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WHEELER'S THIRTEENTH ANNUAL

4th of July Celebration Is July 3

CWE CHAT WITH EDITOR
 By Louis C. Stas

Wheeler County Heritage Day will be observed Saturday at Mobeetie. Plan to make a day of this event. Educational activities are planned for both young and old. This event represents a lot of work on the part of a lot of individuals.

The following week, Wheeler will be having their annual 4th of July Celebration. The day starts with breakfast and ends at 1:00 A.M. Sunday when the music ends for the last dance.

Money is needed! Where have you heard that before? The Chamber of Commerce will once again end the activities at the park with the **Free Fireworks Show** at dusk. This is (Continued Page 2)

Larry & Bobby Jennings Honored on 40th Anniv.

Rhonda and Dwayne Myers and Mona and Johnny Freeman honored their parents, Larry and Bobby Jennings, with a surprise 40th Anniversary Lawn Party at the Jennings home at 1000 Gilmer Road on June 14th at 7:00 P.M.

The party consisted of a chuck wagon feast of Bar-B-Q ribs, sausage, potato salad, sour dough biscuits and dutch oven desserts. Those attending the outing were Cecil and Nancy Pierce, Rita Smith, Katie Christie, Richard and Anita Brown, Mike and Jenny Smith, Jim and Sharon Wright, Terry and Sherry McCasland, James, Belinda and Kyle Masters, Jerry and Barbara Koelzer, Harrison Hall, Cecil and Kathy Thomas, Glyndol and Kathi Holland, Clay and Donna Waiser, Gail and Sally Ledbetter, Louis and Barbara Stas, Adrian Risner, W. L. Jolly, Bill and Dorothy Ellis, N. D. and Roberta Ware, Larry Schoenhals, Vince Koelzer, Jeanine Hawkins, Anita and Chace Horton, and David Wright, all of Wheeler; Mark, Topsy and Tandy Wright of Shamrock, Leon and Bonita Myers, Rhonda, Dwayne, Dani and Codi Myers of Samnorwood, Johnny, Mona, Skylar and Payton, Amanda and Justin Freeman, Joe and JemAnn, Katelyn, Jaden and Hadley Freeman, Matt and Lee Erin Freeman and Doris Freeman of White Deer.



Larry and Bobby Jennings

New Arrival



Madison Montana McCasland
 Monty McCasland is proud to announce his little sister Madison Montana McCasland. She was born on May 10, 1999. She weighed 7 lbs. 11 3/4 oz. and was 18 1/2 inches. Her parents are Lee and Amy McCasland of Wheeler. Grandparents are James and Zeda Hooten of Shamrock, Kenneth McCasland of Wheeler, and Glenda McCasland of Wheeler. Great-grandparents are George and Willie Hooten of Shamrock, Lula Buice of Wheeler, and Ruby Foote of Pampa.

The Thirteenth Annual 4th of July Celebration will be held this year under the sponsorship of the Wheeler Chamber of Commerce. The activities start early with breakfast and end with the street dance downtown until 1:00 A.M.

Park activities begin at 10:00 A.M. and continue to dusk with the free fireworks display. The fun Run/Walk and Punt, Pass & Kick will be at the courthouse square and on the track respectively before 10:00 A.M.

Saturday morning will open with breakfast at the St. Mary's Catholic Church at 801 S. Canadian, St., beginning at 6:30 A.M. You do not have to get up that early. Serving will continue for some time. This breakfast is a must in your day of activities.

The Fun run will be under the supervision of Robert and Marla Ford. Starting time will be at 8:00 A.M. Individuals who signed up for the fun run early were charged a \$5.00 entry fee; those participating without pre-registering will have a \$6.00 fee. Each individual participating will receive a t-shirt; those registering on the day of the race may have to wait for their t-shirt.

It is not necessary to run; many just walk and enjoy the fellowship of fellow participants. The starting point for the run will be the west side of the courthouse square to avoid the crossing of highway 152. Male and female participants will be divided into four groups: 12 and under, 13-17, 18-39 and 40 and over. Ribbons will be presented.

Punt, Pass and Kick will be at 8:30 A.M. at the track. Larry Jones has

been asked to chair this activity. The event will be at the track, north of Highway 83. This event is open to any youngster wishing to participate. The group will be divided by ages. Ribbons will be presented to winner at the track.

At 10:00 A.M. the activities at the park will begin. Once again this year the chamber is offering a \$50 prize to the group with the most patriotic booth; judging of the decorations will be conducted by an appointed committee.

The park activities will kick-off with the raising of the flag and the singing of the National Anthem. Scheduled for the day will be the turtle races, balloon toss, swim meet and many other activities.

New this year will be a bouncing room for the youngsters and a bouncy boxer for the young and old individuals in attendance. Rent for the bounc-

ing room is being paid by Thriftway of Wheeler.

Live entertainment will be offered at the park, starting at 10:05 and continuing into the afternoon. Anyone wishing to perform is encouraged to contact the Chamber office at 826-3408. Wheeler has a lot of talented individuals and they are encouraged to perform.

The Chamber will sponsor a series of activities for the kids.

Food and activity booths will be operated by non-profit groups throughout the day. Non-profit organizations will offer Cokes and Lemonade, Nachoes, Ice Cream and Tea, a Bake Sale, Hamburgers and Sausage on a Stick.

Other possible booths are Volleyball, Roller Bowler, Dunking Board, Sponge Throw and the Tug Of War.

The street dance will begin immediately following the fireworks. This year the Chamber is encouraging discretion in the use of alcoholic beverages. No beer cans/bottles, or liquor bottles, please. The music will be recorded with the playing of requests; bring your tapes/discs and know the location of the particular song. Brent Lee has volunteered to serve as deejay.

Come on out, you'll have a good time.

A Kiowa Pow Wow and Indian Crafts will be the focus of Wheeler County Heritage on June 26, 1999, at the Jail Museum in Old Mobeetie, Texas. The dancers, singers and drummers from the Kiowa Cultural Center in Carnegie, Okla., will be the main attraction for the day.

Other living history groups to perform will be the Fourth Cavalry from Lubbock, Texas; Buffalo Hunters from El Reno, Oklahoma; Falderal Band from Oklahoma City, Oklahoma; Plum Creek Bunch from Amarillo, Texas; Santa Fe Traders; Wild Bill's Wild Things; Roger Ortiz, Navajo Silver Smith; Ed Robinson Chuck Wagon; Kevin Romines Chuck Wagon; Washita National Battle Site Representatives; an Alibates National Monument Flintnapper; and the Adobe Creek Trading Company.

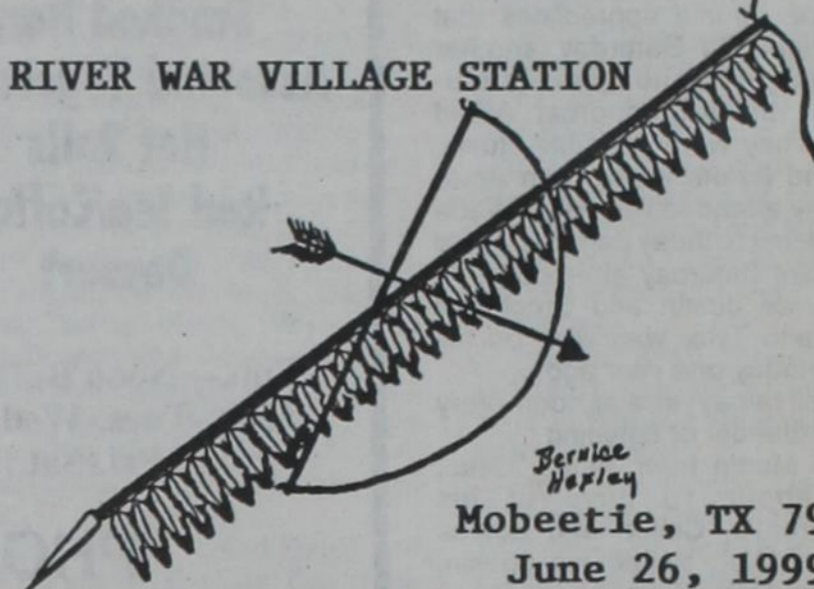
The program will begin at 9:00 a.m. Trips to Hidetown will be at 10:00 a.m. and 2:00 p.m. Cavalry demonstrations will be at 10:00 a.m. and

2:00 p.m. The mini Pow Wows will be at 10:00 a.m. and 1:30 p.m.

An interpretative program will also be presented in conjunction with the Pow Wow that will explain the gourd dance, snake dance, blanket dance, and grass dance.

A barbeque will be served at 6:00 p.m. and a Cotillion will begin at 8:00 p.m. There is no charge for any of the living history activities. Meals can be purchased from the Indian Tacos, Lavery Concession (hamburgers, sausage on a stick, elephant ears, curly fries, lemonade, tea, soft drinks) and the chuck wagons. A barbeque dinner can be purchased for \$6.00 beginning at 6:00 p.m.

RED RIVER WAR VILLAGE STATION



Mobeetie, TX 79061
 June 26, 1999

Cancellation Stamp Is Available

The Red River War Village Station Stamp Cancellation will be held in conjunction with the Wheeler County Heritage Day, being held on the grounds of the Old Mobeetie Jail Museum in Mobeetie, Texas on June 26, 1999.

The Cancellation Design was chosen thru an art contest sponsored by the old Mobeetie, Texas Association. The contest was won by Bernice Hefley, a local artist. The cancellation depicts "The Talking Stick", used by the Indians, when parlaying with the Cavalry. The second and third place winning drawings will be used for the cover and back of our Heritage Day Book.

The Special Cancellation can be obtained two ways. The first will be to visit the Red River War Village Station at the Heritage Day Celebration,

and have the Cancellation applied to an envelope.

The second way to obtain the Cancellation is by mail. Customers may purchase a stamp at their local post office, affix to an envelope of their choice, address the envelope or envelopes (to themselves or others), insert a card of postcard thickness, tuck in the flap and place the envelopes in a larger envelope addressed to:

Postmaster
 Red River War Village Station
 P.O. Box 7000
 Mobeetie, TX 79061

After applying the postmark, the Postal Service returns the envelopes thru the mail. There is no charge for the postmark. All orders must be post-marked by July 26, 1999.

\$16,097.00 Check Completes Drive For New Playground Equipment

The Wheeler Area Activities and Improvement Council, Inc. recently received a check from the Amarillo Area Foundation in the amount of \$16,097.00. The endowment was requested to increase the funding for the Playground Improvement drive.

The Wheeler Area Activities and Improvements Council, Inc. was formed in 1993 and achieved 501(c)(3) status shortly thereafter. The Council's Board of Directors has adopted as its mission to enhance and improve the quality of life for the people of Wheeler area. The Council offers existing organizations a method to improve the services they currently provide by receiving, maintaining, and dispensing charitable gifts and resources. One way the Council accomplishes its missions is to identify social and economic needs in the Wheeler County area and to develop and implement a plan of action to solve these problems.

In 1998 the need for a safe playground for the children of Wheeler was identified. The Council, in cooperation with Wheeler ISD and the Playground Improvement Committee, pledged to secure funds to replace dangerous and aging playground equipment at the Wheeler School.

The Amarillo Area foundation announces it has joined forces with the community of Wheeler, Texas, to assist in building a safe playground for area children. A new secure and age appropriate playground facility will replace hazardous and out of compliance equipment which has been located at the Wheeler Elementary School.

The Board of Directors of the Amarillo Area Foundation approved a grant for more than \$16,000.00 to the Wheeler Area Activities and Improvement Council. In 1998, the Council appointed several members to serve on the Wheeler Playground Improvement Committee to secure funds to replace aging playground equipment, some of which has been in place for 70 years. Several injuries had occurred on the old equipment prompting a safety evaluation. It found that the majority of the playground equipment was deemed hazardous and

out of compliance with Consumer Product Safety Guidelines and was removed.

Collaborative funds from the Foundation, the Wheeler Independent School District, the Wheeler School Playground Improvement Committee, and the Wheeler Community at large will now fund a new playground. It will (Continued Page 6)

Local Fire Department Receives 3 Calls Monday

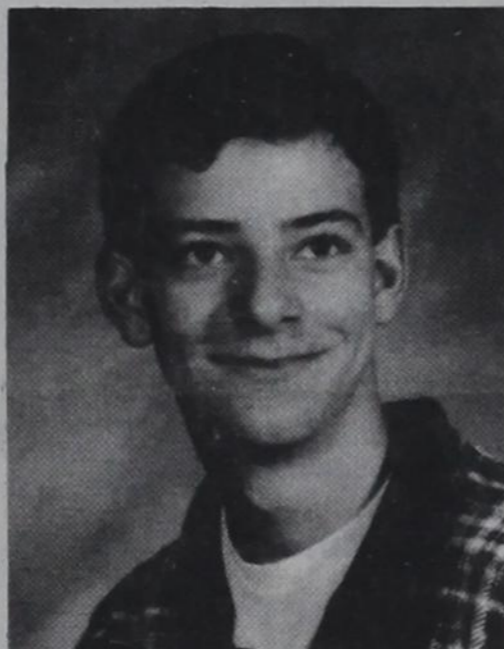
The Wheeler Volunteer Fire Department was called out three times Monday evening. Each call was a structure fire. Minor damage was reported in both fires.

The first call at 7:07 was to the home of Johnny and Donna Velasquez at 300 East Eleventh. A pan of grease on the stove had caught fire. Besides smoke damage, the cabinets over the stove were scorched.

At 7:28 the firemen were sent to 703 South Main. The home received smoke damage from a fire in the bedroom. And the fire department was called at 9:32 at the same residence.



Devin Lynn Diebel



Christopher J. R. Mick



Lee D'Ann Scales

Ft. Elliott Students Receive Scholarships

Devin Lynn Diebel, Christopher J. R. Mick and Lee D'Ann Scales have received the Sybil B. Harrington Scholarship at Amarillo College. After successfully completing their studies at AC. The three will be eligible to apply for an additional two years at any accredited Texas university.

Diebel graduated from Ft. Elliott High School and has chosen Journalism/photography as her major. Diebel won numerous UIL academic awards, edited the yearbook and served as an officer in National Honor Society and the Junior and Senior classes. She is the daughter of Pamela Jo Jones.

Mick also graduated from Ft. Elliott High School and will major in biomedical engineering. Mick participated in varsity football, baseball, basketball and track; was elected president of the National Honor Society and placed in UIL academic and drama competition. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Terry Wayne Mick.

Scales, the third graduate from Ft. Elliott High School, is the daughter of Bessie Mae Scales. She plans to

major in nursing. Scales participated in volleyball, golf, UIL academic competition and worked on the high school newspaper. She was secretary of the National Honor Society.

J. T. Johnson, 66, Buried Saturday At Wheeler

J. T. Johnson, 66, died Wednesday, June 16, 1999.

Services were at 2 p.m. Saturday in First Baptist Church in Wheeler with the Rev. Tom Stribling, associate pastor of First United Methodist Church of Miami officiating. Burial was in Wheeler Cemetery by Wright Funeral Home of Wheeler.

Mr. Johnson was born in Hereford and graduated from Wheeler High School. He was an Army veteran of the Korean War. For most of his life, he lived in Wheeler.

Mr. Johnson was a rancher and a member of the Southwestern Cattle Raisers Association, PRCA and First Baptist Church. In 1963 he was the nation's top 10 in calf roping.

He married Edwina Brown in 1951 at Wheeler.

Survivors include his wife; two daughters, Shonda Mason of Amarillo and Jana Johnson of Denver; two sisters, June Tipton of Borger and Helen May of Pampa; and three grandchildren.

The family suggests memorials be to Baptist/St. Anthony's Hospice and Life Enrichment Center, P.O. Box 950, Amarillo, TX 79176.

Jason Sheets Seriously Injured In Accident Sat.

Jason Sheets, 28, was taken to Northwest Texas Hospital Saturday morning after a one car accident near Kellerville.

Sheets was traveling west on FM 2473 about two and a half miles west (Continued Page 6)

K. Shipp Receives Excellent Rating In State Contest

Katie Shipp, a Wheeler Freshman, competed in the Texas State Solo and Ensemble contest on Memorial Day, May 31, in Austin. Katie received an Excellent rating on her vocal solo, earning her a silver medal. Traveling to Austin with her were her parents, Andy and Liz Shipp; her sister, Savanna; Brad and Lisa Mitchell, the Wheeler band directors; and Leo and Sylvia Schuler. Mrs. Schuler performed as Katie's piano accompaniment.

Only a handful of Wheeler students have ever competed at the state level, and even fewer have received an Excellent rating, or better. Katie's outstanding achievement at the end of her Freshman year means that she has several more opportunities to go to State. She enjoys singing and performs in numerous events in the local area. Shipp says that she is interested in studying to be a music teacher

or a kindergarten teacher in the future.



Katie Shipp

Mrs. Harrington established the scholarship in 1990 and regularly increased its funding. The fund was also included among her bequests. Including the new recipients announced this year, almost 750 Sybil B. Harrington Scholarships have been awarded to Panhandle high school graduates.



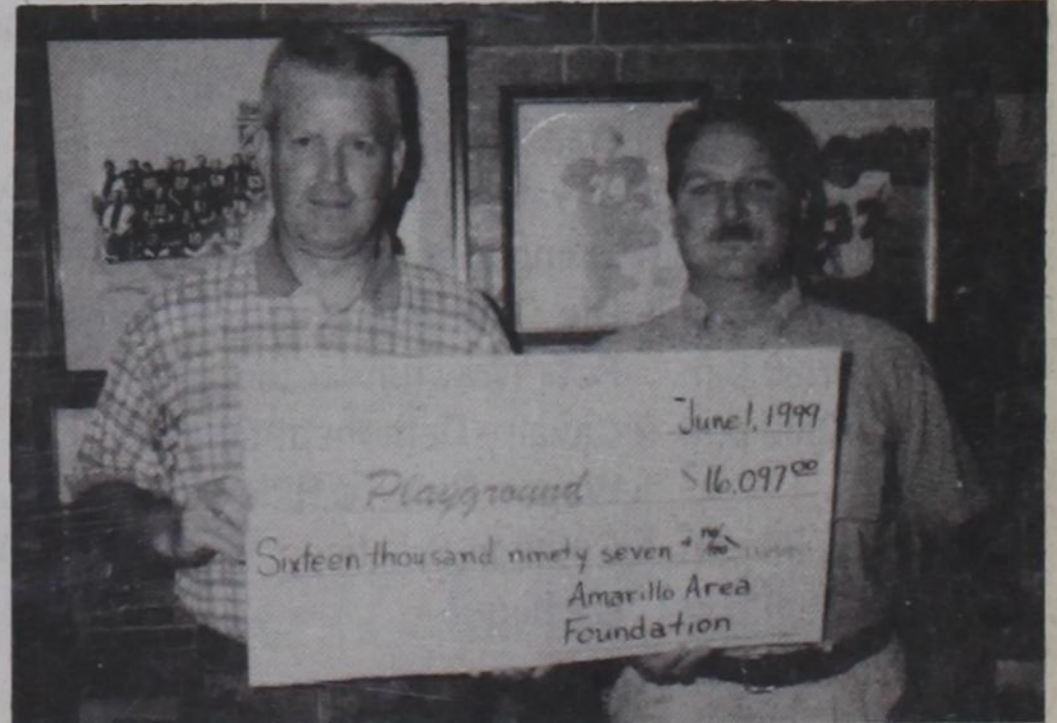
NEW SUPERINTENDENT: Brooks K. Symank had begun his duties as Superintendent of Wheeler Schools. Mr. Symank and his wife, Connie, moved to Wheeler from Meridian, Texas, where he had been high school principal for the past 12 years. He holds a Bachelor of Arts Teaching and Master of Education, majoring in Educational Administration. Brooks is committed to the development of a sound academic program which provides every student the opportunity to learn at their full capacity.

Michael Montgomery Plays Basketball in K101

Michael Montgomery played June 3, 1999, in Woodward, Okla., at the K101 Basketball All-Star game two days before Ben Britt and Aaron Dunnam played in the Football All-Star game. There were two games that night. Michael started for the White team the second game. He scored 8 points and 9 rebounds.

The next Tuesday, Michael went to Childress to play in the 50th Greenbelt Bowl. He played on the South Team. He made two tackles and a number of assists. He had a great time at both games.

He would like to thank all the sponsors that made it possible for him and Rachel Stiles to go to the Greenbelt Bowl. Rachel was his Queen chose.



\$16,097.00 CHECK: This check from the Amarillo Area Foundation completes the drive for funds to equip the playground at Wheeler School with new playground equipment. The grounds have been cleared and the new playground is to be in place by the start of the new school year. Pictured are Chris Osborne, president of the Wheeler School Board and Dave Britt, chairman of the Wheeler Area Activities & Improvements Council. Some \$40,000 has been raised for the project through a series of activities and donations.

Kimber and Chase from Amarillo and Cheryl Dupont, Sabrina and Cody went to OKC for the Brown Reunion also.

Shirley Chadwick, Jeff Chadwick, Kabria and Kevin on OKC, Sue Martin, Adam, Kristi Montgomery and Tim Montgomery from Jones, Ok., also attended the Brown Reunion. All had a great time.

Rhonda McWhorter took her mother, Ruby Craig to Amarillo last Tuesday for a check with the heart doctor. She got a good report.

Last Monday a week ago, Opal and Juanita Boydston went to Amarillo with Tia Boydston. Tia was taking Corinna and Kendra to the dentist.

Len and Betty Brown of Dumas were down to their Allison home the first three days of last week. Len mowed the yard but he leaves the wild flowers that are in part of the yard until they quit blooming. They visited relatives here and others visited them also.

On Wednesday Len and Betty took Opal and Juanita and Curtis Boydston

to Skipout Lake over in Oklahoma to fish and they also carried a picnic dinner. They enjoyed fishing at the lake and visiting.

On Thursday, Opal and Juanita's dinner guests were Forrest and Janice Boydston, Tia Boydston, Corinna and Kendra. Opal, Juanita and Curtis attended the Brown Family Reunion last Saturday and Sunday morning at Oklahoma City several others from here also went. Opal was the oldest one there and the one that had the most family members there.

Glen and Nona Elmore's Sunday afternoon and evening supper guest were Ray and Sue Giddens from the Britt Ranch. Wayne and Kathy Zybach, Clay and his friend, Leslie from Canadian and Casey of Briscoe, Larry and LaDonna Elmore and a grandson, Tom and Sonja Bowman and Timmy from Matador.

Vance and Caroline Boydston went to Wheeler after church Sunday and ate Father's Day dinner at Maxey's.

Lee and Sharon Hall have their grandchildren for a few days, Jordan and Alisha Jones from Pampa. Last Friday night Randy and Jennifer Hall were over night guests and Nona Jones joined them for supper. Randy and Jennifer were on their way to Michigan to visit Jennifer's relatives. On Sunday night, Ronnie Hall spent the night with Lee and Sharon. He had come back from Omaha, Neb., where he visited a friend and attended the college world series baseball game.

Pearl Harrison's Monday dinner guest was Bennie Boydston and Pearl's Tuesday dinner guests were Clifton and Louise Boydston, Pearl's brother, Hershel Sanford from Higgins, spent Saturday night with her and attended church with her Sunday morning. They went out to Papa's Restaurant for Sunday dinner.

Pearl's Sunday afternoon visitors were Wanda Walker, Dr. Willis and Mary Harrison from Canyon and Beatrice Scraggs from Spokane, Wash., Bill and Billy Damrell from South Texas.

Edna May received a phone call a few nights ago from her nephew, Leslie Newsom, who lives at Odessa. Him and Edna had a good visit.

Bob and Lou Cornell and Virginia Miller went to Wheeler last Sunday and ate Father's Day dinner at Soto's Restaurant.

Allen and Nadine Reynolds last Sunday Father's Day dinner guests were Gary and Linda Hall, Kevin, and Tammy Hall, Kaylee and Tyler from Amarillo, William and Vicki Lay and Jennifer from Bushland, and Jennifer's friend from Lubbock, Bennie and Debbie Boydston, Heather and Jason and Nona Jones of Allison.

Roma and Billy Brown attended the Brown Family Reunion at Oklahoma City last Saturday and until noon on Sunday. Others attending of their family were their son, Merlyn and Merlyn's son, Michael and Kim Brown and Zachery from Yukon, Okla.

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



Blood Centers to Begin NAT Testing

Blood centers across the nation are about to begin sophisticated genetic testing called NAT or nucleic acid amplification testing in an effort to shorten the window of detection for the human immunodeficiency virus (HIV) and hepatitis C virus (HCV).

NAT testing is a research project that is being conducted under an unprecedented agreement with the Food and Drug Administration (FDA) to allow blood centers to begin testing the blood supply under an IND (Investigational New Drug application).

NAT testing will be performed in addition to current routine screening tests that are very sensitive. The existing tests check for the presence of antibodies to viruses and have proven to be ineffective in reducing the risk of serious infection in blood recipients. However, viral genes spread through blood faster than the immune system begins forming antibodies to fight them, allowing a few newly infected donors to sometimes go undetected.

NAT testing narrows that window because it can detect tiny amounts of a virus such as HIV or HCV even before the blood donor's body has recognized the infection. NAT is the most powerful testing technology available and could reduce the window period for HCV from the current 80 days to about 23 days and HIV from the current 16 days to about 11 days.

"The government has not mandated NAT testing as yet because it is a research project, however, the FDA is strongly encouraging blood centers to quickly begin NAT testing and hospitals to use NAT-screened blood. One of the objectives of NAT is to add another layer of safety to the blood supply that is already considered safe," said Dr. Mary Townsend, Medical Director and Vice-President at Coffee Memorial Blood Center.

Blood donors will notice only minor differences when they donate blood once the NAT testing is implemented. These changes include:

* An additional sheet of information about NAT testing to read during the interview process

* A different collection bag for the blood donation (the same amount of blood is taken, just in a different bag)

Coffee Memorial Blood Center serves 24 counties in the Panhandle. More than 500 pints of blood are needed weekly by patients in the community and these needs are only met through the generosity of volunteer blood donors.

For more information contact Dr. Mary Townsend or John Guthrie at the Blood Center at 358-4563.

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MOBEETIE HISTORY

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PARTIAL LIST OF SALOONS IN OLD MOBEETIE

- Pink Pussy Cat Paradise
- Cattleman's Exchange
- O'Loughlin's Saloon
- Lady Gay (owner - Fleming)
- Buffalo Chip
- Mint (owner - J. J. Long)
- Cabinet
- White Elephant (owner - Berry)
- Giltedge
- Pendleton & Co. (owner-a Buffalo hide shipping Co.)
- Ring Town Saloon (for blacks only - was 2 1/2 miles NW of Mobeetie)

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Wheeler County Heritage Day
June 26, 1999
Old Mobeetie, Texas
Jail Museum

HAYRIDES
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- 9:00 a.m. Bluegrass Stage
- Welcome by OMTA Pres..... Dennis Hilburn, Mayor
- Introduction of Bob Izzard .. Dennis Hilburn
- Master of Ceremonies Bob Izzard
- Invocation..... Chuck Hogan
- Pledge of Allegiance
- National Anthem Katie Shipp
- Introduction of Special Guests Bob Izzard
- History..... Martha Perez
- 9:30 a.m. Ole Tyme Music and Medicine ShowFalderal
- 10:00 a.m. Pow Wow (under the arbor)
- Wagon Ride To Hidetown
- 10:30 a.m. Cavalry Demonstration
- Living History Demonstrations
- 1:00 p.m. Ole Tyme Music and Medicine ShowFalderal
- 1:30 p.m. Pow Wow (under the arbor)
- 2:00 p.m. Cavalry Demonstration
- Wagon Ride To Hide Town
- 4:00 p.m. Cotillion Practice
- 6:00 p.m. Barbeque
- 8:00 p.m. Cotillion

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Mathew 25: 21: Well done thou good and faithful servant; you have been faithful over a few things, I will make you ruler over many things; enter thou into the joy of thy Lord.

Happy Birthday to Kade Zybach, Misty Gilmer, Zach Tipps, Dan Gatlin and Aline Corse on June 20; Carl Baker on June 21; Jennifer Light, Jane Ann Hall on June 22; Brandon Hathaway, Terri Crownover and Rick Hefner on June 28; Diane Brice and Shane Baird on June 29, Brad Logan, Dave Johnson, Douglas Helton, Dayla Johnson, Jimmy Selby, June Heare and Lazelle South on June 30; Shonda Smith, Kenneth Farris and Betty Ann Touchstone on July 1; Tony Griffin, Tillie Snelgroves and Diann Rose on July 2; Sam Childress and Sue Mayfield on July 3.

Happy Anniversary to Greg and Diane Estes on June 27; Clifton and Tiffany Fletcher, Mack and Patty Ann Shields and Clyde and Jane Dukes on June 28; Shane and Lori Baird on June 30; Dale and Shonda Meadows on July 2; and Mike and Brenda Johnson on July 3.

Fellowship of Christian Cowboys meets Saturday night, June 26, at 6:30 at Clyde Carruth Pavilion in Pampa. Everyone invited for delicious potluck meal, lots of good gospel music and an inspiring talk and visiting and prayer.

Zach Tipps spent last week with grandparents Dean and Georgia Tipps and enjoyed being a farm boy. He visited some with Tammy and Jimmy Maddox and girls.

Deleise Brown and Riley Atwood were united in marriage Sunday, June 6, at First Baptist Church in Wheeler with friends and relatives there. Jill and her family from Alabama got to come home for 10 days or so. She has Hadley, 4; and Tristan, 1; and a husband. Deleise and Riley live in Wheeler in Riley's house on north Canadian Street. Dave and his family came from Guymon. Matt graduated college and bought the Driving School he has been working for, for several years. Best wishes to all!

Mobeetie Heritage Day will be Saturday, June 26, with many re-enactments of pioneer days and chuck wagon food and other things. Everyone invited. Usually wagon rides, soldiers, demonstrations. You might want to take a lawn chair and relax under the big trees and enjoy it all.

Nice to have Wilma Bible meet us for lunch at Furr's in Pampa Wednesday. Also there were Tyna Horn and

Megan and Sarah with Tyna's mom, Genise Young. They were going on to Miami to piano lessons for the girls with Kim Wellborn. Also there were long time friends, Erma Riley with Lillian Lee. Also nice to see Alvin Reeves and Grandma Lois at Furr's.

Sincere sympathy to family and friends of Elvis Wyant, 69, in his death in a four-wheeler accident. Elvis was a fine man. We are sorry. He is a brother to Jean Meadows, Earl, Eugene, Benny and Walter Wyant. He will surely have a fine home in heaven and see his parents, the Issac Wyants that lived in this area for a time. Good to see the many family and friends at the graveside at Gageby Thursday.

Doris Finsterwald was expecting son, Jerry, and Janice Finsterwald and Megan, Matt and Meredith from Mt. Airy, Maryland, to fly in to Amarillo Monday, June 21, and stay till Tuesday, June 29. Andy Finsterwald went to get them.

Sunday, Mobeetie Baptist Church went to Wheeler Care Center to sing and make music. Those going were Marion Grimes with guitar, Doris Finsterwald playing the piano, Dale and Melba Corcoran and Lorene Rector. Big group of residents to listen and sing with them.

Pray for Bob Punyear. He's been having some health problems and in Pampa hospital; but home now.

Gene Keelin visited Rosalie and Jimmy Keelin Sunday afternoon.

Saturday, Rosalie and Jimmy went to Wares for their 50th anniversary of Ware Chevrolet. They served 300 people hot dogs, etc. We appreciate you, Wares. Sorry we didn't make it to the nice party. Rosalie enjoyed visiting with Dorothy Jo George (ex-Briscoe School teacher) there.

Eddie and Helen George went to Canadian Friday night to the American Cancer Society fund raiser. Their daughter, Amy McPherson, from Sunray was singing and others and an auction. There was a large crowd and many things and food to buy on the football field. They honored survivors of cancer and those who had died. Luminaires were lighted and beautiful.

Willia Fillingim and Laurel Hershman had a nice trip to Amarillo Thursday. The doctor thought Willia's hoarseness was just caused by old

age. Your vocal chords get less elastic as you get older, but she would not lose her voice entirely. Laurel can cut down on allergy shots to maintenance with one shot a month. Yea. They visited E. G. Fillingim. He is eating good. They take him to the dining room at the Wound Center and feed him. They also wished grandson Dallas Dawson Happy 16th Birthday and visited some with Helen Singleton. E. G. was to have some surgery on a place on his hip that won't heal. Pray for him. Ed and Laurel and Willa went up to Amarillo for the surgery.

Family members gathered at Cecil and Jean Meadows home in Wheeler Thursday after the funeral for Jean's brother, Elvis Wyant.

Pray for Willis' twin brother, William at Prescott, Ariz. He has been so weak has to have oxygen even in the shower. He has blockages, but can't have them opened in his heart till the tear in his aorta is healed.

Pray for Glenda Galutia. She had a spider bite and then a reaction to penicillin and had to spend two days in Amarillo hospital. She was able to be out to the Zybach-Fairchild wedding.

Homer Sanders will not have to have the surgery to open his other carotid artery. Praise the Lord! It isn't that blocked.

Sincere sympathy to family and friends of Cameron Bell. He attended WTAM and was from Hereford. He was a good friend to our grandson, Dallas Fillingim. They thought he had a bad case of tonsillitis and was in the hospital at Hereford. They thought he had so much infection and got dehydrated and his kidneys and heart shut down.

Betty Jones still has a mama raccoon and babies in her attic, but she doesn't want to share space. She and Willa have been trying to trap the mama coon so can take her away and someone can get the babies out. Help!

Wednesday, Willa and Veal Fillingim ate lunch with Ed and Laurel Hershman.

Brooke Stevens and sister, Nikki Scott Robinson, and girls were planning to move to Amarillo June 21. They hoped to find jobs and work this summer and go to college this fall. God be with you all.

Congratulations to N. D. and Roberta Ware on 50 years of marriage and 50 years of Ware Chevrolet.

Lee and Cary George and Michael Lee have moved back to Canadian. That's a great joy to Eddie and Helen George. Lee is still with Petro Source for many years. Cary works for the Hemphill County Hospital. They took Eddie and Helen out to eat at Maxeys the 17th to celebrate their 43rd wedding anniversary.

Father's Day supper guests at the

home of Earl and Shirley Jolly at Wheeler included Larry and Vickie Nelson, Danny Nelson and Danielle and Amy, Jimmy Nelson, Keri Nelson, Greg Koelzer, DeAnn and Gary Nagel and Tanner, Ashton, Mackenzie and Madison and Brenda Martin.

Correction: Ginger Meers, daughter of Elizabeth (Kelly) and Lewis Meers sang last Sunday, not Elizabeth. Sorry about that.

Bethaney Thomas, daughter of Linda (Kelley) Thomas and her husband have been staying with grandparents, Alice and E. O. Kelley, while Linda is going to college at Lubbock. Diann Rose and Savannah were also weekend visitors. Bethaney and Savannah sang at church at Briscoe Sunday. Sounded real pretty.

I understand the overpass west of Briscoe, a landmark since about 1930, will be levelled out. Since the railroad is no longer underneath, it ain't needed. Lots of work going on. Will be kinda interesting to see how this will be accomplished. Supposed to be finished in March of 2000.

Bevard and Diane Dukes hosted a Father's Day cookout Saturday night. Some there were Bob and Gena Zybach, Andrea and Tracy Auldridge and Tanner, Deirdra Harris, Carissa Dukes, Tanner Smith, Wayne and Kathy Zybach and Casey and Clay, Leslie Francis from Canadian, Steve Zybach, Joy, and Bevard and Diane Dukes. They played Sand Volleyball and watched movies and ate and visited.

Dallas Fillingim visited David and Rita Pearson for Father's Day. Nice to have him come over for a little visit. Good to see him. Thanks, Dallas.

Lee and Debbie Atherton from Dallas were weekend visitors to Darville and Sammie Atherton. They all ate supper Saturday at Maxeys and celebrated Darville's 74th birthday. Waitresses sang Happy Birthday to him. Sounded good. Good to see them all. Happy Birthday, Darville!

Rebecca Jo Gentry and J. D. Christian were united in marriage Saturday afternoon June 19 on the Finsterwald Ranch. Many friends and relatives gathered to wish them well. A beautiful wedding. Pray for this fine young couple. Best wishes always. Becca's brother, Charlie, from Wyoming and Sarah and baby from Colorado there.

Bob and Gena Zybach went fishing to Lake Texhoma Tuesday and Wednesday for Father's Day. They caught their limit. Congratulations!

Bob and Debbie Kinnaman and Kirby, Corey and Audrey Kinnaman and Zane and Joe Bob and Mandy Hallum and Dalton, Alyssa and Destrie spent several days at Lake Altus over the weekend. Lou Dean visited them over at Bob's on Sunday afternoon.

Many friends and relatives gathered at The Country Chapel Friday afternoon for the wedding of Misty Zybach to Mark Fairchild. It was a beautiful wedding with delicious cakes and punch. Andy Taylor officiated. Pray for these fine young people as they start their home together.

Nice to have Preston and Elsie Glazner meet us for supper at Maxeys Saturday night and a good visit. Also there many relatives and friends gathered in the banquet room at Maxeys to celebrate N. D. and Roberta Wares 50th wedding anniversary.

Saturday, good to see Keven and Janet Romines with Bill and Marilyn Kidwell from Pampa at Maxeys. They will be cooking a chuck wagon meal at Heritage Day at Mobeetie next Saturday noon June 26.

Homer Sanders and Edna May were eating supper at Maxeys with Homer's daughter, Janiz Sanders and friend Richard Wagner. Also there Irene Keys and Nova Powledge.

Correction: Riley Bradstreet was at Mobeetie grocery Saturday, not Riley Atwood. Riley B. lives in Mobeetie.

We enjoyed the beautiful music and singing at Country Chapel Church Wednesday night. Haskell and Joelee Cooper singing and playing. Our preacher had to go to Panfork to be the nurse for a camp so no church at Gageby.

Willa Fillingim and Laurel Hershman went to Amarillo Tuesday to visit with E. G. Fillingim and tend to other business. E. G. is doing pretty well, but will be a while before he can come back to Canadian to Abraham Home. He is eating good and talked with them, asking questions.

Nice to have Mack and Patty Shields join us for supper at Maxeys Thursday night and a good visit. Amanda is living in Amarillo with Tracy Densberger and working at a Day Care with cousin Keri Dukes.

Getting together at Fat and Wanda Childress' Sunday for Father's Day included Kay and Scott Luttrell, Susie and Billy Umsted and Abbe, Brandi Coomer and Kayleigh, Clyde and Mary Jane Dukes and Jackie, Stacie and Jeremy Fitzer and Kaymi, Cathy Hunt, Shawn Hunt, Addie Swift and Fat and Wanda Childress. C. J. Bryant came later.

Fat Childress had the misfortune to get a spider bite and had to spend two days in Wheeler Hospital, but doing pretty well now.

Jerry and Donna Hawkins and Tiffany and Brandi and new baby Heaven Leigh Jean from Louisiana came up for Elvis Wyant funeral. Good to see them all.

Siviages are gathering at Amarillo at Holiday Inn for a reunion. I think Olaf Siviage, Gaye Hale and family will be there for this weekend reunion.

Last weekend visitors to David and Phyllis Hefley were Darren and Chae. (Continued Page 6)

Brown Family Reunion Is Held In Okla. City

The reunion was held in Oklahoma City in the Hampton Inn on the 18th, 19th and 20th of June with 88 in attendance. Those there were Beatrice Brown Scraggs from Washington State; Gene Brown of Georgia, and daughter and son; Darrel Brown of Calif.; Sherry Jenkins of Oklahoma; Sybil Brown Fins, Charles and Geraldine Townsley of Bartlesville, OK; Billy Fay Brown Domrell of TX; Clifton and Louise Boydston of Allison and grandson Jason; Kim Thompson and children of Amarillo, TX; Larry McLean and wife Sandy Brown McLean; Mary Brown Harrison and husband Willis Harrison of Canyon, TX and their sons and children of OK; SaRita Boydston Green of Binger, OK; Shirley Boydston Chadwick and son Jeff and children of Oklahoma City; Sue Boydston Chadwick and children of Jones, OK; Michael Brown and wife and son of Yukon, OK; Katy Brown Greenwood and husband of Bryan, TX; Cheryl Boydston Dupont and children of Allison, TX; Donna Brown Nall and husband Edd of OK and her sons, Brent, Comer, Blake and families; Opal Brown Boydston, Juanita and Curtis Boydston of Allison, TX; Roma and Billy June Brown of Allison, TX.

There were 88 in attendance. We had Saturday dinner at the Steak and Ale.

The ones winning a prize were Beatrice Scraggs for coming the longest distance. Opal Boydston for being the oldest there, and a prize for having the largest family there. With 31 kids, grandkids and great-grands, and a few great-great-grands.

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Writing Fundamentals	ENGL 0306		TBA	
World Literature II	ENGL 2333	MW	6:00-10:00	PM
US & TX Government	GOVT 2302	TTh	1:00-5:00	PM
Fine Arts Apprec.	HUMA 1315	TTh	8:00-12:00	AM
Developmental Math	MATH 0306		TBA	
Music Literature II	MUSI 1309	TTh	1:00-5:00	PM
Reading Fundamentals	READ 0306		TBA	
Maternal & Neonatal	VNSG 1230	Daily	9:00-3:00	AM
Pediatric	VNSG 1234	MT	9:00-3:00	AM
Clinical VII	VNSG 2161	W-F	6:45-3:30	AM
Clinical VI	VNSG 2263	W-F	6:45-3:30	AM

***Childress-July 5-August 12**

Human A&P II	BIOL 2402	MW	5:00-9:00	PM
Microeconomics	ECON 2302	MW	6:00-10:00	PM
Writing Fundamentals	ENGL 0306	MT	5:00-6:00	PM
Eng Comp/ Rhetoric II	ENGL 1302	MW	6:00-10:00	PM
US & TX Government	GOVT 2302	TTh	6:00-10:00	PM
Developmental Math	MATH 0306	MT	5:00-6:00	PM
Plane Trigonometry	MATH 1316	TTh	6:00-10:00	PM
Business Calculus	MATH 1325	MW	6:00-10:00	PM
Child Psychology	PSYC 2308	MW	6:00-10:00	PM
Reading Fundamentals	READ 0306	MT	5:00-6:00	PM

***McLean-July 5- August 12**

Human A&P II	BIOL 2402	MW	5:00-9:00	PM
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***Memphis- July 5-August 12**

General Chemistry II	CHEM 1312/1112	TTh	5:30-9:30	PM
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***Pampa-July 5-August 12**

Eng Comp/ Rhetoric I	ENGL 1301	MW	8:00-12:00	AM
Eng Comp/ Rhetoric II	ENGL 1302	TTh	8:00-12:00	AM
Eng Comp/ Rhetoric II	ENGL 1302	TTh	6:00-9:50	PM
World Literature II	ENGL 2333	TTh	6:00-9:50	PM
US & TX Government	GOVT 2302	TTh	1:00-4:50	PM
US History to 1865	HIST 1301	MW	6:00-9:50	PM
US History to Present	HIST 1302	MW	8:00-11:50	AM
Beginning Algebra	MATH 0307		TBA	
College Algebra	MATH 1314	TTh	8:00-11:50	AM
General Psychology	PSYC 2301	TTh	6:00-9:50	PM
Child Psychology	PSYC 2308	MW	6:00-9:50	PM
Interpersonal Speech	SPCH 1318	TTh	6:00-9:50	PM

***Shamrock-July 5-August 12**

Maternal & Neonatal	VNSG 1230	MT	9:00-3:00	AM
Pediatric	VNSG 1234	MT	9:00-3:00	AM
Clinical VII	VNSG 2161	W-F	6:45-3:30	PM
Clinical VI	VNSG 2263	W-F	6:45-3:30	AM

***Wellington- July 5- August 12**

Accounting II	ACCT 2302	MW	6:00-10:00	PM
Botany	BIOL 1411	TTh	6:00-10:00	PM
Computer Apps I	COSC 1301	TTh	6:00-10:00	PM
Writing Fundamentals	ENGL 0306	MT	5:00-6:00	PM
Eng Comp/ Rhetoric II	ENGL 1302	MW	6:00-10:00	PM
US & TX Constitution	GOVT 2301	TTh	6:00-10:00	PM
US History to Present	HIST 1302	MW	6:00-10:00	PM
Fine Arts Apprec.	HUMA 1315	TTh	6:00-10:00	PM
Developmental Math	MATH 0306	MT	5:00-6:00	PM
General Psychology	PSYC 2301	TTh	6:00-10:00	PM
Child Psychology	PSYC 2308	MW	6:00-10:00	PM
Reading Fundamentals	READ 0306	MT	5:00-6:00	PM
Intro to Sociology	SOCI 1301	TTh	6:00-10:00	PM
Family in Society	SOCI 2301	MW	6:00-10:00	PM

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JUNE 2, 1999
AFF—Koleen Hensley to The Public, 5-21-99, 17.40 acs. Sec. 46, Blk. 17, H&GN Ry. Company Survey.
RDT—Wheeler Banking Center to Paul Hathaway, et ux, 5-25-99, Pts. Sec. 65, Blk. A-5, H&GN Ry. Company Survey.

D—Leo C. Lee 1990 Revocable Trust to Joe E. Lee, et ux, 5-26-99, 524.5 acs. Sec. 1, Blk. 27, H&GN Ry. Company Survey and S 1/2 Sec. 23, Blk. A-8, H&GN Ry. Company Survey.
D—Joe E. Lee, et ux to Leo C. Lee 1990 Revocable Trust, 5-21-99, N 1/2 SW 1/4 Sec. 25, and All Sec. 19, Blk. A-8, H&GN Ry. Company Survey.

RDT—National Bank of Commerce to Wendell H. Morgan, et ux, 6-1-99, Lots 10 and 11, Blk. 4, Mont-Lew Add., Shamrock.
POA—Randy M. Galmor to Studie L. Galmor, 3-21-98.

DT/EXT MML—Randy Mark Galmor, et ux to National Bank of Commerce, 5-27-99, Pt. Sec. 57, Blk. 17, H&GN Ry. Company Survey.

D—Paul Hathaway to John W. McGinty, 6-2-99, Lots 1-3, 15-18, Blk. 107, New Mobeetie.

JUNE 3, 1999
RDT—Henry M. Darling, et ux to Cecil H. Wright, et ux, 6-1-99, Lots 4-6, Blk. 6, Shamrock.

RDT—First American Bank of Texas to James M. Umsted, et ux, 5-3-99, Lot 11, Blk. 3, Wheeler.

ASSIGN—O Dale Smith-A C Smith Trust to ACS-ODS Oil & Gas LTD, 5-25-99, S 120 acs. E 1/2 Sec. 34, NE 1/4 Sec. 27, SW 1/4, and W 200 acs. E 1/2 Sec. 26, Blk. A-4, H&GN Ry. Company Survey.

AFF—First National Bank Mortgage Processing Center to Phyllis Kinnard, et al, 5-26-99, S 100' W 160' Blk. 55, Stanley Add., Wheeler.

B of SALE—John F. Cook Sr. to Rodney L. Vaughn, et ux, 5-10-99.
D—John F. Cook Sr. to Rodney L. Vaughn, et ux, 7-00 acs. N 1/2 Sec. 34, Blk. 23, H&GN Ry. Company Survey.

JUNE 4, 1999
RDT—State Street Bank and Trust Company, Trustee, et al to Douglas P. Rives, et ux, 5-17-99, 2 acs. NE 1/4 Sec. 59, Blk. A-8, H&GN Ry. Company Survey.

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RDT—Commercial State Bank to Harold G. Jones, et al, 5-13-99, Lots 11-14, Blk. 107, New Mobeetie.
D—Doris Fay Finsterwald to Billy Wayne Finsterwald, et al, 6-4-99, Pt. Sec. 9, Blk. H, S. A. Stephen Survey and Pt. Sec. 3, Blk. H, W. H. Simpson Survey.

JUNE 7, 1999
ROW—Dobson Ranch to Upland Resources, Inc., 5-12-99, Secs. 30-32, Blk. OS-2 and Sec. 1 Blk. 2, Brooks & Burlison Survey.

DT—Richard A. Waterfield, et ux to First State Bank of Canadian, National Association, 5-1-99, Secs. 34

and 35, Blk. M-1, H&GN Ry. Company Survey and Sec. 13, Blk. R.E., Roberts & Eddleman Survey.

MD—Anna Lesky, et al to Cynthia Needham, Custodian, 5-26-99, SW 1/4 Sec. 4, Blk. 24, H&GN Ry. Company Survey.

MD—Dorothy B. Pukan, et ux to Cynthia Needham, Custodian, 5-25-99, SW 1/4 Sec. 4, Blk. 24, H&GN Ry. Company Survey.

MD—Cynthia Needham, Custodian to Dorothy B. Pukan, 6-1-99, E 1/2 Sec. 4, Blk. 24, H&GN Ry. Company Survey.

MD—Cynthia Needham, Custodian to Anna Lesky, 6-1-99, E 1/2 Sec. 4, Blk. 24, H&GN Ry. Company Survey.

DT—Koleen A. Hensley to First National Bank of Shamrock, 5-21-99, 17.40 acs. Sec. 46, Blk. 17, H&GN Ry. Company Survey.

PARTIAL RDT—Comerica Bank - Texas to Lyco Energy Corporation, 5-25-99, SE 1/4 NW 1/4 and W 1/2 NW 1/4 Sec. 52, Blk. 24, H&GN Ry. Company Survey.

JUNE 8, 1999
SUB TRUSTEE DEED—Timothy Glenn Wilson to Marvin Petty, 6-1-99, N 1/2 Sec. 4, Blk. XC, Shamrock.

MML—Robin D. Fulce, et ux to Lawrence Thompson, 5-12-99, Lots 8, 9 and S 1/2 Lot 10, Blk. 1, Aldous Add., Shamrock.

TMML—Lawrence Thompson to National Bank of Commerce-Shamrock, 5-12-99, Lots 8, 9, and S 1/2 Lot 10, Blk. 1, Aldous Add., Shamrock.

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MOBEETIE NEWS

By: Melba Corcoran

Melba Corcoran and Lorene Rector went to Amarillo Tuesday. They visited with Lynn and Denise Rector. Melba had a dentist appointment. She was released after her surgery last Wednesday.

Orville Greenhouse and Lorene Rector went to Wheeler Wednesday shopping.

Our sympathy goes out to the family of Sam Elvis Wyant. The Wyant's used to live between here and Briscoe.

Dale and Melba Corcoran and Pauline Barnes visited Wednesday night with Densel and Fern Reed.

Jack and Bernice Hefley visited in Amarillo with the family of J. T. Johnson on Tuesday in hospice. Our sympathy goes out to the family. J. T. passed away on Wednesday.

Mt. View Quilting Club met Thursday at the Totty Schoolhouse with Betty Haines as hostess. They started quilting on her quilt, which is a Dogwood in Bloom. The quilt belongs to Stormi. Those attending were Estelle Hodges, Betty Haines, Charlotte Coward, Martha Meek, Stormi and Lamine Lancaster and Melba Corcoran. They got both sides rolled once.

Bill and Dutch Elliott and Dale and Melba Corcoran went to McLean Thursday night for dinner at the Red River Steak House. Then they visited with Ariza Corcoran in the nursing home.

Noirman and Versie Dysart of Amarillo visited in Mobeetie Thursday.

Aaron and Arica Lancaster have started putting the roof on the Arnold house Thursday. Ernest Lancaster of Pampa and Bill and Virginia Ridgway helped them. Ernest and Brenda Lancaster, Stormi and Lamine of Pampa were at the Corcoran place Friday.

Ryan Brooks of Dumas and Travis and Juanell Brooks of Amarillo spent the day Thursday with Jess and Deanna Nixon.

Deanna Nixon went to the doctor in Pampa Friday. The doctor thinks her problem with her shoulder is a torn rotor-cup. She will have more tests later.

Nell Leonard of Canadian visited with Dutch Elliott one afternoon.

Justin Hefley got home Friday for the Diabetes Camp. Mark Hefley went and picked him up. Justin won the award for the medical quiz for the camp.

Carrie Harris is home following her surgery. She is reported as doing well.

Chris and April Mick of Amarillo was home visiting their parents Bob and Mary Nell Finsterwald and Andy and Terry and Shelia Mick, Brittany and Amanda over the weekend.

Serena Sims spent the weekend with her father Lynn Sims. He had to take her back to Skellytown to meet Lessa Sunday.

Those going to the Care Center Sunday for the church services were Doris Finsterwald, Lorene Rector, Ina Mae Brotherton, Marion Grimes and Dale and Melba Corcoran. They visited with Ella Trout, Flora Mae Kelley, Sallie Harris and Lillian Bailey.

Mark and Beverly Frazier and family moved to Kuna, Idaho. They both have jobs waiting for them. We were sorry to see them move. They left out Friday night.

The Wheeler Translator held their annual Steak cook out dinner at the Museum Grounds Saturday night. It was well attended by the news stations in Amarillo. They feed 60. Channel 4, 7, 10, 45, and 2 were all there.

Andy Finsterwald spent the night Sunday night with Chris and April Mick. He met his Uncle Jerry and Aunt Janice and family at the airport on Monday and brought them back to Doris.

Jack and Bernice Hefley visited Sunday with Betty Dyson in the hospital in Pampa. She was reported as doing well. She was to have some more test done Monday.

Ivy Richardson of Erick, OK, Marsha Richardson and William of Gallup, NM and Michael Richardson of Sweetwater, OK visited Wednesday afternoon with Gladys Richardson and Leola Stuart.

Leola Stuart and Gladys Richardson went to Lawton, OK Thursday and visited with Ronnie and

Tanya Stuart, and Todd and Tom and Janice Taylor, Melissa and Trey. They had just moved to Lawton. Todd came home with grandmother to spend some time. They came home Saturday. They stopped in Shamrock and visited with Bulah Stuart. They got Tyler Richardson of Wheeler to come stay and play with Todd.

Hugh and Mae Bailey flew to Las Vegas June 4th. Where John Collins met them and took them to their house in Weldon, California. They attended their great-granddaughter, Cheyenne Hanning, graduation from High School at Lake Isabel. While there they had 5 generation pictures taken. Those in the picture were great-great grandmother Mae Bailey, great-grandmother Francis Collins, grandmother Sherry Weyenes, mother Cheyenne Hanning and baby Destiny Hanning.

John also took them to the mountain where he was making a pack station. Then to Death Valley and back to Las Vegas where they caught a plane for home Monday.

Little George Reeves entered the Shamrock Hospital Friday. He had a bad kidney infection. He is better and should be out in a few more days.

Tyler and Caitlyn Burch of Wheeler spent Monday with Lorene Rector. Melba Corcoran spent the afternoon there and took them home.

Sunday, William and Sissy Burch, Tyler and Caitlyn of Wheeler visited with C. W. Burch and took him to lunch.

Dale and Melba Corcoran visited with Pauline Barnes in Wheeler Monday evening.

Bill and Dutch Elliott went home to Pampa Sunday and came back to Mobeetie Monday. Dutch had to have blood work done Monday morning. They and Dale and Melba went to supper Monday night in Wheeler.

Alvern Hutchinson of Wheeler visited Sunday with her Aunt Orville Greenhouse.



KECO's King Receives Nat'l Recognition

Blake Brewer, president and CEO of Paragon Communications announced this week that the National Association of Broadcasters has selected KECO morning host Jim King as one of five finalists for their 1999 Small Market Personality of the Year Award, the most prestigious honor for radio personalities. This competition is equivalent to the film industry's Academy Awards. The winner of this national contest will be announced at the NAB's annual Marconi Awards dinner and show in Orlando, FL September 2, 1999. The Marconi Award

is named for a Nobel Prize winning physicist, Guglielmo Marconi, an Italian who developed wireless communication.

King who has been employed by KECO since May 1995, has previously been named 1997 Oklahoma Association of Broadcasters Non-Metro Market Radio Personality of the Year and 1998 top-three finalist. He has also recently received state recognition for his work with the Oklahoma Blood Institute, winning the 1998 OBI Merit Award.

Best known as Jim King "of the Road", King's popular morning show can be heard Monday through Friday 6 am - 11 am on KECO 96.5 FM. King is frequently seen at community events wearing his trade mark "crown boy hat" (a cowboy hat with a crown on top).

King and Brewer will journey to Orlando for the awards banquet. Bob Kevoian and Tom Griswald of the nationally syndicated "The Bob & Tom Show" will host the program.



Jim King

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We would like to thank everyone for the prayers, memorials, food, cards, and visits during our loss. A very special thank you to the EMT's that responded so quickly to our call. Your quick response and care for Wayne was very much appreciated. Also thank you to the nurses and doctors at the hospital for the care.

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1 CROSS CAR CENTER • 24 Hour Wrecker Serv. • Auto Body Repair Phone: 806/826-5515 Intersection Hwy. 152 & 83 Wheeler.	2 FIRST STATE BANK OF MOBEETIE Mobeetie & Wheeler Member: F.D.I.C.	3 HYLAND'S PHARMACY 109 East Texas — Wheeler Phone: 826-3361 DOUBLE COUPONS EVERYDAY Limit: 75¢-\$1.00 \$1.00 Coupons: \$1.00	Wellington State Bank Wellington, Texas Wheeler • Memphis • Childress • Canadian Wheeler Banking Center 405 Alan L. Bean Blvd. P.O. Box 1040 Wheeler, Texas 79096 Phone: 826-5566 Member: F.D.I.C.	4 Wheeler Sr. Citizens Blood Press. Clinic W. Sr. Ctns. Quilting 9-12 Noon Old Mobeetie Ass'n. 1-5 P.M. Old Masonic Lodge Bldg. 7:00 P.M. Wheeler Fire Dept. 7:00 P.M.	5 2	6 3
4 First Baptist Church of Wheeler Wheeler Care Ctr. 10:00 A.M.	5 Kiwanis 12 Noon Meth. Fellowship Hall AF-AM Lodge 7:30 P.M. Wheeler S. Citz. 6:00 P.M. Mobeetie City Coun. 7:00 P.M. ARC of Texas 6:00 P.M. Meth. Fellowship Hall	6 Wheeler Lions Club Mel's Diner 6:00 A.M. Driver's License Trooper Wheeler Courthouse 9:00-4:00	7 Wheeler Senior Citizens Quilting 1-5 P.M.	8 Wheeler Senior Citizens Quilting 1-5 P.M. Allison I.S.D. Bd. 7:00 P.M.	9 9	10 10
11 First Baptist Church of Allison Wheeler Care Ctr. 3:00 P.M.	12 Kiwanis 12 Noon Meth. Fellowship Hall AF-AM Lodge 7:30 P.M. Comm. Court 10:00 A.M. Ft. Elliott I.S.D. Bd. 7:00 P.M.	13 Kelton I.S.D. Bd. 7:30 P.M. Mobeetie Fire Dept. 7:00 P.M. Wheeler Lions Club Mel's Diner 6:00 A.M. American Legion Wheeler Vol. Fire Dept. 7:30 P.M. Birthday Party 2:30 P.M. Care Center	14 Wheeler Senior Citizens Quilting 1-5 P.M.	15 Wheeler Senior Citizens Quilting 1-5 P.M. Wheeler Fire Dept. 7:00 P.M.	16 16	17 17
18 First Baptist Church of Mobeetie Wheeler Care Ctr. 3:00 P.M. Grace Fellowship of Wheeler Wheeler Care Ctr. 7:00 P.M.	19 Kiwanis 12 Noon Meth. Fellowship Hall AF-AM Lodge 7:30 P.M. Council City Hall 9:00 A.M.	20 Wheeler Lions Club Mel's Diner 6:00 A.M. Driver's License Trooper Wheeler Courthouse 9:00-4:00 Wheeler School Bd. 6:30 P.M.	21 Wheeler Senior Citizens Quilting 1-5 P.M.	22 Wheeler Senior Citizens Quilting 1-5 P.M.	23 23	24 24
25 Country Chapel, Wheeler Wheeler Care Ctr. 3:00 P.M.	26 Kiwanis 12 Noon Meth. Fellowship Hall AF-AM Lodge 7:30 P.M. Comm. Court 10:00 A.M.	27 Wheeler Lions Club Mel's Diner 6:00 A.M.	28 Wheeler Senior Citizens Quilting 1-5 P.M.	29 Wheeler Senior Citizens Quilting 1-5 P.M.	30 30	31 31

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JUNE 10, 1999

ASSIGN—Tascosa Petroleum Corporation to Kenneth Wischkaemper, 6-1-99, SE 1/4; N 1/2 Sec. 45, Blk. 24, H & G.N. Ry. Company Survey.
EXTOL—Sharon Delores Jones Hall to Cabot Oil & Gas Corporation, 4-26-99, W 1/2 Sec. 23, Blk. RE, Roberts and Eddleman Survey.

CORR RDT—National Bank of Commerce to Wendell H Morgan, et ux, 6-8-99, Lots 10 and 11, Blk. 4, Mont-Lew Add., Shamrock.

C/C PROBATE—William Louis Davis to Ex-Parte, 6-3-99, See Instrument.
TRUSTEE D—Lee R. Brasher to Josephine Veazy, et al, 6-7-99, 95.54 acs. NW 1/4 Sec. 24, Blk. 17, H & G.N. Ry. Company Survey.

TMML—National Bank of Commerce to Guaranty Federal Bank FSB, 5-27-99, Pt. E 1/2 SE 1/4 Sec. 37, Blk. 17, H & G.N. Ry. Company Survey.

D—Linda Mitchell to Jennifer Ann Mitchell, et al, 6-7-99, S 1/2 Sec 59, Blk. 13, H & G.N. Ry. Company Survey.

ASSIGN—Wanda Rosentreter to Wanda Rosentreter Trust, 1-1-99.

JUNE 11, 1999

C/C PROBATE—Jesse Lewis Simmons to Ex-Parte, 5-19-99, See Instrument.

DVL—David R. Bradstreet, et ux to Noah R. Horton, et ux, 6-11-99, Lot 7 and S 30' Lot 8, Blk. 3, Vise Add., Wheeler.

DT—Noah R. Horton, et ux to Western National Bank of Amarillo, 6-11-99, Lot 7 and S 30' Lot 8, Blk. 3, Vise Add., Wheeler.

CORR ASSIGN OVERRID ROYALTY—Taylor Energy Corporation to Ira D. Taylor, et ux, 6-7-99, See Instrument.

JUNE 14, 1999

QCD—Nina Swink to Debbie Douglas, et al, 6-10-99, W 70' N 135' N 1/2 Outlot 28, Shamrock.

EXT OL—Connolly Family Trust to Cabot Oil & Gas Corporation, 5-11-99, W 1/2 Sec. 30, Blk. RE, Roberts and Eddleman Survey.

APPT SUB TRUSTEE—United States of America - FHA to Donneta R. Dollar, 5-18-99, Pts. Outlot 26, Shamrock.

DT—David G. Rushing, et ux to National Bank of Commerce of Shamrock, Texas, 6-2-99, Pt. Lot 3, Blk. LVII, OT, Shamrock.

MD—Gae Ratcliff Estates Trust to Bill J. Markham Estate Trust, 6-8-99, SE 220 acs. Sec. 6, Blk. A-7, H & G.N. Ry. Company Survey, and E 1/2 Sec. 95, Blk. 13, H & G.N. Ry. Company Survey.

JUNE 15, 1999

UNIT DESIGNATION—Cambridge Production Inc. to Lillie B. Dunn, et al, 6-14-99, See Instrument.

SHERIFFS DEED—Alicia Reeves, et vir to City of Shamrock, et al, 6-7-99, Lot 12, Blk. 2, OT, Shamrock.

OL—Basin Royalty Company to Tesoro E & P Company LP, 5-14-99, Lot 27, Camp County School Land.

OL—Gary D. Hall, et ux to Tesoro E & P Company LP, 5-19-99, Lot 27, Camp County School Land.

MD—Louis Dreyfus Natural Gas Corp. to Bandera Minerals LLC, et al, 6-1-99, SE 1/4 and NW 1/4 Sec. 90, Blk. 13, H & G.N. Ry. Company Survey and W 1/2 NW 1/4 Sec. 7, Blk. A-8, H & G.N. Ry. Company Survey.

DT—William P. Harris to Amarillo National Bank, 6-8-99, Pt. Sec. 15, Blk. A-5, H & G.N. Ry. Company Survey.

DT—Al Cunningham to Amarillo National Bank, 6-7-99, Sec. 25, Blk. A-5, H & G.N. Ry. Company Survey.

D—Rohitkumar Nathubhai Bhakta, et ux to Bharathbai N. Bhakta, et ux, 6-14-99, Lots 1 and 4, Blk. LXXX, Shamrock.

ROW—O. B. Burton to Cambridge Production Inc., 5-25-99, Secs. 15 and 26, Blk. A-5, H & G.N. Ry. Company Survey.

RDT—State Street Bank and Trust Company, Trustee, et al to Delbert D. Thomas, et ux, 5-17-99, 22 acs. E 1/2 NE 1/4 Sec. 6, Blk. A-4, H & G.N. Ry. Company Survey.

DT—Wright Funeral Directors to First National Bank of Shamrock, 6-14-99, S 1/3 Blk. 30, Wheeler, and Lots 1, 2, 11, and 12, Blk. 18, Shamrock.

RDT—Wheeler Banking Center to Wrght Funeral Directors, 6-14-99, S 1/3 Blk. 30, Wheeler, and Lots 1, 2, 11, and 12, Blk. 18, Shamrock.

District Clerk's Filings
10751 In Re: A minor child, 6-7-99, Name Change
10752—Elbert Bivins vs. Clifford Walsler and Bill Quinn Turnbow, 6-15-99, Negligence.

This is sure a pleasant day but we are getting dry. Had less than two inches this month. Got down in the low 50's last two mornings. I know it has froze ice as late as Memorial Day but has it ever done that in June? They say the sun always peeks out on Friday. A little peek is sure all it managed today.

I have had quite a day. Got ready to do my column and my printing system was dead as heck. Finally got everything to churning. Hope it holds out.

Best news is our neighbors, Tim and Gena Bryan have a little baby boy born at Elk City. He is named Chaz Aaron. His grandmother in this community is Lois Bryan. Great-grandparents are Lorene and Albert Bryan.

Had some birthdays this weekend. Dabby Anderson took her mother, Helen Smith, to the Western Sizzling for a dinner.

Peggy and Leroy Dunlap took her mother, Iva Thompson, to Wellington

Gageby (from Page 3)

Jone Hefley and Dawson from Tulsa, Patsy and Donald Stinnett and Annette Stolba and Ashley and Michael all from Buena Vista, Colorado and Charlotte Kaercher and Douglas from Salida, Colorado. All except David attended the Gilmer Family Reunion at Allison. Dawson Hefley was the youngest member there.

Kristi Hefley was a weekend visitor to David and Phyllis Hefley. They all went to church at Wheeler Methodist Sunday and took David's mom, Pauline Hefley, out to eat at Soto Family Restaurant. They went back and visited some with Clifford. He isn't well.

John and Virginia Cook from Bartlesville, Oklahoma spent several days with his sister, Mary Finsterwald. Good to see them at the wedding for April and Chris Mick. Mary had the misfortune to fall and break her upper arm while they were there. She has been in Wheeler Hospital, but no surgery planned.

Debbie Kinnaman visited her mom, Lou Dean Douthit on Wednesday.

Monday, Lou Dean went to Wayne Meek's funeral and also visited Zinia Bailey at Wheeler Care Center.

Many people enjoyed the youth choir from Montgomery, Alabama at First Baptist Church Wheeler Friday night. Quite a show! They were fed and lodged by members of the church. Ed and Laurel Hershman had six boys spending the night with them. Nice group.

Nice to have Ed and Laurel Hershman join us for lunch at Maxey's Sunday to celebrate their 34th Wedding Anniversary. And many more!

Ed Hershman and Laurel Singleton met in Colorado 1964. She was taking a course in floral arranging at Colorado Springs. Ed was in the army stationed there from Indiana. They were united in marriage June 20 at Gageby Church 1965 with reception at our house. They've had a wonderful marriage, always doing for others.

Sunday was the Hudson Reunion at Bfiscoe School with about 28 there. Sharon Grandstaff and Randy Gatlin came down about noon Saturday and brought MaMary Hudson, 98. She enjoys these cousins reunion so much. They ate a hamburger supper at Ray and Glenda Hudsons Saturday night. Also there were Brady and Cynthia Hudson, and Micka and Megan from Ripley, Oklahoma and Sonya Hudson and Patrick. Coming Sunday were Cindy Sweet and Cheryl Fraley from Amarillo and the others to the reunion. They hope to have another one next year.

Proverbs 28:2 "When there is moral rot within a nation, its government topples easily; but with honest, sensible leaders there is stability." Pray for our country.

The fourth of July celebrations will be on Saturday July 3 at Wheeler and Canadian. At Canadian the parade starts at 10:00 and comes by courthouse about 10:30. Always interesting entries and horseback riders, ball teams, cheerleaders and many things. We especially enjoy taking a lawn chair and watching the parade under the trees at the courthouse. And then, The Old Timers Reunion and Barbeque lunch will be served at the City Auditorium free to Old Timers and \$5 to others at noon. Sponsored by the River Valley Museum. Always good to see everyone. There will be \$1 hamburgers hosted by Ampride in their parking lot. Lowe's Pay and Save will serve free hot dog and coke lunch after the parade in their parking lot again this year. There will also be turtle race, dances and rodeos July 1, 2, 3. Watermelon feast at 5:30 Saturday at duck ponds, and many other activities including crafts show.

Rosalie enjoyed calls from Boyd Cockran, Ruth Taylor's son, from Battle Ground, Washington and Thelma Bailey from New Mexico.

Golden Agers from First Baptist Church Wheeler and Friends went to Elk City Monday night June 21 in two vans to the Red Carpet Theatre to see "Hello Dolly", a sprightly musical comedy with singing and dancing. We enjoyed visiting on the way and had a stop at Braums on the way home for treats. Bill Stewart and Ed Hershman drove the vans. Good job! Others going were Betty Howard, Frances Hefley, Ned Burrel, Ann Ellison, Adrian Risner, Iona May, Mae Brazeal, Shirley Horton, Nema Stewart, Marie Baker, Laurel Hershman, Lois Meadows, Mary Margaret Dodd, Nova Powledge, Joyce Perkins, Elsie Hughes, Vea Fillingim, Evalyn Free, Edna May, Lou Dean Douthit, Marie Gudgel, Willis and Verna Fillingim. Thanks for the trip, First Baptist. It was fun.

"God be with you till we meet again"

for a birthday dinner with Dale's and attended the dedication of their church.

They had a dinner at Sweetwater Baptist Church honoring the senior members. Took plates to those who couldn't attend. Judy Tipton came by with plates for us. We really enjoyed them. Juanita Coffey was there from Elk. She has gone to that church for 70 years, she said. Her son, Ross, and family were there.

Theresa and Wilbur Nabors came over Tuesday. She took me to Elk to see Dr. Edwards for a final eye check. Got a very good report. Wilbur stayed with Joe.

Linda Carter, Junior and Alexis Carter, Spokane, Wash., Carol and Theron Nunn, Watonga, Darrell Whisler, Elk., Wash., were out to visit Ray and Doris Smith last week.

Have had several calls about the epsom salts around the tomato plants. I think about a level tablespoon would be the right amount. I forget what the sulphur did but it was good for roses too. Don't forget sugar kills nematodes.

Visiting Kathy and Darrel Heinsohns and E. L. Fowlers this week were Jamie Teel, Cody, Clay, Corbin from Canute and Tess Malcum and Ky from Reydon.

Bill and Marion Jones, Dumas, Tx., were recent visitors of Bonnie and Arnold Rice.

Don and Donna Shope, Sand Springs, were out to see J. E. and Clara Lou McGuire Friday.

Slade Tennyer had a first and second placing at the Elk Speedway Races. He's our propane man.

We enjoyed seeing the Bison Sculpture at the Old Town Museum in Elk. It was made by Joe Smith of Leedey. They dedicated it Saturday.

Ed and Eileen Logan, C. R. and Minnie Rae Tucker had wedding anniversaries last weekend. Their kids got together and gave them several surprises. They got to Edmond and had a short visit with Monica Shoffner. While they were there, they got a call to go to the Golden Corral for dinner.

A fancy limousine met them and took them to the Corral. There they were surprised to find their children and grandchildren. They were Charles, Lanette and Stacy Bryan, Chris Shoffner, Emily Lipscomb, Edmond, Misty and Sam Sisk, Cleveland; Ron, Jolene, Robyn, Rob, Regina, Ronda, Cord and Cara, Lisa and Cody and Manford Tucker, Edmond; Janis Forbes, Whitney and Jessica, Newcastle. The Logans had calls from Natalie Shoffner, Alexandria, VA.; Stephanie and Kirk Stites, Ft. Smith, AR.

When they came out, the limousine took them to Guthrie and stopped in front of the Victorian Rose. There a horse and buggy was waiting to take them on a sight seeing tour of Guthrie. The driver told them interesting details as they went along.

Next morning the Rose served them a breakfast Victorian style. They got back to Elk City in time for a lunch of Braum hamburgers and then on to Sweetwater. Tired and Happy, it was a 57th for the Logans and 58th for the Tuckers.

Tony called last night to say they had made it back to Orlando. They detoured to see Ginger and Ken in Albuquerque and Joe Dales in San Antonio. He was happy to see classmates, Alma Richardson, Willie Mae Odum and Alice Jarnagin while here.

Villard Sanders fell recently and broke his hip. He is at Grand Place now, recuperating.

Justin Smith, Elk City, sort of made the Big Time when he helped the Crimson Tide defeat OSU.

Our Cheyenne Security Bank won a first place award from the Oklahoma Banking Ass'n. for their service to the community.

Birthdays folks are Analou Clifton, Jan Henson, Gary Quinn, Virginia LeGrand, Debra Hill, Linda Baker, Billy Sutton, Betty Sites, Bonnie Anderson. Anniversary, Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Chandler.

4-H, FFA Members Must Validate Steers for Show

All 4-H & FFA members who plan to show steers in the 2000 Wheeler County Junior Livestock Show or any of the major Texas shows must have their steers validated during the month of June.

Validation sessions are set for Wheeler County exhibitors on Thursday, June 24 at the Wheeler Veterinary Clinic, and Monday, June 28 at the Kiker Ranch south of Shamrock. Both sessions will be held from 7:00 a.m. to 8:00 a.m. One parent of each exhibitor should be present when the steer is validated unless prior arrangements are made with the county Extension agent or agricultural science teacher.

Validation will include ear tagging, tattooing and nose printing.

Any Association member who wants to propose a rule change must submit the proposal, in writing, to Don King, County Extension Agent no later than Monday, May 24.

Anyone wishing to join the Association may do so by contacting the County Extension Office for a membership application and paying the \$5.00 membership fee.

Sheets (from Page 1)

of Kellerville. His car left the road, flipped end over end and came to rest on its roof. Sheets was ejected from the car.

Shamrock and McLean ambulances were called to the scene. The victim was taken by McLean Ambulance to McLean, and then was taken by helicopter to Amarillo.

Jason was seriously injured.

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