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Single Copy 40c "Wheeler, town of friendship and pride." THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 9, 1999

# By Louis C. Stas

Way to go, Mustangs and Cougars!

-cwe-Wheeler won over Wichita Falls JV 51-13. -cwe-

Ft. Elliott's game with Lefors went into overtime; the final score was Cougars, 48-Lefors, 46.

-cwe-Wheeler County's Class 1A and Six-Man Teams' players made 'Player of the Week' in the Amarillo Daily News. Congratulations, Caleb Finsterwald and Curt Smith.

-cwe-What a surprise to return home Monday afternoon and find we had received 0.94 inches of rain. I thought we had been missed and there were no mud puddles.

-cwe-Reports from over the county range from a sprinkle to over 2 inches.

-cwe-Don't forget the tour of the Area Battle Grounds, which takes place

Saturday. The tour begins at 10:00 A.M. at the Old Mobeetie Jail. -cwe-Student parents are also reminded

of the orientation and open house at Wheeler School Tuesday.

-cwe-This has been a short week, with the Monday holiday; if you get your paper, evidently we got it all done.

-cwe-We received word last week that we will be losing our right hand man at

# **MUSTANGS TRAMPLE WICHITA FALLS JV, 51-13**

Wheeler Mustangs begin the 1999 season Thursday night at Nicholson field as they hosted the Wichita Falls High School JV team.

Wheeler would win the toss and defer to the second half thus deciding to kick off to Wichita Falls to open the game.

On Wichita Falls second offensive play Brett Goad causes a fumble, Caleb Finsterwald recovers it, setting up the Mustangs deep in Wichita Falls territory. The offense takes the field and it takes them two plays to score. Caleb Finsterwald scored from nine yards out over left tackle. Ben Dollar's kick is good and the Mustangs take an early 7-0 lead.



In on the stop of a Wichita Falls Coyote is Bret Goad, #52. Kyle Masters, #88, is ready to do his part to stop the Coyote gain.

Mustang defense again plays well as they hold Wichita Falls offense and force a punt. Mustangs will take over but an apparent touchdown by the Mustangs on a pass completion from Brooks Brown to Kyle Masters. The touchdown was called back due to a yellow flag this would be one of those penalties that the Mustangs could not overcome and would have to put the ball away. The Mustangs got the ball back right before the end of the first quarter and it would only take the Mustangs one offensive play for Brooks Brown to run a boot leg around the left end for 31 yards to pay dirt as the Mustangs take a 13-0 lead at the end of the first quarter, the kick failed on this attempt.

Three pocessions later the Mustang offense gets rolling again as Casey Childress goes over for three yards out, this drive was highlighted by a pass from Brooks Brown to Kyle Masters and a face mask penalty that was tacked on at the end of that play. The extra point attempt failed as the Mustangs would take a lead of 19-0 with 4:54 left in the second quarter.

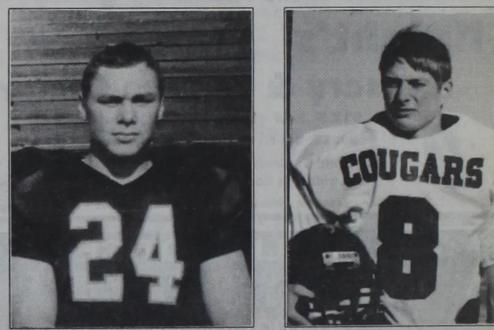
The Mustangs get another oppurtunity to score in the second quarter as Brooks Brown goes in for 21 yards out this TD coming after the Mustang defense had caused a fumble and Casey Childress recovered that fumble thus lying the Mustang offense to get in gear and letting Brown score. Again the extra point

failed and the Mustangs 25-0 lead with 3:24 left in the second quarter.

Mustang defense would again turn the ball over to the offense this time deep inside the Wichita Falls territory on the 25 yard line as time expired Brooks Brown hit Caleb Finsterwald for a 6 yard TD pass, yet again the extra point failed and Mustangs would take a half time lead of 31-0.

The second half the Mustangs would come out and receive the opening kick off. A couple of penalties would stop the drive forcing us to punt. In Wheeler's second offensive position the ball is striped away from Brooks Brown as he attempts to make a pass and this would be one of the bright spots for Wichita Falls as Chris Sulek would catch a 21 yard pass on Wichita Falls next offensive pocession after the Mustangs fumble, making the score 31-7, with 5:17 left in the third quarter.

Not to be out done the Mustangs come on back on the next offensive position as the offensive line opens huge holes for the running backs Finsterwald, Childress, and Brown.



As they march down the field, Casey gets the three yard touch down run. Ben Dollar kicks the extra point and the Mustangs up their lead again to 38-7, with 3:01 in the third quarter.

Wichita Falls would come right back though as they drive the ball down the field, this time former Wellington stand out, Landon Shrubs, who was transfered to Wichita Falls, scores from 32 yards out. Wichita Falls kick fails, and the Mustangs lead has been cut 38-13, with 11:51 left in the fourth quarter.

Not to be out done the Mustangs take over on their next pocession and in one play Caleb Finsterwald goes 68 yards up the middle and again Mustangs failed to convert over the extra point. They would regain a 6 points lost previously as they took a 44-13 lead, with 11:34 left in the fourth quarter. To round out the scoring Micheal Hawks would make his first TD for the year on a four yard run, Ben Dollar's kick was good and the score climbed 51-13, with 4:22 left in the fourth quarter.

tion 20 yards for a touchdown. His TD

passes covered 4, 37, 13, 4, 30 and 4

yards. Defensively, he also had 17

tackles (six unassisted and 11 as-

Cougars coach Curtis Smith said,

"This was Curt's best game as he

played every offensive and defensive

play because of injuries to Nathan

Hefley (second quarter) and Clay

Zybach. "Curt had to step up and lead

the younger players, and he did."

**Class1A Honorable Mention** 

In addition to Finsterwald's big

night, Wheeler also had two other

backs go over 100 yards. Casey

Childress ran for 120 yards and two

touchdowns and quarterback Brooks

Brown gained 104 yards and scored

twice. Defensively Ben Dollar made

five solo tackles and 10 assists,

knocked down a pass and had one

tackle for a loss. Kelby Ledbetter made

four solo tackles and had 10 assists.

C. J. Bryant rushed 12 times for 64

yards, caught six passes for 80 yards

and two touchdowns, caught the

game-winning PAT pass in overtime

and had eight tackles in the Cougars'

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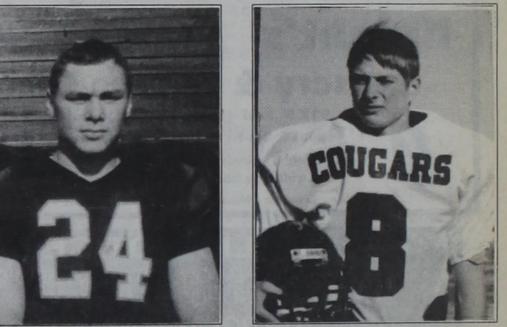
48-46 win over Lefors.

Amarillo Daily News)

Fort Elliott sophomore running back

Six-Man Honorable Mention

Comments made by third-year



the Times office. Kenneth and family will be moving to the Dallas area for a better job.

-cwe-The 40th anniversary of mine and Bob's 40th Wedding Anniversary was Saturday. She was in Lovelady and I was in Hinton. Happy Anniversary,

Bob. -cwe-We just had three possible rides to the Houston area this past weekend. She went with William and his mother and got to see Dorcie, Cathi, Guy and

-cwe-

Pipp.

I on the other hand stayed in Oklahoma to attend the 50th Wedding Anniversary of a cousin in Maud, OK.

-cwe-You probably didn't even know there was a Maud, Ok. I had been there once and should have studied the map a little before I headed out. I had to back track a little bit, but I was only 5 minutes late-I got there in time for the food.

-cwe-One does not go to too many 50th Wedding Anniversary where the honoree gets out on the dance floor, along with her older sister, and does the jitterbug. I am not talking about going through the motions, they danced.

#### -cwe-

Birthday greetings go to the oldest granddaughter. Jessica turns 15 on the eleventh. Happy Birthday, Jessica!

-cwe-The day before that, the son-in-law has a birthday. Happy Birthday, Guy!

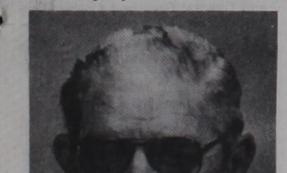
-cwe-The grandson went home from college over the holiday. Like most of the college students around here, he

did not spend too much time at home. -cwe-

Jennifer and Brice were in Branson on vacation, so we did not see them this past weekend.

-cwe-No, the holiday did not keep us from playing cards Monday evening. We had six around the table. Jane, Bob and Mike did manage to win the first game by a very wide marginthe only game they won. The winning team consisted of Barbara, Dwight and I.

-cwe-Happy Birthday, Virgil! We will be thinking of you.



It got to be a wild six-man game for Fort Elliott and Lefors Friday night.

When it was all over, Fort Elliott came away with a 48-46 overtime victory.

# **Beef Producers Invited To Production Meeting**

All beef cattle producers and other interested people are invited to a Beef Cattle Production Meeting Tuesday, September 14, 1999. The meeting will begin at 6:30 p.m. in the Church of Christ multi-purpose room in Wheeler.

Those planning to attend are asked to make meals reservations by 12:00 noon Friday, September 10. The meal is being sponsored by Evergreen Feeds.

This meeting is the fourth in a series of four beef cattle meetings sponsored by county Extension agents in Wheeler, Gray, Carson, and Roberts Counties. During the meeting Martha Edwards of the Texas Department of Agriculture will explain the laws and regulations affecting pesticide appli-cation. Also, C. E. Williams, general manager of the Panhandle Ground Water Conservation District, will discuss protecting ground water resources, rainfall enhancement and the Regional Water Plan. Dr. Ted McCollum, Extension Beef Cattle Specialist, will show how to use grazing management to control weeds and brush.

Those attending the meeting will receive 2.5 continuing education units (CEUs) toward the renewal of their Private, Non-Commercial, Commercial Pesticide Applicators License.

# Range, Pasture Tour To Be Held Thurs., Sept. 30

The annual Range and Pasture Tour will be held Thursday, September 30 on Sweetwater Creek Farms near Mobeetie. We will leave from the north side of the courthouse at 9:00 a.m. and meet at the entrance to Joe VanZandt's home place at 9:15 a.m. This is located 5.5 miles west of Wheeleror 4.5 miles east of Mobeetie at the twin mailboxes.

Tour stops will focus on the encroachment of brush and trees if left untreated and effective brush control methods. Joe VanZandt, owner of Sweetwater Creek Farms, will discuss his brush control program and show the results of his efforts. VanZandt and J. F. Cadenhead, Extension Range and Brush Control Specialist, will discuss brush control programs. Cadenhead will demonstrate basal stem treatment and discuss herbicide safety.

Notify me by Monday, September

27 if you plan to attend. A meal will be

furnished by Joe VanZandt. Partici-

Let me know if you have any ques-

Joe Don King

pants will receive two CEUs.

tions.

Fort Elliott guarterback Curt Smith and Lefors back Michael Steele were the game's offensive stars.

Smith threw for six touchdowns and 220 yards while Steele rushed for 202 yards and five TDs.

Lefors scored in the overtime on Steele's 4-yard run, but the extra point kick failed. Smith and C. J. Bryant then hooked up on a 4-yard scoring pass and Smith kicked the PAT for the two-point margin of victory.

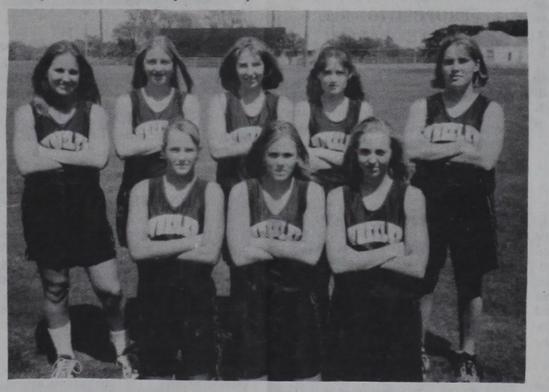
Bryant, Nathan Hefley and Clay

Zybach each caught two touchdown passes from Smith. Smith also returned an interception 20 yards for a touchdown.

Caleb Barnes had two touchdown runs for Lefors.

Fort Elliott had what appeared to be a comfortable 34-14 lead at halftime, but Lefors rallied for 26 points in the second half.

(This article was taken from the Amarillo Daily News)



Wheeler Lady Mustangs Cross Country Team: The cross country team has been working very hard to improve their times and endurence. The team consists of the eight girls pictured here: (I. to r.) Keri Marion, Cassi Brown, J.J. Johnson, Lyndi Finsterwald, Rebekah Morrison, Amy Osborn, Taylor Hudgins, and Brooke Verden. The first meet will be Saturday, September 11 at Perryton.

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1999 Sc	hedule
September 11	Perryton
September 18	White Deer
September 25	
October 2	Wheeler
October 9	Shamrock
October 16	Wellington
October 25	District
lovember 6	Regional
lovember 13	State

# **Open House, Orientation** At Wheeler Sept. 14

Wheeler Elementary and Junior High teachers would like to invite all parents to attend school orientation on Tuesday, September 14. Mr. Rives will begin the evening at 6:30 by discussing several New School Policies in the school auditorium.

Immediately afterwards, All Parents are encouraged to meet and visit with their children's teachers. This is an important opportunity to learn first hand what will be expected prayer. Beth (Mrs. J. W.) Turner was thanked for doing all of the table decorations. Maurita Stribling gave the nomination committee report of officers for next year. The new officers will be President Mary Louise Bailey, Vice President Sue Harrison, Secretary Helen Mixon and Treasurer Melba Darnell.

The Ex-Students donation of \$350.00 to the Cemetery Association toward the purchase of a new lawn mower for the cemetery.

Ex-Teachers present were Dorothy Burton Chase and Charlsey Witt Scribner.

Classes were knowledge next the class of 1939 had two present Elbert

**Curt Smith** Caleb Finsterwald **Caleb Finsterwald, Curt Smith Named Amarillo Daily News Players of the Week** 

sisted).

Named as Class 1A player of the week in the Amarillo Daily News was Wheeler Mustang Caleb Finsterwald, running back/defensive back. Caleb, a junior, took advantage of some wideopen spaces created by the Mustangs line to help Wheeler to a 51-13 win against the Wichita Falls JV Finsterwald ran 10 times for 160 yards and two touchdowns. He also caught a scoring pass and played well on defense, according to coaches. Finsterwald scored the Mustangs' first touchdown of the season on a 9-yard run. Then he caught a 6-yard pass from Brooks Brown for another score. He ended his evening with a 68-yard scamper through the middle.

Comments made by Wheeler assistant coach Kenny Rutherford said, "Caleb does a great job for us". "He works hard and he runs hard. He has nice size and he has tremendous speed, especially for a guy that big."

Named as Six Man player of the week in the Amarillo Daily News was Ft. Elliott Cougar Curt Smith, quarterback/safety. Curt, a senior, had a hand in scoring all of Fort Elliott's points in a 48-46 overtime victory against Lefors. He completed 20 of 34 passes for 265 yards and six touchdowns, kicked two PATS, three two successful conversion passes to C. J. Bryant and returned an intercep-

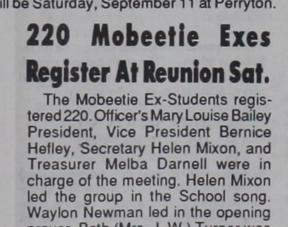
# **575 Register at Old Settlers' Reunion**

dent, Bill Ridgway Secretary and Treasurer.

# Winners Named In 22nd **Annual Mobeetie Parade**

The 22nd Mobeetie Parade was held Saturday morning. Paul Hathaway was emcee. Katie Shipp entrained the crowd with three songs before the parade started. Carol Ann Aycock presented the American flag on horseback while Katie sung the Star Spangle Banner. Judges for the event was Judge Jerry Dan Hefley, Mayor Wanda Herd, and Donna Velasquez all of Wheeler.

The Wheeler Sheriff in the K-9 Car led off the parade followed by the



The old settler's reunion had about 575 to registrar. Chuck Hogan served as MC. Marion Grimes of Mobeetie-Wheeler Dixie Sims, J. B. Duckworth and Vernon Campof Lefors and Dean Boyd of Pampa furnished music. Some of the ones singing were Andy Finsterwald, Charles Mixon, Marion Grimes, Dixie Sims, Brittany Mick and Jackie Dukes.

Chuck introduced Sasha Glonti of Russia and Nicole Engle of Germany. Sasha is a college student in West Texas A & M in Canyon. She was an exchange student at Fort Elliott CISD in 1998. Nicole was visiting with Brent Lee and Leo and Sylvia Shuler of

> Wheeler. Some of the events for the day were a cake and pie auction held by the Fort Elliott Booster Club. The se-

HONOREE: Virgil Jamison will celebrate his 80th Birthday on Saturday, September 11, 1999 at the Wheeler First United Methodist Church from 3:00 pm - 5:00 pm in the church atrium.

County Extension Agent Agriculture Go Mustangs! Cougars!

of every student and see what a great beginning your students have experienced. We look forward to seeing you there!

**Allison Board Meetings** Allison ISD's Board of Trustees will have two special board meetings on Monday, September 13, 1999 in the Board Room. The first meeting will begin at 7:00 PM. This meeting will be held to discuss the budget and proposed tax rate. The second meeting will begin at 7:30 PM. The purpose of the second meeting is to adopt the tax rate.

Lee Seitz and Charles Mixon. The Class of 1959 was next with Laura Lancaster Watts, Aaron Lancaster and Richard Dickey. Class of 1969 was Mary Johnston Chesher.

Class of 1979 had none present. Class of 1989 was Scott Corcoran, Greg Langley, Deanna Smith Vandever, and Beth Wilson. Class of 1949 told some of their history. Arthur Seitz was spokesman. Those from the class present were Arthur Seitz, Bill Alexander, Patsy Barker Stalcup, Douglas Corse, Walden Haynes, Walter Hill, Edwin Hogan, Doris (Continued Page 8)

nior class sold drinks and the junior class sold homemade ice cream. The Old Settlers group served a free barbecue lunch. Pierce Walker, age 91, was the oldest resident that was born here, grew up here, and stili lived here. He received a plaque. The Oldest Women in attendance plaque went to Margaret Trout age 90 from Pampa. The Oldest Man plaque went to Doc Eckles of Canadian. He was 93. When it came time to give the

plaque for the farthest traveled Eulis England of Conway, Arkansas came forward and received it. New officers for next year are Dean Hathaway President, Dale Hathaway Vice Presi-

DARE police van. Joe Shelton carried the American flag with Joe Kelley carrying the Texas flag followed them. The Mobeetie Fire Department Unit #43 was followed by the all terrain fire truck that the fire department is working and getting ready to go into service was next. The Old Settlers Float followed this with Hugh and Mae Bailey, Wanda Stinger, LaRue Pierce, Byron Simpson, Chuck Hogan and Pierce Walker was next.

Then the division followed them Division 1 was Birth through 5th grade costumes. Winners were 1st place Jayton, Garrett, and Jarrett Childress (Continued Page 4)



Colossians 3:12,13 Since you have been chosen by God who has given you this now kind of life, and because of his deep love and concern for you,



you should practice tenderhearted mercy and kindness to others. Be gentle and ready to forgive; never hold grudges. Remember, the Lord forgave you, so you must forgive oth-

Happy Birthday to Vera Murphy, Gayla Hathaway, Jenny Walker and John Jones on Sept. 13, Ty Ferguson on Sept. 14, Joan and Jessica Brown and Linda Sides on Sept. 15, Thad Green and Greg Carey on Sept. 16, Savannah Shipp and Dale Stinnett on Sept. 17 Deraduh Weldon and Barbara Meadows on Sept. 18, Debbie Kinnaman, Pat Graham, Stacie Fitzer and Eldon Van Hooser on Sept. 19.

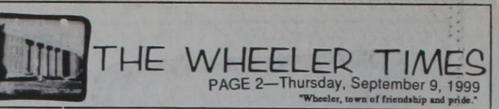
Happy Anniversary to Cliff and Dorothy Walker on Sept. 13. Dean and Shannon Meadows and Horace and Juanita Fillingim on Sept. 19.

Al and Sharon Ryan and children didn't get to come to see us after all or go to Coates reunion because of his work with computers at a bank in Tulsa. Sorry!

So we went to the parade at Mobeetie. It was fun to see all the little kids of all sizes in kiddie cars, wagons, on skates, in strollers. Many beautiful horses and riders: 2 big trucks with lovely horns; two Wheeler



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County deputies driving the K-9 car with dog and the DARE van; many from Pampa and Ex-students, on floats (truck beds); Fort Elliott students of all ages, cheerleaders, athletes, F.F.A. and many more, and lots of candy thrown and picked up.

Fort Elliott High School football team played at Lefors Friday night in a close game, winning 48 to 46 in overtime. Nathan Hefley and Clay Zybach suffered bruised cartilage in a knee. Hopefully they will be O.K. soon. Fort Elliott Homecoming will be Friday night Sept. 17 at Briscoe at the game with Vernon Northside 7:30. F.F.A. Boosters will be serving a pileon supper before the game, starting about 6:00 p.m.

We've lost so many loved ones, and many more are struggling through their last days. This poem submitted by Oleta Rogers is comforting. "Safely Home"

"I am home in heaven, dear ones;

Oh, so happy and so bright! There is perfect joy and beauty In this everlasting light. All the pain and grief is over, Every restless tossing passed; I am now at peace forever, Safely home in Heaven at last. Jesus came himself to meet me In that way so hard to tread; And with Jesus arm to lean on, Could I have one doubt or dread?"

Fort Elliott High School Varsity Football team will play at Higgins Friday night Sept. 10 at 7:30. Good Luck!

Nice to see Bobby Helton from Odessa out to the parade Saturday. His wife Lavada (Hogan) was on a float as an Ex-Student. Bobby is the son of Tom and Alice Bell.

Bobby Helton went all through school at Briscoe. A fine young man. He spent many years as administrator in Military hospitals. He is still working at Texas Tech over the three medical fields, but I can't remember just what. Pray for Bobby and Lavada. She has serious diabetic problems. Bobby was out to Old Settlers with Tom and Alice Bell. Bobby still looks a lot like the little boy I taught in third grade with a sweet spirit.

(From Miami) Shellie (Ogle) Johnson and Tanner visited her mom, Bea and Mike Burkett at Conyers, Georgia over the holidays. Shellie's husband, Jeremy had to work.

Mabel Parkers's family got together at her house Saturday and Sunday. Some there were James and Mardi Ogle. Bill and Neta Aught, Ray Aught, Cliff and Dorothy Ogle, Kevin and June Sheffield and others.

Larry Nelson was off work a few days with kidney stone problems. Hope all O.K. Pray for him and Vickie.

Pray also for Thomas (Tooter) Helton - having some health problems.

Nice to have Verline Currie join us for lunch at Furrs Wednesday and a good visit. She and Ray plan to visit daughter Tina Currie and Trai and Madison down near Austin over the Labor Day Holiday.

Congratulations to Morris and Jeannette Jahnel of Canadian on the birth of their new baby girl, Deseray Marie, at Shattuck, Oklahoma Tuesday, Aug. 30 and weighing 8 pounds and 2 ounces and 19 1/2 inches long. A fine birthday gift for great-grandpa Verneal Prater. They will be staying with Verneal and Juanita and Mary Lou Carter for awhile. Morris works for King Well Service. Deseray is welcome by big brothers, Carl Lee Jahnel. Best Wishes! Pray for Virginia Miller. Sorry to hear she has a broken hip and is in Amarillo. She had a fall when she got up to walk. Willis and I went to see E. G. Fillingim Saturday afternoon. However, he was at the dining table and didn't feel much like visiting. Willis played his harmonica a little for him and others. We ate at the Canadian Dairy Queen and visited with some of the lovely ladies there. There must have been a dozen or more widows that drifted in to visit and eat, no hurry. Great place to meet. Some there we're Arlene Hext (Mrs. W.R.), Agnes Adams, Mary Jo Zenor, Lois Flowers, Marie Miller, Anna Shiry, Betty Hobdy, Frances Newell, Irene Sparks. Nice to have Dan and Caroline Cornett meet us for lunch at Maxeys Sunday and a good visit. Dan is County Agent in Hemphill County, working with 4-H and FFA at Stock Shows. Caroline is a realtor. Saturday, Sept. 11 is the Fort Elliott volleyball tournament at Briscoe with our J.V. and Varsity teams playing, San Jacinto J.V. and varsity, Dumas J.V., Trinity, Fritch J.V. and varsity. Starts at 8:00 A.M. Good concessions. Ya'll come! Joey and Risa Keelin and Matt left Friday morning after spending a week's vacation here with Rosalie Keelin and others. They were going by Goldthwaite to visit Tammy and James Cobey and Shelby. Risa spent several days with Sammie and Darville Atherton and Mickey to helpout. Wednesday night Rosalie and Joey Keelin visited at the Athertons. Thursday night Joey and Rosalie ate a delicious supper at Gene and Norma Keelins and family. Pray for Sammie and Darville. Carrol and JoAnn Lackey from Abilene and Joe Lackey from Amarillo were weekend visitors to their sister, Rita and Dave Pearson and their mom, Nellie Lackey Donald Hill preached at Briscoe Community Church Sunday and brought Ben with him. He is a good preacher and will preach next Sunday Sept. 12 at Briscoe. Everyone invited for Sunday School at 10:00 and preaching at 11:00. Saturday, Shawn and Amy Everett and Dakota, Codi and Colton from San Antonio came to visit grandparents, J. P. and Martha Meek. Nice to (Continued Page 8)

PUBLIC NOTICE BRIEF EXPLANATORY STATEMENTS OF PROPOSED CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENTS Special Election **NOVEMBER 2, 1999** 

# **PROPOSITION NO. 1 ON THE BALLOT**

HJR 44 - HJR 44 proposes a constitutional amendment that would ensure a clear succession in event of vacancies in the offices of Governor and Lieutenant Governor. Specifically, the amendment would provide that if after qualifying for the office, the Governor is temporarily unable to serve, the Lieutenant Governor shall act as Governor until the Governor is able to serve; but if the Governor is permanently unable to serve, the Lieutenant Governor shall become the Governor for the remainder of the unexpired term. The amendment would require a Lieutenant Governor who becomes Governor to forfeit the office of Lieutenant Governor. The amendment would also provide similar succession procedures when a vacancy occurs in the office of Governor before the newly elected Governor qualifies for office, and when the newly elected Governor is temporarily unable to take office. The amendment also would provide that if there is a temporary vacancy in the office of Lieutenant Governor, the President pro tempore of the Senate will fill the position; but if there is a permanent vacancy in the office of Lieutenant Governor, the President pro tempore of the Senate shall serve as Lieutenant Governor only until such time as the whole senate can convene to elect one of its members to perform the duties of Lieutenant Governor. Finally, the amendment would provide that if the Lieutenant Governor, while temporarily exercising the powers of the Governor, becomes temporarily disabled or unable to serve, the President pro tempore of the senate shall exercise the powers and authority of the office of the Governor until such time as the Governor or Lieutenant Governor reassumes those powers and duties.

The proposed amendment will appear on the ballot as follows: "The constitutional amendment to revise the provisions for the filling of a vacancy in the office of governor or lieutenant governor."

# **PROPOSITION NO. 2 ON THE BALLOT**

SJR 12 - SJR 12 proposes a constitutional amendment that would resolve conflicts between the Texas Constitution and federal law relating to the definition, rules, and procedures of reverse mortgages. The amendment would define "reverse mortgage" in part as an extension of credit made against the homestead of a person who is 62 years or older, or whose spouse is 62 years or older. It would expand the list of circumstances under which payment of principal and interest become due and the procedures involved in foreclosure, and would require certain advances to be made according to specific terms in loan documents, including advances by the lender, on behalf of the borrower for payments necessary to protect the lender's interest. Finally, the amendment would require the Texas Supreme Court to promulgate rules of civil procedure expediting court-ordered foreclosures of reverse mortgage liens.

amendment that would simplify and clarify the language of the Texas Constitution. The amendment would make no substantive changes, but would eliminate duplicative, expired, out-of-date, and ineffective terms.

The proposed amendment will appear on the ballot as follows: "The constitutional amendment to eliminate duplicative, executed, obsolete, archaic, and ineffective provisions of the Texas Constitution.

## **PROPOSITION NO. 4 ON THE BALLOT**

HJR 4 - HJR 4 proposes a constitutional amendment that would broaden the definition of charitable organizations. The amendment would exempt from ad valorem taxation the property of any organization engaged primarily in public charitable functions, and it would allow such an organization to conduct additional activities to support its charitable functions.

The proposed amendment will appear on the ballot as follows: "The constitutional amendment to authorize the legislature to exempt property owned by institutions engaged primarily in public charitable functions from ad valorem taxation.

# **PROPOSITION NO. 5 ON THE BALLOT**

SJR 26 - SJR 26 proposes an amendment that would remove the restriction prohibiting state employees who receive all or part of their compensation from the state from serving as members of a governing body of a school district, city, town, or other local governmental district unless the state employee receives no salary for such service. The amendment would allow state employees to receive compensation from the governing bodies of which they are members.

The proposed amendment will appear on the ballot as follows: "The constitutional amendment allowing state employees to receive compensation for serving as a member of a governing body of a school district, city, town, or other local governmental district."

## **PROPOSITION NO. 6 ON THE BALLOT**

SJR 22 - SJR 22 proposes a constitutional amendment that would increase the maximum size of an urban homestead, which is a homestead in a city, town, or village, from one acre to ten acres and require the urban homestead to be composed of either a single lot or several lots that are adjacent to one another. The amendment also would provide that the urban homestead must be used as a home or as both a home and place of business, whereas current law does not require that an urban homestead that is used as a place of business be used also as a home.

proposed amendment would clarify current law by specifically allowing home equity loans on all or part of urban homesteads of up to ten acres and subject such loans to the same requirement that the refinanced or new loan not overburden the homestead.

The proposed amendment will appear on the ballot as follows: "The constitutional amendment increasing the maximum size of an urban homestead to 10 acres, prescribing permissible uses of urban homesteads, and preventing the overburdening of a homestead."

# **PROPOSITION NO. 7 ON THE BALLOT**

HJR 16 - HJR 16 proposes a constitutional amendment that would provide that if an employee is delinquent in paying court-ordered spousal maintenance, a portion of that employee's wages may be withheld to pay the spousal maintenance. Current law allows such withholding, or garnishment, only for payment of delinquent court-ordered child support.

The proposed amendment will appear on the ballot as follows: "The constitutional amendment authorizing garnishment of wages for the enforcement of court-ordered spousal maintenance.

# **PROPOSITION NO. 8 ON THE BALLOT**

HJR 95 - HJR 95 proposes a constitutional amendment that would provide that the adjutant general, who is appointed by the Governor and who serves as the governing officer of the state military forces, serves as long as the Governor wishes the appointed person to serve in that capacity rather than serving a specific two-year term set by the legislature.

The proposed amendment will appear on the ballot as follows: "The constitutional amendment to provide that the adjutant general serves at the pleasure of the governor.

# **PROPOSITION NO. 9 ON THE BALLOT**

SJR 10 - SJR 10 proposes a constitutional amendment that would authorize the legislature to create a judicial compensation committee to make recommendations for salaries for the justices and judges of the Supreme Court, the Court of Criminal Appeals, the Courts of Appeals, and the District Courts. The amendment would mandate that the recommendations become law if neither the Senate nor the House of Representatives rejects them by majority vote.

The proposed amendment will appear on the ballot as follows: "The constitutional amendment authorizing the legislature to create a judicial compensation commission.

# **PROPOSITION NO. 10 ON THE BALLOT**

HJR 74 - HJR 74 proposes a constitutional amendment that would provide that the commissioner of health and human services, who is appointed by the Governor, serves as long as the Governor wishes the appointed person to serve in that capacity rather than serving a specific two-year term set by the legislature.

spend public funds or extend credit to pur- members." chase nonassessable property or casualty insurance from a mutual insurance company authorized to do business in Texas. Under current law, a political subdivision is generally prohibited from spending public funds or extending credit to become a stockholder in a corporation but is permitted to purchase nonassessable life, health or accident insurance policies from a mutual insurance company authorized to do business in Texas. This amendment would authorize a political subdivision to also obtain non-assessable prop-

The proposed amendment will appear on the ballot as follows: "The constitutional amendment permitting a political subdivision to purchase nonassessable property and casualty insurance from an authorized mutual insurance company in the same manner that the political subdivision purchases life, health, and accident insurance.

erty and casualty insurance from such a com-

pany.

# **PROPOSITION NO. 12 ON THE BALLOT**

SJR 21 - SJR 21 proposes a constitutional amendment that would exempt from ad valorem taxation a leased motor vehicle that is not used by the lessee primarily to produce income. The amendment would provide that the legislature also may limit the ability of a political subdivision to subject such a vehicle to taxation.

The proposed amendment will appear on the ballot as follows: "The constitutional amendment to authorize the legislature to exempt from ad valorem taxation leased motor vehicles not held by the lessee primarily to produce income.

# **PROPOSITION NO. 13 ON THE BALLOT**

SJR 16 - SJR 16 proposes a constitutional amendment that would authorize the legislature to allow the Texas Higher Education Coordinating Board to issue and sell general obligation bonds in an amount not to exceed \$400 million in order to finance educational loans to students. The amendment also would authorize the Legislature to limit the amount of interest the bonds can bear and establish procedures for the investment of the bond proceeds. The proposed amendment would specify the method of repaying the bonds.

The proposed amendment will appear on the ballot as follows: "The constitutional amendment providing for the issuance of \$400 million in general obligation bonds to finance educational loans to students.

## **PROPOSITION NO. 14 ON THE BALLOT**

HJR 29 - HJR 29 proposes a constitutional amendment which would authorize the Legislature to require the board of regents of the state university and boards of trustees or managers of the educational, charitable, and penal institutions of the state, whose members serve six year terms, to be composed of an odd number of three or more board mempers (for example, 5, 7, or 9 members). The proposed amendment would allow approximately one-third of members of boards whose membership is not evenly divisible by three to be elected or appointed every two years. The amendment also would allow the Legislature to set the composition of constitutionally required boards, whose members serve for a term of six years, to a number divisible by three so that exactly one-third of the board members may be elected or appointed every two years.

# **PROPOSITION NO. 15 ON THE BALLOT**

HJR 36 - HJR 36 proposes a constitutional amendment that would allow spouses, by an agreement in writing, to convert all or part of their separate property into community property. Separate property is primarily the property owned or claimed by the spouse before marriage and the property acquired by the spouse during the marriage by gift or inheritance. Community property consists of the property, other than separate property, acquired by either spouse during marriage.

The proposed amendment will appear on the ballot as follows: "The constitutional amendment permitting spouses to agree to convert separate property to community property.

> **PROPOSITION NO. 16 ON THE BALLOT**

HJR 71 - HJR 71 proposes a constitutional amendment that would allow a county with a population of 50,000 or more, rather than 30,000 or more, to be divided into four to eight justice of the peace and constable precincts. The amendment also would allow a county with a population between 18,000 and 50,000 to have two to eight justice of the peace and constable precincts, rather than the current maximum of five precincts. Furthermore, the amendment would limit Randall County to not less than two and not more than six precincts. Finally, the amendment would set a minimum of four precincts for any county that as of November 2, 1999, is divided into four or more precincts.

The proposed amendment will appear on the ballot as follows: "The constitutional amendment to provide that certain counties shall be divided into a specific number of precincts.

# **PROPOSITION NO. 17 ON THE BALLOT**

HJR 58 - HJR 58 proposes a constitutional amendment which would require the board of regents of the University of Texas System to manage investments of the permanent university fund (PUF) according to the standards of a prudent investor. Generally, earnings from the PUF are distributed to the available university fund (AUF) and then ultimately distributed to the public university systems of Texas. Under the amendment, the amount distributed to the AUF would consist of distributions, as determined by the University of Texas System board of regents, from the total return on all investment assets of the PUF, instead of consisting only of the dividends, interest, and other income of the PUF minus administrative expenses. The amendment also would provide guidelines for minimum and maximum amounts to be distributed to the AUF, and require that the board of regents manage distributions to the AUF in a manner that will provide the AUF with a stable and predictable stream of annual distributions and maintain the purchasing power of the PUF investments and annual distributions to the AUF.



The proposed amendment will appear on the ballot as follows: "The constitutional amendment relating to the making of advances under a reverse mortgage and payment of a reverse mortgage.

# **PROPOSITION NO. 3 ON THE BALLOT**

HJR 62 - HJR 62 proposes a constitutional

Current law further allows a person to secure a home equity loan on their homestead, provided that the loan does not overburden the homestead. That is, the principal amount of the home equity loan, when added to the total of the outstanding principal balances of all other indebtedness secured against the homestead, does not exceed 80 percent of the fair market value of the homestead on the date the extension of credit is made. The city, town, or other political subdivision to

The proposed amendment will appear on the ballot as follows: "The constitutional amendment to provide that the commissioner of health and human services serves at the pleasure of the governor."

> **PROPOSITION NO. 11 ON THE BALLOT**

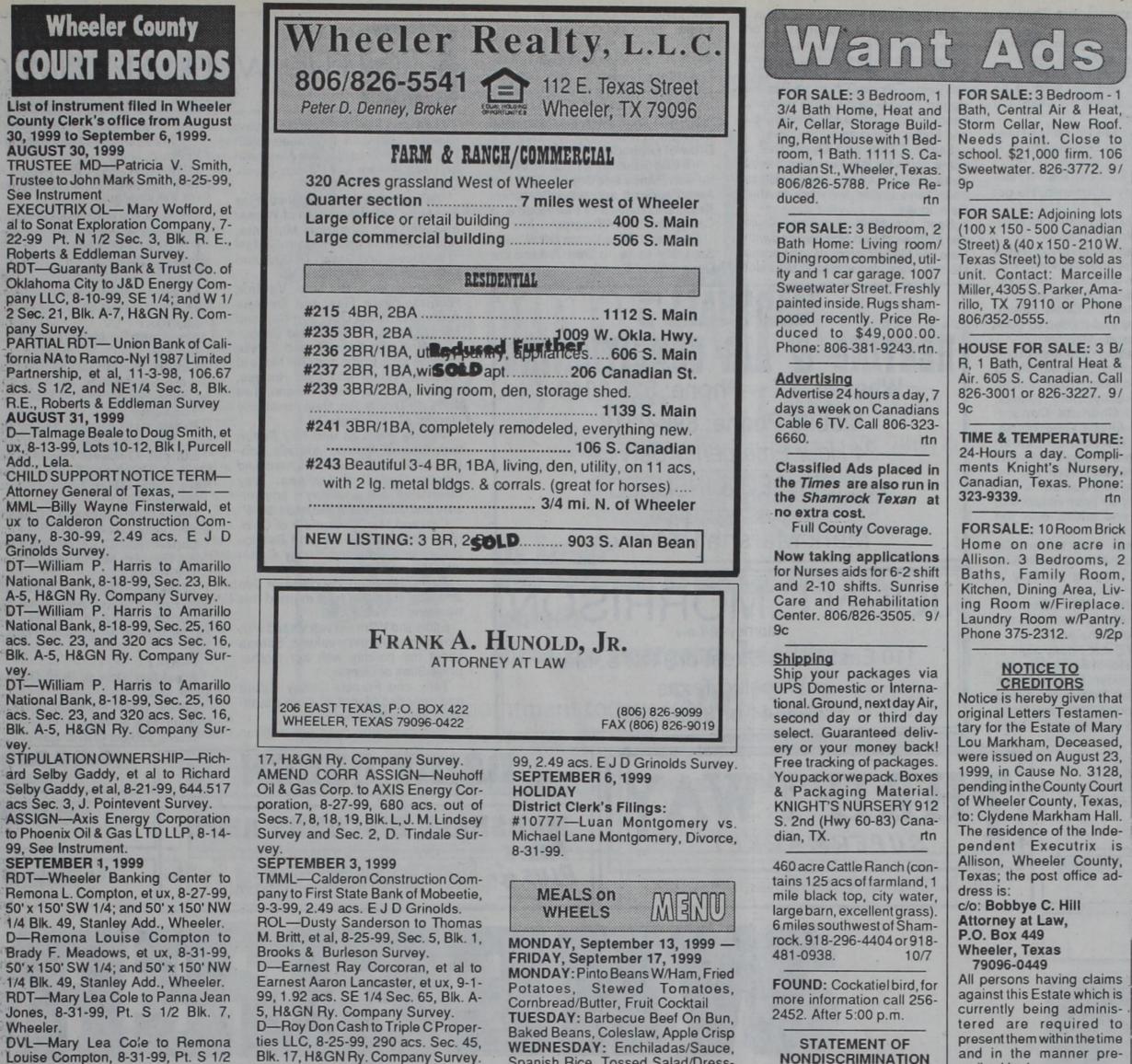
HJR 69 - HJR 69 proposes a constitutional amendment that would authorize a county,

The proposed amendment will appear on the ballot as follows: "The constitutional amendment authorizing the legislature to provide that a state board, commission, or other agency shall be governed by a board composed of an odd number of three or more

The proposed amendment will appear on the ballot as follows: "The constitutional amendment relating to the investment of the permanent university fund and the distribution from the permanent university fund to the available university fund.

Estos son los informes explanatorios sobre las enmiendas propuestas a la contitutión que aparecerán en la boleta el 2 de noviembre de 1999. Si usted no ha recibido una copia de los informes in enpañol, podrá obtener una gratis por llama al 1/800/252/8683 or por escribir al Secretario de Estado, P.O. Box 12060, Austin, Tx 78711.

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DT-Remona Louise Compton to Wheeler Banking Center, 8-31-99, Pt. S 1/2 Blk. 7, Wheeler.

D-Nicholas B. Nevarez, et ux to Daniel Garza, 8-30-99, N 1/2 Lot 1, Blk. 33. Shamrock.

CORR. ASSIGN-MCNIC Oil & Gas Properties, Inc., et al to I. Wayne Woolsey, et al, 8-11-99, See Instrument.

HOME EQUITY DT-Danny L. Hardcastle, et ux to Amarillo National Bank, 8-26-99, 1.5 acs. Sec. 51, Blk. A-8, H&GN Ry. Company Survey. HOME EQUITY AFF-Danny L. Hardcastle, et ux to Amarillo National Bank, 8-26-99, 1.5 acs. Sec. 51, Blk. A-8, H&GN Ry. Company Survey. A. of JUDG-Frances Worley Trust to James C. Fling, 9-1-99. SEPTEMBER 2, 1999

ASSIGN—Dorothy Emerson Sinnott to Pecos Bend Royalties Inc., 8-27-99, Sec. 4, Blk. 27, H&GN Ry. Company Survey and Sec. 20, Blk. 24, H&GN Ry. Company Survey. ROY D-Bryan Morgan to John David Morgan, 8-6-99, NE 1/4 Sec. 26, Blk.

PARTIAL RDT—Ag Credit of Texas, PCA to James R. Tindall, 8-15-99, E 1/2 Sec. 9 and the W 1/2 Sec. 10, Blk. A-8, H&GN Ry. Company Survey. PARTIAL RDT-AG Credit of Texas PCA to James R. Tindall, 8-15-99, E 1/2 Sec. 9, Blk. A-8, H&GN Ry. Com-

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# Parade

of Mobeetie. Second place was Chase Christy of Gruver. Third place was

# Wheeler Church of Christ

#### Congregational Concerns:

#### On this coming Saturday, September 11th, this congregation will hold its annual "clothes give-away" in the multi-purpose building. If you have some clean and wearable clothes that you would like to contribute, please put them in the multi-purpose building.

The men's monthly business meeting will be held in the multi-purpose building on this coming Monday night, September 13th. A fellowship meal will be served before this business meeting is held. This fellowship meal will be served at 7:00 p.m.

The fall lectureship of this congregation is scheduled for Saturday night, 6th, and Sunday, November 7th. The theme for this lectureship will be, "My Daily Walk With God", and the speaker with Charles Hodge.

Sympathy must be expressed to Ken Daughtry upon the death of his aunt, Anna Claborn. The funeral was held last Saturday morning in Shamrock.

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The Second division was the 6th grade and up costumes first place winners were Sarah and Megan Horn.

Third division was skaters. First place was Shannon Reeves and Kenzie Watkins. Second place went to Stormi and Lamari Lancaster of Mobeetie. Third place went to Lauren Christy. Fourth place was a tie with

Kayle Corcoran of Fort Hood and Caitlyn Burch of Wheeler.

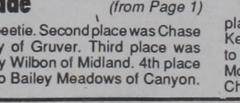
Fourth division was bikes. First place went to Andi Martinez; Second place went to Lauren Baird. Kelsey Zybach and Brittany Bryan tied for third. Travis Bryan and Brittany Laverty tied for fourth.

Fifth Division was Non Commercial Floats. First place went to Fort Elliott High School Cheerleaders and football team. Second place went to the Fort Elliott Junior High Cheerleaders and football players. Third place went to the Girt Scouts. Fourth place went to the class of 1949.

The next division was the motorcycles and four wheelers. First place went to Tanner Audridge. Nathan McLaughlin won second and Chynna Atherton won third.

The next division was antique cars and tractors. First place went to Walter Withfield. Casey Jewell came in second.

The next division was Commercial floats. First place went to the Mobeetie Post Office. Second place went to Mesquite Canyon Steak House of Shamrock, Third place went to Zodell Barbecue and more of Wheeler. Fourth place was a tie between Edwards Towing of Shamrock and L. B. Trucking. Horses and horseback division winners were first Hailey and Bailey Estes. Second Savannah Shipp. Third Justin and Dustin Lee. 4th was a tie between Andrea Hathaway and Carol Ann Aycock.



Johnny Wilbon of Midland. 4th place went to Bailey Meadows of Canyon.

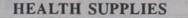
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knowledge, and he who has a cool spirit is a man of understanding. Even a fool, when he keeps silent, is considered wise; when he closes his lips, he is counted prudent."

## Bill Morrison, Minister **Church of Christ** Wheeler, Texas

An Invitation: You are cordially in-Services: Sunday Bible Study ..... 10:00 A.M. vited to attend any of the weekly Sunday Morning Worship ... 11:00 A.M. services of the Wheeler Church of Christ which meets at 1001 S. Alan Sunday Night Worship ...... 6:00 P.M. Wednesday Bible Study ...... 7:30 P.M. Bean Blvd, in Wheeler, Texas

In the Buggy division first place went to Harry Sims own the Rocking S Ranch.

Wanda Estes was in charge of the parade.

Terry Mick took care of the sound system.



Debbie Hammer was in a wreck last week. She was only bruised from the air bags but it totaled her car. A drunk driver in Decatur hit her

Deanna Mixon was taken by ambulance to the hospital in Pampa early Tuesday morning. She had a real roughtime Tuesday. Wednesday she was better and Jess came home for a while. Deanna got to come home on Saturday

Dale and Melba Corcoran visited Monday night with Densel and Fern Reed. Tuesday Densel and Fern Reed and Dale and Melba Corcoran went to Amarillo shopping and for

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Fern's doctor appointment. They visited with Pauline Barnes in rehab. Then they visited in the hospital with Jess and Deanna Mixon.

Congratulation to Tony Dickey on his retirement. Frances is glad he won't have to be going back to South America to work.

Susie Mabry visited in Pampa Tuesday with Jess and Deanna Mixon in the hospital.

Bob Aycock went into the VA Hospital on Monday in Amarillo. He got out Thursday.

Maurita Stribling tended to busi-

ness in Amarillo on Tuesday. Rev. Ralph and Mary Hovey visited in Kansas over the weekend with their daughter and with grandchildren and great-granddaughter. Lorene Rector and Orville Green-

house shopped and tended to business in Wheeler on Monday.

Mt. View Quilting Club met Thurs-day at Totty Schoolhouse with Melba Corcoran as hostess. Those quilting were Ines Loveday, Betty Haines, Aubrey Seitz, Charlotte Coward, Martha Meek, Orville Greenhouse, and Melba Corcoran. Lamari Lancaster visited. Melba's quilt was finished and Martha Meek put her double wedding ring quilt in.

Ines Loveday of Tyler visited with Betty Haines and others over the weekend

Dale Corcoran went to Amarillo Friday and brought his sister Pauline Barnes home following her stay in Rehab

Kenneth Walker of White Deer visited his father Pierce Walker in the nursing home over the weekend.

Mobeetie XYZ met Friday night in the Fellowship Hall of the First Baptist **Church with President Marion Grimes** in charge. Louise Hogan took blood pressures. Marion Grimes and Doris Finsterwald did the program. Those attending were guest Scott and Neva Corcoran, Kayle and Nathan of Fort Hood, Orville Greenhouse, Marion Grimes, Doris Finsterwald, Lorene Rector, J. P. and Martha Meek, Willis and Verna Fillingim, Chuck and Louise Hogan, Glen D. and Estelle Hodges, Leonard and Bertha Hollis and Dale and Melba Corcoran.

Sasha Glonti and Devin Diebel came home for the weekend. Sasha visited with Chuck and Louise Hogan and Devin visited with her mother Pam Jones

Scott and Neva Corcoran, Kayle and Nathan of Fort Hood visited with Dale and Melba Corcoran and Lorene Rector. They also visited in Wheeler

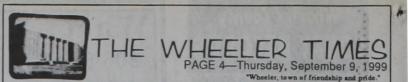
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with William and Sissy Burch, Christopher, Tyler and Caitlyn.

Gray Grimes of Amarillo came Friday and took Doyle and Bulah Grimes to Pampa for Doyle' eye appointment. He will have cataract surgery on the fifth of October. Visiting Friday night with them were their grandson Marvin and Kelley Grimes, Dee and Drew of Lubbock

Visiting Saturday with Lorene Rec-tor was Rance and Sophia Rector of Amarillo, Scott and Neva Corcoran, Kayle and Nathan of Fort Hood and Caitlyn Burch of Wheeler

Doug and Aline Corse left at noon Saturday to fly to San Antonio for Doug's Navy Reunion.



Dale and Melba Corcoran visiteo Sunday afternoon in Wheeler with Pauline Barnes and Debbie Alexander and with William and Patricia Burch, Chris, Tyler and Caitlyn,

Visiting with Marie Gudgel was Ray and Mary Helen Corcoran of Wiener and Bill and Shannon Morgette, Audra, Jeremy and Richard Gudgel of Andrews and Jason Gudgel and Linsley of Oklahoma City.

Visiting with Bill and Virginia Ridgway were Ray and Darlene Asencio of White Deer and Curt and Mindy Duncan, Hayden and Gatlin.

Visiting with Glen D. and Estelle Hodges were Eddie and Gail Moke of Amarillo, Eddie and Lisa Hodges, Hollie and Lisa, Misty Roland, Ted and Cari Teagarden, David and Cody Harkey all of Durant, OK.

Visiting with Jim and Kay Batton were Bill and Shannon Morgette, Robert and Jimmy, Audra, Richard and Jeremy Gudgel of Andrews. They celebrated Jim and Kay's anniversary and Shannon birthday on the 4"

Carl and Mary Alexander of Colorado visited with Jack and Bernice Hefley and Carl and Peggy Carter over the weekend.

Jamie Hamilton daughter of Jim and Kay Hamilton was married this weekend in Tulsa, OK

Elton and Wilma Wyatt visited with Lynn Sims over the weekend. Serena spent the holiday with her mother

Lissa Sims of Dumas. Tony and Francis Dickey visited and attended Mary Lee Cole's birthday party in Wheeler Sunday.

Our sympathy goes out to Elton

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Friday. There was about 258 people enjoying camping at the campground over the weekend.

and Wilma Wyatt. Elton's sister in

Abilene passed away and was buried

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Lunch: Chicken Fried Steak, Mashed Potatoes, Green Beans, Rolls, Cake, Milk or Tea WEDNESDAY

Breakfast: Sausage, Biscuits, Gravy, Jelly, Juice, Milk Lunch: Hot Dogs w/Chili, Oven Fries, Dessert, Milk or Tea

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Breakfast: Cinnamon Raisin Bagels, Peanut Butter, Jelly, Juice, Milk Lunch: Chicken Fajitas, Red Beans, Salad, Fruit Salad, Milk or

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Breakfast: Donuts, Fruit, Dessert, Juice, Milk Lunch: Baked Potatoes, Blueberry

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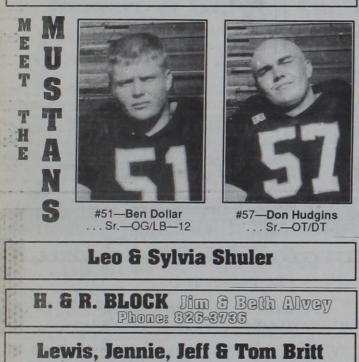
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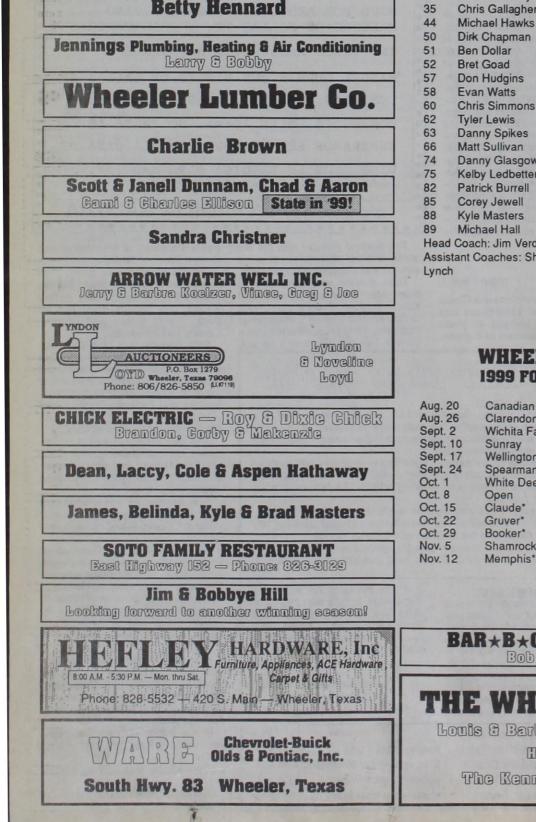
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Still hot and dry but it has been down in the 60s some mornings. Even the promise of some light showers around. We had no rain during July and some showers around the first of August. And none since.

Joe's sister and husband, Elsie and Wesley Dugger of Quitmen, Ark., were here Saturday. Clifford and Helen Jones of Elk City came Sunday. Judy Tipton dropped by and brought a sack of okra and tomatoes

The road men have been out making "our land grand", mowing and cleaning up trash. Sure looked nice. It is a shame that a lot of folks just dump their litter by the roadside instead of disposing of it properly.

Pauline Roberts has had cataract surgery and is very happy to be see-ing better. Betty Fern Blevins was out one day.

Michael Blevins, Sayre, was reap pointed to the Oklahoma Indigent Defense System Board, by Gov. Keating. Ollie Anderson was surprised with

a party on her 84th birthday. She received lots of cards, calls and gifts. Guests were Ed and Della Faye Roberts, Evard and Pat Humphrey, Odis and Marie Skaggs, OKC, Troy and Jessie Harmon, Pocasset, Kenny and Mary Brewer, Tahlequah, Eddie Williams, Ft. Lauderdale, FL., Cindy Keith, Mena, AR, Herbert and Frances Younger, Riverside, CA., Billy and Wanda Martin, Kathy Failing, Ponca City, Ronnie and Fern Burckhalter, Irene Burckhalter, Elk City, Leroy and Peggy Dunlap, Sayre, Dale, Sherry and Jake Dunlap, Wellington, TX, Robert, Amy and Baylee Williams,

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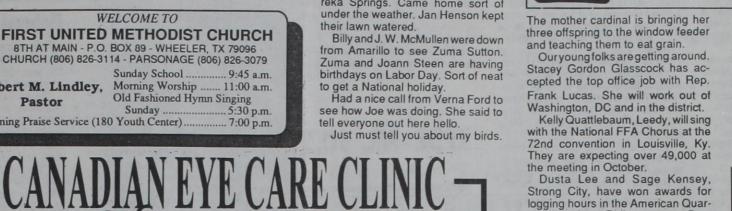
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the meeting in October. Dusta Lee and Sage Kensey, Strong City, have won awards for logging hours in the American Quarter Horse Assn. Riding program. Dust

had 100 hours and Sage over 50. Crystal Dorrell, Kelli and Kimberly Austin, Erick, have been chosen as UCA All-Star Cheerleaders. They will go to Europe over the Christmas holidays. Crystal will go to London where she will participate in the Millinnium London Day Parade on New Year's Day. Kelli and Kimberly will go to Paris, where they will be in the Paris Millinnium Parade and New Year's Eve Parade in Chantilly, France. They all expect to do a lot of sight seeing

Millinnium reminds me. Are you storing anything for Y2K day?

\$500 scholarship at the State 4-H Congress. He is a freshman at the Lubbock, TX Christian University.

to deliver the paper to several towns. Some years ago, we had our Sunday paper dropped from an airplane. Right near the front door.

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then. The other day, they had a fiddle and bow in a case. They estimated the fiddle and case as about worthless and the bow at \$8,000!

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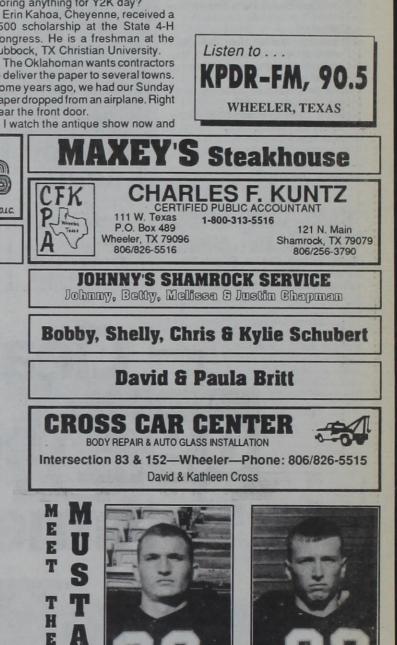
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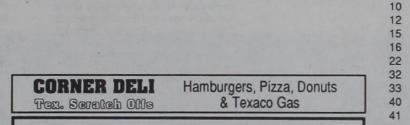
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Birthday folks are Naomi Hagerman, O. K. Henson (He's getting a national holiday), Zuma Sutton, Betty Hill, Ruby Sutton, Brian Cox. Stanley Perry, Shirley Anderson, Kathy Heinschn, Joann Steen, Glenda Calverly, Brian Chandler, Jeffrey Smulcer. Happiness to all.



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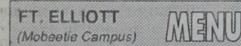
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Sincere sympathy to family and friends of Harold Smith of Amarillo in his death. The auditorium at BSA was named for him. Many Gideons knew and loved him.

Winnie Gilmersang for the Wheeler First Baptist Church Golden Agers luncheon recently. They had blown up pictures of a young Winnie on the tables. Winnie is blessed with a beautiful voice and glorifies the Lord with it. Thanks, Winnie.

Debra Ford brought Pauline Hefley out to the Old Settlers Reunion. Thanks

 We enjoyed going to Wheeler Methodist Church Sunday night to hear of a missionary trip to China by Ken McAdams, son of Evertt and Estelle McAdams and his great passion to go back and tell them about Jesus. So few there know Jesus or ever hear about him. So many are homelsss and no food. Pray for Ken! Delicious



### MONDAY, September 13, 1999 -FRIDAY, September 17, 1999 MONDAY

Breakfast: Sausage Pups, Juice, Milk Lunch: Ham Steak, Beans, Cole Slaw, Corn Bread, Rolls, Fruit, Milk or Tea

## TUESDAY

Breakfast: Waffles, Ham, Juice, Milk Lunch: Beef n Macaroni, Corn, Cartots, Rolls, Rice Pudding, Milk or Tea WEDNESDAY

Breakfast: Biscuits w/Gravy, Sausage, Jelly, Juice, Milk Lunch: Pigs in a Blanket, Tator Tots,

Salad, Fruit, Milk or Tea THURSDAY

Breakfast: Bacon or Sausage, Eggs, Toast, Jelly, Juice, Milk 'Lunch: Chicken Strips, Mashed Po-

tatoes, Gravy, Green Beans, Rolls, Cake, Milk or Tea

FRIDAY

Breakfast: Cowboy Bread, Cereal, Juice, Milk

Lunch: Hamburgers, Lettuce, Tomatoes, Onions, Pickles, French Fries, Cookies, Milk or Tea -(Menu subject to change)

refreshments were served following the service.

Saturday at the parade Mobeetie and Canadian fire departments had their oldest trucks (I'm guessing) in the parade.

Pray for Leo Thompson of Canadian. He had by-passes and a stroke. Lottie (Murray) and Eugne Thompson from New Mexico came to be with him and also visited Lottie's brother, Lee and Pat Murray at Pampa. Eugene is a brother to Leo.

We enjoyed playing 42 at J. P. and Martha Meek home Monday afternoon. Then went down and ate hamburgers at the Dairy Queen. Also there were Ruby Zybach with Jackie Moore.

Verne and Susie Lohberger have not been well, but they were out to Mobeetie Labor Day with Suzanne and Alton Lohberger and grandson

will start selling at 1:00 P.M.

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Justin Lohberger from Sweetwater who took great care of them. Also Bulldog and Dorothy Walker there, Margaret Trout, Pierce Walker, Doc Eckles (93) and many others. Many thanks to all the school kids who brought plates of food to us who can't stand very long. Fort Elliott Juniors had delicious homemade ice cream. Boosters had pies and cakes auctioned by Paul Hathaway.

Nice to have Homer Sanders, Edna May, and Ed and Laurel Hershman join us for supper at Maxeys Thurs-

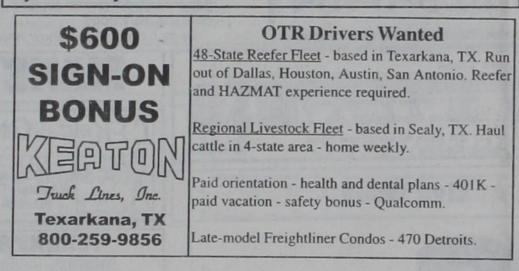


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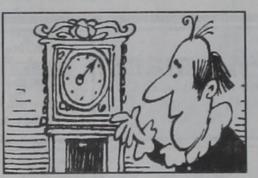
day night and a good visit. Good to see Darville and Sammie Atherton there with Rusty and Noveta Atherton and Chynna and Risa Keelin having a good time visiting together. Also Robert and Patsy Bain from Canadian with a group. (Patsy teaches at Fort Elliott school.) Mike and Beverly Bryant, Ronnie and Cindy Brown, Joe and Nancy Shelton and grandchildren.

We enjoyed going to Mobeetie to XYZ Friday night. 20 there. Special guests were Scott and Neva Corcoran and Kaylee and Nathan. We enjoyed them. Delicious meal and fun games of 42 and Chicken Foot. No birthday people present. (Bulah Grimes and Leta Mae Gatlin were unable to be there.) Devotional by Marion Grimes and good music by Marion and Doris.

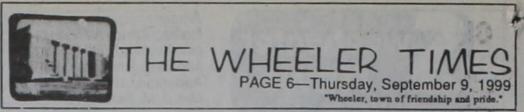
Nice to talk to Lee and Esther Brown at Ratliff City, Oklahoma. Esther has to see the doctor every three months, but no recurrence as yet of the cancer. Keep praying for this dear and precious lady. The twinkies (Joanie and Jessica) will be 13 on September 15 and are grown-up acting young ladies. Jill is working for GTE and is winning promotions and trips, etc. She and her husband celebrated their anniversary with a nice trip. Jennifer and Kevin Wood still live at Claude. She is a deputy in the clerk's office at the courthouse and doing well. Kolton is now ten years old and will show an animal at the stock show. Younger brother is Kaleb. Jennifer and Kevin and family are very active in their church. Justin works for Best Buy and lives with some other guys.

Nice to see former teacher, Cheryl Daniels, out to the Old Settlers Day at Mobeetie with Pam Jones. Nice to see Addie Swift out to Mobeetie Monday.

"God be with you till we meet again.



The proper name for a grandfather clock is a long case clock. They first appeared after 1670.



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# Mobeetie

Our sympathy goes out to the Hogan family. Bonnie's sister in Houston was robbed and murdered this weekend. She was 94.

Those visiting with Gene and Sue. Harrison, Inez Moore and Wanda Hefley, Justin and Tamara over the weekend were Bill and Marlene Scott and their great-grandson Trevor, and Jack and Joyce McIntire all of Amarillo, Peggy Shelton of Perryton, Leslie and Jan of Elk City, OK, Cindy Gordy, Bill, Mary and Gary of Quanah. They all celebrated Gary's, Tamara and

Wanda's birthdays Saturday night. Wayne and Carroll Stribling of Pampa visited with Clint and Maurita Stribling Monday.

Visiting with Chuck and Louise Hogan were R. C. and Martha Parker of McLean and Ken and Rene Parker and Noe of CA on Thursday.

Visiting with Arthur Don and Willene Burke Monday were David and Angie Mullins of Amarillo and Walter and Trish Hand and Monty.

Jerry Grimes of Amarillo visited Monday with Doyle and Bulah Grimes.

J. F. and Luwella Haning of Oceanside, CA spent a few days with Evelyn Haning.

Visiting with Gordon and Wanda Estes were Jennifer Ray and children of Amarillo.

Visiting with Aaron and Claudetta Laverty were Gordon Laverty, Cheyenne, Casey and Shelby of Decatur, Claude and Misty Laverty, Brittany and Asher of Amarillo, Scott Neighbors of Altus, OK and Caaron Laverty of Mobeetie. They had been busy working on their Elephant Ear cook building. They are about ready to go to the Amarillo Fair.

Visiting Thursday with Byron and Novelene Simpson were R. C. and Martha Hogan of McLean and their son Ken and Rene Parker and Noe of CA.

Visiting Sunday with Byron and Novelene Simpson were Jerry and Reecie Simpson of Skellytown. Visiting with them Monday were Tiny and Kay Simpson and Jeremy of Amarillo

Visiting Sunday with Leola Stuart and Gladys Richardson were Jim and Patsy Richardson of Oklahoma City and Jerry and Cheryl Richardson, Katie and Tyler and Eddie Richardson all of Wheeler.

Visiting Monday with Leola Stuart

ters Nicole and friends Justin, Carri and Kory Tie all of Borger.

Denzil and Jaunell Eberting visiting from Albuquerque, NM hosted a family supper Thursday night at Maxey's in Wheeler. Those attending were Denzil and Jaunell Eberting from Albuquerque, Donna and Richard Dickey of Wheeler, Nancy Shelton and Chevenne Shelton from Pampa, Hugh and Mae Bailey, Joe Shelton, Sally and Tim Adcock and Amanda, Jayton, Garrett and Jarrett Childress all of Mobeetie.

Friday night Hugh and Mae Bailey had a family cook out at their house for Denzil and Jaunell Eberting from Albuquerque, NM, Leslie and Billy Moore from Miami, Donna and Richard Dickey from Wheeler, Joe Shelton, Bertha and Leonard Hollis, Sally and Tim Adcock, Amanda, Jayton, Garrett and Jarrett Childress and Kenny Reed.

Sunday morning Juanell and Denzil Eberting and Hugh and Mae Bailey attended church at Laketon. Juanell and Denzil ran the store at Laketon for many years. They took it over from his daddy Bill Eberting when he retired.

Dale and Melba Corcoran visited Monday night with Densel and Fern Reed.



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and Gladys Richardson were Eddle and Amy Richardson of Wheeler, Ivy Richardson of Erick, OK and Dale and Barbara Richardson of Elk City, OK.

D.L. and Colleen Rector and Mindy, and Ashley and Bradley Stone all of Amarillo visited Monday with Lorene Rector.

Dale Corcoran has been making small markers and putting on the unmarked graves in the Mobeetie Cemetery. If you know someone buried in the cemetery that doesn't have a marker and know where he or she is buried please send the information to Dale Corcoran, Route 1 Box 87, Mobeetie, TX 79061. He is also in the process of doing a book on all the ones buried in the cemetery.

Visiting Monday with Charlotte Coward were Diana Jones and daugh-

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MONDAY September 13, 1999 -FRIDAY September 17, 1999 MONDAY Breakfast: Toast/Jelly, Cereal, Juice,

Lunch: Chili Dog/Cheese, Tater Tots, Pickle Spears, Apricots, Milk/Tea TUESDAY Breakfast: Biscuits/Gravy, Scrambled Eggs, Sausage, Juice,

Milk Lunch: Taco Salad, Spanish Rice,

Salad, Ranch Style Beans, Peaches or Apple, Milk/Tea

WEDNESDAY Breakfast: Toast/Jelly, Cereal, Juice,

Milk Lunch: Cheeseburgers, Lettuce, Tomato, Onion, Pickles, French Fries, Pears, Milk/Tea THURSDAY

Breakfast: Toast/Jelly, Sausage, Pancake Pup/Syrup, Juice, Milk Lunch: Chicken Nuggets, Mashed Potatoes/Gravy, Green Beans, Hot Roll, Butter, Fruit Cocktail, Milk/Tea FRIDAY

Breakfast: Toast/Jelly, Cereal, Juice, Milk

Lunch: Beef and Cheese Nachos, Salad, Pinto Beans, Pineapple, Milk/ Tea

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# **Old Mobeetie Texas Association Meeting Held**

The Old Mobeetie Texas Association held their monthly meeting September 2, 1999 with President Dale Corcoran in charge of the meeting. Maurita Stribling gave opening pray. Bobbye Hill read the minutes for the August meeting. Motion by Melba Corcoran to accept as read. Sec-

onded by Maurita Stribling. Motion Carried. Financial Report was given by

Louise Hogan. Motion by Bill Elliott and seconded by Jimmy Hill to accept the report as given. Motion carried.

- Melba Corcoran gave the cataloging report as 10,714 work sheets with '25,645 items.

- Louise Hogan gave the volunteer hours for August as 308 hours.

 Melba Corcoran reported we had 174 visitors with 47 from out of state. We had 87 web site visitors with 2,137 request.

Old Business: the Cookbook has been sent to the publisher. It was mailed August 30th. We mailed out 4grant request on August 30, for funding on the Huselby House.

New Business: September 9 a group from the Texas Tourism Committee will be here to get information for a tour in 2000, September 11. The tour with Bob Izzard will be at the museum. Steve Walker will be catering the meal. On September 15th a group of Celanese will be at the museum. On September 25th there will be another tour group at the museum.

The Panhandle Bluegrass and OLE Time Music will have their foul weather camp out on September 10, 11 and 12 at the campgrounds.

Letter was read from Bernice Hefley that she was resigning her position on the board. Motion by Jimmy Hill

# KELTON MENU

#### MONDAY, September 13, 1999 -FRIDAY, September 17, 1999 MONDAY

Breakfast: Cereal, Toast, Juice, Milk Lunch: Chicken Fried Steak, Mashed Potatoes, English Peas, Hot Rolls, Ice Cream, Milk TUESDAY

Breakfast: Breakfast Bars, Biscuits, Juice, Milk

Lunch: Turkey Noodle, Mashed Potatoes, Green Beans, Hot Rolls, Spice Cake, Milk

WEDNESDAY Breakfast: Scrambled Eggs, Bacon, and seconded by Louise Hogan to accept the resignation with regards. Motion carried.

Election of Officers and board members were next. The board members terms up were Maurita Stribling and Margaret Dorman. Motion by Melba Corcoran to elect Maurita and Margaret to another term. Seconded by Bill Elliott. Carried.

The vacancy on the board of Bernice's spot was next Jimmy Hill made a motion to elect Bill Finsterwaid to fill out the term. Seconded by Louise Hogan. Carried.

Bill Elliott made a motion to elect Dale Corcoran for President, Melba Corcoran for 1st Vice President, Jimmy Hill 2nd Vice President, Bobbye Hill Secretary, and Louise Hogan Treasurer. Motion by Joe VanZandt. Carried.

The museum has been donated an antique water well drilling rig and all the equipment that goes with it by

# **Annual Seitz Family Reunion At Lefors Sun.**

The 77th Seitz reunion was held at Lefors' Community Center on September 5, 1999. There were 90 in attendance. Several fun door prizes were given and the 77th year plaque was given to Ted Teagarden. Susie Gatlin granddaughter of Bee and Vida Burgess won the lovely quilt. Plans are being made for next year's reunion of entertainment, games, and more visiting. Next years event will be held on September 3, 2000 at a place yet to be determined. The new president is Wendell Seitz of Turkey, TX. Jack and Helen Lewis of Amarillo had served as President for several years and did a wonderful job.

Fred Brown of Pampa. He will come

down and drill a well and furnish the

pipe while he is showing the men how

to operate the equipment. Lawrence

Scribner will donate a pump for the

well. The group discussed where to

Jessica and Ashley Bentley daughters of Lisa and Paul Bentley, Amarillo, TX.; Brandon and Brandi Dodd children of Joel and Laura Dodd, North Richland Hills, TX; Evaine, Graham and Micah Nieder children of Gary and Sharee Nieder, Yellow Springs, Ohio. Great-grandchildren of Mary Margaret Dodd, Wheeler, TX.

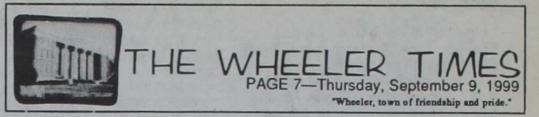
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put the well. It was decided to put it South of the Huselby House.

The group also discussed where to put the playground equipment donated by the Wheeler School. It will be south of the Huselby House also. Jimmy Hill made a motion to ad-

journ. Those attending were Joe VanZandt, Maurita Stribling, Louise Hogan, Bill Finsterwald, Bill and Dutch Elliott, Jimmy and Bobbye Hill and Dale and Melba Corcoran.



# Corcoran Family Reunion Held Sun., Sept. 5

The family of Paul Phillip and Sarah Ray Corcoran held their annual family reunion Sunday at the Mobeetie School Cafeteria with Lavern Corcoran as hostess. The oldest person there was Earl Riley who was

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presented a fruit basket. J. F. and Lawella Haning of Oceanside, CA got a wall plaque for traveling the farthest. Door prizes were given to all present. All but one of the 10 Corcoran children had family present. Ellen's family in attendance was J. F. and Lawella Haning of Oceanside, Evelyn Haning of Mobeetie, Gary and Janice Griffith, Brandon and Dee Griffith and Tailore Reasoner from Amarillo. No one from John's family was present. Phil's family were Agnes Barnes and Rayburn Corcoran of Pampa, Matt and Brenda Henson, Rae and Jere of Lubbock, Steve and Tammy Rainey and Nathan of Denton, Pauline Barnes of Wheeler, Debbie Alexander and Tommie Jo Patton of Amarillo. Dale and Melba Corcoran of Mobeetie, Scott and Neva Corcoran, Kayle and Nathan of Fort Hood, TX. Bessie'family was Louise Ogden and Joe K. and Cindy Ogden all of Perryton. Those from Maude's family were James and Velta Trusty of Pampa. Bill's family was Tommy Corcoran of Pampa. Evelyn's family were Earl and Evelyn Riley, Joe Ray and Jacque Riley and Randi all of McLean and E. W. and Darlene Riley of Tulia. Ariza's family were Aaron and Arica Lancaster of Amarillo, Ray and Mary Corcoran of Wiener, TX. Brenda Lancaster, Stormi and Larami of Mobeetie. Clara's family were Clara Ridgway, Bill and Virginia Ridgway and Todd Ridgway all of Mobeetie. Pete's family was Laverne Corcoran. Guest present were Odessa Scribner of Dallas, Ray Asencio of White Deer, Alyson Orr of Pampa, and John and Sherry Sims, Byron and Jason of Nocoma.

# **Hogan Family Gathers** Labor Day Weekend

The children of Cross and Bonnie Hogan held a family reunion over the weekend at the Museum Campground. Those attending were Glenn and Martha Hogan, Dee and Alisa Orr and daughters Ashley and Alyson, Melinda Montgomery and son Dale and Ed Hogan all of Pampa, Bob and Lavada Hogan of Odessa, Gaylon Hogan of Excalisor Springs, MO., James and Alta Hogan of Sunray,

WHEELER, TEXAS

Biscuit, Juice, Milk Lunch: Baked Ham, Mac n Cheese, Chinese Style Vegetables, Hot Rolls, Fruit, Milk THURSDAY Breakfast: Cereal, Toast, Juice, Lunch: Meat Nacho, Tossed Salad, Fruit, Milk FRIDAY Breakfast: Donuts, Juice, Milk Lunch: Corndogs, Oven Fries, Fruit, Milk

(Menu subject to change)





# Next time a storm knocks the power out at Mrs. Duffy's day care, she'll have to tell a shorter ghost story.

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# Gageby

have them all out to church at Gageby Sunday. They ate lunch together at Maxeys. Visiting them all Sunday afternoon were Jimmy and Twian Sides and Cory and Hannah from Abilene and Mitchell Hawley from Amarillo. The Everett family also visited Chuck and Phoebe Hartline and Aaron and Tamera Monday morning before going to Amarillo to catch their plane back to San Antonio.

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# Mobeetie Exe (from Page 1)

Kuykendall Wall, Irvine Ruff Raphaln, Naomi Dutch Scribner, Jimmy Walker, Evelyn Robison Haning, Emma Nell Dewitt.

The Gary Morris Fighting Hornet Award was presented to the ex-student traveling the farthest, which was won by J. F. Haning of Oceanside CA.

The oldest Student Award went to Pierce Walker at age of 91.

The ex-student gave a Good Neighbor Award to Dale Corcoran for all his work and helping people. It was a complete surprise to Dale.

The Quilt was won by Kay Simpson of Amarillo of the Class of 1959. Door prizes were given during the

entire program. Hugh Jeffus led in the closing

prayer. The Ex-student Committee plans on doing a new address book for the

reunion next year. They need all change of address for anyone that ever went to school at Mobeetie. They can be mailed to P. 0. Box 64 Mobeetie, Texas 79061. They will be doing family ads if anyone is interested in advertising in the book. Aaron Hartline had the misfortune to break a small bone near his wrist playing football and has a cast on it. He will go back to doctor the 23rd of Sept. to see if cast can come off. He has been unable to play, but is taking pictures of the games.

Visiting Willa Fillingim Saturday were Don Logan and Donnie and Sarita Dawson and Micaela, all from Amarillo. Micaela especially wanted to feed the ducks. Don was checking Willa's trap. She is trying to catch the coyote that catches her chickens.

Jeannette Jahnel was out to Mobeetie Monday with new baby girl, Deseray Marie and Mary Lou Carter and Verneal and Juanita Prater.

Laurel Hershman spent Sunday night with Ruby Zybach. They came to the Wheeler Methodist Church to hear Ken McAdams, Laurel's cousin. Lessie Austin was out to Mobeetie Monday with Joe and Liz Austin and



# Jimmy & David Jamison

along with their wife's, would like to invite you to join them as they celebrate Virgil's 80th Birthday

Saturday, September 11, 1999

at the Wheeler First United Methodist

Church from 3:00 pm - 5:00 pm in the

Payton.

Many thanks to Mobeetie Community for the lovely day you make for us all to enjoy and Fort Elliott school kids for being helpful.

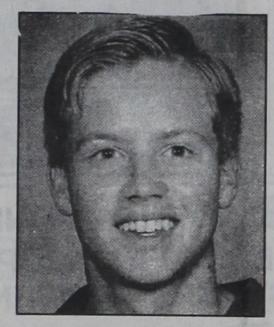
Lois Meadows hosted a delicious potluck supper Tuesday night at her house and games of 88. Some others there were Homer Sanders, Edna May, Virginia Puryear, Doris Finsterwald, Nova Powledge, Evelyn Meek, J. P. and Martha Meek, Willa Fillingim, Willis and Verna Fillingim and Tommy Meek.

Shantell Meek is improving, but has a deep cough from the pneumonia and bronchitis. Grandma Myrtle Stages has been staying some with Shantell. Kevin and Jona Meek had to go to bus driving school Tuesday night. Shantell got to go home Wednesday, but has to have breathing treatments, but out to the parade and church and Old Settlers.

Nice to visit with Bill Brickey at Wheeler Dairy Queen Tuesday. He is slim and trim and straight for 79. He does lots of mowing for different people. Fine fellow. A nurse at Veterans Hospital said he had the body of a much younger man.

Sunday lunch visitors at Evelyn Meek home were Leah Keys, a cousin from Midlothian, Texas, cousin Mary Margaret Dodd and Kathy Meek.

Sincere sympathy to family and friends of Mrs. Gilbert (Thelma) Morehead in her death. They used to live here and run the Gageby store. Lucille visited them and met and married Claude Barker. Lucille and



EAGLE SCOUT AWARD: Trevor Stowers, son of Dennis and Tonja Stowers, has been involved in Scouting for nine years and belongs to Mary Ellen and Harvester Church of Christ. A junior at PHS, his honors, accomplishments and activities include: Senior Patrol Leader for Troop #414, Order of Arrow, PHS Golf Team, Youth Drama Team, Youth Leadership Award, Who's Who Among American High School Students, Student Council, Junior Class Representative, Latin Club and D-fy-it Advisory Board. Trevor is 16 years old. He is the grandson of Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Stowers of Pampa and Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Atherton, and the great-grandson of Albert and Hannah Chapman of Wheeler and Mr. and Mrs. Darrell Atherton of Houston.

Thelma were raised as sisters.

Mark and Annette Meek went to Amarillo Tuesday to the Fort Elliott girls varsity and J. V. Volleyballgames at Caprock. Jocelyn Meek is on the J.V. team and does well.

We enjoyed going to Mobeetie Monday to the Old Settlers Reunion. They do a great job on the barbeque plate and always many to visit with. The music was super! Some playing and singing were Dean Boyd, Dixie Sims, J. B. Duckworth, Marion Grimes, Andy Finisterwald, Vernon Camp and Charles Mixon. Also singing were Jackie Dukes and Brittney Mick. Good to see the foreign exchange student from Germany and Sasha Glonti from Russia, who goes to WTAMU.

Nice to visit with Orvel Brewer at the Pampa Pool Wednesday. In early August Orvel and wife Rosa and Orvel's sister Betty and Sid Talley

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# CARD OF THANKS

Once again, I can only say "Thank You, very much, for the anonymous monetary gift and the pretty Birthday card, that was in my P. O. Box recently.

"God bless you", and thanks again.

Rosalie Keelin

# CARD OF THANKS

We would like to say Thank-you to all the wonderful people of our community for the food, sympathy, love, prayers and flowers in our time of need. Also, a special Thank-you to Dr. Mendiola and the Parkview Hospital Staff for all they did.

Sincerely, Ricky, Cory, Rafeal, Amanda & Adam Robles Anita Robles Christina Earl & Kids

# ALLISON MENU

MONDAY, SEPTEMBER 13, 1999 — FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 17, 1999

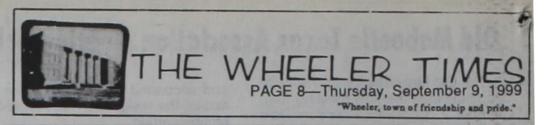
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Milk Lunch: Chicken Fried Steak, Mashed Potatoes, English Peas, Hot Rolls, Ice Cream, Milk TUESDAY Breakfast: Breakfast Bar, Biscuits, Juice, Milk

Lunch: Turkey Noodle, Mashed Potatoes, Green Beans, Hot Rolls,

Spice Cake, Milk WEDNESDAY

Breakfast: Scrambled Eggs, Bacon, Biscuit, Juice, Milk Lunch: Baked Ham, Mac n





ROAD SIGNS REPLACED: Justin Rose, TxDOT Wheeler County Sign Technician takes down the truck differential sign on September 1, 1999. This is a result of House Bill 676. This bill removes the existing truck speed differential and makes the maximum speed limit for a truck on an Interstate, US, or State highway 70 mph during the day and 65 mph at night. The maximum truck speed limit on an FM or RM road will not change. It will continue to be 60 mph during the day and 55 mph at night.

# **Truck Speed Limits Changed September 1**

Texas Department of Transportation (TxDOT) began removing the 60 mph day/55 mph night truck speed limit signs on all Interstate, U.S. and state highways on September 1, 1999. This is a result of House Bill 676 passed by the Texas Legislature 76th Session. The new law applies to both rural and urban areas and states that large truck (including 18 wheelers) will have the same speed limit as cars on interstate, U.S. and state highways.

This new law does not impact Farmto-Market (FM) and Ranch-to-Market (RM) roads. The maximum truck speed limit on these roads will remain at 60 mph during the day and 55 mph at night. There are approximately 41,000 miles of FM and RM in Texas. The maximum speed limit for cars on these roadways will remain at 70 mph day and 65 mph at night.

Having all vehicles traveling at a uniform speed is considered safer than having vehicles traveling at a variety of speeds on the same roadway. The uniform speed reduces the chance of conflict between vehicles.

Motorists are reminded that they should always drive at a speed that is safe and appropriate for the conditions. Speeds should be reduced during bad weather and during other poor driving conditions.

Crashes can be prevented if motorists practice safe driving habits. They should obey the speed limit, use safety belts properly, pay attention to traffic and never drink and drive.

church atrium. No Gift's please/

**Cards Welcome** 



**Casey Childress, #20,** carries the ball in the Mustang game against the Wichita Falls Coyotes Thursday evening.



Wheeler JV took on the Wichita Falls Freshmen Thursday afternoon. Pictured here is **Patrick Burrell**, #82, with the ball. His fellow Mustangs are doing their part to clear the way.

First Downs

Comp-Att-Int

Fumbles-Lost

Penalties-Yard

Punts-Avg

Yards Rushing

Yards Passing

Tot. Yds. Gained

# GAME STATISTICS Wheeler-Wichita Falls J.V.

By: Gail Ledbetter Score By Quarters 1st 2nd 3rd 4th To. Teams Wichita Falls J.V. 0 0 7 6 13 Wheeler Mustangs1318 7 13 51 1st score: Caleb Finsterwald, 9 yd. run, Ben Dollar, kick, 7-0 ,10:02, 1 Q 2nd score: Brooks Brown, 31 yd run, kick failed, 13-0, 0:00, 1 Q 3rd score: Casey Childress, 3 yd run, pass failed, 19-0, 4:54, 2 Q 4th score: Brooks Brown, 21 yd run, pass failed, 25-0, 3:24, 2 Q 5th score: Brooks Brown, 6 yd pass to Finsterwald, kick failed 31-0, 0:00, 2

Cheese, Chinese Style Vegetables, Hot Rolls, Fruit, Milk THURSDAY Breakfast: Cereal, Toast, Juice, Milk Lunch: Meat Nacho, Tossed Salad, Fruit, Milk FRIDAY Breakfast: Donuts, Juice, Milk Lunch: Corndogs, Oven Fries, Fruit, Milk



LEADING THE CHEERS: The 1999 Wheeler Cheerleaders are (I. to r.) Mighty (Lauren Weaver), Whitney Simmons, Jordan Emmert, Tina McWhorter, Hayley Hipkins, and Megan Hampton, (not pictured) Taylor Hudgins



OLDEST MAN: Doc Eckles of Canadian was recognized at the Mobeetie Old Settlers' Reunion this past weekend as the oldest man in attendance. The man on the left is J. T. McLartz. —Photo by Melba Corcoran



OLDEST WOMAN: Margaret Trout is shown here with the plaque she was presented Monday at the Mobeetie Old Settlers' Reunion. She was the oldest woman in attendance. —Photo by Melba Corcoran





GOOD NEIGHBOR AWARD: Dale Corcoran received the "Good Neighbor" Award" at the annual Ex-Student Reunion at Mobeetie. Pictured (I. to r.) are Maurita Stribling and Melba Darnell. —Photo by Melba Corcoran

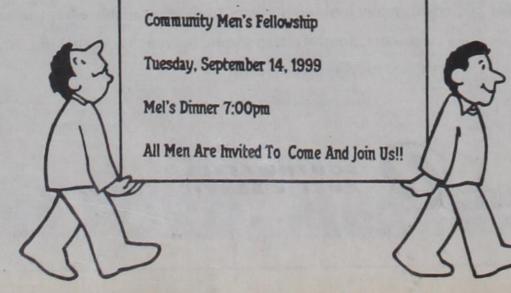


TRAVELING THE FARTHEST: J. F.. Haning is shown here accepting the award for having traveled the greatest distance to attend the Mobeetie Ex-Student Reunion held this past weekend. Pictured (l. to r.) are Gary Morris and Mary Louise Bailey. —Photo by Melba Corcoran



6th score (Wichita Falls): Chris Sulek, 21 yard pass from Rahsaan Bell, Josh Wilson, kick, 31-7, 5:17, 3 Q 7th score: Childress, 3 yd run, Dollar, kick, 38-7, 3:01, 3 Q 8th score (Wichita Falls): Lanny Shrubs, 32 yd run, kick failed, 38-13, 11:51, 4 Q

9th score: Finsterwald, 68 yd run, pass failed, 44-13, 11:34, 4 Q 10th score: Michael Hawks, 4 yd run, Dollar kick, 51-13, 4:22, 4 Q



Wheeler

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W.F. J.V.

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5-10-0



LONGEST DISTANCE TRAVELED: The plaque for having traveled the most miles to attend the Mobeetie Old Settlers' Reunion in 1999 went to Eulis England of Conway, Arkansas. —Photo by Melba Corcoran



OLDEST RESIDENT: Pierce Walker is recognized as the oldest resident at the "Mobeetie Old Settlers Reunion", having been born and raised in Wheeler County. The plaque was presented by Amanda Mick.

-Photo by Melba Corcoran

OLDEST STUDENT: The plaque for being the oldest student in attendance at Mobeetie's Ex-Student Reunion went to Pierce Walker.

Arabella Babb Mansfield was the first woman admitted to the practice of law in the United States. She was admitted into the legal profession in 1869.