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"Wheeler, town of friendship and pride."

**Buy Your Caps & Visors For Cap Day**

Caps and Visors will be on sale Thursday, July 2nd, on the Courthouse lawn, so that everyone can wear them Saturday, July 4th.

# 2ND ANNUAL 4TH OF JULY CELEBRATION!

## Competition For Young & Old, Food, Fireworks and Street Dance

The tennis tournament, 2 mile Freedom Run/Walk, and Punt, Pass & Kick will get underway at 8 A.M. at the Track Field. We will have a concession stand open at the Track Field during these events.

The Park will be open at 10 A.M. with all of our booths in full action. We will be using tickets to pay for all purchases at the celebration and the Chamber of Commerce will have a booth set up so that you may purchase your tickets as soon as you arrive at the park. The Chamber will also be selling caps and visors.

We will have singing and entertainment throughout the day, a special treat will be The Mason Jars so make plans to bring your lawn chairs or quilts and spend the day with us.

The dunking board, dart game, baseball throw and face painting will take place across the bridge on the east side of the creek.

**CWE** CHAT WITH EDITOR  
By Louis C. Stas

Apologies are in order. Kelli Sutton's name was omitted under the picture of the quilt being given away by the 1987-88 Wheeler Cheerleaders. In writing the cutline, I used the picture of the girls awarding the check to Charlie Miller. Kelli was on vacation at the time the picture was taken and we failed to acknowledge her absence—"the first goof", concerning Kelli.

-cwe-

Saturday is the big celebration. The front page shows the schedule of activities and the location of the food booths. All that is needed now is the people. Last year, the first annual affair, was a success; don't miss it this year.

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### Courthouse Closed

In observance of the Independence Day Holiday, the Wheeler County Courthouse will be closed on Friday, July 3, 1987.

## Park Improvements Is Topic Of Town Hall Meeting

Mayor Wanda Herd opened the special meeting of the City council by introducing Judy Munden and John Keel of PRPC. Mrs. Munden explained the process that should be taken in applying to Parks and Wildlife in Austin to obtain a matching grant to upgrade the City Park.

After discussing with Mrs. Munden the rules and regulations the meeting advanced to a town hall meeting. After a question and answer period from the people in attendance a resolution was introduced designating the Mayor and City secretary to act on the behalf of the City of Wheeler in dealing with Parks and Wildlife in obtaining this assistance. A copy of this resolution is on file in the city office.

Berniece Hall made motion to adopt said resolution, Jess Sheets second.

### WHEELER LODGE

#### Installation

Wheeler Lodge No. 1099, A.F. & A.M. will hold an open installation on Monday, July 6, 1987. Homemade Ice Cream will be served to those in attendance.

All lodge members are urged to attend. Visitors are welcome.

### SWEETWATER-MERIDIAN

#### Annual Homecoming

The Sweetwater-Meridian annual homecoming will be Saturday, July 4, 1987, at the school in the all purpose room, south entry. Hospitality hour begins at 6 p.m. Guests are welcome. Fee is \$1.50 per person. For further information contact either Eileen Logan, Mayfield, OK., 73656, 405/534-2220; or Gale Thompson, Erick, OK. 73645, 405/526-3932.

## NO PARKING

Parking in the area of the park will be prohibited. The streets will be "blocked off" and access to the park will only be on foot on by transportation provided from the parking area.

Dr. and Mrs. Bob Galutia have agreed to allow the use of their property at the corner of Seventh and Red River Streets to be used for parking. This is one block from the park.

Arrangements are being made for golf carts to transport those needing rides to and from the park.

Individuals are also being asked not to use private drives to "bypass" the blockades. Offenders will be subject to prosecution.

## Help Us Keep The Park Clean

Please help us clean up our Park and Baseball Field before our Fourth of July Celebration. We want people to have a good impression of Wheeler so your help will be appreciated in cleaning up our park.

### Below you will find our schedule of events.

- 8:00 A.M. — 2 Mile Freedom Fun/Run — Track Field
  - 8:30 A.M. — Tennis Tournament — Tennis Courts
  - 8:30 A.M. — Punt, Pass & Kick — Track Field
  - 8:30 A.M. — Roping and Barrel Racing Timed Events
  - 10:00 A.M. — Food & Game Booths Open — Park
  - 10:00 A.M. — Kids Games — Park
- Horse Shoe Pitching and Volleyball will be available the entire day.

### SWIM MEET

- 11:30 Events for 2-4 Year Olds  
Wading Pool
  - 1. Pick-up Contest (bring in the most amount of objects from the bottom of the pool in a set amount of time)
  - 2. Wading Race
- Events for 5 Year Olds through 4th Grade-Shallow end of big pool
- 1. Freestyle Race (to the rope, younger ones will use kickboard)
  - 2. Underwater Swim - Longest Distance
  - 3. Pick-up Contest (same as above)

### Events for 5th Grade through Adult

- Diving Board area
  - 1. Diving Contest (3 dives per contestant; will be judged on form, difficulty, entrance)
- 12:30 Events for 5th Grade through Adult
- 1. Freestyle Race (one length of pool)
  - 2. Inner Tube Race (one length of pool)
  - 3. Relay Race - 4 person team (each swims one length of pool)

Group divisions will be tentative. If there is a large number of second graders for example, we will have a division for just the 2nd grade.

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|-----------------------|--------------------------|
| 2 year old girls      | 2 year old boys          |
| 3 year old girls      | 3 year old boys          |
| 4 year old girls      | 4 year old boys          |
| 5 year old & K girls  | 5 year old boys & K boys |
| 1st & 2nd grade girls | 1st & 2nd grade boys     |
| 3rd & 4th grade girls | 3rd & 4th grade boys     |
| 5th & 6th grade girls | 5th & 6th grade boys     |
| 7th & 8th grade girls | 7th & 8th grade boys     |
| High School girls     | High School boys         |
| Adults                | Adults                   |

We will have all contestants register this year so we'll have an accurate count.

- FREE Swimming following Swim Meet (all afternoon).
- DUSK — Fireworks — Park
- 11:00 P.M. — Dance — Texas Street Downtown



The Wheeler Kiwanis Club has set Wednesday afternoon aside for working at the softball fields. Kiwanis members and members of the Softball Association are urged to report for work at 5 P.M. each Wednesday.

The park, located at the end of Seventh Street at the west edge of the Wheeler city limits, is progressing, but additional work is needed. The fencing is in place the the work remaining will just take time and volunteers.

**WIND DAMAGE:** A storm which came through Wheeler on Wednesday morning, June 24, left a lot of damage to trees in the area. The large American Elm at Parkview Hospital was split in half. The tree was first damaged last year when it broke in half. The lower picture shows the merry-go-round at the city park. A large cottonwood limb fell on the playground equipment and bent some of the bracing. The area has been cleaned up and is ready for the activities this Saturday.

### KIDS GAMES [Sponsored by Thursday Review Club]

- 10:00 A.M. at Park
- Until 11:30 A.M.
- TURTLE RACE [BRING YOUR OWN TURTLE]**
- Water Balloon Toss
- Sack Race
- Water Relay Race
- Organized Children's Games

### JULY 4th TENNIS TOURNAMENT

#### [Open Division]

- \*Place: Wheeler I.S.D., Tennis Court
- \*Time: 8:30 A.M. (Men and Women Doubles)  
3:00 P.M. (Mixed Doubles)
- \*Awards: 1st and 2nd place medals
- \*Entries: \$5.00 per Doubles Team Entry (This will pay for the Tennis Balls)
- \*Scoring: No-add, Best 2 out of 3 sets
- \*To enter in advance call — Mike Morgan, 826-3440

### PUNT, PASS & KICK

- Place: Football Practice Field
- Time: 8:30 A.M. Sharp
- Awards: 1st, 2nd, 3rd place Ribbons
- Entry Fee: FREE
- Sponsor: Wheeler Chamber of Commerce
- Age Group: 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 13 & 14

## Donations Are Being Accepted For Fireworks Display Expense

The Wheeler Chamber of Commerce will again be sponsoring the Fireworks Display at the end of the Second Annual Fourth of July Celebration on Saturday, July 4. The 45 minute display will be "set off" by members of the Wheeler Volunteer Fire Department.

Donations are being accepted for the purchase of the fireworks. A \$2000 assortment of fireworks will be purchased for the display. The "type C" fireworks is scheduled for "dusk" at the ballpark at the city park; this type was chosen to cut the expense and lengthen the display.

An account has been opened at Security Federal for depositing of donations toward the expense of the display. Checks can be made payable to Wheeler Fireworks Display and taken or mailed to Security Federal, Box 647, Wheeler, Texas 79096.

A committee has been appointed for the collection of contributions for the fireworks, but don't wait to be contacted—any Chamber member will also be glad to accept the donation.

Why be out the expense and risk of your own fireworks? Let's pool our resources and we can all enjoy the show.

### BOOTHS MAY BE BUILT AND SET UP FRIDAY NIGHT AND DECORATED EARLY SATURDAY MORNING.

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Methodist Youth Popcorn	Eastern Star Lemonade & Cokes
Legion Auxillary Ice Cream, Brownies & Tea	Kelton Seniors Nachos & Candy
American Legion Bar-B-Que	Baptist Youth Sno-Cones
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## Gageby News

Verna Fillingim

Next Sunday night July 5, will be singing night at Gageby at 7:00 p.m. with Claude Laverty in charge. Everyone invited.

Gaye Hale and children spent a few days with Paula Bacon and boys at Big Bend State Park and fun.

Willis and I went to Amarillo Monday for Willis' check-up. His hip surgery. Doing pretty well, but has to use a walker for another 6 weeks because so much work was done on his hip. Nice to have Paula Reed meet us for lunch. We also went to see Alan and Bernie Tapp and Jennifer, David and new baby, Amanda Lea on the Bivins ranch. Got to see their new house.

Sincere sympathy to Walter Hand and family in the death of his mother, Mrs. Zeno Estelle Hand at Fort Worth.

Happy Anniversary to Dan and Caroline Cornett and Nancy and LeRoy Weatherly on July 5, David and Becky Zybach on July 9, and Walter and Wilma Bible on July 10.

Happy Birthday to Aaron Hartline on July 6, Cecil Meadows and Gary Brotherton on July 6, Rhonda Stevens, Clint Miller and Larry Gatlin on July 7, Tonya Gilmer, Clifton Ogle

## Ain't It the Truth?

By Ab Gunter

Back in what we called the Big One, WW2 I was on a Tank crew for a few days and always sort of wanted to ride in one of them, in a Peaceful sort of way, ever since. Well not long ago a friend of my sons got one of the tanks like I was on and restored it like new, they even named it the same name we had on our tank "The Black Widow" with a goodlooking Gal painted on the side of it. I haven't seen the thing yet but will this weekend, I'm going to get to ride in the gun tub of it in a parade. The Tank is what is called a Priest or M7. They ain't air conditioned or even water proof cause they didn't have a top but we kids thought it was sumthing and them Japs didn't like them a bit.

This fellow that has the tank has the largest collection of military vehicles in the U.S. other than the Military, he furnishes all sorts of things for the Movie companies and he makes his hobby pay its own way. If you saw the movie with James Garner in it about the tanks well you saw some of Fred's tanks and other vehicles, he also furnished vehicles for that Mimi Series Amerika.

If any one of you know how to combat Moles let me know, them durn things are taking over the yard and not long ago I figerd they had undermined the house I had come in one evening and sit down in my favorite chair and leaned back and bout that time one of the Earthquakes rattled the house pretty hard and it did it again, I figerd we would just fall in a hole but didn't. I figerd them moles had just dug up the whole place but in a few minutes we heard over T.V. that we had had a quake that centered about 40 or 50 miles south-west of us. Sort of spookie when you get to thinkin about it, huh? See you next week.

Ab and Mama

and Roberta Adams on July 8, Rex Helton and Margie Meadows on July 10.

Visiting Tom and Alice Bell Helton Sunday night were Joe Paul and Joyce Smith from Sayre. They had been to visit Joe's Dad, Tom Smith in the Shamrock hospital. He's not doing very well.

Wednesday supper guests at Evelyn Meek home to celebrate Mark's birthday were Mark and Annette and Kaleb and Jocelyn.

Sunday dinner guests at Roy Meadows home were Cecil Reynolds and Dale and Debbie Stinnett and Christian, Cassidy and Cuyler.

Olaf and Wanda Savage are here at the farm working. Nice to see them at the camp meeting. Gaye Hale and Elizabeth, David and Sarah were Sunday dinner guests to Olaf's.

Chuck and Phoebe Hartline and Aaron and Tamara were weekend visitors to Chickasha, Okla. to Chuck's relatives.

Correction: Billy Harden is not working at the radio station. Still working for Equity at Canadian, Hawkins and Mobeetie on different

days.  
Lajuana McElroy left Albuquerque Monday morning to fly to Spain to live with a missionary family and help out in many ways for over a month. Pray for her.

Sincere sympathy to the family of Nora Hiltbrunner in her death.

Ruth Irvine is visiting Evelyn and Gerald Free for two weeks at Tyler and taking a college course or two.

Lots of Briscoe people playing ball.

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Several men are playing softball on the First State Bank Mobeetie team. Most of next years high school kids are playing summer basketball at Kelton on Mondays and Tuesday nights. Then there are Little League and Pee Wee teams. Mack Purcell, Wayne Zybach, Mike Johnson and Tim Bennett are coaching Pee Wees; Mandy Ratliff, April Purcell, Clay Zybach, Jimmy Bennett, Amanda and Allison Johnson, Travis Stevens, Rhonda Stevens, Dana Trimble, Tera Hefley, Kyle Zybach, Londa Crownover, Reagan Meadows, Ja'nae Goad, Kaleb Meek, Ty Woods. They beat Wheeler Monday night.

Ron and Debbie Van Vranken and Amy, Jenny and Ty got back Thursday, from 11 day trip to Florida. They enjoyed it all very much, especially Sea World, Disneyworld and the sights. They left Saturday to go to Dill City to see their parents and got back Monday. Nice to have them back.

Tim and Lisa Bennett visited Tim's parents at Durant, Okla. Jimmy had the misfortune to cut his knee or leg to the bone and had to have several stitches. Hope it will soon be o.k.

Gene and Rhonda Ferguson and Rusty, Mandy and Ty visited Gene's parents, Billy and Orvel Ferguson at El Reno over the weekend.

Dale and Janet Stevens and Nikki, Rhonda and Travis attended a McCarley family reunion at Lawton from Friday till Sunday of last weekend. Brooke is still at Grandma Glasgow's and not near ready to come home.

Vickey Nelson and Jimmy, Danny and Keri met Larry for lunch Saturday and ate at the Vic Mon in Canadian. Later, after Larry got off work, they visited Elmer and Cathy Harrison and Chad and Brad.

Rita and David Pearson visited David's family at Stamford last weekend.

Visiting us after church Wednesday night to celebrate J.P. Meek and Lois Meadows birthdays with cake and ice cream were J.P. and Martha Meek, Aaron and Tamara Hartline, Ray and Pat Hudson, Lois and Roy Meadows, Cheryl Hudson, Melody, Mandy and Keith Ratliff, Cecil Reynolds, Billy Harden.

Cheryl Hudson spent Wednesday night with Melody Ratliff. Pat and Cheryl went to Pampa Tuesday.

Sincere sympathy to the family of Ora Pearl Cowan. Used to be our near neighbors when we were kids at Briscoe. She passed away.

Weekend visitors to Willis Fillingim's were Tina Currie and Maria Toten of Pampa. Other Friday visitors were Don and Cindy Zumstein and Carrie and William. Other Sunday visitors were Bob and Sue Ratliff and Melody, Mandy and Keith. Thursday visitors were Brad and Sue Chandler and Bridget and Jana, Lindsey Fillingim, and Lessa Watson.

Going to Panfork Baptist Camp Monday for 4 days were Keri Nelson, Lindsey Fillingim, Caaron Laverty, Christian and Cassidy Stinnett, and Mobeetie girls Virginia Aycock, Misty Hallett, Amanda May and Mary Lou Swigart and Tina Currie and Maria Toten of Pampa. Tonya Gilmer was going as their sponsor. Aaron Laverty is camp nurse.

Visitors to the Charles Crownover home Sunday to celebrate Terri's 5th birthday were Mandy and Keith Ratliff, Matt Helm, Shauna and Joshua Hector and Willa Fillingim. They had a special birthday cake and ice cream and played on the water slide.

We had a great YL Camp Meeting. We didn't have very many campers, but many from all around the area. Many thanks to the Norris family for making it possible for everyone of many different churches to get together and worship the same Savior. Kinda like heaven! Souls were saved and we all were challenged and inspired to make our lives count for more. Crowds increased each night. Preachers Gilbert Forreest and Jack Taylor "did good!" Lots of good singers and musicians. You did great, Ray Hudson, as president of the local association.

Brenda and Mike Johnson came home Thursday. Mike went to get the girls Friday and got back Saturday night. Tonya Gilmer spent Friday night with Brenda. She enjoyed having lots of others come by to visit and awfully glad to be home after about 18 days away.

If you want a lift, go by and see Jo and Richmond Davis and family in Pampa. Jo knows she has cancer and doctors think she only has a few weeks to live. She was very weak when she came home from the hospital last Friday, but she is gaining strength and enjoying life to the fullest and is convinced that God and doctors and her faith are going to lick this thing. Her attitude seems to say like Job of old, "though He (God) slays me, yet will I trust him." It was so good to see Lynnita and her children, Jason 12, JoAnn 8 and Joshua 6. Also saw

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Shawn, now 19; he is working on road construction this summer and will go back to college at Clarendon this fall to study electronics. Wants to get through and work with his brother, Burl, who has a shop in Borger. Lynnita and husband, Jimmy and children live at Marlow, Okla. Lynnita and children have been with Jo since she got sick.



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## Briscoe Softball

### BRISCOE GIRLS SOFTBALL

We enjoyed seeing the Briscoe girls softball team play Miami girls. Tuesday night. They really did great. Had improved a whole lot since last year. Everyone got several hits.

Girls playing were Sara Powledge, Keri Nelson, Tressa Perry, Jenny and Amy Van Vranken, Lori Purcell, Lindsey Fillingim, Shelly Hunt, Shellie Ogle, Mandy Ferguson, Nikki Scott, Tonya Blackburn, Jami Trimble. Coaches are Debra Van Vranken, Tina Lehman and Bea Ogle. Others at Miami to cheer them on were David and Rita Pearson, Pam Trimble, Gene and Rhonda Ferguson, Janet Stevens and Rhonda and Travis, T. J. and Kyleigh Trimble, Larry and Vickey Nelson and Jimmy, Willis and Verna Fillingim, Mandy and Keith Ratliff, Dallas Fillingim, Ty Ferguson.

### BRISCOE LITTLE LEAGUE

Briscoe Little league finally won a game, they beat Miami by the score of 17 to 3. Big hitters were Jake Swigart,

John Moffett, Damon Remy, Boyce Crownover, Travis Goad. Other players were Ty Ferguson, Darron Remy, Joshua Purcell, Josh Hector, Jimmy Nelson, Bobby Blackburn, Zachary Ambry, and Corey Kinnaman.

### LITTLE LEAGUE GAMES

On 6-16 Wheeler Braves outscored the Briscoe Little League 15 to 14. Leading hitters were Jake Swigart, John Moffett, Travis Goad, and Jimmy Nelson. Other players were Ty Ferguson, Corey Kinnaman, Damon Remy, Darren Remy, Boyce Crownover, Joshua Purcell, Josh Hector, Zachary Mabry, Bobby Blackburn. Missing players Shawn Hunt, J.D. Tindol, Donnie Bell. Coaches Cecil Reynolds, James Moffett.

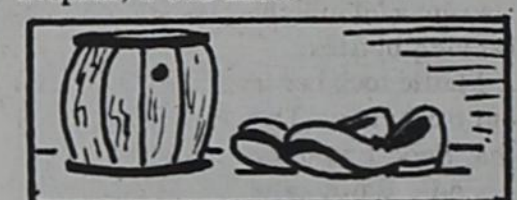
Monday 6-22-87 Kelton came to Briscoe to play baseball. They blacked out the Briscoe Little League by the score of 9 to 0. John Moffett got the only hit off the Kelton pitcher. Other players were Jake Swiggart, Damon and Darren Remy, Travis Goad, Ty Ferguson, Joshua Purcell, Josh Hector, Bobby Blackburn, Boyce Crownover, Zachary Mabry and Jimmy Nelson.

Nice to see Fat Childress. He's on crutches, but glad to be out of the hospital, a bad knee.

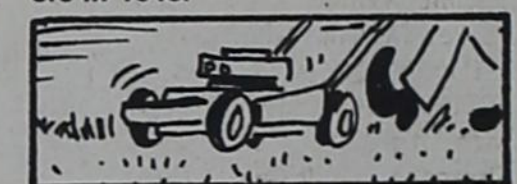
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SINGLETREE

Singletree will play for the dances on Friday and Saturday night. Dances will be held in the Clyde Carruth Pavilion with an extra large dance floor.

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## Briscoe News

By Vetola Parker

Wednesday, 24, around 6:30 A.M.—a bad cloud slipped up on us from northeast; there were lightning galor and bolt. I just knew we would have everything burned out. It went toward Doc Wilhelm's; maybe a little west of him. Was I glad when it passed on; it was taking its good easy time. The ground and sky were red; I just knew hail was coming any minute. But no hail and very little rain.

Jerry Helton, Frank Helton's boy, is real sick; he has cancer of the pancreas and liver. They say you have to have a pancreas to live; I don't see why anyone could get on a big shot of insulin and live. You can cut cancer out of your liver; your liver will grow back.

I slaughtered weeds yesterday. Now this rain will set them back out; maybe I can rake them up. These showers are wonderful if you had anything up and did not have wheat to combine.

Yesterday, 23rd, was Tolene Clark's birthday. Randy Parker's, Eric Pendlington's (Mike Clark's step son) and Parker, Todd Daugherty's.

Paper said C. B. Witt taught from 1930 to 1942 in Wheeler. Well he taught at Briscoe 1931 and 1932, when I attended Briscoe School.

Mable Parker said they got 2 1/4 inches of rain Sunday night. She did not get much, just now, Wed. morn. They also got a lot of lightning. Mable was canning berries.

Mattie took her friend, Etha Ruskin out to Saturday. They then shopped in that Food Emporium store in Pampa.

Eddie Bates came in 10 days ago; he and Jody Robinson and Jody's new wife leave soon for Water Town, N.Y. He will be stationed there.

Colie visited Claude and Mable Parker Saturday afternoon.

Purcells are involved in softball.

Ja'nae Goad spent Thursday night with April. Joshua Purcell spent Thursday with Travis Goad. Jenny Van Vranken spent Friday night with the Purcells.

Don and Dorene Purcell visited the Mac Purcells last Sunday on Father's Day.

Correction: They said 70 miles per hour wind at Perryton.

The gas well going down on Hiram Begert's is close to where Mr. and Mrs. Clum Markhams used to live.

They put Curtis Echols a complete steel nob with strips of steel around the ball nob going down in his hip. His desire is to walk again; even with a pain. We hope so too.

Everyone is wanting to know what happened to Ricky Markham's eyes. Word to me was acid got in them; but word is they are going to be ok. We hope so.

We talked to Bob Markham Friday night. He is in another room now 315 at St. Anthony's. He said he was much better; he sounded pretty good. It's first time they would let us talk to him.

Jerod Cole is helping Doc Wilhelm with his hogs.

Fat Childress came home last Monday. He was getting around some. Wanda said they had a house full of visitors ever since he got home. We hope he continues improving. You sure need good knees in this old world.

Eunice Edwards went to Amarillo

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last week and went in the hospital Wednesday for a checkup. Dr. Walker went to the Greenbelt Lake. That wind last week, Eunice said she had limbs all over. She had a boy helping pick up the limbs in her yard.

Marie took the boys back to Ft. Worth over the weekend.

Father's Day, Dorothy and Cliff Walker went to the Greenbelt Lake. Others there were Charles and Nancy Davis, Donny and Diana Davs of Amarillo, Donnie Davs, Darlene Ulseton and Sean of Canyon.

Dorothy visited Myrtle Hunter Monday in Pampa.

Lessie Austin was looking for Charlotte this week and her husband. Clarence and Irene Zybach visited R. L. and Rozena Zybach Sunday afternoon. Bettie Zybach of Sayre visited them Friday.

Doc and Iolene Wilhelm attended the Jehovah Witness convention in Amarillo over the weekend. There were three dyas of it. There was 6500 the first day, little more each day. Doc said there were 89 batized. They were looking for the grand kids Tuesday.

Dan and Lou Trimble took Larry to Sequim near Austin over the weekend to the Texas High School Rodeo Finals; Larry did real good, he was in

the short go.

Addie Swift's brother, Fred, and Edith Castle from Shannon came up last Monday and stayed till Wednesday. They visited Fat and Wanda Tuesday.

Kathy Hunt and Fat and Wanda went to Amarillo for Fat's checkup on his knee.

Beckie Zybach was sick last week. She was better Monday morn. We hope she is soon ok.

Travis and Rosalee Keelin went to the eye doctor in Pampa last Tuesday, then visited his sister, Ethel Gillenwater.

## Court Records

List of instruments filed in Wheeler County Clerk's office for the week of June 19 thru June 25, 1987

JUNE 19, 1987

ASSIGN—Callon Energy Program 76-1, et al to Callon Consolidated Partners LP, 5-27-87

MD—Randall Gibson to R. C. Callan, 4-28-87, 110 ac Min Int SE/4; N30. ac S/2 NW/4 Sec 82 Blk 17

AOL—James R. Bethel, et al to Pangasco, Inc., 5-20-87, Pt Sec 68 Blk 13 Pt Sec 9 Blk 27

OL—Craig R. Waugh, et al to Murexco Petroleum, Inc., 4-23-87, Sec 41 Blk A-3

OL—Pip Petroleum Corp. to Murexco Petroleum, Inc., 4-15-87, Sec 39 Blk A-3

OL—Linda Cox, et al to Murexco Petroleum, Inc., 4-24-87, Sec 39 Blk A-3

RDT—Canadian Production Credit Association to Arthur G. Rose, 4-8-87, 67.88 ac Sec 35 Blk M-1 Exc Mins

AMEND OL—Floyd Kline, et al to Burk Royalty Co., 5-29-87, N/2 S/2 Sec 18 Blk RE

TRUSTEE OL—Ruth Caperton Trust to Murexco Petroleum, Inc., 5-21-87, Sec 41 Blk A-3

D—M. O. Lowe, et ux to Bruce B. Burrell, 6-18-87, N/2 Sec 3 Blk LXVIII, Shamrock

BILL OF SALE—Ronald Gragg to Ricky Gragg, 6-16-87

RDT—First Bank & Trust, Shamrock, to Jim Bailey, et ux, 6-17-87, Lot 14 Blk 5 Shamrock, HSA

ASSIGN OVERRID ROYALTY—Basin Royalty Co. to Stewart Brothers Royalty, 6-16-87, Secs 3 and 10 Blk 1 B&B Survey

DISCLAIMER—James S. Agar, et ux to Basin Royalty Co., 6-10-87, Secs 3 and 10 Blk 1 B&B Survey

ASSIGN OVERRID ROYALTY—Frank M. Agar, et ux to Basin Royalty Co, 5-23-87, Secs 3 and 10 Blk 1 B&B Survey

COR D—Nelda Lyllis Dukes to Garland D. Dukes, et ux, 6-19-87, 10 ac S/2 Sec 8 Blk RE Exc Mins

JUNE 22, 1987

DT—William L. Howe, et ux to First Bank & Trust, 6-17-87, Pt Outlot 27 Shamrock

MML—Donald Veraner, et ux to Bret W. Brown, 6-19-87

ROY D—Coronet Trading Corp. to Shawn Hanniffin, 6-19-87, NE/4 Sec 3 W/2 Sec 4 Blk L.J.M. Lindsey Survey

ROY D—Coronet Trading Corp. to Barbara Ann Woods, 6-19-87, NE/4 Sec 3 W/2 Sec 4 Blk L.J.M. Lindsey Survey

ASSIGN OVERRID ROYALTY—Murexco Petroleum, Inc. to Murexco Petroleum, Inc., Nominee, 5-11-87, See Instrument

ASSIGN OVERRID ROYALTY—Murexco Petroleum, Inc. to Gerhard W. Hill, et al, 5-11-87, See Instrument

COR ASSIGN OVERRID ROYALTY—Murexco Petroleum, Inc. to Gerhard W. Hill, et al, 5-11-87, See Instrument

COR ROY D—Jerry Preston Reid to Samuel Richardson, 5-8-87, Sec 9 Blk RE Roberts & Eddleman

JUNE 23, 1987

CEMETERY D—City of Shamrock to Robert E. Gragg, 3-31-87, N/2 Lot 7 Blk G

CORR MD—R. C. Callan, et ux to Bob D. Fleshman, 5-11-87, SE/4 Sec 11 Blk A-7

CORR MD—R. C. Callan, et ux to Bob D. Fleshman, 5-11-87, SE/4 Sec 25 Blk A-4

CORR MD—R. C. Callan, et ux to Bob D. Fleshman, 5-11-87, S/2; W 220 ac N/2 Sec 19 Blk A-4

CORR MD—R. C. Callan, et ux to Bob D. Fleshman, 5-11-87, NW/4 Sec 13 Blk A-5

CORR MD—R. C. Callan, et ux to Bob D. Fleshman, 5-11-87, 257 acs Sec 38 Blk A-5

CORR MD—R. C. Callan, et ux to Bob D. Fleshman, 5-11-87, NW/4 Sec 31 Blk A-7

CORR MD—R. C. Callan, et ux to Bob D. Fleshman, 5-11-87, Sec 66 Blk A-7

CORR MD—R. C. Callan, et ux to Bob D. Fleshman, 5-11-87, W/2 SE/4 Sec 82 Blk 17

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Mattie Jackson went three nights to the Norris Camp meeting.

Jerry Helton is in Amarillo

Veteran's Hospital.

Mattie said they had a new preacher Sunday, a Mr. and Mrs. Bill Carpenter.

Sharon Grandstaff and son, Robert Gattlen, he is in the Navy—he was home on leave. They came down, visited Oden and Lois Hudson. They all attended the camp meeting.



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"Wheeler, town of friendship and pride."

CORR MD—R. C. Callan, et ux to Bob D. Fleshman, 5-11-87, S/2 Sec 84 Blk 13

CORR MD—R. C. Callan, et ux to Bob D. Fleshman, 5-11-87, Pt. NW/4 Sec 12 Blk L

CORR MD—R. C. Callan, et ux to Bob D. Fleshman, 5-11-87, Sec 38 Blk A-9

JUNE 24, 1987

EXT DT—First Bank and Trust to Grant Copeland, 6-23-87, Lots 1 & 2

Blk 7 High School Add Shamrock

EXT DT—First Bank and Trust to Kenneth Vearner, 6-23-87, Lot 9 Blk 3 High School Add Shamrock

ASSIGN—Rex P. Fuller to Fuller Operating Co., et al, 6-21-87, See Instrument

ASSIGN—Arrowhead Resources, Inc., to Firebird Energy Corp., et al, 6-22-87, Secs 3 and 10 Blk 1 B&B Survey

ASSIGN DT—First Federal Savings and Loan Assoc. to Countrywide Funding Corp., 6-2-87, Pt Lots 9-11 Blk 3 Wheeler

Steven R. Price, et ux to Citizens Bank and Trust Co., 5-26-87, See Instrument

EXECUTORS D—Randy Wayne Giesler, et al to Steven R. Price, et ux, 5-26-87, See Instrument

ABSTRACT OF JUDG—First National Bank in Wheeler to Tom Etheredge, 6-23-87

P O A—John Thomas (Tom) Blake to Margaret E. Settle, 6-18-87

RDT—Gordon Whitener to Gary L. Miller, et ux, 6-17-87, SE/4 Sec 51 Blk A-8

EXT DT—E. O. Kelly, et ux to Canadian Production Credit Assoc., 6-22-87

D—Marion K. Freytag to Hyland Weaver, 6-8-87, See Instrument

ROL—Danson Energy A, Limited Partnership, et al to Cecil G. Pierce, et ux, 3-26-87, N/2 SW/4 Sec 52 Blk A-8

JUNE 25, 1987

ROW—Dean Tipps to Westar Transmission Co., 6-10-87, Pt Secs 13 & 14 Blk RE

ROW—Nancy Leona Sharp Shelton to Westar Transmission Co., 6-3-87, Sec 84 Blk A-5

ASSIGN—Basin Royalty Co, et al to Arrowhead Resources, Inc., 6-11-87, See Instrument

FED TAX LIEN—United States of America to Crawford L. Gilligan, 6-22-87

ASSIGN—National Oil Co. to Whitestone Petroleum Corp., et al 9-5-86, See Instrument

CORR DT—Jerry Sanders, et ux to Investors Residential Mortgage Corp., 4-29-87, E/2 of Lot 7 all of Lots 8 & 9 Blk 12 Org. Town Shamrock

OL—Roy B. Reeves, et ux to Burk Royalty Co., 6-12-87, SW/4 Sec 29 Blk A-8

OL—J. C. Reeves and Estate of Marie Ange Reeves to Burk Royalty Reeves Co., 6-12-87, NE/4 Sec 29 Blk A-8

OL—Anna Mrytle Reeves, et al to Burk Royalty Co., 6-12-87, SE/4 Sec 29 Blk A-8

MD—Lyndon H. Sims, et ux to Joyce M. Haddox, et al, 6-25-87, SW/4 Sec 46 Blk A-4

DISTRICT CLERK'S FILINGS

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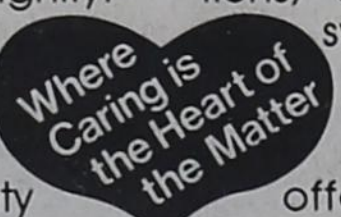
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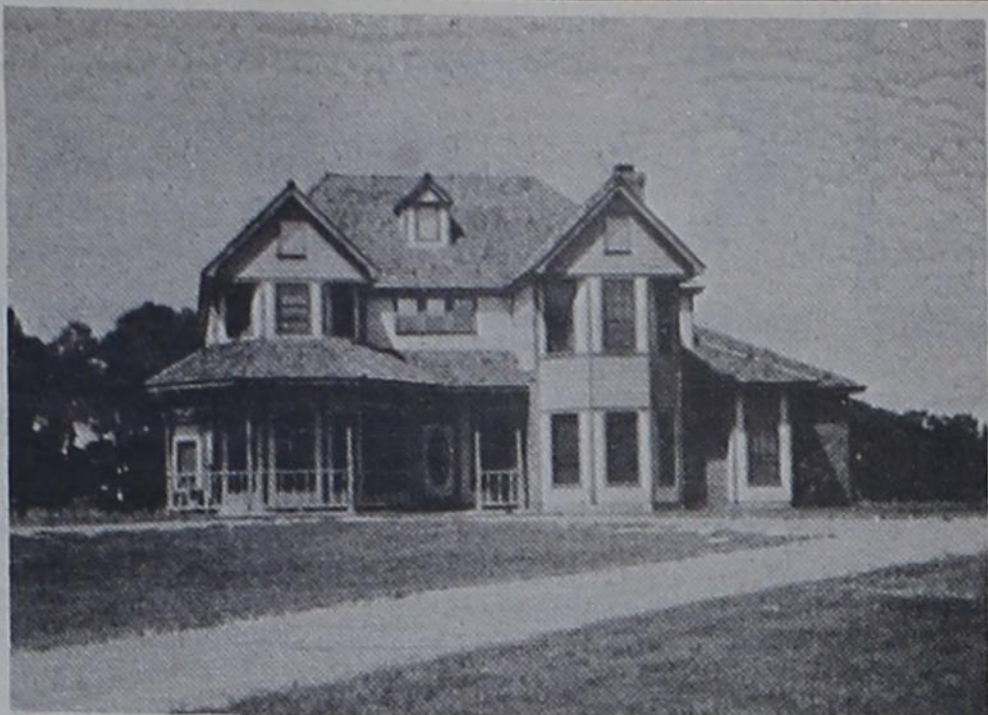
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The Wheeler County Commissioners Court met on June 22, 1987 to approve the proposed budget for Wheeler County funds and unexpended Revenue Sharing Funds. A public meeting will be held on July 13, 1987 from the hours of 10:00 a.m. to 2:00 p.m. for the purpose of allowing the public to voice their comments or objections. This meeting will be held in the County Courthouse in the Commissioners Courtroom. The proposed budget is on file in the County Clerks office for public inspection.

**NOTICE OF RIGHT TO NOMINATE BY PETITION**

The Farmers Home Administration (FmHA) is accepting nominations for County Committee elections for Wheeler, Hemphill, Roberts This notice is issued to inform eligible voters of the right to nominate candidates by petition. Copies of the petition and instructions on its completion can be obtained from your local FmHA office.

Persons nominated should be currently engaged in the operation of a farm, have their principal farming operation within the County or area in which activities of the County or area Committee are carried out, derive the principal part of their income from farming (that is more than 50 percent of their gross income must come from agricultural production), be a citizen of the United States or an alien lawfully admitted to the United States for permanent residence, not have an FmHA insured or guaranteed loan, and be well qualified for committee work. Nominations must be received in Wheeler FmHA office no later than July 22, 1987 FmHA committee elections are open to all eligible voters without regard to race, color, religion, national origin, age, political affiliation, marital status, sex, and/or handicap.

**Chat**

**From Page 1**  
The showers continue. I measured 0.08 inches Monday morning; this is the amount received since June 24. A shower Monday evening produced 0.12 inches. The total amount measured for June was 2.71 inches; the garden looks good and the weeds and grass are certainly growing.  
-cwe-

Christmas is just six months away. My sister, Melba, was nice enough to point that out to me, knowing what a 'Scrooge' I am. We are made aware of this fact each time Darla's birthday rolls around—there's been several of those haven't there. Darla is my sister-in-law and her birthday is 'Christmas in June', June 25.  
-cwe-

Continuing on the subject of relatives, we went 'roots' searching again. I left Wednesday afternoon and arrived in Chicago, Ill., at 8:10 P.M.; Melba and Gene met me at the airport and we returned to Chebanse. Gladys Froidcoeur was our hostess; she was assisted by Ronnie, JoAnn, Steven, Renee' and Jason.  
Floyd and Chris Scharte of Tiffin, Ohio, arrived Wednesday evening

also. Chris is our traveling reference book; she recites the names and connections from the past.

We traveled to Chicago Thursday to the home of Joe Clifford Collette—Joe and Gladys are my 'first cousins, once removed'. Leo and Joan Collette of Pengegro, Calif., were also there, along with their daughter, Debbie, and 18-month-old granddaughter. Jeanette Collette, Joe's daughter-in-law, and daughter were also present. Floyd and Leo are my second cousins. (Sorry Joan, I just couldn't get you named first.)  
More elbow rubbing—We had dinner Friday night at the Country Mansion in Dwight, Ill. This is an old mansion made into a restaurant, no relatives involved.

I returned with Melba and Gene to Oklahoma City by auto Saturday and on to Hinton to meet the family Sunday. I also must say "Thanks" to Steve Guthrie for the excellent chauffeuring Wednesday.  
-cwe-

The average adult has about 3,500 square inches of skin. The skin has roughly a billion pores.

**T.O' T. CattleWomen Announce Winners**

The Top of Texas Cattlewomen would like to announce the winners of the \$25.00 Beef Gift Certificates which were given away in conjunction with their beef promotion campaign for Father's Day. The winners were: C. Harold Nash, Wheeler, TX.; Roy Cullison, McLean, TX.; James Smith, Pampa, TX.; John Macon, Pampa; Betty King, Pampa; Maudie Alexander, Lefors; Ann Lunsford, Shamrock; Barbara Breeden, Canadian; Douglas W. Watson, White Deer; Viola Beum, Miami; Carroll White, Mobeetic; Dale Daniels, Panhandle; and Thercie Mangus, Pampa.

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**FREE BLOOD PRESSURE CLINIC Thurs. July 2**

There will be a Free Blood Pressure Clinic for all Wheeler County residents regardless of age, Thursday, July 2, 1987. It will take place in the south end of the Senior Citizens' Center on Canadian Street from 9:00 a.m. to 12:00 noon.

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9:30 Wheeler Vet vs Dell Ford



Participants in the "I Am Great—Self Concept Activities for Children" short course held recently at Panhandle State University are pictured above during "Hat Day." Each member of the class was asked to

wear a hat that portrayed something about themselves. Pictured from the left are Dinah Wilson-Reid, Canadian; Wilhelmina Sherrell, Mobeetic; Jody Weiderstine, Jo Le Webster and Marlene Ruthledge, Higgins.





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## Sweetwater News

Mrs. Joe Flowers

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We ordered some seep hoses that you can't find here. I spread them on my flower beds. Went out one day and something, rabbits, mice, who knows had chewed one hose into a dozen pieces.

If that wasn't bad enough when I put my plastic chickens out to enjoy the summer air, old Drover came dawg came along, chewed up all the baby chicks and piled them by the door.

Had a note from Carlos Myers over Bulow way. He's had a 9th birthday lately. Been to church camp at Lugert and is back home helping his grandparents the Doyle Richardson's. Maxine and Truman Alexander went to Santa Fe this week to see Sweetwater Slew run. Had bad luck. The horse hurt his leg and will be out of commission for about 6 weeks while it heals. They have some more ready to go tho.

Our 7 and 8 year old kids went to a coach pitch tournament at Sayre last week. They defeated two Sayre teams and one Elk team on Saturday. Went back Monday to finish off the other

Elk team and bring home the trophy. The crowning blow to Elk was when a Sweetwater girl, Heather Dean, knocked a home run. The Elk coach was Kent Gordon, Don's boy. Sweetwater coaches are Steve Davis, Lynn Hagerman, and Jerry Sanders.

I understand that SW is the only team with girls playing. Heather is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Dean. He pastors the New Liberty Church. The kids played again Tuesday night and beat the Sayre Gold team.

Theresa Nabors wants everyone to know that class of 1947 will have a 40 year reunion July 4th, at the school, in the Home Ec room. This will be their

first reunion since graduation. It is hoped all will attend. Time 4 to 6.

Theresa went to a workshop Monday in Amarillo on Dylexia. She teaches at Wheeler.

The McArthur, Hatchett reunion was Father's Day at Lugert Lake. Those attending were Bruce, Donna, and Cassidy Dordugh, Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Hatchett, Amie and Pethel, Dora, Darin, and Mason Webb, Jerry and Kathy, Matt and Christy Ibsen, Shirley Ibsen, Mike and Jeremy, all of Chickasha.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Hightower,

Penny and Scott of Guthrie, J. W. and Joan Easterling of Olustee, Mr. and Mrs. Dwight McArthur and Melissa, Mr. and Mrs. Wendell Coots and Jeff of Cheyenne, Laquita and Roy Judd, Quense and Jacky of Sayre, Darrell, Carrie, Lynn, and Mike Perry of Sentinel, Mr. and Mrs. Leon Smulcer and Jeffrey, Dennis Dodd, George McArthur, Mr. and Mrs. Jack McArthur, Mr. and Mrs. Laquense McArthur, Katie, Karry, Kylan, Kristin, and Kasey McArthur all from here. A great time was had by all.

We stopped by the Reed reunion at the Elk Park Saturday. Their grandma Becky Reed and my grandfather John McCathern were brother and sister. Came from Texas to western Oklahoma in the '90's. It is always good to visit them.

Mike and Linda Kahoa attended the Texas Shorthorn picnic and field day at Plainview last Sunday. It was hosted by J.O. and Mary Bass. They also went to the Panhandle Parade of Breeds Junior Show on Saturday. Then went on to visit Dale and Laura Hart and see their shorthorns.

We went down to see Dr. Jack Morrison Wednesday, have our teeth counted and all those good things. Was nice to see Linda Nix about after a spell in the Mercy hospital. Found out our neighbor Marcia Coker now works at the clinic.

The Kitchen Band went to Hensleys on Tuesday then had a 5th Tuesday

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To the Editor  
The Wheeler Times

Dear Editor:

I would like to say "Thank You" for so many things; The coverage on the Student Reunion, Ab Says' Here and There with Laura Guthrie. I enjoy the paper so much. It brings back so many wonderful memories. I read Ab Ain't It The Truth first and I am always so disappointed when it isn't there. Albert visited us once and we took this picture them. I think this should be over his Ab's Ain't It The Truth. When I read Here and There sometimes I know the people sometimes I don't. We have been gone so long. We were packed to come then the Chamber of Commerce called that my husband was being made the "Man of the Year" he didn't know so, of course, we had to stay home. That was a once in a lifetime thing.

Thank you so much for all the neat coverages. I enjoy the paper so much!

Sincerely,  
Dorris Tolliver Baldwin



THIS IS ALBERT GUNTER, don't you think he looks just like Will Rogers? I do! I have a big one that use to be in my office. Many insurance men that came, asked me how I got such a good picture of Will Rogers. It always thrilled me. Dorris.

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## Lines from Linda

Linda Daughtry, CEA  
(Home Economics)

### DEALING WITH CHILDREN AND SUMMER

The hot temperature of summer often reflects the "hot temperatures" of children. "Free" time and increased interaction during summer holidays provide many opportunities for youngsters to find themselves at odds with friends, brothers and sisters, and parents.

Instead of giving up or losing patience with children, try following these suggestions from the National Institute of Mental Health:

- \*Find children's positive behavior and praise it.
- \*Provide physical outlets for children's abundance of energy.
- \*Plan surroundings and situations so undesired behaviors are less likely to occur.
- \*Help children understand the cause of stressful situations so they can learn to respond properly.
- \*Use physical restraint when necessary, but explain the reasons behind it.
- \*Set a few limits as possible, in terms children understand.
- \*Accept children's angry feelings and offer appropriate ways for them to express their anger.
- \*Encourage children to see themselves as valued people.
- \*Express affection and help children understand your love and concern.
- \*Set good examples because adult actions are powerful influences.

Parents may find the summer season offers more opportunities than desired to teach children how to deal with anger and frustration. Hopefully, with understanding and patience, parents and children can benefit from their increased interactions and gain on self control.

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For more information on summertime, food safety or dealing with children, please contact Linda Daughtry, County Extension Agent, Home Economics, Box 505, Wheeler, Texas 79096 or call 826-5243.

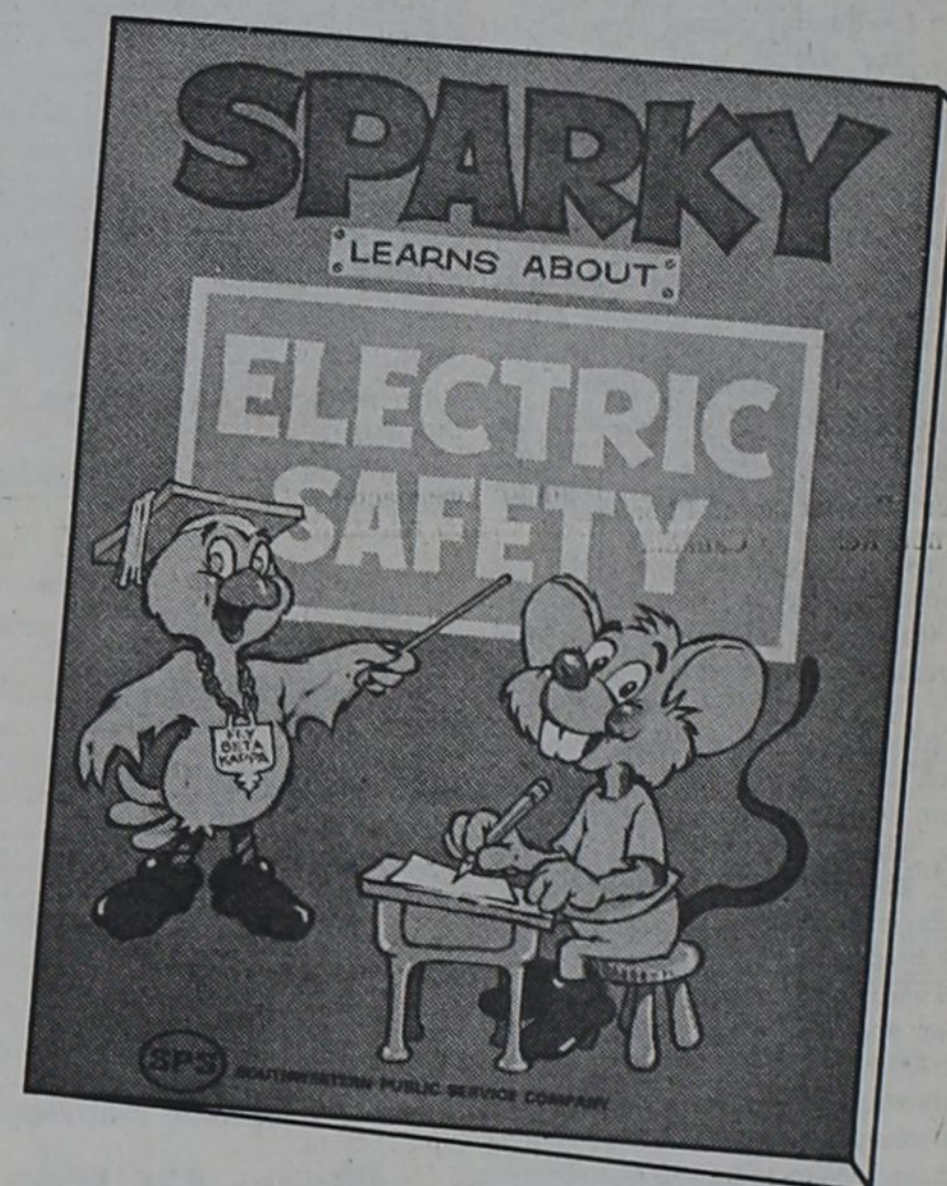
### Tomorrow's Leader . . .



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# Allison News

Isaiah 12-2 and 3: "Behold, god is my salvation; I will trust, and not be afraid; for the Lord Jehovah is my strength and my song; he also is become my salvation."

Therefore with joy shall ye draw water out of the wells of salvation."

It has been doing quite a lot of thundering this Monday morning, but no rain as of yet at eight o'clock. Maybe it will before the day has passed. What little garden and flowers I have could use some rain.

Jake and May Bell Childress weekend visitors were Punk and Darla Childress from Mustang, Okla. They returned home Sunday evening; then Punk came back on Monday to help do some work here at his parents' home. Shot and Jacob Childress from the ranch were also Sunday dinner guests at Jake and May Bell's.

Andy and Rhonda Puryear and family left last Thursday on their way back home. They were going by Las Vegas, N.M. and visit Charley Puryear and family. Andy and Rhonda and children had spent ten days here at Allison visiting their parents, Ronnie and Ruth Chadwick and Bob and Virginia Puryear.

Len and Betty Brown from Dumas spent last Tuesday and Wednesday at their home here in Allison and they also visited Opal and Juanita Boydston while last Tuesday.

Janice Boydston and her mother, Shirley Helm visited a few days last week with Sa Rita and Robbie Green at Binger, Okla.

Jennie Walker and Peggy Chandler were in Amarillo last Tuesday for medical reasons. Jennie is seeing the doctor there.

Red and Anna Dukes weekend visitors were Cindy and Whitney Starnes from St. Louis, Mo., a friend, Sherry, also from St. Louis was with them, and Tommy and Adilene Hays and family from Panhandle. Others there for Sunday dinner were Clyde and Jane Dukes and girls from Wheeler. Peggy Dukes and children visited in the afternoon.

Last Tuesday night, Red and Anna attended a meeting at the Church of Christ in Perryton.

Danette Dyer, Kim Hall, Melanie Gilmer and Heather Schriber attended a cheerleader camp at Norman, Okla., from Tuesday until Friday.

Amber Dyer was honored with the birthday dinner last Friday at her home with several relatives attending. It was Amber's 7th birthday.

Danette and Scott Dyer left last Saturday, going to Branson, Mo., to visit their aunt and uncle, Les and Shronda Seamster; they plan to be there two weeks or longer; until someone goes to bring them home.

Rex and Virginia Miller have just gotten back from a trip to Lake City, Colo. They fished and had a good time. They were gone three weeks. Sunday evening they had a fish fry at their home; those there to enjoy the meal with them were Jim and Marlene Miller and boys from Wheeler and Julie Dillon.

Bus and Myrtle Dorman and two of their grandsons from Wheeler visited Glen and Nona Elmore last Friday night. Sunday afternoon visitors with Glen and Nona were Ray and Tonia Young and Brittine from Bastrop, Tex.

Pete and Margaret Gilmer were in Wellington last Monday on business; they also visited Kenneth and Peggy Chandler last Friday evening.

Talked with Effie Hays; she was busy washing windows, such a hard job. She is such a busy little lady.

Loyd and Nona Jones and Monroe and Nadine Reynolds went to Elk City after church Sunday morning and had lunch together.

(It should be remembered that in Noah's day, "everybody else was doing it", too. But every else except Noah was wrong.)

Bob Markham is home from the hospital and is doing real good. It's good to hear he is able to be home on the mend.

Eddie Bates has been here visiting his grandparents the last ten days. He also went to Arkansas and visited his parents, C. P. and Linda Bates. Eddie is stationed at Watertown, N.Y.

Vance and Caroline Boydston and Cletus Green went to Amarillo last Saturday on business.

Ann Boydston and Jessica, Becky and Jeanie Gilmer all met Keith at Pampa last Thursday and they visited the new baby boy of Calvin and Lisa Farmer, and also did some shopping while there.

Sunday dinner guests at Keith and Ann's home were Nellie Long and Thursia Pondexter from Cheyenne and Sylvia Brown from Wheeler.

Ruben and Edna May have 26 baby chickens; they are Plymouth Rocks and about a week old. Edna says they are doing good. Last Friday afternoon Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Dyson from Pampa visited Ruben and Edna. Saturday evening Ruben and Edna's visitors were Edith Donaldson, Doris Newson and Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Donaldson.

Ed and Jennie Walker's Monday dinner guests were Eddie and Wanda

Walker, Melissa, Melody, Jonathon and Justin.

Calvin and Lisa Farmer are the proud parents of a baby boy, Ryan Christopher, born Wednesday, June 24th. He weighed 7 lbs. 14 ozs. The happy grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Farmer of Pampa and Ruby Craig of Allison, Dorin Craig of Shamrock and great grandmother, Wilma Gilmer of Allison.

Ruby was there when the baby arrived. She came home and rested awhile, then her and Wilma went back to Pampa. Grannie Wilma was anxious to see the baby and of course it's a beautiful baby; it really is.

My, how soon young mothers get out and get around any more. Calvin and Lisa brought the baby down to Allison last Saturday; he was three days old, and Ruby and Lisa brought the baby for me to see. He is such a pretty and sweet little boy.

Bruce and Pearl Harrison's Sunday dinner guests were Clifton and Louise Boydston, Kim and Kimber, Cheryl Bodillo and Sabreana, Jimmy and Vivian Wallace and Ronnie, Steve and Tina O'Donnel and girls and Darrel and Johnnie Harrison visited in the afternoon. Johnnie and Darrel also visited with me Sunday afternoon.

Ray Giddens, my brother, visited me awhile Thursday afternoon. Also enjoy Roy's visits.

Pastor and Mrs. F. R. Johnson were gone almost all of last week making a tour down in the south part of Texas to different churches, bringing them the spirit of Freedom, where they show slides and tell about how God has helped those that are on drugs and are alcoholics.

David and Becky Lucuis and Kendall were back at Muleshoe, Texas, for the weekend.

## Tomorrow's Leader . . .



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## Care Center Comments

By Cherry

We have had a good week at the nursing home. We were expecting State inspectors and they finally came last Wednesday and Thursday they were here, they checked each department, and we passed with flying colors. We try to keep the nursing home above state standards and everyone did a super job. We would like to say a special thank you to each of our employees.

Thanks to Georgia and Leonard Rathjen for donating the old eye glasses. We can use these to fix our residents glasses.

Mary Bledsoe received a beautiful

## Wheeler Summer Tennis Tournament

Wheeler summer tennis tournament results: [Jr. High Boys Singles] 1st Coby Hyman (Amarillo) def., Trey Smith (Wheeler) 6-1, 6-3.

3rd Aaron Caughey (Amarillo) def. Brandon Chick (Wheeler) 7-5, 6-0. [Jr. High Girls Singles]

1st Pam Hubbard (Pampa) def. Mique Snelgrooves (Wheeler) 4-6, 6-1, 6-2.

3rd Dreda Dorman (Wheeler) def. Shelly Hunt (Briscoe) 6-3, 4-6, 6-3. [Jr. High Boys Doubles]

1st Nick Hiemstra-Robert Lusby (Canadian) def. Coby Hyman Erin Caughey (Amarillo) 6-2, 4-6, 7-5.

3rd Brandon Chick-Trey Smith (Wheeler) def. Ike Finsterwald-Joe Dan Ledbetter (Wheeler) 6-1, 7-6. [Jr. High Girls Doubles]

1st Mique Snelgrooves-Dreda Dorman (Wheeler) def. Shelly Hunt (Briscoe)—Medley Morgan (Wheeler) 6-2, 6-0.

3rd Shonda Lewallen—Amy Vanpool (Wheeler).

## Lines from Linda

Linda Daughtry, CEA (Home Economics)

### SUMMERTIME FOOD SAFETY

Summer is a time for taking food out to the porch, the park, and the beach. Not remembering food safety on these outings can lead to food poisoning, which is no picnic.

Food safety begins at the grocery store. Pick up poultry and meat last, and get them home and stored in the refrigerator as soon as possible.

If leaving home for a cookout, pack wisely. Make sure the cooler is well insulated and has enough ice to keep the food cold.

Before barbecuing, make sure everything is clean, from hands to cooking utensils to preparation surfaces. A quick wash with hot soapy water will do. Use separate cutting boards and utensils for raw and cooked food, or wash them thoroughly between uses. Make sure to wash hands often to avoid "cross contamination."

Never use the same plate for cooked meat or poultry that once had raw meat or poultry on it, unless it has been thoroughly washed in hot, soapy water.

The flu like symptoms of food poisoning are unwelcome picnic guests. Foodborne illnesses can be prevented by handling food wisely.

flower this week and is sharing it with all of us. Thanks for being so considerate Mary.

Bonnie Dodson, Hester's wife is a regular around here, but we're always glad to see her.

Bill Cowan, Tom Smith, Jennie Slaten, Grace Barham, Margaret Goodwin and Iris Ingram are in the hospital. We wish each of them a speedy recovery.

Ruth Roenbaum, Myrtle Lisle and Nick Wiebe are back from the hospital.

Fran Kopernick and Martha Childress deserve a medal. They solved a mystery the other day. You'd be surprised all the extra things our nurses do.

Mr. Robertson was here Monday and Tuesday of this week. It's always nice to have the BIG BOSS around. He brought his brother Troy with him.

Bambi Griffin, our activity director is away on vacation.

There is some man that comes to see Jessie real often, I think his name is Rocky. I'll ask Lyle, I'll bet a dollar she knows.

Gertie Thompson was here for a visit, it was so nice of James to bring her by. Gertie was an employee of ours, Before her sickness.

Thanks to Kenneth Anderson, one of our employees, he gave the devotional last week. He also helped Sunday with the services.

Ben and Minnie Trout donated to the residents some dominoes and also a domino counter. They also gave some clothes to us. Thanks to both of them.



SHONDA MILLER



RHONDA MILLER

## Backyard Bible Classes

Shonda & Rhonda Miller are serving as summer missionaries under Child Evangelism Fellowship. Child Evangelism is an inter-denominational work especially for children. Its purpose is to reach unreached children in our neighborhoods, to build up those who believe, and encourage church attendance.

Shonda and Rhonda have both attended a week of intense training on the campus of Wayland Baptist University in Plainview. They are prepared to teach backyard Bible classes for one hour a day for five days. These classes consist of Bible lessons, memory verses, missionary story, songs, and games.

Rhonda is teaching 5-day clubs in Pampa for three to four weeks. Shonda is traveling to different area towns in the Panhandle to teach clubs this summer. She will be home in Wheeler for the week of July 6-10th. If you would be interested in having a club or your children attending one, please contact Nancy Miller at 826-5608.

We have a club set up at Joe Montgomery's home at 507 S. Sweetwater from 10:00 to 11:00 a.m. Also from 11:30 to 12:30 we have a club in Denise Ware's back yard at 513 Stanley. Another possible club will be at Linda Atwood's home at 103 N. Canadian from 4 to 5 P.M.

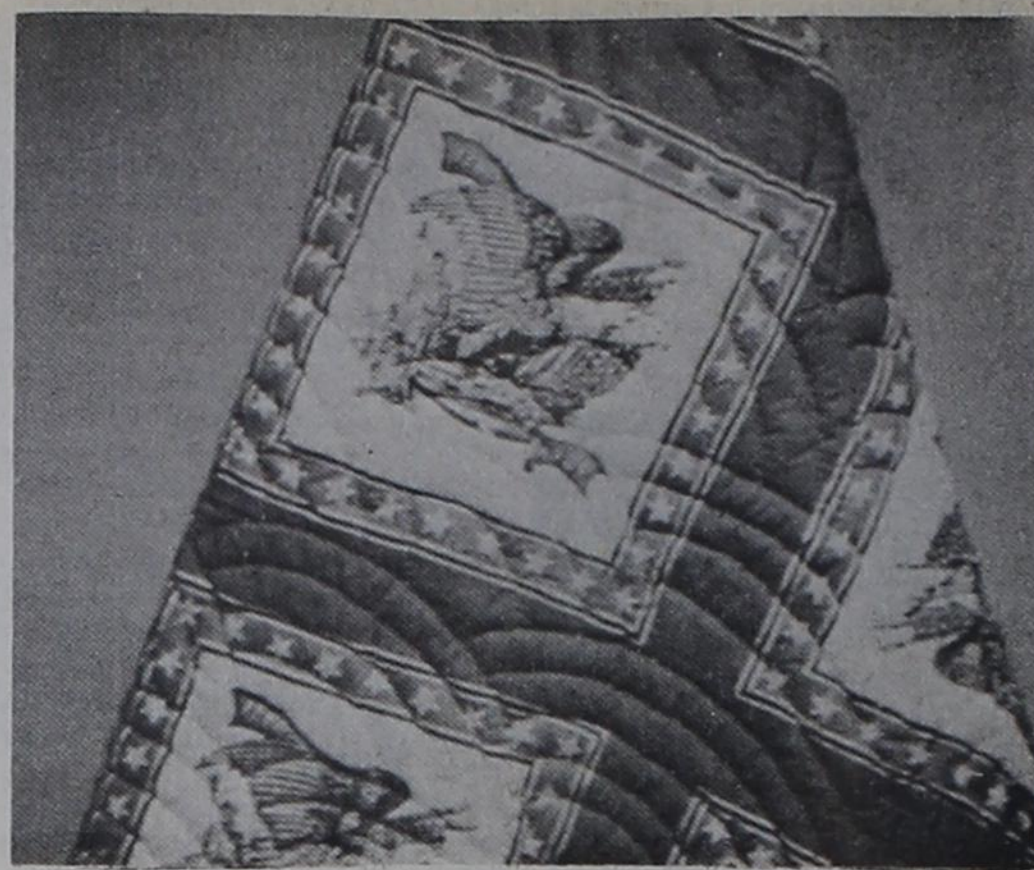
All children are invited between the ages of 4 and 14! Parents may sit in too if you like.

## WHEELER PUBLIC LIBRARY Summer Reading

The Wheeler Public Library Reading Program will begin July 6 at 3:00 o'clock.

If you have not registered. Register as you enter the front door. We hope all of you will be able to attend all four sessions, but if for some reason you can't, come when you can. Reading is so important a child that doesn't learn to read will have problems all through school.

Encourage your child to attend. See you Monday. Your Librarian Betty McNeil



**YOU COULD WIN:** This handmade quilt could be yours for just \$1.00. The 1987-88 Wheeler High Cheerleaders will be accepting donations to help raise funds for cheerleading camp; with each \$1 donated, you receive a ticket for a drawing to be held at the Second Annual 4th of July Celebration.

Contact any of the cheerleaders for a chance to win the quilt, made and donated by Rose Hess of Wheeler; the young ladies are Tera Henderson, Dawn Boedeker, Mandy Smith, Marcy Smith, Lori Vanpool and Kelli Sutton. Please contact any one of these girls and make a donation.



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"Wheeler, town of friendship and pride."

## LINES FROM LINDA

### What's In A Label?

To attract health and weight conscious consumers, manufacturers often put all types of claims on labels. In an effort to help consumers decipher food labels, the Food and Drug Administration has come up with the following definitions to these claims.

\* "Natural" has no official definition. It signifies nothing more than the product "occurs in nature."

\* "Sugar-free" products cannot contain any nutritive carbohydrate sweetener, such as sucrose, maltose, honey, fruit juice, molasses, etc.

\* "Low-Calorie" products contain no more than 40 calories per serving and no more than 0.4 calories per gram.

\* "Low-sodium" products must contain less than 140 milligrams of sodium per serving.

\* "Very-low-sodium" products contain no more than 35 milligrams of sodium per serving.

\* "No artificial flavors" means that the product does not contain any flavors which have been defined as "artificial".

\* "No artificial coloring" means that any ingredient added to enhance the color of the product is considered "artificial".

\* "... may contain one or more of the following" means the manufacturer will use whichever is available and is cheapest at the time of production.

\* "No cholesterol" means there is no cholesterol detectable by any present analytical methods.

\* "Cholesterol-free" means that the product contains less than 2 milligrams of cholesterol per serving.

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## Hospital Notes

### Old Admissions

6-7 Violet Knight  
6-17 Marsen Guffey  
6-20 Lavelle Stephens  
Jennie slaten  
Otis Reid

### New Admissions

6-22 Donna Nall  
6-23 Ruth Rosenbaum  
Margaret Heide  
Betty Finley  
Hert Atkins  
Fay Risner  
Camille Porter  
Lina Jackson

### Dismissals

6-22 Vernice Betenbough  
6-23 Donna Nall  
6-24 Margaret Heide  
Nick Wiebe  
6-26 Ruth Rosenbaum  
6-28 Fay Risner  
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Vicki Mulbery, Laverne; Betty Rives, Wheeler, TX; Ocie Smith, Amarillo, TX; Middle from Left: Cynthia Stevenson, Weatherford; Nancy Miller, Weatherford; Pauline Bryant, Weatherford; Bill Greenway, Weatherford; Lori Irey, Weatherford; Back from left: Linda Unwin, Seiling; Ralph Decker, Samnorwood, TX; Ron Johnston, Clinton; and Rick Cleveland, Carnegie.

#### TENNIS TOURNAMENT

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Johanna Ashley (806) 323-8992

## Here & There

The Holiday is gradually approaching. So far things in this household are rather quiet (Except the manverers of a 3 year old boy) Beverly Guthrie and Bobby Jr. arrived from Amarillo today. Others will slip in on Wednesday and Thursday. By Friday night I think we will have a full house. I've been stewing all day. It helps a lot to have a bit of prepared food in fridge and freezer. Beverly brought a chocolate cake. I won't be so pushed the rest of the week.

Vera Rogers told me the other day to go out to the cemetery and see the wildflowers, to write it for the paper so you may also have a chance to see them. I went. The varicolored blanket of the area is gorgeous — especially near the west entrance and in the 'old' part to the south. White and pink daisies, yellow daisies, galardias (orange and red) sometimes a purple-ish-red primrose, a small candlestick like plant in the neutral color along with slim grasses with feathery heads. Indeed it is God's flower garden; a tribute to those that have gone on before.

I had a surprise, post-visit from an ex-teacher the other day. Allamae McCrohan Kennedy called me from Oklahoma City early Sunday morning and said she would stop by that afternoon for about 2 hours. She did. That 2 hours was a non-stop talk-

thon. Poor Charles (her husband) sat there and hardly said a word, except occasionally "I've heard that story before". Allamae would have had a wonderful time at the re-union but she was on a trip into some northern state—Indiana it was, and she thought of Ab Gunter. She is a fan of Abs. Said she thought he should be in a syndicate. Allamae takes the "Times". She knew at first glimpse Ida Mae Goad and Peggy Ford in their teenage photo. You see she taught them in the 7th grade. If only our visit could have been longer.

Herbert and Lynn Smith, Jonathan and Jarad of Pampa visited in the home of her mother, Frances Hefley on Sunday. They attended services at the Baptist church in the evening. Lynn favored the audience with a solo. After church Sylvia Lee, Herbert's sister, and Leo Shuler visited with all of them at the Hefley home.

Jane and Delbert, Drew and Dwight attended the Texas High School Rodeo Finals in Seguin on the weekend. Both boys were in the final riding contests. Drew is eligible for the National contests.

Jane's mother, Mrs. Helm from Memphis, was in Wheeler during the absence of the family. She tended the office of The Thomas Agency.

See you Saturday morning at 8:30 A.M. for the celebration. I'm awfully glad we have a 4th of July celebration. We sometimes need to be reminded that "we are independent!" (Are we really?)



ATTENDING THE 1987 BEEF COOK-OFF from Wheeler was Mrs. Anita Brown, representing Top O' Texas CattleWomen, sponsors of the event. Mrs. Brown is shown on the left assisting Martha Prior, one of the five finalists.

### Alyne Lawson Of Ore City Wins The 1987 Texas Beef Cook-Off

"I've been cooking ever since I was seven years old and had to stand on a box to reach the stove," said Alyne Lawson of Ore City, winner of the 1987 Texas Beef Cook-Off. Alyne, grandmother of four and soon-to-be great grandmother, won the \$500 First Prize with her "Steak For The 80's—Fine Dining At Home"—a pan-fried top loin steak served with a fresh thyme sauce.

Upon being asked the origin of her recipe, Alyne, with a twinkle in her eye, told of an occasion when her son took her to a fancy restaurant where the waitress handed her the check by mistake. "I almost fainted when I saw the cost of that meal," she said. "Oh, goodness," I told him. "I could prepare just as good a meal at home for a fourth of the cost!" So a friendly wager was made and Alyne's winning recipe is the result.

The Texas Beef Cook-Off is sponsored by Texas CattleWomen (formerly Texas CowBelles), a non-profit organization whose primary purpose is promoting beef. Maralea Miller of Valentine, Texas, this year's Cook-Off Chairman, presided over this 10th Annual Texas Beef Cook-Off which was held at the Embassy Suites Hotel in Austin on Tuesday, April 14.

Five finalists gathered to prepare their dishes for a judging team consisting of Kitty Crider, Food Editor of the Austin American-Statesman, J.E. Birdwell, president of Texas and Southwestern Cattle Raisers Association, Mike Bowles, past-president of Texas Cattle Feeders Association, Sue Sims, gourmet cooking teacher and food consultant (and wife of Representative Bill Sims), and Anne Anderson. "All the recipes were very, very good and the actual point difference between all five recipes was only 5 points (out of 100). So we realized the use of points just wouldn't work! We tasted, discussed, and at one point considered just drawing a name—they were all that good!"

The Second Place Winner, who was awarded a \$300 beef gift certificate, was Brenda Adams of Irving with her recipe for Hot Spicy Pepper Steak. Her entree contained an unusual combination of spices including picante sauce, soy sauce, ginger, and Worcestershire sauce. Janine Williams of San Antonio received a \$100 beef certificate as the third place winner. Her "Flank Steak—Bourguignon", a French recipe, was a natural for Janine, who is French by birth. The two runners-up, Michelle Mueller of Sequin and Martha Prior of San Antonio, each received a \$50 beef gift certificate.

These recipes represent the "back to the basics" trend of simple, convenient preparation. This trend couldn't be better illustrated than by the fact that Alyne prepared her top loin steaks in her iron skillet on top of the stove in less than half an hour.

In addition to receiving the First Prize of \$500, Mrs. Lawson will also receive an all-expense-paid trip to the National Beef Cook-Off, which will be held in September in Sun Valley, Idaho. At that time, state winners from all 50 states will compete for the Grand Prize of \$5,000.

STEAK FOR THE '80's  
[Fine Dining At Home]  
By Alyne Lawson  
119 Imperial S.S.  
Ore City, Texas 75683

4 beef top loin steaks (about 2 lbs.), cut ¼ inches thick

2 cloves garlic, minced  
¼ cup butter, divided  
1 cup quartered fresh mushrooms  
¼ cup shallots, minced  
½ teaspoon salt  
¼ teaspoon freshly ground black pepper

Cook garlic in two tablespoons butter in large frying pan over medium high heat for one to two minutes. Add mushrooms and shallots and continue cooking two to three minutes. Remove from frying pan to small bowl, cover, and set aside. Quickly cook steaks in remaining butter in frying pan over high heat—two minutes on each side or to desired doneness. Season with salt and pepper and place on a warm platter. Add mushroom mixture to pan and bring to a boil. Cook and stir until slightly thickened—about one to two minutes.

#### Sauce:

¼ cup peach brandy  
¼ cup dry sherry  
4 teaspoons good prepared mustard  
1 teaspoon beef drippings sauce (not beef broth)  
1 teaspoon snipped thyme  
Mix well in a sauce pan the peach brandy, dry sherry, mustard, and beef drippings sauce. Heat, but do not boil. Spoon sauce over steaks and sprinkle with thyme.

Approximate preparation time: 35 minutes. Serves 4.

### Tomorrow's Leaders . . .



JASON AND TYSON CARTER

Jason age 7 years and Tyson age 8 months are the sons of Charles and Cathy Carter of Wheeler, TX.



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