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THE COUNTY SEAT NEWSPAPER

MOBETIE NEWS

G. BECK, Correspondent

Bible School will open tomorrow, May 28, at the First Baptist Church and run for two weeks.

Mr. Rogers will be in charge of the school and will be assisted by the other ladies of the church.

Infant son of Mr. R. H. Dyson was admitted to Pampa hospital, Sunday, for observation and treatment.

McLean was released from Pampa hospital Friday, May 19, after a stay of 10 days. The condition of Bobby is reported improved, while the other boys were in a two car accident.

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Death Ends Colorful Life of Co. Pioneer

Death of Abraham Finsterwald at 6:45 o'clock Thursday evening, May 17, at his home near Mobeetie, ended the long and colorful life of a beloved Wheeler County pioneer.

Ninety-four years old, Mr. Finsterwald was a native of Switzerland and was a veteran of the U.S. Army in the territorial days, having formerly been stationed at historical Fort Elliott near Mobeetie.

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the Wheeler pastor, Rev. Carlton Thomson.

A special song, "Abide With Me", was given by Frank Wofford.

Palbearers were: C. J. VanZandt, J. T. Johnson, Farmer Hefley, Grady Dodd, Elbert Zybach and Tom Helton.

Named as honorary bearers were: R. Wm. Brown, Nelson Porter, John McCarrall, Gordon Stiles, Doyle Standlee, Henry Flanagan and Clarence Robison.

Interment was in the family plot in Wheeler Cemetery, beside his wife who passed away May 7, 1937.

Kirk Funeral Home was in charge of arrangements.

Survivors include three sons and three daughters: Will, Herbert and Milton Finsterwald, all of Mobeetie; Mrs. Rose Henderson, Long Beach, Calif.; Mrs. Clara Homes, Albuquerque, N. M.; and Mrs. Betty Dobbs, Houston.

Also surviving are 15 grandchildren. (Continued on last page)

FRED FARMER HURT IN FALL

Fred Farmer, owner and operator of Farmer's Machine Shop, was seriously injured in a fall Monday afternoon while working in the office of Sheriff Bus Dorman in the court house.

The accident occurred about 4 p.m.

Mr. Farmer was rushed to Shamrock and from there was taken immediately to the Veterans Hospital in Amarillo.

His injuries consisted of a broken left arm and injury to right hip. Friends stated he had lost sensation in the lower part of his body and in his legs.

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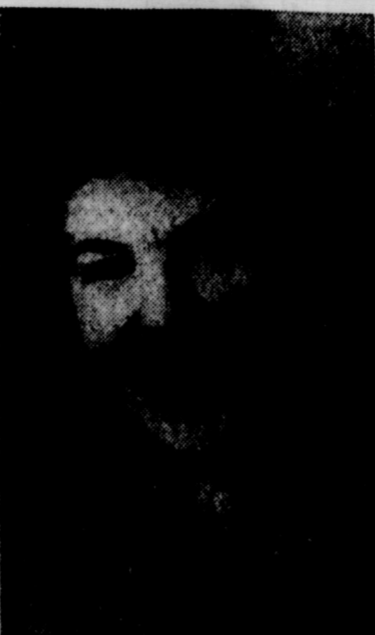
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SLYVIA SMITH LEE, daughter of Rev. and Mrs. M. B. Smith of the Trinity Baptist Church of Pampa, is valedictorian of this year's Wheeler graduating class. She attained a grade average of 96. She is married to Harold Loyd Lee. She won two scholarship awards by virtue of her position as valedictorian. She has also been active in FHA, band and sports during her high school career.

WHEELER WILL PLAY HEDLEY HERE SUNDAY

Baseball fans of the Wheeler area are urged to turn out in force Sunday afternoon and support their home-town team when they host the Hedley nine at the American Legion Park diamond.

Game time is 3 p.m.

The battery for Wheeler has been announced by Manager Pete Burton as: Haynes, pitcher; and Waner, catcher.

The local team was defeated by Groom, 9-6 last Sunday. They had previously been beaten by Rath and Clarendon and have won over Morgans of Amarillo, which gives them a record of one victory and three defeats so far this season.

Wheeler has a snappy little ball club and will win plenty of games before the season is over with the proper support and encouragement of local fans.

LAFOY SEITZ RITES HELD

Funeral services for Lafoy J. Seitz, Mobeetie, who died as a result of injuries received in a recent head-on collision near Laketon were at 2:30 p.m. Wednesday at Mobeetie with Rev. A. G. Roberts, pastor of the Keltan Baptist Church, officiating.

Survivors include his father and mother, Mr and Mrs. Monroe Seitz of Mobeetie; and three brothers, Pete, who is in the Army in Alaska, Joe of Hobbs, N. M., and David of Mobeetie.

Palbearers were Hayward Romines, Jimmy Coward, Dalton Burke, Jimmy Walker, Bernie Nixon, Doyle Greenhouse, Vicki Hathaway, and Walden Haynes.

Burial was in the Mobeetie Cemetery under the direction of Dundenkel - Carmichael Funeral Home of Pampa.

Carnaleta Brown Sims, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Brown of Wheeler, will receive her degree in Business Education at the Texas Tech commencement exercises to be held in Lubbock, on May 28.

Misses Sondra Jones, Tillie and Sharon, Isla Gale Holdeman, Pearl, and Sarah Goad entertained an all night outing at McCracken Lake, Monday night. They were accompanied by the following hostesses, Mrs. Theda Speck, Mrs. Margaret Weatherly and Mrs. Dub Goad.

Rev. and Mrs. Carlton Thomson and family attended the graduation exercises at WTSC Canyon, Sunday. Mrs. Thomson's sister was a member of the graduating class.

50 Students Graduated From 5 Schools in North Part of County

The five high schools in the north part of Wheeler County have presented diplomas to 50 graduates in commencement exercises held during the past two weeks.

Wheeler High School heads the list in the number of graduates with 21. Allison and Briscoe each graduated 10 seniors. Keltan had five and Mobeetie had four.

Briscoe seniors were the first to be released from class room duties. Their baccalaureate was held Sunday, May 6, and commencement exercises were the following Thursday, May 10. Bro. E. M. Borden, Jr., minister of the Wheel-

er Church of Christ, delivered the baccalaureate sermon.

Baccalaureate services for the Allison students were held at 2 o'clock Sunday afternoon, May 13, with Rev. Darrel Taylor, pastor

of the First Baptist Church of Wheeler, delivering the sermon. Commencement was held Friday, May 18, with Joe Hays of Phillips giving the address.

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Rev. Albert Cooper, pastor of the Mobeetie Methodist Church, delivered the baccalaureate sermon for the Mobeetie seniors at 8:15 o'clock Sunday evening, May 20. Commencement exercises are scheduled for tonight (Thursday) in the Mobeetie gymnasium, with State Representative Grainger McIlhenny of Wheeler, delivering the address.

A Daily Vacation Bible School has been scheduled at the First Baptist Church in Wheeler.

The school will open with a big street parade Saturday afternoon, May 26. Every youngster in the community, three to 16 years of age, is invited to be at the church at 2 p.m. and join the parade.

Three prizes will be awarded: one for the best decorated bicycle, another for the best dressed pet, and still another for the best dressed child.

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Mr. and Mrs. Grady Harris visited her mother, Mrs. Belle Carson in Canadian on Mother's Day.

Bring your doctor's prescription to Wheeler Drug for accurate service. 49-tfc



Scheduled to complete recruit training May 21 at the Marine Corps Recruit Depot, San Diego, Calif., is **BILLY R. JONES**, son of Mr. and Mrs. Harold L. Jones of Allison, Texas.

The ten-week course covers military drill, first aid, personal hygiene, Marine Corps history, and defense against chemical and atomic attack.

ALLISON NEWS
Mrs. Lester Levitt

(Written for last week)

Darrell Harrison and family from Amarillo visited in the Bruce Harrison home over the week end. They also visited John Gilmer and family near Briscoe.

Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Levitt are the proud parents of a baby girl born at a Pampa hospital Friday.

Ernest Begert and family, Mildard Donaldson and family; Lee Richerdson and family from Stinnett and Hazel Gamel from Waldo, Texas were mother's day guests in the Paul Newsom home.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam A. Begert from Pampa visited in the Bill Begert home Sunday.

Leonard Powledge and family were Mother's Day guests in her parents home, Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Braxton at Shamrock.

Mr. and Mrs. Pat Huff visited Don Morrison and family at Pampa Sunday.

W. M. Flewelling from Canadian visited Mr. and Mrs. Boyd Huff Sunday.

Frank Risner and family from Mobeetie and Harold Jones and family visited Mrs. Ada Jones Mother's Day.

Mr. and Mrs. D. Malin were hostesses to the Senior Class Sunday at their home and served lunch cafeteria style.

Mrs. Ada Veight spent the week end at Reydon in the Quentin McCole home recently.

The Band Concert Monday night at the school gym was enjoyed by all present. The seniors conducted some bingo games and served and sold food after the concert.

Mrs. Ray Brown and daughter Mary Harrison, Mrs. Ernest Begert and daughter Linda attended the mother daughter banquet at the Methodist Church at Reydon recently. Mrs. Ada Voigt was guest speaker at the banquet.

Mr. and Mrs. Pat Huff visited Don Morrison and family at Pampa Sunday.

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Shamrock, Mrs. W. H. England and Okey England from Erick, Okla. and J. E. McKatherin and family from Hereford were house guests in the M. Ball home Sunday.

Harley Wright and family and Mr. and Mrs. George Bradstreet from Briscoe, Mrs. Kenneth Montgomery and daughter Clint Evans and family from Miami and Forace the A. B. Evans home Sunday. Evans and family were visitors in

moisture to keep the weeds from crowding out seedling grass. Weeds are trying to steal what available moisture there is and will if we do not receive additional moisture soon.

A check on Gordon White's planting of grass made in 1951 has seedling grass of last year and seed that have sprouted this spring which needs moisture badly.

Most of last year's seedling looks good. Mr. Galmor has a perfect stand of weeping love and sand love grasses. This is one mile south of Wheeler on east side of road.

This is the time to start seeding Blue Panic grass. Caution should be made not to put it in too deep a furrow and to not cover all the seeds. Blue Panic grass will not come up if covered to deep so if those who do any seeding of this grass keep from ridging their land to much then the possibility of rains washing to much additional soil on seed is less. Seeded in shallow furrows and covered with

one fourth of an inch increases the possibility of grass. Several cooperators indicated to Soil Conservation Service personnel they intend some blue panic this spring.

Mr. and Mrs. C. J. V. visited their son, Joe and attended Parent's week. They also visited in Fort Worth.

Wheeler County Soil Conservation District News

Most farmer's and rancher's with in Wheeler Soil Conservation District are ready for more rain. Those cooperators who seeded grasses this spring are needing

Dr. R. J. Mac
Optometrist

GENE HALL, Optometrist
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B. F. GRIDER, Jr.
Wheeler, Texas

LEGAL NOTICE

NOTICE TO DEBTORS AND CREDITORS

The undersigned having been duly appointed Executor of the Estate of William Hamilton Taylor, deceased, late of Wheeler County, Texas, by the County Court of Wheeler County, Texas, on May 14, 1956, does hereby notify all persons indebted to said estate to come forward and make settlement, and those having claims against said estate to present them to him within the time prescribed by law at his residence, 715 South Main, Shamrock, Texas, where he receives his mail. Dated May 14, 1956.

Joe Clifford Taylor
Executor, Estate of William Hamilton Taylor, deceased.
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A Child May Dare
So Drive With Care!

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Biographical Sketches of All Wheeler Seniors

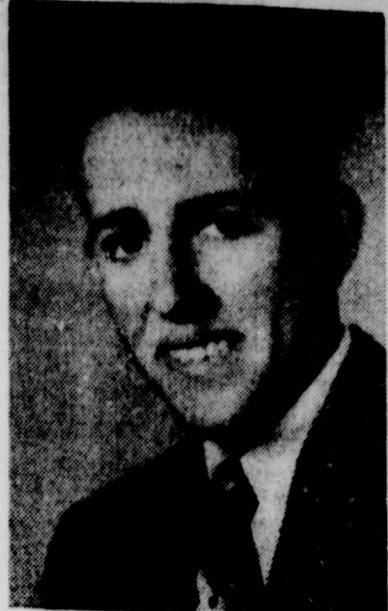
Wheeler Senior Class is made up of 21 members. Many of the newcomers to the school, who have attended Wheeler for the entire 12 years of their lives, Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Jones, class sponsors, admit they are glad to see them graduating. They have been trying to see them at times. The group left at 4 a.m. Sunday for their senior trip and expect to return this week end.

Biographical sketches of all the Wheeler seniors follow:
SYLVIA SMITH LEE, 18 year old daughter of Rev. and Mrs. M. B. Smith of Pampa, and wife of Harold Loid Lee, is valedictorian of the Wheeler High School Graduating Class with a scholastic average of 96. Sylvia has done her high school work in Wheeler and has been very active in all school activities. She has been a member of FHA for 4 years, High School Pianist, member of the Student Council, pep squad three years, member of Corral Staff, President of the Junior Class, had roles in the Junior and Senior Class Plays, was Band Majorette one year, played softball two years, volleyball one year, was voted "Most Intellectual" her senior year. Sylvia is not only active in school work but is pianist for the First Baptist Church, but plays the role of housewife and mother. She was married her sophomore year and is the mother of Lucretia Nell, one year old. Plans for the future for Sylvia include teaching piano lessons.

MILDRED ANN SLEMMER, whose parents are Mr. and Mrs. Charles Slemmer, was named salutatorian of the graduating class from Wheeler, with an average of 93.33. Mildred Ann completed two years of high school work at Shamrock and the other two in Wheeler High. She has been active as Drum Majorette one year, Ass'n't. Drum Majorette two years, majorette one year, band reporter two years, band librarian two years, secretary of the Senior Class, played basketball one year, FHA three years, had roles in the Junior and Senior Plays, Corral Editor two years, Assistant Editor of school annual one year, voted "Most Likely to Succeed" her Senior year. Mildred Ann plans to work after graduation.

NELDA INEZ DEARING, 17 year old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. of 92.33. This was Nelda's first Elgie Dearing is the third ranking student with a grade average year in Wheeler High, but she has become an active member of the class. She played basketball one year, volleyball three years, member of school chorus two years, pep squad one year, President of her Junior Class, Junior Class Favorite, had roles in the Junior and Senior Plays, Nelda plans to enter college this fall.

WILLIAM A. WHITENER, was named the highest ranking boy of the graduating Class with an average of 91. William has been a member of FFA three years, Key Club two years, Student Council, Annual Staff, Corral Staff two years, had roles in the Junior and Senior Plays, has been voted "Most Intellectual" and "Most Likely to Succeed", has been a member of Key Club for two years and also served as Lt. Governor for Div. VI of Key Club International, track one year, and is active in church and civic work.



FRANCIS PRIDE, son of Mr. and Mrs. Morgan Pride, is the second highest ranking boy and fifth ranking student in Wheeler High. He received "Most Activities Award" and the Danforth Corp. award for boys. He participated in football, baseball and volley ball. He was captain of the football squad and won honorable mention recognition as an All-Region player. He was president of the Key Club, elected as M. Wheeler Hi. had a part in the senior play and was a consistent honor roll student.

FRANCIS BRYAN PRIDE, second ranking boy in the class with an average of 90.5, is the 18 year old son of Mr. and Mrs. Morgan Pride. Francis had roles in the Junior and Senior plays, played football three years, track two years, basketball four years, volleyball two years, member of FFA three years, Livestock Judging team three years, was President of his sophomore class, and senior class, football captain, member of Key Club two years, voted "Most Intellectual" Francis plans to attend college at Texas Tech in Lubbock.

PATRICIA JEAN DARNELL is the 18 year old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Billy J. Darnell. Patricia has been a member of the band four years, played softball two years, basketball one year and volleyball two years. She was voted Band Sweetheart one year, Class President her sophomore year, Assistant Secretary of Junior Class, member of Annual Staff, and had roles in the Junior and Senior Plays. Patricia plans to attend ACC in Abilene this fall.

JERALDINE COX, active 18 year old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Claude C. Cox, has during her high school days, been voted "Miss Wheeler High", Junior Class Favorite, Annual Editor, Cheer leader, Football Queen Attendant. She has been a member of the Pep Club four years, FHA four years, played softball one year and basketball two years. Jeraldine is planning to enter Personnel Air.

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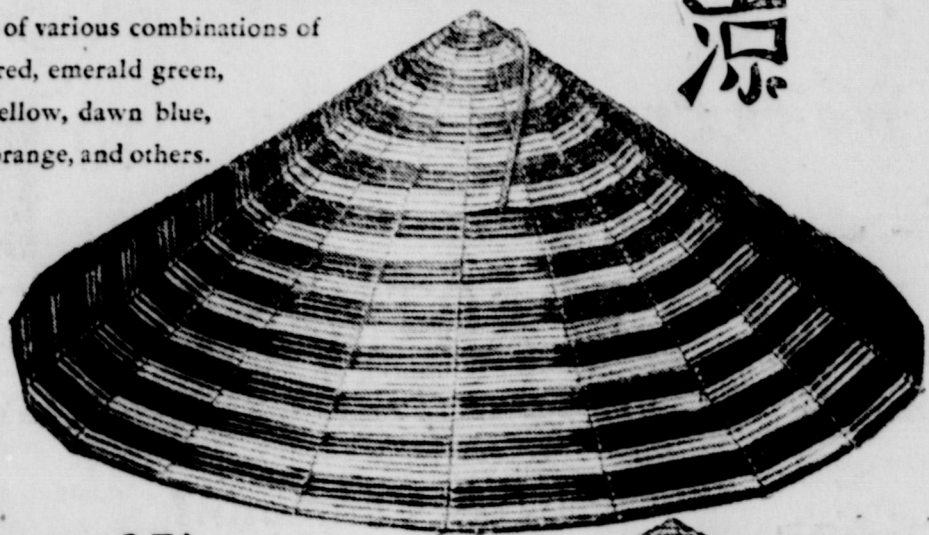
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MOBEETIE NEWS

MRS. O. G. BECK, Correspondent
(Continued from page one)

Mr. and Mrs. Waylan Newman and baby daughter and Kenneth Newman all of Clarendon, visited last week end with Mr. and Mrs. Johnny Newman and family and Mrs. J. W. Barton and girls, and other relatives and friends.

Cecil Bailey attended to business in Pampa, Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Don French and family of Dumas, spent last week end with her parents, Rev. and Mrs. Sam A. Thomas.

Boyd Beck of Lefors, visited and attended to business in Mobeetie, Wednesday last week.

Joe Kenny Reynolds, who has been serving with the Armed Forces in Germany is visiting this week with his sister and family, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Barton. He also visited in Pampa.

Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Dyson visited several patients from Mobeetie who are in the hospitals in Pam-

pa, Sunday afternoon. Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Simpson spent the week end in Mobeetie in the Bryon Simpson and Willard Godwin home.

Mr. and Mrs. Tyson Shelton, Sharon, Lynn, Lynn and Ronda, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Wolfe, Diane and Sonny and Miss Peggy Hooker all of Amarillo, attended the Mobeetie Baccalaureate services Sunday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Lyndon Sims were guests Monday night at the Mobeetie P-TA.

Mr. and Mrs. David Abbot of Rule, Texas visited in the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Abbot and family, formerly of Mobeetie, now living in Briscoe, and attended the L. J. Seitz funeral service.

Mrs. Jettie Mae Williams returned to her home Oklahoma City, Tuesday morning, after a two week visit with Mrs. C. M. Gatlin and other friends.

Announcement was made this week that the Fort Elliott Library, located in new Mobeetie, will be open from 9 to 11 on Saturday

morning starting on Saturday, May 26. The hours have been in the afternoon on Saturday, heretofore.

Doctor and Mrs. J. K. Lester and family and Dr. and Mrs. Don Blacketter, Mrs. Francis DePrew, all of Shamrock, and Mr. and Mrs. J. K. Ribble enjoyed an informal evening in the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Murrell. Refreshments of ice cream and cake were served. The occasion was a birthday celebration for Mr. Murrell.

Mrs. L. L. Collins of Eastland, is spending some time with her daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Monroe Seitz.

Mrs. Mayne Patterson of Amarillo was in Mobeetie, Tuesday and Wednesday visiting her mother and other relatives and friends.

Mr. and Mrs. M. S. Beck are visiting their son and family, Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Beck, Bill and Paula in Miami.

Mr. and Mrs. Delton Burke of Whickett spent Tuesday night with his parents and brothers, Mr. and Mrs. Alvis Burke, and attended the L. J. Seitz funeral services,



Engagement Announced

Mr. and Mrs. Lyndon H. Sims are announcing the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter, Melba Joyce to Thomas Elbert Haddox, Jr. The wedding will be solemnized in the Wheeler Methodist Church of June 2, at ten o'clock in the morning. Rev. Carlton Thomson, will officiate.

The bride-to-be is a spring graduate of Wheeler High School while Mr. Haddox is a student at Texas Tech in Lubbock. They plan to make their home in Lubbock where both will attend college this fall.

No formal invitations are being sent, but all friends of the couple are cordially invited to attend the service.

Wednesday.

Mrs. Bert McLean was admitted to a Pampa hospital, for observation and treatment.

R. J. Tyson was released from a hospital in Pampa Friday morning.

The last Parent-Teacher Association meeting of the fiscal school year, was held Monday evening in the High school Assembly Hall, with Mrs. Murel J. Trout, president, presiding in the business meeting. Final reports were made by the different committees. Mrs. A. G. Caldwell was appointed by the president to audit the treasurer's books.

Mrs. Lyndon Sims of Wheeler, who with Mr. Sims, were guests, tentatively set the date of Thursday, June 14, as the date she will begin music lessons in the high school assembly hall. On this date the parnts will meet with Mrs. Sims and her pupils.

Mrs. Caldwell read the Installation Service rites in which Mrs. Alvis Burke was presented a red flower as a token of courage in accepting the presidency. Mrs. Eugene Gudge, who acted as proxy for Jim Hathaway, who was elected as vice-president. She was presented a blue flower for faithful service. Mrs. J. T. Johnston stood in the place of H. J. Hathaway, who was elected treasurer. A white flower was pinned on her—white for purity and correctness. Mrs. Billy Morgan, who was elected as recording secretary received a white flower denoting valor.

Mrs. Burke accepted the office with a short speech.

Mrs. Trout, retiring president, expressed her appreciation to the officers and committees, who have worked with her through the year.

The Blue Bonnet Study Club enjoyed the annual Club Luncheon in the dining room of Nora's Cafe in Wheeler, Thursday, May 17. Hostesses for the occasion were Mrs. Sam A. Thomas Sr., and Mrs. Tracy Willis.

Mrs. Austin G. Caldwell played several piano selections and Mrs. Willard Godwin read a poem, of which she is the author and dedicated to the club. Mrs. E. E. Johnston pronounced the invocation. Mrs. Murel J. Trout president, conducted the business meeting, immediately following the meal, in this the closing session of the club for this season. Meeting will be resumed in September at which time officers elected in April will assume their duties.

Officers for the coming year are as follows: Mrs. Austin Caldwell, president; Mrs. John Boyd Sr., 1st. Vice President; Mrs. Aubrey Ruff, 2nd. Vice President; Mrs. Sam A. Thomas, Sr., Recording Secretary; Mrs. J. T. Johnston, Treasurer; Mrs. H. L. Flanagan, Librarian and Mrs. Murel J. Trout, parliamentarian.

Enjoying the luncheon was one guest, Mrs. R. C. Pugh and the following members: Mmes A. G. Caldwell, H. L. Flanagan, John Boyd, Sr., Willard Godwin, Grady W. Harris, Jim Hathaway, E. E. Johnston, Boyd Kennedy, Aubrey Ruff, Roy J. Oglesby, Sam A. Thomas, Sr., Murel J. Trout, C. J. Van Zandt and Tracy Willis.

CARD OF THANKS

Words cannot adequately express our gratitude to all who expressed their sympathy and helpfulness to us so beautifully at the time of our recent sorrow. May God bless you all.

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Wednesday Study Club Meets In Nash Home

Mrs. Harold Nash was hostess to the Wednesday Study Club on May 9th, when a program on music titled "Our Heritage Through Music" was presented with Mrs. L. C. Laffin as leader.

Mrs. Cora Hyatt gave the story of Stephen Foster's Life. Stephen Foster songs were sung by the fourth and fifth grade girls chorus under the direction of Mrs. Harrison Hall. The program was concluded with a Parade of Stephen Foster Music with Mrs. Sylvia Lee at the piano.

In the business session Mrs. T. M. Britt, president, expressed appreciation to the club members for the accomplishments of the year. Particular praise went to Mrs. Harold Nash, The Wednesday Study Club's Woman of the Year, and also chairman of projects.

Those present were: Mmes. T. M. Britt, R. Wm. Brown, Fred Farmer, Lee Guthrie, Cora Hyatt, L. C. Laffin, M. McIlhany, C. J. Meek, Madge Porter, Frank Walker, H. M. Wiley, Max Wiley, Frank Wofford, Harry Wofford and the hostess.

Mr. and Mrs. C. Ricerson, Jr., and family of Denver City are visiting their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Richerson



Friends Invited To Attend Wedding

Friends are invited to attend the wedding of Miss Pearl Johnson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Johnson, to Bobby Wyrick, son of Mr. and Mrs. Bert A. Wyrick of Odessa. The wedding is scheduled to take place at three o'clock on the afternoon of June 1, at the Church of Christ, Wheeler, Minister W. H. Riffle of Petersburg, uncle of the bride, will read the ceremony.

Garden Club To Make Field Trip

The North Wheeler Garden Club will leave 8:00 o'clock Friday morning, May 25, on a field trip to the Great Plains Field Station, Woodward, Okla., it was announced by Mrs. Jess Moore of the Club.

Any interested persons are invited to go along. All expenses will be paid by the Club. Anyone else desiring to go, please contact Mrs. M. D. M. Bentley, before

'54 Study Club

The '54 Study Club 15th for a family picnic which brought the club close. The next meeting will be held on September 4 at the home of Mrs. Carroll Adams.

Those who enjoyed the picnic were: Mmes. and Mes. Weems, Linda and F. Rogers, Neil, Dale and Carl Adams and Bobby B. Grider and Craig, Linda, C. C. Crowder, Leo Hubble, James and Jim Montgomery, Sammy, Mrs. Dee List and Harold Sivage.

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SCHOOL BUS FOR SALE:

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Summer Homemaking Classes Begin Monday

Mrs. Glen Renter, Home Economics teacher has announced that summer homemaking classes will begin next Monday, May 28, at 9:00 A. M. Classes will be open to adults who care to attend. There will be a Pattern Designing course in which patterns will be made, which may be of special interest to adults. Clothing Construction is also included in this course. Other classes will be Community Home and Yard Improvement on Mondays. Wednesday program will be Food Preparation and Preservation. Leather Craft will be taught on Thursdays. There will be a \$2.00 fee, plus cost of materials of whatever articles is selected to be made in this course only. On Fridays a Nursery School will be held from 9:00 to 11:00 A. M. Anyone having a preschool age child is invited to bring or send them. These classes will continue through three weeks on this schedule. FHA members plan to meet twice during this period. A fourth week will be held about the middle of July.

LOCAL NEWS ITEMS

Mr. and Mrs. Dale Hiatt and daughter of Strong City, Okla., visited in the home of his mother, Mrs. Lavina Hiatt, and grandmother Mrs. Leona Arganbright, Tuesday. Joyce Payne stayed for a week of visiting with her grandmothers.

Harry Wofford, A. B. Crump, Percy Farmer, H. M. Wiley and Max Wiley attended the State Democratic Convention held in Dallas the first part of the week.

Mr. and Mrs. Cliff Bredstreet & Mrs. H. Waiser Sunday visited in Borger, in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Tommie Henderson, and attended the Baccalaureate service.

Mrs. Edna Wright accompanied Mr. and Mrs. Fred Waters and Mrs. Joe Weatherly and children to Amabillo, Sunday where she visited her sisters, Mrs. Ina Young, and Mrs. Winnie Norrid. The Waters and Weatherlys visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Waters. Other guests in that home were Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Waters of Lubbock, Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Waters and son of Happy, and Mr. and Mrs. Doyle Waters of Borger.

Mrs. J. B. Roper has just returned from a three month visit in the home of a son Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Roper and family at Dallas.

POLITICAL ANNOUNCEMENTS

Subject to the action of vote in the Democratic Primary, July 28, 1956.
 For State Representative REP. GRAINGER McILHANY
 For Tax Assessor-Collector THURMAN RIVES B. F. CHANCE, JR. C. G. CANTRELL, Jr.
 For County Sheriff BUS DORMAN
 For Commissioner, Precinct 1 SHELBY PETTIT W. L. (Shorty) ERWIN FRANK LEE LEWIS UNDERWOOD
 For District Clerk MRS. HAROLD SIVAGE nee Rena Johnson
 For County Attorney D. O. BEENE JIM DOUGHERTY, Jr.

Westerfield —

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both were sentenced to two years in the pen. Each was under a five year parole and Judge Goodrich revoked their paroles. Ross was paroled from Gray County and Crosby from Wheeler County. Beck, Westerfield, Ross, Crosby, and Dyer from Dheeler County, along with Bond from Gray County, will be taken today to Huntsville to start their respective sentences. Sheriff Bus Dorman, Deputy Luke Henley, Sheriff John Roney of Collingsworth County and a Deputy from Gray County will make the trip to take the six prisoners to the pen, Mr. Dorman said.

Summer Playhouse —

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Participants of the Playhouse who will participate in "Tommy" are Elvie Williams, Jack Helton, W. A. Tacker, and Carroll Killingsworth. Plans of the group for the summer include two comedies, one drama, and a variety show. Those interested in working in any of the many phases of theatre work are urged to contact Carroll Killingsworth, at once. There are some unassigned parts in all planned productions. A tentative date for the production of "Tommy" has been set for June 12.

ROPING CLUB TO HOLD CONTEST

Wheeler's J. T. Johnson will be among the ropers participating in the roping contest sponsored by the Pampa Roping Club at Pampa Sunday May 27.

Then of the top R. C. A. ropers in the country will meet there to compete in a calf roping contest that offers \$1,000 in prize money, plus one half of the gate.

Sponsors of the event have secured a list of entries that read like a Who's Who in the calf roping business. Toots Mansfield, J. T. Johnson, Junior Vaughan, and Lee Cockrell were first to sign for the event, but that is just a few that will be there.

Each boy will have four calves, and best average time will decide the winner.

In addition to the all-star attraction there will be open jackpot and amateur jackpot events.

Announcer for the contests, which will be staged at Recreation Park, will be H. B. Taylor, Jr., of Pampa who has announced rodeos all over the country.

Admission will be \$1.15 tax included and 50c for children.

Mrs. Beatrice Greenhouse and Dorothy, and Mrs. W. A. Goad, Sr., and Sarah visited in the N. P. Woosley home in Borger Sunday and attended Baccalaureate services that evening.

YOUR Summer Holiday



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Mrs. R. L. McClain had all her children home for Mother's Day. They were: Mrs. Gomer Ayers, Oklahoma City, Okla.; Mr. and Mrs. Robert McClain, Roscoe; Mr. and Mrs. Eugene McClain and son, Terry, Dumas; Mr. and Mrs. Wm. T. McClain and children, Marilyn, Bill of Amarillo; Miss Lillie McClain, Amarillo; Mrs. Bessie Ro-

bertson, Mr. and Mrs. Bob Rodgers, and son, Bobby, Ray McClain, Mr. and Mrs. Christopher McClain, all of Wheeler. Other grandchildren were: Rev. and Mrs. J. C. Bruce, Hermilce; Lt. Carrol McClain, Enid AFB; Mr. and Mrs. Bill Robertson, Amarillo; and two great-grandchildren Cleata and Jimmy Bruce, Hermilce.

CONGRESSMAN WALTER ROGERS

Some 20 Members of Congress including the undersigned, have introduced bills to provide for a 6 year extension of the G. I. Loan Guaranty Program. Although this program has had much criticism from some sources, its basic purpose was highly commendable, and had it been pursued with rigid cooperation between the money interests of this country and the Veterans Administration, much of the criticism directed at it would have never arisen. It is my opinion that the program generally has been highly successful, and the opportunities afforded under it have made a tremendous contribution to the economy of this country. Its results have helped to build one of the greatest bulwarks we have against communism — "home ownership." It is true that there has been some maladministration of the program. We have had our share in the Panhandle. As a matter of fact, I am working on several cases at the present time in which I feel that a veteran is not receiving from the Veterans Administration the consideration Congress intended. I expect to get to the bottom of these cases and see that the responsibility is placed where it belongs.

The money interest of this country have also engaged in some practices which to me are not in keeping with good conscience. I have reference to the excessive discounts that have been charged for handling the G. I. loan paper. The big money institutions have gone entirely too far in exacting tribute for financing these loans. It is true that these extra charges are not directly against the veteran. The reason for this is the law will not permit the veteran to pay these unconscionable charges directly. The truth is that in a substantial number of the G. I. loan cases, the veteran is being indirectly saddled with these excessive charges. In other words he is having to pay a price for the house that is higher than it is actually worth. The difference between the actual worth of the house and what the veteran is having to pay is the amount of the excessive charges being exacted by the moneyed interests of this country before they will finance these loans. For instance, if a veteran is financing his house with a \$10,000 mortgage, and the loan company is requiring a 5 point discount, it will only put up \$9,500 for the \$10,000 mortgage. This means that somebody must pay the \$500. There are instances where this discount has gone much higher.

In other cases the lending institutions have refused to loan money on veterans loan programs because the houses were situated in smaller towns and communities. This required the Congress to set up a direct government loan program to meet the needs of these veterans in the less populated districts.

It is difficult for many of us to understand how these lending institutions can justify their continual preaching of "free enterprise", and the engage in such practices as above related that will eventually destroy free enterprise.

We hope that the G. I. Loan Program will be extended for 6 years and that the bad practices and the maladministration matters will be corrected so that every veteran may have the opportunity to own a piece of America that he so patriotically defended. The ones I have talked to are not asking to be given anything. All they want is a fair and honest opportunity to own a home for themselves and their families and to be treated fairly and honestly in their dealings to obtain such a home.

I sincerely hope that some of these money-changers who seem to be infesting the temple will be awoken to the fact that some of their practices in regard to the VA Program and also FHA Programs are not exactly in keeping with some people's ideas of honesty.

TAXES

Our good friend, Judge Luther Gribble, over at Wellington has written me about a Constitutional Amendment to limit the taxing powers of the Congress on the incomes of the people. Judge Gribble is certainly to be commended for his part at the Democratic Precinct Convention and the County Convention concerning his support of a Resolution asking that the Constitution be amended to so limit income taxing powers. This is a matter that has been before the Congress in several different forms, but Judge Gribble's approach is much more acceptable than some of the others. He recommends that the limitation on the taxing power be graduated so that the taxing power increases as the size of the income increases.

Judge Gribble and I are in agreement that the best way to stop wasteful spending is to limit the power to procure the money through tax channels and to keep a ceiling on the debt-making power. Those who have opposed the limitations on income taxing power take the position that such limitation would tie the hands of government officials to meet emergency defense requirements generally. This argument, of course, falls on its face because the Congress and the President can exercise such powers as may be necessary to meet any emergencies confronting this country. The existence of a real emergency creates the basis for the exercise of governmental power that could subject to government control and domination all of the human and material resources of this nation and its possessions. Let us hope that such an emergency never comes about, but at the same time, let us realize that a power, much greater than the power to tax, would be necessary to meet such an emergency, and that the limitations on the power to tax would not mean that such an emergency could not be met.

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POPPIES BY THE MILLIONS have been produced by the hands of disabled war veterans this year, to be worn in honor of the war dead on Poppy Day. Pictured here is a group at work in a state Soldiers' Home. Poppy Day. Pictured here is a group at work in a state Soldiers' Home, which is guided by volunteers from the American Legion Auxiliary, which finances the work and distributes the poppies. Thousands of veterans have been given employment making the crepe paper poppies in hospitals and homes throughout the country.

SHARON GREEN PLACES THIRD IN STATE CONTEST

Sharon Green, Junior Student at Wheeler High School, placed third in the State Poetry Reading Contest of the 'B' Conference of the State Interscholastic League held in Austin recently. "Silence", by Edgar Lee Masters, was read by Sharon as her selection and "The Fisher's Boy", by Henry David Thoreau was given her for the extemporaneous reading selection at the State Meet.

In order to be eligible for the State Contest, Sharon had placed first in the District Contest held in Wheeler April 13, and then took top honors in the Regional Contest held in Lubbock April 20. There were seven Regional Contest Winners who participated in the State Event.

Sharon, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Roe H. Green of Wheeler, is serving as President of the Student Council has been active in all sports and extra curricular activities, was voted "best all-around girl in Wheeler High for the current year, as well as "most beautiful". She was named Basketball Queen and is a member of the Corral Staff.

Mrs. B. A. Ansted, Mrs. Nora Wadkins, and Mrs. Franklin Johnson and son Gerald all of Dalhart, were here for the graduation of Miss Vinita Johnson. They also visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Johnny Johnson and family here.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Ford and children visited an uncle, Mr. and Mrs. J. D. House, near Memphis over the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Sams of Lakeview visited recently with her sister, Mr. and Mrs. Haskell Weatherly, and with other relatives in Wheeler.

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What kind of cooling equipment will do both the cooling and the humidity control job needed to produce quality? Tests at the Texas Agricultural Extension Service that refrigerative equipment be used, and that, in egg production from 1,800 lay by marketing twice weekly cost, expressed in terms of watt hours used, is only a few cents more than the cost of electricity of eggs cooled. This is cheap insurance for keeping market eggs at top quality. Those who have evaporative egg coolers in high temperatures failed to bring egg temperature down to 55 degrees and humidity control was lacking. Much relative humidity mold to develop on the while too little may cause shrinkage, as much as five to seven days.

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"For better eggs and lower prices, the eggs should be cooled often and cooled evenly," says Herbert "because eggs, like milk, perishable product." Mr. cools the production from 400 hens on his Cloud farm. He uses a twelve-watt cooler. In the picture Mr. left, and Jack Stallings, and Millie feed representative examine cooled eggs.

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lines Training School in Omaha, Nebraska where she will study electronics.

DON OGLESBY is the 18 year old son of Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Oglesby. During his High School days at Wheeler Don has played football two years, basketball three years, baseball three years, track one year. He has been a member of FFA three years, Livestock Judging team for three years, and had a role in the Junior play. Don plans to work after graduation.

SANDRA YVONNE RICHARDSON, 17 year old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. George L. Richardson, has spent her Junior and Senior years at Wheeler. She has been a member of FHA two years, Pep Club two years, Annual Staff, Student Council. She was voted FFA song leader one year, Pep Club President one year, Football Queen one year, Senior Class Favorite, Assistant Class Secretary one year, and has played basketball, softball and volleyball two years. She had roles in the Junior and Senior Class plays and a Playhouse production. Sandra plans to attend Texas Tech college at Lubbock this fall.

PAULA DEAN GREEN, is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Paul Green, has been very active in drama during her high school life, having done outstanding roles in both Junior and Senior Class Plays One-Act Plays in Interscholastic League, and Playhouse productions. She was played on the all-star cast of One Act Plays her Junior year. She has been a member of the Student Council, Pep Club four years, FFA three years, and played softball, basketball and volleyball three years. She was voted Student Council Secretary, and FFA Secretary. Paula plans to marry after graduation.

ROGER TOPPER, the son of Mr. and Mrs. Bill Topper has been a member of the FFA three years, Student Council one year and had roles in the Junior and Senior plays. He played football four years, volleyball two years, baseball two years. Roger was Class Vice President one year and Key Club vice president one year.

ELI BORDEN is the son of Minister and Mrs. E. M. Borden, Jr., during the time he has been a student at Wheeler High he has been on the Corral Staff, Annual Staff and had roles in the Senior and Band Boosters play. He has been a member of the band and participated in baseball and track. Eli plans to attend college after graduation.

MARGARET SUE GAINES is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Cleo Gaines. Sue played basketball three years and has been a member of FHA three years, pep club four years, and annual staff. She was voted FFA song leader, football queen attendant two years, & pep club assistant secretary. Sue had roles in the Junior Class play One-Act Play for Interscholastic League Contest two years and Playhouse productions. Sue plans to marry immediately following graduation.

VINITA JOHNSON is the 18 year daughter of Mrs. L. C. Johnson.



NELDA DEARING, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Elgie Dearing. She is a newcomer to the Wheeler schools, this being her first year here. She came to Wheeler from Higgins, where she was an honor student and active in school affairs. She is third ranking student with a grade point average of 92.33. In her short time in the local school she has won for herself a spot in the hearts of both pupils and faculty. She plans to enter college this fall.

Vinita attended high school at Dalhart 3 1/2 years and while there she was active in choral work, FFA and played basketball one year. At Wheeler High she had a role in the Senior Play, was a member of Corral Staff and Pep Club. Vinita plans to be a clerk-typist or telephone operator after graduation.

WANDA SUE WATERS, 18 year old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Waters, has been FFA president one year, cheer leader two years, football queen attendant one year, member of student council two years, member of Corral Staff two years, class favorite her Sophomore year, member of FHA three years. She played basketball two years and had roles in the Junior and Senior Class Plays. She plans to go to business college.

BARBARA MITCHELL, daughter of Mrs. A. C. Mitchell, has played basketball and volleyball four years, softball three years. She has been a member of FHA four years, Pep Club four years, student council one year, Barbara has been voted Cheer Leader one year, FFA president one year, Pep Club Secretary, "Most Popular", Most Athletic, Most Western and has done outstanding drama work. She had roles in one-act plays two years, and was placed on all-star cast for her role in High Window, had roles in the Junior and Senior plays and Playhouse productions. Barbara plans to marry after graduation.

MELBA JOYCE SIMS is the 18 year old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Lyndon Sims. During her school life, Joyce has been a member of the Mustang Band for 8 years and been active in 4-H Club work for 9 years, winning the Gold Star Girl award in 1955. She has been a member of FHA for four years, played softball two years, basketball and volleyball one year, had roles in the Junior and Senior plays and Playhouse production. She is senior class historian and band secretary. Joyce plans to marry immediately following graduation and also plans to attend Texas Tech this fall.

TROY ELMO RICHARDSON is the son of Mr. and Mrs. T. A. Richardson. He played football two years, track two years, baseball one year, member of Corral Staff one year, FFA three years. Troy had roles in the Junior and

Senior Plays. His plans for the future are indefinite.

CLAUDE COX, Jr., is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Claude C. Cox. He has played football three years, track one year, been a member of FFA three years, Annual Staff, Student Council and had roles in the Junior and Senior Class Plays. Claude's plans for the future have not been completed.

DOYCE WATSON is the son of Mr. and Mrs. L. Watson. He has played football three years, track one year, member of FFA three years. He had roles in the Junior and Senior Class Plays, was voted "Most Popular" and Senior Class Favorite. Doyce is employed at Owen's Service Station.

DENNIE EDWARD BOWERMAN, son of Mr. and Mrs. O. L. Bowerman, has played basketball, baseball and football four years, volleyball and track three years, and tennis two years. He had a role in the Senior Class play and was voted "Most Athletic". Dennie plans to enter college.

AWARDS NIGHT LAST THURSDAY

Last Thursday night was Senior Class Night and the awards for the year were presented by Principal B. Barham.

Valedictorian, Sylvia Lee; Salutatorian, Mildred Ann Slemmer; Scholastic (all A's) Annette Huchison, Sharon Beatty, and Mike Williams.

Athletic, Barbara Mitchell and Jim Porter; Most Active, Joyce Sims and Francis Pride; Scholarships, Sylvia Lee 2, Mildred Ann Slemmer, William Whitener. One of these awards was from the state to the valedictorian, the other three were for the valedictorian, salutatorian and highest ranking boy, given by the Church Related Colleges group on a 4-year basis.

Best all-round awards went to Geraldine and Claude Cox. Citizenship award to William Whitener and Mildred Ann Slemmer. Sharon Green won the C. J. Meek award. Danforth Corp. awards to Sandra Richardson and Francis Pride; Readers Digest Corp. to Sylvia Lee. Sandra Richardson also won the 4-year scholarship award.

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Mrs. Shelby Pettit and son, Maurice, visited another son, Mr. and Mrs. Carroll Pettit in Pampa, Wednesday.

Mrs. Douglas Williams of Lynchburg, Va., is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Moore, Jr. and with other relatives.

Miss Patricia Danell and mother Mrs. Bill Darnell of Lubbock who is visiting here, visited in Pampa Wednesday night.

Mr. and Mrs. George Gandy were Amarillo visitors Thursday.

Mrs. Roy Weatherly spent Monday night and Tuesday visiting her mother Mrs. T. H. Sams and other relatives in Amarillo.

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Mrs. Pearl Earnhart of Vernon was a Wheeler visitor Monday morning.

LITTLE LEAGUE PLANS MADE

The Wheeler-Collingsworth Babe Ruth League will begin baseball early in June and complete all games by the end of August. H. C. Weatherby, the League president announced this week. Bus Dorman was appointed by Mr. Weatherby, to select his own committee and work out a schedule of play for the teams, and also arranged for this steering committee to handle matters of play and rules for awards through out the season.

The Coca-Cola Bottling Company will furnish a suitable trophy again this year for the winner of the League in Wheeler and Collingsworth Counties. They will also provide awards for outstanding players, such as boy making the highest batting average, and other such winnings in regular baseball play. Mr. Dorman and his committee will work out requirements for the winners and the number of awards to be given.

The Wheeler-Collingsworth Babe Ruth League has five teams who have qualified to play this year, one from Kelton, Shamrock and Wheeler and two from Wellington. The League uses boys 13, 14 and 15, years of age. These boys are the right size to play good baseball the leaders feel.

Sunday guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Grider were his two sisters, Lt. and Mrs. M. D. Montrose and Mark, Mrs. Gwen Beavers and daughter, Pamela, of Altus, and a sister-in-law, Mrs. Hal Grider and Victor of Amarillo.

Week end guests in the Jess Moore and W. L. Williams homes were Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Williams, Jr., Mr. and Mrs. Don Beene and Sheryl Kay of Borger.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Mitchell and Bobby Riley of Briscoe are visiting an uncle, Mr. and Mrs. J. N. Tucker and family in Elfrida, Ariz.

Marilyn Kay Smith of Pampa visited Phyllis Callan and other friends in Wheeler, Friday night and Saturday.

Mrs. Buster Callan and daughter, Phyllis, Mrs. J. M. Lile, Mrs. J. A. Callan, and Mrs. Russell Barker of Shamrock, attended the wedding of Miss Gwendol Callan in Pampa, Saturday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Deward Wofford attended the exhibition and formal opening of the Dord Fitz Art Gallery in Amarillo, Sunay.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Pond of Amarillo visited relatives in Wheeler Friday night through Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Parks, Mr. and Mrs. Terrell Gunter visited a friend, Frank Holden, who is a patient in a Mangum hospital and with friends in Granite, Okla., Sunday.

Some Wheeler people who attended the graduation exercises at WTSC, Canyon, Sunday were: Mr. and Mrs. Jud Johnson and Mrs. Bill Chapman, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Kenady, Mrs. D. A. Hunt, Mr. and Mrs. Bob Helton, Mr. and Mrs. H. J. McCormick, and from Briscoe were Mr. and Mrs. Doyle Standlee and Inez and Sharon Hudson, Mr. and Mrs. Elbert Zybach, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Helton, Bill and Jack.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Keahey of Pampa visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Farmer, Thursday and Friday.

Mrs. Dave Turcotte of Pampa is visiting the home of her brother, Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Cole and with other relatives in Wheeler.



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Bible School —
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Classes will be dismissed at 11:30 a.m. each day. Light refreshments will be served the students each day. "Come and join us for a good time in Christain fellowship," the leaders ask. Mrs. Frank Wofford is principal of the school. Mrs. Darrell Taylor is in charge of music, and Mrs. Larry Wofford is school secretary. Department heads are: Nursery, Mrs. Ebb Smith; beginners, Mrs. Hamie Herd; primary, Mrs. John Manning; juniors, Mrs. Cecil Martin; intermediate, Carroll Killingsworth. Teachers include: Mmes. Florence Dodd, Loyd Lewis, Gene Waters, Roy Ford, C. H. Williams, Earl Barnes, Joe Weatherly, Mae Tacker, Dennis Porter, George Gandy, Bill Emith, Johnny Johnson, Buster Callan and Miss Wilma Hefley. The refreshments committee is composed of Mrs. John Holcomb and Mrs. H. E. Weatherly.

Wear A Poppy —
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poppy in honor of the nation's war dead and to make a contribution to the welfare of war's living victims, the disabled veterans and needy children of veterans. Mrs. Isabel Bradstreet president of the Ladies Auxiliary of the West-Passons Post of the American Legion, asks that all persons respond to the appeal and buy a poppy. Price of the poppy is not fixed. Any donation from 10 cents up will be accepted and appreciated. she stated.

Sunday guests in the Edd Riley home at Briscoe were: Patricia Hill, Lola Mae, Vaughn, Jim Skilton, Melton Martin, Sam Daugherty and Sam Randolph, all of Wayland College, Plainview.

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Death Ends —
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dren and nine-grandchildren, preceding him in death were his wife, three children and a brother. Born at Villigen, Switzerland, April 14, 1862, Mr. Finsterwald at an early age was an apprentice carpenter, and after completion of this training, found wages extremely low. Because of that and to avoid compulsory military training, he requested permission from the government to go to Hamburg, Germany, to follow the trade he had learned. This request was refused. He then started thinking of coming to America. In 1882, at the age of 20, he was granted permission and sailed from Le Harve, France. Upon arrival in this country, he went to the home of an uncle in Philadelphia, and found that America was in the midst of a depression, with work scarce and wages low. He was further handicapped by his inability to speak the English language. After 10 months of working at different things, all of which were unsatisfactory to him, he learned that by joining the U.S. Army, he would be supplied with food, lodging, clothes and a small salary, so Mr. Finsterwald did the very thing he had left Switzerland to avoid doing. In May, 1883, he enlisted in the Army. From Philadelphia he was sent to a recruiting school at St. Louis, Mo., then assigned to the 5th Cavalry at Fort Sidney, Neb. Later he was sent to Fort Sheridan at Cheyenne, Wyoming, and

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Wheeler High School has 21 graduates, 12 girls and nine boys. Mr. A. E. Brown is Supt. of Schools, and B. Barham is high school principal. Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Atwell, (Coach and Peggy) are the class sponsors. William Whitener is the highest ranking boy with Francis Pride about one-half point behind. Sylvia Lee is valedictorian with a grade point average of 96. Mildred Ann Slemmer is salutatorian, grade point 93.33 and class secretary. Nelda Dearing is third ranking stu-

dent with a grade point of 92.33. Roger Topper is class president. Claude Cox, vice president. Other members of the class are: Bowerman, Jeraldine Cox, Don Oglesby, Wanda Waters, Paula Doyce Watson, Troy Richardson, Sue Gaines, Sandra Richardson, Borden, Joyce Sims, Vinita Johnson, Barbara Mitchell, and P. Darnell. The group with their sponsors are on a trip to points in Texas and New Orleans, La., this week.

later to Fort Elliott at Mobeetie. These trips were made by wagon train and horseback with one exception. On one trip he developed typhoid, completed his journey in an ambulance and was hospitalized for four months. During his period of service, he was stationed at numerous other places since in the territorial days much of the police work was done by the Army.

After five years of Army service, he did not re-enlist, but instead purchased land east of Mobeetie and later acquired a sizeable acreage in the community.

The Power of Memorial Day

by Dr. Norman Vincent Peale

I had the privilege of growing up in small Ohio communities in the early part of this century, and one of my most inspirational memories centers around Memorial Day and the old soldiers of the Civil War.

To me, Memorial Day was one of the most moving of all the national holidays. I was stirred by the speeches and martial music from the bandstand or cemetery on what we called "Decoration Day." There was something about the newness of life that the Spring had brought; soft sunshine falling on the fresh green grass of early summer, the misty hills in the distance, the sound of stirring national songs, and above all, the softly flapping flag in the gentle breeze as the speaker told us of our country, the deep devotion of its heroes, and recounted once more the stirring episodes of our heroic past.

And many a lazy summer afternoon, I sat on the coping around the old courthouse listening to the veterans of the Civil War tell of their experiences in the epic struggle between the States. A boy's imagination quickly sent him off behind long columns of blue or grey, and to him, such names as Antietam, The Wilderness, Shiloh, and Gettysburg became very real and meaningful.

Those old soldiers used to talk gratefully of Lincoln's insistence that those who had borne the heat of the battle and the burden of the struggle, the widow and the orphan, were to be given not charity, but their rightful due as the dependents of those brave men who had fought to preserve liberty and to keep the Union intact. It was regarded as a sacred duty of the nation, and the nation kept faith with its veterans.

In those days, as now, were many who had been disabled by the struggle. Their ability to compete in life had been reduced by wounds suffered in battle. Even as a boy I remember hearing how it seemed they were thought of only on such days as Memorial Day, when orators, fervent in their patriotism, remembered, if only for a day, the long continuing sacrifice made not by those who had died in battle, but by the disabled who were to live for many years following the great struggle.

The heroes of World War I and World War II and the Korean War are, of course, men who, with no concern for themselves, gave their lives that freedom might live. We can never do them adequate honor. And, we must never forget them. They died in their young life, forsaking the opportunities of the years that the rest of us might live and develop our highest hopes and dreams.

However, there are other living heroes who deprived themselves of either physical, emotional, or mental health for us and for their fellow countrymen. It would be as wrong for us to neglect or forget them as their buddies who today sleep on some Pacific Island or in a European cemetery. A hero dead or a hero maimed and disabled are both due our equal gratitude and our unceasing devotion.

We must never forget that the most effective way of honoring those who have died is to remember the living disabled, that their lives may be rich and full. They are a great asset to our country as the living embodiment of devotion to freedom. A country is recreant indeed which does not everlastingly keep alive grateful appreciation to those who suffered disability to perpetuate everything that we Americans hold dear.

There could be no better time than on Memorial Day to resolve that we shall gratefully support the honored men and women who have suffered disability from the wars of the United States.

(Written especially for the Disabled American Veterans, the Iodine-Tag organization)

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In 1883, he was married to Sophia Schnell with Emanuel Dubbs, Wheeler County Judge, officiating. She also was an immigrant from Switzerland, coming from near the place where he was reared. The two met for the first time, however, in Mobeetie.

Mr. Finsterwald served as president of the bank at Mobeetie and was county commissioner from 1895 until 1902. He assisted in organizing the school at Gageby, serving for 30 years on the board of trustees.

He aided in the progress and development of his chosen community in many other ways and leaves with his family and friends the memory of his fine spirit as a real pioneer.

He was communicant of the Lutheran Church and held a high place in affection, regard and confidence of the entire community.

George Lee Mize, serviceman, who has been stationed in California, is visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Alvis Mize.

Mrs. Dixie Moore and daughter, Vicki, visited her brother, Mr. and Mrs. Millard Sanders at Denver City last week.

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Mobeetie Seniors Relate Events Years Spent In Classrooms

Mobeetie senior class is composed of four boys and four girls, three highest ranking

students of the class, two boys and a girl, have each attended Mobeetie schools all 12 years. In fact all but two members of the class started to school in Mobeetie. Supt. Reaves says that the group will be sorely missed as they go their several ways after graduation. "This is a group of swell kids," he said. "They will have no trouble making a niche for themselves in the world."

Sketches of the seniors follow:
MARION TOTTY, the son of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Totty, was born August 22, 1938, at Wheeler, Texas. His parents and grandparents have resided in the Mobeetie community for many years. Marion, like his parents, has spent his whole life in this community. He entered high school in the fall of 1951 and has lettered in football and basketball all four years of high school & baseball his senior year. He is especially interested in sports, radio, and mathematics. His junior year he was elected pep squad favorite. This year he has served as sports editor of the annual and as president of the Future Farmers of America of the local chapter. Marion is the valedictorian of his class. He plans to attend college next year.

ORA NELL LANCASTER SWARTS is the salutatorian of the senior class of Mobeetie High School. Ora, the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Lancaster, became the wife of Jerry L. Swarts in March of this year. Jerry is the vocational agriculture teacher in Mobeetie. Ora was born March 7, 1938, and she has lived in this community all her life. Ora has had many special honors bestowed upon her during her high school life. As a freshman, she was

chosen as class favorite, and as a Sophomore, she was the class treasurer. In her junior year, she was a pep squad leader, student council representative for the junior class, vice president of FHA and runner-up for football sweetheart. She was sent by the local Lions Club to Lubbock last year as their queen candidate in the district convention there; she has served the past year as the sweetheart of the Lions Club. In her senior year, she was elected as football sweetheart, FFA sweetheart, class secretary, student council secretary, president of FHA of which she was a member for four years. She has been an outstanding basketball player, having lettered all four years.

MAC SHELTON, who has the third highest rank in scholarship in the senior class, is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Shelton, who are longtime residents of the community. Mac was born September 8, 1938, at Wheeler, Texas, and is the youngest boy of the class. He started to school in 1944 and has attended school in Mobeetie ever since. He started participating in sports the first year of his high school school career, and he made the team in football and baseball in his sophomore year. In his junior and senior year he has also made the team in football and baseball, being a valuable player in each sport. Basketball did not appeal to Mac, being a bit "too tame." He served as president of the junior class, and in the same year served as vice president of the local chapter of the Future Farmers of America. He received the honor of being chosen as the local representative to Boys State at Austin, being sponsored by the



The Mobeetie graduating class of 1956 is composed of four boys and four girls. Marion Totty is valedictorian and Ora Lancaster Swarts is salutatorian and class secretary. Mac Shelton is third ranking student and vice president of the class. Wanda Pruitt is class reporter. Other members of the class are: La Verta Harrison, Ellen Hooker, Don Newman and Arthur Don Burke, Class President.

local American Legion Post. In his senior year, he was elected as vice president of the senior class, carnival king, president of the student council, and snapshot editor of the annual. He plans to get an "easy" job as soon as the senior trip is over. ARTHUR DON BURKE, the

son of Mr. and Mrs. Alvis Burke, has attended school in Mobeetie all his life. He was born January 27, 1938, and entered school in September, 1944. He was interested in all types of games the first day he entered school and he has kept that interest alive all through school. He has made the football, basketball, and baseball teams throughout his high school career. (Continued on last page)

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Pictured above are the five members of the Kelton 1956 graduating Class along with their sponsor Ward Alexander and the school Superintendent Joe Bailey. Members of the class are: Virginia Ambler, valedictorian, Wayne Orr, Salutatorian, Rita Eabb, third ranking student, Bill Errington and Phyllis Abernethy.

County School Heads Include Newcomers

A. E. BROWN is completing his fourth year as Superintendent of the Wheeler Public School. He has held Superintendent positions as well as teaching positions in several places in Texas and Oklahoma during his teaching career. He holds a Masters Degree from the University of Oklahoma. Brown is an active civic, community and church worker.

L. R. REAVES, completing his fifth year at Mobeetie, has had 30 years teaching experience. He holds a master's Degree in Administration from WTSC at Canyon; Bachelor's in Math and Science from Texas University and was a member of the Curtain Club there. He is a member of the Amarillo Little Theatre Group and the Palo Duro Players. His hobbies are "Ham" radio and "Ham" acting. His father, mother and all grandparents were teachers.

JOE BAILEY, completing his first year as Superintendent of Kelton School holds a B. S. Degree from West Texas State College. Bailey is junior boys basketball coach and Sophomore Class Sponsor in addition to his administrative duties at Kelton.

D. L. MALLIN, completing his first year as Superintendent at Allison School, holds a three year contract. He has served as Superintendent of Schools at Spearman, Hartley, and Dora, N. M.

DALTON VAUGHAN, Superintendent of Briscoe School, is completing his third year in that position. He had held teaching positions at Quail and Sammorwood before coming to Briscoe. Vaughan will receive his Master of Education Degree this summer from West Texas State College.

LOCAL NEWS

W. D. Chapman of Ed Tuesday through last week in the home of Mrs. Chapman and Mr. and Mrs. Chapman.

George Hefley and Mrs. Buckingham visited another sister at Levelland, Friday day.

Walter and Edgard attended open house at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Franklin.



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KELTON SENIORS BIOGRAPHIES INTERESTING

There are five member of the 1956 graduating class from Kelton High School. Commencement exercises were held May 18 with T. Britt making the address of the evening. Ward Alexander has been sponsor of the Senior Class. Members of the class consists of:

VIRGINIA AMBLER, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Ambler, is valedictorian of her class. Jenny has been secretary-treasurer of her class for four years, class favorite two years, basketball captain and a member of the Annual staff and 4-H club. She played basketball and volleyball four years. She plans to work after graduation.

WAYNE ORR, son of Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Orr, is salutatorian of his class and is planning to enter Texas A.M. College this fall. He has been reporter for his class, social chairman, had role in Junior and Senior class plays. He has attended Kelton School all of his school days.

RITA BABE, the third ranking student of her class, is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. B. Babt. She attended Wheeler School for six years and then finished her school days at Kelton. Rita plans to attend college at Southwestern Bible Institution.

BILL ERRINGTON, son of Mr. and Mrs. Bud Errington, has participated in all sports while attending high school. Part of his school days were spent at Mobeetie and Wheeler.

PHYLLIS ABERNETHY, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Louie Abernethy, has attended Quail and Kel-

ton Schools. She has been a very active member of the "Lions" basketball team. Her plans for the future are indefinite.

GRADE SCHOOL HONOR PUPILS FOR MOBEETIE

L. R. Reaves, superintendent of Mobeetie school announces the two top ranking eighth grade students. Following is a little about each of them.

MARCELLA PATTERSON, valedictorian of the eighth grade of Mobeetie Grade School. She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. Patterson, long-time residents of Mobeetie. She was born December 30, 1941, at Wheeler, Texas. She has attended school each year of her school life in Mobeetie. Her average for this year was 94.88. Her favorite subject is spelling in which her average was 96.5, but her lowest average for the year was only 93.5, made in history. Marcella is an all-round student, being interested in sports, music, and other activities besides classroom work.

JEANETTE MORGAN, the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Bill Morgan, is the salutatorian of the eighth grade. Her average for this year is 94.42. She made her highest average in reading, spelling, and English, but her favorite of all subjects is spelling. Jeanette has lived in Mobeetie all her life, having started to school in the fall of 1948. She especially enjoys playing the accordion and the piano, reading, and all kinds of sports.

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Briscoe Senior's Biographies Told

...we have only ten years year they have had a... Dalton Vaughan said... the closing of acti... the school. These stu... been active in out... in Briscoe as... in the Sum... activities in Wheel... to have had the... helping them get a... education and know... a credit to Briscoe... County", he said.

...player; having won several individual honors, including being named to the All-Regional team this year. Bill participated in all school activities, was a member of the summer Playhouse and plans to work in the Playhouse again this summer. He plans to enter college this fall.

DON MEADOWS, son of Mrs. Barney Burgess, has been outstanding in basketball, making several all-tournament teams and was selected on the All-Regional team his senior year. He has also played baseball, volleyball, softball and been very active in all class activities, an has been a member of the Summer Playhouse. Don is the third ranking student in the class with an average of 90.03.

KAREN BARKER, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Claude Barker, has participated in basketball, volleyball, softball, school plays and has been school pianist for two years. She has been active in 4-H Club work.

EVALYN FILLINGIM, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Leon Fillingim,



BRISCOE SENIORS 1956

The 1956 graduating class of Briscoe high school is composed of six girls and four boys. Wayne Tipton is class sponsor and Dalton Vaughan is superintendent. Joe Hefley, class president, is valedictorian with a grade average of 92.83; Bill Helton, class treasurer, is salutatorian. Christine Helton is vice president of the class, Don Meadows, class secretary and Nelda Fulks, reporter. Other members of the class are: Karen Barker, Evalyn Fillingim, Duane Hays, Joan Helton and Mona Finsterwald.

Briscoe School First To Finish This Year

Baccalaureate Service for the Briscoe Graduating Class was held May 6, at 11:00 A.M. in the school auditorium. Minister E. M. Borden, Jr., of Wheeler Church of Christ, brought the address. Commencement exercises were held May 10, at 7:30 p.m. in the school auditorium. Immediately following graduation the class toured South Texas, Shreveport, and New Orleans. Class sponsors have been Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Tipton.

Wheeler Junior Class Entertains '56 Seniors

The Junior Class of Wheeler High School was host to the 1956 Graduating Class recently on a "Hawaiian Cruise."

The "Hawaiian Cruise" theme of the annual Junior-Senior Banquet was very effectively carried out with "palm trees" being placed around the banquet area. The walls were covered with rock paper and ocean paper while the ceiling was covered with royal blue paper and silver giving a tropical outdoor effect. The serving tables, covered with white cloths and streamers of blue around the edges, were centered with pineapples. The menu consisted of fish sticks, green beans, mashed potatoes, fruit salad, hot rolls, butter, coconut pie and iced tea. Acting as mistress of ceremonies for the occasion was Kay Clemens. Others appearing on the program were: Sharon Green, "Ideals of the Isles"; Phyllis Ricerson, "Aloha-Oe"; Elvie Williams, "Winds and Hurricanes"; Miss King, "Isle of Golden Dreams"; Roger Topper, "Aloha, But Not Goodbye."

The attending were members of the Junior and Senior Classes, high school faculty and school board members.

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has made outstanding accomplishments in 4-H Club Work, having participated in the State Round-Up several times. She has been very active in all sports and other school activities.

DUANE HAYS, son of Mr. and Mrs. Jack Hays, has played basketball, baseball, volleyball and softball. He has been active in all school activities and the Summer Playhouse.

NELDA FULKS, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Fulks, was an outstanding basketball player, being named on several all-tournament teams. She also played volleyball and softball and participated in all school activities as well as the Summer Playhouse.

JOAN HELTON, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jim Helton, participated in volleyball, softball, school plays and other school activities. She has attended Briscoe school twelve years.

CHRISTINE HELTON, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Helton, has served as class officer, participated in class activities and school plays during her twelve years of work at Briscoe.

MONA FINSTERWALD, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Finsterwald, has attended school at Briscoe twelve years. She has been very active in basketball, volleyball, softball, participated in school plays and all class activities.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Walker of Kellierville were Wheeler visitors Friday morning.

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MORE MOBEETIE SENIOR HISTORY

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He became interested in dramatics his first year in high school and he has participated in many plays the last four years. In the interscholastic league one-act play contest last year, he was awarded the medal for best actor of the district. He has had a role in several one-act plays as well as full-length plays. He has been a member of FFA all four years and has held

several offices in the club. He was president of the senior class this year and sports editor of the annual. Arthur Don is undecided as to whether he will attend college or get a job after school is out.

LA VERTA PEARL HARRISON, the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Harrison, was born December 25, 1938, at Carnegie, Okla. She began her education at Carnegie, then moved to Mobeetie in 1950, entering the eighth grade. As to grades, she ranks fourth in her class. She has played basketball two years. She was secretary of her class during her freshman and

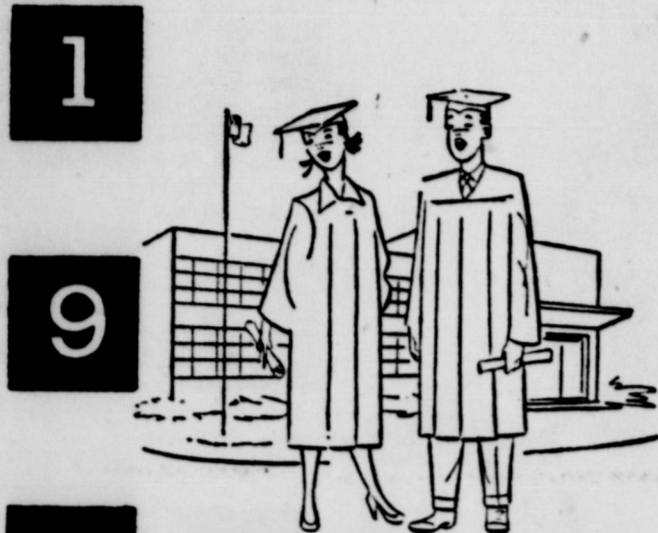
sophomore years. She was a member of FHA for four years, and she has participated in interscholastic league contests each year. In her senior year, she was pep squad leader, student council reporter, annual editor, carnival queen, and class reporter. Le Verta has been chosen the queen candidate for the Mobeetie Lions Club and will attend the district convention in Amarillo May 17, 1956. She plans to take a beauty course and become a beautician.

WANDA SUE PRUITT, is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. D. C. Pruitt. She was born May 20, 1938, at Wheeler, Texas. Wanda began her education at Briscoe School in 1944 and entered Mobeetie School at mid-term in 1954 in her sophomore year. She has lettered in basketball all four years and has been a member of the Dramatic Club for three years. In the interscholastic league one-act play contest this year, she has taken part in several plays during her high school life. Wanda was reporter for her class during her junior and senior years and was the carnival queen candidate for the junior class last year. She has held an office in the FHA for the last two years. She was class favorite and typist for the annual this year. She has not made definite plans for the future as yet.

ELLEN HOOKER is the third daughter to graduate of the six daughters of the Vernon Hookers. She is now seventeen years old, having been born July 8, 1938. Ellen has attended school in Mobeetie only, her parents being long-time residents of this community. She has been a member of the pep squad and FHA for four years. She was an officer in FHA during her junior year. Ellen did an excellent job as assistant editor of the annual this year. She plans to go to New Mexico after the senior trip where she expects to go to work.

DON NEWMAN was born August 17, 1938, being the third son of Mr. and Mrs. Johnnie Newman. He has attended school all twelve years in Mobeetie. Don has especially interested in all types of sports and has lettered in football, basketball, and baseball the last three years. He has served most of the time as pitcher for the baseball team this year and to date, he has brought rather easy victories for his team. Don is the quiet type and he wants a job where he won't have to do much of the talking.

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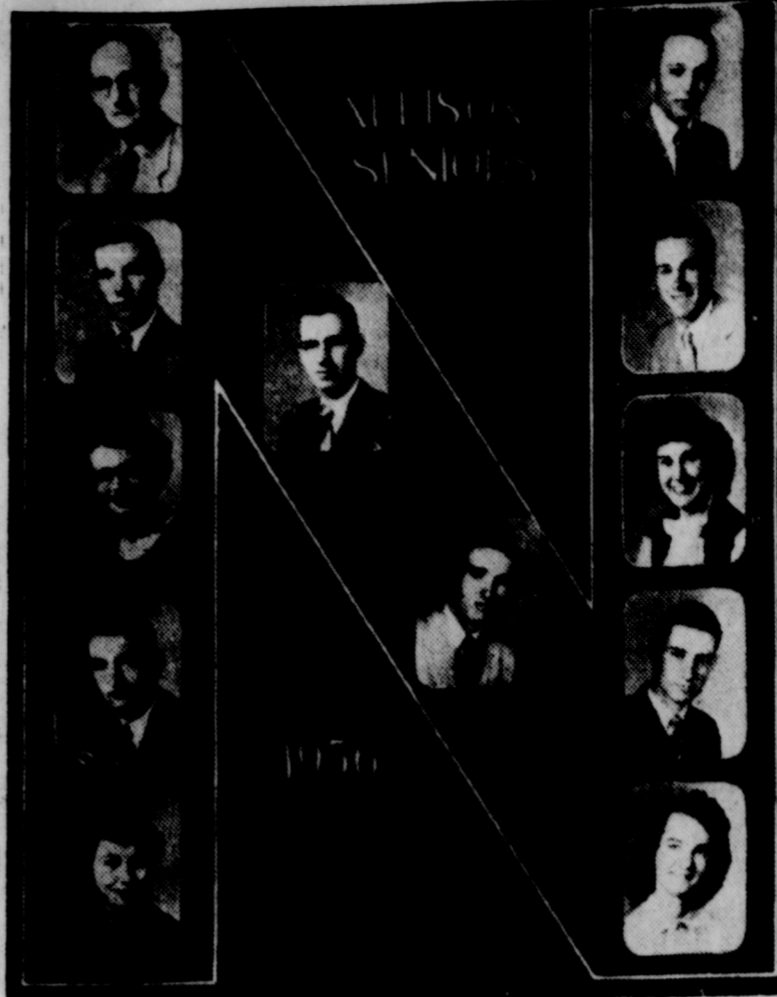
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Pictured above are the 11 members of the Allison Senior Class of 1956, along with D. L. Malin, school superintendent, Gene Levitt, class secretary-treasurer, was valedictorian, Vance Boydston, salutatorian, Billy Aaron, class president, Jimmy Levitt, vice president. Other members of the class are: Bonnie Inman, Edwin Begert, Roland Morse, Adeline Williams, Geraldine Fish Townsley and Jimmy Wallace. Also pictured is Glennis Markham who got married and dropped out of the class.

Allison Seniors Tell

When the picture was taken for the Allison Senior group the class contained 11 members. Later one married and dropped out of school so at the close of school only ten members remained. Four of them are married and two more expect to be in the near future.

D. L. Malin, superintendent, says he is proud of this group of young men and women and of the fact that although many of them had assumed great responsibilities they found time, and saw fit, to complete their high school career.

Sketches of the Allison seniors giving their immediate plans and an insight into the past follow:

GENE LEVITT, son of Mr. and Mrs. Carl Levitt, is valedictorian of the Allison Senior Class, with a grade average of 93. He was active all four years in basketball and baseball was secretary of FFA three years, a member of the band one year and was secretary-treasurer of the Senior class and Annual Editor. He plans to enter Texas Tech next fall.

VANCE BOYDSTON is the son of Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Boydston, and the salutatorian of the graduating class. His grade average was 90. He participated in Band for three years, in FFA three years, acting as reporter for FFA, and took part in the Senior play. His plans are to attend business college in Amarillo.

BONNIE INMAN, who makes her home with Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Brown, ranked third highest with a grade of 88. Bonnie was active in FHA three years, and Layout and Art Editor for the Annual and had a role in the Senior play. She plans to be married soon.

EDWIN BEGERT, whose parents are Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Begert, served as Layout Manager and Feature Writer for the Annual, was active in baseball and basketball, four years, band four, a member of FFA three years, and took part in the Senior play. He plans to go to Junior College at Sayre, Okla.

ROLAND MORSE, son of Mr. and Mrs. K. E. Morse, played basketball four years and baseball three, participated in FFA work four years acting as Treasurer three years, was Snapshot Editor of Annual and had a role in the Senior play. His plans for the future include attending Junior College at Clarendon.

ADELINE WILLIAMS, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Williams, took part in FHA activities, played volleyball and was a member of the band all four years of her high school life. She was also secretary-treasurer of the Band and Advertising Manager of the Annual, and had a part in the Senior play. She plans to be married soon.

BILLY AARON is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Bill Aaron and is married. He was on the basketball and baseball teams all four years, a member of FFA four years, two years as president, was president of the Senior class, Boy Sports Editor of Annual and a member of the Senior play cast.

JIMMY LEVITT, who is also married, and the son of Mr. and Mrs. M. K. Levitt, played basketball, and baseball four years, member of FFA three years, a vice president of that organization, also vice president of the Senior class, took part in the Senior play was a member of the band four years and was Annual Circulation Mana-

ger. GERALDINE FISH TOWNSLEY the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ira Fish, is the wife of Charles Townsley, she was a member of FHA for three years, Art Editor of the Annual and had a part in the Senior play.

JIMMY WALLACE, whose parents are Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Wal-

lace, is also married. He was on the basketball and baseball teams all four of his high school years, and a member of the FFA for three years. He also had a role in the Senior play and was assistant Editor of the Annual. GLENNIS MARKHAM, also pictured in the Allison group, was a member of this graduating class until she married and dropped out of school during the year. Mr. and Mrs. Carr, daughter of Pampa, were visitors Friday. Mr. and Mrs. John family visited relatives over the week end.



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