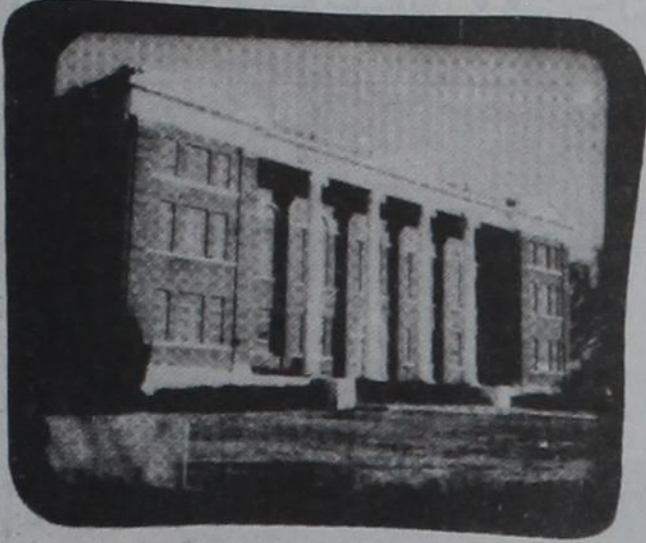


Graveside Services Fri.

For Mable B. Wilson, 88

Graveside services will be at 2:00 PM Friday, October 26, 2001 at Mobeetie Cemetery, Mobeetie, TX for Mable B. Wilson, 88, of Borger, TX.



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"Wheeler, town of friendship and pride."

CWE CHAT WITH EDITOR

By Louis C. Stas

Way to go, Mustangs! The Mustangs added Gruver to their list of defeats, giving them 2-0 in conference play.

—cwe—

GOOD LUCK, MUSTANG BAND! The Wheeler Mustang Band will travel to Odessa this weekend to compete Saturday in the Area marching competition.

—cwe—

Wheeler's Chris Gallagher, #35, was the first name on the *Amarillo Globe-News* Players of the Week Honorable Mention for Class 1A.

—cwe—

Ft. Elliott's Larry Lee Horn was also the first name on the *Amarillo Globe-News* Players of the Week Honorable Mention for Six-Man.

—cwe—

It is time to regain that hour of sleep lost in the spring. Daylight Savings ends early Sunday morning. Set the clock back an hour before you go to sleep Saturday night.

—cwe—

We have been having some beautiful weather and Wheeler has their own fall colors, suitable for a foliage tour. Sweetwater and Gageby creeks are both reported to be quite colorful.

—cwe—

My back yard also has some pretty trees.

—cwe—

Wednesday, October 31, is trick-or-treat night. If the youngsters are out, remind them to be very careful.

—cwe—

I remained home this weekend and Barbara traveled to OKC. I had a project to work on; and I did.

—cwe—

It was cards as usual Monday evening. Shelly forgot to tell Bob, "Don't get skunked," and he did. Mike was his partner. Dwight and I were the 'skunkers'.

—cwe—

We enjoyed the win, because we know how short lived the winning can be.

Wheeler City Council Has Meeting On October 15

October 15, 2001

Mayor Wanda Herd called the regular meeting to order at 7:00 PM.

Jay Randels made motion seconded by Jimmy Hill to approve the minutes as written. The motion carried.

Jimmy Hill made the motion seconded by Bob McCain to pay the 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.

Jay Randels made motion seconded by Jimmy Hill to purchase a 1962 Chevrolet dump truck from Jack Hefley. The motion carried.

Walter Simmons made motion seconded by Jay Randels to sell the Rodger's house to Donnie Wright for \$100.00. The motion carried. The house should be moved within ninety days.

The assignment of limited waters rights was tabled until we can check on the quality and quantity of the water north of town.

Bob McCain made motion seconded by Jay Randels to accept Charles Brown's resignation as a Director on the Wheeler Economic Development Board. The motion carried.

The appointment of a new WEDC board member was tabled until a later date.

Walter Simmons made motion the meeting adjourn. Jay Randels seconded the motion. The meeting adjourned at 8:05 PM.

Those present: Mayor Wanda Herd. Council members: Walter Simmons, Jimmy Hill, Bob McCain, and Jay Randels. Charles Kuntz, Frank Clymer, and Claudine Finsterwald.

Wheeler Co. SWCD To Extend Pecan Order Date

Wheeler Co. SWCD has extended the ordering date on pecan, fruit and ornamental shades from October 31st to November 15th. We want to give everyone a chance to order trees. These types of trees may not be available every year. The last year that our office offered pecan trees was in 1987. To the best of our knowledge fruit and ornamental shade trees have not been offered prior to this year. So if you are interested in any of these trees now would be the time to place your order.

We appreciate all your support. Should you have any questions or would like for us to mail an order form to you please give us a call at 826-2565.



MUSTANG GAIN: Jake Britt, #17, has the ball and is making yards for the Mustangs in the October 19, 2001, game against the Greyhounds. The final score was 21-7 in Wheeler's favor, making the record 2-0 in conference play. Gavin McQueen, #28, and Chris Gallagher, #35, are doing their job.—Photo by Rob Schaffer

Jerry Dan Hefley Announces For Re-Election As Co. Judge

I am announcing my candidacy for re-election to the office of Wheeler County Judge. I have served in this capacity for almost three years, and wish to continue to serve for another term. This office is very challenging and rewarding. I would like the opportunity to continue to meet the needs and serve the citizens of Wheeler County.

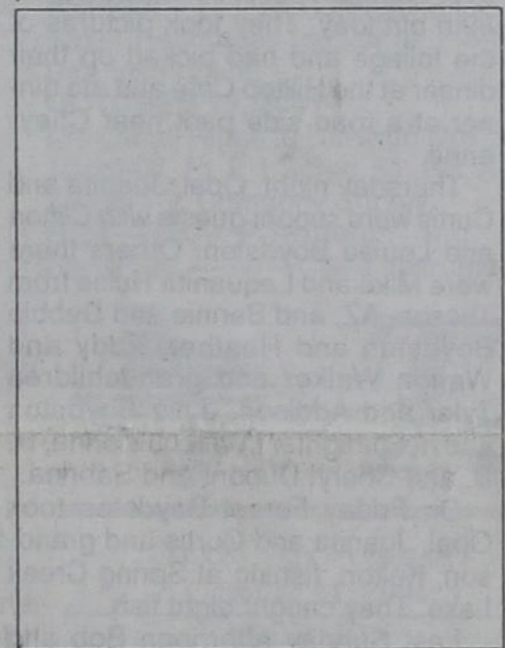
Wheeler County is my home as I was born, raised, graduated from high school, and am raising my family here. I am married to the former Carolyn Willoughby and have two sons, Justin and Kendall. Justin is employed by Morton Independent School District and Kendall is a senior in Wheeler High School.

After receiving my Bachelor of Science degree from West Texas State University, I returned to Wheeler County, working for the City of Wheeler in various capacities for nine years, and Wheeler Gas for over seven years. I served as County Tax-Assessor Collector for twelve and a half years before resigning in 1997, to run for the office of County Judge.

In order to better serve you, I have attended specialized schools in probating wills and settling estates, as well as courses in understanding the law and court procedures. I have en-

joyed both the administrative and judicial responsibilities associated with the office of county judge.

Your support and vote in the upcoming election would be most appreciated.



Jerry Dan Hefley

(Pol. Ad paid for by Jerry Dan Hefley, P. O. Box 765, Wheeler, TX 79096)

Services In Allison Sat. For Winnie Kiker, 96

Winnie Kiker, 96, died Wednesday, October 17, 2001 in Wheeler, Texas.

Funeral services were at 2:00 P.M. Saturday, October 20, 2001 at the United Methodist Church in Allison with Rev. Ernie McGaughey of Tulia, Texas, officiating. Hiram Begert of Allison and Rev. Ricky Carstensen, pastor of the First United Methodist Church assisting.

Burial was in Zybach Cemetery by Wright Funeral Home.

Mrs. Kiker was born on November 29, 1902 to W. E. and Launa Calhoun George at the George Ranch in Hemphill County. She was a graduate of Canadian High School. Mrs. Kiker married Lee Kiker on April 28, 1928, in Canadian, Texas and was a life-long resident in Hemphill County. She was a member of the United Methodist Church in Allison and the Allison United Methodist Women, where she served as president among other offices. Mrs. Kiker was also a member of the Garden Club. She was preceded in death by her husband in 1981.

Survivors include one son and daughter-in-law, Richard and Carol Kiker; one grandson and wife, Richie and Twanna Kiker; one granddaughter and husband, Kimberly and Max Payne; three great-grandsons: Matt Kiker, Kyler Payne and Korbin Payne; one great-granddaughter, Kaylynn Kiker.

The family requests memorials be to Allison Methodist Church.

Mexican Pile-On Nov. 2

The Spanish Church in Wheeler will have a Mexican Pile-on dinner served with rice, beans, guacamole Friday, November 2, 2001 from 11:00 A.M.—2:00 P.M.

Hospital Notes

Extended Care
Estelle Orr
Virginia Frye
Ruth Ledbetter
Verne Lohberger
Ardie Martin
Mary Luna

New Admissions
None

Dismissal
10/15 Jane Seitz
George Walker

10/17 George Orrick

10/19 Jewel Moore

Wheeler I.S.D. Board Conducts Oct. Business

October 9, 2001

Regular Board Meeting

The Wheeler ISD Board of Trustees met October 9, 2001 in the board room of the administration office. President Dan Sams called the meeting to order at 6:35 P.m.. A welcome to all attending and a call for public comment was issued.

All board members were present. School personnel present were Brooks Symank, Dale Pulpan, Doug Rives, Connie Porter and Judy Woollard.

Board Minutes of the September 18, 2001 was presented. Motion by: Dr. Hillhouse Second by: William Burch To approve the minutes. Motion carried unanimously.

The September accounts were presented.

Motion by: Dr. Smith Second by: William Burch To accept the accounts as presented. Motion carried unanimously.

Board Convention Reports were given.

Dr. Smith reported on Lockerless Schools

Mark Tucker reported on Public Relations - Present/Preception (PR Training)

William Burch reported on Texas Open Meeting Act/ Delegate report on resolutions.

Jauna Benefield reported on Reading Programs

Dr Hillhouse reported on Dealing with press/directory information/public use of facilities

Rhonda McWhorter reported on Laws and Basics

Dan Sams reported on Leadership and effective board meetings/roll of board members and agendas /Roberts Rules-Parliamentary Procedures/ Charge to keep enthusiasm.

Insurance proposal presented Motion by: William Burch Second by: Dr. Hillhouse To Postpone action until more information could be obtained. Motion carried unanimously.

Motion by: Mark Tucker Second by: Jauna Benefield To set special board meeting 10/24/01 at 5:00 p.m.. Motion carried unanimously.

Date of November Board Meeting Motion by: Dr. Hillhouse Second by: Dr. Smith To have November Board Meeting November 14, 2001 at 5:30 P.m.. Motion carried unanimously.

Date for Team 8 Training

(Continued Page 6)

Wheeler Co. Food Show Set For November 1

Anyone interested in competing in the Wheeler County Food Show should attend Thursday, November 1st at 4:15 p.m. at Texas Cooperative Extension office in the Wheeler County Court house on the north end of the 2nd floor. Rules for the contest will be discussed and participants will have the opportunity to choose a recipe. Please contact Karen Tellman if you are unable to attend and plan to compete in the Wheeler County Food Show. The District Food Show is December 1st in Amarillo. Lamb/Jack-Pot participants can compete in the County Food Show even if they choose not to attend the District Food Show competition.

(signed) Karen Tellman



EXEMPLARY: The Allison I.S.D. School Board is shown here with their Exemplary plaque for the 2000-2001 school year. Donnie Johnston (center) is shown here making the presentation. Board members are Richie Kiker, Bret Begert, Bennie Boydston (receiving the plaque) and Carol Archer.



PARTICIPANTS: The Mobeetie/Briscoe Bike-a-thon was held Saturday, Sept. 29, 2001, for Briscoe and Mobeetie youngsters who wanted to help raise money for the St. Jude Children's Research Hospital. Pictured are (l. to r., front) Gabe McDaniel, Jayton Childress, Tracy Winters, Hayden Duncan, Roland Newman, Brittney Laverty, (back row) Davis Corse, Steven Kephart, Pam Jones, Patricia Kephart, Sallie Adcock and Gatlin Duncan.



IT'S A MIRACLE! The story that goes with this car is hard to believe. The damage to the car does not indicate the major tragedy that was averted.

No Injuries In Car/18-Wheeler Wreck

Misty Jones recently moved to Stillwater and is working there; she intends to start college soon. Friday evening she was on her way to Wheeler.

At around 8:30, Misty was traveling west on Interstate 40 with the cruise set on her Pontiac Grand Am. An 18-Wheeler came along beside her. Before he was completely past, he apparently slowed a little and pulled into her lane.

The truck driver did not see her car beside him. As he pulled over, he apparently hooked her car. The car was spun around in front of the truck. With the two vehicles locked together, the trucker continued down the road, pushing Misty and her vehicle in front of him sideways—the driver side of the car was against the bumper of the truck.

After traveling 300 yards, the driver of the 18-wheeler heard a comment on the CB radio about a truck pushing a car. He looked down to see the car and brought the tractor-trailer to a stop.

Misty got out of the car without a scratch, but the trucker was not so lucky. After stopping the truck and seeing what had happened, an ambulance was called to take him to the hospital for a possible heart attack.

The tires on the passenger side did not blowout. The rubber is worn off to the steel tread on the back tire of the drivers side.

The Oklahoma Highway Patrol Officer Micah Whittington investigated the accident. He had not seen anything like this in his many years as a patrol officer.

Misty came on to Wheeler and spent the weekend and returned to Stillwater Monday.

The truck driver is fine, also.

Misty later committed, "she was thinking about a girl she knew that had a Guardian Angel pin in her ve-

hicle when the truck was going around her." There must have been a guardian angel watching over Misty. She is the daughter of Paula and the late Charles Jones.

Funeral Services Thurs. For Leonard W. Gaines

Leonard W. Gaines, 65, died Tuesday, October 16, 2001. Services were at 11 a.m. Thursday, October 18, at the First Baptist Church in Wheeler with the Rev. Toby Henson and the Rev. Stephen Gaines, officiating. Burial was at Wheeler Cemetery by Wright Funeral Home.

Mr. Gaines was born April 8, 1936, in Clarksville. He lived in Wheeler since 1940. He married Sandra Pearce on Feb. 2, 1957, in Pampa. He was an auto mechanic for 40 years, the last 30 years with Burton Ford in Wheeler until he retired. He was a member of the First Baptist Church in Wheeler.

Survivors include his wife, Sandy; two sons, Stephen W. Gaines of Stinnett and Ronald L. Gaines of Wheeler; a daughter, Samantha Herbel of Oklahoma City, Ok; four sisters, Martha Hogan and Gloria Swires, both of Pampa, Lora Jennings of Tulsa, Ok., and Judy Chandler of Amarillo; six grandchildren; and one great-grandchild.

The family suggests memorials be to Wheeler Public Library or a favorite charity.

First Quarter Honor Students At WTCS

October 19th was the end of the first quarter for West Texas Christian School.

WTCS would like to congratulate the following Elementary students for making the "A" Honor Roll: Danie Clawson, Jessica Jernigan and Alisha Robinson. The student with the highest average was Danie Clawson with an overall average of 98.09%. The Outstanding Student of the first quarter was also Danie Clawson with 1110 points.

Congratulations for making the "A" Honor Roll go to the following Jr. and Sr. High Students: Shannon Bailey, Dylan Doebele, Michelle Doebele, April Forgay, Josh Forgay, Vanessa Gearhart, Joanna Jernigan and Tanner Reames. The student with the highest average was Dylan Doebele with an overall average of 98.30%. The Outstanding Student of the first Quarter was Michelle Doebele with 1520 points.

Mobeetie/Briscoe Kids Bike-a-thon Sept. 29

The St. Jude Children's Research Hospital Bike-a-thon for the Mobeetie/Briscoe communities was held Saturday, September 29, 2001, on the north end of Boy Scout Road. Volunteers from both communities' fire departments were present to aid in safety for the riders.

This year the participants raised \$612.00 for the research hospital. They rode a total of 72.5 miles. Following is a list of participants and the miles they rode: Jayton Childress, kindergarten, 3.5 miles; Roland Newman, third grade, 11 miles; Jayton Bell, second grade, 1 mile; Davis Corse, third grade, 9 miles; Hayden Duncan, fourth grade, 6.5 miles; Gatlin Duncan, third grade, 11 miles; Houston Barr, kindergarten, 7 miles; Brittney Laverty, third grade, 6.5 miles; Tracy Winters, first grade, 9 miles; and Sallie Adcock's bicycle was ridden eight miles by various adult riders.

Riders, who collected \$35 will receive a certificate and t-shirt. Those who collected \$75 or more will receive a certificate, t-shirt and sport bag.

The winner of the dual cassette jambox is Jayton Childress, who collected the most over \$100.

(Editor's Note: Our apologies to our correspondent and the individuals mentioned in Allison News for October 18. It was set and remained in the computer last week.)

Psalm 2: 3-6: Show me thy ways, O Lord; teach me thy paths, lead in thy truth, and teach me; for thou art the God of my salvation; on thee do I wait all the day. Remember, O Lord, thy tender mercies and thy loving kindnesses; for they have been ever of old.

The sun is shining here in Allison this Monday morning. The wind is now out of the north and getting cooler here at eight a.m.

Ruby Craig went with Rhonda McWhorter last Saturday to Amarillo to watch and hear Rhonda's son, Tyler, play in Wheeler school band.

Jerry and Cathy Gilmer of Amarillo came down Sunday morning and were at church with me, we went to Wheeler after church and ate dinner at Maxeys. Then went to Rhonda and Ruby's garage sale at Billy and Rhonda McWhorter's big barn west of their house. We came back home and just rested a while in the afternoon. Jerry did drain the water from the air conditioner and it will be ready again come spring.

Opal and Juanita Boydston went to Cheyenne, Okla., last Monday for Juanita to have some dental work done. On Tuesday evening Opal and Juanita and Curtis visited Len and Betty Brown of Dumas at their Allison home. Wednesday Opal and Juanita went with Curtis to Cheyenne for dental work.

After church Wednesday night, Opal and Juanita's house guests were Len and Betty Brown, Roma and Billy Brown and Forest and Janice Boydston and Curtis.

Friday and Saturday Opal, Juanita, and Curtis went to garage sales in Wheeler and after church Sunday morning they were in Wheeler and ate dinner at the Dairy Queen and then went to Billy and Rhonda McWhorter's for Rhonda and Ruby's garage sale.

Rev and Mrs. Joe Hall from Pampa were the visiting minister at the U. P. church last Sunday morning and also Sunday evening. Very good teaching Sunday morning and good anointed preaching Sunday night with beautiful singing.

Pastor McDaniel and Bro. Chapman spent the past several days in Louisville, Ky, attending the Annual General Conference at Louisville. Also going from Allison were Clifton and Louise Boydston.

Roma Brown has had surgery done on his right shoulder recently in Amarillo and is now at home and taking therapy at the Wheeler hospital three times a week.

Last Wednesday Pearl Harrison's dinner guests were Eddy Walker and

Bennie Boydston. Friday Darrel Harrison visited his mother, Pearl Harrison and did some work for her around her home. Later that afternoon Darrel and Pearl went to Jack and Patty Driver's home near Reydon and visited with them a while.

Pearl's Sunday dinner guests were Rev. and Mrs. Joe Hall from Pampa and Hershel Sanford from Higgins and H. B. and Cheryl Dupont, Sabrina and Cody.

Red and Anna Dukes and Minnie Bell Vinson went to the volleyball game last Tuesday at Ft. Elliott. Red and Anna and Minnie Bell were in Pampa for Anna to see the doctor.

Last Friday Red and Anna were in Elk City to see the doctor for a checkup with their doctor. Red and Anna attended the volleyball game last Saturday at Ft. Elliott. Sunday dinner guest with them was Minnie Bell.

Sunday afternoon they went to Shamrock and visited Bessie Crenshaw and Maybe Worth at the rest home there.

Pete and Margaret Gilmer were in Elk City last Friday doing some shopping and ate dinner at the Western Sizzling.

Jennie Walkers last Saturday dinner guests were Terry and Freida Walker from Pampa. They did a lot of yard work for Jennie and did some work on her house getting it ready for the cold winter.

Darrel and Johnnie Harrison from Amarillo came Friday afternoon. Darrel went to his mom's, Pearl's, and

did some work for her and Johnnie and I went to Wheeler to Rhonda and Billy McWhorter's. Ruby was also there, and they showed us through the garage sale things and then Rhonda and Ruby showed us through Rhonda and Billy and boy's beautiful home. They have put a lot of work into fixing it up. No doubt a lot of work from both of them. It is so very pretty.

Darrel met us in Wheeler and he and Johnnie went home from there and I came home to Allison.

Take time to pray—it is the greatest power on earth.

(This week's News)

Mark 12:29, 30: And Jesus answered him, the first of all, the commandments is, Hear, O Israel; The Lord our God is one Lord; and thou shalt love the Lord thy God with all thy heart, and with all thy soul, and with all thy mind, and with all thy strength; this is the first commandment. Some clouds around this Monday morning here in Allison, very little wind.

We were made sad when we got the words that Jeremy Cornell was killed in a one car accident last week. He was the 19-year-old son of William and Vicky Cornell of Bessie, Oklahoma and the grandson of Bob and Lou Cornell of Allison. Our sympathy and prayers are for all the family and relative. There was a military graveside service at the Zybach Cemetery Friday afternoon, the 19th, about four o'clock. It was a very impressive service.

Ruby Craig has an electric cookstove in perfect working condition, color white. Ruby said just make her an offer. Her phone number is 375-2597. Ruby has a big siamese cat missing. He does have a collar on. If found, call Ruby.

Roma and Billy Brown were in Pampa last Thursday for business reasons. Roma goes to Wheeler three times a week for physical therapy on his shoulder. Sunday dinner guest with the Browns was Thursia Poindexter from Cheyenne.

Last Thursday, Opal, Juanita and Curtis Boydston went to Skipout Lake over in Oklahoma to celebrate Opal's 89th birthday. They took pictures of the foliage and had picked up their dinner at the Hilltop Cafe and ate dinner at a road side park near Cheyenne.

Thursday night, Opal, Juanita and Curtis were supper guests with Clifton and Louise Boydston. Others there were Mike and Laquanita Hulse from Tucson, AZ, and Bennie and Debbie Boydston and Heather, Eddy and Wanda Walker and grandchildren Tyler and Addison, Julie Boydston and her daughter from Louisiana, H. B. and Cheryl Dupont and Sabrina.

On Friday Forest Boydston took Opal, Juanita and Curtis and grandson, Kelton, fishing at Spring Creek Lake. They caught eight fish.

Last Sunday afternoon Bob and Lou Cornell's house guests were William and Vicky Cornell of Bessie, Okla., and Lewis and Tammy Newman, Chance and Junior of Briscoe.

Red and Anna Dukes and Minnie Bell Vinson went to Ft. Elliott to watch Jackie Dukes play volleyball last Thursday. Them and Minnie Bell went to the Allison school for the Halloween carnival last Friday night. Our sympathy goes out to the family and relatives of Winnie Kiker. She passed away one day last week. Her funeral was last Saturday at the Methodist church in Allison. She was buried at the Zybach cemetery.

Rita Grayson's last Friday overnight guests were Kristy Taylor and Cooper from Sayre. And, on Saturday Keri Dukes from Goodwell, Ok., spent the day with Rita and Kristy and Cooper. They had a good time visiting. The girls hadn't gotten to be together for quite a long time.

Pearl Harrison's last Tuesday dinner guest was Bennie Boydston. On Wednesday Pearl was dinner guest with Clifton and Louise Boydston. Others there were Mike and Laquanita Hulse from Tucson, Az., and Debbie Boydston. Pearl went to Elk City and spent the night with Jimmy and Vivian Wallace. On Thursday Pearl, Vivian, Laquanita and Louise ate dinner at the El Charro Restaurant in Elk City. Pearl's Sunday dinner guests were Hershel Sanford from Higgins, Pastor McDaniel and Bro. T. H. Chapman.

Card of Thanks

We would like to take this way of thanking each and everyone that has helped us in our time of losing Jeremy Cornell on October 16. The out pouring of love in the way of prayers, cards, food, memorials and flowers has been overwhelming and so encouraging. May God richly bless you for your kindness. The William "Bill" Cornell Families, Bob and Mary Cornell, Joe and Beverly Smith Families, Lewis and Tammy Newman Family, Tommy and Becky Hefner Family.

Ray and Anna Ruppner from Dalhart visited Lanora Morse last Tuesday.

Dr. Willis and Mary Harrison came to Pearl Harrison's Sunday afternoon and spent the night with Pearl and Willis fixed a leak on Pearl's porch for her on Monday morning before leaving to go home to Canyon. Pearl appreciated that very much.

Peggy Chandler's weekend guests were her daughter, Marki Chandler and children from Temple, Okla.

Take time to pray—it is the greatest power on earth.



WEDDING ANNOUNCEMENT: Jayton, Garrett and Jarrett Childress along with Lynnesa and Deidra Salas of Mobeetie invite the friends and family of their parents to help dedicate their new life together. Amanda Childress and Antonio Salas have chosen Saturday November 3, 2001 as the day they start their new family together. The celebration will be at 2:00 p.m. at the First Baptist Church of Mobeetie.

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Wheeler County COURT RECORDS

List of Instruments filed in the Wheeler County Clerk's office from October 15, 2001 - October 19, 2001.

Oil & Gas NEWS

(New Location, Completion and Plugging Report made possible by Oil & Gas Reporting Service, 3930 Beaver St., Vernon, TX 76384. Doris Harrison, Phone: 940/552-6644.)

Week Ending October 18, 2001
Intentions to Drill
GRAY (PANHANDLE) Pablo Energy, Inc., North Jackson, Sec. 90, B-2, H&GN, PD 3400', for the following wells:

#14, 600' from South & 2310' from West line of Sec. Substitute well for #3

#15, 1127' from South & 1141' from West line of Sec.

HEMPHILL (WILDCAT & BUFFALO WALLOW Granite Wash) Louis Dreyfus Natural Gas Corp., #4 Meek '67, 2640' from North & 467' from East line, Sec. 67, M-2, H&GN, PD 11800'

HEMPHILL (WILDCAT & HEMPHILL Douglas) Bracken Operating, L.L.C., #4017 Shell Fee, 467' from South & East line, Sec. 17, 41, H&GN, PD 8250'

HEMPHILL (WILDCAT & SPARKS Tonkawa) EOG Resources, Inc., #4 Lockhart '57, 660' from South & 2310' from East line, Sec. 57, 42, H&GN, PD 7800'

ROBERTS (ALPAR-PEARSON Brown Dolomite) Amoco Production Co., #62 Courson Ranch 'B' Unit, 1844' from South & 462' from East line, Sec. 29, 44, Abernathy (BHL: 2225' from South & 2350' from East Sec. line) PD 5600'. Directional well Plugged Wells

GRAY (PANHANDLE) Bradley Operating, Getting a Waterflood, Sec. 48, A-9, H&GN (oil) -- for the following wells:

#209, spud unknown, plugged 8-31-01, TD 2900' --

#212, spud unknown, plugged 9-10-01, TD 3050' --

GRAY (PANHANDLE) Bradley Operating Co., Getting a Waterflood, Sec. 48, A-9, H&GN (inj) -- for the following wells:

#102W, spud unknown, plugged 10-1-01, TD 3021' -- #203W, spud unknown, plugged 9-26-01, TD 2779'

GRAY (PANHANDLE) Excel Production, #2 Sullivan, Sec. 135, 3, H&GN, spud 4-13-84, plugged 9-27-01, TD 3420' (oil) --

GRAY (WEST PANHANDLE) SNW Operating, #1 Hughy, Sec. 129, 3, H&GN, spud unknown, plugged 8-21-01, TD 3630' (gas) -- Form 1 in Cities Service

HEMPHILL (HEMPHILL Douglas) Bracken Operating, L.L.C., #2051 Shell Fee 'A', Sec. 51, 41, H&GN, spud 10-13-98, plugged 9-20-01, TD 8100' (gas) --

OCTOBER 15, 2001
CONVEYANCE—George R. Gibson to Richard C. Gibson, 9-17-01, See Instrument.

FTL—United States of America to Lisa L. Jernigan, 8-13-92.
MML—Public Steel Inc. to Vista General Contractors Inc., et al, 10-12-01, See Instrument.

C/C PROBATE—Doris Teague to Ex Parte, 7-17-01.

C/C PROBATE—Samuel A. Teague to Ex Parte, 5-11-01.

DT—West Texas Gas Inc., et al to Bank of Oklahoma, National Association, 9-27-01, See Instrument.

NAME CHANGE CERTIFICATE—American Processing LP, et al to Oneok Texas Field Services LP, 10-31-00.

NAME CHANGE CERTIFICATE—American Gathering LP to Oneok Texas Gathering LP, 10-31-00.

CORR. MD—Annie Caroline Lackey Carver to Linton Carol Lackey, et al, 10-9-01, 50 acs. SW 1/4 Sec. 49 and the NE 1/4 Sec. 50, Blk. A-7, H&GN Ry. Company Survey.

CERTIFICATE CANCELLATION—Apache Corporation, Trustee to Apache Series 1996-A Trust, 9-24-01.

OCTOBER 16, 2001
D—Ruby Lee Bush Larsen to Alfred L. Larsen, 10-16-01, SW 1/4; Pt. SE 1/4 Sec. 67, Blk. 13, H&GN Ry. Company Survey.

DT—Mark J. Cadra, et ux to Wheeler Banking Center, 10-10-01, S 1/2 N 1/2 Sec. 125, Blk. 23, H&GN Ry. Company Survey, and NE 1/4 Sec. 5, Blk. 24, H&GN Ry. Company Survey.

RDT—National Banking Corporation to Mark J. Cadra, et ux, 10-11-01, S 1/2 N 1/2 Sec. 125, Blk. 23, H&GN Ry. Company Survey.

MD—Robert Oran Lister III, et ux to Bob Weatherly, 10-12-01, See Instrument.

OCTOBER 17, 2001
MD—Richard S. Brown, et ux to Jack W. Hefley, et ux, 9-19-01, Sec. 62, Blk. M-1 and Pt. N 1/2 Sec. 63, Blk. M-1, H&GN Ry. Company Survey.

MD—Heritage Beef Cattle Company Inc. to Jack W. Hefley, et ux, 10-11-01, Sec. 62, Blk. M-1 and Pt. N 1/2 Sec. 63, Blk. M-1, H&GN Ry. Company Survey.

CORR. MD—Rilla Mae Lackey Whiteley to Linton Carol Lackey, et al, 10-9-01, N 50 acs. SW 1/4 Sec. 49

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RDT—TBA Petroleum Inc. to BancFirst, —, —, See Instrument.

EXT. DT—Kevin Frankenberg, et ux to Wheeler Banking Center, 10-12-01, Lots 2-4, Blk. 1, Conner Add., Wheeler.

ASSIGN.—Munson Operating Inc. to Saxet Resources Inc., et al, 7-5-01, See Instrument.

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CORR. ASSIGN.—Neuhoff Oil & Gas Corp., et al to Questar Exploration and Production Company, 9-26-01, NW 1/4 Sec. 26, Blk. A-3, H&GN Ry. Company Survey.

OPTION AGREEMENT—Daphne Jenkins Smith to Jackfork Land Inc., 1-8-01, SE 1/4 Sec. 46, Blk. A-7, H&GN Ry. Company Survey.

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OL—Thomas Michael Bryant to Jackfork Land Inc., 8-20-01, Sec. 35, Blk. A-7, H&GN Ry. Company Survey.

OL—Thomas Michael Bryant to Jackfork Land Inc., 8-20-01, Sec. 34, Blk. A-7, H&GN Ry. Company Survey.

OL—Michael J. Lemly to Jackfork Land Inc., 6-27-01, W 1/2 NE 1/4 Sec. 46, Blk. A-7, H&GN Ry. Company Survey.

DVL—Leroy Parker, et ux to James Hinnenkamp, et ux, 10-5-01, Lots 9-12, Blk. J. Park Add., Wheeler.

DT—James Hinnenkamp, et ux to Leroy Parker, et ux, 10-5-01, Lots 9-12, Blk. J. Park Add., Wheeler.

CORR. DVL—Robert Stokes, et ux to Joseph Keys, et ux, 10-9-01, Lot 4, Pt. Lot 1, and Pt. Lot 2, Blk. LXXXIV, Shamrock.

HOME EQUITY DT—Joseph Keys, et ux to First National Bank of Shamrock, 10-11-01, Lot 4, Pt. of Lot 1 and Pt. Lot 2, Blk. LXXXIV, Shamrock.

OCTOBER 18, 2001
ASSIGN.—Beartooth Energy Partners LP to Adexco Ltd., 10-17-01, Sec. 16, Blk. R.E., Robert & Eddleman Survey.

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OL—Virginia Dean Miller to Bravo Natural Resources Inc., 7-10-01, W 1/2 and the W 1/2 W 1/2 E 1/2 Sec. 2, Blk. A-3, H&GN Ry. Company Survey.

TRUSTEE OL—Miller Family Trust to Bravo Natural Resources Inc., 7-10-01, W 1/2 and the W 1/2 W 1/2 E 1/2 Sec. 2, Blk. A-3, H&GN Ry. Company Survey.

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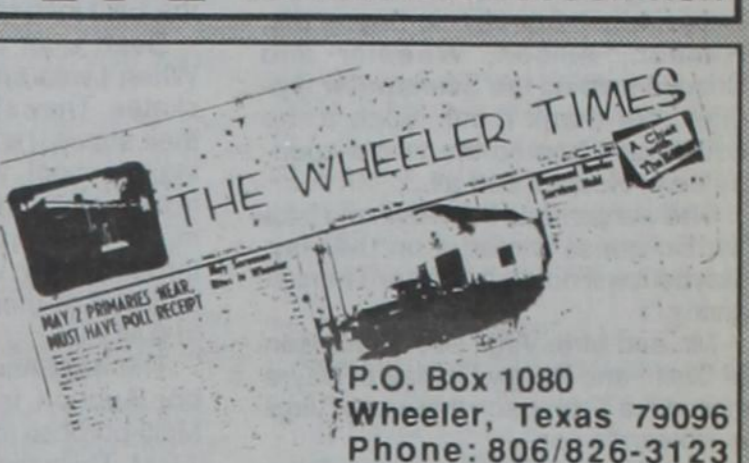
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CITATION BY PUBLICATION STATE OF TEXAS
To Felicitas V. Ledbetter, Defendant in the cause numbered and entitled below.

You are commanded to appear before the Honorable 31st Judicial District Court, of Wheeler County, at the courthouse in Wheeler, Texas at or before 10:00 a.m. of the first Monday after expiration of 42 days from October 10, 2001, the date of issuance of this citation, by filing a written answer to Plaintiff's Original Petition that was filed in the court on October 10, 2001, numbered 11,110 on the docket of the court, and entitled Newfield Exploration Mid-Continent Inc., Plaintiff, v. Felicitas V. Ledbetter, Defendoant. A brief statement of the nature of this suit is an appointment of a receiver to represent the interests of a party of unknown residence, to wit: Decedent, Henry J. Ledbetter, predeceased his wife, Felicitas V. Ledbetter, allowing her to inherit an undivided one quarter (1/4) interest in the South Half of the South One Hundred (S/2 of S 100) acres of Survey Eight (Sur. 8), Block C, E. Montgomery Pre-emption Survey, Wheeler County, Texas. Her residence is unknown to Plaintiff and Plaintiff, therefore must seek appointment of a receiver to execute an oil and gas mineral lease in order to avoid incurring substantial damages, as is more fully shown by Plaintiff's petition on file in this suit. If this citation is not served within 90 days after the date of its issuance, it shall be returned unserved. The officer executing this writ shall promptly serve it and make due return according to requirements of law, and the mandates of this citation. Issued under my hand and the seal of the court of Wheeler, Texas, on the 10th day of October, 2001.
(signed) Sherri Jones
Wheeler County District Clerk
P.O. Box 528
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WHEELER COUNTY SOIL AND WATER CONSERVATION SERVICES STATEMENT OF REVENUES, EXPENDITURES, AND FUND BALANCES FOR THE YEAR ENDED AUGUST 31, 2001

REVENUE	STATE FUND	TRUST FUND
State Receipts		
Matching Funds	\$ 4,426.00	\$
Technical Assistance	\$ 2,000.00	\$
Subchapter H Tech Assist	\$ 259.89	\$
Other State Receipts		
Supplemental Matching	\$ 540.05	\$
Supplemental TA	\$ 264.08	\$
Donations	\$	\$ 3,890.99
Sale of Materials	\$	\$32,367.11
Interest Earned	\$ 191.48	\$ 338.66
Other Receipts	\$ 11	

Hope you all made it thru Monday's wind. Wasn't that something! There was a big fire over north. I heard there were firemen from Erick, Sayre, Elk, Reydon, Allison, Wheeler and Briscoe helping the Sweetwater firemen. We thank them. Such a fire could have burned the whole country side. Houses and all.

The wasps have been trying to take us. So guess winter is on the way. Maybe it will hold off till after Thanksgiving.

Mr. and Mrs. Virgil Lee Thompson of Calif., and Peggy Dunlap of Sayre visited Iva Thompson this week. Virgil is Howard's son.

Iva, Norma Zellmer and Ollie Anderson were Amarillo visitors Monday. Ollie saw her doctor.

Eb and Eva Atkinson visited her mother, Faye Moore at Tuloga Sunday. Her brother had a birthday and Faye's is the 24th. My Mama, Daddy and brother, Frank, all had birthdays on Oct. 24.

E. L. and Wilma Fowler attended a postal meeting at Weatherford. Bonnie and Arnold Rice also were there.

There will be a Veteran's Day Program, Nov. 9, at 10 a.m. at the Sweetwater Multi-Purpose Room. Why? To honor our Veterans and wives. Lunch will be served after the program.

Debby and Shannon Anderson, Helen Smith, Heather and Laney Anderson, Mr. and Mrs. Michael Smith attended the recent birthday party at Erick for little Bayle and Dylon Abila.

The high school boys basketball

scrimmage was at Hydro Tuesday. No school Thursday and Friday. Fall break!

Vikki Fowler kept the Post Office part of the week and Greg Henson ran the mail route.

Ev and Eva Atkinson attended the funeral for a friend at Granite Friday.

Our friend (the lady we grandma with) Inez McDaniel of Mangum, is in the Elk Hospital.

Been a lot of ice skating on TV. When I was small, very few had ice skates. They slid on the creek ice in their shoes. I was the smallest, walking to school. When we came to the frozen creek, the big kids would get me to walk on it. When I didn't fall through, they would take off. I was flattered at their attention. This was at Salt Flat.

The 48th Annual Calf Fry and Labor Auction is at the Sweetwater Multi-purpose room Tuesday, Oct. 23, 7 P.M. Think they called it a slave sale when my kids were going.

CARD OF THANKS

We would like to take this way of thanking each and everyone that has helped us in our time of losing Jeremy Cornell on Oct. 16. The outpouring of love in the way of prayers, cards, food, memorials, and flowers has been overwhelming and so encouraging. May GOD richly bless you for your kindness.

The William "Bill" Cornell Families
Bob and Mary Cornell
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Lewis and Tammy Newman Families
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WHEELER, TEXAS

Wheeler Baptist Golden Agers Active In October

Golden Agers, First Baptist Church, Wheeler have been busy in October. The van rolled out of Wheeler at 4:30 PM Friday, Oct. 12, 2001, heading west to Amarillo.

A group of five made a special stop at Braums in Pampa before continuing on to the Amarillo Civic Center auditorium for an evening of pleasure listening to NightHawk Jazz Ensemble from the United States Air Force Band of the West.

Performing America's own music-Jazz, these top-notch musicians perform an average of 100 performances annually, entertaining over 500,000 people, and logging over 20,000 miles of travel each year.

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NightHawk's program included "It Had To Be You", "San Faansico", "Danny Boy", "Stars and Stripes",

"Saint Louis Blues", "Glenn Miller Medley", "American Trilogy", and the "Air Force Song."

Saturday, October 20, 2001 found, a small group eager to go to Canadian's Fall Foliage Festival. We gathered at 9:00 A.M., but had such a few, we just piled into a nice lady's car and split.

The trees were really pretty between Wheeler and Canadian. We did enjoy the foliage at Lake Marvin, and we spotted three deer and 14 turkeys. We were fascinated at the size of that old, old tree.

The crafts were plentiful, many of which we had seen at Shamrock's Irish Festival. We ate a Bar-B-Que, Brisket plate lunch sponsored by Rachel's Little House, a day care center I believe. It was very tasty!

We were tired when we returned to Wheeler and parted company. You missed a fun time if you didn't travel with us. People 50 plus are fun to be with and know what fun really is.

Watch the *Wheeler Times* to learn what Golden Agers from First Baptist Church have been doing this week!

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ALLISON MENU

MONDAY, October 29, 2001 — FRIDAY, November 2, 2001

MONDAY
Breakfast: Breakfast Hot Pocket, Juice, Milk

Lunch: Chicken Glaziers, Green Bean Casserole, Okra, Hot Rolls, Ice Cream, Milk

TUESDAY
Breakfast: Waffles w/Strawberries, Juice, Milk

Lunch: Meat Loaf, Mashed Potatoes, English Peas, Hot Rolls, Cherry n Snow, Milk

WEDNESDAY
Breakfast: Grave Yard Wrap, Witches Brew, Ghost Foam

Lunch: Frankenstein Brew, Tomb Stones, Slimy Guts, Brittle Bones, Eyes of Newt, Monster Milk

THURSDAY
Breakfast: Asst. Cereal, Cream of Wheat, Toast, Juice, Milk

Lunch: Corn Dogs, Fries, Fruit, Milk

THANK YOU

On Tuesday A.M. I stopped just east of Wheeler to use the phone. A very nice young lady and her young son stopped to require if I needed help. I just want to say thanks so much.

Wheeler County people have always been the greatest. Thanks again.
Jean Burch
White Deer, TX

FRIDAY
Breakfast: Breakfast Bar, Biscuits, Juice, Milk

Lunch: Grilled Chicken Sandwiches, Lettuce, Tomatoes, Pickles, Chips, Fruit, Snicker Doodles Cookies, Milk (Menu subject to change)

FT. ELLIOTT MENU
(Mobeetie Campus)

MONDAY, October 29, 2001 — FRIDAY, November 2, 2001

MONDAY
Breakfast: Cereal Cowboy Bread, Juice, Milk

Lunch: Hamburgers, Hamburger Fixins, French Fries, Sugar Cookies, Milk/Tea

TUESDAY
Breakfast: Breakfast Bars, Juice, Milk

Lunch: Nachos w/Meat & Cheese, Beans, Salad, Corn Bread, Fruit Salad, Milk/Tea

WEDNESDAY
Breakfast: Pancakes, Ham, Juice, Milk

Lunch: Chicken Strips, Mashed Potatoes w/Gravy, English Peas, Biscuits, Choc. Cake, Milk/Tea

THURSDAY
Breakfast: Breakfast Burritos, Juice, Milk

Lunch: Baked Potatoes, Cheese, Ham, Broccoli, Rolls, Fruit Salad, Milk/Tea

FRIDAY
Breakfast: Biscuits w/Gravy, Sausage, Jelly, Juice, Milk

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10	Joe Don Glassey	WR/DB	5'9"	160	So.
11	Jarrod Haning	WR/DB	5'5"	130	Fr.
17	Jake Britt	RB/LB	5'10"	170	Sr.
21	Cameron Burton	WR/DB	5'8"	140	Fr.
22	Brenton Goerend	WR/DB	6'1"	170	So.
28	Gavin McQueen	TE/DE	6'3"	195	Sr.
30	Dagan Moore	WR/DB	6'0"	180	Jr.
32	Kendall Hefley	RB/DB	5'10"	180	Sr.
35	Chris Gallagher	RB/DB	6'0"	180	Jr.
39	Josh Miller	RB/LB	5'10"	195	So.
44	J. D. Cole	RB/LB	5'10"	160	Fr.
50	Dirk Chapman	OT/DT	6'2"	195	Sr.
57	Nic Gaines	OT/DT	5'11"	210	So.
58	Evan Watts	OG/DE	6'1"	180	Jr.
60	Joe Salas	OG/LB	5'10"	200	So.
61	Landon Sams	OC/DE	5'10"	160	Fr.
62	Tyler Lewis	OG/DE	6'1"	200	Jr.
63	Danny Spikes	OC/LB	5'11"	180	Jr.
70	Blaine Rutherford	OT/DT	6'0"	190	So.
74	Danny Glasgow	OT/DT	5'10"	230	Jr.
85	Corey Jewell	WR/DB	5'10"	170	Sr.
88	Brad Masters	TE/DE	6'2"	185	So.

WHEELER J. V. & JR. HIGH 2001 FOOTBALL SCHEDULE

Sept 6	Claude	Here	JH/JV	4:30
Sept. 13	Gruver	There	JH/JV	4:30
Sept. 20	Memphis	Here	JH/JV	4:30
Sept. 27	White Deer	There	JH/JV	4:30
Oct. 4	Shamrock	Here	JH/JV	4:30
Oct. 11	Claude	There	JH/JV	4:30
Oct. 18	Gruver	Here	JH/JV	4:30
Oct. 25	Booker	There	JH/JV	4:30
Nov. 1	White Deer	Here	JH/JV	4:30

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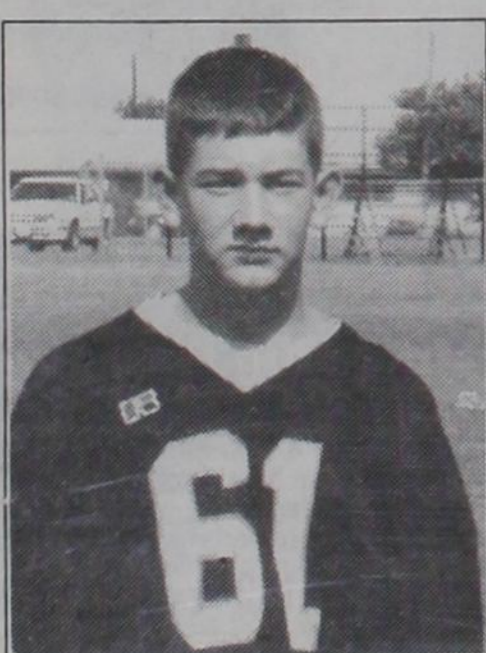
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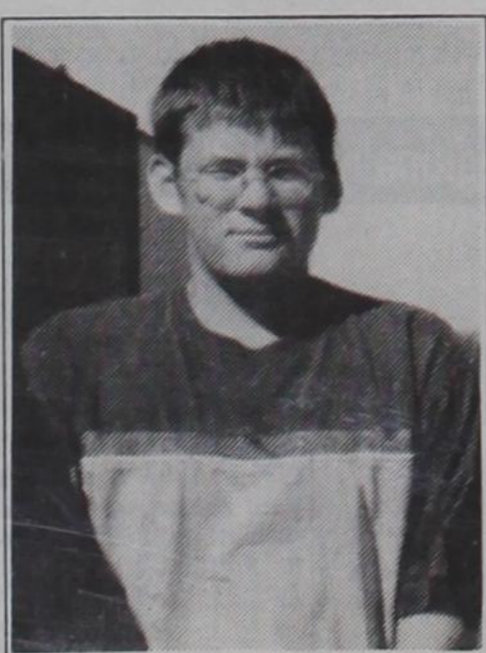
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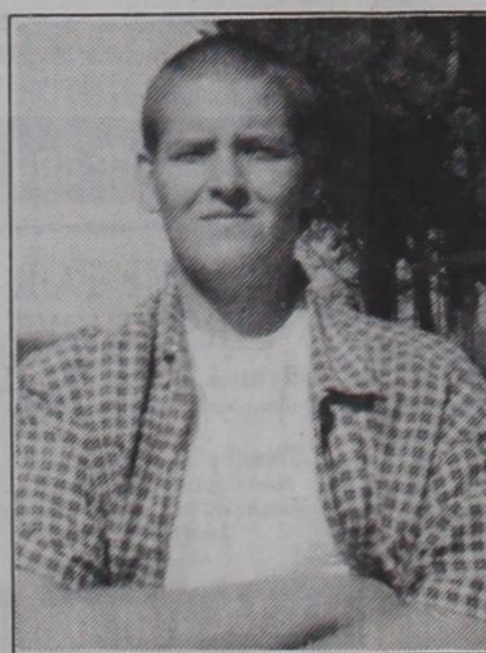
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WHEELER MUSTANGS 2001 FOOTBALL SCHEDULE

Aug. 24	Farwell Scrimmage	TBA	TBA
Aug. 30	Clarendon Scrim.	T	TBA
Sept. 7	Paducah	W-8	P-28 7:30
Sept. 14	Sunray	W-0	S-28
Sept. 21	Memphis	W-28	M-22 20T
Sept. 28	Dalhart	W-21	D-40
Oct. 5	Childress	W-14	C-40
Oct. 12	*Claude	W-28	C-9
Oct. 19	*Gruver	W-21	G-7
Oct. 26	*Booker	Here	7:30
Nov. 2	*White Deer	There	7:30
Nov. 8	*Shamrock	Here	7:30
	* District Games		

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Popcorn	\$.50
Brownies	\$.75
Rice Krispies	\$.75
*H'made Ice Cream	\$ 1.00
**Homemade Pie	\$ 1.50
Pickle	\$.75
Ring Pop	\$.50
Blow Pop	\$.25
Powerade (20 oz)	\$ 1.25
Soft Drinks (20 oz)	\$ 1.25
Dasani Water (20 oz)	\$ 1.00
Coffee	\$.50
Hot Chocolate	\$.75

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Proverbs 11:17: The merciful man does good for his own soul, but he who is cruel troubles his own flesh.

Happy Birthday to Lee Brown, Caylen Willingham, Charles Finsterwald and Margaret Oldham on Oct. 28; Dan Cornett, John Lee, Kory McLaughlin, Tristan Newman and Dorothy Walker on Oct. 29; Evelyn Kincannon on Oct. 30; Kevin Wilson and Calvin Kincannon on Oct. 31; Edith and Kelley Cross, Bob Kinnaman, Jonathan Walker and Chris Mick on Nov. 1; Dusty Walker, Acasha Mick and Christina Brashears on Nov. 3; and Audrey Kinnaman on Nov. 2.

Happy Anniversary to Shawn and Daphne Zybach on Nov. 2.

Don't forget to set your clock back an hour next Saturday night, Oct. 27. Daylight Saving Time ends early Sunday.

Ft. Elliott H.S. football team will play Higgins at Briscoe Thursday night, Oct. 25, at 7:30. Ft. Elliott Junior High will play at Higgins Friday night, Oct. 26, at 6:00 p.m. (Note changes of usual days.)

Fellowship of Christian Cowboys will meet Saturday night, Oct. 27, at 6:00 at Clyde Carruth Pavilion at Pampa for good music, delicious food, fellowship and sometimes a short devotional. Everyone invited.

"God sees in us a masterpiece That one day will be done; His Spirit works in all our lives To make us like his son."

—Spur in Daily Bread
Nice to visit with Leona Coates at Walmart in Pampa Tuesday. She says she has a wonderful crop of

pecans, if an early freeze doesn't damage them before they are mature. That would ruin them. The crows are also working on them, worse than squirrels. Leona has picked up quite a bit of pecans already and is drying them.

Dick Irvine was the speaker at Briscoe Community Church Sunday for a good service. Gene Keelin visited his mom, Rosalie Saturday night.

Johnny and Patty Crawford and son, Matt Crawford and fiancée, Julie Robinette, went to Raton, N.M., over the weekend. Foliage there was gorgeous. They did a little fishing, but fish were not responsive. They enjoyed visiting and planning for the

coming marriage of Matt and Julie on January 5 at Matador Baptist church, where Matt is the Youth minister.

Johnny Crawford is in a revival at Alanreed Baptist Church this week from Sunday, Oct. 21, to Thursday, Oct. 25. Everyone invited. 7:00 p.m. each night. Jim Bible is pastor.

Bob and Gena Zybach went to Pampa Wednesday and got new glasses at Simmons and Simmons and had a delicious lunch at Clint and Sons on north Hobart Street.

We welcome Cody and Nikki Wiggins and Kelsie and Ashton to Ft. Elliott and Briscoe. Cody is the new Ft. Elliott Maintenance man at Briscoe and the son of Billy and Tobatha Wiggins. Cody and family live in the trailer house where Wayne and Pat Childress and Andrea and Tracy Auldridge and Tysen lived. God bless you everyone!

Good to see Bulldog Walker out to the volleyball games and pile-on supper in the new Ft. Elliott gym Tuesday night. He was with Dorothy Walker and Jodie Walker. He doesn't

get around very well, but good he could come to see great-granddaughter, Kenzie Watkins, play ball. The gym is beautiful and spacious. Good crowd on our side. Ft. Elliott defeated Fritch J.V. 15-1, 15-2, and Fritch Varsity 15-11, 15-2.

Sorry Andrea Hathaway and Holly McCurley still recuperating from the wreck of the pick-up and couldn't play. So thankful they aren't badly hurt. Lovely young ladies.

A sad thing happened Tuesday night, Oct. 16. Jeremy Cornell, 19, son of William and Vickey Cornell and grandson of Bob and Mary Cornell of Allison and Murl and Eula Kuhlman of Tuttle was killed in a car accident as he was driving home from Vo-Tech. Maybe went to sleep. We are so sorry. Sincere sympathy to all his family and friends. Funeral was Friday at Cordell First Baptist church with burial at Zybach Cemetery and family supper at Allison Baptist church. Good to see many of the family at Zybach. We love these sweet people and are so sorry about Jeremy.

Sincere sympathy to family and friends of Leonard Gaines, 65, in his death.

Mary Cornell of Allison and Tammy Newman of Briscoe went to Cordell the night of the storm to check on the relatives. Wednesday Tammy and Junior, Chance and Roland went to Bessie to be with William and Vickey and family after Jeremy Cornell was killed. Thank you to those who let us know. They have been like family through the years.

Good to have Jeanette Jahnel and Deseray and Mary Lou Carter come by and visit a while Thursday. Jeanette's foot surgery will be later, Tuesday, Oct. 23.

Gary Morris, Michael Killingsworth and Scott and Caaron Neighbors went to Amarillo Oct. 14 to Disney on Ice and Coin show and ate at Golden



Corral. Nice day.

Sincere sympathy to family and friends of Winnie Kiker, 96, in her death. Funeral was Saturday at Allison Methodist Church with meals for the family.

Sincere sympathy to family and friends of Ellen Powell, 90, in her death. Sweet lady. Funeral was at Mobeetie Baptist Monday with meal for the family.

Charles Crownover frequently visits Gary Morris and Michael Killingsworth at Mobeetie. Isn't that nice?

Good to see Joe and Beverly Smith and Neal and Sallie and Rachel Laughlin and baby at Jeremy's funeral. Joe recently had knee surgery, but is doing well, and able to work. Good to see Neal doing pretty well. Also nice to see Guy and Missy Kuhlman and girls from Shattuck at Zybach and many family members.

Ray and Glenda Hudson spent the weekend in Briscoe at their house and attended Gageby Church Sunday morning. Always good to see them. Ray and Glenda have moved back to Briscoe. Ray lost his job right after they had bought a beautiful house at Kingfisher and some new furniture. They have the Kingfisher house under contract to sell and plan to have an auction. They are looking

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for jobs. Pray for them!

Friday night, nice to see Glenna and Wilma Hefley with a friend from California (ex-Shamrock) and her daughter, Leona Hefley was also there at Maxeys with a friend. Good to visit with Sue and Gene Harrison at Maxeys. Also eating there were Deedy Zybach and Sarah Beth and Lauren Baird, who were on their way to McLean to the football game. Also there were R. E. and Fannie Jo George from Canadian.

We like your column, Melba, Hang in there. Those who can't do, criticize. They haven't tried it.

Thank you, Wheeler County Farm Bureau for the delicious chili and beans pile on dinner Friday with onions and cheese and chocolate cake and tea and coffee. Nice to visit with several. Many got nice door prizes. We forgot to sign up. Steve Walker catered the meal. Big crowd there.

Lou Dean Douthit had surgery on her right foot Friday for hammer toes and a bunion. She has to use a walker and will not be able to drive for some time. Pray for Lou Dean. Peggy North came in Thursday, so Debbie and Billie and Peggy were all here for the surgery. Peggy left Monday morning to go back to Tolar. Lou Dean had to go back to Amarillo Tuesday for a check-up on the surgery. Lou Dean feels it has really slowed her down and taken something out of her.

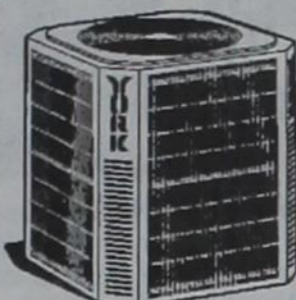
Pray for those who were baptized at Mobeetie Baptist Church Sunday and included Justin Bryant, Colby

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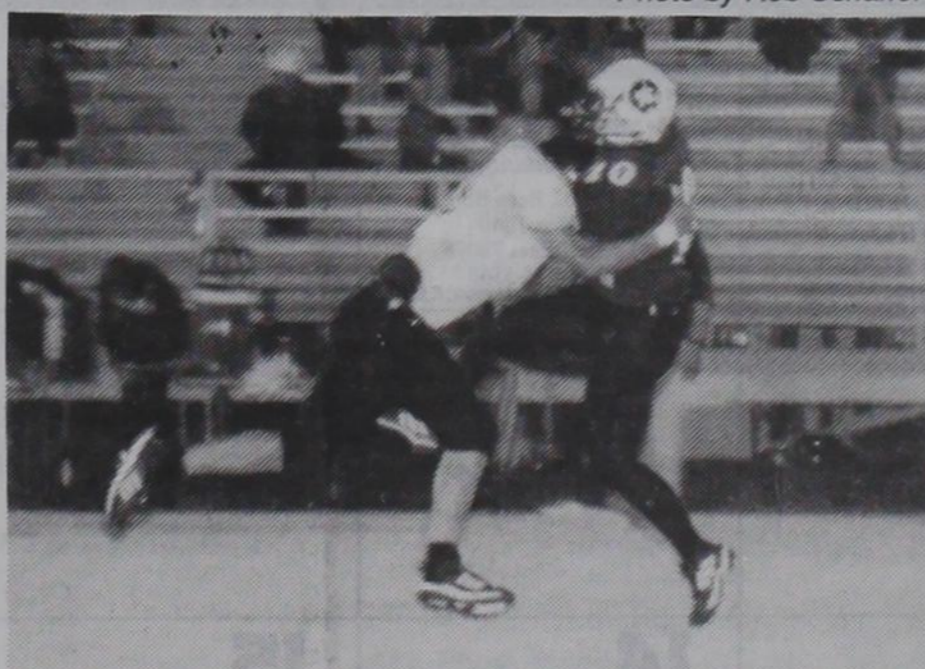
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The Wright Family



SWARMS: The Mustang offense the Gruver team. Brad Masters, #88, Blaine Rutherford, #70, are in on the stop. Jake Britt, #17 and Joe Salas, #60, are ready to do their part.

—Photo by Rob Schaffer



BLITZ: Gavin McQueen, #28, blitzes the Gruver quarterback.

—Photo by Rob Schaffer

MEET THE 2001 WHEELER MUSTANG BAND



Josh Couch
8th — Percussion



Jennifer Jones
8th — Clarinet



Sean Crouch
8th — Percussion



Katie Richardson
8th — Clarinet



Josh Britt
8th — Tenor/Alto

MOBEETIE NEWS

By: Melba Corcoran

Since I am out of town and couldn't get the regular news, I went back to the papers in the archives at the museum and chose items from the Wheeler Times.

July 16, 1942
213,649 Pounds Scrap Rubber in Drive Collection

Seventeen and three-fourths pounds of discarded rubber per person in Wheeler county were collected in the nationwide salvage campaign which closed Friday. This estimate is based on an aggregate collection of 2113,642 pounds in the county. In the first phase of the rubber campaign, Wheeler county people contributed 176,731 pounds. When the campaign was extended ten days they responded by contributing an addition 37,000 pounds.

One Wheeler service station reported received 3,600 pounds of scrap rubber donated by citizens for the U. S. O. fund. Of this amount 2,000 pounds was donated by a single person, Buck Britt, who requested that payment for it go to this cause.

Mobeetie Happenings:
Mrs. Pearl Ferguson visited her daughter and son in Pampa during the weekend.

Mrs. Frank Totty left Saturday for Denver to visit her brother, Jim Winkley of Lowry Field.

W. C. Huie of Shamrock and Miss Ruth Shackelford of Mobeetie were united in marriage Saturday morning

by Rev. Martin, the Church of God pastor. The couple left Saturday for Shamrock to visit his folks, and then they will make their home in Amarillo.

Miss Ina Scott, Barney, Louise and Edith St. John, Billie Godwin and Ina's nephew enjoyed a picnic supper on the creek Friday evening.

Senator W. Lee O'Daniel, son Mike, Hal Collins and others stopped in Old Mobeetie Wednesday while en route to Shamrock.

Beat At Their Own Game
Prairie chickens, vain creatures try to chase each other off the "booming grounds" when courtship begins in the spring. But recently a bunch of them got their hands called. A straggling ringneck pheasant cock showed up while the prairie chickens were calling their mates on a booming ground in this county. The pheasant chased all the prairie chickens away after a thrilling fight, according to the Game Department biologist.

The pheasant is not a native Texas bird. The straggler's appearance in Wheeler County probably was the

result of the release of a number of ringnecks in the Canadian River bottoms several years ago.

Clay Food Store specials for Friday and Saturday were
Corn Fresh Home Grown per doz. 25 cents 2 ears 5 cent.

Tomatoes vine ripened per lb. 5 cents

Spuds 10 lbs. 23 cents
Flour princess 48-pound pillow sack \$1.57.

Vinegar quart 8 cents, Mustard quart jar 9 cents

Raspberry jam seedless 14 ounce glass jar 25 cents. Vanilla extract 8 ounce bottle 9 cents. Meat Market Specials Short ribs 18 cents per pound, brisket roast 16 cents per

WHEELER MENU

MONDAY, October 29, 2001 — FRIDAY, November 2, 2001

MONDAY
Breakfast: Toast/Jelly, Cereal, Juice, Milk

Lunch: Pig in the Blanket, Corn on the Cob, Blackeyed Peas, Fruit, Milk
TUESDAY
Breakfast: Biscuits/Gravy, Ham, Juice, Milk

Lunch: (Cooks Choice), Fruit, Milk
WEDNESDAY
Breakfast: Cinnamon Rolls, Cereal, Juice, Milk

Lunch: Chicken Nuggets, w/Gravy, Mashed Potatoes, Green Beans, Hot Roll, Fruit, Milk
THURSDAY
Breakfast: Toast/Jelly, Ham, Hash Brown, Juice, Milk

Lunch: Turkey, Buttered Noodles, Frieded Okra, Salad, Fruit, Milk
FRIDAY
Breakfast: Toast/Jelly, Cereal, Juice, Milk

Lunch: Sloppy Joe, Fries, Pickle Spears, Fruit, Milk
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4 NAZARENE CHURCH Wheeler 3:00 P.M.	5 W. Bus. Club 12 Noon Meth. Fellowship Hall AF-AM Lodge 7:30 P.M. Wheeler S. Citiz. 6:00 P.M. ARC of Texas 6:00 P.M. Meth. Fellowship Hall Care Center Birthday Party Wheeler Meth. 2:30 P.M.	6 Wheeler Lions Club Mel's Diner 6:00 A.M. Driver's License Trooper Wheeler Courthouse 9:00-4:00	7	8 Allison I.S.D. Bd. 7:00 P.M.	9 Mobeetie XYZ (Senior Citizens) First Baptist Church ... 6:00 P.M.	10
11 NAZARENE CHURCH Wheeler 3:00 P.M.	12 Wheeler Bus. Club 12 Noon Meth. Fellowship Hall AF-AM Lodge 7:30 P.M. Comm. Court 10:00 A.M. Mobeetie City Coun. 7:00 P.M. Fl. Elliott I.S.D. Bd. 7:00 P.M.	13 Kelton I.S.D. Bd. 7:30 P.M. Mobeetie Fire Dept. 7:00 P.M. Wheeler Lions Club Mel's Diner 6:00 A.M. American Legion Wheeler Vol. Fire Dept. 7:30 P.M.	14 Wheeler I.S.D. Bd. 7:00 P.M.	15 Wheeler Fire Dept. 7:00 P.M.	16	17
18 NAZARENE CHURCH Wheeler 3:00 P.M.	19 Wheeler Bus. Club 12 Noon Meth. Fellowship Hall AF-AM Lodge 7:30 P.M. Wheeler City Council City Hall 7:00 P.M.	20 Wheeler Lions Club Mel's Diner 6:00 A.M. Driver's License Trooper Wheeler Courthouse 9:00-4:00 OPEN HOUSE Wheeler Care Center 2:00 to 4:00 P.M.	21	22	23	24
25 NAZARENE CHURCH Wheeler 3:00 P.M.	26 Wheeler Bus. Club 12 Noon Meth. Fellowship Hall AF-AM Lodge 7:30 P.M. Comm. Court 10:00 A.M.	27 Wheeler Lions Club Mel's Diner 6:00 A.M.	28	29	30	

Nov. 21-23—THANKSGIVING HOLIDAYS for Wheeler I.S.D. and Allison
Nov. 22-23—THANKSGIVING HOLIDAYS for Ft. Elliott



THE WHEELER TIMES

PAGE 6—Thursday, October 25, 2001
"Wheeler, town of friendship and pride."

District, have donated material and labor for the construction of a 45 foot flag pole on the campus of the school grounds. The pole is made of scrap pipe and painted is set in concrete base and completely equipped with pulleys.

Mr. Chandler, Mr. Barnett and Mr. Newman set the base last week and hoisted the pole to position Monday. O. C. Evans, school superintendent, in behalf of the school and its patrons

this week expressed his gratitude for the worthy contribution to the school and stated that a new 5 by 8 ft. flag has been ordered to replace the smaller size flag raised when the pole was completed.

Some Specials from Puckett's Store No. 4 were Hi-Ho crackers one pound box 21 cents, Del Monte Peas No. 2 can 17 cents, Del Monte tomato juice 47 ounce can 27 cents, Powdered sugar 1 pound box 8 cents.



FOUR GREAT-GRANDSONS: Irene Rogers of Wheeler recently had the opportunity to have her four great-grandsons all together. She is shown here with (l. to r.) Caidren Rogers of Round Rock, Texas, Brennan Umsted and Laundry Umsted of Wheeler and Kade Kemp of Amarillo. Irene says, "They are four of a kind; it takes a full house to beat them. Love them dearly."

Board

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Motion by: William Burch Second by: Mark Tucker To have Team 8 Training on October 24, 2001 at 6-9 p.m.

Preliminary Report on the DEC visit was given.

Amended substitute list
Motion by: William Burch Second by: Mark Tucker To approve the amended substitute list. Motion carried unanimous. Attendance Committees

Motion by: Dr. Hillhouse Second by: William Burch To approve the attendance committee for high school:

Old Mobeetie Assoc. Has Apprec. Dinner Oct. 13

The Old Mobeetie Texas Association held their yearly volunteer appreciation dinner Saturday night at the Mobeetie City Hall. Scott Porter gave the blessing for the meal. Those winning door prizes were Don Burke, Hollie McCurley, Gene Arnold, Carolyn Hefley, Joe VanZandt, Bill Ridgway and Scott Porter. Those attending were Norman and Vircie Dysart, Bill and Dutch Elliott, Jack and Bernice Hefley, Bob Izzard, Dale and Melba Corcoran, Chuck and Louise Hogan, Scott and Gena Porter, Jimmy and Bobby Hill, Frances Dickey, Louis and Barbara Stas, Jessica and Bethany Brooks, Gene and Melba Arnold, Patricia, Melissa, and Steven Kephart, Bill and Freda Hagerman, Bill and Virginia Ridgway, Mac and Mary Kay Christner, Randy, Carol, and Holly McCurley, Don and Willene Burke, Clinton and Maurita Stribling, Joe and Janie VanZandt, Jerry and Carolyn Hefley, Bill and Doyle Edgerton.

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Kloette Henson, Dale Pulpan, Cody Peltrey, Janette Umsted, Mary Britt Motion carried unanimous.

Motion by: William Burch Second by: Mark Tucker To approve the attendance committee for Elementary and Jr. High: Mary Britt, Debra Finsterwald, Jerry Smith, Doug Rives Motion carried unanimous.

Superintendent Report by Brooks Symank: The tennis court fence repairs have been completed. Also reported that special programs presentation has been scheduled to present dyslexia and reading related presentation.

Principal reports:
Doug Rives reported on his training at Pandarias and on an enrollment at the JH/Elementary.

Dale Pulpan reported on enrollment at High School, academic achievement thru the 1st 6 wks and band contest.

Meeting adjourned at 8:30 P.m.

October 16, 2001

Special Board Meeting
The Wheeler ISD Board of Trustees met in a Special called Board Meeting October 16, 2001 in the board room of the administration office. Board Vice-President Mark Tucker called the meeting to order at 6:30 p.m.. A welcome to all attending and a call for public comment was issued. Jauna Benefield arrived 6:33 p.m. Dr. Hillhouse called 6:35 enroute.

All board members were present except Dan Sams, Jauna Benefield, Dr. Hillhouse.

School personnel present were Brooks Symank and James Hubble. No Guest.

Special business: Approval of Insurance proposal.

Discussion of the insurance plans discussed. Mr. Symank presented plan favored by the faculty.

Motion by: Dr. Smith Second by: William Burch To approve the insurance proposal presented/offered by First Care PPO, and the plan favored by the faculty. Motion carried unanimous.

The Far West Fiddler's Convention

Lorena g. Males
Nothing ever just happens. People make them happen.

Jerry Kirk's name stands out in the history of the Far West Fiddlers Convention as does Tysen Shelton. Dooley Allen has been the secretary since its beginning. Wynona Allen, president, explains: "We all work together. We try to carry on." Lana Hafer, Weiser, Idaho, is president of the National Fiddlers Convention.

The Far West Fiddlers Convention will be held at The Holiday Inn, Oct. 24, 25, 26, 27. There will be a dance Oct. 26 and Oct. 27, admission \$3.00 per person. (at Holiday Inn)

The Brothers Four will be on stage from 10:00 A.M. to 11:00 A.M. Saturday Oct. 27. Main Auditorium, Holiday Inn.

One of the most popular groups to appear at the convention is the All Girls' Band. They will be on stage 3:00 P.M. Friday 26 and Saturday 27 at 3:00 P.M. Main Auditorium, Holiday Inn.

Memorial Services will be conducted for Wes Nivans and his brother, Doice Nivans, in the Main Auditorium at 10:30 A.M. Friday 26.

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Josh Couch ... 8th — Percussion
Jennifer Jones ... 8th — Clarinet
Sean Crouch ... 8th — Percussion
Katie Richardson ... 8th — Clarinet
Josh Britt ... 8th — Tenor/Alto
Lezli Finsterwald ... 8th — Clarinet
Tyler McWhorter ... 8th — Trumpet/Perc.
Justin Lee ... 8th — Percussion

Dustin Lee ... 8th — Trumpet
Jansen Moore ... 8th — Trumpet
Bo Compton ... 8th — Trumpet
J'Shay McCasland ... 8th — Flute
Carl Scales ... Fr. — Clarinet
Jandie Taylor ... Fr. — Clarinet
Heather Hampton ... 8th — Flute
Derek Murray ... 8th — Tuba

Kayla Gallardo ... 8th — Clarinet
Sue Hernandez ... Fr. — Flute
Shanna Horton ... Fr. — Clarinet
Rachel Howard ... Fr. — Flute
Erick Mendoza ... Fr. — Trumpet
Sarah Risner ... Fr. — Flute
Saharay Barboza ... Fr. — Trumpet
Amanda Bond ... Fr. — Flute

Cameron Burton ... Fr. — Alto
Hector Emiliano ... Fr. — Trombone
Jose Flores ... Fr. — Perc.
Chelsea Brooks ... So. — Percussion
Nicholas Gaines ... So. — Trombone/Perc.
Trenton Gaines ... So. — Percussion
Blaine Rutherford ... So. — Baritone
Dustin White ... So. — Tenor/Bar/Quads

Jeret Moore ... Jr. — Trumpet
Heather Leven ... Jr. — Cymbals
Hadley Mitchell ... Jr. — Trumpet
Pamela Murphy ... Jr. — Baritone
Amy Osborne ... Jr. — Trumpet
Chris Gallagher ... Jr. — Percussion
Andrew Hampton ... Jr. — Trombone
Ben Howard ... Jr. — Tuba

James Kuntz ... Jr. — Alto
Janet Kuntz ... Jr. — Clarinet
Corey Jewell ... Sr. — Trumpet
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Glad to hear that Rosemary Vise got a good report from the doctor. Her lungs have cleared up and she feels better. Leona Coates enjoyed walking and visiting with her Monday. Thanks for delivering pecans, Leona. She has some in the freezer if you need them.

Nice to have Marion Grimes come by for a visit Sunday afternoon. He and Doris Finsterwald, Nadine Lane and Bob Meller had been over to the Wheeler Care Center for music and a church service and visiting with the residents.

Danny Nelson and Amy and Danielle were weekend visitors to Vickie Nelson. Danny and girls went to the Fall Festival at Mobeetie Saturday night. Sunday Danny and Jimmy went to the fishing tournament at Lake Baylor near Childress. Vickie and the little girls visited Keri and Greg Koelzer before she took them home to Miami. Terry Tipps and Jimmy Maddox also went to the fishing tournament. Terry won first.

Nice to have Katrina (Cox) Pinkington out to Gageby Church with Kay and Dan Gatlin Sunday. Katrina is Linda Cox's daughter, and a beautiful young lady.

Dean and Georgia Tipps and Tammy Maddox and Jennifer and Amber went to Canadian Sunday afternoon for the foliage tour and other activities.

Nice to see Kathy and Billy James with Mr. and Mrs. Bill James at Wheeler Dairy Queen Sunday afternoon. They are ex-Mobeetie people, who now live at Elk City. Kathy and Billy ran the filling station on 152 at Mobeetie. They had Jamey and two boys.

Also at Dairy Queen were several Rankins, who had been to a family reunion further south. Some were from Miami and some from Canadian.

David and Rita Pearson went to Canadian Saturday night to the Prairie River Sing-a-long at the middle school and really enjoyed it. Rita also went to the craft show at Canadian with Gena Seitz and her sister, Bobbye Walker earlier.

Pray for Noveta Atherton, who has been sick with respiratory problems. Hard to adjust to hot and cold weather, I guess.

David and Rita Pearson visited Lindsey Criswell at Canyon Sunday. Think Ken was working.

Fat and Wanda Childress went to Sayre Sunday afternoon to a Surprise birthday lunch to celebrate Brenda Sue Dyson Gooch's birthday at her

brother, Rick, and Darlene Dyson's home. Some others there were Brenda's husband, Chuck Gooch and their family, Rick and Darlene Dyson's family, Helen and Richard Dyson, Kenneth and Brenda Childress, Wynola and Lindon Sanders and grandson, Scott, Janice and Clifford Barry and daughter, Stacey, and husband and Hagen, Russ and Renae Dyson and family, Kim and Tim Youree and family. What a nice family gathering!

Sue Chandler is the handiest little thing. Our closet hanging rods are all pretty tall, and I've shrunk. She got materials from the lumberyard and brought tools Wednesday and moved the rods in my closet down a few inches. Thanks, Sue, that really helps! Only took her a few minutes. Thanks to her for the tomatoes. Also and other veggies earlier.

Sue Chandler and granddaughter, Audra Weatherly, 2, and nephew, Braxton, went to Kansas Thursday to visit Sue's mom, Mary Drilling for a few days.

So sorry to hear that Dr. Robert Ingle has had to close his practice because of health problems. Pray for this fine man.

Correction: Cathy Hunt got left off the list of Briscoe people coming to



Carl Jahnel, 7 years old, and Deseray Jahnel, 1 year old, is the son and daughter of Morris and Jeanette Jahnel of Briscoe, Texas. Grandparents are Andy and Mary Jahnel of Canadian, Texas and grandma Mary Carter of Briscoe, Texas. Great-grandparents are Verneal and Juanita Prater of Briscoe, Texas and Dorothy Rich of Canadian.

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Gageby Singing. Glad to have you there, Cathy. Sorry you were left off. Come again!

Nice to have Michael Killingsworth stop by and visit awhile Sunday night after church. He and John Jones ate supper at Taco Bell in Shamrock. Michael works for Gary Morris at Mobeetie and also mows grass and picks up leaves for many people in town, as does his dad, Jerry.

Emmitt and Carolyn Singleton from Cordell visited Laurel and Ed Hershman Saturday. They went on the Canadian Foliage tour out to Lake Marvin and went to the Craft show and the Museum. They ate ice cream at the Old Fashioned Soda Fountain and saw several people they knew. Some of the most beautiful foliage is along Gageby Creek; wind hasn't stripped the leaves so badly. Take time to enjoy the gorgeous foliage. God's masterpiece. Also around other creeks, so beautiful.

Sunday night to see Rodney Hudson at Gageby Church. He had to quit his job at Levelland because of stress and is visiting and helping Ray and Glenda Hudson at Briscoe. Pray for Rodney and his family.

Nice to have a call from Jane Seitz. She is home and doing better, but still gets "spinnny" headed sometimes from a stroke. Her kids take good care of her. She has it made! She mostly can take care of herself, but hasn't been driving since she got sick. Keep praying for this sweet lady.

There was a big crowd out to Mobeetie Saturday night for Ft. Elliott's Fall Festival. Good to see many I hadn't seen in a long time. Good to see Heather Ratliff from Dallas there with Timm and Melody Rodgers and Gabe, Nikki and Allison and Kevin and Pam Ratliff. Tina Lehman and Stephanie with Mike Lehman and Al Lehman. Good food, beautiful cakes and lots of fun things to do. Good to see Gary Morris there with Michael Killingsworth, playing bingo. Pat Minick was there with her daughter, Nikki, and Cody Wiggins and Kelsie and Ashton. So many people I didn't know. Seniors had supper and Bingo; juniors had cake walk. Nice to see Chris and Acasha Mick and Luke at Mobeetie. They are expecting a new baby in November, as Luke turns one.

"A friend is there before you know it to lend a hand before you ask it, and give you love just when you need it most."

Nice to have Rev. Earl and Oneita Kilpatrick stop by for a visit Saturday afternoon. They were on their way to Evelyn Meek's home to spend the weekend. Earl preached at Gageby Sunday. They also visited Lois Meadows and J. P. and Martha Meek. Good to see these sweet people, who live in Harlingen and are head of the Frontier Baptist Mission to Old Mexico. So good to visit with them. We went to Gageby church Sunday to be there for the service. Big crowd for Gageby. Kimberly and Russell Laverty and Jessica from Midwest City, were there at Gageby. Were weekend visitors to Aaron and Claudetta Laverty and Scott and Caaron Neighbors. Also Brittaney and Asher Laverty and Amanda Bloodworth. Also nice to have Mary Lou Carter and Jeanette Jahnel and Carl Lee and Deseray. Kilpatricks have been with the Mission since 1972 and have come to Gageby many times.

Bevard and Diane Zybach enjoyed having all three of their girls home for the weekend for the first time in a long time to celebrate Diane's birthday on Oct. 24 and Carissa's birthday on Oct. 16. Those present were Deidre and John Paul Harris and Logan, Andrea Dukes and Tysen and Carissa Dukes. Bob and Gena Zybach visited awhile Saturday afternoon. Diane and Carissa birthday shopped in Elk City early Saturday morning. Some went to volleyball at Briscoe for awhile. About 5:00 p.m. Bevard and John Paul cooked their famous breakfast cookout with bacon, scrambled eggs, hash browns and biscuits by Diane. They all went over to David and Becky Zybach's Saturday afternoon for cake and ice cream and gifts to celebrate Caylen Willingham's 8th birthday and Shyana Zybach's 2nd birthday. A highlight for Caylen was a rocket that went off and crossed the road and landed among Steve's bulls. Bevard and Diane's family all went to church with them Sunday at Allison Church of Christ and had lunch together at Bevard's. A fun weekend.

We enjoyed going to Miami Fun Bunch Monday night. Hosts were Leonard and Bertha Hollis with some help from Estelle Hodges and Bulah Grimes. Bulah makes the nicest rolls. Some others there for the delicious meal and games of 42, bridge and canasta were one new lady, Frankie Herman and Betty Talley, Ina Pearson, Barbara Alexander, Evelyn Huff, Frank and Evelyn Heare, Vera Murphy, Vera Nolty, Twila Taylor, JoAnn Morgenstern, Carl and Shirley Williamson, Doyle Grimes, Willis and Verna Fillingim, Georgia Dea Holland, Jane Bright and Irene Shearer. Visitors are always welcome. Next meeting will be Monday, Nov. 12, at 6:00 p.m. with Irene Shearer and the Williamsons as hosts.

So sorry to hear Lazelle South's cancer has spread to her pancreas and liver. Keep praying for her and Toots. At present time she doesn't plan to have chemo or radiation.

Gena Zybach has been a big fan of the "Taste of Home" magazine for many years. There was a "Taste of Home" cooking school at Amarillo last Monday night, October 15. Gena and Diane Dukes met at Bellmart, when Diane got off work. They drove to Deidre Harris' apartment in Amarillo. John Paul kept baby Logan, and the three girls were able to go to the cooking school and lucky to get seats up close, in spite of the huge crowd. The "Taste of Home" people prepared 10 beautiful things. Some they prepared were Stuffed Manicotti noodles, chicken and bow-tie noodles, Choco-

late Raspberry Cheese Cake, Crunchy Peanut Butter Brickle Bars, S'mores Squares, Pumpkin Butterscotch Bundt Cake and Cranberry Apple Crisp. The ladies really enjoyed the school and the time together. Deidre was their expert chauffeur in town. Also prepared at the school were vegetable soup and Black Bean Chicken Salad. They didn't get to taste all of the things, but did get coupons and recipes and learn some cooking tricks. They really enjoyed it.

Great to have a call from Peggy Thompson. She and Dennis live at 718 West 14th St. in Goodland, KA 67735. Dennis is in better health and goes to drafting school and really enjoys it. He will graduate in April. They lived in Wheeler, where Peggy did Home Health Care for some ladies and at the K.N. plant northeast of Briscoe. We enjoyed their friendship and hope to have a visit from them. She asked about several people and wanted to say "Hello" to their friends here. Peggy is still having thyroid problems and unable to work. Pray for them.

Nice to have Leonard and Bertha Hollis join us for lunch and a good visit at Maxeys Saturday. They visited J. P. and Martha Meek Friday night and Doyle and Bulah Grimes Thursday night (or other way around) and visited and played 42. Also at Maxeys Saturday was a couple from Nebraska driving a big, beautiful motor home. Expected to be gone a week.

"God be with you till we meet again."

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To the Friends & Family of Leonard Gaines

We would like to thank everyone for all the flowers, food, cards, memorials and most of all the prayers that were bestowed upon us after our loss. In our time of need, everyone showed us how much they loved and cared about Leonard. He will be missed!

Sincerely, Sandra Gaines Stephen and Marilyn Gaines & Family Ronnie Gaines Jeff and Samantha Herbel and Boys

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IN THE CLEAR: Gavin McQueen, #28, has the ball and has some running room. — Photo by Rob Schaffer



FIGHTING: Wheeler's James Chapman, #9, has the ball and fights for yards in the game against Gruver. — Photo by Rob Schaffer

Top O' Texas CattleWomen Have October Meeting

The Top O' Texas CattleWomen met at Maxey's Cafe in Wheeler, Texas October 8, 2001. President Kay Stiles brought the meeting to order and opened the meeting with prayer.

Plans for the booth at the Fall Foliage Festival October 20-21 in Canadian were finalized. Berkley Clements was successful in getting the "Batter-Up For Beef" game back to have at the booth. We have plenty of recipes and literature to give out.

Amy Brainard reported on the National Beef Cook-Off held in Tucson, Arizona in September. Amy said that the evening before the Cook-Off, the contestants and CattleWomen met in Old Tucson. Baxter Black was the featured speaker. Priscilla Yee of California won the \$50,000.00 overall prize. Debra Eyon Finley, the Texas Contestant, won her division which was "Prepared Beef". It was worth \$10,000.00.

The CattleWomen were fortunate to have Mrs. Jim Shuster, nee Frances Clarke, originally from LeFors, now of Flower Mound, Texas as their speaker. She has a B.S. from the University of Texas, and a M.Ed. from the University of North Texas. She is a graduate of Coach University, a virtual coach training program and has completed life Coaching training through the Brande Foundation in Rapid City, South Dakota. She currently does literacy consulting with schools, and coaches groups and individuals to permanently improve their lives. We CattleWomen hoped to use her expertise to help us better promote beef and to deal more positively with people we may encounter.

Her talk was very interesting, with the goal of understanding and being understood in a win-win situation as the ideal.

Members attending were Kay Stiles, Mary Mitchell, Dianne Buckingham, Anita Brown, Liz Austin, Tara Oden, Berkley and Elysa Clements, Lilith and Sena Brainard, Amy and Edy Brainard, Sally Wicker, Julie Watkins, Sandra Christner, Glenda Adcock, and her little guest, Grace Gill.

Our next meeting will be at Dyer's Bar-Que Restaurant on Highway 60 West in Pampa, at 7:00 P.M. November 12, 2001. This will be our social meeting, so bring your husbands and guests. We hope to see you there!

THE SPIRIT OF MUSIC

Lorena G. Males How come it's nearly impossible to find a hotel room in Elk City Oct. 25, 26 and 27?

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It's held at the Holiday Inn but all the hotels and motels are crowded as they celebrate one of the big events of the year.

Once you've attended this outstanding affair you'll never want to miss. Its three days of pure fun and frolic. The local people are there and visitors come from far and wide. Everyone is filled with the spirit of music.

When you enter the Holiday Inn where the dance is in session you'll hear music coming out of the cracks in the walls. Its old tunes we all love.

The musicians are huddled together in practice rooms where they are organizing string bands. Some groups have never played together before. Other groups are old timers warming up again after a long absence.

There's a certain spirit within every group, a spirit of music, fun, fellowship and love.

It takes only a short time to I make a new friend. People come here to have a good time, to make new friends, to renew old ones. There's toe tapping and hand clapping everywhere.

Some of the musicians are the best in the country, others are bare beginners. There is a place for everyone to participate—no one is left out.

A woman reminisces: "My great-grandmother was an early day settler in the Elk City area. She told me how they'd move all the furniture out of their little pioneer house and the entire house would become a wonderful ballroom floor. Beautiful girls felt like Cinderella as they glided across the floor on the rough boards. Now the descendants of these early settlers dance to the strains of a string band with fiddlers, guitars, banjos and drums. In their hearts is the same music spirit their ancestors had."

What was once a tiny little house has become a mansion as unsuspected gas and oil wells surprised the settlers. But the spirit of the music is the same.

Just as a bunch of cowboys gathered around the campfire to sing songs of their people, the people of today, flock to the dance—listening to the same old songs their forebears knew—"Over the Waves," "Red Wing," "Snow Deer," and "When You and I Were Young, Maggie".

P.S. One day, long ago, Mr. Roper, Superintendent of Elk City Schools was at my house with his son. They had come for his son to take a piano lesson.

"Would you happen to know my favorite piece? My aunt played it for me when I was a boy. It was "Black Hawk Waltz" "yes, I can play it. I learned it from Mama. Mr. Roper's eyes twinkled as he smiled and remembered the tune of long ago." They play the "Black Hawk Waltz" at the convention. Come hear it.

MEALS on WHEELS MENU MONDAY, October 29, 2001 — FRIDAY, November 2, 2001 MONDAY: Fried Chicken, Mashed Potatoes/Gravy, Seasoned Broccoli, Pears TUESDAY: Fried Chicken Livers, Macaroni and Cheese, Mixed Vegetables, Roll/Margarine, Plum Pudding WEDNESDAY: Smothered Pork Chops, Blackeyed Peas, Fried Okra, Cornbread/Margarine, Pineapple Bake THURSDAY: Chicken Rice Casserole, Broccoli, Roll/Margarine, Cake FRIDAY: Frito Pie, Spanish Rice, Tossed Salad/Dressing, Bread/Margarine, Bread Pudding

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Wheeler Church of Christ WHEELER CHURCH OF CHRIST CONGREGATIONAL NEWS Our sympathy goes out to the Leonard Gaines family. Leonard passed away recently, and will be missed by this community. Sick that need our prayers include Ardie Martin, Don Edwards is still homebound, and Tate Mitchell, Heath and Trisha Mitchell's child. Tate is doing better but will have to remain in NWT Hospital another 6 to 10 days. Terry McCasland is scheduled to have surgery Wednesday, the 24th. Greta Bass had surgery recently and is recuperating at home. Jack Helley is still not feeling well. Please remember all these people in your prayers. Carol Thomason preached a fine sermon last Sunday. Loy Hardesty of Farwell, Tx., is scheduled to preach next Sunday. Happy Martin recently celebrated his 70th birthday. Visitors are always welcome at our services. An Invitation: You are cordially invited to attend any of the weekly services of the Wheeler Church of Christ which meets at 1001 S. Alan Bean Blvd, in Wheeler, Texas Services: Sunday Bible Study 10:00 A.M. Sunday Morning Worship ... 11:00 A.M. Sunday Night Worship 6:00 P.M. Wednesday Bible Study 7:30 P.M.

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