

TEXAS PRESS NEWS

DEATH TOLL MOUNTS ON TEXAS HIGHWAYS

TEXANS ARE KILLING MORE TEXANS

It's INSANE to be Unsafe!

WITHOUT SPAPER

As a whole was well above last year, many Detroit stores did less business. The lack of newspapers was responsible.

Again, the merchants faced a fresh problem at post-holiday sale time. They had bargains and specials to offer as usual — but moving them was another matter, without newspaper advertising space.

The community problems that arise from lack of newspapers are certainly not limited to the big cities. The smaller towns are equally dependant upon the weeklies and dailies that serve them. In the small town, especially, the newspaper is a running record of its history — a thread that constantly touches the lives of all the people who live there. And, despite the newer media, it remains the most effective means of advertising for merchants and others.

Infinitely more important, the newspaper, small or large, is a guardian of our rights and liberties which is always on duty.

Wheeler Drug offers a complete line of veterinary medicines for farmers and ranchers.

Paul Macina of the Pakan community was a Wheeler business visitor, Monday.

ON THE RECORD

ASSIGN OF GAS RIGHTS—Hal H. Vaughan to Walter Pendleton, Jr., 12-28-55 Secs 55.50, 29, 28 Blk 23

MODIF OL—J. W. Buckingham et al to Phillips Petroleum Company 1-9156 SW 1/4 Sec 12 Blk A-7

GUARDIAN'S D—Glenda Rue Brown et al to J. D. Morgan 1-9-56 1/2 Int Lot 6 Blk 59 Shamrock, WSSA

D—Leo H. Moore et ux to Edward Richard Moore et al 1-12-56 N120ac of NW 1/4 Sec 53 Blk A-8 exc minerals

DJ. B. Wilkinson et ux to Frank E. Howell 1-14-56 Lots 2, 3 Blk LV Shamrock

D—Ben Parks et ux to R. A. Dodgen 1-13-51 140'x150' W 1/2 NW 1/4 Sec 37 Blk 17

AOL—David H. Mitchell to Roy Barker Drilling Company 1-16-55 E 1/2 S 1/4 SE 1/4 Sec 11 Blk 27

ROY—O. J. Walker to J. H. Jackson et al 1-12-56 SW 1/4 & NE 1/4 NE 1/4 & SW 1/4 SE 1/4 Sec 11 Blk 17

D—Walter Pendleton et ux to E. D. Hemphill et ux 1-9-56 S 60' Lot 3 Blk 40 Shamrock

D—P. E. Starr to Eva Davis Starr 12-31-55 Sec 64 Blk 13

AOL—Tom Brown et al to Creless Oil Co. 1-11-56 SW 1/4 Sec 53 Blk 13

OL—L. L. Stalls et ux to Frank M. Farley 10-20-55 SE 1/4 Sec 72 Blk 23

OL—Raymond J. Lane to Frank M. Farley 10-15-55 NE 1/4 & E 1/2 NW 1/4 Sec 60 Blk 23

OL—Olen Davis et ux to Frank M. Farley 10-20-55 S 1/2 & NE 1/4 SW 1/4 Sec 61 Blk 23

OL—Troy E. Corbin et ux to Frank M. Farley 11-7-55 100 ac E 1/4 Sec 61 Blk 23

OL—Robert P. Evans et ux to Frank M. Farley 11-7-55 Pt E 1/2 Sec 61 Blk 23

D—Aubrey Downs et ux to J. D. Rutherford et ux 1-18-56 Lot 10 Blk 36 Wheeler

CD—W. M. Lisle to Janet Lavoock 1-2-56 Lot 14 Blk G Row 2 Shamrock Cem, Lisle Adn

CD—W. M. Lisle to Louise Coffman 1-1-56 Lot 15 Blk G Row 2 Shamrock Cem, Lisle Adn

D—A. S. Martin et ux to J. B. Christner 7-9-55 Lot 9 Blk 69 Shamrock, WSSA

WATER PERMIT—State of Texas to T. G. Furry 1-13-56 194.78 ac Sec 28 Blk A-3

D—J. N. Daniels to Clara Selby 7-20-36 Lot 8 Blk 115 New Mobeetie

HOMESTEAD DESIGN—Brooks McLaughlin et ux Federal l d bk of Houston 1-16-56 NW 1/4 & E 1/2 1/3 ac SW 1/4 Sec 87 Blk A-5



TEXAS LEGIONNAIRES FIGHT POLIO—State Commander Charles L. Downey inserts the first dime in the big "Join the March of Dimes" coin boards that have been placed in every Legion Hall in Texas for the 1956 polio appeal (Jan. 9-31). Mrs. Minnye Lyle, state secretary for the Legion Auxiliary, right, is head of the mammoth project. Texas Legion posts also are holding suppers, dances and parties for the benefit of the March of Dimes during January.

Public Service Reports Growth

Continued growth and expansion within its 45,000 square mile service area will make it necessary for the Southwestern Public Service Company to spend more than \$12,000,000 for new construction in 1956, it has been announced by A. R. Watson, executive vice president and general manager of the electric light and power company.

"Growth goes on in this territory — and does our need to keep abreast of the continuing demands for service of our customers. Although we have spent more than \$160,000,000 in the last 10 years, we must continue our construction and expansion at a high peak to assure adequate electric power for all parts of our region," Mr. Watson said.

Southwestern Public Service Company's investment in plant and equipment to serve its customers has increased by 406% in the last 10 years, compared to a national increase by electric light and power companies during this decade of 115%. As a result of this recent rapid growth, 80% of the Company's equipment is ten years old or less, one of the highest percentage of new equipment in the electric industry.

During the same decade, the average cost of a kilowatt-hour of electric service for a residential customer has decreased 14% because of increased use of electricity in the area's homes and improved operating efficiency by the company, which has seen great increases in its operating costs during the same period.

Electric power is becoming increasingly more important to the region, and we have been charged with the responsibility of assuring plenty of power for all — economically and efficiently. We look forward to the privilege of being a part of the region's continued prosperity", Mr. Watson concluded.

Ed. Parsley of Oklahoma A.&M., Goodwell visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. F. A. Parsley over the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Doyle Waters of Borger visited with his parents Mr. and Mrs. Fred Waters awhile Sunday afternoon, they were enroute to Perry, Okla., where he will assist with the opening of a new store.

Your dollar buys more quality merchandise at Wheeler Drug 49-c



Help rebuild lives

Join the MARCH OF DIMES

January 3 to 31

CICERO SMITH LUMBER COMPANY

AFTER INVENTORY SALE

STOREWIDE CLEARANCE

of odds and ends!

All this week!

During this sale only

NO-REFUNDS NO SALE for RESALE

GALVANIZED PIPE 3/4" . Ft.	16c
ELECTRIC FENCE CONTROLLER HOL-DEM	24.95
With Weed Chopper	
CLAYTON and LAMBERT BLOW TORCHES	6.75
29 GAUGE Per Sq.	9.95
CORRIGATED IRON	149.95
COLEMAN With Blower, Single WALL HEATERS	INSTALLED
WINDMILLS	85.00
6 Ft. AEROMOTER	1.44
SHEET-ROCK 1/4 INCH 4x8 PER SHEET	1.60
3/8" 1/2"	1.76
CEDAR SHINGLES No. 2 Per. Sq.	8.00
FELT 15 and 30 Lb.	2.60
FRY-PER ROLL	2.60
90 LB ROLL Rfg.	2.60
FRY-PER ROLL	2.60

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'54 Study Club News

The '54 Study Club met Tuesday aJanuary 17 in the home of Mrs. Cecil Denson.

Mrs. Carroll Adams was in charge of the program on Library Service of the Local Library and Mrs. H. B. Grider discussed "Spotlight on Library Service" which included articles on library public relations and books mobiles.

Members present were: Mmes. Leo Hubble, J. M. Montgomery, Carroll Adams, H. B. Grider, Geo. Weems and Dee Liston.

The next meeting will be held in the home of Mrs. L. H. Davidson on February 7, 1956.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Barnes and daughters attended the funeral of Mr. E. W. Marrs, at Iowa Park, Saturday. Mr. Marrs was the grandfather of Mrs. Barnes and Mrs. Carroll Pettit. They also visited with relatives at Wichita Falls over the week end.

Some Wheeler people who attended the Kiwanis Installation and Ladies Night Banquet in Borger, Friday night, were: Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Meek, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Britt, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Garrison, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Wofford, Mr. and Mrs. Grainger McIlhany and Rev. and Mrs. Carlton Thomson.

Wheeler's complete Drug Store — Wheeler Drug. If it is available, we have it. 49-tfc

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on all

- Oil Filter Elements
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- Spark Plugs
- Tires
- Tubes
- Piston and Sleeves
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- Lister Shares
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9 Foot Widths and 12 Foot Widths also 9x12 foot light weight LINOLEUM RUGS at \$6.95

6 foot widths Inlaid

We Will install inlaid floor covering at an extra charge.

ERNEST LEE HARDWARE

Furniture - Rugs - Radios - Hardware

Wheeler, Texas

Another Big Show

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Friday, Jan. 27

FREE LUNCH FREE SHOW

Come and Stay All Day

Used Equipment

SC CASE Tractor on Butane, Good Rubber, good shape with 2-row Equipment

F-20 FARMALL with Power Lift and 2-row Equipment

2-Bottom 12" DRAG TYPE BREAKING FLOW.

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Diad 3212 Wheeler West on Highway 152

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CICERO SMITH LUMBER COMPANY

ALLISON NEWS

Mrs. Lester Levitt

Mr. and Mrs. D. Malin and children were dinner guests in the Ernesst Begett home Sunday.

Darrell Harrison and family from Amarillo visited in the Bruce Harrison home and John Gilmer home Sunday.

Mrs. Bob Markham had major surgery at the Wheeler hospital Tuesday. She is recovering nicely and will be home soon.

Mrs. Zeland Rainey and children returned to the home at Sunray Friday after spending several days here in the parental George Park-er home.

Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Levitt from Amarillo and Eldee Forsythe and family from Oklahoma City visited in the M. K. Levitt home recently. Mrs. John Megee visited her mother who has been seriously ill at Morton, Texas recently.

Lyn Brown and family from Dumas spent the week end here with Mr. and Mrs. Joe Walsh and Charley Brown.

Mr. and Mrs. M. Bill visited her mother Mrs. W. B. England at Erick, Okla., Sunday.

Ernest Begett and family and Mrs. Millard Donaldson were in Sayre, Okla., Wednesday for dental reasons.

Mrs. Millard Donaldson returned home recently from Cleveland, Ohio where she visited her son Johnny and family and her daughter, Mae Donaldson. The Johnny Donaldsons have a new baby girl born Christmas Eve.

Leonard Powledge and family visited Sam Powledge at Briscoe Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Greenwood from Amarillo spent the week end here with the Ray D. Brown family.

W.S.C.S. met Wednesday night at the Methodist Church.

Mr. and Mrs. Archie Dillon have as their home guests this week Mr. and Mrs. Jessie Dillon from Sioux City, Iowa.

Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Wallace visited in the Ernest Wallace home Sunday.

Mrs. Archie Dillon received treatment at Wheeler Monday for burns around her face caused when she lit the oven.

Several of the EFA boys attended the fat stock show at Amarillo Monday.

Slim Ducts Save On Installation



When new forced warm-air heating is installed in an existing house, a system that uses 3 1/2-inch-diameter round ducts to carry warm air from the furnace to the rooms saves extensive cutting into walls and the resulting job of room redecoration.

In developing the 3 1/2-inch tubes, the Coleman Company was guided by the fact that no larger size will fit within the standard wall framed with 2 x 4 studs. A 2 x 4 actually measures 1 1/2 x 3 1/2 inches. The 2-inch by 4-inch measurement applies only when the lumber is "in the rough," before it is dressed at the mill.

To install a 3 1/2-inch tube in a wall, a round hole is cut at ceiling level and another at floor level. The tube can be pushed through from one to the other.

gotten off to a good start on our year's visitation program. Let's keep it up.

Sanders-Beaman Vows Read At The First Baptist Church Here Sunday

In a double ring ceremony performed in the First Baptist Church, Wheeler, at 4:30 p.m. Sunday, January 22, Miss Juanita Sanders became the bride of Rev. Bob Beaman, pastor of the West Center Baptist Church of Brownwood, Texas. The vows were read by Rev. Raymond Sanders, brother of the bride, Assistant pastor also of the West Center Baptist Church at Brownwood.

The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Murry Sanders, and a graduate of the Wheeler High School with the class of '55, and is a student at Howard Payne College, Brownwood.

The groom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Beaman of 309, 36th St., Galveston. He is also a student at Howard Payne College.

The church was decorated with an altar arrangement of white Valencia mums, alter baskets of emerald, and jade huckleberry, lemon leaf and plumosus, backed by white tapers in candleabra. Mrs. A. E. Brown, at the piano played traditional music and accompanied Frank Wofford who sang, "Because," "Always" and "The Lord's Prayer." Mrs. Lyndon Sims played the organ.

Betty Sue Beaman, sister of the

groom, attired in blue taffeta and a corsage of white carnations, and Maline lit the candles.

Mrs. Beaman was attended by her sister, Mrs. Dixie Moore as Matron of Honor and Mrs. Janet Sanders, sister-in-law, both in blue taffeta, waltz length dresses, carrying Colonial bouquets of white carnations and blue maline.

Buddy Beaman served his brother as Best Man and Glen Sanders brother of the bride, acted as Groomsman.

Rev. Bob Ameron of Brownwood and Jimmy Goad ushered.

Given in marriage by her father, the bride wore a princess dress of white satin, fashioned with a long train and lace bodice. Her fingertip length veil fell from a coronet of white satin embroidered with seed pearls. She carried a white Bible topped with a white orchid showered with bridal satin.

For her daughter's wedding, Mrs. Sanders chose a navy blue dress, her accessories were navy and white and she wore a corsage of white carnations. The groom's mother was attired in slate blue taffeta, white accessories and a corsage of white carnations.

Following the wedding, a reception was given in the church

reception rooms by the bride's parents. The serving table was centered with an arrangement of white Valencia mums, candles and greenery. Mrs. Lindon Sanders, assisted by Mrs. Peggy Pater, Brownwood, served while Miss Wanda Sue Waters poured. Miss Billy Combs, of Brownwood, presided at the guest book. About 100 attended.

For traveling Mrs. Beaman chose a suit of aqua with white accessories and wore the orchids from her bridal bouquet.

After a short wedding trip to Carlsbad, New Mexico, the couple will be at home at 1608 Austin Avenue, Brownwood.

were present a family dinner preceded the open house.

Mr. Meek and Miss Ether Minor were married in December 1965 in Forrestbury, Texas. They moved to Wheeler County in 1917. In 1927 they moved to Hemphill County and have lived there since.

The serving table was covered with a lace tablecloth over a gold background. The tired wedding cake was topped with the golden numerals "50" which was centered under a white archway and decorated with golden balls and wedding bells. An arrangement of gold mums in front of a gold edged white heart also decorated the room.

Families Part in Civil Additional literature each member.

At the conclusion of program, an auction sale with the proceeds to March of Dimes. Auction was received.

Mrs. Lou Dean Doust served tasty refreshments. Mrs. Vitoia Parcker, Emma Rogers, Irene Zybach, Lois Hubbard, Zybach, Mary M. Dodd, Finsterwald.

The next meeting is for February 7. Visitors ways welcome.

Edward E. Meeks Observe Anniversary

Mr. and Mrs. Edward E. Meeks recently observed their 50th wedding Anniversary by holding open house in their home.

Helping their parents celebrate the occasion were Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Meek, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Meek, Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Meek, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Meadows, Carnes Meek of Odessa and Wayne Meek. Two children Clinton Meek of Grand Fork, N. Dak., and Mrs. Paul Cyphers of Odessa, Texas, were unable to attend. There are 15 grandchildren and 2 great grandchildren. 11 grandchildren

Briscoe HD Club Meets In Club House

Briscoe Home Demonstration Club met Tuesday, January 17, at the Club house with Mrs. Essie Finsterwald, president, in charge. Standing committees for the year were appointed with committee goals to be submitted at the next meeting.

Club goals are also to be decided at the next meeting. A committee was appointed to plan food to be sold at Mrs. Muse's Farm Sale in February.

Mrs. Jane Kiker, Civil Defense Chairman gave a very interesting and informative talk on the "Rural

Stitch And Chat Met In Childress

The Stitch and Chat met recently in the home of L. S. Childress. Mrs. W. vice president, conducted in the absence of Mrs. Williams. Roll call was by Crouch, Secretary.

Members have completed quilts recently and another one.

Refreshments of cake were served to Mrs. Bowen, S. D. Conwill, Jr., Claud Crouch, Dick L. Bean, George Warr, Whitely, C. H. McCarty, Walser and the hostess.

Quick-Fix Meals



Only a wee bit o' meal plannin' time with our Quick-to-fix foods.

JIFFY CAKE MIXX
LARGE 9 OZ. PACKAGE 10¢



GOOD VALUE CHILI BEANS 2 NO. 300 CANS 23¢

GOLD MEDAL Flour 25 lb. Sack \$1.00
FREE Spun Aluminum Salt and Pepper Shaker

DINTY MOORE BEEF STEW 24 OUNCE CAN 39¢

I. G. A. FRUIT COCKTAIL 2 NO. 300 CANS

MEAT OR CHICKEN VARIETY CAMPBELLS SOUP CAN

LEAN PORK STEAK I.G.A. TABLERITE 2 LB. Bacon 6 Carrot 2-1 LB. CELLO BAGS 2 RUSSET THRIFT PACK POTATOES 10 LBS.

ARMOUR'S CHILI 2 NO. 300 CANS 53¢

ARMOUR'S STAR HICKORY SMOKED HAMS SHANK CUT L.B. 35¢ BUTT END L.B. 39¢

SUNSHINE CRISPY Crackers 1 LB. BOX 25¢

WINESAP Apples 3 LB. BAG 29¢

STOCK YOUR FREEZER AT THESE LOW PRICES!

MARINER FROZEN PERCH FILLITS L.B. 35¢

SNOW CROP FROZEN STRAWBERRIES 4 10-OZ. PKGS. \$1.00

GOOD VALUE MARGARINE 2 LBS. 35¢

Save Valuable IGA Red Stamps—Double

CLAY Food Store

KIWANIS NOTES

David brought another good program Monday at the regular luncheon meeting of the Wheeler Kiwanis Club held in the Fellowship Hall of the Methodist Church here.

T. M. and Harry made an excellent team when carrying on the forum on: "In your opinion what is the biggest problem facing our nation today. And what solution can you offer?"

Both speakers agreed that there was more than one problem and cited two which they agreed were major. One the Farm Problem which affects about 10 per cent of the population of this United States and is vitally important to Wheeler's well being. The other, Spiritual emphasis. They cited the need to place the proper emphasis on spiritual things rather than too much material interest.

Thurman reported the club made \$69.05 on the magic show sponsored earlier this month.

C. J. Harry, Grainger, Tom, Jack, Carlton and their wives all attended the installation at the Berger club last week so we have

THAT'S A FACT

WHICH WAY
WHEN JOHN ADAMS (FUTURE PRESIDENT) AND HIS WIFE ABIGAIL, JOHNEYS' FROM PHILADELPHIA TO WASHINGTON, D.C., THE THEN NEW CITY OF THE NATION COULD BE REACHED ONLY THROUGH A WILDERNESS ROAD IN SHORT ORDER THE ADAMS WERE HOPELESSLY LOST!

KING OF THE SEAS

CHAMPIONS OF THE SEAS IN THE 1800'S WERE AMERICAN SHIPS BUILT BY EDWARD COLLINS. THEY ESTABLISHED SPEED RECORDS ACROSS THE ATLANTIC, BEATING OUT THE BRITISH LINERS.

THE SAVINGS BONDS PROGRAM GIVES EVERY INDIVIDUAL AND EVERY FAMILY A CHANCE AT HAPPINESS THAT GOES WITH FINANCIAL INDEPENDENCE. IT ENABLES EVERY CITIZEN TO SAVE ON A SAFE AND SYSTEMATIC BASIS AND THEREBY TO CONTRIBUTE TO THE ECONOMIC STABILITY OF HIS COMMUNITY AND THE NATION.

WANT ADS

50c per line (counting 5 words to line) for first insertion; minimum charge 60c; 15c per line after first time. Charge 45c. Reader ads scattered among local items in each insertion. Display class 90c inch.

ADVERTISING — National rate 56c per inch; advertising 50c per column inch; 45c if 5 inches or more every week in the month or 140 inches in calendar month; 40c if 20 inches is run every week or 200 inches in calendar month; 40c when same ad is re-run; 40c per inch for monthly cards.

FOR SALE—quartersetion of land. \$35 an acre. G. I. Loan. S. B. Conwell. 7-2tp

FOR SALE—Registered Guernsey Bull 2 yrs. old. From McDonald Stock. Pampa 47550 7-2tp

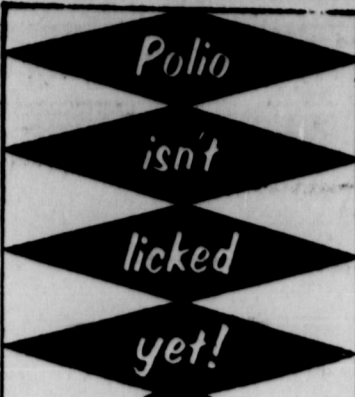
MISCELLANEOUS

FOUND—Hereford Bull M marked in right ear. owner call Bob Henderson, Dial 2275 or 2273 Wheeler. 7-1tp

Furnished apartment for rent Call Wheeler Gas Office, phone 2771. 1-1tc

Monuments, Markers, Grave Covers, Curbing, Surface Burial Vaults, Will Warren. 4-1tc

Hotel for sale or trade for land. Contact W. C. Stallcup, 109 E. 4th. St. Shamrock, Texas. 6-2tp



Join the **MARCH OF DIMES** January 3 to 31

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to express our heartfelt appreciation for the many words of comfort, kind deeds, delicious food, cards and letters of encouragement and beautiful floral offerings we received during the illness and death of our beloved husband, father and brother. May the Lord richly bless you all in our sincere prayer.
Ms. C. H. Starkey
Mr. and Mrs. Harold Starkey
Mr. and Mrs. C. Killingsworth
Alamo Starkey
Bryan Starkey

Newspaper Advertising Dept

COUNTY CROP INCOME GIVEN

A chart in the Amarillo Sunday Globe-Times shows that Wheeler County had an income from crops of \$4,055,000 in 1955.

A break-down of the figures shows that \$900,000 of that amount was received from grain sorghums, \$2,175,000 from cotton, \$50,000 from wheat and \$930,000 from other crops such as alfalfa and various grass seeds.

Not included in the farm income totals were returns from beef cattle, dairy products, swine and poultry.

The chart shows that the county produced 600,000,000 pounds of grain sorghums, 11,744 bales of cotton and 25,000 bushels of wheat.

The information also revealed that Wheeler County has 1,200 acres under irrigation.

Total crop income from other counties in this area:

Childress \$3,654,000; Collinsworth \$5,580,000; Cottle \$4,945,000; Donley \$2,399,250; Gray \$1,173,500; Hall \$9,952,000; Hemphill \$388,350; Roberts \$175,448.

LOCAL NEWS ITEMS

Bring your doctor's prescription to Wheeler Drug for accurate service. 49-1tc

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Siegmund attended the Stock Show at Amarillo, Sunday.

Mrs. Ed Little of Canadian is visiting her sister Mrs. Tom Muse and sons, in the Briscoe community.

The Rev. and Mrs. M. B. Smith and family of Pampa visited in Wheeler last Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Lancaster shopped the markets in Dallas, Monday.

Mrs. Henry Werner and Marilyn of Amarillo visited in the Paul Green home Sunday.

Arden Kenady of WTSC is spending a few days with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Kenady.

Visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Jess Moore over the week end were her mother, Mrs. Nell Ashley and sister, Mrs. James T. Green of Amarillo.

Age of Home Cloaked by New Roof

Remodeling lopped a half century from this 60-year-old house. More gracious living was the result, plus better appearance.

Basically, this 6-room bungalow was similar to many thousands of other houses scattered throughout the country. The owner, Miss Helen Maletz, of Pittsburg, Kansas, was born in the house. Though linked to it by sentiment, she wanted to make a number of specific improvements.

She decided that because the house was large enough for her, she'd spend her remodeling funds solely to gain convenience and better appearance. She hired a reliable local contractor to carry out her ideas.

The first item of business was the roof. It reflected the extravagances of the late Victorian period—false dormers and other gewgaws. Miss Maletz had the contractor build a new roof with clean lines. She covered it with green asphalt shingles. The roof color was to set the central color theme for the remodeling.

The covered porch was transformed into a sun porch with movable glass louvers. This modern note was continued in the side walls by installing new ponderosa pine window units with modern horizontal panes. The windows, completely weather-stripped and chemically treated, do not stick. The walls of the house were re-sided with buff-colored brick veneer.

Costs for the interior remodeling were reduced by keeping intact the load-bearing walls. The non-load-bearing partition be-



Size and location are the only two features the attractive remodeled house, above, has in common with its predecessor, right. A clean new roof line was the key to the improved appearance. The porch became a sun-room and its roof was raised to be consistent with the main roof.

tween the living room and dining room was removed. This opened the way for a 28-foot by 16-foot living room. The living room was decorated in subdued green. This repeated the green color of the roof and tended to unify the exterior-interior decorating schemes. Ceilings in the house were lowered. Wall-thick insulation plus

a new gas heating unit were installed, reducing heating costs. New hardwood floors were laid throughout the house.

The kitchen got a good share of the remodeling dollar. Modern cabinets and electric appliances were installed. Both the kitchen and bathroom walls were tiled in yellow.

INCOME TAX ADVICE GIVEN MILITARY MEN

Military personnel enjoy certain benefits under the income tax law, W. C. Bowen, officer in charge of the Internal Revenue Service in Pampa, announced today.

Such items as subsistence and rental allowance, the government's part of the family allowance, state bonus, mustering out pay, uniform allowance, gratuity pay, and National Service Life Insurance dividends, are not taxable and should not be included on the return.

Lump sum payments received by Air Corps Reserve officers in termination of service under Act of June 16, 1936, are not considered mustering out pay and are therefore taxable.

Compensation for services, longevity pay, and reenlistment bonus, are taxable and are usually included in the amount shown on the Form W-2, he explained.

Those persons who complete the long Form 1040 and itemize deductions on page 2 may deduct amounts expended for insignia and attachments for the uniform, loss due to replacement of shortage in accounts due not to negligence, and other deductions allowable to individuals not in the military.

Items not deductible include auto upkeep, damage to household equipment in moving, depreciation on uniforms, expense of visiting home, uniform or alterations and war insurance premiums.

The card form 1040A will again be available for the person whose total wage are less than \$5,000 and who did not have over \$100 other income. Form 1040 will meet the needs of those who do use Form 1040A.

"In completing the form," Bowen further explained, "you should add your service serial number after your name."

The instruction booklet issued with the return will answer a lot of your questions.

An additional source of information, the booklet, "Your Income Tax for 1955," may be obtained by sending 25c to the U. S. Government Printing Office, Washington, D. C.

Mr. Bowen urged all military persons to contact their personnel who have been especially trained in the preparation of income tax returns.

Some out-of-town people who attended the last rites, held Sunday, for Mrs. Alexander were: Mrs. Margaret Livingston and Mrs. Alec Bailey of Woodson, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Seedig, Mr. and Mrs. Don Alexander, Max Alexander and L. R. Alexander all of Pampa, Mr. and Mrs. Johnnie Knight,

Amarillo, Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Seeding, Spearman, Mr. Eric Alexander, Bothell, Wash., Mrs. Margaret Duvall, Tahlequah, Okla., Mr. Wayne Alexander Texarkana, Mr. and Mrs. Doc Liles and Mrs. E. Blake of Twitty.

Billy J. Darnell of Lubbock was a Wheeler visitor this week and attended the Chamber of Commerce banquet Tuesday night.

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.

For County Sheriff
BUS DORMAN

For Commissioner, Precinct 1
SHELBY PETTIT
W. L. (Shorty) ERWIN
FRANK LEE

For District Clerk
RENA SIVAGE

For County Attorney
D. O. BEENE

OUR BEST	25 LBS.	MRS. TUCKERS	3 LBS.
our	\$1.69	Shortening	81¢
ars	NO. 2 1/2 CAN	MOUNTAIN	QT. JAR
35¢	Dill Pickles	23¢	
2	1/2 GALLON	PICNIC	3 NO 303 CANS
79¢	Pork and Beans	25¢	
HEAD	EACH	RED	25 LBS.
10¢	Potatoes	79¢	
SALE	POUND	LEAN	POUND
20¢	Ground Beef	29¢	
con	POUND	ARMOUR'S STAR	POUND
33¢	Fryers	CUT-UP	45¢

These Prices Good Friday, Saturday and Monday.
Double Stamps every Wednesday on purchase of \$2.50 or more

Puckett's WHEELER, TEXAS

FOOD MARKET

"Help me, too"

JOIN THE MARCH OF DIMES

March of Dimes

(Continued from page one) Contributions may be mailed or handed to Mr. Kenady, Mr. or Mrs. Harold Savage, Harry Wolford, Thomas Daughtry or Lewis Lancaster. Coin containers have been placed in many business houses and citizens are urged to drop change in the containers whenever they make purchases. Coin cards have been distributed to the school teachers of the area. "We want to encourage everyone to contribute generously to the March of Dimes," Mr. Kenady stated. "Great strides have been made in licking polio, but we can't stop now when possible victory is in sight. "Thousands of polio patients still need aid. And many of these depend on iron lungs and other mechanical devices for the very breath of life. "A statement from the March of Dimes headquarters is certainly true - to stop now would be like pulling the electric plug from an iron lung. "The treatment of a single polio patient often costs thousands of

dollars and extends over many years. It is not enough to save a life. The job isn't finished until we have done everything possible to make that life worth living again. "The March of Dimes program includes maintenance of 14 respirator centers where medical specialists study methods of restoring the ability to breathe and demonstrate new techniques so that this knowledge can be applied in hospitals all over the country. "More than 50 per cent of this year's March of Dimes need is for patient aid. March of Dimes funds will be spent also in research program which may save future generations from the dread disease. "Salk vaccine was developed through a March of Dimes grant. Volunteer workers and big-hearted contributors are needed here to push the drive."

85-Year-Old

(Continued from page one) Rosston, in February, 1889. They came to the Panhandle and Hemphill County in 1904, and to Wheeler County in 1914. She was a member of the First Methodist Church of Wheeler. Surviving are her children: E. A. Alexander, Bothell, Wash.; Esta Ujja Seedig, Wheeler; Luke Ray Alexander, Wheeler; Bain K. Alexander, Palisade, Calif.; Wayne W. Alexander, Texarkana. Also surviving are two brothers, Wade Willis, Delight, Ark.; and Emmitt Willis, Amarillo; two sisters, Mrs. Margaret Livingston and Mrs. Ollie Beaty, both of Woodson, Texas; 16 grandchildren and 18 great-grandchildren.

1955 Postal

(Continued from page 1) cepts of the Wheeler post office and do not reflect the franked mailing of federal offices and agencies nor the volume of incoming mail handled by the local postal department. Incoming parcel post mail is greater in Wheeler because of the convenience, than in most offices of this size the postmaster stated. Jamison stated the past Christmas rush was the easiest handled of any in the local office. Postal employees attributed this to the cooperation of patrons in the preparation and mailing of pieces in compliance with advertising published prior to the rush season. Postmaster Jamison expressed his thanks to the mailing public of Wheeler for their cooperation.

County Polio

(Continued from page one) in advances from the National Foundation for aid in caring for local patients and has deposited \$1,084.90 to the Epidemic Aid Fund. Mr. George's report shows that Wheeler County has spent \$16,062.75 for care of polio patients since 1949. This was for treatment of 23 polio victims of this county. A total of \$5,154.75 was spent in treating two sisters, and \$4,621.88 went for treatment for another victim. This gives an indication of how expensive treatment of the disease is. Of every \$1.00 raised in Wheeler County, 53c has been spent in the county for patient care. Of every \$1.00 raised in Texas 76c has been spent for patient care in Texas.

Rep. McIlhany

(Continued from page one) ent narcotic control act which greatly increases the penalties for sale of narcotics to a minor. At the last session of the legislature, Mr. McIlhany sponsored legislation which banned the sale of lewd literature. This bill has become the basis for many literature clean-up campaigns over the State of Texas. He also actively supported legislation to give the insurance commission greater control over the insurance companies of the state. Mr. McIlhany has long been an outspoken critic of unequal taxation. In 1954, he sponsored an amendment to the revenue act which repealed the tax on the manufacturing of carbon black. This manufacturing process was the only one being taxed at that time in the state. The adoption of this amendment has helped keep many plants operating in the Panhandle and has meant more payrolls for the area.

Death Claims

(Continued from page one) Mr. Starkey was born June 10, 1894, in Limestone County, and was married to Miss Minnie Robinson at her home in the Corn Valley Community on April 6, 1919. He came to Wheeler County in 1915, and was a member of the First Baptist Church of Wheeler. Surviving are: the widow, Mrs. Minnie Starkey, Wheeler; two children, Mrs. Vondell Killingsworth, Wheeler; and Harold Starkey, of Norman, Okla.; two grandchildren;

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(Continued from page 1) munity sins. Lack of interest at the local level, he said, had caused state and federal governments to take over the rights of decisions on an increasing number of matters which local citizens should govern. He urged community residence to federal control of education which he said he feared would grow if an opening wedge developed such as financial assistance in school building programs. Devoting a Major portion of his address to commerce, Mr. Izzard used as his "text", the 18th chapter of Judges, cautioning that the 3,000 intervening years have seen no change in principles; only in methods; that indifferent communities can still be overwhelmed by aggressive ones. Commending Wheeler on her growth and civic improvements including expansion of city limits, paving project, birthday celebration and the proposed sewer and water bond issue, the Amarillo Daily News editor declared it was literally true, "A Community can do anything it wants to do, if it wants badly enough to do it." "It is time for Citizens to stand up and be counted when a community problem arises. I see no reason for unsigned letters to newspapers or for refusal to take a public stand for fear of making somebody mad. "Meet around the table and thrash out your differences. You can come to an agreement on matters of public interest, and you can get it done by working together." The KGNC commentator threw in a plug for religious training in the home and for education along the Democratic lines of capitalism. "Indoctrinate your boys and girls in these fundamentals of American life so no college professor can change their views," said Mr. Izzard, adding "there are a few college professors these days who have strange views of religion and economics." Paying tribute to six Pampa youngsters who furnished entertainment for banquet guests, he said the perplexing juvenile question is best served by keeping boys and girls busy in school activities 4-H, FFA, FHA and similar pro-

FHA Analyzing

(Continued from page one) farm-management aid program of the Farmers Home Administration. Borrowers are discovering underlying problems that are blocks in the road to successful farming. A couple may find that more conservation measures are needed, or cash crops and live-stock operations are not properly balanced, or farm and home management methods are not up to date. Our main problems in Wheeler and Hemphill Counties are not enough cash crops and lack of live at home programs such as milk, eggs and hogs. We are encouraging dairying for those who are financially able to feed and handle a dairy herd and beef program for others as a market for grain and feed. Another major problem is Landlord's lack of understanding and cooperation with tenants to help them overcome their difficulties. We are trying to interview all local Landlords in an effort to strengthen their landlord-tenant leases. The agency's county supervisors keep in close touch with county agricultural agents, the State College of Agriculture, experiment farms, work of other agencies, and otherwise place themselves in position to give borrowers the advantage of latest farming recommendations. The year-end analysis service is available to the farm families in Wheeler and Hemphill county who have received operating or farm ownership loans from the Farmers Home Administration and those soil and water conservation loan borrowers who are farming with the aid of farm and home plans. Wheeler Drug for reliable Prescription Service. Let us fill your next prescription. 49-11c

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LIBRARY AS SUGGESTION

A spokesman for the library board this week suggested, to the type books needed, to the Wheeler Library. They fund for use in purchasing new books and are securing the books most needed by the public. If you have suggestions turn them in to Hugh Grider, librarian, 206 roll Adams, Secretary, member of the Library spokesman stated. Donations of cash for fund or the donation of reading material will be accepted by the library. Magazines and pocket literature, according to spokesman.

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