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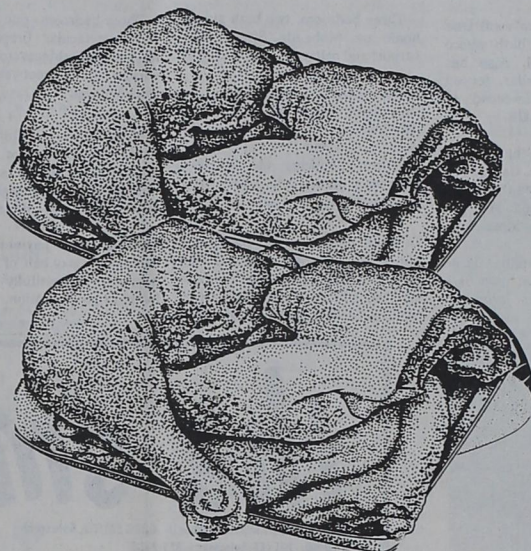
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Laverty, Aaron and Claudetta Laverty and Caaron and Willis and Verna Fillingim.
Evelyn and Sandra Meek visited Jewell Holloman and Jean Pollack Friday and they went out to Maxey's to eat.
Evelyn visited Karen and Grant Meek Sunday afternoon.
Jean and Jewell were to spend Tuesday night with Evelyn. Kathy Meek was going to come and take them to the airport in Amarillo to fly to Maryland to Jean's home on Wed.
Nice to have Charlie Phillis of White Deer stop by and eat lunch with us Monday. Charlie and Edie Phillis

visited Bob and Sue Ratliff last Saturday.
Karla, Shelly, Bruce and Buddy Murray visited Carla Hector and family after school Friday. Carla Hector is working some in Jada's place at the Briscoe lunch room.
We met Dr. Terence and Beth Cook for lunch at Shamrock Friday. We also visited with Mrs. Lela Simpson and Mrs. Nellie Lackey. Both looking good. Mrs. Simpson pretty perky for 96½. Nice to see Carl and Audean Simpson there. Lela and Nellie are at Shamrock Care Inn.
Ray Miller, pastor of Liberty Baptist Church in Amarillo, was a Wednesday night visitor to our Bible Study at Gageby Church. Ray also sells cancer insurance.
Hello to Edith Donaldson! Hope you are feeling perky.
Nice to have Melody Rodgers from Lubbock out to church Sunday. Also Casey Laverty from Decatur and Paula

Carpenter from Hardesty and Julie Gilmer from W.T. and Cheryl Hudson from Plainview.
The Briscoe-Allison High School boys game was very close and exciting all the way—anyone's game till the last whistle. Briscoe won 68 to 66 by all of the boys working together and playing very good ball. Ben Meadows 18, Kevin Sheilds and Dallas Fillingim 14 each, David Gilmer 11, Dusty Walker 1, and Danny Nelson 10. Allison girls defeated Briscoe girls. There was a very large crowd with people from Wheeler and Mobeetie and other places. Very noisy.
Pauline Hefley, Isabel Moore and I enjoyed having lunch together at Maxey's Tuesday. Pauline and Isabel have been very good friends since fourth grade days.
Last Sunday supper guests at the home of Grant and Karen Meek and Eddie were Raymond and Isabel Moore and Garland and Rachel Moore. They were celebrating Raymond's birthday, 39 and holding.
Last basketball game of the season is at Miami Friday, Feb. 9. Be a good game!



prayers. Suppose to take off work and rest more and wear her neck brace all the time, even sleeping and its hard and uncomfortable.
Correction: (a line left out) Grandparents of Aspen Lace Hathaway are Paul and Clarise Hathaway and Bob and Zodel Swift. Great grandmothers are Addie Swift and Ruth Hathaway.
We had rough games at Wheeler Friday night. Wheeler defeated Briscoe girls 72 to 23. Mandy Ferguson 14, Tonya Blackburn 4.
Briscoe boys defeated Wheeler 62


to 50, but most of shots had to be outside because of their height. Good Dallas was hitting his 3 pointers (made 7) Dallas 30, Kevin Sheilds 9, Ben, David and Danny 8 each.
Briscoe Junior High girls defeated by Booker Saturday night won second in the Miami Tournament. Briscoe boys defeated by Higgins won second in the tournament also.
Claudetta Laverty went to Oklahoma City and met Barbie Laverty and brought Casey to visit them for awhile.

Nice to see Mary Gayle Lewis and Justin and Mary's parents, Cliff and Mary Lewis and Patsy Franks all from Borger out to Luby's Thursday. Mary is substitute teaching in some of the schools around here.
Paula Reed and Samantha, Bernie Tapp and Deleise Quinton and Jill Johnson met us for lunch Thursday at Luby's. Good to see and visit with everyone.
Happy Birthday to Kelly Paul on February 11, Tina Watson and Scott Watson on Feb. 12, Cathy Hunt and Leesa Watson on Feb. 13, Jeff Thompson, Jeremy Childress, Nelda Dukes, Don Zumstein and Cindy Zumstein on Feb. 14, Teressa Currie, Richard Laverty, Cliff Hefley and Russell Laverty on Feb. 15, Mattie Jackson on Feb. 16, Verline Currie on Feb. 17.
Happy Anniversary to Grant and Karen Meek on Feb. 14.
Sunday dinner guests at the home of Roy and Lois Meadows were Carolan and Virginia Aycock, Beedie

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MONDAY: Breakfast; Cereal, fruit, milk, juice.
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TUESDAY: Breakfast; Donuts, rolls, milk, juice.
Lunch; Pizza, salad, jello w/fruit, milk.
WEDNESDAY: Breakfast; Sausage, gravy, biscuits, milk, juice.
Lunch; Tacos, salad, Spanish rice, milk, pies.
THURSDAY: Breakfast; Waffles, bacon, milk, juice.
Lunch; Lasagna, salad, broccoli, cake, milk, rolls.
FRIDAY: Breakfast; Malt-O-Meal, toast, milk, juice.
Lunch; Chili dogs, French fries, fruit, milk, cookies.

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NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING TO TAX PERSONAL PROPERTY

The Mobeetie I.S.D. will hold a public hearing on a proposal to tax the following non-business personal property:
All Cars, boats, pick-ups, trucks and trailers.

To tax the above property, the Mobeetie I.S.D. must approve the proposal by ordinary resolution or order *and* must find that the taxation of property as proposed will be in the public interest of all residents of Mobeetie I.S.D.

The Public hearing will be held on Thursday, February 8, 1990 at 7:00 P.M. in Mobeetie H.S. Library.

All interested persons may speak at the meeting and present evidence for or against this proposal.

MOBEETIE INDEPENDENT SCHOOL DISTRICT
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Parenting Seminar Planned By Methodist

The First United Methodist Church, Wheeler, Texas is offering information and registration for an innovative video-based seminar for parents of pre-teen children. The seminar will be at the church each Tuesday evening from 7:30 to 9:30 p.m. starting February 20th and continuing through March 27th. Registration cost only \$15.00 per family unit.

Called Active Parenting, Dr. Michael Popkin of Atlanta, GA., is its founder and Director. Dr. Popkin has served as Child and Family specialist for Buckhead Mental Health Center in

Atlanta, and Child, Adolescent and Family Coordinator for Northside Community Mental Health Center, also in Atlanta.

According to Dr. Popkin, "Disciplining a child or teen occurs within the context of relationship. If that relationship is good, the discipline works; if the relationship is not good, the discipline simply produces additional conflict." Active Parenting provides a step-by-step technique for achieving growth in the family relationship, for all members, regardless of the discord already there.

By utilizing the video format, Active Parenting can provide a visual scene which elicits an experimental reaction to past occurrences in the home. Then the peer group of participants discusses its methods for dealing with similar situations at home and review negative and positive methods for obtaining results with their children.

Under the direction of a "guide" who is familiar with the Active Parenting method, the group expands the possibilities available to them in their parenting roles and leaves each session equipped to make a change in their responses to their children.

During the six-week period, methods for the development of mutual respect, cooperation and self-esteem of all members of the family group are offered and practiced. It's as easy as Show and Tell because of the evolving video segments and simple question-and-answer handbook. The support group of peers provides an ideal environment for discussion.

Dr. Popkin stresses that Active Parenting is not psychotherapy but rather a review of basics that every parent already knows. There is no dwelling on who did what and why, but rather a positive move-ahead promise that it's never too late to evolve change.

Familiar scenes in the video part of the program include the age-old scenario of "I don't want to" and "It's your fault" and "If you don't pick up your toys, I'll..." The Handbook chapters include headings such as Keeping the Lines Open; Avoiding Communication Blocks; Freedom and the Limits to Freedom; Parenting and Anger; the ABC's of Behavior. Charts, dialogue and question-and-answer sheets move the participants forward in a thoughtful, educated manner; the video brings out the reflex, "That's our family, all right," while the discussion elicits support, just knowing there are others who are experiencing similar dilemmas.

Active Parenting purpose is "To support the development of human potential by providing parents with sufficient information and skills to prepare children who will develop the qualities necessary for thriving in a democratic society: courage, responsibility, and cooperation."

The First United Methodist Church proposes to add faith to those qualities that in Christian discipleship we may more fully understand parenting in the context of the Scriptures for the most effective daily living.

Active Parenting is endorsed by the National Organization Advisory Council for Children.

For additional information call or write The First United Methodist Church at P.O. Box 89, Wheeler, Texas 79096; 806-826-3114.

Legal Notice

Local Invitation to Bid On Pavement Marking

Sealed proposals for three separate pavement marking contracts located in Briscoe, Childress, Collingsworth, Cottle, Dickens, Donley, Foard, Hall, Hardeman, King, Knox, Motley, and Wheeler counties will be received at the State Department of Highways and Public Transportation District office at 1700 Ave. F, NW, Childress, Texas 79201, until 10:00 A.M. on February 26, 1990.

A pre-bid conference will be held with Mr. Vance L. Castleberry, PE, District Engineer, at the District Office in Childress, Texas at 10:00 A.M., February 16, 1990. Persons interested in bidding on the above contracts should attend the pre bid conference.

The State Department of Highways and Public Transportation, in accordance with the provisions of Title VI of the Civil Rights Act of 1964 (78 Stat. 252) and the regulations of the U.S. Department of Transportation (15C.F.R., Part 8), issued pursuant 10 such act, hereby notifies all bidders that it will affirmatively insure that the contract entered into pursuant to this advertisement will be awarded to the lowest responsible bidder without discrimination on the ground of race, color, or national origin.

U.S. CENSUS BUREAU NEEDS APPLICANTS

Kathryn Paul with the U.S. Census Bureau will be testing prospective applicants for jobs with the 1990 Census at City Hall Community Room at 1:00 p.m. on Thursday, Feb. 15.

The pyramids of Egypt contain enough stone and mortar to construct a wall ten feet high and five feet wide running from New York City to Los Angeles.



GRAND CHAMPION HOG: Toby Keys, Allison FFA, had the Grand Champion Hog at the Wheeler County Livestock Show. Toby's hog was bought by Wheeler Thriftway (Johnny Velasquez) and First National Bank of Wheeler (Van Baize) for \$800. (Photo by The Shamrock Texan)



RESERVE CHAMPION HOG: David Seymour, Shamrock 4-H, was the proud owner of the Reserve Grand Champion Hog at the Wheeler County Livestock Show. David's hog was purchased by C&S Supply for \$600.00. (Photo by The Shamrock Texan)



SHOWMANSHIP AWARDS: The above three Wheeler County youths were presented with Showmanship Silver Trays for their performances in the Wheeler County Junior Livestock Show. Pictured (l. to r.) are Andy King, steers; Justin Herod, swine; and Amanda Rives, sheep. (Photo by The Shamrock Texan)



T.A. HENNARD AWARD: Shelly McCasland of Wheeler was this year's recipient of the T.A. Hennard, Jr. Citizenship Award. The award was presented to Shelly before the Wheeler County Junior Livestock Show's Sale. (Photo by The Shamrock Texan)

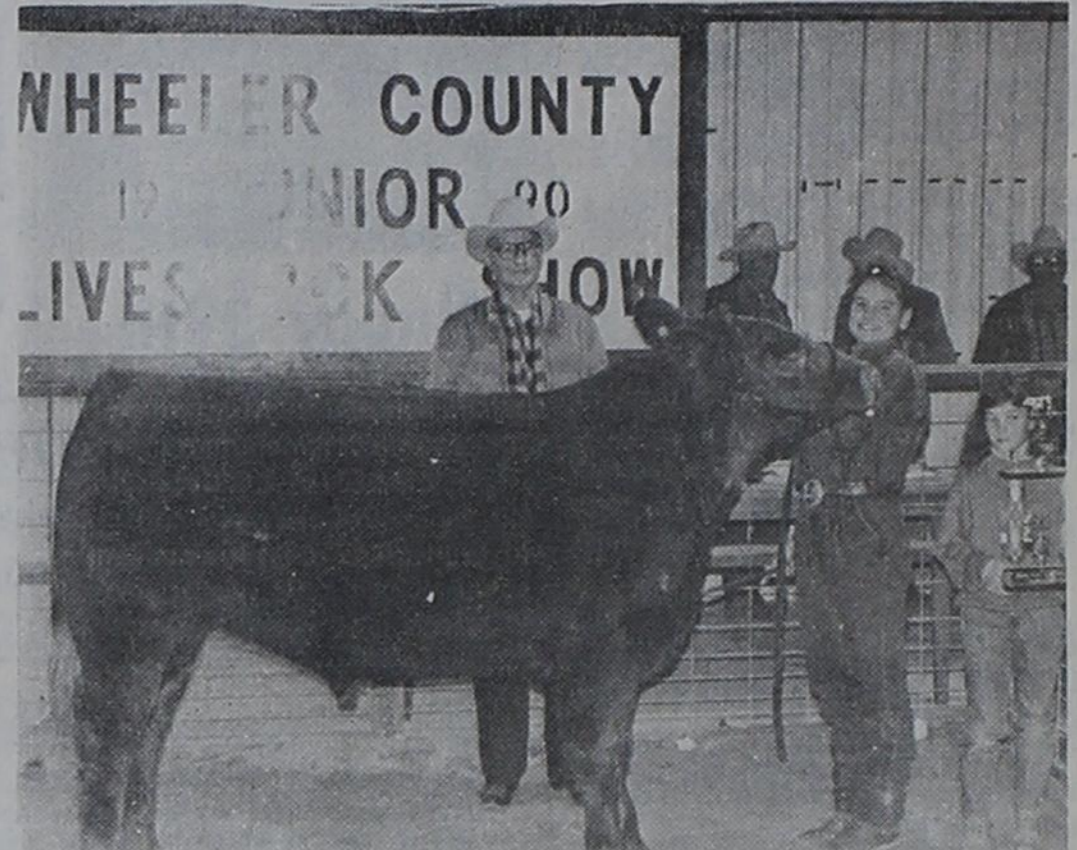


HIGH POINT EXHIBITOR: Justin Herod, Allison FFA, was named the high point exhibitor at the Wheeler County Junior Livestock Show (Photo by The Shamrock Texan)

Pictures Needed

"The Wheeler Times" needs pictures of your child or grandchild to run in the McCasland-Smith Agency advertisement.

Here is an opportunity to show everybody how cute those "kids" are. There is no charge; all we need is a studio picture (individual billfold to 5x7). Please include child's name, age at the time the picture was taken, and parent's name and address. The child's grandparents can be named if the list is not too long.



GRAND CHAMPION STEER: Shonda Prescher, Shamrock 4-H, had the Grand Champion Steer at the Wheeler County Junior Livestock Show. Shonda's steer was purchased by the Shamrock Boosters for \$1,325.00. (Photo by Shamrock Texan)

Here & There

By Laura Guthrie

Have you noticed the color change we have taken on recently? I notice it on the TV screen because that's about the only chance I have to see people. I'm talking about the color change in men's neckties. Not so long ago about 90% of men's ties were red. Then I noticed a few of the conspicuous characters like Brian Gumble, Peter Jennings, etc. wearing black and gray with their gray and black suits. The change certainly caught on fast. Now nearly every man has a dark tie. There are some mixed colors in stripes, paislies, polka dot, and "finger painted". Occasionally there's a figured teal blue or purple. I like them very much, although I have no objections to red ties. And, at the price of present day ties a man does well to have a change.

I hear by grapevine that Mike and Tina Lee, and family have bought a house and moved into town. They have for several years lived on the Lee's ranch near Mobeetie. Tina drove in for her work at the Beauty Salon. Now, Mike does the driving to the ranch.

Dorothy and Adrian visited with their children and grandchildren in Okla. City last week. Darla and Punk Childress were making another trip to Longview, to locate a house they can move into. Their children, Wade and Kari, have jobs in Okla. City, so they will continue to live there.

I saw Jimmy Hill at the grocery store last week. He was assisted in his buying by a very attractive little granddaughter. Shed was Jim's daughter's (Melissa) child. She had been visiting with the Jimmy Hills and the great grandmother, Esther Hill for several days.

Sara Pond and Ida Mae Goad flew (from Amarillo) to Albuquerque

Monday to give moral support to the family of a niece who was having surgery. She is the daughter of Jimmy Goad, Sara's brother.

San Millett of Austin, TX. is in Wheeler this week taking care of business. He is also visiting with his mother, Jo Ann Taylor and his grandmother, Mildred Porter. San is trying to get arrangements made so that he can attend college.

Vera Brickley is with her daughter, Rosemary Polachek in Wichita Falls this week. Rosemary is to have some surgery as the result of a car accident a few months ago. Her injury was in the shoulder and ribs.

Lavelle Stephens is taking post-operative therapy since her hip surgery. She says she'll be home when she can drive her car.

Melinda, Tim and I spent Fri- night and Saturday with Tim's parents in Dumas. Saturday was Melinda's birthday, so there was a birthday dinner with the family which included Larry and Debbie Whorton and Ray, Tim's brother. His sister was missing as she, with husband and family are now living in Indonesia.

TEMI DUNN COORDINATOR FOR ST. JUDE CHILDREN'S RESEARCH HOSPITAL

St. Jude Children's Research Hospital announced today that Temi Dunn will coordinate the St. Jude Children's Research Hospital "Wheels For Life" Bike-A-Thon in Wheeler on May 19, 1990.

Founded by Danny Thomas in 1962, St. Jude Children's Hospital is the largest childhood cancer research-treatment-education center in America. St. Jude Hospital is non-sectarian, interracial and provides medical care for over 3,200 active patients. Currently, over \$183,000 is needed each day to keep the doors open. These funds come primarily from public contributions.



JORDAN AND KARA EMMERT TO PLAY IN COMPETITION

Jordan and Kara Emmert are two of ten Ben Karnes students who will play in the Juanita Hubbard Invitational Piano Competition at Southwestern State University in Weatherford Saturday, Feb. 10. The event is named in honor of Juanita Hubbard,

well-known Aitus piano teacher who died last year. The daughters of Gwen and Steven Emmert are shown at the nine foot \$65,000 Bosendorfer grand they played last October when they won fourth trophy in the duet competition sponsored by SOSU in Weatherford.

Can Benny Richard be 39 and holding?

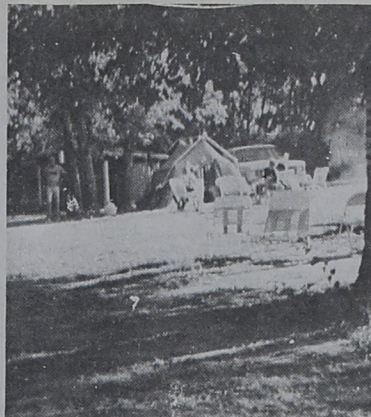


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BOY SCOUTS OF AMERICA



Boy Scouts of America was founded in 1910. Scouts has grown into the largest boy's club in the world.

This organization not only has kept our boys occupied in their younger years, but it has given them a sense of right and wrong; a reason to be free and to grow—not only in their bodies, but in their minds and hearts.

Wheeler Boy Scout Troop 472 has twenty-nine scouts and four new recruits. The largest group for Wheeler.

Each year the Boy Scouts has a food drive. The food collected stays in Wheeler. The past year food was delivered to over thirty families. The food drive this year is scheduled for the last week in

February and the first week of March.

The local scouts will be selling popcorn to help raise money for uniforms.

Activities scheduled for 1990 will be: attending all M. K. Brown activities, two camping trips, family cookout, swimming party, fathers and sons fishing day, mothers and sons fun in the sun day and all the Boy Scout competition available to the local boys.

If finances allow, the troop plans a one day trip to "White Water" in Oklahoma City.

Members of the Wheeler troop are Tommy Abell, Daniel Arganbright, Danny Alley, Wade Brickey, Corey Case, Dusty Case, Andy Copeland, Britton Davis,

Darby Dorman, Charlie Flanagan, Andy Francis, Mike Hibler, Jeremy Kenney, Jimmie Lewallen, Ryan McNeil, Rocky Mendiola, Kris Rarden, Damon Remy, Robert Remy, T. A. Taylor, Trent Ware, Philip Wiggins, John Wolf, Heath Sabbe, Justin Hefley, Ashly Brownfield, Dean Hutchison, Johnny Porter, Robert Stiles, Jarred Ledbetter, Chad Reeves, Keith Rose and Lewis Remos.

Scout Master Avis Miller is assisted by Jim Lewallen, Lee Hibler and Bill Wiggins, Jr.

The Boy Scouts have a window display set up at Flowers 'N Things. You are invited to stop by and see the display.

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