

# Sunrise Service Sun.

As we all celebrate the resurrection of our precious Lord and Savior Jesus

Christ, Country Chapel is also excited to celebrate our Fifth Anniversary. It

was just five years ago that a small group joined together and launched

out to start a new church in Wheeler County. We began to hold services on Easter Sunday, April 15th, 1990. God has wonderfully blessed and in September of 1993 we were able to move into our new building. We want to take this opportunity to express our appreciation to all of you who have supported this ministry.

The only thing that will be more exciting than the past five years, will be looking forward to the next five years, which will begin this Sunday.

We want to extend a special invitation to you and your families to come and celebrate Easter with us.

- Sunrise Service 6:45 (Silver Springs)
- Bible Study 9:45
- Worship 11:00
- Picnic & fun & games 1:30 (Deer Creek Ranch)
- Afternoon Services at the ranch



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"Wheeler, town of friendship and pride."

### WHEELER VOLUNTEER FIRE DEPARTMENT

# EASTER EGG HUNT IS SUN.

The Wheeler Volunteer Fire Department will once again sponsor the annual Easter Egg Hunt Sunday, April 16, 1995, at 2:00 p.m. The hunt will be held again this year on Mobeetie Street, south of the West Texas Gas, Inc. office.

Prize eggs and prize money has been donated by organizations, businesses and individuals. There will be 1,000 prize eggs hidden this year with each egg worth \$1.00.

The prize eggs will be divided

between the different age groups. The four age groups this year are: 0-3 years of age, 4-6 years of age, 7-9 years of age, and 10-12 years of age.

Those donating prize eggs were: Wheeler Kiwanis Club, Wheeler Lion's Club, Wheeler Chamber of Commerce, Parkview Hospital and Peggy Ford.

Prize money was donated by Claudine's Beauty Shop, McCain Body Shop, Elva Wood, Videos & More, Appearances, Dean Hathaway, First State Bank of Mobeetie, Wheeler Banking Center, Jerry Hefley, Jim Calderon, Wright Funeral Home, Omega Grain, Dale Gardner, Terry Lewallen, Judge Morgan, Betty

Hennard, Wheeler Vet Clinic, Hibley Implement, Wheeler County Farm Bureau, Bill Atherton, Buster Haning, Johnny's Shamrock, Dairy Queen, Wheeler Realty Signal Fuels, H&R Block, Shear Delight Boutique, Lyndon Loyd Auctioneers, Burton Ford-Mercury, Frankenberg Texaco, Cross Car Center, Marshall Discount Auto, The General Store, Wheeler Flower Shop, Jerry Newberry, Steve Emmert, Thriftway, R. J. Smith, McIlhenny Dry Goods, Mr. Bar-B-Q, Beef Cattle Co., Hyland's, Lee Hardware & Furniture, Charles Kuntz, Sparlins, Maxey's, Ware Chevrolet, Albert's Shamrock Service, Production Credit Association, Speedi-Mart, Bill Wiggins, L&F Repair, V&S Variety, Shirley & Bill Dyson, David Bradstreet, Darrell Moore, W. D. Mitchell, The Wheeler

Times, Thomas Helton, R&M. Car Wash, Wheeler Lumber Co., and Wheeler Plumbing.

### Graveside Services Held For Berga A. Goad, 90

Berga A. Goad, 90, a former Wheeler resident, died Saturday, April 1, 1995, in Encino, Calif.

Graveside services were at 2 p.m. Thursday, April 6, in Wheeler Cemetery with Bob Zybach and David Zybach officiating. Arrangements were by Wright Funeral Home.

Mrs. Goad was born in Stephenville. She graduated from Wheeler High School. She worked several years for Wheeler County then moved to California in 1940 and worked for the Los Angeles County court system until her retirement. She was a Baptist.

Survivors include a sister, Ruby Zybach of Briscoe.

## DISTRICT TRACK MEET PLANNED AT WHEELER THURS., APRIL 13

Wheeler ISD will be hosting the District 1-A track meet on Thursday April 13. There will be plenty of exciting individual races as well as team races.

8:45	3200 meter run	High jump	JVB	VG	VB
	100 meter low hurdles	Pole Vault	VB	JVB	
	110 meter high hurdles	Discus JVB	VG	VB	
	100 meter dash	Shot Put	VG	VB	JVB
	400 meter dash				
	300 meter hurdles				
	200 meter dash				
11:00	Field Events				
	Long jump	(East pit)	VB	JVB	VG
	Triple jump	(North pit)	VG	VB	JVB

3:00	400 meter relay
3:15	800 meter run
3:30	100 meter hurdles
3:35	110 meter high hurdles
3:45	100 meter dash
4:00	800 meter relay
4:10	400 meter dash
4:25	300 meter hurdles
4:40	200 meter dash
4:55	1600 meter run
5:15	1600 meter relay

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### Wheeler Sixth Grade Boys Win Ft. Elliott Tourn.

The Wheeler 6th grade boys won both games in the Fort Elliott tournament held in Mobeetie recently. The first game played was against Fort Elliott. Final score was 34-20. Stats for the game were:

	rbd	asst	pts
Justin Chapman	0	1	9
Caleb Finsterwald	6	2	3
Donald Phipps	9	2	16
Bret Goad	1	0	0
Will Smith	4	4	0
Kelby Ledbetter	6	1	2

The final game of the Fort Elliott tournament the score was Wheeler 43 (Continued Page 7)

### American Cancer Society Crusade Is Re-scheduled

Wheeler's American Cancer Crusade planned for this evening, Thursday, April 13, has been re-scheduled for Thursday, April 20. The change was made due to conflicts with other pre-scheduled activities.

### Farmers, Ranchers Are Offered Training for Lic.

Farmers and ranchers who need a Private Pesticide Applicator's License are invited to attend the training and testing session scheduled for Wednesday, April 19, 1995. The session, sponsored by the Texas Agricultural Extension Service and the Texas Department of Agriculture, will begin at 1:00 p.m. in the Coin and Copper Room of the Wheeler Banking Center.

During the training session, participants will receive training in the safe use of pesticides given by Don King, county Extension agent. They will then take a test administered by Martha Edwards of the Texas Department of Agriculture. Those who pass the test will then be eligible to apply to the TDA for a Private Pesticide Applicator's License.

This license, which cost \$50.00, is valid for five years. To be eligible to renew the license at the end of five years, the holder must obtain 15 continuing education units (CEU's) by attending other training meetings.

In addition to those who have never had a license, there are others who may want to attend the school. Those who received Private Pesticide Applicator Certificates prior to January 10, 1989 may want to upgrade their certificate to a license. Certificate holders may purchase and apply restricted use pesticides but cannot supervise their application while license holders are allowed to supervise application. Certificate holders must get 15 CEU's by December 31, 1995 to be able to renew their certificates. If they do not get the 15 CEU's, they will have to get a license.

Certificates that were issued between January 10 and December 31, 1989 will expire December 31, 1995 and those who held these certificates must get a license.

Anyone in Wheeler County who has a question about the Private Pesticide Applicators License should contact Don King, County Extension Agent at 826-5243.

### Three Ft. Elliott Students Earn Trip to Regionals

Ft. Elliott will be represented in tennis at regional competition in Levelland on April 27, 1995, by three young ladies. Lindsey Fillingim will compete in singles play and Misty Morgan and Dana Trimble will be entered in the doubles competition. Lindsey placed second at district and first at the zone meet. Misty and Dana places second at Clarendon, the district meet, and second in zone competition in Pampa.

### Mobeetie T-Ball Planned

We will be starting to play Pre-Tee Ball in Mobeetie later this month. Anyone with children ages 3-5 that are interested should contact Dave Johnson at 845-2300. The purpose of the Pre-Tee Ball is to introduce the children to the game and teach them a few fundamentals, so that they will be better prepared to play Tee Ball next year. We will meet and play every Thursday at the old field in Mobeetie (across from the school) beginning at 6:30 p.m. We plan to begin April 27.

### Allison Homecoming

Attention Allison Community: There will be a meeting in the Allison School Cafeteria Sunday, April 23rd at 2:00 p.m. to plan for the Allison Homecoming which will be held June 17th. Everyone is invited to come and participate in the meeting.



Lindsey Fillingim



Misty Morgan

Dana Trimble

### Rives Named National English Award Winner

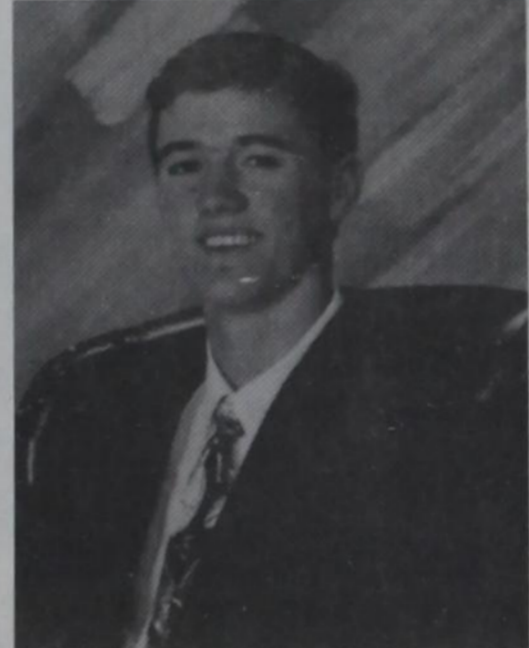
The United States Achievement Academy announced today that Chad Rives has been named a United States National Award winner in English.

This award is a prestigious honor very few students can ever hope to attain. In fact, the Academy recognizes less than 10% of all American high school students.

Chad Rives, who attends Borger High School, was nominated for this national award by Mrs. Gladys Cunningham, an Honors English teacher at the school.

Chad Rives will appear in the United States Achievement Academy Official Collegiate Yearbook, which is published nationally.

The Academy selects USAA winners upon the exclusive recommendation of teachers, coaches, counselors, and other qualified sponsors and upon the Standards of Selection set forth by the Academy. The criteria for selection are a student's academic performance, interest and aptitude, leadership qualities, responsibility, enthusiasm, motivation to learn and improve, citizenship, attitude and co-



Chad Rives

operative spirit, dependability, and recommendation from a teacher or director.

Chad is the son of Donald and Sammie Rives. The grandparents are Jane and Thurman Rives of Wheeler Tx., and Sam and Ruthie Thompson of Duncanville, Tx.

### Fifth Six Weeks

## WHEELER I.S.D. HONOR ROLL

**1st Grade All A's:** Tyler McWhorter, Whitney Holland, Heather Hampton, Lezli Finsterwald, Bo Compton, Loran Rose, Lane Hubble, Samantha Chapman, Sue Hernandez, Josh Britt and Dustin Lee.

**AB's:** Connie Vega, Derek Murray, Jansen Moore, Benito Lopez and Brenda Guerra.

**All B's:** Justin Lee and Kayla Gallardo.

**2nd Grade All A's:** Brook Anderson, Saharah Barboza, Rachel Howard, Carl Scales, Lindsey Lewis, Jarod Scott, Landon Sams and Clint Matthies.

**AB's:** Leslie Weaver, Yuri Soto, Savannah Hampton, Jandie Taylor, Jarod Haning, J. D. Cole, Hector Emiliano, Cameron Burton and Savannah Shipp.

**3rd Grade All A's:** Karry Meadows, Joe Salas and Taryn Matthies.

**AB's:** Chelsea Brooks, Joe Don Glassey, Brad Masters, Randy Ford, James Chapman, Megan Ford, Jenney Little, Joe Meraz, Josh Miller, Amanda Retanna and Dusty White.

**4th Grade All A's:** Lyndi Finsterwald, Tyler Lewis and Amy Osborne.

**AB's:** Rachel Bass, Cassi Brown, Joshua Bryant, Trevor Burton, Ryan Duncan, Drew Emmert, Andrew Hampton, Ben Howard, Keri Marion, Tanner McWhorter, Hadley Mitchell, Dagen Moore, Jeret Moore, Ericka Trevino and Kenzie Watkins.

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

**AB's:** Boz Anderson, Jeff DeBose, Amy Hubble, Tyler Scott, Natasha Stribling, Raymond Gentry, Chris Simmons, Neal Smith, Jarod Newland, Lupe Lopez and Taylor Hudgins.

**6th Grade All A's:** Caleb Finsterwald and Ana Salas.

**AB's:** Lacey Bryant, Jennifer Carpenter, Jordan Emmert, Bobbi Gentry, Bret Goad, Ivan Guerra, Megan Hampton, Shannon Lewallen, Mechelle Marshall, Creede McQueen, Tina McWhorter, Rachel Riemer and William Smith.

**7th Grade All A's:** Sandy Bradstreet, Jennifer Haning and Lauren Weaver.

**AB's:** Craig Bass, Cassandra Bradstreet, Brooks Brown, Mackenzie Chick, Kenneth Childress, Jared Holland, Donald Hudgins, Jennifer Johnson, Kara Keelin, Darin Kuntz, Shea Lewallen, Stephen Marshall, Lorena Martinez, Jason Masters, Rebekah Morrison, Brooke Verden and Nicholas Ware.

**8th Grade All A's:** Benjamin Britt, Kara Emmert, Matthew Hampton,

Andrew Hillhouse, Alli Moore, Jennifer Shepard and Lacey Smith.

**AB's:** Kir Boedeker, Keenan Burton, Aaron Dunnam, Rebecca Gentry, Alan Gill, Angela Jolly, Michael Long, Ernesto Martinez, Jaun Salas, Ashley Stevens, Rachel Stiles and Valerie Watson.

**9th Grade All A's:** Andy Bradstreet and B. J. Carpenter.

**AB's:** Paul Arganbright, Gorelty Gonzalez, Mike Johnson, Bryan Judd, Josh Lee, Layne McCasland, Griselda Salas, Sally Smith, Benny Sword and Billy Umsted.

**10th Grade All A's:** Monty Long.

**AB's:** Andy Copeland, Lori Dunn, Charles Gentry, Mika Goad, Hillary Mitchell and Travis Stevens.

**11th Grade All A's:** Dan Andris, Julie Hampton and Kate Woolard.

**AB's:** Daniel Arganbright, Jason Bradley, Ember Bradstreet, Dena Compton, Darby Dorman, Misty Jones, Kasey McCasland, Rocky Mendiola, Rachel Smith, T. A. Taylor, Angie Thomas, Jeseka Wallace and Trent Ware.

**12th Grade All A's:** Corby Chick, Sarah Gentry, Jessica Jackson, Andy King, Saul Meraz, Stacey Miller, Amanda Rives, Robert Stiles and Phillip Wiggins.

**AB's:** Darren Brown, Corey Case, Katie Coomer, Justin Hefley, Misty Helton, Sumer Leflew, Stacey Maddux, Teresa Martinez, Kellie McNeil, Erica Puryear, Wesley Puryear, Keri Simmons and Kimberly Winter.

## ALLISON

### "A" HONOR ROLL

Ryan Adams, Jacob Jackson, Jerry Tice, Wesley McIntyre, Shealee Phillips, Jason Boydston, Tyler Copeland, Sabrina Dupont, Andrew Ingersoll, Isaac Jackson, Azriel Krulik, Russell Lohberger, Laura Lohberger, Malorie Tice, Meagan Jones, Alicia Lohberger, Mark Copeland, Marshall McIntyre, Nathan Rainey, Justin Walker, Jeremy Sutterfield, Tina Keys, and Jonathan Walker.

### "AB" HONOR ROLL

Jessica Helton, Vanessa Huff, Amy Kliewer, Josiah Krulik, J. W. Lane, Jordan Newsom, Krista Hall, Jessica Hendry, Thomas Newsom, Jennifer Helton, Cheri Hendry, Bronwyn Dukes, J. W. Helton, Heather Boydston, Monty Donaldson, Terry Keys, Glenda Dukes, Celeste Huff, Monty Dukes, Ashley Lane, Brandon Dukes, Amber Dyer, Darla Donaldson, Mandy Davis, Jerome Grayson, Jaicee Herren and Hattie Grayson.

### Thelma Abernethy, 81, Is Buried Friday, April 7

Funeral Services for Thelma Abernethy, 81, of Lubbock, were scheduled for 4:00 P.M. Friday in St. Luke's United Methodist Church with the Rev. Dr. R. L. Kirk and the Rev. Elton Wyatt officiating. Interment was in Resthaven Memorial Park under the direction of RIX Funeral Directors. Mrs. Abernethy died Wednesday in Methodist Hospital.

She was born in Altus, Oklahoma and lived in Wheeler, Shamrock and Amarillo before moving to Lubbock in 1957. She was a member of St. Luke's United Methodist Church and a homemaker.

She was married to E. T. (Dink) Abernethy in Hollis, Oklahoma September 7, 1932. He died April 20, 1988.

Survivors include two daughters, Patricia Alderson, of Lubbock and Sharon Knowles, of Albuquerque, N. M.; a son Gary Abernethy of Santa Maria, California; eleven grandchildren and sixteen great grandchildren. Pallbearers were Tony Cardinal, Steve Siegel, Scott Knowles and David Alderson.

### Wheeler Kindergarten Visitation Dates Given

Any child five years old on or before Sept. 1, 1995, will be eligible to attend Kindergarten this fall. If your child will be attending Kindergarten this fall, you and your child are invited to attend the visitation in the Wheeler I.S.D. South Kindergarten Room. The South Kindergarten is the one which is across the hall from the Cafeteria. The following schedule has been set:

Last names beginning: A B C D E F, Mon., April 24, 2:00 to 3:00 P.M.

Last names beginning: G H I J K L, Tue., April 25, 2:00 to 3:00 P.M.

Last names beginning: M N O P Q R, Wed., April 26, 2:00 to 3:00 P.M.

Last names beginning: S T U V W X Y Z, Thur., April 27, 2:00 to 3:00 P.M.

Feel free to come on another day of the week of visitation if you cannot come on your child's day.

The state of Texas requires the following before your child can be enrolled this Fall:

1. Birth Certificate — certified copy, not hospital copy.
2. Immunization records verified by a valid clinic or physician.

The Wheeler school requires your child's Social Security number for accounting and record keeping purposes.

You must have these documents in order to enroll your child in the Fall. Some of them take time to be processed, so it is a good idea to apply for them immediately.

On the day of visitation, please bring a copy of your child's immunization records to leave at the school. If you don't have a copy, stop in the superintendent's office on the way in, and they will make a copy for you. The nurse needs these records to review before school starts. Leave your child's other records at home. Bring all records when you come to enroll your child in the Fall.

### New Arrival

Kenny and Donyell Brown of Poteau, OK are proud to announce the arrival of Heath Jacob Brown, born Feb. 22, 1995 in Poteau, OK.

Grandparents are Dale and Gloria Brown of Wheeler, TX., Don Bendle of Bethany, OK., and Starla Jackson of Poteau, OK.

Great grandparents are Lee and Selma Held of Granbury, TX., Ruby Brown of Wheeler, TX., and Bill and Lena James of Mobeetie, TX.

**CWE** CHAT WITH EDITOR  
By Louis C. Stas

Wheeler will be the host at the District Track Meet Friday and Saturday. The schedule of activities is listed elsewhere on page 1.

It appears Wheeler has excellent tract teams this year, so let's see lots of first places.

We have a number of our citizens in Amarillo hospitals. Lewis Martin is waiting to be scheduled for by-pass surgery. In the meantime, blood is needed; local citizens are being asked to go to Amarillo and give blood for Lewis.

John C. Vise has undergone surgery and is recovering. Reports are good.

Brenda Childress is undergoing tests for a possible heart problem.

Dan Macina has had bypass surgery and is recovering.

Donnie Shorter was also in Amarillo. Donnie is now out of the hospital and was well enough to go fishing.

We wish a speedy recovery for each of you.

One comment I heard Tuesday was 'Summer was short.' The 'Fruitbasket of the Panhandle' may be empty this year. As you can see in the weather box, the temperatures got pretty low.

Have you started cleaning out the closets, garage and attic? Now is the time to get in the spring cleaning mood and get ready to have a garage sale. There is no better time than the annual City-Wide Garage Sale to put all that 'stuff' back on the market.

Remember the old saying: 'One person's junk is another person's treasure.'

If you have noticed them over town tearing up the sidewalks and wondered what is going on, as I have; they are building ramps, making our sidewalks accessible.

Once again, Christian Academy provided our program for Kiwanis. We had five young people present speeches and music. Each did an excellent job. The young people were Trent Brunson, Chris Mick, Shaisha Mong, Bridget Chandler and Davy Clawson. They used the opportunity to practice for state competition the latter part of next week.

I got to go mushroom hunting Saturday for the first time in probably three years. We did manage to find enough to combine with other hunts and have a fish and mushroom Sunday dinner. Yes, I know, not too healthy, as both were deep fat fried.

We only managed to get in one evening of cards this weekend. Of course the only reason I mention this is because I was on the winning team.

## WEATHER

DATE	DAY	Hi	Low	Pre
4-05	Wed.	71	45	0.00
4-06	Thurs.	76	49	0.00
4-07	Fri.	88	52	0.00
4-08	Sat.	91	51	0.00
4-09	Sun.	72	49	0.00
4-10	Mon.	44	31	0.00
4-11	Tues.	61	27	0.00
Low for the Year:		03-07	12	
High for the Year:		04-08	92	
Total Moisture for April:			0.24"	
Total Moisture for the Year:			2.88"	
Total Snow:			15.02"	

Courtesy: KPDR-FM Radio

# MOBEETIE NEWS

By: Edith Cross

**HAPPY BIRTHDAY TO:** Kathy Zybach, Rusty Shahan, Aubrey Billhart, Barrie, Lester and Sabrina P. Wortham, on April 13. Alan Parker, Allen Leatherman, Lela Adcock and Mary Ann Ingram on April 14. Seth Meadows, Keith Rose, Dan Andris, Elaine Langley and Kelley Howard on April 15. Zechariah Stippel and Stephen Soto on April 16. Francis Hefley, Justin Berryman, Alesha Yowell, Kathleen Frankenbery and Ted McCurley on April 17. Jud Rector, Mary Lou Carter, Margaret Brown, Marie Peterman, Doris Hugg, Brandi Cook and Nettie Walker on April 18. Artie Cook, Ernie Wood, Caaron Laverty, Gene Ferguson, Lisa Hickman, Loyd Jones, John Dickie, Melissa Hampton, Linda Simpson, and Lena Ruth James, April 19.

**HAPPY ANNIVERSARY TO:** Bob and Valetta Frankenbery and Randy and Charlotte Sumner, on April 13. Charles and Lajo Crownover on April 14. Clifford and Euline Waiser on April 15. Ray and Velma Forbes on April 16. Bob and Mildred Mickey on April 18. Don and Willene Burke on April 19.

**THE OLD MOBEETIE ASSOCIATION EXECUTIVE** Staff and Board Members met Tues. night April 4th to judge the Art Work that has been submitted for our art contest. About 19 entries were received. One was selected for the postal cancellation stamp and three were chosen for the front cover of the program book that will be published for Heritage day. Winners will be announced after all entrants have been notified. Thanks to all who submitted art work - all entries were very good and will be used in some way for our heritage day. Those judging the art work were: Louise Hogan, Melba and Dale Corcoran, Ada Lou Lester, Bobby Hill, Bernice Hefley, Maurita Stribling and Kelley and Edith Cross.

**THE MT. VIEW QUILTING CLUB** met last Thursday at Totty School. Attending were: Estelle Hodges, Betty Haines, Orville Greenhouse, Martha Meek, Audrey Seitz, Willene Burke, Bulah Grimes, Melba Corcoran, Edith Cross, and hostess, LaNell Riggs. In May the club will begin making plans for the annual Totty Reunion. We have a beautiful quilt that we will be selling tickets, \$1.00 per ticket. Each year I think maybe they will draw my name. Maybe this year.

Norman and Carolyn Patton of Canadian took Ray and Velma Forbes to Amarillo last Tues. to get their eyes examined for new glasses. Ray found that he has cataracts on one eye.

Visiting during the week with Jud and Lorene Rector were D. L. Rector, of Amarillo. Tyler and Caitlyn Burch of Wheeler and Dale and Melba Corcoran.

Dale and Melba Corcoran took Tyler and Caitlyn home Monday and visited with William and Patricia Burch, then went to the Wheeler Care Center and visited with Verna Corcoran, Nettie Walker, and May Belle Childress. On Tues. they visited with Rayburn and Geneva Corcoran in Pampa.

Betty Haines, Pres. of the Mobeetie Ex-Student Association has notified me that the Ex-student quilt has been pinned in the frames at the Lancaster Farm and she will be down from Pampa on Friday, the 14th and invites anyone that has time to come out and help quilt. She and Estelle Hodges have one side of it almost quilted and if several persons could show up on Friday it probably could be finished in one day.

**THE MOBEETIE XYZ** met Friday night for our regular monthly meeting. There's always lots of good food, fellowship and games. Some of our regular folks had conflicting meetings, and we always miss them when they are absent. Louise Hogan and Ray Forbes were the April birthday persons. I gave a short devotional about why we celebrate EASTER. Attending were: Doyle and Bulah Grimes, Ethel and Marion Grimes, Melba and Dale Corcoran, Doris Finsterwald, R. St. John, Kelley and Edith Cross, Ray and Velma Forbes, J. P. and Martha Meek, Leonard and Bertha Hollis, Lester Leonard, Chuck and Louise Hogan.

We met Sat. night for our "Parent's Night Out" and had a real good group

to attend. This is for any adult age 18 and over that likes to play fun table games. We had two tables of 42 and two tables of Chicken Foot. I think the Chicken Foot tables were the loudest. We have lots of good snacks, and fellowship. Those attending were: Verna and Willis Fillingim, Dale and Melba Corcoran, Doris Finsterwald, Pierce Walker, Lester Leonard, Chuck and Louise Hogan, Bernice and Jack Hefley, Glen D. and Estelle Hodges, Kelley and Edith Cross, Bertha and Leonard Hollis, Clint and Maurita Stribling. We meet the 2nd Sat. night of each month, at 7:00 P.M. at City Hall.

Wayne Tolbert, who represents the Panhandle Bluegrass and Old Tyme Music Association met with the OMA

Assoc. briefly last Thurs. night. It isn't too early to get the Bluegrass Festival on the calendar. The dates this year will be July 21, 22, 23. If you need ticket info: call (806) 372-2826 or (806) 358-8211. There are over a dozen bands listed for this year.

**THE FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH** family honored our Pastor Bro. Robert and Mona Cook, Artie, Daniel and William Sunday with a church-wide dinner after the morning service, to celebrate their first year here. A portable dishwasher was presented as a gift to show our love and appreciation for their hard work and dedication. We give Lori Selby credit for getting this project started, and staying with it to the finish.

Delmar and Elizabeth Newman visited Sat. and Sun. in Chickasha, Ok. with Delmar's brother and sister-in-law, Albert and Lavern Newman.

Visiting with Jap and Alice Bailey during the week were daughter Judy Parker of Pampa and Bill Bailey also of Pampa. Hugh Bailey also visited.

Calvin Stuart visited with his sister-in-law Amy Richardson Wed. in Wheeler. Thurs. He and Leola went to Amarillo for a Dr. appt. then visited with their children Randy and Julie and grandsons. Friday, Leola attended a training session pertaining to her work.

The Old Mobeetie Texas Association met April 6, 1995 with President Ada Lou Lester in charge of the meeting. Wayne Tolbert from the Panhandle Bluegrass and Old Tyme Music Association met with the group to discuss the up coming 15th annual Bluegrass Festival.

Kelley Cross led in the opening prayer. Volunteer Report showed 179 hours for March. Visitor report showed 78 with 5 from out of state. There has been 7,861 cataloging worksheets completed and 16,817 items.

Melba Corcoran read the minutes and Louise Hogan gave the financial report. Maurita Stribling made a motion to accept both reports as given seconded by Kelley Cross. Carried.

Reports from committees were reported. Rhonda Blanchard called her report in that she had collected \$97.00 more to go on the Stage coach for the St. Patrick's Day parade. That she had several more living history groups booked for Heritage Day. She also has some ideas for games for Heritage Day.

April Hampton reported on the food booths and arts and crafts booths for Heritage Day.

Bobby Hill reported on the progress of the Lodge building.

The plaque for Second Place which



was won by the Association in the St. Patrick's Parade was passed around. It will be hung in the Museum.

Louise Hogan reported on the Gift Shop. The art work for the shot glass is done and they can be ordered.

We haven't received the written report on the assessment of the museum from Andi Gwyn. The visit by her was March 9. She met with 4 of the Association members.

There will be 3 members attending the TAM meeting.

We have the following schools booked for the Traveling Museum, Kelton, Samnorwood, Wheeler, Christian Center, Ft. Elliott and Allison.

The group will accept the piano from Shamrock, Jimmie Hill and Mike Gallager will pick it up.

The next work day will be April 22. We will be working outside if weather

permitting. Deadline for the Heritage Day poster is June 1. The ads letter mailouts May 1 to be returned by May 20.

Louise Hogan and Bernice Hefley will have the details on the Flag Day Program ready for the next meeting.

A letter from Travis Roberts of Bellaire, Tx. with 3 tokens was presented to the group. He is a collector of tokens and would like to find one from the Mobeetie Area, for his collection.

Dale Corcoran made a motion to adjourn seconded by April Hampton.

Those attending were Wayne Tolbert, Bernice Hefley, Susan Coates, April Hampton, Rhonda Gallager, Maurita Stribling, Louise Hogan, Joe Rucker, Ada Lou Lester, Austin Caldwell, Bobby Hill, Kelley and Edith Cross, and Dale and Melba Corcoran.

## MAXEY'S STEAKHOUSE

### SUNDAY BUFFET

- Salad Bar
- Pot Roast
- Smothered Pork Chops
- Assorted Vegetables
- Hot Rolls
- Iced Tea/Coffee
- Dessert

### THURSDAY NIGHTS

- All the Fresh Water
- Catfish and Shrimp you can eat.
- Served with Onion Rings,
- French Fries, Hush Puppies and Cole Slaw.

Sun.-Noon Buffet (Only) 11:30 a.m. -1:30  
Tues.-Wed.-Thurs.: 11:00 a.m. to 9:00 p.m.

Fri.-Sat.: 11:00 a.m. to 10:00 p.m.

• CLOSED MONDAY •

PHONE 826-3441

1 Mile South of Wheeler on U.S. 83

### To the Friends & Relatives of Nikki Scott & Dennis Robinson

Mr. and Mrs. Dale Stevens and Mr. and Mrs. Larry Scott request the honour of your presence at the marriage of their daughter

Natasha (Nikki) Lea

to

Mr. Dennis C. Robinson

son of

Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Boatwright and Mr. and Mrs. John Robinson

on Saturday, April fifteenth nineteen hundred and ninety-five at seven o'clock in the evening

The Country Chapel  
Wheeler, Texas

### Extension Update By Joan Gray, CEA-HE

Easter Eggs Safety Should be a Concern During the Holidays

Eggs are hard to beat for easy preparation, great versatility and good eating. But there are some food safety risks associated with the mishandling of eggs, and they need to be recognized—especially around Easter time.

Extension poultry specialist Dr. Sarah Birkhold offers some common-sense advice that can help keep food poisoning from spoiling the holiday. Birkhold says you should inspect eggs before purchasing. Dirty or cracked eggs are more likely to harbor dangerous bacteria. Refrigerate eggs in their original cartons. Never allow the eggs to sit at room temperature for more than two hours. You should cool eggs immediately after cooking with cold water and decorate them promptly. You can store decorated eggs in the refrigerator for up to one week.

If you're planning an Easter egg hunt, Birkhold says to avoid hiding eggs where animals reside and on lawn that have recently been treated with chemicals. Begin any Easter egg hunts shortly after the eggs are hidden, and never leave them hidden overnight. After the hunt, inspect eggs and discard any that are cracked. Although severe illness related to eggs is rare, you can reduce your chances of illness even further by following these precautions.

### KELTON MENU

April 17 thru April 21, 1995  
**Monday:** Holiday  
**Tuesday:** Holiday  
**Wednesday:** Beans, Potatoes, Broccoli and Cheese, Cornbread, Cookies, Milk.  
**Thursday:** Hamburgers, Cheese, Lettuce, Tomatoes, Pickles, Onions, Tator Tots, Ice Cream, Milk.  
**Friday:** Barbecue Sandwiches, Baked Beans, Vegetable Sticks, Onions, Relish, No Bake Cookies, Milk.

### FT. ELLIOTT (Briscoe Campus) MENU

April 18 thru April 21, 1995  
**MONDAY:** Holiday  
**TUESDAY:** Chicken Fried Steak, Mashed Potatoes W/Gravy, Green Beans, Rolls, Cake, Milk-Tea.  
**WEDNESDAY:** Bar-B-Que, Cole Slaw, Potato Salad, Jello, Milk-Tea.  
**THURSDAY:** Fajitas, Red Beans, Salad, Fruit, Milk-Tea.  
**FRIDAY:** Hamburgers W/Cheese, Lettuce-Tomatoes, French Fries, Fruit, Cookies, Milk-Tea.  
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Enter into His gates with thanksgiving, and into his courts with praise; be thankful unto him, and bless his name.

The weather made quite a change over night, spring went away and winter is back here in Allison this Monday morning they are getting snow north of us in Kansas and Colorado.

Virginia Jesseph from Hollis visited Wilma and Christine Gilmer. Ruby Craig also visited with Virginia at Wilma's.

Ruby Craig, Wilma Gilmer and Rhonda McWhorter, Tanner and Tyler went to Pampa last Saturday, did some shopping and ate out.

Hiram Begert was in Denver, Colo., last week attending a North American Limousin Foundation Board of Directors Meeting.

Opal and Juanita Boydston last Tuesday dinner guest was Forrest Boydston. On Wednesday their dinner guests were Clifton and Louise Boydston and Forrest and Janice Boydston.

Billy Brown took Opal and Juanita to Elk City last Saturday where they did some shopping and took care of business and they ate dinner at Braums.

Roma and Billy spent last Tuesday night with Warren and Charlene Brown at Amarillo. Roma did quite a lot of

shopping for his garden.

Judi and Anthony Cornell kept their little grandson, Logan Robertson, a few days last week. They had a lot of fun Logan. Anthony, Ronnie Chadwick and Gary Boydston went to a Car Show at Elk City last Saturday afternoon.

Judi and Juli Boydston took Amie Boydston and Keri Grayson to Canadian last Saturday night to eat Pizza and then to a movie.

Kay Donaldson, Loyd and Nona Jones went to Amarillo last Thursday and visited Delores Whitten at St.

Anthony's Hospital. She was some better at that time.

Last Sunday afternoon Anna Dukes, Nelda Dukes, Minnie Bell Vinson and Nona Elmore visited with Vetola Parker at her home.

Rita Grayson last Thursday afternoon guest was Opal Evans from Canadian.

Rita Grayson's nephew Joe Bob Grayson, of Spearman has recently had a double kidney transplant at the Methodist Hospital at Dallas. He was released from the hospital last Friday, but will have to remain in the Dallas area for at least two months to be near his doctors.

Lee and Sharon Hall's weekend guests were Jordan and Alisha Jones from Pampa.

Louise Boydston and Vivian Wallace fixed a birthday cake last Tuesday for their mother, Pearl Harrison, and took it to the Bruce Harrison home. Those there with Bruce and Pearl, Louise and Vivian, Cliff and Daphnee Sanford and Teresa Hodge from Perryton, Clifton Boydston, Henry and Cheryl Dupont and Cody, Bennie and Debbie Boydston and Arlene Nokes.

Verne and Susie Lohberger attended the service for Rev. James McGee, who was ordained for the Priesthood last Friday at Canadian. There was a large crowd there.

Lee and Virginia Miller were in Amarillo last Friday on business. Their daughter, Lynda Banger, met them for lunch at Furr's Cafeteria. Last Satur-



day, Lynda came down and her, Rex and Virginia went to Wheeler and ate lunch at Maxey's to celebrate their 55th wedding anniversary. Congratulations Rex and Virginia.

Several from the United Pentecostal Church of Allison attended a gospel singing with the Jubilee singers from the United Pentecostal church of Amarillo at Canadian last Friday night at the U.P. Church.

Vance and Caroline were in Amarillo last Saturday doing some shopping and they also visited Kyle Boydston at Canyon.

Eddy and Wanda Walker took their travel trailer to the big Flea Market at Canton, Texas, east of Dallas last Wednesday, March 29. They parked the trailer and from there went to Lufkin and spent one night there with Kevin and Melissa Fleming and Meagan and brought their little granddaughter, Meagan, back to Canton to spend the weekend with them. Kevin and Mel-

issa joined them Saturday night and Sunday with Eddy and Wanda in the trailer home. Sunday evening Kevin returned back home at Lufkin and the others traveled to Tyler, where they met Melody and Richard Draper and attended church services there at the United Pentecostal church. Tuesday, Eddy and Wanda, Melissa, Meagan and Melody returned home to Allison. The girls spent a few days with Eddy and Wanda. Last Monday Melody flew back to her home in Houston and Melissa and Meagan plan to spend a few more days with the Walkers before returning home.

The United Pentecostal Ladies Aux. of Allison will be having a Bake Sale Friday, April 14 at Thriftway Grocery at Wheeler.

(Marginal Note: The trouble with some drivers if you give them an inch, they'll take a fender.)

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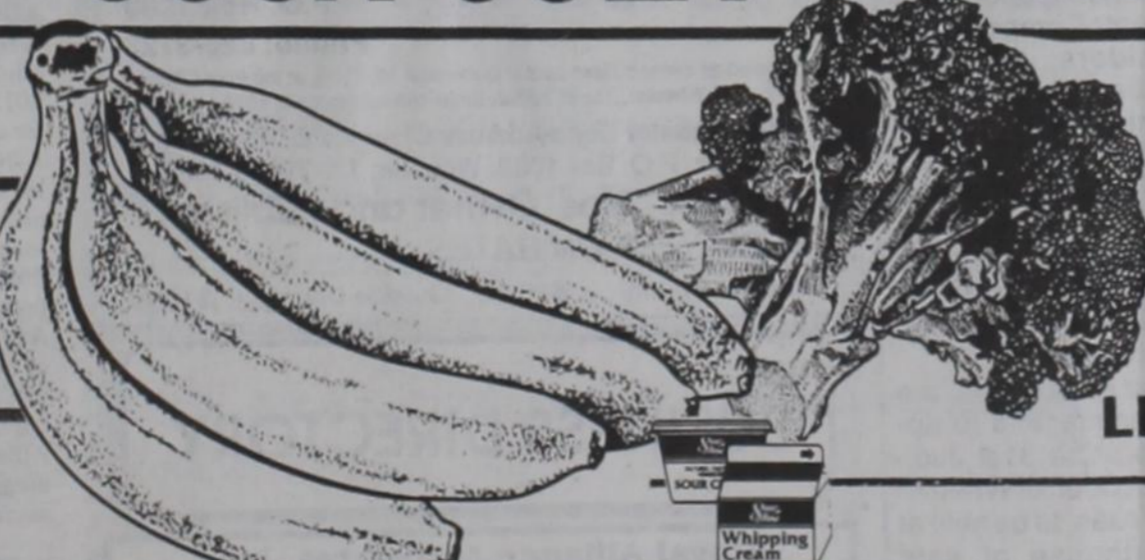
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The Wheeler Volunteer Fire Department met Thursday, April 6, 1995 at the Wheeler Fire Station. Nineteen WVFD members, two Junior members and one area fire department member participated in Basic Defensive Driving certification training.

Riley Atwood and Walter Simmons taught the basic certification class. WVFD members received 1 to 2 hours training in Basic Defensive Driving: Michael Atherton, Riley Atwood, Ken Daughtry, Dell Ford, K. D. Ford, Robert Ford, Lee George, Chuck Hartline, Dean Hathaway, Luke Horton, Jerry Horton, Lyndon Loyd, Bobby McNeil, Kyndal Murray, H. L. Owens, Justin Rose, Walter Simmons, Jackie Sparlin, Jon Sullivan, Rusty Archer and Shane Sparlin. Rob Hogan, Mobeetie VFD, also received 2 hours training in Basic Defensive Driving.

Other members attending the business meeting of the WVFD: Daryl Snelgrooves, Steve Walker and Brandon Simmons.

WVFD also met March 30 at the Wheeler Fire Station for Basic Rescue Operations Certification training.

Daryl Snelgrooves and Robert Ford taught the basic certification class. WVFD members receiving 3 hours of training in Basic Rescue Operations: Ken Daughtry, Gary Davis, Dell Ford, Robert Ford, Lee George, Chuck Hartline, Dean Hathaway, Bobby McNeil, Kyndal Murray, H. L. Owens, Walter Simmons, Daryl Snelgrooves, Jackie Sparlin, Wade Bricky, Brandon Simmons and Shane Sparlin. Rob Hogan, Mobeetie VFD, also received 3 hours training in Basic Rescue Operations.

The Wheeler Volunteer Fire Department meets on the 1st, 3rd and 5th Thursday of each month. The next training meeting is scheduled for Thursday, April 20, 7:00 p.m., with 2 hours of Basic Transportation Emergency Training, to be taught by Chuck Hartline and Robert Ford.

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

**WHEELER MENU**

April 18 thru April 21, 1995  
**Monday:** Holiday  
**Tuesday:** Breakfast: Juice, cereal, toast/jelly, milk.  
**Lunch:** Soft tacos, salad, chili beans, milk/tea, pineapple, cookie.  
**Wednesday:** Breakfast: Juice, cinnamon roll, peanut butter & jelly sandwiches, milk.  
**Lunch:** BBQ beef on bun w/cheese, pickle spears, french fries, milk/tea, rainbow juice pops.  
**Thursday:** Breakfast: Juice, pancake pups, toast/sausage, peanut butter, milk.  
**Lunch:** Chicken fried steak, m. potatoes/gravy, green beans, hot roll/butter, milk/tea, cake.  
**Friday:** Breakfast: Juice, cereal, toast/jelly, milk.  
**Lunch:** Pizza, salad, corn, milk/tea, pears, cookie.  
Menu subject to change.



**STUDENT OF THE WEEK:** Jason Reed was the student of the week at Fort Elliott Elementary for the week of April 3, 1995. Jason is in the Second Grade and the son of Kenny and Melanie Reed of Mobeetie, Texas.

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**WEDNESDAY:** Veal parmesan, au gratin potatoes, green beans, fruit cobbler.  
**THURSDAY:** Chicken enchiladas, spanish rice, pinto beans, tossed salad with sliced onion, tapioca pudding, crackers.  
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To Oklahoma and Texas Investment Company, its shareholders, unknown shareholders, and all parties claiming through it; and J.F. Bradley and S.H. Madden, their spouses, if any, their heirs, unknown heirs, and all persons claiming through them, defendants in the hereinafter styled and numbered cause:  
You and each of you, are hereby commanded to appear before the 31st Judicial District Court of Wheeler County, Texas, to be held at the Courthouse of said County in the City of Wheeler, Wheeler County, Texas, at or before 10 o'clock A.M. of the first Monday after the expiration of 42 days from the date of issuance hereof, that is to say, at or before 10 o'clock A.M. on Monday the 1st day of May, 1995; and answer the Petition of FIRST NATIONAL BANK OF SHAMROCK, TEXAS, Plaintiff, in Cause Number 10055 styled "First National Bank of Shamrock, Texas vs. Oklahoma and Texas Investment Company, Its Shareholders and All Parties Claiming Through It; J. F. Bradley and S. H. Madden, Their Spouses, If Any, Their Heirs, and All Persons Claiming Through Them," in which the following entity is Plaintiff: FIRST NATIONAL BANK OF SHAMROCK, TEXAS, and the following persons are Defendants: OKLAHOMA AND TEXAS INVESTMENT COMPANY, ITS SHAREHOLDERS, AND ALL PARTIES CLAIMING



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**THROUGH IT; J. F. BRADLEY** AND S. H. MADDEN, THEIR SPOUSES, IF ANY, THEIR HEIRS, AND ALL PERSONS CLAIMING THROUGH THEM, which Petition was filed in said Court on the 20th day of March, 1995, and the nature of which said suit is as follows:  
Plaintiff, First National Bank of Shamrock, Texas, acquired title to the hereinafter described tracts of land by virtue of a Special Warranty Deed recorded in Vol. 426, Pg. 645, Deed Records of Wheeler County, Texas, said Deed executed by Shamrock Independent School District. All of the above-named Defendants may own an interest in said property that adversely affects Plaintiff's title to said land, and based on the doctrine of after-acquired title, Plaintiff seeks a judgment from the Court quieting title and granting Plaintiff good and merchantable title to the following described tracts of land:

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Witness Sherri Jones, Clerk of the 31st Judicial District Court, Wheeler County, Texas.  
Given under my hand and the seal of said Court at my offices in the City of Wheeler, Wheeler County, Texas, this 20th day of March, 1995.  
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# Aint It The Truth

By Ab Gunter

Wuz just thinkin that I ought to declare my intentions of not running for the office of President this time. Matter of fact that is one thing I have never had the urge to run for. So if any of you are plannin to vote for me or not vote for me I won't feel offended. One time I got the urge to run for public office in the great state of New Mexico. I ran and wuz elected to a council seat on the Village Government. Wow, what a mistake. Shucks even my family cleaned by plough for the many things I did or didn't do. I got to the position of Mayor Pro Tem and the real nomanclature of that job wuz that I had the privilege of pluggin in the coffee pot, cleanin the rest room, seein that we had extra chairs for the "I'm Agin It" customers that would soon fill these chairs. Oh yes I had to make sure there wuz a fresh roll of toilet tissue in the rest room and that the roll wuz hung properly.

If you know me you know I ain't one to use my Sunday suit just to show up and I never brought a brief case to any kind of doins unless I planned on havin said brief case in my grubby little

hands. I had two brief cases stolen from me at political gatherings before I knew that some politicians had sticky fingers. Yep, some of them do an them kind are hard to pick out in a crowd. Who wuz that that snickered when I said that? One of you birds out there in the readin audience snickered and I know it, now who wuz it?

Tom Douglas wuz it you or maybe it wuz Jim Montgomery down in Texas. One of you snickered an I intend to find out who. I will you know.

I been watchin that O. J. Simpson trial on occasions and have learned one thing and that's when one of them sleazy lawyers get ahold of you it katy bar the door. Them birds can get things

out of you that you didn't even know wuz here. They will ask you things that you wouldn't tell the Priest or Preacher and you better tell them or you will be a guest at the Cross Hotel instead of the accused. I recon the meanest one I ever was questioned by wuz Guy Hardin back in Texas. I always sort of felt he wuz my friend till he got me on the witness stand an then he would just eat me up. I either had on the wrong color shirt or my boots wasn't shined as they should be or I had a hole in one of the sox I had on. Man, that man could think of more illegal things than you could imagine. When he would get through with me I wuz ashamed I had been the arrestin officer and would have gladly turned out the criminal I had arrested if that Hardin bird would quit pickin on me.

Beer watchin that Kute Grinich br whatever his name is up there in the capital now if he ain't sumthin. He just had a look a like comedian on the rostrum with him a day or two ago, durned if I didn't like the look a like comedians suggestions on government operations better than the ones Newt had. I used to think we would be better off if we would sent them politicians back home when we wore them out up there in the White House, but I got to thinkin what in the world would them folks back home need them for anyhow. Long as we got them all gathered in one place we at least know where they are. Now we might not know what they are doin but have we ever?

Noticed where we mite have a baseball season again this year if them umpires dont strike. Golly how do them folks make a livin when they are on strike, I can't imagine. I can remember that ball players made little more than cotton choppers and seemed to somehow keep playin and, if lucky enough, feed their families. Nowdays them fellers dont really care bout feedin their families if they got a new Ferrari and a few blonds to keep them company. Now I dont mean all of them, but I ain't got any sympathy for the players or the owners any more.

Enjoyed the visit. Ab and Mama

## Sweetwater News

By Lois Flowers

School is out for a teacher's meeting, so Brad Atkinson is here slaying the henbit and pepper grass. Not before it was needed. The tulips, redbuds, lilacs, and such are just gorgeous.

Most everyone has garden fever. I even invested 97¢ in onion sets. Went to Cheyenne for Joe to get his curls trimmed and Joe Whitson said he had all his tomatoes out. Don't forget to dose them with epsom salts and a little sulphur. Sprinkle some sugar around if you have nematodes. Read a piece by the man who had the largest tomato on record. Weighed over 7 lbs. He planted his in February, gave them vitamins, and played country music for them night and day. Said they liked Garth and Reba best!

Saw quite a few in Cheyenne. The girls in the Bank, Linda Walker, and her mother, Mrs. Buster Dodson, Mr. and Mrs. Boyd Perry, Joe Frank Moad, Leland Burns, and Casey Paxton. Seymore, I managed to set two watches forward. Lunched at the B & H.

Truman and Jerry Alexander went to OKC Friday to watch their horse, Sweetwater Creek, run. Sad to say, he didn't win. Nelda and Rayford Bowers were here to see her mother, Elsie Alexander, at the Erick home. Truman and Maxine met them at Cal's for lunch and a get together.

See the Coyote Hills Ranch was featured in the Oklahoma Today. They

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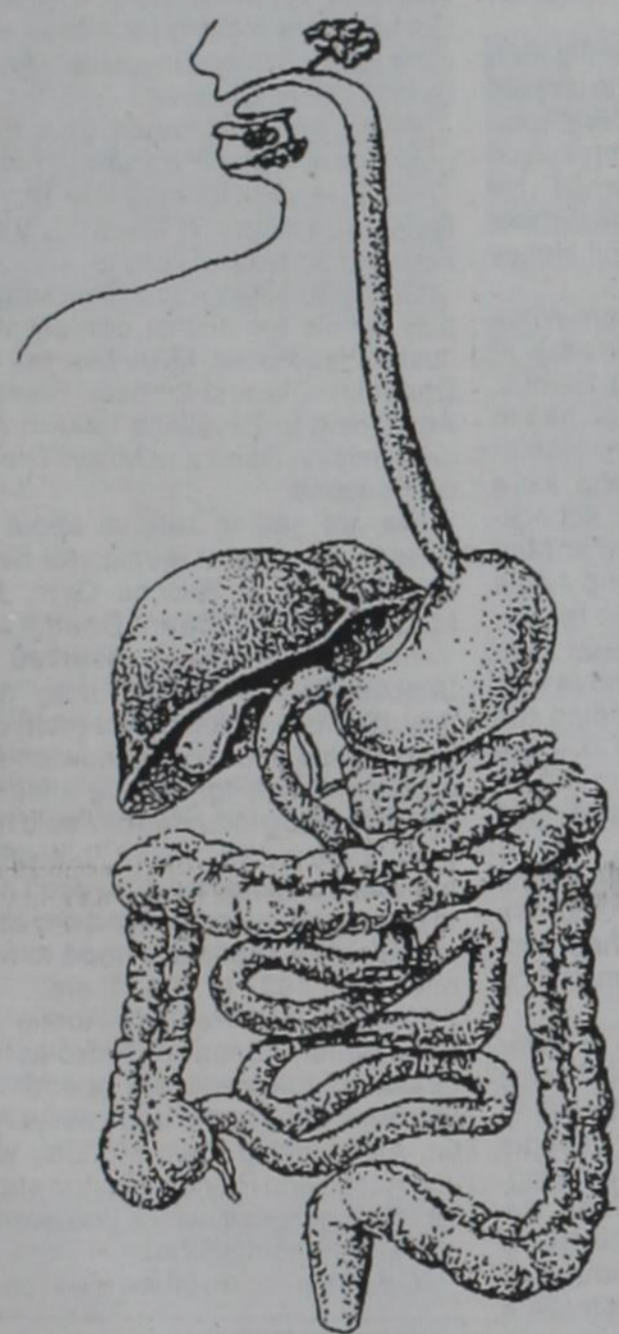
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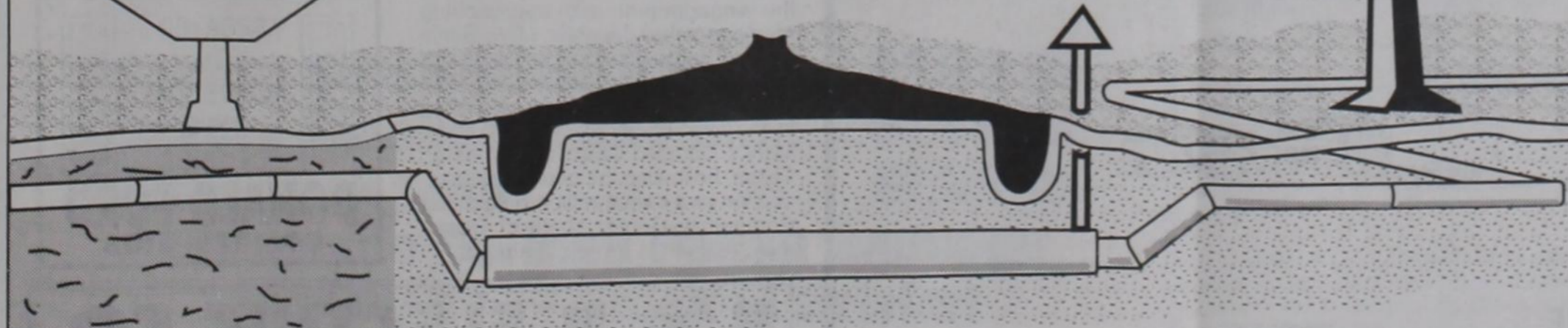
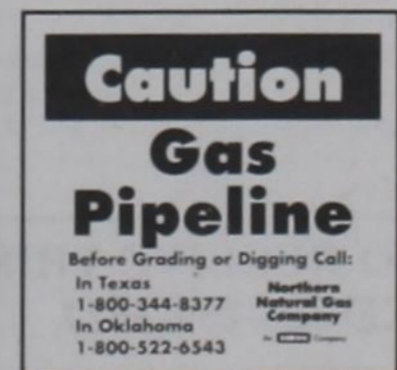
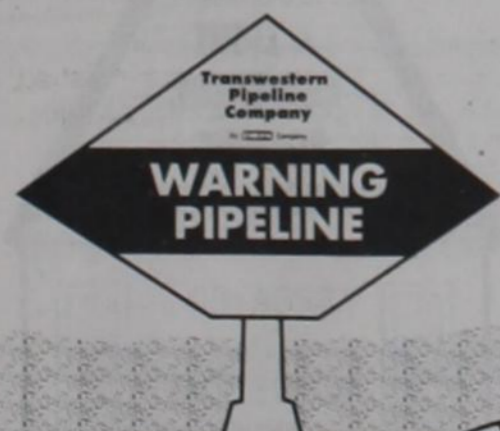
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Gerald and Judy Tipton have been on an azalea tour near Tyler. Visited Tammy, Randall, and little Jacob Fuchs at Lewisburg.

Graveside services were held at the Llano Cemetery, Amarillo, for Damon Babcock, 56. Damon's parents, George and Velma, were our neighbors when he was born at Mayfield. He grew up in Erick.

Mass of Christian Burial was held Wednesday at St. Matthews Church for Orval Marriott, 88. Burial was in the Calvary Cemetery. He was the father of our neighbor Sally Sites.

Services were in California for, Gale Smallwood, who died after a long battle with cancer. She lived many years in this community.

Eva and Brendon Atkinson attended services at the Sayre Baptist Church for Woody Whiteskunk. Woody enjoyed coaching Little League baseball and was Brendon's coach for two years. Burial was in the Sayre-Doxey Cemetery.

Funeral services were at Hammon Methodist Church for Lawrence Hodge, Jr. I've always been a fan of his wife, Patt. Burial was in the Red Hill Cemetery.

Despite the cold weather that blew in, some 15 folks turned out for the Dale Robison Memorial Trail Ride. It was a two day affair that started at the Walter Spurlin Ranch up by Durham, and on to the home of Jerry Robison.

Gary Meares of Graham, TX was home to visit his parents, Don and Elinor, at Shamrock. He attended the retirement party for Don for 40 years with the postal department. Gary and Don came down one day to see Esther Dickey.

Wilbur Nabors had cataract surgery at Pampa and is doing well. Visiting him and Theresa were Bill, Linda, and Jill Foreman. Theresa says, she has a daughter, and two daughters-in-law named Linda. Could get confusing.

Debby Barnes, Jonathan, Will, Lauren, and Kaitlen of Tullia, Jan Latham of Denton, Tx spent spring break with O. K. and Elma Henson. Elma went home with Jan for a week's visit.

This seems to have been the year TV and baseball decided to commit suicide. I can remember when folks were baseball happy. Every community had a team. There was usually a game on Sunday afternoon. Then when the World Series came on, the more affluent men would ride the train to St. Louis, Kansas City, or where ever and take them in.

And TV! We are O. J. ed to death, but they don't seem to have anything to replace it. Most of the talk shows and Sit-coms are so vulgar and sleazy that a person is embarrassed to watch them alone much less with anyone else. Our TV used to come on when we got up and off at bedtime, but now we listen to the news, some game shows, and our two soaps. Turn it off and listen to tapes of the Kitchen Band.

See, Orna Fay Davis, was one of the top scorers in the Early Bird bowling league at Sayre.

I guess our mail system is better

than I thought. We got one letter this week that Sweetwater had been marked out, leaving OK 73666. Then to top it all, we got one that had tape across the address. Only said box 134. Now how did that get to us? Bet they strained their brain figuring out which pony to put it on.

We went to Sayre, Friday, shopped, and had lunch at the Dairy Mart. Visited with Myrtice Phenix, Janice Sanders, Dora Farmer, Connie Pierce, Phyllis, and Flossie Thompson. Clella Myers tells me that, Alma, is moved into the Concept Housing.

Larry and Twila Adams, Kingfisher, have a baby girl, Jamie Nicole, born at OKC. Proud grandparents are Billy and Gail Sutton.

Have a gnatcatcher singing in my new feeder, and a turkey hen eating with the rest.

J. M. Gamble was given a certificate honoring him for his 25 years of services, as committeeman, with the Beckham County FmHA.

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Happy Birthday to Zech Stippel on April 16, Francis Hefley, Alicia Logan, and Justin Berryman on April 17, Mary

Lou Carter, Margaret Brown, Marie Peterman, and Doris Huff on April 18, Caaron Laverty, Artie Cook, Ernie Wood, Loyd Jones, and Gene Ferguson on April 19, Jennifer Maddox, and Faye Tuckness on April 20, Tonya Sursa, Ray Forbes, Sarah Zybach, Bonnie Meadows, and Elinita Key on April 21, Wynola Sanders, and Lawrence Beckel on April 22, Sid Talley on April 2, Liz Carr on April 5. Happy Anniversary to Ray and Velma Forbes (51) on April 16, Don and Wilene Burke on April 19, and Billy and Shelia Touchstone on April 21.

Samnorwood H.S. baseball team will come to play Fort Elliott Tuesday April 18 at 4:30 at Briscoe.

Correction: Johnny Brannen played tennis with David Helton, not Donnie. Pray for Dorsie Hutchinson and Alvern. Dorsie doesn't feel well at all.

Best wishes to John David Wright and Ruth Regan on their marriage.

Steven and Lacy Horton and Blake and Shayla moved to Tulsa Saturday. Steven will be working in the prison at Plainview. Kyla, helped them move. God bless you all and guide you. We will miss you.

Bouquets to Marty Ogle for making beautiful matching tennis skirts for Fort Elliott girl tennis players. They looked so cute! All girls and boys wore the "Making Tracks" T-shirts. Boys wore black or red shorts. Girls skirts were black trimmed in red.

Sorry to hear of the death of Garland Turner, 79, at Quanah. He was in college at W. T. when I was and was a good friend, a fine man.

Bouquets to Clara Cole for helping me with ex-student addresses. Still need more addresses. Thanks! Thanks also, Olaf Siviage and others.

We enjoyed going over to game night at Mobeetie Saturday night. I even learned how to play Chicken Foot and thought it was fun, even if I did draw double blank almost every game. Delicious food, pleasant people. Some played 42.

Elvis Wyant of near Pampa was hurt riding a horse April 2 and was taken to Veterans Hospital at Amarillo. He had two broken ribs and a tear in his liver, but is healing and was sent home Sunday. Leona Miller of Eakley,

Oklahoma came up Saturday to visit Jean Meadows and they went up to see their brother, Elvis. She is spending a few days with Jean. Pray for Elvis that he will continue to heal.

Claudetta Laverty went to Gail, Texas Sunday to spend a few days with the grandchildren, Trey, Shaleena and Brenee while Richard and Karen took the Senior Citizens of their church on a little trip to view the bluebonnets and other sights.

Fort Elliott Junior High will be in the District track meet at Miami at 3:30 Wednesday April 12 and Thursday April 13. The High School will be participating Wednesday April 12 at 10:00 a.m. and Thursday April 13 at 2:00 p.m.

Bob and Gena Zybach went to the Soil Conservation Banquet at Canadian Thursday night at the W. C. T. U. Building. Bob is on the board of directors. Conservation farmer of the year was Eddie Meadows and Rancher was Kirk Flowers. Some Canadian school children honored for their conservation posters.

Sunday dinner guests at the J.P. Meek home were Chuck and Phoebe Hartline and Aaron and Tamera, Lois Meadows and Evelyn Meek.

Nice to have Elva Wood, Marie Guggel and Helen Sabbe come by and visit awhile Sunday afternoon. They were touring the area to see where everyone lived. Elva taught school her first year at Pleasant Valley north of Dick and Ruth Irvines. She boarded with Ralph and Angie Freeman and children on the Texas places. She married Angie brother, Leo Hubble, who lived not far away and she attended Gageby church with the Freeman family.

Mark Meek and Jerry Williams from Lockney left early Wednesday to go to an Angus Bull sale in Montana at the Midland Bull Test Station near Billings, Montana. Annette and kids stayed home to calve heifers. They got 4 baby calves here safely.

Jocelyn Meek spent Friday night and Saturday with Saundra Meek at Panhandle.

Annette Meek and Jocelyn went to the Hemphill County Soil and Conservation Banquet at Canadian Thursday night.

Laurel Hershman went to Amarillo Tuesday and brought Willa Fillingim home from the hospital after knee surgery. Keep praying for them all.

Della Wolf from Buffalo, Oklahoma spent Friday and Saturday nights with her mom, Mae Welch. Della is thinking of retiring from the Highway Department. Rosalie Keelin and Lois Hudson visited Mae Sunday, Mae sure enjoys company.

Pray for Brenda (Mrs. Kenneth) Childress. She had a heart attack Sunday. They were afraid it was pretty serious and were going to run tests Tuesday at High Plains Baptist Hospital. Several of the Childresses and other relatives went to see her. Also there were the family of Louis Martin, who was pretty ill. Pray for him.

Nice to visit with Joey Sabbe and Heath at Furr's recently. They were roofing a house in Pampa.

Fort Elliott cheerleaders are delivering large pizzas, your choice, for \$14. every two weeks. Next delivery will be Wednesday April 19 about 5:30 or so. If you are interested, call any cheerleader: Stacie Dukes, Dana Trimble, Tera Hefley, Lana Richmond, Susie Luttrell and Misty Morgan.

Pray for Donnie Shorter. He was having tests at Amarillo Monday. He has been having some problems. Dr. Chaffin thought with medication and less stress he would be all right. Need to get his blood pressure stabilized.

Rosalie Keelin went to White Deer Saturday with Gene and Norma Keelin and family to see Kara Kay run in a relay. Wheeler tied with Vega for first



at the track meet. The Keelins all went home with Jerry and Sherry Swires near Lefors for a hamburger supper. Norma and Sherry are sister.

Pat Smith spent last Monday with Rosalie Keelin. Then Lou Dean Douthit visited Rosalie in the afternoon.

Thursday Dub and Mary Swift from Pampa came and visited Addie Swift. They all went to Wheeler and visited Kelly Swift and they all ate at Sparlins. Kelly works at Sparlins. They also visited Bob and Zedell Swift at Zedell's home, Gladys Ellington from Oklahoma. They also visited Fat and Wanda Childress at Briscoe.

Sunday Jackie Dukes and Susie Luttrell spent the day with great-grandma Addie Swift while the others all went to Amarillo to see about Brenda Childress.

Nice to have a call from Barbara Austin. She hopes to come visit us the first weekend in May. Grandson Phil Jones plays with a Christian Band, and would be playing in Abilene to a Good Sams Convention. So all the family were hoping to get together there next weekend.

We enjoyed going to Wheeler Senior Citizens Monday night. Always a delicious meal and friendly people. Nice to have a new member: Marie Baker. And no snow falling. Three tables of 88.

Congratulations to Fort Elliott High School students who won district in Academic subjects and get to advance to regional at Levelland. Those going are Jodie Crownover, Justin Westbrook, Misty Walker, April Finsterwald, Misty Morgan, Tera Hefley.

"Life is eternal and love is immortal, and death is only a horizon. And a horizon is nothing save the limit of our sight."

Sincere sympathy to family and friends of David White, 31, who passed away. He and parents, Allen and Lavene White and sister Tonya lived in the Briscoe area for awhile. He graduated from Briscoe High School in 1982. Allen worked for Bill Hefley and lived east of us.

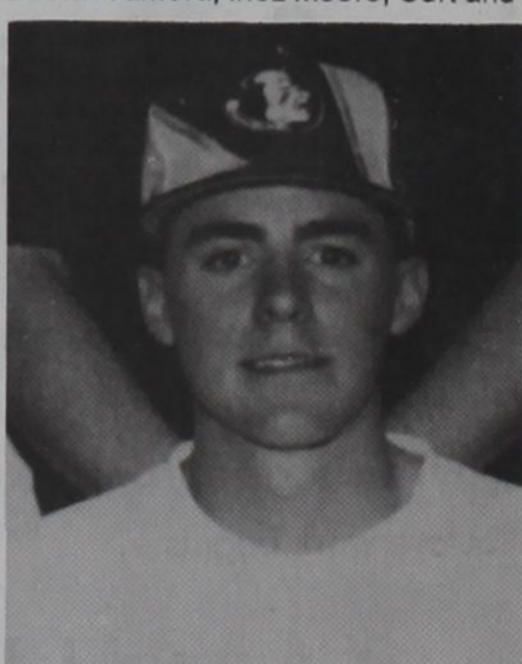
Nice to have Edie Phillis from White Deer join us for lunch Thursday at Furr's. Pray for Stacie Phillis Haiduk. She's having some serious health problems. Also at Furr's were Homer Sanders and Edna May who were going on to Amarillo for Homer's check-up at the V.A. Also saw Harold and Mae Nash, Katherine Rutledge and Angie Freeman from Canadian also there.

Congratulations to Fort Elliott High School baseball team. They have won all four games played, including the district game with Claude 7-0. Jake pitched to 21 batters, striking out 15 and not allowing a walk, according to the Pampa paper.

Psalm 95:6 "Come kneel before the Lord our Maker, for he is our God. We are His sheep and he is our Shepherd. Oh, that you would hear him calling you today and come to him."

Nice to visit with Orville Brewer (brother to Bulah Grimes) at the Pampa Pool. He told a true and interesting story about "the olden days". It seems Bulah and Doyle Grimes were dating. She got a letter from Doyle in the mailbox and was anxious to get a reply back without waiting till the next day to mail it. So she offers Orville a dime if he will walk the three miles in to Mobeetie that hot July day and mail the letter. So Orville pays 3¢ for a stamp, gets a big R. C. Cola for a nickel and had two pennies left! A treasure then! Anyway, Bulah got her man and they've been married a way over 50 years.

Nice to have Marie Gudget eat supper with us at Maxey's Thursday night. Also there Debbie Glassey and Misty and Joe Don, Wanda Hefley and Justin and Tamera, Inez Moore, Curt and



**PRE-ENROLLMENT:** Joshua Purcell from Briscoe participated in a pre-enrollment clinic for the fall 1995 semester at Oklahoma Panhandle State University in Goodwell.

**Soto-Lopez Engagement**

Mr. and Mrs. Pedro Soto announce the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter, Maria Sonia Soto to Jorge Alberto Lopez, son of Mr. and Mrs. Jorge Lopez, Sr. The wedding will be Saturday at six o'clock in the evening, April 29, 1995 at St. Mary's Catholic Church in Wheeler, Texas. Following the ceremony, a reception and dance will be held at the Community Center south of Shamrock. All friends invited to attend.

Mindy Duncan and Hayden and Gattlin. We enjoyed going to Amarillo Friday night to see the All-Star games. We also visited Willa Fillingim at St. Anthony's. She is doing well and hoping to go home soon. She had knee replacement April 4. Helen Singleton was visiting her. Others visiting Willa were Sarita Hershman and a friend, Gayle Singleton and Maralee, Aaron and Claudetta Laverty, Dick and Ruth Irvine.

East team girls and boys lost to North teams Friday night, but close games. Saturday they played and lost.

In the three-point shooting contest Friday and Saturday nights, Lindsey finished in the top six out of 40 girls. Lindsey made 7 in 35 seconds Friday night to advance to finals. She made 4 Saturday night; two others made 6.

We are proud of you, Lindsey. Dallas came up to watch. Some others there were David and Rita Pearson, Jimmy and Tammy Maddox and Jennifer and Amber, Mike and Alice Westbrook, and Jason, Janet Tatyrek, Brenda Hefley, and Tera and Nathan, Amanda Shields, Deedy Zybach. Some spent Friday night in Amarillo to be there for Saturday games.

Tuesday we enjoyed watching the Fort Elliott kids play tennis at Pampa. A beautiful day outside. Misty Morgan and Dana Trimble won their first game against Darla Donaldson and Deraduh Weldon. Then lost to White and Wheeler from Miami, who also defeated Stacie Dukes and Kerl Nelson. David Helton and Johnny Brannen and Justin Westbrook also played. Lindsey Fillingim drew a bye and then defeated Kerl Grayson from Allison and Trishelle Miller from Miami to qualify to go to Clarendon Thursday for District Tennis. Good luck, Lindsey. Some others playing for Allison were Clint Miller, Amy Boydston, Amber Dyer, Christy Grayson.

Some there to watch Fort Elliott play were Rita Pearson, Teresa Trimble, Phyllis Hefley, Janet Tatyrek, Dave Johnson, Willis and Verna Fillingim and Dan Fillingim.

Going to Clarendon Thursday to play tennis for district contest were Justin Westbrook, Misty Morgan with Dana Trimble and Lindsey Fillingim. Advancing to Levelland later in April are Lindsey, Dana and Misty. They all won second.

We are getting serious about the Briscoe Ex-student reunion for Saturday July 29 at Briscoe Gym. Lois Meadows, Lou Dean Douthit and Verna Fillingim have reserved the Briscoe Cafeteria for Friday night July 28 with snacks, drinks (soft) desserts, chips and dips, sandwich stuff and lots of visiting. We are aiming at the ones who graduated or would have graduated in the 1930's, but others are welcome to come. You don't have to have graduated to attend any of the reunion. We especially hope to have ones from 1937 to 1941 there.

Kenneth and Paulette Austin and Christopher, James and Nickolas from Gravette, Arkansas are spending a few days with Harold and Lessie Austin. Also visiting them Monday were Joe Austin and Payton. Payton stayed for a longer visit while Joe worked some at Kelson School.

"God be with you till we meet again"

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## CARE CENTER COMMENTS

We would like to welcome back Gertie Cornell, and Lorena Adams, they have been in the hospital. We want to wish Willie Knoll a speedy recovery.

Monday, I read the paper to the residents in the lobby. Next I made room visits down the halls. After lunch we worked on arts and crafts in the lobby. Mary Margaret Dodd served juice to the residents.

Tuesday, Barbara read the paper to the residents in the lobby. Next we had family alter in the dining room with Mrs. Hyatt. After lunch we worked on arts and crafts, then we played some games. Some of the games we played were fill the bottle. This is where you get two teams and you get a bottle and some toothpicks and you have a relay team that passes the bottle and they put their toothpicks in the bottle. The team to put their toothpicks in first is the winner. The other game we played was spin the bottle. The residents thought this game was a little bit silly, but we had fun anyway.

Mary Ann Maxwell and Bernice Hefley came and did the mending for the residents.

Wednesday, Barbara read the paper to the residents. Janice Sparlin came and had Sunday school with the residents in the sunroom. Barbara and I had exercises with the residents in

the lobby. After lunch we played Bingo and Margaret Heide and Evelyn Garrison were our blackout winners. Our bingo helpers were Doodie Phillips, Marie Baker and Shorty Crawford. Verna Fillingim served juice to the residents.

Thursday, Barbara read the paper to the residents in the lobby. Next we had church with Fern Young, Ila Collins, Rozena Zybach, and Susan Gierhart. They sang several songs and then Fern had a good devotion. After lunch I went to a care plan meeting and Barbara worked on arts and crafts in the lobby with the residents. At 3:00 o'clock popcorn was popped and served to the residents.

Friday, Barbara and Amy Hunt worked in the beauty shop and fixed hair for the residents. They said they fixed 15 residents hair. The nurses had a busy day. They had 5 nurses aide testing to become certified nurses aides and they also had Dr. Galutia out for his monthly visit. So they were going every which way. After lunch we had our monthly staff meeting. Several topics were discussed. Charlene Jones was elected employee of the month for April and Winnie Kiker was elected resident of the month for April.

Charlene Jones is in the house-keeping department. The residents really like Charlene. She always has a smile for everyone and is always willing to help anyone out anytime.

Winnie Kiker has been a resident here at WCC for years. Winnie is always on the go in the nursing home. She is loved by every one out here. Congratulations to Winnie and Charlene!

Saturday, Barbara read the paper to the residents in the lobby. Next she did manicures in the lobby for the residents. After lunch they played bingo and Addie Brown and Bob Maddox were our Blackout winners.

Sunday, The Methodist Church had afternoon services with the residents. The residents really enjoyed the church services.

## Wheeler County COURT RECORDS

List of instruments filed in Wheeler County Clerk's Office, March 31 thru April 6, 1995

**MARCH 31, 1995**  
AOL—Mid-Rift Exploration, Inc. to Brain Trust Incorporated, 3-27-95, SE 1/4 Sec. 17, Blk. L, J M Lindsey.  
AOL—Mid-Rift Exploration, Inc. to Bobby Woodrell, et ux, 3-27-95, SE 1/4 Sec. 17, Blk. L, J M Lindsey.

DVL—David Revels, et ux to William Darrell Lister, 3-27-95, NE 1/4 Sec. 68, and All of Sec. 74, Blk. 13, H&GN.  
DT—William Darrell Lister to Janice K. Revels, 3-27-95, NE 1/4 Sec. 68, and All of Sec. 74, Blk. 13, H&GN.  
A OF JUDG—Amarillo Hospital District to Dane Nuss, 2-28-95.

CORR. PARTIAL ASSIGN—Ream Interests, Inc., et al to Pat Helton, et ux, 2-21-95, S 1/2 Sec. 53, Blk. 24, H&GN.

C/C PROBATE—Mary Elizabeth D'Spain to Ex-Parte, 3-3-95, Sec. 52, Blk. 24, H&GN.  
POA—Novelene Simpson to Melba Darnell, 3-30-95.  
POA—Byron H. Simpson to Melba Darnell, 3-30-95.

**APRIL 3, 1995**  
EXT DT—S & J Operating Company to Bank One, Texas, National Association, 3-9-95, Secs. 49 and 52, Blk. 24, H&GN.

EXT DT—Fred Stephens to Bank One, Texas, National Association, 3-9-95, Secs. 49 and 52, Blk. 24, H&GN.

EXT DT—Joe L. Johnson, Jr. to Bank One, Texas, National Association, 3-9-95, Secs. 49 and 52, Blk. 24, H&GN.

ASSIGN—Concept Investments 1984, Inc. to Geokinetics Production Co., Inc., 3-28-95, See Instrument.  
TDT—Goldome Credit Corporation to Amerivest Mortgage Service, Inc., 11-10-94, See Instrument.

TDT—Amerivest Mortgage Services, Inc. to Ford Consumer Finance Company, Inc., 11-16-94, See Instrument.  
REL STL—Texas Employment Commission to Texstar Enterprises, Inc., 3-15-95.

AFF—Caspem Oil, Inc., et al to The Public, 3-30-95, SE 1/4 Sec. 96, Blk. 23, H&GN.  
RDT—New York Life Insurance Company to Axcon Corp., 2-15-95, See Instrument.

ASSIGN—Internationale Nederlanden (U. S.), et al to Paloma Exploration Co., 3-8-95, See Instrument.

D—Coy N. Bradstreet, et ux to Perry Helton, et ux, 4-3-95, N 1/2 Lots 9 and 10, S 1/2 Lot 11, Blk. 9, OT, Wheeler.

**APRIL 4, 1995**  
C/C PROBATE—Geraldine Freeman Graham to Ex-Parte, 1-10-95, See

## Extension Update By Joan Gray, CEA-HE

**CHILD ABUSE & NEGLECT FACTS**  
Following is a list of facts concerning child abuse:

In 1961, child abuse was formerly recognized by the medical community as "battered child syndrome".

In 1992, state child protective services (CPS) agencies received and referred for investigation approximately 1.9 million reports of alleged child abuse and neglect which involved an estimated 2.9 million children.

Abuse and neglect was found to be substantiated or indicated in 993,000 victims in 1992. Based on reports from 44 states, 1,100 children died from abuse or neglect. (NCANDS: Child Maltreatment 1992)

Based on 1992 reports of substantiated or indicated maltreatment, 40 percent suffered neglect, 23 percent physical abuse, 14 percent sexual abuse, and 17 percent other forms of maltreatment.

Over the years, the link between substance abuse and child abuse has strengthened. Use of alcohol and other drugs by parents has been identified as a major contributing factor contributing to child maltreatment and death.

Oftentimes child maltreatment has negative short- and long-term effects on children's development and mental health.

Child abuse effects may often be obvious years later. Violence, suicide, delinquency, drug and alcohol abuse and forms of criminality are frequently related to child abuse.

15 to 38 percent of women report experiences of various types of sexual victimization during childhood and adolescence and approximately 10 percent of men report sexual abuse during childhood and adolescence according to studies of adults.

Child abuse occurs in all racial, ethnic, cultural, and socioeconomic groups. However, physical abuse and neglect is more likely to occur among people in poverty.

Instrument.  
D—Lillian M. Shirley to Ethel McAllister, 3-31-95, W 25 acs, S 200 acs. E 1/2 Sec. 52, Blk. 13, H&GN.

D—W. H. Littlejohn, et ux to W. H. Littlejohn, Jr., 2-17-95, Lot 3, S 1/2 Lot 2, Blk. 10, PBA, Shamrock, Reserves Life Estate.

RDT—J. B. Rhoads, et al to Harry J. Garrison III, et al, 3-7-95, Lots 13 and 14, Blk. 204, Vaughn's Hilltop Add., Shamrock.

**APRIL 5, 1995**  
POA—Luis L. Mendiola to Gregorio J. Mendiola, 4-4-95.

CD—Zybach Cemetery Association to Bob Cornell, 3-30-95, Sec. 1, Blk. VII, Zybach Cemetery.

A OF JUDG—City of Mobeetie to Ronny Vandervar, 4-3-95.  
A OF JUDG—City of Mobeetie to DeWayne Selby, 4-3-95.

AOL—Margaret L. Burlew to Concord Resources, 3-15-95, N 1/2 Sec. 7, Blk. A-2.

AOL—Lou Verna Jacobson to Concord Resources, 3-29-95, N 1/2 Sec. 7, Blk. A-2.

AOL—Sandra Sears Braly to Concord Resources, 3-15-95, N 1/2 Sec. 7, Blk. A-2.

AOL—Spindletop Exploration Company, Inc. to Concord Resources, 3-14-95, N 1/2 Sec. 7, Blk. A-2.

AOL—Edward S. Wilkins to Concord Resources, 3-25-95, N 1/2 Sec. 7, Blk. A-2.

**APRIL 6, 1995**  
AOL—Philip E. Pendleton to D. A. Taylor Oil and Gas, Inc., 2-7-95, Sec. 20, Blk. L, J. M. Lindsey.

C/C PROBATE—Pauline Morris to Ex-Parte, 3-21-95.  
RDT—First American Bank, Erick to Michael W. Blevins, et ux, 3-28-95, 298.67 ac. Sec. 3, 405.33 ac. Sec. 2, Blk. AB&M

**District Clerk's Filings**  
#10058—In the matter of marriage of Jimi Lee James and Jena Genel Master, 4-6-95, Waiver.

## WOOTEN-GATLIN

Mystee Marie Wooten and Larry Dean Gatlin were married March 27, 1995 in Odessa by J. P. Gee.

Their attendants were Melanie Bailey and Jose Perez, both of Odessa.

The bride is the daughter of Lavada Black of Red Oak, Oklahoma, and Robert Wooten of Odessa.

Parents of the groom are Dan and Kay Gatlin of Briscoe.

The groom is associated with Dollar Deals and Gatco International.

The couple are making their home at 2201 Rocky Lane Rd. in Odessa.

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## Track Teams Win Honors At Claude Meet

**Results of the North Plains Relays at Claude**

**Varsity Boys**

**First (178 pts.)**

T. A. Taylor, 1st Pole Vault (10'); Jason Bradley, 2nd Pole Vault (10'), 4th 100 m (11.66); Wade Brickey, 3rd Discus (128'10"); Jason Porton, 1st High Jump (5'10"); 3rd Triple Jump (37'9 1/2"); 2nd 110m Hurdles (15.71), 2nd 300 Hurdles (42.60); Shane Sparlin, 1st Long Jump (19'4 3/4"); 4th Triple Jump (37'2"); Jarod Ledbetter, 3rd 110m Hurdles (15.78); 1st 300m Hurdles (42.16); Marshall Flowers, 5th 110m Hurdles (17.85), 5th 300m Hurdles (46.47); Keith Rose, 1st 100m (11.18), 2nd 200m (23.60); Phillip Wiggins, 1st 400m (54.53); Dustin Weatherly, 3rd 400m (58.90); Brian Judd, 3rd 200m (23.91); Andy Francis, 5th 200m (24.81)

400 m Relay, 1st (45.09) Stevens, Francis, Rose & Judd  
1600m Relay, 1st (3:42.16) Ledbetter, Judd, Stevens & Wiggins

**Varsity Girls**

**Second Place (145 pts.)**

Corby Chick, 5th Shot Put (28'3/4"), 2nd Discus (91'11"); Mika Goad, 6th Shot Put (27' 6 1/4"); Jesse Wallace, 1st Long Jump (14'10 1/4"); 1st Triple Jump (33'); 1st 100m Hurdles (17.32), 1st 300m Hurdles (50.57); Angie Thomas, 2nd Long Jump (14'7"); 3rd Triple Jump (31.3"); Kasey McCasland, 6th Long Jump (13'13/4"); Amanda Rives, 3rd 3200m (14:11.41) 5th 800m (2:46.28); Dena Compton, 4th 3200m (2:41.43); Ember Bradstreet, 3rd 800m (2:48.94), 4th 400m (68.44); Kalli Bradstreet, 3rd 100m (13.81); Penny Dollar, 3rd 200m (29.62)

400m Relay, 3rd (55.09) Wallace, Thomas, Jessica Jackson, K. Bradstreet  
800m Relay, 2nd (1:59.88) Goad, Thomas, Jackson, K. Bradstreet  
1600m Relay, 2nd (4:32.46) Jolly, Jackson, Thomas, E. Bradstreet

**Junior Varsity Boys**

**Third (83 pts.)**

Jeremy Davis, 2nd Shot Put (36'5 1/2"), 1st Discus (109'4"); 3rd 100m (11.87); Dean Hutchison, 4th Shot Put (34'7 3/4"); 6th Discus (84'2"); Josh Lee, 5th shot Put (33'7 3/4"); 5th Discus (98'7"); Jorge Salas, 1st 800m (2:23.06); Cecil Pinder, 3rd 800m

**Tourn.** (from Page 1)

Canadian 26. Stats:

	rbds	assts	pts
Chapman	1	1	14
Finsterwald	7	1	14
Phipps	14	5	6
Goad	6	2	0
Smith	2	0	5
Ledbetter	8	0	4

On Monday the 6th grade boys traveled to Canadian. The Wheeler boys used a balanced scoring attack and strong rebounding to again outscore the scrappy Canadian team. Final score was 39-24. Stats were:

	rbds	assts	pts
Chapman	1	1	8
Finsterwald	12	1	9
Phipps	8	2	6
Goad	4	2	6
Smith	5	2	6
Ledbetter	10	1	4

## Hospital Notes

**Old Admissions**

None

**New Admissions**

4-5 Douglas McLerran  
4-6 Karen Gill  
Willie Knoll  
Louis Martin  
Roy Dees  
4-7 Velma Kinard  
4-8 Opal Daughtry  
Donnie Shorter

**Dismissals**

4-3 Antonio Badillo  
4-4 Michael Bell  
Lorine Sharp  
4-5 Lorena Adams  
Cecil Blevins  
Timothy Andris  
4-6 Maria Reyes  
Lucille Neuhaus  
4-7 Douglas McLerran  
4-10 Donnie Shorter

## ALLISON MENU

April 17 thru April 21, 1995

**Monday:** Easter Holiday

**Tuesday:** Soft Tacos, Lettuce, Tomatoes, Cheese, Refried Beans, Fruit, Milk.

**Wednesday:** Pigs in Blanket, Macaroni & Cheese, Blackeyed Peas, Jello, Milk.

**Thursday:** Westernburgers, Ranch Style Beans, Corn, Chocolate Pudding, Milk.

**Friday:** Hot Ham & Cheese Sandwich, Lettuce, Tomatoes, Fruit, French Fries, Milk.

## Wheeler Church of Christ

**Congregational Concerns:**

Congratulations must be expressed to Bill and Doræen Owen who celebrated their sixtieth wedding anniversary on Friday, April 7th.

Louis Martin suffered a heart attack last week and is hospitalized in High Plains Baptist Hospital in Amarillo. He may need to have heart surgery in a few days.

Gene White remains hospitalized in the Specialty Hospital in Tulsa. His condition is very serious.

Ernie Davis, the father of Cindy Brown, is taking treatments at the Cancer Treatment Center in Tulsa.

Opal Daughtry is hospitalized in the local hospital. Her condition is slowly improving.

John C. Vise is hospitalized in High Plains Baptist Hospital in Amarillo, recovering from surgery.

**From the Minister's Desk:**

One of the most important sensory organs of the human body is the tongue. This two-ounce piece of mucous membrane consists of a complex array of muscles and nerves, enabling people to chew, to taste, and to swallow. The tongue is also a vital organ of communication which allows people to articulate their beliefs, their opinions, and their feelings.

Yet the New Testament warns that this vital organ of communication can be extremely dangerous. For example, James 3:5-8 says: "The tongue is a small part of the body, and yet it boasts of great things. Behold, how great a forest is set aflame by such a small fire! And the tongue is a fire, the very world of iniquity; the tongue is set among our members at that which defiles the entire body, and sets on fire the course of our life, and is set on fire by hell. For every species of beasts and birds, of reptiles and creatures of the sea, is tamed, and has been tamed by the human race. But no one can tame the tongue; it is a restless evil and full of deadly poison."

Because this major organ of communication can be so dangerous, disciples of Jesus will test their words before they speak, asking them-

**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

**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.

## EASTER TREATS:

**Spiral Sliced Honey Glazed Ham**

**Special Hickory Smoked Turkey ..... \$1.29 lb.**

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## Wheeler Jr. High Track Teams Complete Season

The Wheeler Jr. High Track Teams completed a wonderful track season with two district championships, and two district runner-up spots. These athletes have been very competitive all season. Through their hard work and dedication, they have achieved their places at the top of District 1-A. The coaches are very proud of their accomplishments. We would also like to thank the parents for their support and dedication at each and every meet.

### Eighth Grade Girls

The Eighth grade girls were District Runner-Ups. Following is the results from the district meet held on April 7 & 8. Team Scores: Sunray 115, Wheeler 112, Booker 63, Claude 60, Shamrock 57, White Deer 52, Groom 48 and Vega 47.

High Jump: Kara Emmert and Lacey Smith; Shot Put: Angela Jolly 2nd (30'1 1/2") and Rachel Stiles; Long Jump: Brooke Stevens 1st (15'1 1/2"), Kristen Marion 5th (14' 1 3/4") and Jennifer Shepard; Discus: Angela Jolly 3rd (74'7") and Rachel Stiles; Triple Jump: Brook Stevens 4th (29'10 1/2"), Kristen Marion 5th (29'3") and Jennifer Shepard; 800m Run: Maribel Salas

### Guest Editorial

## THANKS

We have no desire to get on a box and make a speech about this, but I also feel that someone owes these guys a vote of thanks. One of the big problems with the most of us is that we take too much for granted these days. What we are talking about is Allison's Volunteer Fire Department people. Everyone sees these guys out in force when a fire breaks out in the community, but there is another time when they are on the job and very few people see or know about it. Wheeler Sheriff's Department calls, there is a violent thunder storm in the making with all the ingredients to become a death deabling toronado. It's 10:00 P.M., the rain has just began as you walk out to your pickup, start the motor, turn on the wipers and lights. And then you pick up the mike, and call in one by one the voices of your buddy's begin to check back. You head out for your appointed location. It's dark and the wind has rose to blurr your vision along with the rain. You drive to your point of observation and park. Now you are all alone parked on a side road a top of a hill, and you watch, and listen, and strain your eyes trying to see through sheets of rain, and blinding lightning flashes. Was that a funnel you just saw in that low hanging cloud just to the South west or did my eyes play a trick on me? The radio cracks and pops hard and voices are muffled and hard to understand. You think of your wife and family, and a lot of other people at a time like this, and you strain into the darkness some more. Sure wish you had brought some coffee or a cold drink along. Boy, is it lonely setting here trying to see with the windows covered with rain.

Finally the storm passes and the all clear sounds, and you head home to bed. Time 1:30 A.M. All this time, the most of us are home in bed asleep, and don't even say thanks to those who watched for us. But I do—Thanks alot fellows.

Thanks a lot fellows  
C. W. Vinson

## Wheeler Co. Livestock Assoc. Annual Meeting

The annual meeting of the Wheeler County Livestock Show Association will be held Tuesday, April 18, 1995 at 7:00 p.m. in the District Courtroom, according to Gary Hardcastle, president.

Rules for the 1996 Wheeler County Junior Livestock Show will be adopted. Hardcastle said, "This is an opportunity for exhibitors' parents and other interested people to have a voice in the way the county stock show is conducted." To be eligible to participate in the meeting a person must become a current Association member by returning an application for membership, along with the membership fee of \$5.00 to Don King, prior to the meeting. Perspective members may get more information from their agricultural science teacher or the county Extension office.

During the meeting, recommendations for rule changes will be recommended by the board of directors for approval by the membership. Rule changes proposed by the general membership must be submitted in writing, at least two weeks prior to the meeting. They must be in the county Extension office by Tuesday, April 4, 1995.

Another item of business to be conducted will be filling the positions of four directors whose terms are expiring. Directors whose terms are expiring are Greg Estes, Michael Pate, Richie Kiker and Gary Hardcastle.

Anyone interested in the county livestock show program is invited to join the Wheeler County Livestock Show Association and take part in the meeting.

### Fort Elliott Calendar

Fort Elliot School Calendar for April 17 thru April 22, 1995  
April 17: Easter Holiday  
April 18: 4:30 PM HS Baseball Samnorwood\* Here.  
April 19: 1:00 PM Jim Morgan—Senior Announcements.  
April 20: 4:30 PM JH Baseball Hedley, There, 7:00 PM PTO Meeting.  
April 21: 4:30 PM HS Baseball Follett, There, HS Regional UIL.  
April 22: 7:00 PM Junk Auction, Regional Qualifier Track @ Highland Park, HS Regional UIL.

5th (3:04.39); 100m Hurdles: Rebekah Gentry 1st (18.07), Lacey Smith 2nd (18.35) and Brook Stevens; 100m Dash: Maribel Salas; 200m Hurdles: Brook Stevens 1st (32.44); Rebekah Gentry 3rd (35.15) and Kara Emmert 5th (35.92); 200m Dash: Jennifer Shepard 5th (30.40); 400m Relay: 1st (54.07) Kristen Marion, Lacey Smith Jennifer Shepard and Brook Stevens; 800m Relay: 3rd (2:01.59) Kristen Marion, Lacey Smith, Jennifer Shepard, Kara Emmert; 1600m Relay: 4th (4:54.50) Maribel Salas, Rebekah Gentry, Kara Emmert, Kristen Marion.

### Seventh Grade Girls

The Seventh grade girls were District Co-Champions. Following is the results from the District Meet held at White Deer on April 7-8. Team Scores: Wheeler 107; Vega 107; White Deer 93; Booker 88; Sunray 71; Shamrock 44; Claude 24; Groom 0.

High Jump: Whitney Simmons; Shot Put: Kassy Bradstreet 1st (27'7"), Shea Lewallen 6th (22'8") and Lorena Martinez; Discus: Sandy Bradstreet 3rd (55'8 1/2"), Kenzie Chick 6th (53'3 1/2") and Rachel Montgomery; Long Jump: Stephanie Lee 2nd (12'10 1/2"); Jennifer Haning 6th (12'2 1/2"); Triple Jump: Jennifer Haning 3rd (27'2"), Jennifer Johnson and Haley Hipkins; 800m Run: Rebekah Morrison 4th (2:59.13), Jennifer Johnson, Rachel Montgomery; 100m Hurdles: Haley Hipkins 2nd (19.86); 100m Dash: Whitney Simmons, Kristen Lee and Lauren Weaver; 200m Hurdles: Haley Hipkins 1st (35.75); 200m Dash: Stephanie Lee, 2nd (30.76), Kristen Lee and Lauren Weaver; 1200m Run: Jennifer Johnson, 3rd (4:49.15), Rebekah Morrison 4th (4:58.52) and Rachel Montgomery 5th (5:01.24); 400m Relays: 3rd (58.42) Kara Keelin, Jennifer Haning, Haley Hipkins, Stephanie Lee; 800m Relay: 3rd (2:10.67) Jennifer Haning, Kara Keelin, Whitney Simmons, Stephanie Lee; 1600m Relay: 4th (5:11.63) Kara Keelin, Jennifer Haning, Rebekah Morrison, Jennifer Johnson.

Brook Verden was unable to participate due to a foot injury.

### Seventh Grade Boys District Champs

Team Placings: Wheeler 1st (147.25); Shamrock 2nd (123.25); Claude 3rd (81.25); Sunray 4th (67.0); Groom 5th (49.0) White Deer 6th (34.25); Vega 7th (16); and Booker 8th (9).

Pole Vault: Brooks Brown 2nd (7'6"); Nick Ware 3rd—Place Tie (7'0") and Darrin Kuntz; High Jump: Kyle Masters 1st (5'0"), Casey Childress, 3rd (4'8") and Craig Bass; Shot Put: Don Hudgins and Ben Dollar; Long Jump: Casey Childress 1st (15'10 1/2") and Kyle Masters 2nd (15'6"); Discus: Don Hudgins and Ben Dollar; Triple Jump: Brooks Brown 2nd (30' 10 1/2"), Steve Marshall 3rd (30' 2") and Nick Ware 4th (30' 1/2"); 400m Relay: 3rd (53.37) Brown, Marshall, Childress and Masters; 800m Run: Steve Marshall 2nd (2:34.36); 110m Hurdles: Nick Ware 1st (21.64); 100m Dash: Ben Dollar and Craig Bass; 400m: Brooks Brown 1st (64.57); 200m Hurdles: Casey Childress 1st (31.15); 200m: Kyle Masters 1st (27.44) and Ben Dollar; 1200m: Darrin Kuntz 4th (4:39.83) and Nick Ware; 1600m Relay: 1st (4:18.06) Brown, Marshall, Childress and Masters.

Note: Lynn Holland has been unable to participate the last few weeks due to illness.

### 8th Grade Boys District Runner-up

Team Placings: Sunray 1st (112.5); Wheeler 2nd (109.5); White Deer 3rd (108); Booker 4th (85); Groom 5th (70); Shamrock 6th (28); Claude 7th (10); and Vega 8th (4).

Pole Vault: Jed Brooks 5th-Place Tie (7'6"); High Jump: Kolby Rowley 1st (5'4"), Curt Boedecker and Drew Hillhouse; Shot Put: Michael Montgomery 2nd (41' 1/4"), Will Woollard 5th (37' 1/4") and Allen Gill; Long Jump: Aaron Dunnam 4th (16' 5 1/4"), Marcus Rose 5th (16' 2 3/4") and Curt Boedecker; Discus: Aaron Dunnam 1st (123' 2 1/2"), Will Woollard and Ben Britt; Triple Jump: Marcus Rose 6th (32' 7 1/2"), Curt Boedecker and Tucker Long; 400m Relay: 4th (51.06) Juan Salas, Jed Brooks, Marcus Rose and Kolby Rowley; 800m: Ben Britt 5th (2:30.14), Will Woollard and Curt Boedecker; 110m Hurdles: Aaron Dunnam 1st (17.68), Marcus Rose 3rd (18.52) and Drew Hillhouse 5th (19.43); 100m: Ernie Martinez, Bruce Copeland and Tucker Long; 400m: Jed Brooks 2nd (60.31) and Kolby Rowley 4th (62.31); 200m Hurdles: Marcus Rose 2nd (29.90), Aaron Dunnam 4th (30.31) and Drew Hillhouse 5th (31.76); 200m: Juan Salas 6th (27.23), Ernie Martinez and Bruce Copeland; 1200m: Matt Hampton, Will Woollard and Ben Britt; 1600m Relay: 2nd (4:05.45) Salas, Dunnam, Brooks and Rose.

### To The Editor

The Wheeler Times  
Wheeler, TX 79096

Hello loved ones in Wheeler, I did not get a paper March 3, 1995. I thought it had run out until I got a card saying it went till 4-1-1995, so send me my other papers of March please, and get out and get more news. Now put Jerry Newberry and Nelson to work. **ha ha I love you all,**  
Mrs. G. A. Martin  
755 1/2 N. County Road #29  
Loveland, CO. 80537

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Wheeler, Texas

## Hemphill Co. Juvenile Facility To Expand

Hemphill-County Juvenile Facility opened its doors on the 27th of March in Canadian with 48 boot camp beds and 12 detention beds for offenders age 13 to 16. The project was the culmination of a near year long effort between Hemphill County and Esmor Correctional Services, Inc. of Melville, New York, owner and operator of the facility. Original plans offered the six month military style training program to Texas counties as an alternative program for juvenile offenders.

Today, a contract has been signed between Hemphill County and the Texas Youth Commission for placement of an additional 100 young male offenders. Esmor Canadian, Inc. has authorized Dinosaur Valley Construction of Glen Rose, Texas, to begin construction immediately on Phase II of the project by adding beds to bring the total capacity to 156 in order to accommodate the TYC placements. It is anticipated that construction will be completed by the first week in May. Phase II will enhance the project by more than \$500,000, bringing the total Esmor investment to over \$2 million in Canadian.

An additional 35 employees will be hired prior to the 19th of April through Job Fairs to be held in Canadian, Lubbock, El Paso, and Mansfield, Texas. Total employment at the facility will be approximately 70. The Canadian Job Fair is scheduled for Saturday, April 15th between 9 a.m. and 4 p.m. at the Canadian City Auditorium.

Current positions to be filled will be those of Drill Instructors.

### FORMORE INFORMATION CONTACT:

Georgia King, Canadian-Hemphill County Chamber of Commerce, (806) 323-6234.

Les Brown, Hemphill County Juvenile Facility, (806) 323-9713.

## Top O' Tex. CattleWomen Meet In Shamrock Mon.

The Top O' Texas CattleWomen met on April 10 at the Shamrock Museum, with the Shamrock ladies as hostesses. Sixteen regular members and four guest registered. Carolyn Buckingham called the meeting to order, and since we had several visitors, she asked each one to stand and tell the group her name. Amelia Sims gave the invocation.

Nadyne Williams read the minutes of the last meeting, and with one correction, they were approved. Louise Coulter gave the treasurer's report.

The Ag Day chairman, Dianne Pate, reported they had eight students to speak on What Agriculture meant to them on various radio spots. She reported they did a good job.

Beef Gift Certificates—Diane Buckingham chairman, reported and explained to the new members, or visitors, just how they worked, and urged more CattleWomen to give them as gifts, urging them to tell the recipients to use them soon after receiving the certificate. She also writes a column, CattleWoman's Chat, which will be used about once a month. Watch for it.

Beef Education - Chairman, Sally Youngblood, gave the report from the State and Regional Convention, stating she had much material for programs. She will be speaking at the Shamrock Boosters meeting, April 26. She had several good ideas for telling the public about Beef.

Environmental Stewardship - Several Ranchers and Farmers, or Cattle Feedyards have been conducted, but only one has returned their entry.

Beef for Father's Day - Bonnie Abraham chairman, reported they hoped to do the same thing as last year, but final plans have not been completed.

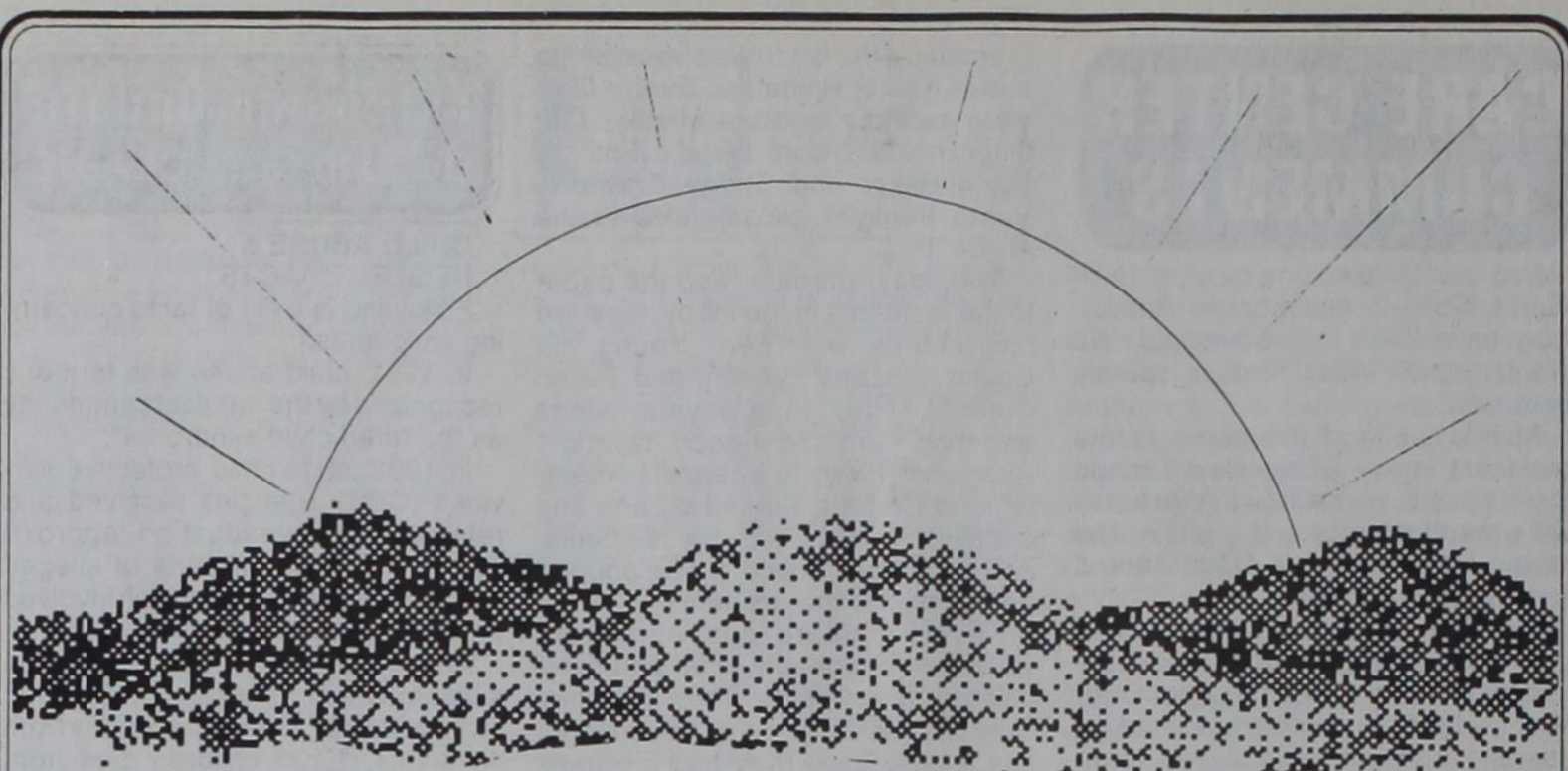
Anita Brown, Sally Youngblood, Sandra Christner report on the spring convention, and many things are happening, which will be relayed to us by the State Chairmen of each division.

Following the business meeting, Carolyn Buckingham introduced Pred Allison, representatives for the office of Natural Resources Conservation Service from Wheeler. He showed VCR pictures, and talks of caring for our pasture land. He then answered any questions the ladies had for him. We have several who are widows and doing the care of the cattle and land management. So they were definitely interested in what he had to say. After he spoke the president presented him with a Beef Gift Certificate.

Visitors present were Ruth Robinson, and Kathryn Hommel of the Palo Duro Local at Clarendon. They were the president and vice-president of their local. Also Pat Pierce, daughter of Margaret Tolbert of Miami, and our speaker, Fred Allison from Wheeler. Members present were Mary Mitchell, Sandra Christner, Anita Brown, Carolyn Buckingham, and Amelia Sims from Wheeler, Darena Begert, Louise Coulter from Lefors, Pat and Sally Youngblood from Lefors, Bonnie Abraham from Canadian, Margaret Tolbert from Miami, Mary Perry and Pernie Davis from McLean, Dianne Pate, Dianne Buckingham, and Nadyne Williams of Shamrock.

Thank you, Ladies for a good meal, and arranging a tour of the Shamrock Museum. You members that did not come missed a great meeting.

Ross Kelso participated in the NIRA Rodeo at Southwestern Oklahoma State University in Weatherford, Okla., and received the following in Bull Riding—5th in long go, and—5th in average.



# SUNRISE SERVICE

**Sunday, April 16**

Place: **Silver Springs**

Time: **6:45 A.M.**

Bring: Folding Chair . . .if needed

**Location:** Silver Springs is located off Silver Springs Road on the west edge of Wheeler. From the intersection of Hwys 83 & 152 travel west on 152 a few blocks past Burton Ford. At Silver Springs Road turn north and go approximately 1/2 mile. Look for the ponds on your left.

# PICNIC

Place: **Deer Creek Ranch**

Time: **1:30 P.M.**

Bring: **Picnic Lunch & Games**

(Drinks will be Furnished)

**Location:** Deer Creek Ranch is located northwest of Wheeler. From the intersection of Hwys 83 & 152 travel west on 152 to Heritage Beef Cattle Co. On the road adjacent to Heritage Beef Cattle Co. (east side) go straight north and look for posted signs.

- Picnic
- Story Telling Contest
- Horseshoes
- Softball
- Volley Ball
- Buggy Rides

We'll have . . .

## Afternoon Services

at 4:00 P.M. at the ranch.

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