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"Wheeler; town of friendship and pride."



And we have entered a new

- cwe -

Welcome to 2012! - cwe -

I have always heard that the first 12 days of the new year forecasts the weather for the year; each day represents a month.

- cwe -

With this in mind, it appears that January and February will be warmer than normal with no rain. Tuesday started out the same with no promise of rain in the forecast. We can hope this is one old saying that is not correct.

- cwe -

We had an email from a reader, looking for a recipe for a Casserole Fruit Cake. She had gotten it out of the Times years ago. If you have this recipe, the writer's name and address appears on page one of this edition. If I come across it in my "50 Years Ago" column, I will publish it.

- cwe -

I got behind with the "50 Years Ago" column and have finished the 1961 book. The completion of 1961 should be in this edition.

- cwe -

I have known of the fire which burned the west side of the square. In this week's research for the column, I found an article from the Wheeler Review which gives a little detail.

- cwe -

The Wheeler Review office was destroyed by this fire, however it was not the end of the newspaper. It would be interesting to know if they missed any publications. Our files only go back to 1933, when The Wheeler Times was first published.

- cwe -Cathi and Dorcie came to OKC this past weekend to visit. With Dorcie playing volleyball and practices, their time is limited. We en- Agency currently has what we joyed the visit.

Happy Birthday, Monica! Which birthday is this? The granddaughter-in-law's birthday is Saturday. - cwe -

- cwe -

Cards were played Monday evening. Patsy and Dwight won two out of three of the games win the second game. - cwe -

STORM REPORT As Reported by . . .

Stormie Meriwether. Second Grade Student

Dear Friends, I missed going to Tybee Island. I love that place, but not for New Years. It has too many wild people. We went to a new place called Hilton Head. It was nice. I found sea shells and mom took pictures. Dad walked Jenny and Weenie, but not on the beach. It was a pretty place, but the hotel was too big.

The next day, you can't believe it! I found the beautifulest beach ever! It is named Pawleys Island. It is so clean. I have to tell you, it is the best place for shells! Dad walked Jenny and Weenie on the beach! They loved it! I found the beautiful seashells. My mom said I couldn't get anymore that time.

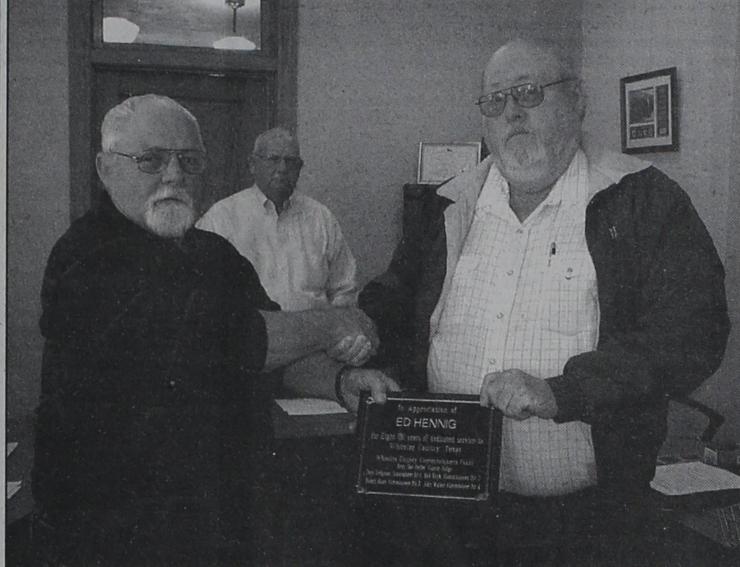
The next morning my mom and I went very early to the beach. Oh my, it was wonderful! The whole beach was just for us! We only got the perfect seashells!

My mom was talking to a very nice lady. The lady lived on the island forever. Her family lived ther forever. She told my mom about a very special shell, only on Pawleys Island. She was looking for one just for me. I didn't even know about the shell. I found a little shell that was different. I took it to show my mom. The lady grabbed me and hugged me. She could not believe it! I found a Pawleys Shell! She said it was very special and she was so excited that I found it!

I think I would love to go back there someday. Now we are going to the "Ameri-

can War" museums and towns!

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Comparison Made Of Crop Allotments

In writing 50 Years Ago I noticed the article below. I then contacted the Wheeler County Farm Service Agency for a comparison.

ASC Allotments And Marketing Quota Laws

The Agriculture Program laws provide for acreage allotments and marketing quotas on cotton, peanuts, rice, tobacco and wheat. Of course, Wheeler County is primarily interested in wheat and cotton.

The 1961 Wheat Acreage Allotment for Wheeler County is 22,455.0 acres.

The 1961 Cotton Allotment for Wheeler County is 30,874,00 acres. Cotton farmers in this county are expected to grow approximately \$1,800,000.00 from their cotton this year.

2011 Comparison

Wheeler County Farm Service now call "Program Base acres" which use to be""Allotments".

They are as follows: Wheat 65,656.2 Grain Sorghum 17,010.3 Cotton 16,879.1 Peanuts 7,189.3 Oats/Barley 1203.1 Corn 110.8

The Program Base acres were played. Mike and I managed to determined by planting history during the 1990's and early 2000's.

Wheeler County FSA currently makes payments in various programs totaling close to \$2.1 million annually.

In 2011 the following acreage was planted in Wheeler County

Wheat 17982.2 Grain Sorghum 255.9 Cotton 14005.8 Peanuts Oats/Barley 89.4 Corn 1357.3 3146.0 Haygrazer Triticale 3661.2 Rye 3359.4 CRP 32210.9

YEARS

... the editor remembers! November 2, 1961 Standard Of Texas To

Drill In Wheeler County A 14,500-foot rank wildcat has been filed by the Standard Oil Co. of Texas in Wheeler County. Located one mile west of Mobeetie, the explorer is set as an Ellenburger test. It is in section 66, block A-5, H&GN survey.

The project, company's No. 1 Grady W. Harris, et al, is approximately 12 miles southwest of the Shell Oil Co. No. 1-68 Hobart, Hemphill County Morrow gas discovery. The Standard test is also some seven miles of the Gulf Oil Corp. No. 1 J. L. Bailey "A", Wheeler County test which was plugged and abandoned at a total depth of 11,010 feet on October 14, 1953.

The wildcat will be drilled as a "Tight" hole. It will be spudded

Mr. Spots, tool pusher for the Laughlin Brothers Drilling Company of Tulsa, was in (Continued Page 6)

RETIRING: After eight years of dedicated service, Ed Hennig is retiring as a Wheeler County, Precinct 1, Road Hand. Hennig (right) is shown here accepting a plaque from his boss, Daryl Snelgrooes, Commissioner, Pct. 1. Wheeler County Judge Jerry Hefley looks on in the background.

School Board Members Honored

districts across the state show their appreciation for the pivotal role elected boards of education communities.

serve—without pay—in the 1,034 school districts located throughout the state.

because they care about their communities and their schools. Each year, the Texas Association of School Boards (TASB) designates January as School Board the importance of the service these dedicated men and women provide to the schools and students of Texas," said James B. Crow, TASB executive director.

"These community servants

January 2012 is School Board focus on ensuring the success of Recognition Month, a time when their local school district and serve as strong advocates for our kids. In a time of financial uncertainty, they are willing to step forward to play in their local schools and meet the critical challenges facing our public schools, working to More than 7,200 locate lance the district budget while elected school board members still providing excellent educa-

tional experiences for each child," Crow said.

e hope every community "The people who make will express appreciation to our these boards volunteer their time local board members for their dedicated commitment and der tackles the important task of closely with parents and educa-Recognition Month to emphasize tors to develop sound education policies in their district and set high standards for student success. We applaud them for shouldering enormous responsibilities and making the time to care about

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Commissioners Court Is Dec. 27

The Wheeler County Commissioners' Court met in regular session on Tuesday, December 27, 2011, at 9:00 a.m. in the Commissioners' Courtroom of the Wheeler County Courthouse, 401 Main Street, Wheeler, Texas, to consider prior bills and discuss matters of mutual concern.

At 10:00, eleven items on the agenda were addressed.

There were no minutes of previous meetings.

The court approved the hourly payroll time sheets for payment as presented.

The bills presented were approved for payment.

No action was taken on the bud-

accepted as presented.

sion to advertise for the purchase of a motor grader. Bids to be Shamrock, Texas, with arrangeopened at the January 23, 2012, ments having been made by meeting.

No action was taken on the pur- Shamrock, Texas. chase of a road packer over Geraldine was born Eugene C. \$5,000.

more or less.

MarkWest Gas Co., LLC was given permission to bore under County Road 23 for the installation of an oil and gas pipeline.

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Times Reader **Seeks Recipe**

Many years ago (probably 50!) you printed a recipe for a "CASsupport to the school board as it SEROLE FRUIT CAKE". It was Christian of strong faith and an made with dates and iresh or- inspiration to many. She was pregoverning. Local trustees work anges. I kept and used the recipe ceded in death by her husband, for years but I have lost it. If any sisters, Laverne Martin and of your readers might still have Maureen Kilpatrick, and a brother; this recipe I would love a copy. My e-mail is j.eberting@att.net

Thank you. JAUNELL EBERTING 634 GENE AVE. NW ALBUQUERQUE, NM 87107



Geraldine Hawk

Geraldine Hawk Services Are Held

Geraldine Hawk was born November 12, 1922, in Shamrock, No action was taken on the burn Texas. Services were Monday January 02, 2012, at 10:00 AM in The District Clerk report was the Shamrock Church of Christ, Shamrock, Exas, with Max Precinct 4 was given permis- McClendon officiating. Interment was in Shamrock Cemetery, Robertson Funeral Directors,

and Velvie Hardy Martin. She lived The court is considering the in Shamrock all her life except for purchase of property for Precinct a brief time in Dallas during World 4. The property is to be 2 acres, War II. Geraldine married Robert C. Hawk on February 5, 1942, in Dallas. She loved retail sales and working with the public. She began working in the Western Auto Store in Shamrock in 1952 and eventually managed the store. She managed White's Auto Store at the same location until 1973. She continued working in other Shamrock stores as long as her stamina permitted and even continued selling cosmetics from her home in 2011. Geraldine was a Eugene C. Martin, Jr.

Survivors are one son, Robert E. Hawk, and wife, ZoeAnn, Yuma, AZ.; three grandsons, Robert B., John C. and Michael E. Hawk, Yuma, AZ.; and two sisters, Leoma Walker, Amarillo, Texas, and Bonnie Beller, and husband, Bob, Dalhart, Texas. She was a dear aunt to many nieces and nephews.

The family may be contacted at 12230 East Del Norte, Yuma, Arizona 85367.

Juan Salas Rites Are Read Jan. 3

Mr. Juan Salas, Sr., 50, Wheeler, Texas, passed away Sunday, January 1, 2012, in Wheeler, Texas. Mass for Mr Salas was at 10:30 AM, Tuesday, January 3, 2012, at St. Mary's Catholic Church in Wheeler, Texas, with Father Bala Showreddy officiating. Burial followed at Wheeler Cemetery under the direction of Peppers Family Funeral Home in Wheeler,

Juan was born July 7, 1961, in Ejido Santa Fe Torreon, Coahuila, to Mr. Isidro Salas and Mrs. Angela (Flores) Salas. He married Beatris Lopez Salas on February 3, 1979, in Torreon, Coahuila. Juan worked for Dimension Pipeline. He enjoyed watching soccer games.

Juan is survived by his wife, Beatris (Lopez) Salas of Wheeler, Texas: one son, Juan Salas, Jr., and wife, Erika, of Canadian Texas; two daughters, Ana Garza and husband, Gustavo, and Maria G. Salas, all of Wheeler, Texas; his parents. Isidro and Angela Salas of Torreon, Coahuila; six grandchildren, Kaylee, Abrey and Mia Garza of WheelerTexas, and Monica, Nicholas and Aaron Salas of Canadian, Texas; three brothers and eight sisters.

You may send condolences online at

www.peppersfuneralhome.com.

Birthday Party

Come celebrate with us for Hazel Miller's eighth birthday, Saturday, January 7, 2012 from 2-5 p.m. at Allison School Cafeteria. No gifts, please.



MISSION OUTREACH: A team of nine volunteers arrived in Moscow, Russia October 26, 2011, as part of an eight day mission outreach. The group was affiliated with the Go Tell Ministries led by Evangelist Rick Gage of Duluth, Georgia. Rick led the Go Tell Crusade in Wheeler in September 2001. Team members were from Virginia, North Carolina, Georgia, and Texas. The team met for the first time as they boarded the plane in New York for the 9.75 hours flight to Moscow. The team reached their destination of Tevr, Russia after a 3 hour bus ride from the Moscow Airport. The mission field entailed numerous stops around Tevr where the group witnessed and ministered in orphanages, a nursing home, a mental facility, a high school and a college. Gifts, necessities, medical supplies, bibles and outreach literature was distributed. Approximately \$6000.00 in monetary aid was provided due to the generosity of the team and their communities and friends. A host church in Russia provided meals and fellowship each night. Pastor Sasha, the host pastor has been involved with Rick Gage Ministries for many years. Two lovely young ladies from Russia served as interpreters and truly had a heart for God and His people. Thank you to all those who donated gifts, money, assisted team members with expenses, provided medical supplies and offered prayers. The people of Russia were touched by Christ's body in action. Slava Boga! (Praise the Lord!). You may visit rickg@gotellministires.com to make a tax deductible gift to that ministry.

By Roland Miles



Dorcie Gillette is the 16year-old daughter of Guy and Cathi Gillette of Lovelady, TX. She is the granddaughter of Guy and Doris Gillette of Yonkers, NY, and Louis and Barbara Stas of Wheeler.

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LEFTOVERS AREN'T FATTENING

As we are finally winding down from three holidays in rapid succession, I'm surely not the only one that's getting a little bit tired of leftovers. The truth is, I wouldn't have it any other way. I was raised being told that we absolutely weren't supposed to waste any food. My folks and Shirley's folks, spent most of their growing-up years about half hungry all the time. The way they looked at it, was that it was borderline "sin," to waste any food. Probably, most of the people who grew up in the "thirties," felt that way. Anyway, I guess we're definitely a product of our raising, because we wound up like our parents. Shirley will usually give up on leftovers before I do, and start throwing them away. If it was left entirely up to me, I suppose I'd keep them until they got so old, they grew gray hair or mummified.

I've been told, that I've got sortof a "coyote mentality," when it comes to leftovers. I'm not exactly sure what she meant by that, but I got the impression she wasn't bragging on me. Now, I'll try to make the case, that left overs aren't fattening. What I was really thinking, when I made this comment, was that by the time a holiday is over, you've already eaten all the really good stuff. Within a couple of days, all the dressing, dumplings, and pies, are already gone. That usually comes down to having maybe some sweet potatoes, ham, turkey, and cranberry sauce for leftovers, and those aren't fattening. I rest my case!

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Wednesday Schedule

Youth Fellowship 6:00 p.m. Choir Rehearsal-7:00 p.m.

Wheeler County

List of instruments filed in the Wheeler County Clerk's office from December 21, 2011 - December 30, 2011

DECEMBER 21, 2011 AFF.-Linn Gas Marketing LLC to The Public, 12-19-11, Pt. SW/4 Sec. 25, Blk. M-1, H&GN Ry. Company Survey; Pt. NW/4 Sec. 13, Blk. R.E., Roberts & Eddleman Survey.

HOME EQUITY DT-Daniel Martinez, et ux to Amarillo National Bank, 12-7-11, Lots 1-3, Blk. 15. Shamrock.

HOME EQUITY AFF.-Daniel Martinez, et ux to Amarillo National Bank, 12-7-11, Lots 1-3, Blk. 15. Shamrock

RATIFICATION-J. David Zybach to Linn Energy Holdings LLC, 12-5-11, SW/4 Sec. 12, Blk. R.E., Roberts & Eddleman Survey.

ASSIGN. CONVEY.-Wayne L. Brown to Linn Energy Holdings LLC, 11-18-11, All Sec. 43, Blk. A-3, H&GN Ry. Company Survey. STIPULATION MINERAL-Preston D. Glazner, et al to Jerry A. Glazner, et al, 10-5-11, SW/4 Sec. 22, Blk. A-4, H&GN Ry. Company Survey.

ROW-Patricia Higgins Moore to PVR Natural Gas Gathering LLC, 12-12-11, Pt. S/2 SW/4 Sec. 42, Blk. A-3, H&GN Ry. Company Survey.

ROW-Patricia Higgins Moore to PVR Natural Gas Gathering LLC,

By Melba Corcoran

William and Dana Burch and Cage of Shamrock ate lunch and visited with Dale and Melba Trust to John R. Gullison, 9-26-Corcoran on Monday.

Marion Grimes was moved to Burleson Survey. Amarillo to the nursing home on EXECUTRIX DVL-Betty Lou Tuesday, Gary and Jerry Grimes Rogers, et vir to L. H. Webb, et met him there and helped him get ux, 12-19-11, Pt. E/2 Sec. 30, Blk. settled. He is in a VA rest home. A-5, H&GN Ry. Company Survey. Remember him in your prayers. AOL-Crossroads Oil & Gas Inc. to

to Pampa Tuesday morning.

Melba had blood work done. Lohberger and Melba Corcoran on Tuesday. Suzanne worked on the history of the Turcotte Cemetery and Melba typed. Melba Wallace Hellberg to Ex Parte, 8worked on Wednesday. Thursday, work, but went home sick when cable Living Trust, 12-2-11, Secs.

Maurita Stribling worked. Dale Corcoran went to Pampa Land Listed. Saturday. Melba has been sick MD-Robro Royalty Partners Ltd. didn't feel like going with him. Melody Sherrell called Saturday and she was sick so she had to RDT-Mortgage Electronic Regisput off coming to Mobeetie. Re-

Those enjoying New Year's dinner Sunday with William and Dana Burch and Cage in Shamrock were Clyde and Sue Powell of Shamrock, Dale and Melba Production Company, et al to Linn Corcoran of Mobeetie and Jacob Energy Holdings LLC, 12-15-11, Conrad of Canadian.

Francis Collins of California ROY. D-Pogo Producing Comcame the 28th to stay with Mae and Hugh Bailey. They were able LLC, 12-15-11, Sec. 3, B to come to church. Mae is doing Brooks & Burleson Survey. pretty well.

The first Sunday night singing was canceled Sunday night.

City visited with her mother, Liz Shipp, and grandmother, Ethel Grimes, over New Year's. Liz Shipp, Savanna Shipp and Katie Hathaway and baby were at church Sunday morning.

April Dawn Finsterwald of Korea and Andy Finsterwald of 6, Blk. 8, Wheeler. Levelland visited over the week- DEED-Joe Knoll Jr., et al to Paul end with Bob and Mary Nell Luna, et ux, 12-16-11, N 50' Lot 3 Finsterwald and Finsterwald.

Stormi Lancaster is getting therapy at the care center for her shoulder. She is doing pretty well after her surgery.



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12-12-11, S 133.35 acs. SE/4 Sec. 42, Blk. A-3, H&GN Ry. Company Survey. **DECEMBER 22, 2011**

DVL-John A. Lee, et ux to C&W Construction Inc., 12-20-11, 15.412 acs. NW/4 Sec. 56, Blk. A-5, H&GN Ry. Company Survey. DT- C&W Construction Inc. to First Security Bank, 12-21-11, 15.412 acs. NW/4 Sec. 56, Blk. A-5, H&GN Ry. Company Survey. DVL-Juan Torres, et ux to Hector Duarte, et ux, 12-21-11, 153.11'x 133.625' W/2 Sec. 5, Blk. A-4, H&GN Ry. Company Survey.

DT-Hector Duarte, et ux to Wheeler Banking Center, 12-21-11, 153.11' x 133.625' W/2 Sec. 5. Blk. A-4, H&GN Ry. Company Survey.

HEIRSHIP AFF.-Goldabelle Campbell to Juanita Bell Campbell, 12-9-11, Sec. 37, Blk. 17, H&GN Ry. Company Survey. SURFACE AGREE.-Lott Family Limited Partnership to Samson Lone Star LLC, 11-9-11, Sec. 2, Blk. E, E. J. Campbell Survey. SURFACE AGREE.-Lott Family Limited Partnership to Samson Lone Star LLC, 11-9-11, Sec. 2, Blk. E, E. J. Campbell Survey. DEED-Richard Hefley, et ux to Vinyard Water Service Inc., 10-27-11, N 75' Lot 1 & N/2 Lot 4, Blk. LXXIII, Romans Addition, Sham-

RDT-Guggenheim Corporate Funding to Crest Resources 2010 LLC, 11-22-11, See Instrument. TRUSTEES D-Betty Jim Smith Trust to Betty Smith Boston, et al, 12-16-11, See Instrument.

DT-Gary George to Citizens Bank, 12-14-11, N/2 Sec. 71, Blk. 17, H&GN Ry. Company Survey. **DECEMBER 23, 2011** Holiday

DECEMBER 27, 2011 AFF.-Shawn Higgins to Gladys Parkey Higgins Chadwick, 12-20-11, Land Not Listed.

TRUSTEE ASSIGN. OVERRID. ROYALTY-Gullison Christine 11, N/2 Sec. 5, Blk. 5, Brooks &

Doris Finsterwald visited Tues- Kenneth Wischkaemper, et al, 12day in Pampa with Shirley Dyson. 21-11, S/2 Sec. 23 & SW/4 Sec. Dale and Melba Corcoran went 38, Blk. 13, H&GN Ry. Company Survey.

TRUSTEE DEED-Byers Family Those working at the museum 2001 Trust to Karen B. this week were Suzanne Cavanaugh, et al, 10-11-11, 100 acs. W/3 N/2 Sec. 45, Blk. A-7, H&GN Ry. Company Survey. C/C WILL ORDER-Jeffrey

31-11, Land Not Listed. Suzanne Lohberger and Ada MD-John Robert McMahan, et ux Lester worked. Melba went to to John Robert McMahan Revo-Suzanne got there. Friday, 19, 22 & 23, Camp County School Maurita Stribling and Suzanne Land.

Lohberger worked. Saturday AFF.-Thomas T. Holley Jr. to Charles Gutman, 12-21-11, No

with a cold for several days and to Vendetta Royalty Partners Ltd., 12-31-09, Sec. 9, Blk. R.E., Roberts & Eddleman Survey.

tration Systems Inc. to Jerry Branmember her in your prayers. She don Smith, et ux, 12-19-11, Lot 13 takes everything that comes & S 4' Lot 14, Blk. 5, Stanley Addition, Wheeler.

RDT-JPMorgan Chase Bank NA to Latigo Petroleum Texas LP, et al, 12-13-11

ASSIGN.-Plains Exploration & See Instrument.

pany LLC to Linn Energy Holdings LLC, 12-15-11, Sec. 3, Blk. 5,

ASSIGN.-Pogo Producing Company LLC to Linn Energy Holdings LLC, 12-15-11, 2 acs. S/2 Sec. 6, Savanna Shipp of New York Blk. R.E., Roberts & Eddleman

POWER OF ATTORNEY-Linn Operating Inc., et al to John Mahaffey, 9-12-07, No Land Listed.

DEED-Manuel Caro, et al to Virginia Perez, et al, 12-27-11, Lot

Doris & S 50' Lot 4, Blk. LXXXV, Shamrock.

DECEMBER 28, 2011 POA-Debbie McLaughlin to Nathan McLaughlin, et al, 12-1-

POA-Kent McLaughlin to Nathan McLaughlin, et al, 12-1-11. A of JUDG.-Citizens Bank to Cory

Schlegel, et ux, 12-27-11. RDT-National Bank of Commerce to Patsy L. Williams, et ux, 12-27-11, Lot 13, Blk. 1, Mont-Lew Addition, Shamrock.

MD-Kathy E. Davis to Leonard R. Taylor, 12-19-11, Secs. 71 & 90, Blk. A-5, H&GN Ry. Company Survey; Sec. 4, Blk. A-2, H&GN

Ry. Company Survey.
ASSIGN. CONVEY. BS-Tony B. Ragsdale (Estate) to Tassy Lee Ragsdale, et al, 9-27-11, Sec. 2, Blk. 2, Brooks & Burleson Survey. ASSIGN. CONVEY. BS-Tassy Lee Ragsdale, et al to Ragsdale Capital Ventures Inc., 9-27-11, Sec. 2. Blk. 2. Brooks & Burleson Survey.

DECEMBER 29, 2011 OL-MAP2004-OK to Cordillera Energy Partners III LLC, 9-13-11, SW/4 Sec. 18, Blk. L, J. M. Lindsey Survey.

DEED- Billy Kirk Clay, et ux to Lemuel Fothergill, 12-27-11, 150' x 45' Lot 2, Blk. LXXXV, Romans Addition, Shamrock; Lots 1 & 2, Blk. Lll. Romans Addition, Sham-

ROW-Rita Beth Lenoch to Enbridge G & P (Oklahoma) LP, 8-16-11, Pt. S/2 Sec. 2, Blk. 4, Brooks & Burleson Survey. ROW-Dennis J. Hefley to



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Enbridge Pipelines (Texas Gathering) LP, 10-6-11, Pt. S/2 Sec. 37,

Enbridge Pipelines (Texas Gathering) LP, 9-27-11, Pt. N/2 Sec. 36, Blk. M-1, H&GN Ry. Company Survey.

ROW-Carolyn Ledbetter Buckingham to Enbridge G & P (Oklahoma) LP, 10-14-11, Pt. NW/ 4 Sec. 21, Blk. L, J. M. Lindsey Holiday

ering) LP, 10-14-11, Pt. W/2 Sec. J.W. Bateman, 11-9-11-Tax Suit. 7, Camp County School Land. ROW-Richard S. Brown, et al to 11. Enbridge Pipelines (Texas Gath- #12686-In Re: to children, 11-21ering) LP, 10-7-11, Pt. Sec. 6, 11. Camp County School Land.

Enbridge Pipelines (Texas Gathering) LP, 10-10-11, Pt. SE/4 Sec. 1, Camp County School Land. Cattalo Ltd., 12-15-11, Pts. S/2 11.

Sec. 6, Blk. R.E., Roberts & #12690-Erica Sue Scheideger vs Eddleman Survey.

ROW-Gary D. Hall, et ux to Markwest Oklahoma Gas Company LLC, 12-12-11, Pt. Secs. 24 & 25, Camp County School Land. ROW-Elmore Contribution Trust, et al to Markwest Oklahoma Gas Company LLC, 12-13-11, Pt. Sec. 24. Camp County School Land. ROW-Olis G. Lauppe, et ux to Markwest Oklahoma Gas Company LLC, 12-16-11, Pt. S/2 Sec. 19, Camp County School Land. ROW-Vickie L Lay Revocable Living Trust to Markwest Oklahoma Gas Company LLC, 12-16-11, Pt. Sec. 25, Camp County School

ROW-Gary D. Hall, et ux to Markwest Oklahoma Gas Company LLC, 12-12-11, Pt. Sec. 25, Camp County School Land. ROW-Nelda Dukes to Markwest

Oklahoma Gas Company LLC. 12-13-11, Pt. SW/4 Sec. 8, Blk. R.E., Roberts & Eddleman Sur-WELL-BORE ASSIGN.-BP

America Production Company to Forest Oil Corporation, 8-22-11, Sec. 23, Camp County School WELL-BORE ASSIGN.-BP America Production Company to

Forest Oil Corporation, 8-22-11, Sec. 25, Camp County School Land. WELL-BORE ASSIGN.-BP America Production Company to

Forest Oil Permian Corporation,

8-22-11, Sec. 24, Camp County

School Land. WELL-BORE ASSIGN.-BP Blk. M-1, H&GN Ry. Company America Production Company to Forest Oil Corporation, 8-22-11, ROW-Anita Lynn Hefley Smith to Sec. 24, Camp County School

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Land WELL-BORE ASSIGN.-BP America Production Company to Forest Oil Permian Corporation, 8-22-11, Sec. 24, Camp County School Land.

DECEMBER 30, 2011

District Clerk's Filings: ROW-Clyde Jr. Dukes, et ux to #12683-In Re: to a child, 11-8-11. Enbridge Pipelines (Texas Gath- #12684-Wheeler County, et al vs #12685-In Re: to a child, 11-15-

#12687-Wheeler County vs ROW-Dean Tipps, et ux to James Wendell Humphreys, 11-23-11, Tax Suit.

#12688-In Re: to a child, 12-09-

AMEND. OL-Joe W. Hayes Sr. to #12689-In Re: to a child, 12-14-

Mikeal Antony Scheideger, 12-19-11, Divorce.

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I heard Marion Grimes is now at a Veterans facility at Amarillo; much cheaper. I hope he enjoys the fellowship with other veterans as he was in the service a few years. God bless you, Mr. Grimes.

We welcome Roma Brown and wife, Billie June, to Wheeler Care Center. They formerly lived at Allison. Good to have you both at Wheeler Care Center. We also welcome a young man named Red.

Nice to have a little visit from Lindsey Criswell and Blain and Dagen on Saturday. Boys are growing up. Good to see them all. Boys had visited grandparents, Rita and David Pearson, some.

The Country Band plans to be back to play pretty music and sing at Wheeler Care Center, Tuesday, January 3, at 6:30 p.m. You are invited...see you there!

Sincere sympathy to family and friends of Geraldine Hawk, formerly from Shamrock. She had many friends. She was 89 years old. Funeral was to be Monday at 10 a.m. at Shamrock Church of Christ with burial at Shamrock Cemetery.

Nice to have a little visit from all! Opal and Juanita Boydston at Wheeler Care Center Saturday. Thank you...good to see you! Many thanks to family and

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you, everyone! Hope the year ahead is a wonderful year for you lady. Sincere sympathy to family and

Young, 77, formerly of Canadian. Also nice to see some other Wheeler people at the care center with three beautiful little children. Also. Sue Rose and her two puppies.

friends in the death of Frank

Many family members and friends visited Nancy Shelton Monday to celebrate Nancy's birthday at Wheeler Care

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friends for all the sweet cards and Center. Sweet lady Happy Birthletters, caring and gifts. God bless day, Nancy! God bless you and your family. You are a beautiful

> Beth and Jim Alvey enjoyed having several family members for the Christmas holidays.

> Joyce Walker and Caitlyn enjoyed a visit to Dallas recently to visit relatives for a few days.

"God be with you till we meet

Texas Monthly Oil

And Gas Statistics

NOVEMBER PERMITS TO

The Commission issued a total of 1,878 original drilling permits in November 2011 compared to 1,454 in November 2010. The November total included 1,711 permits to drill new oil and gas wells, 34 to re-enter existing well bores, and 133 for re-completions. Permits issued in November 2011 included 590 oil, 231 gas, 1,003 oil and gas, 44 injection, one service and nine other permits.

OCTOBER CRUDE OIL PRO- 322 DUCTION

Texas preliminary October 2011 crude oil production averaged 996,583 barrels daily, up from the 908,436 barrels daily average of October 2010.

The preliminary Texas crude oil production figure for October 2011 is 30,894,077 barrels, up from 28,161,530 barrels reported during October 2010.

NOVEMBER OIL AND GAS 99 COMPLETIONS

In November 2011, operators reported 674 oil, 305 gas, 45 injection and one other completion compared to 333 oil, 242 gas, 25 injection and one other comple- 55 tion November 2010.

Total well completions for 2011 year to date are 7,924 down from 9,324 recorded during the same

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Smoke Free Policy

As of January the 1st, 2012 Parkview Hospital will be a No Tobacco-Smoke free facility.

Smoking and smoke-free tobacco is banned on every property owned by Parkview Hopsital. The policy applies to employees, patients, physicians and visitors and prohibits tobacco use in hospital buildings, parking lots and outdoor areas. It also applies to smoking in personal vehicles on hospital grounds.

As a Patient of Parkview we as a team will help you with your cessation to smoke. We have programs available and now have the nicotine lollipop. The lollipops are used to help you quit smoking by suppressing the symptoms of nicotine withdrawal so you can make appropriate lifestyle changes to quit smoking forever. The lollipop is also useful in satisfying the hand-to-mouth habit that most smokers have developed.

As an Employee of Parkview we will have products and medications to aid in the prevention of smoking. We will and can make available with a valid prescription and at Parkview Hospital's expense. Parkview's assistance to any employee will extend no more than 6 months of Nicotine Replacement Therapy. Smoking cessation products are to be purchased at Hylands Pharmacy and billed to Parkview Hospital.

Cigarette smoking is the single most preventable cause of premature death in the United States, according to the U.S. Centers for Disease Control. Texas Health's decision to prohibit smoking on all its properties demonstrates a commitment to improving the health of the communities we serve.

By making Parkview Hospital completely tobacco free, we are addressing the number one health risk today. We cannot convince others of the need to eliminate smoking without be-

coming a model ourselves. Cigarette smoke causes an estimated 438,000 premature deaths each year, according to the Centers for Disease Control. The Surgeon General has announced that second-hand smoke causes 35,000 to 45,000 deaths annually from heart disease and another 3,000 deaths from lung cancer in nonsmokers. Nonsmokers who are exposed to second-hand smoke at home or at work increase their risk of developing heart disease by 25 to 30 percent and lung cancer by 20 to 30 percent.

Please feel free to contact your local physician to help with non-smoking programs. And Parkview Hospital has literature at your disposal to help you at this time. Please come by and visit and lets us help you with your Nicotine Replacement

medcat Smoking is one of the lead-

ing causes of statistics.

Therapy.



period in 2010.

in November 2010.

PRODUCTION

Operators reported 189 holes

plugged and zero dry holes in

November 2011 compared to 557

OCTOBER NATURAL GAS

Texas oil and gas wells pro-

sand cubic feet) of gas based

upon preliminary production fig-

ures for October 2011 down from

the October 2010 preliminary gas

production total of 559,945,639

Texas production in October

NOVEMBER TEXAS OIL AND

RRC District: (1) SAN ANTO-

Permits To Drill Oil/Gas Holes:

RRC District: (2) REFUGIO

Permits To Drill Oil/Gas Holes:

RRC District: (3) SOUTHEAST

Permits To Drill Oil/Gas Holes:

RRC District: (4) DEEP SOUTH

Permits To Drill Oil/Gas Holes:

RRC District: (5) EAST CEN-

Permits To Drill Oil/Gas Holes:

RRC District: (6) EAST TEXAS

Permits To Drill Oil/Gas Holes:

RRC District: (7B) WEST CEN-

Permits To Drill Oil/Gas Holes:

Gas Completions: 5 RRC District: (7C) SAN

Permits To Drill Oil/Gas Holes:

RRC District: (8) MIDLAND Permits To Drill Oil/Gas Holes:

RRC District: (8A) LUBBOCK

Permits To Drill Oil/Gas Holes:

2011 came from 134,379 oil wells

GAS DRILLING PERMITS AND

COMPLETIONS BY DISTRICT

and 88,110 gas wells.

Oil Completions: 65

Oil Completions: 41

Oil Completions: 10

Oil Completions: 14

Oil Completions: 3

Oil Completions: 6

Gas Completions: 24

Oil Completions: 39

Oil Completions: 79

Gas Completions: 5

Oil Completions: 315

Gas Completions: 2

Oil Completions: 41

Gas Completions: 2

Santa Letters,

address change to

Dear Santa,

last year.

(Editor's Note: Santa emailed

these letters to the Times after

he was through with them and we

had failed to tell Santa of the email

wtimes@windstream.net)

My name is Bella Edwards and

I am 4 1/2 years old. If you could

bring me a bed & hi chair for my

baby dolls & the smurf movie and

dance game. Thank you so much

for the presents you brought me

My name is Erin Edwards.

I loved all the gifts you brought

Ps do not forget mamo

Could you bring me a China Ann

McClain cd and the diary of a

whimpy kid cabin fever book.

me last year, thank you.

Love, Erin

Merry Christmas,

Bella Edwards

Amarillo, Tx

Dear Santa,

Gas Completions: 27

Gas Completions: 17

Gas Completions: 21

Gas Completions: 13

Gas Completions: 13

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holes plugged and one dry hole

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"Wheeler; town of friendship and pride." RRC District: (9) NORTH

Permits To Drill Oil/Gas Holes:

Oil Completions: 48 Gas Completions: 172

RRC District: (10) PAN-HANDLE

Permits To Drill Oil/Gas Holes: duced 530,931,972 Mcf (thou- 95

Oil Completions: 13 Gas Completions: 4 OCTOBER TEXAS TOP TEN OIL PRODUCING COUNTIES RANKED BY PRELIMINARY PRODUCTION

COUNTY - CRUDE OIL

(BBLS) 1. ANDREWS - 2,330,037

2. GAINES - 2,132,524 3. YOAKUM - 1,789,147

4. ECTOR - 1,509,924

5. MIDLAND - 1,467,282 6. UPTON - 1,448,646

7. MARTIN - 1,316,114

8. HOCKLEY - 1,272,364

9. SCURRY - 1,233,354 10. WARD - 858,871

OCTOBER TEXAS TOP TEN GAS PRODUCING COUNTIES RANKED BY PRELIMINARY PRODUCTION

COUNTY - TOTAL GAS (MCF) 1. TARRANT - 62,156,352

2. JOHNSON - 39,377,943

3. PECOS - 22,431,651

4. DENTON - 19,686,035

5. WISE - 19,189,762

6. PANOLA - 19,141,383 7. FREESTONE - 17,776,725

8. WEBB - 17,588,095

(Continued Page 4)

CARD OF THANKS

During our time of sorrow and sadness in the loss of our lovely mom, Dorothy, we would like to express our love, appreciation, and gratitude to all of our friends and relatives in Wheeler County. Dorothy loved living in this loving community. We would like to thank Dr. Mendiola, Dr. Lavelle, the Parkview Hospital Nurses staff and the Assisted Living Staff that helped make her home so pleasant. Thanks to the Methodist women for the wonderful meal after the service which was very much appreciated. Bless all of you who sent cards, flowers and condolences to us during her illness and passing. Also thanks to Rev. Matt for the spiritual support & comfort exhibited during this time. God bless each and everyone of

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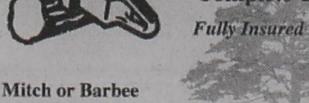
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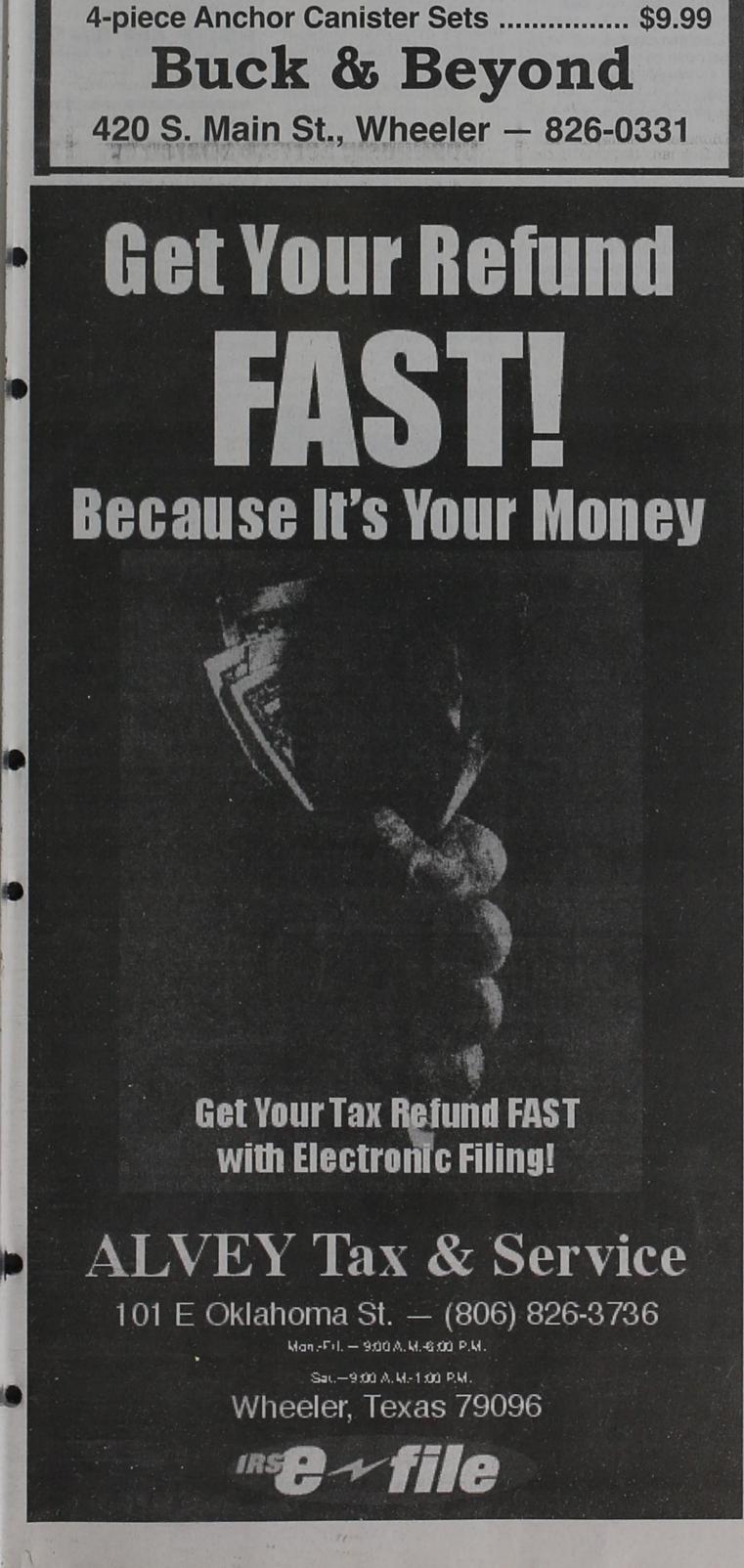
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Hillary

14. Merlin, e.g.

19. Full of pep

quality

33. Ancient

"out"

score

39. Biblical boat

40. Cheat, slangily

41. "Did you ___ ?!"

43. Clarified butter

50. Falafel bread

52. Kind of bran

44. Skate part

46. Collected

48. Two

15. Allotment

16. Brace

8. Navigational aid

17. Allot, with "out"

18. Andean animal

21. Oil of wintergreen,

say!"

23. Arduous journey

29. Kind of instinct

34. "Duck soup!"

25. Unsophisticated

13. Where Bill met

5. "Ciao!"

Crossword

23

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metal

63. Eccentric

66. Catch sight of

69. " me?"

Down

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1. Hoopla

2. Bring in

dient

7. At attention

10. "Cool!"

11. Cap

12. Back

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38. Common soccer 4. Keep from having

67. Lady Macbeth,

70. Buttonhole, e.g.

37. Barely beat, with 3. Hand cream ingre- 55. Bad day for Cae-

greens

6. Himalayan legend

9. Waterproof fabric

14. Refine, as metal

20. Hidden valley

65. Broker

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a.m. Monday, January 23, 2012,

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27. Do-nothing

31. "All kidding _

36. Bias

47. XC

42. Reissue

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51. Cockeyed

32. Biblical pariah

35. "___ you nuts?"

43. Affect, with "to"

44. Gray matter

45. Mail contents

53. Checked item

54. Pond dweller

57. Brit's "Baloney!

muscles

59. Baal, e.g.

61. Face up to

58. Like some

fruit

Chad Helton

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28. "Awright!"

56. An alkaline earth 25. Ninth day before

62. Any Platters plat- 26. Full of pep

64. Halftime lead, e.g. 30. Fable finale

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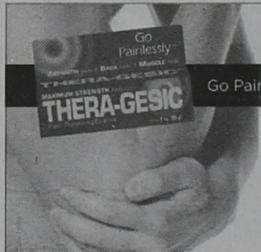
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Week of Dec 26 - Dec 30, 2011 Intentions to Drill

HEMPHILL (LIPSCOMB, S.E. 6-5-2011, drlg. Compl. 7-26-Cleveland) Mewbourne Oil Com- 2011, tested 10-27-2011, potenpany, #1H Cleveland Ranch '22', (640ac) 200' from North & 1990' from East line, Sec. 69, 42, H&TC, TVD 9979', MD 14976', tops: 8 mi N from Canadian PD 9000 (BHL: 330' from North & 500' from 9182.0, Granite Wash A 9782.0, East) (sgd. Rebecca Dunn 806 Granite Wash B 9913.0, 9 5/8" 665 0338) Horizontal

ROBERTS (MENDOTA, NW. csg 9635' (15-85 CL H & 50:50 Granite Wash) BP America Pro- CL H 668sx) 4 1/2" csg 14970' (duction Company, #594H TXI 410sx) Liner unknown--Mendota Ranch (640ac) 247' from API # 42-211-34903 - Horizon-North & 2215' from West line, Sec. tal South & 2636' from West) (sgd.

zontal ROBERTS (MENDOTA, NW. C, G&M, elev. 2729 gl, spud 10-Granite Wash) BP American Pro- 10-2011, drlg. Compl. 10-22duction Company, #595H 2011, tested 12=8-2011, poten-Mendota Ranch (640ac) 259' from tial 1061.0 MCF, rock pressure North & 2215' from West line, Sec. 59, B1, H&GN, 9 mi NE from Miami PD 10700 (BHL: 250' from South & 1533' from West) (sqd.

Nikki Macres 281 366 3384 ROBERTS (PAN PETRO Cleveland) Mewbourne Oil Company, #2H Morrison '181', (640ac) 320' from South & 880' from West line, Sec. 181, 42, H&TC, 25 mi N from Miami PD 8000 (BHL: 330' from North & 880' from West) (sgd. Rebecca Dunn 806 665 0338)

ROBERTS (WILDCAT & CLARK MARTIN Granite Wash) Range Production Company, #7079H Kim (640ac) 2276' from West (Off Lease) & 884' from South (Off Lease) line, Sec. 94, C, G&M, 13 467' from South & 1474' from West) (sgd. Doug Laufer 512 899 2414) Horizontal

Horizontal

WHEELER (FRYE RANCH Consolidated) Linn Operating, Inc., #6H Black 50 SL (213.33ac) 202' from South & 788' from West line, Sec. 50, A3, H&GN, 7 mi NE from Wheeler PD 12515 (BHL: 367' from North & 550' from east) (sgd. Maureen Carter 405 241 2223) Horizontal

WHEELER (STILES RANCH Granite Wash Cons.) Newfield Expl. Mid-Con. Inc., #4H Britt 9, (640ac) 235' from South (Off Lease) & 1320' from West (Off

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tial 3136.0 MCF, rock pressure 1263 psia, pay 10099-14920 OH. Cleveland 8778.0, Oswego csg 2475' (15-85 C 1513sx) 7"

59, B1, H&GN, 9 mi NE from Mi- ROBERTS (LARD RANCH ami PD 10900 (BHL: 255' from Granite Wash-C-) Chesapeake Operating, Inc., #8061H Lard Nikki Macres 281 366 3384) Hori- Ranch, 350' from North & 525' from West Lease line, Sec. 62,

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THOUGH I speak with the tongues of men and of angels, and have not charity(love), I am become as sounding brass, or a tinkling cymbal. And though I have the gift of prophecy, and understand all mysteries, and all knowledge; and though I have all faith, so that I could remove mountains, and have not charity, I am nothing. And though I bestow all my goods to feed the poor, and though I give my body to be burned, and have not charity, it profiteth me nothing. Charity suffereth long, and is kind; charity envieth not; charity vaunteth not itself, is not puffed up, Doeth not behave itself unseemly, seeketh not her own, is not easily provoked, thinketh no evil; Rejoiceth not in iniquity, but rejoiceth in the truth; Beareth all things, believeth all things, hopeth all things, endureth all things. Charity never faileth: but whether there be prophecies, they shall fail; whether there be tongues, they shall cease, whether there be knowledge, it shall vanish away. For we know in part, and we prophesy in part. But when that which is perfect is come, then that which is in part shall be done away. When I was a child, I spoke Wheeler Friday looking for as a child, I understand as a child, I thought as a child: but when I became a man, I put away child- be working on the rig. ish things. For now we see through a glass, darkly; but then face to face: now I know in part; but then shall I know even as also ity. I Corinthians 13 kings: and I will bless thy name program.

for ever and ever. Every day will November 9, 1961 I bless thee and I will praise thy name for ever and ever. Great is the Lord, and greatly to be praised; and his greatness is normally be closed Saturday, unsearchable. One generation November 11, for observance of shall praise thy works to another, Veterans' Day, but will be open and shall declare thy mighty acts. for business as usual. The I will speak of the glorious honour merchants have in the past been of thy majesty, and of thy wondrous works. And men shall speak of the fright of thy terrible acts: and I will declare thy greatness. They shall abundantly utter the memory of thy great goodness, and shall sing of thy righteousness. The Lord is gracious, and full of compassion; slow to anger, and of great mercy. The Lord is good to all: and his tender Psalms 145:1-9

Praise the Lord for his redeeming basement. power!!! Saturday it was so windy History Of the Program I thought our roof was going to In Wheeler County Office leave. It almost blew Opal The Agriculture Farm program Boydston down with her daugh- originally began in 1933 as part ter doing her best to hold on to of the duties of the County Agent. her. It was a terrible wind. A storm The office manager, or secretary if you will. WOW!!! But God kept she was known in the early us thru it all. Praise God!!!

RRC PRODUCTION

STATISTICS AND

FOR January 2012 States. In the last 12 months, to- of the program. tal Texas reported production was Garth Nash Is 381 million barrels of oil and 7.1 trillion cubic feet of natural gas.

final production for October 2011 accepted 169 pledges at the end is 33,773,405 barrels of crude oil of fall rush, Hershel G. Potts, and 509,884,053 Mcf (thousand Tech fraternity supervisor cubic feet) of gas well gas.

production numbers by multiply- Nash of Wheeler. ing the preliminary October 2011 production totals of 30,894,077 barrels of crude oil and

vember 2011 was 443,491,626 Soil Bank were: Mcf compared to 474,188,896 Mcf The Acreage Reserve - A in November 2010. The Decem-short-time program to reduce ber 2011 gas storage estimate is current production of allotment 422,268,502 Mcf.

mission's Oil and Gas Division set 1958. initial January 2012 natural gas The Conservation Reserve-a demand of 10,543,082 Mcf (thou-conservation use. sand cubic feet). In setting the The farmer receives two types initial January 2012 allowables, of payment for putting cropland production figures from previous annual payment and a cost-share months, producers' demand fore- payment to assist in establishing casts for the coming month, and an approved conservation use on adjusted the figures based on well the land. capability. These initial allowables To date, the local A.S.C.S. will be adjusted after actual pro-office has paid \$380,993.44 in duction for January 2012 is re- 1961 annual payments.

time and good visiting. Juanita headed for Binger, Oklamas Day with Robbie and SaRita

enjoyed visiting.

Carissa Turney and her son, what was given and received. A Kanen Jay. Glenn and Betty joyous time for all. Boydston came over to Robbie and SaRita's house and we all enjoyed a delicious Christmas Opal really enjoyed a game of meal. Opal and Juanita stayed a Spinners, altho Juanita won that couple of nights with Robbie and game. Opal just enjoys playing. SaRita and family.

had a good day of relaxing and

Boydston's house for a very deli-

cious meal and after Opal, Juanita

Family Christmas at Kevin and to bed. Greg and Tiffanye also Jennifer Green's house. All the Green family were there and all grandbabies, all but Carissa's ONE!!

Opal and Juanita Boydston were Saturday, Opal and Juanita invited to be with Gary and Julie Boydston and Louise Boydston Boydston for supper and visiting gathered at Gary and Julie and games and watching the new year in and the old one out!! Enjoved a very delicious meal. Gary and Louise attended church, they and Julie had their children and gathered back to Gary and Julie's grandchildren there. Greg and house for a game of Mexican Tiffanye Boydston and Kaylye Train. Melvin and Judy Walser and Gavin, Tori and Hannah

Saturday, New Year's Eve,

Friday Opal and Juanita husband, Kodi Turney. The

Boydston enjoyed the day visiting Green's welcomed Mom and I

Louise Boydston and Shirley with kindness and seemed happy

Chadwick. Opal and Juanita en- that we were there. Had a deli-

joyed a delicious meal at noon cious meal and lots of good visit-

and then at supper as well. Just ing. Lots of good deserts as well.

joined us for games. Had a nice Boydston, Doug and Amie Purcell and family of Amarillo, Texas. Sunday morning early Opal and After the meal, Gary, Julie and family had their Christmas. Opal homa where they enjoyed Christ- and Juanita enjoyed watching gifts being unwrapped with joy. and Kelton and Kendi Shay and Everyone seemed thrilled with

> After gifts, games were played, some played a Minute to Win It!! Then we visited and ate more till went home.

> HAPPY NEW YEAR EVERY-

50 Years (from Page 1)

houses and apartments for his crew. Approximately 15 men will

P.T.A. Says Thanks For Large Crowd Attending Annual Affair Oct. 31

The Wheeler P.T.A. wishes to I am known. And now abideth thank the people of Wheeler for faith, hope, charity, these three; the fine turnout for the Turkey but the greatest of these is char- Dinner and Halloween Program. \$207.00 was taken in at the I WILL extol thee, my God, O dinner and \$105.00 at the

> Stores To Remain Open Saturday, Nov. 11

Stores in Wheeler would closed on Veterans' Day, but since it falls on Saturday this year, it was agreed to remain open to accommodate the people of the Wheeler Area.

ASC Office Moves To New Location Open House Scheduled for Monday, November 13

The Agriculture Stabilization mercies are over all his works. and Conservation Service office manager, personnel and county The weather in Allison, Texas committeemen will hold "open on this Tuesday morning is just so house" Monday, November 13, beautiful. Its cold out today but from 9:00 a.m. until 5:00 p.m. at the sun is shining and not much their new office location at 118 wind at all right now. Being in the West Oklahoma Street. (The Texas Panhandle we know that Sweat Shop is presently at this will change in a day or so. But its location.) They will be serving so peaceful out there right now. coffee and invite everyone to drop Really nice. suppose to warm upby, have coffee, visit and inspect nicely. Praise be to Jesus for histheir new quarters. The A.S.C.S. goodness and mercy to us. office had been in the courthouse

days, worked with the County Agent and was in time given the full administrative responsibilities along with the county and community committeemen.

The farm program known then as the Agriculture Adjustment Administration was originated in AUSTIN - The Texas average Wheeler County under the rig count as of Dec. 16 was 916, supervision of Jake Tarter, representing about 47 percent of County Agent, with Benton A. all active land rigs in the United "Zipper" Zornes as the secretary

Phi Kappa PSI Pledge Lubbock-Eleven campus The Commission's estimated fraternities at Texas Tech have announced.

The Commission derives final Pledges include Harold Garth

ASC Soil Bank Program Explained

The Soil Bank originally 457,911,139 Mcf of gas well gas provided two programs to assist by a production adjustment factor of 1.0932 for crude oil and farmers to divert a program of 1.1135 for gas well gas. (These their cropland from the production production totals do not include of crops and to carry out a casinghead gas or condensate.) program of soil, water, forest and Texas natural gas storage re- wildlife conservation. These two ported to the Commission for No- programs authorized under the

crops. This program was The Texas Railroad Com-discontinued on December 31,

production allowables for prorated long-time program to shift general fields in the state to meet market cropland from production to a

the Commission used historical in the Conservation Reserve: An

Progress in Wheeler

The new home of Mr. and Mrs. Louis Boydston located on the south end (west side) of Main Street was completed. Wheeler Lumber furnished the materials and Eli Sabbe was the builder.

H&B Appliance advertised:

Monday night, Opal and Juanita the New Year came in. Then Boydston attended the Green Opal and Juanita went home and

> New 12-lb. Capacity Filter-Flo Washer for \$199.95 w/trade. A new General Electric Frost-Guard refrigerator with small down payment could be paid out

at \$2.50 per week. No more

defrosting...frost never forms. Southwestern Public Service was offering a full-size automatic electric blanket free with the purchase of an electric clothes dryer or electric hot water heater.

November 17, 1961 A Chat with The Editor

R. L. Pike, owner of the P&G Laundry is installing 10 new automatic washers in the P&G Laundry this week. The washers are in addition to the wringertype washers, which will still be in use.

Soil Conservation Moves To New Office

The Soil Conservation Service, which has for the past several years had its office in the courthouse, moved into the office space on the west side of the courthouse basement. This is the location recently vacated by the A.S.C.S. office.

Advertisements:

The Wheeler Times offered the original Lindy Utility Ball Point Pen for 39c w/12 brilliant colors of ink available.

66 Service Station offered New Recap Mud and Snow Tires in all sizes for \$14.50, tax Benson Hardware & Furniture

would come to your home with carpet samples. Their prices for carpet, laid complete with pad, starting at \$4.95 (sq. yd.) and

Wheeler Drug offered complete livestock supplies: Penicillin with streptomycin-100cc for \$2.95; 50 doses Lepto Vaccine at 10c per dose; 50 doses Blackleg Vaccine for 10c per dose.

Progress In Wheeler

Carroll Adams and J. D. Johnson completed remodeling project of the Tom Puryear home located northeast of Wheeler on the Puryear

November 23, 1961 Allison Receives Letter Final Plans are Complete for Annual Christmas **Festivities**

The board of directors of the Chamber Wheeler Commerce met Wednesday morning and completed plans for the forthcoming holiday

The Christmas atmosphere is already apparent in Wheeler and within the next few days our fair city will be headlong into Christmas activities.

Several Chamber members met Monday night and repaired the Christmas decorations.

Some of the plans for the coming weeks include a visit from Santa on December 16 at 3:00 P.M.

Santa will arrive on the Wheeler fire truck as usual. Lots of free candy will be available for the kiddies.

Another important feature of the holiday season this year will be "Home Decoration Contest." The Chamber of Commerce will award first, second and third place plaques for the bestdecorated house in Wheeler.

Mrs. Guthrie and the other merchants have scheduled free matinees to be shown on December 22 and 23.

Christmas hymns will be taped and played through the Christmas season.

And, as a climax to the Christmas season, the merchants of Wheeler have donated \$1,000.00, which will be given away by drawings. From Vice President

D L. Malin, Superintendent of Schools in Allison received a letter from the Vice-President of the United States of America, Lyndon B. Johnson, congratulating him on the accomplishments of the Vocational Agriculture

Department. The letter stated

that accomplishments of the

Sunday evening, Opal and Juanita Boydston visited Roma and Billy June Brown in the Wheeler Care Center and Rehab. They are always glad to see visitors and welcome them. Shopped some at grocery store and then of course Happy Hour at Cross

Country Barn. Recently Opal and Juanita Boydston enjoyed a delicious meal at Mel's Diner and afterwards visited Roma and Billy June Brown at Wheeler Care Center and Rehab. Also did some shopping before heading home. And yes of course a soda pop at Happy Hour as well.

Vance Boydston still needs prayers for his health. Not doing very well. But I know with Gods healing power he can get better. There is nothing that my God can't do. All things are possible thru him. Praise God!!

Please pray for Virgil Stinnett who is in poor health. Also my cousin, Sharon Horton who is battling cancer. All those in our community who are sick or battling cancer as well. We need to pray for our neighbors and kinfolk. Also I would covet your prayers for my Aunt Lois Boydston who fell after Christmas and is in hospital in Ar-

God Bless and Keep va'll till next time!!

Allison FFA in Farm Safety and Agriculture had been brought to his attention by the Education Department.

November 30, 1961 Wheeler Gin Has 1181 **Bales of Cotton**

The local gin reported Wednesday morning that it has ginned 1181 bales of cotton with an average grade of 15/16 mid., Lt. Sp., and is still selling for 31 to 32 cents per pound.

It is estimated that not quite half of the cotton in this area has been harvested at this time.

Cyclorama Installed In Wheeler Gym

The new cyclorama for the stage in the Wheeler Gymnasium has been installed and is ready for use. This project which was undertaken by the Thursday Review Club under the leadership of Mrs. Harrison Hall is one of the most-needed improvements of the Wheeler School and will enjoyed by everyone that attends programs, etc, in the gymnasium.

The total cost including the installation by the Oklahoma Scenic Co. of Oklahoma City, is \$590.00.

(The project was paid for through donations.)

Old Issue Of Times Tells Of

Big Fire; Wheeler Football Mrs. Annie Sivage brought the Times a copy of Wheeler News-Review, published December 30, 1920. We appreciated it and would like to share with you some interesting bits of information we

Big fire, South Side of the Square

About fifteen minutes after twelve o'clock on the night of December 22, the people of Wheeler were aroused by the cry of "Fire! Fire!" The buildings on the south side of the square were in flames and by the time the bucket brigade was formed, the fire had gained such headway that it could not be checked until it reached the brick building occupied by W. E. Pennington and Son with their dry goods and grocery business.

Three buildings, which housed the Hall Drug Company, Happy Hour Theatre, The Wheeler News-Review and Lotts Barber and Shoe Shop were completely destroyed.

Christmas Day, the football teams of Wheeler and Wellington met on the local gridiron in a football contest that was the best exhibition of real football that this place has ever witnessed. The game resulted in a tie of 6-6.

The Wheeler lineup was: Roy Smith, fullback; Dick Craig, left half; Buck Britt, right half; Tom Hall, quarterback; Frank Breeding, left end; J. D. Kutch, left tackle; Dan Sanders, left



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quard; Perry Morris, center; Stanley Green, right guard; Paul Green, right tackle; and Bob Holt,

Buck Britt went through the line for a touchdown; his interference was run by Dick Craig.

Some items in the advertising section read: Fatty's Barber Shop-Floyd

Morris, Prop. West Side of Square. The M.V. Sanders Abstract Co.

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VH. Moore, Auctioneer Reynolds and Reynolds, Attorney at Law

William I. Joss, M.D.—County Health Physician.

Movies:

Elvis Presley in "Wild In The Country" was to show at the Rogue Theatre, Preview, Sunday and Monday, Dec. 3-4.

December 7, 1961 Two Mustangs Picked For All-District Team

Two Wheeler Mustangs were placed on the All-District football team: two chosen for the second All-District team and five were awarded places on the honorable mention team, when the coaches of District 1-B met at Fritch recently to select the mythical teams for 1961. Halfback G. C. Baker and guard, Larry Levitt, were first team choices; halfback Jim Jolly and tackle, Bobbie Meadows, were second team choices while Leon Watson, Ray Owen, Bill Green, Mendall Hunter and Kenneth McCasland received honorable mention.

Gin Processes 1645 Bales

The Wheeler Gin reported Wednesday noon that it had spinning wheel. processed 1645 bales of cotton.

Fine weather is permitting the farmers to harvest their cotton at a rapid rate and the gin, according to Fat Jones, manager, is working a full crew around the clock and will continue to do so in order to process the cotton as fast as possible.

School Menu

Monday-Beef Stew, Celery Hearts, Crackers, Fruit Cookies, Milk & Butter

Tuesday—Hamburger Steaks on Bun, Potato Chips, Lettuce Wedge, Pickle, Apple Pie, Milk and Butter Wednesday-Hot Tamales,

Spinach, Brown Sugar Cake, Apple Sauce Thursday-Pork Chops, New Potatoes, Green Salad, Green

Pinto Beans, Corn Bread,

Beans, Jelly, Hot Rolls, Milk and Friday-Turkey and Dressing, Creamed Potatoes, Cranberry

Sauce, English Peas, Mincemeat

Date Set For Annual Calf Show

Cake, Bread, Butter and Milk

The annual Junior Beef Calf Show has been set for Friday, December 22, 1961, 10:00 A.M., in the Wheeler Show Barn behind the Wheeler Fire Station.

Doctor To Consider Locating In Wheeler

Dr. Don Barney of Vici, Okla., was in Wheeler Tuesday and Wednesday and showed much interest in the possibility of setting up a general medical practice here. At the present time, Dr. Barney is serving in the United States Army and is now stationed at Fort Sill, Okla.

"Wheeler; town of friendship and pride."

Thirty-Nine Awards Given at 4-H Banquet

Thirty-nine awards were presented to 4-H members of Wheeler County this past Saturday afternoon at their fourth annual 4-H Awards Banquet and sixteen adult leaders received recognition. One hundred and twenty-five people came out to see the 4-H members receive their awards and enjoy the program.

Gold Star: Winnie Smith, President of the Briscoe Club and Billy Don Rives, Co-Chairman, 4-H Council and President of the Shamrock Sr. 4-H Club.

December 21, 1961 First Fat Stock Show In

In 1962 To Be In Wheeler Co. Plans have been made to have one of the largest fat stock shows in the history of the county for the

Allison and Briscoe FFA and 4-H members. The Briscoe and Allison Young Farmers Chapter is sponsor of the event this year. Prize money will be offered to the youths.

Mr. Lee Kiker of the Allison community and Mr. Loyd Hefley of the Briscoe community are in charge of raising money for prizes. Interesting is the fact that all prizes will be paid in silver dollars. The event will get under way at 9 a.m. on January 1, in the Bus Shed at the Allison High School.

Santa Letters:

Dear Santa, I am a second grade girl. I like school and I study very hard.

Please bring me a little red I love you, Santa, Cathy Callan

Dear Santa, I am a second grade girl. I would like a Dedda Get Betta Doll

and a Nurse Kit. I love you, Santa, Niki Ware

Dear Santa, I am a second grade Boy. I like school and I study very hard.

Please bring me a Fort Gun. I love you, Santa.

Archie Lee Trimble Dear Santa, I am a second grade boy. I like school and I study very hard. Please bring me a cow boy gun.

I live on a farm. I love you, Santa.

Noel Glazner December 28, 1961

ANew Year's Dance was set for Saturday, December 30, beginning at 9:00 P.M. Admission is \$1.00. The dance is to be held in the American Legion Building in Wheeler.

The following story was published in The Hornets Nest, the Mobeetie School Newspaper. It was later published in The

Wheeler Times: Popularity And The Student The teenage theme song starts with: Nobody likes me. Everybody hates me. A typical

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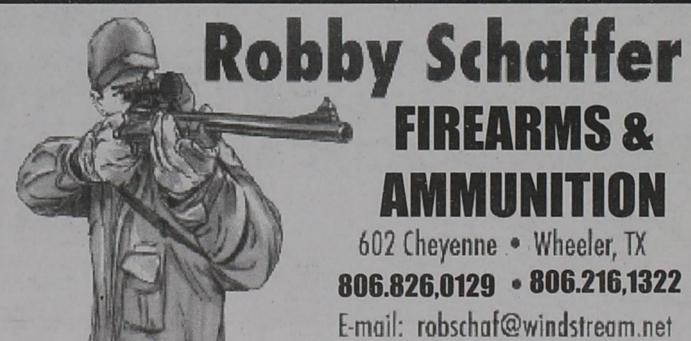
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50 Years

(from Page 5)

teenager always wonders, "What will others think of me."

The popularity panic button is too often pushed by the junior adult. The key to his or her

Board (from Page 1) the future of Texas schoolchil-

dren," he said. TASB is a nonprofit association established in 1949 to serve local Texas school districts. School board members are the largest of an oil and gas pipeline. group of publicly elected officials in the state. The districts they represent serve approximately 4.9 million public school students.

investigating who you are and who you want to be. Are you sure when you say, "I

situation lies in facing the fact

that the teens are the years for

don't have any friends: you don't mean you're a friend to no one? People make friends! It all depends on your actions, not the way you spell your last name or

Comm. (from Page 1) Enogex Gas Gathering, LLC was given permission to cut County Road J for the installation

The next meeting of the Wheeler County Commissioners' Court will be Monday, January 9, your books. You win friends by extending your hand to them, smiling, a cheerful "Hi". To have friends, you must be one.

Developing a pleasing personality is the key to popularity. Personality is not just the ability to say things to keep friends amused, it is an interest in other people-being able to see their side of things.

Storm (from Page 1)

That is the war for our freedoms. Next time I will tell you about that adventure.

I'm so sorry I can't help Pop do the papers. I miss going to see the people. Oh, well, I'll see you next summer! That's it.

Good manners arise in a respect for the rights and feelings of other people. One must realize others have feelings the same as us. Once one gets this fact mastered, the rest comes easily enough.

Manners have a deep root in self-respect. Many times, one is disliked secretly in a community because he is known to be unmindful of people's sensibilities. Such a person is disliked because he has not selfrespect. This is, he must make such a standard for himself, which will restrain his speech, govern his temper, observe behavior, be patient under misunderstanding and often permit the ignorant to be unchecked in something wrong.



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Until each person finds out how wrong he has been, it is hard to do this, especially with some forms of ignorance and selfness, yet the good-mannered person will do it.

The New Year is approaching and it is time to take stock of our good qualities and bad. Start now to make your New Year's resolutions and stick to them. Your thoughts need no longer be "What will others think of me."



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