

CHRISTMAS OPEN HOUSE WINNERS ARE NAMED

The Wheeler Chamber of Commerce and local merchants sponsored a live broadcast from KECO Radio in

Elk City on Sunday afternoon and Monday evening. During this time Wheeler County trivia questions were asked and listeners had a period of time to answer the questions and claim

their prize. The following is a list of the door

Alzheimer Seminar

An Alzheimer Seminar will be conducted by Linda SanMiguel of Texas Tech Health Science Center at Wheeler Care Center, December 7th, 1995 at 6:00 P.M. to 8:00 P.M. Everyone is invited to

prizes and winners for the Chamber's Christmas Open House:

After Hours Video: \$25 Gift Certificate—Tina & Clayton Hawley; Antique Cupboard: \$25 Gift Certificate—Frankie Fletcher, Christmas Candles—Brenda McWhorter and Charlotte Harris; Appearances: \$25 Gift Certificate—Wanda Herd, \$40 Gift Certificate—Brenda McWhorter; Dairy Queen: \$25 Gift Certificate—Daniel Blocker; Hyland's Pharmacy: \$25 Gift Certificate—Mary Britt, Men's Lorus Watch—Joe Ausin, Ladies' Lorus Watch—Teresa Soto; Lee Hardware & Furniture: \$25 Gift Certificate—Dell Ford, Porcelain House & Grip Light—Betty Howard; 10 Piece SAE Wrench Set—Dorothy Ellis, 10 Piece Screw Driver Set—Cheryl DuPont, Christmas Cassette Tape—Opal Hefley, Christmas Candle—Myrtle Verden, Grip Light—Larry Finsterwald; Bob's Tackle Box: \$25 Gift Certificate—Delbert Thomas, Tackle Box—Gina Seitz; Marshall Discount Auto: \$25 Gift Certificate—Marty Rose, Wix 1951 Ford PU Bank—Rita Pearson; Sparlin's Restaurant: \$25 Gift Certificate—Jerry Donaldson, 2 Steak Diners—Brenda McWhorter and Tracey Jones, Speedi Mart: \$25 Gift Certificate—Kenneth Nelson; The General Store: \$25 Gift Certificate—Steve Hampton, 50# Dog Food—Bridgett Chandler and Daryl Sneelgroes; The Upper Room: \$25 Gift Certificate—Dayla Johnson, Christmas Mug—Benjamin Howard; V. & S. Variety: \$25 Gift Certificate—David Bradstreet, Christmas Centerpiece—Maruice Kuehler, Silk Poinsettia—Kim Goad and Joy Meadows, Mickey Mouse Yachtzee—Jandie Taylor, Balderdash Game—Hillary Mitchell; Wheeler Flower & Gift Shop: \$25 Gift Certificate—Cathy Thomas, Christmas Arrangement—Brad Masters, Andrea Sims and Cassi Brown.

Warm-Up Stock Show

There will be a Wheeler County Warm-up Stock Show Saturday. Steers and Heifers Show at 1:00 Sunday. For more information, call Don King.

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"Wheeler, town of friendship and pride."

'CASH' DRAWINGS TO BEGIN SAT.

Local Merchants to Give Away \$1500 in 'Cash' In 4 Drawings

The annual Christmas Drawing will again be offered by the progressive merchants of Wheeler. Certificates will be given away during December totaling \$1500. The merchants of Wheeler feel this is one way they can thank you, their customers for the support you have given them during the year and are giving you a chance to share the profits.

Merchants will begin giving tickets on Friday, November 24. You are eligible for a ticket each time you enter a sponsoring business; with each additional ticket—up to 500 tickets per purchase.

Four drawings will be held. Each of the drawings will be held on Saturday, December 2, 9, 16 & 23. The fourth and final drawing is usually held on Christmas eve, but this year Christmas eve is on Sunday. The drawings will begin at 2:30 p.m. again this year. Some 58 lucky Wheeler shoppers will have Wheeler cash to spend again this year. The drawings will be in the amounts of \$300 on the first Saturday, \$400 on the second and third Saturday and \$400 on December 23.

As has been the practice for the past several years, script is given away to the lucky individuals instead of cash. The script can be spent like money with any of the participating merchants. The 'money' will be in \$5 increments.

Remember, each time you enter participating stores, you are entitled to a ticket; ask for it, sign it, deposit the ticket in the containers, which are conveniently located in the sponsoring firms.

You will receive one ticket per each dollar of the purchase value up to a maximum of \$500.

When the day of the drawing arrives, all of the tickets will be placed in

a large container and the winners drawn. You **MUST** be present to win; however, husbands and wives may claim each other's prizes.

Each sponsor giving tickets will display a poster in their window, indicating they are giving drawing tickets.

Drawing tickets will be available beginning Friday, November 24, 1994 at sponsoring businesses.

TICKETS AVAILABLE

Those merchants sponsoring the drawings and giving tickets are: After Hours Video, Albert's Shamrock Service, Antique Cupboard, Appearances, Cross Car Center, Frankenbery Service, Hyland's Pharmacy, Johnny's Shamrock Service, L. & F. Repair, Lee Hardware & Furniture, Marshall Discount Auto, McCain's Auto Body & Bob's Tackle Shop, McIlhany Dry Goods, Thriftway, V. & S. Variety, Ware Chevrolet, Wheeler Flower Shop and Wheeler Lumber Company.

SPONSORS

Those sponsoring the drawings but not giving tickets are Dr. Larry Barbour, Britt Ranch, Canadian Production Credit, Eastern Panhandle Insurance Agency, First State Bank—Mobeetie & Wheeler, H. & R. Block, Heritage Beef Cattle Co., Jennings Plumbing & Electrical Service, Charles Kuntz—C.P.A., Dr. Louie Mendiola, Parkview Hospital, R. & M. Quality Car Wash, Dr. Mike Smith, Southwestern Public Service, Sparlin's Restaurant, Speedi-Mart, The Wheeler Times, Ware Chev-Olds-Buick-Pontiac, Wheeler Care Center, Wheeler Plumbing, Wheeler TV System, West Texas Gas Co., Wheeler Vet Clinic, The General Store, Wheeler Co. Farm Bureau, Wheeler Banking Center, Wright Funeral Home, The Upper Room, Honey Inn & Dr. Bob Galutia.

BAND CONCERT SCHEDULED

Southwestern Oklahoma State University's band and orchestra will be featured in concert on Sunday, Dec. 3, at 3 p.m. in the Fine Arts Center on the Weatherford campus. Admission is free and the public is invited.

The band, conducted by Dr. James South, is composed of members of the SWOSU marching band. The band will play "The Galant Seventh" by John Philip Sousa; "Handel In The Strand" by Percy Grainger; and "Manzoni Requiem" by G. Verdi.

The orchestra, conducted by Dr. Robert Chambers, will play the "18th Symphony" by Mozart; "Arioso" by J.S. Bach; and "It's Christmas Time" arranged by Calvin Custer.

Members of the SWOSU orchestra include: Trombone player Wade Hampton, Wheeler, TX.

DENNIS HILBURN ANNOUNCES CANDIDACY FOR CO. SHERIFF

To all the People of Wheeler County: It's that time again, and a chance for you people, to help make some change's for the better. "Let's bring back Law and Order for us, The People of Wheeler County." My name is Dennis Hilburn and I am announcing my candidacy for Sheriff of Wheeler County.

(Pol. Adv. Paid for by Dennis Hilburn, Rt. 1, Box 252, Mobeetie, TX 79061 Phone: 806-845-3900)

Wheeler Care Center Is Conducting A Coat Drive

During this season of giving, the residents of Wheeler Care Center are thinking of those who are not as fortunate as they are. The residents of Wheeler Care Center are sponsoring a COAT DRIVE to benefit the Salvation Army. The Salvation Army in Pampa services all of the Eastern Corner of the Panhandle. The staff and residents of WCC will gather, sort and size all coats and deliver to the Salvation Army in Pampa on Dec. 22, 1995. The residents are enlisting the support of the community to clean out your attics, and closets for warm clothing. When you have gathered your coats you can either drop them by the facility or call us and we will come get them. Thank you for making the Season a little warmer for those in need.



A VISIT WITH SANTA: The Wheeler Chamber of Commerce sponsored a visit by Santa on Sunday afternoon and Monday evening in Wheeler. These youngsters took the opportunity to go over their lists with Santa; they are Travis and Brittany Bryan, the children of Kent and Connie Bryan of Briscoe. Santa had a chair under the gazebo on the courthouse square and gave each youngster a sack of goodies. Coffee and Hot chocolate were available for the youngsters and their parents. Pictures of the youths with Santa were available; 180 pictures were taken over the two day period. A picture was taken of Erica and Garret Ellison, but was too dark for publication.

Pesticide Applicator License Training Offered

A private pesticide applicator license training and testing session will be offered Wednesday, December 6, 1995 in the Agriculture Science classroom at the Wheeler High School. The training will begin at 1:00 p.m. and the test will be given at 4:00 p.m. according to Don King, County Extension Agent.

By attending the training and passing the test agricultural producers can become licensed by the Texas Department of Agriculture (TDA) to purchase and apply or supervise the application of restricted or state limited use pesticides. There is a \$50.00 fee for the five year license.

This will also be an opportunity for Certified Private Applicators (those

who got the certificates prior to January 10, 1989) who have not obtained the 15 continuing education units (CEUs) required for recertification to retain their eligibility to purchase and apply restricted or state limited use pesticides. Certified Private Applicators are required by TDA to obtain 15 CEUs by December 31, 1995 to renew their certificate. However, they may complete training and testing, obtain a Private Applicators License and keep their certificate in force.

All Private Applicators Certificates issued January 10 - December 31, 1989 will expire December 31, 1995. All who hold those certificates get a new license.

Those planning to attend the training and testing are asked to make reservation with the Wheeler County Extension Office at 806-826-5243.

For more information call Don King, CEA at 826-5243.

Extension programs serve people of all ages regardless of socioeconomic level, race, color, sex, religion, disability or national origin.

Hospital Notes

Old Admissions
11-17 Jack Hays Marie Wood
11-18 Bob Bidwell New Admissions
11-21 Hazel Richerson
11-22 Viola White
11-23 Irma Wiebe Lisa Watson
11-25 Leonard Bryan
11-26 Jewell Smith Naomi Speck
11-27 Madge Erwin Dismissals
11-22 Ruby Loyd

Ft. Elliott Jr. High & High School

Honor Students Named

6th Grade
All A's: Justin Hefley.
All A's and B's: Monty Hand, Aaron Hartline, Casey Zybach.
7th Grade
All A's: Carolan Aycock and Ashley Estes.

All A's and B's: Eric Diebel and Nathan Hefley.

8th Grade
All A's: Carissa Dukes and Amber Estes.

All A's and B's: Glen Moon and Curt Smith.

9th Grade
All A's: Devin Diebel.

All A's and B's: Michael Hilburn, Reagan Meadows, Lee Scales, and Ty Wood.

10th Grade
All A's: Becky Richmond and Tera Hefley.

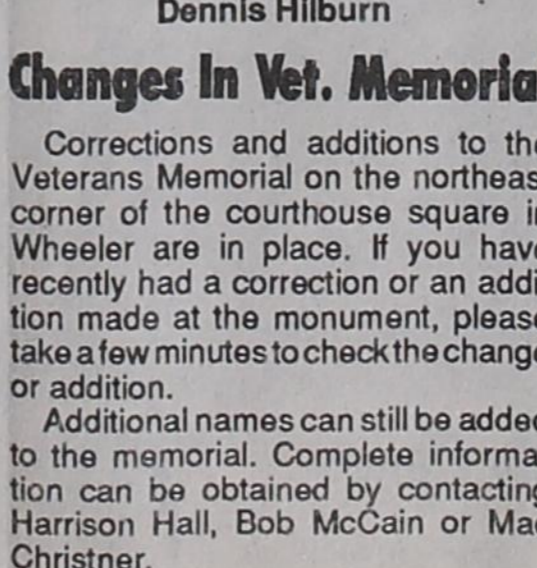
All A's and B's: Donnie Barr, Londa Crownover, Tracy Densberger, and Amanda Shields.

11th Grade
All A's: Cynthia Cloud.

All A's and B's: Stacie Dukes, April Finsterwald, Tiffany Gonzales, Sarah Hale, April Purcell, and Dana Trimble.

12th Grade
All A's: Sylvia Elsemann.

All A's and B's: Bobby Blackburn, Jodie Crownover, David Helton, and Collin McCurley.



Dennis Hilburn

Changes In Vet. Memorial

Corrections and additions to the Veterans Memorial on the northeast corner of the courthouse square in Wheeler are in place. If you have recently had a correction or an addition made at the monument, please take a few minutes to check the change or addition.

Additional names can still be added to the memorial. Complete information can be obtained by contacting Harrison Hall, Bob McCain or Mac Christner.

OPEN HOUSE IS PLANNED FOR NEW BAND ROOM

Wheeler ISD will hold an open house to dedicate the new band hall building. The dedication will be held on Thursday, December 14 at 6:30 p.m. in the band hall building. Refreshments will be served. The District will also review the Academic Excellence Indicator System Report as part of the dedication ceremony. Everyone is invited to attend.

Glyndol Holland

Gertie Mae Cornell, 82 Rites Are Read Nov. 24

Gertie Mae Cornell, 82, died Tuesday, Nov. 21, 1995, at Wheeler Care Center. Services were at 2 p.m. Friday in the First Baptist Church with the Rev. Ronnie Chadwick, pastor of the First Baptist Church at Davidson, Okla., officiating. Burial was in Zybach Cemetery under the direction of Wright Funeral Home.

Mrs. Cornell was born Aug. 16, 1913, at Crowell, Texas. She moved to Wheeler County in 1926 from Hollis, Okla. She married William Ezmond Cornell on Nov. 11, 1933, at Cheyenne, Okla., he died June 24, 1966. She was a homemaker and a member of the First Baptist Church.

She was preceded in death by two infant sons, a sister, four brothers, a grandson and a great granddaughter.

Survivors include a daughter, Janice Parks of DeQueen Ark.; four sons, Bob Cornell and Anthony Cornell, both of Allison, Doyle Cornell of Graham and Larry Cornell of Savoy; four sisters, Jennie Walker and Peggy Chandler, both of Allison, Dorothy McNutt of Antioch, Calif., and Betty Sue Stinnett of Buena Vista, Colo.; a brother, Pete Gilmer of Allison; 16 grandchildren; 32 great grandchildren; and a great-great-grandchild.

The family requests memorials be to Wheeler Care Center.

TOYS FOR TOTS

DRIVE IS UNDERWAY

The Wheeler County Sheriffs Department, Marshall Automotive (Parts Plus), Wheeler Banking Center, First State Bank Mobeetie (Both Locations) are sponsoring TOYS FOR TOTS DRIVE.

New or good serviceable used Toys are needed. This year ages 0-15 years of age. If you wrap a gift please include sex and age on gift tag to each gift.

These gifts may be the only Christmas some children may receive. Your gifts will be greatly appreciated.

Thank You
Jimmy Adams, Sheriff
Wheeler County

Wheeler Christian Academy

Honor Students Named

1-6TH GRADE
FIRST QUARTER AWARDS—PLC (1995-96)

Highest Pace Average: Michelle Wilbourn (99.71%)

B Honor Roll: Danielle Gearhart

A Honor Roll: Ebbie Brunson, Andrea Jones, Clayton Owens, Brady Ware, Joel Wilbourn, Kade Zybach, Vanessa Gearhart, Caleb Kirkpatrick, Dallas Owens, Garret Ware, Michelle Wilbourn, and Kelsey Zybach.

Outstanding Student of the Quarter: Michelle Wilbourn (1200 PTS)

7TH-12TH GRADE
FIRST QUARTER AWARDS—ULC (1995-96)

Highest Pace Average: Trent Brunson 96.63%

"B" Honor Roll: Jared, Bridget, Tyler, Junita

"A" Honor Roll: Trent, Heather, Mary Ann, Chris, Kiya, Kyle

Outstanding Student of the Quarter: Heather Dean - 1080 PTS.

CWE CHAT WITH EDITOR

By Louis C. Stas

The Chamber of Commerce Christmas Open House was certainly a success. Most of the shoppers turned out Sunday afternoon, but the number of youngsters visiting Santa was about the same on both appearances.

The Chamber extends 'Thanks' to Gene Ferguson his help with Santa's visit.

The lights on the gazebo and Christmas tree on the square certainly looked great. Thanks to the Boy Scouts of America for their help in getting the lights on both.

Drawing tickets are now available from local merchants and the annual "Cash" Drawings will get under way on Saturday. Remember, You have to be present to win the Wheeler "Cash".

Buster Callan is now at home after spending some time in the Hospice Center in Amarillo.

Speaking of the Callan family, I think I failed to mention a visit from Monty Kinnard last week. He caught us home on a Saturday, if you can believe that.

We left town on Wednesday afternoon for our Thanksgiving with family at Hinton and Del City. The Meriwethers and Arnolds were our hosts.

On Friday we had to go watch grand nephew Troy Lee Bradstreet compete in the Grand National BMX (Dirt Bike) Races. He competed in several races and saw him come in second in one. Troy Lee, 13, is the son of Lesli Clements and Toby Bradstreet of Union City. Grandparents present for the events were Gene Arnold of Del City and Francis Bradstreet of Union City. Ronal Wayne, Ronal Jr., Jennifer and Riley Bradstreet were other relatives present to cheer the contestant.

Troy has won many honors in these bicycle races. Lesli is to be getting us a picture and list of winnings.

Saturday I brought Mother Stas back to Wheeler and then returned to Oklahoma to make the trip to see the newest granddaughter, Dorcie Ann Porter Gillette.

Loaded in the Silhouette at Weatherford and Hinton were William Thomas, Stacy Boswick, Barbara and I. The first stop on the trip was Sherman to spend the night with the Ronal Stas family and pick up one passenger, Jessica.

Leaving at an early hour Sunday morning, we arrived at the Gillette Ranch to spend the day getting to know our new grandchild. We enjoyed our visit with the proud parents, Guy and Cathi Gillette. Uncle Pip served as our guide for a walking tour and worked the shovel for us to bring back some plants.

Our return trip involved only a stop in Sherman and then back to Weatherford in the wee hours of Monday morning for a short nap before our return back to Wheeler.

Jennifer made the trip to Hinton and then cancelled her plans to travel, because C.B. was ill. He ended up having surgery for appendicitis at Veteran's Hospital in Oklahoma City. He is scheduled to be released today, Wednesday.

I was in trouble with the Sherman branch of the family. In the trip to await the arrival of the new grandchild, I failed to mention that we spent the night at Sherman on our way down.

WEATHER

DATE	DAY	Hi	Low	Prc
11-22	Wed.			0.00
11-23	Thurs.			0.00
11-24	Fri.			0.00
11-25	Sat.	84	38	0.00
11-26	Sun.	86	41	0.00
11-27	Mon.	68	24	0.00
11-28	Tues.	57	23	0.00
Low for the Year:		01-07	14	
High for the Year:		07-27	109	
Total Moisture for Oct.:		0.81"		
Total Moisture for the Year:		25.23"		
Total Snow:		15.02"		

Courtesy: KPDR-FM Radio

Joel 2-12 & 13: Therefore also now, saith the Lord, turn ye even to me with all your heart, and with fasting, and with weeping, and with mourning.

And rend your heart, and not your garments, and turn unto the Lord your God; for he is gracious and merciful, slow to anger, and of great kindness, and repenteth him of the evil.

We have been having several day's for some very nice warm days, still needing rain.

Thanksgiving holiday guest in Edna May's home were Mr. and Mrs. Dean Lieb from Stinnett, Mr. and Mrs. James Lieb, Jacob and Audery from Stinnett, Mr. and Mrs. John Lieb from Morse, Texas, Lori Lieb from Canyon, Pete Lieb from Stinnett, and Edith Donaldson of Allison.

Rev. Roy and Bobby Jones went to Fayetteville, Arkansas to spend Thanksgiving holiday with their family. Mrs. Sammie Tedford will stay there until Christmas. She will be coming back then to stay with the Jones' until March. Jack Tedford and Bobby Jones hosted a birthday party for their mother, Sammie, she will be 90 years on Dec. 3rd. Five grandchildren and families, six grandchildren and families, and six great grand children were there.

Jerry and Cathy Gilmer from Amarillo spent Wednesday night with Christine Gilmer and were Thanksgiving dinner guest. They went home Thursday evening and returned back to Allison Friday morning to be here for Gertie Cornell's funeral, and then went home from the cemetery after the funeral. Darrel and Johnnie Harrison from Amarillo was also down Friday for Gertie's funeral and spent Friday night with Christine.

Was a nice surprise last Friday evening to visit a few minutes with Rev. Daniel and wife Susie Johnson and children as they were on their way home from Borger to Ada, Oklahoma after spending the holiday with his parents Rev. and Mrs. F. R. Johnson.

Ruby Craig, Wilma Gilmer, Rhonda McWhorter, Tanner and Tyler were in El Paso last Saturday doing some shopping, and they ate dinner at the Western Zizzer. Wilma's overnight guest on Saturday night was Virginia Jesseph from Hollis, OK. Virginia also visited Christine Gilmer Sunday afternoon.

Ruby Craig, Wilma Gilmer and Billy

Old Mobeetie Assoc. Has Regular Monthly Meet

November 2, 1995
The Old Mobeetie Association met November 2, 1995 in the hospitality room of the First State Bank with president Ada Lou Lester in charge. Minutes were read by Rhonda Gallagher. Financial report was given by Louise Hogan. Motion by Bobbye Hill and seconded by Austin Caldwell to accept reports as given. Motion carried. Cataloging and work sheet reports were the same as October reports. Visitors report showed 170 visitors with 39 out of state for the month of October. Volunteer hours for October were 350.9.

Ada Lou Lester gave a recap of the Return of The Colors day held on October 21, 1995. There were approximately 100 visitors for the program and around 80 people were served from the chuckwagon.

Old Business: Susan Coate suggested putting our yard sale stuff in the consignment auction at Wheeler in December. It was also suggested to take the rest of the clothing to the Sweet Repeats resale shop. We will have Linda Daughtry check on a good time to serve refreshments to commissioners court and let us know what needs to be done. Louise Hogan, Ada Lou Lester, Maurita Stribling, and Dale Corcoran will check on prices for a white picket fence and bracing for the Houston Tree.

It was reported that the screens are fixed and ready to be put back on the barber shop.

New Business: Bobbye Hill discussed the schedule for the Tag Grant workshops. There was a discussion and then sign up for people to bring food to the workshops every day. There was a discussion on workdays for the winter months. For the month of November the work day will be the 18th. Ada announced the new board members to the group. They are Dan Gatlin and Linda Daughtry. Betty Arrington had met with some of the OMA members about getting some kind of historical marker recognizing Newt Lockes contribution to the organization of Old Mobeetie.

Motion by Austin Caldwell to adjourn. Seconded by Jim Hill. Motion carried. Those present were Ada Lou Lester, Dale and Melba Corcoran, Jim and Bobbye Hill, Maurita Stribling, Austin Caldwell, Bernice Hefley, Kay Gatlin, Joe Rucker, Jay Godwin, and Rhonda Gallagher.

McLean Chamber Plans Winterfest '95 for Dec. 9

The McLean Area Chamber of Commerce announces plans for Winterfest '95 on Saturday, December 9th. Activities will include an ARTS & CRAFTS FAIR, BAKE SALES, HAY RIDES, VISIT FROM SANTA, TREE DECORATING, RAFFLE, CAROLING, AND A CHRISTMAS PAGEANT. Mark your calendars now and plan to be where the fun is - McLean, Texas Winterfest '95 from 9 A.M. until 7 P.M. For more information, call 779-2428.

UPPER ROOM
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Denise Ware, Owner

and Rhonda McWhorter, Tanner and Tyler ate Thanksgiving dinner in Wheeler at Maxeys.

Hiram and Darena Begert and Bret celebrated Thanksgiving in their home with family and friends.

J. R. and Leota Black's weekend guest were Jerry and Danny Dupont from Muskogee, OK.

Terry Dupont spent last week with J. R. and Leota.

Last Saturday guest were Tim and Tina Thomas and Savanna from Amarillo.

Amie Boydston and Celeste Huff spent last weekend with Ronnie and Ruth Chadwick at Davidson, OK. Judi Cornell, Julie Boydston, and Angie Huff went to Davidson Sunday evening and attended church with Ronnie and Ruth and the girls and brought the girls, and all came home Sunday night.

Last Sunday Opal and Juanita Boydston were dinner guest with Forrest and Janice Boydston.

Roma and Billy Brown's Thanksgiving holiday guest were Larry Brown from Ft. Worth, Merlyn Brown and his

son, Merlyn Jr., Melissa and baby, Jessica, from Clinton, Teresa Hamlin, Tiffany and Holly from Elk City, and Kevin Hamlin from Altus, Oklahoma.

Peggy Chandler's house guests for a few days were Melvin and Betty Stinnett from Buena Vista, Colorado.

Anthony and Judi Cornell spent Thanksgiving with Fred and Pauline Cordell in Cheyenne.

We were made sad at the passing of our loved one, Gertie Cornell, last Tuesday night Nov. 21st. Her funeral was last Friday. Our sympathy is for her children, grandchildren, and other family members. We are going to miss her.

Nelda Dukes had her Thanksgiving on Wednesday, and her children and their families were there with her. On Thursday Nelda ate Thanksgiving dinner with Garland and Charlene Dukes, Brandon and Brownyn. Others there were Mary Nelson, and Charlene's brother, Charles Nelson, and Ashley Lane.

Glen and Nona Elmore's Thanksgiving holiday guests were Carl and Phyllis Williams and Erin from Saginaw, TX., Wayne and Kathy Zybach, Clay and Casey of Briscoe, Mark and Nancy Britten, Christina, Sammie, Jenifer and Lindsey from Amarillo, Ray and Sue Giddens, Larry and Ladona Elmore, and Melissa from Amarillo, and Mark and Angie Elmore and daughter, Jade.

Ray and Sue Giddens last Friday house guests were Wayne and Kathy Zybach, Clay and Casey of Briscoe, Mark and Nancy Britten, Christina, Sammie, Jenifer and Lindsey from Amarillo. Sue and Nona Elmore, Carl and Phyllis and Erin all visited Myrtle and Bus Dorman at Wheeler Sunday afternoon. Carl and Phyllis and Erin went on home from Wheeler to Saginaw.

Pete and Margaret Gilmer had all of their family with them through the Thanksgiving holidays. Those there were Keith and Ann Boydston, Natalie and Jessica from Port Arthur, TX., Becky and Jeannie Gilmer from Amrillo, and Rodney and Linda Ingersoll and Andrew of Allison.

Rita Grayson's house guests last Monday and Tuesday were Johnnie and Christy Grayson and Daradah

WHEELER BASKETBALL

Spearman 52, Wheeler 42
(Varsity Girls)

Wheeler	10	25	32	42
Spearman	16	28	40	52

Individual Scoring

Player	(2)	(3)	Ft.	To.
Jese Wallace	3	3	12	
Kate Woollard				
Kasey McCasland	3	2	12	
Cassi Wallace			1	1
Penny Dollar				
Marice Kuehler				
Ember Bradstreet				
Angie Thomas	5	2	12	
Rachel Smith			3	3
Mika Goad			1	2

Coach Riddley's Comments:
The Lady Stangs recovered well from last Friday nights loss to White Deer. We were a different team tonight and are finally showing signs of what we are capable of doing. Our defense played extremely well, but we still need improvement on free throws and our offensive game plan. These ladies show great dedication and want to win!!

Next game: vs. Memphis here 6:30.

Wheeler 46, Memphis 39
(Varsity Girls)

Wheeler	6	26	36	46
Memphis	8	22	28	39

Individual Scoring

Player	(2)	(3)	Ft.	To.
Jese Wallace	5	1	11	
Kate Woollard				
Kasey McCasland	2	3	7	
Cassi Wallace				
Penny Dollar	2		4	
Marice Kuehler				
Ember Bradstreet			5	5
Angie Thomas	1	3	5	
Rachel Smith	2	2	6	
Mika Goad			4	8

Coach Riddley's Comments:
It wasn't pretty but it was a win and that is what matters the most this time of the year. While still only shooting 50% from the charity stripe the Lady Stangs played strong in the second quarter scoring 20 points to help deflate the Cyclones and send them back to Graceland. The ladies were a little flat after the Turkey Day holiday and it showed. Our intensity level must improve and we have to play from the start of the game to win in our district. Good help was provided from the bench and our shooting has to improve. We just have to continue working on the fundamentals and keep our confidence level up.

Next game: Wheeler vs. Paducah at 7:00 Shamrock Tournament

Spearman 76, Wheeler 60
(Varsity Boys)

Wheeler	6	18	31	50
Spearman	15	32	59	76

Individual Scoring

Player	(2)	(3)	Ft.	To.
Ty Ferguson	1	0	2	4
Travis Stevens	2	2	1	11
Robert Remy	0	0	0	0
Keith Rose	2	0	0	4

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from Grand Falls, TX. They came to attend Ellen Huff's funeral. Thanksgiving day Rita's guests were Debbie and Tim Jones, Haley, Monty, and Bryan Markham, Terry Grayson, Kristy, Hattie and Joni, Kevin and Heather Shields and Eric of Allison. Keri Grayson went home with her dad, Johnnie Grayson, and family and spent a few days with them.

Last Sunday overnight guest with Rita was her sister, Armenda Jones from Tulsa.

Pearl Harrison's weekend guests were Vivian Wallace from Elk City, OK., Steve and Julie Durst and boys from Waco, TX., Tom and Len Promie from Grapevine, TX., and Willia and

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WHEELER BASKETBALL

Spearman 52, Wheeler 42
(Varsity Girls)

Mary Harrison from Canyon, Louise Boyston, Cheryl Dupont, Sabrina and Cody, Kim Thompson, Kimber and Britney and Bennie Boydston and Allison, and Grace Henson.

(Marginal Note) If you see a young man open a car door for his girl friend, either the car is new or the girl friend is: Pearl Harrison and Vivian Wallace went to Durham and attended Lucille Males auction sale last Saturday. It was a beautiful day for auction sales.

Vance and Caroline Boydston went to Lubbock last Wednesday and spent Thanksgiving holiday with Kevin Boydston and Lanora Morse, and came home on Saturday. Kyle Boyston was also there. Others there were Dick and Cletus Greene and Jamie, Bobby Greene, Alissa and Tyler from Dallas, Jake and Marie Morse from Midland, TX., and Leonard and Susan Berbee of Lubbock.

Dick and Cletus and Jamie's guests from Thursday to Saturday were Ray and Monica Greene, Jonathan and Alexis from Gracemont, OK., and Bobby Greene, Alissa, and Tyler from Dallas.

Pearl Harrison and Louise Boydston spent Thanksgiving day at Willis and Mary Harrison's in Canyon, TX.

Pearl spent Wednesday night at Darrel and Johnnie Harrison, and Louise Boydston spent the night with Kim and Chuck Thompson and girls.

Kim Thompson, Brittany & Kimber spent the week-end at Louise Boydston's. Kimber had a birthday party. She was nine years old. Pizza, brownies, cookie bars, and ice cream were served. Those present were Bennie and Jason Boydston, Gary, Julie, Greg and Tori Boydston, Vivian Wallace from Elk City, OK., Steve, Julie, Bryan and Matthew Durst from Waco, TX., Pearl Harrison, Cheryl, Sabrina and Cody Dupont.

Virgil and Jean Stinnett from Dumas, TX., spent Monday and Tuesday night with Louise Boydston. They had been to Harmon, OK., to a graveside funeral for their son-in-law's father, R. L. Henry service.

Take time to pray — it is the greatest power on earth.

ROOK THEATRE, Cheyenne, Ok
405/497-3415 Dec. 1-7
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Sweetwater News

By Lois Flowers

Hope everyone had a Happy Thanksgiving. The main thing to remember is giving thanks should be a daily affair and not just weekly or yearly. Everyone who can feed themselves and go to the bathroom should be very thankful.

Tony and Carleene came Sunday evening and left Tuesday evening for Mangum to be with her folks - Carl and Inez McDaniel. I had two things for him to do. 1—take the car thru the car wash. 2—get 200 lbs. of milo for my birds. Erick didn't have any maize.

ALLISON MENU

December 4 thru December 8, 1995
MONDAY: Steak Fingers, Mashed Potatoes, English Peas, Hot Rolls, Ice Cream, Milk.
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WEDNESDAY: Pig N Blanket, Macaroni and Cheese, Blackeyed Peas, Fruit or Carrot Cake, Milk.
THURSDAY: Mexican Casserole, Ranch Style Beans, Carrot Sticks, Nacho Rounds, Cherry Cobbler, Milk.
FRIDAY: Chicken Sandwich, Lettuce, Tomatoes, Pickles, Chips, Fruit and Cookies, Milk.
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period. Sayre didn't have any available till Tuesday.

On the second trip, we went on to Elk where Tony treated us to an early Thanksgiving dinner at the Western Sizzling. On the real Turkey day we only had us two and the turkey. We were expecting S. T. and Heidi from Tulsa on Friday, but they didn't make it. Cousin Andrew McCathern, Pampa called to wish us well.

In Elk, we saw Mr. and Mrs. Smokey Price and Wayne of Leede, Minnie Hillman, Carolyn Post of OKC and her mother, Connie Jeffcoat, Pauline Roberts, and the Bob Cannons. He wanted to know what I thought about the lack of rain. We haven't had any since the 1st of October and the wheat is beginning to blow out and die.

Those scientists who said this country was having a climate change and would be back to grass and buffalo in 50 years may be on to something. We've got the grass and deer at present, if it wasn't for needing rain for the crops, you couldn't ask for more beautiful days.

Pauline told me she had her kids home, Dale and Sue, Ricky and Sonya Roberts and baby, Bryce, Independence, KA., Annette and Lynn Winfield, Merritt, Mike and Dawn Tillman and children. Pauline, Dale and Sue, Anne and Lynn visited Don and Ora Lee Roberts at Sayre, Thursday night.

Editha Hildebrand was celebrating her birthday today. Steven and Phyllis of Tahlequah had come to be with her. They had Thanksgiving Day with Diane Ross.

The Sayre BSU Drama team will be out to the Sweetwater Baptist Church,

Sunday night, December 3rd. Program will begin at 7:15 p.m. followed by fellowship. Everyone is invited.

The school kids had a free day last Friday complete with breakfast doughnuts and Pizza lunch. They watched movies and in general just lived it up

as a reward for their good grades on the state tests.

On our trip to Sayre for grain, we lunched at the Sonic. My kids like it, because of No Smoking. I wonder, in all this fight to keep young folks from smoking, if we are still subsidizing tobacco farmers. That seems a terrible thing to do now that we know all the danger of cancer and addiction. We visited with cousin, Ed Thompson, Cindy Perry, Sarah Thorbrough, and Mary Gullede.

Hersel and Betty Anderson had a Thanksgiving supper. Those present were John and Margie Anderson, Lindsey, Heather, and Amber. Larry Anderson, Laura and Michael, Sayre, Jamie and Shannon Anderson.

Iva Thompson, Peggy, and Leroy Dunlap went to Wellington Saturday to see Dale and family and help little Jake celebrate his 4th birthday.

With Lorene and Albert Bryan Thursday were Arnel Lee and Shirley Bryan, Patricia and Terry, Ricky and Ruth Bryan and children, Pampa.

Randa Coffey and Lindsay visited Randa's mother, Pat Henry, in Shamrock.

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day with her sister, Carol Billingsley, at Miami, TX.

With Leonard, Lois, and Tim Bryan were Dale and Misti Bryan, Dallas, Deidra, and Drake, Chatanoga, OK., Kent and Connie Bryan, Travis and Brittany, Briscoe, TX., Rhonda Freeman, Cheyenne, Mr. and Mrs. Mike Dozier and children, Burns Flat, Lee and Frances Meadows, Sayre.

I surely do hate to see our soldiers going to Bosnia. Those folks over there seem to fight all the time. All our going will accomplish is get alot of our boys slaughtered. Might be more to the point to try to stop the killings in America.

Our Coyote Hills Ranch in North Roger Mills Co. was named the outstanding tourist attraction in Oklahoma in 1995. Just last week they had a busload of German tourists come by to see the ranch, the Black Kettle Museum, and Battle of the Washita site.

I sure did enjoy the Macy Parade. Our own Miss America was singing a

song as she went by. And Shania Twain sang "Any Man of Mine". Texas had a large number of cowboys and their girls cutting the light fantastic. Boy, they were stepping high and fast. Three hours of fun and festivity with no cursing, obscenity, or vulgarity. Hard to believe how nice that was.

Clella and Carlos Myers, and Alma Richardson spent Thursday in Edmond and Errol Lee Myers and family.

We visited with Jean Turner, Harold Bollen, Nila Tenney, Rosa Faye Abila, Loren Meadows, Elmer Allen, Jo Martin, Mary Greene, Harley and Faye Swearingin in Erick last week.

A number of our cousins met with Harold and Sylvia Hammon Wednesday. Margie Ashmore was out from OKC and brought Vivadel Ashmore over from Sayre. We were sorry to miss it.

Maurice and Freda Coffey, Tulsa, and J. R. Ellen and Sue of Burkburnett were out to check on things and visit their aunts.



APPROACHING MARRIAGE: Janet McClellan of Wheeler is proud to announce the marriage of her son Don Paul Horton to Sandra Lynn Cottrell on December 9, 1995. The bride-elect is from Amarillo and graduated from Tascosa High School in 1988. She received a Bachelor's Degree in Psychology from Texas A & M in 1992 and is employed at Quest Hospital. Don graduated from Wheeler High School in 1978. He received a Masters Degree in Education in 1991. He is a Licensed Professional Counselor, a Licensed Chemical Dependency Counselor and is the Director of Addictive Disorders at Quest Hospital.

Basketball (from page 2)

Dusty Case	2	0	0	4
Ramon Meraz	4	0	1	9
Jason Porton	1	1	3	8
Jason Bradley	1	0	2	2
Bryan Judd	0	0	2	2
Aaron Dunnam	2	0	2	6
Andy Francis	0	0	0	0
Dustin Weatherly	0	0	0	0

Coach Read's Comments:
 I saw a lot of positive things happen for us against Spearman; unfortunately, we were not able to string them together and cut into the big early lead the Lynx built up against us. I was very pleased with the performance of Meraz who handled the ball extremely well for the first ball game of the year. Dunnam played well in his first varsity game. In order to improve, the boys must rebound better and hit those wide open shots and lay-ups.

CARD OF THANKS
 I want to thank everyone for all the things that were done for me and my family while I was in the Bone and Joint Hospital for 4 days, then in Jim Thorp Rehabilitation Hospital at Oklahoma City for 3 weeks.
 I appreciate all the beautiful flowers, cards, telephone calls, all your prayers and words of encouragement while I was in the hospital. Thanks for all the food, visits, and telephone calls since I have been home.
 I want you to continue to pray for me as I am taking physical therapy at Shamrock 3 days a week to strengthen my operated knee and then for my M.S. condition that I may be able to walk again without the aid of my walker. Thanks again for all your love and concern for me!
 Love,
 Maurine Brotherton

Next games:
 November 28, Memphis at 8 p.m.
 November 30 through December 2 at the Shamrock Tournament
 First game: Wellington at 5:30 p.m.

Wheeler 73, Memphis 23
 (JV Girls)

Wheeler	13	27	47	73
Memphis	9	11	17	23

Individual Scoring

Player	(2)	(3)	Ft.	To.
Ashley Ware	2	1	5	5
Kindra Jolly	4	3	11	11
Sally Smith	9	3	21	21
Stacy McWhorter	2	3	7	7
Angela Jolly	9	7	25	25
Elissa Ray	2	4	4	4

Coach Scott's Comments:
 When you play fundamental basketball good things will always happen and that is just what happened to the Lady Stang J.V. team last Tuesday night against the Cyclones of Memphis. The ladies played strong zone defense after looking a little shaky at first and ran the press breaker extremely well in allowing most of the J.V. ers points from inside the paint. A super offensive game was played by Angela Jolly and Sally Smith who combined for a total of 46 points. Our free throw shooting improved as we made 17 FT's out of 29, but still can be improved. Great rebounding was provided by Elissa Ray and Stacy



Courtney Tyree is the 9 year old daughter of Sonya and Thomas Tyree of Wayside, TX. Grandparents are Bobbye and Jimmy Hill of Wheeler and Clela and Johnny Tyree of Wayside.

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December 4 thru December 8, 1995
MONDAY: Breaded Pork Chops, Cream Gravy, Macaroni and Cheese, Breaded Okra, Plum Cobbler.

TUESDAY: Veal Parmesan, Scalloped Potatoes, Green Beans, Fruit.
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THURSDAY: BBQ Beef, Baked Beans, Broccoli / Cauliflower Salad, Carrot Cake with Icing.
FRIDAY: Salmon Croquettes, Egg Cream Sauce, Corn Pudding, Italian Vegetables, Lemon Pudding.
(Menu Subject to Change.)

Basketball (from page 3)

McWhorter with the ball handling chores provided by Ashley Ware and Kindra Jolly. This type of performance must be continued and intensity level as well as fundamentals worked on to keep this team on track. Good job ladies!!
Next game: 6:30 here vs. a tough White Deer J.V. team this Friday night.

Spearman 29, Wheeler 27

(JV Girls)
Wheeler 7 13 22 26
Spearman 8 19 23 26

Individual Scoring

(2) (3) Ft. To.

Ashley Ware 1 2
Alli Moore 1 2
Jennifer Shepard 1 2
Kristen Marion 1 2
Brooke Stevens 6 12
Kindra Jolly 1 2

Kara Emmert 1 2
Sally Smith 1 2
Lacey Smith 1 2
Stacy McWhorter 2 3 7
Angela Jolly
Rachel Stiles
Elissa Ray

Coach Scott's Comments:

It is always difficult to lose, especially in an overtime game and this was the case for the J.V. team last Tuesday night. A tremendous effort defensively was played by both the J.V. and the Freshman who were combined for this game. The ladies did an extremely good job of jelling together and competing as one team and should have won. Again, the missed shots and turnovers hurt ourselves. The Spearman team was good, but we hurt ourselves more than the other team defeated us. Kudos go to Ashley Ware for her handling of the Lynx press and Brooke Stevens for putting in key baskets in the third quarter. These young ladies will get there and will be successful if they continue to work hard and dedicate themselves.

Next game: Deer 46, Wheeler 41 (JV Girls)

Spearman 54, Wheeler 23

(JV Boys)

Wheeler 4 13 18 23
Spearman 15 31 46 54

Individual Scoring

(2) (3) Ft. To.

D. Hillhouse 0 0 1 1
J. Brooks 0 0 1 1
K. Boedeker 0 0 0 0
J. Salas 3 1 0 9
A. Bradstreet 1 0 0 2
J. Davis 3 0 1 7
C. Rowley 1 0 0 2
D. Hutchinson 0 0 0 0
S. Stribling 0 0 0 0
M. Montgomery 0 0 0 0

Coach Bailey's Comments:

We started the game to slowly to keep pace with a tough Spearman team which had just placed second in the Perryton tourney to Class 4A Randall. Our inability to get the ball to our wide open post players was a major part failing to score over 23 points. Jorge Salas played well offensively and defensively for us Tuesday night. Zac Smith will be a very good point guard for us by Christmas time.

Next games: December 1, White Deer at 8 p.m.
December 5, at Highland Park at 5 p.m.

Panhandle 58, Wheeler 34

(Freshman Boys)

Wheeler 6 12 24 34
Panhandle 10 26 42 58

Individual Scoring

(2) (3) Ft. To.

M. Hampton 2 0 2 6
K. Burton 0 0 0 0
D. Hillhouse 3 0 0 6
J. Brooks 1 0 0 2
A. Gill 2 0 0 4
J. Salas 2 0 0 4
B. Britt 0 0 0 0
M. Montgomery 6 0 0 12

Coach Read's Comments:

Despite the difference in the score, I was extremely pleased with the effort of our freshman team. The boys understand we had a chance to keep the game close by making shots from five feet and in and by not making careless passes. Montgomery played a very good offensive game which was limited by foul trouble. Salas did yeoman's work on the boards in the 2nd half. Hampton handled Panhandle's pressure well most of the game.

Next games: Saturday, December 2, Wellington at 10:15 a.m. (at Shamrock)
Saturday, December 9, Wellington at 11:00 a.m.

Wheeler 46, Panhandle 30

(Freshman Girls)

Wheeler 14 26 38 46
Panhandle 12 16 24 30

Individual Scoring

(2) (3) Ft. To.

Alli Moore 1 2
Jennifer Shepard 1 2
Kristen Marion 3 6
Valerie Watson
Brooke Stevens 7 14
Kara Emmert 2 4
Lacey Smith
Rachel Stiles
Coach Scott's Comments:

Thanksgiving may have slowed these ladies down a little, but it did not take them long to get back on track as Jennifer Shepard scored 20 points in leading the Lady Mustangs to their second victory of the year. Great play was exhibited by all and as stated by Coach Scott good things will happen with these ladies in the coming four years.

Next game: Saturday 12-2-95 at 9:00 a.m. at Shamrock vs. Wellington (Continued Page 8)

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Tuesday 5: 6:30 p.m. HS BB McLean Here, JH G/T Seminar @ Amarillo

Wednesday 6: Thursday 7: HS BB Samnorwood Tournament

Friday 8: HS BB Samnorwood Tournament

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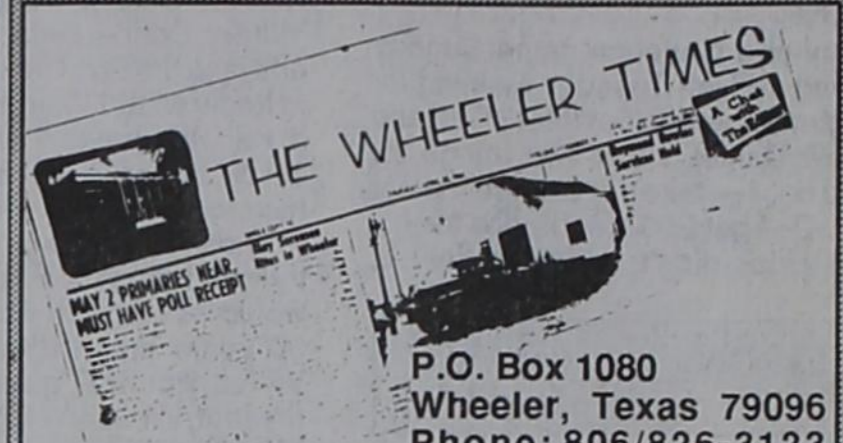
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1440' from the north line and 200' from the east line of lease.
1440' from the north line and 2440' from the west line of survey.
Field Rules for the Panhandle Wheeler County field are 330/467, 10/20/40

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GAGEBY NEWS

By Verna Fillingim

Colossians 3:23—Whatever you do, do it heartily as to the Lord and not to men.

Happy Birthday to Amber Estes, Dean Meadows, and Kayla Bateman on Dec. 3, Kellie Babb and Jerry Moore on Dec. 4, Joy Davis, Jennifer Wood, David Hefley, Cassie Meadows, Dennis Hefley, Kay Luttrell, and Vernal Densberger on Dec. 6, Robert Cook, Betty Rains, Kay Gatlin, and Rhonda Ferguson on Dec. 7, Trai Currie, Kelley Thompson, and Irene Webb on Dec. 8, Kristi Meek, Mack Sides, and Ronnie James on Dec. 9.

Happy Anniversary to Fat and Wanda Childress on Dec. 3, Mike and Alice Wasbrooks and Don and Mayme McElroy on Dec. 5. It will be 46 years for Fat and Wanda.

Next Sunday December 3 will be singing at Gageby Church at 6:00 p.m. with Lois Meadows in charge. Everyone invited to worship the Lord in song and enjoy food and fellowship with us.

In Allison H.S. Basketball tourney, Fort Elliott J.V. girls play Amarillo Christian Thursday Nov. 30 at 10. Varsity girls play Lakeview Thursday at 4:00. Boys play Pampa Academy Thurs. at 5:30.

Mobeetie XYZ will meet Friday Dec. 1 at 6:00 p.m. for blood pressure, food, devotional, and fun games at Baptist Church. All "antique kids" invited. Gift exchange, pot luck meal.

Allison High School Basketball Tournament starts Thursday Nov. 30 and runs through Sat. Dec. 2. Fort Elliott is in it.

Allison Junior High will host Fort Elliott Monday Dec. 4 at 6:00 p.m.

McLean H.S. basketball varsity teams will play at Fort Elliott (Briscoe) Tuesday Dec. 5 at 6:30.

Samnorwood High School basketball tournament will be Dec. 7-9. Fort Elliott is entered.

Wheeler Senior Citizens invites everyone to meet at the Senior Citizen rooms Monday Dec. 4 at 6:00 p.m. for delicious pot luck supper and games of 88 and canasta. Ya'll come.

Congratulations to Lee and Cary George on the birth of their new baby boy, Michael Lee, at Ochiltree County Hospital on November 16. He weighed 7 lbs. and 1 oz. Proud grandparents are Eddie and Helen George of Briscoe and Jack and Cathy Hatcher of Amarillo.

Lou Dean Douthit was pleased with the lovely day for her sale. Saturday and the big crowd there. Everything sold except her new travel trailer (not enough bid) and possibly a feeder.

Thanksgiving guests at the home of Bob and Debbie Kinnaman and Kirbie were Todd and Lisa Kinnaman and Jessica, Ty and Brady from Archer City, Charlie and Stacie Hanson and Shane, Brandi and Coby from Windthorst, Lou Dean Douthit and Cory Kinnaman and Kellie McNeil.

Nice to have Don and Cindy Hartsfield and Hayden and Glory out to Gageby Church Sunday. Others at the home of J.P. and Martha Meek for their Thanksgiving Dinner Sunday were Chuck and Phoebe Hartline and Aaron and Tamera, Suzanne Everett, Mack and Linda Sides and Dale Sides. Hartsfields went back Monday to Canyon.

Nice to see Lori Baird and Lauren and Charity at Walmart Wednesday.

Dick and Ruth Irvine and Grace Irvine were spending Thanksgiving

with Mozelle and Glenn Thomas and Andrea and Micah in Amarillo. Also Veal and Leon Fillingim there.

Irene Keys was having her family for Thanksgiving at Shamrock, and included Mack and Patty Shields and Amanda and John, Kevin and Heather Shields and Eric, Leonard and Teresa Powledge and Jody, Sarah and Bobby Ford, Cindy and Bob Fulgham, Keri and Jerome Grayson, Dean and Karen Keys and Toby and Terry, Bo and Brenda Keys, Lindsay and Jarrod, Josh and Candice Fulgham, Farrell and Cleve Parsons and Don and Bonnie Hall.

Keith and Tyna Horn and Larry, Megan and Sarah spent Thanksgiving Day at Tyna's folks, Lee and Genise Young south of Canadian. Also there were Genise's twin sister, Elise and Dell Kreibel and John Sam, and Mollie and Courtney and Keith Trollinger, Craig and Cindy Young and Matt, David and Tracy and Jeff Young.

Chuck and Phoebe Hartline and Aaron and Tamera visited Chucks' folks Garland and Pat Hartline and families at Chickasha, Oklahoma over the holidays.

Mark and Annette Meek and Kaleb and Jocelyn spent Thanksgiving Day with Lee and JoAnn White in Amarillo. Also there were Cloyd and Teresa Helton and Amber and Brice from El Paso, Jimmy and JoAnn Helton from Pampa and Todd and Jason from Amarillo.

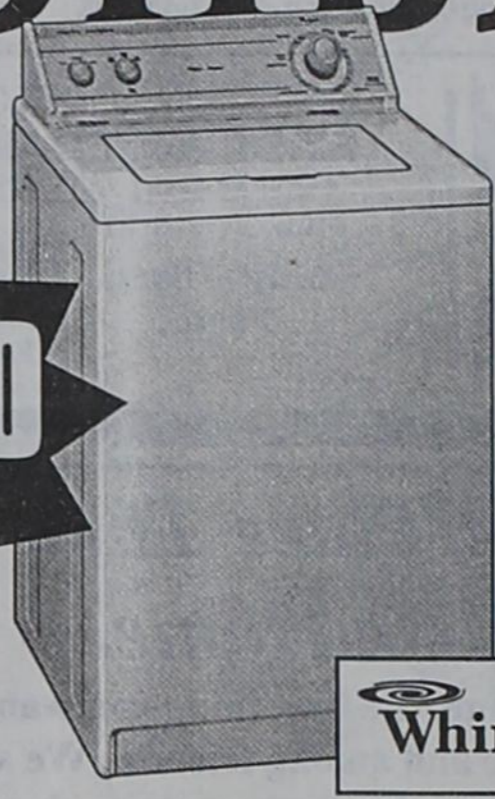
Evelyn Meeks' family gathered at her house Friday for a Thanksgiving dinner and visiting. Ones there were Sandra Meek, Mark and Annette Meek and family, Kathy Meek.

Some visitors to Richard and Bonnie Meadows and Reagan during the holidays were Leslie and Kevin Wilson from Midland, Ben and Tonia Meadows from Canyon, Bud and Naomi Lowe from Shamrock.

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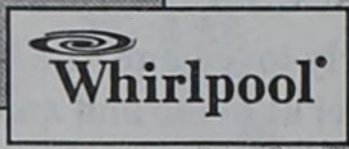
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Wednesday Sue Ratliff and Heather and Keith and Kevin and Pam Ratliff went to Bryan and Sue Reames for Thanksgiving holidays at the home of JoAnn Witcher and Brewer. Melody Rodgers and Gabe and Nikki from Georgia met them there.

Thanksgiving Day guests at the home of Bob and Gena Zybach included Bevard and Diane Dukes and Carissa, Andrea and Dieder, Todd Baize, Ruby Zybach, Steve Zybach, Wayne and Kathy Zybach and Clay and Casey.

Enjoying Thanksgiving Day Dinner at the R.L. and Rozena Zybach home were Mike and Melody Goad and Ja'Nae, Shane and April Goad, Mac and Gay Purcell and Josh and April, Phil Wiggins, Lori and Shane Baird and Jessica Lauren and Chairty, Royce and Deedy Zybach and Julie and Sarah Beth and Jim Gonding.

Thanksgiving Dinner guests at the home of Mack and Linda Sides at Wednesday to her house.

Doyle Grimes went with J.P. Meek to Beaver, Oklahoma Wednesday to take cattle to the sale.

Lots of fans accompanied Fort Elliott Cougars to McLean Tuesday night. We had a lot of height in both McLean teams to contend with and main player, Donnie Barr, was sidelined with a badly sprained ankle. Our teams worked hard, but our girls lost 47-54. Our boys lost 45 to 72.

I noticed a Marion Clark, 73, had died at Amarillo Veterans Hospital. Think he attended school at Briscoe about 1937-38. Sincere sympathy to the family.

The Aaron Laverty family gathered at the home of Russell and Kim Laverty and Stephanie and Jessica at Oklahoma City for Thanksgiving and early Christmas celebration. Others there were Richard and Karen Laverty and Brenee, Shaleena and Trey from Farwell, Gordon and Barbee Laverty and Cheyenne, Danny, Casey and Shelby from Decatur, Brittaney Laverty from Amarillo and Aaron and Claudetta Laverty and Caaron.

Enjoying a Thanksgiving Day get together Saturday at the home of Dan and Teresa Trimble and Dana were Archie and Sharla Trimble, Larry and Tish Trimble and Dalanie from Canyon, Teda Seuhs and Lauren and Lacey from Miami, Ed Trimble, Neil Teakell, Sue Trimble, and Angie Trimble. Also visiting awhile were B.F. and Margie Meadows.

Glad to hear that McKaylee Swift is doing real well. She spent the day at the farm sale at Briscoe with her parents, Ty and Christina Swift and Kacie. Also at the sale were Shannon and Roger Cantwell ad London and Devin from Canyon, Bob and Zedell Swift, Lacey and Dean Hathaway and Cole and Aspin.

Going out to eat together at Maxeys after the sale Saturday were Fat and Wanda Childress, Jane and Clyde Dukes, Wayne and Pat Childress and Amanda, Janet Tatyrek and Kay and Scott Luttrell and Susie.

Also at Maxeys, Preston and Elsie Glazner, Homer Sanders and Edna May.

Spending Thanksgiving Day with Rosalie Keelin were Jerry and Sharon Keelin from Shamrock, Katrina Cullers and Shelby and Kayla from Darrouzett and Gene and Norma Keelin and Tracy, Kara Kay and Daniel. They played lots of good music and had a wonderful day together.

Nice to visit with Elva Wood and Mary Margaret Dodd at the Dairy Queen. Thanksgiving guests at Elva's were her family, Lanny and Elizabeth Atchley from Marble Falls and James and Suzzie Hubble, Wheeler, and Amy

and Zane. Pray for Elva; she hopes to get something done about her knee.

Mary Dodd spent Thanksgiving with Jack and Diane Cody at Graham. Also there were John and Genevieve McCarroll from Arlington John McCarroll and Ernest McCarroll, and a friend from Arlington and Fred (Bud) and Texas McCarroll from Graham.

Also at the Dairy Queen were Pierce and Nettie Walker, Lester Leonard with Rev. Denziel and Mary Leonard. Gaye Hale and Elizabeth, David and Sarah and Olaf Sivage enjoyed Thanksgiving Day at Grandmother Audie Sivage home in Wheeler.

Enjoying Thanksgiving Day at the home of Fat and Wanda Childress were Addie Swift, Cathy and Melvin Hunt and Shelly and Shawn and Sara, Clyde and Jane Dukes and Stacie and Twitty included J.P. and Martha Meek, Clayton and Tina Hawley and Mitchell and Dustin.

Scott and Kay Luttrell and Brandi and Susie spent Thanksgiving with Scott's family at Elk City. Ed Url and Dan Luttrell, Tammy Andris and Dan, Timmy and Michelle, Kevin and lolene Luttrell and Bruce.

Wayne and Pat Childress and Amanda spent Thanksgiving with her

FT. ELLIOTT (Briscoe Campus) MENU

December 4 thru December 8, 1995

Monday: Chicken Fried Steak, Potatoes, Corn, Rolls, Cake, Milk - Tea.

Tuesday: Chicken, Potatoes, Green Beans, Rolls, Fruit, Milk - Tea.

Wednesday: Spaghetti, Salad, Fried Okra, Pies, Texas Toast, Milk - Tea.

Thursday: Potato Soup, Ham Sandwiches, Lettuce and Tomato, Fruit, Milk - Tea.

Friday: Hamburgers, Lettuce and Tomato, French Fries, Fruit, Milk - Tea.

(Menu Subject to Change)

family at Sayre: Grady and Edith Brown and Johnny Mack Brown.

Eddie and Helen George had all their family home for Thanksgiving and included Lee and Cary George and Michael Lee, Holly and John Paul Williams from Denton, Amy and Dennis McPherson and Hilary and Mathew from Dumas.

Jackie Dukes visited at Zoedell and Bob Swift Saturday night to play with the grandkids.

Thanksgiving Day guests at the Doris Finsterwald home for dinner and a day of visiting were Claudy and Ina Mae Brotherton, C.B. and Maurine Brotherton, Mary Finsterwald, Gary and Kathy Brotherton and Ryan and Janae from Oklahoma City, Dorothy and Elmer Honath from Amarillo, Bill and Tonya Finsterwald and Brandon, Julie Gilmer, and Bob and Mary Nell Finsterwald and Andy and April. I expect they got in some tables of 88, too.

We visited a little with Ray and Verline Currie and Tina and Trai and Madison at Pampa Thursday. Also there were Alicia and Elia's Spindoza from Austin. Alicia is in a wheelchair. She hurt her rope when a rope she was swinging on broke a few years ago. She landed on a rock. Alicia is going to school and learning data processing and secretarial stuff. Elia's is an Auto Mechanic.

Addie Swift went to the ball game at McLean with Clyde and Jane Dukes and Jackie.

At Sayre, Truman and Betty Zybach had their family at their house for Thanksgiving. Some there were Eric Zybach and Misty, Kyle, Kade and Kelsey (Pauline was sick) Irene Zybach, Trudy and David Steed and Rory and Chasie, Stephanie Zybach and fiance, Jimmy Doolittle, and Jason Mong. Visiting in the afternoon were Martha Helton, Inez Erwin, and Neta Standlee. Later Eric and children visited Pauline's parents and

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The Thanksgiving to New Year's eat-a-thon is upon us. The average weight gain over the holiday season is seven pounds. But let's be realistic. Most people find it can become all but impossible to stick to sensible eating when faced with tempting high-fat and high-calorie entrees, gooey appetizers, thick sauces, creamy dips and rich desserts.

To prevent weight gain, plan holiday menus wisely. Holiday menus usually include too many meats, cheeses, sweets, nuts and sauces. Start by using the Food Guide Pyramid, the USDA's illustration of a balance diet, as your menu planning guide.

Learning to trim recipes of needless ingredients can save your calories, and at the same time allow you to eat

hearty portions of foods that are tasty and nutritious.

Because fat is so densely packed with calories, the key to adapting recipes to make them less fattening lies in reducing or eliminating butter, margarine, oil, mayonnaise, lard and salad dressing.

Contrary to popular thought, regular margarine is just as fattening as butter. In fact, all fats have about 100 calories per tablespoon. However, you can save calories by using lowfat margarine. Try whipped diet margarine for greasing baking dishes. It also can be successfully used in rice mixes and on vegetables, and adds only half

the calories of regular margarine.

Reduce calories by shaving fat from desserts. In adapting your favorite recipes, start by experimenting with cutting fat by a third or a half. If a muffin recipe suggests one cup of oil, try three-fourths cup. If that works, use only two thirds cup the next time around.

Purees of fresh or dried fruit can become standard stand-ins for fat in baked goods, but some work best in certain recipes. In most cases, you can replace up to seven-eighths of the butter or shortening called for in a traditional recipe with one of these substitutions:

**Fresh fruit purees, such as mashed bananas and applesauce, work best in light cakes and muffins.

**Make raisin "paste" to replace butter or oil in dense, chewy cookies like oatmeal or chocolate-chip. Mash raisins in a food processor until they have the same consistency as butter.

**Prune puree works especially in chocolate cake, brownies, cookies, muffins and fruit cakes. It's not suited for light-colored cakes like lemon chiffon and angel food cake. Of course, you have to like prunes because baked goods have a noticeable prune flavor.

**It may take some trial-and-error to get your favorite recipe to suit your taste, but it will be worth it. Half a cup of butter has 91 grams of fat, while fruit purees have none, and only a fraction of the calories.

**When making crumb crusts for pies and other desserts, start with half the margarine your recipe calls for, then add only as much fat as you need to moisten the crumbs.

**Before cooking meat, trim the fat. Fatty, calorie-laden meats include bacon, sausage, many cold cuts and fat-marbled cuts of beef, lamb and pork. Try substituting skinless poultry, veal, fish and lean cuts of meat. All of these protein foods can be stretched in recipes by slicing them thinly and adding more vegetables.

**When roasting a turkey, baste it with chicken broth or vegetable juice instead of its own drippings. Before roasting or broiling any meat or poultry, place it on a rack in a pan so it doesn't soak in its own fat.

**Fat-less methods of browning meats, fish and poultry include placing them under the broiler or pan-broiling them in no-stick pans. Once cooked, chill gravies, soups and casseroles. Let them stand overnight in the refrigerator, if time allows. The fat will harden and can be easily removed before reheating.

Gageby

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other relative's in Sayre.

We welcome Kent and Connie Bryan and Travis and Brittaney to our community. They are from Sweetwater and live in Neta Standlee's house. Kent works for Eric Zybach. Travis goes to Fort Elliott first grade.

Enjoying Thanksgiving supper at the home of Verneal and Juanita Prater were Irene Zybach, Mary Lou Carter, Jeannette Jahnel, and Carl Lee.

"Often we stand at life's crossroads And view what we think is the end, But God has a much bigger vision And He tells us its only a bend." Helen Steiner Rice

Sonya Hudson and Patrick have moved to Canyon, but she still works at Northwest Texas Hospital in Amarillo. Thanksgiving Day guests at Sonya's were Oden and Lois Hudson, Ray and Pat Hudson and Cindy, Ma Mary Hudson, Cindy Sweet and Jesse Ray, Logan and Nathan, Rodney and Kerri Hudson and Hayden and Kaylee from Levelland, Cheryl Fraley and Steven John from Brownwood and Sharon Granstaff. They had a great day visiting, feasting, and playing with the babies.

Reba Wofford had surgery to remove a tumor in her neck and was across the hall from Marion Grimes in High Plains Hospital. They really "cut her throat." Pray for Reba. She was doing well and hoped to go home Jackie and Stephanie Dollar and Brooke.

We enjoyed a delicious pile-on supper at David and Rita Pearson's and Dallas and Lindsey's Friday night. We also played 80, but the guys won.

Fred and Edith Castle came up for the Douthit and others farm sale and visited Addie Swift. They all ate lunch with Scott and Kay Luttrell Sunday. Also there Susie Luttrell, Mary Jane and Clyde Dukes and Jackie, Fat and Wanda Childress, Dub and Mary Swift and Bryan.

Laurel and Ed Hershman from Kirklint, Indiana came Sunday night to their Wheeler home and spent the week. Laurel made Sarita's wedding dress earlier and made all the fresh flower arrangements and corsages for the wedding. Over thirty years ago Laurel took a course in floral arranging in Colorado and met Ed, who was in the Air Force there. They married in June of 1965; Laurel has worked at Floral Shops most of the time through the years. They were married at Gageby Church. Willa made the wedding cake and Laurel frosted and decorated it. Very pretty and delicious.

Pray for Coy Bradstreet, 70. He has been very ill in Veterans Hospital with lots of health problems. Rosalie Keelin and Gene Keelin and Daniel visited him Wednesday.

Thanks for the beautiful flower arrangement left at the church, Laurel and Ed.

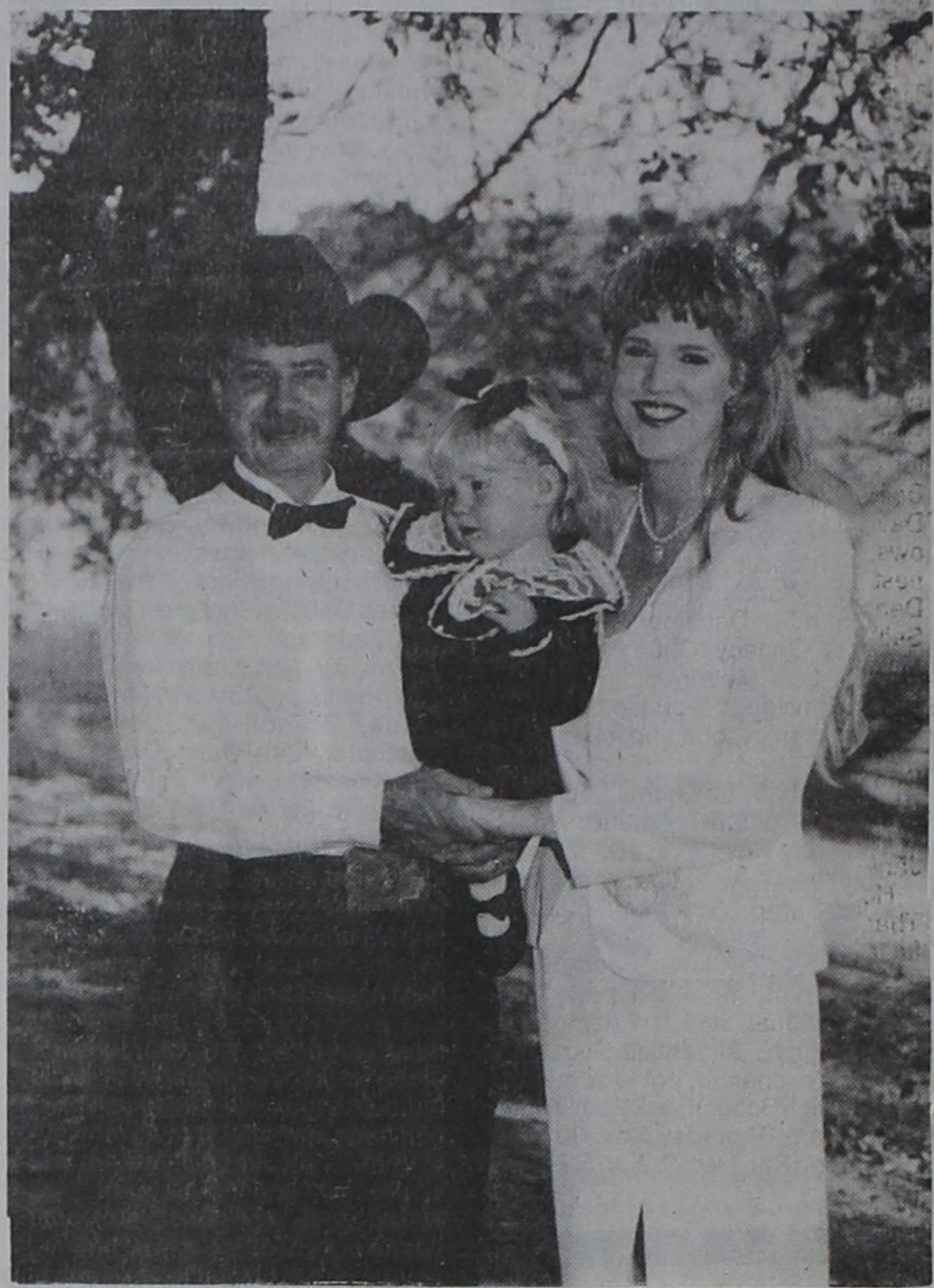
From a cartoon: "I've more than kept my youthful Physique. In fact, I've doubled it." I can relate to that.

Martha Meek visited Suzanne Everett in Shamrock Tuesday and helped her with a move to a different house. Suzanne works for Mrs. James Reneau.

There was a lovely bridal shower for Sarita Hershman at the Dick and Ruth Irvine home Wednesday night. Some there were Ed and Laurel Hershman, Becky Tipps and Casey, Adam and Zachary, Lajo Crownover and Terri, Londa and Jodie, Evelyn Meek, Lois Meadows, Martha Meek, Horace and Juanita Fillingim, Gayle and Helen Singleton, Willa Fillingim, Vea and Leon Fillingim, Willis and Verna Fillingim, Grace Irvine, Maralee Singleton. Delicious punch and pumpkin rolls and strawberry rolls and other things were served. Good to visit with everyone.

Sincere sympathy to family and friends of Gertie Cornell, 82, in her death. A dear sweet lady. Many relatives gathered for the dinner and funeral. Good to see everyone.

Mary Nell and Bob Finsterwald and April and Andy hosted a Thanksgiving Dinner on Saturday Nov. 18 for Mary Nell's family. Guests were Jim and Vickie and Casey Gilmer, David and Linda Gilmer and Hank and Crystal,



WEDDING ANNOUNCEMENT: Harold and Louise Hall of Stephenville, TX and Wayne Hogue of Whitney, Tx would like to announce the marriage of their daughter Susan Renee Hogue to David Walker Blankenship, son of Shirley Blankenship of Temple, TX. The couple exchanged vows in an outdoor ceremony on October 28, 1995 in Stephenville, TX. David, Renee and their daughter Makynzi will reside in Stephenville, TX.

Jeremy Dean, Melanie and Ross Mathis and Paul, Audra and Nathan from Boys Ranch, Carol Farrar, Ray Dominey, Caroline and Jerry Dominey and Reba and Billy.

We enjoyed a delicious Thanksgiving dinner at the home of Lee and Esther Brown and Justin, Jessica and Joanie. Also some exciting games of 88. Others there were Jill Brown from Canyon and Kevin and Jennifer Wood and Kolton and Kaleb from Claude. Kevin lost a leg in an accident at the Groom elevator a few years ago, but he doesn't let it bother him. He even jumped on the trampoline with his artificial leg. Nice visits. Jessica and Joanie spent Wednesday night at Canyon with Jill.

We grieve and feel sad when loved ones die, but for those who have accepted Jesus it's a glorious home going. "We'll have a new body; Praise the Lord we'll have a new life" (in heaven.)

Holiday guests at the home of E.G. and Willa Fillingim for Thanksgiving dinner and other days included Gayle and Helen Singleton and Maralee, Andy and Lisa Singleton and Philip from Lubbock, Ed and Laurel Hershman and Hershel Alan Delilah Hershman (Ed's mom), Tina Cavin and Amy and Julie and Gabe, John and Ann Hershman and Carol all from Indiana, Lucille Underwood, Charles and Lajo Crownover and Londa, Jodie, Terri and Boyce, and Sarita Hershman.

Dallas and Lindsey Fillingim took David and Rita Pearson out to eat at Maxeys Saturday night to celebrate their 13th wedding anniversary. God bless you sweet people.

There was quite a family gathering at Wheeler Dairy Queen Sunday with Joe Shelton, Susie Mabry, Sallie May, Jackie Don and Kelly May and Payton and Shelton, Billy Joe and Katie Jo Hennig and Brittaney and Breann from Kansas.

Pray for Jack Hays who has been pretty ill in Wheeler Hospital for some time. Nice to visit with Jerry (Gabby) Hays from Dumas who was spending a few days visiting his dad. Jerry is retired from Enron and his wife is retired from teaching. Jerry swims often and works out to stay in shape and does lots of helpful things around town. He and his wife took a trip to Minnesota to visit his wife's twin sister and toured South Dakota and other places.

Saturday Rosalie Keelin visited Ruth Taylor in Wheeler. Also there were Phyllis (Taylor) Knowles from Ft. Worth, Larry and Janie Taylor and granddaughter Winter and Wesley and Lori Steen and daughters from Darrouzett.

Thanksgiving Day at Venson and Faye Smith's were Walter and Patricia Hand and Monty, David and Winnie Gilmer, Tillie and Daryl Snelgroves, Marlin Thomas.

We enjoyed supper at Maxeys Saturday night with Laura Vandever and her fine family including Jimmy and Pam Light and Jimmy Dale, Jennifer and Byron, Rick and Janet Hefner and Jeremy, Angelia, Chad and Christina and Derrick Swanson, Donnie and Kathy Shorter and Michael and Michelle, John Jones, Ronnie and DeAnna Vandever and Raysha and Ryan from Odessa area and Carolan Aycock, a friend. Good to see everyone. Hefners are from Rowlett, TX.

Rich and Connie Irvine and Justin and Marie were weekend visitors to Dick and Ruth Irvine. Rich and Justin

helped Dick work calves.

We had a nice visit with Teda Seuhls and Lacey and Lauren at Panhandle Dairy Queen Wednesday. They were on their way to shop in Amarillo. We were coming home from visiting Marion Grimes in High Plains Hospital at Amarillo. Marion was taken to the hospital in much pain Saturday and had emergency prostate surgery Sunday morning Nov. 19 and is doing O.K. His daughter Liz Shipp went up Saturday and is staying with him. Others visiting included Ethel Grimes and Andy Shipp and Savannah and Katie and Gary and Darren Grimes and others. Pray for Marion and Ethel. Also there Doyle and Beulah.

We also saw Fay Sell at Panhandle. She was going to visit Garland and Sharon Sell for Thanksgiving and Glenda Sell would be there. She planned to come down for Sarita's wedding Sat. Also at Dairy Queen were Bob Ratliff's Uncle Ed and Aunt "O" Dittburner. They all got together last Sunday for Thanksgiving at Bob's sisters, Paula and Don Wilson and family at Lake Tanglewood. Bob and Heather and Keith went. Sue had to work. Bob's mother Vera Ratliff was also there. Aunt O had had 4 by-passes and a pace maker put in twice in the last year and is slowly improving.

Sarita Hershman and Brad Dawson were united in marriage at a lovely wedding Saturday afternoon at Gageby church with lots of relatives and friends present. Some there were Grandmother Delilah Hershman, daughter Tina Cavin and Julie and Amy and Gabe, from Kirklint, Indiana, Faye Sell from Perryton, Andy and Lisa Singleton and Philip from Lubbock, J.P. and Martha Meek, Vea and Leon Fillingim, Ruth Irvine, (she took videos), Connie Irvine and Marie from White Deer, Casey Tipps from Fritch, Charles and Lajo Crownover and Boyce, Jodie, Londa and Terri, Harold and Katherine Jones, Willis and Verna Fillingim, E.G. and Willa Fillingim, Horace and Juanita Fillingim, Evelyn Meek, Lois Meadows, Mozelle Thomas, John Hershman and Ann (they took pictures) from Indiana and daughter Carol. Also there were Brad's parents, Darrel and Margie Dawson, Brad's grandmother and a brother and family and others, also a sister. Rev. Aaron Laverty performed the lovely ceremony.

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By: Sue Mayfield

Happy Birthday to: Misty Walker, Tina (Lehman) Young and Katie Cornett on Nov. 30; Pat Childress, Vickey Nelson, Becky Vise Wilson, Renee Joslyn, Heather Hampton, Lydia Moore and Pam Thompson on Dec. 1; Pam Jones, Shonda Logan, Cary George, Johnny Brannen, Daniel Cook, Ed Uryl Luttrell, Kulani McElroy and Doris Hays on Dec. 2; Amber Estes, Kayla Bateman and Dean Meadows on Dec. 3; Kellie (Blair) Babb, Deann Robertson, Everette Bleaker, Jerrie Moore and Lynn Rector on Dec. 4; Dena Dockins, Luke Bailey, Connie (Walsler) Quimby and David Jones on Dec. 5; Cassie Meadows, Kay Luttrell, Dennis Hefley, Earnest Lancaster, Ottis Barnes, Vernal Densberger, David Hefley and Pete Seitz on Dec. 5; Betty Rains, Charles Mixon, Robert Cook, Denise Moon, Kay Gatlin, Rhonda Ferguson and Glen Ford Moon on Dec. 7.

Happy Anniversary to: Jack and Doris Hays on Dec. 2; Calvin and Leola Stuart and L.D. and Wanda Childress on Dec. 3; and Monroe and Jane Seitz on Dec. 7.

Hope you each had a wonderful Thanksgiving. It certainly was beautiful traveling weather.

Jackie and Fred Thrasher enjoyed having their son Tony, daughter-in-law, Pat, and granddaughter, Jordan Nicole, spend Wed., Thurs. and part of Friday with them. Jordan is 19 months old and busy all the time.

Jackie and her brother Bob Krueger got some bad news about their brother Wallie Krueger in Wisconsin. He had fallen off a ladder last Mon. Nov. 20 and had a blood clot in the brain and on the brain. It had effected him like a stroke in some ways. He has some memory loss, slurred speech and some paralysis. He is still in ICU, but the doctors are very optimistic that within six months he'll be pretty well back to his old self.

Please keep the Krueger family in your prayers.

Friday, Tony, Pat and Jordan went to Lubbock to visit friends, and then came back and spent the night with Jackie and Fred. And then went on to Stratford on Saturday to do Thanksgiving with Pat's family. Jordan was going to get to visit with her great grandmother on her mother's side of the family and her great grandfather, Ray Thrasher. Tony was really looking forward to spending some time with his grandfather.

Jackie and Fred had gotten good news from the tests Jackie had run in Amarillo on Wed. Jackie left Fred at work at Tejas Feeders while she came on home to visit with the kids. Then Bob had to give her the news about their brother. Boy! What a way to start the kids visit. Glad to hear the news keeps getting better.

Fred and Jackie spent Saturday taking care of business in Amarillo and Pampa and doing some shop-

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ping. While they were eating pizza they had the pleasure of visiting with Nathan McLaughlin and his mom, Debbie. Dad, Kent, was helping Kory Joe. Such sweet boys and a wonderful family.

Allen Leatherman of Pampa went to Wheeler Thursday morning and picked up his grandmother, Wilbur Beck, from the Care Center to take her to spend Thanksgiving with the Leathermans in Pampa.

They all had a wonderful time at Wilbur's daughter Glenda's son-in-law Butch, and grandson Chris.

Wilbur spent the night at Glenda's and then Allen took her back to the Care Center Friday.

Jeff Mayfield, Danielle (Sky) Jacobs and Harley Jacobs went to Dallas Wed. night to spend the Thanksgiving holiday and Harley's second birthday in Richardson with Bob and Beckie Moore. (Sky's step-dad and mother).

They also visited with Sky's grandfather and her sister Michelle, brother-in-law Greg and nephew Grant.

Harley had a big time and made out like a bandit.

We had taken Harley's birthday things by on Mon. so she'd have them. She was more interested in the birthday bear and clown bag than what was in it. (Almost as much fun as an empty box). She did finally pull the clothes out and shake them and say "oh!! Cute!" (Little ones make it all worth while). Harley threw the clothes on the floor and went back to playing with the gift bag. (Kids!!)

Johnny Herring and Tim Mayfield made it home for Thanksgiving. Jesse had to stay in Irving to work.

We had an enjoyable Thanksgiving holiday. We had so very much to be thankful for. I guess you could say we didn't know if we were coming or going though.

Bob and I left here Wed. night to go to Dumas. We made a few prepara-

tions for Thursday and then sat down with mom and dad for a couple of tough games of scrabble.

Thursday morning was spent doing the usual preparations. Then Tim called at 11:00 and he was in Pampa. So Bob and I drove back and picked him up. Then beat it back to Dumas.

My brother, Keith Sorensen, his wife Karen, and my sister, Shannon Pool were all there when we got back. After a wonderful dinner and some visiting my brother had to load up and go pick up a trailer in Canyon, so he could be in El Paso Friday morning. He stopped in Hereford for a short visit with his children Jessica and Aaron Sorensen before heading south.

Friday Tim came back to Pampa to take care of business and visit with friends.

We ran to Portales to spend a few hours with our grandchildren, Michael and Brianna. They are growing like the proverbial weeds. They are sweet and loveable as ever. We all marked out next visit on calendars, so we can look forward to them spending Christmas in Texas.

Michael told me to tell his teacher (Mrs. Kincannon) and his friend, Tisha McLaughlin, "Hi! I miss you!"

Tim and Johnny came by for dinner Sunday before heading back to Irving. They'll be back sometime Fri. or Sat. to get all their furniture collected.

We were pleasantly surprised to see some familiar, friendly faces at Loves in Dumas Saturday morning. Daryl, Tillie, and Will Snelgroves really took us by surprise. Good to see them doing something besides working for a change. They were on their way to see Mique and Matt in Stratford.

Please keep Marion Grimes in your prayers. He had emergency surgery at High Plains Baptist Hospital in Amarillo on Sunday November 19th. We hope this finds you feeling much better Marion.

Pauline Hooker got to spend a couple of days with Peggy and Mack Shelton. They brought her home in time to have Thanksgiving with family here. The girls fixed Choice Scott two heaping plates of goodies. Enough dinner for three days. She really appreciates Sue Harrison and Inez Moore, because they always remember her on their get togethers. "Those Hooker girls are sure good cooks."

Ray and Velma Forbes had a nice surprise Saturday. Their grandson John Forbes of Pampa came down

and spent the morning with them and ate lunch before he went back. They had a very enjoyable visit. They sure missed Melody. But since she's working with the home health care service she sometimes has to work week-ends.

Please keep Velma in your prayers. She is still having problems controlling her blood pressure.

Our condolences go out to Ralph House and the family and friends of Leona House in her death Monday morning of a heart attack. They took

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her to the hospital and did emergency surgery to implant a pacemaker, but it wasn't enough. (When the Lord's ready for us, all the doctors in the world can't change that).

Word was received of the death of Mary Leona House in Union, S.C. on Monday November 27, 1995.

Funeral Mass was at 2:00 p.m. Thursday November 30th in Union, S.C. Arrangements were handled by Holcomb Funeral Home of Union.

Leona was 76 years old and is survived by her husband, Ralph D. House of the home, a son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Torne House of Las Vegas, Nevada, three daughters, Jane Holstien of San Francisco, California, A.C. and Betty Joan Martin of Union, South Carolina, and Richard and Carol Kidd of Fort Smith, Arkansas and several grandchildren.

Anyone wishing to send a card or contact her family may do so by writing:

Ralph B. House
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Ralph and Leona had many friends in this area.

We have really missed them since they moved to Union a year ago.

Since they've moved Ralph has had to have cancer surgery and Chemotherapy. He still has about 90 days more of chemotherapy.

But his symptoms of congestive heart failure have almost been non-existent. His blood pressure has been almost back to normal since his surgery.

We are so thankful that Ralph's health is so much better.

Beulah and Doyle Grimes had a really Great Thanksgiving. They went to Beulah's youngest sister and her husband, Mary Sue and Lynn Stephenson's in Amarillo. All three of the sisters and their brother along with several nieces and nephews and families were all present. There were 43 people for dinner.

They had a real taste treat. So much delicious tempting food. The traditional turkey, a honey baked ham, and the gourmet experience of Cajun Turkey. Really tasty.

After a wonderful afternoon of visiting they had a surprise birthday party for the birthday boys of the week, Joe Talley of Miami and Luke Stephenson of Amarillo. Cake, ice cream, and balloons and to put the finishing touches on the festivities cards and gifts.

Ruth Hathaway was having a good day Monday. Ruth really appreciates Dr. Mendiola and all her home health nurses. She has Roda White from Shamrock, Christi Jones of Wheeler and our hometown, Suzie Mabry, to help her on a regular basis. Ruth

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CARD OF THANKS

We would like to thank those who helped with the care of our Mother and Grandmother, Gertie Cornell. Dr. Galutia, the staff of Wheeler Care Center, the nurses at Parkview Hospital.

Also, the communities of our area for the visits, meals, cards, calls and prayers during our time of sorrow.

Wright Funeral Home for the compassion shown to us. Words cannot adequately express our appreciation.

Bob Cornell Families
Doyle Cornell Families
Larry Cornell Families
Janice Parks Families
Anthony Cornell Families

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Dollie Haning of Vernon, Ruth's sister, is doing much better. Ruth hopes Dollie continues to do well so she can come up for a visit close to Christmas.

Sunday her son, Paul, called to see if she felt up to a ride. He had to go over by Gageby to pick up some more hay.

It was quite an afternoon, being on roads that were just trails when she was a young girl. Places where trails don't even exist any more.

Ruth first came to this area from Vernon, TX the first time in 1916. She traveled many miles over these roads and trails in a wagon. (Imagine the changes she's witnessed in this area, in the world!)

Our parents and grandparents have so much to teach us and share with us. And the lucky ones that get a chance to learn it from great grandparents and great-great-grandparents.

The county guys from precinct one have been working with the city council members to cure some of our major drainage problems on our streets. We really appreciate all of you and hope soon all of our ruts and roads will be in good shape again.

Thursday afternoon Gary and Marilyn Grimes took Doyle and Beulah up to High Plains Baptist Hospital to see Doyles brother, Marion. He is still having alot of trouble.

Please keep praying for Marion and his family.

Doyle and Beulah ate supper and spent the night with Gary and Marilyn. While there they got to visit with two of their granddaughters and great-grandson.

Carol Remy still takes good care of Choice Scott. Carol comes over twice a week to get things caught up for Choice. While she's here she always cooks something good for Choice. Carol's a really good cook. She often brings Choice part of a tasty new recipe she's tried.

Clinton and Maurita Stribling hosted a huge family Thanksgiving. One of the participants was Maurita's sister, Cleve Sluder of Corpus Christi, TX.

Cleve visited Doyle and Beulah Grimes on Friday afternoon. They had a wonderful visit. Cleve and Beulah graduated together from Mobeetie High School in 1936. They were neighbors as well as classmates for many years.

Clinton and Maurita live on the Leman home place. Maurita, Cleve and their brother remember the home place with just a part of the Stribling home. But lots of good memories.

Beulah and her family lived over the hill east of the Lemans.

They had lots of fond memories to recant.

Calvin and Leola Stuart went to Erick, OK Thursday to have Thanksgiving with her mother, Gladys, and Jerry, Sheryl, Tyler, and Katie Richardson of Sayre, OK, along with Jimmy, Patsy, and Lisa Richardson of Oklahoma City.

Later in the day they went over to Iva Richardson's to surprise all of them and visit with all the nieces and nephews. All of Iva's children and grandchildren were home for the holiday's. All of the families except Michael and his wife of Perryton got to spend the four day weekend. Michael had to return to work Friday.

Being true shoppers at heart Calvin and Leola got off to Elk City early Friday to fight the crowds and shop the sales. It paid off. They found Gladys a new divan for almost half the original price. (Just what they'd been looking for!!) Calvin spied it just about as soon as they walked in the store.

Hope your enjoying your new divan Gladys.

Saturday Gary Grimes came up from Amarillo and helped his Dad, Doyle, move some cattle and do some chores. He is always good to come help his folks.

Jeff Mayfield, Sky and Harley Jacobs made it home safely from Richardson, TX late Saturday night. Along with all of Harley's goodies they also inherited a sewing machine and chair from Greg and Michelle. Just in time for Christmas.

Saturday Calvin and Leola Stuart went to the big sale over at Briscoe Saturday. Found lots of goodies. But Calvin's prize was a pickup top.

They enjoyed visiting with all their family at Briscoe. But were all pleasantly surprised when Uncle Fred and Edith Castle of Shannon, TX drove up.

Fred and Edith had spent Friday night in Shamrock with Beulah Stuart.

Wheeler ISD Schedules

Troll Book Fair Dec. 4

A Troll Book Fair is coming to Wheeler ISD on December 4 to December 8. The Book Fair will be fun for everyone. You'll be thrilled with your child's enthusiasm, and pleased with the wonderful selection of books.

The Troll Book Fair News will be sent home soon. This booklist features hundreds of titles including awards-winners, classics, popular authors, sports, activities, and more. These and other books will be on sale during the Book Fair. You and your child will enjoy browsing for just the right books to buy!

Remember, the support you give the Book Fair not only helps raise funds for Annual Staff, but also helps your child develop a lifetime love for books and reading.

Melody, Christy, Anthony and Debra Sherrell of Copan, Oklahoma and Glenda and her family have been visiting with Wilhelmina Sherrell.

Melody's and Glenda's have also been visiting with C.W. Burch. Charlotte Coward had to go to the Dr. in Pampa Mon. Nov. 20th. Dr. Juan found out Charlotte had pneumonia so gave her some powerful antibiotics and she went on to Diana's at Borger.

Thursday, Diana, Randy, Nicole and Kara and Charlotte all went to Gene and Judy Cowards at Canadian for dinner. All of Judy's family was there also so had 30 people for dinner.

Please keep Claudia Quarles in your prayers. Her health is up and down.

Saturday evening Fat and Wanda Childress, Addie Swift and Fred and Edith Castle ate supper and had a nice visit at Calvin and Leola's.

Sunday Calvin went over to Briscoe to pick up his top. After visiting with family he wrangled a supper invitation from Scott and Kay Luttrell. Also enjoying a delicious meal with Scott's were Dub Swift and wife of Pampa, their son Brian also of Pampa, Fat and Wanda Childress and Janet Tatyrek of Mobeetie.

Beulah and Doyle Grimes went to the senior citizens get together in Miami Monday night. They always enjoy these events every chance they get.

If the good Lord is willing and the roads don't close, Tanya and Ronnie Stuart and at least Jarrod and Todd will leave Tempe, Arizona Christmas Eve as soon as Jarrod gets off work. So they'll plan to be here late Christmas Day.

Thanks to Jackie Thrasher for the delicious sweet breads. She made a family favorite fruit bread that her mother used to make. Then also make a yummy banana nut bread. (Temptation! Temptation!)

Have ya'll seen our Jeanne Roper modeling on the V.J. holiday commercial? Beautiful!!!

Mark your calendars on December 19th for the post office Customer Appreciation Day. We'll be serving refreshments from 10:00 until 2:00. We'll be looking forward to visiting with you on Tuesday the 19th.

Hope you had a great Thanksgiving Edith, Kelley and Mr. St. John. The weather here was beautiful. But today (Tuesday 28th) it is really nippy. 13 degrees this morning on my front porch at 5:30 a.m.

Dale and Melba Corcoran took Jud and Lorene Rector to Amarillo Tuesday, November 21st for Jud's last radiation treatment on his face. They met Jerry and Marjorie Rector at the Black-eyed Pea for lunch and a nice visit.

Lynn Sims went to Redding, California for his son's birthday and a wedding reception on November 19th. Congratulations Robert and Ann.

Robert and Ann Sims were married earlier in the month in a small ceremony. Then waited to have the reception when more family and friends could get together.

Ann has a little 2 year old boy, Logan. So Robert has a ready made family. Robert and Logan really enjoy each other.

Congratulations Grandpa and Grandma Sim's and Aunt Serena.

Dale and Melba Corcoran went to Amarillo Wednesday for Dale's doctors appointment. They visited with Bob Aycock in the VA Hospital before Dale's appointment.

Joyce Aycock had to rush Bob to the VA hospital about 4:00 a.m. Sunday November 19th. His blood pressure was extremely high and he had to have more tests on his lungs and kidneys. They're a bunch of vampires down there and still haven't come up with any sure answers. Bob got to come home Thanksgiving evening and is feeling some better. Came home with another sackful of "drugs." But if they're working it's worth it.

Friday night Dale and Melba Corcoran visited at the Wheeler Care Center with Verna Corcoran.

Leesa Sims and Serena spent Thanksgiving in Dumas with Leesa's mother and step-father, Mr. and Mrs. Red Hudson. They had such a nice visit. Serena really enjoyed singing and dancing for her grandma and Papa.

The Hudsons attended church at the First Baptist Church of Dumas. They have a new preacher at that church after 31 years. Really a change. Scott Willingham is a very dynamic preacher.

Sorry I missed Clifford and Euline Walsler. I know they had a house full of company. But I'll have to get the update next week.

Dale and Melba Corcoran visited in Wheeler Saturday with William and Patricia Burch, Christopher, Tyler and Caitlyn.

Saturday afternoon Dale and Melba Corcoran visited at Wal-Mart in Pampa with LaVerne Corcoran. Her mother Effie Johnston had broken her hip and is in the Pampa hospital.

Jap and Alice Bailey went to Pampa and joined the rest of the family at Johnny and Debbie Bailey's. They had 34 people present for a delicious meal and lots of good visiting.

Saturday Johnny, Mark and Luke Bailey and Allen Parker of Pampa came out to Mobeetie and helped the Bailey's all brand.

Mae and Hugh hosted a branding dinner. Mae really out did herself. I'll have to catch Mae and get all the details.

Mae and Hugh are hard people to catch. I really have to be fast, or lucky! After Johnny, Mark, Luke and Allen got done helping brand they did alot of chores for Jap and Alice. Really life savers.

Enjoying Thanksgiving with Jud and Lorene Rector were Melody Sherrell, Christy, Anthony and Debra of Copan, Oklahoma, William, Patricia, Christopher, Tyler and Caitlyn Burch of Wheeler and Dale and Melba Corcoran.

Leon and Rosemary Dockins had alot of company over the holiday weekend. I'll have to get the details from Rosemary.

Melody, Christy, Anthony and Debra Sherrell of Copan, Oklahoma and Glenda and her family have been visiting with Wilhelmina Sherrell.

Melody's and Glenda's have also been visiting with C.W. Burch. Charlotte Coward had to go to the Dr. in Pampa Mon. Nov. 20th. Dr. Juan found out Charlotte had pneumonia so gave her some powerful antibiotics and she went on to Diana's at Borger.

Thursday, Diana, Randy, Nicole and Kara and Charlotte all went to Gene and Judy Cowards at Canadian for dinner. All of Judy's family was there also so had 30 people for dinner.

Please keep Claudia Quarles in your prayers. Her health is up and down.

Just gets a handle on one thing and something else crops up.

Lorene Rector and Melba Corcoran were on their way to Wheeler for Lorene to have an echogram done Tuesday morning Nov. 28th.

Grandmother "Nettie" Luttrell and MeMa "Mona" Guinn hosted a family Thanksgiving in Wheeler. There was plenty of delicious food and great fun and fellowship.

Those making the get together more special were Rev. Stanley and Connie Baker of Walters, OK.; Claris Baker of Shawnee, OK.; Rodney and Charles Baker of Walters, OK.; Jeff and Labrisa Baker and Hollie of Austin, TX.; Cherry Baker and friends Bob Coffelt of Oklahoma City, Bonnie and Steve Sensing of Charlotte, North Carolina, Mendi Body and friend Rodney of Martin, Tennessee, John Paul Guinn of Austin, David, Debbie, Jacob and Alicia Guinn of Austin.

Grandmother and MeMa really enjoyed having all of Mona's children and grandchildren together except two grandchildren for the first time in 15 years.

Murray Body of Miami, Florida and Shelli Guinn of Austin were the only two that couldn't make it. (They'll make it next time).

Dale and Melba Corcoran visited in Wheeler Sunday afternoon with Pauline Barnes.

Both Jr. High teams from Ft. Elliott won their games against Higgins Monday night. Good Job!!

Tonight the Lady Cougars and Cougars play Alamo Catholic at the Briscoe Campus Tuesday night.

The Allison Tournament starts Thursday afternoon. GOOD LUCK COUGARS! Mark your calendars for Dec. 14th for the Christmas at Ft. Elliott Elementary. The K-5 have a really cute play planned. They have been working on "A Journey To The Center of Christmas." Plan not to miss it!!!

Team Kids Team Kids went on a Pizza Party in Pampa Fri. at noon then shopping at Wal-Mart. Then they went to the Freedom Museum. Those going were Patricia, Melissa and Steven Kephart, George and Stormy Reeves, Christy Selby, Dena Dockins, Willene Burke and Melba Corcoran.

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Basketball

(from page 4)

Booker 36, Wheeler 28
(8th Grade Girls)
Wheeler 6 16 20 28
Booker 9 17 25 36

Individual Scoring
Player (2) (3) Ft. To.
Rebekah Morrison 3 1 7
Kristen Lee 1 2
Jennifer Haning 1 2
Kara Keelin 1 2
Jennifer Johnson 1 2
Rachel Montgomery 1 1
Lauren Weaver 1 1
Stephanie Lee 1 1
Lenna Watson 1 1
Whitney Simmons 1 1 3
Brooke Verden 4 8

Coach Scott's Comments:
The 8th grade Lady Colts never got off on the right foot last Monday night as they were defeated at Booker. A great game was provided by Rebekah Morrison who kept the Colts alive. Super defense was played by J.J. Johnson on a tough Booker post player, but it was too little to late as the Colts could not take the ball to the hole and score effectively and continuously. Again, as in the 7th grade game super help was provided by the bench throughout the night. These Colts just have to have more confidence in themselves and believe in their abilities.

Next game: Groom Here at 6:00 12-4-95

Wheeler 35, Booker 21
(7th Grade Girls)
Wheeler 6 14 17 35
Booker 6 12 14 21

Individual Scoring
Player (2) (3) Ft. To.
Kristen Lee 2 4
Jacinda Watson 0 0
Rachel Reimer 0 0
Macey Bryant 0 0
Legan Hampton 5 10
Tina McWhorter 2 4
Lauren Emmert 3 6
Jennifer Carpenter 0 0
Shannon Lewallen 2 4
Mehelle Marshall 0 2
Sandy Bradstreet 1 2
Jotana Simmons 2 4

Coach Scott's Comments:
Great support was provided from the bench as Megan Hampton scored 6 key 4th quarter points as the Lady Colts had a 18 point run in the final minutes to pull out a big victory over the Kiowas. The Lady Colts played better team work and with finally a full week of practice this week should improve and be ready for Groom here next Monday night at 4:00

Attention Area Veterans
All Veterans who have not prepared and mailed in all Eligibility Verification Reports (EVR) Reporting unreimbursed Medical Expenses for the year of 1994. These EVRs must be mailed prior to Dec. 31 or they will not be paid by Veterans Administration. If assistance is required in making these reports contact Wheeler County Veterans Service Officer Wallace Fields for help.

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Wheeler Co. Bass Club Holds Final Tournament

The Wheeler County Bass Club held its final two tournaments in October to end the 1995 season.

The seventh tournament for the year was held at Crowder Lake south of Weatherford, Okla. with five members and two guest.

It was the first time a guest has been in the winners bracket with Jon Steffey winning the tournament with two fish weighing 2 Lbs. 03.8 Oz. Larry Jones took home 2nd place with one fish weighing 2 Lb. 02.7 Oz. 3rd place went to Bob McCain with one fish, at 2 Lbs. 00.3 Oz. The Big Bass for the day was caught on a plastic worm next to a layed down tree, by Larry Jones weighing 2 Lbs. 02.7 Oz.

The last tournament for the year took place at Vanderworks Lake in Oklahoma with five members and two guests.

Von Chapman took home first place with two fish tipping the scales at 4 Lbs. 10.2 Oz. which also secured the lead for the Angler Of The Year. Bob McCain took home second place with one fish weighing 3 Lbs. 6.2 Oz. Third Place went to Ronny Jones with one fish weighing 3 Lbs. 5.7 Oz. Tommy Sherrod was close behind with 1 fish at 3 Lbs. 4.0 Oz. and Jim Gilmer with one fish at 2 Lbs.

VON CHAPMAN won the ANGLER OF THE YEAR title with 19 Lbs. 10.2 Oz. Von had a real good year with 3 1st Place wins and 2 Big Bass awards.

RONNY JONES won the BIG BASS OF THE YEAR title with a 5 Lbs. 12.0 Oz. fish caught at Baylor Lake July 15. Ronny finished with 2 1st place and one Big Bass award.

Tommy Sherrod finished the year with 1 1st place, 1 second and 1 big bass.

Larry Jones finished with 3 seconds and 2 big bass.

Bob McCain finished with 1 second 1 big bass.

Paul Bentley finished with 1 second.

David McIntyre finished with 1 second.

FINAL STANDINGS FOR 1995

1. Von Chapman 19 Lbs. 10.2 Oz.
2. Tommy Sherrod 16 Lbs. 09.7 Oz.
3. Ronny Jones 13 Lbs. 09.9 Oz.
4. Larry Jones 08 Lbs. 15.5 Oz.
5. Bob McCain 07 Lbs. 02.2 Oz.
6. Jim Gilmer 05 Lbs. 13.0 Oz.
7. Paul Bentley 04 Lbs. 00.3 Oz.
8. David McIntyre 03 Lbs. 09.5 Oz.
9. Randy Finsterwald 01 Lbs. 07.6 Oz.
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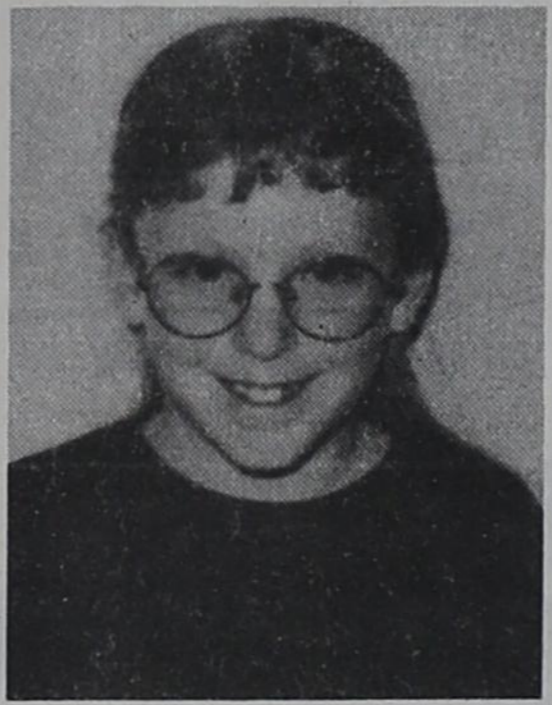
Concert Thurs., Dec. 7

Southwestern Oklahoma State University's percussion ensemble will be featured in concert on Thursday, Dec. 7, at 7 p.m. in Room 101 of the Music Building on the Weatherford campus. Admission is free and the public invited.

The ensemble is conducted by David Bessinger. Members of the ensemble include: Brent Huckert, Wheeler, TX.

Wedding Invitation Given

Together with their parents, DeAnne Michelle Grover and (Travis) Cade Hughes request the honour of your presence at their marriage on Saturday, the second day of December nineteen hundred and ninety-five at ten O'clock in the morning First United Methodist Church, 704 Main Street, Wheeler, Texas.



STUDENT OF THE WEEK: Andrea Hathaway was the student of the week at Fort Elliott Elementary for the week of November 20, 1995. Andrea is in the Third grade and the daughter of Wade and Gayla Hathaway of Mobeetie, Texas.

Ft. Elliott Basketball Teams Defeat Higgins

The Lady Cougars defeated Higgins in basketball Monday night at Ft. Elliott by the score of 32-13. Scoring by quarters went 6-3, 15-7, 21-9, and 32-13. Leading scorers for the Lady Cougars were Carissa Dukes 16, Candy Hilburn 6, Amber Estes 5, and Julie Zybach 5. Leading rebounders were Ashley Estes, Amber Estes, and Candy Hilburn. Also playing were Kirby Kinnaman, Casey Zybach, Jennifer Maddox, and Terri Crownover. The girls played a good defensive game, but missed many easy shots. We still need to improve our shooting. We were 4 out of 5 in the free throw line. The Lady Cougars are 3-0 and 2-0 in district.

The Cougars also defeated the Higgins team 52-35. Scoring by quarters went 15-6, 29-16, 40-24, and 52-35. Leading scorers were Clay Zybach with 19, Curt Smith 14, Eric Diebel 13, Nathan Hefley 4, and Glen Moon 2. Rebounding for the Cougars was Clay and Eric who both played a strong game inside. Defensive pressure from Nathan Hefley and Curt gave Higgins alot of problems. Also playing in the game were Andy Finsterwald, Matt Daniels, Monty Hand, George Reeves, Aaron Hartline, and Justin Hefley. The Cougars are also 3-0 and 2-0 in district. Next game is Monday at Allison.



FIVE GENERATIONS: (left front) Mary E. Nelson, Waynoka, OK.; (left back) Arlene Nelson Failles, Waynoka, OK.; (back right) Donneta Failles Dollar, Wheeler, TX.; (front right) Stephanie Dollar Luster and (middle front) Brooke Dawnielle Luster. —Photo by M.C. Penny Dollar, Wheeler, TX.

CARD OF THANKS

The Shamrock L.V.N. students would like to Thank The Area Businesses that donated Door Prizes for the Student Vocational Nursing Convention that was held in Clarendon, TX on Oct. 23, 1995.

We would also like to thank "Jan's Western Outlet" in Shamrock and "Appearances" in Wheeler for supplying Cloth-

ing for the style show that was held at the Convention.

We would also like to announce that we will be having a BAKE SALE at JACK'S SUPERMARKET in Shamrock on December 9, 1995, from 9 a.m. till 2 p.m. Please stop by and support your area L.V.N. students.

Thank You
Shamrock L.V.N.'s

We want to Thank the Allison Volunteer Fire Department, the Briscoe Volunteer Fire Department and Hemphill County Sheriff's Department and EMS in helping us locate our loved one.

The family of
Ellen Lee Huff

Wheeler Church of Christ

Congregational Concerns:

At the conclusion of the morning worship service on this Sunday morning, December 3rd, a fellowship luncheon will be held in the multi-purpose building. Foy and Joyce Perkins will be honored at this luncheon.

The latest mission report from India is posted on the bulletin board in the lobby. This report was written by Ron Clayton, a former minister of this congregation.

Vergia Reagen continues to slowly improve from her recent heart problems.

Myrtle Dorman has completed her radiation treatments in Amarillo. She is confined to her home, but her condition is slowly improving.

Viola White is hospitalized in the local hospital. Her condition has improved and she may be released in the next few days.

Ed Forrester is scheduled to have back surgery this week in Amarillo. He will be hospitalized in High Plains Baptist Hospital.

Juanita Horton, the mother of Linda Daughtry, recently fell and broke her hip. She is in the hospital in Altus, Oklahoma.

From The Minister's Desk:

Mark Twain, the humorist, once made this observation: "What I understand about the Bible gives me a lot more trouble than what I do not understand." I think that the validity of this observation could be illustrated by several Biblical texts, but the best illustration may be Proverbs 22:6. This text says: "Train up a child in the way he should go, even when he is old he will not depart from it."

This is a very familiar Biblical text. Do you correctly understand it? It is a text that is often read and quoted to emphasize the responsibility that parents have for the training of their children. However, there are some people who interpret this text to mean that children who are properly trained by their parents will always be faithful to God. The premise of this interpretation is: "Parents must properly train their children. If parents properly train their children, they will always be faithful to God. Therefore, if children are not always faithful to God, their parents did not properly train them."

Is this interpretation correct? In my opinion, it is not correct because it cannot be harmonized with two Biblical truths. These truths are: 1. The Bible teaches that a person's practice of the will of God will always be imperfect. James says: "—We all stumble in many ways." (James 3:2) So will parents! Even the most conscientious and dedicated parents will "—stumble in many ways—" in the training of their children. Regardless of their age or Biblical knowledge, parents are fallible and their practice of the will of God will always be imperfect.

2. The Bible teaches that the will of God is accepted or rejected by personal choice. Children, like every other person, have the privilege of choice which gives them the right to accept or reject the training of their parents. According to the text, parents are to train their children "—in the way—" that they "—should go—", suggesting that children may choose not to go that way. Please do

not misunderstand. Parents should and must train their children, but children can choose to accept or to reject that training.

Proverbs 22:6 states a principle not a law. It is a principle that warns and comforts parents. It warns parents: "Train your children. Live your faith before them. Encourage them to choose to imitate your faith then when they are old they will not depart from it." But this principle also comforts parents: "Do not assume guilt that does not belong to you. You can train your children. You can pray for them. You can cry for them. But you cannot obey and serve God for them. It is their choice."

Study Proverbs 22:6 again. Does it teach what you believe that it does.

Epilogue
In a recent issue of a religious magazine that I receive there was an article that clearly emphasized the principle of Proverbs 22:6. While the magazine did not give the name of the author of the article, it gave the title of the article.

This article was entitled, "To My Child: Things I Can And Cannot Do" and it said:—
I can share your life, but I cannot live it for you.
I can teach you things, but I cannot make you learn.
I can give you directions, but I cannot always lead you.
I can allow you freedom, but I cannot account for it.
I can take you to church, but I cannot make you believe.
I can give you love, but I cannot force it upon you.
I can teach you to share, but I cannot make you unselfish.
I can teach you to be a friend, but I cannot make you one.
I can teach you to obey, but I cannot make you obedient.
I can teach about Jesus, but I cannot make Him your Savior.

Bill Morrison, Minister
Church of Christ
Wheeler, Texas

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.