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High School Tribune
The Wheeler High School Tribune will be at the 'Times' office Friday afternoon for those wanting a copy.

ADAMS WINS; HELTON, GUTHRIE IN RUN-OFF

See Result Page 8

CWE CHAT WITH EDITOR

By Louis C. Stas

CONGRATULATIONS! To the local basketball players named to the All-District team.

—CWE—
The primaries are over and the runoff is coming up on May 2. The deadline for filing for any of these positions is Wednesday, March 18.

—CWE—
The One-Act play practice is under way. We witnessed the speaking of some of the lines, while awaiting the results of the election. Should be an interesting play.

—CWE—
A misplaced sentence last week made one paragraph in *cwe* read wrong. I intended a compliment to the City Council for fixing the place for the grass clippings. Another case of reading what we meant and not what was written.

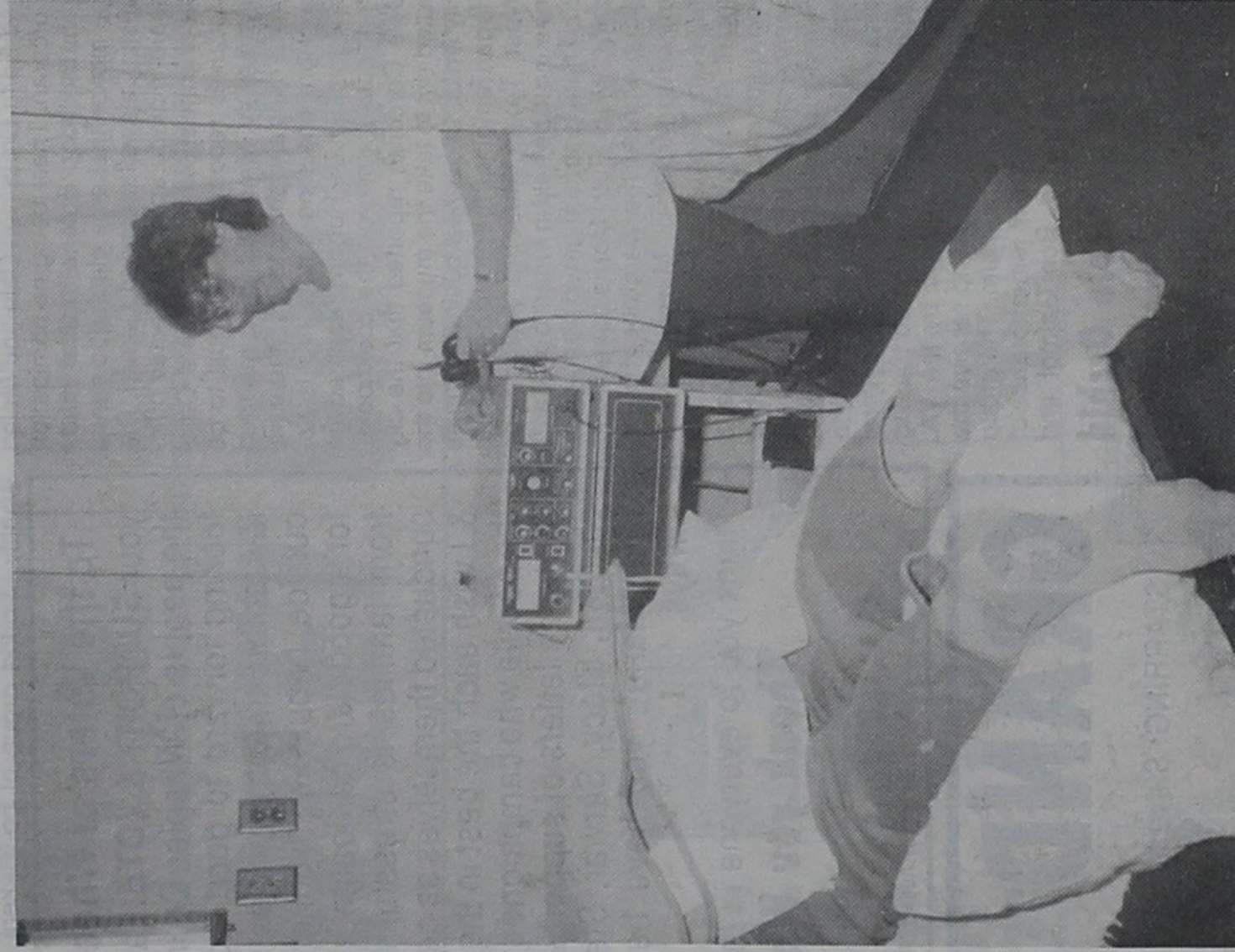
—CWE—
As Mrs. Flowers says in her column this week, the red ants and the weather did not connect this year. And our fruit crop probably received a set back. We received a hard freeze Monday night.

—CWE—

Briscoe P.O. To Offer New Mailing Products

Briscoe O. 2C Winnie Gilmer announced today that beginning March 9th the Post Office will offer a wide range of new mailing products.

We are excited about these new products because they will allow our customers to purchase the container for shipping as well as the postage, it's truly one-stop shopping she said. These new products will include photomailers, audio cassette mailers, video cassette mailers, computer diskette mailers and a host of other products designed to accommodate customer's shipping needs she said. "There's even a 3-piece designer gift box with love doves on it," she said. So come by the Post Office when you need to mail something—WE DELIVER Gilmer said.



PHYSICAL THERAPY: Parkview Hospital now offers physical therapy once each week. Therapist, Candee Thomas is shown here administering a treatment to a patient. Thomas began visiting Parkview the last of February.

Wheeler County Commissioners Court March Meeting

March 9, 1992

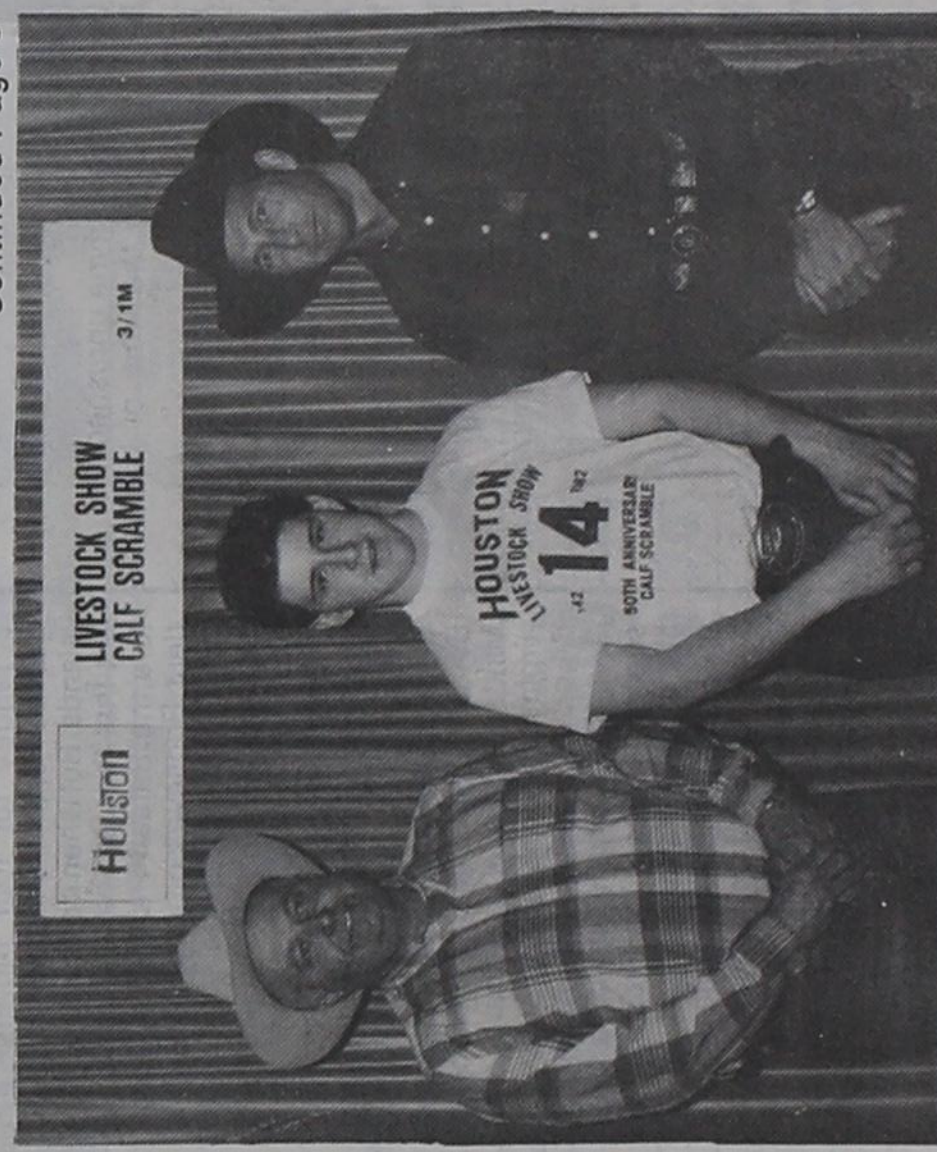
The Wheeler County Commission Court met in Regular session with Judge Wendell Morgan presiding. Members present were: Elmer Ray Harrison, Billie V. Atherton, Bryan Close and Boyd Hilbrunner, Commissioners, precincts 1, 2, 3 and 4, respectively. Also present were: Margaret Dorman-County Clerk; and Ron Gowdy-Auditor, and Steve Emmert-County Attorney.

Approval of Minutes:
Boyd Hilbrunner made a motion which was seconded by Bill Atherton to accept the minutes of the Commissioners Court meetings as written for the February 9, 1992 and February 23, 1992 court meetings. Motion carried unanimously.

Approval of Payroll:
Bryan Close made a motion which was seconded by Bryan Close to pay the bills as approved and found listed in Volume 10 page 153, et seq of the Minutes of Accounts Allowed. Motion carried unanimously.

Delinquent Tax Attorneys—Perdue, Brandon & Fielder:
Mr. Kevin Brennen, Mr. Larry Brandon and Mr. Brent Sherrard from Amarillo met with the Court to discuss becoming consultants for delinquent tax collectors for Wheeler County. No action was taken.

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Houston Livestock Show 3/11/92

Andy King Scrambles to Win at Houston Livestock Show and Rodeo

Speed, strength and perseverance paid off for Andy King, a FFA student from Wheeler, Texas during the calf scramble at the March 1st performance of the 1992 Houston Livestock Show and Rodeo.

Andy was one of the 28 determined contestants who was challenged to hater and maneuver one of only 14 unruly calves across the Astrodome floor into the winners' square.

In exchange for this effort, Andy receives a \$1,000 calf purchase certificate donated by the Kroger Company which will be used to purchase a registered dairy or beef heifer.

The scrambler is required to maintain monthly progress reports, monetary records and a scrapbook detailing the project which will culminate in 1993 when the heifer will be returned to the Houston Show for a special showing competition with other 1992 scramble winners. Working along with Andy on this project will be Terry McCasland, his agricultural science teacher who will supervise all work with the animal.

WEATHER

DATE	DAY	Lo	Hi	Pre
03-04	Wed.	46	67	0.00
03-05	Thurs	44	68	0.00
03-06	Fri.	39	75	0.00
03-07	Sat.	42	82	0.00
03-08	Sun.	54	74	0.00
03-09	Mon.	42	50	0.00
03-10	Tues.	14	52	0.00
03-11	Wed.	14	01-15	14

High for the year: 02-21, '77
Total moisture for month: .00"
Total for year: 1.02"
Total Snow: Trace
Courtesy: KPDR-FM Radio

GOLD MEDALIST: Jennifer Haning, a member of The Filipin' Farm School of Gymnastics in Shamrock, participated in an advanced competition in Lawton, Oklahoma on March 7th. Jennifer, 10 years old, competed in trampolines and power tumbling in the 11-12 year old level, and brought home the gold medal in both events. Jennifer is the daughter of Buster and Debbie Haning of Wheeler.

Physical Therapy Offered At Parkview Hospital

A new service is now being offered to the people of the Wheeler area by Parkview Hospital, according to Bill Robertson, Administrator. The Physical Therapy Department started on February 25th and is now open on Tuesdays and Thursdays. Candee Thomas, a registered physical therapist joined the Parkview staff in February. She is now providing therapy to both inpatients and outpatients.

"Physical Therapy" by definition is the use of physical means, such as heat and cold, electrical stimulation, and exercise to facilitate the return of an individual to pre-injury or pre-illness level of functioning.

"Our goals" says Therapist Candee Thomas, "are to relieve pain, restore

North Rolling Plains Resource Conservation

Grant research of funding source for local projects is being offered by the North Rolling Plains Resource Conservation and Development Council. The service is available free of charge to sponsors of the RC&D Council.

The grant research will review all possible funding sources for your specific project. This will include federal, state, and private foundation sources. A list of possible funding sources will be provided along with information on how to contact those sources and develop a grant proposal.

If your organization is not currently a member of the RC&D Council you can contact one of the sponsors in your county and send the request through them. Sponsors in Wheeler County are:

Wheeler County Soil and Water Conservation District, Wheeler County Commissioners Court, City of Wheeler, City of Shamrock.

For more information on this program contact the USDA Soil Conservation Service office in Wheeler, Texas at (806) 826-3565. Or call the North Rolling Plains RC&D office in Pampa at (806) 669-0312.

Programs and services of the Soil Conservation Service are offered on a nondiscriminatory basis without regard to race, color, national origin, age, sex, religion, marital status or handicap.

Meals On Wheels Report and Menu

The Wheeler Meals on Wheels, board and volunteers met together for a year's end report. The Meals on Wheels, Inc. of Wheeler received their charter on Feb. 21, 1991, and this was our summary meeting.

We took out the first four meals on March 11, 1991, and during this first year we had served fifty people, and have taken out approximately 3500 meals. The cost of the meals has not increased, but the board voted to increase the cost to the recipients. We are paying the increase and sometimes we pay for a meal out of our funds, and this will amount to \$125.00 to \$175.00 a month. Our funds come from voluntary donations, memorials, and support from a few organizations, for which we are very grateful.

We feel certain that there are people in our town that really need the meals and won't ask for them. We have had several that took the meals while they recovered from surgery, or illness. Someone not feeling well will not fix a well balanced meal, and this is when we wish they would call us and get on the program.

Anyone wishing meals may contact Betty Hennard, 826-5961 or night, 826-5790 or Amella Sims, 826-3764.

Menu

March 13, 16-20
Friday, March 13: Fish, AuGratin potatoes, zucchini & tomatoes, cole slaw, lemon pudding.

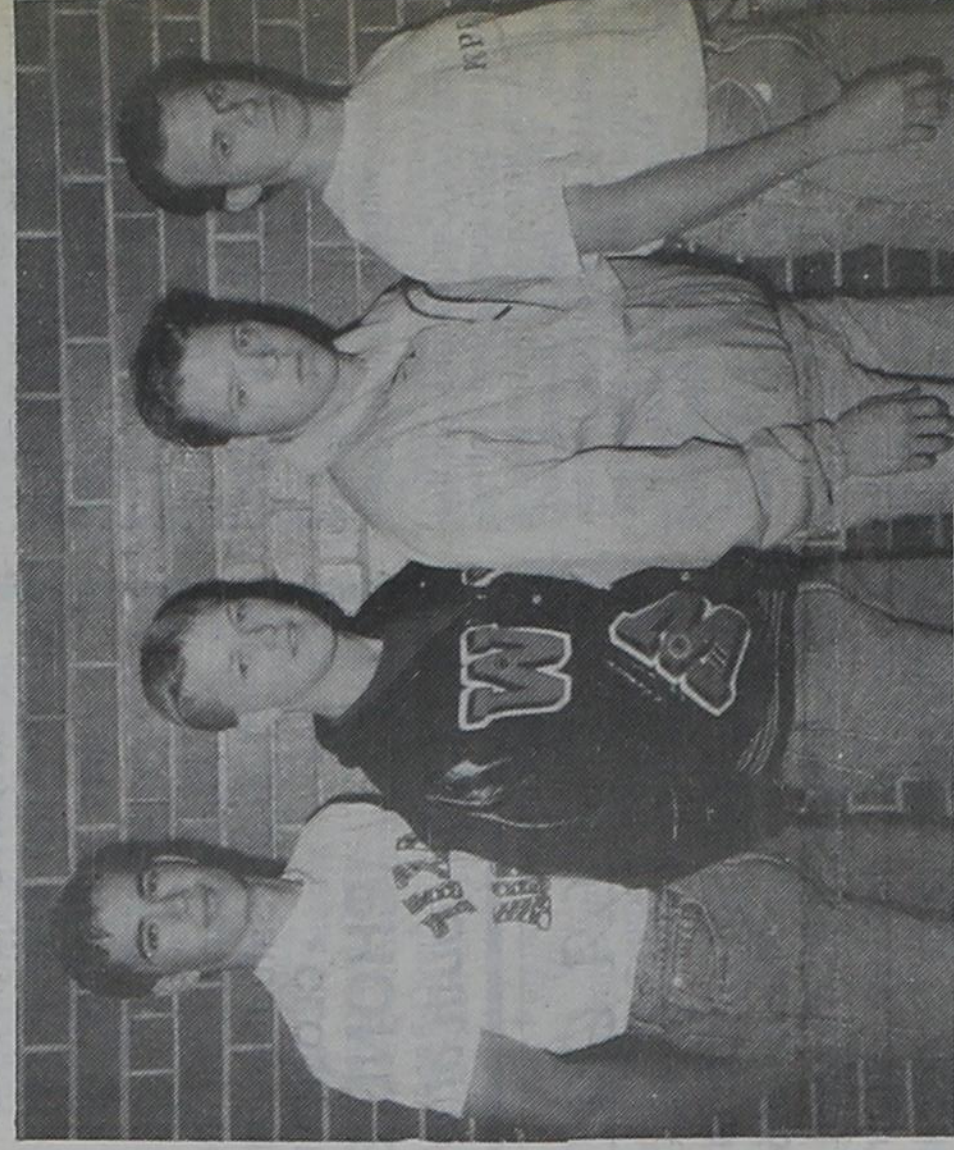
Monday, March 16: Pork Chops, mashed potatoes, sweet kraut, green beans, Rice Krispy Treats.

Tuesday, March 17: Pinto beans & ham bits, fried potatoes, onion slices, cornbread, fruit cobbler.

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On All A Honor Roll

JOE BOB KINNAMAN, a senior, is the 17 year old son of Bob and Deb Kinnaman. Joe Bob made the All A's 4th six weeks honor roll at Wheeler. Joe Bob's name was inadvertently omitted from last week's honor list.



DISTRICT 1-A ALL-DISTRICT BASKETBALL BOYS: These young men were named All-District and/or Honorable Mention in District 1-A. Pictured (r. to l.) are All District Joe Dan Ledbetter, son of Gail and Sally Ledbetter, Honorable Mention went to Brandon Chick, son of Roy and Dixie Chick; Jason Helton, son of Jim and Joann Helton and Todd Baize, son of Van and Renee Baize.

Pathways to Acceptance for Children with Disabilities

Joan Gray, CEA workshops, and testified before the Texas State Senate and MHMR Review Task Force regarding state school closures, with the San Angelo Standard Times publishing an article she wrote regarding the same.

Currently, she is serving as Area Development Director for PATH, (Partnerships Assisting Texans with Handicaps) as a Regional Advocate of the Association for Retarded Citizens in Texas helping other parents obtain appropriate educational plans for their children.

Mrs. Clay's presentation, Pathways to Acceptance, will include her own personal story, suggestions for parents, professionals and individuals that are interested in people with disabilities. There will be a Question and Answer period after the presentation.

Letitia Clay is the daughter of Rodney and Marina Barker of Shamrock. She attended school in Shamrock and graduated in 1977. She is rock and graduated in 1977. She is

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BUCKLED IN: Two young men escaped injury Tuesday evening in this one-car rollover just east of the city limits. They were wearing their seat belts. The driver lost control and flipped the car. Exit was gained by kicking the door open.

Wheeler Track Schedule 1991-92

Date	Place	HS Boys	HS Girls	JV	JHB	JHG
March 13-14	Canadian	X	X	X	X	X
March 20-21	Wallington	X	X	X	X	X
March 27-28	San Angelo	X	X	X	X	X
April 3-4	Miami	X	X	X	X	X
April 10-11	Wheeler X	X	X	X	X	X
April 16-17	Shamrock	X	X	X	X	X
April 24	*District X	X	X	X	X	X
May 1-2	Eik City (Qual.)	X	X	X	X	X
May 8	** Regionals	X	X	X	X	X
May 15-16	State Qual. @Abilene	X	X	X	X	X
	*** State Meet	X	X	X	X	X

*Wheeler
**Lvelland
***Austin

Mobeetie News

By Melba Corcoran

Happy Birthday to Andy Finsterwald, and Erika Morgan on March 12, to Candace Wats, Wilene Burke, and Scott Stribling on March 13, to Jerry Dyson, Wade Rains, Lori Saly, Cricket Lowry and Dana Trumble on March 14, to K.S. Hefley, Tanya Stuart, Wayne Stribling, Claudy Brotherton, and Michelle Shorter on March 15, to Travis May, Bonnie Hogan, April Finsterwald, Mary Thompson, April Gaylord Thompson on March 16 to Patty Woodward on March 17, to Wesley Stribling and Karla Murray on March 18.

Happy Anniversary to Bob and Deb Kinman on March 12, to Keith and Tyna Horn and Lee and Cary George on March 17.

Our sympathy goes out to Ruby Caviness on the death of her sister. She was buried on Thursday.

Claudia Quarles spent part of the week in Arnett, Okla., with Wayne and Paula Shahan and Rusty.

Lorene Rector went to the doctor Tuesday in Wheeler.

Dale and Melba Corcoran visited Tuesday night with Earl and Pauline Barnes in Wheeler.

Al Caviness got his house moved into Old Town this past week. It is good to see some new houses in town.

Congratulations to the boys on their win Tuesday night in Borger.

Maida Allen kept the museum open Thursday.

Einita Atkins and Juanita Lightfoot of Amarillo and Fannie West of Pampa visited Sat. with Laverne Scribner and they all visited Jud and Lorene Rector.

Those spending Sunday with Jud and Lorene Rector was William, and Patricia Burch, Christopher and Tyler of Wheeler and Dale and Melba Corcoran.

Jap and Alice Bailey shopped in Wheeler Friday.

Burch and Glynda Leatherman and Chris of Balco, Oklahoma visited Sunday with Wilber Beck.

Visiting with Arthur, Don and Willene Burch over the weekend was David and Sheryl Mullins and Amber of Reydon, Oklahoma.

Margaret Moore spent the weekend in Amarillo with her mother Bessie Davis.

Peggy and Carl Carter spent the weekend with Eunice Carter other visitors were Jack and Bernice Hefley, Tiffany Hall and friend and Michael Hall of Reydon, Ok, Melissa Hampton and Heather of Wheeler, Joyce Martin and Ruby Jones of Wheeler, Eulene Waiser, Peeler and Evelyn Hanning.

Mac and Peggy Shelton of Perryton visited Pauline Hockett, Beverly and Orval Brewer was honored with a birthday and retirement party at the Western Sizzlin in Pampa given by his wife Rosa. All of his sisters and husbands several nieces and cousins were also present. Doyle and Bulah Grimes enjoyed spending their Satur-

day night at this party.

Our sympathy goes out to the families of William Gobar of Dumas and Ben T. Rucker of Lubbock, they passed away this last week. Ben was a former teacher of Mobeetie and his wife is Oleta Gobar.

Marion Grimes visited Doyle and Bulah Grimes.

Claudia Quarles and Charlotte Coward ate dinner Sunday in Wheeler after church.

Calvin and Leola Stuart visited Sat. morning in Shamrock with Leola's cousin Venita Weiss and with Calvin's mother Bulah Stuart and his brother Gerald Stuart. In the afternoon they visited with Leola's mother Gladys Richardson and her brother Dean and Ivy Richardson.

Visiting Friday night and Saturday with Doyle and Bulah Grimes was Gary and Marilyn Grimes of Amarillo. Several attended the ball game in Levelland Friday night. We are proud of the boys even tho their ball season is over for this year. Wait till next year they will go even farther.

Ruth Beck of Dumas, Vern and Susie Bulah Grimes, Kelley and Edith Cross,

Lohberger of Allison visited Laverne Scribner.

MT. VIEW QUILTING CLUB The Mt. View Quilting Club met Thursday, March 5 at the Totty School House with the Club and Bulah Grimes as hostess. Bulah fixed a birthday cake in honor of Estelle Hodges, Wilene Burke, and LaNeil Riggs. One guest was present Betty Haines of Pampa. Members present was Orville Greenhouse, Bulah Grimes, Flora Mae Kelley, Martha Meek, Lottie Reynolds, Wilene Burke, LaNeil Riggs, Estelle Hodges and Audrey Seitz.

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- Whipped Potatoes
- Green Beans
- Cauliflower Au Gratin
- Buttered Carrots
- Hot Rolls
- Iced Tea/Coffee
- Dessert

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Louise Hogan, Orville Greenhouse, Lrene Webb, Doris Finsterwald, Carrie Harris, R. St. John, Austin Caldwell and Flora Mae Kelley.

OLD MOBEETIE ASSOCIATION The Old Mobeetie Association met March 5 at the hospitality room of the First State Bank with Ada Lou Lester calling the meeting to order. Sallie Harris led in prayer. Minutes were read by Maurita Stribling and Treasurer report given by Louise Hogan. Austin Caldwell made a motion to accept the reports as given seconded by Eulene Waiser. Carried. The meeting was turned over to the committee from the Bluegrass Association. They reported on their plans for the Bluegrass Festival and their Spring Fling. They will be giving a \$500.00 gift certificate from Sears again this year. The money from this goes to their scholarship fund. Ada Lou reported that Al had the wellhouse painted and the windows repaired and at 12:00 noon Monday, March 16 at the Extension office in the courthouse. NoonLining is a 15 week weight reduction program. There are no gimmicks or special items to buy. NoonLining encourages sensible food selection and increased activity. The program is a weekly support group of co-workers

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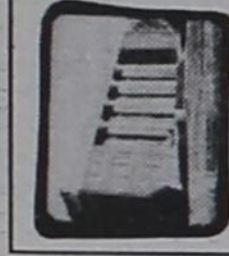
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NoonLining Program Offered by Texas Agricultural Extension Service

Joan Gray, CEA-HE and friends who are fighting the "losing" battle.

The Texas Agricultural Extension Service is offering a NoonLining program. Shamrock NoonLiners will meet at 5:30 p.m. Tuesday, March 17 at Vernell's. Wheeler NoonLiners will meet at 12:00 noon Monday, March 16 at the Extension office in the courthouse. NoonLining is a 15 week weight reduction program. There are no gimmicks or special items to buy. NoonLining encourages sensible food selection and increased activity. The program is a weekly support group of co-workers

For more information or to pre-register contact Joan Gray at 826-5243 or Audra Morgan at 256-3681 (work) or 256-2724 (home).

To the Voters of Wheeler County. THANK YOU for your SUPPORT & VOTE. I am looking forward to serving the people of Wheeler County another four years. I am looking forward to good working relationships with all law enforcement agencies within Wheeler County and outside. I would like to congratulate the other candidates for a good hard campaign. I know the hours spent away from families is stressful and tiring. Each candidate conducted themselves as gentlemen. I thank you for that & I wish each the best in the future. I want to thank all of the people who campaigned for me, walked with me, and wrote me letters of support and above all my family, my children, Stacy, Sarwar, Stephanie and Jason, and my wife "Marie", you have been there when it counted always.

Thank you to everyone in the Sheriff's Dept.

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Ann and girls visited Essie and Marie—forgot who Essie visited need to call back.

Kenneth and Paulette Austin from Grivette, Ark. were visiting Harold and Leslie Austin Sat.

Oh yes the twins were visiting, also, Leslie said everything was budding out.

Eunice Edwards said Mickey was to come home yesterday but he didn't get to. Sammie and Little Mike went down for his surgery. Sammie, Mike

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Lunch: Corn dogs, tater tots, pork & beans, milk/tea, mixed fruit, cookie.
TUESDAY: Breakfast: Juice, biscuits/gravy, sausage/eggs, milk.
Lunch: BBQ weiners, corn on the cob, okra, bread, milk/tea, peaches.
WEDNESDAY: Breakfast: Juice, donuts, raisins, milk.
Lunch: Sloppy Jr. w/cheese, curly Q's, Pinto beans, milk/tea, fruit.
THURSDAY: Breakfast: Juice, hash browns, sausage, toast, milk.
Lunch: Chicken fried steak, m. potato, green beans, hot rolls, milk/tea, cake.
FRIDAY: Breakfast: Juice, cereal, toast, milk.
Lunch: Tuna & pimento cheese sandwich, French fries, pickle spears, milk/tea, pineapple, cookie.
Menu subject to change.

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Psalm 96—1 & 12:

Let the heavens rejoice, and let the earth be glad; let the sea roar, and the fullness thereof. Let the field be joyful, and all that is therein; then shall all the trees of the wood rejoice.

The sun is shining this Monday morning at Allison but the Northwest wind is blowing and I hear it is to get colder through the day, winter is back I guess.

Enjoyed a short visit Saturday afternoon with Rhonda McWhorter and Jane Thomas from Wheeler. They were out on the Campaign trail.

Cheryl Dupont, Sabrina and Cody made a trip last Sunday afternoon to Midland. Texas and visited with her parents Clifton and Louise Boydston. Cheryl and children returned home last Wednesday evening.

Wilma Gilmer's Sunday dinner guest were Jerry and Susan Finney and Jesse from Pampa. Bessie Giddens visited Wilma while Sunday evening.

Jerry and Cathy Gilmer from Amarillo came down Sunday morning and attended church with me and then took me out for dinner at Maxey's in Wheeler and spent the afternoon with me and returned home Sunday evening.

Rhonda and Billy McWhorter, Tanner and Tyler from Wheeler visited Ruby Craig over the weekend and Jerry, Susan Finney and Jesse also visited on Sunday.

Juanita Boydston, Melody, Jonathan and Justin Walker attended a gospel singing at Pampa last Sunday afternoon.

Opal Boydston was last Sunday dinner guests with Roma and Billy Brown. Roma and Billy celebrated their 48th wedding anniversary last Monday by going to Wheeler and eating dinner at Sparlin's.

Ronnie and Ruth Chadwick went to Oklahoma City last Thursday to be with Ronnie's aunt Mary Bell Pate while she went through surgery for a brain tumor.

Last Tuesday night Pete and Margaret Gilmer visited with Peggy Chandler and Melvin and Betty Stinnett. Wednesday evening Dave Gilmer and Pete visited with them. Friday Jennie Walker, Pete and Dave were visiting with them. Peggy hasn't been well for quite some time. Pete and Margaret took Peggy to Amarillo to the doctor last Monday.

Recently May Bell Childress spent a few days with her son and wife, Pank and Daria Childress at Gladewater, TX.

Bill and Kay Donaldson's Sunday afternoon visitors were Bob and Jane Helm from Wellington, Texas and also Jackie and David Lewis, Daranda and Daniel from Panhandle, Texas. Bill and Kay took Edith Donaldson out for dinner last Sunday. Edith still has quite a lot of back pain. We hope she is soon feeling better.

Last Tuesday night Red and Anna Dukes went to Borger, Texas to watch the Briscoe boys play basketball. Last Wednesday night they went to Dill City, OK to services at the Church of Christ. On Sunday Red and Anna, Clyde and Minnie Bell Vinson and Nelda Dukes went to Reydon to the Hill Top Cafe for Sunday dinner. They met Reim and Ruth Hughes there where they all had dinner together. Sunday afternoon Red and Anna visited George Parker at the Parkview Hospital at Wheeler and they also visited with Winnie Kiker. Nelda

Dukes went to Wadson, TX, and visited her sister a few days last week. They went on to Stephenville and visited another sister there on Wed. They went back to Wadson and then Nelda came home on Friday.

It's good to have Clyde and Minnie Bell Vinson back to their home in Allison. They spent about three months down south.

Betty Dyer and Frankie Miller and Cathy and Hector Badillo and Hector Hank were last Sunday dinner guests

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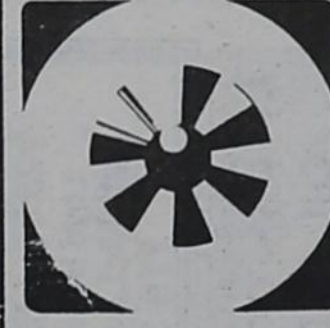
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she is unable to do.

Alan and Sheryl Lane, Laurie, Jimmy Alan and J.W. were supper guests last Saturday evening with Dwayne and Wanda Lane and family.

Rex and Virginia Miller spent about ten days at McAllen, Texas visited Roy and Evelyn Lankford. They got back home last Sunday evening. Virginia came home sick. Hope she is soon feeling better.

Eddy and Wanda Walker and families last Sunday dinner guests were Jennie Walker and the Terry Walker family from Pampa. Jennie went to Wheeler last Friday. Jennie and picked up Gertie at the Care Center and they went to Shamrock and stopped around town to eat dinner at the North Forty Restaurant and just enjoyed the day.

Eddy and Wanda Walker and families Sunday night supper guests after church were Daniel and Susie Johnson, Sarah and Fredrick, Sabrina and Cody Dupont and Ray and Arlene Nokes, Cheryl Dupont visited later.

Verne and Susie Lohberger went to Amarillo a couple of times last week and Susie finished the therapy on her hand last week. Justin and Dawn Lohberger and Margie Banks of Sweetwater, OK visited Verne and Susie last Sunday afternoon.

(Marginal Note) Ideas are very much like children--your own are wonderful.

Care Center Comments

By Cathy

I would like to thank Harold Estes for cutting Shamrock's out of wood for the residents to decorate for St. Patrick's Day.

Monday I read the paper to Willie Morris, Callie Cabe, Zinnie Bailey, Addie Hilburn, and Janie Keelin. That afternoon we made puppets and when we finish with them we are going to pass them out to the churches here in Wheeler for their Sunday school classes.

Our juice servers were Mary Mitchell and Elva Wood.

Tuesday I read the paper to Callie Cabe, Zinnie Bailey, Janie Keelin, Willie Morris, and Addie Hilburn. That afternoon we made hot rolls for our supper. Those that helped make the bread was Gladys Kysar, Dora McGuffin, Willie Morris, Shorty Sechrist, Mary Walker, Mary Bowen, Zinnie Bailey, Gertie Cornell, Julia Dillon, Callie Cabe, Addie Hilburn, Willie Richardson, Vena Hopkins, Vena Richardson, and Maria Zapeda. Shorty really got with it, he showed all the ladies how to knead and make bread.

Wednesday I read the paper to Janie Keelin, Zinnie Bailey, Callie Cabe, Willie Morris, and Addie Hilburn. Janice Sparlin and Peggy Hunt came for Baptist Bible Study. Those who attended were Willie Morris, Gladys Kysar, Iris Ingram, Vena Hopkins and Dora McGuffin.

That afternoon we played bingo. We had 20 residents present to play. Our blackout winner was Ethel McWhorter. Our volunteers were Ila Byers, Lola Holcomb and Erma Riley. Our juice servers were Opal Davidson, Novella Vanpool.

Thursday I read the paper to Willie Morris, Zinnie Bailey, Callie Cabe and Addie Hilburn. Later that morning we had church with Rozena Zybach, Fern Young and Ila Collins. We had a wonderful time with these ladies.

That afternoon LaJaune Alexander and Katherine Holt came to pop popcorn for the residents.

Friday I read the paper to Willie Morris, Janie Keelin, Callie Cabe and Zinnie Bailey. That afternoon we played bingo. Our blackout winner was Joe Richardson, Mr. Knoll, Willie Morris, and Theima Green.

Our juice servers were Fannie Mae Bradstreet and Verna Fillingim. Sunday the Methodist Church of Wheeler brought the afternoon services for our residents.

We really appreciate the churches of Wheeler taking time out to minister to our residents.

Until Next Time,

Cathy

WHEELER MENU

March 16-20

MONDAY: Breakfast: Cinnamon puffs, fruit, fried ham, juice, milk.
Lunch: Chicken nuggets w/gravy, green beans, mash potatoes, fruit, hot rolls w/butter, milk, tea.

TUESDAY: Breakfast: Hot biscuits, scrambled eggs, sausage-bacon, jelly, juice, milk.

Lunch: Steak fingers, fried okra, black eye peas, fruit, milk, tea.
WEDNESDAY: Breakfast: Waffles, syrup-butter, sausage-bacon, juice, milk.

Lunch: Hot dogs w/chili & cheese, French fries w/catsup, lettuce, tomatoes, pickles, onions, fruit, milk, tea.
THURSDAY & FRIDAY: Spring break.

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their proof that we are kin to the monkey. Now I admit sometimes most of us have some tendencies to act like somewhat of a primitive animal but darned if I am going to claim kin to these critters. We have so many things here on this ole earth that are somewhat misfits such as them little animals that look like a beaver with a ducks bill and have poison in their hind claws and have some beast like the graffe that have a neck too darn long for their bodies an a feller could go on and on but being kin to a monkey, no way.

Now I got one cousin that growed plum out the top uv his hair and is darn near too tall to get in the average home an bein he is twice the weight uv some an bein he is a pury good Democrat. Speakin uv Democrats we shore got a bunch uv em runnin for the highest office ain't we? I'm sure we got some that would make a darn good President and if he er she could get all their ideas passed by the Senate and the House we could go rollin down the road in fine style but shore as shootin one uv them News Analist would guarantee us that we wuz on the wrong road to recovery. I've worn Levis most all my life and still got some that enjoy but lately even Levis have took on the Calvin Kline design. Just the other day! got an itch up on the calf uv my rite leg and figered the best thing to do wuz just pull up the rite britches leg and less scratch the hound out uv where it itched. I tried and durned if I could get the britches up, too tight they wuz. Honest my legs are as skinnny as a Kildees but them pants weren't made for the comfert uv scratchin. I got a couple of nice flannel shirts fer Xmas and they got two pockets fer all my junk and they got pury buttons on all that stuff but when I sneeze the darn shirttail comes out an I got to go to the bathroom to put it back in.

Now I ain't bellyachin bout the present but about the shirt tails. If they had uv wanted me to have a sport shirt maybe I ought to be one of them OPS er what ever cause they ain't got no shirttail and normally no pockets, but to get a flannel winter shirt with such a skimpny tail ain't fair. What do you think?

Got to tell you this un, the other day Mama and I were out at the hospital with a friend an we wuz waitin on him to get his test done and I figered I would find a place to smoke and finally I seen some folks were outside the hospital smokin an I thought I would join them. One uv them fellers said I better do all the smokin I wanted cause come May the first you wern't allowed to smoke anywere on the hospital property an last the fellow I wuz couldn't light uv across the street and he said no cause that wuz hospital land too. He did say you could smoke rite in the middle uv the street cause the very center wuz public. Fum the looks uv the wild traffic I figer it would be durned near as dangerous as smokin.

I never in my life tried Pot er any of them other kinds of dope an never intend to do but for over 60 years I have tried about all kinds of tobacco includin snuff but couldn't handle that. Made me sneeze. Gunzenti, even makes me sneeze thinkin about it.

Me and Mama were in Florida fer a winter break, I think, some years ago and we were on the beach huntin shells and I sort uv got distracted lookin at girls with them bikinis on and really wasn't seen where I wuz goin and all uv a sudden Mama yelled at me to get out uv that deep water. I yelled back and said Mama, I'm lookin fer shells but she informed me there wernt any shells out there, and I couldn't swim and besides that I had on my Sunday suit.

I don't know what ever happened to the gal with the innie winnie bikini on but me an Mama ain't been back to the beach and likely won't.

See you next week if Mama don't drown me. **Ab and Mama.**

Comm.

From Page 1 which was seconded by Bill Atherton to accept the Justice of Peace reports for February as follows: Doyle Ramsey \$860.50 and Herbert Stacy \$14,207.50. Motion carried unanimously.

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GAGEBY NEWS

By Verna Fillingim

Happy Birthday to Karen Helley, Claudy Brotherton, Robbie Bleakley and Michelle Shorter on March 15; April Finsterwald and Mary Thompson on March 16; Ruth Wiley, Matt Helm and Keith and Kenny Boydston on March 17; Karla Murray on March 18; Julie Zybach on March 19; Valois (Evans) Massey on March 20; Sonya Holder and Ruby Zybach on March 21.

Happy Anniversary to Keith and Tyna Horn, Lee and Gary George and William and Vickie Cornell on March 17; Kathy and Kendall Murray on March 18 and John and Jill Baker on March 19.

Don't forget the bridal shower for Holly George, bride elect of John Paul Williams, on Monday, March 16 at 3:00 P. M. at Briscoe Cafeteria. Everyone invited. They plan to wed March 21 at Canadian.

Sorry to hear that Earl May's mom, Ruth Ella May of Canadian had a heart attack Saturday night after the magic program and was taken to High Plains Hospital in Amarillo. She was looking really good Thursday when we went by and hoping to go home Friday.

Sincere sympathy to the family of Grace Pettit in her death. She was always a beautiful gracious lady. Congratulations to Wesley Jr. and Lori Steen in the birth of their new baby girl, Jessica Dawn Steen at Pampa Monday, March 2. She weighed 8 lbs. 10 ozs and 19.5 inches long. Proud grandparents are Wesley Sr. and Cleotha Steen and Larry and Janie Taylor.

Congratulations to Clifford and Patty Bradstreet on the birth of their new granddaughter, Maracea Marie, born to Angela Marie Bradstreet on Wednesday, March 4, 1992 and weighing 7 lbs. 9 ozs. and 22 3/4 inches long. God bless you all. Truman Bradstreet is a great grandpa.

Ruth Ella may spend the weekend with Jerry and Jo May and family. Glad she was well enough to leave the hospital, but will have to have some one with her for two weeks. Remember her in your prayers. She plans to stay awhile with Katherine Rutledge.

Winnie Kiker is improving and planned to go home Monday, and will have a lady staying with her. Keep praying for her.

Nice to see Reese Pollock from Maryland out to church Sunday morning. He spent part of four summers with Jack and Evelyn Meek when he was a young kid and helped with things. Always good to have him out to church. Think he works in electronics.

Weekend visitors to David and Winnie Gilmer were Tonya, Brandon, Julie and Davy. They celebrated Brandon's first birthday on Saturday. They had dinosaur cake and ice cream. Others there to help celebrate were Bill Finsterwald, Tammy Greene and Cecilia and Bobby Kay. Visiting Sunday was Betty Bell.

Jodie Crowmover spent Sunday with Fillingim grandparents.

We went back to Amarillo for Willis' check-up on Thursday. Nice to have Paula Reed and Christy and Deleise Quinton meet us for lunch at Luby's. Willis' checked out good. Come back in 6 or 8 months.

"True joy comes from putting Jesus first, others second, yourself last." Psalm 34:8 O taste and see that the Lord is good! Happy is the man who takes refuge in Him.

Good to see Miss Ali Ja Nae Brown, 10 days old, daughter of Jerry and Paula Brown out to the Texan Dome. She is a beautiful baby with dark hair. She never whimpered under the watchful eye of her Brown grandparents.

Nice to have Aaron Lavery's sister, Letia, out to church Sunday morning. She stayed with their mother while Aaron and family went to Levelland and Gail.

Nice to have Mike, Rachel and Ryan May go to church with us Sunday and out to eat at the Dairy Queen. Good to see Bob and Zedell Swift and Paul and Clarice Hathaway out to eat with the beautiful red-haired grandchildren they share. Cole and Aspen Hathaway. Also Kay and Jim Batton with Shannon Gudge and sweet kids. Also there Austin Caldwell.

Going to Abilene Friday were Ken Livingstone, Kelton, Calculator and Math teacher and wife Barbara and the team of Boyce Crowmover, Gary Bryant, W. J. Ray, Brandon Lewis and Greg Bryant. They were competing in a UIL practice Calculator contest. They came back Saturday.

Visiting Fat and Wanda Childress and family Sunday were Dan, Andris and Tammy, and Susie Luttrell.

Remember Doretta Moore in your prayers. She was in Wheeler hospital Monday.

So nice to meet Steve and Bertie (Maddox) Eudeys and Trent and Travis and Matt Lowe at Maxey's Saturday night for a visit.

They were spending the weekend with Steve's uncle, Art and Mary Taylor and helping with campaigning. Steve is still and insurance adjuster and Bertie teaches in a prison at Palestine. Saturday night there was a very large crowd at Maxey's including Ron and Melissa Kiker and a group of ten from Wellington. From Allison Larry and LaDonna Elmore, Gary and Linda Hall, Mike and Teresa Dyer and Amber, Sharon and Lee Hall and grandchildren and also Cecil and Jean Meadows, Irene Keys and Bessie Greshaw from Shamrock.

Congratulations to Shelly Murray for being chosen student of the month at Woodrow Wilson Elementary at Pampa. Shelly is in 5th grade.

The Lavery family visited Richard and Karen Lavery and Trey, Shaleena and Kathleen Brenee at Gail and spent

Friday night with them after the Briscoe-Nazareth game.

Ray and Pat Hudson and Cheryl spent Friday night with Rodney and Kerl Hudson and Hayden in Levelland. Nazareth coach is Mark Makeever (ex-Allison).

Hear Yel! Hear Yel! Back in 1970 Carolyn Willoughby (Helley now) coached a Briscoe girls basketball team to the Regional. Tournament at Levelland. On that team were Lucy Meadows (Lucas) Gay Zybach (Purcell), Phyllis Adenot (Vaughn), Becky Treddwell(?), Cathy Childress (Hunt), Diane Zybach (Dukes), Debbie Dought (Kinnaman), Becky Vise (Wilson), Belinda Wilhelm (Cole), Barbara

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So good to see and visit with cousins A.C. and Betty Fillingim from New Home at the ball game Friday night. They had a grandson Jerry playing on the Petersburg team that beat Sudan 49 to 34 Friday morning. If we had won, we'd have played them Saturday morning. Petersburg went on to defeat Nazareth Saturday morning and Memphis 57 to 56 Saturday night to win the tournament and go on to state playoffs.

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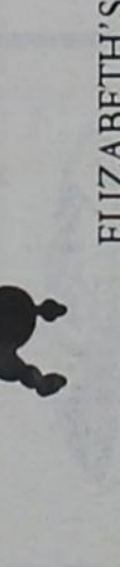
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Yolanda Macias, Mary Fillingim (Newman) and Kathy Helton. Iremember going with them and how proud we were of them, even tho they lost.

In 1965 Coach Don Johnson's Briscoe Lady Broncos won regional by defeating Vega, Benjamin and Sundown and went on to state tournament. On that team were Mickie Fuks Sr, Lou Meadows Jr. (Trimble), Patty Ann Hall (Shields) soph., Judy Finsterwald (Woodland) soph., Diane Dodd (Cody) soph., Noveta Francis (Adenot) fresh., Melody Zybach (Goad) fresh, Helen Puryear, fresh, Suzann Sides and Lynn Helley, fresh, and Sharon Aderholland (Hunt), Diane Zybach (Dukes), Debbie Dought (Kinnaman), Becky Vise (Wilson), Belinda Wilhelm (Cole), Barbara

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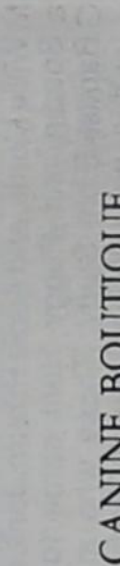
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Gabby and Bonnie Hays from Dumais, I think, Ron and Debbie Van Frank and Amy, Jenny and Ty from Texline, Mike Maddox and Melody from Panchandle, and many from Wheeler, Briscoe, Allison, Mobeetie and all around. Good to see Tonya Wilson's two cuties, Amber and Justina with Al and Sue Lehman; Becky and Terry Tipps and Zachary, Adam and Casey from Frich, Jerry Brown's dad from Hardesty and many, many more. We are so proud of our coach and everyone of our boy. We will miss our seniors next year, but have some very good material left. Also at the game were Iva and Sybil Alexander from Letors and many other grandparents and Clara (Seedig) Cole, whose grandchildren go to Hartley. You wouldn't believe how many, many friends, relatives and fans went to Levelland to see our boys play Friday night. Many planned to stay till Sunday and see other games. Our boys played a very good game. We were 36 to 33 at the half and tied up at the end of the fourth quarter, 66 to 66. But we lost in overtime 72 to 79 against Nazareth team. McLean won against Sands 74 to 52 and played Memphis next, who won over Whiteface. McLean lost to Memphis.

Dallas Fillingim 26 (6 - Pointers) David Hale 16, Kevin Shields 12, Danny Nelson 9, Dusty Walker 5, Travis Goad 4. We were all so proud of our boys and coach. Some there to watch were Rita and David Pearson and Lindsey, Randy Finsterwald, Rita's brother Carrol and JoAnn

Wheeler County & District COURT RECORDS
List of instruments filed in Wheeler County Clerk's Office, February 27 thru March 5, 1992

FEBRUARY 27, 1992
COR DT—Mike Toe to QUIXX Corporation—10ac W/2 Sec 4 Blk C G.W. Nickel
AOL—Woods 1982-II Drilling Program to Argent Energy, Inc. 1-15-92 Secs 66,74,75 Blk A-5
ASSIGN OF ROY—Patricia E. Berry to Donald R. Tonroy 12-20-91 W/2 NW/4 SE/4 Sec 2 J. Poitevont Donnelly to Donald R. Tonroy 12-20-91 W/2 NW/4 SE/4 Sec 2 J. Poitevont AFF—Guy Hardin to W.R. Wooten et ux 2-27-92
D—Pearl Braucht et al to Kyle Adams 1-16-92 100'x50' Outlot 27 Shamrock
OCD—Jon Burrell to H.W. Hise 11-91 Lots 4-6 Blk 63 Shamrock, WSSA
OCD—H.W. Hise to Pate Kirklind et ux 1—92 Lot 5 Blk 63 Shamrock, WSSA
D—H.W. Hise to Pate Kirklind et ux 12-29-91 Lots 4, 6 Blk 63 Shamrock, WSSA
OCD—Mamie Bullock to Betty Oldham 11-12-91 S50' Lot 4 Blk 33 Shamrock
DT—McCain's Auto Body to First National Bank 2-21-92 All Lots 22-24 Blk 20 Orig Town Wheeler
FEBRUARY 28, 1992
ROL—Berk Realty Co. to Ruth Selby Brown et al 8-27-91 90 ac Sec 93 Blk 13
ASSIGN—Ken Wagnon to Samson Resources Company 2-13-92 Sec 18 Blk A-4
A OF JUDG—Wainut Equipment Leasing to Douglas Mitchell et al 1-2-92
ROY OCD—L Douglas Hoyt to Thomas J. Overton 11-21-91 N/2 SE/4 Sec 18 Blk A-4
ASORR—CSL Partners to Choctaw II Oil & Gas, LTD 2-21-92 Sec 2 Blk 1 B&B Survey
ASSIGN—Magnolia Petroleum, LTD to Upland Resources, Inc. 2-13-92 Sec 14 Blk A-8
MD—Eula Faye Stokes to Kenneth D. Stokes et al 2-20-92 .015625RI Sec 70 Blk 23
D—Eula Faye Stokes to Kenneth D. Stokes et al 2-20-92 E/2 Outlot 2 Shamrock Lot 7 Blk 21 Shamrock
MARCH 2, 1992
COR FEDERAL TAX LIEN—United States of America to Carl C. Childress 2-23-92
AOL—Harvey Nelson Jackson Trust to World Royalties, Inc. 2-1-92 W/2 SW/4 Sec 7 Blk A-8
AOL—Viking Investments, Petroleum Company et al to Quapaw Minerals Company 2-19-92 Sec 98 Blk 13
AOL—Petro-Haley to Juanita Haley 2-5-92
RDT—First National Bank in Wheeler to Jerry Dan Helley et ux 2-24-92
DT—Jerry Dan Helley et ux to First National Bank in Wheeler 2-26-92 Pt. NE/4 Sec 59 Blk A-8
ASSIGN—Phillips Petroleum Company to Ken Wischkaemper 2-18-92
RDT—Sunbelt National Mortgage Company to John T. Bond et ux 2-27-92 7.909 ac NW/4 Sec 80 Blk 2-3
MARCH 3, 1992
MD—Ruby, McKelky Robinson to Ruby, McKelky Robinson Revocable Living Trust 3-2-92, 1.33928965 Min Int, Sec 3 Blk 1 B&B Survey
MARCH 4, 1992
RDT—First State Bank of Mobeetie to N.D. Ware, Jr. et ux 3-3-92 Pt. S/2 SE/4 Sec 60 Blk A-9
RDT—First State Bank of Mobeetie to Walter Hand et ux 3-3-92 3 acs NW/4 Sec 63 Blk M-1
3-92 E80' Lots 13, 14, 15, 16 Blk K Park Add, Wheeler
AFF—The Egoff Company to Petroleum Investments, LTD et al 2-21-92 Secs 3, 8, 18, 19 Blk L J.M. Lindsey Survey Sec 2 D. Tindale Survey
P OF ATTY—NGC Anadarko Gathering Systems, Inc to Steven A. Muncey 12-16-91
COR ASSIGN—Thomas H. Yates, Jr. to Apache Corporation 1-23-92 Sec 34 Blk M-1

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Lackey from Abilene, their daughter Rhonda and Drew Travis and 5 girls from Clovis, N.M; Charles and Clay Wayne and Kathy Zybach and Clay Mack and Patty Shields and Amanda and John, two of Mack's sisters and families, Mac and Gay Purcell and April, Steve Zybach, Royce and Deedy Zybach and Julie, Brenda and Dennis Helley and Nathan and Teri, Bevard and Diane Dukes and Daidre, Andrea and Carrissa, Misy and Brandy Mumford, Larry and Vickie Nelson and Kerl, Mary Swigart, Stacie Gunther, Tonya Blackburn, Gaye Hale and Elizabeth and Sarah, Olaf Savage, Willis and Verna Fillingim, Inez Moore, Wanda Helley, Aaron and Claudetta Lavery and Caaron and Claude, Randy and Dee Barron and Tammy Helton, Gail and Alberta Brown, Shelly Hunt, Jackie and Sally May and Amanda and Jackie Don, Wanda Childress, Jane and Clyde Dukes and Stacie, Janet Tatyrek, Tim Bennett and boys, Bob Downs, David and Kathleen Cross, Pat and Ray Hudson, Rodney and Kerl Hudson and Hayden, Dean and Georgia Tipps, Jimmy and Tammy Maddox, and Jennifer and Amber, Richard and Bonnie Meadows and Ragan, Shawn, and Daphne Zybach, Johnny and Cindy Grayson and Jerome and Kerl, Sara

Nice to see Dean Johnson (ex Kelton) who is superintendent at Nazareth. His son Nick was a good player on Nazareth team that defeated us in overtime at Levelland.

Jada Murray is starting college at Clarendon Pampa center and hopes to go on to be a home economics teacher.

Card of Thanks

The family of Grace Pettit wishes to thank the many relatives and friends for their prayers, their very thoughtful deeds and kind expressions of sympathy during her recent illness and death. It is comforting to know that there are so many thoughtful and caring people. The Pettit Family
The Crane Family

COR ASSIGN—Dennis E. Nixon Trustee to Apache Corporation 1-21-92 Sec 34 Blk M-1
DT—Loyd H. Coghurn et al to First National Bank, Shamrock 2-20-92 Lot 3 Blk 2 Mont Lew Shamrock
MARCH 5, 1992
OCD—Thomas M. Beckwith to Dekalb Energy Texas, Inc. 1-21-92 S/2 Sec 48 Blk 24
MD—Mary Ellen Schultz to Russell T. Rudy 2-19-92 Sec 48 Blk 24
AFF—Donna Velasquez et al to Opal Davidson et al 3-3-92
D—Rita Weakley Lenoch et vir to Louis Martin et ux 2-28-92 Pt. Sec 60 Blk A-8
DVL—Johnny Valdemar Velasquez et al to Louis Martin et ux 3-2-92 Pt. Sec 60 Blk A-8
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Here & There

By Laura Guthrie

Things around here moved pretty soon last Thursday morning. Grandson Joe Guthrie from Ft. Bliss came in sometime during the night. But he was up in time to join us at 8:30 breakfast.

It was the regular time for Patricia and Louis, from the "Times" office, to have their breakfast with me, Melinda, who has already had her "bowl of cereal", was persuaded to eat with us, so had a good time.

Joe drove me to Fairview, OK, that day and returned that evening with his mother Lydia Guthrie. During the next day Lydia's daughter Rose and her children drove over from Shamrock for a short visit. Lydia's son, Steve and his wife Patti and her daughter, Kellie joined in for a while on Sat. afternoon, so it was sorta like old home week.

Joe took his mother back to Fairview on Sunday. He will return here before taking leave for service in Germany. Kellie McNeil visited with her grandmother and other relatives in Muleshoe during the Spring Break from school. Her mother and Steve met her in Amarillo Saturday and brought her home.

Melinda and Tim Whorton made a business trip to Dumas and Amarillo

on Saturday. The Good Sams' of this area are on the move again. To begin the season the campers met in Lawtonka, OK, over the weekend. Patricia and Fr Forrester joined them.

We are all excited about the voting on Tuesday. But at this writing it's too early to calculate.

Rural Carrier Examination To Be Offered March 23-27

Donald S. Bloyd, Sectional Center, Manager/Postmaster, Lubbock, TX, has announced the Rural Carrier examination will be open to the general public March 23 through March 27, 1992 for the Amarillo Area Eligibility Register.

Offices included on the Amarillo AER are Amarillo, Canyon, Groom, Hereford, Fritch, and Claude. Interested persons may apply at the Lubbock Personnel Office, 1515 Avenue G., Lubbock, TX, the Amarillo Personnel Office, 2301 Ross St., Amarillo, TX, or at one of the offices served by the register during the week of the open announcement.

No applications will be accepted before or after these dates.

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I would like to thank each and everyone who voted for and supported me in the March 10 Primary.

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WHERE ARE YOU GOING

WHEN YOU DIE?

In the book of Job, the question is asked, "If a man die, shall he live again?" (Job 14:14) Have you ever noticed that there is no shortage of death? Romans 5:12 says, Death passed upon all men. How many people do you know who are older than 100? Not many? How many who are older than 120? None. Right?

Everybody reading this article right now knows that someday he will pass from this life? Do you know where you are going? Many people refuse to really deal with the question? You may have your will in order. You may have insurance coverage to help your family after you are gone, but are you yourself ready for the day of your death?

Like it or not, believe it or not, you are going to face that inevitable day. If the Bible is true, you will go to Heaven or hell based upon your personal relationship with Jesus Christ. You may attend church, you may sing in the choir, or you may even be a deacon, an elder, or a preacher. However, if you are not born again, you aren't ready. What a fearful thing! You can ignore it, reject, or scorn it, but before long you will know whether the Word of God is right. If it is and you are not ready, you'll be in deep trouble forever.

Today is the day to get things ready. You may not be here to read next week's article. If you would like help in understanding what it means to be born again, or if you need prayer, do not hesitate to call

Ricky Phell

To All Wheeler County Residents,

I want to take this opportunity to thank all of the people of Wheeler County for their kindness and support shown me during my campaign for District Clerk. I had hoped the primary would be in my favor, but, I also understand and support the election process.

Please remember that this was just the primary and your candidates need your support and vote all the way through the general election.

This campaign has reminded me of how lucky I am to live and work in Wheeler County, where our best commodity is a lot of very fine folks.

Thanks again,
Jane Thomas

(Pol. Adv. Pd. by Jane Thomas for District Clerk Committee, Delbert Thomas, Treasurer, Box 447, Wheeler, Tx. 79096)

and Lynn Wingfield, Mike, Dawn, and Michael, Tillman were over for breakfast. They were all basketball happy, since Merritt boys were going to state. Isn't it nice that our two counties managed to get teams to state. Hammond and Merritt. Sorry Sweetwater didn't make it but they sure gave it a good try.

Visitors in the Esther Dickey home over the weekend were Mr. and Mrs. Eldon Purdy, Indianapolis, and Mrs. James, a student at Purdue, John, Janet, and Ryan, Medlock of Sayre.

We sure appreciated a box of candy from a cutter, Floy Johnson, Austin, Tex. She cuts the SW news out of the Elk paper and mails it to her sister, Glenna Pickett, Sand Springs.

The Sweetwater Alumni officers met recently to discuss Homecoming plans. President is Mike Kahoa, VP is Kathie Heinsohn, Sec. is Carolyn Newell, Ph 928-3827. If your offspring or friends have changed addresses, call Carolyn or Eliene Logan so they can put it on the books.

Visiting Stella Anderson during the week were Larry and Therese Anderson, Sayre, Hanford and Kyle from Lake Texoma.

Iva Thompson spent ten days visiting her sister Ruth Pyle at Canyon and Norma Zeimler at the hospital. Ruth came home with her for a few days while Bunchie and Maurice visit her mother, Mrs. Haigood, at Sayre and their children.

Iva's grandson Dale Dunlap has been appointed county agent of Collingsworth Co., and will soon be moving to Wellington.

My Darrow is home after surgery at High Plains. Bessie Taylor had surgery this week.

WVFD Training Meeting Held Thurs., March 5, 1992

The Wheeler Volunteer Fire Department met Thursday March 5, 1992 at the Rogers-Patterson Training Center and the Wheeler Fire Station. Twenty two WVFD members, one Junior member, twelve area fire department members and three guests participated in Basic Automatic Sprinklers and Advanced Inspections certification classes.

Instructor for the Basic Automatic Sprinklers class was Robert Ford, Level 2 Instructor. Ken Daughtry, Level 2 Instructor, taught the Advanced Inspections Class.

WVFD members receiving 2 hours training in Advanced Inspections: Boyd Austin, H.L. Owens, Phillip Gaines, Gary Davis, Daryl Snelgroves, K.D. Ford, Jack Spatlin, Kyrdal Murray, Ken Daughtry, Russell Gaines, and Max McQueen. Others receiving 2 hours training in Advanced Inspections: Thomas Hallum and Gene Matthews, Canadian VFD; Liz Atchley and Lanny Achley, LeJors VFD and Gary May, Mobeetie VFD.

WVFD members receiving 2 hours training in Basic Automatic Sprinklers: Dan Kenney, Will Snelgroves, Dell Ford, Marty Rose, Robert Ford, Lyndon Loyd, Joe Atwood and guests, Billy Hennig, Casey Lovell and John Jones. Others receiving 2 hours training in Basic Automatic Sprinklers: Gladiene Woodside, Scott Breuster and Jesse Hanes, Canadian VFD; Jackie May, Mobeetie VFD; Peggie Day and Rodney Day, LeJors VFD and Andy Reed, Kellon VFD.

Other members attending the business meeting of the WVFD were Glen Spatlin, R.J. Smith, Tim Hosack, Clayton Neal and Jon Sullivan.

The Wheeler Volunteer Fire Department meets on the 1st, 3rd and 5th Thursday of each month. Training scheduled for Thursday, March 19, 7:00 p.m. is 2 hours of Basic Fire Science, to be taught by Clayton Neal, Level 2 Instructor and 2 hours of Advanced Arson Detection, to be taught by Robert Ford, Level 2 Instructor.

The public is invited to visit the fire station and the meetings of the WVFD are open to the public.

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