





# ALLISON NEWS

By Christine Gilmer

Psalm 107:31 and 32 Oh that men would praise the Lord for his goodness, and for his wonderful works to the Children of men!

Let them exalt him also in the congregation of the people, and praise him in the assembly of the elders.

I'm sure everyone has enjoyed the warmer weather, it's been nice, but I'm sure colder weather is on it's way. Foggy here in Allison this Monday morning.

Ruby Craig and Rhonda McWhorter took Wilma Gilmer to Amarillo last Wednesday for medical reasons. Ruby and Rhonda went to Pampa last Saturday and shopped and met Susan Finney, Jesse and Samantha at Mr. Gattis and ate lunch and brought Samantha home with them and she spent Saturday night with me-ma. Ruby's last Sunday dinner guests were Billy and Rhonda McWhorter, Tanner and Tyler from Wheeler, Jerry and Susan Finney, Jesse and Samantha from Pampa and Wilma Gilmer. Ruby, Rhonda, Tanner and Tyler cleaned off Wilma's garden spot, getting it ready for spring plowing.

Clifton and Louise Boydston was in Amarillo last Saturday and were dinner guest with Chuck and Kim Thompson and girls.

Opal and Juanita Boydston were in Pampa one day last week for Opal to

see the eye doctor.

Len and Betty Brown of Dumas spent a few days last week at their Allison home and visited their Allison relatives.

Pete Gilmer, Peggy Chandler and Jennie Walker were in Pampa last Monday. They ate lunch at Dyers Barbeque and did some shopping.

Brad and Sue Chandler, Jana and Jake Horton were dinner guests with Peggy last Saturday.

Jennie Walker and Peggy Chandler shopped in Shamrock last Thursday and ate lunch at the Pizza Hut.

Nelda Dukes attended the Stock Show at Wheeler last Friday and Saturday, she had grandkids showing animals.

Glen and Nona Elmore's weekend guest were Bus and Myrtle Dorman from Wheeler and their daughter Yolanda Williams from Portales, New Mexico.

Last Saturday Beverly Bowman from Silverton, Texas, Sonja Bowman and son Timmy from Matador, Texas spent the weekend. Ray and Sue Giddens visited on Saturday night.

Ray and Sue visited, Saturday, Kathy Zybach, Clay and Casey of Briscoe, and also Clay's friend were with them.

Thank God every morning when you get up that you have something to do that day which must be done. Whether you like it or not. (Charles Kingsley)

O Lord, help me to appreciate the tasks you have set before me. Amen.

Rita Grayson attended the Stock Show last weekend at Wheeler to watch the grandkids show their stock.

Rita's guest last Monday was her sister Lois Anderson from Miami, Texas.

Vance and Caroline Boydston spent the weekend at Weatherford with Kyle Boydston. Last Sunday Vance and Caroline, Dick and Cletus Greene and Jamie went to Pampa after Sunday morning church and ate dinner at Furr's.

Pearl Harrison spent about eight days in Amarillo recently, she spent three nights with Darrell and Johnnie Harrison and she also spent five night with Kim and Chuck Thompson and baby sat for Kim. Pearl, Grace Henson and Edell and Jimmy Tedford ate at the Western Steak House after church Sunday while Pearl was in Amarillo. Mary and Willis Harrison took Pearl on Thursday and they ate at a Mexican restaurant. They also visited Jesse Smith at the High Plains Baptist Hospital.

Pearl, Johnnie and Darrel went out and ate at Arby's on Friday and also visited Jesse at the hospital.

Pearl came home Saturday evening. Her Sunday dinner guests were Hershel and Jeannetta Sanford from Higgins, Texas, Sylvia Brown from Wheeler, Eddy and Wanda Walker and Justin and Cheryl Dupont, Sabrina and Cody. Wanda Walker spent last Saturday night with Pearl.

Eddy Walker took Melissa Fleming, Meagan and Ashton home to Lufkin, Texas recently. They spent two nights in Lufkin and then traveled to Houston and visited Melody and Richard Draper at the Texas Bible College. Eddy, Melissa, Meagan and Ashton returned back to Lufkin that night. The next morning Eddy left coming home he spent one night in Oklahoma City. He also visited Chris Chadwick in Dallas. He spent the next day at Okmulgee, Oklahoma and visited with Jeff Chadwick and his wife Tonya and also visited Jonathan Walker at Chickasha, Oklahoma from there he came home.

Caroline Boydston and Cletus Greene spent last Tuesday and Wednesday at Lubbock visiting Kevin Boydston and Lanora Morse.

Last Saturday night Eddy and Wanda Walker and Justin ate supper at Maxeys in Wheeler.

Mike and Teresa Dyer and Amber's Wednesday night guest was Scott Dyer from Canyon. Scott went back

to Canyon Thursday night.

Pete and Margaret Gilmer's weekend guests were Becky and Jeannie Gilmer from Amarillo and Rodney and Linda Ingersoll and Andrew of Allison. They were celebrating Jeannie's birthday.

Cheryl Dupont, Sabrina and Cody visited Kim and Chuck Thompson and family last Friday and Saturday and returned home Saturday evening.

Last Saturday Bob and Lou Cornell afternoon guests were William Cornell, Katie, Sarah and Jeremy from Bessie, Oklahoma.

Take Time to Pray—it is the greatest Power on earth.

## Old Mobeetie Jail Museum Volunteers Get Training

The Old Mobeetie Jail Museum Volunteer Staff has completed two weeks of training provided by a Technical Assistance Grant from the Institute of Museum Service, a Federal agency serving the nation's museums. The instructor for the training program was Andi Gwyn, the coordinator for the Panhandle Museum Resource Sharing Consortium. Ms. Gwyn is a graduate of the Museum Studies program at George Washington University in Washington, D. C. where her focus was collections management and administration. All of the training session were held at the Jail Museum using the newly renovated two story building as a training center. The museum's collection and objects were used to familiarize the volunteer staff with proper handling, care, cleaning, registering, cataloging, accession, procedure, and inventory of the museum's collection. The emphasis for the second week of training focused on proper cleaning techniques, proper storage techniques and a review of the proper display and storage facilities. Museum volunteer members Louise Hogan and Bobbye Hill received 85 hours of training; Bernice Helley received 45 hours of training; Linda Daughtry received 40 hours of training; Melba Corcoran received 34 hours of training; Dale Corcoran received 21 hours of training; Kay Gatlin and Rhonda Gallagher received 16 hours of training; Maurita Stribling received 9 hours of training; and Ada Lester received 8 hours of training. The Board Members and Officers also received training in Non-Profit Status and Trustee Liability and Responsibility during its December Board Meeting.

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Evening Worship ..... 6:00 p.m.

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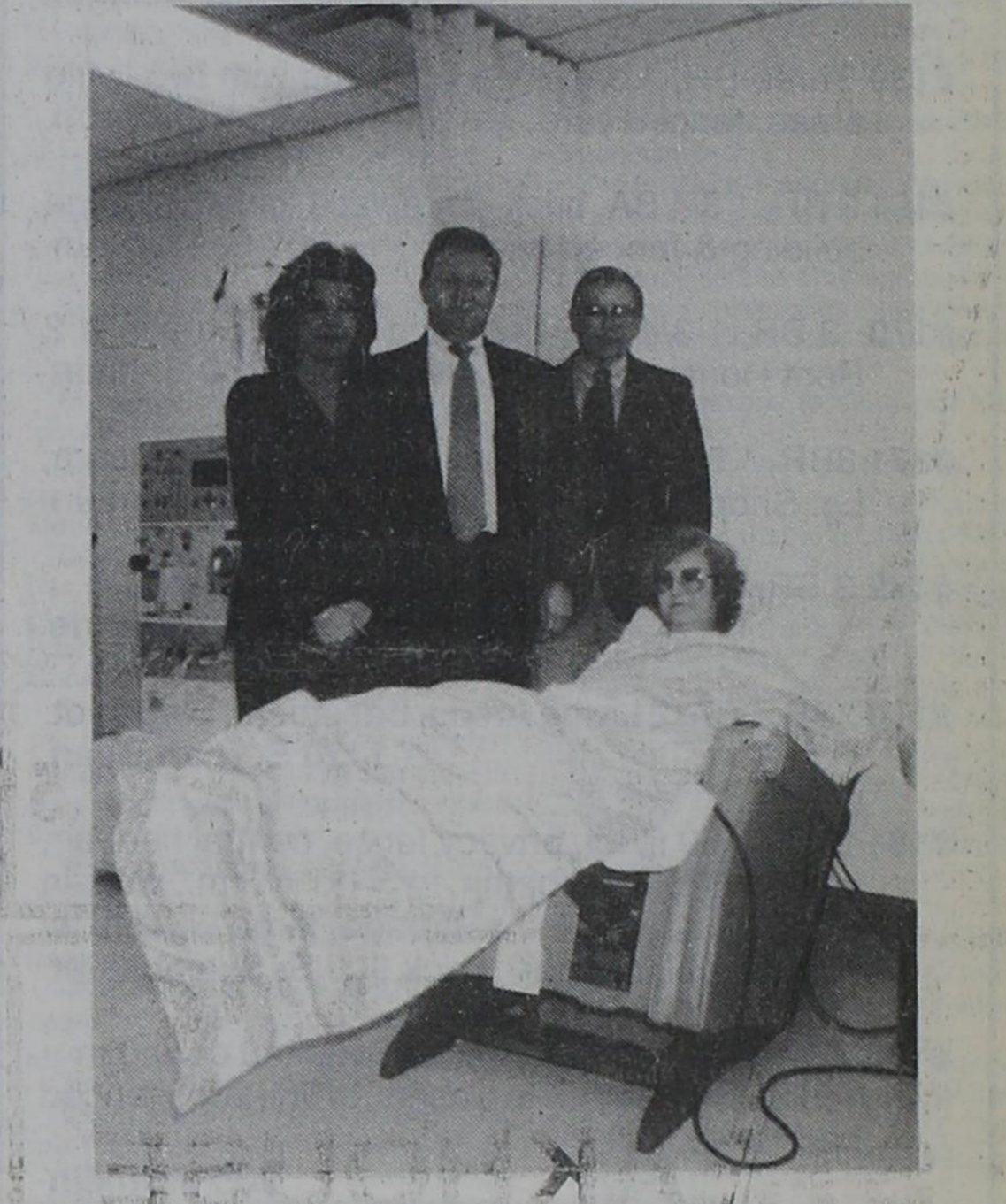
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**NEW PHYSICIAN - Nephrologist Dennis Mask, M.D., (center) is the physician director of the new Western Oklahoma Kidney Center. Also pictured are Charmae Weber, public relations director for Great Plains Regional Medical Center; Pat James, assistant hospital administrator; and Ruby Driver (in chair) of Sayre, the center's first patient. (Hospital Photo)**

## Dennis Mask Is Nephrologist For New Kidney Center At Elk

With the recent opening of the Western Oklahoma Kidney Center, Great Plains Regional Medical Center in Elk City has added another physician to its medical staff.

Dennis Mask, M.D., is the nephrologist, or kidney specialist, and physician director of the Western Oklahoma Kidney Center, which provides hemodialysis treatments three times a week for patients with kidney disease.

Dr. Mask received his medical degree from the University of Oklahoma College of Medicine in 1969. He then did his internship in general medicine at the University of Oklahoma V.A. Hospital.

Following his internship, Dr. Mask did his residency in internal medicine and then completed a fellowship in nephrology at the OU V.A. Hospital.

The Western Oklahoma Kidney Center is located directly across the street to the south of Great Plains Regional Medical Center, at 1702 W. Third. For information on receiving hemodialysis treatment, call the Kidney Center at 225-8750.

### ALLISON MENU

January 22 thru January 26, 1996

**MONDAY:** Fish Portions or Shrimp, Cole Slaw, French Fries, Hush Puppies, Ice Cream, Milk.

**TUESDAY:** Mexican Pile On, Cheese, Lettuce, Tomatoes, Nacho Rounds, Fruit, Milk.

**WEDNESDAY:** King Ranch Casserole, Tossed Salad, Ranch Style Beans, Fruit Cobbler, Milk.

**THURSDAY:** Meat Loaf, Mashed Potatoes, Green Beans, Hot Rolls, Cake, Milk.

**FRIDAY:** Ham and Cheese Sandwich, Lettuce, Tomatoes, Pork and Beans, Nacho Rounds, Fruit, Milk.

(Menu Subject to Change)

### CARD OF THANKS

We would like to try and thank everyone for your love and concern for us. Thanks for the ambulance, our hospital, Dr.'s and Staff. We are fortunate to have all this in our small town. Thanks for cards, flowers, calls, food and most of all for your prayers. May God Bless and Keep you.

**Our Love Always,**  
Albert, Hannah Fae Chapman and Family



(L-R, 1st row) Ethan Tyree, 6; Courtney Tyree, 9; (2nd row) Meredith Scholer, 9; MacKenzie Scholer, 4; (3rd row) Kara Hill, 6 weeks old; and Katie Hill, 3. Grandchildren of Bobbye and Jimmy Hill of Wheeler.

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# CITY SETS RURAL TRASH RATES

Mayor Wanda Herd called the regular meeting to order. Barbra Koelzer made motion, seconded by Bob McCain to approve minutes as written. The motion carried. Don Rose made motion, seconded by Walter Simmons to pay bills as presented. The motion carried. Frank Clymer reported on the activities of the city employees. Charles Kuntz presented receipts and disbursements and discussed same. Three prices were received for a computer for the city office. Compaq Prolinea 5/75E 8MB Ram 630HD, \$2,303.00; Clone 486/DX 100 8MB Ram 850 HD, \$1815.00; and Compaq 486/50 4 MB Ram 270 HD, \$1493.00. Don Rose made motion, seconded by Bob McCain to purchase the Compaq Prolinea at cost of \$2,303.00. The motion carried. The Council reviewed the Library

policies and the logs of the Library's employees. It was decided that Barbra Koelzer and Anita Brown, Library Board members would list specific jobs for each employee in the Library Policies. The Library Board will meet once a month instead of every two months for the next several months to see how the new policies are working. Economic Development was discussed, but no action was taken. The Law Enforcement Contract with the County was discussed. Barbra Koelzer made motion, seconded by Mark Frankenbery that people residing outside city limits wishing to use city dumpsters pay a monthly fee of \$11.90 instead of paying for each sack of garbage. The motion carried. Don Rose made motion the meeting adjourn. Mark Frankenbery seconded the motion. The meeting was adjourned.



**VOTING DELEGATES:** Voting delegates representing the Wheeler County Farm Bureau at the 62nd annual Texas Farm Bureau convention

in Corpus Christi November 26—November 29 were: (l. to r.) Pat McDowell, Paul Macina, Garland Moore, and Bill Wheeler.

# Angela Presley Assigned To Missionary Work In Japan

Angela Presley, a 1986 graduate of Wheeler High School, is scheduled to be sent to Japan as a journeyman through the Foreign Mission Board of the Southern Baptist Convention. Miss Presley will arrive in Tokyo, Japan, on March 6, 1996 for a 24 month stay. Orientation will begin on January 24, 1996. The Youth Minister's primary objective is to design new programs and reinvigorate existing activities to reach out more fully to Tokyo's diverse and transitory groups of children and youth from elementary school to high school age. The congregation of Tokyo Baptist Church comes from an incredible variety of social and religious upbringing. There are 40 different nationalities represented in the congregation. What many share is a sense that they are living in a place which is not their permanent home. The challenge the Youth Minister faces is to create an environment where children and you can feel a sense of belonging and know the love of Christ in their homes. The predominant religion in Japan is Shintoism, which is a form of ancestral worship and intricately tied to Japanese culture. Buddhism is also

widely ascribed to by the Japanese. The Christian population has been measured at 1% however. The Spirit of God is moving among the Japanese people. An amount of \$9,680.00 is needed for insurance, set-up expenses, inoculations, visa, passport and public storage. The Tokyo Baptist Church has agreed to provide a stipend for Angela while on the field. An apartment will be provided in the mission compound and some form of transportation. The stipend provided by the TBC will cover the cost of utilities and living expenses in Tokyo. The cost of living in Tokyo is very expensive. The TBC will also provide a stipend for the first two months after Angela returns to the United States. This amount needs to be raised by January 30. Contributions can be made payable to: Casa View Baptist Church, 2626 Gus Thomasson, Dallas, TX 75228. Angela Diane Presley was born December 9, 1967 in Jonesboro, Ark. She is the 28 year old daughter of Ray Presley, who resides in Campbell, MO, and Mrs. Shirley Presley, who resides in Kennett, MO. During most of her childhood, Angela lived in Ft. Wayne, Indiana. There she attended Bible Baptist Church, in which she was saved and baptized at the age of six. This church was an independent Baptist Church that was extremely mission minded. Angela remembers learning from a young age to pray for missionaries and their specific needs. Angela began singing solos in the Worship service at the age of six in front of six hundred people. Her heroes throughout her childhood were Southern Gospel singers. Her desire was to become a Southern Gospel singer. While in College, Angela chose a major in Bible and minored in Religious Education. She served as youth intern for the First Baptist Church in Plainview and in 1989 joined the staff of First Baptist Church in Tulsa as the Jr. High Minister. This is where she developed her desire to work with teenagers. Angela has a Bachelor of Arts degree from Wayland Baptist University in Plainview with a major in Religion-Bible and a minor in religious education and has a Master of Divinity (BL) from Southwestern Baptist Theological Seminary where she is continuing her education.

## School Board (from Page 1)

- Motion by Mr. Ford and seconded by Mrs. Fletcher to approve the amendments to the 1995-1996 Budget as presented (see attached). Motion carried unanimously.
- Motion by Mr. Kuehler and seconded by Mr. Dunnam to approve the payment of the December accounts as presented. Motion carried unanimously.
- Bids on insurance for school buildings, vehicles, and school board liability were opened from Eastern Panhandle Insurance Agency of Wheeler and Jim Posey Agency of Plainview.
- Motion by Mr. Ford and seconded by Mrs. Fletcher to accept the low bid from Eastern Panhandle Insurance for \$19,995.22 for school building, vehicles, and board liability insurance. Motion carried unanimously.
- Administrative reports were given by Mr. Rives, Mr. Bassett, Coach Verden and Supt. Holland.
- The Board retired into Executive Session at 7:10 PM as authorized by the Texas Open Meeting Act, Texas Government Code Section 551.001 et seq. The Board returned to Open Session at 9:05 PM.
- Motion by Mr. Kuehler and seconded by Mr. Dunnam to extend the contract of Mr. Holland to one year with salary to be discussed at a later date. Motion carried unanimously. Meeting adjourned at 9:08 PM.

**WHEELER MENU**

January 22 thru January 26, 1996

**Monday: Breakfast:** Juice, cereal, toast/jelly, granola bars, milk.  
**Lunch:** Pig in a blanket, tater tots, pickle spears, milk/tea, peaches.  
**Tuesday: Breakfast:** Juice, biscuits/gravy, eggs, peanut butter, milk.  
**Lunch:** Spaghetti/meat sauce, corn, salad, crackers, Texas toast, milk/tea.  
**Wednesday: Breakfast:** Juice, cinnamon roll, peanut butter and jelly sandwiches, 1/2 apple, milk.  
**Lunch:** Turkey pockets, lettuce, pinto beans, french fries, milk/tea, mixed fruit, juice bars.  
**Thursday: Breakfast:** Juice, pancake pups/syrup, hash browns, toast/jelly, peanut butter, milk.  
**Lunch:** Chicken nuggets, m. potatoes/gravy, green beans, hot roll/butter, milk/tea, apricots.  
**Friday: Breakfast:** Juice, cereal, toast/jelly, granola bars, milk.  
**Lunch:** Baked potatoes, grated cheese, chopped ham, sour cream, bacon bits, celery and carrot stick, crackers/bread, milk/tea, pineapple. (Menu Subject to Change)

## Chat (from Page 1)

The 'shirt sleeve' weather Tuesday was certainly enjoyable. The highest I saw the temperature on the bank was 67.

—cwe—

I hope you enjoyed these past few days of 'false spring'; it sounds like there is to be a drastic change Wednesday evening—back to winter.

—cwe—

The temperatures read each day on the KPDR thermometer are not very close, but show the variation in temperature for the day. We are in the process of moving it to a better location.

—cwe—

C. B. will be another year older Saturday. Happy Birthday!

—cwe—

Cathi called Tuesday to tell Grandma Bob that Dorcie had turned over on Monday. Dorcie was 2 months and 2 days old. Grandma Bob knew she was a smart girl.

—cwe,w—

Dorcie also talks to Grandma Bob on the phone—and smiles.

—cwe,w—

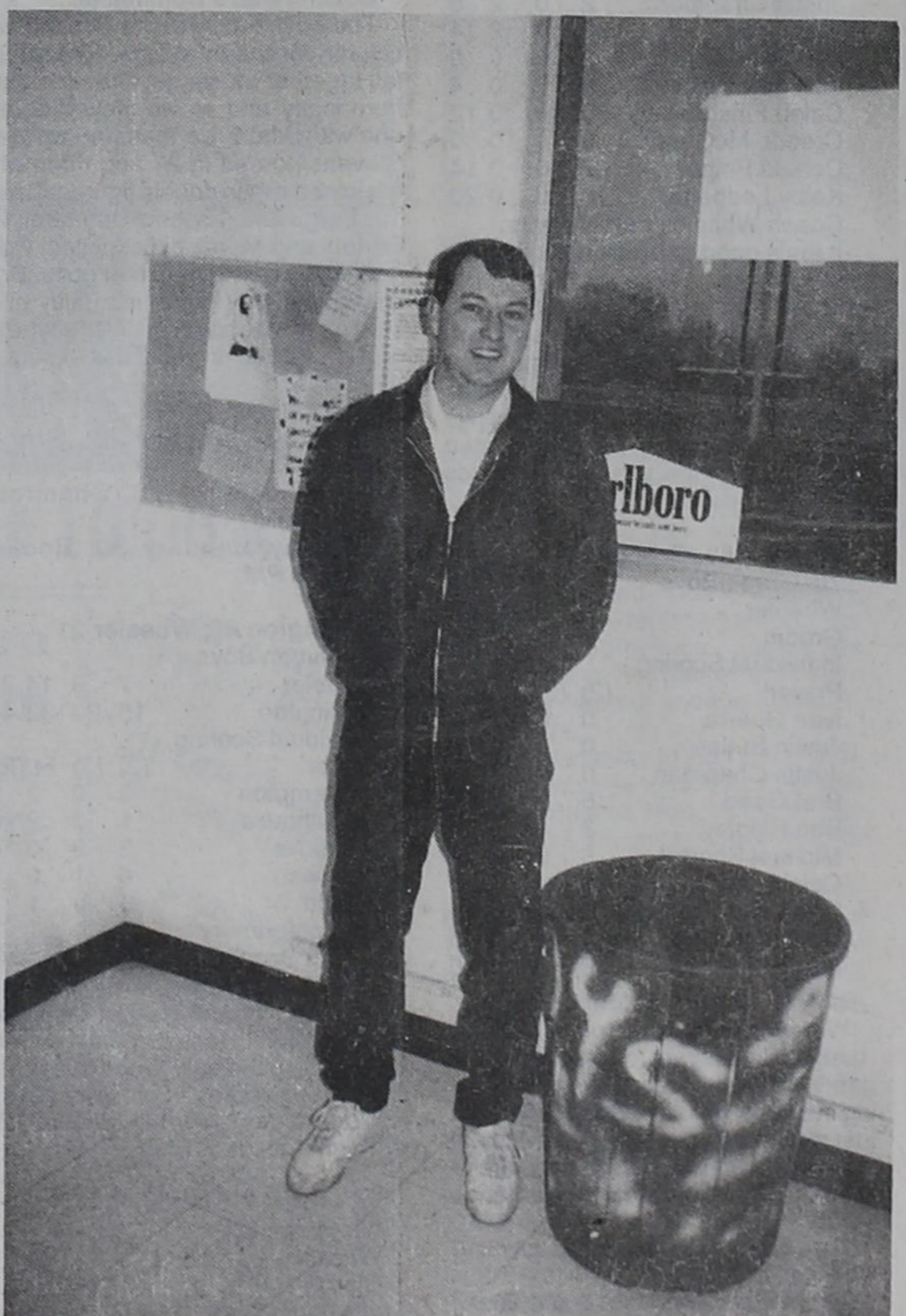
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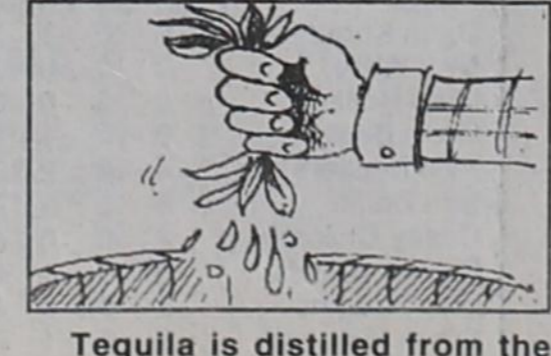
Santa's Elves Tree



Brenda McWhorter - Stacy McQueen: Toys—Toys—Toys



Ronnie Jones—Wheeler Thriftway



Tequila is distilled from the juice of the maguey plant.

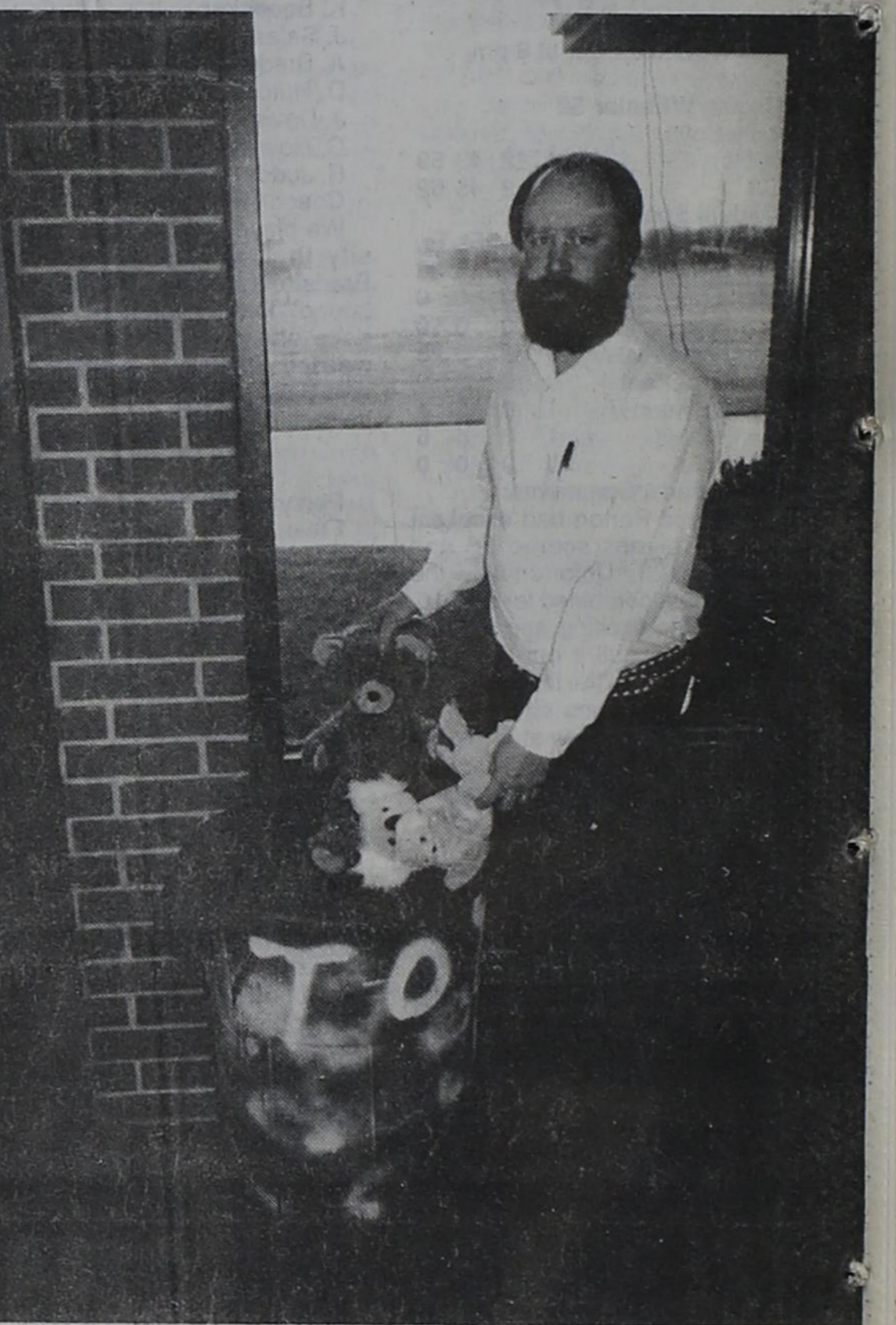
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# 'Toys for Tots' 'A Success'

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More Toys



Bill Howard—First State Bank of Mobeetie



Maggie Marshall—Look at that truck and a barrel full of toys.



Wheeler Banking Center: Elf Trying on hat? Or a bank officer