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"Wheeler; town of friendship and pride."



—STAR NEWS PHOTOS/Toby Brooks

**NEWLY ELECTED:** 31<sup>st</sup> District Judge Steve Emmert conducted the 'swearing in' of the newly elected county officials on Saturday, January 1, 2011, in the District Courtroom of the Wheeler County Courthouse. Shown here taking the oath of office are (l. to r.) Margaret Dorman, County Clerk; Mark Brown, Justice of the Peace, Pct. 1; Nancy Emmert, Treasurer; Sherri Jones, District Clerk; Kenneth Allen, Surveyor; Rick Walden, Justice of the Peace, Pct. 2; and Jerry Dan Hefley, Wheeler County Judge.

## CWE CHAT WITH EDITOR

By Louis C. Stas

The year 2011 is underway and it will probably fly past faster than 2010.

— cwe —

On this third day of the new year, it is 58°. When we do get some winter weather, it is really going to hurt.

— cwe —

I think I noticed something about snow the latter part of this week.

— cwe —

The first 12 days of the year are to be representative of each month of the year. So there is no indication of rain in the first three months.

— cwe —

We used to have Mrs. Flowers rain fall predictions, using an onion cut in half. Do any of my readers still do that?

— cwe —

Debbie Finsterwald was in; her building should be finished in about two weeks. She is going to operate a sandwich shop in what used to be Cicero Smith Lumber—across the street from Hefley Hardware and Lumber for those of you who don't remember Cicero Smith Lumber.

— cwe —

Kristi Petit called to remind me the Circus will be in Wheeler in March. The company will be contacting merchants in the near future. Remember, the Chamber makes more money off reserve tickets than those purchased at the 'door'.

— cwe —

We were in OKC this past weekend for Cathi and Dorcie's 'Christmas visit' They arrived on

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**OATH OF OFFICE:** 31<sup>st</sup> District Judge Steve Emmert took the oath of office on Saturday, January 1, 2011 in the District Courtroom of the Wheeler County Courthouse. Administering the oath is Wheeler County Judge Jerry Dan Hefley. The 31<sup>st</sup> Judicial District consists of 5 Panhandle counties, Wheeler, Roberts, Gray, Hemphill and Lipscomb.



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**CANCELLATION STAMP:** The Texas Plains Trail Region cancellation stamp will be available at the local post office through Saturday, January 22, 2011. The Texas Plains Trail Region, one of ten in the state of Texas, works to promote tourism in 52 county in the Texas Panhandle; a stamp was designed for each of the counties and one stamp was issued each week of 2010; the Wheeler stamp was next to the last. The use of the Wheeler stamp began at the Wheeler Post Office on Thursday, December 21, 2010. Pictured above are individuals on hand for the introduction of the stamp; shown are (l. to r.) Delores Mosser, Past President TPTR; Ada Lester, Board Member TPTR; Deborah Sue McDonald, Regional Director TPTR; Holle Humphries, Board Member TPTR; Paula Hatfield, Board Member TPTR; Wheeler County Commissioner Elect Bob Hink; Wheeler Mayor Bob McCain, Wheeler County Commissioner Daryl Snelgrooves, and (center front) Wheeler Postmaster Jan Hill.



—STAR NEWS PHOTOS/Toby Brooks

**COMMISSIONERS:** Newly elected Wheeler County Commissioners John Walker (left) and Bob Hink (center) took the oath of office Saturday, January 1, 2011 in the District Courtroom of the Wheeler County Courthouse. The oath was administered by County Judge Jerry Dan Hefley. Walker and Hink represent precincts 4 and 2, respectively.

## STORM REPORT

As Reported by...  
**Stormie Meriwether,**  
First Grade Student

Dear Friends, We have a brand new year! It's eleven! A new year is great! My teacher (Mrs. Markam) is back. I am so happy! One day I saw Mrs. Means at

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## Music At Mels

Thursday evening, January 6, there will be pickin' and grinnin' at Mel's Diner, beginning at 6:30.



**100<sup>th</sup> BIRTHDAY:** Annie Ruth Lee will turn 100 on January 6, 2011. She will be the guest of honor at a Birthday Party on Saturday, January 8, 2011, in the dining room of Parkview Hospital in Wheeler, Texas, from 2:00 to 4:00 P.M. Cards may be sent to Annie Ruth Lee, P.O. Box 427, Wheeler, Texas 79096.

## Exciting Murder Mystery Fundraiser To Benefit American Red Cross

Event Raises Funds to Ensure the Local Chapter Continues its Mission. The American Red Cross, Eastern Texas Panhandle Chapter and the One Act Play students of Wheeler ISD invite the community to a root-tootin' good time at its murder mystery dinner fundraiser 6 p.m. January 15 at the Wheeler County Ag & Family Life Center. At a murder mystery dinner the guests play the investigators trying to solve a murder that occurs during the meal. The play is titled

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## Bill Flewelling Rites, Burial In Arnett, OK

Services for Mr. William Arthur "Bill" Flewelling, 77, of Allison, TX, were at 2:00 P.M. Friday, December 31, 2010 at Hughs Funeral Home Memorial Chapel with Rev. Shelby Deathridge, officiating. Burial followed in DeBolt Cemetery in Arnett, OK under the direction of Hughs Funeral Home of Canadian, TX. Mr. Flewelling passed away Wednesday, December 29, 2010 in Amarillo, TX. Bill was born December 5, 1933

in Canadian, TX to the late William Flewelling and Lenore (Bruce) Flewelling. He was a 1952 graduate of Canadian High School. He then went on and attended Texas Tech University in Lubbock, TX. He was a Veteran of the United States Army. Bill worked for Lockheed Security in Fort Worth, TX for 20 plus years. He also helped as a volunteer at the homeless shelter in Fort Worth and was also a member of the Methodist Church in Fort Worth. He was preceded in death by two sisters, Mary Sue Flewelling and Ellen Lee Huff.

He is survived by his brother-in-law, Boyd Huff of Allison, TX; four nephews, John Huff and wife Angie, Walker Huff, Clint Huff and wife Amy all of Allison, TX; Dan Huff and wife Candy of Beaver, OK; four great nephews, five great-nieces and three great-great-nephews.

The family suggests memorials to Odyssey Healthcare of Amarillo, 6900 I 40 West, Suite 150, Amarillo, TX 79106.

## Former County Judge, C. R. Morris Services Are Dec. 17 In Oklahoma

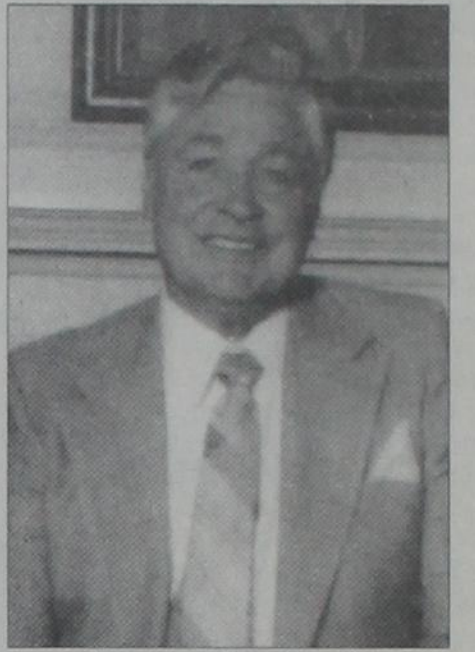
Clarence Ray Morris, former longtime Perryton resident, was born March 19, 1922, to Robert and Alice Lilly Morris, the ninth of ten children. He entered God's Kingdom on December 14, 2010, at the age of 88, following a seizure and complications thereof. Services, with full military honors were held at 3:00 p.m., December 17, 2010, at Floral Haven Chapel followed by entombment in the Patio Mausoleum, Floral Haven Cemetery, Broken Arrow, Oklahoma.

Clarence grew up in Perryton, Texas, graduating from Perryton High School in 1940, and thereafter playing football on a scholarship at East Texas State University in Commerce, Texas, receiving both his bachelor's and master's degrees.

Following graduation from Midshipman School at Notre Dame and Cornell, Clarence served in WWII as Commanding Officer of PT 342 and as Executive Officer of PT 335 in the South Pacific, receiving three Purple Hearts and many other military honors.

Clarence married Ona Grace Francis September 18, 1945, in Amarillo, Texas. He later taught and coached in Shamrock, Texas, worked for United Carbon and then became Texas' youngest County Judge serving Wheeler County. He also taught school in Perryton, served two terms as County Judge in Perryton, Ochiltree County, and was a lifetime farmer.

Mr. Morris' living sibling is Alvis Morris of San Antonio, Texas. He was preceded in death by his parents, one brother, George, and three sisters, Eunice Stroud, Hazel Roush and Alberta Kite. Also



Clarence Ray Morris

preceding him were a sister, Eula, and brothers, William, Elbert and Delbert, who died as children.

Clarence and Ona Grace had been married 65 years at the time of his death. They had four daughters during their marriage: Marilyn Watson of Lewisville, Texas, Sheryl Provence of Austin, Texas, Melinda Cain of Grove, Oklahoma, and Kathy Anderson of Tulsa, Oklahoma. Grandchildren are Kelly Carroll of Killeen, Texas, Joe Kemp of Lubbock, Texas, Steve Hutson of Houston, Texas, Mark Walker of Houston, Texas, Braden Hutson of Overland Park, Kansas, Jana Ricker of Lewisville, Texas, Erik Anderson of Tulsa, Oklahoma and Alana Anderson of Dallas, Texas. Great-grandchildren number 13. Clarence is survived by his wife, Ona Grace, and all children, grandchildren and great-grandchildren.

Mrs. Morris is at home at 950 S. Darlington Ave., Tulsa, Oklahoma 74112.

## Neleta Wofford To Be Buried Jan. 8

Neleta Louise Hard Wofford, age 94, formerly of Wheeler died on December 25, 2010 at Baylor Medical Center in Irving, Texas. She moved from Little Rock-Arkansas to Culepeper Place Assisted Living of Jonesboro-Arkansas in February 2010. Mrs. Wofford was born in Cleveland, Oklahoma on September 6, 1916 to Mr. and Mrs. Robert William Hard. Mrs. Wofford graduated from Oklahoma State University with a degree in Business Education. She was a member of Chi Omega Fraternity.

Mrs. Wofford taught business education at Wheeler High School in Wheeler, Texas and at Drumwright High School in Drumwright, Oklahoma between 1940 - 1946. She assisted with the family owned Wheeler Drug Store from 1948 - 1961. She moved to Little Rock in 1961 where she became involved in the Little Rock Alumnae Chapter of Chi Omega Fraternity and the Daughters of the American Revolution. Mrs. Wofford was a member of Immanuel Baptist Church. She taught the Elizabeth Sunday School Class for more the 35 years and held the title of Teacher Emeritus at the time of her death. She was active in the Women's Missionary Union, XYZ, and served on numerous church committees. She was an official delegate to the Southern Baptist Convention in 1993.

Mrs. Wofford was predeceased by her husband, Frank, and her parents. She is survived by two daughters, Jane Porter and her husband Todd, of Irving and Martha McFerron and her husband, Steve, of Jonesboro, Arkansas; a grandson Matt Wofford McFerron of Athens, Georgia; a granddaughter Cary Elizabeth Porter of Bastrop, Texas, three nephews, one niece, and a number of cousins.

## Memorial Services For Bobby Meadows

Bobby Glen Meadows, 66, Lubbock, Texas, passed away December 29, 2010, in Amarillo, Texas. Memorial services were held Saturday, January 1, 2011, at 1:00 p.m. at Resthaven Funeral Home's Abbey Chapel, Lubbock, Texas.

Mr. Meadows retired from Nabisco/Kraft Company after 25

years of service. He loved gardening and "playing out in his yard."

Survivors are his wife, Amy Meadows of Lubbock, son; Buddy Meadows and his family of Houston, Texas; daughter, Lisa Vaughn and family of Lubbock; four grandchildren, James, Jordan, Mikaela, and Olivia; sister, Shirley Scott and family of Shamrock, Texas; brother; Buford Meadows and family of Wheeler, Texas.

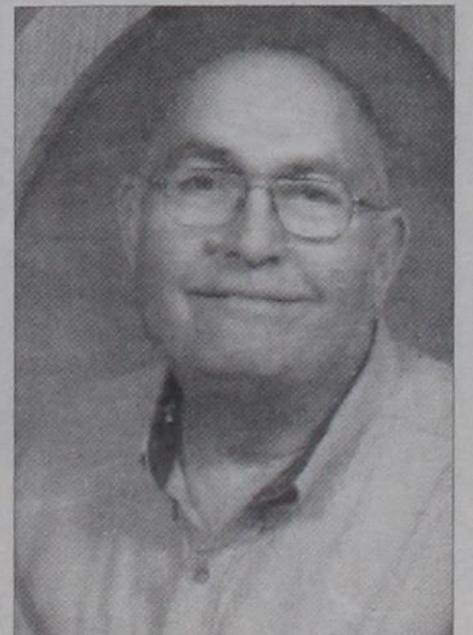
In lieu of flowers, the family suggests memorials be made to the Children's Miracle Network.

Condolences may be offered at [www.resthavenfuneralhome.com](http://www.resthavenfuneralhome.com).

## Nick Hardcastle On CC Dean's List

Clarendon College named 61 students to the Dean's List for the Fall 2010 semester. Each achieved a grade point average of between 3.6 and 3.99 while completing at least 12 credit hours.

Named on the Dean's List from Wheeler was Nicholas Hardcastle.



Bobby Glen Meadows



## OLD TIMES NOT FORGOTTEN

By Roland Miles

### GREAT DISCOVERY And BAD NAVIGATION

One time, Jimmy and I were going over to his Uncle Burl's, to spend the weekend. Just as we got near Sweetwater Creek, we noticed a steel stock tank about 8 or 10 feet in diameter. It had been left stranded after the creek had been out of banks. No telling how far it had floated before "great fortune," had left it there, just for us.

We tied up our horses, rolled the tank over to the creek and flopped it over into the water. Success! We jumped in and took off. Boy, was this going to be great fun! We rode in that thing for about two hours. It was probably more fun than sailing a ship on the ocean. No pirates and no sharks! Most of the time the creek wasn't over knee-deep, so once in a while the tank would run up on a sandbar. It was easy to drag loose, then we'd be on the move again.

When the creek turned left, the tank would spin clockwise and when the creek turned right, the tank would spin counter clockwise. One other neat thing about a round boat...it doesn't hang up on the bank when the creek changes direction. We'd laugh and fall, all the time trying to stay in control and keep it moving. Just having a great time. Yee-haw, no

joke about it, this was better than a carnival ride any day!

Finally...it dawned on us; we had to walk back! So, we aborted the mission. It was four or five miles, but well worth the walk. The horses were still where we tied them and no one had any idea where we'd been, or even missed us. At seventy-plus years old now, I'd like to try that again, just one more time; if it wasn't for the long walk back.

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## COUNTRY NEWS

By Verna Fillingim

"Bless the Lord, oh my soul, and all that is within me. Bless his Holy name. God has done great things for me. Bless His Holy name."

"Happy Birthday" to Kyle Masters on January 9; Brady Bailey, Tray Dunn, Arden Kenady, Lanette Lewis, Jaime Morton and Brooke Verden, Jan. 10; Jayton Couch, Collin Hampton, Thomas Helton, Jesseka Kreitner, Dylan Marshall, Naomi Muller, Audra Weatherly and Katherine Willetto, Jan. 11; Sherry Clark, Renee Davis and Rachel Kidd, Jan. 12; Tina Bond, Amanda Freeman, Georgia Ford, Katrina Hillhouse, Jill Johnson and Bobby Jones, Jan. 13; Olivia Helstad and Sally Ledbetter, Jan. 14; Jimmy Henson, London Johnston, Jon Sullivan and Nic Ware, Jan. 15.

"Happy Anniversary" to Michael and Mitchie Kenney, Jan. 4; Devin and Kenna Howard, Jan. 5; Marcus and Heather Hardcastle, Jan. 6; Jerry and Cathy Horton, Jan. 9; and Don and Peggy Ross, Jan. 15. God bless you everyone.

Thanks for all the sweet cards and letters.

Blain Criswell enjoyed having a birthday party Friday to celebrate his 8th birthday with eight friends there and included Jack McKay, Brandel Barrett, Slade Bauman, Dagen Criswell, Kaleb Braxton, Ian Utley, Tyler Mogford, Janette and Braklen Jarnegin and Tab Hathaway. Also there were grandparents, David and Rita Pearson and Blain's mom, Lindsey Criswell. They bowled at Western Bowl and had a "Bear" cake and other goodies and had a fun time. God bless you all!

First Sunday Singing was back at Briscoe Community Church Sunday night with a good crowd, lots of beautiful music, delicious food and people from different places. They have a new pastor and have done some work on their church. You are invited to come with some from Allison, Mobeette and Gageby, also. All welcome! I think in February First Sunday Singing will meet at Gageby Church. Good to see everyone!

"A Christmas Prayer: I am so glad that my Father in Heaven tells of his love in the book He has given. Wondrous things in the Bible I see: this is the dearest that Jesus loves me. I am so glad that Jesus loves me! Jesus loves me!

Wes and Cindy Bradstreet had all their children home for the Christmas holidays: Mike, Ember, Miles, Jenna and Zach from Spearman; Andy, Tracy and Hailey and Brad and Sandy from the Dallas area. The grandkids all

got to spend a few extra days. Jacob Maxwell went home with Miles to Spearman for one night and they had a lot of fun hanging out together and going to a museum.

Having lunch at Roy and Nell's New Years Day were Paul Ray and Nancy Sanders and granddaughter MaKinna from Wolfe City who came to spend a few days; David and Patti; Debbie, Ronnie, Kelly and Jacob and Wes and Cindy.

Martha Meek enjoyed a visit from her kids, Tamara and Phoebe, and other visitors. God bless you all!

Nice to have David and Krystal Fillingim and Keaira, Kamry and Karissa come take me to Maxey's Monday for a good visit and a good lunch. They came to my house and visited a while before heading home to Windthorst. Thanks for a good lunch and visit...always good to see you all. Rita had gone back to Canadian



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to her Farm Bureau office and David went to see his mom at Stamford. Mary Pearson had suffered a fall at the care center that bungled her up some. Remember Mary Pearson in her fall. Sweet lady! Pray for her!

David and Rita Pearson went to Canyon Friday to help Blain celebrate his 8th birthday! Happy Birthday, Blain.

Nice to have David and Rita Pearson come by and visit me a while Thursday night while in Wheeler. Thank you! Good to see everyone.

"God made loving people to do

### Physical Activity: Get Moving for Good Health

"Regular physical activity is important for good health," said Wendy Hazzard County Extension Agent. However most Americans aren't moving enough. According to data from the Behavioral Risk Factor Surveillance System, 25% of Americans reported that they did not participate in any type of leisure physical activity in the previous month. "Families are busy with work and school related activities and that doesn't leave a lot of time for physical activity in their day" Hazzard said.

The 2005 Dietary Guidelines for Americans and the United States Department of Agriculture's Food Guidance System, also known as MyPyramid, emphasize the importance of physical activity (www.mypyramid.gov). In fact, regular physical activity can reduce a person's risk of certain chronic diseases such as high blood pressure, stroke, type 2 diabetes, coronary artery disease, colon cancer, and osteoporosis.

Physical activity, any bodily movement that uses energy, is also a key player in body weight management. "Increasing amounts of physical activity in your daily routine can help you burn extra calories to either lose weight or prevent weight gain," commented Hazzard.

So, what are the recommendations for needed amounts of physical activity? Hazzard says the 2005 Dietary Guidelines for Americans recommend the following:

- To reduce the risk of chronic disease, engage in at least 30 minutes of moderate-intensity physical activity, above usual activity at work or home on most days of the week
  - To help manage body weight and prevent gradual, unhealthy weight gain, engage in 60 minutes of moderate to vigorous intensity activity on most days of the week
  - To sustain weight loss, participate in at least 60 to 90 minutes a day of moderate-intensity physical activity
- "Children also need to be active and should engage in at least 60 minutes of physical activity each day," Hazzard added. "Ac-

His work on earth,  
To give a hug or lend a helping hand.

He gave them words of comfort, encouragement and cheer

And tender hearts that care and understand.

God made loving people to show us day by day

How far the wonders of His love can go

And all the good they do to help make a better world

A little bit of heaven here below."

"God be with you till we meet again."

## Wheeler County COURT RECORDS

List of instruments filed in the Wheeler County Clerks office from December 21, 2010 - December 30, 2010.

**DECEMBER 21, 2010**  
FIFTEENTH SUPPLE. AMEND DT-Larchmont Resources LLC to TCW Asset Management Company, 12-6-10, See Instrument.

LEASE-David Croslin, et ux to Elk City Oklahoma Pipeline LP, 11-25-10, 1 ac NE/4 Sec 4, Camp County School Land.

ASSIGN. BS-Forest Oil Corporation to Enbridge Pipelines (Texas Gathering) LP, 11-2-10, See Instrument.

OL-Iris Juanita Mize to Samson Lone Star LLC, 6-21-10, SW/4 SE/4; W/2 W/2 SE/4 SE/4 Sec. 5, Blk. A-4, H&GN Ry. Company Survey.

ASSIGN.-Devon Energy Production Company LP to William A. Gruy, et al, 12-14-10, Sec. 9 and N/2 Sec. 18, Blk. R.E., Roberts & Eddleman Survey.

C/C ASSIGN. CONVEY. BS-William P. Harris, et ux to WM Assets LLC, 12-15-10, See Instrument.

ROL-Diamond M. Drilling and Exploration Company to Douglas K. Corse, et ux, 12-17-10, E/2; NW/4 Sec 4, BS&F Survey.

**DECEMBER 22, 2010**  
Holiday

**DECEMBER 23, 2010**  
Holiday

**DECEMBER 24, 2010**  
Holiday

**DECEMBER 27, 2010**  
CORR. RDT-Amarillo National Bank to Derin Chase, et ux, 12-8-10, Lots 13, 14, Blk. 76, WSSA, Shamrock.

ROY./MD-Mary Jo Mefford to Spindletop Exploration Company Inc., 12-3-10, See Instrument.

OL-Stephen Meadows to QEP Energy Company, 11-7-10, SE/4 Sec. 11, Blk. L, J. M. Lindsey Survey.

DT-Gallagher Construction, et al to Canadian Banking Center, 12-17-10, 4 acs. out of 27.39 acs. NW/4 Sec. 8, Blk. E, T&NO Ry. Company Survey.

C/C PROBATE-Emily Annette Barclay to Ex Parte, 12-15-10.

REL. UCC DT-First National Equipment Financing Inc. to Don Russell Killingsworth, - - -, NE/4 Sec. 34, Blk. 17, H&GN Ry. Company Survey.

RDT-Citizens Bank to Floyd Skipper, et ux, 12-16-10, Pt. NE/4 Sec. 62, Blk. 23, H&GN Ry. Company Survey.

AFF. EXT. OL-Samson Lone Star LLC to Lyndel Ray Laycock, et al, 12-21-10, See Instrument.

D-Jerome W. Johnson to Jerome W. Johnson Trust, 12-21-10, All my interest in Wheeler County.

DT-EV Properties LP to JPMorgan Chase Bank NA, 12-15-10, See Instrument.

OL-George M. Young to QEP Energy Company, 11-30-10, SE/4 Sec. 11, Blk. L, J. M. Lindsey Survey.

EXECUTRIX OL-William Kelly Young to QEP Energy Company, 11-30-10, SE/4 Sec. 11, Blk. L, J. M. Lindsey Survey.

OL-Annas Florene Seitz to Sanguine Gas Exploration LLC, 12-15-10, N/2; SW/4 Sec. 52, Blk. A-8, H&GN Ry. Company Survey.

OL-Anna T. Lusk to Sanguine Gas Exploration LLC, 12-15-10, N/2; SW/4 Sec. 52, Blk. A-8, H&GN Ry. Company Survey.

OL-Eveline Trimble to Sanguine Gas Exploration LLC, 12-9-10, Sec. 72, Blk. A-5, H&GN Ry. Company Survey.

OL-Brenda Thompson Duncan to Linn Energy Holdings LLC, 10-4-10, NW/4 Sec. 12, Blk. R.E., Roberts & Eddleman Survey.

OL-Connie Gonzalez to Linn Energy Holdings LLC, 10-4-10, NW/4 Sec. 12, Blk. R.E., Roberts & Eddleman Survey.

D-Jack D. Helton, et ux to Newfield Exploration Mid-

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# ALLISON NEWS

By Juanita Boydston

**PRAISE** ye the Lord. Praise ye the name of the Lord; praise him, O ye servants of the Lord. Ye that stand in the house of the Lord, in the courts of the house of our God. Praise the Lord; for the Lord is good; sing praises unto his name; for it is pleasant. For the Lord hath chosen Jacob unto himself, and

Israel for his peculiar treasure. For I know that the Lord is great, and that our Lord is above all gods. Whatsoever the Lord pleased, that did he in heaven, and in earth, in the seas, and all the deep places. Psalm 135:1-6

In the beginning was the Word, and the Word was with God, and the Word was God. The same was in the beginning with God. All things were made by him, and without him was not any thing made that was made. In him was life, and the life was the light of men. And the light shineth in dark-

ness and the darkness comprehended it not. There was a man sent from God, whose name was John. The same came for a witness, to bear witness of the Light, that all men through him might believe. He was not that Light but was sent to bear witness of that Light. That was the true Light, which lighteth every man that cometh into the world. He was in the world, and the world was made by him, and the world knew him not. He came unto his own, and his own received him not. But as many as received him to them gave he power to become the sons of God, even to them that believe on his name. John 1:1-12

**PRAISE** ye the Lord. Praise God in his sanctuary: praise him in the firmament of his power. Praise him for his mighty acts: praise him according to his excellent greatness. Praise him with the sound of the trumpet; praise him with the psaltery and harp. Praise him with the timbrel and dance; praise him with stringed instruments and organs. Praise him upon the loud cymbals; praise him upon the high sounding cymbals. Let every thing that hath breath praise the Lord. Praise ye the Lord. Psalm 150:1-6

Glen and Diane Rose of Canyon, Texas and daughters, Kelly and Sanvanah was with Alice Kelly over the Christmas weekend. Others that came by during that time were: Lewis and Elizabeth Meers and daughter, Ginger and Allen and Janice McCloy of Morse, Texas. They all had a great Christmas and lots of good ole visiting.

Louise Boydston, Sue Martin and Shirley Chadwick left on December 10th and went to Aubrey, Texas and stopped by Chris Chadwick's home for a few minutes, then on to Rockwell, Texas and spent the night with Mary and Willis Harrison. On Saturday they went to Montgomery, Texas and stayed at The Villas on the Lake.

On Friday night the 17th of December they attended the College Graduation at Sam Houston University in Huntsville, Texas where Jason Boydston graduated with a Business Bachelor Administration Degree, then celebrated at the Mexican Restaurant. Had a great time!! Also there were: Bennie and Debbie Boydston, Heather and Paisley Archer, Mike and LaQuinta Hulse from Weatherford, Texas, and Michael Hulse from Austin, Texas. We are very proud of Jason for his accomplishments.

On Saturday they all left the Condo and Louise, Shirley and Sue spent the night with Mike and LaQuinta Hulse at Weatherford, Texas. Also visited with Cory, Michelle, Conner and Allison Phillips from Aledo, Texas.

On Sunday, Louise, Shirley and Sue drove on to Amarillo, Texas and spent the night with Kim Thompson and family and on Monday they visited Sabrina Dupont in the BSA Hospital. Sabrina has a new baby girl born on December 16th. Sabrina name her Madeline Baylea. She weighed six pounds and thirteen ounces and is nineteen inches long. They are going to call her "Madie". Madie has lots of black hair, and Granny Great thinks she is beautiful, and others also.

Louise and girls returned home



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on Tuesday, tired but had a great together on January 1st.  
time. Had to get busy for her get (Continued Page 5)

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**IN APPRECIATION:** Brady Meadows (left) was presented a plaque by County Judge Jerry Hefley in appreciation for his having served as Wheeler County Justice of the Peace, Pct. 1 for the past 12 years. The plaque was from Judge Hefley and County Commissioners, Daryl Snelgrooves, Tom Puryear, Hubert Moore and John Walker.



**SHOPPING:** Dedra Dorman Morgan (left) and Dee Dee Dorman Waldo (right) operated a booth at the Wheeler Chamber of Commerce Christmas Open House December 4 and 5. They sold 31-Bags and Totes and Scentsy Candles. Robin Johnson looks through a catalogue, trying to make a selection.

# MOBEETIE NEWS

By Melba Corcoran

Bernice Hefley spent several days in the hospital. She was released New Year's Day. She is feeling better but still coughing. Glad she is home.

Doug Corse spent a few days in Wheeler Hospital. He was taken back Monday. Remember him in your prayers.

Bud, Carol and Charley Scribner were in a wreck Tuesday in Amarillo. They were on their way home from Ruth Beck's funeral. Charley was in the hospital with some broken bones.

Emily Swagart was taken to the hospital Monday.

Pauline Barnes and Joey Stone visited Wednesday with Dale and Melba Corcoran.

First Sunday night singing was held Sunday at the Community Church in Briscoe.

Next month will be held at Gageby.

Dale and Melba Corcoran visited at the Care Center Monday morning.

Rob and Geneva Hogan went home Sunday to Fort Stockton after spending a week with Louise Hogan.

Lynn Rector was injured the last of the week in Amarillo. He got caught in a post hole auger. He is in the hospital with broken bones. Remember him in your prayers. His injuries include both collarbones, both arms, and ribs.

Betty and Danny Rodgers are home after visiting in Indianapolis for Christmas.

Word was received that Claudia Quarles is real sick. The family is sitting with her. Remember her in your prayer.

Arica Lancaster went to the doctor in Oklahoma City this week for an Arthritis treatment.

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## Parkview Artery Your Eyesight

William Blake described the eyes as the "windows of the soul." Practically speaking, our eyes are the windows through which we view the world around us. Either way, there's no question that we place great value on our eyes and our vision. Surveys have shown that of the five senses, sight is the one that people fear losing the most. (Given the important function our eyes perform for us, it would seem to follow that we'd give them the best care possible, but sometimes we get too busy or we forget to do a few simple things that can keep our eyes healthy. Well, in this article, we hope to inform you on tasking better care of your eyes.

Read in good light. Dim light won't hurt your eyes but can tire them more quickly.

If it bothers your eyes to watch television in a dark room, keep a light on.

If you have glasses or contacts, use them. You won't have to strain so hard to see.

Eyestrain, such as from reading or sewing, doesn't really injure the eyes, but it makes them tired. To be exact, it isn't really even the eyes that get tired or strained but the muscles around the eyes. (The best cure for eyestrain is to give your eye muscles a rest. Take a break from what you're doing. Close your eyes and give them nothing to look at for a while, or stare off into the distance for a moment. Also, having sufficient light to read or work by helps prevent eyestrain in the first place. An adjustable gooseneck lamp lets you concentrate light where you most need it and not where it will irritate your eyes. Remember, the finer the task, the more light require.

Eyestrain Myths  
Since childhood, most of us have heard the old warnings about not reading in dim light. Or watching television in a dark room. Or sitting too close to the television. Or reading without our glasses. All of these actions, we've been told, are supposed to hurt our eyesight. Not so, say eye specialists. Sure, these activities may make your eyes tired, but they can do your eyes no actual damage.

So, get a checkup every two to four years between the ages of 40 and 65 and every one or two years after age 65. If you have diabetes or a family history of conditions such as glaucoma or macular degeneration, get a checkup once a year.

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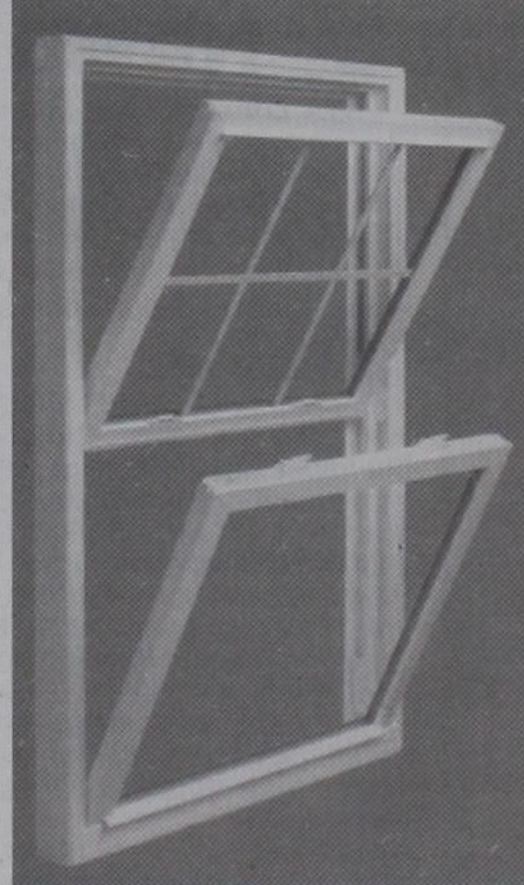
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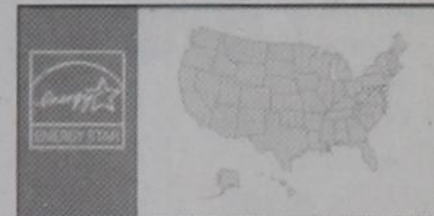


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held on Tuesday, January 11, 2011, at 6:30 p.m. at Wheeler City Hall, Wheeler, Texas. All minority citizens in Childress, Collingsworth, Donley, Gray, Hall, and Wheeler Counties are invited to attend this meeting. Information regarding this election may be obtained from Rebecca Rusk at PRPC, (806) 372-3381. 1/6

Application of Golden Spread Electric Cooperative, Inc. to Amend a Certificate of Convenience and Necessity for a Proposed Transmission Line Within Wheeler County

### PUBLIC UTILITY COMMISSION OF TEXAS (PUC) DOCKET NO. 38943

This notice is provided to you notifying you of the intent of Golden Spread Electric Cooperative, Inc., (Golden Spread) to amend its Certificate of Convenience and Necessity (CCN) for a new 115 kV transmission line to be located in Wheeler County, Texas. The project includes the construction of a new substation north of

Wheeler approximately one (1) mile east of U.S. Highway 83. The estimated cost of the project is \$7,000,000.

Persons with questions about the transmission line may contact Randy Allison at (806) 379-7766. Persons who wish to intervene in the docket or comment on the applicant's application should mail the original and 10 copies of their requests to intervene or their comments to:

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Central Records  
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1701 N. Congress Avenue  
P.O. Box 13326  
Austin, Texas 78711-3326

Persons who wish to intervene in the docket must also mail a copy of their request for intervention to all parties in the docket and all persons that have pending motions to intervene, at or before the time the request for intervention is mailed to the PUC.

The deadline for intervention in the docket is January 24, 2011, and the PUC should receive a letter from anyone requesting intervention by that date.

The PUC has a brochure titled "Landowners and Transmission Line Cases at the PUC." Copies of the brochure are available from Golden Spread Electric Cooperative, Inc. at (806) 379-7766 or may be downloaded from the PUC's website at [www.puc.state.tx.us](http://www.puc.state.tx.us). To obtain additional information about this docket, you may contact the PUC's Customer Assistance Hotline at (512) 936-7120 or (888) 782-8477. Hearing and speech-impaired individuals with text telephones (TTY) may contact the PUC's Customer Assistance Hotline at (512) 936-7136 or toll free at (800) 735-2989. In addition to the intervention deadline, other important deadlines may already exist that affect your participation in this docket. You should review the orders and other filings already made in the docket.

A map showing the location of the proposed facilities may be reviewed at Greenbelt Electric Cooperative's Wellington, TX office and additional copies of the map may be obtained by contacting Randy Allison at (806) 379-7766.

Line Route Description  
**Howard-Ft. Elliott 115 kV**

### Transmission Line

The line exists Southwestern Public Service's Howard Substation, which is inside the Wheeler, Texas city limits, at a point to be determined and extends south approximately 250 feet to the north side of the section line between sections 51 and 60 of the H.&G.N. RR. Co. Survey, Block A8. The line continues east approximately three-eighths (3/8) of a mile to U.S. Highway 83. The line continues east on the north side of County Road M for approximately one-third (1/3) mile; then crosses to the south side of County Road M, leaving the Wheeler, Texas city limits, and continues for approximately two-thirds (2/3) mile to County Road 16. The line continues east on the south side of County Road M another three-fourths (3/4) mile where it crosses to the north side of County Road M continuing east approximately one-fourth (1/4) mile to the east side of County road 17. The line turns north on the eastside of County Road 17 approximately three (3) miles to County road J. At County road J, the line crosses to the west side of County Road 17 and continues north approximately two (2) miles, crossing Sweetwater Creek and proceeding to the north side of County road H. The line turns west along the north side of the section line between Sections 37 and 44 of the H. & G.N. RR. Co. Survey, Block A4, for approximately one (1) mile. The line turns north along the eastside of the section line between Sections 44 and 45 of the H. & G.N. RR. Co. Survey, Block A4, for approximately one (1) mile. The line turns west along the north side of the section line between Sections 45 and 56 of the H. & G.N. RR. Co. Survey, Block A-4, for approximately one (1) mile, crossing Jenkins Jones Creek before crossing to the south side of the section line between Sections 46 and 55 of the H. & G.N. RR. Co. Survey, Block A4. The line continues west for approximately one (1) mile before turning north and proceeding along the west side of the section line between Sections 54 and 55 of the H. & G.N. RR. Co. Survey, Block A4, for approximately three-fourths (3/4) mile. At this point the line turns east to the line terminal in the proposed Ft. Elliott Substation. 1/6c

### Oil & Gas NEWS

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

**Week Ending December 30, 2010**

**Intentions to Drill**  
HEMPHILL - (BUFFALO WALLOW Granite Wash) Cimarex Energy Co., #3017 George, 660' from South & 2100' from West line, Sec. 17, M-1, H&GN, PD 13500'. Recompletion

HEMPHILL (BUFFALO WALLOW Granite Wash) Forest Oil Corp., #508H George, 300' from South & 1060' from East line, Sec. 8, M-1, H&GN, PD 17500' (BHL: 350' from North & 1060' from East Sec. line) Horizontal

HEMPHILL (BUFFALO WALLOW Granite Wash) Samson Lone Star LLC, #8H Vise, 225' from North & 1120' from East line, Sec. 29, M-1, H&GN, PD 13500' (BHL: 467' from South & 1120' from East Sec. line) Horizontal

HEMPHILL (MATHERS RANCH Granite Wash) Devon Production Co. LP, PD 14900', for the following Horizontal wells:

#1 Mathers Ranch '157', 200' from North & 830' from East line, Sec. 157, 41, H&TC, (BHL: 375' from South & 660' from East Sec. line)

#1H Mathers Ranch '158', 200' from North & 1750' from West line, Sec. 158, 41, H&TC, (BHL: 375' from South & 1980' from West Sec. line)

HEMPHILL (WILDCAT & ALLISON-PARKS Granite Wash) Chesapeake Operating Inc., #3H Young '2', 200' from South & 550' from West line, Sec. 2, M-1, H&GN, PD 14000' (BHL: 350' from North & 550' from West Sec. line) Horizontal

ROBERTS (QUINDUNO Lower Albany Dolomite) Exxcel Production Co., Beulah Edge, Sec. 167, M-2, BS&F, for the following recompletion wells:

#3, 1650' from North & 2310' from West line of Sec., PD 4115'

#5, 2310' from South & West line of Sec., PD 4140'

#7, 990' from South & West line of Sec., PD 4152'

#8, 2310' from South & 990' from West line of Sec., PD 4141'

ROBERTS (QUINDUNO Lower Albany Dolomite) Exxcel Production Co., Beulah Edge 'B', Sec. 167, M-2, BS&F for the following recompletion wells:

#1, 330' from North & 2310' from West line of Sec., PD 4140'

#2, 330' from North & 990' from West line of Sec., PD 4078'

ROBERTS (QUINDUNO Lower Albany Dolomite) Exxcel Production Co., Beulah Edge 'B', Sec. 59, A-7, H&GN, PD 13000' (BHL: 467' from North & 1900' from West Sec. line) Horizontal

WHEELER (STILES RANCH Granite Wash Cons.) Apache Corp., #7059 Brown, 230' from South & 2597' from West line, Sec. 59, A-7, H&GN, PD 13000' (BHL: 467' from North & 1900' from West Sec. line) Horizontal

WHEELER (STILES RANCH Granite Wash Cons.) Chesapeake Operating Inc., #6H Brummett '22', 200' from South & 1100' from East line, Sec. 22, A-3, H&GN, PD 18000' (BHL: 350' from North & 1100' from East Sec. line) Horizontal

WHEELER (BUFFALO WALLOW Granite Wash) Devon Energy Production Co. LP, #4H Brown '8', 230' from North & 2640' from West line, Sec. 8, —, CCLL, PD 15580' (BHL: 375' from South & 2640' from West line, Sec. 2, 8, CCLL) Horizontal

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### Crossword Puzzle



**Oil**

(from Page 4)  
**WHEELER (STILES RANCH Granite Wash Cons.)** Forest Oil Corp., #4011H Hill, 450' from North & 220' from East line, Sec. 10, A-3, H&GN, PD 18500' (BHL: 350' from North & 1000' from East Sec. line) Horizontal  
**WHEELER (STILES RANCH Granite Wash Cons.)** Newfield Exploration Mid-Con. Inc., for the following Horizontal wells:  
 #13H Britt Ranch 'G' 44P, 2000' from South & 2650' from West line, Sec. 44, A-3, H&GN, PD 13600' (BHL: 300' from North & 2650' from West Sec. line)  
 #11H Huff Ranch '48', 200' from South & 2410' from West line, Sec. 48, A-3, H&GN, PD 13400' (BHL: 300' from North & 2650' from West Sec. line)  
**WHEELER (WILDCAT & STILES RANCH Granite Wash Cons.)** Apache Corp., #3H Tyler '55', 170' from South & 317' from East line, Sec. 62, A-7, H&GN, PD 14000' (BHL: 900' from South & 467' from East line of Sec. 55, A-7, H&GN) Horizontal - (Surface location is off lease)  
**WHEELER (N.E. WHEELER Granite Wash) Forest Oil Corp.**, for the following Horizontal wells:  
 #4045H Blasdel, 500' from South & 550' from West line, Sec. 56, A-4, H&GN, PD 17500' (BHL: 300' from South & 550' from West Sec. line)  
 #5009H Luther Willis, 300' from South & 1650' from East line, Sec. 9, 2, CCSL, PD 18000' (BHL: 300' from North & 1650' from East Sec. line)  
**Oil Well Completions**  
**HEMPHILL (MATHERS Cleveland) Devon Energy Production Co. LP**, #1167 Wildlife, Sec. 167, 41, H&TC, spud 7-5-10, drlg. compl 11-17-10, tested 12-3-10, flowed 21 bbl. of 51.9 grav. oil + 9 bbls. water thru 32/64" choke on 24 hour test, GOR 1238/1, TD 11950', PBTD 9830'  
**ROBERTS (N.W. MENDOTA Lower Douglas) BP America Production Co.**, #2U Flowers Trust 'A', Sec. 82, B-1, H&GN, spud 4-6-10, drlg. comp 7-9-10, tested 7-13-10, flowed 4 bbl. of 45 grav. oil + no water thru 1/125" choke on 24 hour test, GOR 8000, TVD 9536', MD 10850' - Dual Completion - Horizontal  
**WHEELER (MILLS RANCH Granite Wash Cons.) Apache Corp.**, #103 Mills '3', Sec. 3, A-7,

H&GN, spud 6-27-10, drlg. compl 8-6-10, tested 11-26-10, jetted - bbls. oil + 72 bbls. water on 24 hour test, TVD 11897', MD 13192' - Horizontal  
**Gas Well Completions**  
**HEMPHILL (ALLISON-PARKS Granite Wash) Chesapeake Operating Inc.**, #4017H Donaldson-Allison, Sec. 17, A-1, J. Poitevent, spud 7-28-10, drlg. compl 8-20-10, tested 12-7-10, potential 3404 MCF, TVD 11900', MD 16470' - Horizontal  
**HEMPHILL (BUFFALO WALLOW Granite Wash) Chesapeake Operating Inc.**, #3H George '11', Sec. 11, M-1, H&GN, spud 6-22-10, drlg. compl 8-18-10, tested 10-29-10, potential 9620 MCF, TVD 11457', MD 16031' - Horizontal  
**HEMPHILL (S.W. CANADIAN Granite Wash) Mewbourne Oil Co.**, #1993H John Isaacs Jr., et al, Sec. 199, C, G&MMB&A, spud 8-28-10, drlg. compl 10-9-10, tested 11-14-10, TVD 10002', MD 12739' - Horizontal  
**HEMPHILL (HEMPHILL Granite Wash) BP America Production Co.**, #6-L Etheridge Gas Unit, Sec. 27, 1, I&GN, spud 5-25-10, drlg. compl 7-22-10, tested 7-27-10, TVD 10896', MD 11250' - Horizontal  
**HEMPHILL (HEMPHILL Granite Wash) Mewbourne Oil Co.**, #42H, J.T. Brown, et al 'B', Sec. 4, -, GH&H, spud 8-28-10, drlg. compl 9-30-10, tested 11-16-10, TVD 10324', MD 13806' - Horizontal  
**HEMPHILL (HEMPHILL Granite Wash) Mewbourne Oil Co.**, #2238H J. T. Brown, et al 'D', Sec. 233, C, G&MMB&A, spud 10-6-10, drlg. compl 10-24-10, tested 11-25-10, TVD 10292', MD 11680' - Horizontal  
**HEMPHILL (N.W. MENDOTA Granite Wash) Unit Petroleum Co.**, #A-1H Temple, Sec. 2, -, D&SE, spud 5-17-10, drlg. comple 7-2-10, tested 11-22-10, potential 598 MCF, TVD 9986', MD 12577' - Horizontal  
**ROBERTS (LARD RANCH Granite Wash 'C') Chesapeake Operating, Inc.**, #301H Lard Ranch, Sec. 1, - BBB&C, spud 9-19-10, drlg. compl 10-11-10,

tested 12-7-10, potential 1531 MCF, TVD 8605', MD 13439' - Horizontal  
**ROBERTS (LIPS Lower Morrow) Cimarex Energy Co.**, #6 Killebrew-'218', Sec. 218, 42, H&TC, potential 5706 MCF, TVD 9710', MD 10000' - Horizontal  
**ROBERTS (N.W. MENDOTA Granite Wash) BP America Production Co.**, #2-L Flowers Trust 'A', Sec. 82, B-1, H&GN, spud 4-6-10, drlg. comp 7-9-10, tested 7-13-10, TVD 9536', MD 10850' - Horizontal  
**WHEELER (B&B Granite Wash) Chesapeake Operating Inc.**, #1-1H(?) West, T. James Survey, A-?, 399, spud 8-26-10, drlg. compl 9-21-10, tested 12-6-10, potential 47060 MCF, TVD 12123', MD 17199' - Horizontal  
**WHEELER (FRYE RANCH Consolidated) Linn Operating Inc.**, #2H Stein '1', Sec. 49, A-3, H&GN, spud 9-15-10, drlg. compl 10-21-10, tested 11-30-10, potential 22926 MCF, TVD 12220', MD 17209' - Horizontal

**WHEELER (IVESTER Atoka) Apache Corp.**, #2058 Keith, Sec. 58, A-7, H&GN, spud 10-19-10, drlg. compl 11-5-10, tested 11-16-10, potential 2657 MCF, TVD 12208', MD 16697' - Horizontal  
**WHEELER (STILES RANCH Granite Wash Cons.) Pogo Production Co. LLC**, spud 6-22-10, drlg. compl 8-16-10, tested 11-9-10, potential 8392 MCF, TVD 14261', MD 18525' - Horizontal  
**WHEELER (STILES RANCH Granite Wash Cons.) Forest Oil Corp.**, #2010H Frye Ranch, Sec. 11, A-3, H&GN, spud 6-19-10, drlg. compl 8-18-10, tested 8-23-10, potential 12291 MCF, TVD 11234', MD 16125' - Horizontal  
**WHEELER (STILES RANCH Granite Wash Cons.) Forest Oil Corp.**, #3029H Frye Ranch, Sec. 12, A-3, H&GN, spud 6-16-10, drlg. compl 10-26-10, tested 10-30-10, potential 5309 MCF, TVD 12063', MD 16993' - Horizontal



**PRESENTATION:** Delores Mosser, Tai Kreidler and Bob McCain were at the Wheeler Post Office when the Texas Plains Trail Region Cancellation stamp was introduced in Wheeler on Wednesday, December 22, 2010. Delores explains what TPRC does in each of the counties and how they are represented. The regional director travels to each of the counties major events promoting all 52 counties. Tai is with Texas Tech Southwest Collection.

**ALLISON** (from Page 3)

Kevin Fleming and his friend, Donald Welsie and son from Lufkin, Texas had been hunting deer for a few days and stayed in Louise's home so when she arrived home she had to clean up after them. No fun.  
 Juanita Boydston enjoys making homemade Christmas candy so she made some divinity for Larry Brown as he requested as his favorite. Also she made marshmallow fudge for Merlyn Brown as this was his favorite. Opal and Juanita Boydston visited Roma and Billy June Brown in the Wheeler Nursing Home and Rehab.  
 Opal and Juanita Boydston traveled to Binger, Oklahoma to be with Robbie and SaRita, Kelton and Kendi Shay and Callie Rose for Christmas Day. They went there on Friday, Christmas Eve and stayed the night with them and ready for the excitement of Christmas Day. SaRita, Kendi and Nita Kay stayed up late on Friday night making homemade candy for the next day. They made bon bons and peanut butter balls and peanut patties and pretzels dipped in white chocolate. Was so enjoyable to make candy with SaRita, brought back memories for sure. Robbie is quite the chef, he cooked a very delicious meal

for Christmas Day altho he had to have the help of his mother to make th dressing!! We had a wonderful time and a feast for Christmas meal for sure. Glenn and Betty Boydston came over for Christmas Day and Glenn brought some ole family movies and we just had a great time of remembering the younger years. Of course our day was started with unwrapping the gifts, the children young and old couldn't wait. Ha!! So we had a full day of visiting and seeing what each other received for Christmas. Was great to see the little ones so full of excitement and joy. They are so very sweet. Thanks for inviting us SaRita and having such a enjoyable time.  
 Opal and Juanita Boydston left for home early Sunday morning and it was eleven degrees when we left and our car heater did not ever come on. BRRRRRR!! Talk about frozen when we made it to church which we did just in time for services to start.  
 Monday night, Opal and Juanita visited Louise Boydston in night and shared some homemade candy with her. She shared some with Eddy and Sheila Walker.  
**HAPPY NEW YEAR EVERY ONE!!!**  
 My mother, Opal Boydston took sick on New Year's Eve so I covet your prayers for her. She is doing  
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**RRC Production Stats & Allowables**

The Texas average rig count as of Dec. 17 was 745, representing about 45 percent of all active land rigs in the United States. In the last 12 months, total Texas reported production was 352 million barrels of oil and 7.3 trillion cubic feet of natural gas. Texas natural gas production represents approximately 29 percent of total U.S. natural gas demand.  
 The Commission's estimated final production for October 2010 is 29,696,333 barrels of crude oil and 535,892,746 Mcf (thousand cubic feet) of gas well gas.  
 The Commission derives final production numbers by multiplying the preliminary October 2010 production totals of 28,161,530 barrels of crude oil and 493,137,707 Mcf of gas well gas by a production adjustment factor of 1.0545 for crude oil and 1.0867 for gas well gas. (These production totals do not include casinghead gas or condensate.)  
 Texas natural gas storage reported to the Commission for November 2010 was 477,093,887 Mcf compared to 474,188,896 Mcf in November 2009. The December 2010 gas storage estimate is 447,190,722 Mcf.  
 The Texas Railroad Commission's Oil and Gas Division set initial January 2011 natural gas production allowables for prorated fields in the state to meet market demand of 13,532,773 Mcf (thousand cubic feet).  
 In setting the initial January 2011 allowables, the Commission used historical production figures from previous months, producers' demand forecasts for the coming month, and adjusted the figures based on well capability. These initial allowables will be adjusted after actual production for January 2011 is reported.

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**Court** (from Page 2)

Continent Inc., 12-21-10, S/2 NW/4 SW/4 Sec. 17, Blk. A-4, H&GN Ry. Company Survey.  
 PARTIAL RDT-Wheeler Banking Center to Jack D. Helton, et ux, 12-2-10, S/2 NW/4 SW/4 Sec. 17, Blk. A-4, H&GN Ry. Company Survey.  
 RDT-Citizens Bank to 5-C Cattle, et al, 12-16-10, See Instrument.  
 STATEMENT OWNERSHIP-State of Texas Department of Housing and Community Affairs to Stacy McCasland, et ux, 12-14-10, Pt. Blks. G-1 and G-2, Prairie Lawn Add., Wheeler.  
 SHERIFF'S DEED-City of Shamrock, et al to Doyal Glazner, 12-7-10, Lots 1-7, 12-24, Blk. XXXVII, Shamrock.  
 OL-Cotton Family Living Trust to Bob J. Weatherly, 12-3-10, W/2 Sec. 25, Blk. A-4, H&GN Ry. Company Survey.  
 OL-W. F. Pennebaker to Sanguine Gas Exploration LLC, 12-9-10, S/2 Sec. 2, Blk. A-2, H&GN Ry. Company Survey.  
 OL-W. F. Pennebaker to Sanguine Gas Exploration LLC, 12-9-10, E/2 Sec. 88, Blk. A-5, H&GN Ry. Company Survey.  
 OL-W. F. Pennebaker to Sanguine Gas Exploration LLC, 12-9-10, Sec. 93, Blk. A-5, H&GN Ry. Company Survey.  
 OL-W. F. Pennebaker to Sanguine Gas Exploration LLC, 12-9-10, Sec. 94, Blk. A-5, H&GN Ry. Company Survey.  
 OL-Tommy Lynn Weaver, et ux to Sanguine Gas Exploration LLC, 12-10-10, Pt. SE/4 Sec. 52, Blk. A-8, H&GN Ry. Company Survey.  
 OL-Virginia D. Rogers to Sanguine Gas Exploration LLC, 12-10-10, Pt. SE/4 Sec. 52, Blk. A-8, H&GN Ry. Company Survey.  
 OL-Lola Faye Rogers to Sanguine Gas Exploration LLC, 12-10-10, Pt. SE/4 Sec. 52, Blk. A-8, H&GN Ry. Company Survey.  
 OL-Linda Irene Rogers Hink to Sanguine Gas Exploration LLC, 12-10-10, Pt. SE/4 Sec. 52, Blk. A-8, H&GN Ry. Company Survey.  
 OL-Gilman Frankin Rogers to Sanguine Gas Exploration LLC, 12-10-10, Pt. SE/4 Sec. 52, Blk. A-8, H&GN Ry. Company Survey.  
 OL-Cecil G. Pierce, et ux to Sanguine Gas Exploration LLC, 12-10-10, N/2; SW/4 Sec. 52, Blk. A-8, H&GN Ry. Company Survey.  
 OL-Bobby L. Wills, et ux to Sanguine Gas Exploration LLC, 12-15-10, 10 acs. SE/4 Sec. 52, Blk. A-8, H&GN Ry. Company Survey.  
 FIRST AMEND. OL-Painted River Family LP, et al to Pogo Producing Company LLC, 11-1-10, See Instrument.  
 OL-Breanna Valencia to Mobeetie Resource Development LLC, 12-7-10, Pt. 58.433 acs. NE/4 Sec. 44, Blk. A-5, H&GN Ry. Company Survey.  
 AFF-k-Alton Lohberger to Clara Suzanne Lohberger, 11-22-10, Pt. NW/4 Sec. 44, Blk. A-5, H&GN Ry. Company Survey.  
 AFF-Alton Lohberger to Susie Sims Lohberger, 11-22-10, 112.865 acs. NW/4 Sec. 44, Blk. A-5, H&GN Ry. Company Survey.  
 AFF-Suzanne Lohberger to Susie Sims Lohberger, 11-11-10, 112.865 acs. NW/4 Sec. 44, Blk. A-5, H&GN Ry. Company Survey.

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Britt Land & Cattle Company, et al to Mobeetie Resource Development LLC, 11-15-10, S/2 NW/4 Sec. 57, Blk. A-5, H&GN Ry. Company Survey.  
 ROW-Coltharp Family Revocable Trust to Eagle Rock Field Services LP, 12-2-10, Pt. 303.9 acs. W/2 Sec. 51, Blk. A-7, H&GN Ry. Company Survey.  
 ROW-Nancy Davis, et vir to Eagle Rock Field Services LP, 11-18-10, Pt. SW/4 Sec. 61, Blk. A-7, H&GN Ry. Company Survey.  
 ROW-Coltharp Family Revocable Trust to Eagle Rock Field Services LP, 12-2-10, Pt. 303.9 acs. W/2 Sec. 51, Blk. A-7, H&GN Ry. Company Survey.  
 UCC AMEND. DT-Earlsboro Energies Corporation to Arvest Bank, - - -, See Instrument.  
 MD-Black Family Trust to Leota L. Black Children's Trust 2010, 12-7-10, E/2 Sec. 1, Blk. 4, Brooks & Burleson Survey.  
 HOMESTEAD DESIGN-Michael Joe Hobbs, et ux to The Public, 12-21-10, 2.4 acs. SE/4 Sec. 57, Blk. 17, H&GN Ry. Company Survey.  
 DT-Michael Joe Hobbs, et ux to Citizens Bank, 12-21-10, 18 acs. SE/4 Sec. 57, Blk. 17, H&GN Ry. Company Survey.  
 MD-Gary Appenfelder to Enerlex Inc., 10-25-10, W/2 Sec. 47 and NE/4 Sec. 49, Blk. 24, H&GN Ry. Company Survey.  
 DVL-Dana Zaiontz to Roger B. Dougherty Sr., et ux, 12-20-10, N/2 Lot 11 and S/2; S 2' N/2 Lot 12, Blk. 81, WSSA, Shamrock.  
 DT-Roger B. Dougherty Sr., et ux to National Bank of Commerce, 12-20-10, N/2 Lot 11 and S/2; S 2' N/2 Lot 12, Blk. 81, WSSA, Shamrock.  
 ROW-Nelda Dukes to Enbridge Pipelines (Texas Gathering) LP, 12-13-10, Pt. SW/4 Sec. 8, Blk. R.E., Roberts & Eddleman Survey.  
 ROW-Bob R. Zybach, et ux to Enbridge Pipelines (Texas Gathering) LP, 12-13-10, Pt. N/2 Sec. 19, Blk. R.E., Roberts & Eddleman Survey.  
 ROW-Clint Frye Huff, et al to Enbridge Pipelines (Texas Gathering) LP, 12-2-10, Pts. Sec. 49, Blk. A-3, H&GN Ry. Company Survey.  
 ROW-Boyd Huff to Enbridge Pipelines (Texas Gathering) LP, 12-2-10, Pt. NW/4 Sec. 48, Blk. A-3, H&GN Ry. Company Survey.  
 ROW-Rhonda Lynn Gallaheer, et al to Enbridge Pipelines (Texas Gathering) LP, 12-2-10, Pt. N/2 Sec. 31, Blk. A-3, H&GN Ry. Company Survey.  
 ROW-Black Family Trust to Enbridge Pipelines (Texas Gathering) LP, 12-7-10, Pt. S/2 Sec. 31, Blk. A-3, H&GN Ry. Company Survey.  
**DECEMBER 28, 2010**  
 POA-Don Alexander to Eric Russ Alexander, 12-28-10.  
 SHERIFF'S D-City of Mobeetie, et al to County of Wheeler, et al, 12-7-10, Lot 4, Blk. 110, Mobeetie.  
 SHERIFF'S D-Shamrock Independent School District, et al to County of Wheeler, et al, 12-7-10, E 100' Lot 3, Blk. 11, Bowers Add., Shamrock.

**DECEMBER 30, 2010**

STIPULATION CONVEY.-Aikman Oil Corp., et al to Amoco Production Company, et al, 12-16-10, Sec. 8, Blk. R.E., Roberts & Eddleman Survey.  
 MODIFICATION EXT. DT-Wheeler Hospitality Inc. to Citizens Bank, 12-27-10, 150' x 300' S/2 SE/4; 150' x 25' S/2 SE/4 Sec. 60, Blk. A-8, H&GN Ry. Company Survey.  
 MD-Karen Denise Dodson to Lisa Reneau Neuman, 12-22-10, S/2 SW/4 Sec. 8, Blk. E, T M Kell Survey.  
**DECEMBER 29, 2010**  
 UNIT DESIGN.-Newfield Exploration Mid-Continent Inc. to Thomas M. Britt, et al, 11-15-10, See Instrument.  
 UNIT DESIGN.-Newfield Exploration Mid-Continent Inc. to Thomas M. Britt, et al, 12-7-10, See Instrument.  
 OL-Suzanne Davis LP to Samson Lone Star LLC, 9-10-10, 149.91 acs. SE/4 Sec. 81, Blk. A-5, H&GN Ry. Company Survey.  
 D-Wesley Scott Murray to Charlotte Gross, 12-7-10, SW/4 Sec. 39, Blk. A-4, H&GN Ry. Company Survey.  
 RDT-United States of America to J. S. Ryan, et ux, 12-20-10, See Instrument.  
 C/C PROBATE-Billy Mac Sims to Ex Parte, 12-27-10, Sec. 51, Blk. 23, H&GN Ry. Company Survey.  
 C/C EXCHANGE D-Lennie Lou Coleman Sims, et al to Billy Mac Sims (Estate), et al, 12-28-10, Sec. 51, Blk. 23, H&GN Ry. Company Survey.  
 C/C PROBATE-Billy Mac Sims to Ex Parte, 12-27-10, Sec. 51, Blk. 23, H&GN Ry. Company Survey.  
 D-David Gilmer, et ux to Gregory M. Gibson, et ux, 12-29-10, Lots 7-10, Blk. 12, Briscoe.  
 SHERIFF'S D-City of Mobeetie, et al to Greg Gibson, 12-7-10, Lot 16, Blk. 118, New Mobeetie Company Survey.

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**Chat**

(from Page 1)

Thursday evening and returned home Sunday.

— cwe —

Thanks, County Star News for the pictures of the 'swearing in' Saturday.

— cwe —

Thanks to Rhonda Meriwether for the pictures in connection to the cancellation stamp.

— cwe —

Cards were not played Monday evening. Not a good start for the new year.

— cwe —

**Storm**

(from Page 1)

Maxey's. She was so happy to see me. I told her I can't go to school on Monday 'cause I have to go to a 'pointment in the city. She will be a little sad, but it's ok. I will see her and all the kids on Tuesday.

"Big Jimmy" (Adams) is so silly. He thinks Santa Clause will come to my house on the way back to the North Pole and leave me more presents! My mom says she thinks he will leave lots of presents for me at "Big Jimmy's" house. My

dad thinks they are both funny.

One day we went to the city to get my Uncle Glenn. We have to get his blood to see if it's the same like my dad. We went to the blood taking place. They have to stick a needle in my dad and Glenn. They suck the blood out and put the blood in the little bottles. We have to take the blood to the airport or something to send it very far to the cancer doctors. If Glenn is the same as my dad he will give my dad his blood to kill the cancer in my dad. I think Glenn can make some more blood in his body.

I been thinking 'bout this. God

made the sun and the moon. If we didn't have the moon it would just be plain dark all night all the time. That wouldn't be any fun. I am so happy God made the sun and the moon for us. I like the light in the day so I can play outside. I like the light at the night 'cause it is so beautiful. Sometimes it is very dark at the night 'cause the sun and moon are both on China or something. When it is very dark in the night the earth turns over and WahLah! The sun is back! God is pretty smart about that! That's it.



**Allison**

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quite a bit better now, but still needs our prayers. Her head cold got down in her bronical tubes and made it scary for sure. But God is good and is our physcian and has touched her. Praise be to Jesus!!

God Bless and Keep ya'll till next time!!

**Crossword Solution**

USA	SPARES
LOB	IODIDE
TRY	GROCCER
RESENT	EENE
ASSN	SO
DG	ABUT
SUM	ESKIMO
CRAFTY	NBW
ASTRAL	GEE
TAHITI	ERR



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