

Students will serve Supper at the School Thursday evening. of the meal will be 5.00 and will continue until around 9:00. The group will offer Chili at 50 cents and all home made pie at 20 cents. All funds raised will go toward the purchase of new uniforms. So plan now to have supper with the Band Boosters at the Cafeteria Thurs.

An invitation is being extended to join in the WORLD DAY OF PRAYER on Friday Feb. 14th at the Youth Chapel of Wheeler Methodist Church. All Christian women of every church are invited.



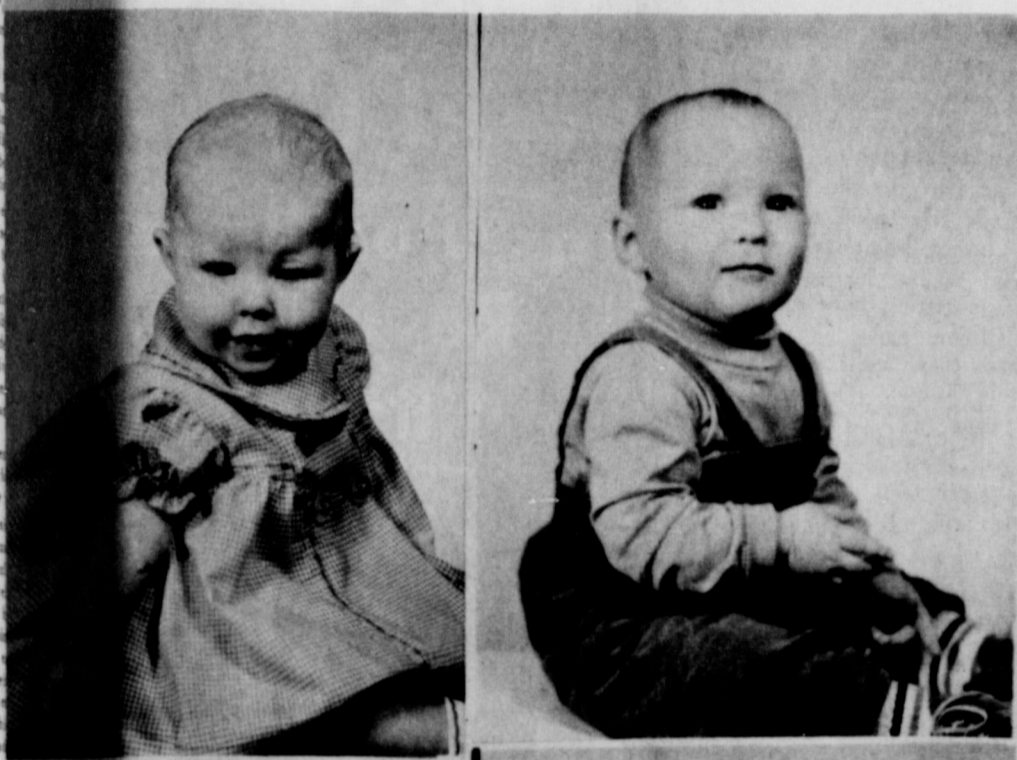
# The Wheeler Times



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## 5 TO 1 FOR HOSPITAL



GRAND OPENING Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Lancaster are celebrating the opening of Lancaster Dept. Store. Lewis has managed the store as J-Lee Dept. Store and with the grand opening will be showing their spring clothes and offering the remainder of the fall clothing at reduced prices. Several prizes will be awarded to all ages. Check the Lancaster ad elsewhere in the Times for further information.

**Evalena Myers Services Saturday**  
Funeral services were held for Mrs. Evalena Myers on February 8, 1964, at the Church of Christ in Mobeetie with the Rev. E.R. Carver officiating assisted by Rev. Lester Hathaway. She was born, Evalena Cox, on Oct. 12, 1875 in Ross-ville, Illinois. She was married to Allison Woodville Myers on Oct. 19, 1897. They came to Wheeler County in 1906 from Shawnee, Oklahoma, this move being a 15 day trip in a covered wagon. Mr. Myers operated the first wagon yard in Wheeler. He preceded her in death on Oct. 25, 1935. Mrs. Myers moved from Wheeler to Mobeetie in 1925 where she resided until the past six weeks. As she has been seriously ill she had been with a daughter, Mrs. John London at Groom, where she passed away on Feb. 7, 1964. She was 88 years, 3 months, and 24 days. She was a member of the Church of Christ and her occupation was a homemaker. Survivors include nine of her ten children: Allison Myers, Meadows, Raymond Myers, Barrington, New Jersey, Opal Myers, Mulshoe; Elton Myers, Bakersfield, Calif.; Duane Myers, Twenty Nine Palms, Calif.; Clifford Myers, Hart; Lynn Myers, Borger; Mrs. Emalea London, Groom and Mrs. Fern Ruff of Pampa. One son Earl Myers, preceded her in death. Survivors include one brother, Ted Cox, 35 grandchildren, 57 great grand children. Pall bearers included Cecil Bailey, Shelby Pettit, Paul Hathaway, Oran Horn, Gene Townsend and J.C. Badgett. She was laid to rest beside her husband in the Mobeetie Cemetery under direction of the Kirk Funeral Home of Wheeler.

### Snow Disappears With No Waste

Well, the snow is melting away fast, but slow enough that the majority is soaking into the ground for use later this year. The snow remained where it fell with no blowing or drifting. However, several Wheeler residents who arrived in Pampa early Thursday morning, found themselves stranded there for the night. The road to Pampa was passable only for a short time Thursday, and was closed to traffic at Laketon. Two Wheeler residents were injured in a traffic accident near Pampa Thursday and four others found themselves stranded five miles east of Pampa. Tom Britt reported that the cattle in this area were not hurt by the heavy snow. He stated that the cattle shrank some but the loss would soon be gained back after the cattle have been fed. As soon as the weather permits, the farmers will be out in the field getting their land worked for planting later in the year. Charles Jackson, county agent, urges the farmers to take samples of their soil and get it sent in so it can be returned in time to fertilize the coming crops. The closer planting time comes, the longer it will take to get the test back.

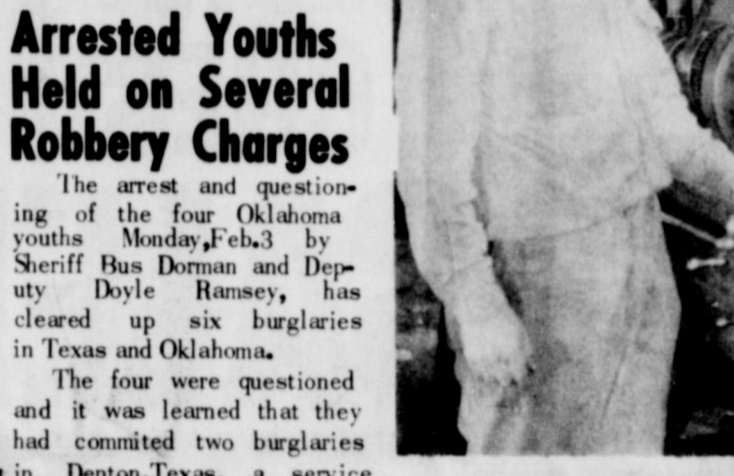
### SEWING CLASS

Anyone interested in becoming better dressed for less, may do so if they have had the basic skills in clothing selection and construction. An advanced course in dressmaking will be conducted by your county Home Demonstration Agent. The course is equivalent to a \$50.00 sewing course. You may want to take advantage of this opportunity. The course will be held at the Home of Wheeler.

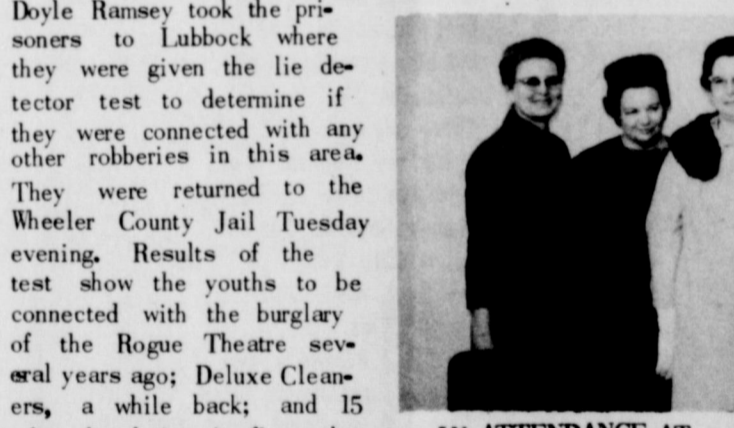
**WHEELER, Feb. 8** — Residents of north Wheeler County braved snow and slushy streets today to vote approval for a \$250,000 bond issue directed at the construction of a new hospital here. Final tally on the ballots was 616 for and 134 against. Mayor Thomas Daughtry said it was an exceptionally large turnout and that the number of voters was better than had been expected. Construction on the new hospital is anticipated to begin in the next two or three months, Daughtry said. The new hospital will have 20 beds and will be able to expand to 30 bed capacity. Wheeler at present has no operating hospital. Designer of the proposed building is Gene Holler of Pampa. Members of the North Wheeler County Hospital District board of directors include president Tom Puryear, vice-president Herbert Finsterwald, secretary-treasurer Hiram Whiner, and members Lester Leonard and Clyde Duke.

**Arrested Youths Held on Several Robbery Charges**  
The arrest and questioning of the four Oklahoma youths Monday, Feb. 3, by Sheriff Bus Dorman and Deputy Doyle Ramsey, has cleared up six burglaries in Texas and Oklahoma. The four were questioned and it was learned that they had committed two burglaries in Denton, Texas, a service station and a drive-in; three in Gainesville, a cafe, V.F.W. Hall, and a gas station and also a cafe in Ratliff, Oklahoma. The four were enroute to Mexico and decided to pull this one last job before making their way to the border. They were caught in the act of trying to open the safe at the Wheeler High School building. Doyle Ramsey took the prisoners to Lubbock where they were given the lie detector test to determine if they were connected with any other robberies in this area. They were returned to the Wheeler County Jail Tuesday evening. Results of the test show the youths to be connected with the burglary of the Rogue Theatre several years ago; Deluxe Cleaners, a white back; and 15 other burglaries in five other counties. Ranger Bill Baten of Pampa accompanied the prisoners and Deputy Doyle Ramsey to Lubbock where the tests were given by the Department of Public Safety.

**INTRODUCING**  
Introducing Harvey Alexander, who recently opened the Fred Farmer Machine shop. Mr. Alexander is from Pampa and offers 6 years experience as a Machinist and Welder. He was last employed by Jones-Everett Machine Shop in Pampa. Alexander purchased the machinery and has leased the building. The shop will be open six days a week from 9:00 to 5:00. He invites all of Fred's customers and welcomes new ones to visit him at the corner of Highways 83 and 152. Mr. and Mrs. Alexander reside in Pampa at the present time, but plan to move to Wheeler in the near future. There are four children in the family. They range in age from 1 to 6, with the oldest having started school this year.



**IN ATTENDANCE AT T.H.D.A. MEETING WERE**  
Left to right: Mrs. O.W. Nowlin, County Home Demonstration agent, Miss Edith Lois Wilson District 1 Agent Mrs. Herbert Finsterwald Wheeler Co. Council Chairman, Mrs. R.A. Hodges, District 1 Director and Mrs. Bill Topper, Wheeler County F.H.D.A. Chairman. (Story elsewhere in the paper)



**R & R Fertilizer Co. Open for Business**  
Richerson Grain recently purchased the Revious Fertilizer Co. and will operate the business under the name of R & R Fertilizer Co. The company plans to offer fertilizer and seed. A representative of the Best Fertilizer Co. of Houston will be in Wheeler soon and will test your soil at no expense to you. If you are interested, contact Ron Richerson at 5231. Farmers will be offered Best, Plainsman, International, and Anhydrous Ammonia. Ron Richerson urges you to contact him and state what type of fertilizer you plan to use, that they may have it available when you need it. The firm plans to offer Paymaster Seed in addition to Fertilizer and is located on East Highway 152. Mr. Joe Holms, District Organization Manager of District 1 is shown as he meets two Wheeler County Farm Bureau members, Mr. Raymond Moore and Mr. Johnnie Burrell, at the Farm Bureau Board meeting Tuesday Evening. After a business session, Mr. Holms introduced a slide film about production payments. There were 18 members present for the meeting. Shown with the group is Mr. George Richardson, Service Manager for Wheeler and Hemphill County Farm Bureau Insurance. Following the meeting, Mr. Holms was shown the new location of the Wheeler County Farm Bureau Office which should be in operation within the next few weeks. There are over 500 Farm Bureau members in the Wheeler County.



Citizens: Tonjale and Mrs. Dell, Teresa, Susan and Mrs. Roy Ford.

### DISTRICT TOURNAMENT

The District 2-B Basketball Tournament will be held this weekend, February 13, 14, and 15 at the Wheeler High School at the Shamrock Gym. For Four games will be played the Thursday and Friday nights with the contests starting at 5:00. The final 2 games will be played Saturday evening with starting time set for 7:30. Miami and Wheeler girls tied

### C of C Meeting Tuesday

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# COUNTY AGENTS REPORT

BY CULA R. NOWLIN

1964 MEAT SUPPLY UP OVER PAST YEAR

Meat supply experts have taken a head count to see what the meat prospects are for 1964. Their findings should be of interest to consumers. Other protein foods as eggs and dairy products will be in ample supply.

Domestic supplies, along with large beef imports, point to a record year in meats available. Estimates are that there are 107 million head of cattle on the nations' farms and ranches, according to the American Meat Institute. This means that more beef than last year will be appearing at meat counters.

For capita consumption for beef is expected to be 97 pounds per person, an all-time high. Although beef is a year-round heavy, well-finished beef reaches the market after the first of the year and continues in good supply through June. In September, the supply increases, with the year's peak coming usually in October.

Now for the pork picture, the outlook for pork production will be about the same as for 1963 or even greater, or about 64 pounds per person. Although seasonal peaks in pork production have been smoothed considerably in recent years, pork should be in especially good supply from October to May.

Veal supplies for 1964 are expected to be about 4 percent less than a year ago. Generally, the supply of veal does increase during March, but drops off over the summer. Peak supplies of veal for the year are usually available in October.

Broilers and Turkeys will continue to be plentiful and economically priced for use in a variety of ways in your family meals. You may want to begin planning a meat program for your freezer around these seasonal supplies.

**FROZEN FOODS MAKE MEAL PLANNING EXCITING WITH THE NEW TRENDS IN THE FAMILY FOOD FARE**  
You don't have to be a scient-

tist or an epicure to serve good meals, but you will have better meals, while enjoying them more, if you do a certain amount of planning. Why not start now by resolving to jot down menu plans to advance each week? You'll save them, work, and money and avoid humdrum meals without that special appeal or necessary nutrients for the family members.

Fortunately planning economical and varied menus is no longer dependent on seasonal produce and bargain "plentifuls". Frozen foods make it possible to serve summer's finest and vegetables any day of the year, at in-season prices. All you have to do is decide which foods are needed to make traditionally well-balanced and interesting meal outlines. And remember, your plans should include between-meal snacks as well as breakfast, lunch, and dinner!

Many nutritionists consider breakfast the most important meal of the day. But, because time is usually limited, foods for breakfast must be quick and easy to prepare and serve. The basic breakfast plan of fruit, cereal, milk, bread and eggs can be varied by using

different frozen fruits and fruit juices.

The frozen food case also offers a wide selection of frozen hot breads - such as muffins, French toast, waffles, pancakes or coffee cakes. These frozen bakery products are unusually useful where the work or school schedules of different members of the family makes one breakfast time impractical. No one need eat warmed-over fare from earlier servings. Some of these breads are crisped in the toaster - others may be placed on foil to heat in the oven as each person is ready for them.

Lunch, whether eaten at home, at school or at work, is basically a sandwich and salad and soup affair. The freshness and bright colors of frozen fruits and vegetables makes them ideal for a variety of salads: portined patties of meat and cooked meat slices frozen with gray and the frozen cooked seafood fillets make delicious protein-rich sandwiches. Frozen condensed soups are especially well liked because of their rich fresh-like flavor.

Dinner time is family time, should be relaxed and pleasant. Variety and change are

most important in the dinner menu, and nutritionists suggest including a new dish or two on the menu each week - in addition to new variations in preparing or serving old favorites.

Offering different vegetables is probably the easiest way to supply variety - there are so many different vegetables from which to choose, and dozens of ways to serve each one. Frozen food packers have recently introduced a variety of seasoned and sauced frozen vegetables as well as new vegetable combinations. Why, the National Association of Frozen Food Packers tells us you could serve a different frozen vegetable product each night for at least three months without once repeating!

A tentative food plan and shopping list for the week ahead helps you stay within your budget and go through the week without missing important nutrients. Frozen foods enable you to buy for a week or even a month in advance.

And don't forget to consider the supply of food for unexpected guests. It is wise to buy frozen prepared entrees or make them yourself regularly as part of your food plan and to

keep on hand in the freezer at all times for quick preparation to include guests. A selection of frozen desserts to offer afternoon drop-ins is a good idea, too.

### FROM PAGE 1 CHAT

home. She had taken the Vari-typer home to work Monday evening and then could not make it in to work Tuesday or Wednesday. Those items which just had to go were taken in short-hand and then set for the paper. We extend our thanks to the Telephone company for the excellent phone service during this time.

We also must tell you that the paper was printed in Clinton, Okla., since there was no way for us to reach Hereford. The road to Clinton, were completely free of ice, so we had no trouble in getting there and back. The Clinton paper is a daily and they were new at that offset printing, having been at it only two weeks. They do not print any paper but their own. However in this case, they came to our rescue.

Nation's Barber and Beauty Shop was receiving a paint job Monday. Masl Jaco and George Warren were doing the work.

Cicero Smith has completed making their office space larger.

Herman Miller had the road grader out cleaning the snow from the curb on Texas street so the sun could melt it. The merchants on the south side of the square, took this opportunity to scoop the remaining snow from the walk so it could be dragged away from the curb with the rest of the snow. Our thanks to those responsible for seeing that this much needed job was accomplished.

### FROM PAGE 1 BASKET

the same teams. A playoff will be scheduled to determine all district Boys and Girls teams.

The teams of the district and the teams competing in the weekend of play will be both boys and girls teams from Wheeler, Allison, Mobeetie, Kelton, Briscoe and Miami.

### FROM PAGE 1 DRESS

vantage of the opportunity which your County Extension Service offers. There are no fees, and your only expense will be the materials you furnish. The first meeting will be Friday, Feb. 14th at 10:00 a.m., since it was snowed out last week. This course is for all women including non-club members. Come, bring your pencil and note book for the first session.

### SCHOOL MENU

February 17 - 21

Mon - Meat loaf - Buttered potatoes, Tossed Salad, Black Eyed Peas, Cookies, Pears Bread and Butter

Tues - Viena Sausage, Pinto Beans, Sour Krout, Corn Bread, Apple Cake, Milk and Butter

Wed - Baked Ham, Fried Potatoes, Green Beans, Carrot Sticks, Lemon Pie, Milk, Butter and Bread.

Thur - Fried Chicken, New Potatoes, Cabbage Salad, English Peas, Hot Rolls, Syrup Milk and Butter.

Fri - Salmon Croquettes, Buttered Corn, Macaroni and Cheese, Cherry Pie, pickles Bread, Milk and Butter.

Mrs. Vernon Wallis of La Puento, Calif., Mrs. Kay

Foley and Stacey of Oklahoma City and Joe Hyatt of Amarillo spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. Frank Hyatt.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Brown of Burkburnett spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. Burley Mann.

Congratulations to the construction crew on Highway 83 south for the fine job they are doing on Maintaining the road for Motorist over the holidays and over night while under construction.



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| Bay Rum, 4-oz.                          | .40 |
| Boric Acid Crystals, 2-oz.              | .29 |
| Boric Acid Powder, 2-oz.                | .29 |
| Boric Acid Solution, 8-oz.              | .39 |
| Camphorated Oil, 2-oz.                  | .43 |
| Cascara, Aromatic, 2-oz.                | .69 |
| Castor Oil, 2-oz.                       | .39 |
| Castor Oil, 4-oz.                       | .69 |
| Chloroform Liniment, 2-oz.              | .49 |
| Cold Sore Lotion, 1/4-oz.               | .39 |
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| Epsom Salts, 8-oz.                      | .37 |
| Flax Seed, Whole, 2-oz.                 | .33 |
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| Glycerin Suppositories, Infant, 12's    | .50 |
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| Hydrogen Peroxide, 10-Vol. 4-oz.        | .19 |
| Ichthammol Oint., 1-oz. Tube            | .50 |
| Mercurochrome, 1/2-oz.                  | .20 |
| Mineral Oil, 16-oz.                     | .75 |
| Rubbing Alcohol, 16-oz.                 | .59 |
| Senna Leaves, 1-oz.                     | .33 |
| Sodium Bicarbonate, 8-oz.               | .39 |
| Spirits of Ammonia, Aromatic, 1-oz.     | .35 |
| Spirits Camphor, 1-oz.                  | .45 |
| Spirits Peppermint, 1-oz.               | .53 |
| Sulfur Flowers, 4-oz.                   | .35 |
| Sulfur and Cream Tartar Lozenges, 30's  | .53 |
| Tinct. Benzoin Compound, 1-oz.          | .37 |
| Tinct. Iodine, Mild - 2%, 1/2-oz.       | .23 |
| Tinct. Iodine, Mild - 2%, 1-oz.         | .39 |
| Tinct. Merthiolate, Touch-Type, 1/4-oz. | .20 |
| Tinct. Merthiolate, 1-oz.               | .43 |
| Toilet Lanolin, 1-oz. Tube              | .59 |
| Toothache Drops, 1 dram                 | .29 |
| Turpentine, 2-oz.                       | .27 |
| Vaporizer Fluid, 2-oz.                  | .69 |
| Wintergreen Oil, 1-oz.                  | .39 |
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# PRODUCTION CREDIT OBSERVES ANN.

Canadian Production Credit Association, now observing its 30th anniversary...

and operated in its entirety by 508 rancher and farmer stockholder-borrowers in Gray, Hemphill, Lipscomb, Ochiltree, Roberts and Wheeler Counties.

The association was chartered on January 4, 1934, and since that date has loaned more than \$85,000,000 to farmers and ranchers in its territory.

"We have but one reason for our existence," Crowell explained "and that is to provide a dependable and adequate source of agricultural credit at the lowest possible cost."

Although original capital...

for the associations was supplied by the federal government, Crowell explained, by 1949 all 36 Texas associations had retired all federal funds and association capital became wholly owned by association stockholders.

"At no time have federal funds been used for loan purposes," he emphasized. "We compete for loan funds at the lowest possible interest rates, each month on the nation's commercial money market through the sale of our short-term debentures."

In their 30 year history the 36 Texas PCA's, all home-owned and operated, have provided more than \$3 billion in credit to the state's farmers, ranchers and dairymen.

Serving on the Canadian Production Credit Association board of directors, all active in farming and ranching, are President H. H. Keahney of White Deer, Vice President Wallace N. Hamker of Booker, M. Lawrence Ellzey of Perryton, C. B. Henderson of Wheeler, Dale Nix and Hugh F. Parsell, both of Canadian.

Offices are operated in Canadian, Pampa, Wheeler and Perryton. Personnel includes General Manager and Secretary-Treasurer Crowell, Assistant Manager John R. Ball, Bookkeeper C.D. Reagan and Clerk Perilee Ellis, all of Canadian; Representative Lynn Futch and Clerk Thea Webb of Pampa and Representative James Verden and Clerk Jean DeArment of Wheeler.

# OF INTEREST TO FARMERS

CO. AGRICULTURE AGENT

CHARLES D. JACKSON

## EXAMINATION OF BULLS FOR BREEDING POTENTIAL

The beef industry is subject to considerable economic loss each year because of breeding failure. The acceptance of the concept of "herd infertility" has become increasingly noticeable during recent years. While individual females may suffer sporadic, non-transmissible infertility their effect on the breeding efficiency on the herd is insignificant when compared with the sub-fertile male.

We have a visible measure of the cows reproductive performance in the calf that may or may not be at her side. The only similar measure for the bull means that we have to wait a long time after he has been used to see whether or not he is siring calves.

The evaluation of a bull for breeding soundness includes both physical and semen quality examinations. The overall health of the bull is fully as important as the detailed semen examination.

Semen collections for examinations of this nature are usually made with the electric ejaculator. This instrument has proven to be a valuable tool when a large number of bulls are collected in a relatively short period.

## CARD OF THANKS

We wish to extend a sincere "Thank you" to all of our friends and neighbors for their cards, memorials and other expressions of sympathy at the time of our recent bereavement.

MRS. A.L. BEAN & FAMILY  
Carrol Adams and Corky Guthrie made a business trip to Tipton and Hollis, Okla. recently.

Linda Topper visited with Debbie Snelgroes Sunday and Sunday night.

Miss Maggie Ramsey who has been a patient in the Shamrock Hospital for two weeks returned home Thursday.

Mrs. Harrison Hall returned home from the Highland Gen. Hospital in Pampa last week.

## SOIL TEST SUGGESTED FOR FARMERS SOIL BANK LAND

Wheeler County Farmers have seventy-one Soil Bank Contracts that total 7,234 acres that has been released from the Soil Bank as of January 1st.

"Don't guess - - - soil test," the county agents advise to farmers in this situation. If the land coming out of soil bank contracts is to be returned to agricultural production, soil test should be made even if it is to be used for pasture or hay.

Soil tests are the best way to help decide proper fertilizer applications. Test results help farmers decide the treatment to bring land up to most efficient levels of production.

Many gardeners and homemakers are being outsmarted by tiny roundworms that have neither brains nor eyes. These worms are root-knot nematodes that find their way into roots of living plants and cause conspicuous swellings on the roots.

## ROOT-KNOT NEMATODE CONTROL ON ORNAMENTS

Upon entering the root, a female engulfs and is capable of producing over 300 eggs in a period as short as 30 days under favorable conditions. These eggs hatch quite soon under favorable conditions and the infection cycle occurs again causing the population to increase to tremendous numbers.

Root-knot nematodes can be controlled. Addition of large amounts of organic matter to the soil often helps to lessen damage but cannot be relied upon for complete control.

Root-knot nematodes can be controlled. Addition of large amounts of organic matter to the soil often helps to lessen damage but cannot be relied upon for complete control. The addition of table sugar to the soil definitely is not recommended.

Nematocides that are recommended preplant only are Vortex, VPM and Vapam. One-half to one pint or quart of these materials will treat 100 square feet. Additional water should be applied to the treated area so as to move the chemical down to the root zone of the plant.

# YOU BE THE JUDGE,

of Our Talent Show .

Tuesday Feb. 18 at 7:30 at the Rogue Theatre in Wheeler. This Show Features the Valesques Bros. Playing and Singing American and Spanish Music.

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Second Place \$15.00 Cash  
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# TUESDAY, FEB. 18 7:30 P.M.



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# ELECTRICITY POWERS PROGRESS

This is National Electrical Week, marking the 117th anniversary of the birth of Thomas Alva Edison. It was Edison's invention of the first practical incandescent lamp that gave birth to an industry that now employs more than three million men and women, or 1 out of every 20 American workers. Almost every industry owes its progress to the power produced by electricity for, truly, electricity powers progress.

**IN THE HOME**  
**IN INDUSTRY**  
**IN BUSINESS**  
**ON THE FARM**

**SOUTHWESTERN PUBLIC SERVICE COMPANY**

**NATIONAL ELECTRICAL WEEK... FEBRUARY 9-15, 1964**

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# LANCASTER

Dept. Store  
WHEELER, TEXAS

Come in and register for free prizes to be given away on Saturday night at 6 p.m. You may register any time on Thursday, Friday and Saturday. You do not have to buy anything to register. You do not have to be present to win. For our customers 16 yrs. and over, we have a \$1498

dress for the lucky lady. For the lucky man we have a \$1498 pair of dress pants. For our little customers we have a beautiful Tammy Doll. And for some lucky little boy a battle set to be assembled. We invite you to help us celebrate our Grand Opening.

New Shipment Just Unpacked! Over 150 to Choose From!

## DALLAS COTTONS

One Low Price

**6.98**

Junior, Misses & Half Sizes

- ◆ Fresh New Styles
- ◆ New Dark Tones or Summer Cottons
- ◆ Full Skirts and Shirtwaist
- ◆ Prints ◆ Patterns ◆ Plaids ◆ Solids
- ◆ Many of these made to sell for much more



# GRAND OPENING



## Bobbie Brookes

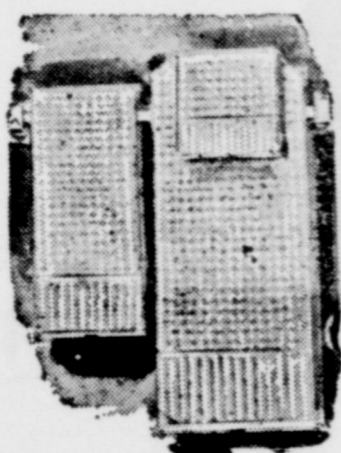
Spring Styles and Colors  
All Wool and Dacrons

SWEATERS      SKIRTS

SLIM PANTS

**1/2 PRICE**

NICE SELECTION OF STYLES AND COLORS!



### CANNON TOWELS

- ◆ Thick Fluffy Terry Towels!
- ◆ Solid Colors and Beautiful Stripes!

22" X 44"      66¢

15" X 25"      33¢

Wash Cloths ... 4 for \$1



Men's Ban-Lon  
SHORT SLEEVE

### KNIT SHIRTS

REDUCED!

**300 & 400**

- ◆ Good Selection of Styles!
- ◆ Sizes: S. M. L.



### CLEARANCE! WOMENS SLEEPWEAR

Pajamas, Gowns,  
and Dusters ...

**2<sup>00</sup>**

Cotton Flannel

### GIRLS SLEEPWEAR

REDUCED to ... **200**



Sew and Sew  
Piece Goods

**28¢**

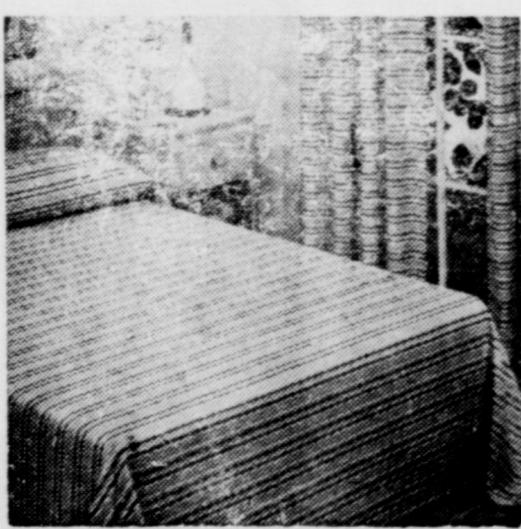
Assortment  
in 80 Sq.  
Cottons!

## Floral Printed Ticking



### KAPOK FILLED BED PILLOWS

Large Size:  
18" X 28"!  
Light and Fluffy      **88¢ EACH**



### ALL PURPOSE BEDSPREADS

New Shipment in a Big Assortment of Colors Twin and Full Bed Size Washable!      **5<sup>00</sup>**

Boys  
and  
Girls

### SHOES

**2<sup>00</sup>**

Colors Brown  
and Black  
Sizes 8 1/2 to 3



Grouped Special  
For Our Grand Opening

### OF BETTER DRESSES

THREE GROUPS TO CHOOSE FROM

**500    600    800**

Junior, Misses and Half Sizes  
Large Selection of Colors, Fabrics and Styles!

### CLEARANCE!

Mens Long Sleeve

### SPORT SHIRTS

**2<sup>00</sup> & 3<sup>00</sup>**

Wash and Wear Printed Cottons

ALL SIZES

Wool Blends in Plaid & Solids      **5<sup>00</sup>**

### CLEARANCE!

**MENS SWEATERS 5.00-8.00**  
**BOYS SWEATERS 2.00-5.66**



Saving  
on Womens

### COATS

All Weather  
Coats with  
Zipout Lining

**10<sup>00</sup>**

### Short Coats

Colors Red,  
Blue, Black  
in Laminated  
**10<sup>00</sup>**



### MENS DRESS PANTS REDUCED!

**600-999**

All Wool and Wool Blends ...  
Plain or Pleated Fronts!  
28 to 42 Waist Size



### PLAYTEX GIRDLES REDUCED!

We are Discontinuing  
These Styles  
Save up to 8.00!

We Have 85 of  
These Now in  
Stock.      **4<sup>00</sup>**

## 20% Discount



### SILF SKIRTS

GIRDLES  
PANTIE GIRDLES

### SPECIAL SAVINGS

Reg. 5.00 Now  
Reg. 5.95 ...  
Reg. 6.95 ...  
Reg. 7.50 ...  
Reg. 7.95 ...  
Reg. 8.50 ...

BOYS LONG SLEEVE

### SPORT SHIRTS

◆ WASH AND WEAR PRINTED  
COTTONS

**144 to 200**

TWO GROUPS OF WOMEN'S  
WINTER SKIRTS

**300 and 500**

◆ SIZES 22 TO 28  
◆ ALL WOOL AND BLENDS

Girls Car Coats **5<sup>00</sup>**

# CONGRATULATIONS

to

# Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Lancaster

on the Grand Opening of

# LANCASTER DEPT. STORE

Formerly

# J-LEE DEPT. STORE

We Take this Means of Saying Congratulations on your Recent Purchase and Wish you Many Years of Success.

These Merchants are Behind you 100%.

Pictured on the Right

- Lewis Lancaster
- Ilene Lancaster
- Cuba Mann
- Fay May
- Dorothy Greenhouse



- NASH APPLIANCE
- MES WHITENER AGENCY
- Dorale Hutchinsons
- MR & MRS SABBE
- JOHN VICE AGENCY
- WARE CHEVROLET CO.
- R & R FERTILIZER CO.
- PAUL & YREVA TOPPER
- Wagon Ford Implemt Co.
- WINDPOOL-BURTON MOTOR
- THE WHEELER TIMES
- JOE LY HOBBY SHOP
- ERD SMITH LUMBER CO.
- WHEELER LUMBER CO.
- CLAY FOOD STORE
- SPECK'S CAFE
- W. H. MILLING CO.
- WHEELER GAS CO.
- EL HARDWARE & FURN.
- SERVICE CLEANERS
- WHEELER IMPLEMENT CO.
- MUSTANG CAFE
- SHAMROCK PRODUCTS
- INDUSTRIAL CREDIT ASS'N
- WHEELER GIN
- WHEELER'S 66 TRUCK STOP
- APPLIANCE CENTER
- BETTY TOPPER
- MRS GEORGE HEFLEY

- PAKAN AUTO PARTS
- PUCKETTS GROCERY
- WHEELER ABSTRACT CO.
- WHEELER T.V. SYSTEM
- MR & MRS BUS DORMAN
- NORM'S BEAUTY SALON

- KIRK FUNERAL HOME
- LUTTRELL TRUCKING
- McLANY DRY GOODS
- NORA'S CAFE
- Ogle's Speed Queen Laundry
- OWEN'S SERVICE STA.

- DAUGHTERY'S 5&10c
- DON'S COURTS
- DON EARNEY
- Wheeler Co. Farm Bureau
- ISLAND PHARMACY
- HALL'S FLOWER SHOP

- A & K WELDING
- A & B FARM SUPPLY
- ALBERT'S SHAMROCK SER.
- MR & MRS SHELBY PETTIT
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