

# THE WHEELER TIMES

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# Wheeler C.S. of W.T. Wins State Honors



Mary Hall



Kyle Zybach



Heather Dean



Eric Laughlin

Sharisa Mong



LADY KNIGHTS: (back row, I. to r) Coach Ken Brittain, Suzy Galutia, Junita Rose, Heather Dean\*, Rachell Landsberger, Melissa Lay, (front row) Stephanie Forgay, Bridget Chandler, Mary Ann Hall\* and Sharisa Mong\* Denotes Individuals Named as All-Stars

# By Louis C. Stas

Congratulations, Knights of the Christian School of West Texas. The girl's team won state in the Texas Christian Athletic League. Several team members of the boy's and girl's teams were named All-State. -cwe-

Mary Hall and Kyle Zybach were named to the All-Star First Team. -CW8-

Heather Dean, Sharisa Mong and Eric Laughlin were named to the Second Team. -cwe-

Stephanie Forgay received Honorable Mention.

-cwe-The measured moisture for the last part of last week was 0.34 and 0.98 inches, Thursday and Friday morning measurements.

-cwe-Proof in the variation in moisture measurement was visible Monday night as we returned from playing cards. The ground was lightly powdered on the north end of town and on the south end one questioned if it was even snowing.

The snow and rain was not enough

to measure Tuesday morning. The moisture continued throughout the day. 0.16 inches was measured Wednesday morning; most of that was in the form of drizzle.

We had a few short periods of heavy snow. I had thought I might try to capture the heavy snow on camera, but it had stopped before I could make the attempt.

-cwe-Congratulations to the students (Continued Page 5)

#### Allison I.S.D. 4th 6-Weeks Honor Roll

All A's: Leslie Archer, Kara Lane, Grace Tepe, Krystal West, Cody Dupont, Allison Bray, Jerry Tice, Josiah Krulik, Wesley McIntyre, Shealee Phillips, Azriel Krulik, Kellen Bush, Laura Lohberger, Chelsea Archer, Heather Boydston, Alicia Lohberger, Mark Copeland, Kendra Lane, Crystal Bennett, Celeste Huff, Nathan Rainey, Hayley Markham, Brandon Dukes and Amber Dyer

AB's: Seth West, Jordan Newson Jessica Helton, Amy Kliewer, Joseph Lane, Jason Boydston, Tyler Copeland, Russell Lohberger, Thomas Newsom, Katie Donaldson, Jennifer Helton, Malorie Tice, Joshua Cornelson, Bronwyn Dukes, Christopher Newsom, Joshua Archer, Bax Cornelson, Joni Grayson, Pete Helton, Gus Bennett, Monty Donaldson, Marshall McIntyre, Tucker Reames, Kyle Bush, Hattie Grayson, Jaicee Herren, Kelly Lane, Monty Dukes, lan Jones, Amie Boydston, Kristy Grayson, Darla Donaldson, Jamey Herren, Toby Keys and Laurie Lane.

#### Wheeler Students On 4th 6-Weeks Honor Rol

1st GRADE: All A's: Aspen Hathaway, Caleb Gaines, Jordan Alls, Cami Creamer, Chance Newman, Jake Benefield, Omar Gonzales, Tyler Richardson, Justin Lee.

A-B's: Veronica Salazar, Matt Craig, Brandon Gallagher, Dyron Brown, Crystal Newsted, Jordan Moore, Jennifer Scales, Ashley Earl, Hank Hunt.

2nd GRADE: All A's: Tyler Bradstreet, Pake Eckhardt, Lauren Fite Meadows, Jonathan Hampton, Lacee Henson, Ryan Henson, Samuel Hillhouse, Alan Parra, Garrett Hampton, Norma Salas.

A-B's: Hector Hank Badillo, Jesus Gonzales, Dalila Mendoza, Tracy Jones, Rene' Beutler, Daniel Deira,

#### Wheeler Co. Bass Club Schedules Meeting Mon.

The Wheeler County Bass Club will have a meeting this Monday at 8:00 p.m. March 3, 1997 at Bob's Tackle Box in Wheeler. The time has come that the fisherman have waited a long winter for, the annually meeting to organize for the next years fishing events. Officers will be elected and the first tournament will be setup. Awards will be given again this year for the most total weight and big bass of the year. Each tournament pays back 100% of the entry fees with the club dues going to the yearend awards. Anyone interested should attend the meeting.

Cole Hathaway, Brentney Taylor,

Randy Trevino. 3rd GRADE: All A's: Sue Hernandez, Katie Richardson, Zane Hubble, Samantha Chapman, Brenda Guerra, Whitney Holland, Johnetta Beutler, Josh Britt, Lezlie Finsterwald. McWhorter, Kayla Gallardo, Alan

A-B: Heather Hampton, Tyler (Continued Page 7) -

#### **New Arrival**

**BRITTNEY LEA ROBINSON** 

Breann Robinson is proud to announce the arrival of her new little sister, Brittney Lea, born Feb. 4, 1997 at 4:30 PM. She weighed in at 5 lbs. 9 ozs. and was 18 in. long. Their parents are Nikki (Scott) and Dennis Robinson of Lewisville, TX. Their grandparents are Dale and Janet Stevens of Wheeler, Larry and Laura Scott of Guymon, John and Linda Robinson of Lubbock and Jim and Laura Boatwright of Canyon.

ZACHARY LEE HIBLER Michael Hibler and Brandi Callahan of Amarillo are proud to announce the birth of their son, Zachary Lee Hibler, born at Northwest Texas Hospital on February 12, 1997 at 8:56 a.m. weigh-

ing 6 lbs. 4 3/4 ozs. and 19.5 in. long. Grandparents are Lee and Pam Hibler and Jack and Brandy Callahan of Sayre and DeVonna Callahan of Arlington. Great-grandparents are Lila Hibler of Wellington, Joyce and J. R. Carr of Wheeler, Bill and LaJayrl Callahan of Sayre, and Bonnie Gregory of Altus.



50TH ANNIVERSARY: R. H. and Betty Dyson of 1221 W. 18th Street, Pampa will be celebrating their 50th Anniversary from 2:00 to 4:00 PM on March 1, 1997 at Cory Court, First United Methodist Church. The reception will be hosted by the couples children and their spouses, Jane and Mike Nipper of Houston; Diane and Lee Waters of Pampa; and Kent and Michelle Dyson of Pampa. R. H. Dyson married the former Betty May on March 4, 1947 in Wheeler, TX. They have lived in Pampa for the past 21 years. R. H. worked 33 years for Texaco, (which was originally Skelly and then Getty then Texaco). He retired in December of 1989. Betty was a homemaker. For the first 10 years of their marriage, they farmed in Mobeetie. The Dysons are members of the First United Methodist and the Pampa Senior Citizen Center. They have 7 grandchildren and 2 step grandchildren.

The Christian School of West Texas participated in the Texas Christian Athletic League (T-CAL) State Basketball Tournament in San Antonio this past weekend. The Knights won their first round game over Calvary Academy of Odessa, but lost to Town East of San Antonio in the second round. The Lady Knights beat Texas Christian of Houston in the first game, and won over the Harvest Owls of Dallas in the second game, which qualified them for the championship game. The Lady Knights proudly brought home the State Championship Trophy after conquering Cypress Community Christian of Houston 41-20.

Special honors were awarded to the following players: Girls, Mary Hall, All Star Ist Team, Heather

#### **Mobeetie City Council To** Hold Election On May 3

By Sue Mayfield Beginning February 17, 1997 through March 19, 1997 the city secretary will be accepting applications for the May 3rd election.

Places up for election this year are the mayor's position currently held by Dale Corcoran. There are two council positions with their terms completed. One position currently held by Wanda Estes and the other is held by Ray

If you have a few hours a month you could donate to the advancement of our community, or if you have new visions for our community, please pick up your application to get your name on the May 3rd ballot from the city secretary at City Hall before March

March 4th will be the first day to accept applications for early ballots to vote by mail. Please call Melba at city hall, 845-3581, for further information.

March 19th, 1997 is the deadline for write-in candidates to file their declarations of intent to be a write-in candidate for any of the positions up for re-election. Get your application from the city secretary.

You can pick up your application anytime Monday, Wednesday or Friday between 8:00 AM and 12:00 PM.

#### **Rites Read Saturday For** William C. Walser, 85

William Clarence Walser, 85, died Thursday, Feb. 20, 1997, at Amarillo. Services were at 2 p.m. Saturday in Wheeler Church of Christ with Bill Morrison, minister; Alfred White of Claude and Mike Heatwole of Canadian officiating. Burial was in Edith Ford Cemetery under the direction of Stickley-Hill Funeral Directors of Canadian.

Mr. Walser was born Oct. 25, 1911, in Wheeler County. He moved to Hemphill County as an infant of six months. He graduated from Canadian High School. He married Mamie Lee Hammack on Sept. 24, 1933, at Goodlette, Texas; she died Nov. 8, 1988. He was a lifelong farmer and rancher and was recognized as Hemphill County Farmer of the year in 1991. He had served on the Canadian School Board of Trustees for nine years. He also had served on the board of directors of North Plains Electric Coop and had been a member of the Church of Christ since 1922, serving as an elder of the Wheeler Church of Christ for 20 years.

He was preceded in death by his parents and a brother. Survivors include four sons, Eldon Walser, Weldon Walser and Melvin Walser, all of Canadian, and Glenn Walser of Duncanville; a brother,

children; and 10 great-grandchildren. The family requests memorials be to High Plains Children's Home or Tipton Childrens Home.

Clifford Walser of Mobeetie; 11 grand-

#### Nissa Boedeker Named On NWOSU Honor Roll

Honor rolls for the fall semester at Northwestern have been announced by the office of the vice-president for academic affairs. The lists include 70 students on the President's Honor Roll and 135 on the Vice-President's Honor Roll. In addition, 338 were named to the two honorable mention

Those on the President's Honor Roll earned all As, or a 4.0 grade point average, in a minimum of 14 undergraduate or 12 graduate hours. Area students named to the President's list include Nissa Boedeker a Junior Sociology Major Psychology Minor. She had a 4.0 for the fall semester. She is the daughter of Mi Mi Boedeker of Wheeler.

Mong, All Star 2nd Team, Stephanie Forgay, Honorable Mention. Boys, Kyle Zybach, All Star 1st Team, and Eric Laughlin All Star 2nd Team. Good luck All Stars in your All Star games March 6 and 7 in San Anto-

We are very proud of the basketball teams for their hard work and dedication in the '96-'97 basketball

## Council Increases Water Rates; 2nd Street Now Mustang Dr.

Mayor Wanda Herd called the regular meeting to order at 9:00 a.m. Barbra Koelzer made motion, seconded by Walter Simmons, to approve the minutes as written. Motion

Bob McCain made motion, seconded by Don Rose to pay the bills as presented. Motion carried.

Frank Clymer reported on the activities of the city employees.

Charles Kuntz presented receipts and disbursements and discussed

Four bids were received for the wood/brush chipper: They were Bandit, \$21,060.00 with Big John, Arlington, Tx; Vermeer, \$22,676.00, Caprock Vermeer Equipment, Lubbock, Tx; Gravely, \$23,301.53, Brookside Equip., Houston, Tx; and Woodchuck, \$18,900.00, Woodchuck Chipper Co., Shelby, NC. Don Rose made the motion to accept the bid from Big John Inc. for the Bandit Chipper in the amount of \$21,060.00, Walter Simmons seconded the motion. The motion carried unanimously. This will be paid for by a Solid Waste Grant from PRPC.

Students from Wheeler ISD met with council to request changing the name of the street in front of the High School. Mika Goad requested second street to be changed to #1 Mustang Drive. (This is the two blocks directly in front of the Wheeler School Campus only.) Barbra Koelzer made motion, seconded by Bob McCain, to change the name of second street to #1 Mustang Drive. The motion carried unanimously.

Walter Simmons made motion, seconded by Mark Frankenbery to adopt ordinance increasing the water rates in the city. The cost will be \$7.50 for the first 3,000 gallons, \$1.25 per thousand for the next 8,000 gailons, all over 11,000 gallons will be .95 per gallon. Mark Frankenbery seconded the motion. The motion car, ied unanimously

Barbra Koelzer made motion, seconded by Don Rose to advertise for bids for seal coating the streets. Mo-

tion carried.

The Council went into executive session 9:23 a.m. The Council returned from executive session at 9:34 a.m. (pursant to art. 6252-17 Texas Revised Civil Statutes.)

#### **Pastor Vic Porter Will Make Missionary Trip**

Pastor Vic Porter of Christian Center Church is preparing to leave Sunday, March 2, on a mission's trip. He will be returning to Zagreb, Croatia, for the third time. He will be ministering for three nights at "Word of Life" Christian Center. He will then travel to London. While visiting in the home of Frank and Tiffany Young (son of Frank and Fern Young of Canadian), he will minister on Sunday, March 9, at Springs of Living Water in Ripley, England. Accompanying Pastor Vic will be his son, Ryan Porter, music/ youth pastor at Living Word Church in Mt. Home, AR., and friend, Danny Troutt, also from Mt. Home, AR.

Walter Simmons made motion. seconded by Barbra Koelzer to advertise for a swimming pool manager for the 1997 season. The motion car-

Barbra Koelzer made motion to purchase a copy machine for the city office. Don Rose seconded the motion. The motion carried.

Bob McCain made motion, seconded by Don Rose, to advertise for bids on painting the ground storage tanks. The motion carried.

Barbra Koelzer made motion, seconded by Mark Frankenbery to spend \$5000.00 for park equipment. The motion carried.

Barbra Koelzer made motion, seconded by Don Rose to hold a Budget Hearing March 17, 1997, at 8:45 a.m. in City Hall. The motion carried.

Mark Frankenbery made motion to set Public Hearing concerning the water tower grant application Tuesday, February 25, 1997, at City Hall at 5:15 p.m. Barbra Koelzer seconded the motion. The motion carried.

Mark Frankenbery made motion, seconded by Walter Simmons to appoint Harrison Hall to the County Water Board for a two year period.

Motion carried. Bob McCain made motion, seconded by Mark Frankenbery, that Mayor Wanda Herd order an election to be held May 3, 1997, to elect three (3) council members. The motion car-

The North American Trade Corridor was discussed. No action was

Don Rose made motion the meeting adjourn. Mark Frankenbery seconded the motion. The meeting was

adjourned at 9:54 a.m. Those present: Mayor Wanda Herd. Council members: Walter Simmons.

Mark Frankenbery, Barbra Koelzer, Bob McCain and Don Rose. Charles Kuntz, Mika Goad, Mike Johnson, Kristen Marion, Lauren Weaver, Haley Hipkins, Mrs. Judy Woollard, Mike Gesino, representing Big John Equipment, Frank Clymer, and Claudine Finsterwald.

#### **Dallas Fillingim Selected** For OYMA 1996 Edition

Dallas Dan Fillingim of Canyon has been selected for inclusion in the 1996 edition of Outstanding Young Men of America (OYMA).

The OYMA program has since 1966 honored men and women between the ages of 21 and 40 who have distinguished themselves in service to their communities, professional leadership, academic achievement, business advancement, cultural accomplishments, and civic and political participation. Nominations are received from political leaders, college and university officials, clergymen, business leaders, and civic groups and organizations.

For more information about Outstanding Young Men of America and Outstanding Young Women of America programs, phone Jim Lueck at (703) 749-0010.



50TH ANNIVERSARY: Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Hovey will celebrate their 50th wedding anniversary with a reception at the First Baptist Church of Reydon, Ok. from 2:00-4:00 pm on March 2, 1997. Hosting the event will be the children of the couple: Wayne & Krista Hovey of Pasadena, Tx., David & Beth Hovey of Clovis, N.M., Terry & Terri Hovey of Portales, N.M., and Cindy and Donny Tomlinson of Baker, Ok. Ralph Hovey married the former Mary Ellen Wakefield on Feb. 28, 1947 in Grangeville, Idaho. Ralph is the pastor at the First Baptist Church in Reydon, after retiring in Feb. 1994 when he served 12 years as pastor of Mobeetie Baptist Church. Mary is employed by the Mobeetie State Bank. The couple have 11 grandchildren and 5 great-grandchildren.

Happy Birthday: to Tiny Simpson, Jackie Don May and Brenda Long on February 27th, to Dixie Cook on February 28th, to David Hale, Rozena Zybach, Jeff Herd and Loretta Brillhart on March 1st, to Arica Lancaster, Brady Hudson, Janet Stevens, Alan Hershman, Curt Duncan, Zane Zybach, Shane Stribling, Courtney Crawford and George Cox on March 2nd, to Wayne Shahan, Bobby Finsterwald, Collin McCurley, Dana Muller and Arveda Seitz on March 3rd, to Mary Gorley, David Reames, LeeAnn Lehman and Chuck Hartline on March 4th, to Shawn Zybach, Katie Nichols, Iona May, Donna Hawkins and Jewel Holloman on March 5th, and to Brandon Finsterwald and Ann Jones on March 6th, to Laura Vandever, Katrinia Whiteley, Trisha Hand, Jennifer Baker and Joe Lee on March 7th, to Janie Nichols, Colby Red, Velma Forbes, Ryan May, Jacob Muller, Carrie Zumstein, Hayden Hartsfield and Cathy Miller on March 8th, and to Jimmy Maddox, Tyna Horn, Fay Smith, Bobby Patton, Sue Helms, Byron St. John and Sarah Rector on March 9th.

Happy Anniversary: to Rev. Ralph and Mary Hovey on February 28th, to Steve and Samie Corse on March 4th, to Rayburn and Geneva Corcoran on March 6th, and to Mike and Sherry Wash on March 7th.

Our sympathy goes out to the family of little Derrik Alton Marshall and their friends in his death.

These precious little ones have a special way of touching so many hearts and lives.

Our sympathy also goes out to Clifford and Euline Walser and the family and friends of Clarence Walser with his death February 20th. His services were held Saturday February 22nd at the Church of Christ in

Clarences wife Mamie passed away in 1988. They raised their four boys in southern Hemphill County.

Clarence is survived by sons Melvin, Eldon and Weldon all of the Canadian area and Glen of Duncanville. Also eleven grandchildren and ten great-grandchildren.

Brother Bill Morrison of Wheeler, Alfred White of Claude and Mike Heatwole of Canadian officiated at the service. Burial was at Canadian. Clarence will be missed by many.

The rain last week was wonderful. We only registered 1.65" here at the house. But others in the area got over 2". It came so nice and slow and

After so many nice days last week. This cold spell is hard to accept again. That 45 degrees - 50 degrees weather had us spoiled. Sunday the clouds and cool wind blew in. Of course it had to blow most of the night. Monday stayed cold and windy. It barely made it to the mid-20's. Just waiting for the snow that the Amarillo TV

Channels are predicting.
Good to see Pierce Walker feeling better. He felt well enough Wednesday to go with Aline to see Nettie. She was doing pretty well and glad to see

Our little Harley had scarletina last week, so she got to spend some time with Grandma and Grandpa. She didn't feel too bad, just sort of itchy and sunburned looking. She took her antibiotic quite well as long as it was in a dropper. And she knew Dr. Powell gave this to her. She likes Dr. Powell.

Sorry the Allison Antelopes lost to Gruver the 21st. Good job though. Nice to hear from Tia Boydston.

Neal had been home Saturday so that brightened the girls week. They are all doing well and getting ready for church.

Corrina's and Kendra's pictures were so cute in the paper. They were each featured in the "Citizens of Tomorrow" the Feb. 13th and Feb. 20th

Sorry to hear Andy Eubanks of

Canadian had the balloon surgery on a couple of arteries to his heart last Thursday in Amarillo. Glad to hear it went so well and he is recuperating at

Andy was the speech therapist for the Mobeetie Independent School District for many years.

Good to hear Estelle Hodges sounding so well. The nurses released her from the home health service last Wednesday. Her leg is finally all healed up. Estelle is feeling stronger everyday.

Audrey Seitz was over Monday. She is working on her periwinkle quilt top. It is going to be beautiful. They trade quilt squares and had a won-

Glen said they got 2.35" of rain last week. It was really appreciated.

Friday was the beginning of a won-

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derful weekend for Tommy and Christy Forbes and Ryan. Christy's mother, sister and her children came

Christy's mom, Margo Gott, lives in Las Animas, Colorado. Her sister, Melinda Metzger, and children are from Colorado Springs, Colorado.

Ryan and his cousins, Melissa and Joshua are all about the same age. So they were a lively crew and had a great time together.

Grandma Gott gave Ryan his belated Christmas present. (It was definitely worth waiting for.)

Ryan is racking up the miles on his new bicycle. Grandma Gott knew Ryan's favorite color is blue so he is sporting a sharp looking blue and black bike.

While the weather was so nice the kids all played with the remote control vehicles. They kept Tommy busy playing mechanic on them. They'd forget that remote controls aren't waterproof.

Saturday was ladies day out Tommy was "Mr. Mom" while the gals had a great time shopping and visiting. Even shopping in Pampa is a treat Christy, Margo and Melinda.

Margo and Melinda made it home safely Sunday. They hit snow in the Oklahoma Panhandle. But the roads were good all the way home.

Canyon City had gotten 22" of snow Saturday and Sunday.

There is one "happy Chappie" in Mobeetie that doesn't miss that weather at all, or having to get out to work in it.

Please keep Tommy in your prayers. He's still having alot of pain from his back injury. The pain is always there. Just some days worse

Put March 6th on your calendar to hear a real blessing. Rev. John Catt will be witnessing and doing a concert at the First Baptist Church of

Hunter Brice got to spend the weekend of Feb. 16th with Grandma and Grandpa Moffett. They really enjoyed his visit. He's one busy, inquisitive

Grandma and Hunter stopped in Pampa on their way to take Hunter back to Amarillo. They visited with Aunt Sheila and Ann Touchstone. Ann accompanied Alesha and Hunter

Ann and Alesha went by for a quick visit with "Nanny" Margaret Moore.

Ann is such a little character. Never a dull moment around Ann

Alesha's mother, Margaret Moore, is doing quite well this winter.

Glad Ray and Velma Forbes are feeling a little better. Ray has already started working on rototillers and lawn mowers. People are getting smart and getting their stuff serviced and in shape before the spring fever really

It was nice to see Connie Reeves with her daughter, Melanie Ellison and children Erica and Garrett having lunch at Furr's in Pampa Thursday. Such a beautiful family.

Harley kept an eye on Erica and

Saturday Robert, my mom and dad and I all went to Amarillo for a little shopping and even got to see a movie.

We saw "Mother" with Debbie Reynolds. It was sort of cute. It may be a little too much like real family life for some people.

Now we're waiting to see "The 6th Man" a basketball comedy.

Sunday, mom and I went to the Hunt Memorial Methodist Church. Steven Gaines is the pastor there. (He has several aunts, uncles and cousins in the Wheeler area.) He is one preacher that you won't sleep through his sermon. And a person always leave with something to think

Bob's brother, Albert, from Tucumcari, New Mexico has been visiting in Cheyenne, Oklahoma. He came by and spent the night with us on his way home Friday. I think he was anxious to get back to Tucumcari and his "real life" Saturday.

Patsy and David Howard are getting settled into their new home in Fort Morgan, Colorado. They said to greet all their friends. So hil

David is getting settled into his job as a senior plant operator at the Colorado Interstate Gas Plant. David has also got several projects going at their new home. He's a very talented Mr. Fix It and a gifted wood craftsman. David is putting in new cabinet and windows in their hew home.

Patsy stays busy trying to keep everybodys schedules straight. She's currently typing the recipes for the Brownlow Family recipe book, a junior Girl Scout assistant leader and unit coordinator for the cookie sales for the whole Fort Morgan GIrl Scout

Mendee is a 5th grader and involved in just about everything. She is continuing her piano lessons, has taken up the clarinet with school band, is learning to play the bells in the church bell choir, she sang 2 solos in the Christmas musical "Angels Aware". She had taken art lessons and gymnastics in Larkin which has really helped her. Mendee is taking a computer programming course after school, participating in the puppet ministry and American Baptist Girls in their church and continues developing her swimming skills. Last summer

#### MEALS on MENU WHEELS

March 3 thru March 7, 1997 MONDAY: Roast Turkey and Gravy, Dressing, Squash, Cranberry Sauce,

TUESDAY: Salisbury Steak, Mushroom Gravy, Mashed Potatoes, Stewed Tomatoes, Bread Pudding. WEDNESDAY: Veal, Baked Potato, Peas and Mushrooms, Apple Sauce. THURSDAY: Fried Chicken, Mashed Potatoes and Gravy, Broccoli, Peach

FRIDAY: Fried Fish, Au Gratin Potatoes, Capri Vegetables, Chocolate

(Menus Are Subject To Change)



she swam with the Brush, Colorado, Marlins Swim Team. She got to participate in the Silver, Gold and State Championships last summer.

Allen is already a 2nd grader. He also participated in the "Angels Aware" as the presenter of the third of the Ten Commandments. He is learning to like school and is picking up some wonderful reading skills. Allen has adjusted to "having" to play with the girls. Because most of his playmates are girls in their new neighborhood.

The Howard house in Lakin, Kansas is presently under contract with the renters with an option to buy. (Another of the blessings the Lord has showered on the Howard family

Welcome to Stacci Kinnamorf and her family. They have moved to one of the larger school houses.

Our little community is definitely not growing. As we welcome Stacci and her family the Vasby's and the Bails moved on. We wish them good

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We can open our east doors here and watch the beautiful sunrise such a thing of beauty, no pollution to dim

There are such friendly people in my home town and some are very

Now we have only one paper in this my home town, but the man who turns this paper out for us, can't be beat. He has a smile for everyone he I find life beautiful in my home town.

They stand ready to help with heart and hand and the very busiest people help without a frown. We know here gold alone can't buy one friend. And when we need a new hospital

everyone pitches in, or if a church building burns, we know the key to Christian happiness is unselfish help and love. They take time for all things and try not to shove.

I like my home town because even though oil flows around her, everyone gives a friendly greeting to the ones who have become rich, and our doctors and nurses and ministers are anxious to help with our sick.

Now don't get the idea this is a slow non-exciting town far from it. There is a mother with a new baby to go see, or someone who needs cheering up. Or some educational program going on down at town hall, or some girls and boys playing ball.

And the lovely patient people who help us at our bank. We try always to give them thanks.

As I sit here watching the sun slowly sinking in the west I say thank you Lord for "The people in my home

By: Zinnie Bailey

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## wheeler Church of Christ

Congregational Concerns:

On this coming Sunday morning, March 2nd, a fellowship luncheon will be held in the multi-purpose building at the conclusion of the morning

Doyle Ramsey is hospitalized in Baptist/St. Anthony's Hospital in Amarillo. He will probably have surgery later this week. Sympathy must be expressed to the family of Clarence Walser. Clarence died last Thursday evening in Amarillo and his funeral was held last

Saturday afternoon in Wheeler. From The Minister's Desk:

When I was a student at Abilene Christian College in 1960's, I was privileged to meet several outstanding preachers. One of these preachers was Marshall Keeble, a black preacher who preached for churches of Christ in Tennessee.

Mr. Keeble was an excellent Bible student who participated in numerous religious debates during his ministry. In these debates, he often used his keen sense of humor to emphasize or illustrate a Biblical

For example, he once had a debate with a preacher who had been a farmer until he had an experience which directed him to become a preacher. When this preacher was ask by Mr. Keeble to describe this experience, he said that he was working on his farm when he saw some clouds in the sky which formed the letters, "G, P. C. "He then said that he interpreted these letters to mean that he should "go preach Christ". With one humorous question, Mr. Keeble refuted this preacher's contention. He ask: "Sir, how do you know that "G. P. C. " did not mean, "go plant

With this one question, Mr. Keeble clearly showed the foolishness of a faith that allows an emotional experience to be its authority. The apostle Peter also recognized the foolishness of such a faith because he wrote:" -- We did not follow cleverly devised tales when we made known to you the power and coming of our Lord Jesus Christ, but we were eyewitnesses of His majesty. For when He received honor and glory from the Father, such an utterance as this was made to Him by the majestic Glory, This is My beloved Son with whom I am well-pleased, and we ourselves heard this utterance made from heaven when we were with Him on the holy mountain." (II Peter 1:16-

In this text, the Apostle Peter apparently referred to an emotional experience that he had during the ministry of Jesus. This emotional experience is vividly described in the seventeenth chapter of Matthew which says:"--Jesus took with Him Peter and James and John his

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brother, and brought them up to a high mountain by themselves. And He was transfigured before them; and his face shone like the sun and His garments became as white as light. And behold, Moses and Elijah appeared to them, talking with Him. And Peter answered and said to Jesus, Lord it is good for us to be here; if You wish, I will make three tabernacles here, one for You, and one for Moses, and one for Elijah. While he was still speaking, behold, a bright cloud overshadowed them, and behold, a voice out of the cloud, saying, This is My beloved Son, with whom I am well-pleased; listen to Him." (Matthew 17:1-5)

Peter had an incredible emotional experience. He had seen the transfiguration of Jesus. He had seen Moses and Elijah. He had heard the voice of God. But Peter did not allow this emotional experience to be the authority for his faith. Rather he wrote: "And so we have the prophetic word made more sure, to which you do well to pay attention as to a lamp in a dark place, until the day dawns and the morning star arises in your hearts." (II Peter 1:19)

Notice the first part of verse 19 What did Peter mean when he said:"--We have the prophetic word made sure -- ?" Peter realized that the inspired Scriptures was a more trustworthy authority for his faith than any emotional experience that he could have. Some other people need to come to this same conclusion. Instead of having a faith that is rooted in the Scriptures, these people have a faith that is rooted in the emotional experiences that they have. Then these people either mangle the teachings of the Scriptures to fit their experiences or they completely ignore the teachings of the Scriptures.

Emotional experiences are the natural outgrowth of a genuine faith, but these experiences must never become the authority for faith. When emotional experiences become the authority for faith, it will be a faith that is characterized by speculation

> Bill Morrison, Minister Church of Christ Wheeler, Texas

Services:

Sunday Bible Study ..... 10:00 A.M. Sunday Morning Worship ... 11:00 A.M. Sunday Night Worship ...... 6:00 P.M. Wednesday Bible Study ...... 7:30 P.M.

vited to attend any of the weekly services of the Wheeler Church of Christ which meets at 1001 S. Alan

Deuteronomy 4: 39-40: "Know therefore this, and consider it in thine heart, that the Lord he is God in heaven above, and upon the earth beneath; there is none else.

"Thou shalt keep therefore His statutes, and His commandments, which I command thee this day, that it may go well with thee, and with thy children after thee, and that thou mayest prolong thy days upon the earth, which the Lord thy God giveth thee, for-

A cloudy cold winter Monday morning here in Allison, the weatherman

says possibly snow. 'My overnight guests last Saturday night were Darrel and Johnnie Harrison from Amarillo. We attended church Sunday morning and them and Louise Boydston went to Elk City after church to attend Margie Clay's 100th birthday celebration.

Opal and Juanita Boydston were last Thursday evening supper guests with Vance and Caroline Boydston, last Saturday. They were supper

**CHRISTIAN STORE** Phone: 826-3382 410 S. Main - Wheeler Denise Ware, Owner  guests with Neal and Tia Boydston and girls. On Sunday Sylvia Brown from Wheeler was dinner guest with Opal and Juanita. In the afternoon they all went to Reydon to Mary Hartleys 83rd birthday celebration.

Roma and Billy Brown spent last week at Silsbee, Texas, and visited with Roma's brother and family and they returned home on Sunday night.

Guests with Red and Anna Dukes from last Wednesday to Friday morning were Claude and Pat Pewitt from Mineral Wells, Tx., Jim and Shirley Pewitt from Paradise, Tx., and Joe and Sylvia Richardson from Paradise. They all went to the basketball game at Pampa on Thursday night. Claude, Jim and Joe did some tree

trimming for Red and Ann while there.

Anna was supervisor.

Bob Dukes had balloon heart surgery last Friday in Amarillo at High Plains Baptist and came home Sunday. Was in church on Sunday night and is doing well. Red and Anna were there for the surgery and Bob's two sister, Cindy Starnes from Dallas and Dianna Chatham from San Francisco, flew into Amarillo for Bob's surgery and his brother and wife, Johnnie and Nelda Dukes, drove up from Ft. Worth to be with him and his sister, Adeline Hammer of Panhandle was also there

Last Sunday afternoon Red and Anna visited Clyde and Minnie Bell Vinson and also Nelda Dukes was there. They played cards.

Casey Zybach spent Sunday afternoon with great grandparents, Glen and Nona Elmore. Sue Giddens and Kathy Zybach came Sunday evening and visited a while and picked up

Pete and Margaret Gilmer and Rodney and Linda Ingersoll and Andrew went to Foss Lake in Oklahoma and ate supper at the Dock Side Restaurant last Friday. On their way home they shopped in Elk City.

Pearl Harrison went to Elk City last Friday and visited Inez Townsley and spent Friday and Saturday night with Jimmy and Vivian Wallace. Sunday Pearl attended a 100th birthday celebration for Margie Clay.' Louise Boydston was also there.

Vance and Caroline Boydston went to Lubbock Friday the 14th and visited Kevin Boydston. They spent until Tuesday with Kevin and came back through Amarillo and Caroline saw Dr. La Grone and came on home from there. Vance and Caroline were back in Amarillo on Wednesday for Vance to attend a postmasters meeting. Kyle Boydston from Weatherford spent the weekend with Vance and Caroline.

Verne and Susie Lohberger's guests last Monday was Gilbert Lee Sims from worman, Okla. Virginia Miller's weekend guests

were Kelly Miller from Hugoton, Kan., and also Tom Childress, who also lives in Kansas.

Allen and Nadine Reynold's weekend guests were Wayne and Debbie Reynolds and their grandson, Zachary, from Amarillo and William and Vicki Lay, Clay and Jennifer and Jennifer's friend from Bushland, Gary and Linda Hall and Bennie and Debbie Boydston, Heather and Jason all of Allison.

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

#### CARD OF THANKS

Thank you to all our friends and family who have been so good to us since Oden's sickness. Thanks for the flowers, cards, food and visits and most of all for the many prayers. Thanks to the caring nurses at the Wheeler hospital and to Dr. Mendiola for his loving concern. Please continue to pray for us.

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COMMENTS

By A Resident Reporter

Mobeetie First Baptist Church.

Sunday service was held by

Monday, Barbara was gone to

Tuesday, Barbara read us current

events. Then several of us had ball

toss in the lobby. After lunch we played

cards. Then Barbara served us Happy

Extension Update

By Joan Gray, CEA-HE

RESPONSIBLITY WHEN THEY GET

Chances are that the majority of

citizens over the age of 15 spend part

of every day-in a car - driving to

school or work, riding with friends, or

going places with family members.

Since motor vehicles are such a large

part of everyday life, vehicle occu-

pant safety should be a top priority.

Department of Public Safety

records indicate that the majority of

motor vehicle crashes are due to driver

error. What can be done to reduce

driver error? Reducing driver error must start with individual drivers

pledging to buckle up and not drink

First of all, it is recommended that

all occupants buckle up. When worn

correctly, safety belts reduce the

chance of death or serious injury by

Lap/shoulder safety belts provide more protection than lap belts alone.

Lap belts must be worn low on the

hips, not across the abdomen. The

pelvic bones help to distribute the

force of a crash. The shoulder belt

should be worn over the shoulder and

across the collarbone in a diagonal

direction. Never put the shoulder strap

under the arm or behind the back.

Everyone should remember that safety belts are the primary restraint

and should be worn even when the

Impaired driving is one of the lead-

ing causes of death in America. All individuals who choose to drink should

find alternate transportation. Individu-

als can take a cab, bus, or call a friend

to drive them where they need to go.

important if one chooses to drink.

Cities have designated programs for individuals at reduced cost. Nothing can ever make up for the devastation

an individual will feel if he or she

causes a fatal crash. An excellent slogan to remember is: "If you drive

don't drink. If you drink don't drive."

Always remember drivers have the

responsibility of keeping themselves

free of alcohol and having everyone in the vehicle buckle up every time.

Think of all the lives that can be saved by increasing seat belt usage and

decreasing drunken driving.

Choosing a designated driver is

vehicle is equipped with an airbag.

Amarillo to doctor visit. Some of us

PAGE 3—Thursday, February 27, 1997

Hour. Wednesday, May Bell and Ruth went to Elk City to Dr. We read the paper. Then we had exercise.

Tom and Shorty came to help us. play bingo. We had 19 residents in to play. Margaret Hiede was blackout

Thursday, Cletus read us the paper. Then Rozena, Ila and Fern came to do Inspiration. We are always gladto see them. Some of us ladies played. cards. Then Cletus popped popcorn. Barbara started us a movie then she stayed and served us supper.

Friday a cold rainy day. We played cards that afternoon, because Barbara had to take May Bell to Elk City

Saturday, Tom and Shorty came to play Bingo. Margrie Bonnell had two friends from Pampa to help her play. Ruth Hoggard was our blackout win-

Zinnie Bailey had Bernice and Grady from Pampa in to visit with her. also Lou Dean Douthit from Briscoe and Jewell Moore of Wheeler.

Ina Mae Anglin's daughter Lois was here to visit her.

Carol Archer our P. T. therapist was here Saturday to paint her office. Barbara was weekend person Saturday, so she took down Valentine decoration and put up green for St.

Bud Williams and Wayne Miller have been waxing some of the floors at night. They sure look nice.

WHEELER

March 3, 1997 to March 7, 1997 Monday: Breakfast: Juice, Toast/ Jelly, Cereal/Oatmeal, Milk.

Bread, Milk/Tea, Pears, Juice Pops.

Carrot Sticks, Crackers, Milk/Tea,

Toast/Jelly, Cereal, Blueberry Muf-Lunch: Sloppy Joe/cheese, Pork &

Thursday: Breakfast: Juice, Pancake Pup/Syrup, Toast/Jelly, Sau-Lunch: Sliced Turkey, Mashed Potatoes/Gravy, Green Beans, Hot Roll/

Cereal/Oatmeal, Milk. Lunch: Beef & Cheese Taco Pie, Salad, Chile Beans, Crackers, Chips,

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To The Editor The Wheeler Times Wheeler, TX 79096

I am writing a short history of my father's family and find that I need the help of some Wheeler County resi-

My father and mother, Gorden Gatewood and Retta Thompson, respectively, met while teaching school at Dixon. Daddy later taught one year at Gageby/Nubbin Ridge also.

If one of your readers could provide to the following address a photograph of either of these schoolhouses, I would certainly appreciate it.

I would also like to have a picture of the Mt. Zion school because one of my aunts, Gracie Thompson, taught

Very truly yours, Mr. John Gatewood 2024 Woodrock St. Duncan, OK 73533

ALLISON

March 3 thru March 7, 1997 MONDAY: Holiday TUESDAY: Holiday WEDNESDAY: Hot Dogs W Chili & Cheese, Oven Fries, Fruit, Milk. THURSDAY: Soft Tacos, Lettuce, Tomatoes, Refried Beans, Cheese, Sour Cream, Fruit, Milk. FRIDAY: Pizza, Tossed Salad, Fruit,

(Menu Subject to Change) CARD OF THANKS

The family of Clarence Walser expresses their appreciation to all who showed their concern to Dad and us by your calls, visits, flowers, food, and prayers during the illness and

loss of our loved one. May God Bless Melvin Walser Family Glenn Walser Family Weldon Walser Family

Eldon Walser Clifford Walser Family

Is Better

Lunch: Beef & Macaroni Casserole. Scalloped Potatoes, Blackeyed Peas,

Tuesday: Breakfast: Juice, Biscuits/ Gravy, Scrambled Eggs, Sausage, Peanut Butter/Honey, Milk. Lunch: Veg. & Beef Soup, Grilled Cheese Sandwiches, Pickle Spears,

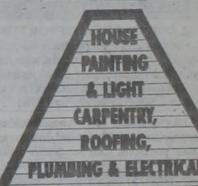
Apricots. Wednesday: Breakfast: Juice.

Beans, French Fries, Milk/Tea. Peaches.

sage, Oatmeal, Peanut Butter, Milk. Butter, Milk/Tea, Mixed Fruit. Friday: Breakfast: Juice, Toast/Jelly.

Milk/Tea, Pimeapple. (Menu Subject to Change)

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Kaylie Jane Seltz is the 4 month old daughter of Dave and Teri Seitz of Richardson, Texas. Grandparents are Foy and Joyce Perkins and K. D. Ford of Wheeler, and David and Melba Seitz of Crowell. Great-grandparents are Elsie Cox-Hughes of Shamrock, Nora Babb of Wheeler, and Monroe Jane Seitz of Mobeetie.

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A los 45 anos: me dan ganas de consultar a papa en este asunto 'tal vez pudiera ayudarme'. \*A los 55 anos: 'Que lastima que se haya muerto papa la verdad es que tenia muy buenas ideas". A los 60 anos: 'Pobre papa era UN SABIO que lastima que yo lo haya comprendido muy tarde. Querido amigo si esto te ha puesto a pensar y aun tienes tus papas Honralos, Amalos y sobre todo dales de tu tiempo ahora que que todavia los puedes disfrutar. Escrito por Sergio Vaquera Pastor de La Iglesia Cristiana Canaan. Wheeler Tx.

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List of instruments filed in the Wheeler County Clerk's Office from February 5, 1997 to February 11, 1997.

**FEBRUARY 5, 1997** OL-B&G Operating, Ltd. to Caltex Operating, Ltd., 2-3-97, Sec. 19,

Camp County School Land. TMML-Vinyard Water Service to First Bank & Trust, 1-16-97, All of Lots 7 and 8, N 1/2 Lot 9, Blk. E, Potts Add., Shamrock.

EXT MML-F. C. Hilburn, Jr., et al to First Bank & Trust, 1-16-97, All of Lots 7 and 8, N 1/2 Lot 9, Blk. E, Potts Add., Shamrock.

C/C POA-Mid-State Trust V to Mid-State and Homes, 1-27-97. ASSIGN-MRT Exploration Com-

pany to Union Pacific Land Re sources Corporation, 10-3-95, See Instrument

**FEBRUARY 6, 1997** ROW-Richard Lee Kiker, et ux to Transok, Inc., 12-20-96, Pt. SW 1/4

Sec. 11, Blk. 1, B&B Survey MD-Lucille B. Walling Trust to Ted. H. Walling, et al, 1-2-97, See Instru-

DVL-Henderson Trucking, Inc., to Darrell R. Gilmore, et ux, 2-6-97, 11.81 acs. Sec. 6, Blk. A-4, H&GN Ry. Company Survey.

DT-Darrell R. Gilmore, et ux to Henderson Trucking, Inc., 2-6-97, 11.81 acs. Sec. 6, Blk. A-4, H&GN Ry. Company Survey.

**FEBRUARY 7, 1997** POA-Ardie Martin to Ida Mae Goad, et al, 2-7-97. POA-Ida Mae Goad to Fred M.

Goad, et al, 2-7-97. ASSIGN-Osage Oil & Gas Company, LLC to Seagull Midcon, Inc., 10-17-96, Secs. 36 and 37, Blk. M-1,

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> CITY OF WHEELER, TEXAS by Wanda Herd

The City of Wheeler will hold an election May 3, 1997, for the purpose of electing three (3) council members. The positions will be for a two year term. The first day for filing of an application is February 17, 1997. The last day to apply for a place on the ballot will be March 19,

Anyone interested in filing

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NOTICE

Notice is hereby given by the Texas Parks and Wildlife Department that a public hearing will be held at 7:00 P.M. on Thursday, March between the hours of 8:00 13, 1997, at the Commissioner courtroom, County Courthouse, 400 Alan Bean, Wheeler, Texas, for the purpose of gathering public comment regarding the fol-

 Proposed Statewide Hunting and Fishing Proclama-

tion for 1997-1998; 2. Regulations governing hunting, fishing, and other public use of public lands. Proposed amendment to the Shrimp Fishery Procla-

Proposed Early and Late Season Migratory Game Bird Proclamation: These proposals include

establishing the seasons, bag and size limits, areas, and other regulations on the taking of wildlife and fisheries resources in the 1997-1998 season; designating areas and associated regulations for hunting, fishing and other permissible activities on wildlife management areas, state parks, and other public lands; establishing seasons and bag limits on doves and waterfowl. The candidate list of state park hunts will be available. A presentation of the proposals will be given at the hear-

Complete text of all proposed regulatory changes will be published for public review in the Texas Register no later than March 18

All interested persons are invited to attend and comment upon the proposed regulations. Additional information concerning the public hearing can be obtained by calling the Department's toll-free number 1-800-792-1112, press 0 and ask for extension 4642, or 512-389-

The Parks and Wildlife Commission will meet to consider adoption of these proposals listed in items 1-3 above in a Public Hearing scheduled for Thursday, April 17, 1997 beginning at 9:00 a.m. at the Texas Parks and Wildlife Department Headquarters 4200 Smith School Road Austin, TX.

NOTICE Allison ISD calls for election The Allison ISD will hold a tion on May 3, 1997 for the 27c

Blvd., Wheeler, Tx. Office The current terms of Bennie hours: 8:00 a.m. until 5:00 Boydston, Cletus Greene, p.m. Monday-Friday. 2/27c and Jim Hall will be completed this May. Persons interested in having their name Superintendent's Office at 200 W. 2nd St. in Allison, TX

> TION is 5:00 p.m., MARCH All Board Members are current and will complete their board training hours by May 3, 1997, except for Jim Hall.

a.m. and 4:00 p.m. week-

days (except for March 3rd-

4th when the office will be

DEADLINE FOR APPLICA-

closed for spring break).

NOTICE The Board of Directors, North Wheeler County Hospital District, have set Saturday, May 3, 1997 for the election of Hospital District

Directors. The deadline for filing for a Director is April 8, 1997. Three Districts will elect Directors this year. Allison District, presently represented by Bob Dukes, Briscoe District, presently represented by Dean Tipps and the Mobeetie District, presently

represented by Jim Batton.

Any qualified taxpayer desiring his or her name to be placed on the ballot as a candidate for Director shall file a petition at the office of the Administrator signed by not less than five qualified voters residing in the candidates voting precinct, asking that the same name be

printed on the ballot. Petitions for filing may be obtained from Billy Robertson, Administrator, Parkview Hospital.

> **SWIMMING POOL** MANAGER

The City of Wheeler is ac-

cepting applications for a manager for the swimming pool for the 1997 swimming pool season. The City prefers the applicant to hold a Red Cross Life Saving Certificate. Applicant should review contract at City Office before submitting application. Applications are to be reviewed at the regular meeting March 17, 1997. The City reserves the right to accept or reject any or all applications. Send applications to City of Wheeler, P.O. of trustees for May 3, 1997. Box 98, Wheeler, Tx 79096 or bring to City Office, 505 for an application for a place regular school board elec- South Alan Bean Blvd. 2/

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Most wonderful news is the rain. Our gauge showed 1.7. Amounts varied around. We are truly thankful. Maybe the fire hazard will abate a little. Our volunteer fireman went to two these last few days. One was the home of Mike Smith south of Cheyenne which was completely destroyed. The other a grass fire south of the Lonnie Isch place. Some said this one was started by a cigarette.

Artie Fuchs was honored on her 90th birthday Saturday. Over 100 attended including our little 104 year old neighbor, Birdie Whipkey. She and Artie were county club members and friends many years.

E. L. and Wilma Fowler visited in the Geneva Fuchs home Friday. Home for Artie's party were Curtis Fuchs and family from Stillwater where he is a professor. And Jerry and Rita Wilson from Anchorage, Alaska.

Our Junior kids played Carter Monday night and Merritt B teams Tuesday night. The boys were elated to win two games in a row. The girls lost one and won one. Coach Gary Pasby took them to McDonalds for a treat. On the boys team are Trampus Fowler, Chris Dolloff, Jeremy Henson, Brian Cox, Nathaniel Quinn, David Alexander, Ricky Hanson, Brian Curtis Chandler, Shane Yarbrough and Chase Arrington.

On the girls team are Lindsey Anderson, Cassie Perry, Joni Perry, Lindsay Coffey, Mindy Cappleman, Margie Banks, Terri Calverley, Bailey Davis, Carlie Humphrey, Tambra Jones, Jana Hanson and Kim Gracey. Jennifer Alexander and Amber Anderson went along as Cheerleaders.

The senior teams beat Blair Thursday night and the girls will play Seiling and the boys Minco Saturday at Weatherford.

The Sweetwater Baptist church will have Revival Services March 2-5, 1997. Services will begin at 11 am Sunday morning and 7 pm each evening. The visiting evangelist will be Chuck Hampton from Mississippi, and Brad Spitzer of Sayre will be leading the music. There will be youth fellowships after the March 2 and 5 services. The public is invited.

We went down to Elk Monday to let Dr. Morrison check and count my teeth. Visited with them and Linda Nix, Mrs. G. R. Buckner, Mamie O'Neal and Mrs. Fount Hudgins.

Had bad news last week. Got a letter from the sister of penpal Dorothy Best in Cornwall, England telling me that Dorothy died and her funeral was Feb. 14. Dorothy and I had been writing for almost 50 years. One time her husband gave her a call to America for a birthday present and we had a visit. I will miss her.

Also heard that our friend Margaret Boney, Bethany had fallen and broke her left arm. Cousin Myrtle Flowers in CA fell and broke both arms. She visited during the summer. Is 90 years

It is odd how they O. J.ed us to death for about 2 years and no one remembered about the pictures of his feet they had taken till the big money came along. I never did believe he

was guilty and still don't.

Anyone who gives the matter a second thought knows that if things had been reversed - O. J. a white millionaire that a criminal court had declared innocent of murder and a second court deemed him a fit parent to have his children - and the Browns and Formans had been colored folks trying to get his money - that Civil trial would never have taken place.

Gail and Billy Sutton spent the

(from Page 1) listed on the Honor Rolls for the fourth six weeks. The 96-97 school year is flying past.

We are in need of more pictures for Eastern Panhandle. Let's see how those youngsters have changed since the last time we ran their pictures.

Please send us your latest picture of the children, grandchildren or greats.

—cwe—

'Wife #2' surprised us with a short visit Tuesday afternoon. Inez Erwin was on her way back to Amarillo and

was on her way back to Amarillo and had not had the opportunity to wish me happy birthday—we were out of town when she called.

—cwe—

We ended up in Oklahoma City last Friday and Saturday to offer Jennifer moral support in getting over the Crud of '97. She is still working at getting over it but I am sure the visit helped.

We were in Hinton Saturday evening for the card games; Jennifer needed her rest.

Yes, more cards on Sunday.

Monday night's games were in my team's favor; which only leaves Barbara, Patsy and Mimi seeking revenge. Way to go, Jane and Mike.

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weekend at Kingfisher visiting Twila, she was bringing Russell home from

having a heart attack.

Anne Reed is still on the puny list.
Lavonda Beavins and children of
Sayre were out Monday to have supper with her folks. Leonard Bryan was
feeling a little better when Ray Smith

the OKC where he has been since

feeling a little better when Ray Smith dropped by to visit. Ray hasn't been very well this week.

Judy and Gerald Tipton have been up to Watonga to visit Jan and Jeff Franks. They enjoyed looking over

the Franks' new parts store.

Annette Wingfield and Pauline
Roberts went to OKC Saturday where
they met Dale and Sue from Independence, KS. They went out to Moore to
visit Royice and family.

The 100th Meridian Store is open again. The new owners are Linda Burckhalter and Jimmy Edwards. They are serving meals too and several report they have been over to enjoy the good hamburgers.

Helen Smith and Imogene Pickering went to Weatherford Monday to visit Myrtle Hagerman who is

Imogene took Bertha Coffey to Elk today to see the doctor. They visited Hobart and Lee Mayes at Elk and came back by Sayre to visit Iva. Iva Thompson, Ila Anderson and

Norma Zellmers were Amarillo visitors Thursday.

Betty Sites, Michael and Sheila Smith, and Cade Sites went to El

Renoforthe capping ceremony where Sally was honored.
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Editha Hildebrand is doing very well. Was over to visit the LeGrands one day.

Birthday folks this month were Gail

Birthday folks this month were Gail Sutton, Eugene McEntire, Jamime Anderson, Alton Tignor, Lindsey Coffey, Harold Bollen, Wanda Perry, Opal Nabors, Twila Adams, Carleene Flowers, Doug Fowler, Jada Alexander, Greg Henson, Artie Fuchs, Lacy Fowler, Inez Coffey, Ed Logan, Tony Flowers, Bonnie Rice, Michael Reed, Brenda Smulcer, Mandy Carlson, Dora Farmer, Jane Schmidt, Althea Sanders, Latricia Shirley, Wesley Dugger and Lloys Wiebe.

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#### Do I have to apply each year?

No. If you had a homestead exemption on your home in 1996, you won't need to reapply for 1997 unless your chief appraiser requires it. However, if you haven't received an exemption on your present home—or if you've moved to a new home—you'll need to file for an exemption for 1997. And if you turned 65 or became disabled during 1996, you need to file for the additional exemptions.

#### When and where should I file?

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James 5:16 "Confess your sins to each other and pray for each other so that you may be healed. The earnest prayer of a righteous person has great power and wonderful results.

Happy Birthday to Janet Stevens, Alan Hershman, Brady Hudson, Curt Duncan on March 2, Bob Finsterwald and Collin McCurley on March 3, Clara Beckel, Chuck Hartline, Larry Finsterwald and Mary Gorley on March 4, Iona May, Jewell Holloman, Donna Hawkins, Shawn Zybach and Katie Nichols on March 5, Brandon Finsterwald and Ann Jones on March 6, Laura Vandever and Trisha Hand on March 7, Carrie Zumstein, Hayden Hartsfield, Ryan May, Cathy Miller and Velma Forbes on March 8.

Happy Anniversary to Steve and Samie Corse on March 4 and Mike and Sherry Wash on March 7.

Next Sunday night March 2 will be Sunday night sing at Gageby Church at 6:00 p.m. Guests expected. Supper and fellowship following. Ya'll come! Evelyn Meek in charge.

Jewell Holloman will be having a birthday March 5 and would appreciate cards from friends and relatives. Send to Jewell Holloman % Stan Pollack, 4604 Copperwood, Glenarm, Maryland 21057. Jewell and Stan are both recovering from broken legs. Pray for them and Jean.

Nice to visit with Ina Mae Brotherton on the phone. She is doing pretty

Rita Pearson and Amanda Shields went to Canyon Saturday to go to the basketball game between WTAMU and Abilene Christian girls for the Conference Title. WT won and are ranked 3rd in the nation. A good game. After the game, a football boy proposed to his girl at half court with flowers, etc.

Rita cooked up lots of homemade goodies to take to Dallas and Lindsey. With school and jobs they don't get home much.

David Pearson, Scott Luttrell and Chuck Hartline went to Lufkin Sunday to bring back some donated items for the Briscoe Fire Dept. Others may have gone. Thank you for your trouble.

Cathy Hunt is home since her back surgery and doing pretty well. She has to wear a brace kinda like an oldfashioned corset. Kelley Swift has been staying some with her while her family is working. Hope you are soon O. K., Cathy

Larry and Vickey Nelson went to Amarillo Sunday to the "Make a Wish" Car Show and ate at Gardski's for a nice day out.

We enjoyed Miami Senior Citizens supper and games Monday night. Win or lose, its always fun and good food and friendly people. P. and Martha Meek and Doyle and Beulah Grimes also went. 4 tables 42, one of Canasta and one of Chicken Foot.

Nice to have Ethel and Marion Grimes join us for supper at Wheeler Dairy Queen Tuesday night to celebrate Ethel's birthday a little late and have a good visit. Some others there were Fay Farrar (we are so sorry about Melvin's death), Jackie (Mrs. Kerry) Moore with sons Kaleb and Jim Reed, Bill and Vera Brickey, Candy Hilburn and Brian Moran, Hiram Whitener, Good to visit with everyone.

Nice to visit with Joy Davis and Pete and Margaret Gilmer at Furr's in Pampa Tuesday. A rig is going up across the road north from Gilmers. All they expect to get out of it is the noise. It's a little too early to go fishing on the coast and visit Keith and Ann and Natalie and Jessica. Natalie is a senior this year. Congratulations!

Fort Elliott Seniors are planning a Little Dribblers Tournament for March 13, 14, 15 to help fund their trip this

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year. That's always fun to watch. So Meadows being a good neighbor. He mark your calendar. brought her some quail, all dressed, and frequently brings fish are other "The God who governs galaxies And makes the thunder roar goodies.

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With safety to the shore."-Daily

Sincere sympathy to family and

friends of Clarence Walser, 85, in his

death Thursday Feb. 20. He was a

hard working man as long as he was

able, nearly till his death. Large crowd

Nice to have our son Danny and

Chris Fillingim come for lunch Thurs-

day and spend the day. We managed

some naps and 42, also, and fish

supper at Maxeys. Dan and Chris

also visited Leon and Vea Fillingim

Hopkins and Nellie Horton were eat-

ing at Maxeys. Also Kent and Angie

Ware, Thomas and Martha Helton

Canyon with Lindsey Fillingim. They

Keri Nelson spent last weekend at

J. P. and Martha Meek visited Don

and Cindy Hartsfield and Hayden and

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and played dominoes.

and a large group.

had fun.

Jennifer Maddox's hamp pig survived two sifts to get to be in the Houston Stock Show. Jimmy and Tammy and Jennifer were leaving Monday to go to Houston for her to show her pig. Congratulations on getting to go. Hope you win. Some people from Follett took the pig with theirs. Amber was staying with Grandma Georgia. She's had an ear infection. Pray for Amber.

So sorry to hear that Houston Rose died suddenly Monday. He had had a heart attack a few years ago. He was a younger brother to Willa, Vea and Elton Fillingim and had lived in South Dakota many years and raised a large family. Sincere sympthaty to the fam-

Getting together at Thurman and Bobbye Horns for visiting and Mexican pile on were Dennis and Brenda Hefley and Nathan and Tera, Justin Wesbrooks, Keith and Tyna Horn and Larry Lee, Megan and Sarah and Bobbye and Thurman.

Jodie Crownover from Amarillo visited Charles and Lajo Crownover and Londa and Terri Sunday.

Evelyn Meek attended the Seminar at First Baptist Church Saturday for Sunday School teachers at Wheeler.

Willa Fillingim went to Wheeler for therapy on her shoulder Monday. Later she went to Pampa to the dermatoligist.

Ed and Laurel Hershman visited E. G. and Willa awhile Saturday. Ernest Ortega also visited the Fillingims one day and brought some sculptures he had whittled of a long-horned cow and a sheep.

Nice to eat lunch at the Wheeler Dairy Queen Sunday with Ed and Laurel Hershman and hear some about their trip. Also visited with Tony Griffin and Doretta Moore, Mary Margaret Dodd, Alvern Hutchison, Elva Wood and Irene Rogers.

Bryan and Caaron Parker from Altus were weekend visitors to Aaron and Claudetta Laverty. Nice to have them out to Gageby Church.

Don't forget R. H. and Betty Dyson's family invite all friends and relatives to their 50th wedding anniversary Saturday March 1 from 2-4 at First United Methodiest Church in Pampa. Congratulations you two!

Jocelyn Meek visited neighbor Theresa Trimble Saturday and enjoyed riding a horse and playing with

Jocelyn also spent Monday night with Grandma Evelyn Meek. "Smile, God loves you."

Dan and Chris finished a pipe line near Kingfisher, Oklahoma and will be heading to a job near Houston very soon. Pray for them.

We are all so thankful for the wonderful slow rain all Wednesday night and Thursday. Most people got an inch or more. Roads are mushy, but worth it to have the rain.

Nice to have Homer Sanders and Edna May join us for supper at Maxeys Saturday night for a good visit. They came out and played 80 awhile. Also at Maxeys were Chad and Eva Morgan and Amanda and Steven from San Leon with Shawn and Daphne Zybach and Alexis and Zane. The Morgans spent the weekend with the Zybachs.

Jim and Kay Batton with Steven Batton and children at Maxeys.

Richard and Carol Kiker, Gary and Linda Hall, Joe and Mary Alice Weatherly with Nancy and girls at Maxeys.

Beulah Grimes and three sisters made a party out of a doctor's ap-

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pointment at Amarillo Monday. They ate Chinese food and did lots of visiting. Betty Talley from Miami picked up Beulah Grimes; they went to White Deer and got Audrey Alexander and then on to Amarillo to get Mary Sue Stephenson. They had fun.

Leonard and Bertha Hollis are expected back to Texas soon for a visit with friends for awhile we've missed

Rosalie Keelin left early Tuesday to go with Wynell Waldo to take her mom, Leuella Albrecht to Mont Belview to visit Gary and Dale Waldo and Rachel and Britt. Grandma Leuella, 89, wanted to see Gary and family before she took a plane back to Phoenix. Rosalie spent a few days with Joey and Risa Keelin and Mathew at Pasadena. Rosalie and Leuella are such good friends for many years. Some others who visited at Joey's were, Frankie and Darrell Atherton from Willis, Texas, Anthoney and Dawn Flemming and John and Lee. Cindy Keelin, Ashley Hammerly, Jason and Christy Draper and Anika

Hershman Trip

Wynell and Rosalie drove back Sunday. It was a wonderful trip, but Rosalie was a bit tired on Monday. Rosalie visited Gene and Norma Keelin Sunday night and ate supper before coming home, and visited them

Ed and Laurel Hershman got back Friday night from a fantastic vacation trip. We missed them. They drove 4006 miles, very little interstate roads. By boat 90 miles to Freeport, Bahamas and 90 miles back. They visited many relatives and a few friends, walked beaches, saw lots of country and had a good time. They also went to Epcot center and explored the Bahamas. They waded a little, but water too cold for swiming. Some they visited were three of Gay Rose Andler's girls. They visited Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Sitts, Lafayette, Louisiana, Donald and Eda Bynum, Pascagoula, Mississippi, William Wade and Annette Newman, Panama City, Florida, Mr. and Mrs. Doran Calvert, Ellenton, Florida, Mr. and Mrs. John Mount, Siesta Key, Florida, Joe and Anna Dell Myers, Reddington Beach, Florida, Connie Cutrer, Ft. Lauderdale, Florida, Mr. and Mrs. Jeff Talley, Palm City, Florida, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Liner, St. Augustine, Florida, Mr. and Mrs. Phillip Messer, Mobile, Alabama and Evelyn Free,

Brenda's 50th Birthday A large crowd of friends and rela-

back. They were gone 16 days.

Tyler, Texas. So good to have them

tives gathered at the Irish Inn at Shamrock Saturday night to celebrate Brenda Childress' 50th birthday with visiting and snacking. Congratulations, Brenda! Some there were Kenneth Childress and Brandon and Casey, Tammy Jo Thompson and Shaylie from Pampa, Drayton and Donna Childress and Ken from Amarillo, Fat and Wanda Childress, Scott and Kay Luttrell and Susie, Clyde and Jane Dukes and Jackie, Pat Childress and Amanda, Cathy and Melvin Hunt, Shelly and Shawn Hunt, Kimberly Winter, Dean Brown, Kathy Knibbs, Clay and Donna Walser, Gayle Knight and Chad, Jamey Walker, Chad's friend, Dean and Lacy Hathaway and Aspen and Cole, Kevin and Kathy Frankenbery, Kim and Fred Goad, Ann Cook, Dianna and Skeet Johnson, Joey and Carolyn Sabbe, Brady and Sarah Meadows, Maggie Marshall, Margie Meadows, Doneta Dollar, Tuan and Chris Herrell, Tera Herrell from Amarillo, Jerry Bob and Judy Jernigan, Carmen Wagoner and Andrea, Teresa Rose from Colorado. Jenna and Amanda Cox, Ralph and Mae Herrell, Susan and Mike Headley and Andrew, Rita Herrell, Larry Thomason from Garden City, Kansas, Becky and Bobby Quint, Missy and Mark. Baier decorations were in black. The kids enjoyed swimming.

#### LIBRARY NEWS

"God be with you till we meet again."

We had a very busy week. We checked out 243 books and 10 hours were logged on the internet computer. Also we got some new books in and they are on the shelves and ready for your enjoyment.

Some of the new books are: "The

Bone Collector" by Deaver, "She's Come Undone" by Lamb, "Laws of Our Fathers" by Turow, "Total Control" by Baldacci, "Death is Now My Neighbor" by Dexter, "Sole Survivor" & by Koontz, "This Year Will Be Different" by Binchy and "Vendetta:Luck's Revenge" by Collins. Also we got new westerns: "Not Between Brothers" by Wilkinson, "Jason High Country" by Manning, "The Autumn of the Gun" by Compton, "Fandango" by Zimmer also "Bully" by Schutze (true story), "Almost Adam" by Popescu and "Chiefs" by Woods. We also replaced our dog obedience training book that was very worn out and we also got a book on the different breeds of dogs. In addition to these we also have: "Cow Country", "The Ranch", "Coyote", "Ghost Towns of Texas" and "A Field Guide to Cows". Our big order of 48 books should arrive the first of the week. David Britt came to see us with

several sacks. He donated 20 videos, this makes 58 military videos that David has donated. We bet we have the biggest war video collection of any small library in Texas. Thank you David for donating these. We appreciate you. We need to remind our patrons to

please bring your library card with you when you come to check out a book, if you have lost your card, we will be glad to issue you another one. We really need to see your card when you check out a book. This will help to keep our records correct. Thank you for your cooperation on this.

As always we welcome all donations and memorials that any one may wish to give. Any videos that your family have grown tired of we would welcome. So remember us when you begin to spring house clean:

That's all for this week. Treat yourself to a good book this week, come see us, we've got some just waiting to give you great reading enjoyment. By the library staff

**Hospital Notes** 

New Admissions Renita Holland W. C. Peace 2-21 Lonetta Young 2-22 **Red Meadows** 2-23 Dismissals Beckey Zybach 2-17 Bud Simpson 2-19

7:00 P.M.

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OWNER: BOB McCAIN 

WHEELER COUNTY, TEXAS RECEIPTS AND DISBURSEMENTS OF ALL FUNDS FOR THE FOUR MONTHS ENDED JANAURY 31, 1997

BALANCE

	10-01-96	FOR YEAR	RECEIPTS	FOR YEAR	01-31-97
ROAD & BRIDGE GENERAL	21630.84	220858.13	242488.97	143320.08	99168.89
PRECINCT #1	95972.23	27780.16	123752.39	30218.46	93533.93
PRECINCT #2	-8543.52	27024.46	18480.94	41194.90	-22713.96
PRECINCT #3	20265.05	26455.78	46720.83	32098.71	14622.12
PRECINCT #4	76676.36	26461.60	103137.96	26304.31	76833.65
HOT CHECK FUND	5967.75	1257.93	7225.68	1504.68	5721.00
HEALTH INSURANCE PLAN	7018.93	79652.21	86671.14	77316.52	9354.62
GENERAL FUND	251563.33	1314135.65	1565698.98	644383.73	921315.25
LATERAL ROAD-PRECT. #1	6136.14	68133.75	74269.89	21833.52	52436.37
LATERAL ROAD-PRECT. #2	89873.10	84231.25	174104.35	42357.80	131746.55
LATERAL ROAD-PRECT. #3	8283.16	50538.89	58822.05	32927.89	25894.16
LATERAL ROAD-PRECT. #4	1569.85	22841.11	24410.96	12526.59	11884.37
TOTALS	576413.22	1949370.92	2525784.14	1105987.19	1419796.95
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RECEIPTS

SUNDAY Wednesday THURSDAY MONDAY FRIDAY TUESDAY SATURDAY **FIRST STATE** CROSS CAR CENTER YLANDS Wheeler Banking Center BANK e 24 Hour PHARMACY OF MOBEETIE . 7:00 P.M. Wrecker Serv. 405 Alan Bean Mobeetie & Wheeler 109 East Texas - Wheeler · Auto Body Wheeler, TX Phone: 826-5561 Phone:826-5566 Repair **DOUBLE COUPONS** Wellington State Bank Phone: 806/826-5515 EVERYDAY Wellington, Texas Intersection Hwy. 152 & 83 Limit: 75c-\$1.00 \$1.00 Coupons: \$1.00 Wheeler, Member: F.D.LC. First Baptist Church Wheeler Lions Club 7:00 P.M. Wheeler Sr. Citizens Wheeler Senior Citizens Meth. Fellowship Hall 6:00 A.M. of Wheeler Sparlins **Blood Press. Clinic** . 1-5 P.M. Quilting . AF-AM Lodge .... Driver's License Trooper Wheeler Care Cr. ..... 3:00 P.M. 9-12 Noon Wheeler S. Citiz. ...... 6:00 P.M. Wheeler Courthouse ..... 9:00-4:00 H.S. Only ..... 7:00 P.M. W. Sr. Ctns Quilting . . 1-5 P.M. . 7:00 P.M. Mobeetie City Coun. .... 7:00 P.M. Old Mobeetle Ass'n. Horseman for Christ. Old Masonic Lodge Bldg. ..... 7:00 P.M. 7:00 P.M. Wheeler Fire Dept. ...... 7:00 P.M. At Wheeler I.S.D. H Mobeetle Fire Dept. .... 7:00 P.M. .. 12 Noon Kiwanis Wheeler Senior Citizens Shamrock Parade 9:00 A.M. First Baptist Church Wheeler Senior Citizens Wheeler Lions Club 1-5 P.M. Meth. Fellowship Hall Quilting of Allison . 1-5 P.M. 7:00 P.M. 6:00 A.M. Allison I.S.D. Bd. AF-AM Lodge .. ... 7:30 P.M. 7:00 P.M. Wheeler Care Cr. ..... 3:00 P.M. First Baptist Church ...... 10:00 A.M. American Legion ...... 7:30 P.M. Comm. Court ... Wheeler Care Ctr. ..... 2:30 P.M. ...... 7:00 P.M. Ft. Elliott I.S.D. Bd. ..... 7:00 P.M. Wheeler Vol. Fire Dept H.S. Only ..... 7:00 P.M. Kelton I.S.D Bd. ..... 7:30 P.M. Birthday Party (Care Ctr.) ..... 2:30 P.M Allison U.P. Wheeler Senior Citizens Quilting ...... 1-5 P.M. Wheeler Fire Dept. ...... 7:00 P.M. 7:00 P.M. First Baptist Church Wheeler Senior Citizens Wheeler Lions Club Meth. Fellowship Hall of Mobeetie Quilting 1-5 P.M. 6:00 A.M. Sparlins Drawing for ballot position on . .3:00 P.M. r I.S.D. Bd. ...... 6:30 P.M. Driver's License Trooper School Board Election Ballot LAST DAY to place name on . 7:00 P.M. Wheeler Courthouse..... 9:00-4:00 Theme Meal (Baked Potato) School Board Election Ballot Wheeler Care Ctr. 5:00 P.M. H.S. Only ..... 7:00 P.M. 24 Kiwanis ....... 12 Noon 23 180J ...... 7:00 P.M. 25 28 29

Wheeler Senior Citizens

Quilting ..... 1-5 P.M.

H.S. Only ..... 7:00 P.M.

Wheeler Senior Citizens

Quilting .....

Wheeler Lions Club

6:00 A.M.

Sparlins

AF-AM Lodge ..... 7:30 P.M.

Comm. Court ...... 10:00 A.M

Meth. Fellowship Hall

AF-AM Lodge ..... 7:30 P.M.

Kiwanis ...... 12 Noon

Court Records (from Page 4)

Bank and Trust Company to Charles

A. Brown, et al, 1-14-97, See Instru-OL-Bonnie Holt to G. H. Land Com-

pany, LLC, 1-2-97, N 1/2 Sec. 19, Blk. RE. Roberts & Eddleman Sur-

OL-Edna M. Boettger Trust, et al to G. H. Land Company, LLC, 1-6-97, S 1/2 Sec. 19, Blk. RE, Roberts & Eddleman Survey

OL-Dennis L. Holt to G. H. Land Company, LLC, 1-15-97, N 1/2 Sec. 19, Blk. RE, Roberts & Eddleman OL-Joe Dan Holt to G. H. Land

Company, LLC, 1-15-97, N 1/2 Sec. 19. Blk. RE. Roberts & Eddleman Survey

OL-Brady Meadows to G. H. Land Company, LLC, 1-13-97, N 1/2 Sec. 19, Blk. RE, Roberts & Eddleman Survey

OL-Stephen Meadows to G. H. Land Company, LLC, 1-13-97, N 1/2 Sec. 19. Blk. RE, Roberts & Eddleman

EXECUTOR OL-Damaris E. Holt to G. H. Land Company, LLC, 1-15-97, N 1/2 Sec. 19, Blk. RE, Roberts & Eddleman Survey. STIP OF INT-Kyle F. Thompson to

Edna M. Boettger Trust, et al, 1-16-97, S 1/2 Sec. 19, Blk. RE, Roberts & Eddleman Survey. STIP OF INT-Edna M. Boettger

Trust to Edna M. Boettger Trust, et al, 1-21-97, S 1/2 Sec. 19, Blk. RE, Roberts & Eddleman Survey. STIP OF INT-Mattie Bacon to Edna

M. Boettger Trust, et al, 1-27-97, S 1/ 2 Sec. 19, Blk. RE, Roberts & Eddleman Survey. STIP OF INT-Leroy Fuhrman, et al

to Edna M. Boettger Trust, et al, 1-21-97, S 1/2 Sec. 19, Blk. RE, Roberts & Eddleman Survey. POA-Kyle F. Thompson, et ux to

Olis G. Lauppe, 3-30-89, S 1/2 Sec. 19, Blk. RE, Roberts & Eddleman POA-Mattie A. Bacon to Olis G.

Lauppe, 4-10-89, S 1/2 Sec. 19, Blk. RE, Roberts & Eddleman Survey. POA—Edna M. Boettger, et al to Olis G. Lauppe, 1-21-97, S 1/2 Sec. 19, Blk. RE, Roberts & Eddleman Sur-

(from Page 2)

Sure is good to hear that Cathy Hunt is doing so well after her back surgery. Just have patience, Cathy. Don't try to do too much, too soon. Sure hope this surgery gives you a lot of relief after you heal. You're in

Good to hear Charlotte sounding pretty good. She's planning on staying close to the fire.

This cold, blustery weather, blowing in sure has set off the ol' arthritis. Earl Corse is back home at Dumas and doing quite well. He is still awfully weak but not in pain.

Carolyn and their daughter, Debbie are doing a fine job of keeping things going at the restaurant.

Sam, Amanda and Jayton Childress, Nancy Shelton, Tim and Sallie Adcock met Jackie Don's at Pampa Pizza Hut to celebrate Peyton's 4th birthday Thursday, Feb.

Pa and Nanny kept Jayton last weekend. Saturday night, 22nd, Jayton and Nanny and Pa went to Fritch to spend the night with Kellie. Don, Peyton and Shelton. Sunday, Don's came down to let the family check out the new pickup.

Debbie and her family did a good job of holding down the fort and keeping things going while Carolyn and Earl were in Amarillo.

Saturday, Carolyn and their youngest son, Kenny, from Dalhart came down for Uncle Clarence Walser's funeral. They had to go back soon after the graveside rites at Canadian.

Our prayers and concerns: Pierce and Nettie Walker, the Marshall family in the death of little Derrik, the family and friends of Clarence Walser, Peeler and Evelyn Haning, Maida Allen, Mack and Peggy Shelton, Audrey Seitz, Glen D. and Estelle Hodges, Doyle and Beulah Grimes, Alice Bailey, Edith McLaughlin, Wilbur Beck, Ernie Gordon, Oden and Lois Hudson, Cathy Hunt, Ray and Velma Forbes, the South family, Ariza and Anna Belle Corcoran, Geniva Hogan, Byron and Novelene Simpson, Tommy Forbes, Lester Leonard, Andy Eubanks, Jud and Lorene Rector, Doyle and Bulah Grimes, Doug and Doris Whaley, Earl and Carolyn Corse, the David Howard family, Jess and Deanna Mixon, Flora Mae Kelley, Charlotte Coward, Pauline Hooker, Bill and Pearl Darby, Lou Dick, Choice Scott, Tanya Stuart, Katie Richardson and Eddie Richardson. Hope ya'll have a great week.

Count your blessings.

POA-Leroy Fuhrman, et ux to Olis G. Lauppe, 1-22-97, S 1/2 Sec. 19, Blk. RE, Roberts & Eddleman Sur-

POA-David D. Fuhrman, et ux to Olis G. Lauppe, 1-20-97, S 1/2 Sec. 19. Blk. RE. Roberts & Eddleman

POA-Harley Fuhrman, et ux to Olis G. Lauppe, 1-21-97, S 1/2 Sec. 19, Blk. RE, Roberts & Eddleman Sur-

POA-Helen Rife, et vir to Olis G. Lauppe, 1-21-97, S 1/2 Sec. 19, Blk. RE, Roberts & Eddleman Survey. ASSIGN—Julia Lee Taubert Trust to Taubert Investment Company, Ltd., 2-4-97, See Instrument. D-Shawn S. School to Gail Knight,

2-11-97, Pt. Blk. 6, Wheeler. DT-Jay T. Godwin, et ux to Boatmen's First National Bank of Amarillo, 1-30-97, NW 1/4 Sec. 21, Blk. A-4, H&GN Ry. Company Sur-

AOL—Dale Reese to Dave Reese, 1-

31-97, See Instrument. District Clerk's Filings: #10362-The State of Texas vs. \$99.77, 2-6-97, Seizure. #10363-The State of Texas vs.

\$223.48 and one Motorola Pager, 2-6-97, Seizure. #10364—First Bank & Trust of Shamrock, Texas vs. Buck Bass, aka

Wayland F. Bass, 2-6-97. #10365—Ft. Elliott Consolidated ISD vs. Tommie R. Wider as Heir of the Olen Earl Banks Estate, 2-10-97,

#10366-Joyce Hogge, et al vs. Frederick Alan Clayton, et al, 2-10-

#10367—In the Matter of Marriage of Lloyd Herbert Vanwinkle, Jr., & Dra Mae Kleinschmidt, 2-10-97, Waiver. #10368—Gladys Marie Menefield vs. Calvin Lee Menefield, 2-11-97, Di-

Honor Roll (from Page 1)

Jones, Jansen Moore. 4th GRADE: All A's: Rachel Howard, Landon Sams, Cameron Burton, Saharay Barboza.

A-B: Lindsey Lewis, Jarrod Haning, Savannah Hampton, Savanna Shipp, Amanda Bond, Jandie Taylor, Yuri Soto, J. D. Cole.

5th GRADE: All A's: James

A-B: Eun Jung Lee, Josh Miller, Megan Ford, Joe Meraz, Randy Ford, Karry Fite, Joe Don Glassey, Joe Salas, Brad Masters, Junior Newman. All B's: Blanca Emiliano.

6th GRADE: All A's: Cassi Brown, Trever Burton, Benjamin Howard, Drew Emmert, Lyndi Finsterwald, Christopher Lay.

A-B: Rachel Bass, Joshua Bryant, Nicole Copeland, Christopher Gallagher, James Kuntz, Amy Osborne, Tyler Lewis, Keri Marion, Tanner McWhorter, Hadley Mitchell, Dagan Moore, Tristan Rose.

7th GRADE: All A's: Jacob Britt. A-B: Dwight Arganbright, Shelby Brown, Cody Case, Raymond Gentry, Natasha Stribling, Taylor Hudgins, Gavin McQueen, Lauren Sams, Christopher Simmons.

8th GRADE: All A's: Lacey Bryant, Caleb Finsterwald, Ivan Guerra, Megan Hampton, Ana Salas.

A-B: Jordan Emmert, Bobbi Gentry, Bret Goad, Kelby Ledbetter, Tina McWhorter, Rachel Riemer, Jotana Simmons, Donald Phipps.

9th GRADE: All A's: Sandy Bradstreet, Lynn Holland, Lauren

A-B: Craig Bass, Brooks Brown, Casey Childress, Ben Dollar, Jennifer Haning, Haley Hipkin, J. J. Johnson, Kara Keelin, Darin Kuntz, Kristen Lee, Shea Lewallen, Steve Marshall, Lorena Martinez, Kyle Masters, Rebekah Morrison, Brooke-Verden, Nic Ware, Lynna Watson.

10th GRADE: All A's: Ben Britt, Keenan Burton, Drew Hillhouse, Jennifer Shepard.

A-B: Aaron Dunnam, Kara Emmert, Rebecca Gentry, Matt Hampton, Angela Jolly, Michael Jones, Kristen Marion, Alli Moore, Lacey Smith, Teresa Soto, Rachel Stiles, Valerie Watson.

11th GRADE: All A's: Andy Bradstreet, B. J. Carpenter, Griselda Salas, Benny Sword.

A-B: Paul Arganbright, Charla Carr, Lee Green, Mike Johnson, Bryan Judd, Jorge Salas, Sally Smith, Rhonda Stevens, Ashley Ware. 12th GRADE: All A's: Monty Long.

A-B: Kalli Bradstreet, Charles Gentry, Mika Goad, Dean Hutchison, Ramon Meraz.

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January 1, 1997

The Wheeler County Commissioners Court met in Special Session with Judge Wendell Morgan presiding. Members present were: Tommy Puryear, Hubert Moore and Boyd Hiltbrunner, Commissioners precincts 2, 3 and 4, respectively. Absent was Kenneth Childress, Commissioner Precinct No. 1. Also present was Margaret Dorman-County Clerk.

Boyd Hiltbrunner made a motion which was seconded by Tommy Puryear to approve the bonds for the following duly elected officials: Kenneth Childress, Joe Montgomery, Jimmy Adams, Steven R., Emmert, Hubert Moore, Jerry Bob Jernigan and Jerry Hefley. Motion carried

Adams and Hubert Moore.

Margaret Dorman, County Clerk Wendell Morgan, County Judge January 13, 1997

ers Court met in Regular Session with Judge Wendell Morgan presiding. Members present were: Kenneth Childress, Tommy Puryear, Hubert Moore and Boyd Hiltbrunner, Commissioners precincts 1, 2, 3, and 4, respectively. Also present were: Margaret Dorman-County Clerk; Ron Gowdy-County Auditor; Jimmy Adams-Sheriff; Steven Emmert-

Court was opened with a prayer

Approval of Minutes Boyd Hiltbrunner made a motion which was seconded by Hubert Moore to approve the minutes from the December 9th and 23rd, 1996 and the January 1, 1997 Court meetings as

written. Motion carried unanimously. Approval of Hourly Employee Time Sheets

carried unanimously.

Motion carried unanimously.

Reports

to accept the Justice of Peace reports and Guy Hardin-\$20,693.35. Motion carried unanimously.

Wheeler Fire Department-Funding

No action taken. Appointment of County Histori-

to appoint the following Wheeler

mously. Pakan, Nan Reeves, and Mrs. and

ance Committee

Mrs. George Walker.

to appoint Steven Emmert as the representative for Wheeler County to **ELECTRONIC TAX FILING** 

## January Commissioners Meetings

Approval of Bonds

unanimously. Swearing-In Of Elected Officials The following elected officials were sworn in: Joe Montgomery, Jerry Bob Jernigan, Steven R. Emmert, Jimmy

The Wheeler County Commission-County Attorney

Kenneth Childress made a motion which was seconded by Hubert Moore to approve the hourly employee time sheets as submitted. Motion carried

Approval of Bills for Payment Tommy Puryear made a motion which was seconded by Hubert Moore to pay the bills as submitted and found listed in Volume 10 of the Minutes of Accounts Allowed. Motion

R.O.W.-Don Sanders and others Don Sanders met with the Court to discuss to possibility of granting a right of way to Wheeler County across property that he owns.

Hubert Moore made a motion which was seconded by Kenneth Childress to accept the right of way from Don Sanders for a 40' class B road, 1/4 mile long and in Section 73 Block 23.

Acceptance of Justice of Peace

Boyd Hilbrunner made a motion which was seconded by Hubert Moore as follows: Doyle Ramsey-\$527.50

Law Enforcement Contract-Wheeler County and City of Wheeler No action taken.

Tommy Puryear made a motion which was seconded by Hubert Moore County citizens to serve on the County Historical Committee, subject to their acceptance. Motion carried unani-

Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Bachman, Naomi Blakemore, Mr. and Mrs. David Britt, Mr. and Mrs. Ken Daughtry, Margaret Dorman, Mr. and Mrs. Wallace Fields, Mr. and Mrs. Milton Gierhart, Mr. and Mrs. Harrison Hall, Mr. and Mrs. Dean Tipps, Joan Green, Sallie Harris, Durlene Hawkins, Louise Hogan, Mrs. Michael Jackson, Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Johnson, Ada Lou Lester, Minnie

Appointment Of Salary Griev-

Kenneth Childress made a motion which was seconded by Tommy Puryear to appoint Richard Lee Smith, Glen Waldo and Rebecca Blackburn to serve as a Salary Grievance Committee for Wheeler County. Their names were drawn from the list of Grand Jurors currently serving for Wheeler County. Motion carried unanimously. Water Board Representative Ap-

Boyd Hiltbrunner made a motion which was seconded by Hubert Moore

Board. Motion carried unanimously.

Sheriff Jimmy Adams met with the Court to discuss salary adjustments for four of his employees. The requested amount was submitted in his budget for the 1996-1997 year.

Boyd Hiltbrunner. Abstaining-Kenneth Childress. Motion carried.

Diesel bids were submitted from Jones Fuel for 92 cents per gallon and J. R. Oil Co. for 82.7 cents per gallon, and James R. Tindall-98 cents

Courthouse closings for 1997 Tommy Puryear made a motion which was seconded by Hubert Moore to set the following closings for the 1997 year. Motion carried unani-

January 1-Wednesday-New

March 28—Friday.—Good Friday May 26-Monday-Memorial Day July 4—Friday—Independence

November 11—Tuesday—Veter-

day—Thanksgiving December 24, 25, 26-Wednes-

day, Thursday, Friday—Christmas

January 27, 1997 The Wheeler County Commissioners Court met in Special Session with Judge Wendell Morgan presiding. Members present were: Kenneth Childress, Tommy Puryear, Hubert Moore and Boyd Hiltbrunner, Commissioners precincts 1, 2, 3 and 4 respectively. Also present were: Margaret Dorman-County Clerk; Jimmy Adams-Sheriff; Jerry Hefley-County Tax Collector and Steven Emmert-County Attorney.

Approval Of Hourly Time Sheets Hubert Moore made a motion which was seconded by Tommy Puryear to pay the hourly employees according to their approved time sheets. Motion carried unanimously.

Approval Of Bills For Payment Tommy Puryear made a motion which was seconded by Boyd Hiltbrunner to pay the bills as listed in volume 10 of the Minutes of Accounts Allowed in the County Clerks office. Motion carried unanimously.

Law Enforcement Contract-City of

Boyd Hiltbrunner made a motion which was seconded by Tommy Puryear to enter into a Law Enforcement Contract with the City of Wheeler for the year beginning January 1, 1997 and continuing through December 31, 1997. The contract includes a

3% increase. (Contract is available in the Commission Court Records)

Interlocal Agreement-Gray County-Mental Health Services

Boyd Hiltbrunner made a motion which was seconded by Hubert Moore to enter into the following Interlocal Agreement with Gray County for Mental Health Hearing services. Motion carried unanimously. (Agreement is availabe in the Com-

mission Court Records)

Martha Helton Salary Adjusted-Tax Jerry Hefley, Tax Collector, re-

quested that the salary of Martha Helton be adjusted to \$1,474.38 per month effective January 1, 1997. Kenneth Childress made a motion which was seconded by Hubert Moore

to adjust the salary of Martha Helton

to \$1,474.38 per month, effective January 1, 1997. Motion carried unanimously

Cleta Riley Salary Adjusted-Tax

Jerry Hefley, Tax Collector, requested that the salary of Cleta Riley be adjusted to \$1,434.38 per month, effective January 1, 1997.

Kenneth Childress made a motion which was seconded by Hubert Moore to adjust the salary of Cleta Riley to \$1,434.38 per month, effective January 1, 1997. Motion carried unani-

Teddy Pope Salary Adjusted-Precinct No.3

Hubert Moore made a motion which was seconded by Tommy Puryear to adjust the salary of Teddy Pope to \$1,833.91 per month, effective January 1, 1997. Motion carried unani-

#### IMMUNIZATION CLINIC An immunization clinic sponsored

by the Shamrock Hospital Health Outreach Services will be held Thursday, March 6, 1997, from 10: a.m. until 2:00 p.m. in the Wheeler ISD Auditorium. The following immunizations will be available: DTP, Oral Polio, Measles, Mumps, Rubella, HIB, Td, and Hepatitis. TB tests will be They will be charging a fee to pay

for the cost of the vaccines. Please bring Medicaid card if applicable. No one will be refused treatment regardless of income, Each child MUST be accompanied by a parent or legal guardian. Please

bring immunization records if pos-

sible. This clinic is open to all individu-

Hospice is a way of providing care wherever a patient is - at home, hospital or nursing home.

We had our February meeting on the third at the Methodist church,

involved with in Pampa. We had two girls Valerie Watson

two girls coming.

THE WHEELER TIMES
PAGE 7—Thursday, February 27, 1997

Silent partners to cow/calf producers in Wheeler County are shielding

livestock while increasing profits. Livestock windbreaks, multiple rows of evergreen and deciduous trees and shrubs, are increasing cattle weight gains and reducing mortality rates by buffering cattle from harsh weather conditions, according to Robert Fewin, Texas Forest Service (TFS) area forester, Lubbock. During winter months, cattle hidden in a "L" or "U" shaped multiple row windbreak are allowed to utilize their energy to continue gaining weight rather than expending it to keep warm. And as a result, the amount of feed afforded by the producer is reduced as well.

These living cattle shelters also provide livestock shade during the hot summer months.

Three to four row windbreaks containing two rows of evergreens and a windward side shrub row will enhance the overall performance of the break, Fewin said. Depending on the number of cattle using the barrier, the planting should be at least 750 to

1,000 feet in length. M&F Feedlot owners and operators, Frosty and Margaret Freese of Plainview, planted two livestock windbreaks, a three and four row break, to prevent a repeat of the past and prepare for their future in cattle.

"Blowing snow out of the northwest blinded our cattle for three to four days. We had to do something if we were going to be in the cattle business," said Frosty Freese, who along with his wife Margaret, feed Holstein replacement heifers, Holstein calves,

mother cows, and steers in their

feedyard.

To ensure maximum performance from a livestock windbreak it is essential that it be fenced in from the cattle, according to Fewin. He said fencing prevents cattle from browsing and breaking the lower branches and compacting the soil over the tree roots, which can result in tree mortal-

The partnership between the windbreak and the producer is not limited to livestock protection. Depending on the species planted, these living fences provide recreation as well. For example, evergreen rows of Eastern redcedar concerted with a shrub row of nanking cherry create habitat attracting wildlife for the hunter or the observer. And if planted near a water supply will often sustain wildlife populations.

"Trees added to the beauty. They're good place for cattle to get in the shade and good for game," said a Hutchinson County landowners, Wes Balentine. Balentine owns a four row livestock windbreak north of Stinnett.

To create a livestock windbreak this Spring, seedlings, produced by the TFS West Texas Nursery, are available for order through Wheeler County Soil and Water Conservation District. Order quickly. Inventory is limited and planting season is approaching. For more information contact your local district or for assistance in designing and planting a multiple row livestock windbreak contact the TFS WTN at (806) 746-5801.

In our great-grandparents' time, birth and death were commonplace in the family home and accepted as natural events.

With time and the advance of medicine, birth and death were transplanted to a new and often strange and intimadating environment the modern hospital, where family members were merely guests and control rested with unknown health profes-

While acknowledging the many benefits of modern medicine, a group of clergy, healthcare workers and other thoughtful people began wondering in the 1970s whether these advances, by depriving the natural dying process of its family ties, hadn't also robbed it of its dignity. Out of their concerns hospice care was born in the United States, and the natural process of dying was retunred to the

Hospice has experienced extraordinary growth since then, with nearly 2,500 hospices now serving people in every state of the union and the District of Columbia.

Bringing death out into the open

and making sickness and loss a time of sharing and remembrance is difficult. And while the hospice experience may not be for everyone, those who choose hospice find the specialness of caring for a loved one and the richness of sharing memories of youth, trials and joys a rewarding experience never to be forgotten. Dame Cicely Saunders (founder of

the first modern hospice, in London in 1968) summed up the hospice philosophy best when she told her pa-"You matter to the last moment of

your life, and we will do all we can, not only to help you die peacefully, but to live until you die."

What Hospice Is Not 1. Hospice is not a place, like a hospital.

2. Hospice is not a place to send people to die. Hospice is not a "death bed" service for people in the last 48 hours

4. Hospice is not a place to send dying patients so they won't have to know what is happening to them. 5. Hospice is not a place to send

dying patients to get them out of the Hospiace is not for everyone. Hospice is not just for cancer

Hospice is not a resignation to hopelessness and helplessness. Hospice is not a substitute for

the family or the family's care. 10. Hospice is not expensive. What Hospice Is

Hospice is a way of helping people to live out the remaining time of their

#### ARC of Texas-Wheeler **Reports February Meeting**

members present were Shirley Tindol, Dell and Mary Ford and Christie Jones. We were happy to have Kim Moore come, this was her first meeting. Kim had a lot to contribute to the meeting, telling the group about special olympics that her son Jarrett is

and Wendy Umsted take care of the nursery. We really do appreciate these We discussed Jeff Tate coming in

April to talk with the Kiwanas. Dell stated that Mr. Holland at the school has given approval for Jeff to do a transition training workshop with coordinators at the school on that same date. Jeff Tate is the ARC of Texas Chapter Services Coordinator. Our next meeting will be held on

March 3 at the Methodist church at

6:00 p.m. Anyone interested is wel-

comed to attend.

lives with as much comfort and dignity as possible. Hospice is a comprehensive care program for patients and families which emphasizes quality of life and

is the most effective during the final

Hospice is a care system based

six months of life expectancy.

upon the right of people to know accurately and honestly what is happening to them so they can choose how they want to spend the precious remaining amount of time in the most purposeful and meaningful way consistent with their wishes and needs. Hospice is a care system which is

committed to the provision of support to patients and families to help families deal with the stress of caring for a dying member, and to assist families through the time of bereavement. Hospice is a system of care which is chosen by some patients and fami-

lies because it helps them meet their own goals and is consistent with their values and concerns. Hospice is available to patients of any age, race, sex, or religion who

have a disease in its final stages.

Hospice is a way to deal realisti-

cally and humanely with one of the

great challenges of human life, and offers new perspectives on hope and help to patients and families. Hospice is a family-oriented program which helps families to care for their loved ones in their place of resi-

dence, and provides institutional

backup as needed. Hospice is an alternative system which emphasizes cost-savings by keeping the patient at home, cared for by the family. Medicare and many private insurance companies provide reimbursement for services, and no patient is ever denied care because

#### of inability to pay. Reliv Introduces New **Breakthrough Product**

International (NASDAQ:RELV), a marketer of highquality nutritional supplements, introduces Arthaffect TM, a revolutionary product for the nation's 40 million people with serious joint problems and 50 million athletes subject to joint problems.

The product contains Arthred TM, which has been proven effective as a treatment in Germany for thousands of sufferers with a variety of joint problems. More than \$10 million in clinical trials have proven the effectiveness of Arthred, Arthaffect's patented ingredient, in fighting degenerative joint conditions. Arthaffect is available in the United

States through Reliv International. "There remains no known cure for arthritis," Dr. Carl W. Hastings, Reliv Executive Vice President, stresses. "Traditional products on the market

simply treat the symptoms, such as

pain, and often provide side effects.

In stark contrast, Arthaffect is a functional food that focuses on the source of the problems. It is the ideal method for caring for joints and fighting problems associated with degenerative joint conditions, all with no known side effects. For several years, Arthred has been widely used by thousands of arthritis suffferers and athletes in Germany, where the protein-based substance

has been the subject of double-blind,

parallel group clinical trials by some

of Europe's leading researchers. Involving hundreds of participants suffering from joint pain, stiffness, weakness, sensitivity to cold weather, exercise pain, fatigue, night pain, swelling, etc., the studies demonstrated significant improvement in each area among those whose daily regimen included 7 to 10 grams of Arthred, Improvement generally is

tration has approved a protocol for a the effects of Arthred on inint

noticed in one to three months. The U. S. Food and Drug Adminis-

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Sheriffs Department-Salary Adjust-

Tommy Puryear made a motion which was seconded by Hubert Moore to allow the following adjustments: Patricia Childress-\$100.00 per month increase; Kathleen Frankenbery-\$100.00 per month increase; James Hubble-\$100.00 per month increase; Carolyn Sabbe-\$100.00 per month increase and Carrie Gaines-\$100.00 per month increase. The increases will be effective January 1, 1997. Motion carried unanimously. Voting For-Tommy Puryear, Hubert Moore and

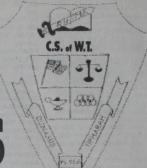
Diesel Bids Accepted

Boyd Hiltbrunner made a motion which was seconded by Hubert Moore to accept the bid from J. R. Oil Co., Kelton for 82.7 cents per gallon for all four precincts. The period covered will be January 16, 1997 through April 15, 1997. Motion carried unanimously.

Day September 1-Monday-Labor Day

November 27, 28-Thursday, Fri-

# CHRISTIAN SCHOOL of WEST TEXAS



BASKETBALL TEAMS

The LADY KNIGHTS won
TEXAS CHRISTIAN ATHLETIC LEAGUE
STATE BASKETBALL CHAMPIONSHIP
GOOD LUCK KNIGHTS at the
ALL-STAR GAMES this weekend

The following businesses & individuals offer thier Congratulations:

After Hours Video—Glen's Barber Shop Albert's Shamrock

Albert & Hannah, Von, Sindy & Family Appearances

Arrow Water Well Service,

Jerry & Barbra Koelzer

Dave & Mary Britt,

Benjamin, Jacob & Joshua

David & Paula Britt

Lewis, Jennie, Jeff & Tom Britt

Brown's V. & S. Variety,

Robert & Dena Brown

Burton Ford-Mercury, Inc.

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Dr. Robert G. Galutia & Staff
H. & R. Block—Jim & Beth Alvey
Harrison & Berniece Hall
Heritage Beef Cattle Co.
Ronnie, Sherri, Tracey & Paige Jones
Charles Kuntz, C.P.A.

L. & F. Repair
Gail & Sally Ledbetter,
Joe Dan, Bobbie, Jarrod & Kelby
Maxey's Steakhouse
McCain's Auto Body
Joe & Cathy Montgomery,
Rachael & Michael
Adrian & Dorothy Risner
Thurman & Jane Rives

Bill & VonEva Robertson
Bobby, Shelly & Chris Shubert
Richard & Lynda Wallace
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Wheeler TV System
Wright Funeral Home,
Jim & Sharon, David, Marci & Taylor
Speedi-Mart
Wheeler Co. Farm Bureau

Shear Delight,
Tina Lee, Melody Goad & Melinda Landsberger
Mark & Annette Meek, Caleb & Jocelyn
Michael & Laura Nell Mong



LADY KNIGHTS: (back row, l. to r) Coach Ken Brittain, Suzy Galutia, Junita Rose, Heather Dean\*, Rachell Landsberger, Melissa Lay, (front row) Stephanie Forgay, Bridget Chandler, Mary Ann Hall\* and Sharisa Mong\*.

\* Denotes Individuals Named as All-Stars



KNIGHTS: (back row, 1 to r) Jared Brittain, Jim Kirkpatrick, Clayton Smith, Eric Laughlin\*, (front row) Kyle Zybach\*, Jorge Vaquera, Shaun Downey, Marcos Vaquera and Matt Landsberger.

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Kerry & Jackie Moore Eric & Pauline Zybach Michael, Debra & Mary Ann Hall Pastor Vic & Robin Porter Randy, Anita & Chace Horton Ken & Sue Brittain Chandler Emu Products, Brad & Sue Chandler Jimmy & Patsy Dean Roy & Marki Laughlin Glen & Cyndi Turvaville Sergio &Esmeralda Vaquera, Jorge & Marcos Mark & Danna Wilbourn Jimmy, Marie, Stephanie & Jason Adams Sarwar, Stacy & Mason Mansoor

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Larry, Claudine, Kristi & Ike Finsterwald
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David & Kathleen Cross
Frankenbery Service, Inc.—Bob & Valetta
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Dr. Louie, Gina, Vincent, Stacy & Rocky Mendiola

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Billy & Tobytha Wiggins & Phillip
Eastern Panhandle Insurance Agency
Sparlin's Restaurant—Glen & Faye
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The General Store,
Dwayne & Bobbie Sue Baker

Thriftway Supermarket,
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Lee, Pam, Michael & Joannie

Marshall Discount Auto—Darrell, Maggie,
Steve & Mechelle, Mark, Mack & Mariah

**Dr. Mike Smith**, Mike, Jenny, Kristin & Lacy Smith