', Sec. 40, 41, H&TC, spud 3-29-07, drlg. compl 4-19-07, tested 8-29-07, potential 5731 MCF, TD 12474', PBTD 12474'.
 HEMPHILL (HEMPHILL Granite Wash) Mewbourne Oil Co. #2222 Charles E. Brown, et al 'B', Sec. 22, C, G&MMB&A, spud 9-3-07, drlg. compl 9-15-07, tested 10-11-07, TD 10700', PBTD 10696'. — Operator intends to commingle w/ other fields
 HEMPHILL (HEMPHILL Granite Wash) Samson Lone Star, L.L.C., #20 Hobart Ranch '50', Sec. 50, A-2, H&GN, spud 8-4-07, drlg. compl

Country (from Page 3)

and many other things including goodie bags about fire prevention to take home.
 Thank you, "Nearly Brothers and No Mountain Boys Band" for coming to Wheeler Care Center Tuesday night to make beautiful music. Playing guitars were Gene Keelin, Jay Godwin, Jim Jackson and Sheryl Lane; Geoff Caldwell played mandolin; Chuck Hartline played fiddle and Robert Jones played upright bass. All sounded good! Singing were Wesley Steen, Sheryl Lane, Jay Godwin and Chuck Hartline. Great! Some other visitors were Tria Godwin, Danny Hendrix (who also sang and was visiting his dad, Curtis Hendrix), Helen Steen, Rosalee Atwood's family, Naomi Hagerman, Martha
 8-21-07, tested 10-2-07, TD 12815', PBTD 12809'.
 WHEELER (STILES RANCH Atoka) Linn Operating, Inc., #1 Jerri Reed '3', Sec. 3, 2, B&B, spud 1-8-07, drlg. compl 2-11-07, tested 3-27-07, TD 15766', PBTD 15710'. — Form 1 filed in Dominion Oklahoma Texas
 WHEELER (STILES RANCH Atoka) Linn Operating, Inc., #1 Miller Spinney '39', Sec. 39, A-3, H&GN, spud 5-18-07, drlg. compl 6-24-07, tested 8-8-07, TD 16325', PBTD 16148'. — Form 1 filed in Dominion Oklahoma Texas
 WHEELER (STILES RANCH Granite Wash) Chesapeake Operating, Inc., #10 Davis '65', Sec. 65, A-7, H&GN, spud 6-16-07, drlg. compl 7-12-07, tested 9-20-07, potential 7327 MCF, TD 14350', PBTD 14307'.
 Meek and Verna Fillingim. Thanks for coming! Many residents were out to enjoy the music. I enjoyed visiting with Tria; so thankful Jay is doing better.
 Wheeler Senior Citizens didn't meet Monday, Nov. 5, because everything would be set up for Tuesday's election. Next meeting will be Monday, Dec. 3 at 6:00 p.m. Everyone welcome to come visit and come for potluck meal and games (usually 88 and Chicken Foot). See you there. Joyce Perkins tried to call everyone to let them know there would not be Senior Citizens in November. Thanks, Joyce.
 Some going from Wheeler Baptist Church for Sunday afternoon church at Wheeler Care Center were Rev. O.K. Bowen, Leona Coates, Wesley and Helen Steen, Buddy and Dianne Sparks, Martha Meek and Verna Fillingim. Bro. O.K. had a good message from Psalms. Leona played the piano and Wesley led singing.
 Marie Baker is a new resident at Wheeler Care for therapy and care. She hopes to go with family to Wheeler Baptist for Sunday morning Sunday School and worship. Some other residents out to enjoy the good singing and message from Rev. O.K. Bowen were John Bradley, Bill Clayton, Curtis Hendrix, Bill Dyson, Wayne Stanton, Robert Ailstrup, Marie Williams, Teresa Reed, Amy (?), Ella Cross, Dorothy Walker, Dorothy Hink, Rosalee Atwood, Johnnie Bird, Gelemma Back, Bobby Downey and Rosalie Keelin.
 Fort Elliott Varsity Volleyball girls are to play Windhorst at

Childress, Tuesday, Nov. 6, at 6:00 p.m. for Regional quarter finals. Windhorst is rated #2 in the State. Good luck, girls. God be with you till we meet again.
 Kamry Fillingim turned 1 this past Saturday, November 3rd. To help celebrate her big day, Dallas, Krystal and big sister Keaira threw her a party with cake and barbecue. Those invited to share in the day were Melvin & Joyce Berend, Louis, Kelli, Ferrin and Ryder Garrett, Jerry, Kerry, Paige, Brooke, Kay and Khyler Dillon, and Kandace, Kason and Khyler Berend. Kamry thoroughly enjoyed her cake and all the playtime with her cousins and big sister.
 Keaira Fillingim turned 3 on October 27th and celebrated her birthday in style. Grandparents David and Rita Pearson, and Aunt Lindsey and big cousins Blain and Dagen joined Keaira, Kamry, Dallas and Krystal in Wichita Falls first on Friday the 26th for supper. On the 27th, Keaira's birthday was held at Chuck E Cheese in Wichita Falls, with lots of her family there, those included were her Daddy Dallas, Momma Krystal and little sister Kamry, David and Rita Pearson, Lindsey and Blain and Dagen, Melvin and Joyce Berend, Louis, Kelli, Ferrin and Ryder Garrett, Kason and Khyler Berend, and Jerry, Paige, Brooke, Kay and Walker Dillon. Keaira enjoyed lots of fun time playing games with

all of her cousins, and eating pizza and cake, and especially getting so many presents. Afterwards, David and Rita Pearson, Lindsey, Blain and Dagen joined Keaira back at her house to play outside with her new toys. The evening of Keaira's birthday all went to the Windhorst Halloween Carnival at the Parish Hall. All the kids enjoyed playing all kinds of games. Keaira had so much fun, and is such a big 3 year old.

On Sunday, Kamry Fillingim got to celebrate her 1st birthday a few days early. David and Rita, Lindsey, Blain and Dagen joined the Fillingim's at their home for barbecue and cake. Kamry got to indulge in her very first birthday cake, she was shy at first but then dug in shortly there after. She got some very nice presents from everyone. Kamry is walking so good now that she goes after her sister and cousins pretty quickly, so she enjoyed playing with them at her party. Kamry will turn 1 officially on the 3rd of November.
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| Date | Opponent | Site | Time |
|-------|------------|------------|------|
| 8-30 | *Spearman | Wheeler | 6:00 |
| 9- 6 | Open | | |
| 9-13 | Clarendon | Wheeler | 5:00 |
| 9-20 | Shamrock | Shamrock | 5:00 |
| 9-27 | Quanah | Wheeler | 5:00 |
| 10- 4 | Memphis | Memphis | 5:00 |
| 10-11 | Wellington | Wellington | 5:00 |
| 10-18 | Clarendon | Clarendon | 5:00 |
| 10-25 | Shamrock | Wheeler | 6:00 |
| 11- 1 | Quanah | Quanah | 5:00 |
| 11- 8 | *Memphis | Wheeler | 5:00 |

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|-----|-------------------|----------|-----|-------|
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| 11 | Chace Horton | QB/DB | 160 | 12 |
| 15 | Richard Watler | RB/LB | 170 | 11 |
| 17 | Brock Sabbe | QB/LB | 170 | 10 |
| 21 | Michael Gaines | RB/LB | 170 | 10 |
| 22 | Antonio Porras | RB/DL | 175 | 12 |
| 24 | Miguel Ramirez | WR/DB | 165 | 12 |
| 25 | Terry Menefield | QB/LB | 160 | 10 |
| 28 | Dyron Brown | WR/DB | 140 | 12 |
| 35 | Jesus Gonzales | TE/DB | 150 | 12 |
| 52 | Vinnie Ruiz | OL/DL | 260 | 11 |
| 54 | Caleb Gaines | OL/DL | 250 | 12 |
| 55 | Zack Andis | OL/DE | 170 | 11 |
| 58 | Jason Brownfield | OL/DL | 210 | 12 |
| 66 | Ricardo Gallardo | OL/DL | 185 | 11 |
| 69 | Frankie Ramirez | OL/DL | 220 | 10 |
| 72 | Brandon Gallagher | OL/DE | 190 | 12 |
| 77 | Hank Hunt | OL/DL | 280 | 12 |
| 85 | Michael Mendoza | TE/LB | 160 | 11 |
| 88 | Omar Gonzales | WR/DB | 155 | 12 |

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Court (from Page 5)

R. Buckthal, 10-2-07, All of Section 40 and S 1/2 Sec. 41, Blk. A-5, H&GN Ry. Company Survey.
 AMEND. OL-Charles Pier to John R. Buckthal, 10-5-07, S 1/2 Sec. 32, Blk. A-4, H&GN Ry. Company Survey.
 RATIFICATION OL-T. J. Watt to William P. Harris, et al, 10-17-07, Sec. 44, Blk. A-5, H&GN Ry. Company Survey.
 RATIFICATION OL-Paula P. Beach to William P. Harris, 10-18-07, Sec. 44, Blk. A-5, H&GN Ry. Company Survey.
 OL-James Glendon McCune Jr. to William P. Harris, 10-16-07, Pt. NW 1/4 Sec. 44, Blk. A-5, H&GN Ry. Company Survey.
 HEIRSHIP AFF.-Lavelita Jeanne McCune to Winifred Graydon Terry McCune, 10-16-07, Pt. NW 1/4 Sec. 44, Blk. A-5, H&GN Ry. Company Survey.
 HEIRSHIP AFF.-James Glendon McCune Jr. to Winifred Graydon Terry McCune, 10-16-07, Pt. NW 1/4 Sec. 44, Blk. A-5, H&GN Ry. Company Survey.
 C/C Probate-John Paul Jones to Ex Parte, 10-15-07.
 OCTOBER 23, 2007
 OL-Diana Larsen to Barker Production Co., et al, 10-12-07, E 1/2 SW 1/4 NW 1/4 Sec. 23, Blk. 13, H&GN Ry. Company Survey.
 OL-Achsa Blake Brothers to Twitty Investments Inc., 10-17-07, S 1/2 SW 1/4 Sec. 8, Blk. A-8, H&GN Ry. Company Survey.
 D-Vivian Marie Boren to Michelle Andris, 10-22-07, N 1/2 NE 1/4 Blk. 55, Stanley Add., Wheeler.
 ASSIGN./CONVEY.-PAC Produc-

tion Company to Kerry B. Rice Inc., et al, 10-18-07, NE 1/4 Secs. 46 and 47, Blk. A-4, H&GN Ry. Company Survey.
 OL-Stephen Lowrey to William P. Harris, 10-11-07, 60 acs. NE 1/4 Sec. 44, Blk. A-5, H&GN Ry. Company Survey.
 ASSIGN.-Devon Energy Production Company LP to William A. Gruy, 10-9-07, Sec. 18, Blk. R.E., Roberts & Eddleman Survey.
 EXT. DT-John Richard Hefley, et ux to National Bank of Commerce, 10-5-07, Pt. Secs. 56 and 65, Blk. 13, H&GN Ry. Company Survey.
 OL-Shirley Shanker to Questar Exploration and Production Company, 10-2-07, NE 1/4 Sec. 4, Blk. L, J. M. Lindsey Survey.
 OL-Jean Hamilton Reeves to Questar Exploration and Production Company, 9-19-07, NE 1/4 Sec. 4, Blk. L, J. M. Lindsey Survey.
 OL-Steed Bowersock to Questar Exploration and Production Company, 6-25-07, NE 1/4 and W 1/2 Sec. 4, Blk. L, J. M. Lindsey Survey.
 OL-Richard A. Steed to Questar Exploration and Production Company, 6-6-07, NE 1/4 and W 1/2 Sec. 4, Blk. L, J. M. Lindsey Survey.
 OL-Steed Family Limited Partnership to Questar Exploration and Production Company, 6-6-07, NE 1/4 and W 1/2 Sec. 4, Blk. L, J. M. Lindsey Survey.
 OCTOBER 24, 2007
 RDT-First State Bank of Mobeetie to Russell S. Atherton, et ux, 10-19-07, Lots 9 and 10, Blk. 4, Vise Sub. Div., Wheeler.
 RDT-First State Bank of Mobeetie

to Roland Miles, et ux, 10-19-07, SW 1/4, N 1/2 SE 1/4 Sec. 28, Blk. A-8, H&GN Ry. Company Survey.
 CORR. AFF.-James C. Fling to Joseph Michael Payte, et al, 10-19-07, See Instrument.
 MODIFICATION/EXT. DT-Lee Thomas, et al to Citizens Bank, 10-18-07, Lots 1 and 2, Blk. 71, WSSA, Shamrock.
 EXECUTORS OL-John C. Vise Estate to John R. Buckthal, 8-22-07, E 1/2 Sec. 29, Blk. A-4, H&GN Ry. Company Survey.
 TRUSTEE OPTION AGREEMENT-Charles Taubman Revocable Trust to Henrik Perry Taubman Family Trust, 8-29-07, See Instrument.
 CORR. ASSIGN.-Samson Resources Company to Geodyne Nominee Corporation, 10-23-07, See Instrument.
 DT/SUPPL. OPER. AGREE.-Sanguine Gas Exploration LLC, et al to Sanguine Gas Exploration LLC, et al, 7-15-07, NE 1/4 Sec. 59, Blk. A-7, H&GN Ry. Company Survey.
 ASSIGN.-Fifth Resiew Limited Partnership to Weiser T3 Energy LLC, 10-15-07, S 1/2 Sec. 41 and N 1/2 Sec. 40, Blk. A-7, H&GN Ry. Company Survey.
 OL-Leland Jones, et ux to Sanguine Gas Exploration LLC, 10-2-07, SW 1/4 Sec. 24, Blk. A-7, H&GN Ry. Company Survey.
 CONVEYANCE/ASSIGN.-GFT Investment Company to John R. Gullison, 10-16-07, All grantors interest in Wheeler County.
 QCMD/ROYALTY INTEREST CONVEY.-Robert C. Galloway and Jean C. Galloway Trust to George G. Vaught Jr., et al, 10-11-07, See Instrument.

AFF.-Charlene Beatrice Walker Harper to Clifton Lowell Harper, 10-18-07, See Instrument.
 C/C PROBATE-Clifton Lowell Harper to Ex Parte, 10-16-07.
 C/C APPL. PROB.-Ernest A. Griffith to Ex Parte, 10-22-07.
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 C/C PROBATE-Ruth F. George to Ex Parte, 10-22-07.
 C/C PROBATE-W. L. Campbell to Ex Parte, 10-18-07.
 C/C PROBATE-Ernest Clay Griffith to Ex Parte, 10-19-07, See Instrument.
 D-Thomas Eugene Stacy to Gary W. Sparrow, et ux, 10-22-07, E 1/2 N 60' Lot 1 and N 60' Lot 4, Blk. LXXIV, Shamrock.
 DT-GR Chapman Limited Partnership, et al to First Ag Credit FLCA, 10-24-07, See Instrument.
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 CD-Wheeler Community Cemetery Association to Robert Dolar, 10-12-07, NW 1/4 Lot 2, Blk. K-1, NE Add.
 CD-Wheeler Community Cemetery Association to Shari Porter, 10-12-07, Lot 3, Blk. L-4, NE Add.
 STL-State of Texas to Frank's Auto Parts Inc., 10-19-07.
 PARTIAL ROL-Chesapeake Exploration LLC to C. G. Dodd Jr., et ux, 10-16-07, S 1/2 Sec. 74, Blk.

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M-1, H&GN Ry. Company Survey.
 ROW-Britt Enterprises Inc. to Enbridge Pipelines (Texas Gathering) LP, 9-20-07, Pt. SW 1/4 Sec. 6, Blk. 5, Brooks & Burleson Survey.
 D-Robert M. Goosman to R. Michael Goosman Trust, 9-6-07, See Instrument.
 D-Christina E. Goosman to Christine E. Goosman Trust, 9-6-07, See Instrument.
 OCTOBER 26, 2007
 MEMO. TRUST AFF.-John W. Harbaugh, Trustee, et al to Harbaugh Revocable Trust, et al, 6-11-07, See Instrument.
 QCMD-Harbaugh Revocable Trust to Harbaugh Mineral Land LLC, 5-31-07, See Instrument.
 OL-JA Gill Family Limited Partnership to Sanguine Gas Exploration LLC, 10-2-07, SW 1/4 Sec. 24, Blk. A-7, H&GN Ry. Company Survey.
 CONVEY. MD-Seven Rivers Inc., et al to Moutray Properties LLC, 10-23-07, Int. in Wheeler County.
 ROW-Stiles Land Assets Ltd. to Enogex Gas Gathering LLC, 10-5-07, Pt. E 1/2 SW 1/4 Sec. 68, Blk. A-7, H&GN Ry. Company Survey.
 D-Melnie Carolyn Rose to Glenda Weatherly, 10-22-07, Pt. SW 1/4 Sec. 4, T&NO Ry. Company Survey.
 DVL-Bob Weatherly, et ux to Manuela Martinez, 10-25-07, Pt. SW 1/4 Sec. 4, T&NO Ry. Company Survey.
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 DT-Manuela Martinez to Glenda Weatherly, 10-25-07, Pt. SW 1/4 Sec. 4, T&NO Ry. Company Survey.
 D-Charles Oren, et al to Donald Coleman, et ux, 6-1-06, Pt. S 1/2 Outlot 26, Shamrock.
 RDT-Legacy Bank to Charles Oren, et al, 6-12-06, Pt. S 1/2 Outlot 26, Shamrock.
 AFF.-Christi Mills Ferguson to Monte Lynn Mills, et ux, 6-1-06, Pt. S 1/2 Outlot 26, Shamrock.
 RDT-First State Bank of Mobeetie to Noveta Atherton, et vir, 10-19-07, Lots 9-11, Blk. 26, Wheeler.
 District Clerk's Filing:
 #12055-Gregorio Garza Jr. vs Mary Ellen Garza, 10-2-07, Divorce.
 #12056-Wheeler ISD vs Arturo and Guadalupe Gonzales, 10-10-07, Tax Suit.
 #12057-Wheeler ISD vs Joe and Beverly Smith, 10-10-07, Tax Suit.
 #12058-Tamme Lurri Clark Greene vs Thad Dodds Greene, 10-11-07, Divorce.
 #12060-Wheeler County vs Polo Salas, 10-12-07, Tax Suit.
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 #12062-Debra Kay Kidd vs Robert Ford Indiv. & as Independent Admin. of the Estate of K. D. Ford.

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| 8-23 | Amarillo River Road | Wheeler | 5:00 |
| 8-31 | Spearman | Spearman | 7:30 |
| 9- 7 | **Gruver | Wh-21 S-22 | 7:30 |
| 9-14 | Open | | |
| 9-21 | Canadian | Wh- 6 C-41 | 7:30 |
| 9-28 | Boys Ranch | Wh-44 B-18 | 7:30 |
| 10- 5 | Claude | Wh-43 C-14 | |
| 10-12 | *Welling'on | Wh-07 W-16 | 7:30 |
| 10-19 | *Clarendon | Wh- 0 C-17 | |
| 10-26 | *Shamrock | Wh-14 S- 0 | |
| 11- 2 | *Quanah | Wh-21 Q-14 | |
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| Scott Thompson | 5-10 | 160 | Sr. | WR-LB |
| John Torres | 5-8 | 160 | Sr. | RB-LB |
| Patrick Lambert | 5-9 | 160 | Sr. | OL-DL |
| Roman Briano | 6-0 | 180 | Sr. | OL-DL |
| Nehemias Rodriguez | 6-0 | 230 | Sr. | OL-DL |
| Tascio Morales | 5-10 | 180 | Sr. | OL-DL |
| Jordan McIntosh | 5-11 | 215 | Sr. | OL-DL |
| Aaron Campbell | 6-1 | 235 | Sr. | OL-DL |
| Steven Morris | 6-2 | 240 | Sr. | OL-DL |
| Joe Robledo | 5-7 | 140 | Sr. | RB-LB |
| Reed Wilson | 5-10 | 180 | Jr. | QB-LB |
| Michael Gilchrist | 5-6 | 140 | Jr. | WR-DB |
| Taylor Lambert | 5-9 | 155 | Jr. | WR-LB |
| Kevin Alexander | 5-10 | 175 | Jr. | TE-LB |
| Pedro Perez | 5-9 | 170 | Jr. | OL-LB |
| Jamar Jenkins | 5-9 | 145 | So. | WR-DB |
| Autrey Dickson | 5-8 | 160 | So. | RB-LB |
| Braden Byers | 5-8 | 145 | So. | TE-DL |
| Peter Messer | 5-5 | 120 | So. | WR-DB |
| Ethan Ferrel | 5-9 | 170 | So. | RB-LB |
| Jazzmar Matthews | 5-6 | 130 | So. | RB-DB |
| Dustin Simmons | 5-8 | 150 | So. | OL-DL |
| Jared Casas | 5-7 | 150 | So. | OL-DL |
| Marcelino Munoz | 6-0 | 170 | So. | OL-DL |
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TEXAS CATTLE WOMEN ORGANIZED LOCALLY: Texas CattleWomen have organized a new local women's group to support the BEEF industry, bringing the "best" of volunteerism to the industry. Affiliated with the American National CattleWomen Members pictured are: Jennifer Waite, Higgins; Tara Buckingham, Wheeler; Corie Ash, Lipscomb; Julie Cooke, Canadlan; Stacey Morgan, Shamrock; Jan Hill, Shamrock; Kelly Buckingham, Wheeler; Kim Anglemy, Shamrock; Lee Ann Hillhouse, Wheeler; Liz Austin, Wheeler; Amy Huff, Allison; Julie Cooper, Higgins; Mary Mitchell, Wheeler and Carolyn Corse, Mobeetie. Not pictured: Kay Stiles, Wheeler; Julie Barnett, Briscoe; Susan Redding, Briscoe; Betty Connauld, Wheeler; Melody Vasquez, Wheeler and Janie Van Zandt, Mobeetie.

CattleWomen's Organization Is Formed In Wheeler

Texas CattleWomen have organized a new local women's group to support the BEEF industry bringing the "best" of volunteerism to the industry. Affiliated with the American National CattleWomen, we are leaders in beef promotion, education and legislation in local, state and national areas. Our mission is to support and promote the beef industry. In our organization, women function collectively to inform consumers of the importance of the industry and of the contributions it makes to the economy of our nation. Panhandle Working CattleWomen was newly formed in September with an organizational meeting held at the City Drug Bed and Breakfast in Wheeler. The meeting was hosted and facilitated by Texas CattleWoman, Liz Austin of Wheeler. Liz prepared a Beef Mexican Pile-on meal with dessert and presented a power point presentation of CattleWomen activities across the state. A second organizational meeting was recently held last Monday at Maxey's in Wheeler at which Texas CattleWoman, Liz Austin, presented a short agenda of upcoming events and presented several items of organizational business.

Panhandle Working CattleWomen will continue to meet on the last Monday evening of every month in the Wheeler area. The next meeting is scheduled for Monday, November 26, at 6:30p.m. in Wheeler.

Panhandle Working CattleWomen is off to a great start with twenty new members from the surrounding area. If you are interested in joining Panhandle Working CattleWomen, please contact Liz Austin at 806-898-4281 for more information.

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Top O' Texas CattleWomen Meeting

Top O' Texas CattleWomen met on October 8, 2007 at 10:30 a.m. at the Railhead Restaurant in Canadian, TX with president Sally Wicker presiding.

Sally reported on the TCW Fall meeting that she attended in Brenham, TX.

The Junior CattleWomen membership passed. It is effective now and is for youth up to age 17. There are some new BEEF brochures available to us from the Texas Beef Council. The Spring TCW meeting will be held in Corpus Christi, TX at the Omni Hotel on March 13-15, 2008. The TCW Fall meeting will be held September 19-20, 2008 at Sul Ross University in Alpine, TX.

Amy Brainard reported that our booth at the Tri-State Fair was a success.

We will have a booth at the Fall Foliage Festival in Canadian. Our local plans to participate in the Chili Cook-off in Pampa on Nov. 10, 2007. We plan to decorate a tree for the Festival of Trees in Pampa in December.

We plan to have a social to celebrate the 35th year of our organization.

We are currently having our membership drive. Anyone interested in promoting BEEF is welcome to join us. We meet on the second Monday of the month at 10:30 a.m. in various towns in our membership area. Our membership area consists of the following counties: Ochiltree, Lipscomb, Hemphill, Roberts, Hutchinson, Carson, Gray, Wheeler, and

Collingsworth.

For more information contact Dianne Buckingham at 806-256-3633.

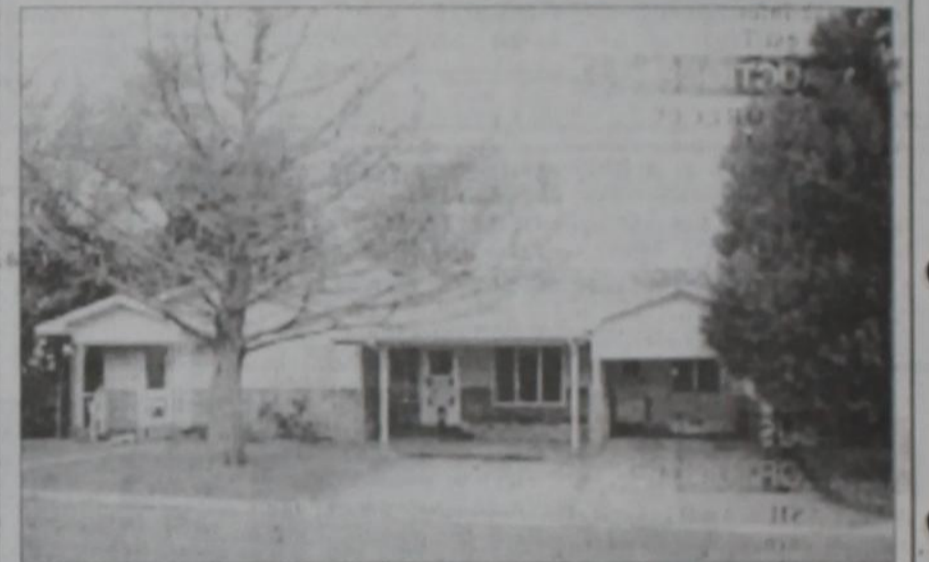
Members present at the meeting were Sally Wicker, Amy

Brainard, and Resa Wicker from Canadian; Dianne Buckingham, Christine Maret, Susan Stephens, and Mary John Stephens from Shamrock; Berklee Clements from Skellytown; and Sena Brainard from Pampa. We had one guest present Bobbie Yates.

Our next meeting will be Monday, November 12, 2007 at 10:30 a.m. in Pampa at Doves Bar-B-Que. See you there!

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GPRMC Welcomes Physical Therapist

Great Plains Regional Medical Center is pleased to announce that Gilbert Rosario has joined the Physical Therapy Department as a physical therapist.

"We are excited to have someone with Gilbert's credentials and expertise join our team at Great Plains," said Bonnie Lake, Director of Physical Therapy. "By adding another member to our team, Great Plains is making sure we can take care of all patients who need physical therapy in our community."

"Physical therapists provide a multitude of services, all designed to help patients recover from a variety of injuries and medical conditions that limit their physical abilities," says Lake.

Physical therapy patients include accident victims and individuals with disabling conditions such as low-back pain, arthritis, heart disease, fractures and head injuries. The goal of all physical therapy treatments is to improve how an individual functions at work and at home.

Physical therapists also use electrical stimulation, hot packs or cold compresses, and ultrasound to relieve pain and reduce swelling. They may use traction or deep-tissue massage to relieve pain. Therapists also teach patients to use assistive and adaptive devices, such as crutches, prostheses, and wheelchairs. They also may show patients exercises to do at home to expedite their recovery.

For more information on the Physical Therapy Department at Great Plains Regional Medical Center, call 580-225-2511.

Emergency Books Are Given Students

We have distributed "Emergency Preparedness Handbooks" to all the schools in the county, one for each student to take home. The handbooks are available in English and Spanish.

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Students are encouraged to read the handbooks with their parents and discuss what to do in the different situations. For people who have no ties to the schools, there are handbooks at both banks in Shamrock, both banks in Wheeler, city office in Shamrock and Wheeler and the Emergency Management Office in the Courthouse.

Any questions, please call the Emergency Management Office in Wheeler at 826-3333.

Ken Daughtry, EMC

Grass (from Page 10)

High Plains is 30 to 60 pounds of nitrogen per acre for dryland Old World Bluestem in one application. "Research has shown that we can boost forage production with every pound of nitrogen applied," McCollum said. "An upfront application is recommended for dryland pasture. There seems to be little or no benefit in using split applications. If rainfall has been good or you have irrigation in the equation, consider using a little more nitrogen."

Nitrogen also boosts the protein content of young, tender forages

preferred by livestock, he said. Research with Old World Bluestem has shown that the first increment of nitrogen applied (30 pounds per acre) can increase gain per head and gain per acre, he said.

"Grazing studies have shown little or no affect on gain when more than 30 pounds per acre of nitrogen were applied," McCollum said. "We also have to have good phosphorus levels to get a boost from the nitrogen we apply. The recommended rate is 50 pounds of P2O5, but it's a good idea to run a soil test first and apply phosphorus as needed."

The best way to achieve good livestock gains on perennial pastures is to adjust stocking rates based on the amount and quality of available forage, he said.

"If you treat cattle like lawnmowers, they'll perform like lawnmowers," McCollum said. "We cannot expect cattle to completely consume all the forage in a pasture and still perform well. We have to manage our forage and adjust our grazing to allow warm-season grasses to bank nutrients in its roots before fall and winter. Come spring, the grass will use those stored nutrients to initiate new growth."

Taking livestock off the grass during the growing season, preferably in September and October, allows the forage to rest and regenerate nutrient stores in its roots, he said.

"Your overall pasture plan can also include paddocks planted to complementary forages," McCollum said. "The idea behind complementary forages is one provides what the other lacks - whether it's quality, carrying capacity or grazing - when the other is deferred from grazing."

After the fall rest period, perennial grasses can provide some grazing of residual forage during winter, he said. Adequate fertility during the growing season and respecting the grasses need for rest helps forage quality through winter.

"This can lessen the need for

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supplementation during winter," McCollum said. "During the growing/grazing season, cattle will need a mineral mix similar to what we would provide for them on native range."

McCollum was a featured speaker at a recent South Plains perennial grass workshop sponsored by Extension and the Texas Alliance for Water Conservation.

Funded by the Texas Water Development Board, the alliance is a joint effort of Texas Tech University, Extension, the Texas Agricultural Experiment Station, the High Plains Underground Water Conservation District No. 1, the

U.S. Department of Agriculture's Natural Resource Conservation Service and the Agricultural Research Service Cropping Systems Research Laboratory, and several producers in Hale and Floyd Counties.

Information on the Texas Alliance for Water Conservation and its cropping projects is available online at: <http://www.orgs.ttu.edu/forageresearch/TAWC.htm>

A look at the potential of perennial pastures on the High Plains is available online at: <http://agnews.tamu.edu/dailynews/stories/RNEC/Oct1806a.htm>

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Wheeler County COURT RECORDS

List of instruments filed in the Wheeler County Clerk's office from October 29, 2007 - November 5, 2007.

OCTOBER 29, 2007
EXT. DT- Roy Lee Henry to National Bank of Commerce, 10-20-07, Lots 17-19, Blk. 6, Shamrock.
ROW-Coy L. Bartz to Enbridge Pipelines (Texas Gathering) LP, 10-24-07, Pt. SW 1/4 Sec. 19, Blk. A-3, H&GN Ry. Company Survey.
REL. FTL-United State of America to Steven L. Simmons, 10-17-07.
ASSIGN. B. of Sale-Fuller Properties LC to James R. Fuller Jr., 2-6-07, All interest in Wheeler County.
MD-Bob R. Zybach, et ux to Mary Diane Dukes, et al, 10-29-07, S 1/2 Sec. 13, Camp County School Land.
OL-Sharon Lee Pitman to Chesapeake Exploration Limited Partnership, 3-20-07, NW 1/4 Sec. 1 and SE 1/4; NW 1/4 Sec. 2, BS&F Survey.
ASSIGN. B. of SALE-Anadarko Asset to Circle Dot Ranch Inc., 9-28-07, Water Well Int. in Sec. 3, BS&F Survey.
MD-Quineil Roark to Hattie Quineil Roark Living Trust, 10-23-07, Secs. 26, 34, and 35, Blk. 17, H&GN Ry. Company Survey.
QCD-Olan M. Nincehelter, et ux to Kittie W. Nincehelter Living Trust, 10-5-07, NE 1/4 Sec. 68, Blk. 24, H&GN Ry. Company Survey.
QCD-Kittie W. Nincehelter, et vir to Kittie W. Nincehelter Living Trust, 10-25-07, Pts. Sec. 8, Blk. A-9, H&GN Ry. Company Survey.
QCD-Kittie W. Nincehelter, Trustee to Kittie W. Nincehelter Living Trust, 7-3-07.

OCTOBER 30, 2007

AMEND. OL-Ruth Hogan to Bill Eischeid, 10-19-07, 100 acs. NE 1/4; 24.8 acs. SE 1/4 Sec. 44, Blk. A-5, H&GN Ry. Company Survey.
ASSIGN.-Bill Eischeid to Blue Dolphin Energy LLC, 10-25-07, Pts. Sec. 44, Blk. A-5, H&GN Ry. Company Survey.
ASSIGN./B. of SALE-Protege Energy LLC to Mobeetie Resource Development LLC, 10-25-07, See Instrument.
C/C PROBATE-Norman Richard Rousselot to Ex Parte, 8-1-06.
DT-William J. Mayer to Sanguine Gas Exploration LLC, 9-28-07, See Instrument.
D-Jesse Taylor, et ux to Gregoria Soto, et ux, 6-14-06, S 100' Lot F-2, Prairie Lawn Add., Wheeler.
RDT-Canadian Banking Center to Upland Resources Inc., 10-26-07, See Instrument.
OCTOBER 31, 2007
MEMO-OPTION AGREE.-Newfield Exploration Mid-Continent Inc., et al to Unit Petroleum Company, et al, 8-14-07, Sec. 5, Blk. 5, Brooks & Burleson Survey.
UCC DT-Sergio Lopez to Carmel Financial Corp., -- -- --, Lot 2, Mockingbird Hill Add., Wheeler.
POA-B. BB. Doubleday Jr. to Irvin Pense, 9-27-07.
HEIRSHIP AFF.-John K. Johnson to Rainey McKinney Warren Jr., 10-23-07.
HEIRSHIP AFF.-Linda L. Johnson to Rainey McKinney Warren Jr., 10-23-07.
AMEND. OL-John Lawrence Teas Trust, et al to John R. Buckthal, 10-22-07, SE 1/4 Sec. 32, Blk. A-4, H&GN Ry. Company Survey.
AMEND. OL-Paul C. Teas Inc. to John R. Buckthal, 10-26-07, SE 1/4 Sec. 32, Blk. A-4, H&GN Ry. Company Survey.
AMEND. OL-Kelly Teas Trust, et al to John R. Buckthal, 10-26-07, SE 1/4 Sec. 32, Blk. A-4, H&GN Ry. Company Survey.
AFF.-Brenda Mitchell to Ruth Vestelle Wiley, 1-23-06, SE 1/4 Sec. 6, J. Poitevent.
D-John Hal Christner to Kimberly Anna Christner, 7-18-07, E 1/2 Sec. 49, Blk. 17, H&GN Ry. Company Survey.
D-Patsy Coleman to Mark Powell, 10-30-07, Pt. S 1/2' Outlot 26, Shamrock.
D-Mark Powell to SD 425 E 1st LLC, 10-30-07, Pt. S 1/2' Outlot 26, Shamrock.
EXT. DT-C. Wilbur Walls, et al to Citibank NA, 10-19-07, See Instrument.
EXT. DT-Fred Brown Methanol Inc., et al to Citibank NA, 10-19-07, See Instrument.
NOVEMBER 1, 2007
EXT. DT-Lawrence Cook, et ux to First Ag Credit PCA, 10-30-07, See Instrument.
EXT. DT-Wiley M. Fires, et ux to First Ag Credit PCA, 10-5-07, SE 1/4 Sec. 37, Blk. 17, H&GN Ry. Company Survey.
ASSIGN.-Kaiser-Francis Oil Company to Kaiser-Francis Mid-Continent Limited Partnership, 10-26-07, See Instrument.
ASSIGN.-William P. Harris to Mobeetie Resource Development LLC, 10-31-07, Pt. NE 1/4 and Pt. NW 1/4 Sec. 44, Blk. A-5, H&GN Ry. Company Survey.
OL-Sneed Company to John R. Buckthal, 6-16-06, SW 1/4 Sec. 32, Blk. A-4, H&GN Ry. Company Survey.
ASSIGN./B. of SALE-John Conley Stepp Estate, et al to Forked River Resources LLC, 10-12-07, NW 1/4 SE 1/4; E 1/2 NE 1/4 SE 1/4; W 1/2 NW 1/4 SE 1/4; NE1/4 SW 1/4 SE 1/4 Sec. 52, Blk. 24, H&GN Ry. Company Survey.
C/C PROBATE-Shirley Barnes Wynn to Ex Parte, 8-27-07.
C/C PROBATE-George Clay

Thornton Sr. to Ex Parte, 10-24-07.

OL-Robert F. Bailey Jr. to Sanguine Gas Exploration LLC, 10-22-07, SW 1/4 Sec. 24, Blk. A-7, H&GN Ry. Company Survey.
EXECUTOR OL-Daphne Joy Smith Estate to Sanguine Gas Exploration LLC, 1-27-06, S 1/2 Sec. 39, Blk. A-7, H&GN Ry. Company Survey.
EXECUTOR QC ROY./MD-Robert Rex Silverstone Estate to George G. Vaught Jr., et al, 10-18-07, See Instrument.
OL-ACS-ODS Oil & Gas Ltd., et al to Orion Oil & Gas Properties, 7-17-07, Sec. 41, Blk. A-3, H&GN Ry. Company Survey.
OL-Scott Akin to Orion Oil & Gas Properties, 7-23-07, Sec. 41, Blk. A-3, H&GN Ry. Company Survey.
OL-Diana Akin Larson to Orion Oil & Gas Properties, 7-23-07, Sec. 41, Blk. A-3, H&GN Ry. Company Survey.
NOVEMBER 2, 2007
D-Betty J. Zybach Revocable Trust, et al to Mest LLC, 11-1-07, See Instrument.
PARTIAL RDT-Chesapeake Exploration LLC to C. G. Dodd Jr., et ux 10-16-07, S 1/2 Sec. 74, Blk. M-1, H&GN Ry. Company Survey.
OL-James Michael Vise to Newfield Exploration Mid Continent Inc., 8-20-07, S 1/2; Pt. S 144.8 acs N 1/2 Sec. 2, BBB&C Survey.
OL-William Kent Vise to Newfield Exploration Mid Continent Inc., 8-20-07, S 1/2; Pt. S 144.8 acs N 1/2 Sec. 2, BBB&C Survey.
HEIRSHIP AFF.-Robert M. Collins, et al to Johnny R. Hall, 8-13-07.
ASSIGN.-Patricia Diane Chesser, et al to V. A. Johnston Ltd., 10-16-07, Sec. 91, Blk. A-5, H&GN Ry. Company Survey.
ASSIGN.-V. A. Johnston Family Trust, et al to V. A. Johnston Ltd., 10-16-07, Sec. 91, Blk. A-5, H&GN Ry. Company Survey.
RATIF. OL-Samuel P. Montgomery, et al to Pogo Panhandle 2004 LP, 8-28-07, W 1/2 NE 1/4 and NE 1/4 NE 1/4 Sec. 8, Blk. A-3, H&GN Ry. Company Survey.
ROW-Connie S. Schweizer 2001 Trust, et al to Pogo Panhandle 2004 LP, 8-31-07, S 1/2 NE 1/4 Sec. 3, AB&M Survey.
D-Francis M. Grimes, et ux to Elizabeth Frances Shipp, ---, 203 acs. and 163 acs. Sec. 28, Blk. A-9, H&GN Ry. Company Survey.
MD-Bobby K. Helton to Sharla R. Boles, et al, 10- -- --, E 1/2 Sec. 60, Blk. M-1, H&GN Ry. Company Survey.
P. of ATTY.-Ollie Buford Burton to Gary Don Burton, 11-1-07.

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MOBEETIE NEWS

By: Sue Mayfield

Our deepest sympathy to the family and friends of Addie Swift. She will be greatly missed. Her family and friends were the joys of her life. Services were on Tuesday at the Country Chapel Church in Wheeler. Her church in Briscoe is just too small for her family and friends to gather for lunch comfortably. They really needed the extra space for her celebration of life.

Hope you are all adjusting to the time change. Amazing how one hour a day can make such a difference for a while. Except for the wind, the weather in Mobeetie has been very nice this last week. Slowly, but surely, we are gradually getting some beautiful fall contrast in the area, although the old elm trees are just turning a dirty brown and dropping their leaves.

Geoffrey and Freida Caldwell have such a beautiful yard this fall. Louise Shorter has her yard all decorated for the trick and treaters. We had only a few trick and treaters this year. They were all so cute and so polite. They may look scary and mean, but they didn't leave their manners at home. We have a great bunch of kids around here. Glad the weather stayed nice for them.

We were pleasantly surprised to have Danielle, Harley and Jeff Mayfield stop by on Halloween night. They had been out doing some of Danielle's home visits to tie up the paperwork for the month. She is one of the probation officers that stick to the guidelines. Part of her job is to be sure her clients are abiding by the rules of their probation. They had been to Skellytown, Lefors and McLean and the rural areas between and up along the county line. She was very proud of her clients, as they were where they were supposed to be. It's nice to know we have people that take their jobs seriously and are there to help those people that are trying to change their lives.

So glad that Kari Cummings, daughter of Fred and Jackie Thrasher, only had to spend the night in the hospital. She is home and doing fairly well. She missed only a couple of days of work and then was back in the office getting payroll ready.

The Lady Cougars are still hot on the trail to a state championship. They had great games in Vernon. They put the Cougar pounce on Forestburg in all three games last week. They will be playing in Childress tomorrow, Tuesday, evening at 6:00 p.m. The

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Cougar Ladies will be facing off with Whitharrell. They have been the state champions for the last 2 years, so the girls have their work cut out for them. They are fired up and ready to pounce. Good luck, girls.

Sorry the Cougar boys didn't have as good of luck on the football field Friday night. Follett has always been a strong contender and they came prepared on Friday night. Follett beat Fort Elliott 68-18. With the help of his great team, Colby Hanson managed to run in three touchdowns. Way to go, guys, you've had a great year! Now, it's on to the basketball courts.

Sorry that Leola Stuart didn't get a better report at her check-up at the eye doctor on Wednesday. She and Iva had a good day together as they took care of business and the doctor appointment while they were in Amarillo. The wind was horrible all day... makes it feel so much colder. Will have to consider having some laser surgery sometime soon. They have made such huge strides in helping people save their eyesight as long as possible. Good luck, Leola, you're in our prayers. Leola was taking her stuff over to the church and then going to pick up Mrs. Bulah Stuart to bring her back to be with her sister's family on Tuesday.

Todd and Lori Mayfield surprised us on Saturday with a nice little visit. They were on their way from Denver to Oklahoma City and then on to New Jersey and New York. They are planning on running hard the rest of the month and then take a few days off for Thanksgiving and spend it here in the panhandle. Lori's parents, Ron and Phyllis Lorkin, live in Amarillo along with her brother and sister and families. Her grandmother, Alice Little, lives in Borger.

Thought for the day: Live simply, love generously, care deeply, speak kindly and leave the rest to God.

Marissa Keelin is the best little neighbor. She is a member of the Fort Elliott FFA, along with the volleyball team and many other interests. She is always so good to come by when they have a fundraiser at the school. The FFA members have just gotten all of their meats delivered and are now doing the holiday fruits, along with some yummy smelling candies that last for many hours. Just sorry we have to make decisions of which ones we want the most. Lori had a lot of fun "shopping." Since Todd and Lori spend so much time on the road, they miss out on helping support the school kids, so she was excited to get to take advantage of the opportunity. They enjoy supporting the kids at the schools. Thanks, Marissa.



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we appreciate you. The fruit is always so tasty and juicy. Looking forward to the smoked turkey, too. Don't know if the elementary kiddos are off their sugar "highs" yet, but they are already working on redecorating the halls and classrooms for Thanksgiving. They have already started working on their special Christmas play and musical. They always do such a great job. We are looking forward to the big event.

Hope you all have a great week. Please remember our friends and neighbors in your prayers: Bill and Shirley Dyson, Aaron and Arica Lancaster, Charlie Brown, Chris Mick and family, Peggy Frazier, Bulah Stuart, Clinton and Maurita Stribling, Doyle and Bulah Grimes, Don and Mary Edwards, Mabel Tabor, John Theirstein, Jane Seitz, Jack and Bernice Hefley, Opal Hefley, Aaron Harline and family.

Information Offered On Perennial Grass

So you want some perennial grass on your place for grazing or maybe even hay? Before you get started on this project, get a leg up and do some planning, said a Texas Cooperative Extension beef specialist.

"Perennial grass for pasture is more economical than planting annual grasses," said Dr. Ted McCollum, Extension beef specialist at Amarillo. "It takes less time, labor and fuel to establish perennial grass because you plant it only once. Just make sure you want it there for a long time."

Putting a perennial grass where it can remain productive year after year is part of an overall plan that requires different management than row crops or temporary pastures, McCollum said.

"Perennial grasses are different than annual grasses," he said. "They don't put all their reproductive energy into seed production. They reproduce vegetatively through tillers (new upright stems), stolons (above-ground runners) and rhizomes (underground runners)."

"They're out there for the long haul," McCollum said. "We can benefit from that if we manage those grasses for crown and root health, and limit grazing to allow the plants time to rest and replenish themselves."

Fertilizing perennial grasses benefits yield and forage quality. A general rule of thumb on the

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Andrea Aldridge and family, Curtis Hendrix, Lonnie Hendrix, Danny Hendrix, Chuck Carl, Vance and Carol Boydston, Shannon Pool, Audrey Seitz, Jane Seitz, Byron Simpson, Augusta Brown, Alvern Hutchison, Orville Greenhouse, Shelton May and family, Penny Summers, Iva Richardson, Bea and Glenn Williams, Jerry Lister, John McGinty, Kenneth and Vera Walker, Iona May, Melba Corcoran, Lou Dean Douthit, Earl and Leola Farris, Dick and Ann Graham, John Paul and Delmer Harris, Aaron Laverly, Deider Murray, Iola Moore, the family and friends of Addie Swift, Fred Castle, Ronnie Stuart, Mary Mayfield, Jimmy Love and Bill and Patsy Caswell.



Aubrey "Bailey" Toler Ryan, 3 1/2-year-old daughter of Kelly and Rachel Ryan of Richland Hills, TX. Sister of Peyton Ryan, granddaughter of Lori and Todd Mayfield, Kendall Campbell and Kelly Leo Ryan, Jr., all of Richland Hills and John and Brenda Herring of Hurst, TX.; along with Drew Bergen of Amarillo, TX. Great-grandparents are Ron and Phyllis Jackson and Irv and Mari Lyn Bergen of Amarillo, TX.; Mari Ann Campbell of Benbrook, TX.; and Bob and Sue Mayfield of Mobeetie, TX. Great-great-grandmothers are Alice Little of Borger, TX., and Carolyn Orthman of Dumas, TX.

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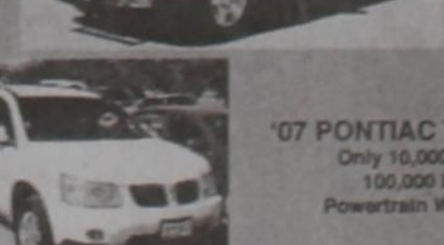
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