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"Wheeler, town of friendship and pride."

EX-STUDENT, TEACHER REUNION SATURDAY

REGISTRATION OPENS AT 10, BUSINESS MEETING 2 CLASS PARTIES & STREET DANCE CLOSE ACTIVITIES

By Rochelle Rives

Dig out those old snapshots, flip through those tattered yearbooks, search the deepest fathoms of your mind for that funniest "remember when" story, and get ready to embark on a delightful journey down memory lane. Once again it is time for the Wheeler Ex-Student & Teacher Reunion.



Steven "Ed" Helton, 80, Buried At Zybach Tues.

The excitement begins on Saturday, June 12th with registration beginning at 10:00 A.M. and continuing through the day at Wheeler High School. In addition, there will be plenty of time to "catch up" with those old friends during the noon meal catered by Maxey's restaurant and throughout the afternoon.

Then, at 2:00 P.M. the exes, boasting an age span of almost of 70 years, will meet in the auditorium to be formally welcomed by Jimmy Adams, president of the Ex-Student & Teacher Organization. During this time, the honor classes will be recognized (those ending in "3" and "4"), awards will be given, local talent will perform, and a short business meeting will be held.

STREET DANCE

Finally, Saturday night will be highlighted by various individual class parties and a street dance with music provided by Bob McCain at the 100 Block of E. Texas Street from 9:00 to 12:00 midnight, so make sure to bring your dancing shoes.

CLASS PARTIES

Class of '23 - Wheeler care center resident Joe Clark will be at registration and the business meeting and would like to visit his old friends and former classmates in town for the reunion.

Classes of '35 and back - Ruth Dill Wyley will host an open house at her home at 303 W. Texas after the business meeting.

Classes of '36-'39 - Elva Woods and Harrison Hall will host a gathering at the Atrium of the United Methodist Church.

Class '40-'46 - The kids from the war years '40-'46 will host a social at the Methodist church after the business meeting until 6 or 6:30.

Class of '47 & Friends - Ida Mae Martin Goad will host a party at her home, 106 N. Canadian on Friday evening.

Class of 1951 or anyone wanting to

Class of 1953 Having 40th Reunion

The Class of 1953 is having a 40th reunion and supper "Dutch Treat" at Maxey's on June 12th at 6:00 p.m. We have the dining room reserved. All friends and other classmates are welcome to come eat and visit with us. Let's don't forget our teachers too. They helped us become what we are today.

visit meet at the home of Maurine and C.B. Brotherton, 1 mile east of Wheeler after business meeting.

Class of 1963 will meet at the Adrian Risners home, 702 South Main, Saturday right after the business meeting.

Classes of '67-'71 - Bobby and Denise Ware will host a class party on Sat evening at their home, 200 E. Eleventh.

Class of '73 - Michelle Mitchell Henson will host a party Saturday evening 6:00-9:00 at her home southwest of Cemetery Road.

Class of '81 and Friends - Will meet

EX-STUDENT PARTY Classes 1956 thru 1966

Sharon Beaty Helton and Lynda Beaty Wallace will be hosting an Ex-Student party for years 1956 thru 1966 on Saturday, June 12 from 4:00 until 9:00 P.M.

The location is 1 1/2 miles north of the stop light then 1 mile east. (Old John Conner Place) Watch for signs. Hope to see you there!

TOTTY SCHOOL REUNION SATURDAY

The annual Totty School Reunion will be held the second weekend in June, Saturday the 12th and Sunday the 13th, 1993. Come and join us.

Anyone having campers are welcome to bring them and stay on the school grounds.

On Saturday night at 6:00, there will be a cookout, hamburgers, hotdogs, and buns will be furnished. Please bring chips, dips, and desserts. Games and fellowship will follow.

Sunday we will have a basket dinner, spread together, at 12:00 noon. Plates, cups, and napkins will be furnished.

A drawing will be held for a Double Wedding Ring quilt.

We hope you will come and enjoy the fun and fellowship.

See you there, Totty Quilting Club and Reunion

BENEFIT COOKOUT

On Saturday, June 19th at 5:00, the Wheeler Volunteer Fire Dept. will sponsor a benefit cookout in the city park. Proceeds will be split evenly between Linda Atwood, Lanita Arganbright, Neal Smith, & Mike Newland. Donations only will be accepted. Please come and make this effort to help others a success.

Youth Rally Swimming Party Planned Saturday

A North Wheeler County Youth Rally and swim party will be held Saturday, June 12, 1993, from 8 to 11 p.m. at the Wheeler City Pool. All junior high and senior high school students are invited for games, food, music, and prizes. Several area churches and businesses are participating in the event. Businesses donating include Heritage Beef Cattle Company, Steve Emmert, Atty., Lee Hardware, Wright Funeral Home, Thriftway, and First National Bank in Wheeler. For further information, call Greg Smith at 826-3511. Churches participating include Country Chapel, First United Methodist Church, Christian Center, and Gageby Baptist Church.

Teresa Williams Freeman Receives Bachelor Degree

Teresa Williams Freeman received her Bachelor of Arts Degree from Southwestern Oklahoma State University May 7, 1993 at Milam stadium in Weatherford, Oklahoma. Her degree is in Secondary Education: Social Science with a minor in Criminal Justice. She is now qualified to teach American History, World History, Geography, Sociology, Civics, Government, Economics and Political Science.

While at SWOSU, Teresa has been an active leader on campus. She has consistently been listed on the Dean's Honor Roll. Her junior year she was a member of the History Club, and officer in Alpha Phi Sigma (a national honorary Fraternity), and she was

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at the home of Mike and Rhonda Gallagher, Saturday 4:00 till 9:00.

Note: Due to cost of postage, registration and information letters were not sent to residents of Wheeler County.

Willie Hefley, 90, Rites Are Read Here Tuesday

Willie Verda Hefley, 90, died Saturday, June 5, 1993.

Services were at 2:30 p.m. Tuesday in Wheeler Church of Christ with Bill Morrison, minister, officiating. The burial was in Wheeler Cemetery by Wright Funeral Home.

Mrs. Hefley, born in Gould, Okla., moved to Wheeler County in 1908. She married Dan W. Hefley in 1921 at Wheeler. He died in 1984. She was a 38-year resident of Wheeler and a member of the Church of Christ.

Survivors include to sons, D.W. Hefley Jr. and Jerry Dan Hefley, both of Wheeler; four daughters, Mildred Hill of Canyon, Marjorie Wallace of Amarillo, Anna V. Kelly of Waco and Mary Helen Kelly; 14 grandchildren; and 24 great-grandchildren.

Pallbearers for the service were Charles Crockett, Joe Jaco, Virgil Jamison, Dr. Louie Mendiola, Jim Montgomery, and Thurman Rives. Honorary pallbearers included Jimmy Adams, Joel Finsterwald, Doyle Ramsey, and Billy Wiggins.

M. Chlorene Spruell, 75 Rites Today In Amarillo

M. Chlorene Spruell, 75, died Monday, June 7, 1993.

Services will be at 2 p.m. today, Thursday in the Boxwell Brothers Funeral Directors Ivy Chapel. Rev. James Carter, retired minister, officiating. Burial will be in Llano Cemetery.

Mrs. Spruell was born in Jericho County and had lived in Amarillo for 55 years. She was a homemaker and lifetime member of St. Anthony's Hospital Auxiliary. She was a member of Arts. Unlimited and Forrest Hill United Methodist Church. She married Henry E. Spruell in 1938 at Canadian. She was preceded in death by a son, Morgan Henry Spruell, in 1990.

Survivors include her husband; five sisters, Alice Bailey of Mobeetie, Julia Williams of Pampa, Helen Martin of Loveland, Colo., Betty Morgan of Fritch and Dot Phillips of Amarillo; four grandchildren; and four great-grandchildren.

Travis D. Keelin, 75, To Be Buried Here Wed.

Travis D. Keelin, 75, of Briscoe, died Monday, June 7, 1993.

Services were held 2:30 p.m. Wednesday in First Baptist Church of Wheeler. Rev. Don Larkin, retired Baptist minister of Amarillo, and the Rev. Robert Helsley, pastor, officiated. Burial was in Wheeler Cemetery by Wright Funeral Home.

Mr. Keelin, born in Fannin County, moved to Briscoe in 1940. He married Rosalie Bradstreet in 1940 at Dumas. He was a custom harvester and construction worker. He was a member of the Baptist church in Briscoe until it disbanded.

Survivors include his wife; four sons, James Keelin of Briscoe, Jerry Keelin of Shamrock, Gene Keelin of Wheeler and Joey Keelin of Pasadena; 12 grandchildren; and 11 great-grandchildren.

Pallbearers, David Bradstreet, Wesley Bradstreet, Daniel Keelin, Glen Keelin, Matthew Keelin, Gary Larkin, Larry Taylor, Glen Waldo.

Honorary Pallbearers, Darville Atherton, L.D. Childress, Charles Finsterwald, Donald Finsterwald, Cecil Meadows.

The family request memorials be to a favorite charity.

New Arrival

Jaten Todd Moore

Nicole's room is filled with new toys but they aren't dishes and dolls. It's filled with playthings for boys like truck's, tractors, and balls.

On April 15, she got a new brother now she share's her Dad and Mother. His name is Jaten Todd Moore. NWTH was where he was born. He was an even 20 inches long and 7.12 3/4 pounds strong. His parents are Todd and Tammy Moore and happy to be a family of four.

written by Aunt Kristi Petit Grandparents are Dwayne and Bobbie Sue Baker, Charles and Butch Moore of Wheeler. Great Grandparents are Chuck and Marie Baker, Vera Moore Barnes of Wheeler. Lewis and Virginia Burns of Perryton. Clifford and Argie Andrews of Borger. Great Great Grandparents is Pearl Holland of Perryton.

Kansas Whiteley, 93, To Be Buried Here Today

Kansas Whiteley, 93, of Pampa, died Tuesday, June 8, 1993.

Services will be at 2 p.m. today, Thursday in Wheeler Church of Christ with Bill Morrison, minister, officiating. Burial will be in Kelton Cemetery by Wright Funeral Home.

Mrs. Whiteley, born in Johnson County, Ark., moved to Kelton from Erick, Okla., in 1927. She moved to Wheeler in 1973 and to Pampa in 1980. She married Sidney White Whiteley in 1916 at Johnson County. He died in 1983. She was a Methodist and a homemaker. She was preceded in death by a son, Ralph Whiteley, in 1930.

Survivors include a son, Donald Whiteley, of Wheeler; three daughters, Vivian Riley and Sidney Jackson, both of Pampa, and Betty Fillingim of Grand Prairie; a sister, Pearl Roberts of Okmulgee, Okla.; nine grandchildren; 14 great-grandchildren; and six great-great-grandchildren.

Pallbearers Dee Johnson, Teed Pond, Bus Dorman, Glen Abbott, Ton Price, Paul Johnson.

Honorary Pallbearers are her grandsons.

Elizabeth Kuehler, 78 Rites Were Read Tues.

Elizabeth Kuehler, 78, of Morton, died Sunday, June 6, 1993.

Services were held on Tuesday at 10:00 a.m. in St. Ann's Catholic Church with the Rev. Elbert Fadallan officiating. Burial was in Morton Memorial Cemetery by Ellis Funeral Home.

Mrs. Kuehler was born in Bastrop. She married Louis Kuehler in 1934 at Rhineland. He died in 1992. She had lived in Cochran County since 1941, moving from Rhineland. She was a homemaker. She was preceded in death by a daughter, Bebbie Rice, in 1986.

Survivors include five sons, Wayne Kuehler of Wheeler, Melvin Kuehler of Dallas, Glen Kuehler of Pearland, Clem Kuehler of Irving and Donnie Kuehler of Morton; two daughters, Betty Lyon of Morton and Joan Sowder of Enochs, a brother, Phillip Bruggeman of Rhineland; a sister, Helen Kuehler of Brownfield; 26 grandchildren; and nine great-grandchildren.



TREES VANDALIZED

Due to the aging and dying trees at the city park, many new ones were planted about four years ago. Recently, these young trees have been severely vandalized. Limbs have been torn from them leaving them in a very fragile condition. If you have any information regarding this crime, please contact the city office. Vandalism will be punished. The park will no longer be a place to enjoy if all of the trees are dead. Please help take care of our public places.

'Bible Times' Is Theme For Joint Bible School

"The First United Methodist Church and the Country Chapel have teamed up for an unforgettable experience," said Rev. Schoenecker and Rev. Weatherly. The two churches will offer Bible school for 4 yr. old thru sixth grade starting June 14 and continuing thru June 18 from 9 until 11:45 a.m.

The church will be turned into a Bible Times village where youngsters can share an Amazing Journey to Bible Times, experiencing the world of the Bible and gaining an understanding of God's plan. The Amazing Journey to Bible Times theme will help create an atmosphere of fun and excitement while featuring life-related Bible study, lively Hebrew songs, skits, crafts, games and snacks. In all these activities it is desired that each person learn about God's plan—past, present and future.

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HAS IT BEEN THAT LONG? Celeste Wiley is one of three Wheeler residents, who graduated from Wheeler High School 50 years ago. Celeste attended all 12 years at Wheeler and remembers attending the fourth grade in the Masonic Lodge building because of the shortage of classroom space at the school. She also remember her senior year when they took a Model A and gathered scrap metal for the war effort. Celeste went to college and received a degree in sociology. She spent some time in Washington state and returned to Wheeler and taught fourth grade from 1947 to 1953. She taught at Mobeetie for six years. Celeste will not attend the Ex-Student, Teacher Reunion Saturday, but welcomes her friends and/or former students to stop in for a visit. Hearing problems make it difficult for her to be in crowds.

FT. ELLIOTT BASEBALL

BASEBALL SEASON ENDS AT REGIONAL CONTEST

Ft. Elliott finished the season in the Regional Semi finals losing to Baird 11-1. We played a good game against Baird, but didn't hit as well as we can. Baird is a good fundamental team and stand a good chance at State. Baird is a large Class A school with over 400 in school, but we played with them until the end.

This was the first season for the cougars to play a full schedule and they improved through out the season. Leading hitters for the team were Jake Swigart hitting .547, Donnie Bell .491, Travis Goad .467 and John Moffett at .432. Jake Swigart had 29 hits, Donnie Bell 27 hits and Travis Goad 21 hits. R.B.I. leaders were Donnie Bell at 40, Jake Swigart 37, Travis Goad 22, and Jimmy Nelson 18. Leading in stolen bases are Travis Goad and Donnie Bell at 28, Jake Swigart 23, John Moffett 21, Jimmy Nelson 15, David Helton 14, and Josh Purcell 12. Home run hitters for the season were Jake Swigart 4, Randy Finsterwald 2 and Travis Goad, Donnie Bell, John Moffett, Jimmy Nelson, David Hale with 1 each.

Travis Goad, the teams center fielder made it through the season with no errors. Leftfielder Dusty Walker was recorded with only 2 errors. Teams catcher John Moffett threw out a total of 11 runners.

Team pitchers for the year were Jake Swigart, Donnie Bell and John Moffett. Swigart's record for the year was 9-2. He struck out a total of 101

batters and gave up only 44 hits. His E.R.A. was 2.53 Jake's E.R.A. was under 2 until the Baird game. "They are a good hitting club and this hurt Jake's E.R.A." Donnie Bell's record was 3-1. His E.R.A. was s.33. He struck out 36 batters and gave up only 12 hits. John Moffett's record was 0-0. His E.R.A. was 1.14. He struck out 10 batters and gave up only 5 hits.

The Cougars had a great season going to Regional and becoming District, Bi-District and Area Champions. The Cougars ended the season with a record of 12-3. The team was coached by Curtis Smith. Record books were kept by James Moffett. Coach Smith would like to take this time to thank the players for their work and the parents and fans for their support. "With a good group returning next year, it should be a good season."

1-1A ALL-DISTRICT BASEBALL TEAM

Pitcher—Jake Swigart, Ft. Elliott, Sophomore

Catcher—John Moffett, Ft. Elliott, Sophomore

Infield—Donnie Bell, Ft. Elliott, Senior; Scott Nau, Allison, Junior; Josh Purcell, Ft. Elliott, Sophomore; David Helton, Ft. Elliott, Freshman; Keith Amerson, Allison, Freshman.

Outfield—Travis Goad, Ft. Elliott, Senior; Dusty Walker, Ft. Elliott, Senior; Jimmy Nelson, Ft. Elliott, Junior.

Most Valuable Player—Jake Swigart, Ft. Elliott, Sophomore.



FT. ELLIOTT BASEBALL: The Ft. Elliott Baseball team recently completed their season at the Area level of play. They won District, Bi-District and Regional before the season ended. Team members are (back row, l to r) Coach Smith, Travis Goad, John Moffett, Dusty Walker, Jimmy Nelson, David Hale and Randy Finsterwald, (front) Donnie Bell, Josh Purcell, Jake Swigart, Bobby Blackburn, Collin McCurley and David Helton.

CWE CHAT WITH EDITOR

By Louis C. Stas

Hard to believe it has been 25 years since the group of 1968 graduates, a couple of teachers, R. J. and Georgia Smith, Barbara and I went on a tour of Texas and took in Hemisphere '68. We are all older and wiser now.

The Ex-Student, Teacher Reunion will be Saturday. WELCOME HOME EXES! We will be looking forward to seeing you.

The Ex-Student, Teacher catalogues are completed and ready for delivery at the reunion. They are certainly a help in finding when someone graduated.

There are several birthday wishes to be extended this week. Patricia and my sister, Melba Arnold, share June 13. We will not discuss age in this case, but it must be way up there because they're older than me.

Ronal Jr., will have a birthday on June 16. He will be 12.

And, I was two days late getting Inez Erwin called. Her birthday was June 6. We certainly won't mention age here.

The Wheeler Times was represented Tuesday at the dress rehearsal of Texas at Palo Duro Canyon. Patricia, Dickie and Carlote, Keenan and Trevar Burton, Patsy Rarden and Ashlee and Erinn Waldo. They all enjoyed the outing.

We went for a period of time with hardly an obituary, but this week certainly makes up for that.

WEATHER

DATE	DAY	Lo	Hi	Pre
06-02	Wed.	60	91	0.00
06-03	Thurs	60	91	0.00
06-04	Fri.	55	78	0.00
06-05	Sat.	47	73	0.00
06-06	Sun.	67	93	0.00
06-07	Mon.	72	92	0.00
06-08	Tues.	61	95	0.00
Low for the year:		02-17	08	
High for the year:		06-08	95	
Total moisture for month:		3.93"		
Total for year:		8.71"		
Total Snow:		00"		

Courtesy: KPDR-FM Radio

Mobeetie News

By Melba Corcoran

Happy Birthday to Cole Hathaway and Catrina Wash on June 10. To Kay Ridgway on June 11, to Sarah Richards, Leisa Sims, Ralph Hovey, Christy Zybach, K.D. Douthit on June 12, to Danny Hilburn, Wanda Estes, LaVerne Corcoran, Debbie Bailey, Mike Lee, Brandi Luttrell and Dustin Light on June 13. To Sue Rector,

Colton Turner, Shellie Ogle on June 14. To Sue Glover on June 15, To Rusty Ferguson on June 16.

Happy Anniversary to Randy and Carol McCurley on June 11, to Donnie and Kathy Shorter on June 12, To Geary and Mary Burrows on June 14, To Tom and Debbie Stribling on June 15, and to Wayne and Cathy Zybach on June 16.

Jap and Alice Bailey, Sue Glover and Jason Kysar of Pampa attended Ed Duncan's funeral Thursday in Miami.

Jap and Alice Bailey attended the cow calling in Miami.

Sunday Lindy and Tully Mason of Amarillo visited Jap and Alice Bailey.

Visiting Friday with Jud and Lorene Rector was Christopher Simmons, Tyler and Caitlyn Burch of Wheeler and Melba Corcoran.

LaDonna Keeton is staying with Verna Corcoran. They are glad to have her.

Dale and Melba Corcoran tended to business in Pampa Saturday.

Pauline and Earl Barnes visited Dale and Melba Corcoran Thursday night.

Margaret Moore went to Amarillo on Business and to visit for a while.

James and Alisha Moffett and Margaret Moore went to Vernon last Monday to watch the Fort Elliott boys play ball. They were defeated.

Last Monday visiting with Jud and Lorene Rector was Coleen Rector and Mindy of Amarillo, Bill Woodruff, Johnny and Tammy Stone, Brady and Ashley all of Pampa.

Pierce and Nettie Walker visited Sunday with Jimmy and Dorothy Walker of White Deer.

Visiting Sunday with Verna Corcoran was Pauline and Earl Barnes of Wheeler. They also visited Dale and Melba Corcoran.

The Mobeetie First Baptist Church finished their Vacation Bible School on Friday with Parent's Night at 7:00 p.m. Each Department participated in the program with songs and skits. Refreshments were served in the fellowship hall and everyone viewed the crafts and handwork that the boys and girls made during the week. Average attendance for the week was 44.

Our sympathy goes out to the family of Chloene Spruell of Amarillo. She died Monday afternoon. She is Alice Bailey's sister.

Dennis Hillburn took Keri Cuwell home to Borger Friday after her visit with Charlotte Coward and Nicole Cuwell is still here with Charlotte.

Charlotte Coward and Nicole Cuwell tended to business in Elk City Saturday.

Visiting this week with Doyle and Bulah Grimes was Betty Talley, Joe and Kay Talley and Reece all of Miami, Harold and Katherine Jones of Wheeler, J.P. and Martha Meek.

Lydia Holmes has moved to Lefors. Carrie Harris is now home. We are glad she is home.

Virginia Ridgway just returned from attending her niece's graduation in Hot Springs, Arkansas.

Bill and Virginia Ridgway went to Amarillo Monday for Bill to attend a safety meeting for his work.

Francis Grave of Pampa and Agnes Barnes of White Deer visited Verna Corcoran Monday.

Desire's Dockins of Amarillo is visiting her grandparents Leon and Rose Mary Dockins.

Visiting last week with Ariza and Anna Bell was Arica Lancaster of Amarillo and her Grandchildren, Trenton and Melissa Bleeker of Glendale, Az. They attended VBS.

Ariza and Anna Bell Corcoran went to Lefors Saturday to the Lewis Ellis wedding Anniversary. They also visited with Maude Trusty.

James and Alisha Moffett and John went to Pampa Saturday. They visited James dad Jake Moffett in the hospital. He was later transferred to St

Anthony's Hospital in Amarillo. They also visited Billy and Shelia Touchstone.

Lonnie Trout of Miami and Ella Trout went to Hammon Ok, to visit Rich and Judy Watts.

Jessie Peterson and Irene Adams of Canadian Ok are visiting Ella Trout and Mary Ruth Morris and Gary.

Congratulations to Mary Lou and Danny Nelson on the Birth of their daughter, Danielle Yvonne Nelson born 4 June at Coronado Hospital. She weighed 7 pounds 6 oz. Grandparents are Vickie and Larry Nelson of Briscoe, Emma and Thomas Swigart of Mobeetie, Great Grandparents are Sylvia and Ivy Alexander of Lefors, Shirley and Earl Jolly of Wheeler, Geneva Swigart of Ill, and Owen Taylor of Arizona. Great Great Grandmother Moore of Wheeler.

Calvin and Leola Stuart visiting in Tempe, Arizona with Randy and Tanya Stuart, Chad, Jarrad and Todd. While there they had a Birthday party for Todd. Jarrad came home with them. Randy and Julia Stuart, Jessie and Zach of Amarillo met their plane and had dinner with them Saturday. Jessie Crisp of Amarillo came home with them.

Monday Calvin and Leola Stuart, Jarrad Stuart and Jessie Crisp visited Bulah Stuart in Shamrock and Gladys Richardson in Erick, OK.

Orville Greenhouse went to Borger with Alvern and Dorsie Hutchison of Wheeler to visit his sisters Jewel Holt and Pearl Morris. Others there were Mile Mixon and Dennis and Danny Holt all of Borger.

Nancy Shelton visit Teresa, Cheyenne and Rebert Hilton in Pampa Monday.

OLD MOBEETIE ASSOCIATION

The old Mobeetie Association met June 3, 1993 at the Hospitality Room of First State Bank with president Ada Lou Lester in charge. Opening prayer was by Louise Hogan.

The Bluegrass Association gave their report. There are only 57 more hookups available for the Bluegrass festival. The hookups are by reservation this year. Anyone wanting to reserve a hookup needs to contact the Blue Grass Association. They plan to repair the stage before Bluegrass time.

Louise reported that we had 256 and one-fourth hours of volunteer hours for May. Melba Corcoran gave the visitors report which was a total of 195 visitors for May. This includes 35 from out of state, 2 from Germany. We had 38 in school group from Kelton and Reydon OK.

Cataloging Report is 2372 number of worksheets with number of items.

Minutes were read by Ada Lou Lester. Treasurer Report was by Louise Hogan. Motion made by Melba Corcoran and Seconded by Kelly Cross to accept these reports. The Medallion is still waiting to be put up. Estimation for replacing the window sashes is \$100 a sash or \$200.00 a window. There is 6-8 that needs to be replaced. The cost of the internal storm windows will be \$50-\$60 a window.

Louise reported Mary Fridrick said the Temple Houston letter will be ready by the end of the month.

It was reported that the place mats are a big hit with the Cafe Customers in Wheeler, Mobeetie and Shamrock. Dale Corcoran said he would have the computer table ready before next meeting. Ada Lou Lester reported that the letter to the commissioner for our yearly funding is on the judges desk. No report on our letter to Coors Western Foundation. Ada Lou Lester reported that all of the flower Beds are taken again this year.

Ada Lou Lester gave a thanks to Mr. and Mrs. Lee Brown of Pampa for 3 days of mowing at the jail.

Edith Cross made a motion that we buy an iron baker's rack for the kitchen area at the jail. Seconded by Louise Hogan. Carried. Melba Corcoran made a motion we go back to being closed on Wednesday and open 1 to 5 everyday except Wednesday. Seconded and carried.

Sallie Harris read a letter from Ruby Caviness wanting to come back as a caretaker. Melba Corcoran made a motion that we table this until the July meeting. Seconded by Austin Caldwell. Carried.

Those attending were B.R. Jones, Ruby Morrison, and Wayne Talbot of



Amarillo, Sallie Harris and Bobbie Hill of Wheeler. Austin Caldwell, Louise Hogan, Ada Lou Lester, Kelly and Edith McLaughlin, Dale and Melba Corcoran.

MT. VIEW QUILTING CLUB
The Mt. View Quilting Club met Thursday at Totty School House.

Willene Burke was hostess. Those quilting were Lanell Riggs, Flora Mae Kelley, Audray Seitz, Estelle Hodges, Martha Meek, Willene Burke. Visiting were Vernon and Eva Webb and granddaughter. They will meet Thursday to finish Willene's quilt and to clean.

To The Friends & Relatives Of Shonda Miller & Roby Bart

Mr. and Mrs. Gary L. Miller
Mr. and Mrs. Roby B. Wagner, Jr.
invite you to share in the making
of a life-long covenant between their children
Shonda Kay
and
Roby Bart
The uniting of these two lives for the purpose
of serving the Lord together will be
on Saturday, the twelfth of June
nineteen hundred and ninety-three
at two o'clock in the afternoon
Country Chapel
Wheeler, Texas

Here & There

By Laura Guthrie

Monday, June 7
Summer is here, and so am I. But at my age I wonder why. If nature can be born anew, Why can't I be recycled too? Morea Bowles, who is an ex-Wheelerite, but now lives in Pampa, sent me this little rhyme a long time ago.

And, by the way, I had a long letter from Morea today. She has been having some very unfortunate things happening to her this spring. (You who know Morea know she has always been a hard worker and kept her chin up. She still keeps her chin up best can't do much work). But any way, this spring someone stole her billfold out of her purse, which was quite a blow. (Sure hope the police finally track down the guilty one.) Then about a month later, her daughter Kelly Wilcox of Lefors had to have major surgery. That has also been a blow to Morea. But thank goodness Kelly is recovering. She is not back to regular work but has a bookkeeping responsibility that she can do until completely recovered.

Morea is so happy that her grandson, Jeff, Kelly's son has just graduated from nursing school at Amarillo college, of course there was a bad blow for them all: Neither Morea nor Kelly got to attend graduating exercises.

Some time ago I gave Morea's address in this column. I know she got at least one response from that. She told me that Judy Whitener Keylon of the Dallas area had written her. Morea was so thrilled.

Our household has had quite a change the last few days. Last week Tim's parents from Dumas, and his sister Mary Kilgore from Dallas came to spend the day. They brought with them Mary's three children who are remaining with us until next week. While their parents vacation in Hawaii, the children are vacationing with us. Tim is taking a week of his vacation so as to help the children have a good time. Seems like everything is working out fine. The children are 8 to 13. They are quiet and easy to please. Their dad is engaged in the computer business, so the children are familiar with the computer. They enjoy spending time with Tim's computer, and Tim doesn't mind.

Charlene Luttrell and her daughter from Louisiana are visiting with mother—and grandmother—Zinnie Bailey. I know Zinnie is happy about that.

I'm looking forward to the School Reunion. Do hope to see some of the ex-students. I notice Joe Clark is representing the class of 1923. I'm not an ex student of Wheeler, but I graduated in 1920. I may go up and join Joe for awhile.

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Wheeler, Texas

MAXEY'S STEAKHOUSE

SUNDAY BUFFET

- Salad Bar
- Pot Roast
- Smoked Ham
- Whipped Potatoes
- Mixed Vegetables
- Hot Rolls
- Dessert
- Iced Tea/Coffee

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To the Editor
The Wheeler Times

Louis,

Thanks for sending the paper. I got a bill sometime ago, but I've lost it somewhere between all of that income tax stuff last month. I was going to wait for another bill, but then figured I could just send the money and it would probably get to the right place. Hope you don't mind.

It's so nice to read about the home town folks and how everyone's doing. It was very disheartening to hear of Stuart. I graduated with him and I still think of how short life can be. Stuart and I had a "club" in the fifth grade—only certain people could come in, you know—that seems like only yesterday.

But, I see the good too—classmates and friends getting married—David Jones, Christen, Tony Jackson—it's good to see all is well for people you just don't see that much anymore. But you can always find out what they've been up to in the Times.

I hope all is well with your family and thanks for the subscription.

Also, it's so good reading about the youth of the Wheeler community. I know how Wheeler really rallies around athletics and such when those kids are involved.

Thanks again, Louis for the subscription and keep up the good work. I really do appreciate it. God Bless. My heart will always be in Wheeler.

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Care Center Comments

By Cathy

I have failed to mention that we have a new resident, Fern Rose. Fern has been with us for 3 weeks. Fern is from Wheeler and is a very sweet person. She is fun to visit with. Welcome to the Wheeler Care Center, Fern. We love you!

I hope everyone had a nice Memorial Day.

My family and I went to Brownwood to see my husband's oldest daughter graduate from High School, so we did a lot of traveling over the Memorial weekend.

Sunday was a big day for a certain resident. Her name is Dora McGuffin. We celebrated Her 100th birthday. All her family and friends were here to share with her. Amy Hunt, a nurses aid, for WCC, made the birthday cakes and punch was provided by the WCC. Dora was born on June 13, 1893 in Leon County, Texas. She married John McGuffin in 1911. Dora had 4 children: V. E. mer, Burnis, Juinel, and Georgia Dee. Dora has been a widow for over 30 years. Dora has 22 grandchildren 26 great grandchildren and 1 great great grandchild. Dora also raised her granddaughter Triva. Dora has been at the WCC for four years. There is never a dull moment around her. She crochets for everyone and plays bingo. She will even sing for you. Dora has seen a lot of changes in her life and loves life to its fullest. Happy Birthday Dora! We love you! At the party Dora had five generations present.

Mrs. Hyatt did Family Alter for Mr. Hyatt Tuesday as he was in Amarillo on a run. Mrs. Hyatt lead in the singing and gave a devotional over Heaven. The residents really enjoyed Mrs. Hyatt.

Janice Sparlin was unable to come for Sunday School on Wednesday, so the residents visited in the lobby. That afternoon we has 25 residents play bingo and Dora McGuffin was our blackout winner. On Saturday they had 15 residents play and Gertie Cornell was the blackout winner.

Fern young, Rozena Zybach, and Ila Collins came for Inspirational. They sang several songs and then had a devotional. Gladys Kysar also read a poem. That afternoon Maria popped and served popcorn to all the residents. After the popcorn we worked on arts and crafts. I also made some room visits.

Friday was a real busy day. I played balloon volleyball with the residents in the lobby and Maria made room visits. That afternoon I worked on manicures. I did ten resident's nails and Maria worked on arts and crafts.

Saturday lots of residents had visitors. Dora McGuffin's son and family were with her. Vena Hopkins' sister-in-laws from Oklahoma were here to visit. Nellie Lackey's two sons have been here all week visiting with her.

Welcome back from the hospital to Edith McLaughlin and Evelyn Young. Willie Hefley is still in the hospital in Amarillo.

I would like to say a special thank you to Carla Kuhn. Without her I would have not been able to get everything ready for the party. And a big thank you to the Kitchen Staff for helping with the punch.

Blood Drive Is Monday

Coffee Memorial Blood Center will be having a blood drive, Monday, June 14th from 5-8 p.m. at the school cafeteria. Alpha Mu Alpha is sponsoring the drive. Please come and support this worthy cause.

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Extension Update

Joan Gray, CEA-HE

WHAT'S THAT "DIFFERENT" SOUND IN YOUR KITCHEN?

Joan Gray
County Extensions Agent - Home Economics
Texas Agricultural Extension Service

If you bought a new refrigerator within the past few years, you've probably noticed that it sounds "different."

Here's why:
New refrigerators use only half as much electricity than a 75-watt light bulb. Most new refrigerators are also larger and have such added conveniences as automatic defrost systems, icemakers and perhaps even a "built-in" look, resulting in different sounds such as:

* **Hi-pitched whine** from more energy efficient compressors that have smaller, higher speed motors.

* **Soft hum** from the automatic defrost timer switching on and off, the thermostat turning the refrigerator on and off, or the water valve refilling the

icemaker.
* **Boiling, gurgling, or trickling water** when the refrigerator stops running, the defrost water runs into the drain pan of the refrigerator circulates in the system.

* **Running water** as the ice cube tray fills, and the **thuds** as ice cubes drop into the storage bin.

To help deafen these new sounds: level the refrigerator is level and the defrost water collection pan is in position (usually reachable behind the bottom from "ice-plate").

Put carpet or sound-absorbing ceiling tile on the wall behind the refrigerator. Carpeting, drapery, upholstered furniture and wall coverings can help muffle refrigerator sounds.

Allow enough space between the back of the refrigerator and the wall unless it is designed as a "built-in". Check your use and care book for the needed space.

To reduce compressor "run-time":
* Vacuum the condenser coils at least twice a year, more often if you have pets.

* Keep your freezer at least three-fourths full. Use partially-filled water jugs to fill empty space.

American Legion Aux.

Reports On '92 Activities

Attention American Legion Auxiliary Members: As president of the Auxiliary, I think it would please the members to see what we have spent the money for.

This is a copy of the report that we sent to state for 1992. You can see the money was used in ways to help others.

As members you know how we make our funds so be sure and help with ice cream and tea for our 4th of July booth.

1992 Annual Auxiliary Activity Report

Wheeler American Legion Auxiliary Unit #138 Dist. Div. 4
I. Our Unit #138 sponsored two girls to Girls State in 1992. Assisting in this project was the Thursday Review Club of Wheeler and the American Legion Unit of Miami. One of the girls was from Miami and one from Wheeler. Our expenses for the Wheeler girl were \$430.00.

II. We had a booth at the annual 4th of July celebration at the city park. We sold homemade ice cream and iced tea. After expenses we cleared \$540.00.

III. We gave Christmas gifts to patients in the Wheeler Care Center who are veterans. The cost was \$60.00.

IV. On Arbor Day, we planted two cottonwood trees in the city park. The cost was \$45.00.

V. Donations for the year

- A. 4th of July Fireworks - \$50.00
- B. Veterans Christmas Assessment - \$16.10
- C. Child Welfare Foundations - \$50.00
- D. Donation to the American Red Cross \$50.00
- E. Flags for Wheeler Care Center - \$65.90
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People are so programmed by teachers in the church and by other Christians to believe that God is against prosperity that it angers some people to suggest or hint that God might want prosperity for them. But, friend, God is not just interested in spiritual things. If He was, He would have created us just spirits to begin with. He created the world for us to live in and gave us physical bodies to live here. Why would He be unconcerned with providing the means to get along in the physical world He created?

Some are so determined to refute the "prosperity and health gospel" that they will not accept what the Word of God plainly says.

You don't have to refute something that is a truth which will help you. If it is truth that God wants you to prosper, your refutation of it will only hurt you and those who listen to you. It won't keep others who believe the truth from having the blessing God has provided.

Now, with all that said, what does the Bible actually say about God's will for your prosperity and wealth? Let's see. Deuteronomy 8:18 says that God gives you power to get wealth. Psalm 112:1-3 says that if you fear God and delight in His commandments that wealth and riches shall be in your house. Malachi 3:10-11 says that if you tithe to the Lord, He will bless you with blessings that are more than you can receive and that He will rebuke the devil (the devourer) for your sake. Luke 6:38 says that if you give that it shall be given unto you and that it will be pressed down, shaken together, and running over. II Corinthians 8:9 says that Jesus Christ became poor that ye might be rich. I Corinthians 9:8-11 says that God will make all grace abound toward you so that you will have abundance and all sufficiency. III John 2 says that God desires above all things that you would prosper and be in health as your soul prospers. Joshua 1:8 says that if you will meditate in the Word of God and speak it with your mouth and obey what it says that you will make your way prosperous and that you will have good success.

Well, there is much more. That is a sampling of Scriptures that will give you a clear picture of God's attitude toward you gaining wealth if you will believe them. These verses show us vividly what God's will is. Expect that as you follow Bible principles of economics that you will prosper. Lasting wealth is not gained overnight. You must learn to pay attention to good counsel and be diligent in obeying instructions. Then, later on down the road of life you can believe that you will have increased rather than decreased as time went along. Obey God. It pays rich dividends.

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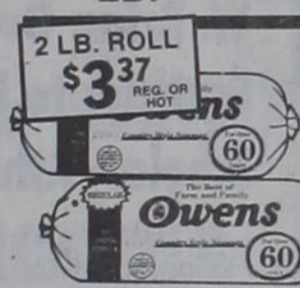
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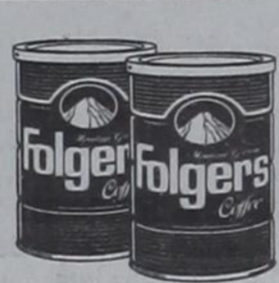
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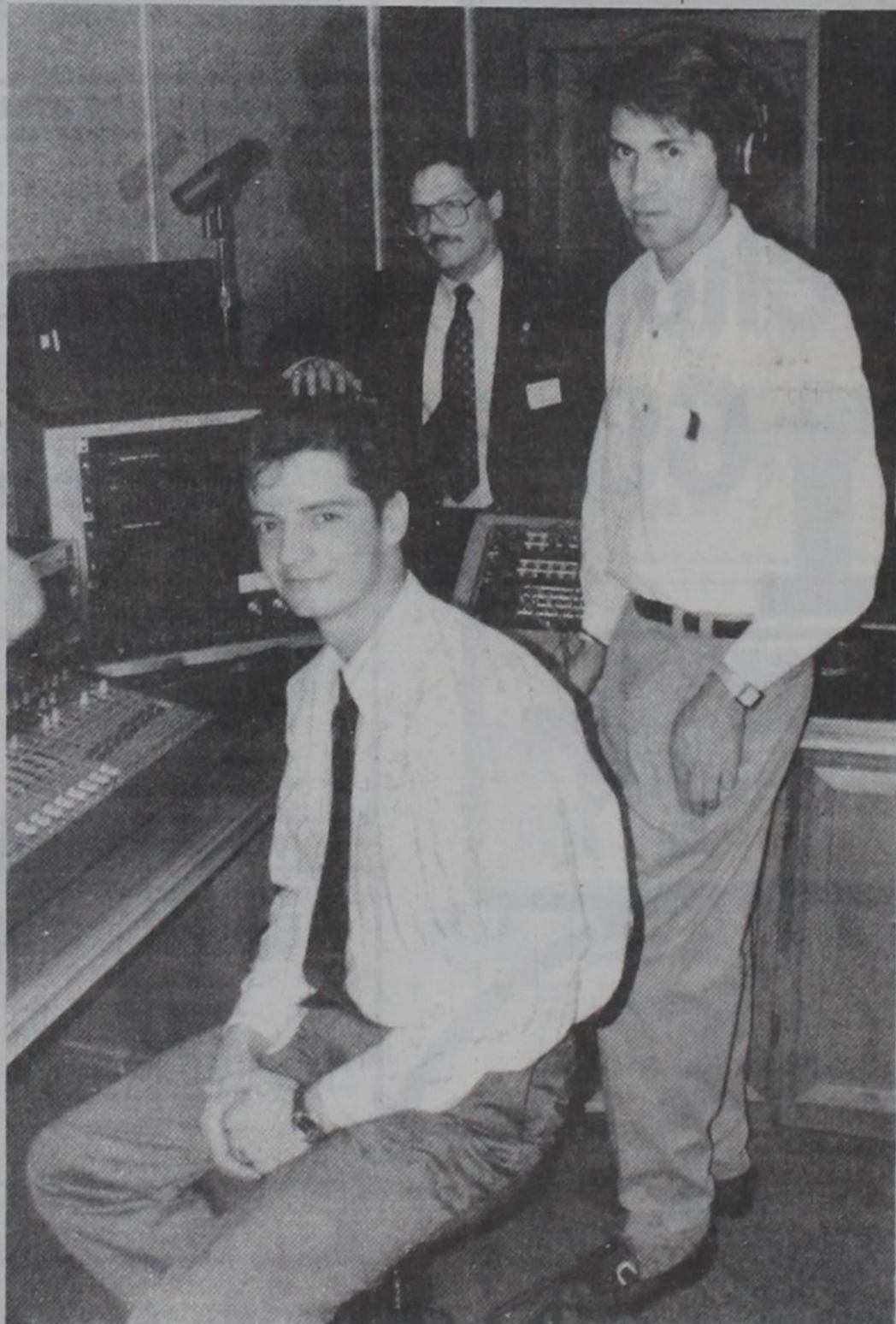
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FmHA Accepting Emergency Loan Applications

Wheeler, Hemphill, Roberts, and Gray Counties were declared eligible for Farmers Home Administration (FmHA) disaster emergency loans on May 17, 1993. Generally, that means that farmers who have lost at least 30 percent of their productions due to the damages and losses caused by excessive snow, which occurred from

November 23, 1992, through February 17, 1993, are eligible for FmHA loans. Proceeds from crop insurance and the PIK program are taken into account when determining eligibility.

FmHA County Supervisor, Johnny W. Earp, IV is urging farmers who are interested in receiving an emergency loan to get their applications into FmHA as soon as possible. Mr. Earp said, "We hope farmers will get their applications in early rather than waiting until near the deadline which is January 18, 1994. The longer they wait, the more chance there is for long delays in getting their checks. If the applications come in early, we can avoid backlogs and speed up the process."

Local Students To Attend Citizenship Seminar

Wheeler County's Shonda Prescher, Andy King, and David Gilbert will be attending the Texas Farm Bureau's 30th annual Citizenship Seminar for junior and senior high school students on June 14-18 on the campus of Angelo State University in San Angelo.

According to County Farm Bureau president Paul Macina, the representatives were chosen based on their leadership ability, scholastic achievement, and character.

The seminar is designed to give these selected high school students a better understanding of the various forms of government and their responsibilities as citizens. Comparisons of the different kinds of economic systems are outlined in lectures, films and discussions presented by leading authorities in government history, and economics.



W. Brian Overcast Will Participate In World Scholar-Athlete Games

W. Brian Overcast of Belleair, Florida, son of Mr. and Mrs. Billy Overcast, will join 2000 honor students in Rhode Island this summer for the debut of the World Scholar-Athlete Games.

Conceived and organized by the Institute for International Sport, the games will bring together young scholars ranging in age from 16-19 years of age, who are talented in either art, creative writing, poetry, singing, or athletics. The participants, from as many as 125 countries and all 50 states, will travel to New Port and the University of Rhode Island. The teens will be involved daily in discussions with international dignitaries on the topics of world environment, peace, commerce, drug abuse, and ethics and sportsmanship.

Brian is a junior at Largo High School where he maintains a 3.7 GPA, a class ranking of 15th out of 395 students, and is a member of the National Honor Society, Mu Alpha Theta (National Math Honor Society), National Spanish Honor Society, and Who's Who of American High School Students 1993. He is Captain of the Clearwater Chargers Competitive Club U-19 soccer team and the Largo High School soccer team. This year he was named to the Pinellas All Conference Team, the Tampa Tribune and St. Petersburg Times all county teams, and MVP Select Team for the Suncoast Invitational Soccer Tournament. On his return from the WSAG Brian and the Clearwater Charger U-19's will travel to Manchester, England where they will train and play with the Manchester United Professional Soccer Team of England.

The World Scholar-Athlete Games will open June 20th with a performance by Dionne Warwick. Closing ceremonies will be June 30th highlighted by performances by Aretha Franklin and the Games' International Choir.

Mr. Billy Overcast is a former graduate of Wheeler High School's class of 1965.

and Gail Ray, Tracy Laster, Kelli Calhoun, Vonda, Dirk and Madison Bremer, Bob and Bess Cooper all from Stinnett.

The Davis family is originally from Wheeler County.

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SWEETWATER NEWS

By Mrs. Joe Flowers

Wonderful June! Our catalpa trees are gigantic bouquets of lovely flowers. Long ago Ollie Haynes gave Joe a sack of catalpa seedlings. He carried them in the car trunk a few days before he remembered to set them out. Most lived to make beautiful trees.

We only had two visitors over the holiday. Andrew McCathern and Chief Gray of Pampa. None of the other McCatherns were able to come. Joe's family lived across the road from the Grays many years ago at Erick. Chief said he went to Sweetwater School three years.

Vacation Bible School was a great success at the Baptist Church with 52 children enrolled. Pastor Ed Wrathens was in charge. Teachers and assistants were Connie Bryan, Theresa and Wilbur Nabors, Heather Anderson, Clara Lou and J.E. McGuire. Betty Anderson, Jada Alexander, Eva Atkinson, Elma Henson, Louise Perry, Debra Hill, Judy Tipton, Christina Henson, Jan Henson, and Carolyn Davis. A hamburger luncheon made the last day perfect.

Dale and Sue Roberts were down from Kansas to spend the weekend with Pauline Roberts.

I met several readers over the past week — Eula Cole and friend at Wheeler, Mrs. Willis? from Canute, Edith and Peck Sanders from Satanta, KA. He informed me I had been sleeping on the job! Ought to tell the story of Andy Payne and his winning the big race down old 66 back in the '20's. A lot of us can remember going over to Erick or Texola to see the runners come by. With a lot of help from Julia Ann Holmberg, I came up with this.

In early 1928, C. C. Pyle organized a Walkathon from Los Angeles to New York City with a 1st prize of \$25,000. At 3:46 pm, March 1, 1928, 275 runners left LA with 20 year old Andy Payne, part Cherokee Indian, in the big middle. Seventy seven dropped out the first day. When they reached Santa Rosa, NM, only 93 were left. When they reached Texola, Andy was clearly in the lead.

About mid May, Andy reached Madison Square Garden, hours ahead of his competition to receive the \$25,000. An instant hero, he returned to Oklahoma and paid off the mortgage on his parents home. Went to college, and turned to politics. For 30 years, he was elected each term to Clerk of the Oklahoma Supreme Court. He retired in 1977, to make his home

in OKC.

There were a multitude of folks along seeing that everything went well. The course was 3,422.3 miles long. Actual time running was 573 hours. The "Bun-ion Derby" lasted 2 1/2 months. Oh, Yes before Route 66, the highway went by Erick on the Southside in front of Grandad Flowers house and north of the cemetery. It was called the Sunset National Highway.

Visitors of Betty Sites were Radonna and son, Burkburnett, Mr. and Mrs. Buddy Benton, Spearman. Radonna was a singer at the Buffalo Baptist 90th reunion. This was a great success.

Like in olden times, most visiting is done in town. We saw Ronnie and Fern York, Irene Burkhalter, Arnold Rice, Carl Hill, Glenda Calverley, Joe and Susie Shelton, Alma Counts, C.W. Marshall, Pam Hagerman, Orville and Stella Matlock, Jerry Wilson, Pat

Tignor, Clifford and Helen Jones, Ray and Doris Smith, Mr. and Mrs. Leonard McDaniel, Irene Reed, Orville and Marie Stewart, Faye Vernon, Tige Flowers, Richard McEntire, and Truman Alexander, Ed and Pauline Killingsworth.

Last Friday, Clint and Lucille Stoddard Hinds came by and visited Buster and Bertie Coffey. Saturday night, Clint died of a sudden heart attack. Memorial services were at Amarillo Bill Baker was able to come home over the weekend. Velda took him back to Amarillo, Tuesday.

Mandy Carlson attended Girls State at Ada last week. Lois and Leonard Bryan, Juanita Coffey and Colleen, visited Bertha Coffey. Sharon Smith and family, The Courtney McIntyres, Ryan and Tyler McIntyre spent Sunday with Melvin McIntyre.

The Kitchen Band went to Wheeler last Friday, Erick Home on Tuesday, and Bell Avenue Home today. Visited with George and Dorothy Nigh, Daisy Parman and others. Looked in on Helen Metcalf, and Ruby Bright. Band folks going were Basil and Billy Doss, Carnegie, Bess Perkins, Leonard Taylor, Murray Orgain, Venus Payne, Loyd Addis, Elk City, Betty Brothers, Jack Criswell, Sayre, Rose Abba, Hazel Francis, Mabel Holland, Iona Miller, Margaret Hiller, Richard Crawford, Roy Swagger. Erick, we Three and Ole Five String. Richard was all thrilled about having been to Branson, and Silver Dollar City.

Gary and Christy Meares, and Michael of Graham, TX spent a week with Esther Dickey. Saturday, Don and Elinor Meares, Lisa and Heather Stokes, Janet and Ryan Medlock of Amarillo came down for the day. Visited Buffalo Cemetery and had a birthday dinner for Janet, plus a seven layer Red Velvet cake.

Ruth Pyle, Bunchie and Maurice Haigood, Leroy and Peggy Dunlap, Mr. and Mrs. Dale Dunlap and Jake were out to see Iva Thompson. Lucille Stewart took Eva Cotts and Ethel Rogers, 97, to the Mulberry cemetery where Ethel placed flowers on the graves of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Jennings. Stopped by to visit Eileen and Ed Logan and Dovie Wilson and Mayfield.

Brenda Quinn, is one of 25 OK teachers to receive an all expense paid scholarship to the 4th PACE Educational Institute week long classes at OCA.

Emmitt and Glenda Tipton, Plainview, Edith Sanders, Bea Boyd, Ben and Dorothy Sparks, Lamont, CA visited Inez Coffey this week.

Janie Bruner attended the Whiteley-Hink reunion at Sharmock. She was the only member of the Dave Whiteley family there.

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Isn't It The Truth

By Ab Gunter

A few days ago Mama and I got our motorhome parked at the track at Indy. We sort of snuck in between a couple of them big nice ones of some friends we have known for some years. Mama wuz sort of straightenin the interior out and I had taken off as usual to visit friends and Lynda Vaughn came by to visit. She and mama had a nice visit. Lynda had brought her nice little bouquet of flowers and I missed seein Lynda. Who is Lynda Vaughn you ast? Well, I can tell you Lynda is sort of like to the track as ham is to eggs. She a part of it. Now we've known Lynda for some years and she aint no ole sprung hen. No siree shes as neat as one of them new 93 Lola race cars or one of them Penske specials. In other words you take a second look.

I was browsing around with our son, who works ther and would see this one and that one that I hadnt seen since last year the the son would sort of get peeved at me because he had his work to do, but I would try and keep up with him an still say howdy to all them folks. I knew. Goly there folks there from all over the world, Have one friend from New Zealand an another from Canada and a few from England and I even seen some of them folks from Japan. I didn't know

any of them, but probably had known some of their grandparents.

As I wuz prowling around I looked up and thought I had seen two men in one man's body and recognized it wuz Jug, a good friend and mentioned to him that he had lost weight. He is the goinest feller you will ever see. Dont see how he does it but he caters food to most of the different companies that are represented there at the track. He has several big trailers and them folks know how to put out grub. No not hamburgers but some of the best vittles you can imagine and all the goodies for dessert. Makes my mouth water just to think about it.

Like I said I do a lot of browsin when I am at the track and the son took me by Simpsons garage and I hadn't realized they make most of the garments the drivers and crews wear to protect them from fires and such. got to meet Mr. Simpson and some of his folks and I figured that them suits wuz just little, medium and large, but that aint a fact. them folks make them clothes to fit probably better than many tailors, or at least the tailors I go to. From stem to sturn them duds fit or it aint the Simpsons fault. Live and learn I recon.

Got to see some of them Mas car fellers there lookin around. You know that next year you will see NAS car races in Aug. of 94. If you are in need of information you can get it by writin to them at The Brickyard 400, P.O. Box 29410, Speedway, IN 46226. Now that is after July 1 of this year. I think I got the NAS car name wrong, its NASCAR, a bird my age is bound to make a mistake aint he?

I think I know how them NASCAR birds learned to drive so durn fast. Back ins the early days I knew a bunch of runners as them bootleggers called them. Shucks Ive had cousins that could outrun a cyclone and durn near every sheriff in Texas. I got a friend that is a one armed Oke that run cars when he wuz a kid, course he had to sit on a couple of them Monkey Ward catalogues to see over the steering wheel, but he could run. When bootleggin sort of faded out Benny had to have something with speed in it that wuz legal or purty legal and he

got to runnin horses and wuz a good jockey till he tried to cut a turn too quick and lost his left arm in the track fence. Now he is an agent for them jockeys. One time in a race season I got the girls that make blankets to give to the winners make a mini blanket for me and as usual Benny was out in

front of the ticket office with the boys. I snuck up and showed the blanket and told all of them Benny had ordered it. He nearly killed me.

Ab and Mama

Dear Friends

I knew the Walker family all my life and treasured their friendship..I ran

with Huffman and Bus and were together many times. As I have said I treasure this family very much and have the fondest memories of Bus, quite a cowboy and dancer and friend. Wish I could have been with them but was in my feelings.
Ab

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GAGEBY NEWS

By Verna Fillingim

Philippians 1:21 For me to live in Christ, and to die is gain.

Don't forget YL Cowboy Camp Meeting starts next Thursday June 17 with supper at 6:00 p.m., Evening service 7:30 at Hemphill County Exhibition Barn southwest part of town. All day services and three meals a day served. Youth activities Saturday June 19 at 2:00 p.m. There are now 12 annual Ranchmen's Camp Meetings in Texas, New Mexico Colorado and Oklahoma from May to August. At Canadian preachers are Andy Taylor from Sayre, Oklahoma and David Burk from San Angelo, Texas. Music, Bobby Rogers from Perryton. Ya'll come! Note change of place.

Happy Birthday to Patricia Forrester, E.J. Meadows, Dustin Light, Brandi Luttrell, Janet Tatyrek, Sarah Richards, and Bonnie Christine Maddox on June 13, Dale Helton and Shellie Ogle on June 14, Lisa Craig Farmer on June 15, Rusty Ferguson, Lucille Barker, Brandon Dukes and Icy Littrell on June 16, Darville Atherton, Lettie Reynolds and Maralee Singleton on June 17, Brian Lehman, and Heather Ratliff on June 18.

Happy Anniversary to Dale and Lisa Helton on June 14, Geary and Mary Burrows on June 14, Wayne and Cathy Zybach on June 16, Alan and Bernie Tapp on June 19.

Sunday dinner guests at the home of J.P. and Martha Meek were Mack and Linda Sides, Shane Everett and Misty Lewis.

Everyone is invited to a bridal shower for Misty Lewis, bride-elect of Shane Everett Sunday, June 13 from 2-4 at the Kelton School Cafeteria. Shane and Misty plan to marry July 9 at Shamrock.

Sincere sympathy to the family of Travis Keelin in his death Monday afternoon. Travis had been in ill health for several years and Rosalie did all she could for him with some help from the boys and nurses.

We enjoyed going to Senior Citizens Monday night at Wheeler. Always a delicious meal and friendly people and fun games of 88. Think there were 25 there.

Rusty Atherton and Noveta Aderholt were united in marriage Monday. There was a pile-on-supper served at the home of Darville, and Sammie Atherton Monday night. Best wishes! Corrie Ten Boom: "The measure of a life, after all, is not its duration but its contribution"

Doug Helton got a free Rangers Cap for guessing (with Steve May's help) the answer to a question at the Vernon game.

Dusty Walker started working for Garlon and Billy Rogers Ranch Wednesday. He worked there last summer and did a great job.

Visiting Verneal and Juanita Prater over Memorial weekend were Juanita's sister and husband, Evelyn and Ray Pittman from Springfield, Missouri.

Mary Lou Carter took Mattie Jackson out to eat at Maxey's Tuesday night. Verneal and Juanita also ate there.

Congratulations to Danny and Mary Nelson in the birth of their new baby girl, Danielle Yvonne, born Friday June 3 at Coronado Hospital, 7 lbs 6 ozs. Proud grandparents are Larry and Vicki Nelson and Tom and Emma Swigart. Great grandparents include Sybil and Iva Alexander and Shirley and Early Jolly

Matthew 25:23 Well done, good and faithful servant; thou hast been faithful over a few things, I will make thee ruler over many things: enter thou into the joy of the Lord.

Sincere sympathy to the family of Jack Garrison in his death.

Tom Helton had surgery at Amarillo Tuesday to replace a hip. Some there for his surgery were Alice Bell Helton, Thomas Roy, Gayle and Shea and Shannon Lewallen, Joyce Smith, Martha Helton, Carroll Crossland, Bill and Phyllis Helton and family members.

We went to Amarillo Thursday and met Barbara Austin from Angleton at the airport. We also visited with Tom and Alice Bell Helton at High Plains and Homer Sanders and Kelly and Laura Wilson at St. Anthony's. Tom is doing well. Homer has bleeding ulcers but is much improved. He went in Monday and not much to eat yet-clear liquids. Kelly was going home. Doing well. We saw Eddie and Gladys Pannell and daughter Dortha Calcote and a beautiful granddaughter at Luby's. Homer went home Saturday but had four units of blood.

Gageby Church Sunday night services will now start at 7:00 p.m. as soon as school is out.

Nice to have Don and Cindy Zumstein come to Gageby church Sunday and eat lunch with us. They also went to the early church service at Allison Methodist. Cousins Gary and Possum Jahnel and Lisa and Kyle were being honored and given a nice wall hanging. Gary will be pastoring Mobeetie Methodist church starting next Sunday June 13 at the morning service about 11:00.

Visiting Gena Zybach Monday were Casey and Clay Zybach, grandchildren.

Friends of May Muse would like to know that she is back in Clarendon at the nursing home.

Mae Welch drove herself up to

Amarillo Tuesday to attend her granddaughter, Latisah Welch's graduation from high school. She spent the night and came back Wednesday. Latisah is the daughter of John and Dorothy (Newsom) Welch.

Saturday visitors at Mae's were Mr. and Mrs. Fox from Erick and Mary Hudson. Sunday Lois and Mary Hudson visited Mae.

Mack and Patty Shields went to Oklahoma City for Mack's eye check-up Monday. Amanda visited Amy and Clint Huff.

Jocelyn Meek spent two nights with her grandmother Evelyn Meek while Mark and Annette were gone to a cattle sale at San Saba.

Mandy Ferguson is working at Calico County Restaurant this summer in Amarillo

There was quite a write-up in Sunday's Pampa paper about Margaret Dorman and Dee Dee Dorman as they worked on Dee Dee's wedding dress.

"A smile is a light in the window of your face to show that your heart is at home", by Rickey Pfeil.

There was a nice baby shower for Liz Austin at the home of Tyna and Keith Horn Saturday

Barbara's Austin's sister, Mert Laffin met her in Wheeler Tuesday and took her for a visit. Billy Wheeler was going to take them out to eat Tuesday night at Pampa. Mert lives at Pampa. She and Barbara were going to Amarillo Wednesday and Barbara was going to visit other friends there. Sunday Barbara was going to fly down to Plainview to visit another sister Sue and go on to spend a week with Ann and Chuck Jones at Gail. We enjoyed having Barbara spend a few days with us.

Keep praying for Leonard Powledge. He is in Coronado Hospital at Pampa. Very ill.

Jim and Suzanne Snodgrass from Ohio visited J.P. and Martha Meek and ate supper Monday night at the Darville Atherton home.

Nice to see Sylvia Brown and sister Joy Garrison eating at Maxey's Saturday. Sylvia spent last week in Borger with Joy.

"Live so that when death comes, the mourners will outnumber the cheering section."

Saw Marshall Andis at Thriftway. They had just gotten back from a successful and fun fishing trip to Eufaula Lake, OK.

Willis, Barbara and I enjoyed going to Lefors Saturday to the 40th anniversary party for Lewis and Tula Ellis at the Baptist Church. A lovely party with elegant food for two lovely people. Good to see their fine children, spouses and grandchildren and many friends and relatives there. Anna Bell Corcoran from Mobeetie was there.

The Elises lived at Mobeetie and Lewis was their pastor when the children were small and near and dear neighbors to the Corcorans. Anna Bell's Parents, the Stracners, lived at Lefors many years. Barbara Austin taught five years at Lefors in the 1960's so knew several people there. She also visited some with friend Hazel Rose. Reverend Stan Ellis read the vows for his parents to repeat and looks much like his dad.

Sincere sympathy to the family and friends of Ed Helton, who passed away early Sunday. Funeral was Tuesday at Wheeler; dinner at Briscoe and burial at Zybach.

"Yelling at living things does tend to kill the spirit in them. Sticks and stones may break our bones, but words will break our hearts" by Robert Fulghum

Alicia Hefley is visiting Bill and Lisa Hefley in Amarillo and other relatives and friends in this area. She is a beautiful young lady, now 16.

Willis, Barbara and I enjoyed eating at Maxey's Saturday. Nice to have good friend Glenn Williams join us. Some others there were Reba Wofford and Vida Brown, Harold and Katherine Jones. Harold and Katherine had been to Lubbock for Katherine's Mother's (Mrs. Underwood) knee surgery and visited Lisa and Andy Singleton. Mrs. Underwood is doing O.K. and will be staying with Lisa and Andy and having therapy. Katherine will help out some. Andy really likes his new job at Lubbock.

Nice to see Patty Jo Haws at Maxey's. She said Robert and Tamera Hall's baby is due by C-section on June 24. A proud grandmother to be. Well, actually she has two other grandchildren.

We enjoyed going to the Community Ten Revival at Allison Wed. Always thrill to pray and sing and worship the Lord with Christian friends from all churches. Community choir under the direction of Ariel Lohberger sang several beautiful songs. Rev. Roy Johnson gave an inspiring message. Also songs by Cheryl Dupont, Carolyn Boydston, and other United Pentecostal members. Sounded great. Big crowd there.

Different preachers different nights, and such good singing by different people.

"A sky without a cloud? No glory when the sun drops low, reflecting back a golden glow. A life without a scar? No battle fought, no victory won to honor Him when life is done." Pat DeWitt.

We enjoyed going to Mobeetie Baptist Church Friday night. A good crowd there for their Bible school program. They averaged 44 children a day besides workers. Good program and interesting crafts and delicious cookies and punch.

The "Mobeetie Squirrels" will play music and sing at Wheeler Care Center about 2:00 or so on June 15. Visitors invited. They are singing frequently at Care Centers in different towns.

Some of the Allison Ten Revival preachers have been Mark Turvaille, Roy Jones, Ronny Chadwick, Warren Schoencker, Mike Dyer and probably others. The revival is supposed to continue through Saturday, June 12. They had a hot dog cook out after services last Saturday night. Different families in the community have hosted the Turvilles and other preachers for meals.

Friends and relatives of Ben Meadows and Tonia Vernon are invited to their wedding Saturday, June 12 at 7:00 p.m. at the Country Chapel in Wheeler.

Keep praying for Neal Smith. He has been on IV's around the clock at home. Pray that he may be able to eat and gain strength.

The miller moths are back. We are supposed to be kind to critters, but I still don't like them flitting across my face when I've just dozed off — like a good night kiss.

We had a real good singing at Gageby church Sunday night with Claudetta Laverty in charge. Some singing were Ray Forbes, Barbara Austin (in Spanish) Ina May and Claudy Brotherton and Doris Finsterwald, Chuck Hartline and James Moffett, Lois, Evelyn and Martha Meek, Catrina Wash and Londa Crownover, Winnie Gilmer, Alesha Moffett kids; Doug and Mark Helton, Aaron Hartline and Terri Crownover. Youth, Boyce and Jodie Crownover, Caaron Laverty, Gary Bryant, David, Sarah and Elizabeth Hale. Reading by Willa and Rev. Aaron Laverty. Piano solos by Tamera Hartline, April Finsterwald and Doris Finsterwald. Some other guests were Kelley and Edith Cross, R. St. John, Kaleb and Jocelyn Meek, Lois and Ma Mary Hudson. July 4, Lisa Helton will be in charge.

LeRoy and Laverne Hudson took Oden and Lois Hudson on a trip to California. They flew out and rented a car and saw the sights. They got back Saturday and went by and brought Ma Mary for the weekend so she could go to church and Senior Citizens. They also visited Sharon Grandstaff in Amarillo.

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May 27, 1993
MD—Clarence Luther McBroom to John McBroom, Tr., et al, 5-25-93, 566.8 acs. SW/4 Sec. 8, Blk. A-9
QCMD—Patricia A. Holt to Patricia A. Holt, Trust, 5-17-93, Sec. 23, Blk. M-1
PA—Patricia A. Holt to Patricia A. Holt Trust, 5-26-93
OL—L. D. Sipes, Jr. to Chevron USA Inc., 3-29-93, E/2 Sec. 24, Blk. A-7
ASSIGN—Pennzoil Company to Rialto Oil & Gas Corporation, 5-19-93, T. James Survey, Sec. 12, Blk. 1, B&B Survey
TRUSTEE MD—E. J. Dunigan, Jr. to Chambliss Oil Inc., et al, 9-23-92, W/2 SE/4 Sec. 72, Blk 13, N/2 SE/4 Sec. 4, Blk. A-8



THE WHEELER TIMES

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"Wheeler, town of friendship and pride."

went to Gem City area Sunday and visited Morris and Jeanette Jahnel and Carl Lee.

Barbara Austin visited Evelyn Meek Sunday afternoon.

I Timothy 6:6,7 But godliness with contentment is great gain. For we brought nothing into this world, and it is certain we can carry nothing out.

Willis and I went to Vernon Tuesday to see our Fort Elliott High School boys play for regional against Baird, but we lost 1 to 11. However our boys did pretty well. Very few struck out, but were caught out, thrown out or tagged out, but many got on bases. Con-

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Wheeler Church of Christ

Congregational Concerns:
On this coming Monday night, June 14th, the men's monthly business meeting will be held in the multi-purpose building. A fellowship meal will be served before this business meeting is held. This fellowship meal will be served at 7:00 P.M.

The High Plains Children's Home in Amarillo has begun its annual Change for Children Campaign. If you would like to participate in this campaign, please take one of the cans out of the box that is in the lobby.

A community blood drive will be held in the Wheeler High School cafeteria from 5:00 P.M. to 8:00 P.M. on Monday, June 14th. This blood drive is sponsored by the ALPHA MU ALPHA sorority.

Sympathy must be expressed to Jerry Hefley and his family upon the death of his mother, Mrs. Willie Hefley. Mrs. Hefley died last Saturday afternoon and her funeral was held last Tuesday afternoon in Wheeler.

From The Minister's Desk:
When Mr. Ben Loring succeeded Mr. Winford Moore as the preacher of the First Baptist Church in Amarillo, he was interviewed by a writer from the *Amarillo Globe News*. In this interview, Mr. Loring reported on a lecture that he had once given at the Southern Baptist Theological Seminary in Louisville, Kentucky.

According to the interview, Mr. Loring emphasized in his lecture that preachers must avoid the "messiah complex". He said that this complex is created because some preachers are prone to "listen too carefully—" to the plaudits of the members of their congregation.

Mr. Loring and I would probably disagree on several issues, but I totally agree with him about the "messiah complex". I also believe that some preachers encourage the members of their congregation to have the "messiah complex." These preachers expect that the members of their congregation accept their preaching and teaching without question or investigation. Yet the Bible says: "—Know this first of all, that no prophecy of Scripture is a matter of one's own interpretation, for no prophecy was ever made by an act of human will, but men moved by the Holy Spirit spoke from God." (II Peter 1:20-21) Since the Bible contains the inspired will of God, preachers should expect the members of their congregation to verify their preaching and teaching by a careful study of the Bible.

Throughout my ministry, I can honestly say that I have encouraged people to recognize that the Bible is infallible, but I am fallible. For this reason, I was a little amazed

by the response of some people to an article that I recently wrote which they believed was wrong. Their response was that the beliefs and actions of untold thousands of people in this community would be affected by this article because I am such an influential person. I was humbled by their response, but I do not believe or expect my influence to govern the beliefs and actions of anyone in this community. Oh, I do believe that as a preacher I should be an influential person, but I do not believe that my influence is infallible. Therefore I do not want people to determine their beliefs and actions by what I say. Rather I want people to determine beliefs and actions by what the Bible says.

The Bible contains an example of some people who did not unquestionably believe the preaching and the teaching of a preacher. These people were the Bereans and when the Apostle Paul preached to them the Bible says that "—they received the word with great eagerness, examining the scriptures daily, to see whether these things were so." (Acts 17:11)

As a preacher who hopefully has some influence upon people, I would offer some simple advice to those people who truly want to know and practice the will of God. This advice would be that they should imitate the example of the Bereans. They should not unquestionably believe the preaching and the teaching of any preacher. Rather they should examine "—the Scriptures daily, to see whether these things—" are so.

Bill Morrison, Minister
Church of Christ
Wheeler, Texas

An Invitation: You are cordially invited to attend any of the weekly services of the Wheeler Church of Christ which meets at 1001 S. Alan Bean Blvd. in Wheeler, Texas.

Services:
Sunday Bible Study 10:00 A.M.
Sunday Morning Worship 11:00 A.M.
Sunday Night Worship 6:00 P.M.
Wednesday Bible Study 7:30 P.M.



RECOGNIZED: Briscoe Extension Homemakers Club was recognized at the Extension Homemakers Recognition Banquet May 22 at Allison. The Club has disbanded, but was one of the first clubs organized in the county. Several of the women recognized had 50+ years in the organization. Pictured are (l to r) Mary Margaret Dodd, Katie Finsterwald, Evelyn Meek, Martha Meek, Emma Rogers and Ruby Zybach.

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A LOOK INTO THE PAST: Winners of Cotton -Oil Baseball League—**Seated:** Evans, pitcher; D.L. Bryley, second base; S. Brown, third base; Captain Davis, second base; Short Cordell, short stop; Bernice Braxton, mascot. **Middle row:** U. Brown, left fielder; Bill Nelson, catcher; Lefty Burgess, right field; Don Rives, catcher. **Standing:** Melvin Braxton, manager; Claude Brown, first base; Morris Burgess, catcher; Joe Henderson, center field; Lefty Dorman, pitcher; R.O. Barteo, right field; J.M. Tindall, financial backer. -Bodie Close, center field, and Hook Bryan, first base, played with the Twitty team during the championship series and are the only ones whose pictures do not appear in the group.

Proverbs 27-1and2:
Boast not thyself of tomorrow; for thou knowest not what a day may bring forth.

Let another man praise thee, and not thine own mouth; a stranger, and not thine own lips.

Bob and Lou Cornell returned home last Monday from a ten day vacation at Roman Nose State Park in Oklahoma.

My sister and husband Virginia and Jess Jesseph from Hollis, Oklahoma surprised me with a short visit last Sunday evening, enjoyed having them. They also visited the George Giddens and Wilma Gilmer, also visiting with them at Wilma's was Ray and Sue Giddens.

Ruby Craigs last Monday dinner guest were Susan Finney, Jesse and Samantha from Pampa and Jesse spent Monday night with His me-ma, Ruby and Wilma took him home Tuesday and did some shopping in Pampa. Tanner McWhorter spent Wednesday night with Ruby, and Tyler spent Thursday night. Last Friday and Friday night Lisa Farmer, Ryan and Matthew were Ruby's guests.

Several have been attending the tent revival here in Allison and enjoying the singing and preaching and it will continue through next Saturday night.

The U.P. Church celebrated the first year last Sunday with Pastor and Mrs. Roy Jones as our pastor, had wonderful services and a delicious meal after the morning service, enjoyed a lot of visiting and being together, we were happy to have other guests with us, they were Bro. Ronnie and Ruth Chadwick, David, Mark, and Martha Turville were our noon meal guest, and Rev. Forrest and Mrs. Hassel from Springdale, Arkansas was the guest preacher for both services Sunday and they were overnight guest Sunday night with Pastor and Mrs. Roy Jones.

Clouds and wind in Allison early this Monday morning, a good rain would be nice.

Weekend guests in the home of

Wheeler County & District COURT RECORDS

List of Instruments filed in Wheeler County Clerk's Office May 28th, 1993 thru June 3rd, 1993

MD—Billy G. Malone, et ux to Richard F. Greenhill, 5-24-93, See Instrument

RDT—First Federal Savings and Loan Association of Childress to Billy Seymour, et ux, 5-5-93, Lots 3 & 4, Blk. 3, PBA, Shamrock

Cor. AOL—John P. Turner to Olympian Oil, Ltd., 5-24-93, S/2 SW/4 Sec. 8, Blk. A-8

EXT. DT—First Assembly of God, Shamrock to First National Bank of Shamrock, 5-26-93, N 50' Lot 2, S 80' Lot 1, Blk. 80, WSSA, Shamrock

RDT—First National Bank in Wheeler to Charles R. Brown, et ux, 5-26-93, Pt. E/2 Blk. 51, Standley Add., Wheeler

AOL—Sunshine Exploration Company to Jay Kettle Collectables Inc. Profit Sharing Plan, 5-25-93, Lot 2, Blk. 5, B&B Survey

AOL—Sunshine Exploration Company to Albert A. Smith, 5-25-93, Lot 2, Blk. 5, B&B Survey

AOL—Sunshine Exploration Company to W. W. Braden, III, 5-25-93, Lot 2, Blk. 5, B&B Survey

AOL—Sunshine Exploration Company to Myrtle Hulett, 5-25-93, Lot 2, Blk. 5, B&B Survey

AOL—Sunshine Exploration Company to Gaynelle P. Riffe, 5-25-93, Lot 2, Blk. 5, B&B Survey

AOL—Sunshine Exploration Company to Norman K. Stewart, 5-25-93, Lot 2, Blk. 5, B&B Survey

AOL—Sunshine Exploration Company to W. L. Maupin, 5-25-93, Lot 2, Blk. 5, B&B Survey

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CONVEYANCE—Harken Anadarko Partners, LP, et al to Harken Exploration Company, 5-4-93, Lot 2, Blk. 2, B&B Survey

TMM—Southeast Bank, National Association to First Union National Bank of Florida, 5-26-93, Pt. Sec. 5, Blk. A-4

ASSIGN—Heathery Resources, Inc. to Samson Resources Company, 2-1-93, Pt. SE/4 Sec. 6, Blk. L, J. M. Lindsey Survey and E/2 Sec. 19, Blk. L, J. M. Lindsey

RDT—State Bank of Texas to Raju Kumar Patel, 6-3-92, Lots 1 & 4, Blk. LXXX, Shamrock

C/C DEATH CERT.—Margie Lera Dunn to Ex Parte, 5-28-93

LP—Damor Pump & Supply, Inc. to C & C Ventures, Inc., 6-1-93, See Instrument

June 2, 1993
DEED—Leslie R. Nichols, et ux to John N. Glover, 5-28-93, Pts. Sec. 34, Blk. 23

ROW—S. Gene Hall to Chevron U.S.A., Inc., 2-17-89, Pt. N/2 Sec. 74, Blk. 23

SURFACE LEASE—David Woodruff, et ux to CWF Energy, Inc., 9-19-91, NE/4 Sec. 80, Blk. 17

RATIF. ROW—USA to Gulf Oil Corporation, et al, 5-5-93, Pt. S/2 Sec. 95, Blk. 23

A OF JUDG.—Amarillo Hospital District to Christine Earl, 3-4-93

June 3, 1993
RDT—USA to Steven W. Seay, et ux, 6-1-93

RDT—Federal Land Bank Association of Childress to Cecil C. Hicks, et al, 5-17-93

Betty Dyer were Bobby, Barbara and Hannah Dyer from Charleston, Arkansas, Mike Teresa, Scott, and Amber Dyer of Allison. Betty Dyer and friends from Amarillo. They all attended the George Family reunion at the school cafeteria.

Tina Black from Amarillo spent last Sunday night with J.R. and Leota Black.

Jack and Freddie Moon from Fritch spent a couple of days visiting different relatives at Allison last week, they had their travel trailer parked at Roma and Billy Brown's. Last Friday Billy and Roma went to Clinton, Ok. to take care of business, last Saturday Billy, Opal and Juanita attended garage sales at Clinton. Billy and Roma's Sunday afternoon guest were Nellie Long and Thursia Poindexter from Cheyenne.

Peggy Chandler and Jennie Walker visited last Thursday and Friday with Gerie Cornell at the Wheeler Care Center.

Louis and Rita Grayson Sunday over night guest were Lois and J.R. Johnston from Borger. Jayley Markham also spent the weekend with Rita and Louis.

Pete and Dave Gilmer shopped in Pampa one day last week.

Effie Hays Memorial weekend guest were her sister Virginia Remling and Dianna and Tom Fields from Amarillo.

Verne and Susie Lohberger went to the cemetery last Sunday at Moorland, Oklahoma. Verne, Susie, Suzanne, Justin and Dawn Lohberger spent several days last week in San Antonio, visiting Sea World and the Alamo and other parts of interest there.

Edith Donaldson, Edna May and Homer Sanders visited out at the Bill Shelton ranch last Sunday and saw all the different animals they have there.

Rex and Virginia Miller returned home from a ten day fishing trip at Eagle Nest, New Mexico, they got home last night. Forrest Hassel visited Rex and Virginia Miller last Monday morning.

Allan and Nadine Reynolds last Sunday dinner guest was Bennie Boydston.

Eddy and Wanda Walker and family's supper guest after church last Sunday night were, Henry and Cheryl Dupont, Sabrina and Cody, Rodney and Linda Ingersall, Andrew, Heath and Tony, Louise Boydston, and Ona Black and Ray Nokes.

Vance and Caroline Boydston and Kyle and Lanora Morse spent the Memorial weekend with Kevin Boydston at Lubbock, returned home Tuesday.

Extension Update

Joan Gray, CEA-HE

EATING OUT TODAY—THE LOW FAT WAY

Today people are eating away from home or ordering from a restaurant more than ever before.

According to 1993 National Restaurant Association Food service industry figures, Americans will spend \$236.6 billion in commercial establishments. In 1991 Americans ate 3.8 meals per week away from home. If consumers are to make healthier choices when eating away from home, they need to know factors such as ingredients and preparation methods. Restaurants have planned an increase in consumer information and education because of consumer demand.

To better serve health-conscious diners, restaurants can make some simple changes such as:

- * Improving menu descriptions by stating preparation style, ingredients and serving size.
- * Offering smaller portions (half, appetizer size, petite or junior).
- * Increasing vegetarian entrees such as steamed vegetables or pastas.
- * Offering tossed salad, baked potatoes, vegetable soup or rice rather than fried options with sandwiches.
- * Using more light or lower fat options such as light sour cream or reduced salad dressings.
- * Using more flavored seasonings, mustard, lemon wedges for low-fat flavoring options.
- * Making more skim and low-fat milk available on menu.
- * Noting if special requests are welcome.

SHAMROCK, Sept. 13, 1932-Professional baseball is going to hear about Twitty, Texas, some of these days, for this community of a hundred-odd souls which recently won the championship of the Cotton-Oil Baseball League, takes its sandlot just as seriously as it goes the cotton field from which it derives a livelihood.

Fifteen erstwhile farm boys quit their cultivators long enough to trounce the baseball teams of Shamrock, Wheeler, McLean, Magic City, and Pampa, and annex the championship of the newly formed Wheeler and Gray County league. Several of them have received attractive offers from semi-pro teams in the Texas Panhandle and Western Oklahoma since they began exhibiting their wares before paying spectators this season.

There is a cotton crop to be gathered now, but next year is going to witness "Lefty" Dorman, young hurling ace, and some of his team mates getting try-outs with baseball clubs

that pay money for what has been Sunday afternoon pastime out at Twitty.

Melvin Braxton, keeper of one of Twitty's two grocery store-filling stations, and J. M. Tindall, and large property owner, are responsible for the championship team which Twitty turned out this year. Braxton has had many years of experience managing small clubs and has been the cause of more than one rookie going into fast baseball, while Tindall has given financial aid and counselled with the boys constantly.

And there's a crop of ball playing coming on out at Twitty. Bernice Braxton, mascot of this year's team, has not missed a game. They play catch in front of the filling stations when there's a minute to spare, these youngsters do. Providing the older boys are not planning burn-out.

Taken from the Sept. 13, 1932 edition of the Amarillo Daily News.



DRIFTIN THROUGH: Two weary travelers spent the night in Wheeler on May 11. Jim Bunked at Wheeler Vet Clinic and his owner, Mike Stangle, of Scenic, South Dakota stayed at the Honey Inn. Jim and Mike started their journey from Scenic to Mesquite, Texas on Easter. There have been only two delays since they started, one was a 3-day delay because of snow and another delay when Mike worked for a Kansas rancher for three days.

Wheeler County 4-H Council June Meeting

JOE DON KING, CEA-AG
The Wheeler County 4-H Council met on Wednesday, June 2 at Maxey's Steakhouse. The meeting was called to order by Council Chairman, Andy King.

The Council members were given an opportunity to champion for an office.

Elections were held and the following were elected to serve for 1993-94: Chairman, Andy King; 1st Vice Chairman, Kasey McCasland; 2nd Vice Chairman, Shonda Prescher; Secretary/Treasurer: Melissa Reynolds; Reporter, Laurie Lane.

Council also discussed sponsoring a leadership training for newly elected club officers. A tentative date has been set for September 12.

Council will meet on August 18 at 4:30 to plan leadership training and

Senior Citizens Meet For June Meal & Fun

The North Wheeler County Senior Citizens met in regular meeting Monday, June 7, at 6:00 P.M. at the Senior Citizens Center in the southwest corner of the Library building. After Marie Gudge called the meeting to order, it was determined that we had three with birthdays in June, so Happy Birthday was sung for J.P. Meek, Oleta Jones, and Helen Sabbe. J.P. Meek gave the opening prayer and meal blessing.

After enjoying a bountiful meal, and a short business meeting games of canasta, and 88 were enjoyed, and also other games. Twenty-five enjoyed the evening, those being: Elva Wood, Marie Gudge, Nellie Horton, Sallie Harris, Jack and Doris Hays, Oleta Jones, Jewel Holloman, Fannie Mae Bradstreet, Birdie Hudson, Willis and Verna Fillingim, Mary Hudson, Barbara Austin, Amelia Sims, J. P. and Martha Meek, Katherine Holt, Watson and Aldena Burgess, Helen Sabbe, Claudie and Ina Mae Brotherton, Leon and Veal Fillingim.

Our next meeting will be on the 5th of July. Why don't others come and enjoy the fellowship with us. If you don't like to play games, come, eat, and just visit. Hope to see you in July.

plan the annual Achievement Banquet.

Those in attendance were Laurie Lane from the Allison 4-H Club, Melissa Reynolds from the Shamrock 4-H Club, Andy King and Kasey McCasland from the Wheeler 4-H Club and Don King and Joan Gray, county Extension agents. Visitors were Mrs. Kathleen Reynolds, Mari Ann Reynolds and Allison Reynolds.

Respectfully submitted,
Laurie Lane, Council Reporter

Extension Update

Joan Gray, CEA-HE

MICROWAVE DRYER FOR CLOTHING DEVELOPED

The Electric Power Research Institute has developed a prototype microwave clothes dryer. The dryer works much like a microwave oven. It heats the water in the clothes, but not the clothes as much.

A regular clothes dryer heats the air that heats the water in the clothes and then the clothes themselves. Temperatures climb to as high as 350 degrees F, which weakens the fabric.

In contrast, the microwave heats clothes to 160 degrees, and dries them in half the time of conventional dryers. The only problem with the microwave is the possibility of thin metal objects, such as pins left in pockets, causing the clothes to be scorched.

Huckert Attends

Brent Keeley Huckert of Wheeler TX was among 255 students who attended the second of four freshman orientation clinics at Southwestern Oklahoma State University in Weatherford, OK on April 21.

A total of 532 high school seniors has now enrolled at Southwestern for the Fall 1993 semester. SWOSU will hold two more freshman clinics on June 9th and August 20th. High school seniors who are interested in the clinics can call 774-3767 for additional information.

At the clinics, students spend the day on the SWOSU campus and hear numerous presentations about services and activities available at Southwestern Oklahoma State University.

Gray County Youth Rodeo Set For July 23-24

The Gray County 4-H Youth Rodeo will be held July 23 and 24 at the Top of Texas Rodeo Arena in Pampa at 7:00 p.m. each evening. The rodeo is for all youth ages 9-18, as of July 1, 1993.

Montana Silversmith buckles will be awarded to the top three winners in each event of the 9-11 age group. For the two older age groups (12-14 and 15-18) there will be two go-arounds (one each night). Montana Silversmith buckles will go to the first place average time/score in each event. Contestants must enter both nights to win these average buckles. In addition, pay-backs for the two older age groups will be 50 percent of the entry fees in each event each night. All-Around buckles will also be awarded in each age group based on points from event placings, not event averages.

Entries are due in the Gray County Extension Office, HCR 2, Box 33, Pampa, Texas 79065, by 5:00 p.m., Friday, July 16.

Events for ages 15-18 include: Steer Riding, Pole Bending, Jr. Bull Riding, Barrel Racing, Goat Tying, Breakaway Roping and Ribbon Roping.

Events for 12-14 include: Steer Riding, Pole Bending, Breakaway Roping, Barrel Racing, Goat Tying, Ribbon Roping, Adult/Youth Ribbon Roping.

Events for 9-11 include: Breakaway Roping, Calf Riding, Goat Tying, Barrel Racing, Pole Bending, Flag Racing, Adult/Youth Ribbon Roping.

Boys and girls may participate any event listed for their particular age group. All-Around buckles will be awarded in each age group on points awarded in all events entered with the exception of the Adult/Youth Ribbon Roping ages 9-11 and 12-14 where points will not count.

For ages 9-11, the entry fee is \$10.00 per event. The 12-14 year old age group will have an entry fee of \$15.00 per event with a \$7.50 pay back. The older age group of 15-18 will have a \$20.00 entry fee per event with \$10.00 jackpotted.

Events for the Pee Wee contestants will be held Saturday afternoon at 4:00 p.m. Events for ages 6 and under can compete in a mutton bustin' (50 pound contestant weight limit), stick horse barrel race, goat ribbon race, boot scramble race, and sack race. Events for ages 7 and 8 will include goat ribbon race, barrel race, flag race,

ONE LAST QUESTION

By a Jenks, Oklahoma East Middle School Student

I went to this party, Mom.
I remember what you said.
You told me not to drink, Mom
So, I drank soda instead.

I felt proud inside Mom,
The way you said I would.
Even though all my friends laughed,
Mom still said that I should.

I know I did the right thing, Mom.
I know you're always right.
Now the party has ended Mom,
'Cause everybody drove out of sight.

As I got inside the car, Mom,
I knew I would get home in one piece.
'Cause the way you made me feel,
Mom,
So responsible and sweet.

I started to drive away, Mom,
As I pulled into the road,
The other guy didn't see me, Mom,
And hit me like a load.

I lay there on the payment, Mom.
I heard the policeman say,
The other guy was drunk, Mom.
Now I'm the one to pay.

I'm lying here, dying, Mom.
I wish you'd get here soon.
How can this happen to me, Mom?
My life is busted like a balloon.

There is blood all around me, Mom,
Most of it is mine.
I hear the paramedics say, Mom,
I'll die in a short time.

He didn't know where he was going, Mom.
He was probably at the same party as I.

The only difference, Mom,
Is he drank and I die.

Why do people drink, Mom.
It can ruin your whole life.
I'm feeling sharp pains, Mom,
Pains just like a knife.

The mam who hit me, Mom, is walking.
I don't think it's fair.
I'm lying here dying, Mom.
While all he does is stare.

Someone should have told him, Mom,
Not to drink and drive.
If they had taken the time, Mom,
I would still be alive.

My breath is coming shorter, Mom.
I'm becoming very scared.
Please don't cry for me, Mom,
Because when I needed you, you were there.

I have one last question, Mom.
Before I say good-bye.
I didn't drink, Mom.
So why am I the one to die?

This is the end, Mom.
I wish I could look you in the eye.
To say these final words, Mom.
I love you and good-bye.

pole bending, and calf roping (\$5 stock charge).

Entry fees will be \$2.00 per event for ages 5 and under and \$3.00 per event for ages 7 and 8. An all-around trophy will be presented in each age group and ribbons will be awarded through tenth place.

Information and entry blanks can be obtained at the Gray County Extension Office located in the Court-house Annex, Hwy. 60 East, Pampa, or call (806) 669-8033.

Entries must be paid and notarized before being entered on the books, otherwise, the entry will be returned to the sender. There will not be notary public available in the Extension Office or at the Rodeo Grounds. No call in entries will be accepted. Contestants are not allowed to move up or down in age groups. All buckles and paybacks will be mailed after the rodeo.

Farris Family Has Annual Reunion Sunday

The 2nd annual Farris family reunion was held on May 30th at the Wheeler City Park. The festivities began Saturday evening with a wienie roast and volleyball game at the home of Earl and Leola Farris.

On Sunday afternoon, the family gathered for a potluck dinner under the park pavilion.

Later on, some family members participated in a game of softball, while others were entertained by Blackie Elam singing and playing guitar.

Samuel and Bertie Farris came to Wheeler County in 1909 from No Man's Land, Oklahoma.

The four surviving children are: Boyce and Earl Farris of Wheeler; Ruth Strout of San Diego; and Cordie Lee Jones of Amarillo.

Family members attending the reunion were: Boyce and Opal Farris of Wheeler; Bob and Carolyn Mulkin of Waxahachie; Don and Sharon Fandy of Panhandle; Brian and Brianna Gandy of Waxahachie; Toni Gandy of Panhandle; Keith McVay of Dallas.

Earl and Leola Farris of Wheeler; Dick and Ann Graham of Wheeler; Chris and Debbie Humphrey of Denver, Colorado; Rich Graham of Denver, Colorado; Kathy Farris of Conway, Arkansas; Mary Williams of Conway, Arkansas

Dot Farris La Count of Bessemer City, North Carolina; Bobbie Rayfield of Stanley, North Carolina.

Cordie Lee Jones of Amarillo; Art and Jimmie Nelson of Amarillo; Rodney, Kelly, Ben, Rena, and Randy Walker of Albuquerque, New Mexico; Art Nelson, Jr. of Amarillo; Bob, Charlotte, Summer, and Jesse Lenar of Lubbock; Bonnie and Kenny Grant of Amarillo; Sue Grant of Altus, Oklahoma.

Ruth Strout of San Diego, California; Glen Strout and Ruthie Wallus of Huntington Beach, California.

Harold and Atha Alward of Amarillo; December and Dusty Alward of Amarillo; Blackie and Elga Elam of Blanchard, Oklahoma.

Edward and Doris Boody of Wichita, Kansas; Jeff, Paula, Jared, Joshua, and Megan Harley of Colorado Springs, Colorado.

Sam and Patsy Schaffer of Wellington; Diane and Tabitha Bond of Claude

John and Sylvia Schaffer of Wheeler; Kenneth, Jenean, Sarah, and Kenny Schaffer of Amarillo; Robby Schaffer of Amarillo; Derek, J.J., and Chase Brown of Lubbock; Dean, Susan, Machelle, and Brandon Schaffer of Amarillo.

Meals On WHEELS MENU

June 14-18, 1993

MONDAY: June 14: Mexican casserole, corn, tossed salad with tomatoes, cake.

TUESDAY: June 15: Polish sausage, boiled potatoes, cabbage & onion, pudding, cornbread.

WEDNESDAY: June 16: Chicken casserole, florentine mixed vegetables, white cake with icing, hot rolls.

THURSDAY: June 17: BBQ beef, potato salad, baked beans, pickles & onion, fruit cobbler.

FRIDAY: June 18: Fried fish, au gratin potatoes, zucchini & tomatoes, cole slaw, lemon pudding. (Menu subject to change)

Bible (from Page 1)

Classes will be taught at the First United Methodist Church. A "Kick-off" is planned for Sunday, June 13 at 6 P.M. behind the Methodist Church. For more information or if you need a ride call 826-3114.

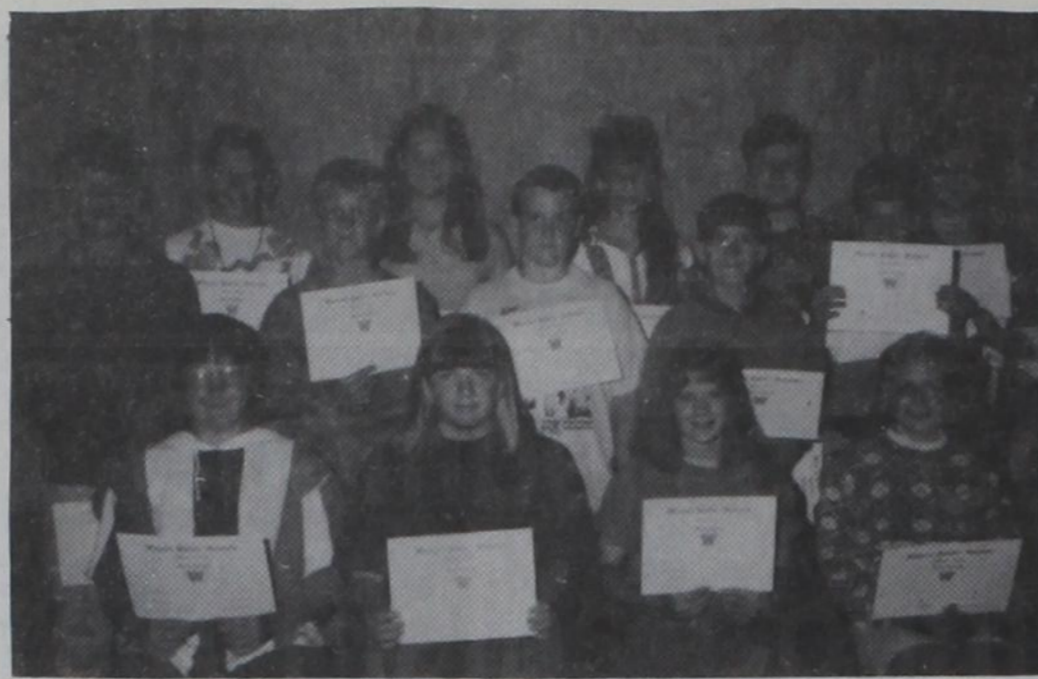
Hospital Notes

- New Admissions**
- 6-2 Marcus Osby
 - 6-4 Hilda Byrd
 - 6-5 Florence George
 - 6-6 Johnnie Reed
- Dismissals**
- 6-2 Evelyn Young
 - Kathleen Frankenberg
 - Gwen Robertson
 - Clayton Rodd
 - 6-4 Bessie Robertson
 - 6-5 Edith McLaughlin
 - Marcus Osby

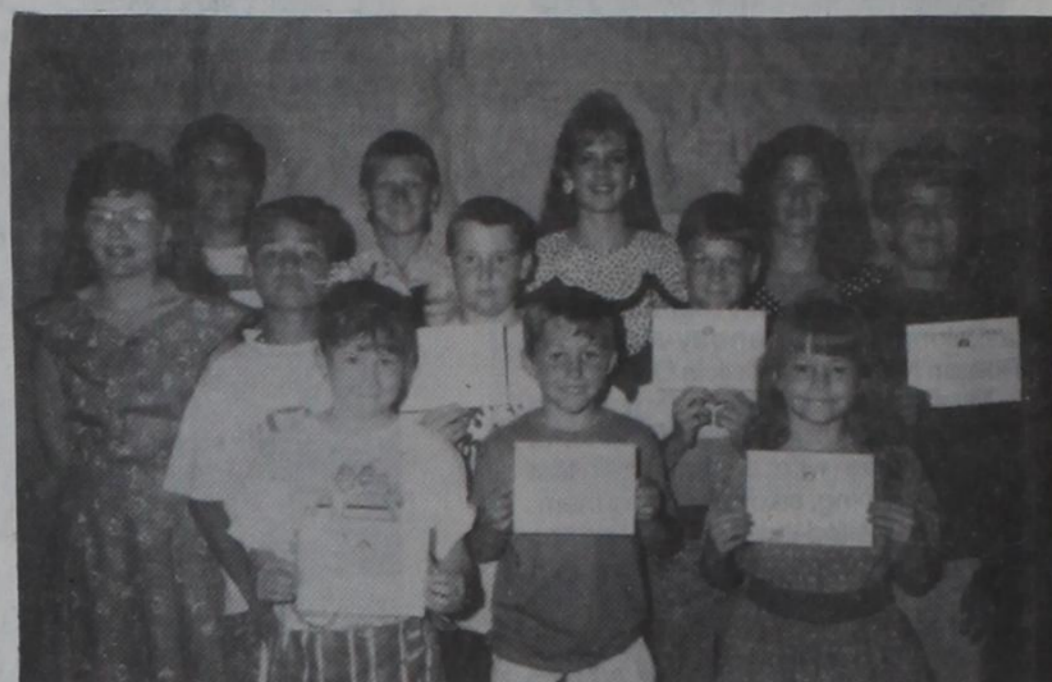
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EIGHTH GRADE: Members of the 1993 Eighth Grade class recognized for maintaining a 90 or Above average for the 92-93 year are (back row, l to r) Monty Long, Vanessa Baize, Kalli Bradstreet, Mika Goad, Misti Patterson, (front row) Daniel Keelin, Andy Copeland, Travis Stevens, Hillary Mitchell and Jason Porton.



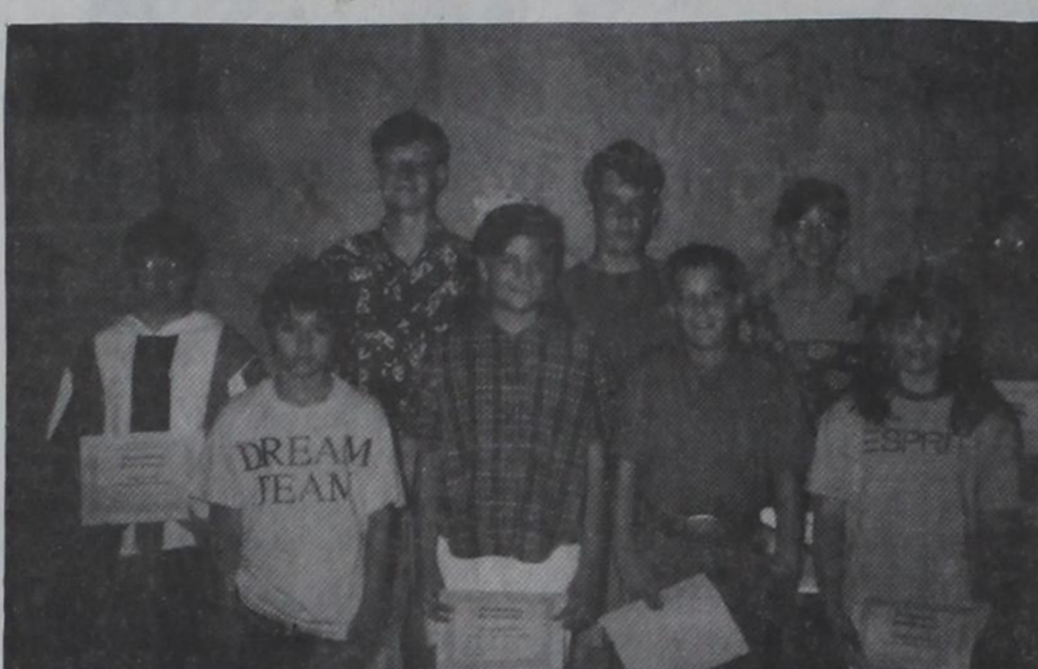
SIXTH GRADE: For their 90 or Above for the past year's school work, these Sixth Graders received a certificate at the elementary awards assembly May 17 at Wheeler. Students are (back row, l to r) Kara Emmert, Courtney Gridley, Alli Moore, Ben Britt, Rachel Stiles, (middle) Drew Hillhouse, Keenan Burton, Alan Gill, Matt Hampton, Tucker Long, (front row) Angela Jolly, Lacey Smith, Kristen Marion and Jennifer Shepard.



PERFECT ATTENDANCE: A record of never absent or tardy for 1992-93 earned a certificate for these Wheeler Elementary students. They are (back row, l to r) Ernesto Martinez, Kyle Masters, Vanessa Baize, Penny Dollar, (middle) Hillary Mitchell, Uriel Hernandez, Alan Gill, Tucker Long, Drew Hillhouse (front) Laruen Sams, Dee Austin and Tarren Matthies.



SEVENTH GRADE: Certificates were awarded May 17 to this group of Wheeler Seventh Graders for maintaining a 90 or Above for the entire 92-93 school year. Pictured are (back row, l to r) Andy Bradstreet, Bryan Judd, Camille Porter, Stacey McWhorter, (front) Benny Sword, Paul Arganbright, B. J. Carpenter and Sally Smith.



OUTSTANDING BAND MEMBERS: Wheeler band director Buz Derrickson recognized these Jr. High students as the Outstanding Jr. High Band students for 92-93. They are (back row, l to r) Angela Jolly, Monty Long, Will Woollard, Sally Smith, Benny Sword, (front) Ivan Guerra, Lorena Martinez, Brooks Brown and Jordan Emmert.

Jennifer Reynolds Recognized For Achievements

The United States Achievements Academy recently recognized Jennifer Leah Reynolds for academic achievement as a United States National Honor Roll Award winner. Jennifer Reynolds, who attends Kelton I.S.D., will appear in the United States Achievement Academy Official Yearbook, published nationally. Dr. George Stevens, Executive Director of the United States Achievement Academy said, "Recognizing and supporting our youth is more important than ever before in America's history. Certainly United States Achievement Academy award winners should be congratulated and appreciated for their dedication to excellence and achievement."

with many benefits and services and receiving the award is a great tribute to a student's dedication, talent and ability.

Jennifer is the daughter of David & Kathleen Reynolds. The grandparents are Mr. & Mrs. Don Reynolds of Amarillo, TX and Mrs. Lois McGinty & the late Dick McGinty of Plains, TX.

S. Goad on Honor Roll

Shane Goad is one of the two hundred and eight students to be named to the Dean's Honor Roll for the spring semester at Oklahoma Panhandle State University in Goodwell, OK.

The Dean's Honor Roll contains the names of those students who earned at least a 3.30 grade average

The USAA National Honor Roll Awards provide honor roll students



Jennifer Reynolds

WVFD Has Training Meetings June

The Wheeler Volunteer Fire Department met Thursday, June 3, 1993, at the Wheeler Fire Station. Fourteen WVFD members, one Junior member and one area fire department member participated in Basic Apparatus and Basic Reports/Records certification classes.

Instructor for the Basic Apparatus class was Kyndal Murray, Level II Instructor. Ken Daughtry, Level II Instructor, taught the Basic Reports/Records class.

WVFD members receiving 2 hours training in Basic Apparatus: Jason Brownfield, Boyd Austin, Daryl Snelgrooves, Steve Walker, Bob Risner, Marty Rose, H.L. Owens, Jon Sullivan, Walter Simmons, Justin Rose, Kenny Brown and Thomas Taylor. Lee George, Briscoe VFD, also received 2 hours training in Basic Apparatus.

WVFD members receiving 2 hours training in Basic Reports/Records: Jack Sparlin, Dell Ford and Ken Daughtry.

Other members attending the business meeting of the WVFD: Robert Ford and K.D. Ford.

The Wheeler Volunteer Department meets on the 1st, 3rd and 5th Thursday of each month. Training scheduled for Thursday, June 17, 7:00 p.m., is 2 hours of Basic Apparatus to be taught by Jack Sparlin, Level II Instructor.

The public is invited to visit the fire station and meetings of the WVFD are open to the public.

Little League Cookout

All Little League coaches, umpires and their families are invited to a hotdog cookout on Sunday, June 13, 1993, at 2:00 P.M. at the Wheeler city park. The Eastern Panhandle Little League will be sponsoring this cook-out to show its appreciation for everyone who helped to make this a successful season.

The All-Star Coaches will be selected at this time! Be sure and be there so that your vote will count. R.S.V.P. to Janet Stevens, 826-3480 or 5578 or Dave Britt, 826-5941 by June 7.

When the book of life is opening, our readings are secret.

—Edward Morgan Foster

The heart has its reasons which reason knows nothing of.

—Blaise Pascal

Williams From Page 1 selected to represent SWOSU at the collegiate model United Nations.

Her senior year she served as a member of Alpha Phi Sigma, a member of Gamma Delta Kappa (a honorary sorority) and as president of the History Club. She was also selected to attend an Oklahoma Scholastic Leadership Enrichment Program at the University of Oklahoma. She has been student teaching at Hinton Oklahoma.

Teresa now plans to pursue a teaching position in a state prison. She also plans to pursue her masters Degree in Criminal Justice.

Teresa is a 1985 graduate of Wheeler High School. She received her A.S. degree with magna cum laude honors from SWOSU in 1991.

Teresa is the daughter of Lavon and Wanda Williams of Wheeler. She is also the mother of Taryn, Clinton and Shayla Matthies, also of Wheeler.

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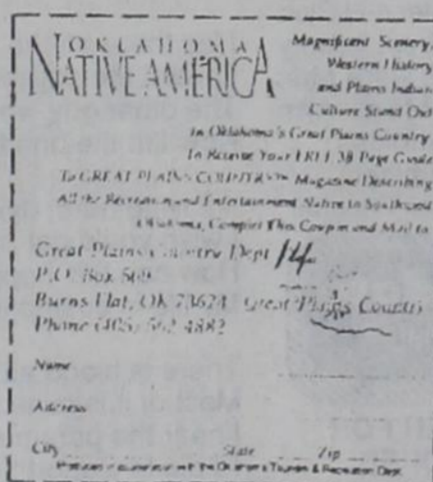
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