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"Wheeler, town of friendship and pride."

## CWE CHAT WITH EDITOR

By Louis C. Stas

Once again the Chamber's 4th of July Celebration was a success with lots of people gathering for a day of fun and fellowship.

The weather could not have cooperated better.

I had my usual spot at the chamber booth and enjoyed seeing all the people, local and 'out of towners'. The holiday in the middle of the week sort of cuts down on 'out of towners'.

The number of people at the street dance was also smaller than usual.

Brent Lee deserves a big 'Thank You' for the fine job he did as the deejay.

Many individuals deserve a big 'Thank You' but the list is endless and I am sure I would forget someone. This annual event requires a lot of work.

The local Boy Scouts are to be thanked for their 'behind the scenes' cleanup. Thanks!

Next on the list of summer events is the Mobeetie Music Festival on July 29. We are featuring each of the groups scheduled to appear. This will be the first year Mobeetie has put on the show 'on their own'.

I am a little concerned about the lack of homemade ice cream though.

The rains have certainly made for a lot of pretty lawns over town. And most had them neatly trimmed for the celebration.

Barbara and I attended our 'once every five year' school reunion over the weekend. Our class had a special gathering on Friday evening with about 15 of the 34 there.

We also attended the noon meal—catered barbecue. Doesn't compare to Mr. Barbecue.

The Sherman branch of the family was at OKC Friday evening and Saturday morning.

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**HEADED FOR THE RACES:** Madalyn Brdecko, 3 (left) and Morgan Brdecko, 2, have their turtles for the annual turtle race. The young ladies are the children of Kenny and Chlo Brdecko of Wheeler. Kenny is the Wheeler County Extension Agent. The annual turtle race is a part of the 4th of July celebration and is sponsored by the Thursday Review Club.



**SHARING IN THE EXCITEMENT:** Kate Holder, 3 (right) is willing to share in the excitement of their turtle running in the turtle race with brother Hawks, 2. The parents of these two are Whitt and Samantha Holder of Wheeler. Whitt is an accountant at Heritage Beef Cattle Co. The Thursday Review Club sponsors the turtle races each year and it is one of the highlights of the day.

## Dean Tipps Named to SWCD Board

Dean Tipps of Wheeler was appointed to fill the unexpired term of Jim Batton on the Wheeler Soil and Water Conservation District (SWCD) board of directors. Dean Tipps whose appointment was approved by the Texas State Soil and Water Conservation Board (TSSWCB) will serve as director of Zone 4 of the district until the next regular election for that subdivision of the SWCD.

The purpose of the Wheeler SWCD with headquarters in Wheeler is to promote sound soil and water conservation programs on agricultural lands within the district. In addition, the district serves as a voice for farmers, ranchers, and local community entities on conservation matters.

The board of directors coordinate the conservation efforts of various local, state and federal agencies and other organizations and has authority to enter into working agreements with these governmental agencies and private concerns to carry out its purposes.

The five members serving on the district board of directors are responsible for district policies and procedures for carrying out the district program within the framework of the Texas soil conservation district law.

Dean Tipps is active in Hospital Board and the board at First State Bank of Mobeetie.

In Texas there are 216 soil and water conservation districts. Each is a legal subdivision of state Government organized by local agricultural landowners with the assistance of the Texas State Soil and Water Conservation Board.

Unlike most other legal subdivisions of state government, SWCDs do not have the powers of taxation or eminent domain. All conservation programs managed by the district are of voluntary nature to the landowner or operator or other potential users of the SWCD's program.

## Winners Named In Punt, Pass & Kick Competition

**1-2-year-olds:** First—Blaine Richardson, 11 ft.; second—Saylem Maddox, 9 ft.; third—Brennan Umsted, 8 ft.

**3-5-year-olds:** First—Zayne Huerhel—52.7 ft.; second—Braden Crockett-McNeil, 21.0 ft.; third—Kenley Maddox—20 ft.

**6-8-year-olds:** First—Stefan Tucker, 154.5 ft.; second—Stan Waldo—144 ft.; third—Brock Sabbe—135.5 ft.

**9-12-year-olds:** First—Josh Britt, 251 ft.; second—Russell Lohberger, 249.5 ft.; third—Cole Hathaway, 225 ft.

Gary Burton was in charge of the event with help from Aaron Dunnam, Ben Dollar and Cameron Burton.

## Maddox Captures First In Bass Club Tournament

Wheeler County Bass Club Tournament results for the month of June. The Wheeler County Bass Club traveled to Foss Lake for their fourth tournament. A total of twelve members and three guests fished for the day. Jimmy Maddox caught five fish for a total weight of 11.23 lbs., to capture first place. Second place went to Ronnie Hill, catching 3 fish, for a total weight of 8.19 lbs. Third place went to Ronny Jones, catching 1 fish weighing 4.39 lbs. Big bass for the day went to Ronny Jones, weighing 4.39 lbs.

The next tournament will be held at Baylor Lake in Childress on July 9th.

## Hospital Notes

### Old Admissions

Estelle Orr  
Virginia Frye  
Ruth Ledbetter

### New Admissions

6-26 Irene Dixon  
6-28 Mae Helton  
6-29 Mary Luna  
6-30 Wanda Lane  
7-3 Margaret Francis

### Dismissals

6-29 Ted McCurley  
6-30 Mae Helton  
7-1 Wanda Lane

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## Funeral Services Today For Anita Robles, 60

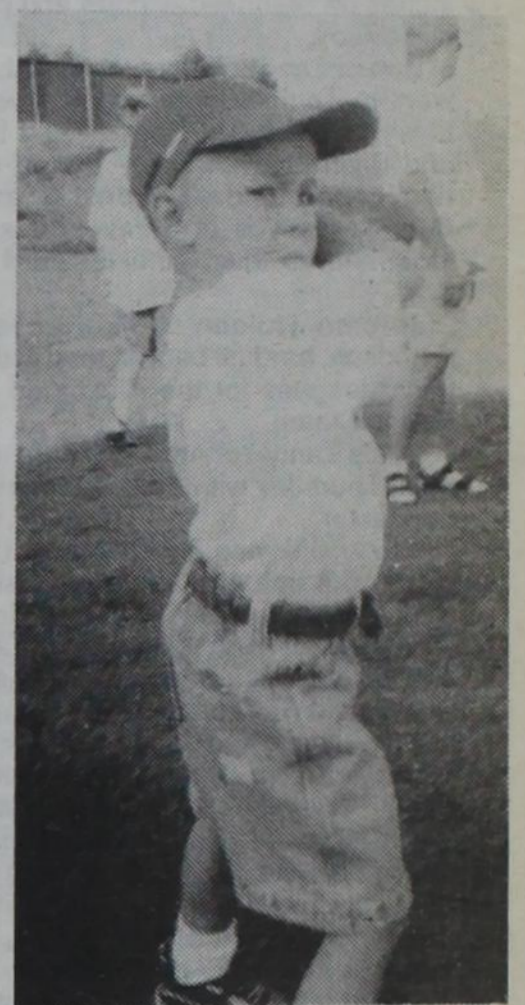
Funeral services for Anita Robles, 60, will be Thursday, July 6, 2000, in the Country Chapel in Wheeler, Texas, with Rev. Sergio Vaquera of Perryton and Rev. Jerry Jewell, pastor, officiating. Burial will be in Wheeler Cemetery by Wright Funeral Home.

Mrs. Robles died in Amarillo on Monday, July 3, 2000.

Mrs. Robles was born on May 20, 1940, in Mission, Texas, to Jose and Gladys Valencia. She married Demencio Martinez Robles in Haskell, Texas, on July 28, 1957. He died in 1976. They had moved to Wheeler from Pampa in 1970. She was a member of the Christian Cannan Church in Wheeler and the First Baptist Church. She was preceded in death by her parents, her husband, and one daughter, Teresa, in August, 1999.

Survivors are one son, Ricky Robles of Wheeler; one daughter, Christine Earl of Wheeler; six brothers, Paul Valencia of Lubbock, Lupe Valencia of Munday, George Valencia of Brownwood, Tom Valencia of Altus, Ok., Angel Valencia of Graham and Gilbert Valencia of Brownwood; two sisters, Maria Gonzales of Dos Polas, Calif., and Lillie Rodriguez of Brownwood; six grandchildren, Jodie Phipps, Donald Phipps, Ashley Earl, Rafael Robles, Amanda Retana Robles and Adam Robles.

Memorials may be to your favorite charity.



**PRACTICE:** Braden Crockett/McNeil takes a practice throw before entering the 4th of July Punt, Pass & Kick competition. Braden was one of three in his 3-5 year-old group and placed second. Braden is the son of Chandra Crockett and Ryan McNeil. Gary Burton was in charge of the competition and was assisted by Aaron Dunnam, Ben Dollar and Cameron Burton.

## Former Mobeetie Resident Buried Wed.

Mrs. Claudia J. Martin, age 84, of Denton, Texas passed away July 1, 2000, in Denton. She was born February 7, 1916, to Edgar E. and Ella A. (Adams) Johnston in Wheeler County, Texas. She married Ralph Martin on December 31, 1936, in Mobeetie, Texas. Mrs. Martin was a secretary for McKinney Public Schools. She was a past Worthy Matron of the Denton Chapter 259 Order of Eastern Star, a past member of the Owl Forum Club, and a volunteer worker for Denton Regional Medical Center. She was a member of the Highland Baptist Church in Denton.

She is survived by her son, Cecil E. Martin and wife, Glynda of Miami, Texas; daughter-in-law, Sue Martin of Denton, Texas; three grandchildren, Vicki, Stephen, Jay L.; three great-grandchildren, Katherine, Hannah, and Perry; nephew, Jim Johnston of Dumas, Texas.

Funeral services were held at 11:00 a.m., Wednesday, July 5th, 2000, at Highland Baptist Church in Denton, Texas with Rev. Eddie Schaefer officiating. Family visitation will follow after the church service. Interment was held at 3:00 p.m. at Ridgeview Memorial Park, Allen, Texas. Services were under the direction of Turrentine-Jackson-Morrow Funeral Directors.

Mr. Charlie Cunningham, Mr. Larry Davis, Mr. O. L. McClure, Mr. Steve Martin, Mr. Jay Martin, and Mr. Jim Johnston served as pallbearers.

In lieu of flowers, memorials may be made to the Highlands Baptist Church, 600 Thomas, Denton, TX 76201.

## Star Canyon To Play At Mobeetie

Jeff Simmons, San Antonio TX, has been the leader of The Star Canyon Band since its inception 13 years ago. Having played music for what seems like "forever," Jeff plays guitar and sings lead and harmony in The Star Canyon Band. Born in Virginia, his music career began in the country music field, later taking the Nashville route where he shared stages with some of 'the best' before converting to bluegrass music in the early 1980s. To the enjoyment of his many fans, there's still a touch of country to Jeff's music. Onstage, there's no doubt that he loves performing and sharing his God-given talents with the bluegrass world.

Rick Curlee, Joshua TX, has honed his mandolin skills over the years after getting his start as a child playing with his family band. He later switched to traditional style bluegrass, also developing a proficiency on the guitar along the way. Today, in addition to his mandolin and guitar expertise, Rick also writes music and sings lead, tenor and bass. He's said to have one of the very best high tenor voices around.

Tim Tynes, Burleson TX, is an accomplished artisan on banjo and guitar and shares a portion of the vocal responsibilities in The Star Canyon Band. Tim is originally from Louisiana, but has lived in the Fort Worth area most of his life. During his 27-year banjo career, Tim has been a part of several bands and assisted with area banjo workshops.

Eddie Stroud is an excellent bassist and sings lead and harmony, as well. A native Texan, Eddie was born, raised, and works in Glen Rose TX where he still lives today. Eddie has been playing music for over 13 years—starting out on guitar and later learning to play bass because "there never seemed to be anyone to play bass" for the jam sessions he frequented at a nearby bluegrass music park. He'll modestly tell you that there's "nothin' special 'bout me," but when he starts singing while playing guitar or "Lisa" (his bass), you'll know right quick-like that there is, indeed, something 'very special' about him! Eddie readily admits that the thing that he loves most about bluegrass music is the people and 'the people' love Eddie as well.

This personable, dynamic foursome came together in this venture dedicated to 'being the best that they can be,' and they are definitely 'entertainers'—each member is an accomplished lead vocalist and, collectively, they perform some wonderful harmony coupled with one of the best balances of sound that you can hope to find. From the pooling and refinement of individual members' ideas, emerged The Star Canyon Band's own novel style of entertainment—a lot of bluegrass, softened with a little country, a touch of folk music added, and a dusting of humor injected here and there. They seem to have discovered the 'mix' that folks want to hear...an 1100+ fan base supports their extreme popularity. These loyal fans readily proclaim these fellows to be "some of the most talented and nicest guys that you could every hope to meet!" Their presence adds a special touch to any event!

For your enjoyment and entertainment, we present a quality performance in a unique style with unity, energy, and enthusiasm—**THE STAR CANYON BAND!!**



Jeff Simmons, Eddie Stroud, Tim Tynes and Rick Curlee

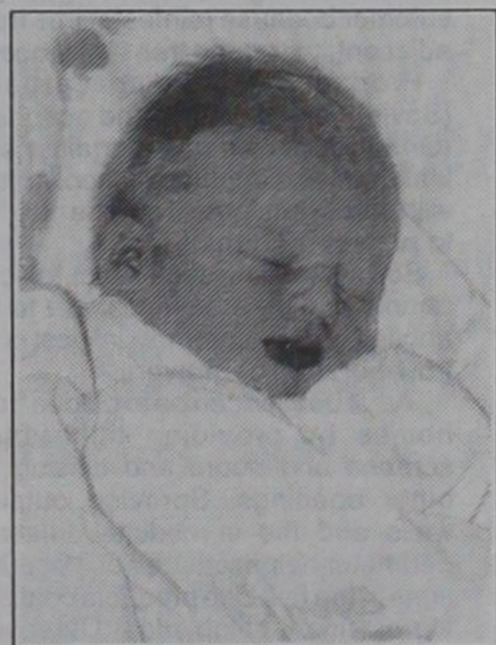


**BREAKFAST:** Brock Sabbe (right) chose a cup of orange juice for breakfast Wednesday morning at the St. Mary's Catholic church breakfast. An excellent turnout was reported. Pictured (l. to r.) are Joshua, Charles and Margaret Kuntz, Mariah Marshall, Mack Marshall and David. The weather totally cooperated for the outdoor breakfast. Joshua and David were members of "Youth With A Mission Missions" and had been at 180.



**WAITING:** A large crowd was in attendance for the fourteenth annual Fun Run/Walk. This 4th of July activity draws a good crowd of a wide range of ages. Those entering and paying the registration fee are given a t-shirt for their having participated.

## New Arrival

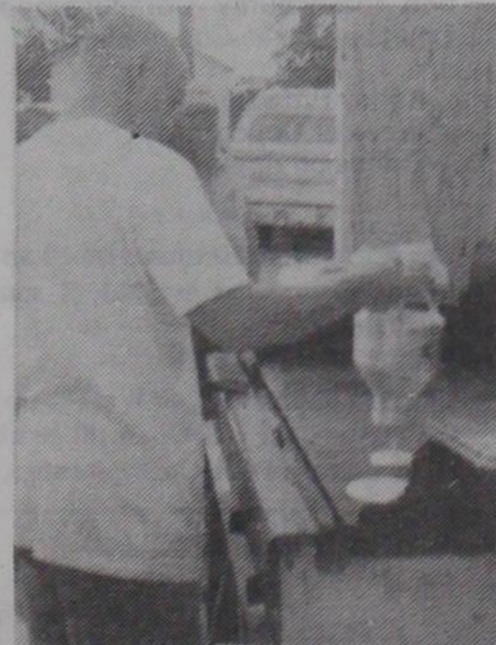


### JAYTON TYLER BABB

Brent and Kellie Babb of Snyder, TX wish to announce the arrival of their new son Jayton Tyler on June 21st at 5:39 P.M. weighed in at 7 lbs. 4 oz. and 20 1/2 inches long.

The proud grandparents are James and Nelda Babb of Wheeler, Clark Blair of Wheeler and Richard and Nancy Ediger of Kingwood, TX.

Great-grandparents are Nora Babb of Wheeler, Ruby Brown of Dublin, TX, Paul Mosley of Rogers, AR, and Murial and Barbara Jordan of Burbank, OH.



**PANCAKES:** St. Mary's Catholic Church of Wheeler for the second year has kicked off the activities of the Wheeler Chamber of Commerce 4th of July Celebration with breakfast. Serving began at 6:30 and continued until around 10:00. Pancakes, bacon, sausage, juice, milk and coffee were available for those coming out for breakfast. Tyler Lewis prepares to cook some more pancakes.

# MOBEETIE NEWS

By: Melba Corcoran

Lynn Rector of Amarillo visited Monday with his grandmother Lorene Rector.

Melba Corcoran took Lorene Rector to Elk City for her eye treatment on Monday.

Bill and Dutch Elliott took Brad Elliott to Amarillo for a checkup on his back following his surgery Monday. He has been doing real well.

Our sympathy goes out to Bill and Pearl Darby on the death of his aunt. They went to Oklahoma City on Wednesday for the funeral.

Since Sunday night we have got 4 inches by Wednesday noon and it is still cloudy.

Bob Bull and Lois Reeves and Alvin went to Tampa, Florida to visit with Lois' sons Edward Reeves and Bill and Ellen Reeves. They picked up two grandchildren Edward and Sabrina Reeves at Shreveport and took them to their father Edward to live.

Jerome Holden, Lois Reeves' grandson, has just been signed to the minor leagues for the Richmond IN Rooster team.

Rosie Tanner of Amarillo spent the night Thursday with Aaron and Arica Lancaster.

Those enjoying a cookout at the home of Aaron and Arica Lancaster Friday night were Bill and Virginia Ridgway, Dale and Melba Corcoran, Aaron and Arica Lancaster, Ernest and Brenda Lancaster, Stormi and Lamari, Jimmy and Laura Fern Selby, Michelle Selby, DeWayne and Loire Selby, Crystal, Cody and Chelsea, Clara Ridgway, Nathan and Nelda Lancaster, and Lynn and Serena Sims. It was also Jimmy Selby birthday. The children played games of egg toss and water balloons.

Those visiting with Lorene Rector Saturday were D. L. Rector, Jerry Rector and Bradley Stone of Amarillo, Scott and Neva Corcoran, Kayle, Nathan, and Brandon of Fort Hood, William and Patricia Burch, Chris, Tyler, and Caitlyn and Dale and Melba Corcoran. D. L., Jerry, Bradley, and Dale got lots of work done for Lorene.

Our sympathy goes out to the family of Claudia Johnston Martin on her death.

Those eating dinner Sunday with Lorene Rector were Scott and Neva Corcoran, and Brandon from Fort Hood, TX and Dale and Melba Corcoran. After lunch, Scott, Neva, Brandon, Dale and Melba went to Pampa and visited with Agnes Barnes, Francis Groves and Phillip Groves. They also visited with Laverne Corcoran at Wal-Mart.

Word has been received that Denzel Eberling is in real serious condition from throat cancer.

Those quilting Thursday at the Totty Schoolhouse was Jane Seitz, Charlotte Coward and Betty Haines. Those quilting Friday were Jane Seitz, Charlotte Coward, Martha Meek, Betty Haines, and Estelle Hodges. Martha's quilt was finished and Charlotte's quilt was put in.

Belton and Skye Gibbs of Lubbock visited Sunday at the First Baptist Church. They are the grandchildren of Denzil and Nell Leonard.

Kellie May underwent surgery. The report came back good.

Visiting with Doyle and Bulah Grimes were their grandchildren Marvin and Kellie Grimes, Dee and Drew and Darren Grimes all of Lubbock.

Estelle Hodges had a quilting party at her home last week. The quilt that was quilted will be given away at the Seitz Reunion September 3, 2000. The reunion will be held at the Civic Center in Lefors, TX. Those attending the quilting were Betty Jean Lancaster, Sidney Lynch, Sherry Watson, Emily Washington, Audrey Seitz, Dee Seitz, Jane Seitz, Melba Seitz, Anna Seitz and Glenda Dickey.

Betty Haines of Pampa visited Sunday afternoon with Ernest and Brenda Lancaster, Stormi and Lamari.

George Patton and family from VA visited with the ones at the campgrounds and Dale Corcoran last week. He was on his way home from vacation.

Bill and Dutch Elliott went home for the weekend. They returned to the campgrounds on Monday.

Gene and Judy Coward of Canadian visited Charlotte Coward. They did her mowing for her.

Diana Jones and Ken of Borger visited last week with Charlotte Coward.

Those from Mobeetie First Baptist Church attending the singing at the Allison First Baptist Church Sunday night were Glen D. and Estelle Hodges, Terry and Sheila Mick, Doyle and Bulah Grimes, Marion Grimes and Doris Finsterwald.

Those visiting Monday with Lorene Rector were Scott and Neva Corcoran, Kayle, Nathan and Brandon of Fort Hood, Christopher Simmons, Tyler and Caitlyn Burch of Wheeler and Dale and Melba Corcoran.

Leola Stuart visited in Shamrock Wednesday with Bulah Stuart.

Sunday at noon Leola Stuart and Gladys Richardson ate lunch with Eddie and Amy Richardson and Jennifer. Vanessa and Josh of the Austin area were also there.

Ronnie and Tanya Stuart and Todd of Lawton, OK, and Jerry and Cheryl Richardson, Katie and Tyler of Wheeler visited Sunday afternoon with Leola Stuart and Gladys Richardson.

Joe Hathaway of Pampa visited with several in Mobeetie this past week. The reason for some having low

water pressure was a blown fuse. If you experience low-pressure call 845-3401. We are not on city water and don't know when the pressure gets low. Dale found the fuse when he checked the wells Monday morning after receiving a call about low pressure. The city tries to keep the water system in good working condition but some times fuses do blow and go unnoticed for a little while.

Mobeetie Jail Museum News  
Maurita Stribling and Lousie Hogan worked on the ads and placing them in place for the book. Melba Corcoran and Tonya Finsterwald worked on the stories of the bands for the book. Camping and working at the museum were Bill and Dutch Elliott, Lawrence and Bonnie Scribner, Nathan and Nelda Lancaster, and George and Marie Kilcrease. They got the stage painted and the new sign hung on the stage. It looks real nice. Lee Brown came down and checked the wiring on the pump on the well at the north end of the campground. It had been hit with lightning. The group is getting ready for the booth at the park at Wheeler on Tuesday.

### News from ...

## Around the County

by Kenny Brdecko,  
Wheeler County Extension Agent

Over the past few weeks, I've had several calls concerning the Elm Leaf Beetle. I thought it might be a good idea to share this information with the rest of you.

The elm leaf beetle was accidentally introduced in the nineteenth century. It feeds on all varieties of elm trees, especially Siberian and European elms. However, some varieties such as cedar elm American elm, and winged elm are seldom attacked if other host trees are available.

Identification - Adults are about 1/4 inch long and light yellow to brownish-green. Several black spots decorate the head and thorax, and a broad black stripe follows the outer margin of each wing cover. Mature larvae are about 1/2 inch long and yellow with black spots and stripes. Pupa are 1/4 inch long and bright orange-yellow with scattered black bristles.

Damage - New infestations of young elm leaf beetle larvae are easily overlooked because of their feeding location. At first, the green part of the leaves are removed with just the thin veins remaining. As damage accumulates, dry skeletonized leaves become obvious. Heavily infested trees have sparse foliage, and remaining leaves take on a rusty, reddish-brown tint. Heavily infested trees drop leaves prematurely an may eventually die.

Control - Natural enemies include birds, toads, diseases and predaceous and parasitic insects. Unfortunately, these natural controls often are not sufficient to hold the beetles in check and the application of chemical controls becomes necessary.

Foliar sprays are also an option. Chemical control of elm leaf beetles depends on early detection of infestations and thorough insecticidal coverage of the tree. Examine the undersides of leaves for yellow eggs and young larvae in March and April soon after the tree leafs out. Control measures normally are applied about 3 weeks after the leaves begin to emerge if eggs and small larvae are present. A second application may be necessary 2 to 3 weeks later. Continue to examine trees every 2 to 3 weeks during the remainder of the summer because reinfestations from adjacent, untreated trees may occur.

Products containing carbaryl (Sevin), methoxychlor and acephate (Orthene) are effective against elm leaf beetles. Commercial applicators with proper equipment may be needed to protect tall trees.

Soil systemic insecticides, toxic to people and other animals, are to be applied only by commercial pest control operators or growers.

Adult beetles can be excluded from homes by providing tight-fitting screens and doors and closing all other openings. Spraying outside walls and the immediate adjacent perimeter helps reduce adult populations in the fall. Use products containing diazinon, chlopyrifos (Dursban), or propoxur (Baygon).

The pesticide USER is always responsible for the effects of pesticides on his own plants or household goods as well as problems caused by drift from his property to other properties or plants. Always read and follow carefully the instructions on the container label. Call the Extension office for additional information.

Extension programs serve people of all ages regardless of socioeconomic level, race, color, sex, religion, disability or national origin.

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Kenny Brdecko  
Wheeler County  
Extension Agent

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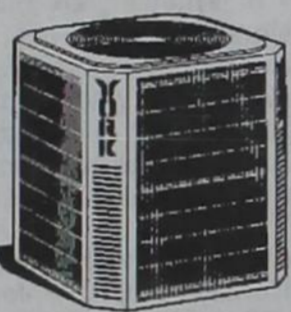
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# Sweetwater News

By Lois Flowers

Sure had some wonderful rain. Fell just right. Amounts varied but our gauge showed about 12 inches for June. Heard reports ranging from ten to fourteen inches for the month. It was truly appreciated. The rain was amazing since all the forecasters, including my onions, said a hot dry June.

This is a time of reunions. One at the school this weekend. We got an invitation to the 72nd annual Flowers reunion at Sulphur in August.

Visiting E. L. and Wilma Fowler during the week were Vikki Fowler, and grandkids, Taylor, Varnell, and Emmy. Jill Drake, Kathy Henson, Cassidy Drake, Tess Markham and Ky, Reydon, Bryan won the golf tournament.

J.M. and Eunice Gamble went up

to Cheyenne to see her nephew Bill Males, from Sweden.

The Sweetwater Baptist Church rented the Erick Swimming Pool Saturday night. After a good swim; a large group enjoyed a hot dog supper.

Oh, yes, Eunice Gamble tells me she graduated from the Reydon school. Only it was Rankin back then.

Leonard Smith, Clinton, was out to see Ray and Doris Sunday. Mowed their lawn.

L. G. Reed is home from a short stay in the hospital. Joseph Reed and Lavanda Beavins, Cheyenne, and Cleavie Reed, Elk City were out to help L. G. celebrate his 65th birthday. Congratulations.

Kimberly Beauchamp, Edmond, and I have been Reed checking. Seems Richard Reed was her great-grandfather and my great-uncle. He was born in Pike Co., Mo in 1852. Died at Elk City about 1935.

Rose Snodgrass had a big bouquet of beautiful zinnias for the folks at the Nursing Home. Sure nice of her.

Glen Tignor and Jarrad Blevins of the REA were out to check about the trees growing into the high line. Everything is OK.

Summer is now with us. Sure hope it keeps raining along.

Happy Birthday to Bob Haag, Robin Hagerman, Butch Hagerman, Lu Boone, Orna Fay Davis, Dusti Davis, Betty Anderson and Jerry Sanders. Happy Anniversary to Mr. and Mrs. Don Riley.

## OPEN MINE EYES THAT I MAY SEE

You can't see the forest for the trees. When we're too close to something we can't see it.

Take a look at the Cheyenne-Arapaho Country. Most beautiful country on earth now at its best.

It's acknowledged that Oklahoma and Texas have the most beautiful sunsets and sunrises in the world.

In the book "Sand in My Eyes," by Laune (story of early day Woodward Oklahoma), the author argues with a Wyoming man about which has the more beautiful sunrises and sunsets.

The Wyoming man is sure his mountains and sky produce the more beautiful. Mrs. Laune argues, "The morning and evening skies of Oklahoma and Texas—they are more beautiful," and then she concludes: "His skies, his mountains, to him they are the most beautiful. It's his HOME." And so it is.

This is a perfect time to take a look at your home—the red hills have never been redder—I met a man from a distant state who was taking a quart jar of red earth home with him to display on the mantel; I saw a red field in the Sandstone area where the cotton was just peeping through, the red earth promising a bountiful crop in the fertile red soil. I saw trees so green and lush it was no wonder the birds decided to nest there.

Several homes in Cheyenne were in full bloom with flowers and shrubs and even business places in some cases were so in bloom with gorgeous colors they looked like a nursery. How much is a flower bed of this type worth to a town?

The calm, peaceful water at the parks make the lakes a vital part of the beauty scene. The geese give the lake a special decoration.

Fat cattle, so full they can't stand, lie down in the hot sun—a picture that make money while you sleep.

I wish we could blot out the unnecessary ugliness that blights the beauty scene: old worn out building that can never do anybody any good, old abandoned cars, unmowed lawns, junk. They mar the picture of the beauty that is here.

Epilogue.  
I have no desire to leave this beauty spot. My ancestors, long ago, when the land was new and untouched, came here to stay and so did I!

Have a look at your home!



Alfred Hitchcock directed the first talking film made in England. It was called *Blackmail*.



Passport photographs were first required by regulation in 1914.

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**ALLISON NEWS**  
By Christine Gilmer

Leviticus, 26-2, 3 & 4 Ye shall keep  
my sabbaths, and reverence my sanctu-  
ary: I am the Lord.

If ye walk in my statutes, and keep  
my commandments, and do them;  
Then I will give you rain in due  
season, and the land shall yield her  
increase, and the trees of the field  
shall yield their fruit.

It's a calm, cloudy Monday morn-  
ing here in Allison. Seems the rains  
have stopped for now.

Darrel and Johnnie Harrison and  
great-granddaughter, Lindzie  
Harrison, all of Amarillo came Friday  
afternoon, and visited with me. They  
also visited Pearl Harrison. I enjoyed  
my little five year old great-great-  
granddaughter coming with them. I  
hadn't seen her in quite sometime.

Ruby Craig took her mother Wilma  
Gilmer to the doctor at Wheeler last  
Wednesday for a checkup.

Tim and Tina Thomas of Amarillo  
have a new baby boy born June the  
24th. His name is Sawyer Elisha. He  
weighed 8 lbs. and 1 oz. Tina's mother,  
Leota Black, spent two weeks in  
Amarillo with the Thomas' helping  
take care of Sawyer. He does have a  
older sister, Savanna.

Opal, Juanita and Forrest Boydston  
were in Amarillo on Monday June the  
26th doing some shopping. They also  
shopped some in Pampa. Last Satur-  
day Opal and Juanita were in Cana-  
dian shopping.

Billy Brown's checkup with her doc-  
tor in Amarillo last Monday was a  
good report.

Sue Chandler drove Jennie  
Walker's car, and her and Peggy  
Chandler took Jennie to the ear doc-  
tor last Friday to Elk City.

Red and Anna Dukes, Jim and  
Cindy Starnes from Destin Florida,  
Jack and Adeline Hammer from Pan-  
handle TX, Bob and Peggy Dukes of  
Allison, Clyde and Jane Dukes, and  
Jackie, Stacie, Fitz and Kamie and  
Fat and Wanda Childress all from  
Briscoe went to Amarillo on Friday  
June 30th, and ate out, and then went  
to Palo Duro Canyon and saw the

drama Texas. Red and Anna spent  
the night at Panhandle with Jack and  
Adeline. Red and Anna came home  
on Saturday, and their house guests  
from Saturday to Monday morning  
were Jim and Cindy Starnes. On Sun-  
day after church Jim and Cindy took  
Red and Anna to Wheeler for dinner  
at Maxey's restaurant. They were all  
helping Red and Anna celebrate their  
23rd Wedding Anniversary. After they  
were through with dinner they went  
on to Shamrock and visited with  
Bessie Crenshaw.  
Bob and Peggy Dukes visited Red

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and Anna after church Sunday  
evening and they had a snack sup-  
per.

Vance and Caroline Boydston's  
weekend guest were Kevin and Theda  
Boydston from Tulsa Oklahoma and  
Kyle Boydston and a friend Bernadette  
and her son, Noah, from Roswell,  
New Mexico. Vance and Caroline and  
their house guests took food for sup-  
per and went to Dick and Cletus  
Green's and they had supper together.  
Others there were Shawn and Jamie

Downie, Roy Greene, Jonathan and  
Alexis. Kevin and Theda, Kyle and  
Bernadette and Noah left going home  
Sunday evening.

Sue Chandler made a business  
trip to Amarillo last Saturday evening.  
Rev. Bill and Kay Stiles ministered  
at the Allison Baptist church last Sun-  
day. They are from Kelton.

Pearl Harrison was in Elk City last  
Tuesday and spent the night with  
Jimmy and Vivian Wallace and  
Ronnie. Pearl came home on  
Wednesday. Pearl and Wanda  
Walker were dinner guests at Louise  
Boydston's Thursday. Louise and  
Wanda attended the Fred Cordell fu-  
neral Thursday afternoon at Chey-  
enne OK. Pearl, Louise and Wanda  
attended the Sanford reunion last  
Saturday at Fritch TX. Sunday, Pearl  
was dinner guest at Wanda and Eddy  
Walkers. Richard and Melody Draper  
and children from Whitehouse TX are  
visiting at Eddy and Wanda's for a  
week. Wanda and Melody had the  
baby twins at church Sunday night.  
They are three and half months old  
and growing, and they are so sweet.

Virginia Miller and the Miller family  
hd their reunion last Sunday at the  
school cafeteria. Her daughter, Lynda  
Banger, from Amarillo spent the week-  
end with her mother.

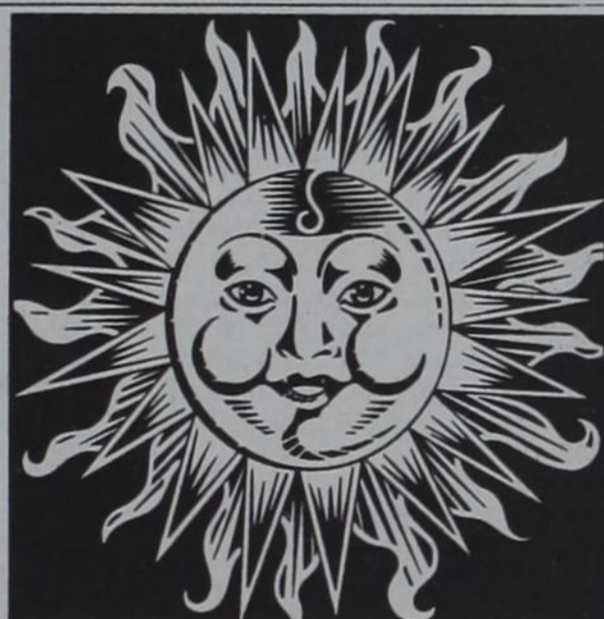
Juanita Bricker had shoulder sur-  
gery last Tuesday. Louise Boydston  
and Wanda Walker took Juanita to  
Amarillo to the BSA out patient clinic,  
but they did keep Juanita overnight in  
the hospital. She is at home recuper-  
ating and doing therapy on her shoul-

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der. Louise and Wanda spent Tues-  
day night with Kim and Chuck Th-  
ompson and family and brought

Juanita home on Wednesday.  
Take time to pray—it is the great-  
est power on earth.

**Annual Zybach Reunion Held Sat., July 1**

The decedents of John, Fred and  
Ern Zybach met together July 1st and  
2nd at the Ft. Elliott Cafeteria. There  
were 51 people present. The young-  
est present was Shyana Jo Zybach,  
daughter of Shawn and Daphne  
Zybach and the "Youngest At Heart"  
was Lottie Venable of Las Cruces,  
NM. We had four new additions to the  
Zybach family in the past year. They  
are: Tysen Lance Aldridge, son of  
Tracy and Andrea Aldridge; Shyana  
Jo Zybach, daughter of Shawn and  
Daphne Zybach; Skylar Meghan Har-  
ris, daughter of John Paul and Deidre  
Harris; and Michael Snealson, hus-  
band of April Purcell Snealson.

The biggest highlight of the day  
was a monologue written by Roberta  
Yaborough and presented by Lottie  
Venable featuring "Ada Lynn's Morn-  
ing Devotion". They should have their  
own comedy act.

Traveling the furthest distance  
were Lottie Venable and Roberta  
Yaborough of Las Cruces, NM. Others  
attending the reunion were: Bob  
and Gena Zybach, Wayne, Kathy,  
Clay, and Casey Zybach, Steve and  
Joy Zybach, Bevard and Diane Dukes,  
Tracy, Andrea, and Tysen Aldridge,  
Becky and David Zybach, Daphne,  
Alexis, Zane, and Shyana Zybach,  
Mike and Melody Goad, Shane, April  
and Shaley Goad, Curtis, Jane Ann  
and Kent Hall, Kyndal, Krista, and  
Derek Murray, Royce, Deedy, Julie,  
and Sarah Zybach, Jim Goding, and  
Eric, Pauline, Kyle, Kade, and Kelsy  
Zybach all of Briscoe, Deidre Harris  
and Carissa Dukes of Amarillo, Caylen  
and Brenton Willingham of Lindsay,  
OK., Frita Tucker and Jim Wright of  
Clarendon, and Jean and Kayla  
Brown of Ft. Worth, TX.

Zybach Family Reunion t-shirts  
were designed by Alexis and Jane  
Zybach, Tanner Aldridge, and  
Caylen and Brenton Willingham. Their  
drawings represented what the mean-  
ing of a "Zybach" means to them.  
Also, the long awaited book written  
by Jean Brown was available this  
year. The book has a detailed listing  
of the Zybach's family history. She is  
to be commended for her efforts.

Everyone had a great time visit-  
ing, taking pictures, and eating the tra-  
ditional ice cream and Steve Walker's

**Chat** (from Page 1)

No cards Monday night. Mike was  
gone, Dwight was 'in the field' and  
could not reach Jane or Patsy. Bob  
however needed to play before he  
went into 'card playing withdrawal'—  
it has been three weeks'; hope we get  
a game up before it gets too serious.



An estimated \$1 million is lost  
at race tracks each year, by peo-  
ple who throw away or lose their  
winning tickets.

barbeque.

Co-chairs for this event were Royce  
and Deedy Zybach and Tracy and  
Andrea Aldridge.

The Zybach Reunion 2001 is  
planned for July 7th and 8th with the  
co-chairs being Steve and Joy Zybach  
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**The Patriot**—Rated R\*\*  
Fri.-Sat.-Sun: 2:30 5:50 9:30\*  
Mon. thru Thurs.: 3:15 7:30  
**The Adventures of Rocky &  
Bullwinkle**—Rated G  
Fri.-Sat.-Sun: 2:45 7:00  
Mon. thru Thurs.: 3:00  
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World Literature II	ENGL 2333	MW	6:00-10:00 PM
US & TX Constitution	GOVT 2301	MW	1:00-5:00 PM
Fine Arts Apprec.	HUMA 1315	TTh	1:00-5:00 PM
Maternal & Neonatal	VNSG 1230	MT	9:00-3:00 AM
Pediatric	VNSG 1234	MT	9:00-3:00 AM
Clinical VI	VNSG 2263	W-F	6:30-3:15 AM
Clinical VII	VNSG 2161	W-F	6:30-3:15 AM

**Childress**

Human A&P II	BIOL 2402	MW	5:30-9:30 PM
Writing Fundamentals	ENGL 0306	MW	5:00-6:00 PM
Eng Comp / Rhetoric II	ENGL 1302	MW	6:00-10:00 PM
World Literature II	ENGL 2333	TTh	6:00-10:00 PM
US & TX Government	GOVT 2302	TTh	6:00-10:00 PM
Developmental Math	MATH 0306	MW	5:00-6:00 PM
Finite Mathematics	MATH 1324	MW	6:00-10:00 PM
Reading Fundamentals	READ 0306	MW	5:00-6:00 PM

**McLean**

Human A&P II	BIOL 2402	MW	5:30-9:30 PM
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**Memphis**

General Chemistry II	CHEM 1412	TTh	5:30-9:30 PM
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General Biology I	BIOL 1406	M-Th	6:00-9:50 PM
Human A&P II	BIOL 2402	M-Th	6:00-9:50 PM
Computer Apps I	COSC1301	TTh	8:00-11:50 AM
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Eng Comp / Rhetoric I	ENGL 1301	TTh	8:00-11:50 AM
Eng Comp / Rhetoric I	ENGL 1301	TTh	6:00-9:50 PM
Eng Comp / Rhetoric II	ENGL 1302	MW	6:00-9:50 PM
World Literature I	ENGL 2332	MW	1:00-4:50 PM
US & TX Constitution	GOVT 2301	TTh	6:00-9:50 PM
US & TX Government	GOVT 2302	TTh	1:00-4:50 PM
US History to 1865	HIST 1301	TTh	6:00-9:50 PM
US History to 1865	HIST 1301	MW	1:00-4:50 PM
US History to Present	HIST 1302	MW	8:00-11:50 AM
US History to Present	HIST 1302	MW	6:00-9:50 PM
Fine Arts Apprec.	HUMA 1315	TTh	6:00-9:50 PM
Intermediate Algebra	MATH 0308	MW	1:00-4:50 PM
College Algebra	MATH 1314	TTh	1:00-4:50 PM
Intro to Guitar	MUSI 1192	TTh	8:00-11:50 PM
Music Appreciation	MUSI 1306	MW	6:00-9:50 PM
General Psychology	PSYC 2301	MW	6:00-9:50 PM
Child Psychology	PSYC 2308	TTh	1:00-4:50 PM
Social Issues	SOCI 1306	TTh	1:00-4:50 PM
Family In Society	SOCI 2301	TTh	6:00-9:50 PM
Interpersonal Speech	SPCH 1318	MW	6:00-9:50 PM

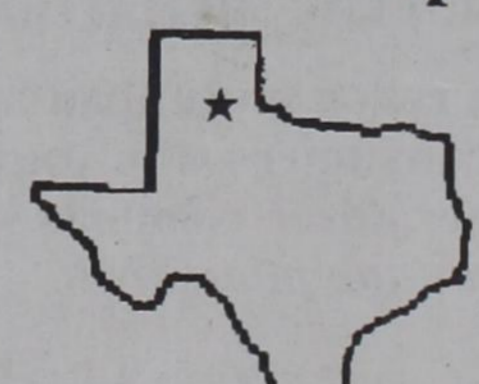
**Shamrock**

Maternal & Neonatal	VNSG 1230	MT	9:00-3:00 AM
Pediatric	VNSG 1234	MT	9:00-3:00 AM
Clinical VI	VNSG 2263	W-F	6:30-3:15 AM
Clinical VII	VNSG 2161	W-F	6:30-3:15 AM

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Botany	BIOL 1411	MW	6:00-10:00 PM
Computer Apps I	COSC 1301	MW	6:00-10:00 PM
Writing Fundamentals	ENGL 0306	TTh	5:00-6:00 PM
Eng Comp / Rhetoric II	ENGL 1302	MW	6:00-10:00 PM
World Literature II	ENGL 2333	TTh	6:00-10:00 PM
US History to Present	HIST 1302	MW	6:00-10:00 PM
Fine Arts Appreciation	HUMA 1315	TTh	6:00-10:00 PM
Developmental Math	MATH 0306	TTh	5:00-6:00 PM
Plane Trigonometry	MATH 1316	TTI	6:00-10:00 PM
Child Psychology	PSYC 2308	TTh	6:00-10:00 PM
Reading Fundamentals	READ 0306	TTh	5:00-6:00 PM
Social Issues	SOCI 1306	MW	6:00-10:00 PM

# Oil & Gas NEWS

(New Location, Completion and Plugging Report made possible by Oil & Gas Reporting Service, Box 2052, Pampa, TX 79065. Doris Harrison, Phone: 806/665-5800.)

Week Ending June 29, 2000

### Intentions to Drill

**HEMPHILL (WILDCAT & BUFFALO WALLOW Granite Wash)** Bravo Natural Resources, Inc., #2054 Vandiver, 660' from North & 1320' from East line, Sec. 54, M-1, H&GN, PD 13000'.

**HEMPHILL (WILDCAT & BUFFALO WALLOW HUNTON)** Chevron USA, Inc., #1 Puryer, 2540' from North & 1620' from West line, Sec. 22, M-1, H&GN, PD 21000'. **Sidetrack** **HEMPHILL (WILDCAT & HEMPHILL East Upper Morrow)** Prize Operating Co., #4-23 Petree, 660' from North & West line, Sec. 23, 1, H&GN, PD 13100'.

**HEMPHILL (WILDCAT & SPARKS Tonkawa)** EOG Resources, Inc., #1 Lockhart '58', 990' from South & West line, Sec. 58, 42, H&GN, PD 7800'.

### Amended Intention to Drill

**GRAY (PANHANDLE)** Pablo Energy, Inc., #11 North Jackson, Sec. 90, B-2, H&GN, spud 4-7-00, drlg. compl 4-11-00, tested 6-15-00, pumped 40 bbl. of 44 grav. oil + no water, GOR 175, TD 3045', PBTD 3045'.

### Gas Well Completions

**WHEELER (STILES RANCH Granite Wash)** EEX E&P Co., L.P., #3 Britt Ranch 'D' 5, Sec. 5, 2, B&B, spud 3-30-00, drlg. compl 4-29-00, tested 6-12-00, potential 700 MCF, TD 12700', PBTD 12657'.

## Wheeler County COURT RECORDS

List of instruments filed in Wheeler County Clerk's office from June 27, 2000 - June 30, 2000.

JUNE 27, 2000

**ASSIGN.**—John Porter to Supa Energy Inc., 6-19-00, SE 1/4 Sec. 57, Blk. 23, H&GN Ry. Company Survey. **ASSIGN.**—Kathy Owens to Reneau Oil Co., 4-28-00, 524.5 acs. Sec. 1, Blk. 27, H&GN Ry. Company Survey. **DVL.**—Nancy R. Pierce, et vir to Leo

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L. Shuler, et ux, 6-27-00, Lots 11 and 12, Blk. 8, Wheeler.

**DT.**—Leo L. Shuler, et ux to Nancy R. Pierce, et vir, 6-27-00, Lots 11 and 12, Blk. 8, Wheeler.

**JUNE 28, 2000**

**D.**—Frankie H. Pepper to J. Dean Pepper, et al, 6-27-00, NE 1/4 Sec. 6, Blk. A-8, SE 1/4 Sec. 11 and SW 1/4 Sec. 13, Blk. A-7, H&GN Ry. Company Survey.

**AFF.**—James C. Fling to Bennie M. Purkey, et al, 6-20-00, S 22' Lot 2; All Lot 3; and N 45' Lot 4, Blk. 81, WSSA, Shamrock.

**RDT/RVL.**—First National Bank of Shamrock to C. Alan Renfro, et ux, 6-27-00, S 22' Lot 2; All Lot 3; and N 45' Lot 4, Blk. 81, WSSA, Shamrock. **DVL.**—C. Alan Renfro, et ux to Charles W. Rushing, et ux, 6-23-00, S 22' Lot 2; All Lot 3; and N 45' Lot 4, Blk. 81, WSSA, Shamrock.

**DT.**—Charles W. Rushing et ux to First National Bank of Shamrock, 6-

27-00, S 22' Lot 2; All Lot 3; and N 45' Lot 4, Blk. 81, WSSA, Shamrock.

**DT.**—Charles Ballard, et ux to David Gray, et al, 6-9-00, Lots 8 and 9, Blk. 24, Shamrock.

**DT.**—David Gray, et ux to Charles Ballard, et ux, 6-13-00, Lots 8 and 9, Blk. 24, Shamrock.

**DVL.**—Bill C. Billingsley, et ux to Mark D. Wright, et ux, 6-23-00, Pts. Secs. 37 and 44, Blk. 17, H&GN Ry. Company Survey.

**DT.**—Mark D. Wright, et ux to First National Bank of Shamrock, 6-23-00, Pts. Secs. 37 and 44, Blk. 17, H&GN Ry. Company Survey.

**MODIFICATION DT.**—Walter O. Hill to Comerica Bank-Texas, 6-23-00, See Instrument.

**OL.**—John O. Bullington to Lariat Petroleum Inc., 5-5-00, Pt. W 1/2 and Pt. NE 1/4 Sec. 49, Blk. M-1, H&GN Ry. Company Survey.

**OL.**—J-S-H Company to Lariat Petroleum Inc., 5-5-00, Pt. W 1/2 and Pt. NE 1/4 Sec. 49, Blk. M-1, H&GN Ry. Company Survey.

**OL.**—Jill Bullington to Lariat Petroleum Inc., 5-5-00, Pt. W 1/2 and Pt. NE 1/4 Sec. 49, Blk. M-1, H&GN Ry. Company Survey.

**OL.**—William Orville Witherspoon to Lariat Petroleum Inc., 5-5-00, Pt. W 1/2 and Pt. NE 1/4 Sec. 49, Blk. M-1, H&GN Ry. Company Survey.

**OL.**—Joseph Ray Witherspoon to Lariat Petroleum Inc., 5-5-00, Pt. W 1/2 and Pt. NE 1/4 Sec. 49, Blk. M-1, H&GN Ry. Company Survey.

**OL.**—Sarah Elizabeth Holbrooks to Lariat Petroleum Inc., 5-5-00, Pt. W 1/2 and Pt. NE 1/4 Sec. 49, Blk. M-1, H&GN Ry. Company Survey.

**RDT.**—Ag Credit of Texas to Rex H. McAnelly, et ux, 6-26-00, See Instrument.

**DT.**—Rex Harris McAnelly, et ux to Panhandle-Plains Federal Land Bank Association, FLCA, 6-28-00, W 1/2 Sec. 55, Blk. A-5, H&GN Ry. Company Survey.

**C/C POA.**—Bobbie Nell Burrell to Brenda Sue Langston, et al, 6-6-00.

**D.**—Brenda Langston, et vir to Brett Buckingham, et ux, 5-9-00, 130.69 acs. Sec. 48, Blk. A-7, H&GN Ry. Company Survey.

**D.**—Barbara Pannell, et vir to Brett Buckingham, et ux, 5-8-00, 130.69 acs. Sec. 48, Blk. A-7, H&GN Ry. Company Survey.

**D.**—Ron Burrell to Brett Buckingham, et ux, 5-10-00, 130.69 acs. Sec. 48, Blk. A-7, H&GN Ry. Company Survey.

**DT.**—Brett Buckingham, et ux to Ag Credit of Texas PCA, 6-28-00, 130.69 acs. Sec. 48, Blk. A-7, H&GN Ry. Company Survey.

**D.**—Byron H. Simpson to Melba Darnell, 1-19-00, Lots 4-8 and 11-16, Blk. 12, Mobelia.

**EXT. DT.**—Robert E. Seeley, et ux to National Bank of Commerce, Shamrock, 6-22-00, S 1/2 Lot 5 and all of Lot 6, Blk. 28, Shamrock.

**PARTITION D.**—Gary W. Satterfield, et al to Clayton G. Satterfield, et al, 6-1-00, Mid 1/3 S 1/2 Sec. 18, Camp County School Land.

**MD/ROY D.**—Carolyn Mager to Thomas S. Carl, 6-19-00, Secs. 62, 80, and 98, Blk. 17, Secs. 47 and 72, Blk. 13; and Sec. 6, Blk. A-8, H&GN Ry. Company Survey.

**JUNE 30, 2000**

**EXT. DT.**—Kenneth Rutherford, et ux to Wheeler Banking Center, 6-27-00, Pt. SE 1/4 Sec. 60, Blk. A-8, H&GN Ry. Company Survey.

**District Clerk's Filings**

#10868—Shamrock ISD, et al vs C. L. Adkins, 6-22-00, Tax Suit

#10869—Shamrock ISD, et al vs Albert Angton, 6-22-00, Tax Suit

#10870—Kellton ISD, et al vs Virginia M. Baptiste, 6-22-00, Tax Suit

#10871—Kellton ISD, et al vs Thurman W. Calcote, 6-22-00, Tax Suit

#10872—Allison ISD, et al vs Nancy Calley Campbell, 6-22-00, Tax Suit

#10873—Fort Elliott Cisd, et al vs Dewey Lee Duke, 6-22-00, Tax Suit

#10874—Wheeler County, et al vs Benny D. Eads, 6-22-00, Tax Suit

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