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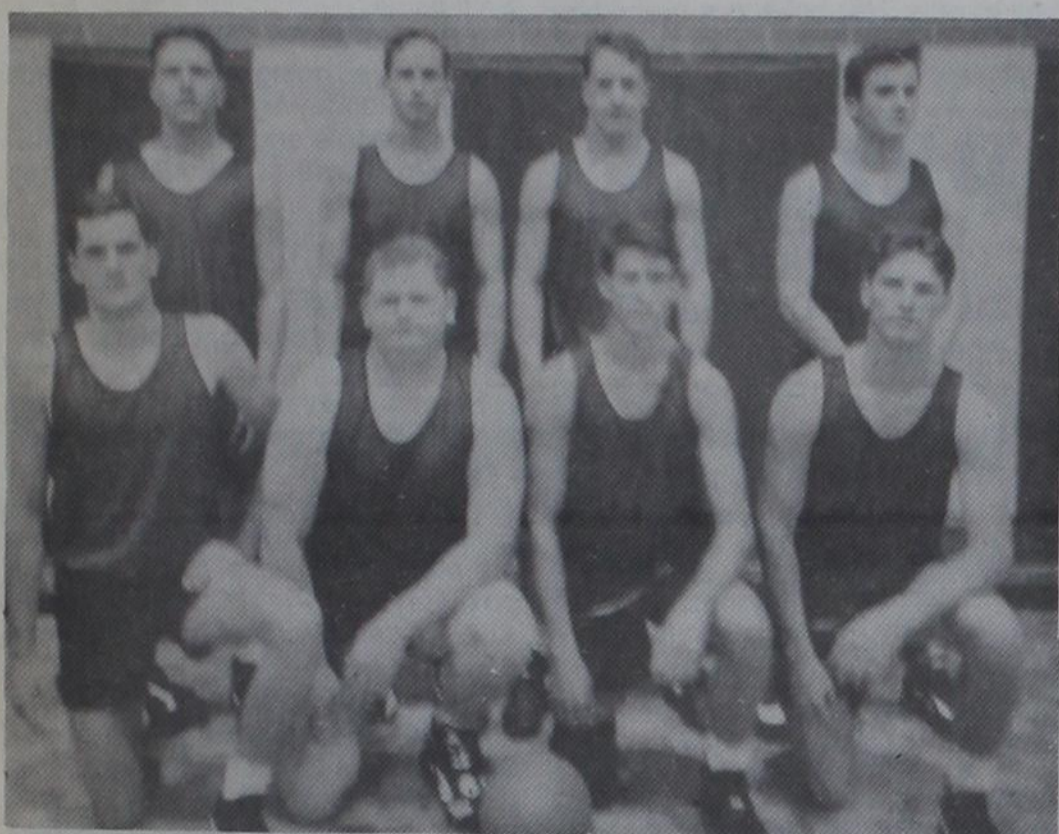
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"Wheeler, town of friendship and pride."

Jr. Livestock Show Starts Friday



MUSTANGS: The Wheeler Mustangs began district play of the 1993-94 basketball season on Tuesday, January 11, 1994. The Mustangs have a 6-10 win/loss for the pre-district play. Pictured are (back row, l. to r.) Heath Sabbe, Heath Eliason, Phil Wiggins, Justin Hefley, (front row) Todd Baize, Clifton Fletcher, Coby Boedeker and Jared Ledbetter. Not pictured is Grea Brvant.

CARRIKER, SENATE'S ONLY FARMER FILES FOR RE-ELECTION

Thirtieth District State Senator Steven A. Carriker has filed in the Democratic Primary for re-election to the office he has served in since 1988. At the age of 43, Senator Carriker is among the youngest members of the Texas Senate and the only member of the Senate to make his living as a farmer. He is a graduate of the University of Texas and his wife Kathy, a Texas Tech graduate, is a public school teacher. They have three children: Jake, a student at Southwest Texas University, and Karen and Stephanie who attend elementary school in Roby.

Senator Carriker has been active in health care issues and was responsible for the 1989 law that has helped create over 170 rural health clinics in communities that has lost or were in danger of losing their health care facilities entirely. His work in health care has earned him awards from the Texas Association of Community Health Centers, the Joint Conference on Aging, and a special resolution honoring him by the Texas Silver-Haired Legislature.

Senator Carriker has passed six bills reducing taxes and protecting taxpayer rights. Among those are bills reducing the oil severance tax, abating property taxes, and protecting retirees from illegitimate income taxes levied by other states.

Senator Carriker has also just completed a four year term on the Texas Sunset Commission where his work resulted in the abolition or consolidation of ten agencies and a savings to taxpayers of 54 million dollars.

"I am proud of the confidence the people of the Thirtieth District have placed in me and am glad to have the opportunity to continue to represent them," Senator Carriker said.

CWE CHAT WITH EDITOR

By Louis C. Stas

Here it is time for the Livestock Show again. These animals represent a lot of work on the part of the youngsters. Remember the sale Monday evening.

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The Wheeler 4-H Club and the Wheeler Livestock Boosters have a couple of offers. The 4-H'ers are going to give away a framed, signed and numbered drawing, "Hindsight" by Liz Shipp. You may contact Liz to make your donation of \$1 or more.

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The Livestock Boosters are offering two trips for two to Las Vegas. With a \$10 donation you have a chance at 3 days and 2 nights in Las Vegas. For a \$50 donation you get a steak dinner at Maxey's and a chance at the trip for two to Las Vegas. If you are interested in either of these offers, contact James Masters.

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If you checked the figures on the story on the candidates in the Democratic Primary last week, they didn't match up. We omitted the District Clerk Race and the two candidates, Sherri Jones and Lyndon Loyd. I did the counting from the copy which had the names and race on it.

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DINNER FOR TWO
A Valentine dinner for two at Maxey's can be yours. Xi Upsilon Eta will hold a drawing on February 12, 1994. You can be a candidate for this treat with a \$1.00 donation. Contact any sorority member or make your contribution at V.&S. Variety.

WEATHER				
DATE	DAY	Lo	Hi	Pre
01-05	Wed.	32	77	0.00
01-06	Thurs	26	49	0.00
01-07	Fri.	16	43	0.00
01-08	Sat.	15	54	0.00
01-09	Sun.	18	50	0.00
01-10	Mon.	30	58	0.00
01-11	Tues.	24	58	0.00
Low for the year:		01-08, 15		
High for the year:		01-05, 77		
Total moisture for month:		.00"		
Total for year:		.00"		
Total Snow:		.00"		

Courtesy: KPDR-FM Radio

Two hundred ninety-six animals are entered in the 1994 Wheeler County Junior Livestock Show which gets underway on Friday, January 14, when the hogs and lambs are weighed in. Members of Wheeler County 4-H Clubs and FFA Chapters have been feeding and fitting their animals for several months in preparation for the show.

The market hog show will begin at 9:00 a.m. on Saturday. One hundred

ninety-eight hogs are entered. Seventy-four lambs are entered in the market

WHEELER VOL. AMBULANCE SERVICE ANSWERS 310 CALLS FOR 1993

The Wheeler Voluntary Ambulance Service was very busy during 1993. Three hundred and ten calls were answered during the year. Sixty seven patients were transferred to Amarillo and eight went to Pampa. There were fifteen auto accidents of these, 60% were not wearing seatbelts, some of these not belted in were young children. Of course the children did have broken bones. Cardiac still leads the list with fifty. The rest of the complaints are: strokes, thirteen, respiratory, thirty, acute abdomens, twenty, falls, thirty, acute abdomens, twenty, falls, thirty, fractures, twenty, head injuries, fourteen, kidney failure, one, cancer patients, fourteen, diabetic, thirteen, choking two, seizures, seven, acute chest in, one. Several unusual calls were received. One person fell 30 feet from a storage tank, one person fell from a running horse, one lawnmower accident, three partial amputations, one resulted from an electric saw, one patient suffered from gangrene, one person was stumped by a bull. Two calls were D.O.S. and one was D.O.A. One patient was overdosed, two were appendicitis, two smoke inhalations. Thirty patients were sick calls. We had thirty-three stand bys for fire calls, thirty hours for football games, nine hours for rodeos, four hours for cross country, three hours for wild west bike tour.

The following break down shows number of calls and number of hours served by each member:

- M.K. Christner, 240 calls, 610 hours
- Mac Christner, 143 calls, 229 hours
- Mark Frankenbery, 129 calls, 223 hours
- Jim Calderon, 40 calls, 58 hours
- Nicki Calderon, 40 calls, 45 hours
- Louis Stas, 13 calls, 17 hours
- Lyndon Loyd, 70 calls, 16 hours
- Yreva Shirey, 21 calls, 31 hours
- Dan Kenney, 20 calls, 19 hours
- Jimmy Selby, 27 calls, 35 hours
- Steve Walker, 7 calls, 18 hours
- Pam Hibler, 7 calls, 7 hours
- Lee Hibler, 26 calls, 17 hours
- Jon Sullivan, 21 calls, 18 hours
- Sherly Lane, 2 calls, 4 hours
- Chuck Hartline, 4 calls, 3 hours

A total of one thousand, three hundred and thirty one hours were spent on the service.

As well as carrying and answering our pagers, we kept busy on our continuing education and training. We conducted an ECA class in 1993 as well as several CPR classes.

Please be careful and safe in 1994. Remember, "Mommies who love their babies put them in their car seats and belt them in". Do you carry your baby in your lap when you drive? Can you deal with their death if you crash and they die? It matters not whether you travel 4 blocks or 100 miles, little people need your protection. Use the car seats and belts, a baby just sitting in their car seat and not belted in is not safe. They must be belted in. A life is so precious, please be responsible.

GARY DAVIS ANNOUNCES AS CO. COMM. PCT. 2 CANDIDATE

I am a candidate for Wheeler County Commissioner, Precinct 2. I am 42 years old, have been married 20 years to Linda, and have one son, Shane Ray, who graduated from high school last May.

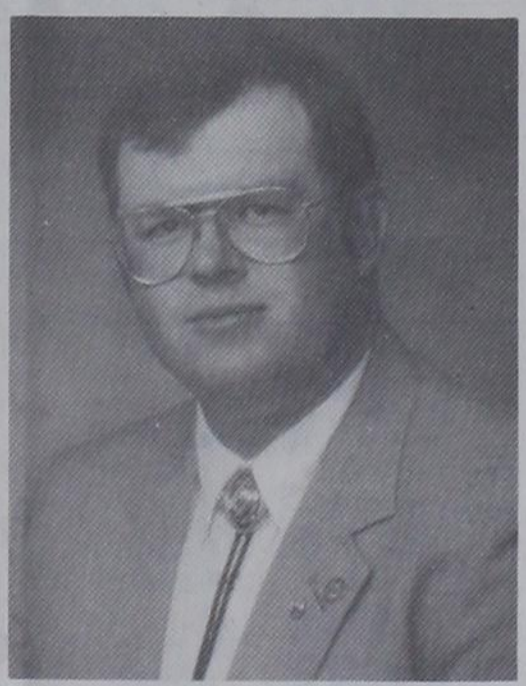
I have been employed by the people of Wheeler County County for 18 years. The first five years, I worked in Precinct 1 for N. L. Sechrist and E. Harrison. I then worked three years in the Sheriff's department as deputy for Doyle Ramsey. After leaving the Sheriff's department, I was hired by Bill Atherton, Commissioner of Precinct 2, as a heavy equipment operator (roadhand) and have worked for him serving the people of Wheeler county for the last ten years.

I am a member of the Wheeler volunteer Fire Department and currently serve as Assistant Chief. I was chairman of the Sweetwater Creek Fire Fighters' Association at its inception four years ago and am still a member. I have been a member of the Wheeler Translator Board for three years and am currently serving as Vice President.

I have extensive knowledge of all phases of road and bridge work, heavy equipment operation and maintenance, and will be able to budget and use county funds to the best advantage.

I would like the opportunity to serve the people of Wheeler County as

County Commissioner of Precinct 2. Therefore, I would greatly appreciate your support and vote March 8.



Gary Davis

(Pol. Adv. paid for by Gary Davis, P.O. Box 66, Wheeler, Texas 79096)

New Arrival

Nathaniel Lee Hillhouse
Drew and Samuel Hillhouse announce the arrival of their little brother Nathaniel Lee born December 22, 1994. Nathaniel Lee weighed 7 lbs. 12 oz and was 22 inches long. Parents are Drs. Ben Ed and Lee Ann Hillhouse. Grandmother is Eunice Odom of Wheeler.

Jillyn Elyse Bryant
David and Diane Bryant of Plano, Texas welcome a new baby daughter born Jan. 10, 1994 at 4:15 a.m. She weighed 6 lbs 14 oz. The name they have chosen is Jillyn Elyse. Kyle and Seth are her older brothers. Peggy Bryant is her grandmother and Jim and Mary Johnston of Friona are her grandparents.

Tanzia Joyce Brown
Dyron Brown would like to announce he has a new baby sister, Tanzia Joyce Brown, born Dec. 6, 1993, weighted 8 lbs 14 1/2 oz. and was 20 1/2" long. She is also welcomed by her parents Roger and Sabine Brown. Grandparents are Robert and Dena Brown of Wheeler, Mr. and Mrs. Nate Baines of Albuquerque, New Mexico. Great Grandmothers are Katherine Holt and Ruby Brown of Wheeler, and a great aunt Reine Williams also of Albuquerque, New Mexico.

lamb show, which will begin at 6:00 p.m. on Saturday. Sixteen steers will be weighted and measured at 1:00 p.m. Sunday, January 17. The steer show will begin at 3:00 p.m. Sunday, and will be followed by the heifer show.

One hundred of the top placing animals will sell in the premium sale at 7:00 p.m. on Monday, January 18.

Richard Kiker, President of the Wheeler County Livestock Show Association and general superintendent of the show, invites everyone to attend the show and auction sale. He said public support and recognition is very important to the youth who have invested so much money and effort

preparing for the show.

Many local individuals are giving their time to make the show a success. Richie Kiker and Jim Batton will be in charge of the beef cattle show, Danny Hardcastle and Kyle Adams will serve as superintendent and assistant superintendent of the lamb show, and Clifton Morgan, Jackie Sparlin, and Russell Gaines will direct the hog division.

Canadian Production Credit Association in furnishing the awards for the lambs and hogs and Wheeler County Farm Bureau will supply the beef cattle awards.



TO BE GIVEN AWAY: Members of the Wheeler Lions Club are shown here with the 1994 Chevrolet to be given away May 21, 1993 by the Lions District 2-T1. Shown here are (l. to r.) Bill Howard, Gary Ware, Sandy Lewallen—Club Sweetheart, Thomas Helton, Bob Rawley, Bob Wills, Andy Wilson, Charles Finsterwald and Charles Kuntz.

Wheeler Lions Club To Offer Chances On Caprice

Members of the Wheeler Lions Club Service Held For Jewell Reed, 86, January 5

Jewell C. Reed, 86, died Wednesday, Jan. 5, 1994. Services were at 2 p.m. Saturday in First Baptist Church with the Rev. M.B. Smith, retired Baptist minister of Pampa, officiating. Burial was held in the Wheeler Cemetery. Arrangements were by Wright Funeral Home in Wheeler.

Mrs. Reed was born in Denton County. She graduated from Denton High School. She moved to Wheeler County in 1928 from Denton. She obtained her teaching certificate from North Texas State University. She married Johnnie W. Reed in 1931 at Denton. She taught school in Wheeler for 37 years, including the "old rock schoolhouse", Sandy Basin and Kelton. She was a member of the Retired Teachers Association and a lifetime member of the Texas State Teachers Association. She was a member of the Dorcas Sunday School Class and First Baptist Church.

Survivors include her husband; a daughter, Louis Hall of Stephenville; two brothers, Edwin Copp of Argyle and George Copp of Denton; a sister, Dora Copp of Denton; three granddaughters, Rhonda Gallagher of Wheeler, Re'Nee Hogue of Bedford and Rebecca Hogue of Stephenville; and three great-grandchildren, Christopher, Brandon and Ashley Gallagher, all of Wheeler.

Pallbearers were Mario Arellano, J.R. Black, Jimmy Hill, Nubbin Jolly, Domer Miller, Dudley Miller, Andy Reed, Densel Reed.

The family request memorials be to St. Anthony's Hospice and Life Enrichment Center or M.D. Anderson Hospital in Houston.

KATHY HILL ENTERS DISTRICT CLERK RACE AS REPUBLICAN

Kathy Hill has announced her candidacy for Wheeler County District Clerk. Kathy was raised in Arvada, Colorado, near Denver and attended Colorado State University. She has been married to John R. Hill for 25 years. They have one daughter, Christi, who is a student at the University of Texas at San Antonio. They are active members of the Country Chapel in Wheeler. The Hills have lived in Wheeler County for 20 years.

Many of the county residents met Kathy when she worked at the Shamrock Clinic. She served as office manager and medical insurance clerk for Dr. Gremmel until he moved his practice to Seminole.

Ft. Elliott Girl Scouts

Mobeetie/Briscoe Brownie, Junior and Cadette Girl Scouts will be taking cookie orders from Jan. 14-31. If you are not contacted by a Girl Scout by Jan. 31, you may call Pam Jones 845-2019, Diane Reeves 845-1030, or Patricia Kephart 845-1034 to place an order. The cookies are \$2.50 per box. Thanks for your support!

will be spending the next several months selling tickets for a 1994 Chevrolet Caprice Classic. All proceeds for sales in Wheeler will go to support projects of the local club.

The Wheeler Lions are participating in conjunction with all Lions Clubs in District 2-T1 on this major District fund raising project. The automobile will be given away at the District 2-T1 annual carnival on May 21, 1994. Each \$10.00 donation to the Wheeler Lions Club will entitle the donor to one entry to the drawing. Each donor may enter as many times as they wish and are not required to be present to win. The winning ticket may be redeemed at Gallepsie Motors in Spearman, Texas. The winner will be announced at the District 2T1 carnival on the night of May 21, 1994. The winner is responsible for all sales taxes and registration fees. Tickets are available from any member of the Wheeler Lions Club. The public is encouraged to purchase tickets to help the club support the community charities.

Old Mobeetie Association Sponsors Art Contest

The Old Mobeetie Texas Association is sponsoring an art contest to select a special pictorial United States Postal Service stamp cancellation for Fort Elliott Station that will be open for one day only on June 18, 1994, at the Old Mobeetie Texas Association Jail Museum. The art work will commemorate Fort Elliott's 119th birthday. The art work must be black and white, pen and ink, and 5 x 7 inches in size. The subject matter should reflect the purpose of Fort Elliott which was to protect the buffalo hunter and settlers against escaped reservation Indians and other outlaws.

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Kathy Hill

(Pol. Adv. paid for by Kathy Hill, P.O. Box 225, Wheeler, Texas 79096)



JV MUSTANGETTES: Representing Wheeler well on the basketball court are the members of the Mustangettes Junior Varsity. Pictured are (front row, l. to r.) Penny Dollar, Ember Bradstreet, Kate Woollard, Cassi Wallace, Jesse Wallace, (back row) Coach Fin, Marice Kuehler, Rachael Smith, Kalli Bradstreet, Mika Goad, Misty Patterson and Vanessa Baize.

Philippians 4:12, 13 "I have learned the secret of being content in any and every situation, whether well fed or hungry, whether living in plenty or in want. I can do everything through him who gives me strength."

Happy Birthday to Dean Tipps, Randy McCurley and Maybelle Childress on Jan. 16, Tera Red on Jan. 17, Tamera Hartline, Josh Nall and Paula Brown on Jan. 18, L.D. Childress, and Charles Cronover on Jan. 19, Zetha Dougherty, Ariza Corcoran and Joe Darnell on Jan. 20, Bob Downs on Jan. 21, Cody James, Melvin May, Rev. Robert Helsley and Anna Belle Corcoran on Jan. 22.

Happy Anniversary to Melvin and Helen May on Jan. 16, Glenn and Angela Keelin and Bob and Becky Blackburn on Jan. 17, Ted and Dortha McCurley and Kenneth and Vernal Densberger on Jan. 19, Dean and Georgia Tipps on Jan. 20.

Willie Fillingim and her sister went to Perryton Thursday and took another sister, Faye Sell, out to eat to celebrate Faye's birthday. Then they went out to Faye's house in the country and visited. Faye's nephew and wife also ate with them.

Wheeler County stock show will be this weekend at Wheeler County Live-stock Barn. The Fort Elliott local show will be Thursday, Jan. 13 at Wheeler Barn about 5:00 or earlier.

Larry and Vicky Nelson kept grand-daughter Danielle over the weekend while Danny and Mary Nelson went to Amarillo to celebrate their wedding anniversary. Misty Morgan spent Saturday night with Keri Nelson and they spent Sunday at Misty's.

Fort Elliott High School played some good games Tuesday night at home. J.V. boys had bad luck and lost 19 to 38. High School girls won 47 to 26 with everyone playing a lot. Varsity boys

had a very close game all the way, and finally won 56-55 over Samnorwood.

Glad to hear L.D. (Fat) Childress came through cancer surgery great on Tuesday at Oklahoma City. Drs. thought they got it all. Praise the Lord! Keep praying. Most of his family were there for the surgery. May have to have some radiation.

In the Kelton Tournament, Fort Elliott Junior High girls and boys defeated Wheeler Christian on Thursday. Friday they defeated Wheeler Seventh grade teams. Saturday our girls won 45-15 over Samnorwood to win first in the tournament. Out boys won 31-23 to win first over

Samnorwood. Congratulations all. We have some mighty plucky players! Lots of grandparents and others out to watch the games.

Happy New Year everyone! God bless you and help you to be a blessing to others. "Brighten the Corner where you are."

I always hope I'll be a better person in the new year and lose some weight. But I don't get the weight off. Don't know about the other, probably not either. And my house is still cluttered.

Sincere sympathy to family and friends of Jewell Reed, beloved by all. She surely deserves her rest in heaven.

In Friday night games at Kelton, Fort Elliott High School J.V. team won 43-34 in a close game over Kelton J.V. Fort Elliott H.S. girls won 77-35. Varsity boys lost 57 to 71 in a hard game.

Jerry and Marion Lackey from Hallettsville, Texas spent a few days with Rita and David Pearson and Dallas and Lindsey and came to the ball games at Kelton to see Lindsey play. They also visited Jerry's mom Nellie Lackey at Wheeler. "God very often uses other believers to demonstrate His love and acceptance to us. The strength, comfort, encouragement and love of other Christians toward one another is a visible expression of God's love," from "Search for Significance."

Mike and Sherry Wash and Katrina and Sam have moved to Reydon, Oklahoma. Mike's dad also has a place there, and kids have enrolled in Reydon School. We will miss them, but wish them the best. Know they will make good friends there. Sherry still comes back to work for Eunice Edwards on week days.

Kevin Shields had the misfortune to bread his left arm just below the elbow and right arm has a fracture lengthwise with a brace on it. Left arm has a cast. Pray for Kevin and his family. Pretty inconvenient. He fell playing basketball at Allison Wednesday night. He is managing to do more with his right arm.

Sorry to hear that Doug Course of Mobeetie had a heart attack Friday and is in High Plains Baptist Hospital at Amarillo. They put a pace maker in and trying to get him stabilized Monday night. Gary Jahnel was going up Tuesday to visit him.

Martha and J.P. Meek were going to Canyon Wednesday for the funeral of Carl Miller, 57, who was married to Martha's niece, Lorena.

Enjoying a skating party at Pampa Friday night were Chuck and Phoebe Hartline and Tamera, Aaron, George Reeves, Jr., Monty Hand and Justin Hefley. The boys came home from school with Aaron. They played and ate supper and went skating and spent the night with Aaron. They took them back before noon Saturday. It was a mid-year birthday party. Since Aaron's birthday is July when every one is scattered, they were celebrating in January. Tamera's birthday is also Jan.

Nice to see Ben and Tonia Meadows and John Shields out to Kelton ball games Sat. Think they just drove up for the games and were going back to Canyon. Nice to have Elizabeth Hale and Dallas Fillingim around during the holidays. Also Dusty Walker, Deidre Dukes, Travis and Shane Goad and others.

Nice to see Jack and Ivey Brewster from Erick and Jackie Brewster from Mason, near Tulsa out to the ball games at Kelton. Jackie coaches at Mason; he said tell everyone "Hi" for them. Sally Brewster and Leon Turner from Erick are getting married Saturday, Jan. 15, at Erick and are making their home in Amarillo. Best of luck to them.

David Hefley got the cast off of his hand Wednesday. Know he's glad. Keep praying for him. Still painful and awkward.

We are expecting Al and Sharon Ryan from Stillwater to come Thursday and stay till Friday always enjoy them.

Enjoying a family dinner at the home of R.L. and Rozena Zybach Sunday to celebrate Shane Goad's birthday were April Darrow, Mike and Melody Goad, Travis, Ja'Nae and Shane, Gay Purcell and Josh and April, Lori Baird and Charity and Jessica Lauren, Royce and Deedy Zybach and Julie and Sarah Beth, Jim Goad, Irene Zybach, Mary Lou Carter and R.L. and Rozena. Shane and Travis Goad go to college at Goodwell, Oklahoma.

Visiting Harold and Lessie Austin Sunday were Joe and Liz Austin and Payton.

Sunday dinner guests at the Evelyn Meek home were Aaron and Claudetta Laverty and Caaron and Ray and Velma Forbes.

We enjoyed playing 72 with J.P. and Martha Meek after church Sunday night, even if the guys did win.

Misty Morgan's brother Creg Morgan is in the Air Force stationed at Phoenix, Arizona. He enjoys playing quarterback on the Air Force Football team. They went to State and he was honored as All-State quarter back and outstanding player. Congratulations! Nice to visit with Creg's proud mom, Marty Ogle, at the ballgame.

Larry Meadows from Washington D.C. taught courses in Amarillo last week and visited with Louis Meadows



and the Eddie Meadows family on the weekend.

Some going to Canadian Sunday afternoon to watch the plays and acts put on by the high school included Rita Pearson and Dallas and Lindsey, Tammy Maddox and Jennifer and Amber, Lois Meadows, Kay Gatlin and Willis and me. The plays were well done. Some we knew in the plays were Amy Purcell, Josh Wilson (Becky's son) and Christy Cook.

Sylvia Brown spent Saturday night with her sister, Rosalie Keelin. Spending Sunday with Rosalie were Gene and Norma Keelin and family.

Kenneth took Lou Dean Douthit to Pampa to eat at Furr's Wednesday to celebrate her birthday. Friday they took some calves to Sayre to the sale. Visiting Douthits Friday were Debbie Kinnaman and Kirbie.

Addie Swift has been missing the ball games. Her knee in a brace has kept her close to home, but she has missed the flu. She enjoyed having

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Administrator of National Banks

REPORT OF CONDITION

Consolidating domestic subsidiaries of the
FIRST NATIONAL BANK IN WHEELER OF WHEELER
in the state of Texas, at the close of business on December 31, 1993, published in response to call made by Comptroller of the Currency, under Title 12, United States Code, Section 161. Charter Number 14644, Comptroller of the Currency, Southwestern District.

Statement of Resources and Liabilities Dollar Amounts in Thousands

ASSETS		Dollar Amounts in Thousands
Cash and balances due from depository institutions:		
Noninterest-bearing balances and currency and coin	1,437	
Interest-bearing balances	0	
Securities	20,424	
Federal funds sold	4,555	
Securities purchased under agreements to resell	0	
Loans and lease financing receivables:		
Loans and leases, net of unearned income	8,940	
LESS: Allowance for loan and lease losses	250	
LESS: Allocated transfer risk reserve	0	
Loans and leases, net of unearned income, allowance, and reserve	8,690	
Assets held in trading accounts	0	
Premises and fixed assets (including capitalized leases)	283	
Other real estate owned	0	
Investments in unconsolidated subsidiaries and associated companies	0	
Customers' liability to this bank on acceptances outstanding	0	
Intangible assets	0	
Other assets	447	
Total assets	35,836	
Losses deferred pursuant to 12 U.S.C. 1823(j)	0	
Total assets and losses deferred pursuant to 12 U.S.C. 1823(j)	35,836	

Comptroller of the Currency
Administrator of National Banks

FIRST NATIONAL BANK IN WHEELER
REPORT OF CONDITION (Continued)

LIABILITIES Dollar Amounts in Thousands

Deposits:		
In domestic offices		30,978
Noninterest-bearing	3,278	
Interest-bearing	27,700	
Federal funds purchased	0	
Securities sold under agreements to repurchase	0	
Demand notes issued to the U.S. Treasury	0	
Other borrowed money	0	
Mortgage indebtedness and obligations under capitalized leases	0	
Bank's liability on acceptances executed and outstanding	0	
Subordinated notes and debentures	0	
Other liabilities	115	
Total liabilities	31,093	
Limited-life preferred stock and related surplus	0	
EQUITY CAPITAL		
Perpetual preferred stock and related surplus		0
Common stock	114	
Surplus	368	
Undivided profits and capital reserves	4,261	
LESS: Net unrealized loss on marketable equity securities	0	
Total equity capital	4,743	
Losses deferred pursuant to 12 U.S.C. 1823(j)	0	
Total equity capital and losses deferred pursuant to 12 U.S.C. 1823(j)	4,743	
Total liabilities, limited-life preferred stock, equity capital, and losses deferred pursuant to 12 U.S.C. 1823(j)	35,836	

We, the undersigned directors, attest to the correctness of this statement of resources and liabilities. We declare that it has been examined by us, and to the best of our knowledge and belief has been prepared in conformance with the instructions and is true and correct.

I, Mark Gill

Vice President and Cashier
of the above-named bank do hereby declare that this Report of Condition is true and correct to the best of my knowledge and belief.

Robert Hogan
Adrian R. Resner
Charles R. Brown

Mark Gill
Signature

January 11, 1994
Date

Kelton Mobeetie MENU

January 17-January 21, 1994.

MONDAY: Breakfast: Toast, eggs, jelly, juice, milk.

Lunch: Steak, mash potatoes, green beans, fruit, rolls, milk, tea.

TUESDAY: Breakfast: Cowboy bread, cereal, juice, milk.

Lunch: Ravioli, corn, salad, bread sticks, fruit cobbler, milk, tea.

WEDNESDAY: Breakfast: Biscuits w/gravy, ham, jelly, juice, milk.

Lunch: Beef stew, corn bread, crackers, fruit, cheese sandwich, milk, tea.

THURSDAY: Breakfast: Banana bread, cereal, juice, milk.

Lunch: Chicken & noodles, broccoli & cheese, whole potatoes, cake, rolls, milk, tea.

FRIDAY: Breakfast: Pancakes w/ syrup, bacon or sausage, juice, milk.

Lunch: Tacos, salad, French fries, cookies, milk, tea.

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Wheeler Church of Christ

Congregational Concerns:

Elmer and Estelle Hubbard have been released from the hospital in Shamrock. They are resting at home.

Kathy Frankenbery has been released from the local hospital.

Foy Perkins is hospitalized in the local hospital. His condition is slowly improving and he may be released this week.

Opal Daughtry is hospitalized in the local hospital with pneumonia.

From the Minister's Desk:

A thought-providing bulletin article was recently written by John Gibson, the minister of the Sixth and Izard Church of Christ in Little Rock, Arkansas. The title of this article was "The Church Will Never Be the Same" and it said:-

According to the April 5, 1993

Time magazine the church will never

be the same because baby

boomers, the generation that forgot

God, is going back to church. But it's

not going to be business as usual.

These returnees are described as

"traveling from church to church or

faith to faith, sampling creeds, shop-

ping for a custom-made God." While

most say that they believe in God:

"One-third also believe in reincar-

nation, ghosts and astrology. The

God of their understanding is not

necessarily the personal, all-pow-

erful and all-knowing deity of ortho-

doxy. Nor is the Jesus affirmed by

boomers necessarily the Son of God

and unique Savior of humanity.

In an effort to attract, more and

more churches are becoming "cus-

tomer oriented". As an example of

this one church was cited as having

songs one Sunday morning ranging

from "Oh, What a Beautiful Morn-

ing" to "Danny Boy". The meeting

climaxed in hugging with the

preacher raising his arms high and

booming, "Hey God, make my day!

Go for it."

In the Time article, mention is

made of the book *The Churching of*

America by sociologists Roger Finke

and Rodney Stark. Martin E. Marty,

the historian, summarized their in-

terpretation: "No God or religion or

spirituality, no issue of truth or

hope or goodness, no faith or

mercy or love, no justice, or mercy;

only winning and losing, in the

churching game matters." Marty

remarked it is "lethal" to reshape

churches around the claims of these

returnees.

Your reaction? It is anything like

the response in Time, April 26,

1993? "As a baby boomer, I am

fascinated by my generation's ap-

parent return to religion. Unfortu-

nately, it seems that the philosophy

of the Me generation has carried

over to the quest for spiritual wealth.

We appear to be searching not for

amoral code, but for a justification

of our life-style. While it is true that

Jesus never turned people away

for asking too many questions, there

is no mention in the New Testa-

ment of making the answers to meet

the wishes of the audience or to fill

pews, but no one said the way to

heaven was easy."

Forgive me if I can't get too ex-

cited about the baby boomers re-

turning to religion. Until we learn

submission to the will of God, we

may be something, but Christians

are not.

Epilogue

This article reminded me of a

observation that my good friend

Charles Hodge recently made. This

observation was "What does the

Bible mean to me?" What does the

Bible mean to me?" What does the

Bible mean to me?"

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SWEETWATER NEWS

By Mrs. Joe Flowers

The New Year is off to a good start. We had two who got a National holiday out of the big day. Joe Mong and Richard McEntire had birthdays. We enjoyed the Rockin' Eve 94 with Dick and the other New Yorkers, sure been a nice week the sort of temperamental. it was 70 Wednesday on one side of the house and 80 on the other.

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Came Friday and down to 17. We had a wisp of snow.

The first seven days of January show no moisture. My onion halves had some moisture in April, May and September and a little smidge in July. I think my records show a little over 22 inches of rain in '93.

I've tried to do the right things. Write thank you notes to everyone. My mama taught us that Thank you and Please cut a lot of ice. Got all my important dates, birthdays, and such marked up on the new calendar. Sent Uncle Sam my donation for the fourth quarter.

Brenda Smulcer and Jeffrey spent a few days with Kevin and Elaine Hill at Woodward then on the OKC to visit with William and Ladonna Dodd.

Travis and Matthew Miller of Amarillo spent several days with their dad, Keith, Brother, Bill, and grandmother, Iona Miller at Erick. Bill went home with them for a few days.

Visiting Mildred Allen for an early Christmas were Lanelle and Donis Hayes, Enid, Ricky Allen and family, Hammon, Faye Leroy and Randilyn Allen, Erick. Junior Carlson dropped in later.

Charles Fourier had Christmas with Bonnie and Arnold Rice. Jackie North and Lois Bryan dropped by to see Bertha Coffey. Iva Thompson enjoyed a New Year's dinner with little Jake at Peggy and Leroy Dunlaps. Also there were his parents and Darrin.

Been a lot of flu and such around. Ray and Doris Smith have been on the

puny side. Elic Atchley is a patient in Sayre Hospital. Jewel Wilcox and Flossie Thompson have been patients at Elk City.

Memorial services were Saturday at the First Baptist church in Wheeler for Jewel Reed. Burial in the Wheeler Cemetery. I visited Johnny last week.

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He isn't very well either. Clarence and Randy Coffey and Lindsay spent the holidays at Shamrock with her mother Pat Henry.

The papers say our embargo against Haiti is causing the death by hunger of a 1000 little children weekly.

Some years ago Paul Harvey announced the British had found a cure for the common cold. At first symptom, let a zinc lozenge melt in your mouth. Don't chew or swallow hole. I think it really works, tho Joe and David don't like it.

The Kitchen Band went to Wheeler Care Center on 5th Friday. Among the



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"Wheeler, town of friendship and pride."

visitors were Ed and Pauline Killingsworth, Rex and Virginia Miller, some of their children and grandchildren. On first Tuesday the Band went to the Erick Home. Among the visitors there were Johnny Nidifer, Janie Bruner, Matha Speake, Arlis Stagg and Wanda Guenzel. Karen served everyone cookies and punch. Oh, yes, since Saturday is our 56th anniversary, the band played Eighth of January.

Band folks were Basil and Billy Doss, Carnegie, Murray Orgain, Canute, Loyd Addie, Elk, Betty Brothers, Sayre, Iona Miller, Margaret Miller, Hazel Francis, Roy Swager, Richard Crawford, Erick, Joe Dale and Esther Flowers, San Antonio. We three and Ole Five stayed.

Joe Dales strings til Monday with us, he snapped a lot of our birds with his new video camera. wouldn't you know the day after they left, we looked out and there were 20 robins, a towee and 2 kinds of juncos visiting with the other birds. Had as many as seven cardinals at once. They act thirstier than hungry.

With Betty Sites over the holidays were Redonna and Jerry Christopher,

Kaylana and Jeremy, Mike and Sally Sites, Megan, Sheila and Caade, Buddy and Nell Benton, Spearman.

did you see Jimmy Webb on Good Morning America. He's a local boy too, but not like Roger Miller. Roger never let anyone forget he was from Erick. Jimmy barely says he's from Oklahoma.

We visited Bobby Jones, Coy and Julian Wallace, Alma and Hansford Counts in Walmarts. Saw Mrs. Ronald Baker, Betty Kendal, Joe Whitson, Ivan Minor, James Maddox, Joe Frank Moad in Cheyenne.

Everyone really enjoyed the nice Christmas display in front of the school.

Raymond and Imogene Pickering spent Christmas in North Carolina, with Cheryl and David Layfield. Missed most of the snow. Came back by Ft. Worth and visited Charles and Betty.

Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Ashley spent Christmas at Marlow with their daughter Susie and Tom Elroy.

My cousins Andrew and Margie McCathern of Pampa stopped by to see us today. They had been to Edmond and OKC to visit the children of Bobby and Albert Wilson, his nieces and nephew.

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Instructor for the Basic Records & Reports was Ken Daughtry, Level II Instructor. WVFD members receiving 2 hours training in Basic Records & Reports: Kyndal Murray, H.L. Owens, Daryl Snelgroves, Dear Hathaway, Dell Ford, T.A. Taylor, Ken Daughtry, Jason Brownfield George, Chuck Hartline, Gary Davis, Steve Walker, Will Snelgroves, Justin Rose, Dale Helton, Robert Ford, Walter Simmons and Josh Brooks.

Other members attending the busi-

ness meeting of the WVFD: Lyndon Loyd and Jon Sullivan.

The Wheeler Volunteer Fire Department meets on the 1st, 3rd and 5th Thursday of each month. WVFD will meet again on Thursday, January 20, 7:00 p.m. for election of officers; no training will be conducted at this meeting.

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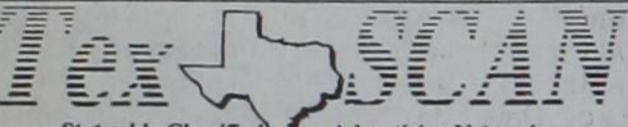
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Care Center Comments

By Cathy The WCC would like to welcome Mr. Loy Davidson back to the Care Center. Mr. Davidson first came to stay with us for respite care. Now he is back to stay with us as a permanent resident. Welcome back!! We also would like to welcome Mrs. Pauline Hogue. Mrs. Hogue is from White Deer, TX. Mrs. Hogue likes to visit and watch T.V.

We have started working on Valentines crafts for next month. The way time flies we want to be ready Valentines Day.

We still have some residents that are still in the hospital. They are Lera Weehunt, Dub Mason and Elsie Wagner. We wish all these residents a speedy recovery.

Mrs Hyatt had church services for the residents on Tuesday. They sang several songs and then Mrs. Hyatt had a devotional ready for the residents. Several residents attended and had a great time.

We played bingo on Wednesday and Saturday. Wednesday we had 22 residents to play and Mr. Knoll was the blackout winner. Ila Byers and Katherine Holt helped out in bingo. On Saturday they had 19 residents to play Joe Richardson was the blackout winner.

Fern Young had church with the residents on Thursday. Fern was by herself so she played the piano and led the singing but, Ariel Lohberger

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Mobeetie News

By Melba Corcoran

Our sympathy goes out to the family of Jewel Reed.

Kelley and Edith Cross and R. St. John spent a belated Christmas in Abilene with their children, Dana and David Graham and Arveda Seitz. Son David Seitz from Ballinger came up for the gift opening on Monday night. Daughter Arveda had fractured a bone in her right foot but was able to get around with a walking cast. The highlight of the trip was entertaining and being entertained by grandson Caleb. He is just now in the early walking stage.

William Burch of Wheeler D.L. Rector of Amarillo and Dale Corcoran visited Wed. with Jud and Lorene Rector.

C.W. Burch went to the doctor Tuesday in Amarillo.

Sue Glover of Pampa visited Friday with Jap and Alice Bailey.

Visiting last week with Charlotte Coward was her cousin Loyd Mathews of Spokane, Washington.

Bill Biale of Pampa and Hugh Bailey visited with Jap and Alice Bailey.

Orville Greenhouse visited recently with Alvern and Dorcie Hutchison in

Wheeler.

Dale and Melba Corcoran went to Amarillo Friday to the doctor. Clara Ridgway got home from the hospital Sat.

Doug Course is in High Plains Baptist Hospital following an heart attack. He is better. Steve and Sami Course visited him Sunday.

Nicole and Kera of Borger spend the week with their Great Grandmother Charlotte Coward.

Bill and Dutch Elliott of Pampa visited Laverne Scribner.

Gary Grimes of Amarillo visited Saturday with Doyle and Bulah Grimes.

Charlotte Coward spent a few days in Borger with Randy and Diane Jones, Nicole and Kera. Diane took Charlotte to Amarillo for her doctors appointment.

James and Alisha Moffett took John to Pampa Saturday to Billy and Shelia Touchstones. Billy, Shelia and John went to Amarillo and attended the Tractor Pull Sat. night. Billy and Shelia brought John home Sunday.

Saturday Dale and Melba Corcoran visited in Wheeler with Earl and Pauline Barnes and William Burch, Chris, Tyler and Caitlyn.

Jerry Rector of Amarillo visited Sunday with Jud and Lorene Rector.

Ada Lou Lester, Louise Hogan, Melba Corcoran met with Bobbye Hill in Wheeler Sunday afternoon and

worked on Museum business.

Pierce Walker had eye surgery in Oklahoma City recently. He is doing better.

Jimmy and Laura Fern Selby went to Amarillo recently to the doctor. Jimmy is doing better following his leg surgery.

Dale Corcoran visited Thursday in Wheeler with Verna Corcoran.

Visiting Wednesday with Calvin and Leola Stuart was Ronnie & Tanya Stuart, Chad, Jarad and Todd of Tempee, Ariz., Randy & Julie Stuart, Zeck, Jessie and Jeremy of Amarillo, Dennis & Vanessa Stuart of Lubbock, Gladys Richardson of Erick, Ok, Jerry and Shirley Richardson, Katie and Tyler of Sayre, Eddie and Amy Richardson, Jennifer and Vanessa of Wheeler.

Jud and Lorene Rector went to Wheeler Monday for Jud's doctor appointment.

Visiting Thursday with Calvin and Leola Stuart was Ronnie and Tanya Stuart, Chad, Jarad and Todd of Tempee, Az., Fat and Wanda Childress, and Addie Swift of Briscoe, Tom and Janice Taylor, Trey and Misty of Seeley, Ok. Dean and Marla Lax, Dena and Cassie of Shamrock, Dennis and Vanessa Stuart of Lubbock, Randy and Tanya Stuart, Zeck, Jessie and Jeremy of Amarillo.

Friday Bo and Kathy Dunn, Tiffany of Amarillo visited Calvin and Leola Stuart. They all went to Amarillo later. Those eating at the Cattle Call were Bo and Kathy Dunn, and Tiffany, Randy and Julie Stuart, Zeck, Jessie and Jeremy of Amarillo, Ronnie and Tanya Stuart, Jarad, Chad and Todd of Tempee, Az. and Calvin and Leola Stuart. After supper they put Ronnie



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"Wheeler, town of friendship and pride."

and family on the plane for home.

Dale and Melba Corcoran visited Sunday night with Pauline and Earl Barnes. While at the Dairy Queen they visited with Mr. and Mrs. Joe VanZandt.

Leola Stuart visited Sunday in Erick with Dean and Ivy Richardson. Others there were Gladys Richardson of Erick and Dale Richardson of Elk City.

Amanda Childress and Sallie May met Jackie Don May, Kellie Brice and Payton in Amarillo Sunday to do wedding shopping.

Mt. View Quilting Club

The Mt. View Quilting Club met Thursday at the Totty School House with Estelle Hodges as hostess. Those attending were Estelle Hodges, Audrey Seitz, Martha Meek, Orville Greenhouse, Carol McCurley, Eva Webb, Beulah Grimes, Betty Haines, Willene Burke and Stormi Lancaster. Estelle Hodges will be hostess again next quilting.

Mobeetie XYZ

Mobeetie XYZ met Friday Jan. 7, 1994 for their regular meeting at the Fellowship Hall of the First Baptist Church. Louise Hogan took blood pressures. Martha Meek gave the devotional. Those enjoying a delicious pot luck meal were R. St. John, Lester Leonard, Orville Greenhouse, Kelley and Edith Cross, J.P. and Martha Meek, Doyle and Bulah Grimes, Marion and Ethel Grimes, Ralph and Mary Hovey and Chuck and Louise Hogan.

Mobeetie City Council

The Mobeetie City Council met Thursday night at the City Hall with Mayor Dale Corcoran in charge. Dale Corcoran put Alisha Moffett City Sec. as Mayor Pro-Tem and he took a spot on the council for the night. Reading of the Minutes by Alisha Moffett. Motion by Dale Corcoran to accept as read seconded by Jim Kephart. Carried 3-0. Financial report was given. Motion by Lena James to pay the bills as presented. Seconded by Jim Kephart. Carried 3-0. Tom Grantham presented the yearly audit. Dale Corcoran made the motion to accept the audit. Seconded by Lena James. Carried 3-0. Dale Corcoran made the motion to adjourn. Second by Jim Kephart. Those attending were Tom Grantham of Miami, Dale Corcoran, Alisha Moffett, Lena James, Jim Kephart and Jackie May.

Old Mobeetie Association

The Old Mobeetie Association met Jan. 6 with President Dale Corcoran presiding. Louise Hogan opened the meeting with prayer. Minutes were read by Melba Corcoran and Treasurers report was given by Louise Hogan. Melba Corcoran made a motion to accept the reports as given. Seconded by Bobbye Hill. Carried. Jackie May presented the group with a barrel vinegar pump that Herk Atkins had given to Melvin May out of the grocery store years ago. He also gave the group a big barrel corkscrew. Several remember having to pump vinegar out of a barrel into your jar when you purchased it. Now to find a barrel the pump will fit on for display. The group was very happy to get the items. Visitors report for December was 45 with 6 from out of state. Volunteer hours was 97 1/4. Cataloging work sheets completed is 4281 with 6324 items. Under old business a letter was received from Texas Historical Commission that our grant application was received. They will judge the application after Jan. 21 and everyone will be notified of their decision. Bobbye Hill reported on what we need for other grant applications. Melba Corcoran made a motion we find a CPA to prepare the statements we need for some of the grant applications. Seconded by Ada Lou Lester. Carried. Louise Hogan was appointed to find one. Bobbye Hill reported we hadn't heard back from the IRS on the changes proposed on the Charter. The storm windows are still waiting to be put up. C.W. reported he had some of the board ready and plans to start work this week on them. Dale Corcoran reported that Loyd Grove said the could make a bracket to hang the bell with. Bobbye Hill and Louise Hogan gave a report on their meeting with the commissioners Court. They said that they would help us with in kind service on the remodeling of the Saloon Bldg. They will provide labor to help with the sewer system, side walks and bathrooms. Dale Corcoran announced that the trailer house has been winterized. The Posters of the jail was discussed. The Poster will be 16 x 21. Melba Corcoran made a motion to use the Drawing by Bernice Caldwell for the Poster. Seconded by Bobbye Hill. Carried. Austin Caldwell made a motion we order 250 of the posters. Carried. The brochures are done and ready to be distributed. Bobbye and Jim Hill donated the cost of printing. Those that helped on the brochures were Liz Shurgar, and Trish Allen of Elkhart, Kans., Topographic Land Surveyor, Ada Lou Lester and Bobbye Hill. The group also used a drawing of Bernice Caldwell's and one of Tonya Finsterwald's. Bobbye Hill and Ada Lou Lester reported on the 4th US Cavalry Rgt. (Mem) E. CO. The group puts on an educational program on Cavalry life. They set up camp and put on programs. Melba Corcoran made

the motion to book the group for June 17 & 18. Sec. by Ada Lou Lester. Carried. Melba Corcoran made a motion to book Steve Walker to do the barbeque for the event. Second by Bobbye Hill. Carried. The Post office is issue a stamp cancellation for the event. We will hold a contest for local artist to present a pen and ink drawing for the special cancellation to celebrate the 119th birthday of Fort Elliott. Rules for the Contest can be found in the paper this week. Frank Totty request

the grounds for the 2nd. weekend in Aug. This was granted. Austin Caldwell reported that Richard Wilson has some tractor tires he was donating to the museum for the tractor. Austin Caldwell reported the electric pole was at the jail for the hook ups ready to be set. Louise Hogan reported on putting up signs where the old DCD Highway ran. Several of the group plans on going to Panhandle Plains Museum Jan. 17 to do research on the Fort. Melba Corcoran made a motion to adjourn. Sec. by Austin Caldwell. Carried. Those attending were Austin Caldwell, Ada Lou Lester, Bobbye Hill, Louise Hogan, Jackie May, and Dale and Melba Corcoran.

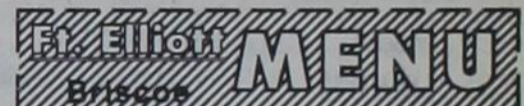
To the Editor
The Wheeler Times

On January 11th I gave something on my radio broadcast on KPDR that drew listener response. Maurine Brotherton called and requested I submit it for publication in the Wheeler Times.

Last week I was Meditating on the helplessness of the Christian Church in our day due to the attitudes of believers. Most are so timid and passive that they essentially have no evangelical witness at all. Those who are bold seem to develop an attitude of superiority, harshness without brashness, giving forth an image of pride that turns people away. As I thought upon this I prayed "Lord, give me boldness without brashness." As I then thought upon other attributes that were needful in my life I took out my pen and began to write as these things came to my mind. What Maurine wanted published follows:

Lord give me Boldness without Brashness;
Fluency without arragance;
Meekness without Passiveness;
Spiritual power without Personal pride;
Servitude without complaint;
Knowledge without Aloofness;
Let me live by faith without confusing it with fantasy.

B A Hyatt



January 17 - January 21, 1994.

MONDAY: Chicken fried steak, potatoes, broccoli & cheese, rolls, cake, milk, tea.

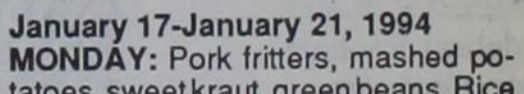
TUESDAY: Hot Ham & cheese sandwiches, French fries, cole slaw, fruit, milk, tea.

WEDNESDAY: Pork chops, new potatoes, butter beans, cornbread, jello, milk, tea.

THURSDAY: Stew, cheese sticks, cornbread, apple, milk, tea.

FRIDAY: Chilli dogs, French fries, fruit, milk, tea.

Menu subject to change



January 17-January 21, 1994

MONDAY: Pork fritters, mashed potatoes, sweetkraut, green beans, Rice Krispy Treats.

TUESDAY: Pinto beans with ham bits, fried potatoes, onion slices, fruit cobbler, cornbread.

WEDNESDAY: Fried chicken, blackeyed peas, brussel sprouts, pineapple cream pudding.

THURSDAY: Roast beef & gravy, mashed potatoes, buttered carrots, yogurt, hot rolls.

FRIDAY: Breaded veal cutlets, navy beans, buttered spinach, fruit cocktail cake.

(Menu subject to change)

Card Of Thanks

We want to say "Thank You" a million times over, to the Wheeler Firemen, for your swift and most kind response to the emergency in our home over the Christmas Holidays, in the wee hours of the morning.

It is wonderful to know that our community has so many fine people like yourselves, who are ready and willing to come to our aid, even under the most extreme circumstances. How fortunate we are!

We hope you all had a wonderful Christmas. Thanks to you, we did, though be it without benefit of our central heat. Many of you so generously offered your homes to accommodate us over the holidays, as did many of our long time neighbors. Thank you all for your concern and kindness! Thanks again! We pray Gods blessing on you all!

Our Love And Gratitude,
Henry and Phyllis Kinnard
and Family

Ain't It The Truth

By Ab Gunter

Here we go on another one and it seems like it is going to be OK. Got to visit with a few complete strangers this mornin and I feel that is the thing for all of us to do. Honest we need to say such things as good moning to everyone we have the chance to and be nice to each other. We all are Gods children if you like it or not and should be treated as such. Last night about the midnight hour I heard a knockin on a wall and when I wuz well awake I found it wuz on the house next door. I looked at the clock and saw it wuz one minit past the hour so actually it wuz 1994. I wondered what wuz happening and finally figured it wuz some ancient Irish or Check customs to wake everyone in the neighborhood up at that time. This mornin I thought about it and figured whatever sort of custom we could put up with it one night a year if the other neighbors could so Happy New Year everyone.

I figured I wouldnt make any resolutions of; any kind for the year and wuz just figerin on sittin by the fire and Mama, the little fat wife, said I should shovel the snow from the drive, sweep the pine needles off the porch and

write my colour. I did all this but hope she doesnt figer them to be resolutions for the year.

Don't know about all you fellers but I always figered one service we boys ought to have is a good barber shop. Now I don't mean one of them hair stylist, I mean an ole time clip shop where you can shoot the bull, get the local gossip and that sort of stuff. I mean a real two bit clip joint. I found one and the barber is red headed and meaner than a sore toothed tom cat.

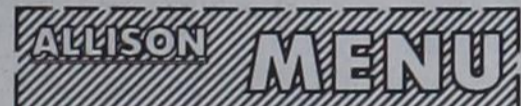
Noticed where the new 94 pace car is going to be a Ford. Hope it aint one of them Motel T's mite go with a Model A but them T models kicked too durn hard and at the most unexpected times. A buddy and I wuz out tom cattin one nite and when we left the joint we had been tom cattin and he reached down and grabbed the crank on the Old T and forgot and wrapped his hand around the thing to give it a spin and it kicked back and by him grippin it so hard durn near had his arm jerked off.

Wish them durn Republicans would leave our President alone. First if wuz women then joggin and the 200 buck haircut and now it is some savins and loan stuff. Looks like a feller ought to have a bit of privacy even if he is in the oval office. Whats a few million bucks to us taxpayers anyhow.

Have you noticed that new Bolshavic over there in Moscow? He wants to start another republic or sumthing and all the news men and women will have to be blond headed and blue eyed. Hope we don't get something like that started over here. I've got used to Sam, Charley and that other feller that worked with Walter Crankcase and sort of enjoy their views and complications on the tube, don't you?

Speakin of the tube, me and Mama have a couple of them afternoon shows we been watchin for years and honest you would think your watchin some dirty movie you rented from a adult video store. The other day one of the commercials even got a little smutty, but how in the world do them writers keep goin with all that junk and why do the big soap and toothpaste compaines keep sponserin them. Don't recon them compaines would miss my business cause I soak my teeth in sodie water and bath once a week with P&G soap and a bar will last me all winter.

Got a good friend that has been in the hospital the past few days recoverin form a serious bypass operation and he ain't been doin too well but tonight his family said he is doin much better. He can growl at them and has begin to complain about everthing so he must be on the road to recovery.
Ab and Mama



January 17 - January 21, 1994

MONDAY: Chicken fried steak, mashed potatoes, green beans, hot rolls, ice cream, milk.

TUESDAY: Taco salad, lettuce, tomatoes, cheese, nacho rounds, fruit, milk.

WEDNESDAY: Beans, French fried, spinach, cornbread, chocolate cake, milk.

THURSDAY: Turkey, mashed potatoes, English peas, hot rolls, pies, milk.

FRIDAY: Mini corndogs, baked beans, tater tots, fruit, milk.

The Bear Cub Scouts recently visited the Wheeler jail and soon found themselves imprisoned. (Front Row l to r): Tristan Rose, Ryan Duncan and Dee Alston. (Back Row): Josh Bryant, Hadley Mitchell, Deputy Joel Finsterwald and Pat Childress.

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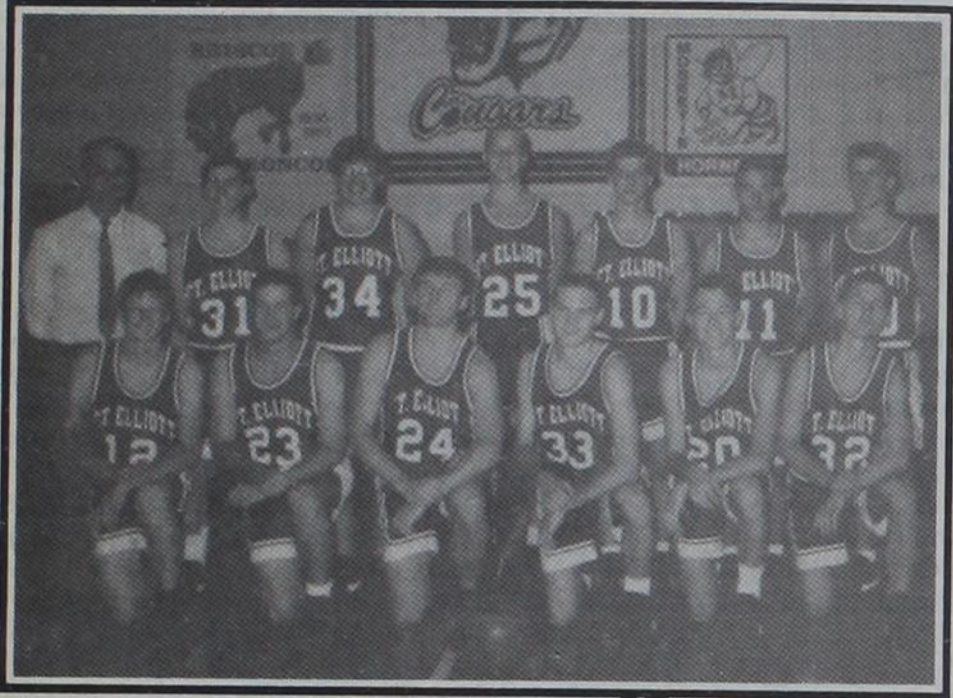
Mitchell Todd Hawley is the son of Clayton and Tina Hawley of Wheeler. He is the grandson of Mack and Linda Sides of Twitty and Teresa Burrell of Canyon. He is the great grandson of A.W. and Cledith Burrell and J.P. and Martha Meek. He is the great grandson of Rudene Davis of Shamrock. Mitchell will be 1 year old on Jan. 15.
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ROAD & BRIDGE GENERAL PRECINCT #1	40238.20	131889.83	172128.03	46995.63	125132.40
PRECINCT #2	70922.65	5796.64	76719.29	13334.23	63385.06
PRECINCT #3	22053.07	5223.96	27277.03	24913.72	2363.31
PRECINCT #4	171846.84	6977.83	178824.67	20947.32	157877.35
HOT CHECK FUND	182041.17	7197.32	189238.49	15098.43	174140.06
HEALTH INSURANCE PLAN	5600.94	625.00	6225.94	697.68	5528.26
JUVENILE PROBATION GENERAL FUND	454.56	40082.23	40536.79	20600.15	19936.64
LATERAL ROAD-PRECI. #1	-456.62	5444.94	4988.32	7722.94	-2734.62
LATERAL ROAD-PRECI. #2	241969.32	1053792.04	1295761.36	415786.94	879974.42
LATERAL ROAD-PRECI. #3	17312.15	62232.56	79544.71	5704.85	73839.86
LATERAL ROAD-PRECI. #4	67139.34	76935.85	144075.19	7967.91	136107.28
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Michael McLaughlin
Caleb Moore
Sarah Zybach
1ST GRADE
ALL A'S
Andrea Hathaway
Clayton May
Jason Reed
Stormy Reeves

ALL A'S & B's
Sara Woodward
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Steven Kephart
Trey Wood
2ND GRADE
ALL A'S
Holly McCurley
Colby Red

ALL A'S & B's
Patty Woodward
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Savannah Estes
Jeannie James
Chrystal Selby
3RD GRADE
ALL A'S
Tamera Hartline
Jason Hathaway
Seth Meadows

ALL A'S & B's
Melissa Kephart
4TH GRADE
ALL A'S
Casey Zybach

ALL A'S & B's

Monty Hand
Aaron Hartline
5TH GRADE
ALL A'S
Carolyn Aycock
Ashley Estes
ALL A'S & B's
Eric Diebel
Nathan Hefley

Rachel May
Tera Red
Julie Zybach
6TH GRADE
ALL A'S
Carissa Dukes
Amber Estes
Travis May
ALL A's & B's

Andy Finsterwald
Doug Helton
Curt Smith
7TH GRADE
ALL A'S
Devin Diebel
Ty Wood



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JR. HIGH BOYS: (Back Row l to r) Matt McCurley, Clay Zybach, Donnie Barr, Ryan Parsley, Steven May, Sam Wash, Michael Newby and Coach Smith. (Front Row) Travis May, Curt Smith, Tanner Smith, Tracy Harwell, Ty Woods, Doug Helton and Andy Finsterwald.

THIRD SIX WEEKS HONOR ROLL

7TH GRADE

ALL A's & B's
Ja'Nae Goad
Michael May
Reagan Meadows
Tanner Smith

8TH GRADE

ALL A's
Donnie Barr
Tera Hefley
ALL A's & B's
Tracy Densberger
Amanda Shields

9TH GRADE

ALL A'S
Sarah Hale
Catrina Wash
Steve May
ALL A's & B's
April Purcell
Dana Trimble

10TH GRADE

ALL A's & B's
Jodie Crownover
David Helton
Collin McCurley
Misty Walker

11TH GRADE

ALL A'S
Josh Purcell
Justin Wesbrooks
ALL A's & B's
Johnny Brannen
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Jimmy, Tammy, Jennifer & Amber Maddox
Bill, Kyla, Dusty & Misty Walker
Cliff & Dorothy Walker
Mike, Melody, Shane, Travis & Ja'Nae Goad
Olaf Sivage
David & Becky Zybach
Earl & Shirley Jolly
Gay, Elizabeth, David & Sarah Hale
Tom, Emma & Jake Swigart
Bob & Gena Zybach
Dean & Georgia Tipps
Saundra Meek
Evelyn Meek
Dallas & Lindsey Fillingim
Mike, Sherry, Catrina & Sam Wash
Ella J. Trout
David & Rita Pearson

Jack & Bernice Hefley
Sybil & Ivy Alexander
Richard, Bonnie & Reagan Meadows
Bevard, Diane, Deidre, Andrea & Carissa Dukes
Royce, Deedy, Julie & Sarah Beth Zybach
Bob, Becky, Bobby, Tonya, Mary & Felecia Blackburn
Mike, Alice, Jason & Justin Wesbrooks
Danny, Mary & Danielle Nelson
Bob Downs
Ted & Dortha McCurley
Curtis, Brenda, Tanner & Curt Smith
Greg, Diane, Amber, Ashley, Savannah, Bailey & Hailey Estes
Dave, Becky, Elisabeth & Anna Rebecca Johnson
Carolyn Nicholson
Aaron, Claudetta & Caaron Laverty
Coach Janet Tatyrek
Wanda, Justin & Tamara Hefley
Randy, Carol, Collin, Matthew & Holly McCurley
Mac, Gay, Joshua & April Purcell
Gordon & Wanda Estes
Venson & Fay Smith
Walter, Trisha & Monty Hand
Bob, Deb, Joe Bob, Corey & Kirbie Kinnaman
Calvin, Evelyn & Tim Kincannon
Clifford & Euline Walsler
Austin Caldwell
Wayne, Kathy, Clay & Casey Zybach
Dale, Lisa, David, Doug, Matt & Mark Helton
Red Hammer Spraying Service
First State Bank, Mobeetie-Wheeler Branch

Hyland's Pharmacy
Wheeler Flower & Gift Shop
First National Bank in Wheeler
L. & F. Repair—Frank & Leona Coates
Production Credit Association
Lee Hardware & Furniture
First State Bank, Mobeetie
Ware Chevrolet-Buick-Olds-Pontiac
Brown's V. & S. Variety—Robert & Dena Brown
Hibler Implement Co.—Lee, Pam, Michael & Joannie
Maxey's Steakhouse
Wright Funeral Home—Jim & Sharon—David, Marci & Taylor
Jennings Plumbing & Electrical Service
Johnny's Shamrock Service—Johnny, Betty, Melissa & Justin Chapman
Omega Grain—Daryl, Tillie, Mique & Will
Wheeler Redi-Mix—R. J. & Georgia Smith
Dr. Louie Mendiola, M.D.—Dr. Louis, Gena, Vincent & Rocky Mendiola
Mike Smith DDS; Mike, Jenny, Kristen & Lacey
Appearances
Cross Car Center
Frankenberg Texaco Service Station
Pearson Insurance Agency
McCain Auto Body
Marshall Discount Auto—Darrell & Maggie, Mark, Steve & Mechelle, Mac, Heide & Mariah
Heritage Beef Cattle Co., Inc.
Aarow Water Well Service—Jerry & Barbra Koelzer
Speedi-Mart
The Wheeler Times
Burton Ford-Mercury

TRIBUTE TO EDITH LEVITT

A tribute to my Granny, who was a very funny, sweet, and loving person. She has been around for many years. One of the things that was invented in her life time was the airplane, which was invented in 1903.

Edith Eliza Gibson Levitt, my great-grandmother, and her family, came from England eighty years ago, and settled in Illinois. Her family came to Texas eighty-five years ago and settled in Canyon, Texas. My granny's parents' names were Ed Gibson and Lena Bowling. Granny remembers that her parents were active church members that farmed for a living and were always thankful for plenty of rain to help grow their crops.

Edith's birthday is November 28, 1901, the same month and day as my Uncle Randy's birthday. Over the past years, we've always tried to celebrate her birthday together. Edith was born in Hannabolt, Missouri. She remembers swimming in the great lakes that flooded this past year. Her worst memory was of the poverty during the depression and the terrible drought. Edith remembers most affectionately about her home life as a child. There was a lot of activity always going on in her log house. She loved to read and play baseball with her brothers and sisters.

When Granny was a child many common illnesses plagued her and her family such as, bad colds, flu, small pox, measles and other childhood diseases. Granny attended a one room school house with only one teacher for every grade level. Most kids didn't get to finish high school so that they could go to work and help their families. Granny always had to walk at least half a mile to school and her favorite subjects were music and reading history. She eventually went on to college in Canyon, Texas known today as West Texas A & M University, and received her teaching degree. I can remember my Papa (her son) telling me that when he had her for a teacher when he was in school, she would be extra hard on him so that the other kids wouldn't think she was being parcel.

My Granny played the piano at church for many, many years and she is still a very good christian person. I know that I can always count on her prayers for me and my family. Granny was very well known for her baking abilities. For income after her retirement from teaching school, she be-

gan sewing for the public. My Granny also wrote the "Allison News" published in the Wheeler Paper for many years. Everyone form around her tiny community would call her and tell her "The Latest Gossip".

Granny played baseball at school and enjoyed choir and music. The chores at home consisted of helping outside by milking the cows and taking care of the animals. She also helped inside with cleaning the house. The only clothes she had were two homemade dresses made from cotton materials. There is no comparison in cost of clothes back then and the quality and cost of clothes today.

As a teenager, she got along fine as long as she was obedient to her parents and tried to help with the chores. Granny's biggest influence on her life as a child was her older sister Dewey. Dewey was a school teacher also and that is where Granny obtained her goals for herself.

World War II effected her family because her brother was drafted and sent off to war. The family tradition was to play baseball, since there was enough in her family for a team. Music was also a family tradition. Granny met her husband, Lester Levitt, while getting a teaching job. She was eighteen when she met him. On dates he rode on horseback to see her. She recalled what a good honest man he was that loved his family but left her a widow at the age of 70.

Modern conveniences were not invented when Granny was a child. There was not a vacuum to sweep with, only a broom, there was not a washer machine or dryer but only a piece of homemade lye soap and a rub board. In order to get from one destination to the other when she was grown up, you had to go on horseback. Today we just hop in the car, plane or train. Schools were extremely smaller and just don't compare to the schools of today.

The Viet Nam War affected her family like it did most families by the natural ways war effects life. She did not have anyone in her immediate family involved in that war.

Granny recalls the happiest moment in her life is when she was saved. She asked Jesus to come into her life and be the Lord of her life. It's the only way we as sinners can go to heaven. The very saddest time in her life was when her son, my grandfather, passed away due to lung cancer. This was

also the saddest time of my life. His name was Lyn Levitt and he smoked heavily and lived to only be 56.

Granny also lost another son at birth before my Papa was born. That tragedy and the loss of her parents and husband was also very sad for her.

Granny's favorite singing group was the "Stamps Quartette" and she vividly remembers getting to meet them in person. One of her favorite sayings is, "So mote it be!" When Granny looks for a friend she looks for honest traits. Her favorite president was Franklin Roosevelt, she named my Papa after him, and Jimmy Carter because he was a good christian. Granny claimed a major happening that helped to change her life is evangelization of the world. He best advice to young people is, "Seek the Lord, while he may still be found."

Granny lived in Missouri until she was five years old and then her family moved to Canyon, Texas in 1906, which is where I moved from before coming to Burleson a year and a half ago. When she married she moved to top Allison, Texas, which is up in the tip of the Panhandle. Granny's family came to Texas because a man told her dad, "If you throw an onion out on the ground it will grow." She likes Texas because of the General Occupation and even has a granddaughter named Texas. The weather is a factor that she hates to contend with every year. There are many harsh changes in the weather that comes from living in the Panhandle, which is know for its bad winters and is nicknamed "Tornado Alley".

The advice my Granny would give to a person that people this day and time are too caught up in their busy lives to focus on what is really important, God, church, family and friends. Granny also says, "A neighbor close by is better than a brother far away."

I haven't seen my Granny since I moved to Burleson and I hope to make a trip soon to see her. At ninety-two it is hard for her to make any road trips. I have been very fortunate to know and be loved by my great-grandmother. She is a very brave and independent woman, who has lived on her own and taken care of herself for the past twenty-two years. I pray that the Lord will let us keep her for as long as we can.

To help the time pass away, Granny crochets and makes many pretty things. She has mailed post holders to many famous people such as, Billy Graham, President Bush, President Clinton and received special thank-you and autographed pictures from them.

My Granny is the best great-grandmother a person could ever have and I thank God for her extended time her on earth.

Love you Granny, Justin Tyler
Interviewed Dec. 29, 1993

Co. Contest For National Spelling Bee Held Mon.

The Wheeler County contest for the Amarillo Globe-News National Spelling Bee will be held Monday, March 7, 1994 in the District Court Room in the Wheeler County Court house. Registration of contestants will begin at 9:30 A.M. The Jr. Spelling Bee for students in grades K-5 will begin at 10:00 A.M. followed by the Sr. Bee for students in grades 6-8.

Each Wheeler County School is invited to enter two contestants in each level. Savings bonds will be presented to the winner of each group. The Sr. winner participated in the Regional Bee on April 9 West Texas A&M University Campus at Canyon. The Jr. Bee winner is invited to attend the luncheon for the contestants, but does not compete unless he/she is the county champion.

Local school sponsors this year are: Kathy Kiewer, Allison; Kathie Jackson, Ft. Elliott, Mobeetie; Melinda Hedgecocke, Ft. Elliott, Briscoe; Bill Smith, Kelton; Doug Rives, Wheeler, and Pat Seward Shamrock.

Conducting the county contest will be Mary Morgan, Director, assisted by Boyd Williams, Margaret Pagan, Nadyne Williams, and Evangeline and Bob Wills.

Dobson Cellular Increase Coverage In Gruver

Dobson Cellular Systems has completed construction of a new cell site in Gruver as of Tuesday, December 28. This cell site will provide coverage to Hansford County and improve coverage along Highway 136 and Highway 15. Dobson Cellular Systems in Pampa, Gruver Cellular and Cellular Communications will be the Dobson representatives in this area.

Dobson Cellular Systems, along with it's sister company, offers nearly 40,000 square miles of home coverage, 23 cell sites, and six stores conveniently located throughout the Texas Panhandle and western Oklahoma. Customers traveling in these areas have access to these local stores in case they are in need of assistance or they may simply dial "611".

In a continuing effort to provide the best service, Dobson will expand coverage with the completion of new cell sites in Borger and Clarendon, Texas by the middle of January and in Darrouzett, Texas within the first quarter of 1994.

For the past 50 years, Dobson has been committed to providing customers with the most advanced telecommunications and the highest level of quality service and customer satisfaction. As cellular technology continues to be one of the most versatile sources of communication, so will Dobson continue to explore all avenues of expansion for its customers.

ALLISON ANTELOPES BASKETBALL

J.H. Lopes Split With Coyotes
The Allison J.H. girls defeated Higgins 36-13 on Monday, January 3rd. In the second game of the night the Allison J.H. boys fell to the coyotes 36-26.

Leading the Lady Lopes was Marla Yowell with 14 points. The Lopes jumped out to a 17-0 first quarter and never looked back. Entering the fourth quarter, Allison led 31-6. Also scoring for the Lopes were Amber Dyer 7, Amie Boydston 5, Keri Grayson 4, Kristy Grayson and Celeste Huff added 2 each while Glenda Dukes and Jamie Greene contributed 1 point each, while Jaicee Herren and Hattie Grayson played great defensive games.

The Lopes boys trailed 6-2 after one quarter and 18-5 at half time before making a strong run in the fourth quarter, out scoring the Coyotes 15-11 to fall short 36-26 at the end.

Leading the way for the Lopes was Joe Davis with 13 points, Brandon Dukes added 8 points, while Monty Dukes and Ashley Lane contributed 2 points, each and Jason Nusz added 1 point.

Antelopes Drop Pirates 52-38
The Allison Antelopes traveled to Lefors for the first game of the New Year on January 4th, and came home with a 52-38.

The Pirates scored the first four points of the game, but the Lopes rallied to take a 16-9 first quarter lead. Allison took the lead 5-4 on a three point shot by Jeremy Sutterfield and never trailed again in the contest. At the half, the Lopes led 27-17. After a brief third quarter rally by the Pirates, the Antelopes carried a 35-28 lead into the fourth quarter. In the fourth quarter the Lopes out scored Lefors 17-10 to come away with the 52-38 win.

Leading the Lopes in scoring was Greg Boydston with 24 points and Jason Miller with 12 points. Jerome Grayson contributed 9, Jeremy Sutterfield added 5 points and Jamey Herren dropped in 2 points. Clint Miller contributed defensively by helping hold Lefors leading scorer, Dennis Williams, to only 3 points in the game.

Meeting Held By Top Of Texas CattleWomen

The Top of Texas CattleWomen met in regular meeting on Jan. 10 at the home of Carolyn Buckingham as hostess, along with Nadyne Williams, and Dianne Buckingham. The president Bethel Robinson called the meeting to order, and the installation of the new officers was held. The theme of more roses are more beautiful than just one. Each officer was given a rose, and as she was installed she put the rose in a beautiful vase.

Officers installed were, Bethel Robinson, president, Brenda Wood, 1st vice-president elect was absent,



FT. ELLIOTT COUGARS BASKETBALL

Fort Elliott J.V. Basketball
The J.V. Cougars won 1 and lost 1 last week. The Cougars lost to Samnorwood 35-44 and defeated Kelton 43-34. In the Samnorwood game, Collin McCurley scored 15, David Helton-13, Tim Kincannon-5 and Johnny Brannen-2, also playing was Jonathan Lester, Bobby Blackburn, and Mike Farrell. In the Kelton game Collin McCurley scored 16, Bobby Blackburn-14, Johnny Brannen-9, and Jonathan Lester-3. David Helton played on the varsity and didn't play against Kelton. Also playing was Tim Kincannon and Mike Farrell. Their record is 3-2.

The Cougars went 5-0 for the week and also won the Kelton Tournament Championship. They defeated Kelton 65-14, WCA 31-24 Wheeler 7th 46-23, Samnorwood 31-23, and Follett 37-29 to keep the lead in the district race. In the Kelton game, Curt Smith scored 12, Ryan Parsley 12, Donnie Barr 10, Ty Wood 6, Tanner Smith 4, Matt McCurley 4, Mike May 4, Andy Finsterwald 4, Tracy Harwell 4, Clay Zybach 3, and Doug Helton 2. In the WCA game Donnie Barr scored 16, Ryan Parsley 6, Ty Wood 4, Tanner Smith 3, Mike May 3, in the Wheeler 7th game, Donnie Barr scored 14, Ty Wood 10, Curt Smith 8, Clay Zybach 5, and Mike May 2. In the Follett game Donnie scored 16, Curt Smith 11, Tanner Smith 6, Mike May 2 and Ty Wood 2. The Cougars are now 10-0 and Kelton Tournament Champs and 1st in district with a 5-0 record.

Fort Elliott Jr. High Basketball

The Lady Cougars have gone 4-1 the last week. They defeated Kelton 36-25, Wheeler Christian 35-11, Wheeler 7th 39-13, and Samnorwood 45-15, to win the Kelton Tournament. Their one loss was Monday at Follett 27-29. The Lady Cougars probably played their best game as they led

Follett 25-23, at the end of 3 quarters. Scoring for the Kelton game was Amanda Shields-10, Devin Deibel-10, Reagan Meadows-8, Tera Hefley-3, Ja'nae Goad-3 and Amber Estes-2. In the WCA game Reagan scored 10, Amanda Shields 10, Tera Hefley 3, and Amber Estes, Carissa Dukes, Susie Luttrell, Devin Deibel 6, Tracy Densberger 4, and Ja'nae Goad 1. In the Samnorwood game Tera Hefley scored 8, Susie Luttrell 7, Amanda Shields 7, Tracy Densberger 7, Ja'nae Goad 6, Reagan Meadows 6, and Devin Deibel 4. At Follett Amanda Shields scored 9, Reagan Meadows 8, Ja'nae Goad 6, Tera Hefley 2, and Devin Deibel 2. The Lady Cougars are now 7-3 and Kelton Champs.

Fort Elliot High School Basketball

The Lady Cougars defeated Samnorwood and Kelton last week. The Lady Cougars defeated Samnorwood 47-26 and they defeated Kelton 77-35. In the Samnorwood game Andrea Dukes scored 14 points followed by Caaron Lavery 8, April Purcell 5, Stacie Dukes 5, Misty Mumford 4, Lindsey Fillingim 4, Dana Trimble 4, and Tiffany Gonzales 3. In the Kelton game Lindsey Fillingim scored 25, Andrea Dukes 16, Misty Mumford 13, April Purcell 8, Stacie Dukes 8, Tiffany Gonzales 4, Dana Trimble 2, and Caaron Lavery 1. The Lady Cougars are now 13-5.

The Cougars went 1-1 last week. They defeated Samnorwood 56-55 and lost to a very good Kelton team 57-71. In the Samnorwood game, Jimmy Nelson scored 15, Jason Wesbrooks 13, John Moffett 9, Jake Swigart 7, Justin Wesbrooks 5, Josh Purcell 4. Kelton played as good as any team we have played this year and showed they could score and play defense. We were very impressed with their play. The Cougars are now 13-5.

2nd vice-president, Mary Mitchell, Carolyn Buckingham, treasurer, Nadyne Williams recording secretary, and two committee chairman, Sally Youngblood and Amelia Sims.

The secretary, Barbara Meadows, was absent so the treasurer's report was given by Carolyn Buckingham. It was voted that we give \$100.00 in Beef Gift Certificates to the Tralee Crisis Center in Pampa. Other business was upcoming projects: Myth Busters program, to educate the public about the misrepresentation of the Beef Industry as told to the public; Environmental Stewardship award - won this past year by Heritage Beef Cattle; and Magnet cards to be placed in bank statements in the near future. Other projects were mentioned.

Those present were Anita Brown,

State CattleWomen president, Mary Mitchell, Mary Weatherly, Vida Brown, and Amelia Sims all from Wheeler, Rachel Moore, Dianne Buckingham, Diane Pate, Nadyne Williams, and Carolyn Buckingham from Shamrock, Sally Youngblood, Lefors, Bonnie Abraham, Hoover, Nancy O'Neal, White Deer, and Bethel Robinson, Panhandle.

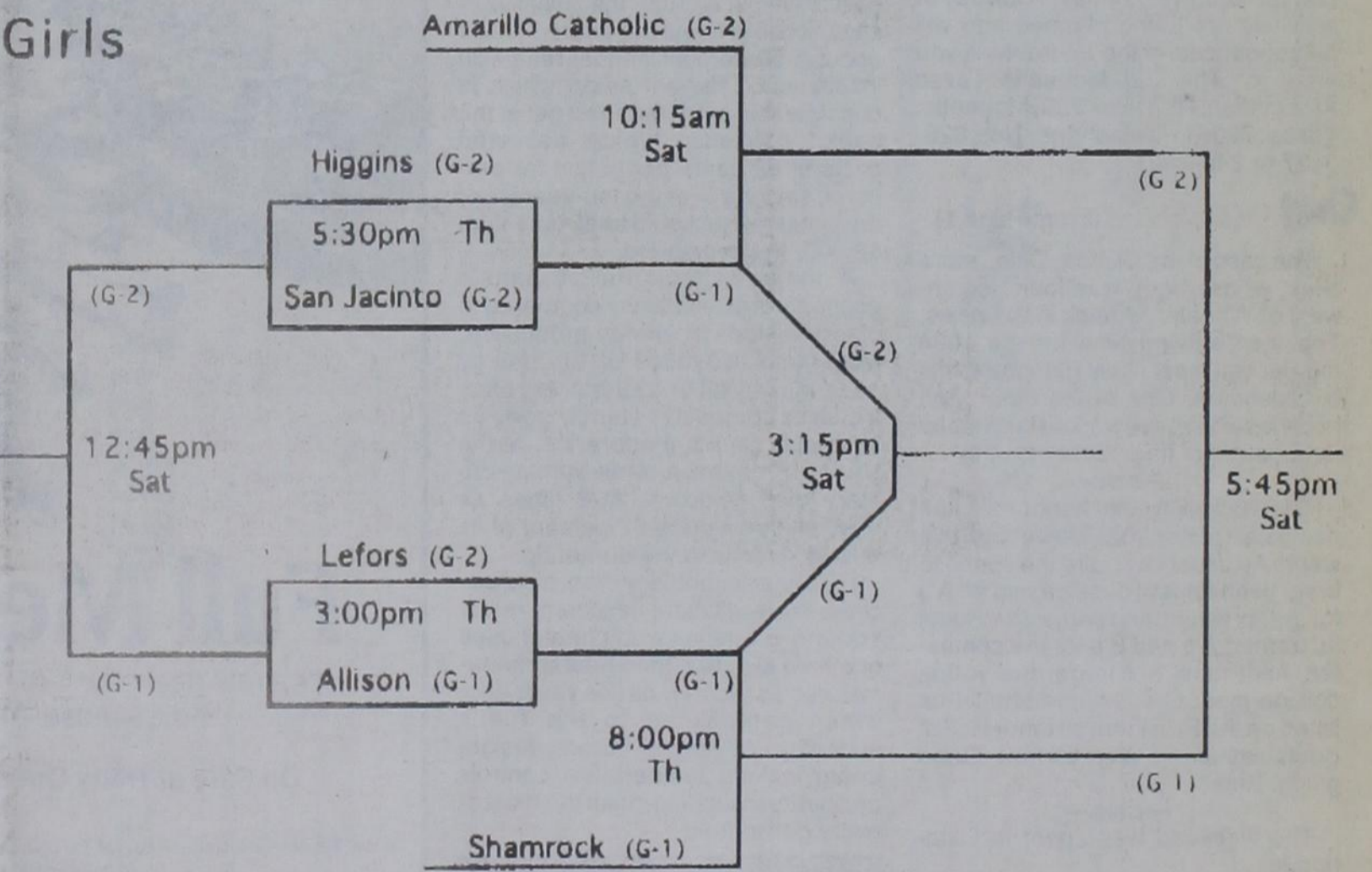


Lightning strikes the earth about 100 times each second.

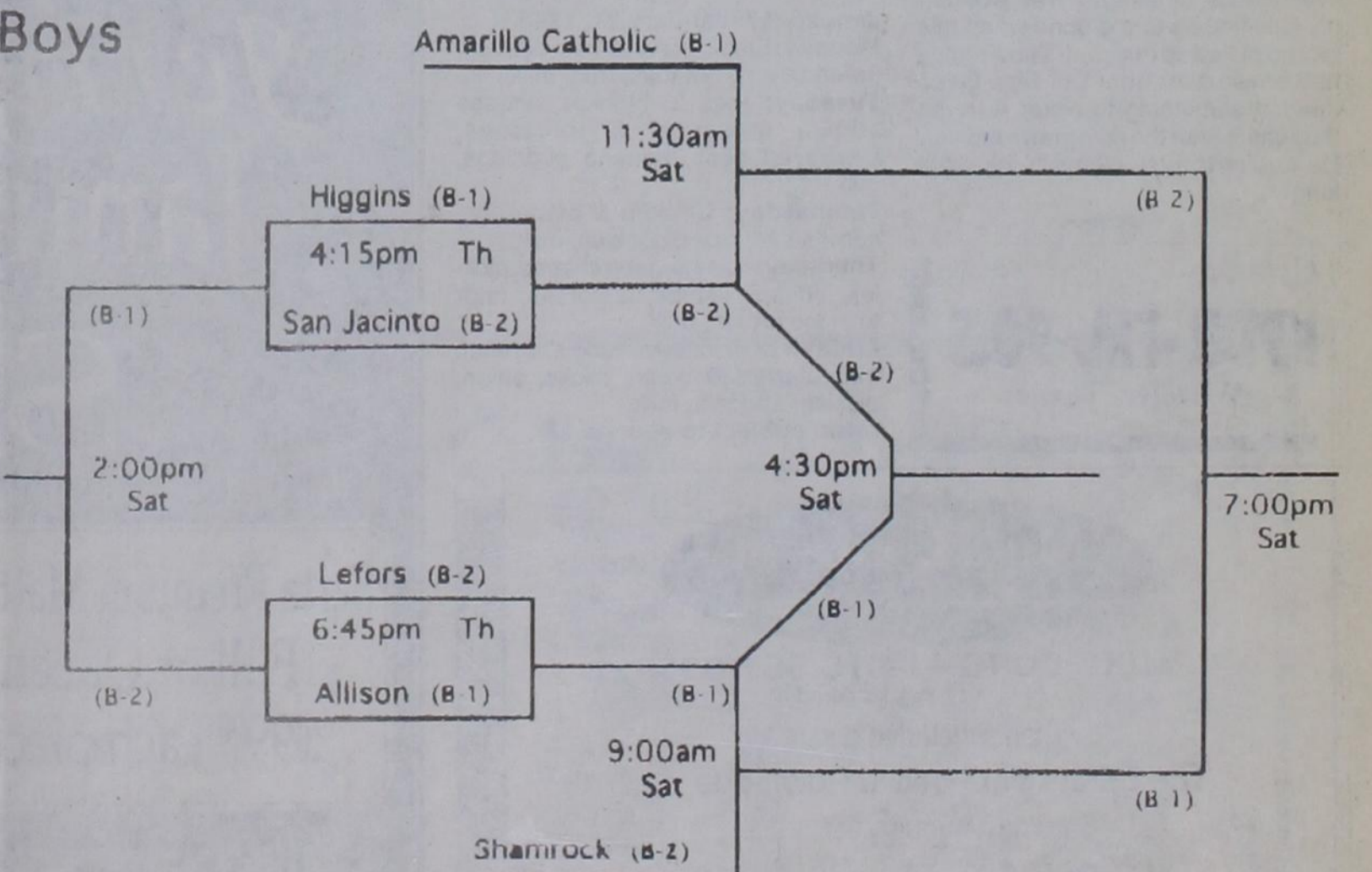
Allison J.H. Antelope "Shoot Out"

January 20th thru the 22nd

Girls



Boys



Bottom team will wear light jersey



Psalms 5: 11 & 12

But let all those that put their trust in thee rejoice: let them ever shout for joy, because thou defendest them; let them also that love thy name be joyful in thee.

For thou, Lord, will bless the righteous; with favour wilt thou compass him as with a shield.

Wilma Gilmer and I had a short visit with a friend Loraine Rexter at the Dairy Queen in Wheeler last Thursday and also a visit with our niece Kathy Zybach at Thriftway was good to see them.

We got a light snow in Allison last Thursday evening, guess it was the first this winter.

Christine Gilmer and Ruby Craig met Darel and Johnnie Harrison last Sunday in Wheeler at Maxeys and had dinner together, then we all come back to Allison to my home and visited in the afternoon, enjoyed the visit.

Last Friday evening Lou Cornell went to Wheeler to watch her granddaughter Rachel Smith play basketball.

Lisa Farmer is spending some time with Ruby Craig while in the process of getting ready to move Albuquerque, New Mexico. Ruby and Wilma Gilmer visited Billy & Rhonda McWhorter, Tanner and Tyler in Wheeler last Saturday.

A nice winter morning here in Allison early this Monday morning, very little wind.

Len and Betty Brown of Dumas spent a few days last week in their Allison home.

J.R. and Leota Black's housa guest from Wednesday until Saturday were Robert and Nathan Black. Tina and Tim Thomas from Amarillo visited J.R. and Leota Friday night and returned home on Saturday night. Jeffrey Black came Saturday and took his boys' Nathan and Robert home.

Ona Black's guest over the weekend were Eldon and Polly Stone and

WHEELER MENU

January 17-21, 1994
Monday; Breakfast: Juice, cereal/oatmeal, toast/jelly, milk.
Lunch: Pig in a blanket, curly Q's, pickle spear, pears, choc. chip cookie, milk/tea.

Tuesday; Breakfast: Juice, biscuits/gravy, eggs/sausage, peanut butter, milk.
Lunch: Soft taco, salad, pinto beans, mixed fruit, milk/tea.

Wednesday; Breakfast: Juice, cinnamon roll, peanut butter & jelly sandwiches, apple, milk.
Lunch: BBQ chicken, blackeyed peas, okra, bread, peaches, milk/tea.

Thursday; Breakfast: Juice, toast/sausage, hash browns, peanut butter & jelly sandwich, milk.
Lunch: Steak fingers, m. potatoes/gravy, green beans, hot roll/butter, chocolate cake, milk/tea.

Friday; Breakfast: Juice, Cereal/oatmeal, toast/jelly, milk.
Lunch: Ham & cheese sandwiches, tater tots, sugar cookie, milk/tea.

Menu subject to change.

WHEELER J.V. GIRLS PLAY AND STATS

WHEELER J.V. VS. GRUVER AND SHAMROCK

"The greatest example of 'never say die' in my coaching career" was Coach Finsterwald's statement of her team's 56-48 win over the Gruver Lady Hounds. Trailing by as much as 15 points, the Lady Stangs were encouraged by their coach at every opportunity as she engineered plays to adjust to aggressive style of the Gruver team. Stats for the exciting victory are:

	pts	rlds	assts
J. Wallace	3	3	2
R. Smith	11	3	2
M. Kuehler	2		
M. Goad	15	7	
M. Patterson	10	9	
C. Wallace	8	1	

The Wheeler JV Lady Stangs travelled to Shamrock on January 4 and added another mark to their win column. The 52-22 victory saw all players in action. Stats for the game:

	pts	rlds	assts
J. Wallace	9	2	2
R. Smith	10	5	1
K. Woollard	5	5	
M. Kuehler		5	
M. Goad	6	4	
M. Patterson	8	8	

C. Wallace	6	1	1
P. Dollar	4	1	
V. Baize		1	
K. Bradstreet	4	3	1
E. Bradstreet		3	

The Wheeler JV Lady Stangs continue to roll as their record goes to 14-1 with another win over the varsity team from Lefors. Stats for the 49-24 victory are:

	pts	rbs	assts
J. Wallace	8	2	1
R. Smith	10	7	
K. Woollard		3	
M. Kuehler	2	4	
M. Goad	7	6	

Wheeler County & District COURT RECORDS

List of instruments filed in Wheeler County Clerk's Office, December 28, 1993 thru January 4, 1994.

DECEMBER 28, 1993
STIP OF INT—CWF Associates, Ltd., et al to CWF Associates, Ltd., et al, 12-8-93, SW1/4 Sec 15, Blk 24, H&GN Survey.

ASSIGN—DUS Business Trust to The Dorchester Corporation, 12-21-93, Sec 14, Blk A-3, Pts Sec 25-27, Sec 34, Blk A-3, H&GN Survey.

EXECUTORS D—Cecil F. Mitchell to Gene Mitchell, et al, 11-21-93, E1/2 Sec 63, 60 acs NE1/4 Sec 66, SW1/4 Sec 76, Blk 13, H&GN Survey.

EXECUTORS D—Cecil F. Mitchell to Gene Mitchell, 11-21-93, SW1/4 Sec 25, Blk 13, H&GN Survey.

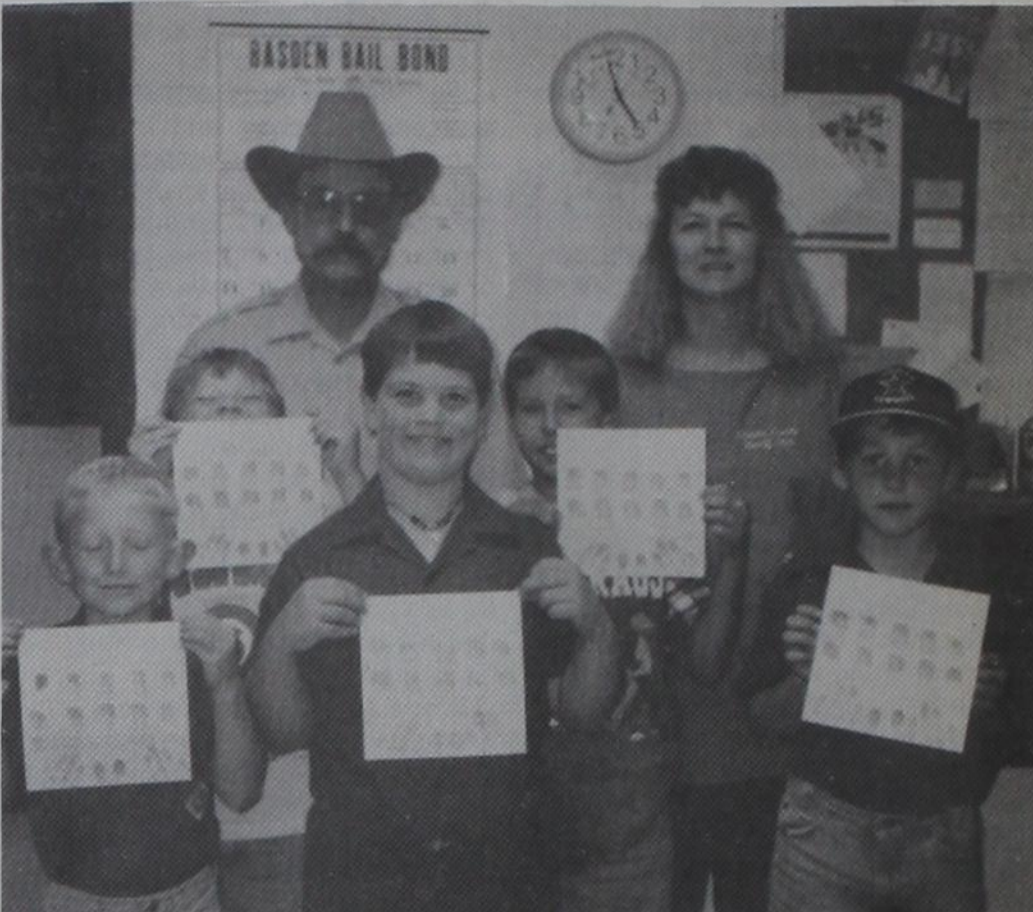
EXECUTORS MD—Cecil F. Mitchell to Gene Mitchell, et al, 12-22-93, 186.9 acs S1/2 Sec 59, E1/2 Sec 63, 60 acs NE1/4 Sec 66, Blk 13, H&GN Survey.

DECEMBER 29, 1993
RMML—White House Lumber Company of Shamrock, Texas to Dewitt Hawkins, 12-15-93, S50' Lot 3, Blk LX, Original Town, Shamrock.

MD—The National Bank of Commerce to Lonestar Royalties, 12-22-93, SW1/4 Sec 63, Blk A-7.

STIPULATION—Scott Alan Crenshaw, et al to Scott Alan Crenshaw, et al, 12-28-93, 640 acs Sec 1, Blk 1, B&B Survey.

DECEMBER 30, 1993
RELEASE FED TAX LIEN—United States of America to Carl C. Childress,



The Bear Cub Scouts recently visited the Wheeler jail and soon found themselves imprisoned. (Front Row l to r): Tristan Rose, Ryan Duncan and Dee Alston. (Back Row): Josh Bryant, Hadley Mitchell, Deputy Joel Finsterwald and Pat Childress.

12-17-93, S1/2 Sec 51, Blk M-1, Pt Sec 50, Blk M-1, S1/2 Sec 61, Blk A-4.

D—J.E. Hubbard, et ux to Clay D. Hubbard, et ux, 12-30-93, 10 ac NW1/4 Sec 4, T&NO Survey.

EXT MML—First Bank & Trust Shamrock, 12-10-93, Lot 9, S40' Lot 10, Blk 66, WSSA Shamrock.

ASSIGN—Rialto Energy, Inc. to Samson Resources Company, 11-19-93, Pt Sec 18, Blk A-4.

COR OL—Beverly Ann Elmore Bowman to Enron Oil & Gas Company, 11-24-93, NW1/4 Sec 32, Blk RE.

RDT—Buster Gipson, et ux to Billy Don Bonner, 1-3-94, S1/2 Lot 2, Blk LXVIII, Shamrock.

C/C WILL—William A. Peavy, Jr. to Ex-Parte, 9-20-93.

D—Francis McDannald Stark to Stark Family Mineral Trust, 11-8-93, See Instrument.

AOL—Datagas, Inc. to Tide West Oil Company, 9-20-93, See Instruments.

D—George H. Bradford to E.N. Smith et ux, 12-28-93, 40 ac N1/2 Sec 34, Blk 23.

JANUARY 4, 1994
RDT—Farm Credit Bank of Texas to Van Baize, et ux, 12-7-93.

ASSIGN—STAR-TEX Petroleum Corp. to Philcon Development Company, 12-16-93, Sec 25, Blk M-1.

A OF JUDG—Kelton Independent School District to Bessie Scales, 12-20-93.

A OF JUDG—Kelton Independent School District to Bessie Calloway, 12-20-93.

D—Glynn Bell, et ux to Glynn Juanita Family Limited Partnership, 12-30-93, Secs 8 & 9, E1/2 Sec 10, Blks A-7, Secs 91 & 92, Pt Sec 93, Blk 13.

ASSIGN—AMAX Gas Gathering, Inc. to Saxe Resources, Inc., 10-28-93, Sec 2, Blk A-4, Secs. 1 & 3, IRR Survey.

SHERRIFF D—Jack Ambrun, et al to Shamrock Independent School District, et al, 11-9-93, Lots 1-12, Blk XXII, Shamrock.

SHERRIFF D—Lindan Immel to Shamrock Independent School District, et al, 11-9-93, W1/3 Lots 2-4, Blk A, Shamrock.

DISTRICT COURT FILINGS
#9894—Brian Scott Kirkland vs. Misty Dawn Kirkland, 12-9-93, Divorce.

#9895—Judy Carr, et ux vs. Econo Lodge Motel of Effingham, 12-10-93, Damages.

#9896—DKM Resources, Inc. vs. Mississippi River Transmission Corp., 12-10-93.

#9897—The State of Texas vs. 1985 Dodge Pickup, 12-13-93, Forfeiture.

#9898—Kim Kathleen Flanagan vs. Charles Daniel Flanagan, 12-13-93, Divorce.

#9899—Shelley Marie Yarborough vs. Daniel Malcolm Yarborough, 12-15-93, Divorce.

#9900—Donna Gay Calcote vs. Bobby Duane Calcote, 12-15-93, Divorce.

#9901—Michael Schock vs. Carol Ann Salos, 12-16-93, Waiver of 72 Hours.

#9902—In the Matter of the Marriage of Ray Anthony Holmes vs. Kathryn Marie Wright, 12-22-93, Waiver of Marriage.

#9903—Janice Blocker vs. Edwin Heath Eliason, 12-27-93, I.D.A.



Early Romans used parsley to fashion garlands to crown military and athletic heroes.



United States citizens do not need passports to enter Bermuda, Canada, Mexico and most of the West Indies.

Only a psychiatrist needs an M.D. to practice. A psychoanalyst or psychologist does not.

Hospital Notes

Old Admissions

- 1-1 David Frazier
- 1-2 Eloise Jolly
- 1-3 Mary Sligar

New Admissions

- 1-3 Vena Hopkins
- 1-3 Elsie Wagner
- 1-4 Irma Lanham
- 1-4 Betty Bonner
- 1-5 Edna Crow
- 1-6 Zona Robinson
- 1-6 Velma Henley
- 1-6 William Shaffer
- 1-9 Foy Perkins
- 1-9 Mildred Porter
- 1-9 Dub Mason
- 1-9 Opal Daughtry

Dismissals

- 1-3 Ona Black
- 1-4 Kathy Frankenberg
- 1-4 Mary Morris
- 1-4 Frank Woodward
- 1-4 Reba Hoffman
- 1-4 Howard Palechek
- 1-4 Bailey Richardson
- 1-4 Lois Reeves
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All entries must be received by February 15, 1994. Each entry must be accompanied by name, address and telephone number. Proof of age may be required. Eligible entries must be the original creation of the entrant and must not have been published previously. Enter as often as you wish. The contest is open to everyone. All entrants under 18 years of age must have a guardian's consent. By entering the contest, entrants agree to be bound by these rules and consent to use of their name and created image without compensation by the sponsor. All entries become the property of The Old Mobeetie Texas Association. Winners will be notified by February 28, 1994.

This special pictorial cancellation stamp will be used on June 18, 1994, in connection with the celebration of Fort Elliott's 119 birthday. A full day of activities are being planned and will be announced in the future. Mail your entry to: The Old Mobeetie Texas Association, Rt. 1, Box 290, Mobeetie, Texas 79061. Telephone No. 826-3427 or 845-3401.

Chat

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The case of the Clinton, Okla., store clerk, whose body was found southwest of Wheeler, is back in the news. The man serving time for the 1984 murder will most likely get a new trial in Oklahoma. One of the other suspects is said to have worked in Wheeler for a period of time. Scary isn't it.

The third six weeks honor rolls and semester honor rolls came out this week. As usual I will take the space to brag. Jennifer and Jessica had all A's for the six weeks and semester. Ronal Jr. earned A's and B's for the semester. And, must not forget the young college man; C.B.'s name should be listed on the President's Honor Roll at Southwestern in Weatherford. Good going, Kids!

The weekend was spent in Oklahoma.

We had unexpected company last Wednesday evening. I was working my little fingers to the bone when this pickup pulled up out front. The Arnolds had driven over from Del City. Gene needed something to tinker with, so they came after the riding lawn mower. He is going to try to extend its life a little longer.

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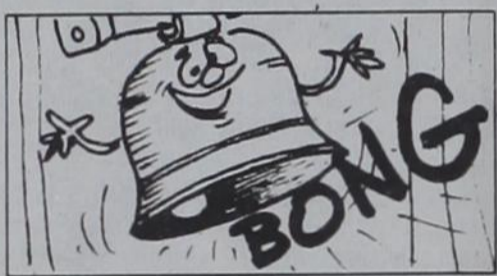
1993 has been a big year for the Old Mobeetie Texas Association and the Jail Museum. The success of the Association and the museum depends on volunteers for its support. Volunteers give their time and talent to see that the museum stays open, items are cataloged and the buildings and grounds are maintained and cleaned. Among the volunteers are: Louise Hogan, Melba Corcoran, Kelly Cross, Austin Caldwell, Dale Corcoran, Edith Cross, Lee and Melba Brown of Pampa, Nathan Lancaster of Pampa, Ada Lou Lester, Maida Allen, Rob Hogan, Euline Walsler, Ann Belle Corcoran, Clifford Walsler, Pete Seitz, Edwin Hogan of Pampa, Sue Seitz, Ray Forbes, Geniva Hogan, Kaleb Snelgroves of Pampa, Jackie May, Sallie Harris of Wheeler, Arica Lancaster of Amarillo, Ralph and Leona House, Randy Barr, C.W. Burch, Chuck Hogan, Sis Stephens of Guthrie, Maurita Stribling, Mike Farrell, Jim Kephart, Ines Loveday of Tyler, Betty Haines of Pampa, and Nelda Lancaster of Pampa, Nellie Horn of Wheeler.

The Jail Museum has received many new items this year from family members whose relatives were county pioneers. Among those who have made gifts or loans to the Jail Museum are: Kenneth Childress of Wheeler, Tommy Puryear of Wheeler, Katie Finsterwald, Irene Webb, Sandra Stiles Christner of Wheeler, Model Williams Copenhaver of Uikon Texas, Mary Ruth Morris, Sue Harrison, Ada Lou Lester, Dale Corcoran, Chester Jones

of McLean, Terry Timmens of Amarillo, Topographic Land Surveyor of Pampa, Liz Ann Shugart of Elkhart, Ks., Trisha Allen of Elkhart Ks., Tonya Finsterwald, Steven Dortch of Canyon, Panhandle Bluegrass and Old Tyme Music Association of Amarillo, Marvin Walker of Wheeler, Darrell Marshall Welding of Wheeler, Shamrock Greenhouse of Shamrock, Southwestern Public Service of Wheeler, City of Mobeetie, Bob Izzard of Amarillo, Bobby Risner and Mary Rose of Wheeler, County Commissioner Precinct 1, Wheeler County Commissioners Court, Bobby Hill of Wheeler, Old Settlers Association, Leola Roberts Bracey and Sallie Harris of Wheeler, Larry Jones, Wheeler Times.

Goals for this year are to enlist more volunteers to sit with the museum during the week and on weekends and to remodel the saloon building.

The first U.S. coins known as quarters were issued in 1796.



London's famous Big Ben is actually the bell that makes the sound.

Propane Use Provides

More Efficient Heating

AUSTIN, TX—September 27—A water heater fueled by propane could save the average Texas family nearly \$200 a year compared to the cost of heating water electrically, while at the same time benefiting the environment and creating jobs in Texas.

That's the message of the Railroad Commission's new newspaper and radio advertising campaign that kicks off statewide this week. The campaign is part of the Commission's legislative mandate to educate Texans about propane's benefits as an environmentally beneficial alternative fuel.

Commission studies show the initial expense of installing a propane-fueled water heater is no higher than other types, but the return on investment is much faster. According to Chairman James E. (Jim) Nugent, fuel-cost savings recoup the initial purchase price in about two years. "That's about a 50 percent annual return on investment," Nugent said, "which is considerably more than you get at the bank." Assuming typical delivered costs of 82 cents per gallon for propane, savings over the ten-year life of the water heater could total more than \$2,000, Nugent added.

A major reason for propane's economy is its efficiency compared to other methods of energy production. More than two-thirds of the energy generated by oil- or coal-burning electric utility companies literally goes up in smoke, and is therefore lost at the source. Propane, a clean-burning primary fuel, is nearly 21/2 times as efficient, delivering 87 percent of its energy directly to the burner tip.

Propane technology has also become more efficient in recent years. Today's propane water heater uses one third less fuel than heater manufactured as recently as five years ago, which contributed to the fuel's economy. Advanced burner design, energy-saving temperature controls and better insulation make the most of every gallon of fuel.



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Known infected herds drops

OKLAHOMA CITY—Oklahoma's brucellosis eradication program reached a significant milestone last month with only five known infected herds just over a year ago.

The announcement was made last week during a meeting of the Oklahoma Board of Agriculture.

"The future goal of total brucellosis eradication and the resulting program changes could lead to an annual savings of just under \$2 million in out-of-pocket expenses," said Oklahoma Secretary of Agriculture Gary Sherrer. "Total eradication will improve the state's economy by increasing individual herd value as neighboring states will be more likely to purchase Oklahoma cattle because they know they are brucellosis free," he said.

Dr. Brian Espe, federal veterinarian in charge, who in the late 1960s was the federal epidemiologist, said that during the early years of his employment in Oklahoma, there were more than 2,000 known infected herds in the state. "Those were the dark days, when getting brucellosis under control was difficult," he said.

Interim State Veterinarian, Dr. Clay Freeny, said that even though the single digit status is a major accomplishment, the state's cattle producers are not out of the woods yet and there still may be infected herds which must

be located before Oklahoma can join 32 other states which are brucellosis-free.

"The knowledge, regulations and people are in place to attain the goal of brucellosis-free, however, attaining this goal will require the same cooperative effort of the cattle industry and the various regulatory agencies as has existed in recent years," said Dr. Freeny.

Brucellosis, an incurable disease, often called "bang," is highly contagious among cows during calving and can cause heavy losses due to abortion and weak calves. The disease, if contracted by humans, also poses a serious health risk.

Jarold Callahan, executive vice president of the Oklahoma Cattlemen's Association, commended the ODA for its aggressive eradication program.

"The previous decade has had a dramatic impact on Oklahoma cattle producers because of the substantial decrease of brucellosis infected herds within our state," Callahan said.

"On Jan. 1, 1983, there were 525 known infected herds and today there are only five. There are still herds to be located and livestock producers must continue to work with their neighbors if Oklahoma is to obtain brucellosis-free status."

GAO studies grain credits to Russia

WASHINGTON (AP)—A study by congressional auditors questions whether the United States should give Russia more credit to buy wheat and other farm goods.

In a report to the Senate Agriculture Committee and Sen. Dennis DeConcini, D-Ariz., the General Accounting Office said export credit guarantees may delay

agricultural reform in the former Soviet republics.

That's because the imports generally go to state-owned enterprises rather than the upstart private ones. The cheaper imports may also keep prices artificially low, making it hard for the domestic food industry to get off the ground.

But the report also noted

arguments of some officials in the newly independent states that credit-assisted food imports may prevent shortages that would lead to political unrest, blocking overall economic progress.

The Agriculture Department is considering whether to renew the credits after cutting them off little more than a year ago when Russia began default-

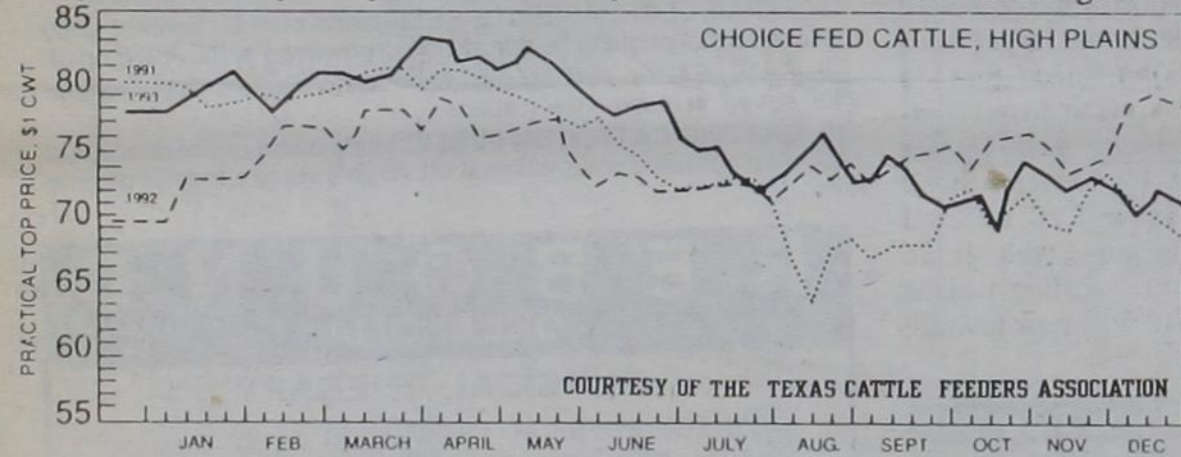
ing on earlier loans granted to it and other former Soviet republics.

Russia has since rescheduled the \$1.07 billion in debt and is due this week to pay a third and final installment of \$149 million on the portion of the debt that had not been rescheduled.

The administration says it wants to encourage reform, but it has also stressed the importance of export markets to creating jobs in this country.

Once a major customer, the former Soviet Union as recently as 1989 accounted for 30 percent, or \$2.1 billion worth, of U.S. corn exports. Total American farm exports to the republics, including corn, were valued at \$3.6 billion.

Members of Congress and officials in the former Soviet Union have suggested adding conditions to any renewed credit. However, the Agriculture Department says it cannot attach conditions under the program because it is a commercial one, assisting sales by U.S. companies at market interest rates and repayment terms.



Flick Picks

by Debbie Fletcher

A PERFECT WORLD

While I never much cared for him as an actor, Clint Eastwood has emerged as a major power player in Hollywood. His "Unforgiven" was an Oscar winner. Frankly, I wouldn't be surprised if this latest film captured a few golden statuettes as well.

Kevin Costner is Robert "Butch" Haynes, a hardened criminal doing 40 years in a Huntsville, Texas prison for armed robbery. The time is 1963, two weeks before President Kennedy's scheduled fateful trip to Dallas. Naturally, the state is abuzz with preparations, keeping local authorities a bit off their mark.

Butch and a fellow inmate, Terry Pugh, (Keith Szarabajka) take advantage of this and escape from prison. While stealing a car, a watchful neighbor takes aim with a shotgun, forcing Butch to take a hostage, 8-year-old Phillip Perry (T.J. Lowther).

Texas Ranger Red Garnett (Clint Eastwood) is brought in to conduct what he calls "the manhunt" for Butch and his small captive. Criminologist Sally Gerber (Laura Dern) is also brought in to consult on the case.

While what ultimately transpires can only be called predictable, it doesn't lessen the impact of this fine film. Costner and Lowther have a remarkable chemistry — one that will tug on your heartstrings as nothing can. It's thrilling to observe an otherwise life-hardened man reach out to a frightened young boy, even though that boy is being used as a pawn in a very dangerous game. Somehow, you forget that and come away thinking of Butch as a hero, not a monster.

This movie definitely rates four stars in my estimation. See it for yourself to find out if I'm right.

Top 10 Singles

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2. Michael Bolton "Said I Loved You...But I Lied" (Columbia) No. 2
3. Snoop Doggy Dogg "What's My Name?" (Death Row/Interscope) No. 12
4. The Cranberries "Linger" (Island/PLG) No. 5
5. Jodeci "Cry For You" (Uptown/MCA) No. 8
6. Culture Beat "Mr. Vain" (550 Music) No. 11
7. 10,000 Maniacs "Because The Night" (Elektra) No. 7
8. Mariah Carey "Hero" (Columbia) No. 3
9. Babyface "Never Keeping Secrets" (Epic) No. 13
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Parents and students in Oklahoma may call toll-free 1-800-204-INFO with their questions about

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deadlines and campus life will be available.

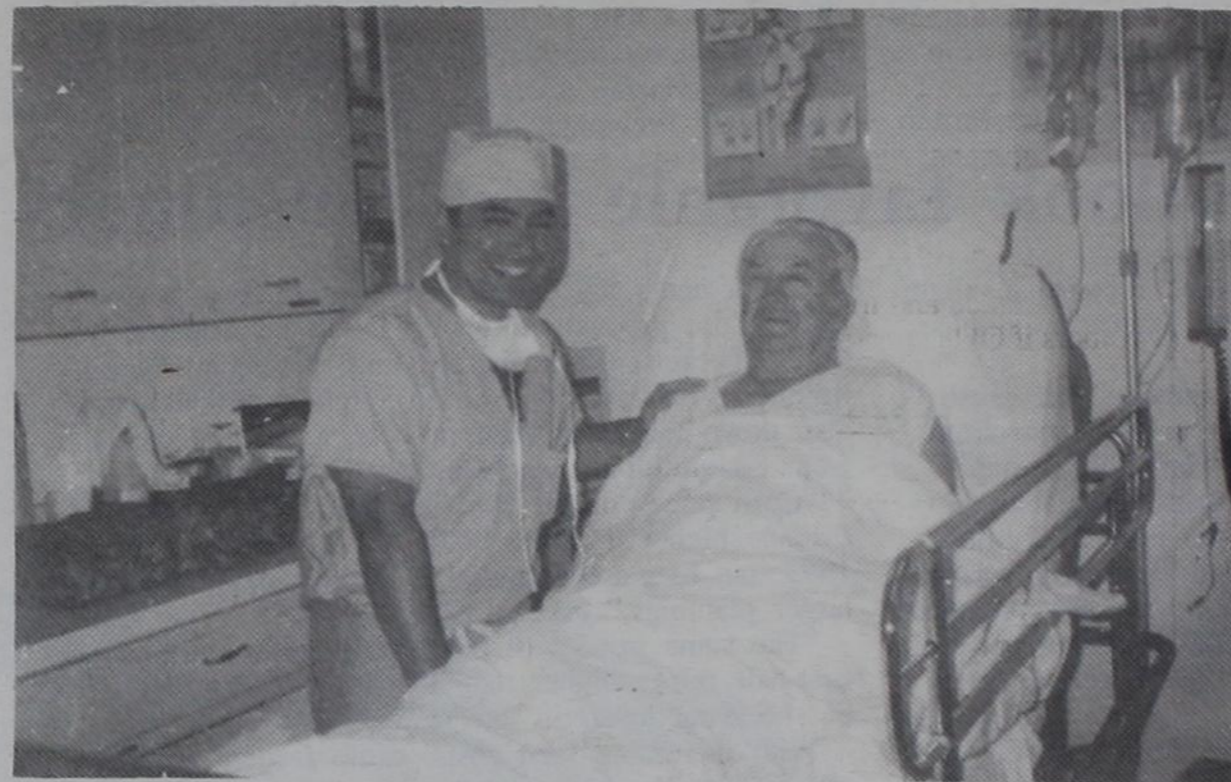
College admission directors, financial aid personnel and guidance counselors will staff the phones. The University of Oklahoma in Norman will once again host the Information Hotline. Last year the hotline received over 543 calls from seven states.

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Ophthalmologist Dr. John Belardo, left, is seen with a patient following a new eye surgery available at the Great Plains Regional Medical Center in Elk City, Oklahoma.

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 /s/ Steve Simmons

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