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"Wheeler, town of friendship and pride."

WHEELER MUSTANGS MEET FT. ELLIOTT COUGARS
Thursday, February 23—8:00 P.M.—Pampa Harvester Gym



STATE CHAMPIONS: The Lady Patriots of Wheeler Christian Academy are shown here with basketball trophy they received as the State Champions of the Texas Christian Athletic League. The tournament was February 16-18. Pictured are: (back row, l. to r.) Heather Dean, Bridget Chandler, Sharisa Mong, Mary Ann Hall, (front row) Junita Rose and Jana Chandler.

CWE CHAT WITH EDITOR

By Louis C. Stas

Congratulations, Lady Patriots! The young ladies from Christian Academy earned the title of State Champions of the Texas Christian Athletic League in Basketball.

The Wheeler Mustangs and Ft. Elliott Cougars meet in a game tonight in Pampa in a Bi-District Play-off. The Cougars won first in their district and the Mustangs earned a second place in their district.

The titles earned by the Ft. Elliott basketball teams were reversed in the ad last week. The boys won first in their district and the girls won second.

Congratulations, Ben Ed and Lee Ann Hillhouse! The couple received the Diagnostician of the Year Award. We are indeed fortunate to have this young couple as a part of our community.

Remember the Blood Drive this afternoon at the School Cafeteria. Take a few minutes; it is practically painless and the blood is badly needed.

Election time is rolling around for city, school and hospital. It is time to say a word of thanks to the people who take time from their lives and business to conduct the business necessary in the operation of your city, school and hospital. Most often this is a very thankless job.

And, if you think you have a calling for the job and would like the opportunity to serve your community in this capacity, now is the time to get your name on the ballot.

The letters for mailing to the Ex-Students may already be in the mail. Wheeler's reunion is June 10. Do plan to attend.

Barbara and I have a school reunion to go to July 1. Our Alma Mater has a reunion every 5 years. Bet you couldn't have guessed it is Hinton High School.

There are no birthdays, so I suppose I will just have to brag on the family. Jennifer continues to put to good use what she learned from Mr. Richardson and Mrs. Martin to work in college algebra and bookkeeping—top in the classes.

The granddaughter, Jessica, is once again on the All-A honor roll.

Cathi is continuing her education also—one class at a time. And working very hard at it. I hope she is continuing to set the curve.

Sort of like a 'Christmas Letter', isn't it.

Our visiting was in Weatherford and Hinton. The card games were in Weatherford. Yes, my luck has returned.

DATE	*DAY	Hi	Low	Prc
2-15	Wed.	43	19	0.00
2-16	Thurs.	51	24	0.00
2-17	Fri.	62	23	0.00
2-18	Sat.	66	32	0.00
2-19	Sun.	67	35	0.00
2-20	Mon.	77	41	0.00
2-21	Tues.	74	38	0.00
Low for the Year:		01-07	14	
High for the Year:		01-11	77	
Total Moisture for the Month:			1.04*	
Total Moisture for the Year:			1.04*	
Total Snow:			9.60*	

Courtesy: KPDR-FM Radio

Wheeler School 4th Six-Weeks Honor Roll

1st Grade All A's: Zane Hubble, Whitney Holland, Heather Hampton, Brenda Guerra, Lezi Finsterwald, Bo Compton, Loran Rose, Tyler McWhorter, Drek Murray, Samantha Chapman, Sue Hernandez, Josh Britt, and Dustin Lee.

AB's: Kayla Andis, Kayla Gallardo, Connie Vega, J. D. Brown, Justin Lee, and Benito Lopez.

Special: Haley Jones and Timmy Andris.

2nd Grade All A's: Lindsey Lewis, Leslie Weaver, Yuri Soto, Landon Sams, Jarod Scott, Jandie Taylor, Clint Matthies, Savannah Hampton, Brook Anderson, Saharar Barboza, and Jarod Hanning.

AB's: Cameron Burton, Erick Mendoza, Carl Scales, Savanna Shipp, J. D. Cole, and Hector Emiliano.

All B's: Melessa Diera.

3rd Grade All A's: Karry Meadows, Taryn Matthies, James Chapman, and Josh Miller.

AB's: Chelsea Brooks, Joe Don Glassey, Brad Masters, Joe Salas, Randy Ford, Chris Vega, Bianca Emiliano, Amanda Retana, Jenny Little, Joe Meraz, and Dusty White.

4th Grade All A's: Jennifer Andis, Lyndi Finsterwald, and Amy Osborne.

AB's: Cassi Brown, Joshua Bryant, Trevor Burton, Ryan Duncan, Drew Emmert, Chris Gallagher, Andrew Hampton, Benjamin Howard, Tyler Lewis, Keri Marion, Tanner McWhorter, Hadley Mitchell, Jeret Moore, and Dagen Moore.

5th Grade All A's: Jacob Britt, Rebecca Lee, Gavin McQueen, and Lauren Sams.

AB's: Boz Anderson, Shelby Brown, Amy Hubble, Tyler Scott, Natasha Stribling, Dwight Arganbright, Dirk Chapman, Raymond Gentry, Taylor Hudgins, Lupe Lopez, and Jarod Newland.

All B's: Jeff DeBose and Katie Shipp.

6th Grade All A's: Caleb Finsterwald, Bret Goad, and Ivan Guerra.

Accelerate Reading Class Point Accumulation

The sixth grade accelerated readers of Wheeler Jr. High accumulated the most point (210.9) for the fourth six weeks. The interesting factor is that the sixth grade is by far the smallest class in junior high. Mrs. Hardcastle and Mrs. Rives helped these hard-reading sixth graders celebrate with a Valentine Party.

The eighth graders came in second with 186.4 points. The seventh grade class had 166.9 points. We challenge these groups to make it difficult for the sixth graders to repeat their heavy win again this six weeks.

The program still needs incentive awards to encourage our students to read. We have few awards suitable or desired by girls. We would appreciate the help and involvement of parents or community members. A "big thanks" to those who have contributed.

4th Six Weeks Winners
6th-1. Rachel Reimer, 2. Caleb Finsterwald, and 3. Megan Hampton.

7th-1. Diana Vega, 2. Kara Keelin, and 3. Lorena Martinez.

8th-1. Kirt Boedeker, 2. Rachel Stiles, and 3. Lacey Smith.

AB's: Lacey Bryant, Jordan Emmert, Bobbi Gentry, Megan Hampton, Mechelle Marshall, Creede McQueen, Tina McWhorter, Kenna Piatt, Ana Salas, and William Smith.

7th Grade All A's: Sandy Bradstreet, Brooks Brown, Jared Holland, and Lauren Weaver.

AB's: Craig Bass, Mackenzie Chick, Kenneth Childress, Jennifer Hanning, Jennifer Johnson, Kara Keelin, Darin Kuntz, Steven Marshall, Lorena Martinez, Jason Masters, Rebekah Morrison, Brooke Verden, and Nicholas Ware.

8th Grade All A's: Benjamin Britt, Kara Emmert, Alan Gill, Matthew Hampton, Andrew Hillhouse, Kristen Marion, Allii Moore, Jennifer Shepard, Lacey Smith, and Rachel Stiles.

AB's: Kirt Boedeker, Keenan Burton, Bruce Copeland, Aaron Dunnam, Rebecca Gentry, Angela Jolly, Michael Long, Ernesto Martinez, Ashley Stevens, and Valerie Watson.

9th Grade All A's: Andy Bradstreet.

AB's: Paul Arganbright, B. J. Carpenter, Mike Johnson, Kindra Jolly, Bryan Judd, Josh Lee, Sally Smith, Benny Sword, and William Umsted.

10th Grade All A's: Charles Gentry and Monty Long.

AB's: Andy Copeland, Mika Goad, Hillary Mitchell, Jason Porton, and Travis Stevens.

11th Grade All A's: Ember Bradstreet, Dena Compton, Julie Hampton, Rocky Mendiola, and Kate Woodard.

AB's: Dan Andris, Daniel Arganbright, Misty Jones, Marice Kuehler, Kasey McCasland, Rachel Smith, Angie Thomas, Jese Wallace, and Trent Ware.

12th Grade All A's: Sarah Gentry, Jessica Jackson, Andy King, Stacey Miller, Amanda Rives, and Phillip Wiggins.

AB's: Darren Brown, Corby Chick, Katie Coomer, Clifton Fletcher, Justin Helley, Misty Helton, Stacy Maddux, Erica Puryear, Wesley Puryear, Keri Simmons, Robert Stiles, and Kimberly Winter.

Allison School System 4th Six-Weeks Honor Roll

All A's: Ryan Adams, Jacob Jackson, Jerry Tice, Jessica Helton, Wesley McIntyre, Shealee Phillips, Jason Boydston, Tyler Copeland, Sabrina Dupont, Krista Hall, Andrew Ingersoll, Isaac Jackson, Azriel Krulik, Russell Lohberger, Katie Donaldson, Cheri Hendry, Laura Lohberger, Malorie Tice, Bronwyn Dukes, Meagan Jones, Alicia Lohberger, Mark Copeland, Nathan Rainey, Brandon Dukes, Amber Dyer, Tina Keys, Justin Walker, Jeremy Sutterfield and Jonathan Walker.

AB's: Vanessa Huff, Amy Kiewer, Josiah Krulik, Joseph Lane, Jordan Newson, Jessica Hendry, Thomas Newsom, Jennifer Helton, Jimmy Lane, Tanner Reames, J. W. Helton, Heather Boydston, Pete Helton, Matthew Huff, Monty Donaldson, Terry Keys, Marshall McIntyre, Glenda Dukes, Hattie Grayson, Jaicee Herren, Celeste Huff, Monty Dukes, Jamie Greene, Amie Boydston, Deradaj Weldon, Daria Donaldson, Jamey Herren, Toby Keys, Laurie Lane, Mandy Davis and Jerome Grayson.

Surplus Food Delivery

Surplus Food delivery will be Friday, February 24, 1995, from 9:30-11:00 A.M. at Wheeler County Courthouse. All persons must recently for 1995. You can do this early at the County Judge's Office Monday through Friday 9 A.M. - 5 P.M.

Public Hearing

1:30 P.M., MONDAY, FEB 27, 1995 COMMISSIONERS' COURT ROOM, WHEELER COUNTY COURTHOUSE
Wheeler County invites public comment on proposed renovation and landscaping plans for Wheeler County Courthouse grounds.

LADY PATRIOTS WIN STATE

The Lady Patriots represented Wheeler Christian Academy in a State Basketball Tournament held at Mineral Wells, Texas, on February 16-18. They and Coach Dean proudly returned home with the State Championship trophy of the Texas Christian Athletic League.

Teams came from El Paso, Houston, Galveston, San Antonio, and Amarillo to participate in the tournament.

The Lady Patriots downed El Paso in the first round, 52-18. The second round they beat Houston, 40-31, and the final round they defeated Mineral Wells, 32-20.

Mary Ann Hall and Heather Dean were named All-Tournament players and will be traveling to San Antonio on March 2-4 to play in the All-State game. Sharisa Mong was named Honorable Mention for All-Tournament.

Ed Gilmer, 78, Buried Sat., Feb. 18 in Wheeler

Ed Gilmer, 78, of Wheeler, died Thursday, Feb. 16, 1995. Services were at 2 p.m. Saturday in Wheeler Church of Christ with Bill Morrison, minister, officiating. Burial was in Wheeler Cemetery under the direction of Wright Funeral Home.

Mr. Gilmer was born June 10, 1916 in Crowell. He moved to Wheeler County in 1928. He married Maurine Miller on May 13, 1944 in Taft, Calif. He was employed as a diesel mechanic for Hibler Implement Co. for 25 years. He was a veteran of the U.S. Army Air Corps during World War II. He was a member of the Church of Christ.

Pallbearers were Steve Hampton, Danny Hardcastle, Gary Hardcastle, Lee Hibler, Dudley Miller, and Jerry Newberry.

He was preceded in death by a daughter, Carolyn Jean Gilmer, in 1960. Survivors include his wife, Maurine, of Wheeler; four sons, David Gilmer of Briscoe, Tom Gilmer of Amarillo, John Gilmer of Garland, and Mark Gilmer of Wheeler; two daughters, Millie Williams and Tillie Snelgroves, both of Wheeler; a brother, J.W. "Pete" Gilmer of Briscoe; five sisters, Bertie Cornell of Wheeler, Jennie Walker and Peggy Sue Chandler, both of Allison, Dorothy McNutt of Antioch, Calif., and Betty Sue Stinnett of Buena Vista, Colo.; nine grandchildren; and eight great-grandchildren.

City of Wheeler Calls For Bids On Seal-Coating

FEBRUARY 21, 1995
Mayor Wanda Herd called the regular meeting to order.

Barbra Koelzer made motion, seconded by Walter Simmons to approve the minutes as written. The motion carried.

Walter Simmons made motion, seconded by Don Rose to pay bills as presented. The motion carried.

Frank Clymer reported on the activities of the City employees.

Don Rose made motion for Mayor Herd to order an election to be held May 5, 1995. The purpose of the election is to elect three council members, Places #1, #3, #5.

Mark Frankenberg made motion, seconded by Bob McCain to advertise for bids on seal coating 32,000 square yards of City streets. The motion carried.

Barbra Koelzer made motion, seconded by Mark Frankenberg to set Budget Hearing at 8:00 A.M. Monday, March 20, 1995 at City Hall. The motion carried.

Barbra Koelzer made motion, seconded by Don Rose for the City to purchase an accounting program for computer which will enable Claudine to do the City's bookkeeping. The motion carried.

Don Rose made motion, seconded by Bob McCain to buy 20 Christmas decorations to be placed on street lights. The cost of each is \$245.00. The motion carried.

Charles Kuntz presented receipts and disbursements and discussed same.

Dave Britt met with Council to discuss the Little League Summer Baseball Program. He asked the Council's permission to move home plate 12 ft., remove snow fence, and cut existing mesh fence, and cover dugouts. This will be done at no cost to the City. He also asked to be included in the 1995-96 Budget the cost of having a chain link fence built around the baseball field. Bob McCain made motion, seconded by Barbra Koelzer to approve all requests submitted by Mr. Britt concerning the Little League Program. Motion passed unanimously.

Don Rose made motion, seconded by Barbra Koelzer to allow Boy Scouts to plant trees at the City Park. The motion carried.

Walter Simmons made motion to close Tax Account at the Wheeler Banking Center. Mark Frankenberg seconded the motion. The motion carried.

Fund Established

A fund for the seven Claude teenagers who died in recent auto accidents has been set up at Wheeler Banking Center. The bank will keep records of this account and forward the funds and records to the fund established at Boatmen's First National Bank. This fund is for funeral expenses and will be divided equally among the families of the seven students. The Wheeler fund is established to make it more convenient for our community and area to express their heart felt sympathy.

BEN ED & LEE ANN HILLHOUSE RECEIVE STATE RECOGNITION FROM VETERINARIANS

"Dr. Lee Ann and Dr. Ben Hillhouse received the Diagnostician of the Year award from the Texas Veterinary Medical Diagnostic Laboratory during the annual convention of the Texas Veterinary Medical Association in

Houston. Over 1200 veterinarians attended the meeting and the Hillhouse's, who own and operate the Wheeler Veterinary Clinic, were recognized for their expertise in diagnostic veterinary medicine. The award is given annually by the Texas Veterinary Medical Diagnostic Laboratory System to veterinarians who most effectively use their services for the benefit of their clients. The Texas Veterinary Medical Diagnostic Laboratory has full-service labs in College Station and Amarillo. They help veterinary practitioners in their efforts to correctly diagnose diseases in animals. The husband and wife veterinary team of Lee Ann and Ben Hillhouse were lauded for their diagnostic skills and their extensive involvement in community affairs."

Wheeler Bd. of Trustees Hold February Meeting

A regular meeting of the Wheeler Independent School District Board of Trustees was held with all members present except Mr. Ledbetter and Mr. Ford. Vice President Chris Osborne presided at the meeting that began at 6:35 P.M. Guests included Doug Rives, Jim Bassett, Jim Verden, Mrs. Judy Woodard, Julie Hampton, Monte Long, Phil Wiggins, Larry Schoenhals, and Supt. Glyndol Holland.

1. Motion by Mr. Kuehler, seconded by Mr. Dunnam to approve the minutes of the previous meeting. Motion carried unanimously.

Wheeler County Appraisal District Chief Appraiser Larry Schoenhals presented value study information to the Board.

2. Motion by Mrs. Fletcher, seconded by Mr. Dunnam to approve the January accounts as presented. Motion carried unanimously.

3. Motion by Mr. Kuehler, seconded by Mrs. Fletcher to approve the pro-

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Ft. Elliott's Students On 4th Six-Week Honor Roll

Kindergarten All A's: Randi Barr, William Hodges, Sarah Moon, Jennifer Roe and Serena Sims.

First Grade All A's: Sarah Zybach, Carrie Daniels and Cassie Hodges.

Second Grade All A's: William Cook, Andrea Hathaway, Tamara Hefley and Jason Reed.

Third Grade All A's: Brittany Daniels and Holly McCurley.

AB's: Savannah Estes and Chrystal Selby.

Fourth Grade All A's: Tamera Hartline, Shane Simms and Seth Meadows.

AB's: Daniel Cook, Jason Hathaway, Cody James, Melissa Kephart.

Fifth Grade AB's: Monty Hand, Aaron Hartline, Justin Hefley and Casey Zybach.

Sixth Grade All A's: Carolan Aycock, Artie Cook, and Ashley Estes.

AB's: Eric Diebel, and Nathan Helley.

Seventh Grade All A's: Carissa Dukes, Amber Estes, and Doug Helton.

AB's: Andy Finsterwald, Candy Hilburn, Glen Moon, and Curt Smith.

Eighth Grade All A's: Devin Diebel.

AB's: Ja'Nae Goad, Michael Hilburn, Reagan Meadows, Brad Moran, and Ty Wood.

Freshman AB's: Donnie Barr, Tracy Densberger, Tera Hefley, Rebecca Richmond, and Amanda Shields.

Sophomore All A's: Sarah Hale.

Ft. Elliott Calls Election For Trustees For May 6

The Fort Elliott CISD will hold a school board election on May 6, 1995 for the purpose of electing 2 members for full 3-year terms and 1 member to fill a 1-year unexpired term. Persons interested in having their name placed on the ballot may apply at the Superintendent's office at 501 E. Wilson in Briscoe between the hours of 8:00 a.m. and 3:00 p.m. weekdays, from February 20, 1995 - March 22, 1995, except for the week of March 13-17.

Casey Gilmer Enrolled In Okmulgee College

Casey Gilmer from Wheeler is among 1, 824 students enrolled for the spring semester at Oklahoma State University, Okmulgee.

OSU-Okmulgee is the only college in Oklahoma established specifically for technical education. It offers college-level technical/occupational programs of study in 11 major disciplines.

Students graduating from OSU-Okmulgee can earn the Associate of Applied Science degree and be certified by the college's unique Graduate Performance Guarantee.

Students enrolled for the spring semester represent 73 of Oklahoma's 77 counties, 24 other states and 1 foreign country.

Gilmer is enrolled in automotive trim technology.

Booker Kiowas Defeat Lady Stangs in Bi-Dist.

The Booker Kiowas hosted the Lady Stangs Tuesday night. At half time the score was 26 to 16. At the end of the game the score was 47 to 63.

Jeseka Wallace scored 7 points. Stacy Maddux and Cassi Wallace both had 2 points. Jessica Jackson scored 4 points and Kalli Bradstreet had 2 points. There was a tie for high point that evening with 15 points by Corby Chick and Angie Thomas. Other players that evening were Kasey McCasland, Stacey Miller, and Rachel Smith.

Blood Pressure Clinic

There will be a Free Blood Pressure Clinic for all Wheeler County residents regardless of age, Thursday, March 2, 1995. It will take place in the south end of the Senior Citizens' Center on Canadian Street from 9:00 a.m. to 12:00 noon.

This clinic is conducted by Shepard's Nursing Service, Pampa, Texas and it is sponsored by the Wheeler Senior Citizens and the Texas Agricultural Extension Service.

Educational programs of the Texas Agricultural Extension Service serve veterans and people of all ages regardless of socioeconomic level, race, color, sex, handicap, religion, or national origin.

BLOOD DRIVE

A Blood Drive will be held this evening, February 23, 1995, at the Wheeler School Cafeteria. The drive will be from 3:00-7:00 P.M. The community is urged to participate.

SWEETWATER NEWS

By Lois Flowers

Valentine's Day has come and gone. Joe serenaded me on the fiddle with "Let Me Call You Sweetheart" and "Red Wing" I baked him a cherry pie. Got some calls and two letters.

The Sweetwater-Erick boys lost by two points in OT in the first District game and the girls won their games, and the district title. The girls lost their game at Mt. View with Hinton and will play in the loser's bracket tonight at Ft. Cobb.

Millage carried handily at the school election. Doug Fowler is the new board member.

Hersel and Betty Anderson had their grandchildren in for supper and to see the movie, "Little Women". Present were Jamie and Shannon, Laura and Michael from Sayre, Heather, Amber and Lindsey.

Ruby Sutton tells me Emma's girls, Sue Carleton and Rowena Casey have been to see her and Frankie, Anna Roberts and Zuma Sutton. Sue lives at Hattiesburg, Miss. and Rowena is home from Turkey.

Iva Thompson has been on the puny side. Dale Carpenter took Ed and Eileen Logan to OKC for Ed's doctors appointment. Billy and Gail Sutton went to OKC to his doctor.

Twila and Larry Adams of Kingfisher

spent the weekend with her folks, Billy and Gail.

The 4-H members are collecting donations for the Ronald McDonald House. This is a good cause.

I thought Cal's Country Cooking was going to be on Discover Oklahoma Saturday evening and even spent my nickel calling some friends long distance to watch. At the end TV said we will show the Erick restaurant next Saturday.

Dear Abby says this is International Forgiveness Week, so if you have a grudge against someone, Forgive them. You'll feel better.

Had a call from Faye Benson saying she is kin to Iva Rosander at Bristow. She's one of the Barnards.

Also a letter from Kent Shamblin, who likes my column. He lives in Minnesota.

Had a letter from friend, Laverne Lewis, in Maryland. She said her church and some more went over to Washington, D.C. to be in the Pro-Life March. Said there were thousands of folks all reverent and orderly, singing hymns and carrying banners, marching up the hill past the Supreme Court. It was really an awesome experience.

T. J. Pittman of Perryton called last week to say Willie Mae was out of the Amarillo hospital after an 8-day stay. She's having heart problems. Charles Fourier has been to OKC to see his doctor. Blanche Begert, Editha's sister, has been very ill.

This is National FFA week. Our members are starting it out right by going to Church as a group on Sunday. They have a number of other things planned.

We went to town to fill the pill bottles

MEALS on WHEELS MENU

February 27 thru March 3, 1995
MONDAY: Fried chicken breasts, whole new potatoes, buttered carrots, yogurt.

TUESDAY: Chicken casserole, zucchini & tomatoes, fruit.

WEDNESDAY: Meat Loaf with picante sauce, red beans & rice, mixed veggies, peach upside down cake.

THURSDAY: Smothered pork chops, duchess potatoes, winter mixed vegs., lime whip with apple sauce.

FRIDAY: Fried Chicken, noodles, green beans, cheese roll, margarine, fruit cobbler.

(Menus are subject to change)

were Elinor Meares, Shamrock, Mr. and Mrs. John Medlock, Ashley, Nicole, and Ryan, and Lisa Stokes, all of Amarillo.

Congratulations to our neighbor over west. Darville Atherton was named outstanding farmer and rancher at the recent Chamber of Commerce banquet at Wheeler. He and Sammie have a large farm west of Sweetwater.

Mr. and Mrs. Leon Tipton of Effort, Pa, have been visiting his aunt, Margaret Hiller, at Erick.

Ila Anderson, Sandy Williams and Norma Zellmer have been to Dallas to see Norma's son, Dean, who is ill.

Lots about endangered and vanishing species. When have you seen a honored toad, rabbit, terrapin, or even any kind of a frog? I saw a cat today in Sayre, first in months.

See Walter Merrick has an exhibition of Winning Horses at the Shortgrass Museum at Sayre. I remember when he was one of Uncle Champ Davis's cowboys. And Uncle Champ's ranch stretched from about Texola to Wheeler. Christina and I were childhood friends as we went to the singings and such at Davis School.

Brendon Atkinson was recently recognized by the OSU Animal Science for his leadership and achievements. His parents are Elbert (our mail carrier) and Eva.

Funeral services were this week for Angie Hartman, 90, at the Sayre Church of Christ. Burial was in the Lone Oak Cemetery. She and Luther had the New Liberty store, when we lived over there. In fact, we ran it for them awhile.

Sweetwater School had a fire and bus drill this month. It was successful and everyone survived in good style. In charge were Nathan Dixon and Brendon Atkinson.

and buy food for us and the birds. Had a cardinal rooster in the new feeder whetting his beak on those aliens he saw in the mirror.

Visited with Mrs. Carver, who used to live at Brinkman. Jackie and Ronda Sharum, Ethel Lucas of Durham, a sister reporter, and Eloise Marshall.

Willie Lord of Sayre has been out to see Birdie Whipkey. She also had a call from Dean Whipkey in CA.

With Esther Dickey last Saturday,

CARE CENTER COMMENTS

The residents are really enjoying the warm weather. Lots of them are sitting outside for a little while feeling the warm sunshine on their bodies.

Monday, I read the paper and then I did manicures for some of the residents. Room visits were made down C Hall where we did a little coloring and visiting. After lunch we had our monthly

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birthday party. The United Methodist Church was our host. Our hostesses were Vida Brown, Tom and Alice Bell Helton, Eunice Oldom, Alvern Hutchison, Harold and Mae Nash, and Myrtle Verden. They served cake and punch to all the residents. Our birthday residents were Ona Mae Weaver, Vena Richardson, Irene Dunnam, Alma Seitz, Edith McLaughlin, Iris Ingram, Mattie Jackson, Cecil Blevins, Edna Crow, Zinnie Bailey, Esther Sorenson. Patti Brooks provided entertainment for the residents. She had her daughter Chelsea Brooks and Megan Ford sing for the residents. They sang Happy Birthday, Father

Abraham, and When The Saints Go Marching In.

Tuesday, Barbara read the paper in the lobby. Next we had Family After in the dining room with Mrs. Hyatt. After church everyone helped set up for a Valentines luncheon that we had in the lobby. We decorated several tables and served lunch. We had a really good time. Rita Pearson ate lunch with her mother, Nellie Lackey, and Hyland Weaver had lunch with his mother, Ona Mae Weaver. Later that afternoon we had a Valentines Party, cookies and punch was served and Irene Dunnam and Clarence Teeters were elected as our Valentine King and Queen. Edith McLaughlin also celebrated her birthday on Valentines.

Wednesday, Barbara went to Amarillo to help Amy take 2 of our residents to the doctor. I also was in Amarillo at the doctor's office. I want to thank Jean Scales and Ruth Edwards for doing bingo for us. Jean said they had a big turn out, and Irma Kirk was the blackout winner. Thank you to Shorty Crawford and Tom Helton for helping out also. Evelyn Meek served juice to the residents. Iris Ingram celebrated her birthday.

Thursday, Barbara went to Amarillo on a doctor run again, so I read the paper to the residents. Next we had church in the dining room with Rozena Zybach, Ila Collins, Susan Gierhart, and Mrs. Pfiel. They sang several songs and had a devotion with Mrs. Pfiel. After lunch I had care plan meeting. After care plans we worked on arts and crafts and popped popcorn and served it to the residents. Mattie Jackson, Cecil Blevin, and Edna Crow celebrated their birthdays.

Friday, Barbara read the paper in the lobby to the residents. Next we did exercises in the lobby. We started out with a small group, but Kerry Moore joined us and suddenly our group grew a lot. Kerry thanks for helping us out. After lunch we made some room visits. Next we played with the parachute and large beach ball in the lobby. The residents had lots of fun. Marie Grudgel and Birdie Hudson served juice to the residents.

Saturday, Barbara read the paper to the residents. Next she did manicures in the lobby, and fixed hair in the beauty shop. After lunch she served ice cream to the residents. Next they played bingo they had 27 residents to play bingo. Nellie Lackey was the blackout winner.

Sunday, the Nazarene Church had afternoon worship services with the residents. Zinnie Bailey said she really enjoyed the singing and preaching.

We have 2 new residents to welcome to W.C.C. They are Cecil and Hazel Richardson. Cecil and Hazel are from Wheeler, so if you get a chance come out and visit with Cecil and Hazel.

Wheeler Vol. Firemen Hold Feb. Training Meet

The Wheeler Volunteer Fire Department met Thursday, February 16, 1995 at the Wheeler Fire Station. Seventeen WVFD members and five Junior members participated in Basic Passport Firefighter Accountability certification training.

Ken Daughtry taught the basic certification class. WVFD members receiving 2 hours training in Basic Passport Accountability: Michael Atherton, Riley Atwood, Ken Daughtry, Gary Davis, K. D. Ford, Russell Gaines, Lee George, Chuck Hartline, Lyndon Loyd, Bobby McNeil, Kyndal Murray, H. L. Owens, Justin Rose, Walter Simmons, Daryl Snelgrooves, Jackie Sparlin, Steve Walker, Wade Bricky, Rusty Archer, Brandon Simmons, Shane Sparlin and T. A. Taylor.

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

The Wheeler Volunteer Fire Department meets on the 1st, 3rd and 5th Thursday of each month. The next training meeting is scheduled for Thursday, March 3, 7:00 p.m., with 2 hours of Basic Passport Firefighter Accountability training, to be taught by Ken Daughtry.

All WVFD training is SFFMA/TCFP approved and all area firefighters are welcomed to attend.



Ryan, 4 yrs., Janae, 4 months, are the children of Gary and Kathy Brotherton of Amarillo. Grandparents are C. B. and Maurine Brotherton of Wheeler, and Joe and Sandy Denton of San Jose, California. Great-Grandparents are Claudy and Ina Mae Brotherton of Wheeler, and Jeri Gates of San Diego, California.

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By Christine Gilmer

Proverbs 27: 1-2: Boast not thyself of tomorrow; for thou knowest not what a day may bring forth. Let another man praise thee, and not thine own mouth; a stranger, and not thine own lips. This is a bright sunshiney Monday morning here in Allison, had a nice

weekend weather wise. Pastor and Mrs. Roy Jones house guests through the weekend was their daughter, Della and Duane Foster from Elkins, Ark. Forrest Boydston, Opal and Juanita Boydston went last Wednesday to Elk City to take care of business. They went to Pampa last Thursday on business there. Last Friday they went to Minco, Ok., and visited SaRita and Robbie Green, Carrissa and their new baby boy, Kelton, and spent Friday night and also on Saturday with them. Janice Boydston spent last week with SaRita and Robbie, helping out with the new baby and SaRita. Opal, Juanita and Forrest shopped some in Weatherford and then came through Wheeler and visited Kendra Boydston at Parkview hospital. Kendra is now home. Dinner guest with Opal and Juanita were Forrest, Neal and Corinna Boydston. Ruth Chadwick spent last week with her daughter, Rhonda Puryear, and family at Altus, helping Rhonda getting moved into her new home in Altus. Peggy Chandler, Jennie Walker and Melvin Stinnett visited Gertie Cornell different days last week at the Care Center at Wheeler and also attended the funeral of their brother, Ed Gilmer on Saturday. Brad Chandler visited at the Peggy Chandler home last Wednesday and ate dinner with Peggy, Betty and Melvin. The Gilmer family and relatives were made sad with the passing of Ed Gilmer

last Thursday morning. Our sympathy is for Eddie, his wife and the children and grandchildren. Fred and Pauline Cordell from Cheyenne, visited Judi and Anthony Cornell last Monday and ate lunch with them. Bill and Kay Donaldson went to Amarillo last Sunday and visited with Bill's sister, Delores Whitten, at High Plains Baptist hospital. Red and Anna Dukes attended the funeral of Anna's niece's husband Sunday, Feb. 12, at Bridgeport, TX. They attended the basketball play-off of the Ft. Elliott girls at Pampa last Thursday night. Last Saturday Red and Anna attended the wedding shower for Jill Hays at Panhandle. Last Sunday Red and Anna visited Worth and Maybre Shields at Samnorwood. Red went to the funeral of a friend last Monday at Dozier. Larry and Ladonna Elmore took Glen and Nona Elmore out to eat last Sunday after church to Wheeler at Sparlins. Ray and Sue Giddens last Sunday guests were Wayne and Kathy Zybach, Clay and Casey. Rita Grayson's visitor last Saturday was Ellen Huff. Vance and Caroline Boydston Friday night, Feb. 10th in Canyon with Kyle Boydston from there they went to Lubbock on Saturday and Vance attended a postal meeting on Saturday, they stayed with Kevin Boydston until Wednesday, on Monday they had gone to Midland and visited Jake and Marie Morse and came home last Wednesday. (Marginal Note: A key chain is something that lets you lose all your keys at the same time.) Bruce and Pearl Harrison went to Elk City last Friday afternoon and came back home Sunday afternoon. They spent the time there visiting Jimmy and Vivian Wallace and attended a birthday Sunday afternoon for an old friend, Margie Clay, who was 98 years old.



Allen and Nadine Reynolds, Bennie and Debbie Boydston, Heather and Jason were supper guests last Friday evening with Gary and Linda Hall. Last Sunday after church, Allen and Nadine, Loyd and Nona Jones went to Wheeler and ate dinner at Sparlins. Darrel and Johnnie Harrison from Amarillo came down last Saturday morning and ate lunch with Christine Gilmer and in the afternoon went and picked up Wilma Gilmer and went to Wheeler and attended the funeral of Ed Gilmer. Kevin and Melissa Fleming and Meagan from Lufkin got to Eddy and Wanda Walker, Jonathon and Justin's home last Wednesday morning. On Thursday Jonathon and Justin went with the Allison Community Youth Group. There were about 25 students and adults to Red River, N.M., for a skiing trip. They had a wonderful time. Eddy, Wanda, Kevin and Melissa and Meagan went to Albuquerque, N.M., to visit Calvin and Lisa Farmer and boys. From there they went to Red River to be with their boys. Then they traveled on to Amarillo and spent one night with Chuck and Kim Thompson and got home last Monday afternoon. I believe in the sun even when it's not shining. I believe in love, even when I'm alone. I believe in God even when He is silent. . . . With out faith it is impossible to please God. —Hebrews 11: 6

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Here & There

By Laura Guthrie

Tuesday noon. This morning has been another great time for me. Patricia called last night and made an appointment with me for a trip into the country to visit with Katy Finsterwald. (Katy Topper—she was when we were friends 50 or more years ago. She worked as a nurse at Dr. Nicholson-Walker's Wheeler Hospital. I don't mean Parkview Hospital, which operates now. The building which is now Wheeler Library/Senior Citizen Center and Scout meeting place, was the hospital. Katy and some of our other young women worked as nurses. (I'm off track) But when we got to the Finsterwald house, there was Clara Finsterwald Holmes from Albuquerque. She was an old-time friend of mine. In fact a friend since 1930. What a wonderful surprise. Katy and Patricia lost themselves in another part of the house, and left Clara and me to enjoy old-time talk, and that is just what we did for about an hour and a half. Such a good time.

Clara has been with Katie since she came for the funeral of her sister, Betty Dobbs. She will possibly return to Albuquerque this week. But her relatives and friends are hoping she will return here to live when Sandhills Estates are ready.

Melinda has a guest today, Dana, of Hamphill, is visiting today. They have now driven to Shamrock for Pizza. I hope that after 60 years more has come about, that those (now young women) will have a chance to talk "old times".

Trace and LaDonna Milburn of Borger spent the weekend with us. They are Melinda's nieces and my great-grandchildren. Their grandmother, Lydia Guthrie now lives next door to us, so they visited with her also.

Yes, Lydia lives next door. Tim and Melinda bought the lots to the north of us. Through much hard work, a quite a lot of money, they have repaired and made livable, the two houses. The smaller one (we call it the blue house) is rented. I'm sorry I can't remember their name and I can't introduce them to you.

Lydia is settled in and has found some part-time care sitting to do. The Jasmin blooms are fading, but the tulips are up and running. Soon they will be putting out their cheerful blooms. So will the forsythia, lilacs and japonica.

How about a garden? Anybody planted their peas and potatoes, maybe onions? It's that time of year. I think the editor is working in the gar-

den. Guess I won't be scratching the ground much, but Melinda said she might plant some tomatoes. She is not a gardener. She is an interior decorator and maintenance person. Her present project is papering, painting and re-decorating our utility room. The temperature is rising, the sun is shining, what we need is more rain. That would really put people to work. I almost forgot. The other evening Wilma Gene Patterson called me and said she had just been in contact, by telephone, with Wallace Pendleton in El Paso. He had asked about me. Wallace is another one of those kids (Ab Gunter size) who hung around the Rogue Theatre for years. He was a good friend. His brother, Ray, was an early day projectionist at the Rogue. (I'm sorry if you didn't live here in the days when ROGUE was the building that now says MANNA.)

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RMML—Remodelers National Funding Corp. to Guy Hardin, et ux, 10-21-91, Lot 11, Blk. 6, Mont-Lew Add., Shamrock. RATIFICATION OL—Mark Harold Reitan to Samson Resources Company, 11-25-94, E 1/2 Sec. 15, Blk. RE.

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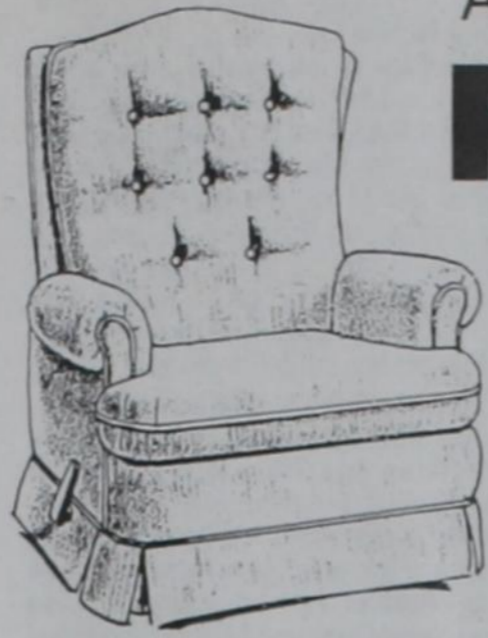
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GAGEBY NEWS

By Verna Fillingim

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or sister."

Happy Birthday Ya'll! To Tom Helton, Aunt Jessie Coker, Sam Meadows, and Steve Bleakley on Feb. 26, Jackie Don May on Feb. 27, Dixie Cook on Feb. 28, Rozena Zybach and David Hale on March 1, Janet Stevens, Alan Hershman, Brady Hudson, and Curt Duncan on Mar. 2, Bob Finsterwald, Collin McCurley on March 3, Chuck Hartline, Mary Gorley, Larry Finsterwald, Lee Ann Lehman, and

Clara Beckel on March 4.

Happy Anniversary to Rev. Ralph and Mary Hovey on Feb. 28 and Steve and Sami Corse on March 4. God bless you everyone!

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Fort Elliott has a warm-up game Tuesday night Feb. 21 at Pampa with Lefors. Thursday night Feb. 23 they will play at 8:00 at Pampa if time isn't changed. (Sorry I got time wrong last week) The game is with Wheeler Mustangs and should be a very good game.

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Pray for Estelle Hodges. She had a heart attack at Totty Thursday as she started to leave the quilting and was taken to High Plains Baptist Hospital. This was not her first heart attack.

1 Corinthians 13:13 And now these three remain: faith, hope and love - and the greatest of these is love.

Doris Finsterwald hosted the Mobeetie Baptist Church Choir group Saturday night at her home. Rob Hogan cooked hamburgers.

Keep praying for Homer Sanders. He is home, but not feeling well. We visited him awhile Sunday.

Keep praying for Willa Fillingim. She

is some better and hoping to get to come home Tuesday 21st. Charles Crownover met Laurel Hershman's plane in Oklahoma City Thursday and took her on to Amarillo to be with Willa. Laurel plans to stay a few weeks to help Willa out. Willa is still far from well. Every joint is sore and stiff and she has a serious urinary tract infection. Charles and LaJo Crownover and Jodie, Londa and Terri have been helping at home.

"The most flammable type of wood is a chip on the shoulder."

Laura Meadows was going skiing Monday with the youth group from First Baptist Church of Canadian. Also a group from the Methodist Church were going. Pray for their safety.

Bob and Sue Ratliff and Heather and Keith visited Timm and Melody Rodgers and Gabe and Tiffany in Georgia during Spring Break at Canadian School.

Fort Elliott High School girls and Junior High kids have started playing tennis to get ready for competition. Some of H.S. girls are Lindsey Fillingim, Dana Trimble, Misty Morgan, Keri Nelson, Stacie Dukes, Lana Richmond and Tiffany Gonzales.

Larry and Vickey Nelson went to Elk City Sunday and visited DeAnn and Gary Nagel and looked at the trees and all in their green house which is about 5 blocks North of Braums, if you'd care to check it out.

Tiffany Gonzales spent Saturday night with Keri Nelson.

Nice to have granddaughter Lindsey Fillingim come over and visit awhile Friday.

Kyla Walker stayed from Sunday to Saturday at Aransas Pass to be with her mom, Polly Higgins, while she had surgery. She had had knee replace-



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"Wheeler, town of friendship and pride."

ment surgery about five years ago. The cushioning had slipped to one side and cracked so it was painful and noisy to walk. Doctor was replacing the cushioning and she is getting around well.

Grandson, Payton Austin, was visiting Harold and Lessie Austin, Monday, the joy of their life.

David and Winnie Gilmer and Davy spent a few days at Big Ben on vacation. They had to come back Thursday for David's dad's funeral.

Zachary and Casey Tipps were weekend visitors to grandparents Dean and Georgia Tipps and Dick and Ruth Irvine. Monday, Tammy Tipps and Amber and Georgia Tipps went to Amarillo taking Casey and Zach to meet Becky Tipps and go to eye doctor and home to Fritch. Georgia, Tammy and Amber got back in time to take Jennifer to Cheyenne to the dentist.

Vickey Nelson is half way through her LVN course at Shamrock. Her capping ceremony for all in her class will be at United Methodist Church Shamrock, Friday Feb. 24 at 7:00 P.M. Friends and relatives invited. Some others in her class are Angela Bradstreet, Michi Hubbard, Jeff DeBose, Sally Sietz, Teresa Davis, Stephanie Morgan and Stephanie Jimenez.

Rosalie Keelin went to Wheeler Sunday to the Gene Keelin home to the birthday party for Clara Holcomb and Kara Kay Keelin's 13th birthday. Some others there were Jessica

Jackson, John Holcomb, Dale Gardner, Mr. and Mrs. Danny McNeil and boys and friends and Gene, Norma, Tracy and Daniel.
Lois Hudson and Sharon Grandstaff visited Rosalie Keelin, Sunday.

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Happy Birthday to John Moffett, and Evie Aderholt on Feb. 23. To Scott Luttrell, Dwight Tipps, Audie Siviage, Zima Bailey, Homer Sanders, Amy Massey on Feb. 24. To J. D. Tindol, Ray Boyd, Lauren Baird, Andy Gonzales, Mitch Meadows, and Tiffany Hawkins on Feb. 25. To Sam Meadows, Tom Helton, Steve Bleakley, Aunt Jessie Coker, and Ralph House on Feb. 26. To Jackie Don May, Brenda Long, Tiny Simpson, and Eula Johnson on Feb. 27. To Dixie Cook on Feb. 28. To Rozena Zybach, Davis Hale, and Loretta Brillhart on March 1.

Happy Anniversary to Mike and Tina Lee on Feb. 25.
Estelle Hodges is in High Plains Baptist Hospital in Amarillo for tests. We hope she is soon home.

Dale and Melba Corcoran visited in Amarillo with Earl and Pauline Barnes. Earl is still in the VA Hospital. He was improving Sat.

The First Baptist Church Choir held a Cook out and Chicken foot party Sat. evening at the home of Doris Finsterwald. Rob Hogan cooked the hamburgers. Those attending were Kelley and Edith Cross, Arthur Don and Willene Burke, Marion and Ethel

Grimes, Rob and Geniva Hogan, Dale and Melba Corcoran, Doris, April and Andy Finsterwald.

Doyle and Bulah Grimes visited Sat. with Gary and Marilyn Grimes in Amarillo. They also visited with Jerry and Beverly Grimes and Kelly of Stratford and Donny and D'wan Morlas and Deven of Amarillo and Kendra Grimes and college roommate, Jana Holman of Vernon.

Visiting with Ariza and Anna Belle Corcoran were Anna Belle's cousin, Irene Simmons, of Peel, Ark.

Irene Webb and Cynthia Worthington visited Ariza and Anna Belle Corcoran. Anna Belle, Irene and Cynthia visited with Jess and Dee Ann Mixon. Dee Ann Mixon had suffered a fall and hurt her hand and head.

Denise Rector, Cody and Sarah of Amarillo and Dale and Melba Corcoran visited Sun. with Jud and Lorene Rector.

William and Charlene Adcock of Canadian visited Mon. with Dale and Melba Corcoran.

Visiting with Jap and Alice Bailey Sat. was Hugh and Mae Bailey.

Visiting Sun. with Jap and Alice Bailey was Shane Kuper, a friend Jessica Preston and Shannan Maul of Pampa.

Pierce Walker is in Parkview hospital. We hope he will be home and doing OK.

Dale and Melba Corcoran visited Thurs. in Wheeler Care Center with Verna Corcoran, Edith McLaughlin, Wilber Beck, Nettie Walker and May Belle Childress.

Our sympathy goes out to the family of Ed Gilmer.

Our sympathy goes out to the Finsterwald family on the death of Betty Finsterwald Dobbs.

Mt. View Quilting Club

The Mt. View Quilting Club met Thurs. at the Totty School House with Betty Haines as hostess. Those attending were Betty Haines, Willene Burke, Estelle Hodges, Audrey Seitz, Bulah Grimes, Orville Greenhouse,

Edith Cross, Martha Meek and Melba Corcoran. The group will quilt on Betty's quilt next Quilting.

City Notice

The City of Mobeetie new office hours are Mon. - Wed. and Fri. 8:00 A.M. to 1 P.M. The city election in May will have the Mayor position and the council seats of Wanda Estes and Roy Forbes up for election. Any one wanting to sign up to run can do so in the City Hall during office hours. The drop box is in place for paying your bills when the office is closed.

OMA Heritage Day Committee

The Old Mobeetie Heritage Day Committee met Thur. at the home of Bobbye Hill in Wheeler. Those attending were April Hampton, Susan Coates, Rhonda Blanchard, Bobbye Hill of Wheeler, Ada Lou Lester, Louise Hogan and Dale and Melba Corcoran. They discussed the Living History, Food Concession and Craft Booths.

The group has got a good response so far. Several groups have been booked already. The float for St. Patrick's was also discussed.

OLD MOBEETIE ASSOCIATION WORKDAY

The Old Mobeetie Association held their monthly workday Sat. at the

Extension Update

Joan Gray, CEA-ME

ANTIOXIDANT MYTHS AND TRUTHS

There is mounting evidence from laboratory experiments that antioxidants can help prevent some of the chemical steps that lead to cancer, heart attacks, cataracts and even aging. This has resulted in a wide promotion of antioxidants as protection against aging and a variety of serious illnesses. Antioxidants hold so much promise that there may be a tendency to overemphasize their health benefits before all the facts are gathered.

Antioxidants aren't magical. They are vitamins and minerals found in many foods and supplements. Antioxidant food sources are:

*Beta-carotene and Vitamin A — green leafy vegetables such as broccoli, collards, kale and spinach and red, orange and yellow fruits and vegetables such as apricots, cantaloupes, carrot, mango, papaya, peach, pumpkin, sweet potato, tomato, watermelon and winter squash.

*Selenium — cashews, halibut, meat, oysters, salmon, scallops, tuna.

*Vitamin C — broccoli, cantaloupes, oranges, grapefruit, lemons, kiwi, potato, red peppers, strawberries, tomato.

*Vitamin E — almonds, margarine, nuts, seeds, vegetable oil, wheat germ.

Although many studies have supported a possible role for antioxidants in protecting against cancer, heart disease and cataracts, there is not a substantial collection of studies that show a definite role for such protection. Different types of studies give different levels of proof — some can only suggest a role while others clearly demonstrate it.

Antioxidants are thought to interfere with aging and the disease process by neutralizing harmful molecules in our bodies called free radicals. Our bodies produce free radicals antioxidant during normal metabolism and acquire them from the environment. In the laboratory, free radicals have been shown to disrupt and tear apart important cell structures like membranes and genes, making cancer, heart disease, cataracts and some nerve diseases more likely to develop over time.

In most cases, food is a better source of all nutrients than pills are. A varied eating pattern consisting of foods chosen primarily from among cereal and grains, fruit and vegetables will provide all the essential nutrients needed to maintain good health. A varied eating pattern will also provide hundreds of non-nutrient compounds, called phytochemicals, that can help protect your health as well.

Food Preparation Subject Of Informative Meetings

Joan Gray has graciously volunteered to hold some very informative meetings for interested people.

The first meeting will be Tuesday, February 28th, 7:00 P.M. at the Wheeler Public Library.

The topic will be "A New Style For Old Staples". It is to help learners develop techniques in food preparation to decrease fat, saturated fat, sugar and sodium, and increase fiber in foods; revitalize or modify frequently used bread and quick bread recipes for healthy eating, and identify ingredients that contribute the most calories, fat, sugar and cholesterol in bread recipes.

In our world of being health conscious, this will be very helpful to all.

We will be having other helpful programs later. If you are interested in these programs, meet us at the Wheeler Public Library, Tuesday, February 28th at 7:00 P.M.

THANK YOU

Words cannot express the gratitude we feel for all the thoughtful things everyone has done to help us through a lot of bad times, during my sickness. We really appreciate all the prayers in our behalf God had been so good to us in answering those prayers and concerns. We have been overwhelmed by the generosity from those that donated money for the fund set up for us. All gifts, cards, flowers and food have been received with real love and affection for each act you have demonstrated. It's so good to finally be home and back in Wheeler with so many friends and love ones. Our thanks to everyone.
LaJaune and Don Alexander



Museum grounds. The group got the upstairs ready for the carpenters to go to work. They moved tables and furniture that was stored up there and took down the ceiling tiles and old wall paper. It was a cold and dusty day but it is now ready to go. Those helping were Wesley Stribling of Miami, Dan Gatlin and Joe Rucker of Briscoe, Shane Stribling, Bobby Risner, Jimmy and Bobbye Hill of Wheeler, James Kephart, Kurt Duncan, Bill Ridgway, Louise Hogan, Ada Lou Lester, Clint and Maurita Stribling, and Dale and Melba Corcoran. We also had several visitors to view the display in honor of Black History Month.

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We would like to thank everyone for the kindness and thoughtfulness shown to us for Bo's accident. Thank you to Mr. Estes, Susie Hubble, and others who helped us to get him to the hospital. Thanks to all the nurses, x-ray tech., and Dr. Galutia. We extremely want to thank the wonderful ambulance service we received. Lee, Pam, John and Mary Kay, words can't express how much you mean to us. Thanks to everyone who has come and brought things to him, this means a great deal to him and it will, in the time to come. Thank you to Mrs. Porter for coming to teach him so he can stay with his classmates. Thank you to the school for letting her do this. This is a great community, and we are proud to live here in Wheeler.

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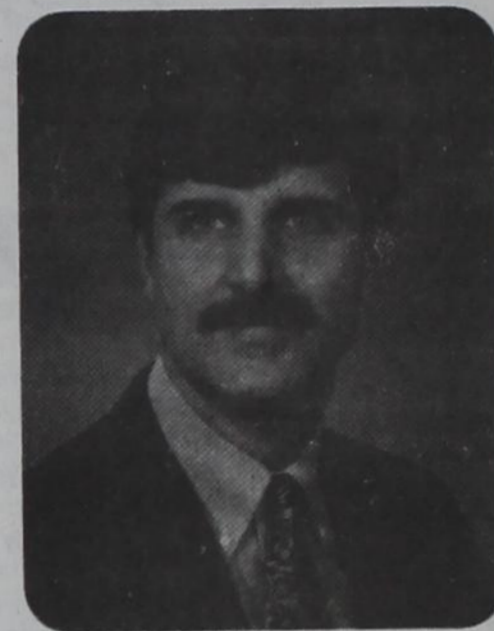
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If you received a homestead exemption on your home last year you need not reapply for 1995 unless you turned 65 or became disabled before January 1st. File a new application for 1995 if you've moved to a different home.

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Rhea Wilson

Gageby (from Page 5)

Mae Welch enjoyed being able to go to church Sunday. Rev. and Mrs. B. A. Hyatt visited her Sunday afternoon. Oden and Lois Hudson visited B. F. and Margie Meadows and Fat and Wanda Childress. B. F. is doing well. Sharon Grandstaff also visited at Fat's. Kenneth and Lou Dean Douthit got back Monday afternoon after about 12 days visiting their kids and grandkids; Peggy and Don North and Kevin and Robyn Gore and Casey all of Tolar, Texas; Stephanie Bowman, Kim and Megan Edmunds and Le Andra Whittenberg all of Arlington (husbands were gone fishing or something) and Billie and Donald Stuckey at Boerne. Sunday evening supper guests to Verneal and Juanita Prater and Jeannette were Irene Zybach and Mary Lou Carter. Juanita smoked a ham and had sweet potatoes and lots of goodies. We are expecting Bernie Tapp and Jennifer, David and Amanda from Amarillo to come Friday night to stay till Sunday afternoon with us. Bernie promised to sing at church. Charles and LaJo Crownover visited

Willia Fillingim at Northwest Texas Hospital in Amarillo Sunday after church.

Keith and Kristi Meek from Lubbock were weekend visitors to David and Phyllis Hefley and Wayne Meek. Phyllis and Kristi went to the funeral for Ed Gilmer (Phyllis' uncle) and visited with Clifford and Pauline Hefley. Saturday night Phyllis and David and Keith and Kristi went out to eat at Maxeys.

Enjoying a fish fry Saturday night at Fat and Wanda Childress home were John and Carolyn Stokes and Bo and Naomi Terrell from Pampa and Scott and Kay Luttrell. Scott cooked the fish. Bo sang and played the guitar and entertained the group. Brandi Luttrell and Michael Hibler came by all

dressed up pretty for the Sweetheart Banquet (Wheeler) at Pampa Country Club.

Sincere sympathy to Mary Jo Zenor and family and friends in the death of her husband, Bill Zenor, 70, Saturday of a heart attack.

Jocelyn Meek spent a few days with Evelyn Meek while Mark and Annette Meek and Kaleb went to the T-CAL State Tournament on Wednesday to Friday night. Andrea Jones visited Jocelyn at Evelyn's Friday and then went home with Jocelyn to spend the night.

Dub and Mary Swift from Pampa visited Fat and Wanda Childress Sunday afternoon.

Monday was such a beautiful spring day. Edna May took Homer Sanders

for a little drive and was taking him to Amarillo Tuesday to Veterans for a check-up.

"If you are arguing with an idiot, make sure he isn't doing the same thing."

Nice to have friends over Friday night for supper and 42 and included Lois Meadows, Nova Powledge, J. P. and Martha Meek, Olaf Siviage and Lester Leonard.

There was a very nice bridal shower and many friends for Shonda Meek, bride elect of Jimmy Smith of Abilene at Emerald House in Canadian Saturday morning. They plan to marry March 11 in Abilene. Some from here going to shower were Ruth Irvine, Casey Tipps, Martha Meek, Karen Meek, Verna Fillingim and also Isabel Moore, Rachel Moore, Michelle Moore and Elizabeth (the life of the party) from Kelton.

Sincere sympathy to family of Ed Gilmer in his death.

"My grandfather once told me that there are two kinds of people: those who do the work and those who take the credit. He told me to try to be in the first group; there was less competition there." Indira Gandhi.

We visited Katie Jo Hennig and Brenna and Britiane a little. Beautiful babies and very good, she said. Katie seems to be making a good mama.

David and Rita Pearson went to Amarillo Thursday to a Germania Meeting.

Nice to have Nikki Scott join us for lunch at Maxeys Friday. She is home recuperating from surgery and planning her wedding for April 15 at Country Chapel. Some others there were Grainger and Dorothy McIlhaney, Reba and Mary Wofford, Zinnia Bailey and daughter Bernice Havenhill from Pampa celebrating Zinnia's birthday, Eddie and Helen George and Lee George.

Romans 5:8 But God demonstrates his own love for us in this: while we were still sinners, Christ died for us.

Nice to have Lee and Esther Brown and Joanie and Jessica meet us for supper at the Siroloin Stockade in Pampa and go to the game Thursday night.

Nice to have Cindy Zumstein and Daniel meet us for lunch Wednesday after our swim. Martha Meek was with us also.

Sharon Grandstaff was a weekend visitor to Oden and Lois Hudson. She said Ma Mary was at Bivins Nursing Center and doing fine.

Chuck and Phoebe Hartline and Aaron and Tamera went to the Symphony at Pampa Friday night. They ate lunch Sunday at J. P. and Martha Meek home.

Nice to have Horace and Juanita Fillingim go with us to the Hill Top Cafe in Reydon Tuesday night. They really have good hamburgers. Also there were Zeland and Charlene Rainey and Hiram and Darinda Begert, Rossie May Trout and many others.

Sincere sympathy to family and friends of Betty Finsterwald Dobbs in her death Feb. 12 at Willis, Texas.

Our Lady Cougars knew they were facing a challenge to play Groom girls Thursday night at Pampa. Groom had lost only one game the whole season and had lots of height. But our girls worked really hard and did their best and lost 43 to 67. All our girls got to play some. A very large supportive group of fans were there to cheer them on to their last game of the season. We have lots of good young players for next year. Good luck, Groom girls.

"Optimism is the cheerful frame of mind that enable a teakettle to sing, though in hot water up to its spout."

Those going to San Antonio to the Stock Show from Fort Elliott included James Moffett and John, Michael Hilburn, Michael Farrell, Caaron Laverty, Misty Morgan. Misty was in the calf scramble. Others had pigs, but they all got sifted. Jennifer Maddox also had a pig. Some others going were Claudetta Laverty, Penny Hilburn and Candy, Dee Bar and Donnie.

Also in the calf scramble were Michael Farrell, Donnie Barr and Candy Hilburn. Donnie and Candy caught their calves. Each was given money to buy an animal. Candy was taking Stacie Dukes place.

They got to go to a rodeo and hear a good singer, John Anderson, in the coliseum.

Addie Swift went with Jane Dukes and Stacie Friday to Shannon, Texas and spent the night. Saturday they picked up Sorghum Castle and went on to Fort Worth to see Sorghum's great grand baby who was very ill in Children's hospital there. The baby was Mike and Brenda Castle's grandbaby, Angie's baby. She was born with very serious problems and then had pneumonia. Jane and Stacie spent Saturday night with Mike and Brenda and Addie stayed with her brother Hap and Sorghum Castle. Sunday they all went to an 80th birthday party for another brother, Fred Castle and got to see all their kids and grandkids. Addie and Jane and Stacie got back Monday afternoon. Addie said she wasn't as tired as she thought she'd be. Guessed she was getting younger.

"God be with you till we meet again."

*** Experience has shown, and a true philosophy will always show, that a vast, perhaps the larger, portion of the truth arises from the seemingly irrelevant.

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<p>STEERS: 3-400# St. 87-95.00 4-500# St. 84-95.00 5-600# St. 75-84.00 6-700# St. 70-76.75 7-800# St. 67-71.90 Packer Cows: 39.25-50.00</p>	<p>HEIFERS: 3-400# Hf. 80-87.00 4-500# Hf. 75-89.00 5-600# Hf. 70-76.50 6-700# Hf. 67-74.00 7-800# Hf. 66-71.75 Packer Bulls: 49.50-60.00</p>
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Consignments for Feb. 24, include 10 black and black baldie heifers belonging to Joe Gordon. These heifers are all 8 months bred and these are all real classie heifers. Jack, Mike, and Mark Damron will all have some of their calves here. Leon Coopridger is bringing 20-25 head of his good calves. So be sure to call and give me a call at 1-800-928-9011 to consign or just save you a spot on the list.

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HEART-HEALTHY LIVING TIPS

from Top O' Texas Cattlewomen

Reducing your risk of heart disease needn't be an impossible task. All it takes is a few simple adjustments. When it comes to mealtime, sure...you may need to cut down, but not to moderation—not elimination—is the key.

If you're tired of being told only what's bad for you, take heart!

There are some painless steps you can take that will have a positive impact. And you won't need to say goodbye to the foods you love.

10 Hints For A Healthy Heart

1. Don't Smoke

You may know that smoking is linked to lung cancer, but it's also a risk factor for heart disease. Tobacco has been shown to suppress the protective HDL (high density lipoprotein) levels in the blood. If you quit smoking, your HDL value will rise.

2. Get Moving

Regular exercise is an important part of a heart-healthy routine. It can also help you control your weight and lower your blood pressure. Shoot for at least 30 minutes of activity every

other day.

3. Lose Weight, If You Are Overweight

People who maintain a healthful weight are not only less likely to develop heart disease, but also high blood pressure, diabetes, gallbladder disease and some types of cancer. You can lose unwanted pounds by eating fewer calories and increasing your physical activity on a regular basis.

4. Limit The Fat In Your Diet

Each gram of fat equals 9 calories—more than twice the calories found in carbohydrate or protein. A fat-rich diet encourages weight gain and may lead to elevated blood cholesterol. Current advice: limit fat to less than 30% of total calories.

5. Balance The Type Of Fat You Eat

Fats are made up of a combination of Fatty acids: saturated, polyunsaturated and monounsaturated. Saturated fatty acids (found in the fat in animal products, and coconut and palm oils) can raise blood cholesterol.

Recommendation: keep saturates limited to about one-third of your fat intake, or less than 10% of total calories.

6. Watch Your Cholesterol Intake

Dietary cholesterol (found in animal foods) may also raise blood cholesterol levels—although some people are sensitive to dietary cholesterol than others. Today's tactics: limit dietary cholesterol to less than 300 milligrams a day.

7. Concentrate On Complex Carbohydrates

Foods rich in complex carbohydrates, if eaten plain, are low in fat and are good sources of vitamins, minerals and fiber. Choose more whole-grain breads and cereals, pasta, rice and dried peas and beans. And enjoy fruits and vegetables more often. Your approach: have carbohydrates make up 50-60% of your total calories.

8. Find More Fiber

There are two types from which to choose: soluble and insoluble fiber. Soluble fiber (found in oats, rice bran, barley, dried peas and beans, and certain fruits like prunes) may help lower blood cholesterol. Whole grain bread/cereals and fruits and vegetables are good sources of insoluble fiber which is important for a healthy digestive tract. Strategy: eat a variety of fiber-rich foods every day.

9. Limit Sodium And Salt

While not everyone reacts to sodium the same way, high blood pressure is sometimes associated with a diet high in sodium. Check labels carefully and watch the amount of salt you use in cooking and at the table. Best approach: limit daily sodium intake to less than 3,000 milligrams.

10. If You Drink Alcoholic Beverages, Do So In Moderation

Excessive alcohol use increases your risk of heart disease, in addition to high blood pressure, liver disease, some forms of cancer, nutritional deficiencies and other disorders. If you do drink, limit your consumption to the equivalent of less than 1 ounce of pure alcohol in a single day: 2 cans of beer, 2 small glasses of wine, or 2 average cocktails.

(The hints above are based on current recommendations made by the National Cholesterol Education Program and the American Heart Association.)

Texas CattleWomen want to remind everyone that BEEF easily fits into the guidelines set forth by the American Heart Association for a heart-healthy diet. Good lean meat is hard to beat...as an excellent source of protein, vitamins, and minerals, including iron. And the American Heart Association says "yes" to meat, with a few guidelines to help you protect your heart.

Beef, pork, lamb and veal are all good choices says the AHA. Select lean meat with more muscle than fat, and trim all the visible fat you see on the cut.

When selecting cuts of beef, choose those that are closely trimmed—in other words, those with little external fat. And for the leanest cuts of beef, look for these six: top round, top loin, round tip, eye of round, sirloin, and tenderloin. When choosing ground beef, look for meat that is bright red without a lot of fat.

Keep meat portion sizes reasonable—5 to 7 ounces of lean red meat, fish or poultry per day are recommended. Roast broil, bake or pan broil your selection and discard drippings.

Making the decision to adopt a low-fat, healthful eating plan is like making a good investment. It has both immediate and long-term benefits.

Extension Update

Joan Gray, CEA-ME

Safe or Not? Brass, Copper and Ceramic Cookware

What cookware is not safe? Questions about safety often accompany the purchase of more decorative and sometimes imported cookware. Brass and copper are two metals used for cookware that can be dangerous.

Brass is an alloy of copper and zinc and a mixture in varying amounts of other metals such as lead. Zinc is too toxic to be used for cooking utensils or pans. And, since there is no easy way to know if lead is in a piece of brassware, cooking and serving food in brassware is not recommended. Brass corrodes if uncoated, so tarnishing of brass would indicate that the metals are reactive.

Copper cookware is an excellent conductor of heat, especially good for top-of-range cooking. It is often preferred for cooking delicate sauces and foods that must be cooked at precisely controlled temperatures. Copper cookware is safe if it is lined with tin or steel. The inside of these lined pieces of cookware will be silver, rather than copper-colored. Unlined copper cookware should not be used because the metal is relatively easily dissolved by some foods, causing the release of copper into food in amounts great enough to cause nausea, vomiting and diarrhea.

Ceramic ware is another type of cookware that has raised safety question concerns. Consumers should look for a label on decorative ceramic ware stating that the item is not for



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food use and that it may poison food. Earlier concerns were expressed by FDA about lead leaching from ceramic ware, particularly with mugs used for hot beverages. Hot acidic beverages such as coffee and tea cause the greatest leaching. This leaching of

lead can be especially dangerous to pregnant women.

While most responsible manufacturers produce safe ceramic ware, consumers may want to avoid storing acidic beverages such as fruit juices and tea in lead-glazed pitchers.

MANAGING RESIDUES FOR SOIL EROSION

Managing residues is very important to controlling wind erosion in Wheeler County. Sorghum residues should be left on the soil surface at least through April 1st. This does not mean that there will be no wind after April 1st but the major wind season has passed. Tillage such as sweeps or chisels may be used prior to April 1st as long as good residue is left. Deep breaking, off-set disks, tandems or one-ways should not be used as these tillage implements destroy too much residue. A minimum of 2000 lbs. flat small grain residue should be left to control wind erosion.

Residue management is a big part of remaining in compliance with the Food and Security Act Plans. A producer must be in compliance with their plan in order to continue receiving USDA benefits.

Over seeding small grains into cotton is another alternative to residue management. Just the act of over seeding may not keep you in compliance. The small grain must come up and produce enough cover to protect the land. If you have tried over seeding and have not got adequate cover of small grains you will need to do something different. Broad casting small grains has proven not successful. Small grains need to be drilled or used with cultivation to get soil on the seed. August or September has proven to be the best. DATE FOR PLOW UP ON SMALL GRAIN COVER CROPS IS APRIL 1ST. If you plow up earlier, you would be out of compliance and not be able to earn USDA benefits.

Another alternative to residue management, crop rotations or over seeding is WINDSTRIPS. Windstrips of permanent grasses are best. However sorghums or small grains may be used. Sorghums or the best as

Wheeler Church of Christ

Congregation Concerns:

A graveside service was held in Wheeler last Friday afternoon for Betty Dobbs. Mrs. Dobbs was a sister-in-law of Mary Finsterwald and Katie Finsterwald.

Gene White is hospitalized in the Cancer Treatment Center in Tulsa. If you would like to mail a letter or a card to Gene, his address is: Gene White, Cancer Treatment Center, 8181 S. Lewis, Tulsa Oklahoma, 74137.

Gallena Scrivner, the sister of Robert Ford, has been transferred from Northwest Texas Hospital to Bivins Rehabilitation Center in Amarillo. She will receive rehabilitation for five to six weeks.

Mary Jane Gearhart was released from the hospital last Wednesday afternoon. She is now recovering at home from her recent back surgery.

Cuma Oldham, the sister of Ardie Martin, is hospitalized in Clovis with high blood pressure problems.

Edgar Dobson, the father of Mary Edwards, is hospitalized in Dallas, recovering from surgery.

Stacy McWhorter is hospitalized in the local hospital.

Sympathy must be expressed to Tillie Snelgrooves upon the death of her father, Ed Gilmer. The funeral was held Saturday afternoon in Wheeler.

From The Minister's Desk:

Benjamin Franklin, one of the founding fathers of this nation, once said: "If men are so wicked with religion, what would they be without it?" In my opinion, this was very perceptive observation.

Throughout history, an ardor for righteousness has often been the cloak that some religious people have used to commit very unrighteous acts. Bloody crusades, merciless inquisitions, and unspeakable atrocities have often been by religious people in the name of righteousness.

Such unrighteous acts were not taught or encouraged by Jesus during His earthly ministry. While He sincerely wanted people to be righteous, Jesus Christ knew that this righteousness could not be achieved through acts of unrighteousness. For example, when some Samaritans would not allow Him to spend the night in their village, two of His disciples, James and John, had a simple cure for this lack of hospitality. They ask: "Lord, do You want us to command fire to come down from heaven and consume them?" But Jesus rebuked these disciples, saying: "You do not know what kind of spirit you are of; for the Son of Man did

not come to destroy men's lives, but to save them." (Luke 9:51-56)

In their quest for righteousness, religious people must have the same purpose. Their purpose must be to save people not to destroy them. For this reason, religious people must be concerned about two factors. These two factors are:

1. Motive. Religious people will recognize that the Bible teaches that a righteous deed can be nullified by an unrighteous motive. (Matthew 6:1-18) Without a righteous motive, genuine righteousness cannot be achieved.

2. Conduct. Religious people will recognize that the end does not justify means. These people will realize that they cannot achieve genuine righteousness with conduct that is unfair, self-serving, dishonest, deceitful, untruthful, and unethical.

Religious people should be righteous people. They should also encourage and admonish other people to be righteous. But they should never use the tactics of James and John.

Bill Morrison, Minister
Church of Christ
Wheeler, Texas

Services:

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

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

FT. ELLIOTT MENU

(Briscoe Campus) MENU

February 27 thru March 3, 1995

MONDAY: Chicken Strips, Mashed Potatoes w/gravy, Green Beans, Cake, Milk - Tea.

TUESDAY: Burritos, Red Beans, Salad, Fruit, Milk-Tea.

WEDNESDAY: Ham, Navy Beans, Carrots, Corn Bread, Cobbler, Milk-Tea.

THURSDAY: Baked Potato Bar, Broccoli, Cheese, Ham, Sour Cream, Fruit, Milk-Tea.

FRIDAY: Hot Dogs, French Fries, Chili, Cheese, Fruit, Milk-Tea

Menu Subject to Change

SPECIAL COW-CALF SALE

MARCH 25, 1995

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Elk City, Oklahoma

For more information call:

(405) 225-6754

Bob Spillers or Jr. Plummer



Evangelist Mark Fleming & his wife, Jena, will be guest speakers at Berean Assembly of God Sunday, Feb. 26.

Come & hear them play, sing and preach.

Service times are: 10:30 A.M. & 6:00 P.M.

—Pastor, B. A. Hyatt

STUDENT OF THE WEEK: George Reeves was the student of the week at Fort Elliott Elementary for the week of February 13, 1995. George is in the Fifth Grade and the son of George and Diane Reeves of Mobeetie, Texas.

Wheeler Sixth Grade Opens Basketball Season

The Wheeler 6th grade boys opened their basketball season at McLean on Monday night. This young team ran a successful press and worked the ball well offensively to yield a 60-11 victory. Coach Greg Smith was pleased with his six man crew stating, "The fast break in the second half really worked well for us." Stats for the game:

Justin Chapman: rbd. 3, assts. 1, points 9.

Caleb Finsterwald: rbd. 11, assts. 2, points 12.

Donald Phipps: rbd. 5, assts. 2, points 20.

Bret Goad: rbd. 11, assts. 6, points 2.

Will Smith: rbd. 6, assts. 1, points 5.

Kelby Ledbetter: rbd. 14, assts. 1, points 12.

Board

(from Page 1) posed 1995-96 school calendar as presented. Motion carried unanimously.

4. Motion by Mr. Dunnam, seconded by Mrs. Fletcher to accept the recommendation of Coach Verden for UIL sports to be the same as in 1994-95. Motion carried unanimously.

5. Motion by Dr. Smith, seconded by Mr. Kuehler to call a Board election for May 6, 1995. Motion carried unanimously.

6. Motion by Mr. Kuehler, seconded by Mrs. Fletcher to participate in the Region XVI ESC Co-op. Motion carried unanimously.

Mr. Ford arrived at the meeting at 7:15 P.M.

7. Motion by Dr. Smith, seconded by Mr. Kuehler to adopt the Child Nutrition program resolution. Motion carried unanimously.

8. Motion by Mrs. Fletcher, seconded by Mr. Dunnam to adopt the Loss Control Statement of Commitment as presented. Motion carried unanimously.

9. Motion by Mr. Ford, seconded by Dr. Smith to approve the sale of school items at public auction. Motion carried unanimously.

The Administrative reports were given by Supt. Holland, Athletic Director Jim Verden, and Principal Doug Rives.

The Board retired into Executive Session as authorized by the Texas Open Meetings Act, Texas Government Code Section 551.001 et seq at 7:45 P.M. The Board returned to Open Session on 10:25 P.M.

Mr. Holland recommended one year renewal of contracts for Mr. Rives, Mr. Bassett, and Mr. Verden.

10. Motion by Dr. Smith, seconded by Mr. Ford to renew the contract of Doug Rives for one year. Motion carried unanimously.

11. Motion by Mrs. Fletcher, seconded by Mr. Kuehler to renew the contract of Jim Bassett for one year. Motion carried unanimously.

12. Motion by Mr. Ford, seconded by Mrs. Fletcher to renew the contract of Jim Verden for one year. Motion carried unanimously.

Meeting adjourned at 10:27 P.M.

The Board returned to Open Session at 8:05 P.M.

MARCH 1995

This Calendar runs the last Thursday of Each Month and is available for Organizations & School Activities. Call: 806/826-3123 for listings.

SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
Wheeler Banking Center 405 Alan Bean Wheeler, TX Phone: 826-5566 Wellington State Bank Wilmington, Texas Member F.D.I.C.	CROSS CAR CENTER Chevron • 24 Hour Wrecker Serv. • Auto Body Repair Phone: 806/826-5515 Intersection Hwy. 152 & 83 Wheeler, Texas	THE FIRST STATE BANK OF MOBEETIE ESTABLISHED 1906 Member F.D.I.C.	1 Wheeler Senior Citizens Quilting 1-5 P.M.	2 Wheeler Sr. Citizens Blood Press. Clinic 9-12 Noon Wheeler Senior Citizens Quilting 1-5 P.M. Old Mobeetie Ass'n. First State Bank, Mobeetie 7:00 P.M. Wheeler Fire Dept. 7:00 P.M. Tralee Crisis Center City Hall 2-4 P.M.	3 Mobeetie XYZ Mobeetie Baptist Church Blood Press. 5:00 P.M. Covered Dish 6:30 P.M.	4
5 First Baptist Church Services Wheeler Care Cr. 3:00 P.M.	6 Kiwanis 12 Noon Meth. Fellowship Hall AF-AM Lodge 7:30 P.M. Wheeler S. Citiz. 6:00 P.M. Mobeetie City Coun. 7:00 P.M.	7 Wheeler Lions Club Sparlins 6:00 A.M. Wheeler Chamber Maxey's 12 Noon Driver's License Trooper Wheeler Courthouse ... 9:00-4:00	8 Wheeler Senior Citizens Quilting 1-5 P.M.	9 Wheeler Senior Citizens Quilting 1-5 P.M. Allison I.S.D. Bd. 7:00 P.M. Wheeler I.S.D. Bd. 6:30 P.M.	10 Allison and Ft. Elliott Early Out	11
12 First Methodist Church Serv. Wheeler Care Cr. 3:00 P.M.	13 Kiwanis 12 Noon Meth. Fellowship Hall AF-AM Lodge 7:30 P.M. Ft. Elliott I.S.D. Bd. 7:00 P.M. Kelton I.S.D. Bd. 7:30 P.M.	14 Mobeetie Fire Dept. 7:00 P.M. Wheeler Lion Club 6:00 A.M. American Legion 7:30 P.M. First Baptist Church Care Center Birthday Party Church of Christ 2:45 P.M.	15 Wheeler Senior Citizens Quilting 1-5 P.M.	16 Wheeler Senior Citizens Quilting 1-5 P.M. Wheeler Fire Dept. 7:00 P.M. Tralee Crisis Center City Hall 2-4 P.M.	17	18
Allison and Ft. Elliott Spring Break						
19 Church of the Nazarene Serv. Wheeler Care Cr. 3:00 P.M.	20 Kiwanis 12 Noon Meth. Fellowship Hall AF-AM Lodge 7:30 P.M. City Council City Hall 9:00 A.M.	21 Wheeler Lions Club Sparlins 6:00 A.M. Driver's License Trooper Wheeler Courthouse ... 9:00-4:00 Wheeler Care Center Aux. & Vol. Meeting 10:00 A.M.	22 Wheeler Senior Citizens Quilting 1-5 P.M.	23 Wheeler Senior Citizens Quilting 1-5 P.M.	24	25
26 Trinity Lutheran Church Wheeler Care Cr. 3:00 P.M.	27 Kiwanis 12 Noon Meth. Fellowship Hall AF-AM Lodge 7:30 P.M. Comm. Court 10:00 A.M.	28 Wheeler Lions Club Sparlins 6:00 A.M.	29 Wheeler Senior Citizens Quilting 1-5 P.M.	30 Wheeler Senior Citizens Quilting 1-5 P.M. Wheeler Fire Dept. 7:00 P.M. Tralee Crisis Center City Hall 2-4 P.M.	31	HYLAND'S PHARMACY 109 East Texas — Wheeler Phone: 826-5561 DOUBLE COUPONS EVERYDAY Limit: 75¢-\$1.00 \$1.00 Coupons: \$1.00