

Retirement Party

There will be a Retirement Reception for Mildred Ramsey and Bill Owen on Friday, February 17, from 2:00 to 4:00 p.m. at the City Office. Everyone is invited to attend.



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"Wheeler, town of friendship and pride."

CWE CHAT WITH EDITOR

By Louis C. Stas

CONGRATULATIONS to the Wheeler and Kelton Basketball teams. The district will be represented by the two schools as the basketball playoffs begin later this month. Wheeler girls won first place in district and Kelton girls took second. The Kelton boys won first place honors and the Wheeler boys won second. If the success of both teams continues, we can look forward to a 'finals' playoff between these two teams.

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No, we have not slighted the Mustangs, their 'Sig Page' is scheduled later in the month.

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And, we were not picking on Mobeetie with the omission of their honor rolls from last week's paper. They are carried this week. We needed part space on the front page for something besides honor rolls and theirs was the last one in the office.

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Our correspondent, Vetola Parker, and the "Times" received some publicity Sunday in "The Pampa Daily

News". Bear Mills, the writer of "Off Beat", devoted his column to our publication. Thanks for the compliments, Bear.

-cwe-

Puny Griffin was in the office the other day and I inquired of the reaction he had received from the story done by "The Amarillo Daily News" on their green eggs. The article was published several weeks ago and they are still having calls and visitors in connection with the article.

-cwe-

Our Irish neighbors are getting ready for St. Patrick's; the "Texan" is making pictures for their special edition. Bill and Kip were in the office Thursday. They stopped by the "Times" for the pictures for the comic section.

-cwe-

James Verden was in the office the other day and wanted to move to my section of town. His rain gauge only showed 0.75 inches of rain, which compared with other reports he had heard. None close to my 1.61 measure for Friday and Saturday, Jan. 27-28. Bill Owen helped a little with his measure of 1.0 inches. Maybe this will make up for the times we didn't receive as much moisture.

-cwe-

You will notice some of the items printed in bold time. This was not intentional; "Junior" acted up and one 'whole strip' of copy was this way. We blame it on static electricity; the office is full of it. Movement within four feet of "Junior" has caused him to act up.

-cwe-

An Emergency Care Attendant class will be offered, beginning in March; enrollment will be Tuesday, February 28. This class is open to anyone interested in learning CPR for the care of heart attack victims and the victims of other illnesses and/or trauma. This will also allow EMT and ECA certificate holders to renew; every four years these certificates have to be renewed. For further information, you may contact me at 826-3123 or Mary K. Christner at 826-3109. We will have additional information next week.

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Mary K. had brought the notice on the class in to be published two weeks ago, and I 'pasted it on the wall' and forgot about it.

-cwe-

Bill Robertson was accused of giving me a ride to Chamber Tuesday so he would get his name in the paper. That wasn't his reason; I called and asked for a ride.

-cwe-

Monty Kinnard and Jennifer are always complaining because they do not get their names in "CWE". They 'team up' for what they thought was an unbeatable "Pictionary" team. Liz Lovell and I have proved them wrong for the past three games. They have probably beat Liz and I more than we have defeated them.

-cwe-

My 'kids' in Sherman and Houston could not believe we had no snow and/or ice. Sherman has had several inches of snow and as you know Houston is 'iced' over. Cathi always likes to come home in the winter for some 'cold weather'.

-cwe-

DISTRICT CHAMPIONS



WHEELER MUSTANGETTES WIN DISTRICT: Team pictured (l. to r.) are Kelli Sutton, Marcie Miles, Mitchie Loyd, Samantha Gaines, Deidra

Dorman, Dee Dee Dorman, Tammy Helton, Bobbie Kuehler, Marcy Smith, Liz Stiles, Tera Henderson, and Lori Vanpool. Standing (l. to r.) are managers Shelly McCasland, Tammy Gallagher, Christi Porton, Kristi Finsterwald and Coach Jan Newland. They closed their season with 19 wins and 7 losses.

Services Held For Eugene Hollie Gudgel

Eugene Hollie Gudgel, 71, died Tuesday, January 31, 1989.

Services were held at 2:30 p.m. Thursday, February 2 in First United Methodist Church. Rev. Jack Hays, of Wheeler, the Rev. Jim Davis, Pastor, and Rev. Ralph Hovey, pastor of First Baptist Church officiated.

Burial was in Mobeetie Cemetery by Wright Funeral Home.

Mr. Gudgel, born in Atoka County, Okla. moved to Mobeetie in 1939. He was a self-employed painter. He married Marie Parker in 1930 at Shamrock. He was a member of First United Methodist Church.

Survivors include his wife; two sons, Gerald Gudgel of Oklahoma City and Ronald Gudgel of Andrews; three daughters, Wanda Binnion of Midland, Anna Mae Lancaster of Ray, Colo. and Mary Helen Corcoran of Sugarland; a brother, Allen Gudgel of Atoka, Okla.; a sister, Mary Woods of Merced, Calif. and 12 grandchildren.

Pallbearers were Harold Austin, Joe Darnell, Gordon Estes, Tom Helton, Bill Ridgway, Clinton Stribling.

MOBEETIE SCHOOLS HONOR ROLLS

SIX WEEKS

FIRST GRADE: All A's; Kyle Masters, Travis May, Amber Estes. All A's and B's; Jarrad Lewis.

All B's; Justin Berryman.

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Ain't It The Truth

By Ab Gunter

A few weeks ago I was having coffee with A.J. Foyt in the motel at the track and we got to talking about our children and about their growing up and about the grandkids and about the problems that confront all kids and I got to thinking, I reckon all parents and all kids have the same pleasures and disappointments. I got to thinking about A.J. when he was a kid and his Father and my visit a few years ago and Mr. Foyt was telling about when A.J. was a little tyke taking apart his tricycle to see what made it work and to see if the darn thing would go faster and as he grew he got a bike and was always working on it and then motorcycles and trying to make them go faster than the wind. Mr. Foyt said the local police would come by his shop and say A.J. you better coral that kid of yours he's been buzzin down these streets on that darn bike of his again. To this very day A.J. is still buzzin around but not in a tricycle but some of the most sophisticated vehicles that Human can design. I wanted to watch A.J. testing one of his new vehicles but was busy with something else and as he would go by at over 200 mph you could tell it was him at the wheel. Somehow

he just makes a different noise than the other drivers.

Some folks say whats wrong with A.J. he's not winning as much as he used to, well I certainly don't know what's wrong with A.J. I can't think of a thing he's doing wrong, I think he's doing just what his Father did and that is to train other young men to be good safe race drivers. He's so busy with so many things I don't see how he does it but he does. One nite I was sittin between A.J. and Chuck Yeager and each of them had a book about their lives and deeds. I asked each of them had they read the others book and neither had, I told them they were like two peas in a pod, been in serious accidents and recovered with no visible scars, had spent their lives being the very best they could be to the fastest man and seemed to enjoy every bit of it. No them fellers ain't the average run of the field sort, they got more determination than a hundred men and suffer all the consequences and come back fighting harder than ever. I don't have either of them audiegraped photos cause I really don't need em, I will always remember both of their actions and friendship.

See you next week, Ab and Mama.

CARD OF THANKS

The family of Carrol Laycock would like to express our appreciation for all of your kindness during the illness and death of our loved one, husband and father, Carrol Laycock.

Thanks to each of you for your prayers, visits, food, cards and memorials. Special thanks to Brother Robert Helsley.

God bless each of you.

The Carrol Laycock Family

Mobeetie News

By Melba Corcoran

Jerry, Joyce, Rance and Cody Rector of Amarillo visited Tuesday with Jud and Lorene Rector.

Our sympathy goes out to Marie Gudgel and family on the death of Gene Gudgel. He will be missed.

James and Flora Alexander of Pampa visited Sunday with Lester and Jewel Leonard, Marie Gudgel and Melba Corcoran.

Orville Greenhouse is in Coronado Community Hospital in Pampa. Remember her in your prayers.

Henry Johnston is still in Parkview Hospital in Wheeler but reported as improving.

Shorty Amador of Pampa visited Jud Rector during the week. Jud was Shorty boss on the rail road.

Jana Hogan of Pampa visited her grandparents Mr. and Mrs. Jess Patterson on Sat.

Bulah and Doyle Grimes went to see Mary Brewer Wednesday at Abraham Memorial Home in Canadian.

Doug Whaley is home and improving.

Willene Burke is home and doing well.

Sue Seitz has had the flu.

Eva Webb went to Amarillo this past week to the Diagonis Clinic.

Irvin Seitz went to Amarillo Thursday for a check-up.

Bill and Lena Ruth James went to Canadian to see their daughter Paula, Dennis, Randy and Dustin Thompson.

Dinner guest of Boyd Kennedy Sunday was Kathy, Billy, Jamie and Cody James, Starla, Donyell and Little Billy Jackson.

Those enjoying Jamie James, birthday cake Sunday at the home of Billy, Kathy, Jamie and Cody James were Bill and Lena Ruth James, Mary, Brandy, Jerrod and Chad Thompson, Starla, Donyell and little Billy Jackson and Shannon, Michelle, Jeanie and Ronnie Jones.

Visiting this past week with Marie Gudgel were Jeannie, Dale and Betsy Binnon of Midland, Mary Helen, Ray and Stephen Corcoran of Sugarland, Anna Mae, Garland, Scott and Shelly Lancaster of Wray, Colorado, Gerald and Sherry, Terry and Jason Gudgel of Oklahoma City, OK., Shannon, Jeremy, Aredia and Richard Gudgel of Andrews, TX., R.C. Parker of McLean, Rita Blair of Booker, and Larry Blair of Amarillo.

Mary Helen, Roy and Stephen Corcoran of Sugarland visited with Mr. and Mrs. Ariza Corcoran.

Kicki Hamilton and Sara and Wesley Hathaway went with Kim Hathaway to spend the week at Weatherford where Kim attends school.

WHEELER ISD MENU

Feb. 13-17

MONDAY: Breakfast; Juice, cereal, toast, milk.

Lunch; BBQ chicken, fried squash, scalloped potatoes, bread, milk/tea, jello.

TUESDAY: Breakfast; Juice, cinnamon rolls, milk.

Lunch; Fish sticks, corn on the cob, slaw, cornbread, milk/tea, mixed fruit.

WEDNESDAY: Breakfast; Juice, hash browns, bacon, toast, milk.

Lunch; Chicken nuggets, m. potatoes/gravy, green beans, hot rolls, milk/tea, apple cobbler.

THURSDAY: Breakfast; Juice, cowboy bread, sausage, milk.

Lunch; Pizza, corn, salad, milk, cherry turnovers.

FRIDAY: Breakfast; Juice, biscuits/gravy, scrambled eggs, bacon, milk.

Lunch; Creamy taco, cheese, lettuce, tomato, chips, peaches, milk, oatmeal cookies.

Menu subject to change.

Court Records

List of instruments filed in Wheeler County Clerk's Office for the week of January 27 thru February 2, 1989

JANUARY 27, 1989
 RDT—First City National Bank of Houston to One Oil Company 12-22-88 Sec 4 Camp County School Land
 AOL—Stonefield Companies to J. B. Petroleum Corporation 12-1-88
 AOL—Stonefield Investment to J. B. Petroleum Corporation 12-1-88
 OL—Elsie Shelton Maynard to Ladd

Petroleum Corporation 9-2-88 S/2&W220 ac N/2 Sec 19 Blk A-4
 OL—Mary Ellen Puls to Ladd Petroleum Corporation 9-2-88 S/2&W220 ac N/2 Sec 19 Blk A-4
 OL—John M. Shelton III Company to Ladd Petroleum Corporation 9-2-88 S/2&W220 ac N/2 Sec 19 Blk A-4
 MML—Harold G. Jones et al to Walter Gunn 12-12-88 Lots 11-14 Blk 107 New Mobeetie
 AOL—Claud E. Aikman to Los Cuatros Trust 12-16-88 N/2N/2 Sec 7 Blk RE
 AOL—Aikman Oil Corp. to Claud E. Aikman 6-1-88 N/2N/2 Sec 7 Blk RE
 AMEND DT—Burlington Northern

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Railroad Company to Citibank, N.A. Trustee 12-31-82

AFF IDENTITY—Raymond Moore et al to H. E. Cole et ux 12-30-88

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JANUARY 30, 1989

OL—Michael Alan Dees to Talon Exploration Corp. 7-25-88 N/2SW/4 Sec 8 Blk 27

OL—Janis Dees Hoover et al to Talon Exploration Corp. 7-12-88 N/2SW/4 Sec 8 Blk 27

OL—Terence A. Cook et ux to The Stewart Vincent Group 6-15-88 SW/4NW/4&W/2SW/4 Sec 7 Blk A-8

AOL—The Stewart Vincent Group to Talon Exploration Corp. 8-22-88 SW/4NW/4&W/2SW/4 Sec 7 Blk A-8

RATIF OL—Barbara Haynes to Basin Royalty Company 1-26-88 Sec 20 Blk A-8

AOL—Basin Royalty Company to Talon Exploration Corp. 4-27-88 Sec 20 Blk A-8

MML—Allison Butane & Equipment Co. to Willborn Brothers Company 1-13-89 Lots 22-26 Blk 2 Allison

EXT DT—Kenneth W. Lemons et ux to First National Bank In Pampa 1-3-89 NE/4&S/2NW/4&NW/4N/4W/4&NE/4SW/4 Sec 39 Blk 24

ROW—Domer A. Miller to Nagasco Gathering Company of Texas 12-12-88 W/2 Sec 10 Blk 2 B&B Survey

ROW—Densel Reed to Nagasco Gathering Company of Texas 12-2-88 Sec 2 Blk 1 B&B Survey

ROW—Alice Ula Burress to Nagasco Gathering Company of Texas 12-5-88 Sec 2 Blk 1 B&B Survey

ROW—Gynell Thompson to Nagasco Gathering Company of Texas



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12-7-88 Sec 2 Blk 1 B&B Survey
 ROW—Jewell Odene Rasco to Nagasco Gathering Company of Texas 12-5-88 Sec 2 Blk 1 B&B Survey

AOL—Menunkatunk Corporation to Dudley & Associates, D.C. 1-1-89 Sec 34 Blk M-1

AOL—Menunkatunk Corporation to Dudley & Associates, D.C. 1-1-89 Sec 25 Blk M-1

C/C PROBATE—Mary Pearl Anderson to Ex Parte 10-26-88

D—Ton E. Price et ux to Barry Lon Price 1-9-89 SW/4 Sec 46 Blk A-7

MD—Willa Jean Shelton to Mark Lynn Shelton 1-30-89 50/960 Min Int S/2 Sec 26 Blk RE all Sec 27 Blk RE

MD—Willa Jean Shelton to Vernon Eugene Shelton 1-30-89 50/960 Min Int S/2 Sec 26 Blk RE all Sec 27 Blk RE

MD—Vernon Eugene Shelton Trust to Vernon Eugene Shelton 1-30-89 70/640 Min Int Sec 27 Blk RE

D—S M P O Properties, Inc. to United Post Office Investments, Inc. 1-25-89 Lots 16-20 Blk 4 Briscoe

ASSIGN—S M P O Properties, Inc. to United Post Office Investments, Inc. 1-13-89 Lots 16-20 Blk 4 Briscoe

DT—United Post Office Investments, Inc. to The Guardian Life Insurance Company of America 1-25-89 Lots 16-20 Blk 4 Briscoe

ASSIGN—United Post Office Investments, Inc. to First Tennessee Bank National Association, Trustee

1-25-89 Lots 16-20 Blk 4 Briscoe
 EXT DT—James R. Reneau et ux to Canadian Production Credit Association of Canadian 1-30-89

RATIF OL—Deborah Armstrong et vir to Thomas Grainger McIlhenny, Trustee 1-12-89 SE/4 Sec 6 Blk A-3

JANUARY 31, 1989
 D—Raymond G. Wise et ux to Olis G. Lauppe et ux 12-1-88 All our Int S/2 Sec 19 Blk RE

APPOINT SUB TRUSTEE—First National Bank of Plainview to H. M. Lafont 1-30-89 See Instrument

AGENT TERMIN—Jane Fuller Jackson et al to Rex P. Fuller 1-24-89

P of A—John Edward Johnson et ux to Texas Commerce Bank National Association 8-26-88 Lots 18&19 Blk E Potts Add Shamrock

DVL—John Edward Johnson et ux to Tony Gonzales et ux 1-30-89 Lots 18&19 Blk E Potts Add Shamrock

DT—Tony Gonzales et ux to Western National Bank of Amarillo 1-25-89 Lots 18&19 Blk E Potts Add Shamrock

DT—Peggie Jo Pletcher et vir to The Idaho First National Bank 1-20-89 E/2 NE/4 Sec 53 Blk A-8

FEBRUARY 1, 1989
 AOL—Bryan Close to James Reneau Seed Company, Inc. 1-31-89 Pt. Sec 54 Blk 23

ROW—Britt Ranch to Ladd Gas Gathering, Inc. 1-31-89 See Instrument

GRANT EASEMENT—Michael C. Miles to Ladd Gas Gathering, Inc. 1-19-89 Pt. SE/4 Sec 2 Blk A-4

ROW—Dean Tipps et ux to Ladd Gas Gathering, Inc. 1-19-89 NE/4 Sec 3 IRR Survey

ROW—Iona Venice May to Ladd Gas Gathering, Inc. 1-16-89 NE/4 Sec 3 IRR Survey

TMM—Danco Oil Tools Danny Hobbs, Inc. to Crouch Petroleum Company 1-17-89

ASSIGN—Deminex U.S. Oil Company et al to Jerry W. Blakemore 8-4-88 SW/4 Sec 53 Blk 13

RDT—NCNB Texas National Bank et al to Deminex U.S. Oil Company 9-23-88 SW/4 Sec 53 Blk 13

D—Mary M. Miller to Keith Dean Miller 1-23-89 See Instrument

D—Mary V. Cole et al to Garland Moore et ux 1-30-89 W/2 Sec 9 Blk L J. M. Lindsey Survey

CONVY—Prudential-Bache Energy Income Production et al to Prudential-Bache Pension & International Investor Production Partnership 4-26-88 See Instrument

District Clerk's Filings
 #9083—State of Texas vs James N. Lunsford, 2-2-89, Petition for Reimbursement

Lines from
 Linda Lindo Daughtry, CEA
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HELP YOUR HEAR!—
 AMERICAN HEART ASSOCIATION

There is a lot of talk these days about body language. Not only do you have to be careful about what you say, but you also have to be aware of messages or signals you may send through a variety of bodily movements and gestures.

But how much time do you spend recognizing the signals your body is sending you? If you were experiencing, for example, a stroke, would you know how to interpret the signals and warning signs?

According to the American Heart Association, more than 500,000 Americans will experience a stroke this year. In many cases, quick action can prevent more serious problems from occurring as the result of a stroke.

A stroke happens when oxygen-rich blood is cut off on its way to the brain. This can be caused by a clot in an artery that supplies blood to the brain, or by an aneurysm, the bursting of a blood vessel in the brain. How a person is affected by a stroke depends largely on what part of the brain is robbed of the needed oxygen.

There are several ways your body may warn you of a major stroke:

- * a sudden, temporary weakness or numbness of the face, arm or leg;
- * temporary difficulty or loss of speech, or trouble understanding speech;
- * sudden, temporary dimness or loss of vision, usually in one eye;
- * temporary dizziness or unsteadiness, especially when associated with the conditions listed above.

Scientific advancements in the area of stroke treatment have included drugs, surgical procedures and improved diagnostic techniques unheard of a few short years ago.

But the most important weapon against stroke is early detection. If you notice one or more of these signals, see your doctor as soon as possible. Your body might be trying to tell you something.

Heart Attack Warning Signals
 During a heart attack, your body usually sends out warning signals that your heart is starving for oxygen. An uncomfortable pressure, fullness, squeezing or pain in the center of your chest for more than two minutes is one signal. Chest pain that spreads to your shoulders, neck or arms is another. Dizziness, fainting, sweating, nausea or shortness of breath may also occur. Sometimes the signals may subside, only to return later.

Help your heart! Learn to recognize these signals and take fast action. Remember that each year 350,000 Americans die from heart attacks before reaching the hospital. So don't ignore the warning signals. Act immediately.

If you are having chest discomfort that lasts for two minutes or more, call the emergency rescue service. If you can get to a hospital faster by car, have someone drive you. Find out which hospitals in your area offer 24-hour emergency cardiac care. Select in advance the facility nearest your home and office and tell your family and friends so they will know what to do. Keep a list of emergency numbers next to your telephone and in a prominent place in your pocket, wallet or purse.

If you are with someone who is experiencing the warning signals,

and if they last for two minutes or longer, insist on taking prompt action. Expect the person to deny the possibility of anything as serious as a heart attack. Call the emergency rescue service with 24-hour cardiac care. Give mouth-to-mouth breathing and chest compression (CPR) if it is necessary and if you are properly trained.

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Tonya Gilmer went up Thursday to visit Julie at Levelland for a few days until Sunday.

Nice to see Randy Finsterwald's Mom, Amy Watts, at the Junior High games at Miami Thursday night and Saturday. She now lives at Texico, New Mexico, but hopes to move back.

James Walker's son, Casey Walker is living with them and going to Briscoe Kindergarten. Welcome Casey.

Mrs. Nova Evans' first grade students are excited. Mrs. Evans is getting married February 16 to Oly Stippel of Canadian. God bless you two. It will be a small wedding in the Methodist Church.

Happy Anniversary to Cindy and Rodney Sweet Feb. 13, Grant and Karen Meek, Feb. 14.

Nice to have Charlie Phillis drop by and eat lunch with us Friday on his noon break. He works for Haliburton and keeps compressors running in a big area, frequently near here.

E. G. Fillingim had surgery in Dr. Walters and Harkins office Thursday at Pampa to reduce pressure from Glaucoma in an eye. He had to go back Sunday morning at 10:00 to get it treated and then they came on to church. Doing O.K.

Evelyn Meek visited her uncle Jess Barker at a nursing home in Canyon last Monday and spent Monday night with Kathy Meek in Canyon.

Jada Murray's mom and stepdad, Bea and LeRoy Leftwich of Spearman visited the Murrays Sunday.

Jocelyn Meek visited Evelyn Saturday. Kaleb and Mark Meek visited a little while Sunday. Evelyn went to Gene Gudzels funeral Thursday.

Pat Hudson's dad, Buster Black, fell and broke a hip and had to go to an Amarillo hospital for surgery. Pat went up Thursday to be with him. Cheryl and Ray went up Sunday and visited with them and Sonya and Kelly Paul.

After nearly 3 months going to basketball games, they are all over till November. We will miss seeing our kids play and visiting with everyone.

Gerald Reames and Tanner and Tucker were weekend visitors to the Bob Ratliff family.

Rita Pearson and Lindsey went to Shamrock Sunday afternoon to see Mrs. Lee Lackey and check on her.

We enjoyed going to Mobeetie Tuesday night to see Briscoe girls play Mobeetie girls. Briscoe won. Mandy made 11 points, Shelly Ogle 4, Tammy Harwell 8, Christina Ogle 6, Nikki Scott 8, Tina Lehman 6.

Shelly hurt her foot and James and Bea took her to the doctor before the game was over to see if a bone was broken. Hope she will soon be O.K. Shelly is on Crutches.

Mobeetie Seniors and parents served a delicious spaghetti plate with meat sauce, salad, French bread, pie and tea or coffee for \$3.00

Sincere sympathy to Mrs. Margery Salmon and her family in the death of her sweet mom, Mrs. Helen Dixon, Funeral was Thursday at Pampa. May God surround you with his loving presence.

Sincere sympathy to Marie Gudgel and her family in the death of her husband, Gene Gudel. May God bless and comfort you all. Funeral was Thursday at Mobeetie.

Nice to see Sammie and Darville Atherton out to the ballgame Friday night. Looking good. Sammie and Darville and children, Arville Dean, Rusty, Mickey and Lee all played ball real well and graduated from Briscoe.

We enjoyed seeing Briscoe Junior High play at Miami Saturday. Only thing, Briscoe girls and boys both played at 10:15 in different gyms. So we didn't get to watch all of the boys game. Briscoe boys defeated Miami 25 to 24. Briscoe girls were defeated by Pringle-Morse 36 to 25. Amy Van Vranken 9, Lindsey Fillingim 8, Sara Powledge 6, Shelly Hunt 2. Tressa Perry and Keri Nelson also played. Jenny was sick.

Allison boys and girls also played at the same time. Booker girls beat Allison in a very close game 21 to 20. Deidre Dukes hurt her knee. Hope it's going to be all right. Canadian beat Allison boys. Deidre's knee bruised, but not broken.

Briscoe boys were defeated by Canadian boys Saturday afternoon.

No water at Gageby Church Sunday but had a pretty good crowd in the morning less at night. Had a good singing any way, though the crowd was small at night. Lots of good congregational songs and specials by Ray Forbes, Lois Meadows and Evelyn and Martha Meek, Tony Griffin, Winnie Gilmer. Leading songs were Jodie and Terri and LaJo Crowner. Visitors were JoAnn Taylor, Lavelle Stephens, Doretta

Moore and Tony Griffin. Phillis Hefley will be in charge next time.

We've been so lucky not to have any water frozen up or not have any icy conditions with all the cold. And so very thankful for indoor plumbing. No thanks, I don't care to return to the "good ole days" with outhouses, vehicles without heaters, the old pot-bellied stove that heated only the living room.

A blow hair dryer can be helpful to thaw pipes sometimes without danger.

We had some good games at Briscoe Friday night with Miami. Kinda sad that this was the last game for Shawn Zybach, Chad Morgan, Christina Ogle and Tammy Harwell.

We've enjoyed watching these fine young people play since they were little kids, or most of them. Briscoe boys defeated Miami 81 to 56.

Shawn Zybach 29, Chad Morgan 20, Shane Goad 10, Ben Meadows 9, Danny Nelson 4, Davy 3, Kevin Shields 2, Dallas Fillingim 3, Joe Bob Kinnaman 1. Also playing were Jody Powledge and Shawn Hunt. They all showed lots of ability and potential. Miami girls defeated Briscoe girls 41 to 30, but our girls really played good. Nikki Scott 10, Mandy Ferguson 8, Tammy Harwell 7, Tina Lehman 3, Christina Ogle 2, Shellee Ogle and Lori Purcell were unable to play so no subs.

Jack Morgan and Leonard Jr. and

Jody Powledge went to Fort Worth Friday night for Jody to participate in a calf scramble Saturday. Sorry you didn't get a calf Jody. Good try!

Nice to have J.P. Meek and Roy Meadows come over and play 42 after church Wednesday night. Lois and Martha visited Evelyn for singing practice. Always enjoy hearing them sing.

We got to Miami in time Thursday to see the last half of the game between Allison and Higgins boys. Higgins won boys and girls games by a small margin. We enjoyed visiting with some of the Allison people.

Thursday Briscoe Junior High played Follett. Follett girls were much taller and bigger. They really squashed our girls 40 to 13. Lindsey Fillingim made 5 points, Sara Powledge 4, Shelly Hunt 3, Amy Van Vranken 1. Also playing Tressa Perry, Jenny Van Vranken and Keri Nelson. Briscoe boys started strong, but lost to Follett 37 to 47. Travis Goad 13 points, Dusty Walker 8, Donnie Bell 6, Randy Finsterwald 4, Cory Kinnaman 4, Jimmy Nelson 2. All the boys got to play some: Joshua Purcell, Jason Mayfield, Bruce Mize, Justin Edwards, J.D. Tindol.

Wilma Gilmer and Christine Gilmer were in Wheeler Wednesday stocking up on groceries before the weather got worse. They are always so friendly and pleasant.

Congratulations Allison High School on winning your ball game with

Here & There

By Laura Guthrie
I once heard it said that: Time is like a circus—always packing up and moving away. I have another thought about it. It doesn't pack up, it just moves away. Here it is nearly spring and we are just now having winter.

Morea Bowles, who lives in Pampa is really a Wheelerite. She lived in this vicinity a long, long time. Marie is not feeling well these days, she's mostly shut in. But a year or two ago she enclosed this poem in a letter to me.

"New Beginnings"
How often we wish for another chance to make a fresh beginning. A chance to blot out our mistakes and change failure to winning— And it does not take a New Year to make a brand new start— It only takes the deep desire to try with all our heart, to live a little better and To always be forgiving and to add a little "sunshine" to the world in which we're living— So never give up in despair and think that you are through, For there's always a tomorrow and a chance to start anew.

I rather think this is still Marie's philosophy. She has a lot of grit and determination.

Today I had a letter from another friend, a long time citizen of this vicinity. Bennie Mae Whitener of Lubbock. She has been seriously ill, but is now able to be in her home. She is so grateful for the prayers, concern and cards from the people of Wheeler. Bennie Mae has many friends in Wheeler and still thinks of Wheeler as her home.

Mrs. Esther Forrester came home from Amarillo last Friday. She had been there for three weeks for therapeutic treatment following hip surgery.

I'm not looking forward with pleasure to this month's fuel bill, but I'm mighty grateful for a comfortable place to live during this 0 degree temperature.

Xi Upsilon Eta Met

Members of Xi Upsilon Eta met in the home of Jane Thomas on January 30, for a meeting. Jane Thomas was hostess and Jane Dukes was the co-hostess.

Final preparations for the dance were made. Other business was taken care of. After the meeting refreshments were served to the following members Debbie Kinnaman, Marilyn Berry, Kay Luttrell, Teresa Powledge, Cathy Hunt, Lacey Hathaway, Lou Trimble, Jane Thomas, Jane Dukes, Marie Adams and guest Rolla Cooper.

Anyone interested in attending the Valentine Dance please contact any of the above members for tickets.

TOMMIE A. HENNARD NAMED TO DEAN'S HONOR ROLL
Tommye A. Hennard, a sophomore chemistry major from Wheeler, has been named to the Dean's Honor Roll at Texas A&M University for the 1988 fall semester.

In order to be named to the Dean's Honor Roll, a student must be registered for 15 or more semester hours and earn at least a 3.75 grade point ratio, out of a possible 4.0, during the most recent grading period.



Wheeler Friday night. A great way to end the season although you won't go to play offs. Allison 61, Wheeler 54.

To Ron Van Vranken, just want you to know that we all appreciate you and the work with our kids, that you expect them to live and play clean. You must be frustrated and discouraged at times. But next year will be better! Let's hear it for Ron and Debbie and their fine family!

Jack Morgan, Arleta Cole and Willis and I went to Margery Salmon's mothers funeral in Pampa Thursday.

Nice to have Bob and Charleen Carey and Masey and Jason meet us for supper at Maxey's Saturday night. Some others there were Jewel Moore and Sherry and Jerry and Charlene Luttrell, Lee and Sharon Hall and Jordan, David and Paula Britt, W.D. and Mary Mitchel and a group of relatives and friends, Max and Ruth Wiley.

We visited a little while with Pauline Hefley and Katie before supper.

Bob and Charleen are keeping a relatives two small children, Masey 4, and Jason 2. Real sweet children.

Happy Birthday to Tina Watson, Feb. 12, Leesa Watson and Cathy Hunt, Feb. 13, Nelda Dukes, Jeromy Childress, Jeff Thompson and Russell Laverty on Feb. 14, Clifford Hefley, Richard Laverty and Teresa Currie on Feb. 15, Mattie Jackson on Feb. 16, Verline Currie and Eugene Boydston

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Wheeler Church of Christ

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The men's monthly business meeting will be held at 7:30 P.M. in

the multi-purpose building on Tuesday night, February 14th. A pot-luck supper will be held before the business meeting. This supper will begin at 7:00 P.M. and all the men of the congregation are urged to attend the supper and the business meeting.

On the coming Saturday, February 11th, the annual ladies Luncheon will be held. This luncheon will begin at 11:30 A.M.

The bible Lectureship that is held annually at Abilene Christian

From The Minister's Desk:
In a bookstore, I recently saw a table that had several stacks of books on it. On the table was a sign that read: "Free Book — Help Yourself."

After I took a book, I watched with interest the reaction of other people to the offer. Some people simply took a book as I had. But other people had different responses.

For example, a man apparently read the table of contents to see if it was a book that he wanted. A lady did not believe that the book was free and offered to pay for it.

Other people were highly skeptical of the offer, suspecting a "gimmick". Still other people totally ignored the offer.

God makes a similar offer to man. He offers salvation to man as a gift. The Bible says: "—The free gift of God is eternal life in Christ Jesus our Lord." (Romans 6:23).

The central truth of the New Testament is that Salvation is by the grace of God. (Ephesians 1:3-10, 2:4-10; Romans 3:21-26; Titus 2:11-14, 3:4-7) It is not earned or deserved. Salvation is by God's grace not by man's attainment.

But like those books in the bookstore, salvation — God's free gift — must be accepted by faith. Romans 5:1-2 says: "—Having been justified by faith, we have peace with God through our Lord Jesus Christ, through whom also we have obtained our introduction by faith

Feb. 17, Sarita Hershman, Feb. 18, Matt Johnson, Feb. 4, Don Zumstein, Cindy Zumstein, Feb. 14.

To the Editor
The Wheeler Times

Dear Editor:
I'm thinking this worth reprinting, Open Season.

Don't know if you do free printing or not.

Guess all you and I could do or say people going their own way.

Have a good day.

Effie Renfro,
Briscoe

OPEN SEASON

Dear Editor:
The following poem titled "Open Season," was written by my sister, Mrs. Margaret A. Bertovich, of Bentleyville, Pa.:

This is not a nightmarish dream— It came from the U.S. Court Supreme. You have the right to kill. Abort your baby, kill at will. Your unborn child will never know— 'Cause you didn't let him grow. Kill, abort, have no fear. But don't go over your quota of deer. Kill, abort, at a moment's wish. But don't catch too many fish. Save the cute little baby seal. Abort your baby, "He's not for real." Save the American buffalo. Another child aborted—Here we go. Send us money—save the ducks so wild. Don't "birth" your baby—abort your child. Saving the vanishing crocodile— Throw the aborted on the pile. Save the leopard, yes, we can— Abort your child, there is no ban. Wear alligator shoes? — don't you dare! It's life, not your baby's, we will spare. Favor the flamingo, so they won't be rare. Abort your child, have no care. Yes, go on, you're allowed to abort. So says the ruling from the Supreme Court. Protect the wild life or pay a fee. Kill your baby and go free! The Supreme Court's ruling — an added strife — It's Open Season on your baby's life.

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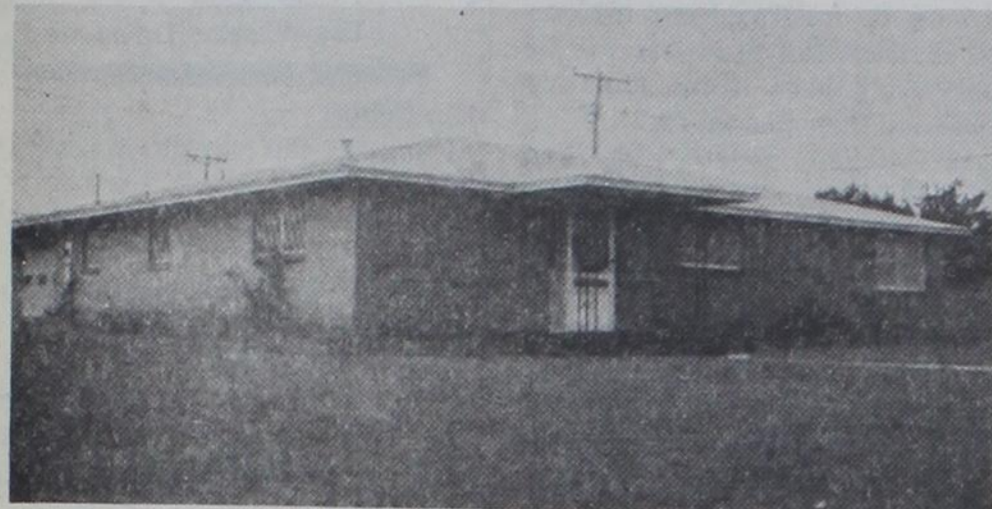
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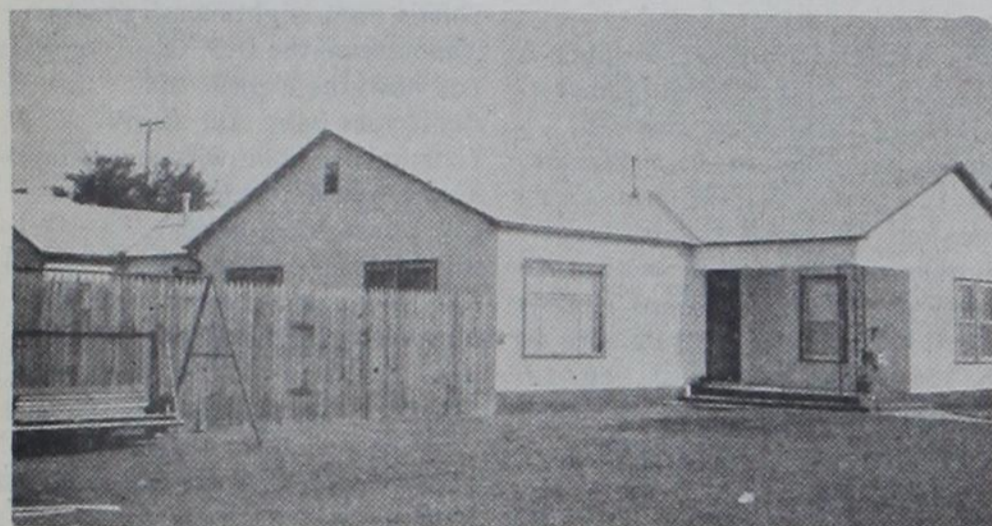
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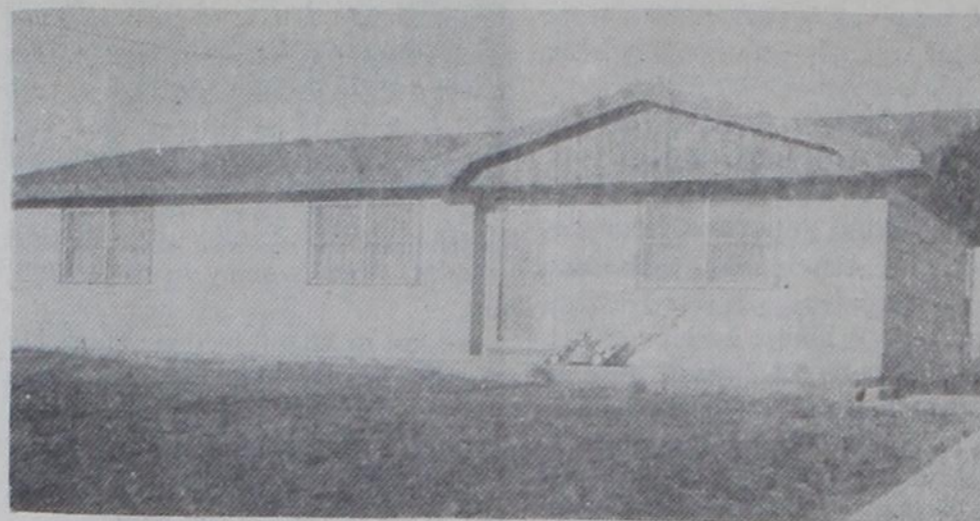
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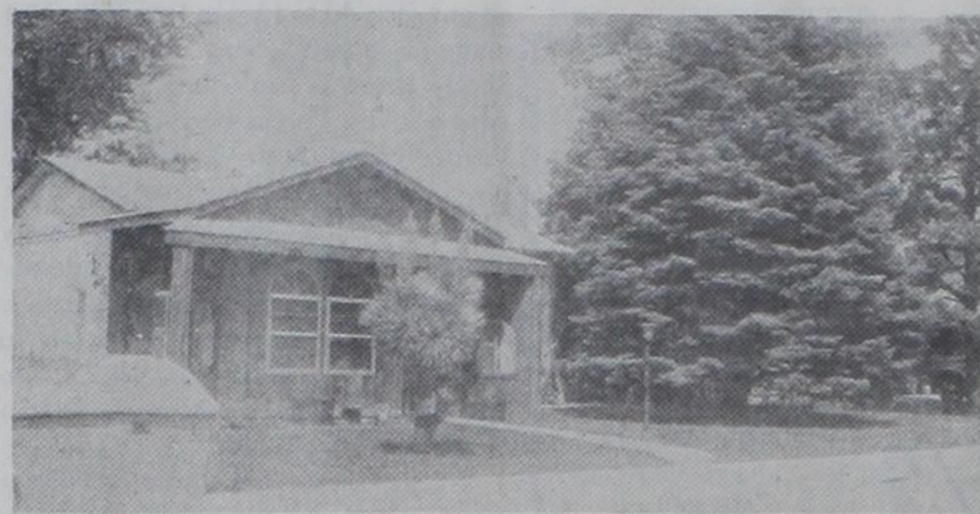
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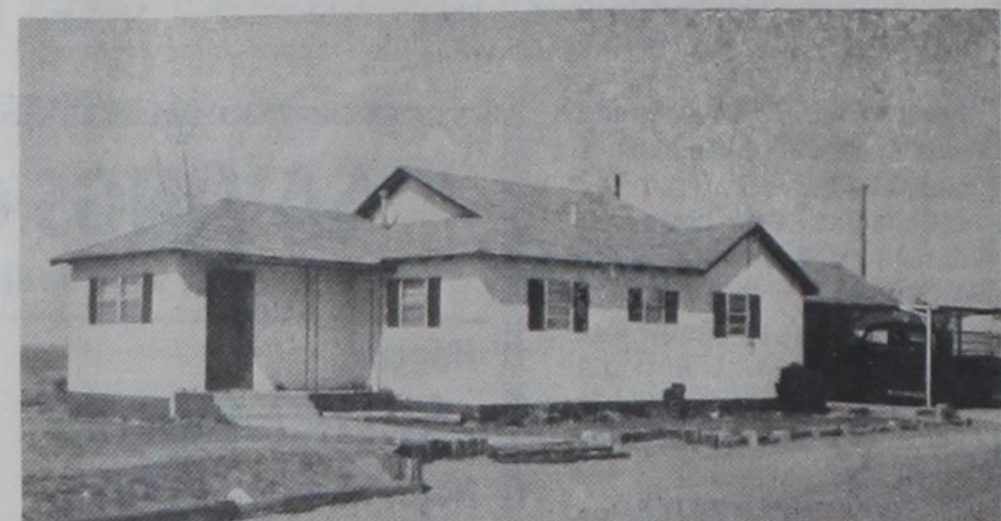


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I say "Amen" to Mrs. Joe Flowers idea on abortion.

Word is Ola Barry had a foot took off this morn, Thursday. She came through the surgery, is all I know at 4:30 p.m. We sure wish for her a speedy recovery.

At 4:30 the old ground hog has not seen his shadow.

Well Winston Rainey has brought us some propane. We can endure a snow spell if it don't last too long. We also got a pretty big pile of shinary cut to go in our stove. One thing Colie got to bring it in. Quite a chore.

What was the difference in our and Wheeler temperature, Louis? Last week forgot what I said.

We saw a few flakes of snow around noon Thursday.

92 degrees today, Thursday, in Freese Part, Louisiana.

0 degrees expected tonite in northern panhandle. W.O.W. Hope they don't know what they are saying.

It will kill some of the grass hoppers though. Maybe.

Mable says Ray Ault had a minus 5 degrees this Friday morn. Margarite Gilmer had a minus 3 degrees. Larry Jean Elmore had minus 2 degrees. So it close to 0.

Talked to Hoyle this morn. Sounded like she has the flu—bad.

Well, the doctors cut Ola Barry's foot and leg off yesterday, just a few inches below the knee—around 9 a.m. yesterday, Thursday. She pulled through the surgery ok. Was in a room when they came home—talking. They gave a spinal block and little of something else, I'd say. She came too thinking she was in Hobbs, N.M., where she lived years ago. We wish for her a speedy recovery. She is in the Ostopathic Hospital—can't spell it. I think it is.

Everyone says the wind is blowing—Thursday.

Now there is no need for nurses and doctors to let someone foot get infected till they have to have a foot cut off. I know from my Willie's feet. They knocked diabetes, ulcers, blood poisoning with proxide and inside of Vitamin E pills. The doctors wanted to cut Willie's feet off several times. Willie and Wanda would not sign the papers. They just got busy with their V-E pills and proxide. It is no need to let it go that far. I have a vibrator you can put on your feet and legs and body for circulating legs—not where you think there a blood clot. You can take a aspirin a day, they say will keep your blood clots down. Can't stand the thought of cutting a leg just below my knee off—W.O.W.

Charles Finsterwald said at 1:30 Firday that Essie was still in Wheeler hospital, was better. Charles said Donald had gone down there to hospital to see her.

One reason I am shook up on cutting legs off—I just lost a 2nd cousin. They took both of his legs off. A young lad in his 50's.

I am knocking on wood. I could lose some legs.

Cliff Ogle had come. Carried Mable some wood in for her wood stove Friday morning.

Word is Gregory and Lea Ann Atherton has a baby girl. Forgot details, name, etc.

TV said today 1 1/2 million goes to El Salvador from U.S.A. a week—aid.

Lead poisoning in our dishes and pottery. Our bodies should test 0 if we get any in our bodies. Some will remain in our bodies rest of our life. Wonder what else is going to pop up that is killing us.

Tolene Clark called just now, 11 a.m. Saturday. They had -24 degrees and it was snowing. The ground was covered. This 24 minus 0 degrees—not chill factor. I don't remember that low before since they moved up there 12 years ago.

Mable said Ray Ault said -7 degrees in Amarillo this morn—Sat. Margarette had -1 degrees this morn—Sat. Water froze up here and there, yet this morn.

Bobby James and April Parker and Kelsie Lena came to Garry's last Wednesday, 1st, from Shreveport, Louisiana, where he is stationed in Air Force.

Ted and Pauline Parker in Dumas have the ground covered with snow, this Saturday, Dumas has 3 degrees temperature this Saturday.

The ground hog did not see his shadow here Tuesday but did all the rest of the days this week. So?

Colie was sick Sat. nice had to sleep in his chair. He said out in cold wind to much Sat. so no church Sunday.

Real cloudy Monday morning. no snow as yet.

We have not heard from Ola Barry yet hope she is doing ok.

Colie shopped for groceries Saturday also.

You are not to tie your horses to a tree. 1st time I heard this I knew you was not to stand under a tree during a storm also.

Colie cousin Enola Echols called him from the valley, Mission, Texas yesterday, it was drizzling rain there and was expected, to freeze last night Sunday. She said if it did it, it would sure ruin them. Guess they have gardens up. Some fruit not gathered.

Bettie and Truman Zybach from Sayre. Clarence and Irene ate supper with R. L. and Rozena Zybach Saturday night, to celebrate Irene Zybachs birthday, it was yesterday the 5th Feb., so Happy Birthday (Belated) to Irene.

Elbert and Ruby Zybach visitors Sunday were Kathy and Wayne Zybach and children. Jane Ann and Curtis Hall and grand kids, Beckie and Davis Zybach from Zayre. Clarence and Irene ate supper with R. L. and Rozena Zybach Saturday night to celebrate Irene Zybachs birthday, it was yesterday the 5th of Feb. so Happy Birthday (belated) to Irene.

Elbert and Ruby Zybach visitors Sunday were Kathy and Wayne Zybach and children. Jane Ann and Curtis Hall and grandkids, Beckie and Dave Zybach. Mae Welch visitors were Barbara Williams Friday, Donald Holbrook Sunday.

10 a.m. started to snow out here.

Last Monday night Addie Swift went with Cathy Hunt to Shamrock to watch Jr. High boys and girls play ball.

Hated to hear Clyde Jr. Duke was in Shamrock hospital with flu.

Friday Brandi and Susie Luttrell spent the night with Addie.

Essie Finsterwald is still in the Wheeler hospital she is better but still running little fever. We hope she is soon all ok.

Bettie called Doc this morning Monday that they were taking Doc's mother Ola Barry back to the Bevins nursing home today. So guess that means she doing as well as could be expected. We are glad to hear this.

Mattie was feeling better seemed this morning one of her nurses was there.

LouDean and K. D. Douthit went to Amarillo on Saturday and attended

the "Boat and R.V. Show" at the Civic Center.

Visitors of Kirbie Kinnaman and Tressa Perry over the weekend were Julia Zybach and Shelly Hunt.

MOBEETIE SCHOOL MENU
Feb. 13-17, 1989

MONDAY: Breakfast; Cinnamon toast, choice of cereal, fruit, juice, milk.

Lunch; Steak w/catsup, green beans, buttered corn, peaches, hot rolls w/butter, milk, tea.

TUESDAY: Breakfast; Hot biscuits, sausage, bacon w/gravy, jelly, butter, juice, milk.

Lunch; Meat loaf w/Bar-B-Que, pinto beans, fried okra, cherry cobbler, hot rolls w/butter, milk, tea.

WEDNESDAY: Breakfast; Buttered toast, scrambled eggs, jelly, butter, juice, milk.

Lunch; Beef vegetable stew, toss salad, fruit, cheese sandwich, crackers, corn bread, milk, tea.

THURSDAY: Breakfast; Breakfast muffins, buttered oats, fruit, juice, milk.

Lunch; Italian spaghetti, pinto beans, corn on the cob, cake, onion rolls w/butter, milk, tea.

FRIDAY: Breakfast; Waffles, syrup, butter, bacon, juice, milk.

Lunch; Hamburgers w/cheese, French fries w/catsup, lettuce, tomatoes, pickles, onions, banana pudding, milk tea.

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Sweetwater News
Mrs. Joe Flowers

Whew! We sure went from hot (78) to way before zero in a hurry. One thing about that groundhog never saw his shadow on Thursday. short winter? TV says this is good for another week or so. Guess we'll see. At least the sun was bright all day Firday. My daddy said the sun always came out at least a minute on Firday. And as far as I know it has never failed.

We went down to fill the get along bottles and stopped at the hospital to see Bryan Brady. Hortense was with him. Saw Joe Flowers on the patient list so thought I'd better look into that.

Larry Anderson, the administrator, told us it was a baby with the croup. I didn't recognize any of the grown ups.

That reminds me out niece, Samye, and husband, Larry Steward, of Cottonwood, Arizona, had those twin grandsons right after Christmas. Parents are Brent and Mary Beth Steward of Dallas.

Our local boy Roger Miller and Glen Campbell hosted the hee haw show Saturday night. Glad to see Glen has managed to shave. Roger was sassy as ever. Really tore up the Orange Blossom on the fiddle and sang some good ole Okie Skat.

Been some sick folks around. Bill Baker has been in the Veterans Hospital at Amarillo. Tots Coffey has been in an OKC hospital. Melvin Abla is in the Community hospital, Thelma Tipton has been in the Sayre hospital. Others who have been on the puny list are Judy Tipton, Flossie Maddoux, Althea Sanders, Troy Gibson, and Bertha Coffey.

Back in the fall when all the bugs started moving in I gathered a bucket of Bois D'Ark apples and scattered them thru the house. Really seemed to help. Later I read a piece in the paper about how the pioneers depended on the Bois D'Arc for everything from fence posts, firewood, to insecticides. "All homemakers kept the apples around to discourage spiders, crickets and such". I felt vindicated.

Had a letter from Carleene in Florida. Tony was over in Israel teaching them how to use some kind of machinery. Too complicated for me. He was looking forward to a two day lay-over in Zurich, Switzerland on the return trip.

Looks like our brave boys in Washington, D.C. are going to get their raise. I suppose they are probably entitled to a moderate raise but they are going about it in such a tacky manner. Some of them are saying they will give it to charity. Well, that is our money and we are the ones who should get to give it too whoever we please. We ought to put in an entirely new crew come next election.

We've really had a lot of birds lately. Several jays, 7 redbirds, woodpeckers, thrasher, towhee, Harris, white crown, and other sparrows, and a squirrel. They just scratch and dig around, jump up and down, and fight. Our window to the other world gives us lots of entertainment. I understand the quail season is over so guess I can say there are a few of them left.

I believe this is the first time in several years that we haven't looked out to see some hunters with their dogs Tromping thru the cattle, knocking down the fence and No Hunting signs. Came home once to find 9 dead squirrels piled in front of a sign. I've never understood people who kill little wild creatures for the fun of killing.

Sunday guests of Esther Dickey were Don, Elinor, and Janet Mears and John Medlock of Shamrock, Gary Mears and friend Christie from Graham, TX., Lisa and Heather Stokes from Pampa.

The Fabulous Strings and Things (Erick's Kitchen Band) had a marvellout time at the Wheeler Care Center last Tuesday. There were several visitors and Lois served everyone cool drinks for a party. Plans are to go back 5th Tuesday in May. Band members were Basil and Billy Doss from Carnegie, Velma Gibson, Betty Brothers, Jack Criswell, all of Sayre, Virgie and Alvin Marshall, Iona Miller, Hazel Francis, Roy Swagger, and Richard Crawford from Erick. Ole Five String, Joe, David and I from SW. We were very happy to have Rosalie Keelin from Briscoe play the piano for us.

February schedule for the band is 1st Tuesday, Erick home; 2nd Tuesday, Grand Place, Sayre; 3rd Tuesday, Elk Nursing Home; 4th Tuesday, Hensley Home at Sayre; All times 2:30. Joe and others will be at the Wheeler Care Center 3rd Wednesday night to help the Johnny Reed group play at 6:30. Weather permitting.



Every family has their own little sayings. Our favorite came about this way. Some forty odd years ago we blew away one April night. Brother Tink came out next day. He looked sadly around. The house was off the foundation, water and gas pipes broke off, electric lines dangling, the barn and out buildings were flat, fences non-existent, cows wondered everywhere, featherless chickens were looking for the henhouse we never did find, bundles of feed were

scattered everywhere, buried in mud, wedged under the house, etc. Tink gazed at the mess and says "Is there anything I can do besides work?" So that has been our standard saying ever since.

Lone Miller, Katie Matthews and Hazel Francis have been down to the Elk hospital to see Melvin Abla and his family.

Happy Valentine's Day somebody today.

Establishing Seedbed For CRP Land

WEEPING LOVEGRASS

It's that time of year, new CRP producers, who are scheduled to plant grass this spring to begin to prepare. In establishing grass the key factor in getting a stand of grass is seedbed preparation.

Weeping Lovegrass, unlike our native grasses, is best established in a clean-tilled seedbed. In a soil where it's not too sandy would be best to go clean-tilled. Weeping Lovegrass can also be established in a no-tilled seedbed. In a very sandy soil, seeding should be done by using a deadlitter. This will prevent soil blowing. When seeding Lovegrass in clean-tilled, it can be done in a number of different ways, depending on the condition of land and equipment available. On land infested with Shin Oak and Yucca, the seedbed can be prepared by deep plowing. On land that is in

farming shape, it can be plowed in April, to allow the rain to firm the seedbed or by mechanical means and seeded in the month of May.

Planting date for seeding Weeping Lovegrass is April 15 thru June 1. Planting date for seeding Plains Bluestem is March 15 thru June 1.

Lovegrass may be obtained by either drilling or broadcasting the seed. A roller-packer should be used after the seed is planted to pack the soil. Seeding should be fertilized before or after seeding.

The require seeding rate for weeping Lovegrass is 1.5 PLS. The require seeding rate for Plains Bluestem is 1.8 PLS.

In the past few years, most of the producers have gotten a real good stand of Lovegrass in a clean-tilled seedbed. Each year is different. Some years are real good and other years are not too good.

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This represents the first AT&T price increase for long distance calls within Texas. AT&T's long distance prices for calls within Texas have been reduced overall by about 12% since 1986.

The Long Distance Service price changes will also impact AT&T's PROSM WATS Texas offering, which offers subscribers a 10% discount on all long distance calls within Texas. These price changes are expected to produce approximately \$661,000, or about 3.5% of the annual revenues for AT&T's PROSM WATS Texas offering.

Prices for AT&T's REACH OUTSM Texas offering will also change. The price for initial hour usage will increase from \$12.55 to \$12.95; the additional hour price will increase from \$11.40 to \$12.00. These price increases are expected to produce approximately \$364,000, or about 2.1% of the annual revenues for AT&T's REACH OUTSM Texas offering.

AT&T's tariffs implementing these changes will be filed with the Public Utility Commission of Texas on March 1, 1989, with an effective date of April 1, 1989. The combined price increases are expected to produce approximately \$23.9 million, which is approximately 2.4% of AT&T's annual revenues for all Texas intrastate services.

If you have questions regarding these price changes please call AT&T's service consultants at 1-800-222-0300 for residential customers or 1-800-222-0400 for business customers. Persons who have questions regarding this tariff filing may also contact the Public Utility Commission of Texas in writing, at 7800 Shoal Creek Blvd., Suite 450N, Austin, Texas 78757, or by calling the Public Information Office at 512-458-0223, or 512-458-0227, or 512-458-0221 teletypewriter for the deaf.

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Care Center Comments

Well, I spoke too soon about what nice weather we had been having. Maybe this article blast will just move on out.

It doesn't make any difference what the weather is like, you can depend on Pat Hensley to be here Monday morning for Bible Study. Thank you so much.

Alice Bell Helton and Vida Brown were here Monday afternoon to serve juice. We are very lucky to have these two ladies as volunteers.

Tuesdays are very busy around here. Family altar is very well attended. Once the piano starts to play, everyone congregates in the dining room. Next in the lobby at 11:15 we've started a new type of exercise class. Everyone who is there usually takes part in the class one way or another. It's kind of contagious exercising. We enjoy it.

Tuesday afternoon (every fifth Tuesday) the Erick Kitchen Band came for an afternoon of good music and dancing. All the residents enjoy them very much. They are approximately 15 members strong. We appreciate everyone of them for coming. We also would like to say Thank You to Rosalie Keelin for joining them on the piano. We all had a good time. Glad to have the visitors come also to listen.

Mildred Porter has donated some clothing items to the Care Center. Thank You.

We would like to extend our sympathy to the families of Eugene Gudgel and Helen Dixon. Each of these people had been a part of our Care Center family for a very long time and will be missed very much.

Our Wednesday afternoon bingo volunteers were Ila Byers, Doraean Owen and Opal Hefley. They do a fine job of helping out. Everyone enjoys them coming. The juice cart ladies were Ruth Taylor and Fannie Bradstreet. They always have a smile and a kind word for our residents.

Thursday morning the Christian Center Inspirational was given by Rozena Zybach and Fern Young. We appreciate both of you for coming every week.

There were several domino players

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getting ready for our tournament to be held on the 21st of February. You know what they say, "Practice makes perfect." (Winners!)

It was sure cold enough for some hot popcorn Thursday afternoon. Ann Ellison and LaJune Alexander are very much appreciated. We look forward to their visit. Thank You.

Friday morning Jim and Laura Davis were unable to be here for Bible Study. We hope to see them next week.

Elva Wood and Mary Mitchell braved the cold wind to come and serve juice Friday afternoon. We thank you very much.

We've stated a new activity on Friday afternoon. It's called Story Time. Every Friday afternoon this month, Mary Risner will be reading to those residents, who at one time enjoyed reading, but can no longer see as well as in the past. We started out with a book called "Hank the Cowdog" by John R. Erickson. We had quite a crowd in the lobby to listen. Everyone seemed very attentive and interested. While Mary read, I gave manicures. It worked out very well. I think we've got a winner.

Everyone would like to say "Thank You" to Jim and Melba Montgomery for coming to teach Sunday School Sunday morning. (I know the sun room wasn't very warm.) We appreciate both of you.

The First United Methodist Church came Sunday afternoon. Thank You to Bob Stiles and youth choir, who came for afternoon worship. We are glad you came.

See You next week!

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CARD OF THANKS

The Kelton FFA and 4-H would like to express our thanks to the following for supporting us at the Wheeler Co. Junior Livestock Show: Kelton Boosters, Clifford Oldham, First National Bank of Wheeler, First State Bank in Mobeetie, Wheeler Auto and Industrial and Haber Oil. Thank you.

CARD OF THANKS

We would like to express our heartfelt thanks to all the nurses at the Parkview Hospital and the Wheeler Care Center, and a special thanks to Dr. Barbour for the wonderful care of our loved one all these years. Also, we are so grateful for all the cards, food, and prayers during our time of sorrow. May God Bless you.

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Allison News

By Christine Gilmer

1 Chronicles 29—11 & 12:

Thine, O Lord, is the greatness, and the power, and the glory, and the victory, and the majesty; for all that is in the heaven and in the earth is thine; thine is the Kingdom, O Lord, and thou art exalted as head above all. Both riches and honour come of thee, and thou reignest over all; and in thine hand is power and might; and in thine hand it is to make great, and to give strength unto all.

Winter has really been with us the past few days with these below zero temperatures. Won't warmer days be appreciated when they come. A warming trend of ten degrees this morning, but cloudy with snow forecast for today.

Lisa Farmer and Ryan spent Saturday and Saturday night with Ruby Craig and was also Sunday dinner guest. Tanner McWhorter spent the night Friday with Ruby.

Wilma Gilmer's Sunday dinner guests were Rhonda McWhorter, Tanner and Tyler.

Opal and Juanita Boydston spent the day last Saturday with Forrest and Janice Boydston and was dinner guest with them.

Peggy Chandler went to Canyon last Tuesday for dental purposes and spent the night with her daughter Cindy Burrus and family, returned home Wednesday.

Edith Levitt accompanied Peggy as far as Panhandle and spent the night with her son Len Levitt and family.

Red and Anna Dukes went to Bridgeport, Texas last Monday where Red conducted the funeral of a cousin by marriage. It was the husband of Helen (Holmes) Craig, Helen lived in the Allison Community several years ago. Red and Anna returned home Tuesday after the funeral that day.

They came home and ate supper and then attended the ballgame at the school that night. Red attended the ballgame at Wheeler Friday night. After dinner Sunday Red and Anna went to Shamrock and visited Clyde Jr. Dukes in the hospital there. They also visited Dub and Bessie Crenshaw before coming home.

Nelda Dukes and Garland Dukes went to Canyon last Wednesday for dental work. They were also in Pampa and Elk City last week.

Mike and Teresa Dyer left early last Wednesday morning for a Bible Conference at Ft. Worth. Others going were Andy and Julie Taylor,

Gary and Linda Hall and Alberta and Lori Helton. The Dyer children stayed with their grandparents Zeland and Charlene Rainey. They all returned home Saturday night.

Bessie Giddens returned home Sunday afternoon from Amarillo where she had a check-up from both her doctors and she got a good report from both of them.

Bruce and Pearl Harrison spent last Tuesday night at Elk City with Inez Townsley, and went from there to Duncan, Okla. on Wednesday. Louise Boydston was a dinner guest last Saturday with Bruce and Pearl.

Donnie Evans wife Sheryl passed away last Thursday or Friday. Her funeral was Monday, Feb. 6th at Plainview, Texas. Donnie grew up in the Allison Community. Our sympathy is for Donnie and relatives.

Effie Hays still isn't doing very well and there is also a lot of sickness in the community.

Suzanne Lohberger had a birthday



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party one night last week for her mother Susie Lohberger. Those there were Joe and Debbie Rucker and children, Alton and Ariel Lohberger and children and Verne and Susie Lohberger. Verne and Susie went to Amarillo one day last week for medical reasons.

(Marginal Note) If going gets easier, you may be going down hill.

Doris Newsom, Ruben and Edna May and Edith Donaldson ate dinner last Saturday at the Hill Top Cafe at Reydon. Doris went back to Reydon Saturday afternoon and visited her daughter Vivian and family and the little great grandchildren.

Cletus and Dick Green had an anniversary supper at their home last Friday night for Roy and Lanora

Morse. Those there were Ruben and Edna May, Bob and Mary Lou Markham, Virginia Puryear, Lester and Clydene Hall and Vance and Caroline Boydston and Kevin.

Monroe and Nadine Reynold's Sunday afternoon guest were Debbie Boydston, Heather and Jason.

Ed and Jennie Walker's Sunday afternoon guest were Mr. and Mrs. Terry Walker and sons from Pampa and Eddie Walker.

Sunday the 29th of January Mr. and Mrs. Rodney Walker from Pampa came and visited Ed and Jennie and took them to Wheeler for dinner at Macey's Steakhouse.

It is one o'clock and has been snowing and sleeting some.

Wheeler Schools Schedules Tests

TEAMS tests will be given the week of February 6, at Wheeler Schools. Grades 1-3-5-7-9 will take this basic skills test.

"We expect our TEAMS scores to get better; however, a small drop in percentage would still put Wheeler well above the state wide average", says elementary principal, Thomas Helton. Wheeler is in the top 5% of the state. Wheeler's year end - year out average is in the upper 90% of compared to a state average of lower 80%.

Superintendent of Schools Doyle Wilson says that the 11th grade Exit Level TEAMS test was given in October of 1988 and will be given again in May of 1989. The Exit Level is the one which a student must pass in order to graduate from a Texas school. Wheeler 11th graders have traditionally scored high on the test. "Our percentage of passing for the 1988-89 school year is 100% in language arts and 89% in mathematics. Average for the state is 88%. We are very proud of our students and staff," Wilson s added.

Hospital Notes

Old Admissions

1-10 Zinnie Bailey
 1-26 Austin Morgan
 1-27 Essie Finsterwald
 1-29 Henry Johnston

New Admissions

1-30 Natasha Jones
 1-31 Darin Kuntz
 R.D. Harris
 2-3 Winnie Leggett
 Jesse Davis
 Florence George

Dismissals

1-30 Alan Whitaker
 R.D. Harris
 1-31 Lorene Crossland
 2-1 J.D. Beaty
 2-2 Darin Kuntz
 Kenneth Stowe
 Avis Stas
 2-3 Natasha Jones

Clarendon College To Hold Driving Course

A Defensive Driving course will be held at Clarendon College on Saturday, February 11, 1989. It will meet from 8:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. in room 102. The fee is \$25.00. Please contact Clarendon College at 1-800874-3571 for further information. Upon completion of this course, participants will be eligible for a 10% discount at their liability insurance and dismissal of a traffic violation. All dismissals of traffic violations must be approved by the appropriate Justice of Peace.

ALLISON ISD Regular Board Meeting

- I. Invocation.
- II. Roll Call.
- III. Read and consider minutes.
- IV. Review and consider payment of bills.
- V. Consider presentation for Computers for Computer Classes.
- VI. Written Request by Mr. Ron Vorheis to address the School Board.
- VII. Call for School Board Election.
- VIII. Consider Approval of Textbook Committee.
- IX. Consider raising substitute Teachers pay.
- X. Approve housing agreements.
- XI. Review and consider approval of annual performance report.
- XII. Consider homework policy.
- XIII. Review and consider localized policy update 33.
- XIV. Consider School District's choice of Newspaper.
- XV. Personnel.
 1. Consider Principal's Contract.
 - XVI. Principal's report.
 - XVII. Superintendent's report.
 1. Financial report.
 2. Discussion only of items deemed necessary.
 - XVIII. Adjourn.

The millionth home run in Major League Baseball history was scored by Bob Watson, Houston Astro first baseman on May 6, 1975.

LOCAL FFA & 4-Hers ENTER HOUSTON SHOW

Five FFA members from Wheeler will be joining 4-H and other FFA members from throughout the state for showing competition at the upcoming Houston Livestock Show, Feb. 16, through March 5, at the Astrohall.

Ten 4-H members from Wheeler County will be joining other 4-H and FFA members from throughout the state for showing competition at the upcoming Houston Livestock Show, Feb. 16 through March 5 at the Astrohall.

These 4-H and FFA exhibitors compete in one of two divisions of the Houston Livestock Show - the junior show division. The other division, the open show, attracts its exhibitors from the world's agricultural industry in the form of professional breeders and ranchers.

Entries in both the open and junior shows combine with horse show entries to make the Houston Livestock Show the world's largest.

Following is a list of the 4-H members who will show animals in Houston. Bret Begert, Allison, Market Steers, Beef Heifers; Nancy Davis, Wheeler, Market Steers, Beef Heifers; Neal Ray Davis, Wheeler, Market Steers, Beef Heifers; Marcus Hardcastle, Wheeler, Market Lambs; Karla Harris, Wheeler, Market Steers; Andy King, Wheeler, Market Steers, Market Lambs; Kasey McCasland, Wheeler, Market Steers,

WHEELER BASKETBALL

WHEELER vs KELTON

The Varsity girls beat Kelton at Kelton 59 to 32. Dee Dee Dorman scored 16 points, 7 rebounds, Tera Henderson had 15 points, 5 rebounds, and Marcy Smith had 14 points, 8 rebounds.

The boys lost to Kelton 75 to 92. Stephen Batton had 32 points, 8 rebounds, Kyle Sword had 13 points, 11 rebounds, Cory Cornett had 8 points, 7 rebounds, Shane Guest had 8 points and Jason Wood had 8 points.

WHEELER vs ALLISON

The Varsity teams hosted Allison last Friday night, February 3. The girls won 65 to 32. Bobbie Kuehler had 16 points, 4 rebounds, Dee Dee Dorman had 16 points, 4 rebounds, Liz Stiles had 10 points, 6 rebounds, and Mitchie Loyd had 7 points, 1 rebound.

The boys lost in overtime, 54 to 61. Stephen Batton had 19 points, 6 rebounds, Kyle Sword had 16 points, 6 rebounds, and Cory Cornett had 8 points, 3 rebounds.

COLT BASKETBALL

The Wheeler Colts won and lost two games in the Shamrock Tournament last weekend. The Colts defeated Childress 51 to 45 last Thursday. Leading the Colts in scoring were Joe Dan Ledbetter with 37 points, Damon Remy had 6, and Kenny Brown scored 5. Wheeler lost the next game to Wellington on Saturday morning 16 to 35. In the third place game with Kelton the Colts lost 35 to 37. Leading the Colts in scoring against Kelton were Ledbetter 18, Shannon Robinson 4, Ashley Brownfield 4, Kenny Brown 3, and Tommy Abell 3.

Joe Dan Ledbetter made the All-Tournament team in the Shamrock Basketball Tournament.

Monday night the Colts took on Briscoe in Wheeler. The Colts held a 23 to 5 advantage at half time and coasted to a 38 to 27 victory. Leading the Colts in scoring were Joe Dan Ledbetter 14, Heath Sabbe 7, Tommy Abell 4, Shannon Robinson 2, Kevin Hazel 2, Mark Marshall 2, Ashley Brownfield 2, and Cobey Boedeker 2 points. For Briscoe T. Goad had 13, D. Walker 9, C. Kinnaman 2, and D. Bell had 2 points.

BRISCOE SCHOOL MENU

MONDAY: Breakfast; Cereal, milk, juice.
 Lunch; Berox, corn, pea salad, milk, cake.
 TUESDAY: Breakfast; Cinnamon rolls, milk, juice.
 Lunch; Chicken strips w/gravy, potatoes, broccoli and rice casserole, fruit, milk, rolls.
 WEDNESDAY: Breakfast; Sausage, eggs, biscuits, milk, juice.
 Lunch; Spaghetti, salad, green beans, 7 Up salad, milk, rolls.
 THURSDAY: Breakfast; Waffles, bacon, milk, juice.
 Lunch; Frito pie, salad, corn, apple crisp, milk.
 FRIDAY: Breakfast; Malt-O-Meal, toast, milk, juice.
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Pearl Abernethy
Frank, Betty, Heath, Brandi,
Landon & Laramie Allen
Champ & Nancy Davis
Ronny & Melanie Alls
Jeannie & Jeremy Lewis
George & Barbara Harris
Thurman, Linda & Paul Calcote
Mike, Beverly, Lacey & Josh Bryant
Garland, Rachael, Julie,
Teresa & Matt Moore
Barry Price

Jerry, Kim & Elissa Ray
Dean, Agatha & Leslie Johnson
Kenneth & Audra Killingsworth
Marvin & Sue Anderson
Gary, Kay & Justin Atkins
Mike & Ladonna Honeycutt
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Larry, Melissa, & Leandra Lister
Billy, Carolyn & Lacy Buckingham
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H.B., Kathryn & Kristi Krug
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Ross & Jenny Coffey

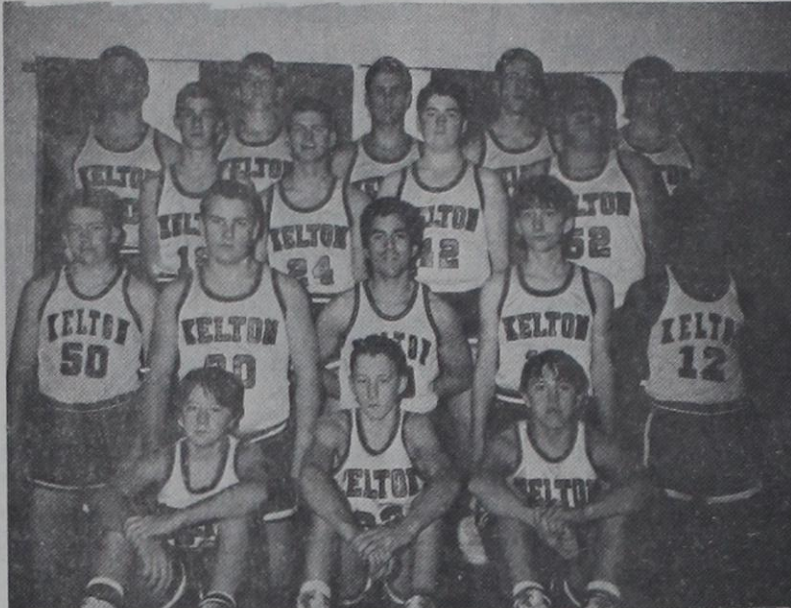
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DISTRICT CHAMPS:



KELTON LIONS DISTRICT CHAMPS: Pictured (Back row l. to r.) Brett Buckingham, Andy Singleton, Gene Kirkland, Chad Caddel, Randy Singleton. (Third row l. to r.) Bobby Buckingham, J.D. Kirkland, Neal Davis, Davey Lopez. (Second row l. to r.) Daniel Elliott, Darrol Martin, Gabe Pugh, Scott Bodine, Terry Menefield. (Front row l. to r.) Mike Walden, Steven Bodine and Brian Walden. Season record is 23 wins 0 losses.

SECOND IN DISTRICT:



KELTON HIGH SCHOOL GIRLS: Pictured (Back row l. to r.) Noel Johnson, Susan Davidson, Karla Harris, Lori Ray. (Front row l. to r.) Sue Ann Jones and Heather Honeycutt. The Lady Lions ended their season with 19 wins and 5 losses.



KELTON JUNIOR HIGH GIRLS BASKETBALL TEAM: (Back row l. to r.) Nancy Davis, Rosie Taylor, Isabel Lopez. (Front row l. to r.) Sabrina Graves, Misty Lewis, Jamie Stewart. Not pictured Renee Atherton, Kristi Wheeler, Julie Davidson.



KELTON JUNIOR HIGH BOYS: Pictured (Back row l. to r.) Brian Kirkland, Jason Hink, Boyce Crownover, Heath Honeycutt, Nicky Johnson, Gary Bryant. (Front row l. to r.) Danny Buckingham, Greg Bryant, John Jones, J.W. Ray, Brandon Lewis. They closed their season with 2 wins.

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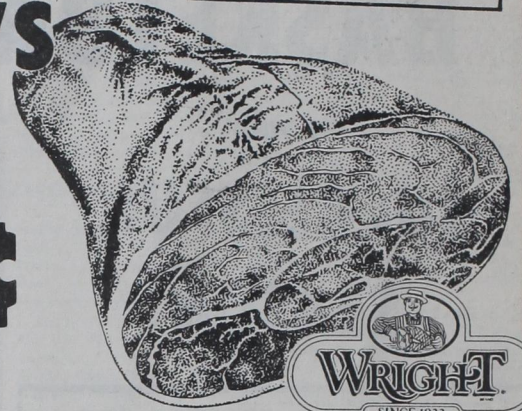
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