

Had another nice day with a fourth inch of rain. John and Martha Haag came down from Pampa with a delicious dinner.
I have had quite a week. Lost the

sight of my left eye. Do Edwards said a membrane had clouded over and needed a hole made in it. We went over to Dr. Smith for a looksee and next day Dr. Bedoys zapped a hole in the membrane with the laser. Now I am reading small print again. It is wonderful the things modern science can do.

Saw friends Lois and Shorty Harmon in the waiting room. Also Mrs. Williams, Berlin, and Mrs. Rice.

Eik, and Lois Bryan at the grocery store. The Harmons belong to the Fifth Wheel group and really enjoy it. We went up to Cheyenne for Joe to get his curls cut. He likes for Joe Whitton to do the job. Johnny Cannon and Ralph Hartman visited with him.

I went into the Star office with Casey and Karla Paxton happiness in their new home at Mangum. We grandma with Carl and Inez McDaniel there.

The Sweetwater Homecoming will be July 3. We hope the home folks will all go. It is so discouraging to drive hundreds of miles to a reunion and find that few of the locals attend.

Wilbur and Theresa Nabors have been to Pagosa Springs to visit Linda and Jerry Nabors. They attended the high school graduation of their grandson, Rusty. He will join the Marines June 21.

Barbara Magness, Lawton, and Joyce Napier, Washington, D.C., visited their brother and family, Elbert and Eva Atkinson, over Memorial. Joyce is a Lt. Colonel now and will be moving to Ft. Riley, Kan., soon.

Guests of Zuma Sutton were Verda Lee York, Diamond, MO., Bob and Emma Jean Kelly, San Antonio, TX. Verda used to be our neighbor. They all read the Sweetwater News.

Lacy Fowler, Olivia Locke and Ashleigh Hagerman enjoyed a wonderful week at the Lugert Junior Camp. They were accompanied by Ed and Jeanie Wrathers, Joan Hagerman.

Among the winners at the Red River roundup were Matt Carlson, Dustin Drake, and Danny Johnson. Highlight of the show was the surprise arrival of a tourist bus from the Coyote Hills Ranch. It carried 70 young men from twenty different countries who had never seen a rodeo. They really lived it up.

The Glory Road Singers performed last Sunday at the Assembly of God Church. They were short several singers due to illness but everyone enjoyed the program.

This doesn't seem to have been my week. Something bit or stung my arm. Two burners on my stove were out. Just try cooking for company on two burners. Then there was the eye trouble. But my arm quit hurting soon. Tony got the stove to perk, and I can see better than ever. Maybe it was my week.

Rachel Hill served as Mayor of the mythical Marshall City at Girl's State in Ada recently. She was also a member of the Girl's State Chorus, in the talent Show, and Candlelight Ceremony. Her parents are Bill and Sherry Hill. Heard Marshall City conducted the Flag Ceremony at the Inaugural Ball.

Memorial services for Rev. Walter Knox, 81, were May 29 at the Southern Baptist Church in Rush Springs. He was pastor of the Erick Baptist Church for 16 years. Burial was in the Rush Springs Cemetery.

Nice picture of Brendon Atkinson, Rep. Randy Beutler, and Senator Robert Kerr at the State Capitol. Brendon is working at the Water Quality Division of the Oklahoma Agriculture Dept.

Birthday folks are Linda Banks, John Frank Haag, Colin Perry, Kervin

Hill, Jeremy Henson, Helen Smith, Iva Thompson, Carolyn Davis, Kristina Henson, Kathy Davis, Lorene Davis, Carl Reed, J. E. McGuire. Anniversaries are Mr. and Mrs. Billy Tipton, Mr. and Mrs. Jay Davis, Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Sanders, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Mance. Happiness to all, and Happy Flag Day.

To The Editor
The Wheeler Times
Wheeler, TX 79096

(Letter to the Editor)
To Me The Holts Were A Great Family.

To Those Concerned:
The obituary of Bonnie M. Holt was in my Wheeler Times May 6, 1999. At the age of 83 I do recall things relating to the Holts in Wheeler. Using the Holt's bank was so nice.

My father and Bob Holt once were wrestling just for the fun of it, but my father, Lee Gunter, got a blood clot from wrestling with Bob and died on his way to a Masonic Hospital. I was only 6 and my brother Albert was about one year old. Our great mother, Margaret Biggs Gunter, raised her children. In 1918 Malcomb Lee Gunter, my father, won the highest Masonic Award in Texas.

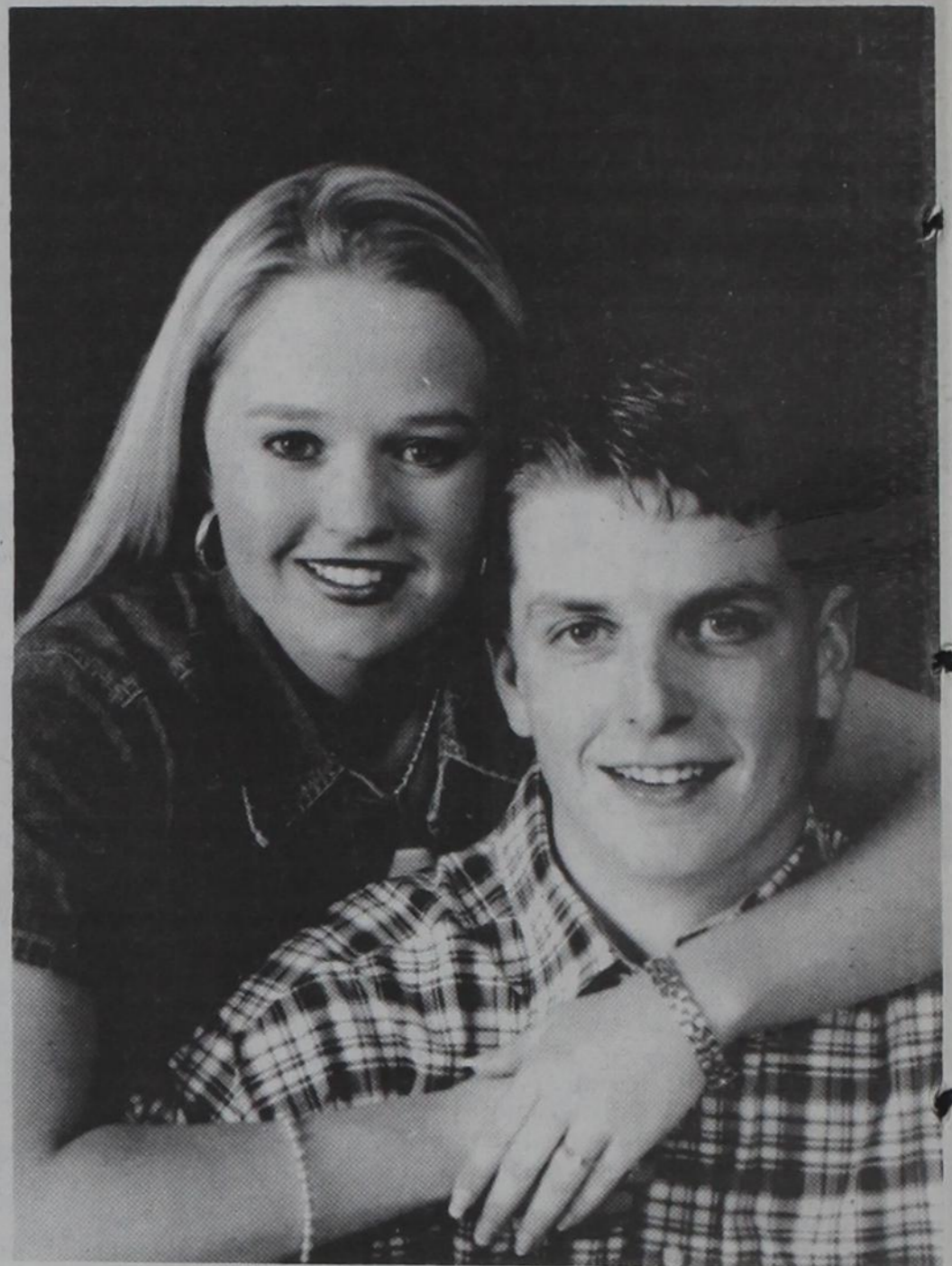
Damaris Holt and I were roommates at Texas A & M 1933 through 1935 when I had dropped out of A & M, because I ran out of money. I got a job as a rural school principal at Hay Lake Rural School near Silverton, Texas.

Unfortunately, on our last day at A & M as sophomores, Damaris and my other roommate, "Frog" Cunningham from Missouri, were going to have a final breakfast. Unfortunately, a limousine and "Frog's" 1934 Chevrolet touched each other on very narrow Route 6. We went into the median and hit concrete wall. "Frog" was killed. I was sitting in Damaris Holt's lap in the crowded car. Damaris was not hurt. I got a broken nose and right cheek bone. "Frog's" girl friend suffered some facial cuts. It took my last working pay check just to get my face taped up. I was able to ride my old Harley-Davidson motorcycle back to Wheeler from A & M, a long ride.

I recall taking the bonds which built the Wheeler Court House to the First National Bank which the Holts ran and owned. At that time my mother was County Treasurer or Tax Collector, I am not sure.

I taught school in the Texas Panhandle 20 years. I resigned as principal from Progress Rural School near Muleshoe and joined the U.S. Navy in 1941. Our group from Dallas arrived at San Diego, California, "Pearl Harbor Day". As we got off our train, we were given 1903 Springfield rifles and shells and were told to "Hit the beach". Luckily, the Japanese were not there.

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ENGAGEMENT ANNOUNCED: Mr. and Mrs. Terry McCasland of Wheeler announce the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter, Kasey Jan, to Jyarid Jrowm Jaco, son of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Jaco of Canadian. Kasey is currently a senior at West Texas A & M University majoring in elementary education, and is employed with the Recreational Sports as a secretary. Jyarid is employed at Fields and Company in Amarillo as manager of the lighting warehouse and part-time sales associate. The couple plans to be wed on August 7th at 2:30 in the afternoon in the First United Methodist Church in Wheeler. Friends and relatives of the couple are cordially invited to attend the wedding.

I was assigned to the USS ZEILIN (APA-3), an attack transport, as a Yeoman 2nd Class. I had to keep the records on our ship. We were in 2 battles landing Marines on Tulagi across from Guadalcanal. Many Americans were hurt or killed out there. The Zeilin was not hit while I was on it, but it was severely damaged after I was transferred to New Caledonia to await orders to go to train to become an Ensign.

When I became an Ensign, I was put on the USS PATOKA (AO-9), a tanker. We spent 22 months hauling oil off the east coast of South America which was nice.

When we returned to the United States, I married a girl that I had met. Lois is still my wife. We were together only one month before the PATOKA was sent from New Jersey through the Panama Canal to Hawaii on our way to Okina, WA. Out there we were in three typhoons which were almost like battles. Several of our ships were severely damaged. We were in Japan at the end of WW-II. When we returned to the USA, I decided to go

back to teaching. I got my degree in Agriculture and taught 12 years at Spearman, Texas, before going to Montclair, New Jersey to teach science.

I will say that life has been good to me in many ways. My motto is "Try to enjoy each day of your life. You might not be here tomorrow". Today, Lois does our driving because I quit driving. We are lucky to have 3 children and their families here in Colorado. Our oldest daughter still lives in New Jersey. We call her on the phone frequently.

I have always felt Wheeler has been lucky to have had the Holts as the owner of First National Bank.

Good luck to the Holts and their relatives.

(Signed) M. L. Gunter



Bailey Nichole Brashears, 4 years old, is the daughter of Todd and Mindy Brashears of Lincoln, NB. Grandparents are Gary and Becky Hardcastle of Wheeler and Diane Brashears of Childress and the late Truman Brashears. Great-grandparents are L. D. Brashears and Joyce Gragg of Shamrock.

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ing back to Canyon after supper at Maxeys.
Correction: Jimmy Nelson was driving the fire truck that was helping to

put out the vehicle fire last Wednesday, Not Jimmy Maddox.
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or so. Have fun.
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Ephesians 5: 31-32: As the scriptures say, "A man leaves his father and mother and is joined to his wife and the two are united into one". This is a great mystery, but it is an illustration of the way Christ and the church are one.

Happy Birthday to Pam Arganbright, Jerry Killingsworth on June 20; Carl Baker on June 21; Jennifer Light, Jane Ann Hall, Aaron and Darren Gaines, Eldridge Holder and Myrand Pierce on June 22; Butch Murray, Angela Jolly, Preston Glazner, Dorothy McIlhany, Matt Daniels and Drew Couch on June 23; J. P. Meek, Mark Meek, Ellen Schmidt, Oleta Jones, Paul Arganbright, Iva Alexander, Emma Rogers, and Mary Corcoran on June 24; Todd Meek, Eddie Pannell, 90, Josh McElroy, Opal Hefley, Dale Meadows, Nova Powledge, Bernie Tapp on June 25; Betty Howard, Lois Meadows and Chad Harrison on June 26.

Pauline Hefley and I had a nice sisters-day-out Tuesday. We ate at Shamrock at Hasty's and visited with Matt and Michelle Moore, Ernest Henderson, Patricia and Ed Forrester with Esther Forrester, Dorothea Calcote, who works for Mahnken Drug Stores.

Raymond and Isabel Moore are now living in the Craigmont Retirement and Nursing Home in Amarillo. Raymond has an apartment there and can walk down the hall to her room in the nursing facility.

Pray for these sweet people.
Tuesday, Ernest Henderson went to the funeral for Guy Hardin and Jack Young. Jack was buried at Kelton. He used to live where Kelton is.

Nice to visit a little with Lacey Horton at Maxeys. Sorry the ambulance job didn't work out and they are moving back to Tulia. Best wishes to Lacey and Steve, Blake and Kayle.

"Lord you have called us from the four corners of the earth to feed the hungry, clothe the naked, provide sanctuary for those who are homeless and alone". —Maharry

Tuesday, Nice to have Joe and Sherry Wagner meet us for supper at Canadian Pizza Hut. Good to visit with them. Joe's eyes are better!

Nice to have special friends, Edie and Charlie Phillis and daughter, Stacey Haiduk, join us for lunch at Furr's Wednesday. Stacie is married to Jeff and they all live in White Deer. Jeff works for K and K, the family business. Stacie works for a group of doctors on north end of the hospital at Pampa and has seven home lines to answer. Also at Furr's were Marie Baker from Canadian, Lorene McCormick, Sharon Zamora, Kassy Bradstreet, Gayle Lewallen, Worth and May Be Shields from Samnorwood, Paul and David Britt, Dixie Cook and her mom, Lois Flowers, and sister, Frances Newell, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Davis, Richard and Anita Brown.

Happy Anniversary Bob and Mary Nell Finsterwald, Ed and Laurel Hershman and James and Suzzie Hubble on June 20; Jimmy and Pam Light and Luke and Stacie Horton on June 21, Gary and Tonya Gilliland on June 22; Albert and Hannah Chapman on June 23; Sam and Barb Meadows on June 26.

Best wishes to Deliese Brown and Riley Atwood on their marriage. God bless and keep you!

Sincere sympathy to family and friends of Homer Thomas, 78, in his death at Canadian. A fine friendly man.

Sincere sympathy to family and friends of Lewis Wright, 88, in his death.

Nice to have Lindsey Fillingim and Rita Pearson come by Thursday and visit a little. They had been to Sayre for Lindsey to see the dentist about a tooth. They went on to Wheeler to see Rita's mom, Nellie Lackey, who is doing pretty well. Lindsey was head-

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Nice to have a call from son, Danny, Saturday night. He and Chris are still in Reno, Nevada, with pipeline acquisition.
Nice to have Ray and Glenda Hudson, Lois Hudson and Sonya Hudson and Patrick join us for lunch at Maxeys Sunday June 13. After their wedding on Saturday June 5, Ray and Glenda went on a little honeymoon to Taos and Santa Fe. On Sunday they went to a tiny little Methodist church that was filled with many people and the love of God.
Some others there were Clem and Becky Helton and family, Evalyn Free with Dick and Ruth Irvine and Justin and Marie Irvine and Casey and Adam Tipps, Garth Nash and his mom, Mae Nash, Reba Wofford, Celeste Wiley, Ruth Wiley, Vea Fillingim and others.
Many relatives and friends were at Wheeler First Baptist Monday to pay last respects to Wayne Meek. Good to see several we don't get to see often: Todd Meek and Lisa Meek, Wilma Bible and Carla from Fritch, LaVonda Ruth (Tola Faye's sister

and her brother Kenneth, Carl Simpson with Clara Helen Cole and Alva Lee, all from Amarillo.
Briscoe Community Church enjoyed having Donald Hill from Canadian Methodist Church preach for them Sunday. There was a group with Donald that sang and made music and included Greg Crosby, DeRhonda Crosby, Keith Crosby, Dawn Dial and Chris Lay. Sounded good. Also singing beautifully was Elizabeth Meers.
Walter and Trisha Hand and Monty went to the Totty School Reunion Sunday. About 26 there, but several were not able to go. Charlotte Coward had the winning chance on the beautiful quilt. They did have a delicious dinner and lots of visiting.
Larry and Vickey Nelson and Kerri and Jimmy and Danny and Amy and Danielle attended the Patterson-Bradshaw Reunion at the Wheeler City Park Sunday. Maybe 200 there for lunch and visiting.

Sincere sympathy to loved ones and friends of Wayne Meek, 72, in his death suddenly Saturday. Keith was home and Kevin Ratliff and Wayne and Kevin Meek were working cattle. Wayne suddenly fell down dead. A nice peaceful way to go with his boys there and doing what he wanted to do. But what a shock to the family! He had been in poor health for some time. God has his mansion all ready and he will enjoy being with his beloved Tola Faye, who died several years ago from cancer, and his parents, Edward and Ether Meek and brothers who have gone on before: Clyde, Carnice, Jack and Clinton.

We stopped in at M C Grocery in Mobeetie for supper Saturday night before the wedding. Dennis and Frannie served a brisquet plate with pinto beans (best I ever ate) and mashed potatoes and a roll and cake and tea. Very good. Store was very clean and stocked with most things you'd need, even motor oil and windshield washer. Nice to again have a place to buy gas, a coke, milk, bread or whatever. Thanks, Dennis! Best wishes!

Some others at the grocery were Michael Hilburn, Zach Mabry Riley Atwood and Donnie Barr. Donnie has been going to Clarendon College and plans to go back after working this summer.

We enjoyed going to the wedding of two very fine young people, April Finsterwald and Chris Mick at Mobeetie Baptist Church Saturday night June 12 with many relatives and friends there to wish them well. The church was beautifully decorated with flowers and candles, an arch with greenery and bows on the pews. A special treat was hearing special songs by April's brother, Andy Finsterwald, and cousins Hank Gilmer and Crystal and Jeremy Dean. Bro. Bob Miller presided. Great-grandmother Mary Finsterwald and Mary Williams were able to be there. Also Chris' grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Triplett from Fritch and many other relatives and friends. Beautiful and delicious white and chocolate cakes and punch and mints and nuts were served by some beautiful young ladies. Bridesmaids were Tracy Densberger, Devin Diebel, and Sarah Hale. Terry Mick was his son's best man with Andy and Bryan Moran as groomsmen. Chris' sisters: Amanda and Brittney were candlelighters. All attendants were dressed in black.

Lisa Hickman and Andre Ellington plan to marry Saturday July 10 at 6:30 at Shady Oaks in Spring, Texas. Friends and relatives are invited. Dinner reception following ceremony. Best wishes Lisa and Andre!

Better check your evergreen trees for bag worms. They really take over fast and can defoliate them. Thank you much Ed Hershman for bringing the pesticide needed and spraying our trees good. Ed found out last year that adding detergent to the spray water gave a much better kill for some reason.

Nice to see Jimmy Sides and his wife from Abilene at the Wayne Meek funeral. Also Don and Cindy Hartsfield and Hayden and Glory from Oklahoma. Kevin and Jona's friends Alice and Sam from Clinton, Missouri.

Dustin Ray Yowell and Carrie Rene Hickman were united in marriage at Sayre United Methodist Church Saturday June 12 at 12:30. A delicious lunch was served after the wedding to many friends and relatives there. The church was beautifully decorated. Dustin's best man was cousin Jeffrey Yowell and groomsmen were stepbrother, Greg Carey and stepdad Bob Carey and Shawn Davis. Alicia (Yowell) was a bridesmaid. Nice to see her and her husband, Darrell Hill. They are both RN's and work at the Elk City Hospital. Beautiful songs by Macy Clewell and Nathan Clewell. Pray for these fine young people as they start their married life together. Alicia and Darrell are happily expecting a baby in November. Nice to see Monty Markham and friends at the wedding. All attendants at the wedding were dressed in black.

Mark Meek talked at his Uncle Wayne Meek's funeral and told many interesting memories. Andy Finsterwald played his guitar and sang. (Sounded great) Rita Pearson played the piano beautifully. Aaron Lavery preached.

"God be with you till we meet again."

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 Advertising Chairman—David Wright (1979)
 Mailing Chairman—Rhonda



REGISTERED: H. O. Crowder of Anton, TX, class of '35, was one of 300 registering at the 1999 Ex-Student, Teacher reunion Saturday, June 12.

Gallagher (1981)
 Board of Directors—Bob Stiles, Bobbie Hill, Danny Dorman and Patsy Williams
 President Bob Stiles presented the idea of changing the date of the reunion to around the 4th of July. After some discussion a motion was made and seconded to continue having the reunion on the second Saturday of June every other year.
 Harrison Hall made a suggestion to have new trophy cases built to display the old trophies which are now in storage. James Masters presented a report about the trophies from the Booster Club. After some discussion, Arden Kennedy pledged \$100 from his class and challenged all other classes to match his pledge. Pledges were made by the following classes: 39, 44, 47, 49, 55, 47, 58, 59, 61, 62, 65, 66, and 80. Harrison Hall made a motion that the Ex-Students Association give \$1000 toward the purchase of a new trophy case. The motion was seconded and voted on. Motion carried. Bob Stiles appointed a committee to look into this and coordinate with the Booster Club. Committee members are Danny Dorman, Jim Porter, Bobbie Hill and Harrison Hall, chairman.
 Entertainment for the program was provided by Garth Nash (1958). Garth opened with "Hey It's Good to Be Back Home Again", followed by a song he had written about his class called "Class of 58". He then recited a poem dedicated to all the teachers, past and present, closing with "When

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the Saints Go Marching In". Door prizes donated by local businesses were given away throughout the meeting.
 Bob expressed his appreciation to all the officers and committee members who had helped him with the reunion. Sylvia Shuler closed the program by playing the old school song followed by the present school song as everyone sang along.
 Approximately 300 Ex-Students and Teachers registered for the reunion and were served the noon meal which was provided by Maxey's.

Letters to Dad from Second Graders

(Editor's Note: The following letters to Dad were written by the Wheeler Second Graders of Mrs. McCain's Class)

Dear Dad,
 I like you Dad. You are so so nice. You give me money. You buy me toys.
 Love,
María Salas

Dear Dad,
 You love me and take care of me. I feel safe when something bad is happening. My you play with me. Sometimes you play football with Zane. Me. My you are a nice Dad.
 Love,
Skilar Rowley

Dear Dad
 Thank you dad for my 22. Dad thank you for helping me when I needed it. I love you Dad. All I can say is you're the best.
 Love,
Jamie Taylor

Dear Dad
 I like my Dad because he gives me money and buys toys for me. He plays nintendo with me. We play street fighters.
Ricardo Gallardo

Dear Dad,
 Thank you for taking me hunting. Thank you for the Play Station. Thank you for teaching me the basics of baseball. Thank you for letting me ride the jetski. But the best thing of all is you

love me. You are the best dad I could ever have.
 Love,
Zack Andis

Dear Dad,
 Thank you for making me feel better when I'm sick. Thank you for buying me the toys I have in my room right now. And when you take me to the movie store on Saturday night. And when you go far away and have to spend the night. Where ever you're at you sometimes bring me a toy. When I ask for a friend to come over on days off. Sometimes you say yes. and then I have a great time with my friend. And when you take me to the store sometimes I ask you if you will get one of my favorite popsicles. And sometimes you do and sometimes you don't. When you don't, I kinda make a frown. But I get over it. That's why I love it when you buy me fudgebars.
 Love,
Nicole Moore

Dear Dad,
 Thank you for being so nice to me and for teasing me and getting me a bike and getting me my own bed but the best thing of all is that you love me. Thank you for everything dear daddy and thank you for being my daddy.
 Love,
Diana Corral

Dear Dad,
 You do a lot for me. Happy Father's Day Dad. You send Birthday Presents to me on my birthday. You gave me a kittle for my birthday. I love you.
Ashley Nicole Groves

Kiowas (from Page 6)
 In 1840 the Kiowas, Kiowa-Apaches, and Comanches made a peace with the Cheyenne and Arapahos. Seven Bull (a Cheyenne) was invited to Bull's lodge to meet the Kiowa-Apaches. Bull was a noted Arapaho chief. They offered Seven Bull the pipe but he refused to smoke saying they were not chiefs and could not smoke or make peace, but they would carry the message home. Bull told the Cheyennes, that if a peace was made, the Kiowas would return the scalps of the Bow String soldiers (Cheyennes killed in a battle with the Kiowas in 1837), and that the Kiowas and Comanches would give the Cheyennes many horses.

Seven Bulls carried the proposition to the Cheyennes. Little Old Man and White Antelope of the Dog Soldiers were called to a council by the chiefs and told of the question by High-Backed Wolf; they were instructed to call the Dog Soldiers together for a decision. It was decided that a peace should be made. High-Backed Wolf rode about the camp and announced it to the people. Runners were sent to Bull's camp to tell him of the plans.

The Cheyennes met with their former enemies at Two Butte Creek. Dohasan (Little Bluff) led the Kiowa contingent along with Satank, Yellow Hair, and Eagle Feather. Bull Hump and Shavehead represented the Comanches; and Leading Bear the Kiowa-Apaches. The Kiowas had the scalps with them. High-Back Wolf said they did not want them-it would "only make bad feeling" and disturbs the new peace. Then he called his people to present gifts. Dohasan stood and said:
 We all of us have many horses; as many as we need; we do not wish to accept any horses as presents but we shall be glad to receive any other gifts. Kiowas Comanches Apaches and we have made a road to give many horses to you when we all come here.

Many gifts were given to the delegation. Yellow Boy son of Yellow Hair was almost covered, as the blankets piled up about him. Then the guests were taken to a lodge and served a feast. Dohasan told the Cheyenne Chiefs to choose a place for the meeting of their tribes—a wide place because there would be many horses. The Cheyennes chose a spot below Bent's Fort for the meeting. Dohasan said now, my friends, tomorrow I want you all, even the women and children to cross over to our camp and sit in a long row. Let all come on foot; for they will return on horseback. The next day all waded the river and sat in rows, men in front, women and children behind them. Satank, with a big bundle of sticks, started down the row and gave a stick to each one. Dohasan told them to keep the sticks and they would get horses for them. All the Kiowas gave horses, Satank was said to have given the most horses himself. The chiefs received the most, but even the unimportant men and women got four, five or six horses each. The Cheyenne did not have rope enough to lead the horses and had to drive them off in bunches.

High-Back Wolf then invited the Kiowas, Comanches; Kiowa-Apaches to visit the Cheyennes and the Arapahos. They were told to bring their horses to carry back their gifts. The visit was made food was served and they were given guns, blanket, calico, beads, kettles and many presents. The meal they enjoyed included such civilized foods as rice dried apples, corn meal and New Orleans molasses. Then the guns were fired in the air, after which the peace pipe was smoked. After the peace was made, the people were told they could trade together.
 The peace was never broken. It was a historical one. It joined five nations. The nations acted together to form a barrier to westward pushing eastern or prairie Indians and a barrier to the northern Indians as well as a barrier to the encroaching whites.

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Estate Planning Is Topic of Seminar on Aug. 8-9

Estate taxes are a major problem for ranch owners—and their heirs. Dr. Wayne Hayenga, an Attorney with the Texas Agricultural Extension Service, will hold a Ranch Estate Planning Seminar on August 8 and 9, 1999, in conjunction with the Annual Beef Cattle Short Course. The Seminar will start at 3:00 p.m. on Sunday, August 8, and conclude at 4:00 p.m. on Monday, August 9, 1999. It will be in Room 457 of the Blocker Building on the Texas A&M University Campus.

Topics covered will include the basic tools of estate planning: Wills, Living Trusts, and Powers of Attorney. But most of the time will be spent on income and estate tax saving plans for ranching families. Irrevocable trusts, generation skipping trusts, bypass trusts, property ownership, community/separate property, special use valuation for ranches, partnerships and corporations will be discussed in the context of the gift and estate tax rules.
 Dr. Hayenga is an excellent communicator. He delivers a top notch educational program emphasizing key points with an entertaining style illustrating estate and income tax law provisions with practical examples that make learning a pleasure. His teaching makes full use of his broad background and practical experience as a farmer, banker, and lawyer.
 Registration fee is \$75.00 per person. It includes seminar materials, snacks on Sunday evening and lunch on Monday, as well as refreshment breaks. For more information, call Sharon Wehring or Dr. Wayne Hayenga at (409) 845-2226, Fax: (409) 847-9374 or e-mail: w-hayenga@tamu.edu.

Pre-Construction Meeting On Highway. 83 Project

The Texas Department of Transportation hosted a pre-construction meeting on Tuesday, June 8, 1999, at 1:00 p.m. at the Wheeler City Hall. The purpose of this meeting was to discuss the upcoming project for the rehabilitation of the existing roadway on US 83. Construction began June 9, and is south of the Hemphill County line and will go north 7 miles to the Hemphill County line.
 The \$4,000,000 contract was awarded to Jordan Paving Company of Amarillo. Construction efforts will be completed March 4, 2000, with 180 working days.
 According to Taylor Jordan, Job Superintendent, "Safety is of the utmost importance to Jordan Paving. I hope everyone will carefully observe the construction signs throughout this project."
 For more information Call Roy Wright, TxDOT Wellington Area Engineer, 806/447-5137 or Barbara Seal TxDOT Public Information Officer (940) 937-7145.

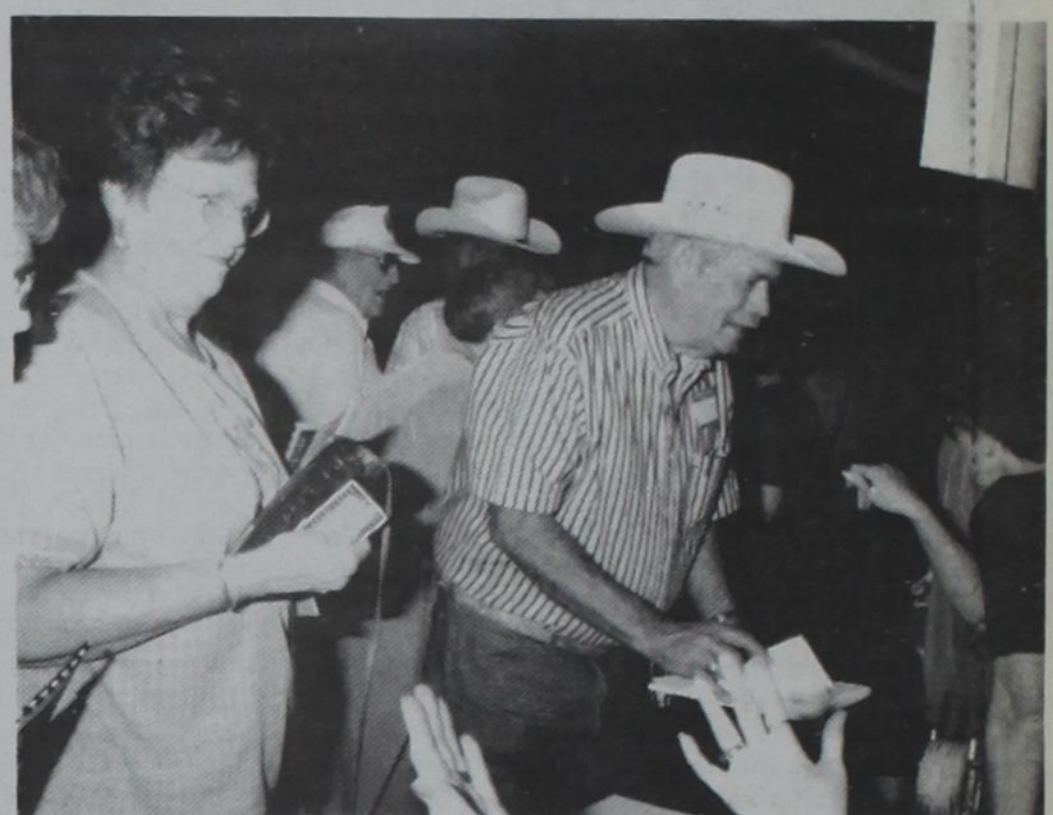
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The first Canadian in space was Marc Garneau, who flew aboard the U.S. Space shuttle in 1984.



EXES VISIT: After registration, exes gathered to visit with friends and classmates of long ago. Dorothy Holderman, class of '50, visits with Lennie Raymond, class of '50, Billie Taylor Williams, class of '51, and Leola Richardson Stuart, class of '51.



REGISTERING: Juanell Wagoner, class of '58, and J. T. Grimes, class of '55, signed the register at the 1999 Ex-Student, Teacher Reunion Saturday, June 12.



GREATEST DISTANCE: Amy Lewis of Toronto, Canada, traveled 1400 miles to attend the 1999 Ex-Student, Teacher Reunion Saturday, June 12. She was presented a plaque by Emcee Bob Stiles.

Monty Joe Dukes, Courtney Girdley Enroll
 At the clinics, students spend the day on the Southwestern campus, meet individually with academic advisors and enroll in classes for the 1999 fall semester. The students, along with parents, hear presentations about services and activities at SWOSU.
 People have used petroleum for thousands of years. The Bible mentions that Noah used a solid form of petroleum, called pitch, in building the ark.
 Australian children sometimes make pets of kangaroos.

Wheeler Church of Christ

Congregational Concerns:
 At the conclusion of the morning worship service on this coming Sunday, June 20th, a fellowship luncheon will be held in the multi-purpose building. This fellowship luncheon will be a "Hamburger Cook-out". The church will provide the hamburger meat, buns, and drinks.
 Following this luncheon, the evening worship service will be held. During this worship service, Craig Howard, the executive director of High Plains Children's Home in Amarillo, will be the guest speaker. The 6:00 p.m. worship service will not be held.
 This congregation recently received a thank-you note from Tucker Long. This thank-you note, which expresses appreciation for the Senior Supper, is posted on the bulletin board in the lobby. The latest mission report from India is posted on the bulletin board in the lobby. This report was prepared by Ron Clayton, a former minister of this congregation.

From The Minister's Desk:
 I recently read a church newsletter that contained a statement that said: "Faith with works is a force. Faith without works is a farce."
 However, the Bible does not say that faith "—without works is a farce." Rather the Bible says that "—faith without works is dead."
 James 2:24-26 says: "You see that a man is justified by works, and not by faith alone. And in the same way was not Rehab the harlot also justified by works, when she received the messengers and sent them out by another way? For just as the body without the spirit is dead so also faith without works is dead."
**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.

First Baptist Church Group Makes Trips

"On the Road Again"
 Golden Agers, First Baptist Church of Wheeler, took to the road April 26, to Elk City's Red Carpet Theatre. There they saw the play "You can't Take It With You".
 This is the Theatre's 34th season. The Golden Agers group have attended the plays four or five years. They have attended the presentations of such plays as "Father of the Bride", "The Diary of Anne Frank", "The Sound of Music", "On Golden Pond" and "Arsenic and Old Lace".
 Golden Agers and friends making the trip were Betty Howard, Ed and Laurel Hershman, Marie Baker, Bill and Nema Stewart, Marie Gudge, Lois Meadows, Nova Powledge, Doris Finsterwald, Mary Margaret Dodd and Veal Fillingim.
"And Again"
 Golden Agers, First Baptist Church of Wheeler traveled to Pampa Monday evening, June 14, to a program at Hobart Baptist Church.
 The traveling ensemble of Singing

Seniors from FBC, Wimborsbo, Texas, presented a program of Gospel songs and a humorous and interesting display of weight lifting.
 Fred Mullin, world renowned Olympic weight lifter was featured in the program. He was a silver medalist in the 1956 Olympics and a bronze medalist in the 1960 Olympics. In 1997, when Fred was 67 years old, he set the world record for dead lift and the national and world records in bench press, squat and total lift for his age and weight.
 Bubba Von Heavy Bottom and Philpot Von Big Pot, two 'wanna-be' weight lifters also gave humorous demonstrations.
 Featured also were Mrs. M. B. Smith singing and Bro. M. B. Smith playing his French Harp.
 Those aboard the van were Betty Howard, Marie Baker, Bill and Nema Stewart, Mae Brazeal and Joyce Perkins.

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