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"Wheeler: town of friendship and pride."

# Plaques Presented At Chamber's Awards Banquet



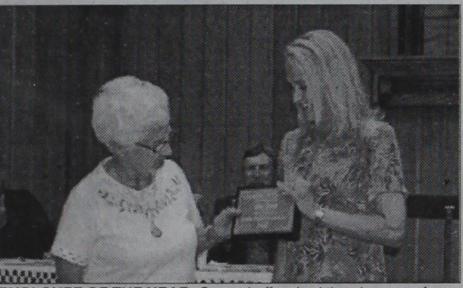
FARMER/RANCHER: The Wheeler Chamber of Commerce Farmer/ Rancher Award for 2009 was presented to Cecil Pierce. Dr. Ben Ed Hillhouse presented the award at the awards banquet Saturday, June



WOMEN OF THE YEAR: Joyce Walker was named Wheeler Chamber of Commerce's 2009 Woman of the Year. Presenting the award at the awards banquet Saturday, June 6, was Dr. Lee Ann Hillhouse.



ber of Commerce awards banquet as the 2009 Teenager of the Year. High School Principal Brian Markham, presented the plaque at Wheeler I.S.D. High School graduation ceremonies. Nicole has been a very active student at Wheeler throughout the 13 years she has been a student at Wheeler. This year she was named "Most Likely to Succeed", "Best All-Around" and "Miss W.H.S."

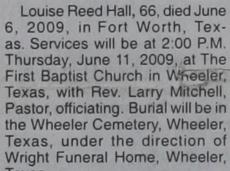


EMPLOYEE OF THE YEAR: Susan Leffew had the pleasure of presenting her mother, Bonnie Davidson, the 2009 Wheeler Chamber of Commerce Employee of the Year Award at the awards banquet Saturday, June 6.



MAN OF THE YEAR: The Wheeler Chamber of Commerce 2009 Man of the Year Award went to Jim Hill. Charles Kuntz made the presentation at the awards banquet Saturday, June 6.





Louise was born October 29. 1942, to Johnnie and Jewell Reed in Wheeler, Texas. Louise was a graduate of Kelton High School and West Texas State University. Her 25-year teaching career was mostly in Wheeler, Texas, but also included 7 years in Granbury, Texas, after moving to Stephenville, Texas, in 1989. Louise was a member of The First Bap-

tist Church in Wheeler, Texas. She was preceded in death by her parents and the father of her

children, Wayne Hogue. Survivors include her three daughters, Rhonda, and husband, Mike Gallagher, and Rebecca, and husband, Jason Foreman, all of Wheeler, Texas; and Renee, and husband, David Blankenship, of Stephenville, Texas; seven grandchildren, Chris, and wife, Tamara Gallagher; Brandon and Ashley Gallagher; Makynzi and Macey Blankenship; Cooper and Reese Foreman and beloved cat, Baby

The family requests that memorials be made to your favorite

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PIONEER SPIRIT: Hyland Weaver accepted the Wheeler Chamber

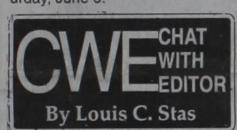
of Commerce Pioneer Spirit Award at the awards banquet Saturday,

June 6, 2009. Hyland and his late wife, Betty, were selected by the

chamber for their 48 years of working toward the improvement of

Wheeler. The award was presented by Paula Britt.

SPECIAL AWARD: Chamber of Commerce president, Frankie Jackson made a special presentation at the 2009 Chamber Awards Banquet held Saturday, June 6. Recognition was given Wheeler Area Activities & Improvement Council. This group of individuals gathered in 1993 and began searching for ways further economic development and provide jobs in Wheeler and the Wheeler area. First they became a 501 (c) 3, which allows tax credit for contributions received by WAAIC. A number of projects have been completed by this group, including the playground equipment at Wheeler School, Scholarships (42 this year, ranging in amounts from \$100 to \$2,500), and help for victims of the recent fire. Nearing completion is the Wheeler County Agricultural and Family Center at the north edge of Wheeler: a total of \$1.4 million has been raised for this project. Accepting the plaque was Charles Kuntz, WAAIC treasurer.



Who says there isn't anything

to do in Wheeler, Texas. - cwe -

We had so many things going on last week I even had to stay home to get them all covered. - cwe -

The Wheeler County Ambulance Service held open house Thursday evening for everyone to see their new ambulance barn. It is very nice and they are very proud of it.

- cwe -Never can say too many "Thank You"'s to these individuals for giving of their time to

## (Continued Page 8) STORM REPORT

As Reported by . Stormie Meriwether, Kindergarten Student

We wore our white caps and gowns. Mrs. Rutherford said, "Do not throw your caps in the air; you will be in big trouble." All the kids looked so good. We sat down and listened for our names. Mr. Watson, "Stormie Meriwether." I went to Mrs. Rutherford; she gave me a "Ploma". Now we did my graduation, I am in first grade!

You can't believe this! The next day after graduation, we went to school. We played on all the bouncy things. My favorite is the water slide. Mrs. Kimbro went on the water slide with the kids. Mrs.

Kimbro, you are so cool! Now we go to Bible school to play, eat food and talk about Jesus. Houston's mom is my Jesus teacher. That's it.

# New Arrival



BRILEY RAE PHILLIPS

Jody Phillips, of Amarillo is proud to announce the birth of his sister, Briley Rae Phillips, born March 31, 2009, at 4:30 p.m. She weighed 6 lb. 4 oz. and measured 18 inches long. Proud parents are Shan & Katrina Phillips. Grandparents are Marvin & Linda Cox of Amarillo. Great-grandparents are the late Claude C. and Elsie Cox.

# **Recipients Are Named With Biographies Of Recipients**

Wheeler's 2009 Awards Banquet was held Saturday, June 6, 2009, at the Wheeler United Methodist Church Fellowship Hall. Normally held in the spring, the banquet was rescheduled this year, due to the April 4 fire, which swept from the Magic City area to the southwest corner of Wheeler; the banquet was scheduled for the evening of the fire.

A meal was enjoyed and awards were presented.

(Editor's Note: It is impossible to capture in notes all the little known information revealed in the presentation of these awards. This year the presenters made their notes available to me.

Woman of the Year

Several people in the Wheeler community nominated this year's Woman of the Year recipient. Her work is done "out of the goodness of her heart and because she loves this community", stated Dr. Lee Ann Hillhouse, in making the

Before naming the individual, Dr. Hillhouse continued: "One person commented that our Woman of the year recipient 'wears many hats around this town and she performs an excellent job in each of those hats she wears.' Most all mentioned how her work has enriched many young lives.

"This woman works side by side (Continued Page 6)

# **Annual Reunion Of Totty School**

The annual Totty School Reunion hosted by the Mountain View Quilting Club, will be held Sunday, June 14, 2009.

A potluck dinner will be served shortly after 12 noon. Door prizes and a quilt will be given by the quilting ladies.

Bring a dish and enjoy fellowship and visiting.

Bi-Annual Wheeler

# **Ex Student/Teacher Reunion**

Saturday, June 13, 2009

The Wheeler Ex-Students and Teachers Association will meet Saturday, June 13, 2009. Registration and visitation will begin at 8:30A.M. in the halls of the Wheeler School. A brief business meeting and program will begin at 11:00a.m. in the auditorium. A Bar-B-Q meal catered by Steve Walker will be served in the school cafeteria

beginning at noon. At 1:15 the program, including a Power Point slide show, is planned to celebrate each graduating class and the history of the school. Following the reunion at the school, there are several parties planned. If more parties are scheduled, they will be announced at the program and a list will be posted at the registration. Saturday afternoon/ evening please attend one or all of the following parties.

Stacey.horton@regoin16.net Ida Goad, 1007 Sweetwater St.

If you would like to host a party contact Stacey Horton at

Bobbye & Jimmy Hill - City Drug Bed & Breakfast Rhonda Gallagher, Mike Gallagher, & Rebecca Foreman Baymont Inn & Suites

Myron Jolly and Dell Ford - Community Building from 4pm-9pm

Randy, Machelle Henson and Lacee Henson at Henson's

Jimmy Adams and Ruth Smith - Jimmy's house north east of town

Tillie Green Jamison, Annette Hutchison and Sharon Beaty Helton - Helton home, 15895 Co. Road J Friday, June 12<sup>th</sup> a golf scramble to benefit the wheeler Ex-students and Teachers Association will be held at the Shamrock Country Club beginning at 9:00 A.M. The registration for the golf scramble is included in this mailer. Also on Friday night we are trying to plan an

If you are interested in performing, please let us know. You can email Garth Nash at"garth142@cox.net.

Schedule of Events

Friday, June 12 9:00 A.M.

6:30 P.M.

Golf Scramble @ Shamrock Country Club Open mike @ City Park \*Bring your lawn chairs & enjoy some music and stories from the past. '

Saturday, June 9 8:30 A.M. 11:00 A.M. 12:00 P.M.

Registration/Visitation - Wheeler School Business Meeting - Auditorium Bar-B-Q lunch - Wheeler School Cafeteria Program - Auditorium.

1:15 P.M. Class parties will begin in the afternoon and early evening.

9 P.M.- 12A.M. Street dance

# at wrightfuneraldirectors.com. **Services Held For** A. D. Eads June 10

A. D. Eads, 96, died Monday, June 8, 2009, in Wheeler, Texas. Services were held at 2:00 P.M., Wednesday, June 10, 2009, at First Baptist Church, Wheeler, Texas, with Rev. Larry Mitchell, Pastor, officiating and C.W. Parker, Odyssey Hospice Chaplain, assisting. Burial followed in Wheeler Cemetery, Wheeler, Texas, under the direction of Wright Funeral Home, Wheeler,

A. D. was born July 21, 1912, in Wellington, Texas, to Herbert and Beulah Eads. A.D. married Margie Barham in Hollis, OK., February 25, 1933, and lived for 45 years in Wheeler, moving from Pampa. He was a farmer and rancher all of his life. He was a member of First Baptist Church in Wheeler, Texas.

He was preceded in death by his parents and his wife, Margie,

Survivors include one son, Ben D., and wife, Sue Eads, of McLean, Texas; three grandchildren, Tammy Harbin, Terri Palser, and Tim D. Eads; and two greatgrandchildren, Katy Palser and Sarah Palser.

The family suggests that

memorials be made to your favorite charity. Please sign online guest book at wrightfuneraldirectors.com.

house which replaces one destroyed by fire is a gift from Texas Panhandle Builders Association and a group of other businesses and individuals. TPBA used the plans which were those of Habitat for Humanity, using their six-day schedule.

BUILT IN 6 DAYS: This \$85,000 4-bedroom, two bath home was

built in six days and given to the Huey Carr family in Wheeler. The

# **Family Moves Into New Home** 2 Months After Magic City Fire

and numerous other structures. Wheeler was five miles from the origin of the fire in the Magic City area; the home belonged to Huey and April Carr.

The Carr property is located at the southwest corner of Wheeler on FM 2472. Destroyed in addition to the three-bedroom home was a garage full of tools, a boat. a camper and several old vehicles used for harvesting parts.

The Carr family moved into a home east of Wheeler and shared

A fire on Saturday, April 4, 2009, the home of Huey's sister and burned 15,000 acres, eight homes brother-in-law, Pam and Lee Hibler. April, 35, is assistant man-One of the homes destroyed in ager at Speedy Mart and Huey is a foreman and equipment operator for Allied Custom Gypsum in Twitty. Clint Norton and Winston Allen,

board members of the Texas Panhandle Builders Association in Amarillo contacted the Carrs and offered to help. The offer resulted in a new home for the Carr family, which replaced the destroyed

With donations of money, ma-(Continued Page 7)

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HOME REVEALED: The Carr family, BreeAnna, 13; Cody, 8, Huey, 43, April, 35, and Robert Lewis, 16, see their new home for the first time Saturday, June 6, 2009, at an event at the southwest corner of Wheeler, TX, arranged by Texas Panhandle Builders' Association. After an all-expense paid trip to San Antonio, the family was brought via limousine to Wheeler, where they were handed the keys to their new home. Their old home was destroyed two months and two days earlier by the April 4, 2009 Wheeler county fire



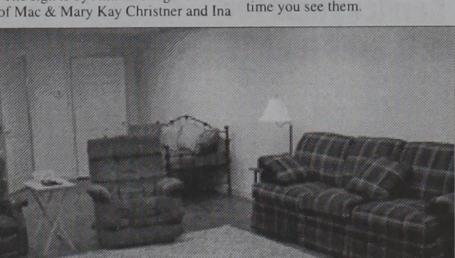
GATHERING: A nice size crowd was on hand Saturday, June 6, 2009, for the presentation of a \$85,000, 1,540 square foot, four bedroom, 2 bath home to the Huey Carr family of Wheeler.





NEW AMBULANCE BARN: The new ambulance barn is a 40' by 80' steel building with 3 ambulance bays and office/living quarters. The builders were Ford Steel Buildings out of Sayre. Electrical work was by Bill Blair. Max McQueen did the plumbing. The interior is by Jerad Chadwick. The flag poles were donated by Tommy and Karen Puryear and Arrow Water Well Service put them in place. The dirt work was by Wheeler County Road Crew Pct. 1 & 2 and H&H Dirt Services did the dirt work. The finishing work was by Jeff Arnold. The sign is by Amarillo Sign Co. The flag poles "In Memory and Honor of Mac & Mary Kay Christner and Ina

Mae Brotherton' OFFICE/LIVING QUAR-TERS: The new North Wheeler County Ambulance barn's office also doubles as living quarters for the service's paramedics. The Parkview Hospital operated service is a paramedic service with a paramedic on board each time the ambulance receives a call. The 4 paramedics work 12-hours shifts. The new facility was made possible by Wheeler County, Parkview Hospital and contributions.



NORTH WHEELER COUNTY

AMBULANCE CREW: The in-

dividuals manning the North

Wheeler County Ambulance Ser-

vice vehicles are well trained and

the majority are volunteers. Those

on hand at the time the picture was

made were: (back row l. to r.) Steve

Walker, Cory Robles, Matt Warren,

Carrie Gaines, Sherry Arnold,

(front) Cathy Miller, Mary Jones,

Brenda Sparlin. Not pictured are

Amanda Floyd, Roger Brown,

Stacey Horton, Dewayne Lane,

J.W. Lane, Sheryl Lane, Les Leach.

Wanda Love, Jason Miller, Thomas

Peppers, Sue Stiles, and Angie

Ware. The staff includes 4 Para-

medics, 3 Intermediates, 13 Basics

and 1 ECA. Give these individu-

als a big "Thank You" the next



OPEN HOUSE: Ora Belinda SchoolHouse employees hosted open house Thursday evening, June 4, 2009. The early learning center, located at 1320 S. Alan L. Bean Blvd. (south edge of Wheeler on Hwy 83) will open as soon as the state gets "all the i's dotted and t's crossed. Ora B. Stiles' great-granddaughter, Abigail Rogers of Amarillo is shown here with Andrea Auldridge, one of the teachers at the schoolhouse. O.B.S. held open house Thursday.

Our deepest sympathy to the family and friends of sweet little Alvern Hutchison, 88, formerly of Wheeler. She had spent the last few months in Eastland to be closer to her daughter, Annette and husband, Jerry Jones, of Breckenridge. They were so good to come check on her every month after her health failed and she moved to the assisted living at Parkview Hospital. They would always try to find time to visit with cousin, Orville Greenhouse, before she moved to Dumas. Now they are both gone and we will miss them greatly. I had the honor of getting to meet the Jones' while they were here on one of their many frequent trips. No wonder Alvern was so proud of them and appreciated all they did for her. She is definitely her mother's daughter.

Leola Farris and Dick and Ann Graham have been enjoying a visit from Dick and Ann's daughter and family from the Denver area. They have enjoyed them so much and appreciated all their help in getting some of cleanup done from the fires that devastated Wheeler this spring.

It's definitely beginning to feel like summer. Certainly hope that the teachers and students are enjoying their summer break. The showers we've had are just wonderful. We've had over an inch and a half of rain in the last week. Although the winds have been a little unsettling at times, for the most part, we have had some beautiful weather. The rains have certainly helped the farmers, ranchers and gardeners. Of course, the weeds are going crazy

Congratulations to Junior and Beth Newman of Lelia Lake. They are going to make Tammy Newman a grandmother sometime in late July or early August. The whole family is so excited. Junior works with Beth's family in the farming and ranching business. He really enjoys it and will be a partner in the business. He is putting his college education to good work.

We have lost so many special friends in the area over the last couple of weeks. Our sympathy to Jim Darden and the family and friends of Edna Darden, 79, of Dumas. She passed away on Friday, May 29, 2009. Memorial services were held at the Hunt Memorial Methodist Church in Dumas with Rev. Terry Hart officiating. Jim and Edna had been married for 59 years. She was an active member of the Hunt Memorial Church while her health permitted, having been an official greeter for many years. She always had a smile for everyone. She was also a member of the VFW Auxiliary and the Eagles Auxiliary having served as president of both organizations at different times during her membership. Edna is survived by her husband Jim, son, Jimmy, and three grandsons. She will be greatly missed by many.

Saturday, May 30, was a bad day. Our condolences to the family and friends of Wayne Flowers, 57, of Canadian. Graveside services were held Wed. A.M. at the Edith Ford Cemetery in Canadian with the Rev. Monte Kreis officiating. He was a lifelong resident of Canadian and graduated from Canadian High School in 1971. He was a rancher most of his life. He was preceded in death by a son, Dustin Flowers, and a sister, Sandra Sue Flowers. Wayne is survived by his wife, Sally (Jahnel) Flowers, of Canadian; three sons, David Flowers and wife, Natasha, of Clovis, N.M.; Danny Flowers and wife, Dawn, of Canadian; and Donnie Flowers and wife, Stephanie, of Lubbock; two brothers, Joe Flowers and wife, Sammie, of Gage, OK., and Roy Flowers and wife, Ann, of Spearman, TX.; five sisters, Francis Newell and Dixie Cook and husband, George, all of Canadian; Zella Meeks and husband, Robert, of Richardson; Pat Schaef and husband, Larry, of Boswell, OK. and Vickie Bolin and husband, Bob, of Chandler, along with six grandchildren. He will be

greatly missed. Our deepest sympathy to the family and friends of Bill Miller, 73, of Canadian, who passed away June 1, 2009. A celebration of life was held Wednesday at the Church of Christ in Canadian with Rev. Dean English officiating. Burial was in the Edith Ford Cemetery. He was born and raised in Canadian and graduated with the class of 1955 from Canadian High School. Bill went on to attend West Texas State University in Canyon. He was a veteran of the US Army, having served in Germany. He was preceded in death by a son, Woody Charles Miller, and a brother, Ralph Gross, Bill is survived by his loving wife, Deanne (Gafford) Miller of the home; four daughters, Suzanne Baker and husband, Junior, of New Deal; Ruth Ann Abraham and husband, Salem; Melinda Hedgecoke and husband, Ed, and Dana Dennis, all of Canadian; two sons, Kerry Miller and wife, Karen, and Scott Miller, and wife, Heather, all of New Deal; two sisters, Joyce Mathis of Pampa and Audrey Cackrell and husband, Pig, of Canadian; four brothers, Jim Miller and wife, Barbara, of



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Blaine, Wisconsin; Gene Miller and wife, Linda, Jack Miller and Vern Lahlum, all of Pampa; 23 grandchildren and six greatgrandchildren. Bill worked for Santa Fe railroad for many years. He was a member of the Church of Christ and enjoyed fishing and inventing new things, "Papa" was greatly loved by his grandchildren, family, and friends and will be greatly missed. Melinda was a teacher at the elementary school They are really enjoying it. here for a while. Her students

ally missed her. Sorry to hear of the passing of Jim Bussard, 85, of Lipscomb, on Wed., June 3. He was the father of Lipscomb's retired postmaster, LaVaun Kraft. Graveside services were held Sat., June 6, at the Lipscomb Cemetery. He was born in Canadian, attended Locust Grove School in his early years graduating from Canadian High School in 1941. He was a veteran of the US Navy serving in the South Pacific during WWII. Jim married Mona Turner in Tucumcari, N.M., in 1953. She preceded him in death in 2002. Jim and his faithful horse, Buck, retired from ranching last year. He was a lifelong resident of Lipscomb County and a member of the Locust Grove Church. Jim is survived by two sons, Lane Hill and wife, Brenda, of Darrouzett, and Lance Bussard and wife, Tanja, of Lipscomb; a daughter, LaVaun Kraft, and husband, Merle, of Lipscomb; a sister, Katie Thorne, of Amarillo; ten grandchildren; several great-grandchildren and six great-great- grandchildren. Lots of wonderful memories

loved her and she was well re-

spected by her peers. We've re-

for years to come. I am glad to report that mom, Carol Orthman, is resting at home and doing better after being released on Sun., May 31. Home Health care checks on her when my sister is at work. They are keeping a close eye on her blood pressure and heart rate, as it wanted to run away with itself. She has an appointment Tues., so hope to get a much better report.

and great stories will follow him

They didn't change any of her medicine, only the dosage. She sure won't be taking any more Avolox, though. She had a surprise visit from some very special friends from San Antonio, Jean and George Dannesfeler. Jean is the ex-wife of one of mom's cousins. They had a great visit, even though it was very short.

Jeff, Sky and Harley got moved to their new home last weekend.

I spent from Thurs. night until Sat. afternoon with mom at BSA. My sister came down on Sat. to spend the weekend with her. Her daughter, Shelly Adams, grandson, Zach, and granddaughters, Autumn and Abigail; son, Scott Willis, and Shelly's grandmother, Marie, all of Hereford, came by to visit with Grandma Carol Sat. A.M. Then, it was wait and talk to the doctors. After seeing the internalist and cardiologist, I was on my way home. Our grandson, Michael, arrived bright and early last Sat. to spend the summer with us. Sunday afternoon, much to our surprise, they let mom out of the hospital.

Monday, we were in Amarillo again for Bob's eye checkup. What a surprise to see Doug and Pat Corse there before we left. They are such a sweet couple. She is such a precious "return" (Continued Page 6)

# Thank You

North Wheeler County Ambulance Service would like to say thank you to everyone who helped make our new station a reality. Thank you to everyone who made a donation and helped in other ways. It has been a long process but now we have a very nice station with room for work and training. Thanks to everyone for coming out to the open house and feel free to stop by any time.

# News, Views & Commentary

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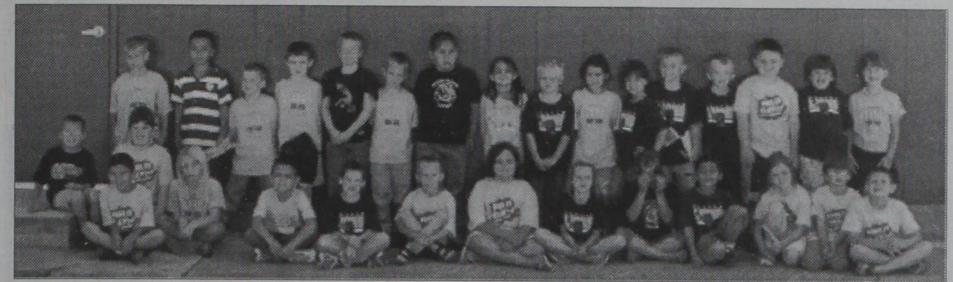


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VISIT SPACE MUSEUM: The Kelton ISD First and Second Graders attended the Space Museum to learn about space travel etc. Students: Bryce Rowley, Hagen Weatherly, Curz Juarez, Corbin Whitmire, Brock Buckingham, Cody Carr, Jayton Couch, Fernando Garza, Kiera Hurtado, Ransley Cochran, Maddison Martinez, Laney Garcia, Kaleb Kimbro, Clint McKee, Jacob Maxwell, Emily Cook, Kassidy Carter, Ryan Cook, Johnny Guajardo, MaKalli Marshall, Luis Martinez, Brett Hennig, Allen Lumpkin, LeighAnne Cook, Leeann Spence, Katheryn Brown, Cristian Contreras, Paige Martinez, and Eli McKinley, Cody Carr, and Colton Yarbrough, Paige Martinez, Ryan Cook, Allen Lumpkin, LeighAnne Cook, Johnny Guajardo, Eli McKinley, Colton Yarbrough, and Bryce Rowley. (Eli McKinley is named twice.)



"Blessed be God, even the Father of our Lord Jesus Christ, the Father of mercies, and the God all comfort; Who comforts us in all our tribulation, that we may be āble to comfort them which are in any trouble, by the comfort wherewith we ourselves are comforted of God" (II Corinthians 1:3,4).

"Happy Birthday" to Peter Watson, Greg Boydston, Kent Vise, Andy Copeland, Justin Wesbrooks, Kirbie Barr, Evan Watts, Stormy Lancaster and Sandy Bradstreet, June 8; Wesley Bradstreet, Steve Hampton, Dustin Henderson, Justin Henderson, Andrea Wright, Kevin Meek, Kyligh Trimble, Lori Steen, Stephanie Benefield, Lisa Barton, Alecia Clark, Christy Jones Tadloc

and Hadley Johnson, June 9; Jayden Bishop, Mark Countryman, Cole Hathaway, Betty Hennard, Mathew Willetto, Kim Miller and Catrina Wash, June 10; Kephart and Klotte Henson, June Moderi, Mae Bailey, Beth Wills, Leesa Sims, Christy Willingham and Jane Dukes, June 12; Wanda Tatyrek, Patricia Forrester and Mike Lee, June 13; Dale Helton, Shellie Johnson, Jessica Bentley, Abigail Rogers, Mary Waggoner, Jerod Reynolds, Steve Emmert, Bryce Chisum, Tonia Flores and Wayne Gentry (62), June 14.

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"Happy Anniversary" to Mike and Rolonda Meadows and Russell and Leanna Schaub, June 8; Jimmy and Tammy Maddox and Mike and Jenny Smith, June 9; Shane Davis, Kay Hobdy, Steven James and Belinda Masters, Clint and Amy Huff and Justin and Tera 11; George Christie, Tryston Wesbrooks, June 10; Randy and Hamner, Selena Lopez, Preston Carol McCurley and Dick and Ruth Irvine, June 11; Ben and Tonia Meadows and Donnie and Kathy Shorter, June 12; and Larry Estes, Brandi Cochran, Janet and Fredricka Barbour, June 13.

"Within this house may God's peace abide to bless all those who step inside. And may there be joy and laughter heard and love in every act and word." (A House Blessing)

Golden Agers will meet at Wheeler Baptist Church Thursday, June 18, at 11:30 for Home Health wellness checks, a good potluck meal, program and fellowship. Everyone invited.

Sunday, we celebrated Matt and Konnette Koen's 3 years at Wheeler Baptist with potluck dinner at the church (very good) and money for a new guitar for Matt and money for Konnette. Thank you very much, Matt and Konnette, for all your helpfulness to our church. You are special. God bless you, everyone! Some others helped with serving and included Wes and Cindy Bradstreet, Dianne and Buddy Sparks and Gene and Vickie Ferguson. Good to have James Greer and wife, Dena, there with a good message from the Bible and their son and his wife who are expecting a new baby in July. James is Vickie Ferguson's "baby brother" and is area missionary. Rev. Greer and group were to go on to Perryton for Sunday night service and to other churches

Thank you, Lord, for Monday's wonderful rain! And, Tuesday's. Cindy Bradstreet works at the Wheeler School cafeteria during the school year, but enjoys spending time with her mom, Lois Barrett, at Pampa when she can after school is out and has been enjoying visiting Lois. Wes said he was disappointed that he didn't get days off, too. Wes works for the City of Wheeler:

Marie Baker's son, Larry and Delma Baker from Pampa and daughter, Kim, from Oklahoma City visited Marie Tuesday and came to Care Center Church for sing-along, message from the Bible, communion and prayers. Good to see you all. Also there for church were Earl and Betty Hustead and Macey, Mark Barton and Verna. Glad to hear Earl and Betty got good checkups at Ama-

rillo Monday. Praise the Lord! Some residents out to enjoy church and fellowship were Teresa Reed, Stanley, Robert Airstik, Howard Surber, Wayne Stanton, Verna Alston, Dorothy Walker, Ferne Turnbow, Marie Baker and others.

Doris Finsterwald usually visits good friend, Shirley Dyson, every three weeks at Pam Apartments in Pampa. She shops for Shirley at Walmart, brings food for lunch and they have a good visit. Shirley's leg that she broke"way back is doing better, but not completely healed inside, but may be soon. Shirley is still in a wheelchair and has a good attitude. After lunch, Doris shops some for herself and comes on home. Keep praying for Shirley and Doris.

Best wishes to Ryan Farmer and Tara Owens in their marriage Saturday, April 18, at Amarillo Botanical Gardens. Groom's parents are Lisa Farmer of Amarillo and the late Calvin Farmer. Grandmother is Ruby Craig of Wheeler who attended the wedding. The bride and groom graduated from Amarillo High School and will be living in Amarillo. The couple planned a wedding trip for 5 days to Mexico. God bless you!

Sincere sympathy to family and friends of Louise Hogue Hall, 66, of Wheeler in her death.

Family and friends gathered at the home of Wes and Cindy Bradstreet Friday evening for a good cookout supper of hot dogs, hamburgers and chicken with homemade vanilla and strawberry ice cream, German chocolate birthday cake and many other goodies and a good time of fellowship to celebrate Wes' 55th birthday. God bless you, everyone! I enjoyed your party, Wes! Some present were Wes and Cindy Bradstreet, Roy and Nell Bradstreet, Debbie Glazner, Kelley Glazner, Ronnie Maxwell and Jacob, Katherine Manuel, John Bryant, Mike and Beverly Bryant and Sarah and Cameron (grandchildren that they enjoyed keeping all week), Martha Meek, Verna Fillingim, Larry and Dessa Mitchell Matt and Konnette Koen and Matt's mom, Buddy and Dianne Sparks, Shelly and Nicholas Sparks, David and Patti Bradstreet, Frank Clymer and Mike and Mendy Bailey and Michaela and Brady. Thank you! A fun party in a beautiful setting.

Sincere sympathy to family and friends of Wayne Flowers, 57, of Canadian, in his death. Graveside services were 10:30 Wednesday, June 3, at Canadian Cemetery. He was a son of Gilman and Lois Flowers and married Sally Jahnel in 1989 in Las Vegas.

Sincere sympathy to family and friends of Bill Miller, 73, of Canadian in his death. Services Wednesday, June 3, at 2:30 at

Canadian Church of Christ. Nice to visit with Erma Riley on the phone. She doesn't get out much any more, but is expecting a visit from daughter, Nelda, from Newport News, West Virginia, and hopes to come to Wheeler to cem-

Thank you, Texas Panhandle Builders Association for building the beautiful new home for Huey and April Carr and family in Wheeler to replace their home that burned in April. God bless you

Everyone is invited to Kelton School Cafeteria Sunday, June 14, 3-5 p.m., to celebrate the 50th wedding anniversary for Garland and Rachel Moore. God bless you and your family.

Good to see Trudy Kendall looking better and out to church at Wheeler Baptist with her mom, Cledith Burrell. Keep praying for Trudy. Trudy spent some days with her mom. Good to see her.

There were a lot of ladies at Totty School Thursday. Some quilted and some cleaned and got ready for their special potluck meal and party on June 14 at noon. Some from Pampa, some from McLean and some other places. Ones there were Augusta Brown, Betty Haines, Sydney Lynch, Jimae Hinds, Audrey Seitz, Jamie Johnston and Riggins, Mendy Reeves, Tracy Carter and Cayson and Denyn Carter, Jacob Williamson, Charlotte Hefley, Nikki Shahan and Anastasia Lemke and Ethan. (Hope I got that right.)

"I can do all things through Christ who strengthens me"

(Philippians 4:13). First Sunday Singing met at Allison Baptist Church Sunday night with a very good program of songs and inspiration. John Huff led singing and prayer. Some singing were Nadine Lane, Charlie ad Mary Davis, Beverly

Swift, Gina Seitz and Melba

Corcoran. Martha Meek played

PAGE 3— Thursday, June 11, 2009

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Garland and Rachel Moore - 2009

Please join our family on this joyous occasion when our parents Garland & Rachel Moore celebrate 50 years of marriage at a party in their honor Sunday, June 14, 2009 af 3:00-5:00 pm Kelson School Cafeseria Kelson, Texas No gifts please. Matt. Teresa & Julie

the harmonica. Some singing in the Mobeetie choir were Cheryl Fraley, Gina Seitz, Charlie and Mary Davis, Paul Hathaway, Don McElroy, Tony Dickey, Beverly Swift and Melba Corcoran. Giving readings were Aaron Laverty, John Huff, Melba Corcoran and Mary Cornell. Next First Sunday Singing will be at Gageby Church July 5 at 6:00 p.m. Everyone invited for good program, good fel-lowship and good food. See you there. There was a good pile-on supper at Allison and many luscious desserts. Thanks!

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HEMPHILL (WILDCAT & N.W. **MENDOTA** Cherokee) Mewbourne Oil Co., #1894 Leslie Webb. et al, 1770' from South & 2230' from West line, Sec. 189.C.G&MMB&A. PD 11200' HEMPHILL (WILDCAT & WASHITA CREEK Upper Mor-

row) Laredo Petroleum Inc., #3 Elm Creek Ranch '6', 2191' from North & 1482' from West line, Sec. 6,41,H&TC, PD 15000' WHEELER (WILDCAT & B&B

Granite Wash) Chesapeake Operating, Inc., #102H Ruby Lee, 200' from South & 1860' from East line, Sec. 4,5,B&B, PD 16000' (BHL: 467' from North & 1867' from East Sec. line) Horizontal WHEELER (WILDCAT & MILLS RANCH Granite Wash) Sanguine Gas Exploration, L.L.C., #205 Quillian, 660' from North & West line, Sec. 5,L, J.M. Lindsey, PD 12000'. Rule 37.

WHEELER (NORTH WHEELER Morrow & FRYE RANCH Cons.) Questar E&P Co., #1 Childrens Home '2', 467' from North & East line, Sec. 4,-,IRR Co./W.J. Mason Survey, PD 16000' Oil Well Completions

Gas Well Completions HEMPHILL (HEMPHILL Granite Wash) Mewbourne Oil Co., #24 Frank Shaller, Sec. 2,-,GH&H, spud 3-13-09, drlg. compl 3-27-09, tested 4-24-09, TD 10800' PBTD 10748' — Operator plans

to commingle w/other Fields in Plugged Well WHEELER (STILES RANCH Granite Wash) Crest Resources. Inc., #2-56 Champ Davis, Sec. 56, A-7, H&GN, spud 11-1-08, plugged 11-18-08, TD 18949'

Week Ending June 4, 2009 Intentions to Drill

Unsuccessful Re-Entry

OIL NEWS

HEMPHILL (BUFFALO WALLOW Granite Wash) Kaiser-Francis Oil Co., #1 Circle Dot Ranch, 2000' from South & 1650' from West Wheeler Nursing & Rehabilitation line, Sec. 84,M-1,H&GN, PD

keeper and cook. Competitive ROBERTS (WILDCAT & LARD RANCH Granite Wash 'C') ply in person 1000 S Kiowa see Chesapeake Operating, Inc., #6H

Ronnie Bailey, housekeeping and Flowers 'CCSL', 3850' from South Larry Diamond, dietary 7/10rtn & 3550' from West line, Clay CSL

Crossword Puzzle

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Survey. MD-Walter Eugene Scott Jr. to Walter Eugene Scott Jr. Revocable Living Trust, 5-27-09,

Sec. 62, Blk. 17, H&GN Ry. Company Survey. ASSIGN.-Linn Energy Holdings

HEIRSHIP AFF.-M. Lynne Lundgren to Carl Fred Lundgren,

Blk. X, New Mobeetie HEIRSHIP. AFF.-Lynna Korlzar,

OL-Don E. Cross to Newfield Exploration Mid Continent Inc., 4-27-09, Sec. 62, Blk. M-1, H&GN

Blk. M-1, H&GN Ry. Company

STATE TAX LIEN-State of Texas

STATE TAX LIEN-State of Texas to MGE Resources Inc., 5-22-09. STATE TAX LIEN-State of Texas to St. Mary Land & Exploration

RDT-Compass Bank Sunsmoke Energy Company, 5-27-09, NE/4 and SE/4 Sec. 19, Blk. L, J. M. Lindsey Survey.

Survey.

Ry. Company Survey.

DT-Bret Moore, et ux to First 

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Inc., #I Thomas '41', Sec. 41,41,

3-11-09, tested 4-25-09, TD

ite Wash 'C') Chesapeake Oper-

ating, Inc., #3H Flowers 'CCSL',

Sec. 1,-,CCSL, spud 10-28-08,

drlg. compl 11-28-08, tested 3-26-

09, potential 12961 MCF, TVD

solidated) Apache Corp., #201

spud 1-6-09, drlg. compl 3-8-09,

tested 4-8-09, potential 4208 MCF, TD 15250', PBTD 15158'—

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DT-Crest Resources Inc. to Bank

of Oklahoma NA, 5-1-09, Secs.

60 and 61, Blk. A-7, H&GN Ry.

DT-Crest Energy Ltd. to Bank of

Oklahoma NA, 5-1-09, Sec. 1,

BBB&C Survey, and Sec. 44, Blk.

A-7, H&GN Ry. Company Survey.

D-James R. Reneau to Reneau

Family Limited Partnership, 4-22-

09, Pt. Sec. 44, Blk. 17, H&GN

C/C ORDER-Myra Sue Phillips,

Deceased to Phillis Ann Findley,

DT-Terry Wayne Mick, et ux to

Premier Capital Lending, 5-20-

D-Martin T. Jehorek Transport

Inc. to Vicente Mayorga, et ux, 6-

2-09, 2.0 acs. NW/4 Sec. 43, Blk.

17, H&GN Ry. Company Survey.

B. of SALE-Mr. & Mrs.

Transmissions to Micle Investments Inc., 1-26-09, No

RDT-Wells Fargo Financial Texas

Inc. to Kenneth Martindale, et ux,

UNIT DESIGNATION-Crest

Resources Inc. to Kenneth C.

Whiteley, et al, 8-20-08, N 200

acs. E/2; S 120 acs. E/2; N 40

acs. SE/4 Sec. 21, Blk. L, J. M.

AFF.-Gary D. Pierce Jr. to Cross

Timbers Oil Company, et al, 6-1-

09, Sec. 23, Camp County

ROW-James H. Hill, et ux to

Enogex Gas Gathering LLC, 9-

3-08, Pt. S/2 Sec. 1, H&GN Ry.

Company Survey, Cert. # 13/

ROW-JoAnn B. Simmons to

Enogex Gas Gathering LLC, 8-

28-08, Pt. S/2 Sec. 2, H&GN Ry.

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AMEND. OL-Estate of Lena Inez

Byrd to Granite Operating

Company, 3-6-09, SW/4 Sec. 42,

Blk. A-3, H&GN Ry. Company

AMEND. OL-Estate of Lena Inez Byrd to Granite Operating

5-28-09, See Instrument.

09, Lots 9-12, Blk. 9, Brisoce.

et al, 5-15-09, No Land Listed.

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Ry. Company Survey.

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Company Survey.

8717', MD 11740' — Horizontal

Gas Well Completions

12655', PBTD 12544' -

Survey, PD 12000' (BHL: 7500' Gas Exploration, L.L.C., #206 from South & 3950' from West Walser, Sec. 6,L, J.M. Lindsey, Survey line) Horizontal spud 4-7-09, drlg. compl 4-28-09,

ROBERTS (MORRISON RANCH Upper Morrow 9470') Davis Operating Co., Inc., #5183 Morrison, 2055' from South & 1905' from East line, Sec. 183,42,H&TC, PD 11455', PBTD 11351' — SWR #10 9613'. Re-Entry

ROBERTS (ST. CLAIR Granite HEMPHILL (GEM-HEMPHILL Wash) Mewbourne Oil Co., #4 Christie-Tipps '77', 1800' from South & 900' from East line, Sec. H&TC, spud 2-16-09, drlg. compl 77,B-1,H&GN, PD 11000'.

Oil Well Completions WHEELER (MILLS RANCH ROBERTS (LARD RANCH Gran-Granite Wash) Sanguine Gas Exploration, L.L.C., #2018 Mills, Sec. 18,A-7,H&GN, spud 3-4-09, drlg. compl 3-29-09, tested 5-15-09, flowed 365 bbl. of 44 grav. oil + 18 bbls. water thru 12/64" choke on 24 hour test, TD 12820', WHEELER (FRYE RANCH Con-PBTD12370' --

WHEELER (MILLS RANCH, Weatherly, Sec. 1,A-4,H&GN, K.C.) Sanguine Gas Exploration, L.L.C., #3059 Bass-Calcote, Sec. 59, A-7, H&GN, spud 4-8-09, drlg. compl 4-29-09, tested 5-14-09 gas lift 230 bbl. of 43 grav. oil + 73 bbls. water thru 64/64" choke on test, GOR 1230, TD 11900', PBTD 11840' —SWR #10

WHEELER (MILLS RANCH Granite Wash, K.C.) Sanguine

# Wheeler County

List of instruments filed in the Wheeler County Clerk's office from May 28, 2009 - June 6, 2009

MAY 28, 2009

DT-Christine Hrnciar, et al to Citizens Bank, 5-19-09, Pt. S/2 Sec. 75, Blk. 23, H&GN Ry. Company Survey.

HOMESTEAD DESIGN .-Christine Hrnciar to The Public, 5-19-09, Lots 18-22, W 88.5' Lots 15-17, Blk. 204, Vaughan Hilltop Add., Shamrock

RDT-James Reneau Seed Co. to Paul T. Macina, 5-28-09, Secs. 76 and 81, Blk. 23, H&GN Ry. Company Survey.

MAY 29, 2009 ASSIGN.-Donald Dean Dorothy Rosenbach to Rosenbach, 5-8-09, SW/4 Sec. 11, Blk. 24, H&GN Ry. Company

LLC to Linn Energy Holdings LLC, 5-11-09, Sec. 39, Blk. A-3, H&GN Ry. Company Survey.

5-19-09, NW/4 Sec. 48, Blk. 24, H&GN Ry. Company Survey. D-Heritage Feeders LP to Loney Wilson, et ux, 5-27-09, Lot 1-10,

et al to Judy Beth Markham Richardson, 5-29-09, Lot 3, Hefley Add., Wheeler and Pt. of J. E. Stanley Sub. Div., Wheeler. **JUNE 1, 2009** 

Ry. Company Survey.
OL-Tim N. Throckmorton to Newfield Exploration Mid Continent Inc., 5-1-09, Sec. 62,

to Brigham Oil & Gas LP., 5-22-

Company, 5-21-09.

OL-Robert G. Christopher to cal candy route. 25 machines and Newfield Exploration Mid candy. All for \$9,995. 1-888-625- WANT TO BUY Seed wheat for fall.

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Continent Inc., 4-27-09, Sec. 62, 5481. Multi Vend, LLC. Blk. M-1, H&GN Ry. Company DVL-Richard Wayne Burton, et al The Freight! OTR experi- AIRLINES ARE HIRING, Train VIEW Lake Medina/Bandera 1/4

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Company, 3-26-09, E/2 Sec. 42, Blk. A-3, H&GN Ry. Company. AMEND. OL-Patricia Mae Moore, Blk. L, J. M. Lindsey Survey.

et al to Granite Operating JUNE 4, 2009 DT-N/G Discovery LLC to

BancFirst, 5-4-09, S/2 Sec. 5, AB&M Survey and N/2 Sec. 5. Company, 3-6-09, E/2 Sec. 42, GUARDIANS MD-Estate of June

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Ephesians 3:16-19 Praise ye the Lord. Blessed is the man that feareth the Lord, that delighteth greatly in his commandments. His seed shall be mighty upon earth: the generation of the upright shall be blessed. Wealth and riches shall be in his house: and his righteousness endureth for ever. Unto the upright there ariseth light in the darkness: he is gracious, and full of compassion, and righteous. A good man sheweth favour, and lendeth: he will guide his affairs

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with discretion. Surely he shall not be moved for ever: the righteous shall be in everlasting remembrance. He shall not be afraid of evil tidings: his heart is fixed, trusting in the Lord. His heart is estabilished, he shall not be afraid, until he see his desire upon his enemies. He hath dispersed, he hath given to the poor; his righteousness endureth for ever; his hom shall be exalted with honour. The wicked shall see it, and be grieved; he shall gnash with his teeth, and melt away; the desire of the wicked shall perish. Psalm 112:1-10

Thou art worth, O Lord, to re-Give unto the Lord, O ye ceive glory and honour and power: for thou hast created all things, and for thy pleasure they are and were created. Revelation

> The weather here in Allison, Texas on Tuesday morning is cloudy and humid, but praise God not much wind right now. May be later on. Allison hasn't received much rain the last few days, but this reporter asked the Lord to send the severe clouds around so therefore we didn't get any rain. But Allison don't need any large hail or any for that matter and tornado's and high damaging winds. I know no one needs them, but I pray that the Lord will lift the clouds or send them around into a pasture where it won't do much damage. Praise the Lord for his goodness and for answering prayers!! Everything is so beautiful out. Juanita's little garden is coming up and looking nice. Opal's flowers are just blooming so beautiful and our rose bush in the back yard is just blooming beautiful pink buds. Every once in awhile Juanita has to gather a bouquet for her mother, Opal.

The Allison Community was saddened to hear of the death of Neta Ault. She will be greatly missed. This Allison reporter will miss her when going over to the pecan orchard not far from Allison. I always enjoyed visiting with her when I saw her. She was a very sweet and precious woman. God bless the her family, we are praying for ya'll.

Curtis and Lillian Boydston visited her daughter and husband, Larry and Sharon Mikles in Oklahoma City, Oklahoma.

Saturday, Curtis and Lil's daughter in law, Nancy, her son Steve's wife had a birthday so Steve took his wife out to have a nice time and then went on to Ada, Oklahoma where Steve and Nancy Vaughn stayed the night and attended the United Pentecostal Church pastored by Bro. and Sis. Daniel Johnson.

Bret, Hayley, McKinley and Boone Begret were in Ottawa, Kansas Friday and Saturday attending the Heartland Limousin Assoiciation Regional Heifer, Steer and Bull Shows. Bret was there representing the North

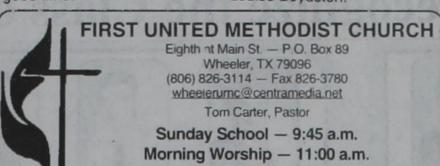
American Limousin Foundation. Diane Rose of Canyon, Texas

visited in the home of her mother, Alice Kelly over the weekend.

Pete Gilmer, Becky Gilmer, Jeanie Gilmer, Linda and Rodney Ingersoll and son Andrew journeyed to South Padre Island. Keith and Ann Boydston and daughters, Natalie and Jessica all met them there and they all enjoyed a ten day vacation. They had a great time shopping about 45 miles from there and Pete reported a great and wonderful time. They celebrated Father's Day early and also celebrated Natalie's birthday early. They lots of good food while there and just a good time.

Last Saturday, Peggy Chandler's son, Brad Chandler and his daughter, Jana Bartholomew and Jana's children, Janessa and newborn baby boy, Austin Bradley visited Peggy Chandler and let her be introduced to the new family member. Brad is a very proud grandpa of this grandson that has his name-

Tuesday evening, Curtis and Lillian Boydston, Bennie and Debbie Boydston, Heather Archer and daughter, Paisley, Opal and Juanita Boydston and Gary Boydston visited in the home of Louise Boydston.



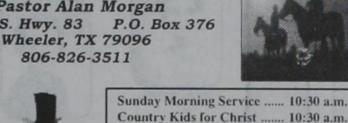
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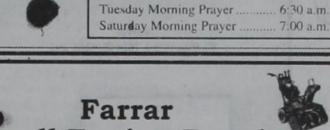
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PAGE 5 - Thursday, June 11, 2009 "Wheeler: town of friendship and pride."

Wednesday, Opal and Juanita Boydston and Curtis and Lillian Boydston met in the home of Glenn and Betty Boydston and enjoyed a delicious supper and then enjoyed a game of Spinners. Curtis won this time around.

Thursday, Curtis and Lillian Boydston came ato Opal Boydston's house and helped his mom, Opal Boydston do lots of yard work. They trimmed trees and shrubs and hauled a pickup load of limbs and trash off and just made the place look better and more beautiful.

Thursday evening, Opal and Juanita Boydston accompanied Curtis and Lillian Boydston to Shamrock, Texas and Wheeler, Texas to do some shopping and on business. Also they visited Billy June Brown in Parkview Hospital in Wheeler, Texas. She is doing better, but still needs our prayers. We are praying for you Aunt Billy!!

Friday, Curtis and Lillian Boydston came to Opal's and did more yard work for Opal.

Sunday night, Opal and daughter, Juanita Boydston were very lonely as not many kinfolk were in Allison at that time. So they played a game of Spinners and Juanita's mom won with only seven points. Way to go Mom!!

Hopefully Aunt Billy June Brown will get out of the hospital today on Tuesday.

For all of you wondering about Vance and Carol Boydston, we

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Founation, 5-29-09, NE/4 and E/ 2 E/2 NW/4 Sec. 55, Blk. 17, H&GN Ry. Company Survey. EXECUTORS DVL-Hyland Weaver, et al to Joshua L. Pinion, et ux, 6-3-09, 100.0' x 155.0' Blk.

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talk to them often and they are doing fine in Indiana. Close to the end of this month they plan to go to Florida to visit kin there for a 50th Anniversary of her kin. Then it won't be long till they will be coming back home. Opal and Juanita are so looking forward to that. We miss them greatly!!

May God Bless and Keep ya'll till next time!!

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Regular consumption of carbonated cola drinks may increase risk for low bone mineral density (BMD) in women. Well in America we love our colas. Wake up with them. Buy them by the gallon. Well it's just part of the way we live. But just to help you with what goes on when you drink a cola or two. Here are a few facts what too much cola's can do to your bones.

Osteoporosis affects 10 million Americans and an additional 34 million have low bone density and are at risk for the disease. Osteoporosis can lead to hip fractures, physical decline and is a major cause of nursing-home admissions among the elderly. The disorder is more prevalent in women. Women who drank more than three, 12ounce servings of cola per day had 2.3% to 5.1% lower bone mineral density in the hip compared with women who consumed less than one serving of cola per day.

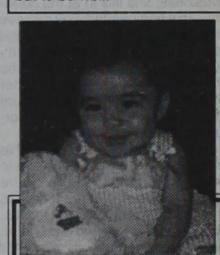
Similar results were seen with the diet and caffeine-free cola beverages but not with non-cola carbonated beverages. Studies have found that girls with BMD have more fractures than others, in part because drinking cola leaves less room for milk and other bonebuilding dairy products.

So each time you drink a cola, there's a small effect on the bones, but over the years there's a cumulative effect that results in lower bone density. It starts to show more in middle and old age.

Bones naturally become less dense and weaker with age and four times as many women as men today have ostepporosis, though it does affect both

The key to success is moderation. You don't have to live a life without cola.

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Alyssa Dawn Dansby is the 8-months-old daughter of Kevin and Cassandra Dansby, Tecumseh, OK. She has two brothers, Alex and Tristan, 13 and 12, respectively, and is the granddaughter of Craig and Karen Arnold, Choctaw, O.K.; Sandra Brayton, McLoud, OK.; Laura Spears, OKC, OK.; and Mike Dansby, OKC, OK. Greatgrandparents are Gene and Melba Arnold, Del City, OK.; Ella Chronister, McLoud, OK.; Luther and Margaret Dansby, OKC, OK.; and John and Velma McKinney, Moore, OK. Louis and Barbara Stas. Wheeler, TX., are maternal great-uncle and aunt.

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> Poker hands: \$15.00 - single \$20.00 - double 50/50 - Door Prizes - Auction Food will be served at the ending stop.

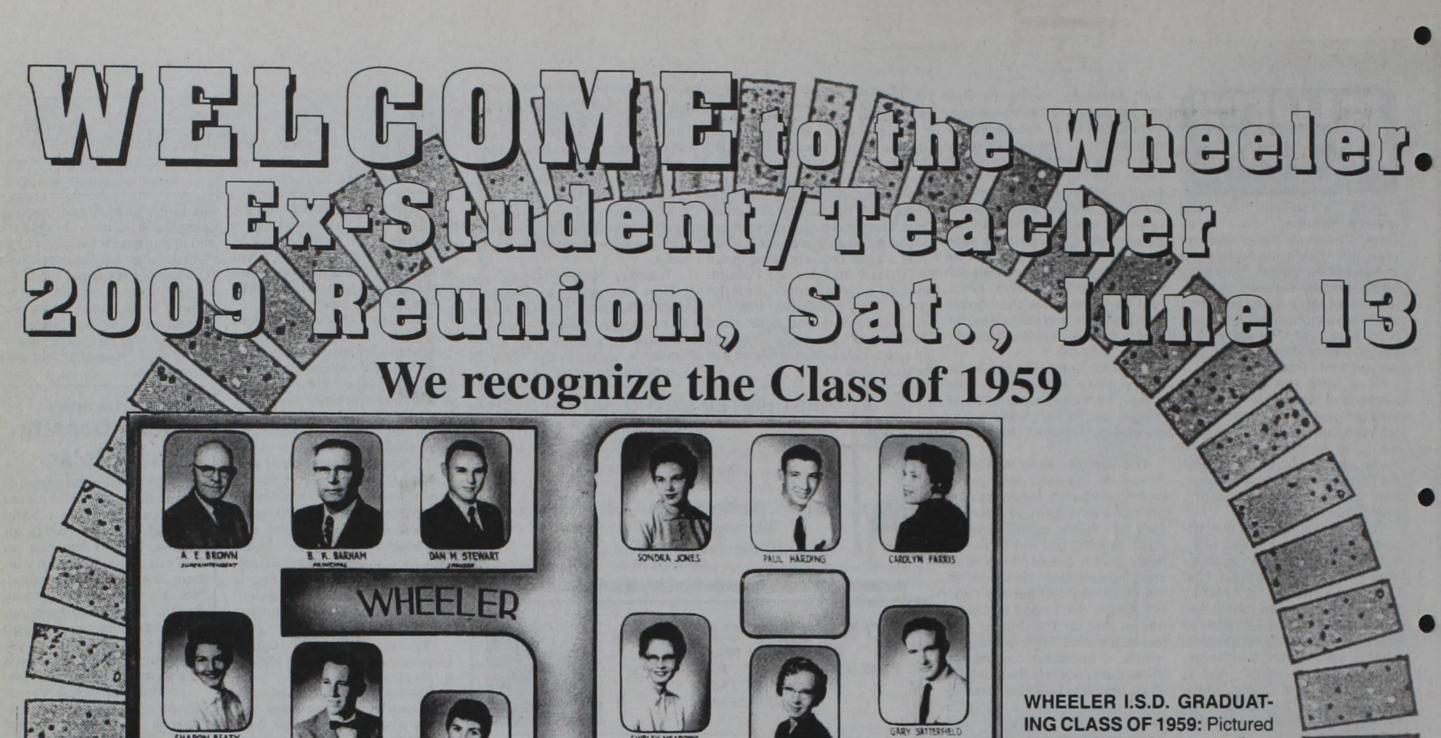
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are (top row, I. to r.) Superintendent A. E. Brown, Principal B. K. Barham, Dan M. Stewart, Sponsor; Class members are: Sondra Jones, Paul Harding, Carolyn Farris, (next row down) Sharon Beaty, Dean Sims, Tillie Green, Shirley Meadows, Annette Hutchison, Gary Satterfield, (third row down) Nelda Riley, (bottom row) Carol Caswell, Buck Rodgers, Betty Cooksey, Linda Burks Wall, Kenneth Childress and Amy

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with her husband in the catering business; she fills in at the courthouse when needed; you can see her waiting tables at Maxeys, and she is custodian at the Country Chapel. In addition to these, she has somehow found time in her busy life to donate untold hours to her community through leadership in the Girl Scouts.

"When she assumed leadership of the girl scouts in 2005, there were nine members. Over the years the scouts increased to 38 members and embraced Daisies, Brownies, Juniors and one Cadet.

She accepted even greater leadership and is currently serving as Service Unit manager for all of Wheeler County with responsibility over programs for 59 scouts. Local activities include numerous campouts, cookie sales, decorating and giving local businesses small Christmas trees, visiting the nursing home, having bake sales and last year sending over \$1,400.00 worth of donated Girl Scout cookies to our troops overseas. This year's total cookie sales will earn \$31,000. She has made a positive impact on these young girls, and it will stay with them throughout their lives.

Joyce Walker was called forward to accept her award. Man of the Year

"Wheeler's 2009 Man of the Year was born into a family of Wheeler County Pioneers," stated Charles Kuntz in making the presentation. He continued, "This farm family came to Wheeler in 1906 to find good land and good water. With hope and optimism they began to build their future on the Sweetwater Creek. Hope and optimism with an eye to the future describes Wheeler's Man of the Year. This man was born in 1940 during the hard times at the end of the Great Depression and the beginning of World War II. The early days of his life taught him lessons of sacrifice. He learned about taking care of your family

trouble. "Living in the country with his parents, little brother, uncles and grandmother, taught him the lessons of responsibility for yourself and others. He watched his parents work hard on the farm. He joined in at an early age, first watching his baby brother bundled up cuddled in the handpicked cotton on a trailer in the cold fall days, while the crop was

and neighbors and how important

a good neighbor is in times of

harvested. He was naturally a quiet, shy little boy with not much exposure to other people or children. School was at first an awe-inspiring experience. He quickly made friends with all those children in his class friendships have lasted a lifetime. Loyalty to your friends is another characteristic of this man. The Class of '58 celebrated 50 years since graduation last May in his home. He served as President of the Wheeler Ex-Student and Teacher Association in 1987.

After high school and two years of college, this man decided he needed to find employment and went to work for Phillips Petroleum as a truck driver. He quickly moved up through the ranks because of his work ethic, responsibility for others, and loyalty to the company. By this time he had also married and had three children under the age of 5. He finished his time with Phillips as Regional Transportation Superintendent in West Texas. After 15 years with Phillips, he retired and returned to Wheeler to help his parents with the farm and to be with them during their declining years.

He and his wife bought a business in 1980 and began to get involved in community activities. He served on the Committee for the 75th Celebration of Wheeler. He served Meals on Wheels by setting up and manning the booth until 10:00 p.m. at the Annual 4th of July Celebration for many years. He has served on the Wheeler City Council for 13 years. He has served on the Board of Directors of First State Bank of Mobeetie for 14 years. He also served on the Board of Directors of the Old Mobeetie Texas Association, where he volunteered for 14 years. He also volunteers his time to the Wheeler Cemetery Association, when special projects come along that his talents can be put to use.

"Jimmy most often serves quietly behind the scenes, seeing that a need is met. He has recently been involved in providing new, modern housing to Wheeler residents. He also was a partner in a venture to rehabilitate a dilapidated building on the town square and turn it into a viable business and an attraction for the community. His most current interest is in turning the wind into electricity for homes and communities. He leads by example and investing his time and talents in his beliefs.

"Not caring much about material things, his treasures are his family. His children, Melissa, Chip and Sonya, are his gold and proudest accomplishments. His eight beloved grandchildren are his investments in the future.

"Wheeler's Man of the Year is a man of responsibility, loyalty, hope and optimism—Jimmy Hill." Farmer/Rancher of the Year

Dr. Ben Ed Hillhouse was selected to present the chamber's Farmer/Rancher award for 2009. In making the presentation, Dr. Hillhouse stated, "The recipient of

in our community for many reasons. He has been involved in numerous community organizations, owned a successful business, and raised his family here in Wheeler. He has served on the Board of the Wheeler Chamber of Commerce, the City council, the Wheeler County Appraisal/Review Board, the school board, as well as serving on the Board of Directors of the First National Bank of Wheeler. He has also served as president of the Wheeler County Farm Bureau Directors, where he is currently serving as the Vice President. He is a member of the First United Methodist church, where he cur-

Trustees. "This farmer/rancher has been a custom combiner for most of his life, starting out with his Dad when he was just a kid. When he got married, he branched out on his own and bought one combine for \$5,000. A couple of years later, he bought another one for \$8,000. As his business grew, he was able

rently serves on the Board of

to upgrade over the years. In 1968, he bought a place west of the cemetery and has been a farmer/rancher every since. Today he owns and operates approximately 3,000 acres of land. In the past, he raised wheat and Milo, along with cattle. Last year he finally decided to retire from the combining part of his business. And today has turned everything to grass and hay for a cow/calf operation, with mostly Brangus cows and Angus bulls, some mixed and occasionally feeder calves. He also retired from Lee Hardware and Furniture after 38 years in business, when he sold

"Our recipient of the Farmer/ Rancher of the Year award was born right here in Wheeler and has lived here for all of his life. He married his wife, Nancy, in 1958 and is the father of two daughters, Myranda and Kristi. He is also the grandfather of three, Bradan, and wife, who truly fill these crite-Brady and Audrey.

of the Year goes to Cecil Pierce." when Hyland and Betty Weaver Employee of the Year

Susan Leffew had the honor of presenting her mother, Bonnie Davidson, the Wheeler Chamber of Commerce Employee of the Years Award. Before presenting the plaque, Mrs. Leffew stated:

"Our employee of the year is a 1964 graduate from Samnorwood High School. After graduation, she married Charles Davidson and had three daughters, Melinda Stiles, Susan Leffew, and Julie Davidson. "While raising us girls, she struggled to finish her LVN degree through Clarendon College. Going to class 5 days a week from 8-5, she never missed rock or Wheeler. He decided on one of our ball games, track Wheeler because he could buy it meets, U.I.L. events, or stock and be sole owner. Frank Wofford

the school bus with her books and book light and study before the game, at half time and have her flash cards for the ride home. Today her tradition carries on with her grandchildren, cheering them on in whatever they do.

She managed to complete her degree and start her career as a nurse at the Wheeler Care Center. The Director of Nurses at that time said she 'had never had an employee that she could depend on more'. At the Care Center she developed the greatest capacity to love and care for the elderly in

"She enjoys chatting with the old timers about calving heifers, planting crops, and listening to their wisdom. Not only is she a nurse, but also for the past year has kept the farming and cattle operation going as strong as the previous 35 years. Her favorite hobby is calving out heifers.

"She has been employed with Parkview Hospital Home health for eight years. She goes far beyond the call of duty for her patients. When is more than happy to go through a box of quilts, reminisce about the good ole days, or talk about cattle with her patients. Many of our patients request only her. After work and on weekends, she puts forth the extra effort to check on her patients and their families, either with a phone call or a surprise visit.

"She is certainly an ambassador for our older people and very deserving to be called 'Employee of the Year."

**Pioneer Spirit Award** 

Paula Britt came forward Saturday evening, June 6, 2009, to present the chamber's Pioneer Spirit Award. She commented:

"The Pioneer Spirit Award is presented each year to long time residents of Wheeler County, who have contributed to the betterment of their community over many years.

"We honor tonight a husband

"The award of Farmer/Rancher" "I will start this story in 1957, met and fell in love. Hyland was finishing Pharmacy School and Betty was working on a degree in education. When Hyland finished school, he served a stint in the army. The romance deepened until finally Hyland got a weekend leave and came back to Oklahoma and married his sweetheart.

> "When Hyland was discharged, they moved to Amarillo, where Hyland worked; Betty finished her education at W.T. and Tommy was

"All this time, Hyland has been looking for a pharmacy to buy. He had narrowed it down to Sham-



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sold it to them in '61".

'You may remember in '61, we had no doctors or hospital of any kind. A group of concerned citizens avidly pursued the establishment of a hospital district, the construction of a hospital and the recruitment of doctors. The hospital opened in 1964. Hyland Weaver played an important role in this accomplishment. The fact that there was already an established pharmacy was key to this success of this venture.

"Soon after moving to Wheeler, the Weavers built a lovely home on Main Street, Tracy was born and Betty began teaching in grade school. After 5 or 6 years Betty quit teaching to become the bookkeeping for the pharmacy. This remained the status quo till the store was sold to Tommy and

Sharla in '88. "Hyland hired high school students to work in the store on Saturdays; after school and in the summer. One of these kids evidently had sticky fingers, for Hyland, some years later received an anonymous letter with the cash and a note saying that Hyland was just too good to them to steal from. To this day on one knows who the

culprit was. "About five years ago, Sharla's sister, Beth, was in a doctor's waiting room in Oklahoma City, and was visiting with a young man, who mentioned he was a pharmacist. She replied that her brother-in-law was a pharmacist in Wheeler. The young man replied, 'Yes, that would be Hyland Weaver. It was because of him that I chose my profession. He was so good to my folks when they were ill. I am Jay Kinnard, Phyllis's son."

"We do not have time to tell of the prescriptions filled after closing time, the drug bills carried for months and years, the sacks of peanuts given to hungry kids and

the story goes on. "This award was decided on before Betty's untimely death and that is sad because Betty loved the town of Wheeler and the

"Wheeler: town of friendship and pride. people in it. 'It gives me great pleasure to

> rock solid citizens. "Hyland, dear friend, would you come forward and accept the Pioneer Spirit award for both you and

honor both Betty and Hyland

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# 2009 Ja'Nae Goad **Golf Scholarships**

Receiving the Ja'Nae Goad Memorial Golf Scholarship for 2009 were Megan Horn, Stormi Lancaster and Jennifer Maddox from Fort Elliott, Clay Greenwalt, Tamra Jernigan, Briana Stewart and Cade Vinyard from Shamrock, and Michael Mendoza, Jared Messer, Nicole Moore, and

Stefan Tucker from Wheeler. These scholarships are made possible from proceeds of the annual golf tournament held in Ja'Nae's memory. Criteria for receiving this award include playing on a Wheeler County High School golf team or participating in multiple sports and good citizenship.

This year a few scholarships will be available to those students who have received this award in the past. To apply please send proof of enrollment, proof of at least a 2.5 grade point average and a brief summary of your college experience to Bobby Jennings PO Box 423 Wheeler, TX 79096.

# Co. 4-H'ers Set **Swimming Party**

The Wheeler County 4-H will have a swimming party on June 11th at 6 - 8 PM at the Wheeler Swimming Pool. There will also be a training for Record Books. Prizes for those that attend. Bring your family and enjoy the fun.

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# **Court Approves Application For Local Option Liquor Election**

The Wheeler County Commissioners' Court convened on Monday morning at 10:00 A.M. in the commissioners courtroom of the Wheeler County courthouse to act upon the twelve items on the

The court approved the minutes of the May meetings.

The monthly reports of the Justices of the Peace, County Clerk and District Clerk were accepted.

The commissioners voted to approve the hourly payroll time

(from Page 2) addition to our community and the Mobeetie Methodist Church.

After Bob's appointment, we went to Dumas to see how Mom was doing with getting settled back in. We took supper from the United deli and enjoyed that and a visit. With the information from the nurses and a call from my sister to schedule an appointment, the heart clinic called back and wanted mom there by 11:45, which we could do.

After returning home with a peace offering of ribs and fried chicken and the fix'ns for Ralph, the decision was made for Michael and me to take Granny back to the Dr. Michael went at Granny's request. Worked out well as I got my appointment moved up from Thurs, and we 'killed two birds' with one stop. Michael even took advantage of the time to go to Barnes and Noble and was thrilled to find the other two books to compete his

# **Continuing Ed. Scholarships**

Due to the success of the 2009 Ja'Nae Goad Memorial Golf Tournament, past recipients have opportunity to apply for a continuing education scholarship

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· please include a brief biography of how things are going for

· proof of enrollment for the

2009 fall semester · an address to remit payment If you are chosen, the award will be sent directly to your university to be credited to your account. Please submit this information by June 15, 2009 to Bobby Jennings, PO Box 423, Wheeler, TX 79096.

# **Walk Across Tex.** Six Week Report

The Wheeler County Walk Across Texas teams have been walking for six weeks now. Dr. Smith and the Tooth Fairies are in 1st Place with a total of 1929.20

The Kelton Jay Walkers are in 2nd place with a total of 1229.0

The County Cruisers are in 3rd place with a total of 766.50 miles. Dori's Dolls are in 4th place with a total of 635.60 miles.

The Sweat Hogs are in 5th place with a total of 621 miles up to week seven.

The Rhinestone Cowgirls are in 6th place with a total of miles.

The Dust Busters are in 7th place with a total of 561.65 miles. Mel's Walkie Talkies are in 8th place with a total of 208 miles.

The total miles walked and reported through week seven are This week is the final week of the 2009 Wheeler County Walk Across Texas.

The Walk Across Texas Party will be held on June 16th at 6 PM in the Church of Christ Activity

This year there will be two \$50 gift cards given away and various

other prizes. Thanks to our sponsors for this years Walk Across Texas pro-

gram: Gold Sponsors: First State Bank of Mobeetie, Dr. Mike Smith,

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# **Allison Methodist Plan Bible School**

Hop on board the Boomerang Express as the Allison United Methodist Church takes kids on a train ride across the Land Down Under! As participants wind their way through Australia, they'll discover the vastness of God's love, and they'll learn that no matter where they go or what they do in life - it all comes back to Jesus.

Join us for Vacation Bible School at the Allison United Methodist Church June 29, 30, and July 1, 2009 from 5:30pm to 8:30pm. Ages include three year olds through the sixth grade. Supper will be provided. Bible lessons, music, crafts, recreation, food, and fun will be waiting for each child attending.

Sunday Nite Live **KPDR-FM**, 90.5 Live from Canadian 9:00 p.m. to 10:00 p.m.

sheets for payment as presented. No action was taken on the burn ban. The ban is not in effect.

Action on the budget taken at the meeting was the moving of monies by the commissioners from one of their accounts to another of their accounts to take care of business.

Shawn S. Scholl and Joshua S. McAfee presented the court with an application to open a neighborhood road to allow them access to 90 acres of property they own

series. Mom made the trip quite well. We got her set back up at the house and left her to rest.

Wed., Michael went to Kingfisher, OK., to pick up his sister, Brianna, getting back home in time for supper. Thursday, he went job hunting. They also took advantage of the band carnival in Pampa and spent some time with cousin, Harley, and a family friend, Dakota Davis. They got home early. Really a good thing as one of Michael's best friends, Catherine, was on her way from Dallas to see him. Crazy girl drove up here just to spend a few hours visiting and a few hours napping and she was back on the road home by 9:30 A.M. We are thankful the Lord was watching over her. This was her first major road trip by herself; quite an experi-

So glad to hear that our dear friend, Mary Margaret Dodd, is feeling better. She thoroughly enjoyed her trip to Ohio with daughter, Diane Cody and husband, Jack, to attend the high school graduation of great-grandson, Graham Neider. He is the son of Sheree and Gary Neider and the grandson of Jacque and John of Lubbock. They all had a wonderful visit. Jack and Diane are great traveling companions and hosts. They could spot a good antique shop a mile away. It was so much fun. They didn't have to hurry and just enjoyed every minute.

It's nice to hear that Leola Stuart hasn't had any of those nasty barn swallows returning and messing up the south side of the house. She still has a few on the north side, but, doesn't want to bother them just yet until she is sure that they won't come back to the south side. They have really been a problem this year. She shot wasp spray on their nests and then broke them down and shot some more up there. So far it seems to have done the trick.

Peggy Dunn has been staying busy in Lawton. She makes sure that all the flowerbeds get watered and all the patio flowers and vegetable garden get their fair share. Really keeps her hopping, as Tanya loves flowers. Ronnie and Tanya are doing so much landscaping; it doesn't even look like the same place anymore. It's really beautiful around their place.

Bo and Cathy Dunn's daughter and son-in-law got to visit with Nanny, Aunt Tanya and Uncle Ronnie one evening and spent the night with them before going on to spend the holiday weekend with friends. Mattie and Scott and their three children reported having a great visit at Lawton. They don't get to sneak off and do that very often. It made that time with Nanny and the family very spe-

Sunday, June 7, the congregation of the First United Methodist Church of Mobeetie had a delicious fellowship dinner following the Sunday morning service. It was a farewell dinner for Dr. Lewis and Rita Ann Holland of Miami. We hate to say good-bye, but knew this was only temporary. They just had us spoiled. Enjoy your return to retirement. We are excited to welcome Wesley and Anna Holland who have been appointed as our pastor for the upcoming year. They are a welcome

addition to our church family. Donnie and Ronella Medley and Katelin and Tanner are in the process of moving to the Midland -Odessa area from Pampa Donnie's new job is there, so they want to get moved and settled in before school starts back. The kids will have a chance to make new friends and Donnie can check out the schools. Hope they

enjoy their new home. Please keep our friends and neighbors in your prayers: Don and Mary Edwards, Bill and Shirley Dyson, Doug and Pat Corse, Mary Margaret Dodd, Mary Whitener, Louise Hogan, Maurita Stribling, Bernice Hefley, Joe Hathaway, Shelton May and family, Mabel Tabor, Leola Stuart, Carol Orthman, Lou Dean Douthit, Debbie Kinnamon, Carolyn Sabbe, David Britt, Peggy Frazier, Fred and Jackie Thrasher, Kourtney Mayfield, Susie Seitz, Audrey Seitz, Charlene Rainey, Leola Farris, Dick and Ann Graham, John McGinty, Louise Shorter, Kenneth and Vera Walker, Shannon Pool, Charlotte Brown, Dale and Melba Corcoran, John Paul Harris and family, Andrea Auldridge and family, Jamie Brogdin and family, Michael McLaughlin and family, Tom Frye, lona May, Julia Buckingham, Lonnie Hendrix, Danny Hendrix, Annie Ruth Lee, John Ulrey and family, Ralph Mayfield and the families and friends of Dixie Leppert, Edna Darden, Jim

Bussard, Bill Miller and Wayne Have a great week!!

in southeast Wheeler county. The Buckingham family, represented by Keith Davis of Wellington, renewed their objections to the road, and presented a Texas Attorney General opinion, stating that county commissioners could not take private property to open a neighborhood road.

The commissioners voted to allow Scholl and McAfee access to their property. Following the vote, Davis presented them a "Notice Not to Enter". The notice

Notice Not To Enter

Notice is hereby given that no Wheeler County official, employee, contractor or any person appointed by the County may enter any real property owned by Billy Buckingham, Carolyn Buckingham, Brett Buckingham or Tara Buckingham for the purpose of facilitation of the building of a neighborhood road.

Notice is also give to Shawn S. Scholl and Joshua S. McAfee that you may not enter upon any real property owned by Billy Buckingham, Buckingham, Brett Buckingham or Tara Buckingham for any purpose.

Signed June 5, 2009. Weight limit signs will be placed

on County Road "J". The weight limit will be 20,000 lbs. This limit pertains to the road north from Hwy 83 on County Road "J" to County Road 18.

Greg Garrison petitioned the court for the approval of the application for a Local Option Liquor Election for the City of Shamrock. The necessary paperwork was complete, which required commissioners to approve the application. If 214 signatures of registered voters in the city of Shamrock are collected, a special election will then be called. The election would be in November.

Eagle Rock Oil and Gas Company requested County road "S"1/ 2 mile east off FM 1443 as a Class A County Road. The road has never been closed, maintainence was discontinued due to lack of use. It was decided to start maintaining the road.

Hubert Moore, Commissioner, Pct. 3, requested the court's permission to purchase a new fourwheel drive front end loader. The request was approved.

The court voted to renew the Wheeler county retirement plan.

## **Wheeler County** Jail Report

06-01-09 Lucero, David Michael 18 w/m

Wheeler TX 05-11-09 to 05-18-09—Burglary of building \$7500 bond Meadows James, David Alan 49 w/m Ar-

kansas 05-11-09-Felony probation violation bond denied Emmert Coomer, Terry Cristin 35 w/m Wheeler TX 05-14-09 to 05-15-09-Public intox \$200 bond Meadows-Fai to comply strikes unattended vehicle \$500 bond

fines and released Kirkland, Cindy Lou 26 w/f Shamrock TX 05-16-09 to 05-18-09—Assault family violence

Meadows—Traffic citations - Paid

\$1500 bond Meadows Saldana, Ruben Lopez 21 w/m Happy TX 05-16-09-Dwi 1st w/ open container \$1500 bond

Godfrey, Joseph Lee 21 w/m Wheeler TX 05-18-09 to 05-19-09-Hunt from road \$1500 bond

Haley, Adam Thomas 25 w/m Wheeler TX 05-18-09 to 05-19-09-Hunt from road \$1500 bond

Sellers, Scott Eugene 42 w/m Lubbock TX 05-18-09 to 05-19-09-Dwi 2<sup>nd</sup> \$2000 bond Mead-

Okoh, Barbara Ross 48 b/f Borger TX 05-19-09 to 05-19-09-Theft by check - pled out in

county court and released Martin, Michael Lee 21 w/m Shamrock TX 05-20-09 to 05-22-09-JP Commitment - laid out time in full and released

Kuepker, Michael Shane 34 w/ m Oklahoma 05-24-09 to 06-02-09-Fugitive from Oklahomareleased to Oklahoma authorities

Hoxit, Taysha Denea 28 w/f Shamrock TX 05-25-09 to 05-26-09-Assault family violence \$1500 bond Meadows

Bush, Michael Eugene 43 w/m Oklahoma 05-26-09 to 05-29-09-Fugitive from Oklahoma - released to Oklahoma authorities Bergman, Christine Ann 45 w/f

Oklahoma 05-28-09 to 05-31-09—Fugitive form Oklahoma – released to Oklahoma authorities Thomas, Chockey Joseph 21

w/m Shamrock TX 05-30-09 to

05-30-09-Assault family violence \$2000 bond Meadows Herr, Thomas John 47 w/m Arizona 05-30-09 to 06-01-09—Poss

marijuana < 5lbs \$5000 Meadows Morgan, James Franklin 23 b/ m Shamrock TX 05-30-09—Theft over \$500 < \$1500 \$2000 bond

Meadows Thomas, Troy Justin 23 Kansas 06-04-09-Fugitive from Maryland-held for extradition to Maryland

Terry, Tyrel Owen 23 w/m Happy TX 05-31-09 to 06-01-09-Gray co wrnt \$1000 bond Mead-

Current Jail Inmates: Jones, James; Harrison, Tyrone; James, David; Hill, Trent; Kuepker, Michael; Herr, Thomas; Terry,

WHEELER, TEXAS

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REL. UCC DT-Wildcat Cement Co. Inc. to JRob Inc., -See Instrument.

RDT-JPMorgan Chase Bank to Cimarex Energy Co., 4-13-09, See Instrument. ASSIGN. B. of SALE-Peter David

Solomon to Michael K. Solomon, 4-27-09, Sec. 35, Blk. A-8, H&GN Ry. Company Survey. ASSIGN. B. of SALE-Peter David Solomon to Patricia D. Solomon,

4-27-09, Sec. 35, Blk. A-8, H&GN Ry. Company Survey. MD-Norma Cope to Ray Chubb, et ux, 5-18-09, W/2 Sec. 38, Blk.

17, H&GN Ry. Company Survey. WELL-BORE ASSIGN.-Sting Exploration Company to Sanguine Gas Exploration LLC, 5-26-09, Sec. 59, Blk. A-7, H&GN Ry. Company Survey. HEIRSHIP AFF.-Rocky Keno

09, E/2 Sec. 48, Blk. A-5, H&GN Ry. Company Survey. HEIRSHIP AFF.-Kathy A. Sayles to Beatrice Sparks, 5-28-09, E/2 Sec. 48, Blk. A-5, H&GN Ry.

Sparks to Beatrice Sparks, 5-28-

Company Survey. WELL-BORE ASSIGN.-Weiss Trust to Linn Energy Holdings LLC, 5-7-09, Sec. 32, Blk. A-3, H&GN Ry. Company Survey. MML-William Don Snelgrooes to

Karston Home Center, 5-27-09, 1 ac. N/2 NW/4 SW/4; 20' ROW Sec. 10, Blk. A-4, H&GN Ry. Company Survey. TMML-Karston Home Center to

MCE Investment Ltd., 5-27-09, 1

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MCE Investments Ltd., 5-27-09, 5-31-09, 1 ac. SE Corner NE/4 Ry. Company Survey.

Time and progress are the com-

mon enemies threatening historic

cemeteries in Texas. Neglect,

vandalism and theft are affecting

cemeteries throughout the state,

but the dangers are especially ap-

parent in the West Texas region.

To combat this deterioration the

Texas Historical Commission

(THC) established the West Texas

Cemetery Preservation Initiative

to engage and train individuals

and organizations in 70 counties

in the West Texas and Panhandle

regions that did not previously

contain designated Historic Texas

THC's two cemetery preservation

efforts, the Historic Texas Cem-

etery (HTC) designation and the

ported through grants from the

Dodge Jones Foundation, the

Permian Basin Area Foundation

and former THC Commissioners

Clifton and wife, Shirley Caldwell,

of Albany, the initiative has been

effective in developing education,

surveys, documentation, training

workshops and ongoing technical

assistance that is provided free of

charge to participants. One year

ago, only 173 counties had HTC

designations and 70 counties in

West Texas had none. Thanks to

the generous sponsors of this pro-

RIP Guardian program

The initiative utilizes the

Cemeteries.

**Texas Historical Commission Is** 

**Committed To Saving Cemeteries** 

PAGE 7 — Thursday, June 11, 2009 "Wheeler: town of friendship and pride."



EIGHTIETH: Mary Hovey was honored on her 80th birthday Saturday, June 6, 2009, by her family. "The great-grandkids kind of let it slip that there was going to be a party, but 'mom' didn't know who was going to be there." When Beth & Cindy told her to "dress up", she thought she'd be funny and dress like a bag lady. It was hilarious. What was even more hilarious is that none of her kids were all that surprised," writes Terry Hovey in the news release. Mrs. Hovey is shown here with her daughter-in-law, Beth Hovey. In the background to the left is her sister, Vivian, from Washington.

Sec. 10, Blk. A-4, H&GN Ry. Survey. Company Survey.

W. Adams, 5-31-09, 1 ac. SE Corner NE/4 NE/4 Sec. 4, T&NO 4, T&NO Ry. Company Survey. Ry. Company Survey.

HEIRSHIP

support from the Dodge Jones

Foundation, Permian Basin Area

Foundation and Clifton and

Shirley Caldwell," said THC Ex-

ecutive Director Larry Oaks.

"These benefactors are passion-

ate preservationists dedicated to

saving the real places of Texas

the initiative, 50 counties have

been targeted to become self-suf-

ficient stewards of Texas' rich his-

toric legacy. These counties will

utilize the RIP Guardian program

to recruit and train volunteers to

identify, document, protect and

preserve the historic cemeteries

in their local communities. The

goal of the West Texas Cemetery

these counties develop

ignation process.

reservation Initiative is to help

a replicable model to heighten

public awareness, engage more

volunteers in preservation efforts

and provide training and re-

sources. These initial steps have

resulted in THC staff visits to each

county participating in the initia-

tive and work towards completing

the Historic Texas Cemetery des-

are diverse in geography, cultural

associations and even in their lo-

cations," said THC Cemetery

Preservation Coordinator Gerron

Hite. "We have worked closely

with county historical commis-

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and inform these communities

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# **Hospital Notes**

Assisted Living:

Tom Frye Iona May Julia Buckingham Mae Helton Annie Ruth Lee Mary Whitener

Admissions 6/5

Billy J. Brown Cooper Foreman **Dustin Puryear** 

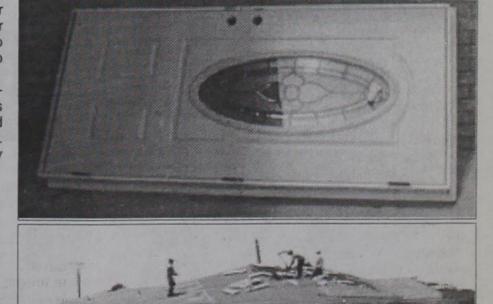
about the benefits of the Historic Texas Cemetery designation.'

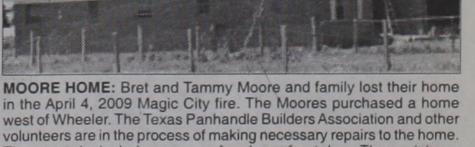
Since the beginning of the Historic Texas Cemetery Program in 1998, more than 1,200 historic cemeteries in 220 counties have been officially designated. In 2006 Preservation Texas named historic cemeteries to its list of Most Endangered Historic Places and the THC estimates there are as many as 50,000 cemeteries throughout the state, many of which could be eligible for historic designation. Although the West Texas Cemetery Preservation Initiative has provided counties with valuable tools, only a handful of cemeteries have been identified and protected in this vast region. Area counties are urged to follow the example of their neighbors in El Paso and Webb counties and seek Historic Texas Cemetery designations.

The Historic Texas Cemetery designation and RIP Guardian program are part of a broad cemetery preservation program offered by the THC. The goal of these programs is to address the

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These repairs include a new roof and new front door. These pictures were taken Saturday, June 6, 2009. The Moore's doublewide was located southwest of Wheeler; it was totally destroyed while Brett was helping fight the fire.

#### gram, there are now 220 counties with HTCs, and most of the new designations are in West Texas. **County 4-H Day**

**Camp Is June 25** 4-H Day Camp set for Tuesday, June 23 and Thursday, June 25. Summer fun activities for kids of all ages. Space is limited to 12 kids a day so call 806-826-5243 to reserve a seat for your kid and to find out the secret place where the activities will be held. Supplies required for each kid are a milk jug, white t-shirt, and two bandanas.

Carr (from Page 1)

terials, time and labor from numerous volunteers, the Carr family was given the keys to a new \$85,000 home, which had been constructed in just seven days. The building and completion was under the direction of the builders' association.

Following the pattern of the popular TV show, "Extreme Makeover-Home Edition", the Carrs were sent on all expense paid week long vacation in San Antonio, while the home was built.

On Saturday, June 6, two months and two days after their home was destroyed, the Carr family was brought back to Wheeler and given the keys to their new home.

The Carrs were selected because they were the only ones who owned their property and didn't have another place to move. Five other homes destroyed by the fire were uninsured.

Texas Panhandle Builders' Association also gave \$5,000 to Wheeler's fund to help the fire victims; the association plans to also help these families in other ways. KVII-TV filmed the construction

and gift of the home with a 30minute boardcast scheduled for Sunday, June 21, at 10:30 P.M.

**CARD OF THANKS** The family of Alvern Hutchison

wishes to thank everyone for their expressions of love during her illness and the thoughtfulness extended to the family at her deat. We want to expecially thank all her caregivers at parkview Assisted living during her time there. God bless each of you.

Annette Jones & Family Johnny Hutchison & Family Chat

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this cause. You are appreciated. - cwe -

make a donation, the money will you enjoy many more years tobe well spent. New equipment gether. could always be added. - cwe -

addition to Wheeler. All the paper- awards were very deserving. work is not complete for the actual open date to be set, but it is not long off.

The SchoolHouse is named after the late Ora B. Stiles. This new facility would have made her proud.

— cwe —

Continuing with the activities for the week, Larry and Bobby Jennings celebrated their 50th wedding anniversary on Saturday. Congratulations! Our oldest chil-

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Hunts

**Hunt's** 

dren graduated together, Rhonda and Jennifer were good friends, Bobby and Barbara worked together at one time, and we have And if you have a desire to played a few card games. May

We finally got to hand out most The Ora Belinda SchoolHouse of the chamber awards Saturday held their open house on Thurs- evening. It was a fantastic meal day also. This is a much needed and each of the recipients of the

> - cwe -It is very educational to learn what some of these people have done. How often they remain in the background, while 'seeing to it' that something is done.

> - cwe -Congratulations, to each of the recipients and once again, they were well deserved.

- cwe -Barbara returned Sunday afternoon after spending a week in OKC, helping Jennifer with Seth.

He had a fever and was unable to go to daycare. Seth was 'quite a hand full'. He would be out the doggie door before she could get to him; he would be followed immediately by Stitch and KeiKei. (I'm sure they felt they need to protect him.)

And, Seth loves to play in the dog's water. He would look at Baba and grin his innocent grin while moving sideways or backwards to the dogs' dishes.

- cwe -And this is a child that is sick. - cwe -

What do we have to look forward to when it is time for the 'Terrible 2's'?

I was a little early in extending Happy Birthdays to Melba and Patricia. I looked at the calendar wrong. Happy Birthday, June 13. - cwe -

It is time now to extend birth-

day wishes to Ronal Jr. His birthday is Tuesday, June 16. He will be surprised I remembered—and I was not reminded by anyone. Happy Birthday, Ronal!

- cwe -See you at the school reunion this Saturday!

Cards were played Monday evening. Only two games were played, but Barbara and I won both. Rhonda and Leroy were our opponents

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problem of cemetery destruction and to record as many historic Texas cemeteries as possible. For more information or to submit an application, contact the THC's History Programs Division at 512.463.5853 or www.thc.state.tx.us.



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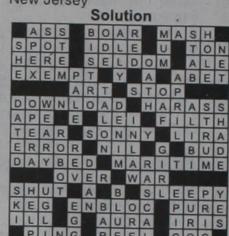
# **Audtions Set For Wedding Singer**

Auditions for'The Wedding Singer are set for Thursday, June 11 and Friday, June 12, 2009 at 7:00 pm, located at the Holiday Inn. Show dates are August 3 -9, 2009. Director, lan Strimple. Enid native, currently working in New York, is excited to bring this

pop culture musical to life. The Wedding Singer, called "One Big Party! A good-natured, high-energy musical" by Newsday, is based upon the 1998 hit film that starred Adam Sandler and Drew Barrymore. It's

the"80's, you know, junk bonds, MTV,"Dynasty," Duran Duran, leg warmers. It's 1985, and Robbie Hart, a rock-star wannabe, lives in his grandmother's basement in New Jersey

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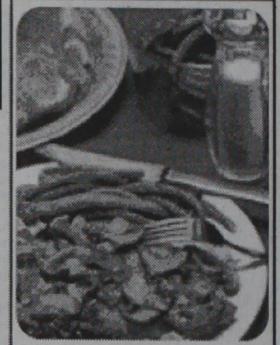
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