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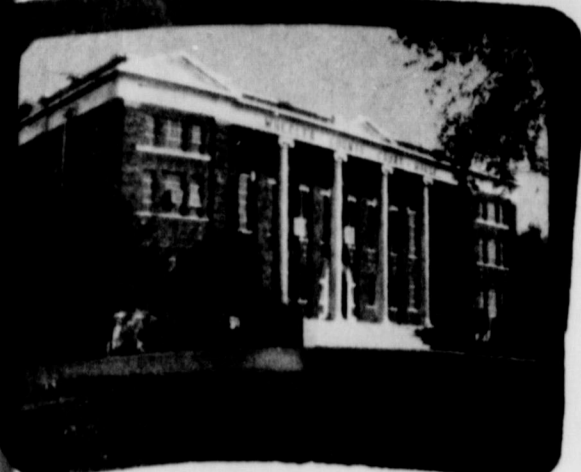
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THE WHEELER TIMES

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THURSDAY, JANUARY 25, 1968

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WHEELER GIRLS, MCLEAN WINS TOURNEY

MALOUF ABRAHAM ASKS FOR SECOND TERM AS STATE REPRESENTATIVE



Malouf Abraham

Malouf Abraham of Canadian announces his candidacy for re-election as State representative for this District. This presently is the 84th District, but will become the 79th District with the addition of Hansford County, making seven counties. His statement is as follows:

Two years ago when I ran for this office the only thing I promised you was that I would work hard to serve the needs of this District and the State as a whole. I have enjoyed serving you very much and have certainly learned a lot about State Government. I know this experience will benefit me greatly next term. I have made it a point to stay in touch with the people of the district and will continue to do so. Please feel free to contact me any time about your problems. I will be planning on seeing as many of you as possible this year. You will recall when I ran two years ago there was only one Republican in the House. Three of us were elected and now there will be seven Republicans in the house for the special session. Am expecting a lot more next year. I solicit your continued support.

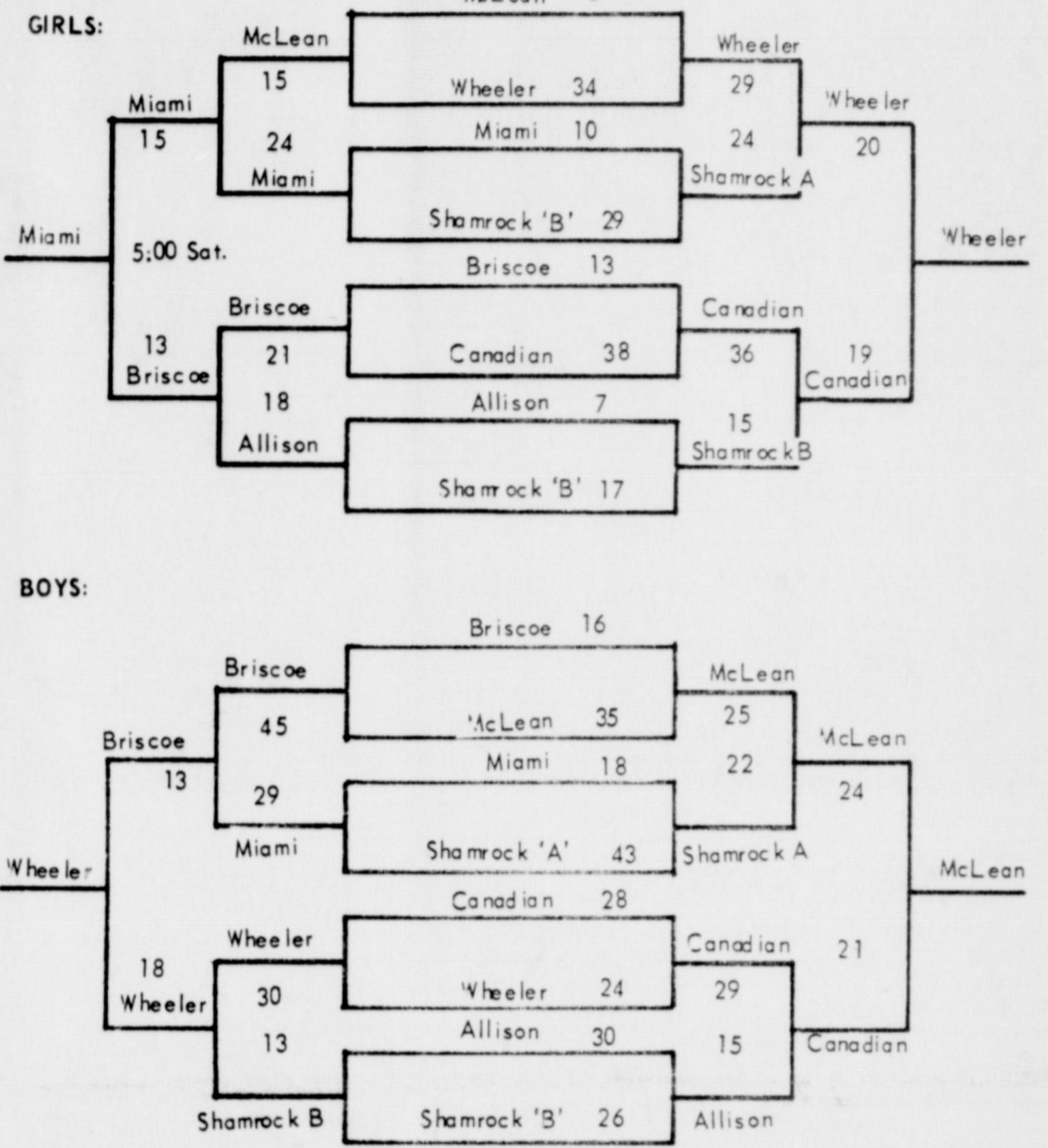
Very truly yours,
Malouf Abraham

Last week's grade school basketball tournament in Wheeler was a success with Wheeler girls and McLean Boys taking top honors. Canadian's teams took sec-

ondplace honors at the tourney. Consolation went to Miami girls and Wheeler boys.

The Briscoe teams were awarded the Sportsmanship trophies.

WHEELER JUNIOR HIGH TOURNAMENT JAN. 15-16-18-19-20



GUY HARDIN ENTERS DIST. ATTORNEY RACE



GUY HARDIN

Guy Hardin, Shamrock attorney, announced today that he is a candidate for the office of District Attorney of the 31st Judicial District, subject to the action of the Democratic Primary.

Hardin, a graduate of the Baylor University School of Law, began his law practice in Shamrock in 1949. He has served as County Attorney of Wheeler County from 1953 to 1956 and from 1961 until the present time.

Hardin has served his community and profession in many capacities. He is a member of the First Baptist Church, Boosters Club and he is past President of the Shamrock Jaycees, Past Adjutant of the De-Shazo-George American Legion, and at the present time is serving his second term as Fire Chief. He served for many years as a member of the Grievance Committee for the State Bar of Texas. He is now serving as a Director of the Texas District and County Attorneys Association.

Mr. Hardin stated that he is an advocator of diligent and fair prosecution and that he believes this to be a vital factor in maintaining responsibility to society.

Hardin and his wife, Helen, reside at 514 South Madden, Shamrock, with their five children, Elaine, a senior at Texas Tech; Suzanne, a junior in Shamrock High; Stephen, a sophomore student at Shamrock High; Carolyn, a third grader at Shamrock North Ward and Alicia, age 3.

In making this announcement Hardin said "During the time that I have served in public life, I have tried to serve well, and I am asking you for your support in seeking the office of District Attorney. If elected, I pledge to continue to serve to the best of my ability."

BOY BRADSTREET IS A CANDIDATE FOR COMM.

Coy N. Bradstreet, a long time resident of Wheeler, announced this week that he would be a candidate for Commissioner of Precinct #1 in the upcoming primary election. Mr. Bradstreet has been a resident of Wheeler County since 1931 and is well known to the people of this county. He has operated his own automotive garage for

the Wheeler Schools. Coy is a member of the Baptist Church and is active in American Legion affairs and in the local Legion Post.

"In submitting my announcement as candidate for Commissioner of Precinct #1, I will devote my full time to the duties of both county and precinct. I feel that my experience in the maintenance and operation of equipment and machinery will be very helpful in this field," stated Bradstreet.

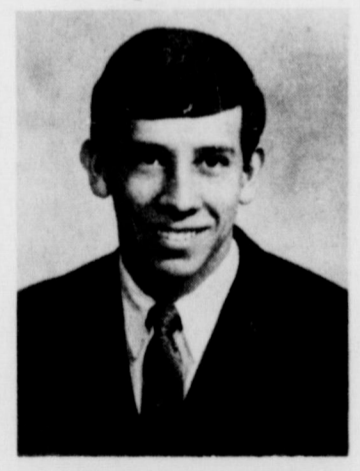
"If elected, I will appreciate the help and suggestions of anyone in the precinct or county, pertaining to the maintenance of county roads and bridges and will give fair and impartial service to everyone. Your support, vote and influence will be sincerely appreciated in the May 4 Democratic Primaries," concluded Bradstreet.

BAND INSTRUCTOR HIRED

By Arling Cordell, Supt.
Wheeler Board of Education is happy to announce the employment of Mr. Vennis Wren, of Hugo, Okla., graduate of Central State College, Edmond, Okla., as our band instructor. Mr. Wren is single, 23 years old and has a B.S. in Music Education.

He will need the assistance of everyone - parents, pupils, teachers - in order to rebuild the band program. Band Mothers are being asked to reorganize, anyone interested in Band, either as a beginner or for the Mustang Band, is urged to contact Mr. Wren at once.

This semester can and should be a time of re-establishing a strong band program. Let's all get behind this fine organization.



Mr. and Mrs. Bob Martin are the proud parents of a baby son, born January 23rd in Highland General Hospital in Pampa. He weighed 8 lbs. 5 ozs and has been named Randy Lee.

Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Lindsey McCasland of Wheeler and Mr. and Mrs. P.A. Martin of Gageby.

March of Dimes Chairmen Named

Harry Wofford, Chairman of the Wheeler County chapter of the National Foundation of March of Dimes stated Monday that he has named the following as chairmen of their area's March of Dimes: Mrs. J.M. Montgomery - Wheeler; Mrs. Ernest Gordon - Mobeetie; Mrs. Rex Miller - Allison; and Mrs. Katie Finsterwald of Briscoe.

He also stated that anyone wishing to make a contribution should contact one of these women.

The Mother March of Dimes will be Monday, January 29th starting at 5:00 p.m. in Wheeler.

They will meet prior to the march in the Commissioner's Courtroom in the Court-house.

Mr. and Mrs. Fard Newkirk of Shamrock were the proud parents of the first baby to be born at Parkview Hospital in 1968.

A baby girl was born to them January 23rd, 1968 at 2:05 A.M.

APPLICATION FOR VOTER REGISTRATION CERTIFICATE

COUNTY, TEXAS

Name _____ Date _____

Address _____ RFD _____ Box _____ Zip Code No. _____

AGE	SEX	OCCUPATION	LENGTH OF RESIDENCE (YEARS)			BIRTHPLACE (STATE OR COUNTRY)
			STATE	COUNTY	CITY	
Month	Day	Year				

CITIZENSHIP
 Native Born Naturalized

*Includes foreign born of American parents.

If under 21, show date of birth _____
 If resident of state less than 1 year, show date of arrival _____
 If resident of county less than 6 months, show date of arrival _____

Mail Voter Registration Certificate (1) to above permanent address, (2) to my temporary address at _____; (3) hold for delivery to me in person. (Strike statements which are not applicable.)

I understand that the giving of false information to procure the registration of a voter is a felony.

No one can act as agent and sign for another except husband, wife, father, mother, son or daughter. Agent must be qualified elector in county.

Note: Return this application to the County Tax Assessor-Collector.

Signature of applicant or agent** _____
 Agent's address _____
 Agent's relationship to applicant _____

Funeral Services For C. Farris

Funeral services for Coleman Farris who passed away at his home January 12 of an apparent heart attack was held Monday January 15, 1968 in Pierce Brothers Church Around The Corner in Ingelwood, Calif. at 1 p.m. with the Rev. William H. Mervin, pastor of the First Methodist Church officiating. Burial was in Ingelwood Cemetery.

Coleman, the son of Mr. and Mrs. S.L. Farris was born at Magic City, February 20, 1912, moved to Wheeler in 1926, then to California in 1940.

Serving as pall bearers were Henry Spruell of Amarillo, Dick Graham of Palmdale, Emery and Glenn Strout of San Diego, Charles Schaeffer of Ingelwood and Kenneth Farris of Amarillo.

He leaves to mourn three brothers and four sisters: Boyce Farris of Wheeler, Earl Farris of Palmdale, R.P. Farris of Los Angeles, Mmes. Mary Schaeffer of Wheeler, Ruth Strout of San Diego, Elizabeth Boehning and Cordie Lee Jones of Amarillo. His parents and two sisters preceded him in death.

Hospital Notes

- ADMISSIONS**
- 12-20 Nathan Baumgardner
 - 1-7 Bessie Barry
 - 1-9 George Reams
 - 1-11 Minnie Trout
 - 1-12 Roy Bailey
 - 1-12 Bertie McCoy
 - 1-16 Inez Smith
 - 1-17 John Holcomb
 - 1-18 Clara Fay Musick
 - 1-18 Billie McClellan
 - 1-19 Cathy Hawley
 - 1-19 Isaac Griffin
 - 1-19 Irene Sivage
 - 1-20 J.M. Lawrence
 - 1-20 Julia Denson
 - 1-21 Josie Strawbridge
 - 1-21 William F. McNeill
 - 1-22 Lucille Tipps
 - 1-22 Ollie May Simmons
 - 1-22 Maria Benavidez
 - 1-22 Pearl Newkirk
 - 1-22 Earl Whitten
 - 1-22 Baby Girl Newkirk
 - 1-22 Hattie Cox
 - 1-22 Jennie Slaten
 - 1-22 Eula May Darnell
 - 1-22 Michael Atherton
 - 1-24 Alma Hale
 - 1-17 Imogene Miller
 - 1-18 Sheila Watson
 - 1-19 Hattie Cox
 - 1-19 Dausy Carman
- DISCHARGES**
- 1-17 Alma Hale
 - 1-18 Imogene Miller
 - 1-18 Sheila Watson
 - 1-19 Hattie Cox
 - 1-19 Dausy Carman
- 1-20** Charlie Traylor
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John Holcomb
Julia Denson
Diane Ford
- 1-21** James Albert Helton
Cathy Hawley
Irene Sivage
Maudie Chance
Walter Anglin
- 1-22** Isaac Griffin
Maria Benavidez
Earl Whitten
- Kelton**
- #### Honor Roll
- Principal A.W. Hart has announced the names of the students who have been named to the Honor Roll for the first semester at the Kelton School; First Grade: David Abernethy, Larry Jean Harvey, Brenda Bryant, Danny Davis, Karen Harris; Third Grade: Lydia Castro; Fifth Grade: Elaine Bryant, Patti Heard; Sixth Grade: Glenda Lester, Wayne Wheeler; Seventh Grade: Mike Bryant; Eighth Grade: Sharon Killingsworth and Kim Wheeler.
- David Abernethy, Jeff Welty, Brenda Bryant, Karen Harris, Elaine Bryant, Sharon Killingsworth and Kim Wheeler earned all A grades for the first semester.

REGISTRATION DEADLINE NEAR

With the deadline for registration only a few days away, Texas voters over 60 years old have been reminded of a new law which requires every voter to register, regardless of age or place of residence. Heretofore, voters over 60 years old were required to register only if they lived in a city of ten thousand or more inhabitants. Wednesday of next week, January 31, is the last day to apply for a registration certificate.

Texas Secretary of State John L. Hill issued the reminder in a statement summarizing registration requirements. As Secretary of State, Hill also has the title of chief election officer of Texas. He said that anyone who is now eligible to vote or who will become eligible by February 28, 1969, may register at this time. The 1968 voting year begins next March 1 and runs through February of 1969.

Hill emphasized that registration for most voters will close on Wednesday of next week and they will not be permitted to register after that date. He only persons who may register after the January 31 deadline are new residents who move to Texas after October 1, 1967 and persons who become 21 years old or become naturalized citizens after January 31, 1968.

An application form printed in today's paper may be used to apply for a registration certificate by mail. The law provides that applica-

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REYNOLDS-HALL NUPTIAL VOWS READ



Mrs. Cary Jack Johnson

Chidester-Johnson Vows

In a double ring ceremony solemnized Dec. 23 in the First Baptist Church of Dumas, Miss Suzanne Chidester became the bride of Cary Jack Johnson. The vows were read by the Rev. Charles R. Brannon, minister of education at the First Baptist Church.

The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Gerald W. Moore. Mr. and Mrs. Jack Johnson of Mobeetie are parents of the bridegroom. The altar area of the church was centered with a pedestal basket of white gladioli flanked on each side by two seven-branched candelabra with lighted tapers accented by cranberry satin bows. Candles were lighted by Randy McAdams and Rowena McAdams.

Traditional wedding selections were presented. Escorted to the altar and given in marriage by her father, the bride wore a formal wedding gown fashioned with empire waistline of Chantilly lace and imported silk peau de soie controlled A-line skirt. The bodice featured a sabrina neckline and petal point sleeves of lace. A detachable chapel length waltz train enhanced at the edges by scalloped lace fell from self-fabric bows at the shoulders. Her tiered veil of imported silk illusion fell from a tiara of crystal and pearl droplets.

The bride carried a tear-drip bouquet of white roses surrounding a cymbidium orchid accented with lace and white satin ribbons atop a white Bible.

She wore something old, new, borrowed and blue. Miss Jeannie Chidester, sister of the bride was maid of honor. Bridesmaids were Miss Joanne Chidester, sister of the bride and Mrs. Sam Jones of Stratford.

Cheryl Watson of Amarillo, niece of the bridegroom was flower girl. C.E. Trimble of Bovina, served his brother as best man. Groomsmen were Jeff Caldwell and Jim Johnston, both of Amarillo. Ushers were Trent Thurman of Dumas, Randall Robinson of Amarillo and DeWarren Maple of Texhoma, Okla.

Stan Maple of Texhoma, Okla. was ring bearer. The honor attendants wore floor length princess dresses of cranberry silk

peau de soie with yokes, elbow length sleeves and short trains of coordinated silk brocade. They wore short white gloves and their headpieces were Dior bows of silk peau de soie. The carried old fashioned rose gays of white carnations accented with cranberry velvet ribbons. The flower girl wore a floor length dress of cranberry brocade similar to the other attendants and she carried a white basket with rose petals.

Mrs. Moore chose for her daughter's wedding a pale avocado lace sheath over crepe with matching accessories. Her corsage was of white pom-pom mums with gold trim.

The bridegroom's mother was attired in a mauve and beige knit ensemble with beige accessories. She wore a white pom-pom corsage with gold trim.

Mrs. Betty Ritchie of Paris, grandmother of the bride, was presented a corsage of white carnations.

A reception was held following the ceremony in the church parlor. The serving table was covered with a white lace cloth over a white underlay and centered with the bride's and attendant's bouquets backed by two three branched silver candelabra with lighted white tapers.

The three tiered wedding cake was topped with white satin wedding bells. Appointments were in crystal and silver.

Members of the house-party were Mrs. Grady Watson and Mrs. Delwin Steele of Amarillo, Mrs. DeWarren Maple of Texhoma, Okla., Mrs. Clark Farr and Mrs. D.E. Ellis, both of Dumas.

Mrs. Johnson traveled on a wedding trip to Red River, N.M. in a gold silk sheath dress with matching wall coat and bone accessories. Her corsage was the arch taken from her bouquet.

The couple will be at home in Amarillo.

The bride was graduated from Dumas High School and attended Western Republic Business College in Amarillo. She is presently employed at McMorris & Company in Amarillo.

The bridegroom is a student at West Texas State University and is employed

at the First National Bank of Amarillo.

A rehearsal dinner honoring the wedding party was given at Roney's Restaurant by the bridegroom's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Johnson.



Mrs. Kenneth Abernethy

Martindale-Abernethy Vows

Miss Judy Martindale, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Bart Martindale of Shamrock and Pfc. Kenneth Abernethy, son of Mr. and Mrs. Garland Abernethy were married on Christmas Day at 7:00 in the evening.

Nuptial vows were exchanged in the Eleventh Street Baptist Church with the pastor, the Rev. Hoyt Ellis, officiating in the double ring ceremony.

The couple stood before an arch formed of floor candelabra entwined with jade leaves flanked with two baskets of white mums. The prayer bench completed the setting. Pews were marked with white satin bows.

Mrs. John Carson of Weatherford, Okla., played a prelude of nuptial music as guests assembled. She accompanied Mrs. Ronald Lummus, also of Weatherford, soloists.

Mrs. De Ray Uselton of Perryton, sister of the bride was matron of honor. She wore a dress of blue satin fashioned with a fitted empire waistline and carried a nosegay of blue and white carnations. Her headpiece was a full circle of blue net held in place by a blue satin bow.

Miss Tammie Uselton of Perryton, niece of the bride was flower girl and carried a basket of petals.

Kelly Abernethy, brother of the groom served as best man.

Ushers were Kenneth Martindale, brother of the bride and John Higon. The bride, who was given in marriage by her father, was attired in a gown of white satin styled with a fitted bodice of lace over satin with long sleeves of lace. The train was fastened at the back the empire waist-



Mr. and Mrs. Gary Hall

were decorated with white bells and blue flowers and white roses. The cake was topped with white bells decorated with net and sprigs of lily-of-the-valley. The cake and punch were served by Misses Patricia Messer and Debbie Grayson of Allison.

As her going-away dress,

the bride wore a cranberry red velvet dress styled with an empire waistline. After a short honeymoon, Mr. and Mrs. Hall are making their home at Elk City. Mr. Hall will be commuting from their home to Clinton-Sherman Air Force Base where he will be stationed for a tour of duty.

MOBETTIE CROSSROADS

The Mobeetie Tops News

The Mobeetie Tops Square-shooters met Monday January 22 in the Lions Hut. President Margaret Trout called the meeting to order. Collect was led by Georgia Corse. Roll call was answered by "Inspiration from our Tops book."

The program "Resting Tops" was given by Margaret Trout.

Members present were Margaret Trout, Georgia Corse and Willene Waters. Diet Delight Cake Sift together in a bowl; 2 cups honest desire to lose weight.

3 1/2 Ta despoons disgust with yourself for failure to lose in the past 1 1/2 cups determination to stick to your diet "Help from your family" to taste Add: 2 3 cu phonesty when recording calories 1 teaspoon shame for all those excuses for your weight gain 1/2 cup determination to refuse desserts Beat 2 minutes and add: Plenty of will power (if you find that you're out of will

power, you may substitute borrowed courage from one or two tops friends). Pour into prepared pans. Bake until desired weight is attained. Cool until you become a KOPS. Frost with all those stylish clothes that will fit you now.

Next meeting will be fifth Monday. A luncheon meeting. Bring sack lunch, come at eleven o'clock, prepared to work and play.

Margaret Trout will be hostess. Roll call will be low calorie menu for one week. Queen for the week was Willene Waters with a 3 1/2 pound loss. Correction for last week: Loss for club in 1967 was 126 pounds and Gains were 16 1/2 lbs.

Mr. and Mrs. Murel Trout and granddaughter Donna Quarles spent the weekend with their daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Nixon and family in Amherst. Mr. Trout checked with his doctor in Amarillo.

Mr. and Mrs. E.S. Trout of Reydon, Okla. were luncheon guests of his brother, Mr. and Mrs. Murel Trout Monday.

Shower Honors Joyce Walser

A pre-nuptial shower honoring Joyce Walser, bride-elect of George Markham, was given in the fellowship hall of the Baptist church Saturday at 2:30 p.m. Co-hostesses were Jane Kiker, Evelyn Dukes, Susie Lohberger, Nadene Reynolds, Edna Begert, Nona Hall, Nona Powell, Vetola Parker, Edith Levitt and Myrtle Jones.

Delicious punch, cake, mints and nuts were served to the following: Gail, Josephine and Blanch Begert, Charlene and Teresa Rainey, Avis Parker, Bonita Hamon, Clydene Hall, Marylu Markham, Lucille Walser, Winnie Kiker, Pearl Harrison, Sallie and Ellen Huff, Bessie Meggee Allene Hall, Reta Grayson and the hostesses.

Gifts were sent by a number of people who were unable to attend.

Mrs. Mary Finsterwald and her mother, Mrs. J.F. Cook and Mrs. Laura Guthrie went to Pampa Friday. Mrs. Finsterwald and Mrs. Guthrie attended the Knife and Fork Club. Mrs. Cook spent the night with Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Byars and they brought her home Saturday.

Mrs. Nelson Porter and Mrs. Cara Hyatt visited Sunday in Highland General Hospital in Pampa with Mrs. Bernice Hall.

LETTER TO THE EDITOR

Dear Sir: I would like to have two more issues of "The Times" date 12-28-67. You have an article in this paper which is a of very great interest to me.

The First Grand Jury which was held in 1880 - My father, Henry Frye, served on that Grand Jury. And I can remember well the Jurors who served with him. This was two years before I was born. I was born Dec. 26, 1882, the first white child

born in the Panhandle of Texas. Tom Puryear is the youngest of my five children he lives on the old home place, but not where my parents lived at the time of my birth. At that time they lived on the Washita River in Hemphill Co., Texas.

Their closest neighbors were Ed Fletcher and his partner, a Mr. Doney, who lived 5 miles east on the Washita and they had a stage station at their place. Thank You and with kindest regards, Mrs. N.V. Puryear 521 Ave. K., Boulder City, Nevada 89002

Wed. Study Club HAS MEETING

The Wednesday Study Club held its first meeting of 1968 in the home of Mrs. W.A. Finsterwald. Mrs. Frank Walker, president, presided and conducted routine business. The club collect was read. Mrs. Shelby Pettit introduced the program of highway safety.

Due to hospitalization of Mr. J.T. Hill, who is the high school driver educator. Mrs. Hill gave the discussion "Safety First - But How." Mrs. Hill ably discussed this subject and used membership participation in questionnaires by Texas Dept. of Public Safety. The Texas Drivers Handbook was presented to each person present.

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to express our sincere thanks and appreciation for the words of comfort, the thoughtfulness and beautiful floral offerings of our neighbors and friends on the loss of our brother, Coleman. May God Bless each of you.

Mr. & Mrs. Boyce Farris Mr. & Mrs. Earl Farris Mr. & Mrs. R.P. Farris Mr. & Mrs. Tom Schaeffer Mr. & Mrs. Emery Strout Mr. & Mrs. J.C. Jones Mrs. Elizabeth Boening

CARD OF THANKS

Words are inadequate to express our thanks and appreciation for your prayers, the food and floral offerings on the loss of our brother, C.H. Oliver. May God Bless each of you.

Mr. and Mrs. Boyce Farris Mail order service for S & H Green Stamps. Clay Food Store



VOGUE BEAUTY SHOP

SHARON ADERHOLT recent graduate of Amarillo College of Hairdressing Tuesdays thru Saturdays

First three patrons who bring this advertisement to the Vogue Beauty Shop will receive FREE a Shampoo and Set.

1¢ SALE

One group of DRESSES buy a dress... Get another...

A large group of boys SHIRTS buy one... Get another for...

Re . 79c HOSE buy a pair... Get another for...

A group of Children's SHOES 1/2 Price Buy a pair... Get another for...

McIlhany DRY GOODS "FOR Everything YOU WEAR" 2011

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COURT RECORDS

List of Instruments Filed in the office of the County Clerk and District Clerk of Wheeler County, Texas from January 15 through January 19, 1968

January 15, 1968
 ROL--Shell Oil Co to Florence D Bryant 1-3-68 E 1/2 S1, W 1/2 S2, S7 SE 1/4 S8, N A-7
 MD--Kenneth L Wagner et al to Wagner Bros Oil Co 1-8-68
 All out int 72, 73, 74, 76, 84, 85, 86, 96 W 1/2 77, W 1/2 84, W 1/2 97, S 1/2 88, S 1/2 89, ME 1/4 68 NW 1/4 67 Blk 17
 D--North Texas Producers Assn to Milk Producers, Inc 8-2-67 150' x 100' SW 1/4 S 5 Blk A-5 exc E 37.6' x 150'
 D--North Texas Producers Assn to Milk Producers, Inc 8-2-67 Pt W 1/2 Sec 5 Blk A-4
 OL--J R Clark et ux to Gulf Oil Corp 10-6-67 NW 1/4 Sec 31 Blk A-9
 AFF--Ruth A Shaw to Judith K Amory 9-21-67
 ROYD--Minco, Inc to Frank C Robson 12-7-67 2.5 160

int Pt Secs 8,9 Blk H ROL--Sinclair Oil & Gas Co to Tecl Production Co 12-29-67 S 1/2 Sec 39 Blk A-7
 C/C Probate Proceedings of Helen R Kullman 12-28-67
 AOL--Cullum Brothers to MD Skroopka et al 1-8-68 S 1/2 SW 1/4 Sec 57 Blk 24
 Homestead AFF--Joe Jernigan et ux to John Hancock Mutual Life Ins Co 1-15-68
 Sec 74 exc W 1/2 SW 1/4 SE 1/4 E 1/2 73 exc W 1/2 SE 1/4 SE 1/4 NW 1/4 67 Blk 17, L 3 Blk LXVII Shamrock
 Homestead Design--Joe Jernigan et ux to Ex Parte 1-3-68 Lot 3 Blk LXVII Shamrock
 DT--Joe Jernigan et ux to John Hancock Mutual Life Ins Co 1-3-67 Sec 74 exc W 1/2 SW 1/4 SE 1/4 E 1/2 73 exc W 1/2 SE 1/4 SE 1/4 NW 1/4 67 Blk 17
 January 16, 1968
 RDT--Federal Land Bk of Houston to O S Pettit et ux 1-3-68 Sec 19 Blk 13
 OL--Edward T Davis et ux to Harry Wafford 12-4-67 N 1/2

Sec 42 Blk A-7
 OL--George C Davis et ux to Harry Wafford 12-4-67 E 1/2 Sec 52 Blk A-7
 C/C Divorce Decree--Rosa A Henderson vs John B Henderson 1-12-68
 C/C Probate Proceedings--James Herbert Sivage 1-10-68
 AOL--Jack Elliott to Tom Herbert 1-9-68 NE 1/4 70 W 1/2 SE 1/4 54 Blk 13
 January 17, 1968
 ROL--Texaco Inc to Bobbie Lee Oswalt et vir 12-8-67 Sec 94 Blk 13
 D--Myrtle Reeves to Donald Reeves et ux 6-11-67 Lot 5 Blk 32 Wheeler
 AOL--Mobil Oil Corp to Sand Springs HomeDol Div 12-14-67 E 1/2 SW 1/4 NW 1/4 & N 1/2 NE 1/4 SW 1/4 & S 1/2 NW 1/4 Sec 54 Blk 13
 D--John A Baggerman et ux to Betty Ann Baggerman et al 1-15-68 1/4 int in surface S 1/2 & S 40 ac NE 1/4 Sec 1 Blk A,2
 January 18, 1968
 R of Judge--Uniroyal, Inc to Clinton F Wafford et al 1-9-68 Release of Judgment
 Partial RDT--First National Bank of Amarillo to Alstar ProdCorp 1-4-68 N 1/2 SW 1/4

55-Blk 13
 AOL--Clyde Wall to Alstar Production Corp 12-29-67 N 1/2 SW 1/4 & W 1/2 SW 1/4 55 Blk 13
 C/C Decree of Distribution--Ralph W Hickman to Ex Parte 10-10-67
 C/C Probate Proceed--Ellen L Hickman to Ex Parte 10-10-67
 C/C WILL--Ellen L Hickman 10-10-67
 C/C WILL--Ralph W Hickman 10-10-67
 P of ATT Y--Phillips Petroleum Co to A M L Kube et al 1-10-68
 January 19, 1968
 DT--L S Childress et ux to Federal Land Bk of Houston 1-15-68 W 200 ac S 1/2 Sec 39 Blk A-8
 D--D C Dabery et ux to State of Texas 3-29-67 16.229 ac Sec 52 Blk 13 exc mins
 QCD--W L Jacobs to State of Texas 2-27-67 16.229 ac Sec 52 Blk 13
 Release--Bill Rains to Grady W Harris 12-9-67
 RMML--Brooks Electric to H J McCormick et ux 1-17-68 Pt SW 1/4 SE 1/4 Sec 6 Blk A-4
 Rental Div Order--Richard Ledbetter et al to Pola M

Cantu et al 11-20-67 S 100 ac Sec 8 Blk C
 EST DT--J W Blake to Farmers & Merchants St Bk Shamrock 1-16-68 L 1 & N 18' 2' N 1/2 81 Shamrock WSSA
 ROL--Texaco Inc to Newell D Ashby et ux 12-26-67 NW 1/4 Sec 87 Blk 13
 ROL--Texaco Inc to Clyde Warren Fatheree et ux 12-25-67 W 1/2 Sec 85 Blk 13
 ROL--Texaco Inc to Vestus Eugene Fatheree et ux 12-25-67 W 1/2 & SW 1/4 & SE 1/4 Sec 85 Blk 13
 DT--Diversified Investments to Panhandle Bk & Tr Co Borger 1-18-68 Mins E 1/2 NE 1/4 48 Blk 13
 RDT--Panhandle Bk & Tr Co to Diversified Investments 1-18-68 E 1/2 NE 1/4 Sec 48 Blk 13
 RDT--Farmers & Merchants St Bk Shamrock to W H King et ux 1-2-68 60' x 120' NE corner Blk LIV Shamrock
 Marriage License Issued
 Jerry Wayne Jones and Sharon Elaine Mosburg 1-14-68
 Kenneth Lewis Jacobs and Catherine Elizabeth Jarrett 1-17-68
 Cecil Woods, Jr. and Ollie B Allen 1-18-68

Emotional Growth of Children

By Brenda Williams, CHDA

In the coming weeks, my news articles will be concerned with a series on children and their emotional growth. The first article will be centered on the preschooler. The preschool child is busy learning about the world in which he lives. He is learning to eat correctly, walk, talk, play, behave, and become toilet trained. Many times the parents are so busy seeing to his physical needs that it never occurs to them that all this time he is being affected emotionally. Goodness, what a responsibility! The first six years of a child's life is the most important. It is at this time that his attitudes and values are formed. You asked yourself - How can I possibly see to all

these needs? I wish I had a plain simple answer, but there isn't one. It is a constant striving to see that all his needs are met. But it isn't as bleak as that either. A parent through love and much understanding can meet the emotional needs of a child.

Four basic principles for guiding a child are love, respect, help and approval. Love gives a child the feeling of security. With a parent-child relationship built on love, the child knows beyond a doubt that no matter if he is good or naughty, babyish or manly that his parents will love him. The basic requirement of security is that the child feels safe and important in the family. No matter what happens the child knows his needs will be met by his parents.

Respect also is built on the love - security relationship. If a child is respected by his parents, then in return he feels self-respect. Respect means accepting the child as he is and not how you want him to be. When a child knows that his feelings, his abilities and his ideas are respected, then he grows in self respect, self confidence and his sense of adequacy. He is developing a good self-concept. In return he will show respect for his parents.

A child must have help in knowing what to do and how to do. He must be taught, trained, and disciplined with love and understanding. Help the child with his efforts and learning without doing for him those things he can safely do for himself. Approval of a child's efforts promotes good values in a child. He will continue to achieve if he feels approval. When an approval of action is shown, the child learns what his parents consider to be worthy. Therefore he leans values.

Do you love your child, do you respect him as an individual person with feelings, do you help your child by teaching him what and how to do, do you approve of your child and let him know you approve or are you constantly belittling? Ask yourself these questions from day to day. They are good reminders during our busy day.

Hobo Supper
 Number of servings - number desired
 1 3/4 lb ground beef (per person) seasoned with salt and pepper
 Irish potatoes, cut for french fries
 Carrots, peeled and split lengthwise
 Onions, sliced 1/4 in. thick
 Celery, cut in 3 inch lengths
 Sauce:
 1/2 cup vinegar
 2 T. Worcestershire sauce
 2 T. butter
 1 t. prepared mustard
 Juice of 1 lemon
 Salt and pepper to taste

Take a square of aluminum foil, place in center a large hamburger of the seasoned ground beef. On this place a slice of onion, 4-6 strips of potato, 4-6 strips of carrot and 2 pieces of celery. Pull the foil up to form a cup and over each pour a tablespoon of sauce, then twist the foil edges tightly. Place on a cookie sheet and bake in a 325 degree F. oven for 45 minutes. (Sauce is not needed if hamburger pattie is placed on top of the vegetables)

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Rising Cost in Living

By Brenda Williams, CHDA
It is predicted that the rise in the cost of living in 1968 will percentage wise be higher than 1967. If this is true, then homemakers are going to have to be more economy minded and be better educated consumer wise. According to the Family Financial Division of the Institute of Life Insurance, the cost of living at a moderate standard for a family of four in smaller cities averaged at \$8,336 a year. In the metropolitan areas it ran \$9,376. It would be some less for the people living in the smaller communities.

The rise of the price of living was felt most in the food prices. A consumer is more aware of this rise because she purchases food more often than any other item. The Institute of Life Insurance, reviewing figures from the City Worker's Family Budget, just published by the U. S. Bureau of Labor

Mrs. Marvin Bradstreet and Mrs. George Bradstreet went to Wellington last Thursday and visited Mrs. Cherfield Clark who is very sick in the hospital there.

Visiting Mrs. Strawbridge of Briscoe in Parkview Hospital Monday were two daughters, Mrs. Minnie Evans of Pampa and Mr. and Mrs. Denver Reynolds and Sheila of Amarillo.

Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Meek were called to Ada, Okla. last Friday due to the death of her grandfather.

I am dividing 80 acres of Allison township into three equal tracts to be sold to three Texas veterans. One fourth mineral rights will go with land. I will give choice of tracts in same order that application is made to me. Joe Hayes, 113 Phillips Ave. Phillips, Tex. Phone AC 806 - BR 3-6684 4tc

Statistics, said food cost were higher in New York City where a family average \$2,380 a year. The small cities in the South with a comparable diet averaged \$1,925 a year. (Aren't we glad we live in the south!)

Club Officer's Training Meet

A training meeting for Wheeler County Home Demonstration Club officers was held in the Extension Office, Jan. 12 at 10:30 A.M. with 23 attending.

Miss Brenda Williams, agent, demonstrated how organization works by using a rubber ball with members participating. The members then divided in groups for separated workshops. Miss Williams conducted the training for presidents and vice-presidents; Mrs. Bob Frankenberg for secretaries and treasurers; Mrs. Chester Beasley for council delegates; Mrs. Dean McMurry for Parliamentarians; and Mrs. Bill Topper for reporters.

A sack lunch and fellowship was enjoyed by the members during the noon hour.

The afternoon session consisted of standing committees meeting and making their recommendations for the year which was followed by a model council meeting.

The regular Home Demonstration Council was called to order at 1:30 by Chairman Mrs. Claude Barker with five visitors, one home demonstration agent, Miss Williams, four officers and fourteen members present. The standing rules and committee recommendations were accepted for 1968.

The meeting adjourned. Next council is February 21 at 2:00 P.M.

from last week

Mr. and Mrs. L.D. Broome of Skellytown visited Saturday night with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. Tillman.

Visiting Mr. and Mrs. Claude Cox during the weekend were Mrs. Myrtle McDonald, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Pope and children of Oklahoma City. Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Cox and family of Amarillo, Mr. and Mrs. Sonny Rhoades and children of Fritch and Mr. and Mrs. K.D. Ford and children.

Mrs. Florence Burgess visited recently with her twin brother, Mr. and Mrs. Olaf Rankin at Friona. Olaf was in the hospital but is home and doing alright now.

Mr. Odie Vernons mother is in Northwest Texas Hospital in Amarillo and not doing too well.

Mrs. Florence Burgess gave a birthday luncheon in her home Monday honoring Mrs. Mary Finsterwald and Mrs. Pauline Hefley. Mrs. Opal Hefley was co-hostess. Those attending were Mrs. Grace Pettit, Mrs. Anna Green, Mrs. Edna Waters, Mrs. Lucille Burgess, Mrs. Jewell Moore and Jerry and Cherry Moore.

Mrs. Grady Harris visited in Amarillo Sunday with her brother, the Gus Brooks and her sister, Mrs. Nellie Horton. She also visited at St. Anthony's with her brother's grandson, who has been very ill but is improving some and with Allen Meadows of Briscoe.

Mr. and Mrs. Lindsey McCasland and Brenda were Sunday dinner guest of the Bob Martins.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Topper visited their daughter, Linda at Clarendon Sunday. Mrs. Mary Finsterwald, Mrs. Opal Hefley and Mrs. Florence Burgess shopped in Clarendon last Friday.

Visiting Mrs. H.M. Wiley and Celesta Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. Bill Wiley and children of Miami.

Mr. and Mrs. W.A. Hugg and family of Clayton, N.M. spent the weekend with her mother Mrs. Betty Taylor and aunt Miss HattieWomach.

Visiting Mrs. Clara King Sunday were Mrs. Helen Cadenhead and Mrs. Ada Cain of Shamrock.

Mr. and Mrs. Louis C. Stas and family visited Mrs. Neta Standlee and Inez and Georgia Erwin Saturday evening.

But this is a problem that all homemakers will be facing - to get more from a dollar or when dollars are buying less. Do become economy minded. Learn more about the products and what they have to offer. Be sure you are getting your money's worth. Don't buy just on the spare moment. Think about what you want and what you need. Consider several items before buying one. Especially in food shopping, decide before you shop what you need and how much, then buy nothing else. It won't alleviate the problem of high prices, but it will help you face them.

With a plentiful supply of potatoes this month, consumers have a good opportunity to buy a food high in nutritional value for their money. Many people have the false conception of potatoes being fattening. A medium size potato - boiled, pressure cooked or baked - provides only 100 calories, about the same number of an apple, orange or banana. You will add calories if you add gravy, sauce or fats. Potatoes are good resources of several of the nutrients.

Mexican Potato Balls
1 1/2 cups hot mashed potatoes
1/4 t. chili powder
1/2 t. salt
2 eggs beaten
1/8 t. powdered dry mustard
1 t. grated onion
1 t. milk
1/2 cup shredded cheese
1/2 cup dry breadcrumbs

Combine potatoes, eggs, seasonings and milk. Blend cheese and breadcrumbs. Add 1/2 the potato mixture. Shape into balls and roll in remaining cheese and breadcrumbs. Fry in deep fat at 380 degrees F. until golden brown, drain. 4 servings.

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ALLISON NEWS

Mrs. Lester Levitt
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Those attending the Wallace Markham wedding at the Kelton Methodist Church Saturday evening were Mr. and Mrs. Bob Markham, Mr. and Mrs. George Parker, Mrs. Ella Markham, Mr. and Mrs. Boyd Huff, Mr. and Mrs. Jessie Hall and Jerry.

Mr. and Mrs. Willie Vance Boydston and son spent Sunday in Amarillo with Deon Lester and family.

Mrs. Edith Levitt spent Tuesday and Wednesday in Stinnett with the Dean Liebs and Roy Langfords. On Tuesday Levitt attended the funeral of Jimmy Dale Langford at Dumas. Langford was a former Allison resident.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Begert spent Saturday in Pampa with Mrs. J. Lacassas, H.R. Warren from Eastridge Lodge Nursing Home returned to Allison with the Begerts and was a guest in the home of the Fred Begerts until Monday.

Mrs. Fannie Mae Bradstreet and A.B. Evans and Mrs. Boyd Huff visited in the Ronald Evans home in Canadian last week. The Evanses have a new baby boy, Ronnie Mark.

Rex Miller returned the first of last week from the Shamrock General Hospital. Miss Linda Miller of Amarillo visited her parents, the Rex Millers over the weekend.

Visitors in the Bill Begert home last week were the Hiram Begerts of Erick, Okla. and Mr. and Mrs. J.R. Yell of Dumas.

Rev. and Mrs. Walter Crow and daughters from Paxton Neb. spent the past few days in the parental John D. Gilsan home. The Crows are going to tour the state of Missouri in interest of their missionary work for two weeks and Mrs. Crow and daughters will remain in the Gilsan home while he does extensive traveling. The two girls have enrolled in Allison School. The two families motored to Dalhart Sunday and visited relatives. Mr. and Mrs. E.J. Crow from Paxton were overnight guests Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Gary Hall of Elk City spent the weekend with the Allen Reynolds and James Hall families.

Visitors in the Jessie Hall home Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. Charles Hall of Pampa, Thurman Hall of Shamrock and Roy Hall of Laketon.

Mrs. Joe Walsh accompanied by Virgil Stinnett from Dumas spent the weekend. Mrs. Walsh returned to Dumas with her daughter to spend the rest of the winter.

Mrs. Dora Jo Helms and sons from Spearman, Dr. and Mrs. Willis Harrison and children and Mrs. Katie Lee Greenwood and Lisa from Canyon attended the social

at the Methodist Church Sunday afternoon honoring Mr. and Mrs. Ray D. Brown. The Browns plan to move to Canyon in two weeks to make their home. A large crowd attended sponsored by the WSCS.

Mr. and Mrs. Everett Dollar and sons went to Dallas last weekend where Steve had his physical check-up.

Buster Keys and family have moved to the Leo Kiker farm house where he is employed. Mr. Miller of Pampa is the new custodian at the school and have moved in the house formerly occupied by the Keys family.

Pvt. Don Evans and Mrs. Evans of New Jersey, Billy Aaron and family of Graham, and Mrs. Ella Mae Evans and children of Wheeler spent the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. Forace Evans.

Roma Browns and Mrs. Larry Brown and daughter from Clinton, Okla. spent the weekend with the W.H. Boydston.

Mrs. Lohberger Hosts W.S.C.S.
Allison W.S.C.S. met in the Vernon Lohberger home Jan. 17th with twelve members and one visitor attending. The group sang the song, "I'll Go Where You Want Me To Go," which was followed by prayer led by Mrs. John Glisan.

After a short business session conducted by the president, Mrs. Horace Fillingim led an interesting study on the 20th Chapter of Matthew.

The hostess served an appealing plate of Merical pie, salad crackers and punch to the following Mmes. Bill Begert, Lee Kiker, John Glisan, Everett Dollar, Zeland Rainey, Horace Fillingim, Leonard Powledge, Lois Richardson, Millard Donaldson, Ernest Begert and one visitor, Mrs. Walter Crow.

Next meeting will be in the Everett Dollar home with Mrs. Lee Kiker, in charge of the study "The Response of the Church in Changing Japan."

Danny Kenney Studying At OST
Danny Kenney, of Wheeler is a second trimester student enrolled in the Accounting Course at Oklahoma State Tech, Okmulgee, one of the nation's largest residential vocational-technical schools. During his two year study, which is only one of the more than 32 different courses offered at OST, he also is taking advantage of the excellent loan services made available to all eligible students on campus. Kenney is one of the 98 Texans among the total 2443 students from different states and seven foreign countries. Since industry is continually seeking quality trained personnel, employment opportunities are excellent for Tech graduates, who are able to demand the best in starting wages.

A special interest to male students is the fact that they can receive a draft deferment if they are progressing satisfactorily in their course work.

SOIL CLASSIFICATION

By Jerald Crump, Soil Scientist

A survey is being made to have each soil classified in Wheeler County. This survey is in progress now and will be completed sometime early in 1969. It is being made to learn what kinds of soils are in Wheeler County, where they are located and how they can be used. The Soil Conservation Service is making the survey as part of their assistance to Wheeler County Soil and Water Conservation District. Jerald O. Crump is in charge of the survey.

The purpose of soil classification is to help us remember the significant characteristics of soils, to assemble our knowledge about them, to see their relationships to one another and to their environment, and to develop principles of their behavior and response.

We classify or separate soils based on their characteristics. Soils contain layers or horizons within each profile. Most soils contain topsoil, subsoil and parent material horizons. The texture or amount of sand, silt, and clay is also used to separate soils. Other features that are used to separate soils are chemical and physical characteristics



SOIL SCIENTIST: Jerald O. Crump, Soil Scientist, Soil Conservation Service, Wheeler, Texas is shown in the process of determining a soil type and recording the area of that soil on an aerial photograph.

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ACROSS THE FENCE
By Max W. Hatter, CAA

Lack of moisture and cold weather has hurt our wheat. Grazing is short.

Well, it's that time again! Time to dig out all the farm records from the past year, consult the "Farmer's Tax Guide" and file that income tax return.

Complete returns must be on file by February 15 unless the farmer has already elected to file an estimated income tax return. If an estimated return has been filed, the farmer has until April 15 to file a complete return.

Farm business income and expenses should be included on Schedule F of Form 1040. Gross agricultural income includes receipts from crop and livestock sales, legislative program payments, qualifying patronage dividends, cash rental income and crop insurance proceeds.

On the other hand, farm expenses include such items as hired labor, repairs and maintenance, taxes, crop insurance premiums, interest on mortgages, cash rent payments, conservation costs, feed, seed fertilizer, fuel, oil and other purchased supplies, storage costs, record books, qualifying farm organization dues and marketing and advertising costs.

Investment credit restrictions were relaxed after March 9, 1967. Qualifying credits may be claimed subject to the limitations covered in the "Farmer's Tax Guide" which, incidentally, is available at our office in Wheeler.

Breeding livestock held over for one year may qualify for capital gain treatment. In this case, only one-half of the realized gain is included as taxable income. Schedule D in the tax guide offers additional examples.

Qualifying soil and water conservation expenditures can be claimed up to 25 percent of the gross agricultural income from farming. Any excess can be carried into succeeding years.

The farmer may elect to include land clearing expenses incurred to make such land suitable for farming. This amount cannot exceed \$5,000 or 25% of the taxable farm income, whichever is less. Any excess expenditures must be capitalized. This election applies only in the year for which it was made.

Personal expenses may be itemized if they are greater than the standard deduction allowed. Such items as contributions, interest on personal loans, per-

sonal property taxes and medical and dental expenses are examples. The minimum standard deductions may be used where beneficial.

County 4-H Council Meeting: Wheeler County's 4-H Council will meet Monday night at 7:30 p.m., January 29 at the County Extension Office in Wheeler. The program will feature the installation of officers ceremony.

Peach Meeting at Wellington: Blueford Hancock, Extension Horticulturist for Texas A & M University, told farmers that Texas is selling only 22% of the peaches sold in Texas' four largest cities while California was selling 45 - 55% of the peaches consumed by Texas. Texas growers, he said, averaged more per bushel than any grower in the United States and for the past 3 years, the price has been even better. Hancock estimates it'll take \$140 an acre to bring an acre of peaches into production over a 3 year period. An interesting item mentioned was that Gaines County south of Lubbock (Seminole Area) didn't have but a few peach trees a few years ago, but now they have more trees than any other county in the state.

We can grow good peaches in Wheeler County! N.L. Sechrist, Larry Howe and I attended the meeting. Mr. Sechrist has a twenty-three acre demonstration plot 3 miles west of Wheeler containing 8 varieties of peaches. On the demonstration plot, Wheeler County farmers can observe the results.

Personals . . .

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Sosbee and children moved last Saturday to Amarillo to make their home to be near his work.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Peterman (who lived here a number of years but are now of Santa Rosa, Tex.) son-in-law was recently killed on construction at Concord, Calif. His wife, Margie and four children are survivors.

John Simpson of Amarillo is visiting his grandparents Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Simpson between semesters at Amarillo College. Mrs. Simpson's sister, Mrs. Mae Muse, spent the weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. Stenson Garrison and children of Borger spent the weekend with her mother Mrs. Eula Bradstreet.

Ranger, the most dependable peach variety we have here, is the predominant variety in the planting.

Returns have been good. Roland McMinn, "Texas" Mr. Peachman, at Mineral Wells, hasn't missed a peach crop in seven years.

Last year, he grossed \$22,000 on 40 acres, netting \$15,000. This is roughly a \$400 an acre net.

The peach business today, Hancock said has changed a lot from the 1940's when most Texas peaches were loaded on trucks and hauled to the market. Today, he said, most of the business is retail. People from surrounding towns and cities will drive for miles to get a bushel or two of good tree-ripened peaches.

Irrigated Wheat: Scout wheat made 85 bushels of wheat under irrigation at Clovis, N.M. Experiment Station and Triumph 65 bushels. These researchers showed a \$48 net return to management. This was after labor charges, all direct cash costs, taxes and interest on land were paid. Wheat prices were calculated at \$1.45 per bushel with \$0c per bushel added on for government payments. In addition a \$10 per acre credit was given for grazing. Wheat, in this analysis, was irrigated four times and received a \$13 fertilizer application.

It's not too late to get started if you haven't been irrigating wheat, but have capacity to do so. An off-season watering now, plus one more in the spring, will produce almost optimum yields.

INCOME TAX SERVICE

PALMER SIVAGE WHEELER COUNTY COURTHOUSE

QUARTERLY REPORT WHEELER COUNTY, TEXAS

QUARTERLY REPORT ENDING 12-31-67

	Bal. 9-30-67	Receipts	Bal. & Rec.	Disb.	
Fund					
Jury	487.71	1,394.26	1,881.97		
R & B General	7,086.04	21,730.13	28,816.17	862.00	1,019.97
Pct. No. 1	23,261.03	734.66	23,995.69	7,760.37	21,055.80
Pct. No. 2	19,832.13	1,152.84	20,984.97	6,788.95	17,206.74
Pct. No. 3	20,713.41	687.12	21,400.53	4,763.73	16,221.24
Pct. No. 4	44,942.68	687.12	45,629.80	4,506.94	16,893.59
General	(3,298.42)	120,276.41	116,977.99	2,291.56	43,338.24
Court House & Jail	815.13	-	815.13	43,928.46	73,049.53
Lateral Road	29,011.55	26,269.06	55,280.61	-	39,577.40
Road Bond	.50	-	.50	-	.50
1947 I & S	12.85	-	12.85	-	12.85
Road Bond I & S	2.20	-	2.20	-	2.20
Permanent School	4,244.26	-	4,244.26	-	87.79
Total	147,111.07	172,931.60	320,042.67	90,761.69	229,280.98

PALMER SIVAGE, County Treasurer

THE FARMER—A Customer

Editor's Note:

This article taken from the Hinton Record of Hinton, Okla. does a very good job of pointing out the affect of the farmer on the economy of our community, state and nation.

Farmers are important customers of business and industry. They spend 26 billion dollars a year for equipment, goods and services to produce crops and livestock. They spend another 15 billion or more per year for family living items.

There was a time when the country watched the harvest for signs that would show whether the outlook for business would be good or bad. A good harvest meant a prosperous agriculture that in turn influenced the course of general business.

Now times have changed. Harvests come and go getting little more than local attention. Agriculture has come to be regarded as only a minor part of an economy grown vast and varied.

Yet the farming business still is the nation's largest. It is far more important than any single industry.

Fuel Consumption Vast
There are almost 13 million tractors, trucks and cars on American farms. To keep them running, agriculture spends 1.6 billion dollars to buy fuels equivalent to 15 billion gallons of crude petroleum a year. That is more petroleum than for any other single industry and amount to about 13 percent of total petroleum output.

Agriculture buys rubber products containing 320 million pounds of raw rubber a year. That's about 9% of the U.S. total - and enough to put tires on nearly six million cars.

Farmers annually take 62 million tons of finished steel in the form of tractors, trucks, cars, building materials, fences and many other essential items. This is nine to ten percent of the average U.S. production and represents nearly half as much steel as the automotive industry uses.

Use Lots of Power
Agriculture pays for 24 billion kwh of electricity a year, or about 5% of the U.S. total. It is more electric power than needed by Baltimore, Boston, Chicago, Detroit and Houston combined.

Farmers now spend about 2.5 billion dollars a year for new farm tractors, machinery - making a total of approximately five billion

dollars. When trucks and autos are included, total expenditures amount to nearly 9 billion dollars.

The annual expenditure for containers and packaging materials for foods alone is estimated at six billion dollars.

Chemicals such as fertilizers, liming materials, pesticides and miscellaneous medicinals, feed additives, etc., used to grow agricultural crops and produce livestock and poultry, including eggs and dairy products, amount to 50 million tons a year.

Largest Employer
Products of farms and forests in the U.S. require about 280 billion ton-miles of transportation each year. The gross revenue received by carriers from these movements is about four billion dollars. It is estimated that these shipments account for about a third of the total ton-miles and gross revenue of all freight shipments by rail and truck within the United States.

Agriculture is our largest employer. It employs 12 times the number of people in the steel industry, nine times the number in the automobile industry and twice the number in the transportation and public utilities industries. In addition, it supports directly another 10 percent of our non-farm population which supplies the farmer with his needs and processes and markets his products.

Farewell Party Given Browns

The W.S.C.S. of the Methodist Church in Allison sponsored a going away party held in the fellowship hall Sunday afternoon honoring Mr. and Mrs. Ray D. Brown.

Delicious refreshments were served to the following guests: Sallie and Ellen Huff, Rev. and Mrs. Frank Matthews and children, Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Harrison, Roxie Sanford, Maudie Harrison, Nettie Walsh, Edith Levitt, Blanch Begert, H.R. Warren, Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Dukes, Dr. and Mrs. Willis Harrison, Mrs. Jim Greenwood and Lisa, Mrs. J.D. Helms and sons, Emma Rogers, Mr. and Mrs. James Hall, Bessie Megee, Reta Grayson, Louise Boydston, Winnie Kiker, Mr. and Mrs. A.E. Dillon, Horace Fillingim and family, Billie Dollar, Avis Parker, Virginia Miller, Edyth Donaldson, Doris Newsom, Naomi King and children, Verne Lohrger, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Donaldson, Leota Black, Mr. and Mrs. Garry Hall, Juanita Boydston, Alice and Elizabeth Kelly, Mrs. J.O. Helton and Mrs. Colie Parker.

A number of people were unable to attend but sent gifts.

PERSONNALS

Mrs. Hank Brown and girls of Amarillo spent the weekend with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Gyn Edwards.

Mr. and Mrs. C.D. Hattchett of Butler, Okla. spent Sunday afternoon with his aunt Mr. and Mrs. Fred Rathjen.

Mr. and Mrs. Wallace Johnson and children of Lubbock spent last Thursday with their parents the Clyde Johnsons and the Bill Chapman.

Mr. and Mrs. John Shackelford of Shamrock came last Thursday and took Mrs. Bob Ramsey to Amarillo to attend a bridal shower honoring her daughter, Patsy. The Shackelfords returned home Thursday night. Mrs. Ramsey stayed until Saturday evening.

Mr. J.T. Wright, Jr. of Houston spent the weekend with his mother Mrs. Nola Wright.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Hampton and boys visited in Happy Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Richard Hampton and children.

SCS News

For the protection of cultivated land against erosion by wind and water, nothing can take the place of continuous cover of dead or living plants, or both.

This is true regardless of location, rainfall, soil or the kind of farming or ranching that goes on.

In the Plains country, however, the need for plant cover grows more important as conditions tend toward the dry side. At the same time getting good cover becomes a tougher job.

The job is two-sided: First a crop must be grown that will yield good amounts of residues; second, the residues must be managed in a way that will protect the soil until a new crop covers it.

Experience of farmers and ranchers and research work have taught us important lessons. We know that burning crop residues is one of the worst mistakes that can be made. And too much tillage wears out the residues and therefore should be held to a minimum.

Leaving stubble and other crop residues on the surface has proved especially valuable in the grain summer-fallow areas where 15 or 16 months usually pass between harvest and the planting of a new crop. One way of leaving such cover and disturbing the soil surface as little as possible is by using equipment having sweeps or blades 32 inches wide or wider.

This practice is known as stubble mulching. It is a year-round system. In it all tillage, planting, cultivating and harvesting operations are done in a way to keep crop residues on the surface to protect the soil. Where wheat is grown each year, more cutting or stirring of stubble is possible without serious harm. The period for seedbed preparation is shorter. Narrower sweeps, chisel-type implements or even disk types in some instances, may be used.

When sorghums are grown separately or in rotation with wheat, the principles are the same. They involve the conservation of residues during the critical period to protect against wind, runoff, and splash erosion. The same practices help develop a soil condition that will take in moisture faster and keep it longer.

In growing sorghums, if there is a high yield of stalks, as on irrigated land, it is safe to shred the stalks coarsely and tuck them lightly into the soil with a disk. On dry lands, however, where yields are not so high, it is best to leave a high stubble during winter months. For sorghums in rows 24 to 42 inches apart, the usual minimum height recommended is 15 to 18 inches. With drilled sorghums, a height of 10 to 12 inches usually is enough. More residue than the minimum is better. Stalks and straw put organic matter in the soil, something sorely needed in all cultivated land.

The wise use of crop residues, including stubble mulching, takes top billing in any plan of operations in the Great Plains Conservation Program.

Visiting Mr. and Mrs. John Francis last Wednesday were Mr. and Mrs. C.C. McCraw of Mobeetie.

Friday night visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Louis C. Stas and children were Mr. and Mrs. Frank Walker, Jr. and children and Mrs. Neta Standlee and Inez Erwin.

Mr. and Mrs. J.P. Meek and children of Gageby visited Saturday night with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Edward Meek.

For Farm Bureau Members

Wheeler County Farm Bureau announced this week that C & J Deep Rock Station on East Highway 152 in Wheeler will be the outlet for Safemark Batteries.

Any Farm Bureau Member is eligible to purchase Safemark Batteries in the Farm Bureau's volume purchase program. Safemark is the trade mark for batteries manufactured according to Farm Bureau's Quality Specifications.

Mass purchasing by Farm Bureau for sale in 21 states makes it possible for these batteries to be sold at bargain prices.

Farm Bureau members are urged to contact the Wheeler County Farm Bureau Office at Wheeler, Texas for further information. Phone 826-4561 for the Farm Bureau office or 826-9821 for C & J Deep Rock.

VANPOOL-BURTON BURGLARY

County Sheriff Bus Darman reported a burglary at Vanpool - Burton Ford. The "loot" consisted of twelve white shirts, a car stereo and \$50 cash. The value of the items taken was estimated at \$175.00.

It is believed the Saturday night burglary of Vanpool - Burton was interrupted about 11:00. Shop Foreman Harvey Davis went to the shop to do some work and

discovered the break-in. The intruders entered the shop through a back window and left through the east door of the shop. A car parked on highway 152 about 200 yards from the shop had been moved after the break-in was discovered.

Ben and Carolyn West, moreland went to Amarillo Saturday. They visited his cousin Wade Moore in St. Anthony's Hospital and also did some shopping.

Mrs. Emma Perry of Sweetwater, Okla. came last Friday when her sister, Mrs. Dausy Carman left the hospital and stayed with her until Sunday. Another sister Mrs. Lizzy Goodwin also of Sweetwater visited her Sunday and her son, Mr. and Mrs. Don Carman and children of Memphis.

NOTICE

TO ALL PERSONS DESIRING TO VOTE IN 1968 ELECTIONS

AFTER FEBRUARY 1, 1968 ALL VOTERS WILL BE REQUIRED TO HAVE

A DULY PROCESSED REGISTRATION SLIP. THIS INCLUDES PERSONS 60 YEARS OF AGE & OVER WHO HERETOFORE WERE NOT REQUIRED TO REGISTER.

BE SURE YOU ARE ELIGIBLE TO VOTE IN 1968

REGISTER BEFORE JANUARY 31

APPLICATION FOR VOTER REGISTRATION CERTIFICATE
COUNTY, TEXAS

VOTING PRECINCT (NUMBER OR NAME) _____

Name _____ Date _____

Address _____ RFD _____ Box _____ Zip Code No. _____

House No. _____ Street _____ Town _____

AGE	SEX	OCCUPATION	LENGTH OF RESIDENCE (YEARS)			BIRTHPLACE (STATE OR COUNTRY)
			STATE	COUNTY	CITY	

Month _____ Day _____ Year _____

CITIZENSHIP
Native Born Naturalized

*Includes foreign born of American parents.

If under 21, show date of birth _____
If resident of state less than 1 year, show date of arrival _____
If resident of county less than 6 months, show date of arrival _____

Mail Voter Registration Certificate (1) to above permanent address, (2) to my temporary address at _____
(3) hold for delivery to me in person. (Strike statements which are not applicable.)

I understand that the giving of false information to procure the registration of a voter is a felony.

**No one can act as agent and sign for another except husband, wife, father, mother, son or daughter. Agent must be qualified elector in county.

Note: Return this application to the County Tax Assessor-Collector.

Signature of applicant or agent** _____

Agent's address _____

Agent's relationship to applicant _____

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WEATHER INFORMATION

DATE	MAX.	MIN.	WIND	PRECIPITATION
1/18	42	32	N 8-15 (G-24)	
1/19	50	34	N 2-11	Rain .03"
1/20	52	44	NE 1-6	Rain .45"
1/21	50	43	NE 1-4	Rain .67"
1/22	46	42	N NW 3-16	Rain .20"
1/23	49	27	N 5-14	
1/24	66	33	W NW 4-9	

Total Precip for week: 1.35" Total for 1968: 1.35"
Courtesy of First National Bank
Readings By: Joe Rogers

MAIL TO

Thurman Rives
Wheeler County Tax Assessor - Collector
Wheeler, Texas 79096
Before January 31 1968



Letter Of Appreciation

To: Pvt. Fred L. McCray

1. Upon this, the occasion of your graduation from Basic Combat Training, I wish to commend you for your outstanding performance of duty as squad leader and Acting Noncommissioned Officer.

2. Your performance and devotion to duty made substantial contributions to the overall accomplishment of this unit's mission. During your assignment your constantly display of outstanding leadership, ability and your unceasing desire for complete accomplishment of every assigned task, gained for you the complete confidence of your cadre.

3. It is indeed gratifying for me as a Commander to have men such as yourself assigned. Again, congratulations and thanks for a job well done.

John H Hensley
Captain Infantry
Commanding
Fort Leonard Wood, Missouri