

LIT. CRIT. TEAM WINS STATE

CHARLES GENTRY PLACES IN SCIENCE COMPETITION

Seven students representing Wheeler High School traveled, with their coaches, to compete in the annual UIL Academic State Meet, held at the University of Texas at Austin.

The Literary Criticism Team of Monty Long, Ben Britt, Lacey Smith, and Drew Hillhouse (alt.) brought home the title of State Champions for Class A. Monty Long also placed 4th individually. The Literary Criticism Team is coached by Sue Bentley.

Charles Gentry earned 3rd place overall in the Science competition, placing 2nd in the biology portion as well. Charles is coached by Jenny Smith.

Lynn Holland advanced from the preliminary round of Poetry Interpretation to earn fifth place in the finals. Lynn is coached by Becky Hardcastle and Rhonda Blanchard.

FIRST IN STATE: Wheeler's Literary Criticism team proudly displays their first place plaque they received Saturday after they competed at the state level of the U.I.L. academic competition. The team took first place honors with 214 points. Shown are: (l. to r.) Ben Britt, Lacey Smith, Mrs. Bentley (coach) Drew Hillhouse (Alternate) and Monty Long. Individually, Monty placed fourth with a score of 76; Lacey and Ben each had a score of 69.

Jennifer Shepard competed well in a tough Class A competition of Calculator Applications. Jennifer's coach is Eddie Richardson.



Charles Gentry

VOTERS ELECT REPRESENTATIVES

North Wheeler County voters went to the polls Saturday to elect city council members for Mobeetie and school board members for Ft. Elliott and Allison. North Wheeler County Hospital board representatives ran unopposed for re-election.

City of Mobeetie
Dale Corcoran ran a non-contested race for re-election to the office of Mayor of Mobeetie. Two individuals sought place 1 on the Mobeetie council. Wanda Estes was re-elected with 29 votes; her opponent received 25 votes. Ray Forbes, incumbent, was unopposed and received 35 votes.

Allison School
Three openings were to be filled on the Allison Board of Trustees. Four individuals were named on the ballot. Bennie Boydston, incumbent received 99 votes; Franklin Lane, 116; Rhonda Robertson, 36 and incumbent Cletus E. Green, 98.

Ft. Elliott School
Greg Estes was re-elected to the school board at Ft. Elliott with 74

votes. Mike Meadows was placed on the board with 69 votes. Incumbent Clyde Dukes Jr., and Terry Mick each received 61 votes.

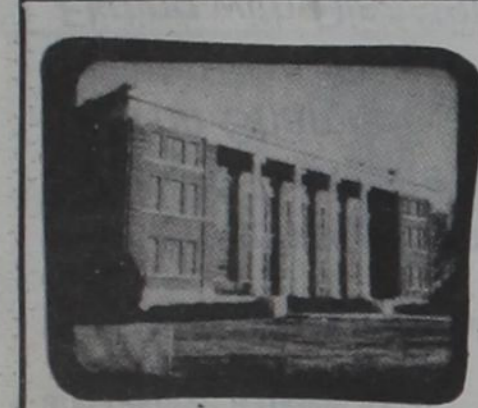
North Wheeler County
Bob Dukes, Allison, representative on the Parkview Hospital board received 42 votes.

Forty-five votes were cast in Briscoe for their representative on the hospital board; Dean Tipps was unopposed.

Jim Batton did not have an opponent in his bid for the North Wheeler County Hospital Board and received 50 votes.

City of Wheeler
Each of the members of the council filed for re-election and the races were not contested. The council members will be appointed to office.

Wheeler School Board
Frankie Fletcher and Scott Dunnam did not draw opponents in the Wheeler School election and will be appointed to their respective places on the board.



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"Wheeler, town of friendship and pride."

Wheeler at State Track Meet

Three Wheeler athletes will travel to Austin this weekend to participate in the state track meet. Their winning on the regional level earned them the opportunity to compete at the University of Texas at Austin.

Jason Porton took first place in the 110 M Hurdles at regionals.

Travis Stevens won the Pole Vault at regionals.

Brooke Stevens will represent the Lady Mustangs as she competes in the 100 M Hurdles.

CWE CHAT WITH EDITOR
By Louis C. Stas

CONGRATULATIONS, Monty Long, Lacy Smith, Ben Britt and Drew Hillhouse! These young people brought home the gold. Their Literary Criticism team placed first at State.

CONGRATULATIONS, Charles Gentry! Charles placed second in Biology and third overall in Science in the state competition.

CONGRATULATIONS, Lynn Holland! Lynn placed fifth in Poetry Interpretation.

Jennifer Shepard, made her best score of the year, but it was not high enough to put her in the winner's circle. You are still a winner with us, Jennifer.

Good Luck, Jason Porton, Brooke Stevens and Travis Stevens! These young people will be representing Wheeler in the State Track meet in Austin this weekend.

I have had good reports on the turnout for the city-wide garage sale and car show. Lots of people were in town.

The streets looked nice. Thanks, Frank and Wesley, for your efforts.

Had a call Tuesday at noon from Ellen Ruth Murray Houck in Clovis N.M. She was a member of the Wheeler's Class of '47 and is planning to attend the reunion in June. She is not on the panel; I am of the impression she left in 1945. She had called to see if Wheeler had a motel.

You will also note that the Motifs are going to be at the reunion. For those of you who might not know, this is a group of local young men—brothers of Johnny Velasquez.

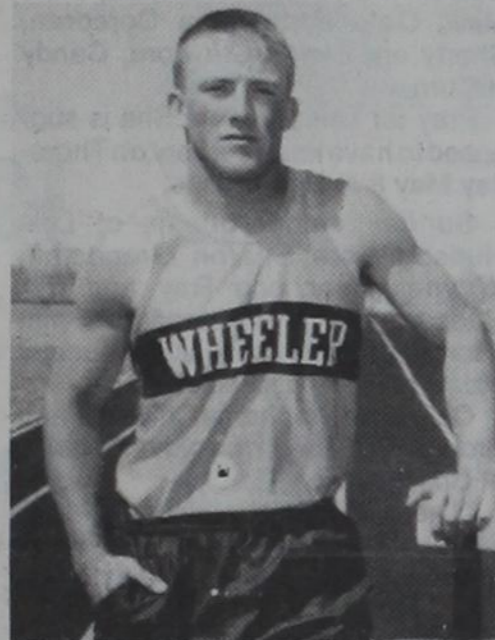
Okay, Exes, this appears to be a reunion you won't want to miss.

I stopped in at Azzip Pizza Tuesday morning; they moved into their new location on the square over the weekend. There is still work to be done, but there is lots of potential. The menu is being increased and I have heard good things about their pizza pockets.

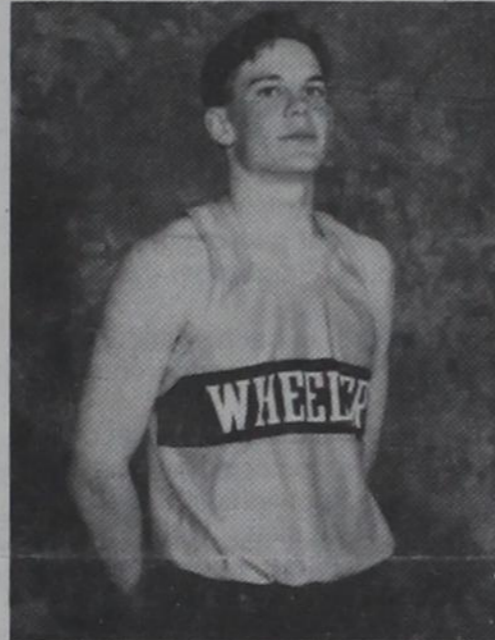
For those of you who are into the continental breakfast, Azzip offers fresh donuts and other goodies each morning.

We will be printing our annual Graduation Edition on Thursday, May 22. If you would like to recognize or congratulate one of the graduates, this would be an excellent opportunity.

Our weekly trip took us to Hinton, (Continued Page 8)



Travis Stevens



Jason Porton



Brooke Stevens

T. Stevens Selected For All-Star Football Game

Travis Stevens has been selected to play in the Texas High School Coaches Association All-Star football game. The game, will be played on Tuesday July 29 at 7:00 p.m. in Ft. Worth. He is one of 4 Class A athletes selected to play for the North.

W.H.S. Sports Banquet Scheduled for Monday

The Wheeler High School Sports Banquet will be on Monday, May 12 at 7:00 p.m. Maxey's will be catering the dinner. There will be no speaker this year. The purpose of the banquet is to recognize the athletes.

YOU ARE INVITED

To the First Annual Mustang Max Out
Thursday, May 15, 6:00 P.M.
Wheeler HS Gym

The Mustang Athletes are raising money for a new weight room. Sponsor your favorite Mustang Athletes by pledging \$\$\$\$ per pound lifted on the bench press. Come watch the Mustangs sweat their way to a new weight room.

New Arrival

SETH MICHAEL WAGNER
Bart and Shonda Wagner of Jacksonville, Florida are proud to announce the arrival of their son, Seth Michael, born on April 24th, 1997 at 4:15 p.m. Seth weighed 8 pounds 7 ounces and was 21 3/4 inches long. His grandparents are Gary and Nancy Miller of Wheeler and Roby and Roberta Wagner of Bumpass, Virginia. Great Grandparents are Gordon and Bennie May Whitener of Wheeler and Merlin and Doris Miller of Burkburnett, Texas.

Wheeler Care Center Plans Auction May 15

Wheeler Care Center will conduct an auction on Thursday, May 15. Businesses and individuals of the community are being asked to donate items to be auctioned at this time. The money is to go into the activities fund.

Hamburgers will be prepared and sold beginning at 5:30.

Many types of items are being accepted for the auction. Look around the house for that item you no longer need, that might be of use to someone else. Local craftsmen will be given the opportunity to show their abilities and help their senior citizens at the same time. Or, cooks are urged whip-up something delicious for the bidders to take home and enjoy. Remember, Thursday, May 15.

National Honor Society Induction Thurs.

Wheeler High School's annual induction ceremony for the Wheeler chapter of the National Honor Society will be May 15, 1997, at 9:00 a.m. in the Wheeler High School Auditorium.

To be eligible for membership consideration, students must have a cumulative grade point average of ninety percent. Additionally, potential members must meet high standards of leadership, service, and character. Members of the sophomore, junior, and senior classes were evaluated

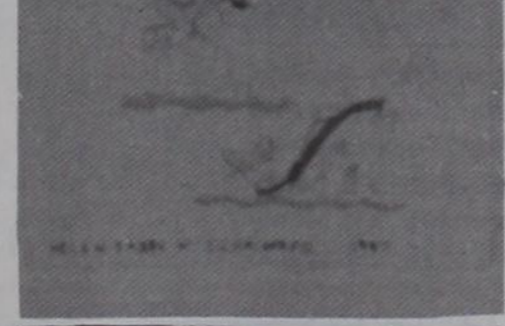
P. Paige Ford To Receive Undergraduate Degree

Phillip Paige Ford, a senior from, Canadian, Texas, will be among the 246 undergraduate students receiving their degrees May 10 during commencement exercises at Oklahoma Panhandle State University.

Ford will receive a Bachelor of Science Degree in Health, Physical Education, and Recreation.

Former Oklahoma State Treasurer Leo Winter, a graduate of OPSU, will present the commencement address. Panhandle State President Dr. John Goodwin, will confer degrees to members of the Class of 1997. Dr. Eric Priest, Dean of Students, will present the J. R. P. Sewell Award to an OPSU Student who deserves special recognition.

The 87th commencement exercises at Oklahoma Panhandle State University will be held Saturday, May 10, 1997 at 10:00 A.M. Commencement will take place in Oscar Williams Field House on the OPSU campus.



"Yes" They Put Wheeler Co. On The "STATE" Quilt Again: Elva Wood and Helen Sabbe fixed a quilt block for the state Soil Conservation Auxiliary quilt! The money raised from this quilt goes to a Committee man or an employ of Soil Conservation's son or daughter or grandchild's college education. When all square's are gathered, they are made into a quilt. They make it the size of as many squares as are sent in. We have had wall hangings and pillow tops. Last year there were 2 quilts. Tickets were \$1.00 for each ticket.

by the faculty council.

The National Honor Society ranks as one of the oldest and most prestigious national organizations for high school students.

Come and show your support of Wheeler's top-ranking academicians.

Kristin Smith Presents Research Paper at Hendrix

Nineteen Hendrix College students made presentations during the 13th Annual Arkansas Symposium for Psychology Students at the University of Central Arkansas in Conway. Students from twelve colleges and universities across the state participated in the event.

Kristin Smith presented research titled "The Aesthetic Experience vs. The Prototype Theory." Dr. Cheryl Arnold, assistant professor of psychology, was the faculty mentor for the project.

Smith, daughter of Dr. Mike and Jenny Smith of Wheeler, Texas, is a senior psychology major and graduate of Wheeler High School.

Hendrix is a liberal arts, co-educational, four-year, undergraduate, residential college of approximately 1,000 students, founded in 1876 and affiliated with the United Methodist Church since 1884.

Hendrix recently ranked as the 16th best value in Money magazine's 1997 issue on America's 100 Best College Buys. Hendrix, the only Arkansas college on the list, moved up from last year's ranking of 20th.

Extension Service Will Offer Comp. Workshops

The Texas Agricultural Extension Service has announced the dates of two computer application workshops, May 27, 28 and 29 at the Texas A&M Research and Extension Center in Amarillo.

The shortcourses will provide a final opportunity for the year to area agricultural operators interested in learning how to use crop projection software, BUDPRO and the Popular Quicken 6 for Windows 95.

Classes will be taught using Extension's traveling laboratory featuring new laptop computers. Dr. Steve Amosson, Extension economist and specialist in farm and ranch management will be the instructor.

The BUDPRO shortcourse will be held May 27 from 9 a.m. until 3:30

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FUNDRAISER

There will be a Tupperware Fundraiser to benefit the Missionary Team going to Russia in June at Wheeler Thriftway on May 10 from 9 a.m. to 5 p.m.

MOTIFS TO ATTEND REUNION

The entertainment for the Ex-student and Teacher's Reunion on June 14, 1997 will be the Motifs of Reno, NV. Albert Velasquez (Class of 69) and Felipe Velasquez (Class of 64) were both graduates of Wheeler High School and went on to entertain in the Nugget casino in Reno, NV, playing 60s and 70s rock n' roll and country music. Already there is a big response from Wheeler graduates from all over the United States. There is some concern that the local graduates may not be staying home that week-end to be hosts to returning school mates since invitations are not sent out to residents in Wheeler County. Local residents please attend the reunion and enjoy visiting with all of the students and teachers who are traveling great distances to visit their school and friends. We need hosts for class parties between the afternoon meeting and the Street Dance that begins at 9:00. Please call 826-3094 to schedule a class party. Registration and visitation will begin at 9:30 a.m. Saturday, June 14th. A Bar-B-Q meal catered by Mr. Bar-B-Q will be served at noon for \$6.00 per person. The business meeting will begin at 1:30 p.m. Bi-annual dues are \$10.00. The

bi-annual yearbook is \$3.00 and a real effort to update all of the addresses is underway. Remember—local exes, we need to attend.

City-Wide Garage Sale, Car Show Are Success

Wheeler's Annual City-Wide Garage Sale was held Saturday with 26 garage sales scattered throughout the city.

Added this year was the First Annual Antique Car Show. Thirty-seven antique and/or restored cars and pickups were on display. The car show had been scheduled for the park, but was re-located on the square prior to the date of the show.

A good crowd were on hand for the activities and the Chamber of Commerce prepared and sold an estimated 350 hamburgers.

The weather was in full cooperation for the events.

Graveside Services Held For Mary Frances Wiley

Mary Frances Wiley, 39, of Brighton, Colo., a former Miami resident, died Tuesday, April 29, 1997.

Graveside services were at 3 p.m. Friday in Wheeler Cemetery at Wheeler with Rev. Billy Wilson, pastor of First United Methodist Church of Wheeler, and the Rev. Daniel Moore, pastor of United Methodist church of Miami, officiating. Arrangements were by Carmichael-Whitely Funeral directors of Pampa.

Ms. Wiley was born in Ft. Worth and raised in Miami. She attended high school at Keensburg, Colo., for two years before returning to Miami and graduating from Miami High School in 1976.

She was a member of the United Methodist Church of Miami. She had been a resident of Brighton for several years.

Survivors include her parents, Bill and Barbara Wiley of Miami; a brother, Rick Wiley of Amarillo and a nephew, James Wiley.

The family requests memorials be to United Methodist Church of Miami or a favorite charity.

Hospital Notes

Old Admissions	
4-23	Cuba Mann
New Admissions	
4-28	Bobbie Snead
	Albert Chapman
	Maidel Browder
	Clyde Dukes
4-29	Laura Guthrie
	Barbara Harris
	Eddie Gilmer
	Melinda Whorton
	Tim Whorton
	Ruby Bathrope
	Lewis Rogers
	Kloette Henson
Dismissals	
4-28	Bobby McNeil
4-29	Maidel Browder
4-30	Ina Mae Anglin
	Howard Loyd
	Barbara Harris
	Melinda Whorton
	Tim Whorton
	Bobbie Snead
	Eddie Gilmer
	Ruth Wiley
	Clyde Dukes
5-2	Laura Guthrie
	Mary VanZandt
5-3	Albert Chapman
5-4	Ruby Bathrope

Graveside Services Held For Laura Whiteley, 91

Graveside services for Laura Rachel Whiteley were held at the Kelton Cemetery on Saturday, May 3, 1997. Mrs. Whiteley died Thursday, May 1, 1997, at Alamogordo, N.M.

Laura Rachel Whiteley was born August 30, 1905, near Lamar, Arkansas, to David E. Carothers and Emma Eldridge Carothers. She was the fourth of their eleven children. In December of 1928, she married Charley Whiteley in Shamrock, Texas. They lived in Wheeler County, Texas, for fifty-five years before Charley's death in 1983. She was a homemaker and a member of the Wheeler Church of Christ. She had lived in Alamogordo, NM for the past fourteen years. She was preceded in death by her husband, her parents, and eight brothers. She is survived by her son Kenneth Whiteley of Hurst, Texas; her daughter and son-in-law, Reba and Jimmy E. Smith of Alamogordo, NM; one brother, A. E. Carothers of St. Louis, Mo.; one sister, Sarah Knight of Cabot, Ark; six grandchildren; Karen Yates of Plano, Texas; Sharon Whiteley of Austin, Texas; Jonathan Whiteley of Euless, Texas; Keely Whiteley of Hurst, Texas; Darren Smith of Alamogordo, NM; Ladd Smith of Cedar Hill, Texas; and two great-grandchildren, Cody and Kristen Smith of Cedar Hill.

The family request memorials be given to your favorite charity.

Savannah Ship To Enter Regional Gym./Tumb.

Savannah Shipp will compete in the Southwest Regional Gymnastics/Tumbling Finals, to be held Saturday, May 10th in Hobbs, N.M. She will be representing the Flippin' Farm of Shamrock. Savannah is the daughter of Andy and Liz Shipp of Wheeler.

U.I.L. RECEPTION MON.

A reception honoring all UIL Academic participants will be held Monday, May 12, 1997 from 6 p.m. to 7 p.m. in the Coin and Copper Room of the Wheeler Banking Center. Everyone is invited to attend.

coming to them, but addresses are unknown. Many are deceased. Copies of wills showing rightful heirs will have to be sent to Canadian Grain Co-op, P.O. Box 753, Canadian, TX 79014. To see if you qualify call Carol Adcock.

Praise the Lord! Lester Leonard is doing well. He won't have to have any more dialysis. He wants everyone to know that he really appreciates everyone's prayers and concern, cards and calls and caring. He is getting the shunt out. No more dialysis. Glad he was able to be out to XYZ. So good to see Kelley and Edith Cross from Abilene. We've missed them. Also visiting was Jo Ann Morgenstern from Miami. Fun games of Chicken Foot and 42. Edith gave a fun devotional. Thank you, Edith. Barbara also went.

Nice to see Hannah Fae Chapman at Thriftway Saturday. Her husband Albert had been in Parkview Hospital several days with pneumonia, but got to come home Saturday. Still weak. Also visited with Tyna Horn and Larry Lee at Thriftway. Tyna stocks the cards there and puts them in place. Also at Maxeys were Connie and Linda Palmer and Nadine and

Woodrow Simpson. Visited with Patty Bradstreet. She was expecting all her family home for Kallie's graduation on May 23 at Wheeler. Then most planned to go to Lubbock on May 24 for Darren Hefley's wedding to Chalene Stack.

Fort Elliott School Board election was very close with Greg Estes and

Mike Meadows winning seats for this "high-paying job" and Clyde Dukes and Terry Mick were not far behind. Pray for our school.

Nice to see Neta Standlee Evans at Thriftway one day, looking good. Her daughter, Martha Ann Helton, brought her. Neta doesn't drive much any more.

Nice to see Wesley and Clevel Steen, Frank and Leona Coates, Amelia Sims, Elva Wood, Mary Margaret Dodd, Tracy Winters with Grandpa Umsted at Dairy Queen Sunday.

Don and Billie Stuckey from Boerne came Sunday to visit Lou Dean Douthit and Debbie and Bob Kinnaman and family. The Stuckey's had been to Alma, Arkansas to visit Emil and Beenie Stromeyer who used to live on the Holland Ranch near here. The Stromeyer's daughter, Billie, married and is on the East Coast.

Fort Elliott Cougars are scheduled to play Cotton Center at Amarillo in baseball, Saturday, May 10 at 1:00 p.m. Good luck!

Thank you Ed Hershman for gluing our wayward shingles down Saturday morning. He is always so helpful - Laurel, too.

Nice to have old friend Bertha Eckles eat lunch with us Saturday. We had a good visit. Also visited a bit with Sherry Wagoner. Then we went "out to the ballgame". Fort Elliott Cougars played Follett and were doing well. The Cougars looked so nice in their white uniforms with red stripes. Canadian has such a fine baseball complex with 4 baseball fields. The Cougars lost their first game, but won the second 11-0. Many fans to watch and cheer. Beautiful day.

Gaye Hale and Sarah went to Canyon Sunday night to the First Baptist Church. Elizabeth was being commissioned as a summer missionary to Tanzania. She will be leaving May 12 after graduating May 10 from WTAMU with a degree in English and Spanish.

Elizabeth Hale and Leslie Hall visited Gaye Hale and Sarah Saturday.

Sunday dinner guests of Lori and Shane Baird and Lauren and Charity to celebrate Shane's mom's birthday were Debbie (honoree) and Tom Beasley, Dana and Don Zaintz and Will and Tyler from Shamrock, and Shane's grandma, Geneva Snelgroves. Lori is going to school to get an R.N. Degree at Sayre. She will finish at Sayre this week with an associate degree and will be ready to go on to Amarillo. Lori is also working at Shamrock General Hospital and has two little girls. Remember them all in your prayers.

Sarah Beth Zybach spent Sunday after church with grandparents R.L. and Rozena Zybach.

Rosalie Keelin took her sister Sylvia Brown to the doctor a few times last week for a foot infection and also visited another sister, Ruth Taylor.

Bob and Gena Zybach went to Canadian Saturday to watch the ball games with Follett. They also shopped in Pampa one day.

We enjoyed a swim at Pampa Wednesday. Then came back by Miami and had lunch at the "Wanna be Famous Cafe" in Miami with Frank and Evelyn Heare. Food was good and reasonably priced and we had a good visit.

Later Barbara Austin came. She had been visiting her sister, Myrtle Laffin, in Pampa for few days. Monday night they drove down to Miami Senior Citizens. Myrt used to teach in Miami and go to Church there. She knows several of the people. Mert's husband, now deceased was Carl Laffin, Jr.

Barbara went to Wheeler with us Thursday night. We ate at Maxeys and went to the Talent Show sponsored by Wheeler F.H.A. Lots of talented youth. Good program. Barbara lived in the Kelton area several years and taught at Kelton while married to



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MEALS on WHEELS MENU

May 12 thru May 16, 1997
MONDAY: Chicken Fried Steak, Gravy, Mashed Potatoes, Green Beans, Pineapple Slices.
TUESDAY: Chicken Strips, Zucchini Squash, Mashed Potatoes, Green Beans, Pineapple Slices.
WEDNESDAY: Enchiladas/Sauce, Pinto Beans, Spanish Rice, Fruit Festival.
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PERSONAL BANKRUPTCY
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Read the Fine Print
One of the most common problems people run into when borrowing money deals with the language in the contract. Balloon, acceleration, security — they're all types of clauses you may encounter when you take out a loan. Financial lingo can cost you if you don't understand the terms. A balloon clause is one of the most common because it often allows consumers a lower interest rate. People think they will be able to save enough money to cover the balloon payment when often times they cannot. Be sure you can make that last large payment or have a good enough credit line to refinance the loan. An acceleration clause is also fairly common. It allows the lender to demand total payment of the loan if the borrower misses one payment. It is also wise to know if you have a right of set-off clause. That comes into play if you have put up your savings account as security for a loan. The bank can transfer funds from the savings account to cover missed payments and you may not realize it. A security agreement is even more harsh in that property you put up as collateral may be seized to cover the default. It pays to read the fine print.

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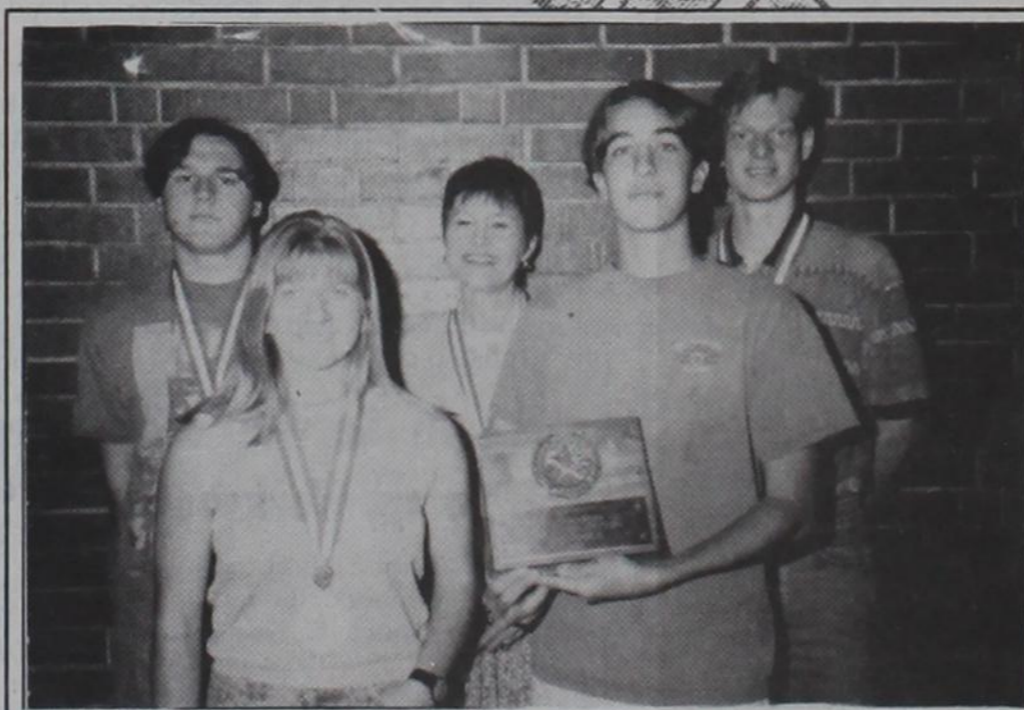
You are invited to attend a Bridal Shower honoring Kimberly Winter, bride-elect of Shawn Hunt on Saturday, May 10, 1997, 5-7 p.m. in the dining room at Sparlin's Restaurant, Wheeler, Texas
(Please use side door!) Gift selections at local businesses.
Hostesses:
Cathy Diera Tish Crouch Kathy Knibbs
Stephanie Childress Kelly Swift Shelly Hunt
Kara Richardson La'Dena Taylor Kellie McNeil
Stacie Duker Dena Brown Peggy Beers

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MOBEETIE NEWS

By: Sue Mayfield

Happy Birthday to Becky Johnson, Pat Morgan, Ashley Hamilton, and Joel Leir Bryant on May 8th, to Ronnie Dyson, Jessie Sweet, Irene Keyes and Ivy Brewster on May 9th, to Sue Ratliff, Debbie McLaughlin, Nicholes Moore, Jamey Brice, Von Jones, and Kelly Ross on May 10th, to Wilhelmenia Sherrell, Debbie Finsterwald and Tonya Blackburn on May 11th, to Melody Sherrell and

Leland Rainey on May 12th, to Shanna Reeves, Melissa Kephart, Trenton Bleeker, Claudia Quarles, Bill Atherton, Tate Batton, and Nelson Bright on May 13th, to Bailey Estes, Hailey Estes, Shayla Horton, and Stephanie Taylor on May 14th, to Laura Fern Selby, Audrey Seitz, Jack McIntire, Mark Forward, Sybil Alexander, Alexis Zybach, and Carl Lee Jahnel on May 15th, to Robert Hogan, Jr., Mark Bailey, E.G. Fillingim,

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Missy Long, Doreen Baker, and Marica Bleeker on May 16th, to Sue Seitz, Kayla Walker, Randy Singleton, Mike May, Charity Baird, and Abigail Katelyn Loyd on May 17th, to Royce Zybach, Ray Hudson, James Morris, Jerry Mabry, Kathleen Cross and Tina Lee on May 18th.

Happy Anniversary to Dale and Debbie Stinnett on May 11th, to Skeeter and Teresa Powlodge and Eddie and Leta Meadows on May 12th, to Bob and Gena Zybach on May 14th, to Bill and Betty Rains and Pete and Sue Seitz on May 17th.

Please keep Shara Bell and little Jayton in your prayers. They had a lawn mower accident on Tuesday, April 29th. Jayton has some stitches but is a typical little boy and bounced right back. Even got some new shoes out of the ordeal. Big brother, Michael and Grandpa, Joe Kelley, were there with Shara and Jayton and helped alot. Michaels a good big brother and helper. Get better soon Jayton.

What a wonderful surprise to have Kelley and Edith Cross from Abilene come by the post office. They look so good. Kelley's back still gives him some problems. But still works part-time for the city of Abilene. Edith's health problems have really taken their toll on Edith. But she's doing better and looking good. She still works three afternoons a week at a daycare center. She loves the kiddo's. They are so lucky to have Edith working with the children.

Edith and Kelley have really enjoyed being so close to their family. Grandson Caleb Graham is already four and such a tall handsome young

man. When he was a baby he really avored Mom, Dana, but now that he's grown up, he is getting to be more like Dad, David every day. Caleb is a real Grandpa's boy.

Caleb is looking forward to greeting a new baby brother in about five weeks. He is ready to be a "big brother".

Please keep Dana and the baby in your prayers. They found a possible blockage of the kidney in the baby at Dana's last check-up in Abilene. They have a specialist appointment in Fort Worth this week.

We hope you got real good news David and Dana.

Kelley and Edith were on their way to the Totty school house to visit with



their quilting friends. They had been to lunch at Sallie's and visited with several friends.

They also had the X.Y.Z. Club on the agenda for Friday evening.

Saturday it was good to see Anna Belle Corcoran out to pick up their mail. It's been quite a while since she'd felt like getting out and about.

The cool mornings and damp days are so hard on Ariza. But when it's nice he gets out and walks some around the house. They have enjoyed their company and appreciate the home health girls and nurses.

Peggy Dunn had been by for a visit. She is looking really great. Peggy has lost alot of weight. She stays busy as always. I never get to see Peggy really miss her mom, Leona Williams.

Sorry I missed seeing Bud Scribner when he was up taking care of business. He still suffers with those cluster headaches something terrible. They have him on a steroid regime now. It hasn't helped much. I wish they could find something that would help Bud. He has suffered so many years with these type headaches. Please keep Bud, Ariza and Anna Belle in your prayers.

Since Melba Corcoran had to be down at her office during the election for availability Kelley and Edith Cross and Dale came to the office to play chicken foot and get some extra visiting in. Nothing like a couple of good games of chicken foot. Edith was the champ Saturday.

They had a good time at the X.Y.Z. Club the night before. Got to see so many dear friends. They visited with Ariza and Anna Belle Corcoran Saturday morning.

Chicken foot is a domino game played with the colored double nines. I've never played but sounds like fun.

Good to see Pierce Walker able to be out and about more.

Nettie is doing some better. Being able to move a little more. Friday she was finally able to eat a little pureed peaches and some mashed potatoes. That's the first real food she had in two weeks. Nettie always enjoys her fruits.

She really misses getting to eat fresh fruits and sweet potatoes as often as she would like. But they are getting her blood sugars sort of back to an even keel for her. Good news. Keep the good work Nettie.

Pierce is looking much better. More rested. He was looking for Jimmy to be back Sunday or Monday. They have been such a big help to Pierce. The home cooking is fantastic.

Mr. and Mrs. Gary Trout of Amarillo came up and spent Friday night with Grandmother Ella Trout. They had such a good visit. Ella really enjoyed them.

Ella has been working hard on her yard. It's really looking nice but alot of work.

What a nice surprise to see Anna Belle Corcoran out to vote. She walked down to vote at all 3 elections. The weather was beautiful. She looked wonderful.

Dale and Melba Corcoran and Kelley and Edith Cross enjoyed a late night supper at Dyer's in Pampa Saturday night. A nice treat after such a long day at the City Secretary's office.

Saturday Gary and Marilyn Grimes of Amarillo spent the day with Doyle and Bulah Grimes.

Marvin, Kellie and Dell Grimes of Lubbock were here to visit with Gary and Marilyn some too.

Doyle is doing better and determined to be back on schedule soon. Bulah sounds all perky.

Saturday was a great day for the

elections. We really appreciate everyone coming out. Approximately 2/3's of the eligible voters chose to voice their opinions in the city elections.

Our City Council has alot of hard work ahead.

The school board elections went quite well too.

Please keep the Council and board members in your prayers. They are doing a thankless job. With the Lords help and giving them wisdom, they are trying to do what's in the best interest for all people and children.

Calvin Kincannon and Alisha Moffett did a great job over at the school election and the hospital district.

Calvin did a great job of stepping in for Evelyn Kincannon. She was called away on Thursday to go meet Calvin and Evelyn's first grandson.

Congratulations Gary and Tonya (Sursa) Gilliland on the birth of your first child. Cooper Thomas Gilliland. He weighed in at 6 lbs. and 10 oz. and is 19" long. Cooper arrived at 2:45 p.m. on May 1st.

Grandma Kincannon was in Wichita Falls about the time of his arrival. (She almost made it!) Tonya and Cooper were home Saturday and doing quite well.

Congratulations Grandma and Grandpa Kincannon and Great Grandma and Grandpa Whaley.

Doug and Doris are anxiously awaiting pictures.

Well, the Fort Elliott Baseball team had a rough day Saturday. They played a double header with Follett at Canadian. They won one and lost one so the next couple of games will determine their final standing. Good Luck!!

It sounds like the banquet and prom for the Sr's. and Jrs. went quite well. Some beautiful young ladies and handsome young men.

It's hard to believe another school year is soon to be behind us. (I don't imagine the kids mind though.)

Friday night my parents came in from Dumas. The plan had been for the guys to go fishing but they ended up working on the motor home. It turned into a real project. Mom was sort of at loose ends as I was at the city election.

Monday night the Mobeetie City Council met to canvass the votes and swear in the newly elected members of the council. They'll have everything on line for the regular meeting next week.

James Moffett had been down to Clarendon Saturday to mow for his parents. Jake and Laura are sort of holding their own right now. Good to hear they are doing some better.

Keep sweet little Jayton Childress in your prayers. She's had the flu bug again but seems to be doing better. She's such a good baby. A real cutie.

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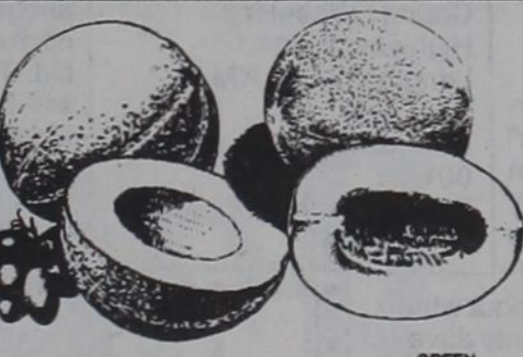
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Wheeler County COURT RECORDS

List of Instruments filed in the Wheeler County Clerk's office from April 16, 1997 to April 22, 1997.

APRIL 16, 1997 MML—Econolodge to Prem Distributors, 3-4-96, Blk. LXXVII; Lots 1-4, Blk. LXXVIII, Shamrock.

TMML—Prem Distributors, Inc. to First Bank & Trust-Shamrock, 3-4-96, Blk. LXXVII; Lots 1-4, Blk. LXXVIII, Shamrock.

D—Mary Frances Tucker to Gary Howard Tucker, et al, 4-7-97, W 1/2 NW 1/4 Sec. 35, Blk. 13, H&GN Ry. Company Survey.

QC—Melvin May, et ux to City of Mobeetie, 9-11-96, Lot 6, Blk. 109, New Town, Mobeetie.

MEMORANDUM OL—Ida Mae Goad to William D. Sinclair, Inc., 3-14-97, SW 1/4 Sec. 15, Blk. A-4, H&GN Ry. Company Survey.

OL—Jimmy Zack Goad to William D. Sinclair, Inc., 1-10-97, Pt. NE 1/4 Sec. 15, Blk. A-4, H&GN Ry. Company Survey.

C/C PROBATE—Hettie M. Haynes to Ex-Parte, 4-8-97.

HEIRSHIP AFF—Eugene Neill Laycock, et al to Clarene Madora Laycock, 4-1-97, S 1/2 Sec. 27, Blk. A-4, H&GN Ry. Company Survey.

D—Noel Lee Laycock, et al to Tommy Lynn Weaver, et ux, 3-26-97, S 1/2 Sec. 27, Blk. A-4, H&GN Ry. Company Survey.

APRIL 17, 1997 ASSIGN—CIG Exploration, Inc. to Coastal Oil & Gas Corporation, 2-27-97, See Instrument.

ASSIGN—ANR Production Company to Coastal Oil & Gas Corporation, 2-27-97, See Instrument.

OL—Frances Real Howard to Rob Featherstone, 6-12-96, W 1/2 Sec. 30, Blk. R.E., Roberts & Eddleman Survey.

OL—Max H. Britt Trust to Rob Featherstone, 2-6-97, W 1/2 Sec. 30, Blk. R.E., Roberts & Eddleman Survey.

EXT DT—Billy Billingsley, et ux to First National Bank of Shamrock, 4-8-97, N 1/2 NW 1/4 Sec. 66, Blk. 23, H&GN Ry. Company Survey.

ASSIGN—Raydon Production Company to Paul Clark, 2-6-97, Secs. 45, 46, 55, and 56, Blk. A-5, H&GN Ry. Company Survey.

ASSIGN—Raydon Production Company to George S. Johnson, 2-6-97, Secs. 45, 46, 55 and 56, Blk. A-4, H&GN Ry. Company Survey.

MD—Jerry P. Reid to Tom L. Scott, 4-11-97, Sec. 9, Blk. R.E., Roberts & Eddleman Survey.

MD—James W. Reid to Tom L. Scott, 4-11-97, Sec. 9, Blk. R.E., Roberts & Eddleman Survey.

MD—James W. Reid to Tom L. Scott, 4-11-97, Sec. 9, Blk. R.E., Roberts & Eddleman Survey.

MD—Tom L. Scott to Leon Red, 4-14-97, Sec. 9, Blk. R.E., Roberts & Eddleman Survey.

MML—Clay Motor Company, et al to J. G. Bachmann, 4-17-97.

APRIL 18, 1997 CORRDT—Jim Verden, et ux to Farm Credit Bank of Texas, 4-17-97, 82.63 acs. NE 1/4 Sec. 59, Blk. A-8, H&GN Ry. Company Survey.

ASSIGN—Currie Smith A-TR to Currie Smith I, Ltd., 4-15-97, Sec. 13, Blk. R.E., Roberts & Eddleman Survey.

ASSIGN—Currie Smith A-TR to Currie Smith I, Ltd., 4-15-97, Sec. 35, Blk. M-1, H&GN Ry. Company Survey.

ASSIGN—A. L. Nail to A. G. Nail, et al, 4-12-97, Sec. 17, Blk. A-5, H&GN Ry. Company Survey.

OL—Ora Lee Underwood, et al to Caltex Operating, Ltd., 2-14-97, NW 1/4 Sec. 1, BS&F Survey.

C/C PROBATE—Mildred Rogers Windom to Ex-Parte, 4-9-97.

D—Agnis Elizabeth Covey Trust to Goosman Family Trust, et al, 11-21-95, See Instrument. AMEND DT—Barrett W. Pierce to Bank One, Texas, National Association, 12-9-96, See Instrument. TDT—PH Mortgage Company, Inc. to Norwest Mortgage, Inc., 5-16-96, Pt. Outlot 27, Shamrock. APRIL 21, 1997 MML—Jesse T. Cooper Jr., et ux to Vinyl Installations, 2-26-97, Lot 6, Blk. 40, Wheeler. TMML—Vinyl Installations to Empire Funding Corp., 3-6-97, Lot 6, Blk. 40, Wheeler. OL—Joy Vaneta Keeton to Brigham Oil & Gas, LP, 2-10-97, SW 1/4 Sec. 14, Blk. A-4, H&GN Ry. Company Survey. AMEND OPTION AGREE—Francis Bryan Pride, et ux to Brigham Oil & Gas, LP, 3-26-97, SE 1/4 Sec. 11, Blk. A-3, H&GN Ry. Company Survey. AMEND OPTION AGREE—Marvin G. Cox to Brigham Oil & Gas, LP, 3-26-97, SE 1/4 Sec. 11, Blk. A-3, H&GN Ry. Company Survey. AMEND OPTION AGREE—Alden Dean Jolly to Brigham Oil & Gas, LP, 2-25-96, 126.35 acs NE 1/4 Sec. 25, Blk. A-4, H&GN Ry. Company Survey. MEMORANDUM OL—Michael A. Goad, et al, William D. Sinclair, Inc., 3-14-97, Pt. NE 1/4 Sec. 15, Blk. A-4, H&GN Ry. Company Survey. AMEND OPTION AGREE—Ruth Clark to Brigham Oil & Gas, LP, 2-27-97, Sec. 92 and Pt. Sec. 93, Blk. 13, and Sec. 9, Blk. A-7, H&GN Ry. Company Survey. AMEND OPTION AGREE—Glynn Juanita Limited Partnership to Brigham Oil & Gas, LP, 2-27-97, See Instrument. AMEND OPTION AGREE—Garland W. Moore, et ux to Brigham Oil & Gas, LP, 2-27-97, See Instrument. OL—Garland W. Moore, et ux to Brigham Oil & Gas, LP, 2-24-97, NW 1/4 Sec. 28, Blk. A-8, H&GN Ry. Company Survey. OPTION AGREEMENT—Linton Carol Lackey to Brigham Oil & Gas, LP, 2-24-97, NE 1/4 Sec. 50, Blk. A-7, H&GN Ry. Company Survey. OPTION AGREEMENT—S. W. Mills to Brigham Oil & Gas, LP, 2-24-97, Secs. 82, 83 and 97, Blk. 13, H&GN Ry. Company Survey. ADMINISTRATRIX D—Alvin Lester Jones to Mildred M. Jones, 4-17-97, Sec. 21, Blk. A-7, H&GN Ry. Company Survey. OL—Roy Lee McCoy to G. H. Land Company, LLC, 3-20-97, Sec. 19, Camp County School Land. RATIFICATION—Joseph A. Nazzi to Devon Energy Corporation (Nevada), et al, 3-25-97, Sec. 9, Blk. R.E., Roberts & Eddleman Survey. C/C PROBATE—E. W. Hogan Jr. to Ex-Parte, 4-16-97. C/C PROBATE—Jimmie Carol Hensley to Ex-Parte, 4-11-97, Lot 8 and S 1/2 Lot 7, Blk. 78, WSSA, Shamrock. REL FTL—United States of America to Barbara Yarbrough, 4-1-97. RATIFICATION OL—Texas Pauline McCarroll to Brigham Oil & Gas, LP, 3-26-97, SW 1/4 Sec. 15, Blk. A-4, H&GN Ry. Company Survey. RATIFICATION OL—Billie "Cris" Roberts to Brigham Oil & Gas, LP, 3-25-97, SW 1/4 Sec. 15, Blk. A-4, H&GN Ry. Company Survey. APRIL 22, 1997 D—Lloyd H. Cogburn, et ux to Opal Burrell, 4-17-97, Lot 4, Blk. 51, WSSA, Shamrock. POA—Bristol Resources Corporation to Sue Duple, 4-2-97, Pts. Sec. 35-B, Blk. OS-2. ASSIGN—American Exploration Company to Bristol Resources Corporation, 4-9-97, Pts. Sec. 35-B, Blk. OS-2. It's a good idea to allow gelatin mixture to thicken to the consistency of unbeaten egg white before adding any fruits, vegetables, nuts, etc.

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FOR SALE: Riding lawn mower, needs some repairs. Ernest Lester. 826-3286. 5/8p

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May 12, 1997 to May 16, 1997 Monday: Breakfast: Juice, Toast/Jelly, Cereal/Oatmeal, Milk. Lunch: Corn Dog, Tater Tots, Pickle Spear, Milk/Tea, Peaches. Tuesday: Breakfast: Juice, Biscuits/Gravy, Scrambled Eggs, Sausage, Peanut Butter/Honey, Milk. Lunch: Fish Nuggets, Macaroni & Cheese, English Peas, Bread, Milk/Tea, Peas. Wednesday: Breakfast: Juice, Blueberry Muffins, Toast/Jelly, Cereal/Oatmeal, Milk. Lunch: BBQ Beef/Cheese, Pinto Beans, French Fries, Milk/Tea, Apricots. Thursday: Breakfast: Juice, Pancake Pup/Syrup, Toast/Jelly, Sausage, Milk. Lunch: Chicken Patty, Mashed Potatoes/Gravy, Corn, Hot Roll/Butter, Milk/Tea, Mixed Fruit. Friday: Breakfast: Juice, Toast/Jelly, Cereal/Oatmeal, Milk. Lunch: Beef and Cheese Nachos, Salad, Chili Beans, Chips, Crackers, Milk/Tea, Pineapple. (Menu Subject to Change)

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IMPORTANT NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS NON-MANDATORY PREBID CONFERENCE

The contractor's attention is directed to the fact that a prebid conference is optional and prospective bidders do not have to attend in order to bid. The prebid conference will be held on Thursday, May 22, 1997 at 10:00 AM at the Wellington area office .25 miles East of US 83 on FM 338. 5/15c

NOTICE OF APPLICATION FOR FLUID INJECTION WELL PERMIT

Myriad Resources Corporation, P.O. Box 380, Pampa, Texas 79066 is applying to the Railroad Commission of Texas for a permit to inject fluid into a formation which is productive of oil and gas.

The applicant proposes to inject fluid into the Granite Wash Formation, Harlan - A- (#01469) Lease, Well Number 19. The proposed injection well is located 1 mile west of Kellerville, Tx., in the Panhandle Wheeler County Field, in Wheeler County. Fluid will be injected into strata in the subsurface depth interval from 2344 to 2755 feet.

LEGAL AUTHORITY: Chapter 27 of the Texas Water Code, as amended, Title 3 of the Texas Natural Resources Code, as amended, and the Statewide Rules of the Oil and Gas Division of the Railroad Commission of Texas.

Requests for a public hearing from persons who can show they are adversely affected or requests for further information concerning any aspect of the application should be submitted in writing, within fifteen days of publication, to the Environmental Services Section, Oil and Gas Division, Railroad Commission of Texas, P.O. Box 12967, Austin, Texas 78711 (Telephone 512/4673-6792). 5/8c

LA RESPUESTA PORQUE SABEMOS QUE SON ULTIMOS TIEMPOS Es cierto que la Biblia no da fechas de cuando sera el fin pero Dios nos dejo muchas señales de cuando seria su venida y del fin. En Mateo 24:3 los discipulos preguntaron a Jesus sobre el fin y Jesus no les dio fechas pero les dio factores que estarian en efecto antes de su venida y a partir del verso 5 al 51 nos da varias señas. '14. Venran muchos en mi nombre diciendo 'Yo soy Cristo' '15. Yo lo hemos visto varias veces con muchos impostores haciendose pasar por Cristo como Jim Jones y lo que paso en Waco '16. Se nos habla de guerras, hambres, y terremotos en diferentes lugares: persecuciones y aumento en la maldad. '17. Cristo profetizo que 'El Evangelio seria predicado en todo el mundo y a toda criatura 'El Evangelio significa las Buenas Noticias de parte de Dios para la Humanidad de que Cristo murio por nuestros pecados en la cruz del Calvario para que tu pudieras ir al cielo tan solo con aceptar a Jesus en tu corazon. '18. Cristo afirma que nadie sabe ni el dia ni la hora, solo Dios. '19. Cristo nos da una señal inconfundible de los ultimos tiempos 'Mas como en los dias de Noe asi sera la venida del Hijo del Hombre '38. porque como en los dias antes del diluvio estaban comiendo y bebiendo casanlose y danidose en casamentos... y no entendieron hasta que vino el diluvio y se las llevo a todos asi sera la venida del Hijo del Hombre 'En Lucas 21:25 26 se nos da otra señal 'Entonces habra señas en sol y en la luna y en las estrellas y en la tierra angustia de las gentes... desfalleruen los hombres por el temor y la expectacion de las cosas que sobrevendran en la tierra. Para finalizar quisiera mencionar las palabras de Esperanza que le da Jesus en Lucas 21:36 'velad pues en todo tiempo y orad para que seas tenidos por dignos de escapar de todas estas cosas que vendran sobre la tierra' Escrito por Sergio Vaquera Pastor de La Iglesia Cristiana Canaan Wheeler Tx. SPONSORED BY: LA FAMILIA GALUTIA

reason's.
Glen and Nona Elmore's weekend guests were their daughter, Phyllis, and husband Carl Williams from

Saginaw, Texas. Ray and Sue Giddens also visited some on the weekend and Wayne and Kathy Zybach, Clay and Casey of Briscoe.

David and Linda Gilmer are busy getting around to get their son Hank ready for graduation.

Pete and Margaret Gilmer's weekend guests were Becky and Jeannie Gilmer from Amarillo. The girls came Friday evening and they all set up tables on the court house square for the garage sale's on Saturday.

Troy and Lona Jones have fulfilled a dream of having a home in Allison. They have bought the Loyd Jones home and are getting settled in. They are very busy and are thoroughly enjoying it. This is the place where Loyd and Myrtle built their first home and where Troy was born. They are excited and happy about being here! Welcome home Troy and Lona.

Edna May and Homer Sanders attended Edna's brother and wife, Lee and Lila Richardson's Golden wedding anniversary celebration at Amarillo last Sunday.

Pearl Harrison went to Elk City last Thursday and spent Thursday night with Vivian Wallace and Friday night with Dorothy Osborn. She also visited her sister Inez Townsley and her late husband's two aunts. Pearl came home Saturday afternoon. Pearl's Sunday dinner guests were Bennie and Debbie Boydston, Heather and Jason, Louise Boydston, Sabrina and



Chronicles 16, 22, 23, 24 and 25 Saying, Touch not mine anointed, and my prophets no harm. Sing unto the Lord, all the earth; shew forth from day to day his salvation. Declare his glory among the heathen, his marvelous works among all nations. For great is the Lord, and greatly to be praised; he also is to be feared above all gods.

A nice Monday morning here in Allison right now at eight o'clock maybe the wind won't get to high today.

Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Levitt and Mrs. Kenneth Levitt from Amarillo visited their Aunt Edith Levitt last Saturday afternoon.

Billy and Rhonda McWhorter, Tanner and Tyler from Wheeler was here last Friday at Wilma Gilmer's and mowed her yard for her.

Ruby Craig went to Pampa last Friday for a check-up with her doctor. On Saturday Ruby and Wilma went to the garage sales in Wheeler.

Rodney, Linda and Andrew Ingersoll went to Amarillo last week for the birth of their new grand baby, Darius Samuels was born Saturday April 26th at 12:45 p.m. He weighed 5 lbs. 11 ozs. Mother and baby are doing fine.

Last Tuesday Tia Boydston, Corinna and Kendra took Opal Bbydston and Juanita to Pampa for Opal's check-up with the eye doctor, everything was okay.

Opal and Juanita's last Tuesday dinner guests were Forrest and Janice Boydston. Opal and Juanita attended the garage sales last Saturday at Wheeler.

Roma and Billy Brown and Merlyn also attended the garage sales last Saturday at Wheeler. Their last Sunday dinner guests were Thursia Poindexter from Cheyenne and Sylvia Brown from Wheeler.

Len and Betty Brown came Monday to spend a few days at their Allison home, and take care of the yard work.

Peggy Chandler's last Wednesday dinner guest was Sue Chandler from Wheeler and she also mowed Peggy's yard and vacuumed the carpets. Peggy appreciated that very much.

Peggy and Jennie Walker were in Wheeler last Friday for medical



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CARE CENTER COMMENTS
By A Resident Reporter

Sunday services were cancelled because Trinity Luthraan from Shamrock weren't here.

Monday was a very busy day. We had current events, then exercise. After lunch some of us ladies got manicures. Barbara could use some help on Monday and Friday mornings for manicures.

Tuesday Barbara and Amy took several on an outing to Pampa to buy flower plants and eat ice cream at Braums. We sure enjoyed it.

Wednesday Janice Sparlin was here for bible study. Always glad to have her.

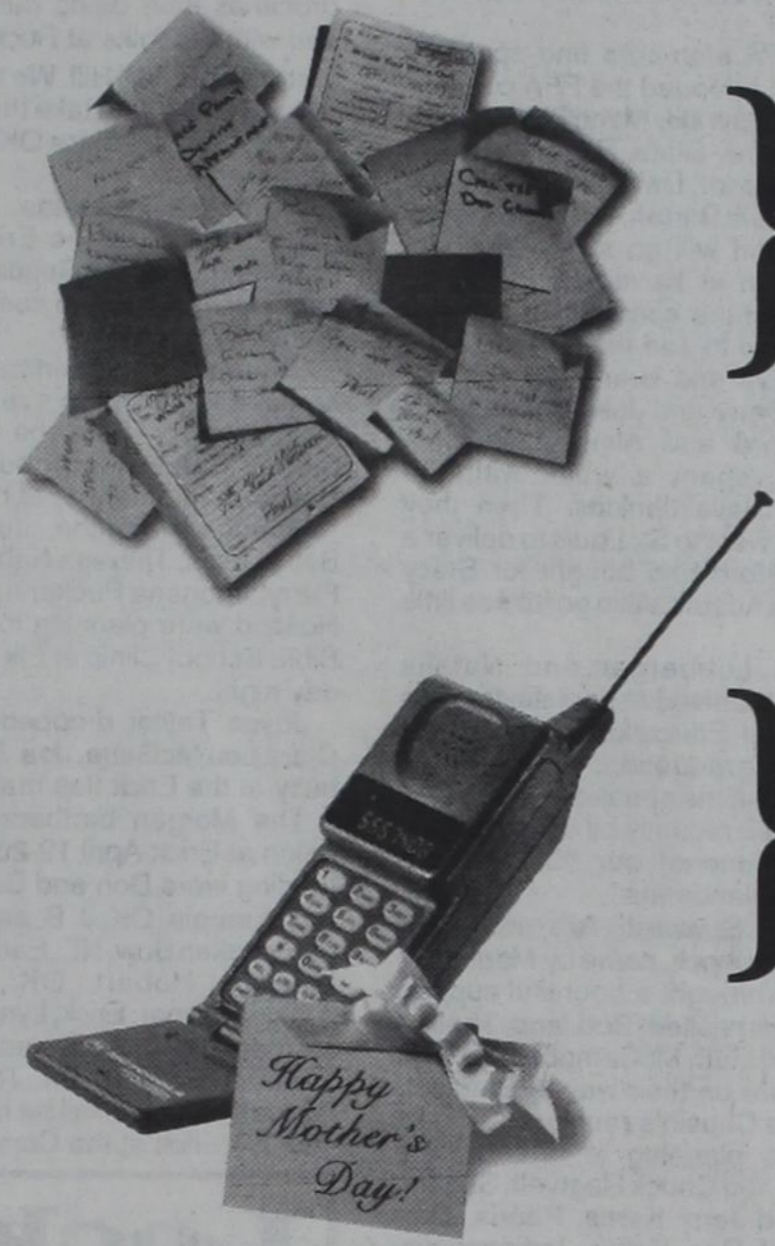
Thursday afternoon we played Bingo. Shorty and Jan were here to help. They are so faithful.

Christian Center couldn't be here Thursday so Barbara played music for us on the tapes.

Friday was a long day. Barbara was off, but we tried to entertain ourselves.

Saturday Barbara was here to play cards with us. Several of the residents had visitors in for the day.

Until next time.



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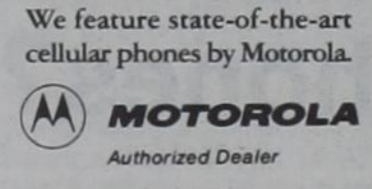
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Modern Math I MATH 1332 6-10 p.m. MW
General Psychology PSYC 2301 6-10 p.m. TTH
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Public Speaking SPCH 1301 6-10 p.m. MW
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Accounting I ACCT 2301 6-10 p.m. MW
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Zoology BIOL 1413 6-10 p.m. MW
Human A&P I BIOL 2401 6-10 p.m. TTH
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College Algebra MATH 1314 6-10 p.m. MW
General Psychology PSYC 2301 6-10 p.m. TTH
Child Psychology PSYC 2308 6-10 p.m. MW
Intro to Sociology SOCI 1301 6-10 p.m. TTH
Family in Society SOCI 2301 6-10 p.m. MW
Public Speaking SPCH 1315 6-10 p.m. TTH
**Registration will begin May 19th at 5 p.m. in the Jr. High Annex

Pampa, May 19 - June 26, 1997:

Human A&P I	BIOL 2401	6-10 p.m. TTH
Writing Fundamentals	ENGL 0306	TBA
Eng Comp/Rhetoric I	ENGL 1301	8-11:50 a.m. MW
Eng Comp/Rhetoric I	ENGL 1301	6-9:50 p.m. MW
Eng Comp/Rhetoric II	ENGL 1302	8-11:50 a.m. TTH
Eng Comp/Rhetoric II	ENGL 1302	6-9:50 p.m. TTH
World Literature I	ENGL 2332	6-9:50 p.m. MW
World Literature II	ENGL 2333	8-11:50 a.m. MW
Amer Constitution	GOVT 2301	6-9:50 p.m. TTH
Amer Constitution	GOVT 2301	1-4:50 p.m. TTH
Texas Government	GOVT 2302	6-10 p.m. MW
U.S. History to 1865	HIST 1301	8-11:50 a.m. TTH
U.S. History to 1865	HIST 1301	6-10 p.m. TTH
U.S. History to 1865	HIST 1301	1-4:50 p.m. TTH
U.S. History to Present	HIST 1302	6-10 p.m. MW
Intro to Humanities	HUMA 1315	1-4:50 p.m. MW
Intro to Humanities	HUMA 1315	6-10 p.m. TTH
Developmental Math	MATH 0306	6-8:45 p.m. MW
College Algebra	MATH 1314	6-10 p.m. TTH
College Algebra	MATH 1314	8-11:50 a.m. TTH
Plane Trigonometry	MATH 1316	6-10 p.m. MW
Word Processing I	OFAD 2304	8-11:50 a.m. MW
General Psychology	PSYC 2301	6-10 p.m. TTH
Child Psychology	PSYC 2308	6-10 p.m. MW
Reading Fundamentals	READ 0306	TBA
Intro to Sociology	SOCI 1301	1-4:50 p.m. TTH
Social Issues	SOCI 1306	8-11:50 a.m. TTH
Public Speaking	SPCH 1315	8-11:50 a.m. MW

**Registration will begin May 7th at 8:30 a.m. at the CG Pampa Center at 900 N. Frost. For more information regarding Pampa classes, please call (806) 665-8801.

To enroll in a class at Clarendon College, individuals must bring a copy of their official high school transcript or GED certificate, ACT/SAT scores, TASP scores, official transcripts from other colleges attended, and admission forms for Clarendon College. Current high school students are required to bring proof of approval from their principal or counselor. Payment is due at time of registration.

the United Pentecostal Church. Pastor and Mrs. Roy Jones and Sammie Tedford took them to Wheeler after Church Sunday morning to Maxey's for dinner.

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

HOME

It feels so comfortable, so normal, to be driving a pickup on the country roads of home again. Detailed plans were made before my leaving New Braunfels on a Saturday in the middle of April. There were friends and family to see in many places all the way to the northeastern part of the Texas Panhandle.

There were friends and family to see in Snyder, Seminole (I left some clothes there.), Plainview (I go back that way to pick up some large purchases from an estate sale) and Amarillo.

Amarillo held a real surprise Thursday morning. My pickup was covered with snow, and I had left the panhandle for the Gulf Coast because I was tired of digging my car out of snow and driving to work on ice. To add to my woes, I no longer have the warm clothes that are necessary for cold weather.

Pampa and Lefors came next on the journey, but some of the joy of reunion was diminished by the loss of friends and family members in recent years.

Then came the Miami, Mobeetie and other Eastern Panhandle locations. (This is "home" and the place to get back to my roots for stability for the next year.) After many years at Kelton as a teacher and farmer's wife, this trip is a journey of the heart. In the depth of my being, I will always be a farmer's wife and the Eastern Panhandle will always be "home".

By Barbara Austin

Gageby (from Page 2)

Misty Morgan and Casey Gilmer from Amarillo visited Mardi and James Ogle Monday. Casey works for the Ford Company at Gene Messer Ford. Misty is a waitress at a nice Mexican Restaurant. Misty is glad that she took some Spanish in High School at Fort Elliott. The menus are in Spanish. Melody Morgan is a nursing assistant at Bivins Nursing Home. Mardi is enjoying getting her garden going. She already has little strawberries coming and early peas, spinach, cabbage, green beans and asparagus.

Christina (Ogle) and John Sorrell are still in Georgia. She is doing well in her own beauty shop, and it's nearly paid for. John is a surveyor and taking more training. Rowdy and Shelly Little farm and ranch near Arnett.

Evelyn Meek, Nova Powledge and Lois Meadows went to Canadian Monday night to see the High School One-Act play.

Addie Swift was "baby sitting" Wanda Childress' poodle Monday while Fat and Wanda went to Amarillo. The poodle is called P.J. (for puddle jumper).

Saturday night Fort Elliott Juniors and their parents honored the Seniors with a nice meal they prepared at Mobeetie Campus. Some of the parents helping with getting ready and the food were Charles and La Jo Crownover, Patty Ann and Mack Shields, Randy and Dee Barr, Kenneth and Vernal Densberger, Brenda and Dennis Hefley, and Phil and Carol Richmond. Several of the teachers were also there besides the Juniors and Seniors.

There were 24 out to Wheeler Senior Citizens Monday night. Nice to see everyone. Good to have Watson and Aldena Burgess back from down south. They brought lots of delicious fish from Arkansas Pass and hush puppies. They plan to travel quite a bit to see their kids this summer.

Micaela Dawson won her district and age group in a baby contest in Amarillo. Her proud parents are Sarita and Brad Dawson. Maternal grandparents are Ed and Laurel Hershman. Great grandparents are Willa and E.G. Fillingim. Congratulations.

Chuck and Phoebe Hartline and Aaron and Tamara visited Chuck's relatives in the Chickasha, Oklahoma area recently.

We visited some with Clark Blair, Michael Killingsworth, Lori Selby and Cody, and Chelsea and Tyler Herd, T.J. and Eula Cole at Wheeler Dairy Queen Monday.

Wanda Childress, Cathy Hunt, Addie Swift and Brooke and Tracy went to Wheeler to the cemetery and ate at the Dairy Queen. The other day Wanda took Addie for a tour all around the country side in the Mobeetie area and boy scout camp area (but not inside). Addie enjoys getting out and seeing the country nice change.

"God be with you till we meet again."

Seniors Say, Thank You

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Am reading in the dictionary what the word volunteer means and according to Mr. Webster it says—one that enters into or offers his service of his or their own free will. Looks simple enough but just a day or two ago I noticed where some young lady isn't going to get to graduate from school because she didn't sign up for the mandatory volunteering although she does volunteer work on her own, but now she isn't going to get to get her diploma. Don't seem reasonable does it? I can remember in the service Sgt. Peterson used to get us all lined up in front of the barracks and say, you, you and you are all volunteering for trash detail or some other thing and we did it, but we was under a different set of rules. There is a difference you know.

Got a card from Bob and Rosann saying they were back from Florids, saying God Bless all you people but they never mentioned wish you were here. Mentioned they had been in Sarasoda all winter. Maybe we ought to have wished them a blessin, no telling how rough the weather has been down there. Really they are good friends o ours from down Spenser way. Sure glad none of them friends of ours sent a wish you were here from up there in North Dakotas or Canada. Isn't that a shame them folks up there bein in the predicament they are in. Weve been run out of a few houses by the landlord, but not yet by the weather.

Wont be but a few days busses from Houston and other places will be back in Speedway for the Indy 500. We have known these birds for several years and to break bread with

them again will be something. they had better bring some of that Texas barbaque that they make. One of our daughters from Arizona says she is comin to visit for three weeks and two days. I have a lot of yard work planned for her so she mite scratch out the weeks and just stay two days when she sees the work we got for her to volunteer for.

Ive got a new way to discourage all them birds that call you to get the house are financed or the new telephone system they want to put in the house or the dozens of other schemes they are tryin to peddle. Im gonin to tell all of them we would be happy to discuss their products if they want to treat us to a meal at Charlie Browns or some other nice place in town. Bet we wont get too many call backs from

them birds. You ought to try it, might cut out their interrupting some of your favorite programs on the tube.

Been fightin them dandy lions forever and durned if we aint got more this year; than weve ever had. Wish our beans and okra and tomatoes would do as well.

Been watchin that junk on the tube about the Ft. Davis part of Texas. I worked down in that part of Texas many years ago and it is rough country, but wonderful people and cant imagine how these things can happen. I can remember when you had a problem like that they would call in a Ranger, no I dont mean a bunch of them, just one. As a little shaver my mother and I were in Borger, Texas, and a bunch of them thoughts from Chicago and back East were trying to

take over the town and bring in prostitution, gambling and booze and the state called in a Ranger. He skinned up a few of the toughs and run all them ladies of the night out of town. Ive had the privilege of knowin many of the Rangers and thought a lot of them and the only one I didnt like was one they called Lone Wolf Gonzales and he would bring in his prisoner but they would be across their saddles—dead.

Many years ago I worked at Ruidoso Downs, N.M. and little Jimmy



Dickens was to be a guest there. I knew two cousins of his that were ranchers in Texas and called them to come over and visit with Jimmy. They came and I had all three of them in the Winners Circle and the photographer made their photo with the winnin

horse. I never saw three grown men shed tears of joy like these three did. Jiggs and Monty Williams are deceased but what a thrill I had with their visit.

Love, Ab and Mama

Sweetwater News
By Lois Flowers

We had a shower last night with some really loud thunder and lightning. Gave the house a good shaking. My rain gauge blew off and we guessed the rain at .4. My neighbors informed me we had .6. The TV weatherman missed that rain about 2 weeks ago when we nearly floated away. I think they got some flak about it and went a little overboard yesterday to make up for it.

Mrs. Robert Kerr called me Saturday to see if their friend Birdie Whipkey was still at home. She and the Senator came out that afternoon to wish her well.

Our FFA members and sponsor, Mr. Elam, attended the FFA convention at the Myraid. Mandy Hagerman received the State Farmer Award. Jennifer Taylor, Dairy, Brad Atkinson, Swine, Chris Barton, won proficiency awards and will go to the National Convention in November to represent OK in the competition. Among those there to see the awards were Elbert, Eva and Brendon Atkinson, Brenda Perry and Julie Bridges.

Hansford and Almeda Jenkins, Texoma, spent a week with the mother, Stella Jenkins. Then they and Kyle went to St. Louis to deliver a car Hansford had bought for Stacy and Mike Adams. Also got to see little Jeffrey.

Justin Lohberger and Natalie Robison received Associate degrees in General Education at the Sayre SWOSU graduation. Rep. Randy Beutler was the speaker. Randy was recognized recently by the state Jaycees as one of our "Outstanding Young Oklahomans".

Samye Steward, AZ, and Jean Foster, Lubbock, came by Monday to visit and brought a bountiful supper. They also visited Bob and Thelma Abia, and Ruth McCampbell at Erick. They were on their way to Branson, Mo., to a Cousin's reunion.

Others planning to attend were Darlene and Chuck Ragtvelt, Seattle, Judy and Jerry Kerns, Peoria, Dorothy and Dan Keller, Indianapolis, Wanda, Susie, Glen and Stacey Flowers, Ca., Joe and Esther Flowers, Mo, Paul and Doris Flowers, Norman, S. T. and Heidi Flowers, Tulsa, Elsie and Wesley Dugger, AR.

Memorial services were Monday for Elsie Alexander, 95, at the Sweetwater Baptist Church with Ray Smart officiating. Burial was in the Mulberry Cemetery with Fatheree, Albert funeral Home in charge.

Pauline Roberts and Anne

Wingfield flew to Fullerton, Ca., where they attended the Memorial services for Ervin Godwin, husband of Juanita.

Inez Coffey was visiting her sister, Travis Messingale, 88, at Dustin, OK. Her sister died while she was there.

Services are pending for Sam Holmberg. He and Joe went to school together and measured crops the same time.

Bonnie Rice and Laura Rstke, Custer City, attended the state Postmaster's Convention at Shawnee last week. Elbert and Eva Atkinson went to the Mail Carriers meet at Woodward Saturday.

Esther Dickey has been on the puny side. Her daughter, Elinor Mears has been with her. Peggy Dunlap has been in the hospital at Sayre.

We managed to get out Monday for groceries after being rained in. Visited with the folks at Pucketts, Hugh Prater and Lavell Hill. We truly appreciate all those who take the trouble to call and see if we are OK and some even come by.

We do get lonesome. In fact, we got out a tape of the Erick Kitchen Band and played it Sunday for company. Hard to give up something like that after 18 years.

Eb and Eva Atkinson went to Laverne last night to see Cheyenne play baseball. Said the game was rained out but not before Brad knocked a homer out of the park.

Rhonda Arrington, Judy Tipton, Bette Davis, Theresa Nabors, Louise Perry, Imogene Puckering, and Ruth Holland were planning to attend the Bible School Clinic at Elk City, Tuesday night.

Joyce Taylor dropped by to visit Clara Lou McGuire. Joe. E. has been busy at the Erick flea market.

The Morgan brothers had a reunion at Erick April 19-20. Those attending were Don and Carlene Morgan, Temple, OK, J. B. and Bert Morgan, Broken Bow, NE, Earl and Donna Morgan, Hobart, OK., Bob and Archola Bruner, Erick, Lynn and Treva Morgan, OKC, Denise and Benjamin Thomas, Granite, OK. The Morgan-Bassett Reunion will be held June 6, 7 & 8 in Erick at the Comfort Inn.

Despite all the ups and downs of the weather, My Yellow Roses of Texas are blooming. The deer finished off the tulips.

I don't think they should give immunity or special treatment to the Fortiers. If they really knew that bombing was going to happen, and didn't report it, they are guilty of murder too.

Any items that would tell about the history of Sweetwater and Meridian and could be put in the Minnie Slief Museum at Cheyenne would be appreciated by E. L. Fowler.

Brad Atkinson was one of the Division winners at the Southwestern Interscholastic meet at Weatherford, recently.

The John Haag house south of Sweetwater has been torn down. It was built about the turn of the century and was a local landmark. My brother, Frank, was born in it.

The Roger Mills County Democrats met recently and elected Jerry Dean Chairman, and Ida Dean co-chairman. Clara Davis was elected secretary, Ronald Baker, state committee member, with Shirley Baker, alternate. E. L. Fowler thanked everyone for their help during his two terms as chairman. Rep. Butler discussed some of the recent bills before the legislature. Geniece Cook served refreshments.

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LIBRARY NEWS

Yard work and gardening for the most part was put on hold for another week. Looks like sunny skies and warmer weather for a few days anyway. After that hard yard work put your feet up and enjoy a good book.

The internet was in demand this week by 7 high school users and one college student.

Our supplies came in for our summer reading program. Our theme this year is "The Incredible Dream Machine". This will be every Tuesday in June. We will tell you more about this later.

Several book were donated this week. One was by David Britt. He donated 18 books, these were both fiction and nonfiction. Thank you David we appreciate you. Also than, to the anonymous doner. We appreciate all memorials and donations.

Our new book order has been sent off and we hope to have them in by the end of the week.

We are spotlighting two thrillers this week. The first one is "Deep

As The Marrow" by F. Paul Wilson. Vowing to make narcotics legal and tax and regulate them to the brink of extinction, the president intends to take billions of dollars generated from drug sales out of the hands of the drug cartel and, put them into government coffers. The Conservatives and the Bible Belt are outraged and the drug lords are none too happy either. When the President's personal physician's little daughter is kidnapped, the pace quickens. The doctor can have his child back if he'll poison his best friend, the President of the United States.

The second featured book is "Snow Angel" by Thom Racina. "A highly charged thriller. If this is your bedtime reading, you had better check your doors and windows, look under your bed. And leave your lights on. Snow Angel is the scariest suspense thriller in ages", says Judith Gould. For you who like the nail biters, this has your name on it!

We checked out 180 books, 13 audios and had 126 patrons. On our book sale we made about \$60.00. This sale will be on going in the front room. We still have some great books.

Come see us and check out some good reading.

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Under the plan, all calls to and from Wheeler will be local calls.

"Prior to the start of the Extended Local Calling, each call between these areas was billed separately as a long-distance call, and customers would see a long-distance charge per call on their monthly bills," said Danny Ferguson, Area Manager - Customer Operations, Plains district.

"Now, these calls are equivalent to local calls, and all customers in the towns having the new Expanded Local Calling (ELC) must now dial all seven digits, both for local calls and ELC calls," explained Mr. Danny Ferguson.

The implementation of this seven-digit service may require modification to some telecommunications equipment such as fax machines, speed calling, PABXs, key system, automatic dialers and other equipment that may restrict or automatically dial long-distance numbers.

Customers are not required to take any action to take advantage of the new service offering. Once extended calling is operational, it will no longer be necessary for customers to dial "1+" before the number when placing calls between these communities, but you must dial all seven digits for local and ELC calls.

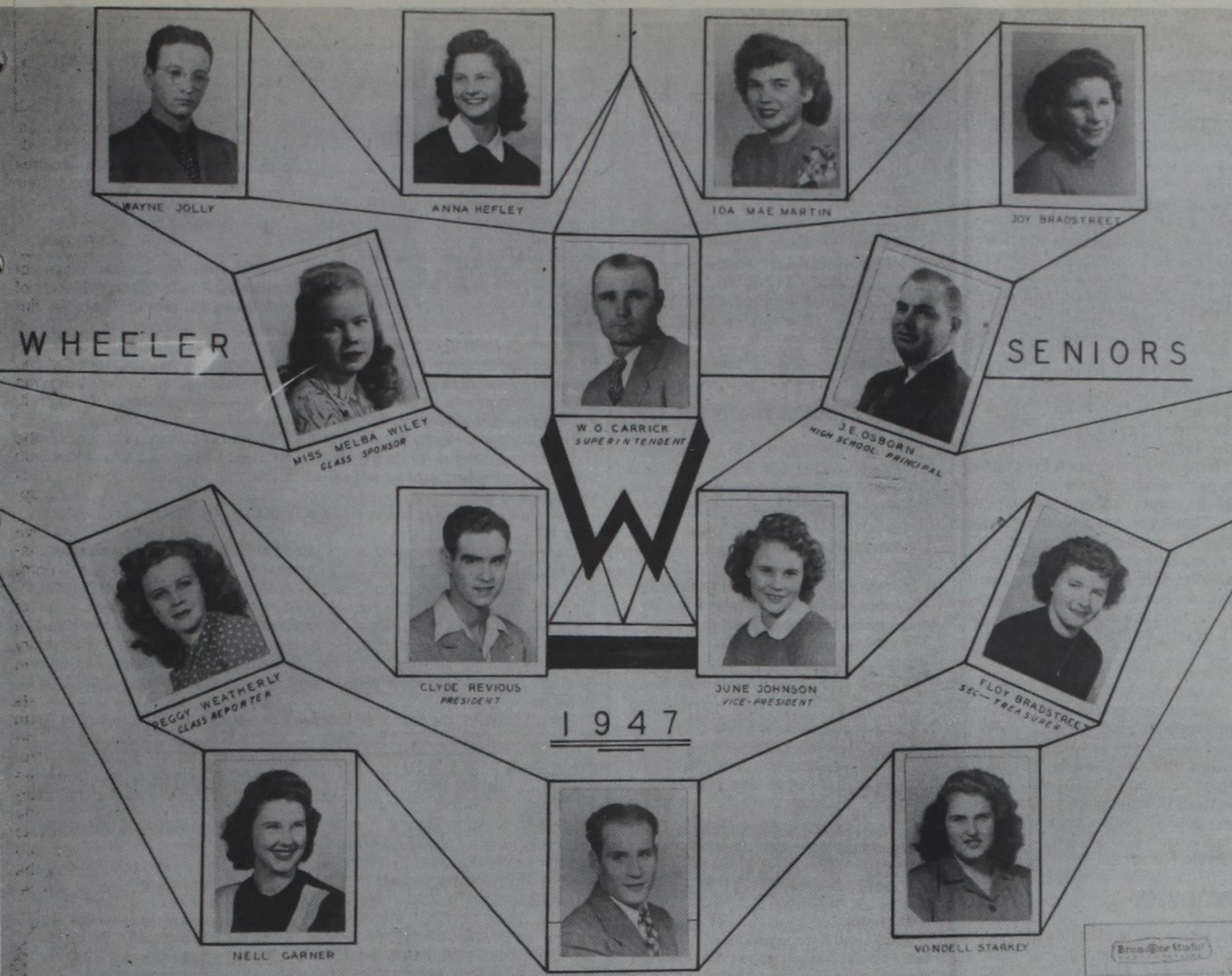
This is a result of balloting which

took place in the Wheeler telephone service area under the rules of Senate Bill 632 and the Public Utility Commission Rule 23.49 (c). Under those guidelines, certain communities were allowed to petition for extended toll-free calling to nearby communities.

A per-line increase in the total monthly bill of \$3.50 for residential customers and \$7.00 for business customers will be assessed to customers in Wheeler for the added service. The charges will be listed as "EXPANDED LOCAL CALLING" in the tax portion of the telephone bill. More information will be provided to affected customers in their monthly telephone bill as the service becomes operational.

Residential customers with questions about the ELC service should call toll-free 1-800-484-4400, and business customers should call 1-800-0483-5400.

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Wheeler County COURT RECORDS

List of Instruments filed in the Wheeler County Clerk's Office from April 23, 1997 to May 2nd, 1997.

APRIL 23, 1997
RDT—First State Bank of Mobeetie to Kenneth McCasland, 3-25-97, Lot 6 and N 1/2 Lot 5, Blk. 2, Hunter Add., Wheeler.

RDT—United States of America to Carl W. Knoll, et ux, 4-17-97, Lot 13, Blk. 6, Mont-Lew Add., Shamrock.
EXT DT—Philip E. Pendleton, et ux to First National Bank of Shamrock, 3-26-97, See Instrument.

ASSIGN—Wolf Production, Inc. to Kenneth Wickhaemper, 4-11-97, NE 1/4 Sec. 35 and SE 1/4 Sec. 47, Blk. 13, H&GN Ry. Company Survey.

MD—Leon Red to TCM/PA 1997-B, et al, 4-14-97, 30 acs. Sec. 9, Blk. R.E., Roberts & Eddleman Survey.
MD—Leon Red to Buttram Energies, et al, 4-14-97, 5 acs. Sec. 9, Blk. R.E., Roberts & Eddleman Survey.
MD—Leon Red to Donald F. Duncan, 4-14-97, 5 acs. Sec. 9, Blk. R.E., Roberts & Eddleman Survey.

EXT OL—Marilyn Steed Stafford to Devon Energy Corporation (Nevada), et al, 3-12-97, Sec. 19, Camp County School Land.
RATIFICATION—Robert B. Robert to Devon Corporation (Nevada), 3-25-97, Sec. 9, Blk. R.E., Roberts & Eddleman Survey.
RATIFICATION—Will Ed Bell to Devon Energy Corporation (Nevada), 3-25-97, Sec. 9, Blk. R.E., Roberts & Eddleman Survey.
DT/EXT MML—B.D. Hardin, et ux to

FIFTIETH ANNIVERSARY: The Class of 1947 will celebrate the 50th anniversary of their graduation this year at the student reunion. They will be honored at a party at the home of Ida Mae Martin Goad on Friday night, June 13th. All their schoolmates and teachers are invited to attend.

First Bank Southwest National Association, 4-17-97, N 160 acs. N 1/2 Sec. 123, Blk. 23, H&GN Ry. Company Survey.
DVL—John B. Terry, et ux to Robert A. Greenwalt, et ux, 4-21-97, 5' Lot 18; All of Lot 19; and S 30' Lot 20, Blk. 8, Mont-Lew Add., Shamrock.
DT—Robert A. Greenwalt, et ux to Amarillo National Bank, 4-21-97, 5' Lot 18; All of Lot 19; and S 30' Lot 20, Blk. 8, Mont-Lew Add., Shamrock.
APRIL 24, 1997
DT—Westpan NGL Co. to Chase Manhattan Bank, 4-14-97, See Instrument.
DT—Westpan NGL Co. to Chase Manhattan Bank, 4-14-97, See Instrument.
MD—Concord Royalty to Sidwell Oil & Gas, Inc., 4-23-97, Sec. 39, Blk. A-3, H&GN Ry. Company Survey.
DT—Bligh Petroleum, Inc. to Bank One, Texas, NA, 4-15-97, See Instrument.

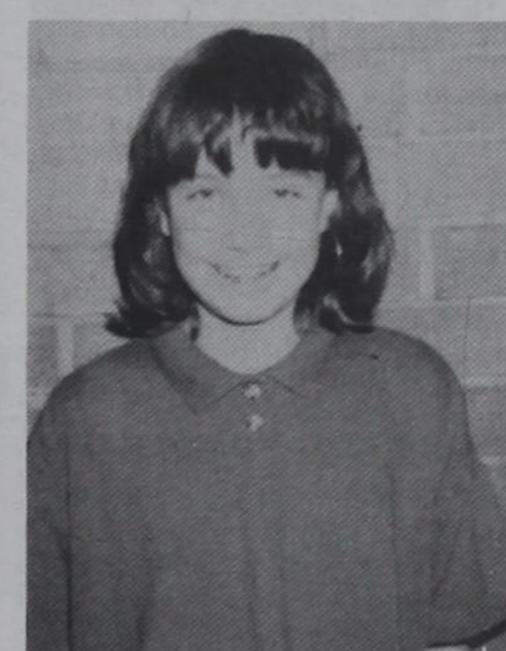
C/C PROBATE—Alvin Lester Jones to Ex-Parte, 4-21-97, Sec. 21, Blk. A-7, H&GN Ry. Company Survey.
OL—Margaret Katherine Berry to Apache Corporation, 2-11-97, SE 1/4

Sec. 22, Blk. A-3, H&GN Ry. Company Survey.
OL—Alice Ula Burress to Apache Corporation, 3-24-97, E 1/2 W 1/2 E 1/2; E 1/2 E 1/2 Sec. 2, Blk. A-3, H&GN Ry. Company Survey.
OL—Sandra Yvonne Crowder to R.D. Davis & Associates, Inc., 2-28-97, NE 1/4 Sec. 3, Blk. L, J. M. Lindsey Survey.
OL—Adolph W. Dryden to Apache Corporation, 2-11-97, SE 1/4 Sec. 22, Blk. A-3, H&GN Ry. Company Survey.
OL—Glenda Rhea Gaines to R.D. Davis & Associates, Inc., 2-28-97, NE 1/4 Sec. 3, Blk. L, J. M. Lindsey Survey.
OL—Ruth T. Caperton Trust to Apache Corporation, 2-7-97, SE 1/4 Sec. 22, Blk. A-3, H&GN Ry. Company Survey.
OL—Lou Neal Porter, et al to Apache Corporation, 2-10-97, NW 1/4 Sec. 22, Blk. A-3, H&GN Ry. Company Survey.
OL—Kenneth Wayne Richardson to R.D. Davis & Associates, Inc., 2-28-97, NE 1/4 Sec. 3, Blk. L, J. M. Lindsey Survey.

OL—Densel Reed, et ux to Apache Corporation, 3-24-97, E 1/2 W 1/2 E 1/2; E 1/2 E 1/2 Sec. 2, Blk. A-3, H&GN Ry. Company Survey.
OL—Gordon H. Richardson to R.D. Davis & Associates, Inc., 2-28-97, NE 1/4 Sec. 3, Blk. L, J. M. Lindsey Survey.
OL—Connie Rue Taylor to R.D. Davis & Associates, Inc., 2-28-97, NE 1/4 Sec. 3, Blk. L, J. M. Lindsey Survey.
OL—Alden Edgar West Jr. to R.D. Davis & Associates, Inc., 2-28-97, SE 1/4 Sec. 3, Blk. L, J. M. Lindsey Survey.
OPTION AGREEMENT—Paul Manning Wiley to R.D. Davis & Associates, Inc., 4-24-97, E 1/2 NW 1/4 Sec. 4, Blk. A-4, H&GN Ry. Company Survey.

APRIL 25, 1997
HEIRSHIP AFF—Nelda Hunter, et al to Beryl Brett Dearing, 4-17-97, Pt. SW 1/4 Sec. 4, T&NO Survey.
D—Floyd G. George, et al to Dwayne Baker, et ux, 4-17-97, Pt. SW 1/4 Sec. 4, T&NO Survey.

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Saturday, May 17, 1997 — Sale Time: 9:30 a.m.
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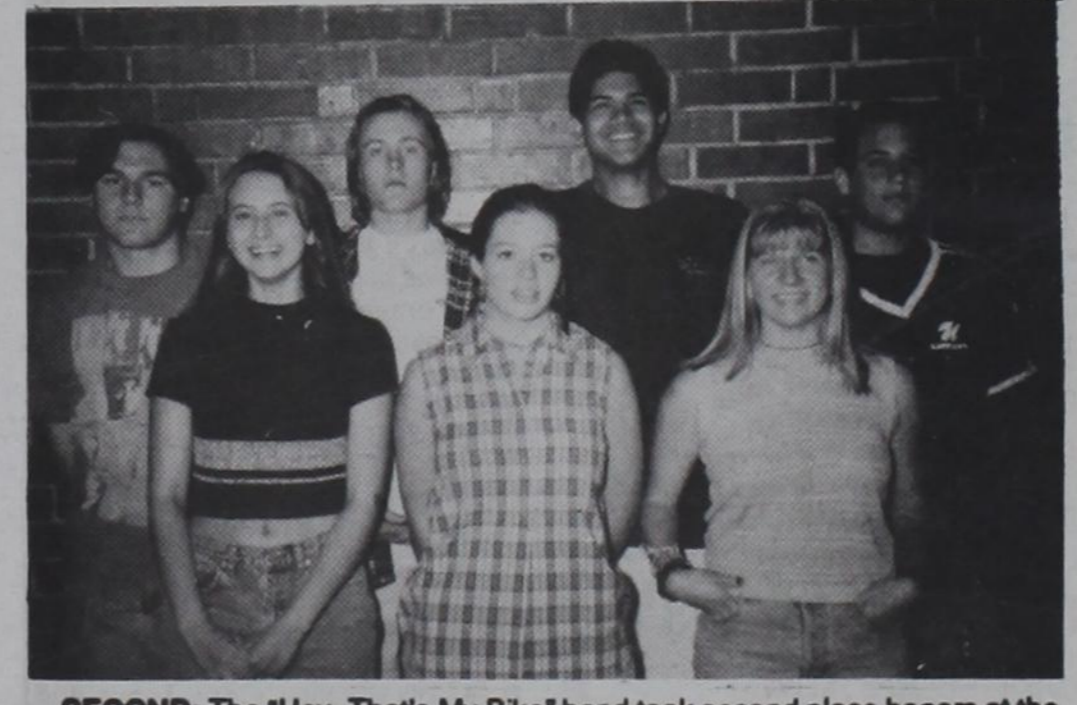
- 1—1984 Case 2594 Diesel Tractor, Cab, AC, Htr., Radio, P/S Trans., W.F., 3-pt., D.H. Wts., 20.838 Rubber (2519 Hrs.)
- 1—1973 John Deere 7700 Diesel Combine, Cab, 24' Header (Less Than 100 Hrs. On New Eng.)
- 1—1989 John Deere 95 Gas Combine, Cab, 14' & 20' Headers, 18.4x26 Rubber (4,400 Hrs.)
- 1—D. 435 W 4 Row Combines
- 1—Big 12, 400 Bu. Grain Cart
- 1—Shop Made Call Table
- 1—New Rolls Barb Wire
- 1—Lot Metal Cattle Panels, Various Sizes
- 1—Lot 3x16' Metal Wire Mesh Panels
- 4—Expanded Metal Livestock Panels
- 1—Small 4 Wheel Pony Wagon W/Tongue, Rubber Tires
- 1—Lot Telephone Poles
- 1—Lot Cross Ties
- 1—Lot 11 Posts
- 1—Lot Wooden Fence Posts
- 1—Hog Waterer
- 1—Lot Barb & Elec. Fence Wire
- 1—6x20' Portable Grain Auger W/Gas Engine
- 1—Crustbuster 54' D.T. Deep Farrow Hyd. Fold Grain Drill, 10' Spaced W/Hyd. Hitch
- 1—4HC 24' D.T. Offset Disc
- 1—Wilbeck 22' Offset Disc
- 1—Noble 42' D.T. Springtooth Harrow
- 1—Crustbuster 32' D.T. Springtooth Harrow, Levers
- 1—Big Ox 11 Shank V-Ripper Plow, 3-pt., Dual Gauge Wheels
- 1—Servis 14' D.T. Bathing Shredder (Good)
- 1—Krause 18' D.T. Oneways, C.C. (Good)
- 1—Krause 15' D.T. One-way, C.C.
- 1—Demopar 6 Hole Deep Farrow Grain Drills
- 1—John Deere DRA 16-10' Grain Drills, Single Discs, Levers
- 1—Lot Hydraulic Cylinders
- 1—Roll-A-Cone 7 Shank, 3-pt. Folding Stubble-Mulch Plow, L.T.M., D.G.W.
- 1—Roll-A-Cone 5 Shank, 3-pt. Stubble Mulch Plow, L.T.M., G.W., 4x7' Front Bar, 4x4" & 2x4" Bars Behind
- 1—5 Shank D.T. Stubble Mulch Plow
- 1—D. 14' D.D.B. 3-pt. Tool Carrier W/3-D. Orch. Shanks, G.W.
- 12-1/2 Curved Orchard Shanks
- 1—Small 4 Wheel Pony Wagon W/Tongue, Metal & Wire
- 1—4 Wheel, 10' Box Bed Trailer
- 1—Pickup Service Bed
- 1—500 Gal. Butane Tank
- 1—2,000 Gal. Water Or Fuel Tank
- 1—575 Gal. Propane Tank, 200 PSI
- 1—500 Gal. Fuel Tank On Skids
- 2—500 Gal. Overhead Fuel Tanks & Stands
- 1—300 Gal. Fuel Tank
- 1—110 Gal. Diesel Tank
- 1—Forney 180 Amp Elec. Welder
- 1—A-Frame Hoist Rack
- 1—Lot Hand Tools
- 1—Air Compressor W/40 Gal. Tank (No Motor)
- 1—1 Ton Chain Hoist
- 1—1 Ton Chain Hoist
- 1—Suction Machine On 2 Wheel Chassis W/4 Cyl. Gas Eng.
- 1—Lot Tires & Wheels
- 1—Lot 8x12' Galvanized Stals
- 1—Truck Rear End W/Axle, Tires & Wheels
- 1—Set 15-34 Snap On Tractor Duals
- 1—Set 16' Metal Grain Boards
- 1—Smith-Roles 4x12' Grain Drill Fill Auger, 12 Volt
- 1—120 Gal. Fuel Tank W/12 Volt Pump
- 1—S.M. 110 Gal. Fuel Tank W/Tool Box
- 1—Shop Stove
- 1—S.M. Grinder W/Elec. Motor
- 1—Shop Table
- 1—Air Op Grease Gun
- 1—Elec. Chain Hoist
- 1—Winch Pulley Hooks
- 2—Large Boomers
- 1—Set Truck Chains
- 1—Hyd. Cylinder
- 1—Scoop, Shovel Pick
- 1—Lot Sweeps, Chisels
- 1—Snapper Gas Mower W/12 H.P. Gas Engine

Saturday, May 17, 1997 — Sale Time: 1:00 p.m.

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- 1—1956 Chevrolet S.A. Truck, 6 Cyl. Eng., 4 Sp. 2 Sp., 14' Wooden Bed, Needs Carburetor
- 1—1975 Chevrolet C-20 Pickup, 350 V-8 Eng., Silverado, AT, A/C, P/S, Radio, Htr., Needs Trans.
- 1—Krause 17 Shank, 3-pt., Mod. 793 Chisel/Sweep Plow, T.S.B. W/Ext. H.C.
- 1—Krause D.T., 15' Chisel Chopper, C.C.
- 1—Krause 3 Blade Sweep Plow, Mod. 590, 3 1/2' Blades, F.W., C.C., D.T. Coulters
- 2—John Deere DRB 20-8 Grain Drills, Single Disc, C.C., P.W.
- 1—Waldon 2 Drill Hitch
- 1—John Deere D.T. 28' Field Cultivator (Spring Tooth) Plow, T.S.B., C.C., F.W., G.W.
- 1—Sun Flower 17 Shank D.T. Sweep Plow, Fold Wing, C.C.
- 1—Case D.T. 5 Bottom, 5-16' Mouldboard Plow, L.C.
- 1—Continental 3-pt. Post Hole Digger
- 1—S.M. 20x30' Metal Building - To Be Moved - 2 Way Door In Top, 1-Air Compressor Mounted To Wall, Pipe Construction, Sheet Iron
- 1—Co-op 1,250 Bu. Round Granary, Nice
- 1—S.M. Metal Skid To Move Granary
- 1—S.M. Goose-neck Stock Trailer, T.A., 6x20' Elect. Brakes, Could Be Made Into Double Deck, No Floor, Good & Heavy, Was Never Finished
- 1—Mayrath 6'x30' Portable Grain Auger W/BS 10 H.P. Gas Engine, Shredded
- 1—Smith-Roles 4x12' Grain Drill Fill Auger, 12 Volt
- 1—120 Gal. Fuel Tank W/12 Volt Pump
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SECOND: The "Hey, That's My Bike" band took second place honors at the FHA Talent Show Thursday evening at the high school auditorium. Band members are: (l. to r.) Ben Britt, Alli Moore, Jed Brooks, Kara Emmert, Ernesto Martenez, Lacey Smith and Will Woollard.



THIRD: This group of Wheeler High School students won third place Thursday evening, May 1, 1997, at Wheeler's annual FHA Talent Show. "The Last Minute Band" members are: (l. to r.) Josh Lee, Andy Copeland, Jed Brooks and Stephanie Lee.

MD—Albert H. Meier to Velma M. Altobelli, 8-7-96, W 1/2 NE 1/4 Sec. 49, Blk. 24, H&GN Ry. Company Survey.

C/C ORDER APPOINTING—Adrienne Gans Simon to Ex-Parte, 4-8-97.
C/C ORDER GRANTING—Adrienne Gans Simon to Ex-Parte, 4-8-97.
MD—James Thomas Treadwell to Betty R. Treadwell, 4-24-97, Sec. 35, Blk. M-1, H&GN Ry. Company Survey.

APRIL 28, 1997
D—Janice Howell Griffin to Manita Zaiontz, 4-23-97, Lots 1-3, 22-24, XIII, Shamrock.

D—Joe Keith Miller to Nance Janel Miller Kienzle, 2-28-97, NW 1/4 Sec. 42, Blk. A-3, H&GN Ry. Company Survey.
D—Kimberly Ann Ray, et vir to Lori Deanne Ray, et al, 4-14-97, SE 1/4 Sec. 6, Blk. L, J. M. Lindsey Survey.
OL—Frances E. Jones, et al to William D. Sinclair, Inc., 1-31-97, W 1/2 Sec. 25, Blk. A-5, H&GN Ry. Company Survey.

ASSIGN—Parker & Parsley Development LP, et al to Geronimo Holding Corp., 4-8-97, Sec. 5, Blk. 5, B&B Survey.

TMML—Ross Phillips to Countrywide Funding, 4-22-97, Pt. Sec. 2, Blk. C, Elisha Montgomery Survey.
DT—Ray S. Hudson, et ux to Countrywide Home Loans, Inc., 4-23-97, Pt. Sec. 2, Blk. C, Elisha Montgomery Survey.
DT—Joseph M. Archer, et ux to Hale County State Bank-Tulia, 4-25-97, All of Lot 14 and N 16' of Lot 13, Blk. 64, WSSA, Shamrock.
DT—Legacy Royalties, LTD to Dan C. Woldert, 4-10-97, See Instrument.

APRIL 29, 1997
MD—Concord Royalty to John R. Buckthal, 4-23-97, Sec. 39, Blk. A-3, H&GN Ry. Company Survey.
STL—State of Texas to Dolgen Corp of Texas Inc., 4-25-97.
STL—State of Texas to Marty Malone, 4-25-97.
TRUSTEE'S D.—Martin and Kathryn Gossett Revocable Trust to Gossett Survivor's Trust, 4-21-97, See Instrument.

D—Stanley A. Brander, Jr. to Stanley A. Brander, Jr. Trust, 4-23-97, See Instrument.
RATIFICATION—Amarillo Energy Company to Devon Energy Corporation (Nevada), et al, 3-25-97, Sec. 9, Blk. R.E., Roberts & Eddleman Survey.
RATIFICATION—Judy Bell Smith to Devon Energy Corporation (Nevada), et al, 3-25-97, Sec. 9, Blk. R.E., Roberts & Eddleman Survey.
RATIFICATION—Spencer Jerry Sumrow to Devon Energy Corporation (Nevada), et al, 3-25-97, Sec. 9, Blk. R.E., Roberts & Eddleman Survey.

RATIFICATION—Tritt Bounds Bell to Devon Energy Corporation (Nevada), et al, 3-25-97, Sec. 9, Blk. R.E., Roberts & Eddleman Survey.
RATIFICATION—Marcia Diana Bell to Devon Energy Corporation (Nevada), et al, 3-25-97, Sec. 9, Blk. R.E., Roberts & Eddleman Survey.
EXT. OL—Amarillo Energy Company to Devon Energy Corporation (Nevada), et al, 4-23-97, Sec. 19, Camp County School Land.
D—James Estes Jones, et al to Danny L. Rogers, et ux, 3-12-97, E 1/2 Sec. 30, Blk. A-5, H&GN Ry. Company Survey.

D—Janet Reddick Bond, et al to Danny L. Rogers, et ux, 4-11-97, E 1/2 Sec. 30, Blk. A-5, H&GN Ry. Company Survey.
DT—Danny L. Rogers, et ux to First State Bank of Mobeetie, 4-29-97, E 1/2 Sec. 30, Blk. A-5, H&GN Ry. Company Survey.
C/C PROBATE—Vernon L. Reddick to Ex-Parte, 1-14-97, See Instrument.

APRIL 30, 1997
D—Sarah Speegle, et al to Larry McLemore, et ux, 2-20-97, 18.03 acs. NE 1/4 Sec. 54, Blk. 23, H&GN Ry. Company Survey.
DT—Larry G. McLemore, et ux to First Bank & Trust of Shamrock, 2-20-97, 18.03 acs. NE 1/4 Sec. 54, Blk. 23, H&GN Ry. Company Survey.
PARTIAL ASSIGN—Enron Oil & Gas Company to Rick Woollard, 4-17-97, NW 1/4 Sec. 3, AB&M Survey.
POA—Kaiser-Francis Oil Company to Alan Joyce, 4-10-97.
PARTIAL ASSIGN—Enron Oil & Gas Company to Kaiser-Francis Oil Company, 4-17-97, Sec. 29, Blk. R. E., Roberts & Eddleman Survey.
POA—Jim S. Larmon to R. M. Williams, 4-10-97.
ASSIGN—Headington Penn Corp. to Jim S. Larmon, 3-17-97, See Instrument.

ASSIGN—Parker & Parsley Development LP, et al to B.L.B. Inc., 4-9-97, W 1/2 NE 1/4 and the SE 1/4 Sec. 53, Blk. A-8, H&GN Ry. Company Survey.
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walk with you and hold hands. I love your food that you cook everyday. I like it when you play basketball and you say "you can do it!" I appreciate your hard work. I would like for us to go to Six Flags Over Texas and stay with someone. I love you with my whole heart. You are so nice to me. I love you Mom!

Love,
Lacey Henson

Dear Mom,

I want to go to Colorado and ride on an airplane. I want to see how I like riding on an airplane. I want to go fishing. I want to see if I can get a catfish or a bass. I love fishing. I want to stay four nights in Colorado. I think I'll like it in Colorado. I think Lacey will want to go. Thank you for all that you do for me!

Love,
Brentney Taylor

Dear Mom,

Thank you very much for helping me plant seeds. I love your food. I love the cake you made for my birthday. I think you are a terrific mother. When we went to Mexico and I got sick, you took care of me - even when I couldn't move my neck. I love your burritos you cook for us. Thank you for teaching me how to play the lottery. Happy Mother's Day!

Love,
Norma Salas

Dear Mom,

I want to do wonderful things in the summer with you. Let's go walking together and see the birds and pick flowers and see the sky. Let's pick apples from an apple tree and go to the store. I want to go to the swimming pool and to the park with you.

Love,
Dallia Mendoza

Computer (from Page 1)

p.m. with a registration fee of \$45. An increasing number of Panhandle farmers and ranchers are using BUDPRO to answer the question "to make money or not to make money." The stand alone, menu-driven software package includes six "user-friendly" programs used to project budgets for corn, wheat, sorghum, cotton, stocker cattle and cow-calf enterprises. BUDPRO calculates break-even prices and provides sensitivity analysis for varying prices and quantities produced. Each registered participant will receive the software, valued at \$100.

The two-day class featuring Quicken 6 for Windows 95 will be held on May 28 and 29, from 9 a.m. to 3:30 p.m. There's a registration fee of \$75 per participant.

Quicken 6 for Windows 95 is an inexpensive, easy to use record keeping program adopted by producers to categorize income and expenses with their operations. No prior computer experience is necessary.

Each shortcourse has space limitations, and pre-registration is required. The computer lab will serve 14 participants. Couples are encouraged to attend together, paying only the single-user fee, if they share one computer.

To register, send a check with registration form (available through any county Extension office) to reserve a place for the course. Checks should be made payable to TAEX and sent to: Regina Linder, Texas Agricultural Extension Service, Texas A&M Research and Extension Center, 6500 Amarillo Blvd. West, Amarillo, Texas 79106.

Information is available through your county agent or through Dr. Amosson at (806) 359-5401.

Chat (from Page 1)

Sherman and finally Lovelady. Barbara did not return. She will be staying to check records in Huntsville. And, she is getting in some quality time with Dorcie and Cathi.

—cwe—
Kellie McNeil has been called back into service by the Times.
—cwe—

Mobeetie (from Page 3)

Jackie and Fred Thrashers daughter, Patti, and grandchildren, Krista and Cody are having fun at their house in Wisconsin. Their dalmation had eleven puppies over the weekend. They were really excited when they called Grandma and Grandpa.

Hope ya'll have a great week. Count your blessings.

Our prayers and concerns: Shara and Jayton Bell, Edith and Kelley Cross, Dana and baby Graham, Ariza and Anna Belle Corcoran, Bud Scribner, Doyle and Bulah Grimes, Nettie and Pierce Walker, Doug and Doris Whaley, Peeler and Evelyn Hanning, Jud and Lorene Rector, the South family, the Hard family, Jess and Deanna Mixon, our friend Mr. St. John, Marolyn Howard, Edith McLaughlin, Ernie Gordon, Wilbur Beck, Alice Bailey, Gary, Tonya and Cooper Gilliland, Jake and Laura Moffett, Ray and Velma Forbes, the members of the City Council and the members of the school board. Jim and Elaine Bower, Larry Finsterwald, and Bud Fletcher.



You may be way over the hill, Grandma (50), but I love you anyway!

Dear Mom,
Thank you very much for all that you do. I love to watch T.V. with you. It is fun to go walking together. I enjoy shopping with you. You really cook great food. My favorite is the fruit and eggs. I am so glad that you are my mother.

Love,
Jesus Gonzales

Dear Mom,

I like you, you're sweet to me. I like when we go fishing together. I will pick flowers for you. I like it when you wear purple shirt and blue pants. I like it when you take me to my friends' houses. I like it when we clean the yard together. I like it when we go walking together. You're the best mom in the world. I love you!

Love,
Hector Hank Badillo

Dear Mom,

I love you and I like to be around you because you are a nice mother. You are the best mother there is. I wish you a happy Mother's Day!

Love,
Garrett Hampton

Dear Mommy,

I love you very much. I hope you like your Mother's Day gift I will give you. I like your food that you cook. Can we go walking together some more? I hope you have a happy Mother's Day. I give you hugs and kisses. My favorite food is pizza, steak, bacon, eggs, apples, bananas, lemons, and limes.

Love,
Daniel Diera

Dear Mom,

I love you. I like your cooking. In the summer, I want to go swimming with you and do lots more other things.

Love,
Cole Hathaway

Dear Mom,

I wish you a happy Mother's Day. I want you to have a good time. I want you to have the best Mother's Day party ever! After that I want you to have a good day!

Love,
Ricky Salas

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THE WHEELER TIMES
PAGE 8—Thursday, May 8, 1997
"Wheeler, town of friendship and pride."

Wheeler Church of Christ

Congregational Concerns:

On this coming Monday night, May 12th, the men's monthly business meeting will be held in the multi-purpose building. A fellowship meal will be served before this business meeting. This fellowship meal will be served at 7:00 p.m.

At the conclusion of the morning worship service on Sunday, May 18th, a fellowship luncheon will be held in the multi-purpose building to honor the ladies of this congregation. Before this luncheon begins, the 1997 seniors will be recognized and given a copy of the Bible. Then at the conclusion of the luncheon, the evening worship service will be held.

The Children's Home of Lubbock has asked this congregation to collect boxes of facial tissue for its Big Heart Campaign. A box has been placed in the lobby for the boxes of facial tissue that the members of this congregation would like to give.

The summer quarter of the Bible school program will begin on Sunday, May 18th.

Larry Finsterwald remains hospitalized in Baptist/St. Anthony's Hospital in Amarillo. His condition is slowly improving.

Mary Jane Gearhart is hospitalized in Baptist/St. Anthony's Hospital in Amarillo, recovering from a recent heart attack.

Bud Fletcher has been released from the rehabilitation unit of Baptist/St. Anthony's Hospital in Amarillo. He is now resting at his home in Pampa.

Maurine Gilmer, the mother of Tillie Snelgroves, has been released from Baptist/St. Anthony's Hospital in Amarillo. She is now resting at her home in Wheeler.

Robert Cosper, the father of Patricia Forrester, has been released from the hospital in Pampa. He has been staying with Ed and Patricia.

From The Minister's Desk:

From January of 1970 to March of 1980, I served as the minister of the Church of Christ in Ozona, Texas. And in September of 1977, I wrote a bulletin article that said: ---

"The Morrison household had a traumatic experience last week. Last Monday morning, Jeff started to school. As I watched him leave with his lunch box in his hand, a large knot formed in the pit of my stomach because I realized that in twelve to fourteen years I would watch him leave, carrying not a lunch box, but a suitcase."

With the birth of their children, wise parents should realize that their children will eventually "leave the nest." "Parents do their children a grave injustice when they allow their children to develop total dependence upon them." Dr. Max Leach, a former professor of psychology at Abilene Christian University, always said: "If you properly care for children you lose them."

Since parents have their children for a relatively short time, it is essential to redeem the time. Children must be encouraged--taught--to become well-adjusted adults who can function in the world. They must receive enough love to provide security, enough discipline to teach them respect, and enough encouragement to give them self-esteem.

But most important, if their parents are Christians they must be raised "--in the discipline and instruction of the Lord." (Ephesians 6:4) By the grace of God, parents are given the privilege of creating a life that must exist somewhere as long as God Himself exists. Parents will be held accountable for the discharge of this awesome responsibility.

An Invitation: You are cordially invited to attend any of the weekly services of the Wheeler Church of Christ which meets at 1001 S. Alan Bean Blvd, in Wheeler, Texas

Jeff is only in the first grade and he will be at home for several more years. But one day his mother and I will "lose" him.

I pray that it is a "good loss."

Epilogue

Those twelve or fourteen years, which seemed like such a long time in 1977, have passed so quickly. Jeff will graduate from Wheeler High School on Friday night, May 26th.

With his graduation from high school, his mother and I will virtually lose him. In the fall, he will leave home for college, returning occasionally as a week-end visitor.

As I think about Jeff's leaving, I am a little apprehensive. Hopefully his mother and I have raised him to be a dependable and trustworthy young man. I cannot be completely certain, but I think that we have. I think that we have raised him to "lose" him. And I think that it is going to be a "good loss."

Final Epilogue

On this coming Saturday morning, May 10th, Jeff will graduate from the College of Architecture at Tech Tech University. Then within a few weeks after his graduation, he will move to Carlsbad, New Mexico where he will work for an architectural firm.

When I think about Jeff's graduation and his new job, I realize that he has "paid the price." He has worked hard. He has diligently studied. And he has asked for very little from his mother and I. Therefore, I can confidently say: "It has been a good loss."

Bill Morrison, Minister
Church of Christ
Wheeler, Texas

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Sunday Night Worship 6:00 P.M.
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Saturday, June 7, 1997—9:00 A.M.

Shamrock Country Club

1. 4-Man Scramble using Modified Handicap System (rules will be sent to team captains)
 2. Participants must be 18 years or older and a current or former North Wheeler County resident or special guest.
 3. Prizes on selected holes and Low Net and Low Gross teams.
 4. Please indicate handicap and if your team will need a cart.
 5. Entry fee—\$35.00 per person
 6. Limited to first 13 teams or 52 individuals.
 7. Individual entries will be paired with others depending on handicap.
 8. Sent entries to: BOB WILLS, Box 648, Wheeler, TX 79096. Entries must be received by June 2.
- Please come and enjoy this tournament and help the Lions Club to help others. A meal will be served.

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