# LAND NEEDED FOR USE BY TURKEY HUN

The Wheeler Chamber of Commerce is seeking farmers, ranchers or land owners willing to lease their land for the hunting of turkeys. The

project has been an annual event for the past nine years and offers the individuals an opportunity to earn extra money for the use of their land



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THE WHEELER TIMES

Single Copy: 400 THURSDAY, JANUARY 22, 1998 "Wheeler, town of friendship and pride."

# By Louis C. Stas

Congratulations, Jennifer Maddox! Jennifer took Reserve Grand Champion with her pig at the Top of Texas Stock Show.

-cwe-The committees for selecting the recipients for the Outstanding individual awards to be given at the Chamber banquet on February 7. If you know of a man, woman or employee deserving of recognition, give he chamber office a call or send them a letter. The phone number is 826-

Gary Hardcastle held the winning ticket at the Wheeler Livestock Boosters dinner Saturday night. -cwe-

Yes, I know; Steve did a wonderful job on the food.

Idon't know why two annual events have to overlap. I was in Amarillo for the Panhandle Emergency Medical Systems annual meeting. Kathleen Frankenbery was presented a plaque, honoring Mark for his time with the Ambulance Service.

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MEMORIAL RECOGNITION: Mark Frankenbery was recognized at the Panhandle Emergency Medical Services System Annual Meeting in Amarillo on Saturday evening, January 17, 1998, for the 9 years he devoted to the North Wheeler County Ambulance Service and PEMSS. Kathleen Frankenbery, Mark's widow, is shown here as she accepted the plaque from Rob Brown, PEMSS Advisory Board Chairman. Bob and Valetta Frankenbery, Kenny Frankenbery, Kevin and Kathy Frankenbery, Jimmy and Laura Fern Selby and Michelle Selby, and Louis Stas were in attendance.

## Wheeler Fire Dept. Elects 1998 Officers

The Wheeler Volunteer Fire Department elected officers for 1998 at

Ann Gibbs Announces For The Ann Gibbs is announcing her can- ground in electronic file processing,

didacy for election to the office of Hemphill County Clerk-31st District Clerk in the Republican Primary, March 10, 1998. Ms. Gibbs has more than twenty-

ive years of experience in office nanagement, accounting and comuter technology. She is presently employed part time by the Ty Sparks Law Finn, and is a contract mail carrier for the U.S. Postal Service.

Ms. Gibbs graduated from Hart High School and attended South Plains Junior College in Levelland, Texas. She received an associate degree in accounting from the Unirersity of Washington through the NRECA work study program. Before moving to Canadian, she served as Deputy County and District Clerk in Castro and Dallam Counties.

"I have been a resident of Hemphill County since 1977. 1 have three children, Greta Hill of Kearney Nebraska, Drew Gibbs of Amarillo, and Belton Bibbs of Ft. Hood, Texas.

In asking for the support of the citizens of Hemphill County, I commit my experience and skill to maintain the standards and quality that are in olace in the County and District Clerk's Office. I feel that my back-

White A-B- Zack Andis, Tyler

Burch, Ashley Groves, Skilar

Rowley, Michelle Torres, Dianna

Corral, Carley Owens, Ricardo

Gallardo, Randall Hatcher, Frankie

Second Grade: All A's- Jake

Benefield, Caleb Gaines, Jennifer

Scales, Omar Gonzalez, Jordan

Alls, Aspen Hathaway, A-B-

Ashley Earl, Kenia Gallegos, Janet

Hernandez, Crystal Newsted,

Miguel Soto, Dyron Brown, Bran-

don Gallagher, Hank Hunt, Tyler

Richardson, Katlin Rutherford,

Third Grade: All A's- Lauren

Meadows, Samuel Hillhouse, Tyler

Bradstreet, Jonathan Hampton,

Cole Hathaway, A-B- Dalia

Mendoza, Pake Eckhardt, Alan

Parra, Garrett Hampton, Randy

Trevino, Ryan Henson, Tracy

Jones, Norma Salas, Brentney

Fourth Grade: All A's- Josh

Britt, Brenda Guerra, Heather

Hampton, Whitney Holland, Alan

Jones, Tyler McWhorter, Katie

Richardson, A-B- Samantha

Chapman, Bo Compton, Zane

Hubble, Jennifer Jones, Jansen

Fifth Grade: All A's- Saharay

Barboza, Jarrod Haning, Lindsey

-ewis, Landon Sams, Shanna

Horton, Rachel Howard, Sue

Burton, Carl Scales, Jandie Tay-

or, Amanda Bond, Savannah

Hampton, Yuri Soto, Leslie

Veaver, All B's-Savanna Shipp

Sixth Grade: All A's- James

Chapman, Joe Meraz, Joshua

Miller, A-B-Jordan Brooks, Karry

Fite, Megan Ford, Joe Glassey,

James Masters, Risa Porter, Wil-

iam Rutherford, Jose Salas,

Seventh Grade: All A's- Cassi

Brown, Nicole Copeland, Lyndi

Finsterwald, Heather Leven, Tyler

ewis, Dagen Moore, Amy

**Dustin White** 

ternandez, A-B- Cameron

Veronica Salazar

Taylor

Ramirez

transmitting, storage and retrieval will be an asset to Hemphill County as computer technology is fast replacing the 'paper office.'

I look forward to meeting the voters and visiting with them personally during the next few weeks."



Ann Gibbs

(Pol. Adv. pd. for by Ann Gibbs, 709 South 6th Street, Canadian, TX 79014)

Wheeler 3rd 6-Weeks Osborne, A-B- Rachel Bass, Joshua Bryant, Trevor Burton, **HONOR ROLL** Jimmy Duncan, Andrew Hampton, Benjamin Howard, Keri First Grade: All A's- P. J. Ford, Marion, Tanner McWhorter, Nicole Moore, Chandler Osborne, Hadley Mitchell, Juan Salas, Erika Mallory Groves, Maria Salas, Clay

> Eighth Grade: All A's- Jacob Britt, Gavin McQueen, Christopher Simmons, A-B- Dwight Arganbright, Shelby Brown, Dirk Chapman, Jeffery Debose, Raymond Gentry, Amy Hubble, Taylor Hudgins, Lauren Sams, Natasha Stribling

Trevino, Evan Watts

Nineth Grade: All A's- Lacey Bryant, Caleb Finsterwald, Shannon Lewallen, A-B- Justin Butler, Jennifer Carpenter, Justin Chapman, Jordan Emmert, Bobbi Gentry, Bret Goad, Ivan Guerra, Megan Hampton, Kelby Ledbetter, Mechelle Marshall, McWhorter, Martha Patterson, Rachel Riemer, Ana Salas, Jotana

Simmons Tenth Grade: All A's- Sandy Bradstreet, Kenzie Chick, Jennifer Haning, Lynn Holland, Kara Keelin, Lorena Martinez, Lauren Weaver, A-B- Craig Bass, Brooks Brown, Bridget Chandler, Ben Dollar, Hayley Hipkins, J. J. Johnson, Stephanie Lee, Shannon Lewallen, Steve Marshall, Kyle Masters, Rebekah Morrison, Whitney Simmons, Brooke

Verden, Nic Ware Eleventh Grade: All A's- Ben Britt, Kennan Burton, Kara Emmert, Courtney Girdley, Drew Hillhouse, Alli Moore, Jennifer Shepard, Lacey Smith, A-B-Kirt Boedeker, Amanda Childress, Aaron Dunnam, Rebecca Gentry, Matt Hampton, Mike Jones, Tucker Long, Kristen Marion, Teresa Soto, Brooke Stevens, Rachel Stiles Twelfth Grade: All A's- Andy Bradstreet, B. J. Carpenter, Goretty Gonzalez, Bryan Judd, Elissa Ray, Benny Sword, A-B-Michelle Andris, Paul Arganbright, Jeremy Davis, Lee Green, Mike Johnson, Josh Lee, Layne McCasland, Stacy McWhorter, Griselda Salas, Jorje Salas, Sally

Smith, Carlos Soto, Billy Umsted,

Ashley Ware.

their January 15 meeting, which was held at the Wheeler Fire Station.

Officers elected for 1998 are as follows: chief, Daryl Snelgrooes; Asst. Chief, Gary Davis; County Fire Marshall, Ken Daughtry; Safety Officer, Dell Ford; City Fire Marshall, Russell Gaines; Asst. City Fire Marshall, Dean Hathaway; Secretary, Kyndall Murry; Training Officer, Ken Daughtry; Station Manager, Rusty Ferguson; Apparatus Supervisor, Pete Cole; Public Relations, Ann Cole; Air Comp./Cascade, Dean Hathaway; Air Packs, Kevin Frankenbery; S.C.F.A. Reps., Robert Ford and Luke Horton; 1997 Fireman of the Year, Kevin Frankenbery.

Fire Chief Snelgrooes made the following W.V.F.D. Truck Captain assignments for 1998: Unit 60, Dean Hathaway; Unit 90, Justin Rose; unit 92, Robert Ford; Unit 93, K. Ford; Unit 95, Kevin Frankenbery, Unit 96, Jerry Horton; Unit 97, Pete Cole; Unit 98, Dell Ford; Unit 99, H. L. Owens; Unit 100, Russell Gaines.

the Wheeler Volunteer fire Department meets on the first, third and fifth Thursday of each month. The Department also meets on the odd Thursdays for work night. We are currently working on a replacement for Unit 100 and the constructing of a Res-

Ft. Elliott 3rd 6-Weeks

### **HONOR ROLL**

Kindergarten: All A's-Felecia McCarty and Cody Selby

First Grade: All A's-Bailey Estes, Hailey Estes, Brandon Finsterwald, Sara Hathaway, Megan Horn, Morgan Lane and Amber Maddox; A's and B's-Brittany Bryan, Veronica Hungate and Tisha McLaughlin

Second Grade: All A's-Lauren Baird, Nathan McLaughlin, Mayci Meadows, Change Newman; All A's and B's-Michael Bell, Tommy Meek, Alvin

Third Grade: All A's-William Hodges, Calvin Lane, Sarah Moon, Serena Sims; A's and B's-Randilynn Barr, Travis Bryan

Fourth Grade: All A's—Tiffany Downs, Cassie Hodges, Sarah Zybach; A's and B's-Michael McLaughlin, Jacob Puryear, Ali-

Fifth Grade: All A's-Justen Bryant, Andrea Hathaway, Tamara Hefley; A's and B's-Steven Kephart, Shantell Meek

Sixth Grade: All A's-Holly McCurley; A's and B's-Savanah Estes, George Helton, Lewis Newman, Chrystal Selby

Seventh Grade: All A's-Tamara Hartline, Jason Hathaway, Wesley Hathaway, Larry Lee Horn, Seth Meadows, Shane Simms; A's and B's-Jackie Dukes, Kenzie

Eighth Grade: All A's—Casey Zybach; A's and B's-C. J Bryant, Monty Hand, Aaron Hartline, Justin Hefley, Chris Lee Nineth Grade: All A's-Carolan Aycock, Ashley Estes; A's

and B's-Kirbie Kinnaman, Julie Zybach Tenth Grade: All A's-Carissa Dukes: A's and B's-Kassy Bradstreet, Amber Estes, Sasha Glonty, Candy Hilburn, Glen Moon,

Curt Smith Eleventh Grade: All A's-Devin Diebel: A's and B's-Ja'Nae Goad, Reagan Meadows. Chris Mick, Brad Moran, Bryan Moran, Tanner Smith

Twelfth Grade: All A's-Londa Crownover; A'a and B's-Donnie Barr, Tracy Densberger, Vikki Fannan, Tera Hefley, Becky Richmond; Amanda Shields

# **Kevin Meek Family Recognized** for 4-H, Extension Work In Mo.

The Kevin Meek family including Kevin, Jona, Shantell and Tommy, were recently honored for two awards from Henry County University Extension in Missouri. The first award was for outstanding 4-H Family. This is a new award for the county and is given to families who participated "beyond expectations". The Meek Family has been active in the Clinton Rockets 4-H Club, serving as members and leaders of photography, sheep and exploring 4-H projects. Kevin and Jona were always ready to help the club, whether it meant making phone calls, hosting the annual hay ride or organizing the annual 4-H carnival. The entire Meek family promotes 4-H to others, encouraging children and parents to get involved.

The second award given was the Extension Leader's Honor Roll, this is a statewide award which is given to a select number of individuals in Missouri, Jona and Kevin Meek won this award because of their dedication and participation in Extension activities. They received a framed certificate and their name is engraved on a plaque displayed at the University of Missouri-Columbia. The extension

**Immunization Clinic Set** 

An immunization clinic sponsored by the Texas Dept. of Health will be held Friday, January 23, 1998, from 10:00 a.m. until 1:00 p.m. in the Wheeler I.S.D. Auditorium. The following immunizations will be available: DTP, Oral Polio, Measles, Mumps, Rubella, HIB, TB and Hepatitis. TB tests will be available.

They will be charging a fee to pay for the cost of the vaccines. Please bring Medicaid card if applicable. No one will be refused treatment regardless of income. Each child MUST be accompanied by a parent or legal guardian. Please bring immunization records if possible. This clinic is open to all individuals.

#### **West Texas Christian** School Honor Students

West Texas Christian School announces its second quarter awards for the 1997-98 school year

For the Upper Learning Center (high school), April Forgay, Niki Galutia, Suzy Galutia, & Eric Laughlin were listed on the A Honor Roll. Those on the B Honor Roll were Jared Brittain, Danielle Gearhart, and Jorge Vaquera. Fourteen students made Bible Club for Nov. /Dec. These include: Jared Brittain, Shaun Downie, April Forgay, Suzy Galutia, Danielle Gearhart, John Jernigan, Eric Laughlin, Douglas Rankins, Clayton Smith, Julie Stone, Jorge Vaguera, Marcos Vaguera, and Garret Ware. Those with the highest average for the quarter were Suzy Galutia, (95. 29), April Forgay, (95. 15), & Douglas Rankins, (94. 88). Outstanding Student Awards went to Suzy Galutia with 800 points, April Forgay with 1100 points, and Danielle Gearhart with 1170 points.

In the Primary Learning Center (elementary), those students listed on the A Honor Roll were Danie Clawson, Josh Forgay, Chace Horton, Jessica Jernigan, Joanna Jernigan, Kade Zybach, & Kelsey Zybach. On the B Honor Roll were Vanessa Gearhart and Brady Ware. Those with the highest average were Kelsey Zybach, (99. 17), Chace Horton, (99. 60), and Jessica Jernigan, (99.91). Outstanding Student of the Quarter went to Kelsey Zybach with 1150 points, Kade Zybach with 1230 points, and Vanessa Gearhart with 1240 points. Nine students made Bible Club. They were Danie Clawson, Josh Forgay, Vanessa Gearhart, Chace Horton, Jessica Jernigan, Joanna Jernigan, Brady Ware, Kade Zybach, and Kelsey Zybach.

### **Boydston, Horton Named** To SWOSU Honor Roll

Honor rolls at Southwestern Oklahoma State University in Weatherford have been announced for the 1997 fall semes-

An undergraduate student earning all A's in 15 or more hours during a semester qualifies for the President's Honor Roll. There were 115 students named to the President' Honor Roll during the fall

There were 585 students on the Dean's Honor Roll after completing 15 semester hours of undergraduate work with a grade point average of 3.0 ("B") or higher with no grade lower than a "C"

Named to the Dean's Honor Roll were Kyle David Boydston of Allison and Stacey R. Miller-Horton of Wheeler.

Leader's Honor Holl is truly a coveted award in Missouri and Henry County was proud to give the award. However it was difficult to give the award to the

Meeks as they moved back home to

Texas to be near family. While in Missouri, Kevin served as president to the Henry County Fair board, President of Farm Bureau, Vice president of Henry County Pork Producers, and Treasurer of the Henry County Extension Council, Jona was treasurer of the Farmer's Market Board and Eastern Star. The entire family was involved in 4-H and church activities.

The Meek family was previously named the 1996 Henry County Farm Family and represented the county at the State Fair.

Kevin worked for ten years as manager of Hueneseldt Farms, a hog operation with a vegetable truck patch as a sideline. He has a degree in agriculture from Panhandle Oklahoma State University at Goodwell and served as the substitute ag teacher at Clinton High School.

Landowners receive payment for each hunter on this land. The hunters are screened and sign liability releases. The number of hunters on an individual piece of land is determined by the bird population. Eight farmers and ranchers participated in the hunt last year, representing 1010 acres of land.

The Wheeler area has an abundance of wild turkeys and the annual turkey season draws the attention of hunters from over the nation. Wheeler hosted 35 hunters from over the nation last year and has received national coverage over the past nine years through magazine and newspaper articles. The number of hunters has grown each year.

At the present time 25 hunters have registered for this year's hunt. More hunters are expected to register between now and turkey season. Several of these are repeats from the first year. The inquiries and/or hunters have come from New York, Tennessee, Alabama, North Carolina, South Carolina, Mississippi, Arkansas and Texas. (Continued Page 6)

### Wheeler Emergency To Start 'Cash Only' Policy

Due to increasing costs in medical care and a loss of several thousand dollars in Parkview's Emergency Room, all emergency room visits are expected to be paid for when services are rendered. Any life threatening emergency will be cared for, no matter what the circumstances. Essentially, this has always been the policy of Parkview Hospital, but it has not been enforced. We must enforce this policy, if we wish to keep our Emergency Room open.

If someone is truly experiencing an (Continued Page 6)

RESERVE GRAND CHAMPION: Jennifer Maddox, a member of the Ft. Elliott FFA took her pig to Pampa and entered the 1998 Top of Texas Stock Show. The 1998 Wheeler County Junior Livestock Show Grand Champion took Reserved Grand Champion at the Pampa show on January 11.

## Johnie A. Burrell, 81, Is Buried Tuesday

had lived in Wheeler County most of

his life. He was involved in farming

the United Methodist Church for

many years. He was president of

Kelton School board for three years

and was instrumental in consolidat-

ing Center, Rock and Davis schools

into one district. He served on the

Wheeler County Farm Bureau board

and the Wheeler County ASCS Com-

He received the Good Neighbor

award from the Shamrock Chamber

of Commerce in 1978. He also served

on the tax valuation board at Kelton.

He was a member of First United

Methodist Church, Masonic Lodge

No. 929, and Order of the Eastern

In 1935 he married Hallie Jeanette

Survivors include his wife; two

daughters, Jona Lea Durham of

Aransas Pass and Sherry Chapman

of Dickinson; two brothers, Harold

Burrell of Yuba City, Calif., and Bob

Burrell of Pampa; a sister, Imogene

Bradford of Amarillo, and three grand-

to First United Methodist Church Me-

morial Fund in Shamrock or to Bap-

tist/St. Anthony's Hospice and Life

**Holland Has Contract** 

**Estended By Wheeler Bd.** 

A regular meeting of the Wheeler

Independent School District Board of

Trustees was held with all members

present except Mrs. Fletcher. Guests

were: Machelle Henson, Tammy

Moore, Doug Rives, Supt Glyndol

Enrichment Center in Amarillo.

The family requests memorials be

munity Committee.

Chilton at Sayre, Okla.

Star.

children.

He served on numerous boards for

and ranching as well as civic work.

Johnie A. Burrell, 81, died Sunday,

Jan. 18, 1998

Services were at 2 p.m. Tuesday in the First United Methodist Church with Rev. John Dorn, pastor, the Rev. Ken Cole, of Spearman and former pastor, and the Rev. Bruce Parks of Lubbock officiating. Burial was in the Kelton Cemetery under the direction

of Wright Funeral Directors. Mr. Burrell was born in Vernon and

### Sylvia Brown, 62, Rites Read At Wheeler Mon.

Sylviann Bradstreet Brown, 62, died Saturday, January 17, 1998.

Services were at 2 p.m. Monday at First Baptist Church with the Rev. Roy Jones, pastor of the United Pentecostal Church in Allison and the Rev. Don Larkin, retired Baptist minister from Pampa, officiating. Burial was in Wheeler Cemetery by Wright Funeral Home.

Mrs. Brown was born in Wheeler and was a lifelong resident. She was a homemaker and a member of the United Pentecostal Church in Allison.

She married Guy Charley Brown in 1958 at Wheeler. He preceded her in death in 1985

Survivors include five sister, Thelma Bailey of Dexter, N.M., Ruth Taylor of Wheeler, Rosalie Keelin of Briscoe, Floy Larkin of Pampa, and Joy Garrison of Borger, and a brother, Roy Bradstreet of Wheeler. The family requests memorials be

to the Epilepsy Foundation or the Allison United Pentecostal Church.

#### **Hospital Notes**

Rocky Compton

Opal Hutchison

Jandie Taylor

**Old Admissions** Winifred Buckingham Estelle Orr Irene Zybach

Cliff Hefley **New Admissions** Jandie Taylor Nora Babb

1-18 Vida Brown Karen McNeil Dismissals

1-12

1-13

1-17

The Wheeler School District would like to invite all health professionals in the area to come and eat lunch in the school cafeteria. We would like to express our appreciation for the hard work and dedication in keeping our community healthy. We hope to see you all on Wednesday, January

Invite to Lunch

(Continued Page 6)

Proverbs 14: 11-12: The house of the wicked shall be overthrown; but the tabernackle of the upright shall flourish. There is a way which seemed right unto a man, but the end thereof are the ways of death.

Happy Birthday to Red Dukes, Gordon Estes, Betty Talley and James Light on Jan. 26; Don Burke on Jan. 27; Bernice Hefley on Jan 26; Michael Hilburn on Jan. 29; Helen George, Holly McCurley, Tina Currie, Raymond Moore and Don Stuckeyon Jan. 30, Kevin Shields, Jan. 31.

Happy Anniversary to Doug and Doris Whaley on Jan. 25, Mac and Gay Purcell on Jan. 31.

Ft. Elliott High School will play at Allison on Friday night, Jan. 23, at 6:30. Follett will play Ft. Elliott at Briscoe Tuesday, Jan. 27, at 6:30. Ft. Elliott will go to Higgins Friday night, Jan. 30 at 6:30

Ft. Elliott Junior High will go to Miami next Monday, Jan. 26, at 6:00 p.m. They will also play in the Allison tournament, Jan. 29 and 31.

"Our children are the only possessions we can take to heaven."

Congratulations to Ft. Elliott Junior High for winning both their games at Higgins Monday night, January 12. Congratulations to Ft. Elliott Junior High for winning both their games

at Higgins Monday night, Jan. 12. Ft. Elliott High School played Adrian at White Deer Tuesday night. The girls won and the boys lost.

Doris Finsterwald hosted a fun 80 party Thursday night with a delicious Pot-luck supper. Guests included C. B. and Maurine Brotherton, Virginia Puryear, Nova Powledge, Lois Meadows, Evelyn Meek, J. P. and Martha Meek, Lou Dean Douthit, Willis and

Verna Fillingim. James Moffett came through gal bladder surgery Tuesday, Jan. 13, and is doing o.k. Doctor said there

to church Sunday, Jan. 18. doing

ily. She hasn't been doing as well. Her daughter, Billie V. McClellan, flew in were hundreds of stones and a touch of gangrene starting. Keep praying for to visit her. Lindsey Fillingim met her plane and brought her down Thurs-James and his family. Nice to see Kim Ray and J. W. and day, but had to make another trip for Elissa eating at Maxeys Tuesday and the delayed luggage. Rita met Richard and Carol Kiker. Lindsey in Pampa Friday to get the James and Alesha Moffett were out luggage.

good but still kinda sore. So thankful coming Friday night. Congratulations to Kristie Grayson and Brandon he is doing o.k. W. D. Mitchell had a misfortune to fall from a step ladder while taking down Christmas lights and broke 4 ribs. Pretty painful. He had to stay a bit in Parkview Hospital. Pray for him. Good to see Fat Jones out to the Dairy Queen at Wheeler Friday. He

Dukes, who were chosen Queen and King. All the high school girls and boys marched in. the girls all looked so pretty in velvet like dresses. Girls game was 28-16 at the half in Allison's favor. McLean girls kept coming up till got very close. Allison girls won 53-50. James and Charlotte Hefley had a daughter, Lori, playing very well for McLean. Allison boys

said he was doing well after recent

Pray for Vida Brown and her fam-

We enjoyed going to Allison Home-

open heart surgery.

won 62-31. Pray for Clifford Hefley, who has been ill in Parkview Hospital with a stroke, but is doing better. Good days and bad days.

Pray for Kathryn Eads, who fell when slippery last Sunday and bruised her ribs.

Ft. Elliott Cougars High School basketball teams went to Hedley Friday night. Our girls won 58-45. Boys

Steve and Bertie Eudey and Trent and Travis from Palestine were weekend visitors to Jimmy and Tammy Maddox and Jennifer and Amber. The guys did some quail hunting and also visited Steve's uncle, Art Taylor at Shamrock. Nice to have them visit us some and eat supper t Maxeys with us Saturday night. They are special.

A group of Ft. Elliott Fellowship of Christian Athletes went to Amarillo Saturday afternoon to the Hockey game. Some parents and teachers went too. Jimmy and Tammy Maddox and Jennifer and Amber went too. Also Dennis and Brends Hefley and Tera and Nathan.

"Details blind me to my life, I'm simply living in a maze. I'm busied so with this and that I hardly see myself for days." from Tony's Scrapbook.

Sunday dinner guests of Jimmy and Tammy Maddox and Jennifer and Amber included Mike and Cindy Maddox and Chris from Panhandle, Gary Lowe and Matt, Terry Tipps and Zachary and Adam, Dwight Tipps, Dean and Georgia Tipps, Steve and Bertie Eudey and Trent and Travis.

Pray for Vida Brown and her family. She had a bad night Saturday night and they had to put her back in Wheeler Hospital Sunday. Nice to see Rich Brown and his wife and lovely children at Maxeys Sunday. They and Richard and Anita Brown came from Goldthwaite to be with Vida. Nice Maxeys had food prepared as electricity was off about 12 till after one

o'clock Sincere sympathy to family and friends of Johnie Burrell in his death Sunday, Jan. 18. Funeral was Tuesday at Shamrock United Methodist

Weekend visitors to Dick and Ruth Irvine were Rich Irvine and Justin and Marie from White Deer and Terry Tipps and Zachary and Adam from Fritch. Think they did some hunting.

Several of Fat Childress' family helped him celebrate his 68th birthday at Simons Catch west of Elk City Saturday night and included Wanda Childress, Cathy Hunt and Shelly, Kay and Scott Luttrell, Mary Jane and Clyde Dukes, Stacie and Jeremy Fitzer, Addie Swift, Pat Childress and Amanda and Colby and Stephanie

Childress and Brooke and Dalton. Bob and Gena Zybach went to Amarillo Friday and shopped and spent the night. Saturday they went to the beautiful wedding of granddaughter, Andrea Dukes, to Tracy Auldridge at the Ranch House Bed and Breakfast near Canyon. Best

Lois Meadows visited Fannie Mae Bradstreet Monday and took her to lunch at Wheeler Dairy Queen and to the funeral for Sylvia Brown.

Many fans came to watch the Junior High Games with Allison at Ft. Elliott Monday night. They all played real hard, but Ft. Elliott girls lost 16-28. Ft. Elliott boys won with a big margin. Nice to meet Lynn and Tina Blacketter and boys from Leedy, Okla, out to the ball games. Lynn is a brother to Ariel Lohberger They wanted to watch Alicia and Laura

Nice to see Dorothy Walker and Neta Evans out to Monday night's

Vickey Nelson got Monday off from Wheeler Hospital, so she and her sister, Cathy Hooper, and mom, Shirley Jolly, went to Amarillo and had a fun day shopping and visiting. Keri Nelson joined them for lunch at Gardski's Loft.

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Many Bradstreets, Brown, Garners and others gathered for the family dinner and funeral for Sylviann Bradstreet Brown Monday. Good to visit with some. The Allison Pentecostal ladies served the meal and appreciated others bringing food into help out. Lovely meal.

Dean and Georgia Tipps ate supper at Maxeys Friday night, Jan. 16. to celebrate Dean's 63rd birthday. Happy Birthday, Dean! Tuesday, Jan. 20, was their 42nd wedding anniversary. More later about that.

Shane Simms celebrated his birthday by having the Ft. Elliott Seventh Grade boys visit him Saturday. Happy

Evelyn Meek, Jona Meek and Lois Meadows went to Canadian Friday to the Abraham Home and helped with craft. They helped the residents make placemats from used Christmas cards and have fun. They are

Monday Evelyn Meek went with her brother, Lefoy Vise, and daughter, Becky Wilson, for lunch at Mel's Diner in Wheeler. Evelyn also visited Jewell Holloman and went to the funeral for Sylvia Brown

"Hiding God's word in our hearts will strengthen our spirits within, Giving the help that we need to turn from temptation and sin.

Sincere sympathy to family and friends of Sylviann Brown, 62, who died Saturday. Funeral was Monday, Jan. 16, at the First Baptist Church in Wheeler. Large crowd to the family dinner and funeral services.

Patrick Hudson spent from Thursday to Tuesday with Ray and Pat Hudson. Lois Hudson also ate lunch with them Saturday and Sunday.

Weekend visitors to David and Phyllis Hefley were Darren and Chalone Hefley from Tulia and Kristi Hefley from Lubbock. They were all joining Richard and Ronnie Meadows and Reagan and Dana Trimble from

#### **Experience Counts**

- √ Office Management
- √ Accounting
- √ Computer Technology
- √ Deputy County & District Clerk

# Ann Gibbs

Candidate for Hemphill County and 31st Judicial District Clerk

Your Confidence & Support is appreciated.

(Pol. Adv. paid for by Ann Gibbs, 709 S. 6th St., Canadian, TX 79014)



# PAGE 2—Thursday, January 22, 1998

Weatherford at Maxeys.

Some others eating at Maxeys Saturday night were Grant and Karen Meek with Rachel and Garland Moore, C. B. and Maurine Brotherton with cousins Loretta Clay and her children, Doyle and Micah Clay and Rita and Michael Amptmann from Dallas, Clint and Amy Huff and Andrew. The Clays also went out to C. B's and visited awhile. Choice Scott is also a cousin to Loretta Clay.

Enjoying lunch together at Maxeys Sunday were Gordon and Bennie Mae Whitener, Gary and Nancy Miller, Carter Williams and Novella Vanpool. Sorry Glenn Williams has been not feeling well and wasn't with them. Pray for him.

Edna May enjoyed having her son and wife, Edwin and Sue Begert, from Amarillo spent Thursday with her for a belated Christmas. Edna fixed their favorite foods. Visiting Edna Wednesday were Jo Redding and daughter, Susan Redding. Sunday visitor to Edna was a niece, Vivian Swires.

Friday Diane Dukes went to Amarillo and spent the day with Andrea. they went to the Ft. Elliott basketball game at Hedley Friday night. They went to the Ft. Elliott basketball game at Hedley Friday night. Then Bevard and Diane, Carissa and John Paul and Deidre Harris all came back and spent the night at Andrea's house with Andrea.

Saturday Andrea and Tracy Auldridge were united in marriage at the Ranch House Bed and Breakfast in Canyon. An extra bonus is Tracy has a son named Tanner. Best

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Fat and Wanda Childress visited John and Carolyn Stokes Friday and

they all ate lunch at the Texas Rose Steakhouse. Also Carolyn's son, Blane Jones. The Childresses also visited Dud and Mary Swift and their grandchildren, Taylor and Melissa Swift, children of Morris and Robin

Vernon Siviage from Uganda, Africa and daughter Amy, and Keri have been visiting Olaf Siviage and his mon, Mrs. Audie Siviage and Gaye Hale and family. Other weekend visitors were David, Elizabeth and Sa-

Steve and Bertie Eudey celebrated their 15th wedding anniversary on Jan 8, 1998. They were united in marriage Jan. 8, 1983, at Gageby Church. They live in Palestine. Bertie works with Personnel in prisons and Steve in an insurance adjuster. Trent, 12, and Travis, 8, are very busy with school and all are interested in many kinds of sports. The whole family went on a skiing trip before Christmas to Lake Tahoe, Nev. Steve's folks

have a cost-share place there. "God be with you till we meet

### Old Mobeetie Jail **Activities Are Reported**

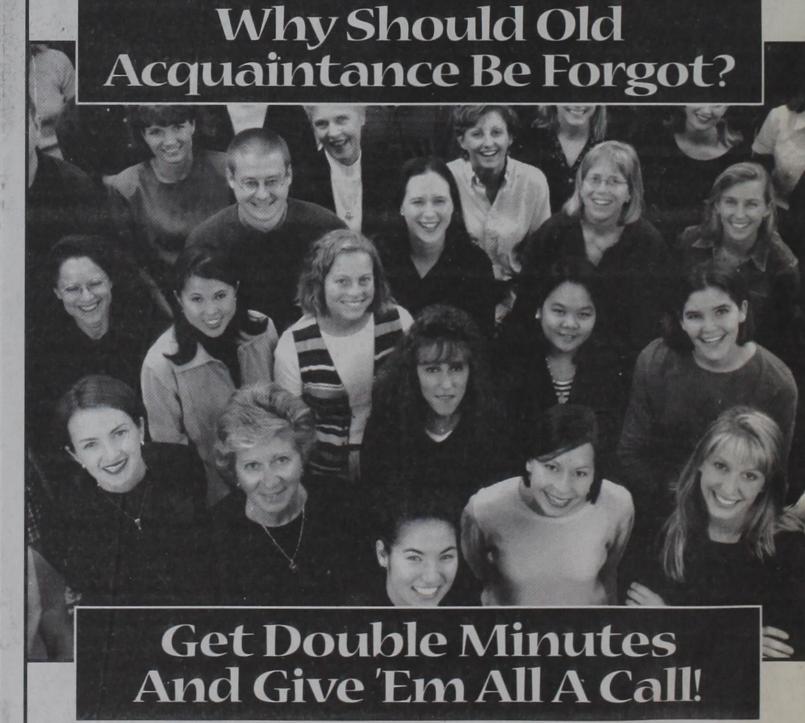
The museum was busy this week.

On Tuesday Bobbye Hill and Melba Corcoran went to Panhandle Plains Historical Museum and checked out the Indian calendar. Then they attended the meeting of the committee for the traveling museum. The group will be advertising for some one to do the contents and someone to disign the exhibit. Those attending the meeting were Walt Davis and Bill Green from Panhandle Plains Historical Museum, Greg Shuman of the Don Harrington Discovery Center, Paul Katz of the Square House Museum, James Pfuger of the American Quarter Horse Museum and Bobbye Hill and Melba Corcoran of the Old Mobeetie Jail Museum. The group will meet the last of March to hire the persons to be in charge of the Contents and design. This exhibit will be on the Playas Lakes and will be ready to go Jan. 1, 2000. Wednesday afternoon Bobbye Hill, Melba Corcoran and Bernice Hefley worked at the jail on cataloging some more of the bottles for our new exhabits. Thursday Bill Elliott, Lee Brown, Floyd Lynch and Dale Corcoran worked all day on the grounds. Hauling, cutting and cleaning up the broken limbs. Bobbye Hill, Bernice Hefley and Melba Corcoran worked all day Cataloging bottles. Louise Hogan filed, make copies and typed all day. Saturday Bobbye Hill, Louise Hogan and Melba Corcoran worked all day on the bottles and doing paper work.

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CORR DT-Robert Leroy Wall, et ux

to Citizens Bank of Edmond, 12/30/

97, Lot 6, N 40' Lot 7, Blk. 83, WSSA,

D-Rita F. Pearson to Stephen

Dwight Tipps, 12/30/97, Lot 14, 15,

RDT-Rita F. Pearson to Earl

Jefferson May, et ux, 12/30/97, Lot

ASSIGN—Stratco Operating Co.,

Inc. to Samson Hydrocarbons Com-

pany, 12/1/95, Sec. 1, Blk. RE, Rob-

OL-Kay Barnard Brown to G. H.

Land Company LLC, 11/3/97, Sec.

OL-Lane Boring to G. H. Land Com-

pany LLC, 10/27/97, Sec. 19, Camp

OL-Jeanne Conrad to G. H. Land

Company LLC, 10/27/97, Sec. 19,

CC PROB PROC—Frances Earline

CC WILL—Frances Earline Walker to

APPT SUB TRUSTEE—United

States of America to Larry J. Goetze,

OL-Leota Black, et al to Bligh-Pe-

troleum, Inc., 11/18/97, Pt. N 1/2 Sec.

49, Blk. A-3, Pt. S 1/2 Sec. 49, Blk.

DIV ORDER-Leota Black, et al to

Bligh Petroleum, Inc., 11/18/97, Pt.

N 1/2 Sec. 49, Blk. A-3, Pt. S 1/2 Sec.

49, Blk. A-3, H&GN Ry. Company

OL-Leota Black, et al to Bligh Pe-

troleum, Inc., 11/18/97, S 1/2 Sec. 50,

Blk. A-3, H&GN Ry. Company Sur-

DIV ORDER-Leota Black, et al to

Bligh Petroleum, Inc., 11/18/97, S 1/

2 Sec. 50, Blk. A-3, H&GN Ry. Com-

OL-Leota Black, et al to Bligh Pe-

troleum, Inc., 11/18/97, E 1/2 Sec. 50,

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DIV ORDER-Letoa Black, et al to

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OL-Leota Black, et al, to Bligh Pe-

troleum, Inc., 11/18/97, NW 1/4 Sec.

50, Blk. A-3, H&GN Ry. Company

DIV ORDER-Leota Black, et al. to

Bligh Petroleum, Inc., 11/18/97, NW

1/4 Sec. 50, Blk. A-3, H&GN Ry.

OL—Robert Lynn McCoy to Bligh Petroleum, Inc., 10/20/97, Sec. 27,

2 Sec. 1, Blk. 4, B&B Survey.

Company Survey.

A-3, H&GN Ry. Company Survey.

Walker to Ex-Parte, 12/16/97.

January 8, 1998

Blk. 12, Briscoe.

14, 15, Blk. 12, Briscoe.

erts and Eddleman Survey.

19, Camp Co. School.

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Ex-Parte, 10/31/97

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RDT—United States of America-SBA

to James Lane Stalls & Son, 12/24/

ASSIGN-Oleta Marley to B&K Pro-

ductions, 1/6/98, SW 1/4 Sec. 26, Blk.

D-J. Paul Karcher to Scott T.

Peterson, 1/1/98, N 1/4 Sec. 5, Blk.

F, IM Wright, Sec. 8, Blk. A-7, H&GN

QCD-Harold Keith Bennett, et ux to

Harold K. Bennett, Lilly M. Trustees,

1/5/98, Pt. SW 1/4 Sec. 35, Blk. 13,

AMENDED APPT SUB TRUSTEE-

Rolling Plains Production Credit As-

sociation to Coleman Young, 1/8/98,

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RDT-United States of America to

David Venson Smith, et ux, 12/4/97,

RDT-First Bank & Trust of Sham-

rock to Wayne C. Allen, et ux, 12/30/

97, Pt. 50, Blk. 13, H&GN Ry. Com-

EXT MML-David G. Rushing, et ux

to First State Bank & Trust of Sham-

rock, 1/6/98, Lot 3, Blk. LVII, OT,

MD—Carolyn Bailey Trust to Jane B.

MD—Carolyn Bailey Trust to Albert

C. Bailey, 12/29/97, See Instrument.

POA-Ralph H. Smith Restated Re-

vocable Trust to Julian C. Pope, 12/

EXT DT-Joe K. Lester, et al to

Wellington State Bank, 1/12/98, Lot

22-26, HSA, Shamrock, Lot 19-26,

Blk. 1, Tarbet Add, Shamrock, Pt. Lot

207, 208, Addison's Add, Shamrock.

CC PROB PROC-J. W. Sparks to

EXECUTORS D-Nancy K. Sparks,

et al to Nancy K. Sparks Tax Free-

Trust, 12/15/97, All Wheeler Co. In-

Dilks, 12/29/97, See Instrument.

H&GN Ry. Company Survey.

24, H&GN Ry. Company Survey.

Camp Co. School.

See Instrument.

Ry. Company Survey.

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> DT-Darrel E. Harrison, et al, to Laura Pearl Harrison, 1/8/98, NE 1/4 Sec. 29, Blk. A-5, H&GN Ry. Com-

> NOTICE TO OPERATOR—Railroad Commision of Texas to Throckmorton Operating, 1/7/98, Sec. 73, Blk. 13,

> H&GN Ry. Company Survey. NOTICE-Railroad Commission of Texas to Throckmorton Operating, 1/ 7/98, Sec. 90, Blk. 13, H&GN Ry. Company Survey

OL-Alma Kayleen Smith to G. H. Land Company LLC, 11/4/97, Sec. 19, Camp Co. School

ASSIGN-Jade Resources, Inc., DSD Resources Inc., to Saxet Resources Inc., 1/2/98, Sec. 48, Blk. A-3, H&GN Ry. Company Survey. REL STL-State of Texas to Larry G.

Lacy Jr., 1/9/98 REL STL-State of Texas The Wheeler Times Inc., 1/9/98.

OL-Edward Grant Meek, et ut to G. H. Land Company LLC, 11/30/97 NW 1/4 Sec. 71, Blk. M-1, H&GN Ry.

Company Survey OL-Edward Grant Meek, et ux to G. H. Land Company LLC, 11/30/97, 51.97 acs E of Highway, Sec. 66, Blk. M-1, H&GN Ry. Company Survey.

OL-Wilbur Dean Tipps, et ux to G. H. Land Company LLC, 12/11/97, NE 1/4 Sec. 2, Camp Co. School. D-Juanita Smith to Leonard R. Johnson, 4/30/97, 70 acs N 1/2 Sec. 34, Blk. 23, H&GN Ry. Company

Survey. D-Baptist Children's Home Ministries to Baptist Child & Family Serivces, N 1/2 Sec. 41, Blk. A-4, H&GN Ry. Company Survey, S 1/2

Sec. 1, Certif 13/2763. January 13, 1998 D-Carol Gene Wilhelm, et al to Eric Bruce Zybach, et ux, 12/26/97, E 1/2

sEc. 12, CC School Land. DVL—Lillian Elizabeth Bailey to Greg Koelzer, 1/6/98, Lot 4-9, Blk. O, Park Add, Wheeler.

DT—Greg Koelzer to Paul Hathaway, et ux, 1/12/98, Lot 4-9, Blk. O, Park Add, Wheeler. ASSIGN—Blackrock Resources LLC

to Barrett Resources Corporation, 1/ 6/98, N 1/2 Sec. 27, E 120 acs SE 1/ 4 Sec. 28, Blk. A-5, H&GN Ry. Company Survey. RDT-United States of America to

William H. Riley, et ux, 1/8/98, 4 acs NW 1/4 Sec. 46, Blk. 17, H&GN Ry. Company Survey. CORR DVL-Georgia Nell Wall to

Cindi Wall, et vir, 1/5/98, Lot 6, N40' Sec. 7, Blk. 83, WSSA Shamrock. District Clerk's Filings 10486-In the Matter of the marriage

of Donald Eugene Bangert and Connie Sue Cochran, 1/9/98, waiver. 10487—H. B. Krug, Kathyrn Krug, & Bobbie Ruth Eubanks vs. Helmrich & Payne, Inc., 1/13/98, Damages.

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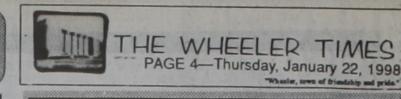
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January 30, 1998 MONDAY BREAKFAST: Waffles, Ham, Juice, Milk LUNCH: Ravioli, Corn, Salad, Gar-

lic Toast, Fruit, Milk or Tea TUESDAY BREAKFAST : Hot Biscuits, Scrambled Eggs, Jelly, Juice,

LUNCH: Chicken Nuggets, Mashed Potatoes, Gravy, Blackeyed Peas Cake, Milk or Tea

WEDNESDAY BREAKFAST: Cowboy Bread, Cereal, Juice, Milk LUNCH: Spaghetti, Bread Sticks, Green Beans, Fruit, Milk or Tea THURSDAY BREAKFAST: Sausage

& Biscuits, Jelly, Juice, Milk LUNCH: Ground Beef Stroganoff, Salad, Mixed Vegetables, Apple Crisp, Milk or Tea
FRIDAY BREAKFAST: Breakfast

Pizza, Juice, Milk LUNCH: Nachoes w/Meat and Cheese, Fruti, Milk or Tea (Menu Subject to Change)

#### LA RESPUESTA QUE CLASE DE ESPOSA ES USTED?

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............

En el primer libro de La Biblia que es Genesis encontramos a Dios creando el cielo y la tierra, la luna, las estrellasetc.etc. y como coronando su creacion Dios crea al hombre a su imagen y todo lo pone Dios bajo sus pies pero en Gn. 2:20 se nos dice que en todo eso no se hallo ayuda idonea para el y en el v.18 dijo Dios " no es bueno que el hombre este solo: le hare ayuda idonea para el" y en el V.22 dice " y de la costilla que Jehova Dios tomo del hombre, hizo una mujer, y la trajo al hombre;" Y ya que Dios hizo a la mujer para que fuera ayuda idonea quiero exponer lo que es una ayuda idonea.

1. Ayuda idonea significa ser una companera ideal.

2. Ayuda idonea es ayuda fiel Pr. 31:11 nos dice "Le da ella bien y no mal todos los dias de su vida.

3. Una ayuda idonea hace sentir al esposo orgulloso.

de La Iglesia Cristiana Canaan Wheeler Tx.

Provervios. 12:4 nos dice que " la mujer virtuosa es corona de su marido "En ete punto vale la pena senalar que la gente se burla o admira al hombre por la clase de esposa que esta tiene en su casa, por ejemplo aunque alguien no conozca a la esposa personalmente, la pueden conocer a travez de si le pone un buen lonche cuando el esposo se va al trabajo, o si se le manda a trabajar sin nada que comer o con el tradicional "sandwish" de si el esposo usa ropa limpia y planchada, o si siempre trae su ropa arrugada, si mantiene sus hijos limpios y su casa limpia,; Puede usted ver que tan importante es ser una buena ayuda idonea? Escrito por Sergio Vaquera Pastor

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# MOBEETIE By: Melba Corcoran

Dale and Melba Corcoran visited Tuesday night with Pauline Barnes in Wheeler others there was Denzil and Fern Reed and Joey Stone. They enjoyed playing cards.

The Christian Men's Breakfast was field Wednesday morning at Sallie's. Those attending were Dale Corcoran, Rob Hogan, Chuck Hogan, Matt Crawford and Rev. Johnny Crawford.

Doug Whaley became a resident of Wheeler Care Center this past

Bernice Hefley had laser surgery on her eye this week in Elk City, Ok. It was on scar tissue and she is doing real good and can see real good now out of that eye.

Melba Corcoran and Bobbye Hill went to Amarillo Tuesday. Melba had blood work done. Then they did some research for the museum and attended a meeting

James Moffett had surgery Tuesday in Columbia Medical Center in Pampa. He is doing o.k.

Aaron and Ariza Lancaster of Amarillo visited Tuesday and Wednesday with Ariza and Anna Belle Corcoran. Julian and Jerry Martinez took Jess

and Deanna Mixon to Amarillo to see Mickey Mixon in the hospital. They took them out to lunch at a steak

Mickey Mixon got out of the hospital Wednesday and is home recovering from his surgery.

R. C. and Martha Parker of McLean visited Wednesday with Chuck and Louise Hogan.

Dale and Melba Corcoran tended to business in Amarillo Friday. Then

## LIBRARY NEWS

During the past two weeks we checked out 370 books and had 200 patrons. Also 10 videos and 30 audios went out.

We have been busy getting new books on the shelves both in the children's and adults sections. New adult books are: The Winner by Baldacci, Bitter Harvest by Rule, Second Love by Gould, Nowhere to Hide by Elliot, The Academy by Ruggero, Wobegon Boy by Keillor, Left In The Care Of by Kong, Then Came Heaven by Spencer, Certain Justice by James, Lucky You by Hiaasen, Sooner or Later by Adler, The Poison Tree by Strong, Where There's

Smoke by McBain, Bittersweet by Mills, Flaming Arrow by Edwards, Midnight Lady by Rogers, The Violent Beat by Sanderson, Sea Swept by Roberts, Nelson Brand by Palmer, Wizard and Glass by King, and Paradise by Morrison. These are just to name a few. Our children's section is taking good shape, lots of new books thanks to the Tocker Grant money.

Our new audios are: Zeke and Ned by McMurtry and Luciano's Luck by Jack Higgins. Also we have Comanche Moonby McMurtry on au-

One of our featured books for this week is Lucky You by Carl Hiaasen. In Grange, Florida, a fiberglass Madonna weeps, Jesus appears in a stain on the road, and JoLanye Lucks holds a winning lottery ticket! But so does Bodean Gazzer and he wants the whole \$28 million. She's a lady but no pushover, watch out, Bodean! This is witty and offbeat novel. Our second featured book is The Winner by David Baldacci. LuAnn Tyler was force to take part in a corrupt lottery scheme 10 years ago. Now, all she wants is to lead a normal life but the FBI is breathing down her neck about a possible murder and someone out of her past wants to see her dead. She must get him first! Another tense thrill by this author. It's another sleep

Thanks to Creed McQueen and Nancy Clymer for donating books and to Steve Walker for the audio he donated. We appreciate you all remembering the library. Also we received memorials for Claudy Brotherton this past week. We appreciate all memo-

That's all for this week, come see us and get some good books, we sure have them!

By the library staff

Friday night they visited Pauline Barnes in Wheeler and played several games of Phase IO.

Dennis Hilburn is up and about following his back surgery. He had to go back and get another shot in the nerve. They are wanting to keep the nerve numbed till it can heal. He is still having quite a bit of pain,

We were sorry to hear Mabel Tabor had broken her leg. She is doing o.k. and is up and about with the help of crutches.

Mt. View Quilting Club met Friday at Totty School House with Betty Haines as hostess. Those attending were Estelle Hodges, Betty Haines, Audrey Seitz and Orville Greenhouse. They finished her quilt and she put another in.

Dale and Melba Corcoran visited Saturday night in Wheeler with William and Patricia Burch, Tyler and

Carl Pierce of Cheyenne Ok vis-

#### WHEELER

JANUARY 26, 1998—JANUARY 30,

MONDAY BREAKFAST: Toast, Jelly, Cereal, Milk, Juice

LUNCH: Corn dog, Tator Tots, Pickle spear, Apricots, Milk, Tea TUESDAY BREAKFAST: Biscuits and Gravy, Scrambled Eggs, Sau-

sage, Milk, Juice LUNCH: Fish Nuggets, Macaroni & Cheese, English Peas, Bread, Pears, Juice Pops, Milk, Tea

WEDNESDAY BREAKFAST: Toast, Jelly, Cereal, Blueberry Muffins, Milk,

LUNCH: Cheeseburgers, Lettuce, Tomato, Onion, Pickles, French Fries, Pears Milk, Tea THURSDAY BREAKFAST: Pancake

Pups/Syrup, Toast, Jelly, Sausage, Peanut Butter, Milk, Juice. LUNCH: Chicken Patty, M. Potatoes/

Gravey, Corn, Hot Roll/Butter, Fruit Cocktail, Milk, Tea. FRIDAY BREAKFAST: Toast, Jelly, Cereal, Milk, Juice.

LUNCH: Baked Potatoes, Ham & Cheese, Sour Cream/Butter, Carrot, Clerey Stick, Bread, Pineapple, Milk,

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ited his sister Jud and Lorene Rector Phyllis (Grimes) Tucker of Elk Hart, Ks, fell during the Christmas Holiday

and hurt her shoulder. She is going to have surgery on it. Eddie Richardson of Wheeler vis-

ited Friday night with Calvin and Leola Stuart and Glady Richardson. George Crawford visited with Johnny and Patty Crawford and Matt

on Sunday.

Marion Grimes is having trouble with his back. He was sure missed Sunday at church. He is the men's Sunday School teacher and the song leader. Hurry up and get well.

Several people have had accidents from falls lately. Mildred Treadwell fell and is with her daughter recovering. Mrs. Bud Powell fell and is recovering at home. Geniva Hogan got off balance and went over backward in a setting position. She is bruised but doesn't think it has hurt her back sur-

Our sympathy goes out to the family of Sybil Brown. Her smile and laughter will be missed by all.

Matt Crawford preached at the First Baptist Church Sunday night. He did a great job. He goes back to college Thursday. The youth will miss him. He is filling in for Geniva Hogan as youth director.

Alvern Hutchison of Wheeler visited her aunt Orville Greenhouse Sunday afternoon.

Terry and Glenda Dickey and John of McLean visited Sunday with Glen D. and Estelle Hodges.

The Country Jubilee had a very good meeting Friday night. They had 22 present. Rev. Aaron Laverty brought the message. The music was wonderful. They had Ada Lou Lester and J. B. Duckworth on the fiddles, Vernon, Johnny Crawford, Marion Grimes and Tim on the guitars, Jack Selby on the mandolin, Carolyn Selby on the base, Rick on the French Harp. The Gospel Cords (Tim, Vernocia and Rick) singing. After the singing and the message everyone enjoyed fellowship with cake and coffee. The Jubilee is held every 3rd. Friday night in New Mobeetie in the Masonic Lodge building on First Street. Everyone is welcome to come and join in. It is an uplifting experience to have this kind of fellowship.

The Team Kids of the First Baptist Church had a good turn out Sunday with Patty Crawford and Amanda Childress in charge. The children attending were Curtis, Cari and Crystal Pigg, George and Shanna

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Reeves, Brittany, A. J. and Josh Woodworth, Sarah Moon, Travis and Brittany Bryan and Alicia Reis. The group meets every Sunday afternoon at the church. Everyone is welcome to come and join in the lessons, games, singing and fun. Friday morning both stop signs at

the intersection of FM48 and 152 were down. One is on the south east side of the highway and one on the north west. I don't know if they were hit or were taken down. If they were taken down please stop and think before you do it again on how dangerous it can be. Some one coming south of FM48 and didn't know the road could pull right out in front of someone and be hurt or killed.

Norman and Carolyn Patton of Olton visited Tuesday with his sister

Ray and Velma Forbes. Doyle and Bulah Grimes visited

Friday with Jud and Lorene Rector. Visiting with Doyle and Bulah Grimes were children Jerry and Gary Grimes of Amarillo and grandchildren were Chris and Dixie Purdy and Dillion, and Carole of Guymon, OK.

Meeting at Maxey's for lunch Saturday were R. H. and Betty Dyson of



Sure good to see the sun once more. Really, compared to other places, we haven't had such bad weather. Just dreary and miserable. Heard from Joe Dales in north Missouri. They were two degrees with snow and ice. Joy Sites had heard from her sister, Lean Faye, in New Jersey and they had missed that awful storm up that way.

Joy and Troy Sites were on their way to Mountain View to the ball games. It was homecoming time there and their granddaughter, Robin Sites, was the Junior Candidate for

Visitors of Millie Stone were John Greer, Burns Flat; Randy and Karen Greer, Brandie and Kristi, Olathe, KS.; Jerry and Carol Stone, Jamie, Sarah, Rilio and Levi, Dallas; Paul

and Kim Kavis, Michael, Matthew and Holly, Tulsa. Lavonda Beavins, Sayre, was out

and Anne made a visit to Cheyenne. King's Kids Day at the Buffalo Church had a number of young folks present. Leaders were Larry Parvin, Lisa Cox, Virginia Le Grand and Gay

to see her folks, the L. G. Reeds. She

The Parvins have moved their trailer home and are now living in the Buffalo community

The State FFA Goodwill tour group will visit the Sweetwater Chapter this week. They are Lorena Smith, State Scd., Cody Murhy, John Lewster and Shane Stephens. Officers of the Sweetwater FFA are Cody Hagerman, president; Brian Davis, Vice President; Chad Baker, Sentinel; Taffany Sanders is secretary and Cassie Perry, Treasurer; Lindsey Coffey, Reporter and Tyler Heinshon is Chaplain. John Creason is the in-

Mr. and Mrs. Creason are the proud parents of a baby boy born at Elk City. His name is Owen Robert.

Eric and Sheila Lohberger have a baby girl, Niki Deene, born December 21. Great grandparents are the Truman Alexanders.

Stella Jenkins is a patient at the Sayre Hospital. Hansford and Almeda are her with her.

Cousin Vevadelle Ashmore is out of the hospital and now at Brand Place. Margie Ashmore of Midwest City has been with her.

Louis Perry and Rands Coffey have been on the sick list. Anna Roberts is back home at Erick after a stay

Among those working at the Sayre Prison are Floyd Pickering, Harold Dean Myers, Sharlene Hagerman, Tommy Calverly, Chuck Arringtron and Keith Miller.

O. K. and Elma Henson attended the recent Retired Teachers meet at

I put my onion cups out on New Year's Eve and kept a record of the first 12 days of January. They agreed that this is going to be a much dryer year than the past three and that April would be the month with the most moisture. This first half of January made us remember the story of 1816, the year without a summer.

Brandon Atkinson was home for the weekend. The family enjoyed the Cheyenne ball games.

Talked to my brother, Frank in Little Rock. They have had the flu for two weeks. Sure a lot of tales going around about the flu. One TV station said only four cases of flu in Oklaoma. Anyone of us knows more than rour people with the flu. Another said a new strain was prevalent that the flu shot did not prevent. A third said still time to get the flu shot. Try not to

Ed and Joyce Taylor had a family reunion over Christmas. Later guests were Burt and Gloria Goditsitz of Illinois. Sheila Hunter, Brittany and Zachary of Sarye were out for sup-Funeral services for one of my

faithful readers, Sidney Cogburn, 86, were held at the Fitzgerald Mortuary in Albuquerque with burial in the National Cemetery at Santa Fe beside his wife. Mr. Cogburn used to come by to see us when he visited relatives in Cheyenne. He always brought some nice gifts.

Folks under 18 must show that they can read before they can get their drivers license. Looks like it would be a good thing if all drivers could read

an know the signs. Birthday folds are Joe Flowers, Clara Lou McGuire, Joy Sites, Norman Robison, Monte Tucker, Julian Wallace, Joel Alexander, Lavelle Hill, Gene Carlson, Brendon

Atkinson, Haskel Reed and Lisa

Alexander. Happiness to all.



Pampa, Herman and Estella Topper

of Borger, R. L. and Rozena Zybach

of Briscoe and Jack and Bernice

Hefley. After lunch they went to R. L.

prayers for both him and the little girl.

The girl is doing better but still has a

Calvin and Leola Stuart and Gladys

Richardson visited Sunday with

Bulah Stuart and Gerald Stuart in

Shamrock and in Erick with Ivy

Leon Dockins has been to the doc-

Jerry Simpson of Skellytown vis-

Novelle Simpson, Gayla Hathaway

and Brandon went to Amarillo Friday.

Brandon had a doctor's appointment

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tor for test. He found out he has an

and Rozena's for card games.

Wheeler School cafeteria.

Richardson, and

ulcer. Get well soon.

Then they shopped.

long ways to go.

Richardson.

PAGE 5—Thursday, January 22, 1998 "Wheeler, town of friendship and pride."

Melba Darnell went to the doctor Monday for another treatment. She coughed so hard she pulled something loose in the rib area. She is

better but still real sore. Thursday night Jack and Bernice Aaron and Ariza Lancaster of Ama-Hefley and Opal Hefley went to the rillo visited with Ariza and Anna Belle David Zybach's supper held in the Corcoran. Jeff and Melie Kelley. Karen and Kathy also visited with The Hovey' great grandson isn't them. Ariza is having lots of trouble doing good at all. They need our

getting up with his artiritis. Jess and Deanna Mixon called Mickey and Dorothy Mixon Sunday. Mickey wasn't feeling very good that

Doris Finsterwald and Patricia Hands visited with Mrs. Bud Powell

Mildred Mickey called Anna Belle Corcoran Saturday night. She asked about everyone in Mobeetie, Her and Bob plans to come down and visit with everyone before long. Kelley is still living in Dallas. Robin is a nurse in ICC at Baptist St. Anthony Hospital in Amarillo. Bob has retired from the school systems.

> MEALS on WHEELS

MONDAY JANUARY 26 - FRIDAY **JANUARY 30, 1998** 

MONDAY: Basil Chicken, Buttered Garlic Potatoes, Seasoned Spinach, Dinner Roll, Margarine, Banana Pud-

TUESDAY: Chicken Strips, Macaroni and Tomatoes, Coleslaw, Bread, Margarine, Bread Pudding with Lemon

WEDNESDAY: Hamburger Steak, Gravy, Black-eyed Peas, Fried Zucchini, Corn Bread, Margarine, Plum Pudding

THURSDAY: Cheese Enchiladas, Spanish Rice, Refried Beans, Parsley Garnish, Pineapple Tidbits with Cherry Garnish

FRIDAY: Savory Beef with Roasted Vegetables, Oven-Browned Potatoes, Bread, Margarine, Cheese

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Congregational Concerns: Jerry Don Horton was recently hurt in an oil field accident. However, he has been released from the hospital in Lake Charles, Louisiana and

he is now recovering at his home in Wheeler. Irene Zybach, the grandmother of Melody Goad, remains hospitalized in the local hospital. Her condition is serious.

From The Minister's Desk:

Generation Y is the title of the supplement that is included in the Friday edition of the Amarillo Daily News. This supplement mainly consists of editorials that are written by students from various high schools

in the Texas panhandle. The majority of these editorials are well written and thought-provoking. For example, a recent issue of Generation Y contained an editorial that was entitled, "Homosexuality and Hating Gays equally Sinful in God's View". This editorial was written by Shannon Pogue, a high student from White Deer, and it

"For years a battle has been raging between gays and straights. The straights think that they are right, and the gays think that they are right, but does anyone stop to think what God says is right? Or, do we even care anymore ?"

"Morality has gone out with the trash, yet through all these years, God never has changed. His laws still apply; yet more often than not, we disregard and exchange them for man's law.,,
"It says in I Corinthians 6:9-11:1,

Do you not know that the wicked will not inherit the kingdom of God ? Do not be deceived: Neither the sexually immoral nor the idolaters nor adulterers nor male prostitutes nor homosexual offenders nor thieves nor the greedy; nor drunkards nor slanders or swindlers will inherit the kingdom of God. And that is what some of you were. But you were washed; you were sanctified. You were justified in the name of the Lord Jesus Christ and by the spirit of God. " "It never says in the Bible that a

woman being with another woman is ok if they love each other. Homosexulaity is wrong. There are no ifs ands or buts, except one. It says a homosexual cannot enter the kingdom of God unless God forgives him of his sin. God always forgives, if we only ask. " "The Bible says to love everyone

as you would a brother, but to hate sin. Homosexuals complain so often of being hated, beaten, and discriminated against. While this also is a sin, the Bible says to hate sin. I

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

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guess it's like the commercial that

says: "Kill the germs; keep the kids.

"Romans 12:9, 10, 17-19 says: "Hate what is evil; cling to what is good. Be devoted to one another above yourselves. Do not repay evil for evil. Be careful to do what is right in the eyes of everybody. If it is possible as far as it depends on you, live at peace with everyone. Do not take revenge my friends, but leave room for God's wrath; for it is written: "It is mine to avenger will re-

pay", says the Lord. " "This message is as much to the straights as it is to the gays. It is apparent that homosexuality is wrong, but hating or abusing them is just as evil. God will take care of their punishment. It is not up to you

"Then there are those who are not gay but who support them just the same-God also says this is wrong in Romans 1:32. It says: "Although they know God's righteous decree that those who do such things deserve death, they not only continue to do these very things but also approve of those who practice

"What really makes me mad is when some homosexuals say they were born that way. In Genesis, it says that God created man in his own image: sinless. It is human nature that causes us to sin. Yet some still refuse to believe that it is a choice. The Bible also states clearly that homsexuality is a sin and that sinning is wrong, so why would God create a person who is so full of sin right from the very start?"

"God would no more force one to be gay than he would force one to murder. No. Homsexuality doesn't inflict physical

pain, but it is as much of a sin as any other, murder or not. "

"You can argue with me all day. You can call me names and criticize me but when it comes down to judgment day, you won't be facing me. Who's going to win when you argue with God?"

> Bill Morrison, Minister Church of Christ Wheeler, Texas

> > Services:

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

Wednesday Bible Study ...... 7:30 P.M.

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# Charles Moran To Speak Sunday

Pastor Vic Porter of Grace fellowship, 601 Red River, announces that Charles Moran of Broken Arrow, OK will be at Grace Fellowship on Sun-

### Pesticide Appli. License Continuing Educa. Class

Holders of Commercial, Non-Commercial and Private Pesticide Applicator License will have an opportunity to earn 5.5 continuing education units (CEUS) on Tuesday, January 27, 1998. The training, which is sponsored by the Texas Agricultural Extension Service in Wheeler, Gray, Carson and Roberts Counties will begin at 9:00 a.m. at the Gray County Annex on the east side of Pampa.

While the program is planned for training in right-of-way weed control, the CEUs will apply toward the renewal of all commercial, non-commercial or private applicator licenses issued by the Texas Department of Agriculture. Credits will include one hour in drift minimization, and rightof-way weeds and their control.

Topics to be covered include Laws and Regulations (record keeping, etc.), DPS Plackering and Regulations. Working with Pesticides -Safety First, City of Pampa - Environmental Services, Drift Minimization, and Right-of-Way Weeds and Their Control.

The meeting will conclude at 4:00

For more information, contact Don King, County Extension Agent, at

Extension programs serve people of all ages regardless of socio-economic level, race, color, sex, religion, disability or national origin.

(from Page 1) The Great Plains Regional Medical Center in Elk City has an ad in the paper this week. We have had dealing with this facility and I was certainly impressed. Keep them in mind if something is needed that cannot be taken care of at Parkview. -cwe-

As you probably already guessed, the trip to Amariilo was not my only travel for the weekend. -cwe-

Barbara flew into Oklahoma City Thursday evening and Jennifer, Brice and I met the plane.

-cwe-

Barbara and I came back to Wheeler Saturday afternoon with a stop in Hinton and then returned to Hinton for Sunday Dinner.

Barbara flew back to Houston Monday morning. Dorcie was happy to have Baba back

We played cards Monday night. Jane and Mike won two of the three games. Dwight and I had the most points at the end of the second game

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Charles and his wife, Marsha have been in the ministry for 25 years. Twenty-one of those years were in the pastoral ministry and four years in traveling ministry. With these years of experience, they bring an understanding of the needs of the local church and its pastoral family,

Charles is a graduate of Southwestern Bible University and a 1981 graduate of Rhema Bible Training Center. He is ordained through R.M.A.I. in Broken Arrow, His wife, a former English teacher and basketball coach, is ordained through Grace Fellowship in Tulsa, OK,

The Morans have accepted the call and leading of the Holy Spirit to minister strength, life and encouragement to the saints of God.

Their goal in ministry is to encourage and, strengthen pastors and their congregations. They strive to be an

minister to. God has used them to see marriages reconciled, the deaf to hear, the lame to walk, as well as many receive Christ as their personal Sav-

asset to every church and group they

#### **Ground Water Conserv. Board Holds Election**

In accordance with recent revisions to the Texas Election Code, the Panhandle Ground Water Conservation District Board of Directors declared the unopposed candidates duly elected to their offices for four-year terms on January 14, 1998.

The newly-elected District Directors are Frank Simms, Precinct 2 (the southeast portion of Carson County and northeast portion of Armstrong County), Charles Bowers, Precinct 4 (Southern Gray County, a portion of Northern Donley County and a portion of western Wheeler County), Jim Thompson, Precinct 6( the remainder of Armstrong County, and Danny Hardcastle, Precinct 8 (eastern twothirds of Wheeler County).



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### **Steve Austin To Perform** At Wheeler Care Center

Steve Austin, a Country Western Singer from Nashville, Tenn., will be at Wheeler Care Center on Wednesday, January 28, 1998, at 10:30 A.M.

The public is invited to attend. The Wheeler Care Center Activity Department is the sponsor.

Hunting (from Page 1)

With depressed livestock prices this would be an excellent opportunity for an alternate income for farmers and ranchers. Last year farmers and ranchers were paid between \$405 to \$2025, for a total of \$5265. The Chamber earned \$1560.

James Masters is the Chamber representative for the turkey hunt. any land owner or individual needing more information on the hunt or leasing may contact James or the Wheeler Chamber of Commerce. The Chamber number is 806/826-

Before you commit, check with the chamber; it could mean a better deal for you and your land will not be

The Chamber will also contract land for deer and quail hunting dur-

Board (from Page 1)

Holland, and Donna Walser. President Gail Ledbetter called the meeting to order at 7:30 p.m.

1. Motion by Mr. Dunnam seconded by Dr. Smith to approve the minutes of the previous meeting. Motion carried unanimously.

2. Motion by Mr. Sams seconded by Mr. Ford to approve the payment of the December accounts as presented. Motion carried unanimously.

3. Motion by Mr. Ford seconded by Mrs. Dollar to adopt Policy Updates 56 & 57. Motion carried unanimously. 4. Motion by Mr. Ford seconded by

Mr. Dunnam to take Level II School Board training at Shamrock at 6:00 p.m. on February 16, 1998. Motion carried unanimously.

Administrative reports were given by Doug Rives and Supt. Glyndol Holland. The Site Based Committee report was given by Machelle Henson.

The Board retired into Executive Session as authorized by the Texas Open Meetings Act, Texas Government Code Section 551.001 et seq at 7:48 p.m.

The Board returned to open session

at 9:10 p.m. 5. Motion by Mr. Ford seconded by Mrs. Dollar to accept the resignation of Angie Ware as Kindergarten aide as of December 31, 1997. Motion carried unanimously.

6. Motion by Mr. Dunnam seconded by Dr. Smith to accept the resignation of Faye Farrar as school custodian for health reasons as of January 31, 1998. Motion carried unanimously

7. Motion by Dr. Smith seconded by Mr. Dunnam to employ Lynna Crockett as part-time librarian on day per week for the remainder of the 97-98 school year. Motion carried unanimously.

8. Motion by Mr. Sams seconded by Mr. Ford to extend the contract of Glyndol Holland one year at a salary to be determined at a later date. Motion carried unanimously

9. Motion by Mr. Sams seconded by Mrs. Dollar to employ Vivian Jones as Kindergarten aide of the remainder of the 97-98 school year. Motion carried unanimously

10. Motion by Mr. Ford seconded by Dr. Smith to advertise for a full time custodian. Motion carried unani-

Meeting adjourned at 9:15 p.m.

Fire Dept. (from Page 1)

W.V.F.D. responded to two fire calls the week of the eleventh thru seven-

The Wheeler Volunteer Fire Department currently has 24 active members and one junior fire fighter.

FT. ELLIOTT (Briscoe Campus) MENU

MONDAY, January 26 - FRIDAY, January 30, 1998 MONDAY: Chicken Strips, Potatoes,

Green Beans, Milk - Tea TUESDAY: Cheeseburger Pockets, Baked Beans, Corn, Cherry Cobler,

Milk - Tea WEDNESDAY: Sante Fe Stew, Cheese Sticks, Cornbread, Fruit,

Milk - Tea THURSDAY: Burritos, Red Beans, Salad, Carmel Apples, Milk - Tea FRIDAY: Bar-B-Que on Bun, French

Fries, Slaw, Fruit, Milk - Tea

(Menu Subject to Change)



hard, if not impossible, to replace,

Mae Brinkley moved away and we

will miss her smiling face and help-

The number of call each member

Mac Chrisnter 138, M.K. Chrisnter

210, Mark Frankenbery 69, Louis

Stas 23, Jim Calderon 40, Nicki

Calderon 41, Greg Hampton 77, Mae

Brinkley 45, Lee HIbler 4, Lyndon

Loyd 6, Stacey Horton 19, Jon

Sullivan 44, Jimmy Selby 12, Doug

Groves 7 and Wanda Lane 2. When

you see these people tell them how

vou appreciate them and their time

they spend in patient care, training

and carrying that darn pager day in

a pager that accidently got dropped

in a toilet, it recovered and so did the

A new EMT class is starting in Feb.

in Shamrock. This a chance for

people who would like to serve their

Seventeen calls were answered &

3 transfers to Amarillo. 1 to Elk City

and I to Pampa. The nature of these

calls were: two respiratories, one

rattle snake bite, one foot inj., two sick

calls, one acute ABD., three cardiacs,

one fall with facial injuries., one fall

not fractures, one CVA and one foot-

ball standby. Also one 10-50 with no

The number of calls and hours do-

nated by the members were: Jon

Sullivan 5 calls, 16 hours, Louis Stas

2 calls, 1.05 hours, Mac Christner 11

calls, 23.5 hours, M. K. Chrisnter 11

calls, 23.5 hours, Jim Calderon 4

calls, 6.5 hours, Nicki Calderon 3 calls

1.5 hours, Greg Hampton 2 calls I

hour, Mae Brinkley 2 calls 2.5 hours,

Doug Groves 2 calls I hour, Lyndon

Dec. Amb. Report

Twenty-twenty calls were an-

swered in Dec. 5 transferred to Ama-

KPDR-FM, 90.5

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ter of Chip and Pam Hill. Her

grandparents are Bobbye and

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One casualty not mentioned was

and day cut.

embarrassed worker.

community in this field.

inj. and one assault.

Loyd 1 call, .05 hours.

Listen to . . .

Nov. Amb. Report

ing hands, good luck Mae.

made in 1997 are as follows:

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"Wheeler, town of friendship and pride."

rillo and 4 to Pampa. The nature of As always cardiac was the leading these calls were: 7 cardiacs, 1 sepsis, problem. 1997 was a very busy year 3 falls, 2 with head injs., 4 CVAs., I for our service. We were saddened nonresponsive, 4 with respiratory disby the loss of Mark. He was a very tress, I diabetic, one rig accident, one faithful worker and made most of the crushing injs. one ABD, 3 sick calls, day time transfers, he will be very

Medivac was called twice. The number of calls and hours donated by the members were: Mac Chrisnter 11 calls, 25.5 hours, M. K. Christner 16 calls 36 hours, Louis Stas 5 calls 9 hours, Jim Calderon 7 calls 9 hours, Nicki Calderon 6 calls 4.5, Stacey Horton 7 calls 8 hours, Jon Sullivan 8 calls 17.5 hours, and Greg Hampton 4 calls 12.5 hours.

### Phil Gramm Aide Will Be At Maxey's Tuesday

An Aide to U.S. Sen. Phil Gramm will visit Wheeler on Tuesday, January 27, to outline a new Gramm proposal that would make an extra \$2 billion in federal funds available to rebuild Texas' crumbling highways

Gramm regional director Sondar Ziegler is meeting with officials in several West Texas cities this week, highlighting the senator's road building plan to erase the congestion that often turns large stretches of Texas interstate highways into parking lots.

Ziegler will speak to members of the community at 12:30 p.m. at Maxey's Steakhouse, Hwy. 83 South. The media is invited to attend.

"Heavy traffic is a sure sign of economic growth and opportunity, but it is pounding our major highways into concrete dust. Too many parts of the main north-south artery in our state, Interstate 35, are parking lots on most days, and virtually every other big highway in Texas is in desperate need of repair and upgrading,' Gramm said. "We should have started this program 10 years ago, but we can do it today."

Gramm's proposal, co-sponsored by U.S. Sens, Robert Byrd, D-West Virginia, John Warner, R-Virginia and Mex Baucus, D-Montana, will direct federal highway authorities to begin using money collected from the 1993 gasoline tax increase.

The proposal will provide \$1.9 billion in added highway funding for Texas. It also creates a \$450 million fund to finance such programs as the special "NAFTA Highway" designations that are being sought for I-35, the planned I-69 in Southeast Texas and I-10/I-25 link at ElPaso.

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#### **Emergency**

emergency, the hospitals top priority is to care for that patient. It is Parkview's goal to give the best care and stabilize a patient in the ER until they are admitted to a room or transferred, if necessary. All too often, patients seen in the ER are not emergencies. If a person has fever, vomiting, diarrhea or difficulty breathing, they should see their physician in the clinic during office hours. Symptoms tend to worsen during the evening hours and persons would be much better off seeing a physician earlier during the day. An office visit is less costly and doesn't tie up the emergency room when a life threatening emergency does occur.

Parkview will continue to give care to all patients in the emergency room, but payment will be expected. Exception would be those people that have Medicare or Medicaid with current Texas card, and other insurance with no deductible involved.

Thank you for your cooperation and assistance in helping us provide the best medical care possible in our hospital.

Cancer

(from Page 1)

The Women's Center of the Don and Sybil Harrington Cancer Center and Baptist/St. Anthony's Health System will conduct a Breast Cancer Screening Clinic at Parkview Hospital, 901 S Sweetwater in Wheeler on February 11, 1998

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### EMERGENCY ROOM CARE WILL BE "CASH ONLY" AT PARKVIEW HOSPITAL

Due to increasing costs in medical care and a loss of several thousand dollars in Parkview's Emergency Room, all emergency room visits are expected to be paid for when services are rendered. Any life threatening emergency will be cared for, no matter what the circumstances. Essentially, this has always been the policy of Parkview Hospital, but it has not been enforced. We must enforce this policy, if we wish to keep our Emergency Room open.

If someone is truly experiencing an emergency, the hospitals top priority is to care for that patient. It is Parkview's goal to give the best care and stabilize a patient in the ER until they are admitted to a room or transferred, if necessary. All too often, patients seen in the ER are not emergencies. If a person has fever, vomiting, diarrhea or difficulty breathing, they should see their physician in the clinic during office hours. Symptoms tend to worsen during the evening hours and persons would be much better off seeing a physician earlier during the day. An office visit is less costly and doesn't tie up the emergency room when a life threatening emergency does occur.

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