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"Wheeler, town of friendship and pride."



Congratulations, Katle Shipp and Sabrina Chupp. These young ladies will be representing our local area in the state vocal competition in

-cwe-

Looks like the fruit crop has been lost, or most of it, following the freeze over the weekend. But that is not unusual for us.

-cwe-

The month of March is looking pretty good, moisture wise. The 0.67 inches received over the weekend goes nicely with the 0.73 received earlier. -cwe-

The Wheeler County Sheriff's Department probably thought I was crazy when I called Sunday to check on the road conditions.

-cwe-We had gone to Oklahoma early Friday and witnessed a rainfall of approximately 2". Saturday it snowed off and on all day with no accumulation until Saturday night. Sunday morning the roads were iced over and dangerous; roads in the north

-cwe-We returned Surday evening to Wheeler to what appeared to have been a nice spring day.

central part of the state were closed.

-cwe-I received a call from a Shana L. Austin in Sinton, Texas. She was calling to say she enjoyed The Wheeler Times, but was sure the person who subscribed would appreciate it more. Shana had never lived near Wheeler nor had any relatives near here.

-cwe-This name and address came to us as a change of address for Barbara Austin in New Braunfels, Texas.

Several of our college students are on springbreak this week. Benny Sword called Monday afternoon to see if the card game was still on for the evening.

-cwe-It was good to have Benny back at the table, even though he was not on the winning team. Barbara, Jane and I won two out of three; Benny, Paul and Dwight were on the other team.

Lois Risner, 87, Services Are Held Thurs., Mar. 11

Lois Irene Risner, 87, died Tuesday, March 9, 1999. Services were held at 2:00 P.M., Thursday, March 11, 1999 at the First Baptist Church in Wheeler with Rev. Robert Fields, pastor of Southeast Baptist Church in Amarillo, officiating.

Mrs. Risner was born August 27, 1911 in Caddo Gap, Arkansas to John E. and Ada Peters Jones. She married Frank Risner on December 25, 1932 in Mountainburg, Arkansas. They moved to Wheeler from Arkansas shortly after their marriage. She was a homemaker all her life. Mrs. Risner was a member of the Landmark Missionary Baptist Church She was preceded in death by her husband in 1985 and a son, Ernest Dale Risner in 1957.

She is survived by 1 daughter, Donna Cunningham of Amarillo; 2 sons, Bobby Risner of Wheeler and Charles Risner of Perryton; 1 brother, Gilbert Jones of Tulsa, Oklahoma; 1 sister, Maxine Mills of Hampton, Virginia; 7 grandchildren and 12 greatagrandchildren.

The family request memorials be sent to Crown of Texas Hospice at 1000 S. Jefferson St. in Amarillo.

Three Positions Open On No. Hosp. District Board

North Wheeler County Hospital District has 3 Districts up for election for Board of Directors. Bob Dukes has filed for re-election for the Allison District. Dean Tipps has filed for reelection for the Briscoe District and James Batton has filed for re-election for the Mobeetie District. Filing deadline is April 6, 1999.

Pizza Hut Deliveries

Orders are being taken for large pizzas to be delivered. Pizzas will be delivered Thursday evening March 25. Orders must be received by Tuesday March 23. Proceeds are to be wused for Summer Mission Trip. Sponsered by Country Chapel. Call 826-3511 for details.

Bradstreet on Dean's List

Andy P. Bradstreet, environmental science major from Wheeler, has been named to the Dean's List for the fall semester at Stephen F. Austin

State University. To be eligible for this honor, a student must maintain an excellent grade point average.

Begert Named NALF President

Hiram Begert of Allison, Texas has taken the helm of the North American Limousin Foundation (NALF) as the breed's president for 1999. Begert, a



HIRAM BEGERT

progressive, long-time Limousin breeder, accepts the challenge of leading the third largest U.S. beef breed into the 21st Century.

Involved in breeding Limousin for 25 years, Begert Limousin Ranch is one of the nation's largest herds of registered black, polled Limousin cattle. The Begerts offer bulls and females for sale private treaty on their family-run ranch.

Begert is currently serving his second term on the NALF Board of Directors and is also a board member of the Texas Limousin Association. Hiram is a member of the Oklahoma Limousin Breeders Association, NCBA, and the Texas and Southwestern Cattle Raisers Association.

Hiram is active in the United Methodist Church of Allison and spends time with wildlife, range and grass management and improvements.

Hiram and his wife, Darenda, have one son, Bret. Bret and his wife, Hayley, are partners in Begert Limousin Ranch.

Islanders Complete Year of Activities

The Islanders Special Olympic Basketball team competed in three tournaments this year. The 1st tournament was Jan. 17th in Canyon with The Islanders placing 2nd. Scores were Texas Tornadoes 22, Islanders 16 and Islanders 28 and Hereford ladies 24, the Islanders winning in

The 2nd Area 16 Tournament was held Feb. 20th in Borger and the Islanders placed 2nd. Scores were Texas Tornadoes 28 and Islanders 24, the Islanders losing in overtime, and then the Islanders 30 and the Hereford Ladies 18. P.J. Ford, an Islander, led the oath for all the special olympians at opening ceremo-

The Islanders won their division of the 3rd Regional Tournament held in Amarillo on March 5, 6, and 7th by winning all 4 of their games in 2 days of play in Amarillo High School. They

competed against Hereford Ladies and Monterrey White. The Regional Tournament hosted over 300 athletes from all over the panhandle area and Teresa Soto of the Islanders lead the oath of all of the athletes at opening ceremonies in Amarillo. A media game was played Fri. March 5 with Amanda Childress participating for the Islanders.

With the help of area businesses, the Islanders spent 2 nights at Ramada Inn West while competing in Regional play. Supporting the team were parents, families, chaperons. coaches, and local businesses for a combined successful season. Thanks goes to NAPA Auto Parts, Conoco. Neighbors, Midcoast Gas Services and Vinyard Water Services. Midcoast Gas Services also donated uniforms and warm-up suits to the Islanders Special Olympic Program for use now and in the future.



ISLANDER'S SPECIAL OLYMPICS: Training in Bowling, Basketball, and Track the athletes are: from Shamrock, manager Joshua Stevens; from Wellington, Kelly Colson; from Wheeler, Amanda Childress, Chris Vick; from Shamrock, Amanda Green; from Wheeler, P. J. Ford, Teresa Soto; from Shamrock, Nick Collins, Curtis Collins, and coach Curtis Stevens. Bobby Stevens is not pictured

Texas Community Futures Forum Set

Residents of Wheeler County will soon have an opportunity to help identify critical issues that will face the

Chad Baker Trust Fund Begun At Sweetwater

A trust fund is being established for Chad Baker. The purpose of this trust is to form a FFA scholarship. Anyone interested in donating can call the Ag building: (580) 534-2214, or Linda Baker (580) 928-2876

The late Chad Baker was an active member of the Sweetwater FFA Chapter.

WTCS Announces Names On Third Qtr. Honor Roll

March 5th was the last day of our Third Quarter. WTCS would like to congratulate the following Elementary students for making A Honor Roll: Danie Clawson, Josh Forgay, Chace Horton, Jessica Jernigan, Joanna Jernigan, & Kelsey Zybach. The student with the highest average was Jessica Jernigan with an overall average of 99.85%. The Outstanding Student of the Quarter was Kelsey Zybach with 1230 points.

Congratulations for making A Honor Roll go to the following Jr. & Sr. High Students: Jared Brittain, April Forgay. Danielle Gearhart, John Jernigan, Eric Laughlin, Douglas Rankins, Brady Ware, Garret Ward, and Kade Zybach. The student with the highest average was Kade Zybach with an overall average of 99.47%. The Outstanding Student of the First Quarter was Kade Zybach with 1170 points.

county in the next three to five years. The Texas Agricultural Extension Service is sponsoring Texas Community Futures Forums across the state this spring. Wheeler County's Open Forum is scheduled for March 30, 1999.

The outcome of this Open Forum will be a prioritized list of items that the residents think could be done to help achieve goals they have, their family, businesses and community,

Those who would like to be a part of the Open Forum should contact Don King, County Extension Agent by March 23, 1999.

Wheeler, Ft. Elliott Golf

Wheeler and Ft. Elliott Girls' Golf Teams participated in the Farwell Invitational Tuesday. Team standings were: 1. Wheeler, 393; 2. Clayton, N.M., 409; 3. Farwell Blue, 477; 4. Ft. Elliott, 453; 5. Farwell White, 487: 6 Friona, 497; 7. Lazbuddie, 500; 8.

Wheeler's individual standings were as follows: Makenzie Chick, 100: Morrison, 90; McWhorter, 99 Lewallen, 104; Johnson, 112.

Ft. Elliott's individual standings were as follows: Ja'Nae Goad, 95 Lee Scales, 118; Julie Zybach, 124 Ashley Estes, 116; Amber Estes 131.

Kyle Zybach Earns 4.0

Kyle Zybach of Briscoe, Texas was among 3,700 Texas Tech University students to qualify for academic honors at the end of the fall semester. Kyle was listed on the President's List. Students on the President's list earned a 4.0 (A) grade point average while enrolled in 12 or more semester hours of class work. Kyle is a sophomore and the son of Eric and Pauline Zybach of Briscoe.



STATE BOUND: Katie Shipp received A "1" in UIL Solo Competition at Canyon on Feburary 27, 1999 and will be representing Wheeler ISD at the State Level at San Marcos on May 31, 1999.



ADVANCES TO STATE: lan Jones and Sabrina Chupp went to the Region I's UIL Vocal Music Contest on February 27 and both performed very well. Ian received an Excellent rating on his solo. Sabrina received a Superior rating on her solo, which qualified her to advance to State UIL Vocal Contest at Austin in May. Congratulations, Sabrina!

Jesse T. Ted Cooper, 73 To Be Buried March 22

Jesse Theodore "Ted" Cooper, Sr., 73, died Monday, March 15, 1999 at Parkview Hospital in Wheeler.

Services will be at 11:00 A.M., Friday, March 19, 1999 at the First United Methodist Church in Wheeler with Rev. Rob Lindley, pastor and Bill Morrison, minister of the Church of Christ in Wheeler, officiating. Local services by Wright Funeral Home in

Graveside services will be at 2:00 P.M., Monday, March 22, 1999 in the Colusa Cemetery in Colusa, California with Rev. Tom Tripp, pastor First Presbyterian Church in Colusa officiating. Services are under the direction of McNary-More Funeral Ser-

Mr. Cooper was born April 6, 1925 in Colusa, California to Jese Samuel and Beatrice Cooper. He marreid Viola Marie Cox on August 10, 1945 in Marysville, California. She preceded him in death on December 12, 1997. He served in the United States Army and U.S. Marines Corp. during the Korea War. He was employed by Buck & Willoh Garage in Colusa and later owned and operated Cooper Garage at Leggett, California from 1965 - 1973. He was a Member and Assistant Fire Chief of Colusa Rural Fire Department for over 25 years. Mr. Cooper was a member of International Order of Odd Fellows and the Rebekah's Lodge. He moved to Canadian, Texas in 1973 from California and moved to Wheeler in 1976. Mr. Cooper was a member of the First United Methodist Church in Wheeler.

Survivors include 4 daughters and sons-in-law; Sharon and Jerry Horton of Wheeler; Karen and Jim Miranda of Colusa, California; Pam and Darrell Deardorff of Willow Creek, California, and Denise and Joe Sledge of Yukon, Oklahoma, 1 son and daughter-inlaw, Jesse T Jr and Charlotte Cooper of Wheeler; 12 grandchildren, and 11 great-grandchildren

The family request memorials be to the First United Methodist Church of Wheeler or the Wheeler Volunteer Fire Department.

Ft. Elliott Spaghetti Dinner Is Sun., Mar. 21

The 1999 Fort Elliott Senior Class will be having a Spaghetti Dinner on Sunday, March 21, 1999, from 12:00 P.M. until 1:30 P.M. at the Briscoe cafeteria. Immediately following the dinner, there will be a presentation of the Fort Elliott One-Act Play called, "The Unknown Soldier." Prices for the all-you-can eat dinner are: \$5.00 for adults and \$3.50 for students 5th grade and under. Please come and support the 1999 Seniors and the One-Act Play cast and crew.

April 1 Deadline For Entries In Old Mobeetie Art Contest

The Old Mobeetie Texas Association is sponsoring an art contest to select two pieces of artwork. One selection will become a special pictorial United States Postal Service stamp cancellation for Red River War Village Station that will be open for one day only on June 26, 1999, at the Old Mobeetie Texas Association Jail Museum. A second selection will become the cover of a historical booklet that will be available on June 26, 1999 during the Wheeler County Heritage Day. The artwork chosen will commemorate the Native Ameri-

Heritage Day will honor the Native American, as they were a large part of the history of Wheeler County and the Panhandle.

The artwork must be black and white, pen and ink, and 5 X 7 inches in size. The drawings need to be done 7 inches wide and 5 inches high. The winner will be used for the cancellation. The drawing should reflect the life of the Native American.

All entries must be received by April 1, 1999. Name, address and telephone number must accompany each entry. Proof of age may be required. Eligible entries must be the original creation of the entrant and must not have been published previously. The artist must sign all artwork. It must be the original not a copy. Enter as often as you wish. The contest is open to everyone. All entrants under 18 years of age must have a guardian's consent. By entering the contest, entrants agree to be bound by these rules and consent to use of their name and created image without compensation by the sponsor. All entries become the property of The

Washington D.C. Trip Is Planned for June 7-12

Betty Rives of Wheeler Junior High is pleased to announce that there is still time to sign up for the trip to Washington, D.C., to be taken June 7-12, 1999, for the students of Wheeler and Shamrock. 'The group will be traveling to Washington for four days and three nights. Mrs. Rives will be working with Lakeland Tours of Charlottesville, Virginia, in coordinating this exciting, once-in-a-lifetime adventure. Lakeland Tours is the nation's largest and oldest student travel company providing tours to the nation's capital.

The group will fly out of Amarillo Airport early on the morning of June 7th, and will begin sightseeing immediately upon arrival. The daylight hours will be very busy with visits to places such as the Washington Monument, the Lincoln and Jefferson Memorials, and Ford's Theatre. Other places of interest will include a stop at the White House, the United States Capital, the Library of Congress, and the FDR Memorial.

One of the most moving and memorable sights the group will visit is the Vietnam Veterans Memorial and Arlington National Cemetery. Students will witness the "Changing of the Guard" ceremony at the Tomb of the Unknown Soldier

Students will also visit the Smithsonian, the world's largest museum complex. These museums are the Museum of Natural History, Air and Space Museum, American History Museum, and the National Gal-

We will have at least one Night Tour where we usually visit the beautiful, glittering Kennedy Center and take in the magnificent view of Washington from its roof The Iwo Jima Memorial is also breath-taking at night.

Parents who wish to inquire about this opportunity for their children may contact Betty Rives at 826-3224. Last year's group had a wonderful time, and many wish that they could go back again. I will be happy to answer any question that you may have about the trip. Last year, we had eighteen junior high students go to Washington. Currently, there are eleven students going this year. Act as soon as you can to reserve a space for your

District 5-1-A Basketball

All-District Academic

Glenda Dukes, Allison; Jaicee Herren, Allison; Aspen Hendrickson, Allison; Celeste Huff, Allison; Stephanie Arnall, Follett: Lora Ferguson, Follett: Kayci Ashpaugh, Follett; Natalie Glenn, Miami; Heather Rice, Miami; Amy Black, Miami; Amber Estes, Fort Elliott, Carissa Dukes, Fort Elliott, Reagan Meadows, Fort Elliott; Candy-Hilburn, Fort Elliott: Jennifer Landers, Higgin: Vanessa Barbee, Higgins; Amy Meller, Higgins, Haley Pool, Higgins: Jeana Booker, Higgins,

Nathan Rainey, Allison; Eric Terrel, Follett: Justin Cox, Miami, Daniel Rankin, Miami.

Old Mobeetie Texas Association. Winners will be notified by April 10, 1999.

The special pictorial cancellation stamp will be used on June 26, 1999. in connection with the celebration of Wheeler County Heritage Day. A full day of activities is being planned and will be announced in the future. Mail your entry to: The Old Mobeetie Texas Association, P.O. Box 66, Mobeetie, Texas 79061. Telephone number 845-2028, 845-3401, 826-3427.

Charles Harmon, 78, Is Buried In Alice, Texas

Charles C. Harmon, beloved husband, father, grandfather, brother and friend, died Saturday, March 13, 1999 in Corpus Christi, Texas, one day short of his 79th birthday.

His father Charles G. Harmon, mother Elizabeth Foreman Harmon, stepmother Maye Reagan Harmon, and brother Harold Herman (Tickle) Harmon preceded him in death.

Charles Harmon was born March 14, 1920 in LaJunta, Colorado. He graduated from Wheeler High School. During World War II, he was a training instructor in the U.S. Army and served in the European Theater of Operations. He achieved a Bachelor of Science and Master of Education from the University of Texas at Austin. He received a Ph.D. in Educational Administration from East Texas State University.

As a professional educator, he served as superintendent in Kelton, Vega and Hawkins school districts and as business manager in Alice Independent School District.

Charles Harmon was immensely proud of his family especially his beloved wife of almost 57 years Bonnie Grace Adams Harmon. He and Bonnie raised and educated seven children, who hold a total of 11 college degrees. Their cherished children and families are Nonie and Bob Holland and grandson Sam of Austin; Charlie and Sheila Harmon of Mineola, grandchildren Bonnie Harmon of Houston, Connie and Jon White and great-grandchildren Hayley and Makayla of San Antonio; Marsha and Karl Harmon, grandson Bryce, grandson Derek and Kendra and great-granddaughter Brooke of Denver, Colorado; Kathy Harmon of Tahlequah, Oklahoma; Nathan Harmon of Harlingen; Beverly and Larry Holt, grandchildren Caitlin, Melissa and Logan of Corpus Christi; and Sterling and Bertha Harmon and grandsons Asher and Callum of Semi-

Charles took great joy in his relationships with family members including sister Betty Wilson of Artesia, New Mexico; brother Harlan Leroy Harmon and wife Roxie of Lawrence, Kansas; Norma Harmon and children Carl, Anne, Elizabeth, Kristen and Sarah of California; sisters-in-law Ruth Harmon of Edmond, Oklahoma; Agnes Adams of Canadian and Glennis Adams of Tyler, many wonderful nieces and nephews and longtime friends throughout the country.

The Harmon family deeply appreciates the loving care given Charles by Dr. Robert Raminez, the staff of Alice Dialysis Clinic, Dr. Oscar Reynolds, Jr. and staff, Dr. Dwight Volling and staff, Susan and Mary Lou of Senior Care, Bobby Dietz, Harry Hill and Pat Patterson and the finest example friendship shown by Olga Mae and James Vasek

A celebration of Charles Harmon's life was held at 10:00 a.m. Wednesday, March 17, 1999 at the sanctuary of First United Methodist Church in Alice. Interment followed at Alice Cemetery.

Charles Harmon's legacy will live in his family, in the many students whose lives he touched and the friend-

ship he cherished. Holmgreen Mortuary was in charge.

Hospital Notes

Old Admissions Estelle Orr

Winifred Buckingham Monroe Seitz Virginia Frye Ruth Ledbetter Bennie May Whitener

Gordon Whitener

New Admissions 3/9 Ruth Ware Larry Jennings

Donna Velasquez Clara Holmes Phyllis Kinnard

Matthew Groves Dismissals

Dusty White 3/8 3/9 Lewis Rogers Charles Nelson 3/10

Siegal Henderson Howard Loyd 3/12 Donna Velasquez

Ruth Ware Matthew Groves

Sure been pretty weather but they are saving Winter will be back this weekend. We had some snow and .6 inch of rain Sunday night. Cousin Mary Ann Harding took the credit for the rain because she washed her car. Told her she should have done it a

I called my brother, Frank, at Little Rock to see how they came out in the storms. He said it was all around them but no damage. They spent over an hour in the basement for

We did pretty well company wise this week. Clifford and Helen Jones, Elk City, came Friday. Our nephew and wife, John and Martha Haag of Pampa came Saturday and brought lunch. Then John stayed with Joe while Martha and I went grocery shop-

Joe Dale and Esther came Sunday afternoon for a few days. We sure were glad to see them. They live in San Antonio and were on Spring break. He even got my sweeper to working and did two rooms to show

They took us to town to catch up on things and even treated us to lunch. Did Joe a world of good to get out a little. Joe Dale got me a 100 lbs. of Maize for the birds. We all enjoyed the different birds at the feeder. The kids even saw a couple of deer in the

I've had several long distance calls to see if we were ill since there was no news. I'm sorry about it. I mailed on Friday so no telling where it got off the Pony Express.

Ollie Anderson and Norma Zellmer spent Wednesday at Pampa with Shirley and Arnel Lee Bryan. Shirley (Ollie's niece) is very ill. Charles and Lanette Bryan, Edmond, took Edmond and Eileen Logan home with them Wednesday. Ed saw his doctor in OKC. They brought the Logans back Saturday. Ed is feeling some

MEALS on WHEELS

MONDAY, March 22, 1999 - FRI-DAY, March 26, 1999

MONDAY: Fried Chicken, Mashed Potatoes/Gravy, Seasoned Broccoli,

TUESDAY: Fried Chicken Livers. Macaroni and Cheese, Mixed Vegetables, Roll/Margarine, Plum Pud-

WEDNESDAY: Smothered Pork Chops, Blackeyed Peas, Fried Okra, Cornbread/Margarine, Pineapple

THURSDAY: Chicken Rice Casserole, Broccoli, Roll/Margarine, Cake FRIDAY: Frito Pie, Spanish Rice, Tossed Salad/Dressing, Bread/Margarine, Bread Pudding

The Baptist Church had the Men's Breakfast Saturday morning with a

good attendance. See that Les Pratt, OK Chriatian, was named to the SAC All Conference Second Team. He's a Reydon graduate and went to Sweetwater

Had a nice call from Frances Hefley, over Texas way. She wanted to know about the Frances Meadows in my news, as that was her maiden name. I gave her a phone number.

Ray and Doris Smith have both been ill. Leonard was out from Clinton to check on them.

Igot out the other night and thought I saw the planets that have been on

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the news. Harold Bollen is improving at the Elk Hospital. Friday, his sister-in-law, Virginia Little, from El Reno came to see him. Mary and Mary Ann had a

nice reunion with her too. Eva and Elbert Atkinson went to OKC Monday. She got a good report from her doctor. Marshall carried the

Talked to brother Paul. He has been under the weather and had to miss church two Sundays. He was very happy about a reunion of some of his army buddies of 1953 at the Cherokee Restaurant last week.

Kathy Blount is retiring as vicepresident and cashier at the Erick First American Bank after 21 years.

NIGHTS

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can eat.

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and Cole Slaw

FRIDAY

Joyce Sutton has been promoted to Vice president and cashier.

My Jonauils, flowering guince and fruit trees are just beautiful. We are hoping the fruit can make. Mama always thought everything was safe after Good Friday. That is three weeks

Mike Blevins has been elected to a three year term on the Conservation Board of the North Fork of the Red River District of Oklahoma.

Birthday folks are Karen Gracey, Jimmy Elam, Mollie Carlson, Mildred Allen, Viki Fowler, Andy Davis, Nathan Dunlap, Amber Anderson, Meloney Wilcox, Ray Stucker, Charles Hagerman. Anniversaries are Mr. and Mrs. Charles Baker, Mr. and Mrs. James Keathley. Happiness to all.

A trust fund is being established for Chad Baker. The purpose of this trust is to form a FFA scholarship. Anyone interested in donating can call the Ag building: (580) 534-2214, or Linda Baker: (580) 928-2876.

The late Chad Baker was an active member of the Sweetwater FFA

WHEELER

MONDAY Breakfast: Toast, Jelly, Cereal, Juice,

Lunch: Soft Burrito/Cheese, Ranch Style Beans, Salad, Spanish Rice, Apricots, Milk/Tea

TUESDAY Breakfast:

Lunch: Fish Nuggets, Macaroni &

WEDNESDAY Breakfast: Toast/Jelly, Cereal, Juice,

Lunch: Cheeseburgers, Lettuce, Tomato, Onion, Pickles, French Fries,

Breakfast: Toast/Jelly, Pancake Pup/ Syrup, Sausage, Juice, Milk Lunch: Ham & Cheese Sandwiches,

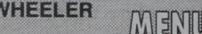
Pickle Spears, Potato Chips, Apple, Milk/Tea FRIDAY

Lunch: Pizza, Green Beans, Salad, Pineapple, Milk/Tea (Menu subject to change)

CARD OF THANKS

We would like to take this opportunity to express our loving appreciation to all of you for your prayers, thoughts, and support. We feel so blessed to be part of such a loving community.

Adrian Risner & Family



MONDAY March 22, 1999 — FRI-**DAY March 26, 1999**

Biscuits/Gravy, Scrambled Eggs, Sausage, Juice,

Cheese, Blackeyed Peas, Bread,

Peaches or Apple, Milk/Tea

Pears, Milk/Tea THURSDAY

Breakfast: Toast/Jelly, Cereal, Juice,

Thanks so much.



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ENGAGEMENT ANNOUNCED: Lloyd and Monica Barror of Plainview, TX and Jimmy Don and Donna Blocker of Amarillo, TX would like to announce the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter Tara Don Blocker to Richard "Brandon" Chick, son of Roy and Dixie Chick of Wheeler. Grandparents are Dick and Jerene DeArment and Rosalee Atwood all of Wheeler; greatgrandmother, Ruth Noffisinger of Yardley, PA. Tara is a 1997 graduate of Plainview High School. She is currently employed as a Certified Dental Assistant for Dr. Jimmy James of Plainview, TX and a member of the TDA. Her grandparents are B. J. and Jetuan George of Tulia; Earl and Gladys Blocker, Olton, TX. Brandon is a 1991 graduate of Wheeler High School. He is a 1998 graduate of Texas Tech University with a B.A. in Psychology, and a member of the National Honor Society of Psychology. He is currently a Corporate Account Manager with Metroplex Information Systems in Ft. Worth, TX. The couple plans to be married April 24, 1999 at the First Baptist Chapel of Plainview, TX.

Mobeetie Vol. Fire Dept. Meeting

The Mobeetie Volunteer Fire Department met March 9, 1999 for their monthly meeting with Fire Chief James Gatlin in charge. Judge Bob Gober and Wallace Forest of Canadian met with the group and discussed ideas on fixing up the new truck. They shared the plans they used to fix the truck they received from the Forest

Sallie Adcock read the minutes from the last meeting. Motion by Geniva Hogan to accept the minutes as read. Bill Ridgway seconded the motion. Motion carried.

Bill Ridgway gave the financial re-port. Tim Adcock made a motion to accept the report. Rob Hogan seconded the motion. Motion carried.

Old business was a report that the new bunker gear, pagers, and the truck were in. The truck was obtained from the Forest Service. The truck is a 1969, 5 ton Kaiser flatbed 6 X 6. The Fire Department has 6 months to get the truck in working order. They discussed how to get the finance to fix the truck. They will have to put a cab on and tanks, pumps and other equipment. Rob Hogan is working on a grant. They think they have a cab located for the truck. Anyone wanting to donate to this project can contact any of the members or send the do-nation to the First State Bank to be deposited in the Fire Department account. The donation will be tax deductible.

Under the new business was the storm watcher workshop. Geniva is to get it set up. Celanese donated a computer to the fire department. It will have to be programed. James thinks he has a printer to be donated to go with the computer.

Those attending the meeting were guest Bob Gober and Wallace Forest of Canadian, Randy and Lindsey Orth of Midland and Jayton Childress. Members present were Rob and Geniva Hogan, Tim and Sallie Adcock, Bill and Virginia Ridgway, Dale and Melba Corcoran, Doug Corse, Calvin Kincannon and James Gatlin. The date for the Storm Spotter Training has been set for April 20, at 7 P. M. at the fire department. All persons interested in learning and to gain credit in Severe Storm Spotting should attend. This would help increase the awareness for the citizens of the area.

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Kylle Jansen Thomas is the daughter of Dusty and Dwight Thomas. Grandparents are Chip and Shannon Eckhardt and Delbert and Jane Thomas of Wheeler. Great-grandparents are Jerrold Thomas of Pampa, Honeria Helm of Memphis; Janis and Nolan Maupin of Spearman, and Bill and Rose Shipley of Stinnett. Great-great-grandmother is Mary Ray Lamb of Gruver.

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Wherefore come out from among them and be ye separate, saith the Lord, and touch not the unclean thing; and I will receive you.

And will be a Father unto you and ye shall be my sons and daughters, saith the Lord Almighty.

Winter came back and did its thing and left Saturday night, Sunday was a beautiful sunny day

Tia Boydston took her daughter, Kendra, to the dentist in Amarillo last Thursday.

H. B. and Cheryl Dupont were in Amarillo last Thursday taking care of business. Henry and Dora Lea Dupont from Muskogee, Okla, are here visiting a few days.

Vance and Caroline Boydston's Friday evening supper guests were Dick and Cletus Greene and Roy, Shaun and Jamie Downie, Alexis and Jonathan Greene from Chickasha,

Vance and Caroline's weekend guests were Ted and Caroline Besbey from Beggs, Okla.; Kevin and Theda Boydston from Lubbock. Others there also for Sunday dinner were Bill Skaggs from Wheeler, Lanora Morse, Dick and Roy Green, Shaun and Jamie Downie and Alexis and Jonathan Green from Chickasha.

Nona Jones took Betty Dyer to Wheeler last Tuesday for a dental appointment and later a doctor's appointment. They were back to Wheeler on Wednesday for another doctor's visit. They also spent some time with the children of Lois Risner. The two of them attended the funeral of their aunt, Lois Risner on Thursday. After the funeral they enjoyed coffee and hot chocolate at the Dairy Queen with Lee and Sharon Hall and Harold Jones. They want to say a loving "thank you" to the ladies at the first Baptist Church in Wheeler for a very delicious meal Thursday. Twice this month they have fed them and they are very grateful.

Leota Black has just returned from

Wheeler County Retired **Teachers Meet March 10**

The Wheeler County Retired Teachers Association met Wednesday, March 10, at the Pioneer West Museum in Shamrock.

The meeting was chaired by Pres. Boyd Williams. The Legislative session in Austin was discussed in view of bills pertaining to the Teachers Retirement system and the schools of Texas. The TRTA works closely with the Legislature to achieve quality education in Texas.

Refreshements were served. All retired school personnel are invited to attend our meetings. Our next meeting will be April 14.

Those attending were: George Gandy, Thomas Helton, Lena Luman, Oscar Luman, Mary Mogan, Ed Pakan, Margaret Pakan, Amelia Sims, Myrtle Stages, Dorothy Vearner, Boyd Williams, H. C. Weatherby, Bob Wills, Evangeline Wills, Elva Wood and guest Andy Wills.

KELTON

MONDAY, March 22, 1999 - FRI-DAY, March 26, 1999 MONDAY

Breakfast: Cereal, Toast, Juice, Milk Lunch: Ham, Sweet Potatoes, Green Beans, Hot Rolls, Fruit, Milk. TUESDAY

Breakfast: Biscuits, Peanut Butter & Syrup, Juice, Milk Lunch: Meat Nachos, Corn, Salad, Fruit, Milk.

WEDNESDAY Breakfast: Breakfast Burritos, Juice,

Lunch: Chicken & Dressing, Mashed Potatoes, Cranberry Sauce, Green Beans, Hot Rolls, Pie, Milk.

THURSDAY Breakfast: Eggs, Sausage, Biscuits, Jelly, Juice, Milk.

Lunch: Hamburgers, Cheese, French Fries, Lettuce, Tomatoes, Pickles, Onions, Ice Cream, Milk.

FRIDAY Breakfast: Cinnamon Rolls, Juice,

Lunch: Sandwiches, Hamor Chicken Salad, Tater Tots, Baked Beans, Sugar Cookies, Milk (Menu subject to change)

a business trip to Tuyallup, Washington. Tim and Tina Thomas and Savanna from Amarillo spent the weekend with Leota.

Juanita.

ing club.

trip to Colorado.

going home.

number is 375-2395.

Juanita Bricker of Allison is avail-

able to do house cleaning. Her phone

Judi Cornell went to Durham, Okla.,

last Thursday and quilted with the

ladies there. Judi belongs to that quilt-

Ruby Craig's overnight guest last

Friday night was Tanner McWhorter

from Wheeler. The Billy McWhorter

family had just returned from a skiing

ter from Blue, Okla., had spent close

to three months with Helen and

Shorty. She left this Monday morning

Cornell became great-grandparents

of a grandson. Parents are Lee and

Katie Pennington of Weatheford,

Okla. Grandparents are William and

Vicki Cornell of Bessie, Okla. The

baby's name is Austin Lee. He

weighed 6 lbs. and 5 ozs. Bob and

Lou went to Weatherford last Satur-

day to visit Katie and Austin. They

came back by Bessie to bring their

grandson Jeremy Cornell back to

Allison with them to spend a few days

with his grandparents while he is on

spring break. He is also visiting the

Pete and Margaret Gilmer did some

Lewis Newman family at Briscoe.

On March the third, Bob and Lou

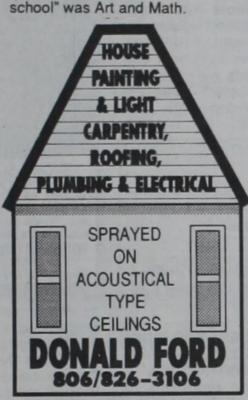
Mary Rose, Helen Crawford's sis-

Hiram and Darenda Begert were in Joplin, Mo., and Ft. Smith, Ark., last Tuesday taking care of business. They enjoyed the trip very much even though it was just a one day trip.

Opal Boydston's visitors last Tuesday afternoon were SaRita Green and Kelton. On Friday Robbie and SaRita, Carissa and Kelton from Binger, Okla., visited a while with Opal before going home. On Saturday night Neal and Tia Boydston,



Tisha McLaughlin, a second grader at Ft. Elliott Elementary is the 'Student of the Week' for March 1-5. Tisha is the daughter of Jerri and Julian Martinez. Her answer to the question, "What I like most about



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shopping in Elk city last Thursday. Pete got wet from the rain they were having there at that time. The ate dinner at the Western Sizzlin. Becky and Jeannie Gilmer from Amarillo spent the weekend with Pete and Margaret and they celebrated Becky's birthday. Others there were Rodney and Linda Ingersol and Andrew from

Wheeler County Comm. Feb. Meetings Reported

February 8, 1999

The Wheeler County Commissioners Court met in Regular Session with Judge Jerry Dan Hefley presiding. Members present were: Kenneth Childress, Tom Puryear, Hubert Moore and Boyd Hiltbrunner, Commissioners precincts 1, 2, 3 and 4 respectively. Also present were: Margaret Dorman-County Clerk; Ron Gowdy-County Auditor; Jimmy Adams-Sheriff; Amy McCasland-Treasurer; Scott Porter-County Tax Collector; Bobbye Hill-County Attorney and Kay Atkins.

Court was opened with a prayer offered by Hubert Moore.

APPROVAL OF MINUTES Hubert Moore made a motion which was seconded by Tommy Puryear to approve the minutes from the January 11th and 25th, 1999 court meetings as written. Motion carried unani-

APPROVAL OF BILLS FOR PAY-MENT

Boyd Hiltbrunner made a motion which was seconded by Kenneth Childress to pay the bills as approved and found listed in Volume 11 of the Minutes of Accounts Allowed in the County Clerks office. Motion carried unanimously

APPROVAL OF TIME SHEETS FOR HOURLY EMPLOYEES

Tom Puryear made a motion which was seconded by Hubert Moore to pay the hourly employees as shown on their approved time sheets in the County Clerks office. Motion carried unanimously

GROUP HEALTH INSURANCE Various aspects of the current health insurance coverage were discussed.

No action taken.

SURPLUS PROPERTY AUCTION The need for a surplus property auction was discussed. An auctioneer will be contacted and a date will be agreed upon. No action taken.

AMBULANCE SERVICE No action taken. **EXECUTIVE SESSION**

Upon the advise of Bobbye Hill, County Attorney, of the following statute requirements, the Executive Session discussion will be held at 1:00 P.M. on Thursday, February 11, 1999. AGENDA NOTICES-CON-

551.041 Requires:

A governmental body shall give written notice of the date, hour, place, and subject of each meeting held bythe governmental body.

Written notice required by Open Meeting Act must provide full and adequate notice of subject where subject is of special interest to the public. Mayes v. City of DeLeon (App.11 Dist.1996) 922 S.W.2nd 200.

Notice is sufficient under Open Meetings Act if it would alert reader to fact that some action would be taken on certain topic. Markowski v. City of Marlin (App. 10 Dist. 1997) 940 S.W. 2nd 720, rehearing overrulled.

TELEPHONE SYSTEM AP-

PROVED

A proposal of a phone system provided by TELECO Communications, Lubbock, was presented and considered by the Court. The proposal is in the amount of \$13,220,00, which includes 20 lines, 29 phones, 8 analog stations, installation and re-wiring of the courthouse and training. There will also be a 3 year warranty an parts

Boyd Hiltbrunner made a motion which was seconded by Tommy Puryear to approve the proposal for a new phone system to be installed in the Wheeler County Courthouse. The proposal amount is \$13,220.00 which will include re-wiring the courthouse, 20 lines, 29 phones, 8 analog stations, installation and warranty for three years. The company to provide the service is TELECO Communications, Lubbock, Texas. Motion carried unanimously.

February 11, 1999

The Wheeler County Commissioners Court met in Special Session with Judge Jerry Dan Hefley presiding. Members present were: Kenneth Childress, Tom Puryear, Hubert Moore and Boyd Hiltbrunner, Commissioner precincts 1, 2, 3 and 4, respectively. Also present were: Margaret Dorman-County Clerk; Bobbye Hill County Attorney; and Jimmy Adams-Sheriff.

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PAGE 3-Thursday, March 18, 1999 "Wheeler, town of friendship and pride."

Pearl Harrison's overnight guests last Friday night were Dr. Willis and Mary Harrison from Canyon and Pearl's granddaughter, Julie (Harrison) Durst, Brian and Matt from Waco. They left Saturday afternoon going back to Canyon. Others there for Saturday dinner were Clifton and Louise Boydston, Bennie and Debbie Boydston, Heather and Jason visited Pearl on Friday night to visit with Pearl's company also.

day dinner guests were Pearl Harrison, Henry and Dora Lea Dupont from Muskogee, Okla., H. B. and Cheryl Dupont and Cody and Bennie and Debbie Boydston, Heather and

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Virginia Miller's house guests for a few days were Debbie Miller and daughter, Kelly Renee, from Hugoton, Kan. There is also a lady from Pampa that stays with Virginia when there is no one else there with her. The lady's first name is Lois.

Zeland and Charlene Rainey's Sunday dinner guests were Mike and Teresa Dyer from Sayre, Scott Dyer and Amber Dyer from Canyon and Winston and Jeanette Rainey and Nathan of Allison.

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



Randilyn Barr, a fourth grader at Ft. Elliott Elementary is the 'Student of the Week' for March 8-12. She is the daughter of Randy and Dee Barr, Her answer to the question, "What I like most about school" was Math

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OL-Charles H. Smith, et ux to Brigham Oil and Gas LP, 10-7-98,

Sec. 22, Blk. A-8, H & G.N. Ry. Company Survey. OL-Mildred Martin to Brigham Oil &

Gas LP, 12-21-98, NW 1/4 SW 1/4 Sec. 29, Blk. A-7, H & G.N. Ry. Company Survey. OL—Loyal Cleo Mizar to Brigham Oil

& Gas LP, 12-21-98, NW 1/4 SW 1/4 Sec. 29, Blk. A-7, H & G.N. Ry. Com-

OL-Eva Mae Norris to Brigham Oil & Gas LP, 12-21-98, NW 1/4 SW 1/4 Sec. 29, Blk. A-7, H & G.N. Ry. Company Survey.

OL-Norma P. Smith Woods to Brigham Oil & Gas LP, 12-11-98, NW 1/4 Sec. 12, Blk. A-7, H & G.N. Ry. Company Survey.

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D-Amy Rodriguez to Sandy Hatfield, 3-2-99, N 1/2 Lot 4, Blk. LXIX, OT,

EXECUTOR D-Malinda Gober to J. B. Rector, 5-22-72, Blk. 35, Mobetie. D-Louise Bratcher to L. C. Butler, et ux, 2-16-99, Lot 4, Blk. 51, WSSA, Shamrock

MD-Carol A. Caves Dillon, et al to William W. Dillon, 12-17-97, W 1/2 Sec. 47, Blk. 24, H & G.N. Ry. Company Survey. QCD-Cathryn Rae Carleton Martin,

et al to Carleton Royalties, Sec. 17, Blk. A-4, H & G.N. Ry. Company Survey, Sec. 24, 37, 45, Blk. A-7, H & G.N. Ry. Company Survey. HOME EQUITY DT—Darwin J.

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H & G.N. Ry. Company Survey. HOME EQUITY DT-Kenneth Martindale, et ux to Norwest Financial Texas, Inc., 2-22-99, Lot 21, 22, Blk. 5, Mont-Lew Add., Shamrock. HOME EQUITY DT-Kenneth Martindale, et ux to The Public, 2-22-

D—Owens Brothers Invstment Trust to Panhandle Associates, 2-25-99, Lots 6-9, Blk. 6, OT, Allison. RDT—Union Planters Bank, National Association to Lawrence M. Magdovitz, 2-23-99, Lots 19-23, Blk. 29, OT, Wheeler.

D-Lawrence M. Magdovitz to Nationwide Real Estate, Inc., 2-24-99, Lots 19-23, Blk. 29, OT, Wheeler. RDT-First National Bank of Shamrock to Barry G. Sanders, 3-3-99, Lots 20-24, Blk. 6, OT, Shamrock. RMML—First National Bank of Shamrock to Mary K Tallant, et vir, 3-3-99,

Lots 5-7, Blk. 11, PBA, Shamrock. MARCH 5, 1999 MD-Earl Pregler to Erl Pregler Re- The amoeba is considered the lowvocable Trust, 3-1-99, West 1/2 Sec.

47, Blk. 24, H&GN Ry. Company Survey. MD-N. L. Pregler to Norma L Pregler Revocable Trust, 3-1-99, S 1/2 Sec.

MD—Samedan Oil Cororation to Kenneth Wischkaemper, 2k-17-99, W 1/ 2 Sec. 91, Blk. A-5, H&GN Ry. Com-

48, Blk. 24, H&GN Ry. Company

pany Survey. A. of JUDG.—Bevans State Basnk fo Menard, Texas to Jessie Doss, et ux,

MEMO OPERATING AGREE.—Devon Energy Corpoation (Nevada) to Tesoro E & P Company Inc., et al, 11-16-98, Sec. 18, Blk. R.E., Roberts & 1 Eddleman Survey.

D-Evie Lorene Rector to Melba Corcoran, et al, 3-4-99, See Instru-

DVL-Sandy Hatfield to fRonda Coleman, 3-4-99, N 1/2 Lot 4, Blk. (Continued Page 5)



est form of animal life.



Galatians 5:22: But when the Holy Spirit controls our lives, he will produce this kind of fruit in us; love, joy, peace, patience, kindness, goodness, faithfulness, gentleness and self-con-

Happy Birthday to Ruby Zybach, Sonya Holder-Martin and Ryan Parsey on March 21; Mark Helton, Mathew Helton, Glenda Galutia and Delmar Newman on March 22, Chance Newman and Tim Mayfield on March 23; Chrystal Selby, Crystal Pigg, Kenzie Walkins and Jason Wesbrooks on March 24; Leonard Hollis and Brittany Woodworth on March 25; Gaye Hale, Justin Brown and Nathan McLaughlin on March 26, George Reeves, Gayle Singleton, Travis Goad, Susie Umsted, Jada Murray, Monroe Seitz, Ray Corcoran and Robert Bull on March 27.

Nice to have long time friends, Preston and Elsie Glazner meet us for supper Thursday night at Maxeys. Also there were Ricky and Tina Bond with Adrian Risner and Delores Simmons, Dale and Kathy Hathaway with Wesley, Sara, Jade and little

Happy Anniversary to Paul and Clarise Hathaway on March 21, Dewayne and Lori Selby on March 24, Bob and Charleen Carey, Glenn and Mozelle Thomas, Brad and Sue Chandler and Willis and Verna Fillingim on March 25; Jamey and Diane Brice on March 27.

David and Phyllis Hefley got back Sunday, March 7, from their trip to see the new grandbaby, Dawson Slade. They report he is a beautiful

Mark and Annette Meek's annual bull sale wil again be at George Cook's barn south of Canadian on Monday, March 29, at 1:00 p.m. Complimentary lunch served at 11:30.

Nice to see Charlie and Daphne Sullivan from Lefors at Pampa Pool Wednesday. He has to help her walk and get her clothes off. She had polio as a child and it came back. The Sullivans taught school at Mobeetie for a time. Sweet people. Martha Meek went to college with her and maybe Wilma Bible, too. Nice to have Joy Davis and daughter, Laura, join us for lunch at Furrs Wednesday.

Nice to see Sam and Mike Wash at Wheeler Dairy Queen Monday. They brought Sam's van in to be worked on. Sam is taller than Mike and both are slender. Also at Dairy Queen were Kim Hampton and Shana with Neta Young and Cliff and Dorothy Walker,

Shorty Crawford was at Wheeler Sunrise Care Center Monday helping residents to play a game. He is frequently there to visit and help them

have fun. God bless you, Shorty! Saturday night, Lou Dean Douthit, Virginia Puryear and Homer Sanders

played 42 at Edna's. Monday, Lou Dean Douthit and Debbie Kinnaman went to Amarillo for Debbie's check-up. She got a good report, but keep praying for Debbie. They ate at Furrs near I-40 and

and had a nice day visiting.

Pray for Clayton Brownfield. He got a large tatoo on a leg and the leg got real inflamed and sores on it. But Clayton came on out Monday to E. G.'s to help with him. He can get E. G. out of the bed and into a chair to sit up awhile. Keep praying for E. G. and

shopped some at different places,

Willa. They have been enjoying visits from Terri and Lacy Crownover and Charles and Lajo Crownover. Lois Meadows came Monday and brought a delicious Angel Food Cake and Bierox and visited awhile.

Visiting Olaf Siviage, Mrs. Audie Siviage and Gaye Hale a few days are Larry and Sue Snider and Zachary from Houston and Elizabeth and Sarah Hale from Canyon, who are on Spring Break. David Hale had to work. There is a rumor that David and Heather Bacon plan to marry. Best Wishes! Fine young people.



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Visiting Zeland and Charlene Rainey Sunday night were Virginia Puryear and Lou Dean Douthit. They played Canasta and had refreshments and visited.

Nice to visit with David and Linda Gilmer at Dairy Queen. Their mechanic shop north of Wheeler is doing well. They stay busy.

Two years ago, Laura Meadows hurt her eye. A tennis ball hit her eye very hard and impaired her vision; her retina was detached. Many trips to doctors and tests had not helped much. She had had oil in her eye for some time. Finally Friday, the oil was removed at Amarillo and cataract and scar tissue was removed about midnight (with nothing to eat or drink all day). Praise the Lord! The retina had reattached. The doctor thinks she will be o.k. We are so thankful! Keep praying for Laura. She is the daughter of Eddie and Leta Meadows and granddaughter of Lois. She was only watching at the time of the accident,

Lou Dean Douthit visited Zinnie Bailey Tuesday and took her out for a drive and to see her sister, Jewell Moore. They had a good visit.

Ft. Elliott will present their One Act Play Sunday, March 21, at 2:00 p.m. at Briscoe. "The unknown Soldier" is a drama, not a comedy, but a surpirse ending. Characters include Marlana Helton, Brad Moran, Stephanie Baker, Carissa Dukes, Carolan Aycock and Andy Finsterwald. Crew are Devin Debil and Bryan Moran. The play is free to the public. Lunch will be served from 12:30-1:30 for \$5.00 and will be a spaghetti lunch with salad, tea and bread. Seniors are doing the lunch to raise money for their trip.

Ft. Elliott girl scouts plan to go to Colorado Springs area during spring break, leaving Wednesday in a rented van. They don't plan to ski, but will visit the U.S. Air Force Academy, Royal Gorge and other points of interest. Girls planning to go are Shana Reeves, Brittney Mick, Crystal Selby, Melissa Kephart, Carolan Aycock, Devin Debil. Adults going are Pam Jones, Patricia Kephart and Gaye

Ft. Elliott One Act Play will be presented at Follett Tuesday, March 23, at 10:00 A.M.

Nice to have Joe and Sherry Wagoner meet us for supper at Maxeys Saturday night and a good visit. Pray for Joe and Sherry. He is having more trouble with the sight in one eyecloudy vision. Also there were Richard and Bonnie Meadows with Ben and Tonia Meadows and Bailey from Canyon, Reagan Meadows and David and Phyllis Hefley. Also there Jimmy and Tammy Maddox and Jennifer and Amber, Jean and Cecil Mead ows. Earlier we visited Vea Fillingim and Pauline Hefley.

Praise the Lord! When Ray Hudson went for tests, no more cancer was found. So he doesn't have to take the iodine radiation therapy. But he will be taking more physical therapy on his legs and heel. So thankful he is getting around good and doing so

Court

LXIX, Shamrock.

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DT-Ronda Coleman to Sandy Hatfield, 3-4-99, N 1/2 Lot 4, Blk. LXIX, Shamrock. DVL-Julia B. Miller, et vir to James

R. Reneau, et ux, 2-25-99, 241.66 acs. W 1/2 Sec. 84 and the SE 1/4; NW 1/4 Sec. 85, Blk. 23, H&GN Ry. Company Survey.

DT-James R. Reneau, et ux to Ag Credit of Texas PCA, 3-5-99, See

RDT-Wheeler Title & Abstract Co. LC to Lora Ann Delatorre, et al, 2-9-99, NW 1/4 Sec. 31, Blk. 17, H&GN Ry. Company Survey.

ASSIGN.—Red River Pipeline, LP to K N Telecommunications Inc., 2-8-99, Pt. NW 1/4 Sec. 13, Blk. L, J. M. Lindsey Survey. C/C PROBATE—E. B. White, Jr. to

Ex Parte, 2-25-99. DT-William P. Harris to Amarillo National Bank, 2-11-99, Pt. Sec. 76,

Blk. A-5, H&GN Ry. Company Sur-MÁRCH 9, 1999

OL-Frankie Lee Smith to Brigham Oil & Gas LP, 12-11-98, NW 1/4 Sec. 12, Blk. A-7, H&GN Ry. Company OL-Hollis Frank Smith to Brigham

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OL-Andrea Jane Clark Wise to Brigham Oil & Gas LP, 12-16-98, NW 1/4 Sec. 12, Blk. A-7, H&GN Ry. Company Survey.

OL—Plyllis Larraine Clark Harris to Brigham Oil & Gas LP, 12-16-98, NW 1/4 Sec. 12, Blk. A-7, H&GN Ry. Company Survey.

OL-Richard Allen Smith, et al to Brigham Oil & Gas LP, 12-21-98, NW 1/4 Sec. 12, Blk. A-7, H&GN Rv. Company Survey.

OL—Vera Marie Mayhall to Brigham Oil & Gas LP, 12-21-98, See Instru-

OL-Irby Taylor to Brigham Oil & Gas LP, 1-28-99, S 1/2 SE 1/4 Sec. 96, Blk. 13, H&GN Ry. Company Survey. ADMINISTRATORS DISTRIBUTION

District Clerk's Filings 10714-Shamrock I.S.D. vs. E. H. Woodruff, 2-18-99, Tax.

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Koen, D.D.S., 2-24-99, Damages. 10717-Wayne Alan Bell vs. Deborah Jean Evans Bell, 2-25-99, Divorce. 10718-Ex-Parte vs. Juan Benavides, Applicant, 3/1/99, Writ of

Habeas Corpus. 10719-In Re: minor children, 3-1-99. Other Family.

10720-In Re: minor children, 3-2-99, Other Family. 10721-William Loyd vs. Donald Blackketter, M.D., 3-3-99, Damages.



Addie Swift

others Sunday.

and others Sunday

well. Keep praying. We have a great

God. Doctors couldn't understand

where the cancer went. God knows.

her son, Dub Swift, on his way to El

Reno for a load of feed. Kelley Swift

had been staying with Amanda

Childress while Wheeler School was

on spring break. Tuesday, Kelley,

Amanda and Marissa Swift visited

A Ft. Elliott Talent Show will be

presented in April if can work it in.

Hope so, we have lots of talent around.

drew and Kayleigh visited their folks,

Scott and Kay Luttrell and Fat and

Wanda Childress, Lanette Lewis and

Jeremy and Stacie Dukes and

Kaymi Nicole from Pampa visited

Clyde and Jane Dukes and Jackie,

Fat and Wanda Childress, Addie Swift

Amarillo Thursday morning and

brought grandchildren, Dallas and

Micaela Dawson to Wheeler to stay

till Sunday. Sarita Dawson came Sat-

urday afternoon and spent the night.

They went back to Amarillo Sunday

afternoon. It was too cold to be out

much, but they had fun anyway.

Micaela especilally enjoyed the cats,

Pray for Isabel and Raymond

Moore. Isabel had to spend several

days in Amarillo in the hospital, but is

home now. Karen Meek and

Raymond stayed with her. Isabel's

sister, Thelma, and Lee Hammond

visited Isabel and Raymond a few

inviting them in for visits.

Ed and Laurel Hershman went to

Blue and Brandi Coomer and An-

Visiting Addie Swift Tuesday was

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By: Melba Corcoran

Melba Corcoran took her mother Lorene Rector to Elk City Tuesday for her doctor's appointment. While there they visited Onetta Pierce in the Bell Ave. Rest Home. Melba also ran into Becky Allen and children of Crawford at Wal-Mart. They had been to the dentist and were on their way back to the livestock show in Cheyenne. They had place 4 grand champion and 3 reserve champions with their calves. Becky is the daughter of Rayburn.

Leon and Augusta Brown, Floyd and Sidney Lynch and Mr. and Mrs. Greer all of Pampa were at the museum Tuesday afternoon. They were going to Wheeler for support hey were celebrating Sidney's birthday. They had been out to the Mount Zion Cem-

Our sympathy goes out to the family of Lois Risner. She passed away

Commissioners (from Page 3)

EXECUTIVE SESSION-Pending itigation-Civil Action Cause NO. 2:97-CV-204-J

Boyd Hiltbrunner made a motion which was seconded by Hubert Moore to enter into Executive Session as permitted under Section 551.071, Government Code, Vernons Texas Codes Annotated at 1:09 P.M. Motion carried unanimously.

-- made a motion which was seconded by -- to return to Regular Session at 1:29 P.M. Motion carried unanimously.

No action taken. February 17, 1999

The Wheeler County Commissioners Court met in Special Session with Judge Jerry Hefley presiding. Members present were: Kenneth Childress, Tom Puryear, Hubert Moore and Boyd Hiltbrunner, Commissioner precincts 1, 2, 3 and 4, respectively. Also present were: Margaret Dorman-County Clerk; and Jimmy Adams-Sheriff

Court was opened with a prayer offered by

APPROVAL OF BILLS FOR PAY-MENT

Hubert Moore made a motion which was seconded by Kenneth Childress to pay the bills as approved and found listed in Volume 11 of the Minutes of Accounts Allowed in the County Clerks office. Motion carried unani-

APPROVAL OF HOURLY EM-PLOYEE TIME SHEETS

Boyd Hiltbrunner made a motion which was seconded by Hubert Moore to approve the time sheets for the hourly employees as submitted. Motion carried unanimously

ACCEPTANCE OF JUSTICE OF PEACE REPORTS

Tommy Puryear made a motion which was seconded by Boyd Hiltbrunner to approve the time sheets for the month of January 1999 as follows: Brady Meadows-\$1,280.00 and Art Taylor-\$18,877.47. Motion carried unanimously

APPRAISAL DISTRICT-OFFICE SPACE

Larry Schoenhals, Chief Appraiser, met with the Court to discuss the office space needs for the Appraisal staff and records. He presented a Resolution adopted by the Appraisal District Board of Directors and asked the county for their approval.

Tommy Puryear made a motion which was seconded by Hubert Moore to approve the resolution which was adopted by the Appraisal Board of Directors. Motion carried unani-

TAX CODE PRESENTATION Chief Appraiser Larry Schoenhals met with the Court to present an overview of Section 9.3002 of the Property Tax Laws.

No action taken. **ELECTED OFFICIAL SALARY**

Boyd Hiltbrunner made a motion which was seconded by Tommy Puryear to designate the elected officials be compensated on a salary rather than fee basis. Motion carried

GRIEVANCE COMMITTEE Boyd Hiltbrunner made a motion which was seconded by Kenneth Childress to appoint the following citizens to serve on the Salary Grievance Committee for a two year pe-

APPOINTMENT OF SALARY

riod. Motion carried unanimously Terry Glen Shafer, Rickey Dorris Watson, Billie Caswell, Martha Barker, Donald Finsterwald, David Kent Payne, Stacci Dawn Kinnaman, Mary

Hart, Anthony Wayne Doss ADVERTISE FOR DEPOSITORY-County Funds

Kenneth Childress made a motion which was seconded by Tommy Puryear to advertise for a depository for county funds. The advertisement will appear in the Irish Star News, which is the rotation paper for advertising in February. The bids will be opened on April 12, 1999 at 10:00

AM. Motion carried unanimously. DISCUSSION OF GRANT APPLI-CATION FOR COURTHOUSE RE-PAIRS

A discussion was had on applying for assistance in courthouse repairs through a grant with the National Trust for Historic Preservation.

No action taken. CONDITIONS-Joe ROAD

Weatherly No action.

PHILLIP GAINES ADDED TO PAY-

ROLL Tommy Puryear made a motion which was seconded by Kenneth Childress to add Phillip Gaines to the payroll for precinct no. 2, effective March 1, 1999. The salary will be \$1,883.92 for the first six months (provisionary period) and then is subject to raising to \$1,933.92 per month. Motion carried unanimously

Robert and Lois Reeves and Jess and Deanna Mixon attended the Green Thumb dinner in Borger at Sirloin Stockade on Tuesday at noon.

It is nice to know that Rob and Geniva Hogan's house will not be empty. They have a relative that will be living there.

Pierce Walker was taken to Parkview Hospital Wednesday with chest pains. He had a good night Wednesday. He is home and doing

Mt. View Quilting Club met Thursday at Totty Schoolhouse with Melba Corcoran as hostess. Those attending were Charlotte Coward, Estelle Hodges, Orville Greenhouse, Audrey Seitz, Martha Meek and Melba Corcoran. The group sung Happy Birthday to Estelle. They will finish Melba's quilt up next week and Estelle Hodges will put hers in. The Quilting Club would like to thank Pete Seitz for noticing that the wind had blown the wires loose from Totty Schoolhouse. He reported it to Don Burke who notified the REA and got it fixed. He also cleaned the water out of the icebox from the bag of ice and got the building ready for the quilting.

Dale and Melba Corcoran and Densel and Fern Reed visited Thursday night with Pauline Barnes in Wheeler.

Diane Jones left Friday for Edmond, OK to try to find work

Danny Hilburn and children visited with Charlotte Coward and Diane Jones recently

Glen D. and Estelle Hodges met their cousin from Colorado in Wheeler for supper Wednesday night.

Tom and Wanda Forbes of La Mesa visited his parents, Ray and Velma Forbes over the weekend. They also visited in Pampa with John and Melody Forbes and Dillon. Ray and Velma had to put off moving till next weekend due to the weather. Congratulations to Alvaro J. and

Deanna Aguirre on the birth of their twin daughters Alessandra was born at 9:19 on March 11, 1999 in New York City and weighed 6 pounds and 2 ounces, Karinne was born at 9:24 on March 11, 1999 and weighed 6 pounds and 11 ounces. Their grandparents are Alfred and Jolene Corcoran of Amarillo.

Dale and Melba Corcoran visited with Densel and Fern Reed Friday afternoon and ate supper with them. They got to play one game of cards. Melba helped Fern with a program on the computer.

Betty Rains is in Baptist St Anthony hospital in Amarillo. They found out that her problem is nerve damage. She is having therapy.

Leta Mae Gatlin is in Coronado Hospital in Pampa. Remember her in

Visiting with Jess and Deanna Mixon Sunday were Allen Mixon of McLean and Jerry Martinez, Michael and Trish McLaughlin and Andi Martinez. It was Allen's birthday. Dorothy Mixon is home from the

hospital, but not doing very well. She still can't walk or set up very much. Remember her in your prayers. Mark and Jamee Hampton, Ashley

and Betheny of Odessa visited with Jim and Kay Batton last weekend. Jim had knee surgery Tuesday. He is doing real well and walking now. Rob Hogan is now a teacher Assis-

tance for Ziff-Davis University on the Internet. He is teaching HTML 4 part 1. He is enjoying the teaching very much. Rob has been taking lots of classes over the Internet and now teaching over it.

Doyle and Bulah Grimes are happy to announce their 10th great-grandchild is here. Arden Nicklas Aranda arrived March 12. He weighed 6 pounds and 7 ounces. He was welcome by his parents Arden and Derenda Aranda and a big sister Rainy Grace all of Elk Hart. Grandparents are Jerry and Phyllis Tucker and Martina Aranda all of Elk Hart. Other great-grandfather is J. N. Tucker of Pampa.

Those helping to celebrate the March birthday's of Wayne, Wesley, Shane and Scotty at the home of Clint and Maurita Stribling were Wayne and Carol Stribling and Seth of Pampa, Brandy and Wesley Stribling of Canyon, Tom and Debbie Stribling, Darius, Brittani, and Jerome of Miami, and Roy Lynn and Pam Stribling, Shane and Natasha of Wheeler.

Spending the week with Doris Whaley is her granddaughters Halley Dennis of Cache, Ok and Ashley Mixon of Pampa. Monday she had Cooper Gilliland a great-grandson from Royce City, TX for the day. The granddaughters were on spring break.

Martha and R. C. Parker of McLean visited with Byron and Novelene Simpson last week

Monday March 15, 1999 eating dinner with Byron and Novelene Simpson were Jerry Simpson of Skellytown and Joe and Melba Damell. Visiting with Charlotte Coward Sun-

day were Gene and Judy Coward of Canadian and Dennis Hilburn of Mobeetie.

Gene and Sue Harrison visited Monday with his mother Thelma and Russell Ulrich in Carnegie, Ok

Bill, Mary and Gary Gordy of Quanah visited the first of the week with Gene and Sue Harrison. They took them to meet Cindy in Wellington Wednesday.

Sunday, Jack and Bernice Hefley went to lunch after church in Wheeler with Opal Hefley of Wheeler and Richard and Dorothy Hefley of Woodward, OK. Jack is doing well after his stay in the hospital.

Spending their spring break with Aaron and Claudetta Laverty are grandchildren, Danny, Shelby and Casey Laverty of Decatur and Brittany Laverty of Amarillo.

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days. Friday and Saturday nights Karen and Grant Meek and Rachel and Garland Moore brought food and they all ate supper together at

Raymonds Wednesday supper guests of Ed and Laurel Hershman were Adrian Risner, Ricky and Tina Bond and

Abbe and Amanda before church. Lajo Crownover and Terri from Bovina and Lacy Crownover from Amarillo are home this week on Spring Break and visiting E. G. and Willa

Dallas Fillingim took a group of student members of Alumni Association to San Antonio Friday for the weekend Leadership Convention. All went well and was a good convention. They went to the River Walk with mall, restaurants, etc., Fiesta Texas

and the Alamo and other things. Correction: Gena Zybach told me about the Zybach's gathering at Clarendon to celebrate Freda Tucker's 70th birthday, but somehow Bob and Gena Zybach's name got

left out. Sorry about that. Cindy Hartsfield and Glory spent Sunday night with J. P. and Martha

Jocelyn Meek visited Tasha

Vandiver Saturday. Next Sunday, March 21, will be start of a revival at Wheeler Baptist Church with noon pitch-in meals each day through March 24, and a Bible study with Dr. Gerry Lewis from Azle. There will be singing and preaching night services at 7:00.

Nice to have a call from Lisa Hickman, who lives in Spring, Texas. Her stepdad, Cecil Reynolds is in Good Samaritan Hospital in Phoenix, Arix, 85000. He has some heart problems; He had 4 by-passes in 1991. They are checking arteries, veins, etc. to see what is best. Pray for Cecil. Lisaplans to marry her fiancee, Andre, in July and wants Cecil to "give her

Congratulations to Katie and Lee Pennington of Weatheford on the birth of their new baby boy, Austin Lee, on March 3, at Weatherford. Austin had some breathing problems and had to go to Oklahoma City for awhile, but is home now. Proud grandparents include William and Vickey Cornell. Proud great-grandparents include Bob and Mary Conell and Murl and Eula Kuhlman of Tuttle.

Correction: So sorry to hear Leonard and Bertha Hollis wil not be coming soon. We really miss them. A grandson will be graduating from college and getting married after that. Pretty far to go back and forth.

Best wishes to Deradah Weldon and Bryan Lee Gosselin of Pampa. who plan to marry March 13 at Pampa Chamber of Commerce. Christine Grayson of Pampa and Gary Weldon of Shamrock are her parents. Deradah is taking a cosmetology course at Frank Phillips and plans to graduate

Best wishes to Terry Dougherty of Pampa and Robbie Lynn Hamner of Clarendon in their recent marriage. Terry is the son of Gene and Zetha Dougherty of Pampa, who grew up and attended school at Briscoe. They plan to make their home in Pampa.

Keep praying for Joe Smith, who had a bad leg injury several months ago. He has to use a cane to stand and walk, but not able to work yet. He would like to have something he can

Lindsey Fillingim from Canyon came home to David and Rita Pearson's Sunday morning in time to go to church with them to the Methodist Church in Wheeler. Nice to get to eat lunch with them all at Maxeys. Lindsey is on Spring Break from WTA&M. She and Rita shopped in Elk City and Clinton Monday. Tues-

OLD JAIL MUSEUM NEWS

Monday, Louise Hogan, Dale and Melba Corcoran met the Panhandle Plains Historical Museum guys to pick up the exhibit. Melba did some cataloging and Louise did some filing and office work. Dale set up the chairs for the meeting on Wednesday.

Tuesday, Dale Corcoran kept the museum open for Bob Bull while he went to the Green Thumb meeting in Borger. Louise Hogan worked at getting the museum ready for the Northwest Texas Museum Association meeting on Wednesday

Louise Hogan and Melba Corcoran worked Monday. Louise did filing and Melba did cataloging. Dale Corcoran hooked up the scanner to the computer.



Mobeetie Campus: Student of the week candidates were Kindergarten Arden Reis, First grade Blake Baker, Second grade Halley Estes, Third grade Nathan McLaughlin, Fourth grade Randi Lynn Barr and Fifth grade Sarah Zybach. The student of the week was Randi Lynn Barr.

There will be no school Wednesday through Friday due to Spring

Briscoe Campus: Spring break Wednesday through Friday. Sunday 21st the One Act play will be put on at Briscoe. The seniors will have a spaghetti dinner that day the meal will start at 12 and go through 1:30 with the play to follow.

Monday the play will have rehearsal at Follett at 4:30.

The girls' golf will play in Canadian on Monday.

On the 23rd the baseball team will play Memphis at 4:30 at Briscoe. The one act play will be put on for Zone at Follett on the 23rd.

On the 25th the boys' golf will play in Pampa and if the play gets past zone they will put the play on for District.

day Lindsey came over to help me (from Page 5) with some jobs. Sure appreciate that!

Danny, 14, Casey, 12, and Shelby, Laverty from Decatur are spending Spring Break with grandparents, Aaron and Claudetta Laverty. Nice to have them out to Gageby Church Sunday. Also out to Gageby Church Sunday were Alice Hueneseldt and son, Sam, from Clinton, MO. They came Friday night to stay till Wednesday with Kevin and Jona Meek and Shantell and Tommy. Good friends.

Sunday, Aaron Laverty went to Amarillo and brought Brittaney Laverty to come visit.

Rosalie Keelin visited son, Jerry Keelin, in Shamrock one day and shopped a little in Shamrock and Wheeler. Sunday afternoon Gene Keelin and Daniel visited Rosalie.

Oleta Rogers sent this delicious sounding recipe for you to try. **Dolly Madison**

1 pkg. graham crackers, crushed 6 oz. chocloate chips 1 can coconut (or about 1 cup) 6 oz. butterscotch chips

1 stick oleo melted, or butter

chopped nuts 1 can Eagle Brand milk Melt oleo in 9x13 pan. Sprinkle graham crackers over oleo. Add others ingredients in order given. Bake 350 degrees for 30 minutes. Enjoy! I

hope to try this soon. Ken Criswell and Lindsey Fillingim went to Tulia Saturday and visited Darren and Chalone Hefley and Dawson. Ken also helped Darren with

a little work on their house. Nice to have Dana Trimble out to church Sunday at Gageby with Dan and Theresa Trimble. Dana is on springbreak from college at Weatherford. She is beautiful as ever.

Congratulations to Billy and Emily Washington on 50 years of marriage on March 18, 1999. There was a reception hosted by their children.

"His hands and feet and heart, all

Were pierced for me on Calvary, And here and now, to Him I bring My hands, feet, heart, an offering. Thank you, Jesus!

Friday we went to Lela to Jones Honey Place to get a supply of honey. They have lots and it is good. It is cheaper by the gallon in half-gallon jugs. I empty it into quart jars so easier to melt up when it gets sugary in time. Enjoyed visitng with them. They have hives in orchards in Wheeler and other places. The bees help to pollinate the fruit blossoms to produce more. Honey is also good for allergies. Jones Honey is for sale at Thriftway cheaper than other brands. One allergy doctor used to say that honey produced close would be beneficial to use some every day. Willis uses it in cooked cereals. I make a drink with honey and vinegar and salt in a cup of hot water that seems to help my throat, even after it cools. Sometimes I use it in baking and homemade catsup. To get to Jones Honey, go to Lela and take the overpass to south service road and go west to a bee on a mail box.

Nice to visit with Mike Wash at Wheeler Dairy Queen. He lives at Reydon and still works for K Energy or whatever it is called since it was bought by someone else. Sherry works for vet at Reydon. Katrina works for vet at Goodwell or Guymon and goes to college. Sam is a senior at Reydon.

If God Should Go on Strike "How good it is that God above, has never gone on strike because he was not treated fair in things he didn't like. If only once He'd given up and said That's it! I'm through! I've

had enough of those on earth, so this is what I'll do: I'll give my order to the sun, cut off the heat supply! To the moon, give no more light and run the oceans dry! Then just to make things really tough and put the pressure on-Turn off the vital oxygen till every breath is gone! You know He would be justified, If fairness was the game. For no one has been more abused Or met with more disdain, Than God, and yet he carries on, Supplying you and me with all

Everything for free. Submitted by Oleta Rogers. Nice to have Sue Ratliff join us for supper at Canadian Pizza Hut Tuesday night. She was our near neighbor for so many years, and her family. She still works at Canadian Hospital and is working toward her RN Degree. She also works with nurses unlimited and helps with medication for home bound people. We like to go on Tuesday nights to Pizza Hut, because of the buffet. But it is also Kids night with a big crowd there. Very

the favors of His grace, and

Pam Jones and the One-Act Play cast are working hard on their play. Sure hope they will put it on at Fort Elliott before competition at Follett.

Fort Elliott Boys have started practicing baseball. Tuesday, March 23 Memphis will play at Briscoe 4:30. Friday, March 26th Fort Elliott will play at Shamrock at 4:30. Sometimes maybe cancelled.

Better enjoy our time. Daylight Saving starts again first Sunday in April with turning the clock forward an hour. "God be with you till we meet again."

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Haygoods Chosen Ag Family of the Year

Top O' Texas CattleWomen chose the Haygood family of Canadian as their 1999 Ag Family of the Year. The Haygoods have a well established pure bred Hereford operation with a production sale held on the ranch in October.

Indian Mound Ranch, owned by Wayne and Gayle Haygood and managed the last few years by their son Lee, was built on a family tradition. Gayle's grandfather, Ed George, originally settled on the ranch's home section in 1887. His son (and Gayle's father), Lee George, followed in his footsteps, building the ranch by leasing surrounding land.

Even while they lived in Indiana where Wayne was managing Indian Mound Farm, Wayne and Gayle started buying land around Gayle's father's place over several years. In 1973 they began running commercial Herefords on it, and in 1981, when they moved back to Texas, they brought young registered Herefords While in Indiana, Wayne was presi-

dent of the American Hereford Association, and after they moved to Texas he served as Texas Hereford Association president. Gayle is a longtime member of Top O' Texas

In 1991, Wayne was stricken with multiple myeloma and underwent a bone marrow transplant. Following the transplant, he contracted spinal

meningitis and remained hospitalized in Amarillo for over six months.

Lee, who was working for the American Hereford Association in Kansas City at that time, decided to move home and run the ranch. Today he is the new president of the Texas Hereford Association and very active in Texas and Southwestern Cattle Raisers Association.

For six years Wayne lived in the nursing home in Canadian until he began a miraculous recovery in 1998. Although still unable to be active on the ranch, he is again living at home, and loves going out to see the cattle.

During Wayne's illness, the bills racked up, Gayle turned her hobby of sewing into a home business-Canadian River Originals, a unique collection of customized denim and other Southwestern clothing. Also, Gayle keeps all the financial records and pays the bills for the ranch (although Lee handles the cattle records).

The Haygood's daughter, Leslie, is married to another rancher-farmer, Tim Osborn. They live in Tuttle, Oklahoma, with their children Will and Katie. Their daughter, Mary, lives in Amarillo and works for PageMart.

Building on the family tradition, Lee, like his father Wayne, loves breeding good cattle, matching pedigrees, studying needs, creating breeding programs, and seeing the resulting good calves.



SOCIAL: The ARC of Texas, Wheeler County sponsored a social on February 27 in the Wheeler School Cafeteria. The cafeteria was decorated with ballons and streamer in a Valentine' theme and refreshments were served. Attending from Wheeler were Amanda Childress, Chris Vick, P. J. Ford, Timmy Andris, Haley Jones, and Kris Bradley along with their friends and families. Also attending were special friends from Borger and Pampa. Ben Ed Hillhouse was the D.J. for the social. Pictured are Amanda Childress and Chris Bradley.

Old Jail Museum Hosts Assoc. Meeting

The Mobeetie Jail Museum hosted the Northwest Texas Museum Association Wednesday afternoon. James May, President was in charge of the meeting. Gene Riley and Delbert Trew gave the training sessions. James May turned the meeting over to Gene Riley First Vice President who is in charge of programs. He introduced Delbert Trew who presented a programs on Best Exhibits for the Least Price. Delbert gave a good program on how to make cheap packing cases. He said that one of the best mottos is

CARD OF THANKS

We would like to take this opportunity to say "Thank You" for all the kindness shown our family after the loss of our mother. The prayers, food, calls, flowers and other expressions of concern were deeply appreciated. A special thanks to the First Baptist Church for the meal.

Donna Cunningham Charles Risner **Bobby Dean Risner**

ALLISON

MONDAY, March 22, 1999 - FRI-DAY, March 26, 1999 MONDAY

Breakfast: Oats or Dry Cereal, Toast, Juice, Milk Lunch: Chili Dogs, Ranch Style Beans, Cheese, Fruit, Milk

TUESDAY Breakfast: Blueberry Muffins, Juice, Lunch: Chicken Strips, Mashed Po-

tatoes, Green Beans, Hot Rolls, Ba-

nana 'n Strawberries, Milk WEDNESDAY Breakfast: Sausage Gravy, Hashbrowns, Biscuits, Juice, Milk Lunch: BB Que Rib on Bun, Broccoli

'Cauliflower Salad, Oven Fries, Fruit, THURSDAY Breakfast: Cereal, Toast, Juice, Milk Lunch: Baked Ham, Mashed Pota-

Cake, Milk FRIDAY Breakfast: Cinnamon Toast, Juice,

toes, English Peas, Hot Rolls, Carrot

Lunch: Toasted Cheese Sandwich, Pickles, Tater Tots, Fruit, Milk (Menu subject to change)

CONSIGNMENT AUCTION SATURDAY, APRIL 9, 1999 At Wheeler County Show Barn

Consignments must be in by Friday, March 26 to be advertised! LYNDON LOYD AUCTIONEERS

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Following his program the group took a break. Then Gene Riley presented his program on "Traveling Exhibits and Why I Can't Have One." Following the workshops the Ex-

"Build Well and Explaining It Well."

ecutive Board met. The Executive Board members present were President James May, President Elect Greg Shuman, First Vice President Gene Riley, Second Vice President Hilary Cordero, Secretary June Adcock, and Treasurer Melba

Those attending from Deaf Smith Historical Museum of Hereford were Paula Edward and Theresa Artho. Those from Square House Museum in Panhandle were Dr. Paul Katz, Viola Moore, Sharon Maples, and Michella George. Those from Museum of the Plains in Perryton were Dixie Hargues and Gene Riley. Ruth Trew from Devils Rope Museum and Delbert Trew from Route 66 and McLean Alanreed Museum both of McLean. J. D. & Ruby Jo Wilbanks of Stationmaster's Museum of Spearman. Katie Underwood and Ina Seuhs of Roberts County Museum of Miami. Fred and Ruby Sawyer of Collingsworth County Museum of Wellington. Neva Hastings of the Pioneer West Museum of Shamrock. Hilary Cordes, Ora Mae Brownlee, Belinda Foreman, and Roy Ockerman from the Moore County Museum in Dumas. Greg Shuman of Don Harrington Discovery Center of Amarillo. June Adcock of the Armstrong County Museum of Claude. Reba Jones of Amarillo Museum of Art. Lee Walker of River Valley Pioneer Museum of Canadian, and Louise Hogan, Bernice Hefley, Maurita Stribling of the Old Jail Museum of Mobeetie.

Surprise Birthday Party Honors Adcock, Newman

A surprise Birthday party was held in honor of Tim Adcock and Cendie Newman on Friday at the Mobeetie City Hall. Everything was decorated in Black and Over the Hill decor. Those enjoying the party were Billy and Cendie Newman, Chad Newman, Toby and Kara Newman and Trystan and Roger and Marylou Lawrence all of Elk City, OK, Eldon and Sherri Mason and children of Sayre, Ok, Lyndon and Novaline Loyd, Richard Dickey, and Kay Williams all of Wheeler, James and Linda Berryman and Erika, Carl and Diana all of Canadian, Nancy Shelton of Pampa, Mae and Hugh Bailey, Delmer and Elsebeth Newman, Tony and Francis Dickey and grandbaby, Tim and Sallie Adcock, and Sam and Amanda Childress, Jayton, Garrett and Jarrett all of Mobeetie. After the party, Roger, Marylou, Billy, Cendie, Toby, Kara, Chad, Trystan, Richard, Kay, Tim, Sallie, Sam, Amanda, Jayton, Garrett and Jarrett all went to Shamrock to the Irish Inn for supper.