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### HAMBER BANQUET IS TUESDAY EVENING biggest fans. He owns sev-**KENNETH WYATT TO** eral of Wyatt's paintings. Two of Wyatt's paintings hang in the office of the First **ADDRESS GROUP** National Bank.

The Wheeler Chamber of Commerce will hold their annual Installation Banquet Tuesday, February 27 in the school cafeteria. Speaker is serving on the board of for the evening will be Kenneth Wyatt, noted area artist and speaker.

The 1973 Chamber of Commerce offic as and directors will be installed. Kent Sims, local attorney will be installed as Chamber President.

Two vice-presidents will be inducted into office; they are Charlie Wagner and Delbert Thomas, first and second vice-president respectively.

M. Kent Sims, Wheeler attorney was elected to serve the organization as president. Elected to serve in the position of first and second vice-president were Charlie Wagner and Delbert Thomas respectively.

Sims opened his law office in Wheeler in June of 1972 and is presently serving as the City Attorney. Sims is a life long resident of Wheeler having graduated from Wheeler High School and completing his education at Texas Tech. In addition to his Law Degree, Sims also holds a degree in Engineer-

He is a member of the Wheeler Kiwanis Club and

increase in telephone rates for in Wheeler.

In the meeting with the

was offered a 14% increase in

Council in January, General

overall service revenue. The

company requested an in-

28% increase in revenue.

crease which would mean a

Monday evening, the coun-

cil was informed of General's

offer to settle for a 20% in-

crease. Of this amount, only

a 10% increase would be rea-

lized by the company; approx-

imately 50% of any increase

After much discussion on

the needed improvements in

service, the council voted to

retain the offer made in Jan-

uary. The telephone company

did not agree to the increase.

Wheeler Wednesday in an ef-

fort to correct the difficulty

in completing long distance

observing all calls out of

General Telephone began

will go for taxes.

months. Since moving to Wheeler Wagner has become active in the Chamber and the local Kiwanis Club. He directors of both organizations.

Delbert Thomas is assistant of the Production Credit Office in Wheeler. In addition to being a member and officer-elect of the Chamber Thomas is First Vice President of the Lions Club and a member of the board of directors for the Wheeler Riding Club. Thomas is a qualified basketball and

foodball official. Kenneth Wyatt, known for his speaking ability and western art is to be the speaker at the Chamber of Commerce Installation Banquet slated for Tuesday, February 27 at the School Cafeteria.

Wyatt lives with his wife, Veda and children at Tulia where he is evangelist for the United Methodist Church. A member of the Knife and Fork Club, Wyatt is an outstanding humorist and speaker on Christian principles and is in wide demand by clubs and young people's organizations. He accepts a limited number of speaking dates.

childhood, he has recently turned to Western scenes.

Recognition will be given outstanding citizens of Wheeler. Plaques will be presented the outstanding man, woman, teenager and farmer and/or rancher.

Officers retiring from office are Charlie Brown, president, and Louis Stas, Vice president.

Kent Sims and Delbert were placed on the board of directors to replace retiring directors, John C. Vi se and Tom Puryear.

## **Rites Are Read** For Bob Ramsey

Final rites for Robert L. Ramsey, a Wheeler County resident since 1920 were held at 3 p.m. Sunday in the Wheeler Church of Christ with Marlon McWilliams, minister, officiating. Burial was in the Wheeler Cemetery by Richerson Funeral Home of Shamrock. Mr. Ramsey died Thursday in veterans Administration Hosp. tal in Fayetteville, Arkansas. He moved to Wheeler from

Mangum, Okla. He was a member of the church of Christ and a veteran of World War 1.

Serving as pall bearers With an interest in art since for the funeral were Bill Owen, Vernon Sivage, Tom Helton, Levi Reid, Milton



Lou Montgomery Martha Gunter

Steve Alexander Lee Ann Coates

## Wheeler Band Students In All-Region Band The All-Region Band of

ability and time to play in class A & AA performed their the All-Region Band. Martha 1972-73 concert in Dalhart Gunter (Sophomore) received on Jan. 13, 1973. The All-3rd chair clarinet out of a field of 18 clarinets that Region Band is made up of are in the All-Region Band.

The Wheeler Rodeo Arena Following is a list of

eve Corse, Lix Ann Allen, David Wright and Shannon

**Vh**eeler Co. 4-H

Calf Show

#### DBEETIE STUDENTS TO SHOW CALVES: These Mob-C of C Banquet stie students will be showing calves in the County Calf tow at the Wheeler Rodeo Arena Friday, Feb. 23 at 1:00 **Tickets on Sale** I m. Pictures front row (l. to r.) are Cendie Shelton, Gail odges, Bettye Seitz (FFA Sweetheart), Kim Hathaway, and Corse and Dean Hathaway. In the back row are

Tickets to the annual Chamber of Commerce Installation Banquet are on sale at the First National Bank, John C. Vise Agency, Pritchard's Thriftway and The Wheeler Times. The sale of advance tickets will make possible an estimate of the number of people to expect at the banquet.

In anticipation of an entertaining evening, ticket sales are progressing. If

February 19, for a further dis-

3 Wheeler Co. Calf Show day, Feb. 23rd. Twenty five 4-H & FFA nbers from Wheeler Co. compete in the judging. n Reeves, County Extenn Agent from Collings. rth County, will be the icial show judge. Weighing of the calves is slated begin at 9:00 a.m. Judgwill get underway at

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The Wheeler County Farm eau will present ribbons, ettes and trophies to iners including the Show nship and Champion Pen Three awards.

ose entered in the Calf Show: Mobeetie 4-H - Zana Corse, Leslie Harrison, Steve Corse, Shannon Batton, Cendie Shelton, Kimberly Hathaway, Dean Hathaway, Gail Hodges; Kelton 4-H -Janice Lister and Jerry

you have not been contacted for a ticket, you are asked to contact any of the above members. Tickets to the banquet are \$3.50 each.

Palmer: Shamrock 4-H - Craig Brooks and David White; Mobeetie FFA - Liz Ann Allen and David Wright; Allison 4-H - Andy Reed Miller and Donna Miller;

Weaver.

Robert Wills and Tommy

**Counter Proposal to Council** and Sherlyn Reed; Allison FFA - Steve Dollar, Clifton Representatives of General cussion on the requested rate calls experienced by many Shamrock FFA - Junior Telephone Co. met with the Davenport and Wheeler FFA-Wheeler City Council Monday,

a member of the First Methodist Church.

Charlie Wagner is the manager of Pritchard's Thriftway and has been a resident of Wheeler for 17

Wheeler.

is familiar with western scenes, having been reared on his father's spread at Stephensville, Texas.

Festus, Ken Curtis, of Gunsmoke fame is one of Wyatt's

Second street in front of

the school is still a problem

for the city. The street was

marked as a one-way and the

wrong way. The council

on Canadian street which

would not be too easily re-

agreed to construct a marker

drivers continue to travel the

Finsterwald and Farmer Hefley.

Survivors include his wife, Bernice; a daughter. Mrs. Jim Britting of Amarillo; two sons, Ralph L. of Prairie Grove, Ark. and Doyle General Telephone Presents Ramsey of Wheeler; a sister Miss Bessie Ramsey of Wheeler; a sister Miss Bessie Ramsey of Wheeler and a brother, Fred

Band was very fortunate to N. of Dallas.

HIGH SCHOOL BAND

## **Concert Season Near**

Alto Sax, Steve Alexander -The Wheeler High School French Horn, Kevin Rarden-Band starts their Concert Bassoon, Frank Coates -Contest Season this coming Comet and Gary Ware -Tuesday, Feb. 27, at Elk Clarinet. Ensembles: City. The next contest is Woodwind Trip: Lee Ann at Borger, March 23rd. Then Coates - Flute, Joanie Leeit is U.I.L. Contest the 11th Flute and Martha Gunter of April at Panhan dle. Our Clarinet. Woodwind tri k last contest is the Greater Lou Montgomery ; Flute, Southwest Music Festival at Amarillo the 3, 4 and 5th Marilyn Moore "Oboe and of May. These four contests are the same four contests that the band goes to every year at this time that are CONT. ON PAGE 5 offered in this area.

This year the band will have 6 soloist and 3 woodwind ensembles going to U.I.L. contest the 3rd of March. These students are: Solos: Lee Ann Coates flute, Freddy Velasquez -

the best band students in this A-1 Region. Try-outs for this honor band are held the first Saturday of Dec. of every year and then the members are chosen for the received 12th chair cornet All-Region Band which performs the second Saturday of January of every year. The Wheeler High School

received alternate in the flute section. These four students tried-out against 30 to 40 students of other have four students with the bands in this region to rec-

eive these chairs. So congratulations are in order for these four Wheeler Band students.

Lee Ann Coates (Sophomore)

received 5th chair flute out

of a field of 10 flute players.

Steve Alexander (Freshman)

out of a field of 12 players.

Lou Montgomery (Sophomore)

## **Cost of Haircuts** To Be Raised

Reid's Barber Shop and Fred Wood's Barber Shop announced this week an increase in the cost of hair cuts for the men of Wheeler.

Beginning March 1, hair-Dolores Patterson - Clarinet, cuts will be \$2.00. For ap-We have had many changes proximately the past five and loses to the band due to years, the cost has been \$1.75.

WHEELER IIIGH BAND AT WORK: The members of the Wheeler High School are shown hard at work getting ready for their contests. Contest season begins this Tuesday, Feb. 27 at Elk City. Then on March 23 they travel to Borger and on April, UIL contests at Panhandle. On May 3.4. and 5 they will compete in the Greater Southwest Music Festival in the Civic Center in Amarillo.



moved. Bids are to be obtained on the cleaning of the sewer plant and the seal coating of the streets. Bills for the month were reviewed and paid by the council. **Hospital Notes** Admissions 1-5 Florence Dodd Ira Passons

2-5 2-7 Wilma Risner 2-11 Leota Wiley 2-14 Roy Hunt 2-15 Dixie Chick

Louise Corcoran 2-17 Billy Finsterwald

2-19 Shirley Ivey 2-20 Glen George

Thurman Rives

- 2-15 Preston Glazner Frank Chandler Leon Green Nell Light 2-16 James Lister
- Dixie Chick 2.17 Golda Mcllhany Vera Moore
- 2-18 Louise Corcoran
- 2-19 Sue Guynes
- 2-10 Becky Grimes
- 2-21 Louis Rogers

Darville Atherton of celer, center with his receives a framed rtificate naming him Out-Inding Comeback Farmer the Texas Bankers Asciation. The Athertons flanked by Leon Stone Austin State Bank, left, ociation president, and on Thompson, Citizens tional Bank, Waco,

on of the TBA Agriand Rural Affairs

A THERTON HONORED BY BANKERS Farm and Ranch Credit School for Commercial Bankers Feb. 12-14 at Texas A & M University. Today, he farms and ranches

will be held March 2 at 1:00 p.m. in the school ction. The ceremony was bus barn.

## held during the 21st annual Atherton was cited for his scratch start 23 years ago.

on 1,400 acres. MOBEETIE PIG SHOW The Mobeetie Pig Show

## **Senior Auction** To be March 1

The Senior Class is sponsoring an auction Thursday, March 1, 1973 at 7:00 p.m. in the American Legion Building. We would appreciate any type of items that you would like to donate to the Senior Class. If you have any items please contact any of the senior stuseal-coated and upgrading dents or call 826-5790 or of performance of the waste 826-5853. disposal plant.

**Revenue Sharing Check Received** The City of Wheeler has received the second Revenue Sharing check for the year

of 1972. This check was for \$4,389.00 bringing the total amount of Revenue Sharing to \$8,962.00. The Council has earmarked part of this money for the purpose of improving some of the City's sewer lines. Work is almost completed on improving a section on North Alan L. Bean Blvd. Also the Council is studying plans to have part of our recent paving

Vera Moore Zack Miller

2-18 Kelley Aderholt

Graig Christner

DISMISSALS

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### BY: Melba Burch

Mrs. Robert Leonard and Mr. and Mrs. Chunky Leonard visited this past week with Master Sgt. and Mrs. Ted Leonard and family at Shepherd Air Force Base. They also visited Tassie's sisters, Mrs. Doshia Dix in Wellington and Mrs. Ether Guinn in Waurika, Okla.

Several attended the house warming Saturday night in Miami for Mr. and Mrs. Wylie Bailey and family

Mr. and Mrs. Dale Richardson, Ginger and David of Pampa visited Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Calvin Stuart, Randy and Dennis.

Mr. and Mrs. Ronnie Stuart of Sayre, Okla. visited Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Calvin Stuart, Randy and Dennis, Mrs. Thelma Dunn, Mr. and Mrs. Tinc : Williams and George B. and Bo Dunn.

Saint Jo following a long illness. Dean and Berinda Lax of Mrs. Kay Batton and Mrs. Lela visited Sunday with Mr. Aline Corse shopped Thurs. and Mrs. Calvin Stuart, Randy in Pampa.

Mrs. Eula Johnson.

Jana and Bryan.

night for dinner.

ston.

**Court Records** 

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Mr. and Mrs. Jess Patter-

Mr. and Mrs. Shorty Scott

visited last week in Pampa

with Mr. and Mrs. Roy John.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Hath-

away and family and Mr. and

went to Amarillo Tuesday

son and Mrs. Bonnie Hogan

visited in Pampa with Mr.

and Mrs. LaWayne Hogan,

and Dennis. We were glad to have Mrs. Audrey Alexander of Clarence Dyson dismissed White Deer had lunch with Wed. from Highland General her mother, Mrs. Mary Brewer Hospital. on Monday. Bernice Hooker was dis-

Mr. and Mrs. Cary Jack missed from Parkview Hos-Johnson, Jack and Jessia of pital Monday. Glad she is Dumas visited over the home. weekend with his mother,

Doyle Adcock entered Parkview Hospital Tuesday. He was dismissed Wednes. day. Glad he is home. Mrs. Louise Corcoran entered Parkview Hospital Thursday. Hope she is soon

Our sympathy goes to Mr.

and Mrs. Bob Galm e on the death of Bob's mother. She

passed away Wednesday in

able to be home. Melba Burch visited Friday with Mrs. Betty Cox of Pampa. Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Rector, Lynn, Stephen and Amy of Mrs. Calvin Stuart and family Amarillo visited Saturday with C.W. and William Burch

Melody Burch visited Sat-Pampa with Mr. and Mrs. D. Sackett. Mr. and Mrs. J.B. Rector isited Sunday in Lefors with Mr. and Mrs. Butch

Montoguy. Our sympathy goes out to Mr. and Mrs. Melvin May

and family on the death of Helen's cousin in Vernon. Mr. and Mrs. C.W. Burch, Melody and William visited Sunday in Pampa with Mr. and Mrs. J.D. Sackett. They also visited in Highland General Hospital with Mrs.

Edna Bryant of Amarillo. Laura Fern Selby was dismissed Sunday from Highland General Hospital. Gald

she is home. Our sympathy goes out to the family and friends of Mrs. Sarah Reynolds. She

> passed away Sunday in Pampa Nursing Center where she had lived for five years. Mrs. Arlie Jeffus and Mrs. Mike Hill visited in Amarillo Wed. with Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Anderson and Mrs. Ona

Mrs. Mattie Williams of Amarillo visited Wed. and hurs. with Mr. and Mrs. Pierce Walker.

suffered a heart attack recently. The Reeds are at Annette G Bell Dodge 2-12-73 Goodlett, Texas.

well visited Sunday in Miami

# Here and There SAFETY DEVICE FOR DRILLING RIC PATENTED, 2 BUILT IN WHEELER

Albert "Bert" Childress has ing out the details for a spent much of his spare time for the past 18 months work-

## **Historical Society** To Meet Mar. The Wheeler County His-

torical Society will meet March 1st at 7:00 p.m. in the Commissioner's Court Room.

The members of the Shamrock Baptist Church will give a brief history of their church.

They will meet in Shamrock at 701 S. Wall St. for their April 5th meeting.

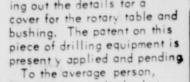
fing shimmering bows into a net pillow and being delighted that their fledglings were being so well taken care of. No doubt that

finding a place for everything in the new nest is lasting well into this week. The hostesses for this occasion were Mesdames W.D. Mitchell, Pete Burton, Fred Wood, Harvey Davis, Charles Brown, Jim Porter, Harrison Hall, Madge Porter, R.J. Holt, Jr., J.T. Johnson, Ebb Farmer and Wayne Hogue. Mr. and Mrs. Adrian Risner spent the weekend with her sister, the Grady Ackers at

Stamford. Mr. and Mrs. Ronnie Watts and children of Sunray spent Sunday night with her sister, the Corky Guthries. Mr. and Mrs. Larry Tracy

have had as their guest for several days, his mother from Woodward, Okla.

Mitchell home last week when Another pair of newly weds could be seen around Wheeler last Wednesday and Thursday. Mr. and Mrs. bride was agog with a deluge Frank Walker, Sr. were in town getting things in housekeeping. The honorees' order. Mr. Walker and his new bride, Mary, were married Feb. 10th in Amarillo.



this means very little, but to the roughneck in the oil field or any other person working on the platform of a drilling rig, it could mean his life.

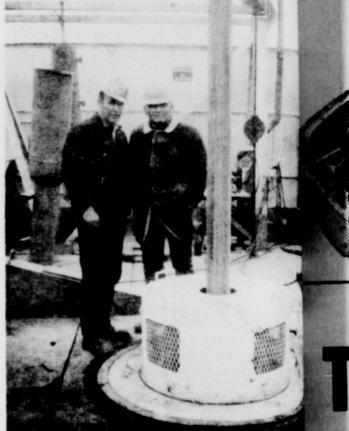
Bert, who has spent thirty years of his life in the oil field well knows the dan. gers involved when working around the rotary table and bushing. The table is constantly turning; should a cable, chain or water hose on the deck get caught in the bushing, it would mangle or kill anyone unfortunate enough to be standing in the way. If the rig is shut down quick enough, the victim may just be mangled. Realizing the need for a cover, Childress devised a method of covering the bushing and table. He then preceded to check to see if a similar piece of equipment had ever been built; discovering his was the first, Johnson began preceding to patent his invention. The first rotary table cover was put to use on the Helmoric Payne Rig No. 43 in

June 1972 another is on Parker Rig No. 112 which is presently locaeed southeast of Sweetwater. Parker Drilling Co. had realized the need for a cover, but had not figured out a method which would work. The price is reasonable compared to other equipment needed to drill a well. A small cover will sell for \$500 and the large unit will cost \$750. Childress was working the Reid well northeast of Wheeler as a tool pusher at the time the patent was applied. He has drilled three wells in Wheeler County --- the Reid, the Carwile and the Lee. His home address is 701 N.

Anita, Oklahoma City. Two of the units were built in Wheeler. A&K Welding has built two of the Rotary Table covers. Most needed in the construction of the equipment is the ability to



UNCOVERED: The rotary table and bushing area here as they appear on the floor of most rigs. T table rotates constantly while the well is being drilled and it is very easy for a rope, chain or he aet caught in the bushing. This picture was take Allison on the Elmore No. 1' Parker R.g No. 71 is drilling the well for Kerr McGee.



ROTARY TABLE COVER IN PLACE: Albert Chie right is shown here with Bob Wenniger, evening to driller on the Parker Rig 112 near Sweetwater. cover in place, there is no moving parts exposed of than the drill stem, thus eliminating most of the b

The above article ran in has been made and to the "Times" last week with "Times" offers its a the last name of the inventor gies. ncorrect The correcti

AFF -- Tom Montgomery et a IST OF INSTRUMENTS to James Ray Braxton et FILED IN THE OFFICE OF THE COUNTY CLERK AND DISTRICT CLERK TEXAS FROM FEB. 12 THROUGH FEB, 16, 1973

February 12, 1973

MD--Cleo Vance Phillips Trust to Trigger Vance Phillips 11-10-72 1/16 int E12 66 A.5 MD--Darleen Vance Vanderburg Trust to Darleen Vance Vanderburg 11.10.72 same as above AFF--Madeline Williams et al to Abby W Williams 11-15-

OL--Florence Davis Bryant to Freeport Oil Co 1-23-73 SE' Sec 58 Blk A-7 RATIF OL -- Robert P Rowley Revocable Trust to Pennzoil Co 2-6-73 Sec 94 Blk 13 D-George Wesley Johnson

et ux to Dayle Leon Johnson et al 2-8-73 Lot 17 Blk 17 New Mobeetie

DT ... C L. Moore to Harold ash et ux 2-7-73 Lots 19, 20, 21 Blk 20 Wheeler D-James M Phillips et ux to W W Sandifer et ux 1-26-73 100' x 165' SE 4 60

ux 2.13.73 SE' Sec 70 Blk 17 D .- Veterans Land Bd of Tex. to James Ray Braxton 1-29-73 SE14 Sec 70 Blk 17 D--Veta Craig et al to W V Lister et ux 12-22-72 Surface E 210 ac S<sup>1</sup><sub>2</sub> Sec 2 BBB & CRRC February 16, 1973

ROW--Eura Mae Reid et vir

to El Paso Natural Gas Co

2-5-74 NE 49 BIK RE

D .- Clarence Robison to

homas J Davis et ux

Marriage License Issued

Richard Reid Dodge and

Runvon E Tollison and

Velma Mae Schumm 2-12-73

Johnny Lee Estrada and

AOL ... Forest Oil Corp to Estate of Ralph Lowe et al

2-1-73 NW 4 & Pt 5 2 12 MD--Joe W Hayes to Basin Royalty Co 2-6-73 25 ac int Sec 31 Blk RE ROL .. Amoco Production Co

to A L Jones et al 2-5-73 NE 4 21 A-7 & S 2 N 2 7 TDT -- Herbert Stitt to Federal Land Bk of Houston 2-13-73 SE14 Sec 33 Blk 13

Pugh

Word has been received 12-27-72 W 2 6 Blk 38 Wheeler that Rev. D.C. Reed had

> Mr. and Mrs. Austin Caldwith Mr. and Mrs. Earl

3Y: Laura Guthrie Frankie Rogers, son of Mr. and Mrs. L.W. Rogers has recently returned from a six-week vacation in Scotland, England, and France.

While in Alness, Scotland,

he visited with his fiance,

Kathy Cannon who is with

She is a student at Texas

Tech at Lubbock and will

Frankie's trip was a grad-

uation gift from his parents.

He enjoyed the experience

trip he visited with Kathy's

a few hours. Frankie is now

Something that we mised

last week was a note that

about the 10th, 1 think it

was, the above mentioned

couple, with Mr. and Mrs.

W.D. Mitchell motored to

Pampa and had dinner to

celebrate the twenty-first

a short visit with our old

friends, Gleen and Thelma

Hibbits on Sunday afternoon.

These good people were our

very reliable help back in

the days when movie busi-

Lavell Stephens and Janis

Bridal showers are delight.

ness was good. They now

live in Arlington, Tex.

and Darrell Marr visited

end.

with the girls parents, Ollie

and Marl Jaco on the week-

ful things. We love the at-

mosphere of gracious hos-

tesses, candlelight, lovely

table settings, frothy punch

and dainty cakes. Such was

the conditions at the W.D.

the newly weds, Bobby and

Sue Fischer Vanpool were

honored. The lovely little

of things for setting up

mothers were busy helping

with the unwrapping, stuf-

Pete and Gay.

anniversary. Congratulations,

We were delighted to have

Fred Wood and Mr. and Mrs.

Pete and Gay Burton had a

wedding anniversary. Along

father in New York City for

employed in Dallas.

but is glad to be back in

the U.S.A. On the return

return there in April.

her parents for a few months.

MD -- Commonswealth Trust Co to Underwriters Group Diversified Roy Tr 1-4-60 (No land quoted) ROW--Robert D Holdeman to El Paso Natural Gas Co 1-25-73 SE 4 Sec 20 Blk RE February 13, 1973 MD--Ural S Reames to Joe W Hayes 2-7-73 32 ac int El Sec 31 Blk RE D--Flora Lee Fields to Wallace Fields et ux 2-2-73 W12 48, SE14 & NE 140 ac 47, Pt E12 32, Pt 33, Pt W12 32 SW14 47 Blk 23 exc DT -- Wallace Fields et ux to Flora Lee Fields 2-12-73 W1/2

48, SE14 & Pt SW1/4 47, Pt 32. Pt 33. Blk 23 February 14, 1973 RDT--First National Bank in Wheeler to Harold Nash et al 2-14-73 Lots 19, 20 21 Blk 20 Wheeler DT -- William P Aycock to First Natl Bk of Midland 2-1-73 W1/2 Sec 51 Blk A-7 AOL -- George W Arrington to Getty Oil Co 7-31-72 Pt S1/2 14 Blk L; Pt E1/2 2 J Poitevent Survey AOL--Anadarko Production

Company to Texas City Refining, Inc 1-12-73 N1/2 & SE14 13, 15, 16 Blk 27, W12 36, 38, 44, 37 Blk A-8; 60, 61 Blk 24 February 15, 1973



Breeding. Mary Anita Haines 2-14-73 Charles R Deela and Va Linda Henryetta Neeley 2.15-73 Kenneth Ray Lovell and Rebecca Louise Duncan

Briscoe. . .

2-16-73

Mrs. Ronnie Gatlin and boys from Buna Vista visited over the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. O.L. Hudson and Mr. and Mrs. L.J. Hudson, Mr. and Mrs. L.J. Hudson ate dinner with the Oden Hudsons Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Dan Trimble and Larry of Miami, Mr. and Mrs. Richard Meadows, Ben and Leslie and Mr. and Mrs. Brady Meadows, Robert and Steven visited the B.F. Meadows, Jr. Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. B.F. Mea-

dows, Jr. and John visited the Richard Meadows family Saturday night and had supper John Meadows from Can-

yon visited his parents over the weekend.

> FARM or GRASS LAND Need Listings -John C. Vise Agency Phone: 826-5576 or 5577 117 W. Texas Wheeler, Texas

Mr. and Mrs. Herk Atkins visited Sunday in Amarillo with Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Atkins and family. Loretta was dismissed Monday from the hospital.

MOBEETIE PTA MEETS The Mobeetie PTA held their regular meeting Feb. 19 in the Mobeetie Gym. President Allen Hale was in

charge of the meeting. The program was the Coronation. The King and Queen crowned were Debbie May and Kent Wallis, Senior representatives. Prince and Princess were Shanon Batton and Gordon Laverty, 4th grade representatives. Crown bearers were Doyle Adcock and Wade Hathaway. Train Carriers were Jana Corse and Pam Dyson; flower girls were Anne Wright and Melissa Swain. Those representing the 1st grade were Jamee Batton and Dennis

Stuart - 2nd Grade was Gayle Damell and Ray Estes - 3rd grade were Connie Walser and Jimmy Tate - 5th grade was Sheryl Estes and Dennis Howard - 6th grade representatives were Dennis Hilburn and Kelley Howard - 7th grade was Zana Corse and Kelley Mickey - 8th grade was Cendie Shelton and Ronald Wayne Gudgel - 9th grade was Dianna Hilburn and Doug Hackett - 10th grade was Liz Ann Allen and Steve

Corse and 11th grade was Becky McCurley and Kent Sims. Piano player was Kay Ridgeway and Announcer was Gary May. Roy Lynn Stribling and David Seitz

served as stage helpers. Following the Coronation, the PTA held a bake sale. The PTA recognized Phil Corcoran with a small gift for his 10 year Service as custodian for Mobeetie School. Phil retired this month

MOBEETIE 4-H NEWS The Mobeetie 4-H met Feb. 15 in the school house. We discussed our stock show which is to be Feb. 22 beginning at 1:00 p.m. There will be a bake sale at both the stock shows. The Mob-

## Mr. and Mrs. Bobby Vanpool **Price-Vanpool Wedding Vows Exchanged Friday**

satin ribbon.

her father.

man

The bride was attired in

a blue street length dress,

carried a bridal bouquet of

Mrs. Norma Keelin was

mums decorated with blue.

Following the ceremony

bridal party and members

of the immediate family.

sided over by Mrs. Larry

both of Amarillo.

The bridal table was pre-

a nosegay of tiny white

tiny white nums atop a

On Friday evening, Feb-ruary 9 at 7:30 Sue Price performed the double ring ceremony in front of the fireplace which was centered and Bobby Vanpool were united in marriage in the with a bouquet of white home of the bride's parents, chrysanthemums and flanked Mr. and Mrs. J.U. Fischer. on each side with white Bro. Keith McCormick candleabra decorated with bows and streamers of blue

eetie pig show will be March 2. Both shows will be at the bus barn. Mobeetie has 35 hogs and seven calves. Those who will be showing calves are Zana Corse-Hereford, Kim Hathaway-Hereford, Shannon Batton-Hereford, Dean Hathaway-Hereford, Gail Hodges-Angus, Cendie Shelton-Hereford, Leslie Harrison-Hereford. There will be an entry fee for the show. Calves \$1.00 and pigs 50c. The money can be turned in to Mr. Bob Miskey at Mobeetie School. The entry fee will help pay for the scales we purchased.

Kimberly Hathaway, Sec.

MT. VIEW QUILTING CLUB MEETS, FEB. 15 The Mt. View Quilting Club had its regular meeting on Feb. 15th. Lou Dick was hostess for the day and one quilt was finished for her. All enjoyed the covered dish dinner and the day of fellowship. Those present were: Lelia Roberts, Audrey

Norma Lowe, Bulah Grimes,

Myrtle Ford and Lou Dick.

Seitz, Mary Brewer, Orville Greenhouse, Lorene Rector,

### NEW UNIFORMS ARE DESIGNED FOR BROWNIE It's hard to beat the appeal combined with the blouse. of a 7 or 8-year-old girl pants, shirt, or top to get

smiling her toothiest grin-and all dressed up in her Brownie Girl Scout uniform. But the Brownie of the future will be even more appealing--in 24 different ways.

On March 3--just in time for Girl Scout Week -- the new Brownie Girl Scout uniform will be introduced, a uniform so versatile that it will allow each girl a choice of 24 different ways to wear it. Brownies will no longer look alike. They will have five separates to mix 'n match -- an A-line jumper, blouse and tie, pants, shorts, and rib-knit top, all in permanent press with soil-release finishes. With these, each girl can express her own individuality -dress the way she likes -and still be in official uniform. The jumper can

be worn alone as a dress,

any one of the 12 different effects. An optional belt increases these possible combinations to 24 different looks.

More important, the new uniform's amazing versatility makes it easily adaptable to every Brownie Girl Scout activity -- from running, jumping, exploring, camping and hiking to dressing up for church or synagogue in Girl Scout Week.

The new uniform is alive with color. Its bright tangerine knit top goes well with the brown pinpoint check of the new jumper and pants color. The tie is also in tangerine. And the perky white blouse has brown veriegated stripes of a stylized Girl Scout trefoil design.

In the early days of Scouting only size distin-

had her own brown di complete with peaked "Pixie" hat and mat bloomers. In 1933, the unifor came a brown cotton with short raglan slee and round collar, an brown woolen beret nated with the peake

In 1941, the uniform a one-piece dress of cotton chambray, an brown felt beanie was troduced.

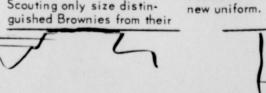
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It wasn't until 1962 last Brownie uniform that a little color was troduced. This was th dition of a tangerine d four-in-hand tie and at gerine embroidered Br emblem on the beanie. beanie is still part of





Now is the time to order trees to be set out this spring. If you plan to plant trees this spring, now is the time to be deciding what trees are needed and where to purchase them.

Trees to be planted for landscaping may be obtained at local nurseries. When purchasing trees for windbreaks or wildlife plantings

in quantity, these will need to be ordered from a nursery capable of handling large orders at a reasonable cost.

Trees should be ordered early enough to receive for planting from February thru April. More information on tree plantings contact the Soil Conservation Service office in Wheeler.

CARD OF THANKS Many thanks to all wonderful people for words of kindness, pr cards, food and flower ing the time and loss loved one.

A special thanks to the nurses at the Park Hospital and to Dr. Me May God Bless you. The Dick Guynes For

both graduates of Wheeler High School where Bobby was active in sports. The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. U. Fischer and the groom is the son of Mr. Following a wedding trip

and Mrs. A. O. Vanpool. to Dallas, the couple will make their home near Whe-

eler where the groom is employed by Natural Gas Pipeline Co. of America.



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ADDITIONAL CLASSIFIEDS ON PAGE 5

FOR SALE: Oak Firewood Phone 826-5542 For Sale:200' Pickets, high and cedar posts Hub Cole, phone 826-3271

POODLE GROOMING

JOYCE CALLAN Phone 826-5750 Wheeler, Texas

FOR SALE: Motorola Black & White TV - 23" screen-\$40. First come, First serve. 708 Alan L. Bean Blvd 4tc

WANTED: Income tax work and bookkeeping services. Farmers tax work done by the month, also business

places. Trained by Internal Revenue School in Dallas, H & R Block and Federated Tax School. Call 826-3216. Home address-101 Alan Bean Blvd. Harold & Rena Sivage 5tc

### HELP WANTED FEMALE

Give a Wig Party in your home for a \$20 00 Skin Top Wig plus \$15.00 to \$50.00 cash. Write Wig Party, 1115 - F. Rittenhouse St .-Phila., Pa. 19138 6tc FOR RENT: 2 bedroom Furnished house. Phone 826-3184 after 5:00. rtnca

ATTENTION CATTLEMEN Powder River Cattle Chutes and Calf Tables on Display and For Sals at J.W. Fields Oil Co., Shamrock, Texas.

FOR SALE: House and 4 lots across from Park. John C. Vise Agency. Phone 826-5576 jcv

Why Not let us wash your car and steam clean your motor Ve Give S&H Green Stamps We are open until 10:00 p.m. H & D MOBIL

FOR SALE: Trash Barrels. A. B. Griffin 826-5629 rt

Houses and 10 Acres Paul Topper, 826-5237

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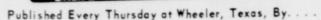
FOR SALE: Alfalfa hay stacked in the barn or outside. Also some cane hay. James Hefley, Briscoe-2tp 375-2386

NEED BABY CHICKS? WANTED . Farm employee They are as near as your for irrigation and livestock phone. Phone is toll free. operation in Pampa vicinity. 1-800-835-2147 Excellent salary to right PROTECTION HATCHERIES person. Contact Foster

#### Pratt, Kansas 67124 Whaley, Pampa, Ph. 665-2795 after 8:00 p.m. 4tc FOR SALE OR RENT: Simi-Drivers Needed Local companys need Certified 3 bedroom home, basement, Semi-Drivers. Earn \$300-\$400 on 3 lots, fruit trees, dewberries, pecan trees. See per week. No experience C.V. McCraw, Wheeler 4tc necessary, will train. For application call 317-636-2675 TRUCK DRIVERS NEEDED or write Coastway American

Large companies need cer-Systems, P.O. Box 11125 tified Semi-Drivers. Earn Indianapolis, Indiana. 46201 \$12,000 00 to \$15,000.00 per year. Rig or experience WANTED: Will sell on connot necessary - we train. signment your antiques, For application call paintings, arts and crafts. 317-635-8118 or write to See or call Ray Cole John-ATLAS SYSTEMS, P.O. son at Amarillo's Newest Box 22032 Indianapolis, Gift Shop, 3420 Western. Phone 355-2671







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County, and it's less than SY: Max Hatter, CEA 100 miles from Amarillo!" The cotton harvest remains It is true that we have devin full swing. Some cattle dloped pasture-management herds are having a rough systems that work for us. time. Looks like we'll have We now have 13 head of 350 to feed more and it'll cost 1b. heifers grazing on 10 us more than in previous acres of Elbon rye overseeded on lovegrass sod.

Well said, worth repeating! It's regrowing and looks The Grain P. roducers News recently carried an article entitled "The Neglected Opportunity". In the article a story was related concerning certain Brazilian shepherds who once organized a party to go to California to dig gold and took along a handful of translucent pebbles with which to play checkers on the voyage. After arriving in San Francisco and after they had thrown most of the pebbles away, they discovered that they were diamonds. They hastened back to Brazil, only to find that the fields from which the pebbles had been gathered had been taken up by others and sold to the government.

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The article went on to say that the majority of us have yet to learn that "our grand business is not to see what lies dimly at a distance but to do what lies clearly at hand." The Panhandle Economic Program (PEP) is planning a tour of livestock operations in East Texas. Some of the preliminary publicity indicated that an operation would be visited where the man stocked a cow to the acres. One of the county farmers who started working with us on pasture management research demonstration about six years ago, came by to comment about the proposed tour. He said, "Heck they can see that sort of



To help its employees get around the premises, a large company kept a supply of bicycles available at all times. But all the

like it'll work well in a rotational grazing sequence. In just a few years, it'll be hard for anyone in the United States to compete with us in the cattle business if we can continue to receive a fair pricd for our beef.

tour of East Texas, 1 might add the following: The tour is March 12-15, 1973. The cost is approximately \$75 and is open to all producers

On the PEP sponsored

and wives and other interested persons. Some of the tour stops will include an intensified grazing management demonstration of 30 cows on 30 acres of Coastal Bermuda grass overseeded with Gulfcoast ryegrass and Crimson clover. This is at Emory. At Mineola (Wood Co.), an intensified cowcalf demonstration of 30

livestock producers whe Page 5-THE The fact that spring is only about six weeks on

should make most people take note, especially they're considering plans fruit and pecan trees, rom Pe We advise haneowner order or purchase needer ome and Mr. trees as soon as possibilit the Baptis to get the best pick of a cows on 30 acres will be

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seen. At Mt. Pleasant in able supplies. It's also important to Titus Co., folks will tour select varieties that are Lyn Levitt the Stephens ranch of 500 adapted to your particul cows on 500 acres and the locality. The county Enguests in the McKellers Red Brahman sion office can provide in Ranch with crossbreeding formation on which varies involving brahman, English and exotic breeds. We have perform best in a given Monday until For peach and plum to toured the Stephens Ranch before, They were utilizing select year-old plants tral in Amaril are three to five feet had minor sur artificail insemination 7-8 years ago. The ranch has Apple and pear trees she Jimmy Adn be four to six feet tall. an outstanding pasture program. Some of the side trips trees that are five to se feet tall are best. Such wests in the will include: A stop at Lake

will transplant easily an of the Pines, a stop at the will become established Ars. Raiston Tyler Rose gardens and a quickly. Excessively la tour through Jefferson, an bare-rooted trees should antebellum river town. We have other details and rebe purchased. Buying trees is wasteful since ler sister, M servation information for recommend pruning off

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give special attention to John C. Vise Agency planting site. 117 W. Texas Street Wheeler, Texas Cotton Harvest Mr. and Mr.

Dr. Jack L. Rose OPTOMETRIST 121 Main St. - Shamrook Phone 256-3203

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AMS, Cotton Classing Memphis, Texas. Th Memphis Classing Offi closed February 16, 19 The Memphis, Texas Classing Office graded! 450 samples this week

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**Bud)** Jones Spotted (43) with 18 perce Baptist Chur and Middling Light Spott endy lynn (32) with 11 percent. ord. Mass. Micronaire, or finenes of Hurst, Mr and maturity, readings showed 46 percent



## More and more people are wising up to the low cost of electric heat electric

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# THE **GOOD NEWS QUARTET**

## of Amarillo

## at the

TIME: 11:00 A.M. 2:30 P.M. 6:30 P.M

# First Baptist Church of Allison SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 25

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points over last weeks tations on all qualities. good demand continued o lower mike, 3.0 to 3.4 c tons. Some average pri paid were; Strict Low Mi dling, staple 32, 29.00 c per pound; and Strict Lo Middling Light Spotted, 32, 28.00 cents per pound This was for cotton mike 3.5 to 4.9.

The average price paid farmers for cottonseed wo \$52.00 per ton.

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at that spring i It six weeks of ake most people , especially msidering plan Bobby Hall and family pecan trees. rom Perryton spent the reckend in the Buster Keys ise hameowner urchase needer ome and Mr. Hall preached it the Baptist Church Sun-lay morning. Lay preacher, soon as possil best pick of a lies.

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Illison News wick from Frederick, Okla. spent the weekend in the parental Clifton Boydston home. Jack Moons from

Phillips visited Sunday aftern oon. Rev. Virgil Cornwell and family are visiting his relatives in Indiana for two weeks. Rev. John Nickols from Dumas filled the pulpit for the pastor while he was

away. They were dinner guests in the Bruce Harrison home Sunday. Attending Day of Part

Lee Kiker and Mrs. J.R. the Executive Committee



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### CARD OF THANKS With deepest feeling, we would like to express grati-

tude to our friends for food, flowers, prayers, gifts, good wishes and cards during the recent illness and passing of our father and brother. A special thanks to the nurses of Parkview Hospital and to Doctors Barbour and Mendiola. God bless you

> The Oscar (Bud) Jones family

week. They were to meet the Dub Crenshaws from Jal, New Mexico and the Roy

Miss Wendy Jones left

all.

home on Sunday.



CARD OF THANKS



By: Vetola Parker Sunday visitors at the L.S. Melody Goad one day last Aderholts were Mr. and Mrs. week. Lewis Grayson from Allison. Afternoon callers at the L.S. Aderholts home were Mr. and Mrs. Jack Hayes,

Mr. and Mrs. Lyn Williams of Wheeler and Adaline Hayes. Mr. and Mrs. Lee Morris of Mobeetie visited the Aderholts last Friday afternoon. Sunday night visitors at the Darville Athertons were Mr. and Mrs. Fred Wood of

Darville and Sammie Atherton visited Adie Novak. Mr. and Mrs. Marcus Larsen, Mr. and Mrs. Newall Allen of Spearman Saturday.

and Mr. and Mrs. Verbon

erton visited Elmer Simpson Saturday morning. Elmer is doing real good at his home. Thursday night Darv. and Sammie Atherton visited Mr. and Mrs. Ray Edwards in Medina, Texas.

Mr. and Mrs. Darville A therton were invited to the Texas Farm and Ranch Credit School of Commercial Bankers Annual Meeting, Agricultural Reveal Officers Section. They attended and enjoyed all the classes.

smorgasbord Monday, a banquet Tuesday. They stayed in the Memorial Austin and Johnson City and points south of San

Our sympathy goes out to Mr. and Mrs. A.C. D'Spain

We want to take this opportunity to thank the Lord, doctors, nurses and friends and everyone who was so nice and helpful to us while we were in Parkview Hospital and made it possible

# Want Ads

FOR SALE: 2 bedroom house to be moved or torn down. James Hefley, Briscoe-2tp

BIDS TO BE ACCEPTED:

The Wheeler County Commissioners' Court will accept bids to be opened at its Regular Term of Court on March 12, 1973 at 2:00 PM in the Commissioners' Court Room of the courthouse on the following:

One police special automobile comparable to a Ford Custom 500 with heavy duty radiator, heavy duty shocks, heavy duty transmission, spot light, radio, air conditioner, 6-inch tire rim, large heater, 400 cubic inch engine or larger, cal-

nurses and doctors helpers and the good Doctors at Parkview Hospital for the wonderful care given me during my recent operation and stay at the hospital.

on all of them and the nurses and Mrs. Smith at the Clinic also. Thanks to the many friends who sent cards of best wishes.

FOR SALE: Farm equipment, sheet iron, boxing boards, hay, odds and ends. Jaco. Phone 826-5826

> ibrated speedometer, 400 2-barrel carburator or 350 4-barrel carburator, power steering, power brakes, tinted glass with a 1971 Custom 500 Ford as trade-in. s/ G.W. Hefley County Judge 2tc

FOR SALE: Upright Piano. Ada Black 826-5290 3tp FOR SALE: Super deluxe Monarch electric Roaster Range - Holloman, 106 West 6th St. Phone 826-3133 1tp

FOR SALE: 300,000 or 400,000 pounds of maize - \$2.65 per hundred - you sack and weigh 1tc it. Harold Hill 826-5757 1tp

CARD OF THANKS

I would like to express my appreciation to the Mobeetie P.T.A. for the nice retirement gift. Thank you for thinking of me. Sincerely,

Phil Corcoran



## Wednesday. They toured all parts of this island. On Wednesday they flew to

They stayed there until

Mr. and Mrs. H.J. Finster-375-2386 wald came home last Tuesday from their trip to Hawaii. There were 77 in their group from Amarillo and this area that went. They left Amarillo on Sat. at 7 o'clock by plane and got to Honolulu that day.

Mobeetie, Texas

