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"Wheeler, town of friendship and pride."

Mustangs Kick Booker Kiowas, 48-19

CWE CHAT WITH EDITOR
By Louis C. Stas

CONGRATULATIONS, PERCY FARMER! We do not have too many citizens celebrate their 100th birthday. Percy will turn 100 on Friday. A party is planned at the Wheeler Care Center from 2:30 p.m. until 4:00 p.m. Take a few minutes of your time to greet and congratulate this young man.

WAY TO GO, MUSTANGS! Now do the same thing to White Deer. We know you can.

Congratulations, Caleb Finsterwald and Bret Goad! These Mustangs were given 'Honorable Mention' in the *Globe-News* Player of the week.

Caleb ran 164 yards and four touchdowns as the Mustangs beat Booker 48-19.

Linebacker Bret Goad returned two interceptions for touchdowns to help Wheeler's cause.

And, the rain continues, with more predicted for the coming weekend. The eastern half of the Panhandle was under tornado watch Tuesday evening.

The line of showers moved through Wheeler after the trick or treaters had had their fun and left 0.13 inches of moisture.

There was 0.80 to measure when we returned home Sunday. The total for October stands at 8.05'.

Remember the Baked Potato Supper Friday evening before the game with White Deer. The Cheerleaders are putting on the fund raiser.

And Saturday will be a big day for eating. Starting with the annual Wheeler Volunteer Fire Dept. Breakfast and ending with the Harvest Supper at the Wheeler Methodist Church.

Our weekend included a quick trip to Oklahoma and OKC. We had hamburgers at Hinton with the Meriwethers and returned Sunday morning to Wheeler.

Sunday dinner was at Shamrock with Wiletta Smith. Other guests were Leroy and Rhonda Meriwether and Donald Ford.

Cards Monday evening was very enjoyable for three of us. Dwight, Bob and Jane were not too pleased with the outcome of the game. Barbara, Mike and I won all three.

Wheeler Chamber Will Have Xmas Open House

The Wheeler Chamber of Commerce board of directors and members met Tuesday at Mel's Diner for a called meeting.

Topic of discussion was the upcoming Christmas activities.

Wheeler's annual Christmas Open House has been moved forward to Sunday and Monday, November 18 and 19. This is being done to give shoppers a look at what Wheeler has to offer before they go off to the surrounding area to shop.

The official "Lighting of the Square" will be Monday evening, November 27.

Wheeler's 'Cash' drawings will be December 2, 9, 16 and 23. \$1,000 will be divided up among Wheeler Shoppers. Tickets will be given for each \$5 spent.

Chamber members will be getting their annual dues letter and requests for contributions to the 'Cash' drawing and Christmas lights. Individuals are being asked to donate a small amount each year for the maintenance of the lights located on the square.

Remember to 'SHOP WHEELER FIRST'—Keep the money in Wheeler!

New Arrival

PAIGE KATHERINE WILLS
Wade and Shelly Wills are happy to announce the arrival of their daughter, Paige Katherine. Paige was born October 19 in College Station, Paxton, her older sister, is happy Paige is here too. Grandparents are Alton and JoAnne Sossaman of New Ulm, Texas and Bob and Evangeline Wills of Wheeler.

The Wheeler Mustangs traveled to Booker last Friday night for a district game with the Kiowas. The Mustangs entered the game with a perfect 2-0 record in District play, while the Kiowas are 1-1.

The Mustangs would get on the scoreboard first as Caleb Finsterwald gets a 1 yard TD to cap an 8 play 28 yard drive. Bret Goad's extra point kick is good and the Mustangs would lead 7-0 with 3:09 in the 1st quarter. The Mustang defense would also get in on the scoring in the 1st quarter as Bret Goad picks off Kiowa pass and returns it 16 yards for a TD. Goad's kick was good and the Mustangs had taken a 14-0 lead with 1:34 left in the 1st quarter.

The Mustangs would increase their lead to 21-0 at the 8:19 mark in the 2nd quarter as Finsterwald caps a 9 play 50 yard drive with a 4 yard TD run. Again Goad's kick is good. On the next possession for the Mustang offense, Jake Britt find paydirt from 1 yard out on a 5 play 16 yard drive after the defense shut down the Kiowas. Goad's kick is good and the score is now 28-0. Booker would get two scores before half to cut the Mustangs lead to 28-13 at half.

Early in the 3rd quarter, the Kiowas would cut into the Mustang lead again on a long TD pass and now the score would be 28-19 with 8:43 left in the 3rd quarter. From this point on, it would be all Mustangs as there offense and defense would finish the scoring. Caleb Finsterwald would score from 4 yards out at the 6:29 mark in the 3rd. Goad's kick was good and the Mustang's lead was increased to 35-19. Finsterwald would

get his 4th TD of the night on a 15 yard scamper to complete a 6 play 64 yard drive to increase the lead to 41-19. The defense would finish off the scoring for the Mustangs as Bret Goad get his 2nd interception of the night and returns it 3 yards to paydirt. The final score would read 48-19 as the Mustangs would empty the bench for the last 8:00 minutes of the game.

The Mustangs will host the White Deer Bucks this Friday night for what could possibly be the District Championship. Both teams enter the game with identical 3-0 district records. Game time will be 7:30.

Score by quarters:

Teams	1st	2nd	3rd	4th	To.
Wheeler	14	14	7	13	48
Booker	0	13	6	0	19

1st Score: Caleb Finsterwald 1 yd run. Bret Goad kick. 7-0
2nd Score: Goad 16 yd. int. return Goad kick. 14-0
3rd Score: Finsterwald 4 yd run. Goad kick. (9 plays 50 yds.) 21-0
4th Score: Jake Britt 1 yd. run. Goad kick. (5 plays 16 yds.) 28-0
5th Score: Travis Rogers 41 yd. pass from Tito Comacho. (6 play 58 yds.) 28-7
6th Score: Comacho 1 yd. run. Kick failed. (7 plays 48 yds.) 28-13
7th Score: Jody Ferguson 3 yd. run. Kick failed. (4 plays 58 yds.) 28-19
8th Score: Finsterwald 4 yd. run. Goad kick. (6 plays 54 yds.) 35-19
9th Score: Finsterwald 15 yd. run. Kick failed. (6 plays 64 yds.) 41-19
10th Score: Goad 43 yd. int. Goad kick. 48-19

Statistics:

	Wheeler	Booker
First Downs	19	12
Yards Rushing	263	64
Yards Passing	0	106
Total Yards Gained	263	170
Comp-Att-Int	0-6-1	5-20-4
Punts-Avg	3-25	3-34
Fumbles-Lost	2-0	4-0
Penalties-Yards	7-64	4-35



100th BIRTHDAY: Percy Farmer will be the guest of honor at a birthday party on Friday, November 3, 2000, at the Wheeler Care Center. Percy was born November 3, 1900, in Montague County, Texas. He was a mechanic during his younger days and ran Percy's Garage in Wheeler, Texas. He is a member of the First Baptist Church of Wheeler. He has one son and one daughter. He lived independently in his home on Main Street until July 20, 1999. Percy enjoys music, range of motion, and visiting with others. The party will be 2:30 to 4:00; stop by for cake and punch and wish Percy "Happy Birthday".

Boring, Schafer Are Named Best Teachers

A select group of America's teachers are being honored by their toughest critics... their former students, in the sixth edition of *Who's Who Among America's Teachers, 2000*.

All of the approximately 114,000 teachers being honored were selected by their former students who themselves are currently listed in *Who's Who Among American High School Student*, or *The National Dean's List*, publications which recognize 5% of our nation's high school and college students respectively. Paul Krouse, publisher of *Who's Who Among America's Teachers* said, "there is no greater honor teachers can receive than to be recognized by former students for their excellence and dedication. In this publication we clearly have the best teachers in America selected by the best students."

The students were requested to nominate the one teacher from their entire academic career who "made a difference in their lives" by helping to shape their values, inspiring interest in a particular subject and/or challenging them to strive for excellence. Many of the students commented about the enthusiasm and knowledge their teachers demonstrated in the classroom, and many praised their teachers for their ability to relate to youngsters on a personal as well as a professional level. One student wrote about her teacher saying, "she made education something pleasurable, instead of a dreadful ordeal by letting me spread my wings and showing me the best way to fly."

Local educators honored in *Who's Who Among America's Teachers, 2000* include... Wheeler—Elizabeth Manning Wiley Boring and Michelle Wiggins Schafer, Wheeler School; Sweetwater—Karen Sue Gracey, Sweetwater Public School; Sayre—Nelda Joy Tucker, Sayre High School.

Annual Fire Dept. Breakfast Saturday

It is time for the Wheeler Volunteer Fire Department's annual breakfast. The event will be held Saturday, November 4, 2000, from 6:00 a.m. to approximately 10:00 a.m. The boot for donations will be at the door.

Mark Saturday, Nov. 4, on your calendar. It is a breakfast you do not want to miss. Join your friends and neighbors and help the fire department.

Hospital Notes

Old Admissions

Estelle Orr
Virginia Frye
Ruth Ledbetter
Susie Lohberger
Verne Lohberger
Ardie Martin
Jane Rives

New Admissions

10/23 Gwen Robertson
Roy McMullen
Ellen Powell

10/25 Sammie Morris
10/26 Wesley Steen
10/28 Curtis McAllister
10/30 Pansy Mounce

Dismissals

10/25 Lloyd Hunt
10/27 Roy McMullen
10/28 Sammie Morris
10/29 Gwen Robertson
Wesley Steen

Local Special Olymics Team Bowls in Amarillo

Even with the rainy weather, there were no clouds over the Wheeler County Islanders Special Olympics team members Saturday, October 28 as they bowled successfully in Amarillo at the S.O. Regional Bowling tournament.

Competition was stiff at the Regional Tournament held at Amarillo's Western Bowl. Athletics from all over the area were present, but the Islanders did well. 1st place medals were won by: P.J. Ford, Dianna Risner, Cole Browning-Nall, and Otis Stuart. 2nd place medals went to Amanda Childress, Teresa Soto, Wade Hampton, and Kris Bradley. A 3rd place



Baked Potato Dinner Prior To Game Friday

The Wheeler High School Cheerleaders will be sponsoring a Baked Potato Dinner on Friday, November 3, 2000 before the Wheeler vs. White Deer game.

The dinner starts at 5:30 and will continue until game time. Cost for adults is \$5 and children \$3.00. Cost includes potato with all the trimmings, dessert and drink.

Featured potatoes will be the Cheerleaders special with chili and all the trimmings, or try the Touch-down tater, or the Mighty-Lite potato. Come and help support the cheerleaders.

Porter Rogers, 86, Is Buried Friday At Allison

Porter Rogers, 86, died Tuesday, October 24, 2000, at Elk City, Oklahoma. Services were at 2:00 p.m. Friday, October 27, 2000 in Allison Methodist Church at Allison with the Rev. Wayne Sheffield officiating. Burial was in Zybach Cemetery under the direction of Wright Funeral Home of Wheeler.

Mr. Rogers was born December 26, 1913, at Hubbard, Texas, to M.P. and Timmins Kathryn McCloskey Rogers. He moved to the Allison area in 1917, graduating from Allison High School, and later attended Midwestern Junior College and Texas Tech. He married Emma Hamilton on December 12, 1938, at Allison. The couple moved to Wheeler in 1990.

He farmed and ranched all his life and belonged to Allison Methodist Church.

Survivors include his wife, Emma, of the home; a daughter, Louise Coulter of Allison; two grandchildren; and three great-grandchildren.

The family requests memorials be to Allison Methodist Church.

Hillhouse Is Named Sophomore Favorite

McMurry University names class favorites for Homecoming 2000

Weldon Bailey was voted Chief McMurry and Katy Millikan was named Princess McMurry during Homecoming 2000 coronation ceremonies Friday, Oct. 20.

Sophomore class favorites are Drew Hillhouse of Wheeler, Texas, and Candice Henley of Spring, Texas.

Hillhouse, the son of Dr. Ben Ed and Dr. Lee Ann Hillhouse, is a biology major. He is a member of the American Chemical Society, Alpha Phi Omega national service fraternity and is the corresponding secretary for KIVA men's social club.

Sam's Club sponsored the Regional Tournament this year which was followed by a dinner and a dance at Valley View Junior High for about 150 to 200 young people and their sponsors/chaperons.

By: Jo Ann Green

TOUCHDOWN: Caleb Finsterwald is shown here making one of four touchdowns he made during the game against the Booker Kiowas. In the background are Chris Gallagher, #35, and Evan Watts, #58.

—Photo by Rob Schaffer

United Methodist Church Thanksgiving Dinner, Country Store Sat.

The United Methodist Women are planning their annual dinner and country store for November 4. There will be no garage sale this year. If anyone would like to help us with this, we always appreciate all the things that are baked and given towards this one and only fund raiser. Any baked goods, jellies and jams or crafts will be needed. If you are not a member of UMW, but would like to help with the country store or meal, call Carolyn at 826-5250.

The Country Store will open at 9:00 Saturday morning and the Thanksgiving Dinner will begin at 5:30 Saturday evening on November 4th. The meal is \$6 for adults and \$3 for those children 12 and under. Make plans to attend.



NINETIETH BIRTHDAY PARTY: Nora Babb will celebrate her ninetieth birthday with a Birthday Party Saturday, November 4th, 2000 at 3:00 P.M. to 5 P.M., at Mel's Diner Restaurant, 706 W. Oklahoma. Everyone is invited. No Gifts Please. Cards are appreciated.



INTERCEPTION & TOUCHDOWN: Bret Goad, #52, makes an interception and returns for a touchdown for Wheeler in the game against Booker. Two of Bret's interceptions were returned for touchdowns.

—Photo by Rob Schaffer

Supper, Dance, Auction, To Honor Wayne Stribling

There will be a community appreciation chili supper, dance and auction in honor of Wayne Stribling November 11, 2000 at M. K. Brown Auditorium, Pampa, Texas. The charge will be \$10.00 per person. (No alcohol please) Doors will open at 5:30 p.m. for chili supper. (Served as long as it lasts) Silent and live auctions will be held throughout the evening. Donations being accepted for auctions at Bob Clements, Inc. and Top O'Texas Rodeo Association. Dance to Flashbak until midnight. Tickets are available at Top O'Texas Rodeo Office and Chamber of Commerce, 200 N. Ballard and Bob Clements, Inc. 1437 N. Hobart and National Bank of Commerce at 1224 N. Hobart. For more information please contact any of the following: Neil and Mary Fulton (806) 665-5121, Top O'Texas Rodeo Assoc. (806) 669-0434 and Chamber of Commerce (806) 669-3241.

Wheeler Jr. High

Colts Lose To Booker

Teams	1st	2nd	3rd	4th	To.
Booker	0	6	0	13	19
Wheeler	6	2	0	0	8

1st Score: Hector Emiliano 5 run. Pass failed 6-0
2nd Score: Booker 3 run. Run failed. 6-6
3rd Score: Safety J. D. Cole 8-6
4th Score: Booker 49 run. Run failed 8-12
5th Score: Booker 4 run. Kick good. 8-19

Statistics

	Wheeler	Booker
First Downs	11	10
Yard Rushing	35-112	29-182
Yard Passing	6-40	0
Total Yard	152	182
Comp-Att-Int	3-6-0	0-0
Punts-Avg	0-0	0-0
Fumble-Losts	2-1	0-0
Penalties-Yard	2-10	3-20

there. They had a great time. Beautiful country, horse trail riding, and many events. Three delicious meals a day. A man came over and told them he

was Wade Sparks. John was there too. The Mongs also saw Jack and Jane Covey at Wister. He was their former pastor.

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MONDAY, Nov. 6, 2000 — FRIDAY, Nov. 10, 2000

MONDAY

Breakfast: Waffles, Ham, Juice, Milk
Lunch: Stew, Corn Bread, Crackers, Grilled Cheese Sandwich, Fruit, Milk/Tea

TUESDAY

Breakfast: Biscuits, Eggs, Sausage, Jelly, Juice, Milk
Lunch: Hamburgers, Hamburgers Fixins, Talo-Tots, Cookies, Milk/Tea

WEDNESDAY

Breakfast: Cereal, Dounuts, Juice, Milk
Lunch: Spaghetti w/Meat Sauce, Corn, Green Beans, Garlic Toast, Fruit, Milk/Tea

THURSDAY

Breakfast: French Toast, Sausage, Juice, Milk
Lunch: Oven Fried Chicken, Mashed Potatoes w/Gravy, Mixed Vegetables, Rolls, Cake, Milk/Tea

FRIDAY

Breakfast: Hot Cereal, Breakfast Bars, Juice, Milk
Lunch: Hot Ham w/Cheese, Salad, French Fries, Ice Cream, Milk/Tea

(Menu subject to change)

Mark Your Calendar!

Our Christmas Open House will be Sunday, November 12, 1-6 p.m.

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TO THE VOTERS OF WHEELER COUNTY



In a recent newspaper ad, my opponent stated that I had no prosecution experience. **The truth is**, I have been a prosecutor as the Roberts County Attorney for ten (10) years and have prosecuted many cases.

Further, my opponent stated that he "obtained a 12 year sentence in a Roberts County case" as proof of felony experience. **The truth is** the case was a pre-arranged "plea bargain" and required absolutely no prosecutorial expertise.

My opponent stated that he has a "proven record of commitment." **The truth is** my opponent has failed to prosecute literally hundreds of misdemeanor cases during his 15 years as the Hemphill County Attorney according to official records. Sadly, many of these cases were DWI's with the defendant never being brought to trial. On top of that my opponent asked the Hemphill County Commissioner's Court (which denied his request) to hire an extra attorney **at taxpayer expense** to help clean up his back log of cases. During my ten (10) years as the Roberts County Attorney, **I have prosecuted every single valid criminal case presented to me by law enforcement.**

YES, I AM THE MOST QUALIFIED CANDIDATE !! Unlike my opponent, I believe a major qualification for the District Attorney position **must be** a strong commitment to vigorously prosecute the cases presented to him by law enforcement. **Make your choice for a positive change in felony prosecution !!**

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The Sweetwater Volunteer Fire Dept. will have a Farm and Consignment Auction at the fire barn Saturday, November 4, at 10 a.m. Barn is a mile south and one fourth west of stop light.

Evelyn Scott, a reader, called this week from OK. She used to be our neighbor over south. She thinks I ought to get into E mail. Tony does too.

Many thanks to Lee Coffey for donating me a trash barrel and to Elbert and Eva Atkinson for bringing it over.

Julian and Coy Wallace celebrated their 65th anniversary with a reception Saturday. They were married at Mayfield.

Eva Atkinson's mother, Faye Moore, of Camargo, was honored with a party Saturday for her 85th birthday with some 40 present. Eva, Eb and her other children met with her at Woodward on Tuesday, the real day, for a family dinner.

I was over at the Nursing Home to see Joe when who should park beside me, but Bert and Barbara Bass and son from Borger. We had a nice visit. They were here for Jack's funeral. When I was about five, the Bass family lived over west of us and we walked to the Saltflat School together.

Mandy Hagerman is on the National Edition of the Dean's List for this year.

Brad Atkinson has been nominated to receive the American FFA degree. It will be given at Louisville this weekend. He is a Junior at OSU.

Services were at the Lone Oak Baptist Church for Mattie Coffey. Burial in Buffalo Cemetery. She was raised at Bulo.

Funeral services were at the Erick Baptist Church for Jack Bass, 85, with burial in the Texola Cemetery. I went to grade school with him and high school with Sally.

Services were Monday at the Erick Church of Christ for Joe's cousin, Eulene Freeman. Burial was in the Erick Cemetery.

Visited a few minutes in town with Sarah Thornbrough. She was just as pretty as ever.

Birthdays folks are Stacy Quinn, Gerald Tipton, Tommy Tucker, Joel Welch, Gay Fowler, Dusty Drake, Kervin Davis. Anniversaries are A. B. and Laurellen Witt, 50th, and Julian and Coy Wallace, 65th. Happiness to all.

I Like A Clothesline

By: Lorena G. Males

A clothesline in your back yard marks you as an Oklahoma pioneer.

I like a clothesline
I like clabber milk
I like riding in a buggy
I like homemade butter and homemade hot rolls.

I like an old-fashioned letter written in long hand,
I like chow chow and piccalilli—
I like a school bell, a church bell, a train bell
and a sleigh bell,
I like bolsters on the bed.

I like to wear a slat bonnet and a stiffly starched apron,
I like wearing three petticoats and pantaloons.
I like homemade lye soap,
I like to wear a corset tied with a string.

I like pickled pig's feet and head cheese,
I like a Christmas tree cut from the south pasture,
I like flour sacks made into night gowns
That say "Shawnee's Best" on the front.

Is there anything sweeter than clothes hung in the Oklahoma breeze
On a clothesline?

WHEELER MENU

MONDAY, November 6, 2000 — FRIDAY, November 10, 2000

MONDAY

Breakfast: Cereal, Waffle, Sausage, Toast/Jelly, Juice, Milk
Lunch: Fish Strips, Cole Slaw, Scaloped Potatoes, Hush Puppies, Fruit, Milk

TUESDAY

Breakfast: Biscuits/Gravy, Sausage, Juice, Milk
Lunch: Chili, Cheese Sticks, Carrot Sticks, Pinto Beans, Crackers, Fruit, Milk

WEDNESDAY

Breakfast: Cereal, Cinnamon Toast, Juice, Milk
Lunch: Salisbury Steak w/Brown Gravy, Green Beans, Mashed Potatoes/Gravy, Hot Roll, Fruit, Milk

THURSDAY

Breakfast: Toast/Jelly, Pancake Pup/Syrup, Sausage, Hash Brown, Juice, Milk
Lunch: Pizza, Mix Veg., Salad, Fruit, Milk

FRIDAY

Breakfast: Toast/Jelly, Cereal, Juice, Milk
Lunch: Sloppy Joe, Lettuce, Tomato, Pickles, French Fries, Fruit, Milk

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WEDDING ANNOUNCEMENT: Billy and Shelia Umsted of Mobeetie, Texas would like to announce the marriage of their son Jimmie Winter to Cari Dopps. The couple were married in Pierre, SD on September 16, 2000. Jimmie is the grandson of Curtis and Hazel Hendrix of Dewar, Oklahoma and Laurena and Marvin Umsted of Delhi, Oklahoma. He is a 1992 graduate of Wheeler High School and is now employed as a Shipping and Receiving Associate at American Freightways. Cari is the daughter of Floyd and Teri Winkler of Pierre, SD. She is the granddaughter of Darlen Duncan of Pierre, SD and Bruce and Vi Dopps of Wichita KS. Cari is a 1993 graduate of Sully Buttes High School in Omdia, SD. She is the office manager of Dopps Chiropractic in Wichita KS, where the couple now reside with their son, Zachary.

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Week Ending October 26, 2000
Intentions to Drill
 HEMPHILL (S.E. CANADIAN Douglas) St. Johns Operating, L.P., #7 Wright, 2500' from South & 1400' from East line, Sec. 122,41,H&TC, PD 7600'.
 HEMPHILL (WILDCAT & HEMPHILL Douglas) Courson Oil & Gas, Inc., #1-54 Flowers 'A', 467' from North & 1100' from East line, Sec. 54, A-1, H&GN, PD 8250'.
 HEMPHILL (WILDCAT & TEXFEL Douglas) Apache Corp., #1 Hodgson, 700' from North & West line, Sec. 20,42,H&TC, PD 7500'.
 ROBERTS (WILDCAT & MORRISON RANCH Morrow) Gruy Petroleum Mgmt. Co., #4-182 Mary T. Morrison, 2330' from North & West line, Sec. 182,42,H&TC, PD 10800'.
 WHEELER (WILDCAT & MILLS RANCH Des Moines) Chevron U.S.A., Inc., #2 Ruth Ledbetter, 860' from South & 1980' from West line, Sec. 21,1, J.M. Lindsey, PD 13500'.
 Rule 37

WHEELER (WILDCAT & STILES RANCH Granite Wash) Questar E & P Co., #4035R Britt Ranch 'C' 1985' from North & 1805' from West line, Sec. 35, A-3, H&GN, PD 12500'.
Gas Well Completions
 HEMPHILL (ALPAR Tonkawa) Mator Operating Co., #1 Isaacs '114', Sec. 114,41,H&TC, spud 8-10-00, drlg. compl 8-22-00, tested 10-13-00, TD 8379', PBTD 8330' --
 HEMPHILL (S.E. CANADIAN Douglas) EnerVest Operating, L.L.C., #5048-U Flowers 'C', Sec. 48,1,H&GN, spud 6-19-00, drlg. compl 8-3-00, tested 8-10-00, TD 11260', PBTD 11170' --
 Dual completion w/#5048-L Flowers 'C'

HEMPHILL (HEMPHILL Granite Wash) EnerVest Operating, L.L.C., #5048-L Flowers 'C', Sec. 48,1,H&GN, spud 6-19-00, drlg. compl 8-3-00, tested 8-10-00, TD 11260', PBTD 11170' --
 WHEELER (WILDCAT) St. Mary Operating Co., #1 Clay Family Trust, Sec. 34,OS-2,State of Oklahoma Survey, spud 5-19-00, drlg. compl 9-7-00, tested 9-21-00, potential 3249 MCF.
 TD 16200', PBTD 16193' --
Plugged Wells
 HEMPHILL (WILDCAT) El Paso Production Co., #2413 Hall, 1963' from South & 1733' from East Lease line, Sec. 241,C,G&MMB&A, spud 7-5-00, plugged 8-19-00, TD 15200' (dry)

Wheeler County COURT RECORDS

List of instruments filed in Wheeler County Clerk's office from October 24, 2000 - October 30, 2000.

OCTOBER 24, 2000
 CHANGE OF TRUSTEE AFF.—Union Bank & Trust Company to Heritage Trust Company NA, 9-1-00, N 1/2 SW 1/4 Sec. 52, Blk. A-8, H&GN Ry. Company Survey.
 ASSIGN.—Henry Jane Corporation to Wynn-Crosby 1998 Ltd., 10-2-00, See Instrument.
 OL—Ann Baker to Lariat Petroleum Inc., 10-5-00, N 1/2 SE 1/4 Sec. 49, Blk. M-1, H&GN Ry. Company Survey.
 OL—Frank L Pool to Lariat Petroleum Inc., 9-25-00, Sec. 62, Blk. M-1, H&GN Ry. Company Survey.
 OL—Hugh D. Akin, et ux to Lariat

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 DT—Jay Randels, et ux to Wheeler Banking Center, 10-23-00, Pt. Blk. 47, Stanley's Add., Wheeler.
 CD—Wheeler Community Cemetery Association to Alan Walters, 10-24-00, SW 1/4 Lot 4, Blk. L-6, 1st Add., Wheeler Cemetery.
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Petroleum Inc., 9-25-00, Sec. 62, Blk. M-1, H&GN Ry. Company Survey.
 ASSIGN.—Castle Exploration Company Inc. to Parks & Luttrell Energy Partners LP, 9-6-00, See Instrument.
 AMEND. DT—Aspen Energy Group Inc. to Local Oklahoma Bank NA, 9-29-00, Sec. 18, Blk. A-4, H&GN Ry. Company Survey, Sec. 29, Blk. R.E., Roberts & Eddleman Survey, and Secs. 2 and 3, Blk. 1, Brooks & Burleson Survey.
 D—Clell Edson Gierhart Jr. to Lyman G. Benson, 10-17-00, S 10' 3" Lot 4, Blk. 1, Shamrock.
 DVL—Valdemar Johnny Velasquez, et ux to David H. Gilmer Jr., et ux, 10-24-00, 4.30 acs. Sec. 5, Blk. A-4, H&GN Ry. Company Survey.
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The residence of the Co-Independent Executrix and Executor are Wheeler, Wheeler County, Texas; the post office address is: c/o: Bobbye C. Hill Attorney at Law P.O. Box 449 Wheeler, Texas 79096-0449

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But if the Spirit of him that raised up Jesus from the dead dwell in you, he that raised up Christ from the dead shall also quicken your mortal bodies by his Spirit that dwelleth in you.

We got a lot of rain here in Allison this past week, which we needed, but the sun has shined Sunday and also this Monday morning. Think we were already for the sun shine again.

I received a postal card last Tuesday, even though there was no name

who it was from, but I am sure it was from Edna May, but she wrote she would be going to her daughter's home October 24, for three or four weeks. The only name she had on the card was "Linda", no last name. And, if I remember right, her daughter's last name is Lieb. On the 14th of November she will go to Amarillo for a final check up, then come home to Allison on the 15th of November. Linda Leib's address is Rt. 1, Box 23, Stinnett, Texas 79083. We miss Edna being around.

The Allison Community gospeling was at the Baptist Church last Sunday afternoon. There wasn't a very large crowd there, but all the singing and music and readings were enjoyed by all. Those singing were Joel Brownlee with guitar with one song, Juanita Bricker, one song; Clifton and Louise Boydston, a song; Juanita Boydston, two songs; Cheryl Dupont, a song; cermenette or testimony, Nadine Lane, two songs; Judi Cornell

a song; Bro. McDaniel, two songs on the harmonica; and he sang two songs and played the guitar. Lou Cornell gave a reading (How Much). Delicious refreshments and visiting in the Fellowship Hall after the singing.

Curtis, Opal and Juanita Boydston were in Wheeler last Monday for business reasons. On Tuesday, Opal, Juanita and Curtis went to Pampa to celebrate Juanita's birthday and they also did some shopping and ate dinner at the Dairy Queen.

Opal and Juanita visited with Forest and Janice Boydston last Sunday evening. Others there spending the weekend were Robbie and SaRita Green, Carissa and Kelton from Binger.

Red and Anna Dukes were in Elk City on Tuesday, the 24th, to see the doctor and also did some shopping. On Saturday, the 28th, Red, Anna and Minnie Bell Vinson ate dinner at the Allison Grill and Grocery.

Sunday morning church service

Red and Anna's dinner guests were Minnie Bell and Nelda Dukes. Sunday afternoon they went to Reydon and visited Ruth Hughs.

Pearl Harrison's Wednesday dinner guests were Bennie Boydston, Justin Walker and Wanda Walker, also Wanda spent Wednesday night with Pearl. Thursday Pearl and Wanda were in Elk City and were overnight

KELTON MENU

MONDAY, Nov. 6, 2000 — FRIDAY, Nov. 10, 2000

MONDAY
Breakfast: Cereal, Toast, Juice, Milk
Lunch: Chicken Strips, Mashed Potatoes, Gravy, Green Beans, Hot Rolls, Fruit, Milk

TUESDAY
Breakfast: Biscuits, Gravy, Juice, Milk
Lunch: Spaghetti w/ Meat Sauce, Corn, Salad, Toast, Cookies, Milk

WEDNESDAY
Breakfast: Oatmeal, Toast, Juice, Milk
Lunch: Ham, Potato Salad, Peas, Hot Rolls, Apricot Cobbler, Milk

THURSDAY
Breakfast: Eggs, Sausage, Bacon, Biscuits, Jelly, Juice, Milk
Lunch: Hamburgers, Cheese, French Fries, Lettuce, Tomatoes, Pickles, Onions, Ice Cream, Strawberries, Milk

FRIDAY
Breakfast: Cinnamon Rolls, Juice, Milk
Lunch: Corn Dogs, Cheese Sticks, Tator Tots, Baked Beans, Tropical Fruit, Milk

Menu is subject to change.

The whole secret of the study of nature lies in learning how to use one's eyes.

—George Sand

guests with Jimmy and Vivian Wallace and Ronnie. On Saturday Louise had a birthday dinner for Wanda. Those there were Eddy and Wanda Walker, Pearl Harrison, Justin and Stephanie Walker and Tyler and of course Clifton and Louise.

Sunday dinner guests at Pearl's were Hershel Sanford, Clifton and Louise Boydston, Pastor McDaniel, H. B. and Cheryl Dupont, Sabrina and Cody and Justin Walker and Tyler.

Pearl Harrison and her brother, Hershel Sanford, went to Pampa Sunday evening and they took Juanita Bricker and myself with them. When we got there for the U.P. Church service, they weren't having any church service either as we didn't

here in Allison, so we didn't get to hear Bro. Cobert preach. But did have about an hour of visiting with the Colberts, which we enjoyed being with them for awhile.

Sorry to hear of the death of Porter Rogers of Wheeler. Our sympathy is for his wife, Emma, and the rest of the family.

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TUESDAY: Barbecue Beef On Bun, Baked Beans, Coleslaw, Apple Crisp

WEDNESDAY: Enchiladas/Sauce, Spanish Rice, Tossed Salad/Dressing, Cornbread/Margarine, Pineapple Upside Down Cake

THURSDAY: Fried Veal Patty, Baked Potato, Gravy, Mixed Vegetables, Plum Cobbler

FRIDAY: Fried Catfish, Spinach, Au Gratin Potatoes, Bread/Margarine, Gingerbread/Topping

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10	Joe Don Glassey	WR/DB	9
11	Justin Chapman	WR/DB	12
17	Jacob Britt	QB/DB	11
21	Donnie Phipps	WR/DB	12
22	Brenton Goerend	WR/DB	9
24	Caleb Finsterwald	RB/DB	12
28	Gavin McQueen	TE/LB	11
32	Kendall Hefley	RB/DB	11
35	Chris Gallagher	RB/DB	10
39	Josh Miller	RB/LB	9
50	Dirk Chapman	OT/DT	11
52	Bret Goad	OC/LB	12
57	Nic Gaines	OT/DT	9
58	Evan Watts	OG/DE	10
60	Joe Salas	OG/LB	9
61	Trenton Gaines	OG/DT	9
62	Tyler Lewis	OT/DT	10
63	Danny Spikes	OG/LB	10
70	Blaine Rutherford	OC/DE	9
72	Chris Hutchison	OT/DT	10
74	Danny Glasgow	OT/DT	10
75	Kelby Ledbetter	OT/DE	12
85	Corey Jewell	WR/LB	11
88	Brad Masters	TE/DE	9
89	Michael Hall	WR/DB	11

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Mascot: Amy Osborne

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Aug. 25	Scrimmage—Farwell	Claude	6:00
Aug. 31	Scrimmage—Clarendon	HERE	6:00
Sept. 8	Paducah—W-0—P-50	There	7:30
Sept. 15	Sunray—W-0—S-14	There	7:30
Sept. 22	Memphis—W-12—M-6	Here	7:30
Sept. 29	Dalhart—W-19—D-20	Here	7:30
Oct. 6	Childress—W-0—C-35	There	7:30
Oct. 13	*Claude—W28—C-21	There	7:30
Oct. 20	*Gruver—W-48—G-19	Here	7:30
Oct. 27	*Booker	There	7:30
Nov. 3	*White Deer	Here	7:30
Nov. 9	*Shamrock	There	7:30

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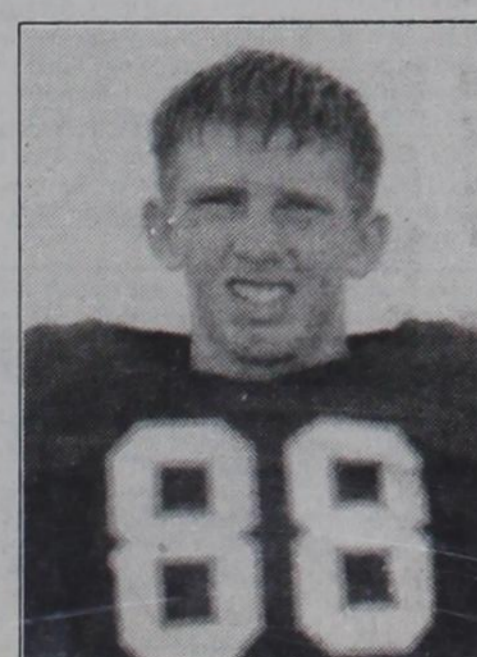
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MEET THE MANAGER

II Corinthians 1:34 what a wonderful God we serve; he is the Father of our Lord Jesus Christ, the source of every mercy, and the one who so wonderfully comforts and strengthens us in our hardships and trials.

Happy Birthday to Brittainy Daniels, and Wiley Bailey on Nov. 5, Andy Shipp, Chuck Hogan, Eric Zybach, Steve Corse, Lajo Crowner, Shannon Cantwell and Steven May on Nov. 6, Jane Bright on Nov. 7, Juanita Fillingim, Dale Sides, Clara Ridgway, Rodney Hudson, Cuyler Stinnett and Rick Jones on Nov. 8, Kathy Hathaway on Nov. 9, Kelley Wilson, George Helton, C. H. Wright, Helen Singleton, Mandy Meadows and Brad Harrison on Nov. 10.

Happy Anniversary Richard and Bonnie Meadows and Tim and Sallie Adcock on Nov. 9, Carolyn and Gary May on Nov. 11.

Don't forget to vote Tuesday Nov. 7, if you haven't voted earlier.

Diane Dukes celebrated her birthday Tuesday by going to Amarillo and spending the day with daughter Dieder Harris, visiting and helping her. Carissa came over for lunch and they had Calico County food and cookies.

Everyone is invited to First Sunday Sing at Allison Sunday Nov. 5 at 6:00 p.m. for fellowship and singing at Baptist church, refreshment.

Friday night Nov. 3 will be XYZ at Mobeetie Baptist Church about 6:00 for blood pressure checks, devotional, a delicious potluck meal, visiting and games of 42 and Chicken Foot and others. Everyone invited.

Everyone invited to Wheeler Senior Citizens Monday night Nov. 6 at 6:00 p.m. for delicious potluck meal and games of 88, and visiting.

Miami H.S. football team will come to Briscoe to play Fort Elliott Friday Nov. 3 and 7:30 p.m.

"God give us wings to rise above The clouds of trial that block the sun,

To soar above gray skies and see The love and goodness of your Son."

from Daily Bread—Spier
There has been a lull in the fighting—no skunks around since Willis shot 2 some weeks ago. We are thankful! Of course they just wanted cat food, but who wants a skunk for a friend? Also no mice for several weeks

since Veagave us some kittens. Yeal Filling in for Johnny Crawford at Briscoe Community Church Sunday was Todd McKenzie from Sayre. Really preached a good sermon.

Fort Elliott High School volleyball girls will be playing Paducah at Childress Thursday night Nov. 2 at 7:30 for Bi-district. Good luck!

We are so thankful for the wonderful rain. We got about 8 inches in all, 5 in one 24 hour period, as did many others.

Margaret and Henry Leach planned to go to Ardmore to visit her 90 year old sister who is in poor health.

Amy Meadows and friend from Lubbock were weekend visitors to Eddie and Leta Meadows and Lois Meadows. They planned to eat at

Maxeys Saturday night, if it wasn't too stormy.

Weekend visitors to Glenn and Wynell Waldo were Glenn's sisters and husbands Doris and Troy Byers and Arnoldett and Warren Joselyn all from Logan, New Mexico. They also visited Rosalie awhile Sunday afternoon. She really enjoyed their visit of the cousins.

Visiting Bevard and Diane Dukes for the weekend were Carissa Dukes and friends Ashley Hill and Melissa and Jamie. Also visiting were Andrea and Tracy Aldridge and Tanner and Tysen. Bevard and Diane Dukes cooked Sunday dinner for the crew. She really appreciates his help.

Tuesday, Bevard fixed birthday supper for Diane—Chicken Strip Salad—her choice. She also got to sit in his chair and have the remote control. Way to go! She had to drive home in the rain. Really a stormy day, so she didn't want to go out to eat after her trip to Amarillo.

Saturday's volleyball game with River Road was changed from Briscoe to Pampa. Sorry if anyone was inconvenienced. River Road won.

We went to Canadian Friday afternoon and voted absentee and ate Pile-on Supper at the elementary school hosted by the band boosters. We enjoyed seeing lots of people we knew and visiting with them.

Emmitt and Carolyn Singleton from Burns Flats spent Friday and Friday night and part of Saturday with Laurel and Ed Hershman for an enjoyable visit. Willa Fillingim also ate Friday lunch with them and visited. Willa also visited Veal Fillingim and got groceries.

Tuesday, Suzanne Everett and Dorothy Jo George from Shamrock brought lunch and visited J. P. and Martha Meek. Dorothy taught school several years at Briscoe in the 60's.



Kenneth Austin and Christopher, Nicholas and James from Gravette, Arkansas came Sunday afternoon to visit Lessie Austin. Also visiting were Joe and Liz Austin and Payton and Korbin. Kenneth always brings food so Lessie doesn't have to cook a lot. Kenneth's wife Paulette had to stay home and work at their pharmacy and have a teachers conference.

Sincere sympathy to family and friends of Doc (Roy) Eckles, 94, in his death. Funeral was Sunday at Canadian. We will miss him.

Sincere sympathy to family and friends of J. D. Wilson in his death. Willis went to school at Canadian with him.

We enjoyed eating and visiting with Ray and Mae Brazeal at Maxeys, Sunday. Sweet people. Also many others there. Chuck and Louise Hogan with Denzil and Nell Leonard, a large group from Grace Fellowship, Bertha and Leonard Hollis, Glenn and Carter Williams, Peggy (Bryant) and husband.

Congratulations to Fort Elliott High School football team for defeating Higgins there 47 to 0 Friday night. And to Wheeler for their 48-19 win over Booker and to Canadian defeating Panhandle, and Miami defeating McLean 30-13, in spite of rain every where.

There was a very nice wedding shower for Jody and Kathy Powledge of Amarillo at the Allison Methodist Church Saturday afternoon. Best wishes, Jody and Kathy. Also there was Jody's sister, Sarah Ford, and Tate. They all visited Leonard and Teresa Powledge and Nova Powledge. Also Sarah's husband,

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Sept 14	Gruver	Here	JH/JV	5:00/6:30
Sept 21	Memphis	There	JH/JV	5:00/6:30
Sept 28	White Deer	Here	JH/JV	5:00/6:30
Oct 5	Shamrock	There	JH/JV	5:00/6:30
Oct 12		@Canadian	JH/JV	5:00/6:30
Oct 19	Gruver	There	JH/JV	5:00/6:30
Oct 26	Booker	Here	JH/JV	5:00/6:30
Nov 2	White Deer	There	JH/JV	5:00/6:30

WHITE DEER BUCKS

#	Name	Class	Pos. Off/Def
2-56	Drew Hodges	12	WR/DB
4	Nick Ball	11	RB/DE
14	Matt Henderson	11	QB/DB
20	Dejay Ort	12	RB/LB
22	Jerry Evans	12	WR/DB
25	Brian Knocke	10	QB/LB
33	Aaron McKean	11	RB/DB
40	Sean Cone	12	TE/DE
45	Kirk Kelp	10	TE/DT
50	Shelton Watson	12	OL/DE
51	Shawn Line	12	OL/LB
53	Michael Friend	12	OL/LB
54	James Pesch	12	OL/DT
60	Jeff Story	11	OL/LB
61	Thomas Harris	12	OL/DT
68	Michael Griffith	11	OL/DE
76	Ricky Davis	12	OL/DT
84	Dustin Harper	11	WR/DB

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MOBEETIE NEWS

By: Melba Corcoran

Jack and Bernice got home Wednesday from Eagle Nest NM. They had a very nice time even

snowed on them.

We got over 5 inches of rain last week. It was sure nice and will help the winter wheat that was up. Tuesday, October 31, 2000 it is cloudy here and we are to get more rain. With possible severe weather, which can go on by.

The fire department was called out Saturday afternoon for storm watch. We only got some rain and strong

winds here. McLean and Kellerville both had some wind damage.

Thursday, Lorene Rector and Melba Corcoran went to Pampa shopping and Melba got her lab work done at the hospital.

Last weekend Leola Stuart and Peggy Dunn went to Lawton to visit with Ronnie and Tanya Stuart and Todd. Leola, Peggy and Tanya drove to Flower Mound to attend the bridal shower for Deanna Pidcock bride elect of Chad Stuart.

Dale and Melba Corcoran shopped in Elk City, OK Tuesday.

Last weekend Gladys Richardson stayed with Eddie and Amy Richardson in Wheeler. She also visited with Jerry and Cheryl Richardson, Katie and Tyler in Wheeler.

Dale and Melba Corcoran visited Monday with Norman and Vercie Dysart in Amarillo. They picked up some cotton scales that belonged to Johnny Long. Uncle Johnny gave them to C. A. Dysart. They also got some of Vercie's new book Hides, Horns, and Hopes Creation of the American West. The books are on sale at the Museum.

Sunday visiting with Leola Stuart and Gladys Richardson were Jerry and Cheryl Richardson, Tyler and Katie, and Eddie and Amy Richardson all of Wheeler, Ivy Richardson, Marsha Richardson and William all of Erick, OK.

Doug and Aline Corse went to Amarillo Saturday and got their flu shots at the VA.

Jack and Bernice Hefley went to Amarillo Saturday and got their flu shots at the VA.

Justin and Tamara Hefley spent the weekend in Oklahoma with their father Mark Hefley.

Clint and Maurita Stribling went to Amarillo Saturday to hear Brittany Brown sing in the choir at the Civil Center. She was in the honor choir that performed.

Orval and Rosa Brewer of Pampa visited Wednesday with Doyle and Bulah Grimes.

Dale and Melba Corcoran visited Sunday night with Don and Willene

Burke.

Gary Grimes of Amarillo visited Saturday with Doyle and Bulah Grimes.

Visiting Sunday night and Monday with Doyle and Bulah Grimes were Auden and Derena Aranda, Rami and Auden of Elkhart, Kansas. They bought Doyle's calves and came and picked them up.

Marie Gudgel and Gary Jahnel ate dinner Sunday with Clint and Maurita Stribling.

Wayne Stribling is finishing up his last chemo treatment. He goes back to Houston on November 9 to see what the medication has done. Remember him in his prayers.

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Pioneers Feled At Celebration

1939 Report of 50th Anniv. of Ft. Elliott

Pioneers Feled At Celebration Crowd of 4,000 at Mobeetie Today for Anniversary of Founding of Fort Elliott.

This story transmitted through the courtesy of W. T. Beck of the Mobeetie Telephone exchange. By a staff correspondent.

Mobeetie June 18-Probably the greatest gathering of old-timers and pioneers known to the Panhandle of Texas assembled here today to pay tribute to the pioneers who blazed this trail, making possible a fertile land of plenty where once was desert and desolation. Today is the fiftieth anniversary of the founding of Fort Elliott. Nearly 4,000 persons are gathered here for the celebration.

Opening last night with the Old Fiddlers' contest, which was won by Shorty Loter of Mobeetie, the festivities were in full swing today. Barbecue, a baseball game between Pampa and Wheeler, a rodeo, a dance, tonight and dozens of other features are on the program.

The speaking program opened this morning when F. P. Reed of Pampa introduced Henry Ansley of the Globe, who presided. A. B. Stinett of Amarillo paid tribute to Temple Houston, Woodburn, Browning, Willis, Miller and other old timers who made possible the settling up of the Panhandle country. He brought greetings from Amarillo, the board of City Development and the Tri-State Fair associations in particular.

Mrs. T. V. Reeves of Canyon, secretary of the Panhandle-Plains Historical Society, and J. A. Hill, President of the West Texas State Teach-

ers College told of the work of this society and of the college.

W. A. Palmer of Amarillo outlined the development of the Panhandle in the last half-century. Mrs. Olive K. Dixon of Miami, widow of the famous scout and soldier, told of the Battle of Buffalo Wallow, the anniversary of which will be celebrated September 11 and 12.

All the old timers who have lived in the Panhandle for the last forty years were asked to stand and were introduced. Among them were Johnny Long, Richard Buffell, who drove a bull team from Leavenworth, Kansas to Salt Lake City across the Panhandle years ago. Ben Baird, Jeff Wynn, W. B. (Skilley Bill) Johnson, Mrs. Kohny, Will Carter, G. M. Black, J. H. Ficke, D. C. Davis, H. B. Stiller, Vas Stickley, Wilson Harrah, Jim Stroope, L. D. Miller, Aleck Melton, R. T. Alexander, Frank Young, J. M. Oakes, B. R. Lee and Ben Masterson, Jr.

Led by Mr. Ansley, the crowd rose and pledged themselves to carry on the great work of development and empire building begun by these and other pioneers in the Panhandle. The Fort Elliott Highway association is meeting this afternoon at Mobeetie and the Panhandle-Plains Historical Society will meet this evening.

He who never made a mistake, never made a discovery.
—Samuel Smiles

Spiders feel, hear and smell with their legs.

Wheeler Church of Christ

Congregational Concerns:

The fellowship luncheon that was scheduled to be held on this coming Sunday, November 5th, has been postponed until Sunday morning, November 19th.

On this coming Monday night, November 6th, at 6:00 p.m., the ladies of this congregation will host a "ladies night-out" at Mels Diner.

The fall lectureship of this congregation is scheduled for Saturday night, November 18th, and Sunday, November 19th. The speaker for this lectureship will be Dale Randolph, the director of the World Bible Translation Center in Fort Worth.

This congregation has received a thank-you note from the Children's Home of Lubbock and it expressed appreciation for the contribution that this congregation made for their purchase of new beds. This thank-you note is posted on the bulletin board in the lobby.

The latest mission report from India is posted on the bulletin board in the lobby. This mission report was prepared by Ron Clayton, a former minister of this congregation.

Preston Paschel, the brother-in-law of Mike Little, had surgery last week in Amarillo. However, he has been released from the hospital.

Esther Forrester, the mother of Ed Forrester, has been released from the hospital in Amarillo. She is now recovering at her home from her recent surgery.

Mary Ray, the grandmother of Elissa Ray, is seriously ill. Don Edwards has a doctor's appointment in Wichita Falls this week to get more information about a treatment for his back.

Rip Turnbough, the father of Melanie Reed, had surgery last week in San Angelo. His condition is serious.

Joyce Perkins had day surgery last Monday in Amarillo. She is now recovering at her home.

From The Minister's Desk:

Charles Spurgeon, the famous English minister, once saw a weather vane on a farmer's barn that bore the phrase, "God Is Love". Spurgeon then ask the farmer: "Do you think God's love is as changeable as that weather vane." The reply of the farmer was: "Sir, you have missed the point. It does not matter which way the wind blows, God is still love."

The Apostle Paul would undoubtedly agree with this farmer. He

wrote: "For I am convinced that neither death nor life nor angels, nor principalities, nor things present, nor things to come, nor powers, nor height, nor depth, nor any other created thing, shall be able to separate us from the love of God which is in Christ Jesus our Lord." (Romans 8:38-39)

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Church of Christ
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Gageby (from Page 5)

Robby Ford, and Ty.
 Saturday night was pretty stormy with very high winds and rain over a big area.
 Our electricity was off for an hour or so and TV off several hours. Nice to have it back Sunday morning. We got more blow and rumble than rain.
 Veineal and Juanita Prater went to Whitney, Texas and brought Jeanette and Morris Jahnel and Carl Lee and Desray back to their house to live with them. Morris is working for David Young. Carl Lee is enjoying being back in school at Mobeetie campus of Fort Elliott in the second grade.
 Desray was a year old in August and is walking everywhere. She has curly hair and hazel eyes. Saturday, Veineal and Juanita and Jeanette and children went to Amarillo and visited Mary Lou Carter and Dale and Debbie Stinnett and Casey and baby. They ate lunch at Furr's in Amarillo.
 Some going to Pampa Saturday to the volleyball games with River Road wife Addie Swift, Wanda Childress,

Clyde and Mary Jane Dukes, Cathy Hunt, Shelly and J. R. Gonzales and Lou Dean Douthit and Debbie Kinnaman.
 I had a request for this easy-to-make delicious
 Musketeer Bars
 1 box Sour Cream White Cake Mix
 2 eggs
 1/2 cup chopped nuts
 1/2 cup oil
 12 fun size Musketeer bars. Frozen and pounded into pieces. I use a steak tenderizer. Can't use proces-

sor or mixer.
 Mix together cake mix, eggs, nuts and oil. Stir in Musketeer pieces. Spray 9 x 13 pan and spread dough into pan. Bake 350 degrees about 15 minutes. Don't overbake or will get hard. Dough may be made and frozen until needed. Cut cookies in bars when have cooled a little. It is hard to eat just one. Can be made into drop cookies. Someone thought snickers miniatures might be good in this.
 Nice to have a call from Bertie Eudey at Palestine. All doing well. She has a pretty big position with the

prison system in Texas. Trent is a freshman and plays football on J. V. team. Travis is a 5th grader and active in many things. Steve has a business, is a deacon in their Baptist Church and takes a vital part in the boys activities.
 Sincere sympathy to family and

friends of Porter Rogers, 86, in his death. He lived in Allison most of his life.
 Good to meet Leonard and Bertha Hollis for lunch at Maxey's Thursday. The Hollises visited J. P. and Matha Meek one night. Good to see Clifford Waiser and son-in-law Earl Corse from Dumas there and visit with them.
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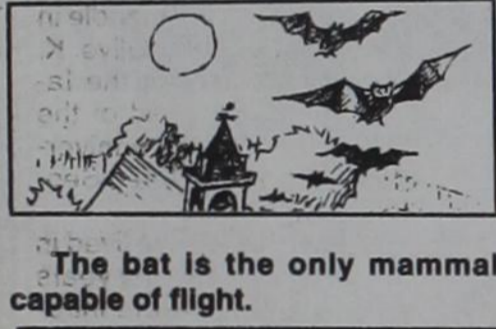
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THURSDAY
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Tex. Historical Commission Names Grantees

The Texas Historical Commission (THC) announced Round II grant recipients of the Texas Historic Courthouse Preservation Program at its quarterly meeting on October 27 in Brenham. Commissioners awarded matching grants totaling nearly \$7 million to 28 Texas counties to help preserve their historic county courthouses.

The counties to receive funds in Round II of the program are: Archer, Bee, Brooks, Cameron, Concho, Crosby, Dallas, Denton, Dimmit, Falls, Goliad, Harrison, Hood, Hudspeth, Jeff Davis, Lamar, Lavaca, Leon, Maverick, Newton, Nueces, Parker, Potter, Rains, Val Verde, Wharton, Wheeler and Williamson.

THC commission members opted to award smaller grants to more counties in order to get as many as possible started on the preservation of their historic courthouses. The grant money will go in part towards developing architectural plans for courthouse renovations with the exception of Newton County, which will use the grant to begin stabilizing and rebuilding their courthouse after a tragic fire this summer. Pending additional funding from the Texas Legislature in the upcoming session, the THC plans to continue the program with several more rounds of grant opportunities.

"We had an overwhelming response with 73 counties applying for the second round of funding," said THC Executive Director Larry Oaks. "It's inspiring to see so many communities enthusiastic about preservation. Our goal in Round II was to assist as many counties as we could with the funds that remained. Clearly the need is so great that we presently have 99 counties needing more than \$201 million for courthouse restoration projects."

Gov. George W. Bush and the Texas Legislature created the Texas Historic Courthouse Preservation Program in 1999 with an initial appropriation of \$50 million. The THC distributed \$42.4 million in matching grants to 19 counties in Round I of the program in May, and the Round II grants mark the last of the original funds.

"Preserving historic courthouses demonstrates a long-term vision on the part of a community and its elected officials," said THC Chairman John L. Nau, III. "This program represents one of the largest and most far-reaching historic preservation initiatives ever conceived by a state government. Texans can be proud of these efforts to

preserve our state's rich history, but the need is still great."

Texas courthouses have been symbols of strength, pride, progress and democracy for more than 150 years. However, many of the state's more than 220 historic courthouses are in disrepair due to insufficient funding for building care and maintenance. Their plight gained national attention in 1998 when the National Trust for Historic Preservation named Texas courthouses to its list of America's 11

Most

Endangered Historic Places. "This groundbreaking program exists because people love historic courthouses and understand the benefits of restoring them to their original grandeur," said THC Architecture Director Stan Graves. "We are excited about the overwhelming response the program received from Texans and are more convinced than ever of the importance of preserving these Texas treasures for future generations to enjoy."

Contingent on additional funding in the upcoming legislative session, the THC plans to continue the Texas Historic Courthouse Preservation Program several more rounds to assist as many historic courthouses as possible.

For more information, including the list of grant recipients and the grant amounts, please visit the THC web site at www.the.state.tx.us.

The Texas Historic Courthouse Preservation Program was established in 1999 by Gov. George W. Bush and the Texas Legislature to restore Texas' county courthouses to their original splendor and make them safe, functional and a source of pride

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My wife, Kathren, and I have resided in Wheeler County for almost seven years. We have three living children (one of whom, Bill J. Morrison, resides in Wheeler County), five grandchildren and two great-grandchildren.

I am a veteran of the Second World War, serving as a combat soldier in France, Germany and Czechoslovakia.

I am a graduate of the University of Texas Law School at Austin, Texas and became a licensed attorney, by passing the Texas Bar Examination, during the first semester of my senior year.

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Mobeetie Old Jail Museum Board Meets

The museum held their regular monthly workday Saturday. Those there were Bill Finsterwald, Dale Corcoran, Louise Hogan, Maurita Stribling and Melba Corcoran. Dale and Bill checked on outside items. Maurita Stribling put Mylar on the display cases in the ladies shop in the lodge building. This was one of the items that were on the CAP grant assessment that had to be done. Louise Hogan did some filing and typing. Melba cataloged new items.

Remember that Thursday night at 7:00 is the regular meeting.

Norman and Vercie Dysart donated the cotton scales that belonged to J. J. (Uncle Johnny) Long. Johnny had given the scales to C. A. Dysart. They would weight up to 600 pounds.

Also a new item in the store is the book by Vercie Dysart Hides, Horns, & Hopes Creation of the American West. The book is a historical book with all true facts. She has pictures of some of the first people in Mobeetie with a brief history of them. This is buffalo hunters, outlaws, soldiers and officers plus other history. The books are \$20.00.

We also will be getting in some watches with the picture of the jail on the face.

The annual appreciation banquet will be held Saturday.

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CARRIES THE BALL: Chris Gallagher, #35, has the ball and is relying on his teammates to clear the way. Josh Miller, #39, and Kelby Ledbetter, #75, are on hand to help. —Photo by Rob Schaffer

Cotton Season Is Winding Down



Steven, 11 years old, Berkley, 8 years old, Bailey, 2 years, and Taylor, 11 months old, are the children of Steve and Jean McAlpine of Mobeetie. Grandparents are Richard and Donna Dickey of Wheeler and great-grandparents are Hugh and Mae Bailey of Mobeetie.

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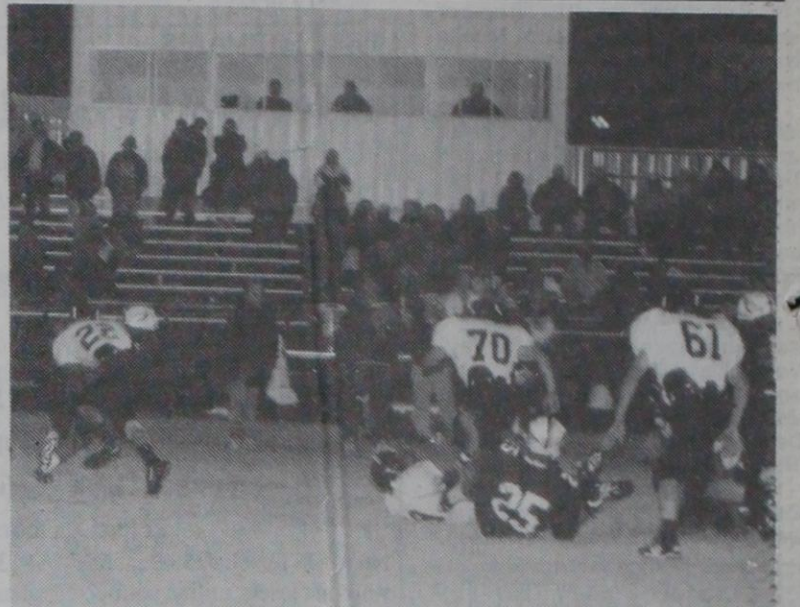
The cotton-growing season is beginning to wind down and producers should notice a decline in the amount of treatments for boll weevils. But they may also notice some fields that have been harvested are still being treated.

These treatments reflect a difference in philosophy between control and eradication, said Program Director Charles Allen of the Texas Boll Weevil Eradication Foundation.

"Pests can cause little injury to the harvestable crop at this point in the season," Allen said. "But during this time of year control efforts intensify in boll weevil eradication programs. The main difference is that the objective of a grower is to control boll weevil populations to prevent economic damage to the crop while that of the eradication program is to eliminate the pest."

The primary focus of the boll weevil during the latter part of the growing season is feeding to gain enough fat to tide it over for the winter, Allen said. Because of this weevils may still be present in defoliated or harvested fields that still have green bolls or immature squares, which are weevils' prime food sources, in them.

Foundation personnel continue to trap fields until all hostable material, plant parts that a weevil can feed on, has been eliminated from those fields, Allen said.

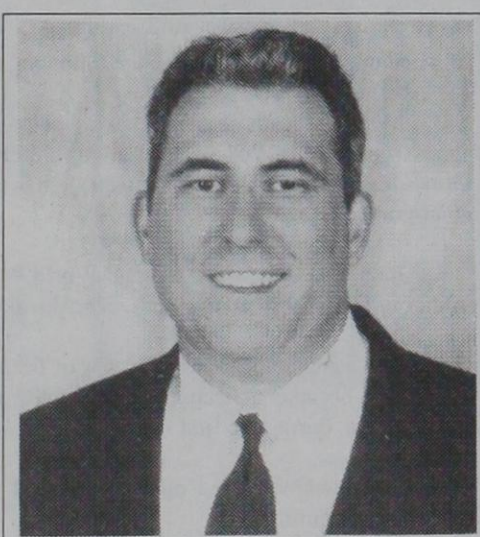


A LOSS: Brenton Goerend, #22, tackles a Booker Kiowa for a loss. Blaine Rutherford, #70, and Trenton Gaines, #61, want to be in on the play. —Photo by Rob Schaffer



WINNERS OF SAMNORWOOD COSTUME CONTEST AT FALL FESTIVAL: Skylar and Payton Freeman of White Deer won 1st place honors in the costume contest at the Samnorwood Fall Festival Saturday, October 21, 2000. The costumes of Payton was a Holstein Milk Cow and Skylar was a pretty little milk maid with milk pail which was inscribed "GOT MILK?" The parents of Skylar and Payton are Johnny and Mona Freeman of White Deer, grandparents are Larry and Bobby Jennings of Wheeler, great-grandparents are Bill and Dorothy Ellis of Wheeler, and Dwayne and Rhonda Myers of Samnorwood are the uncle and aunt.

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