

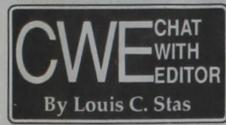
# THE WHEELER TIMES

THURSDAY, JULY 25, 2002

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"Wheeler, town of friendship and pride"

# Old Mobeetie Music Festival Begins Fri.



From bright sunny skies Monday to heavy rains Monday evening. The amounts varied from the 1.84" I measured to the 1.3 at Briscoe and 0.9 at Mobeetie.

-CW8-This is going to add up to one wet July.

It is a shame I did not have a garden ready to produce when the rains started. But, you never know and it can get dry mighty quick. -cwe-

The fun starts at Mobeetie to--morrow night, July 26, 2002. That is when the Old Mobeetie Music Festival gets underway. -cwe-

There are some of the bluegrassers already camped at the old jail and I am sure the jam sessions began as soon as they

-cwe-

The Del City bluegrassers are to arrive at the Stas Bed and Breakfast on Wednesday afternoon to make sure they don't miss out on any of the fun.

-cwe-Remember, you do not have to drive any farther than Mobeetie for ship and homemade ice cream.

-cwe-

We have the school calendars this week for Wheeler, Ft. Elliott (Continued Page 6)



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Jesus First

minim

# **'Jesus First" Singing Group To Be In Wheeler**

A Southern Gospel Singing group from Pampa and surrounding area will be at the First United Methodist Church in Wheeler on Sunday, July 28, 2002.

Jesus First is made up of Christian believers from different denominational backgrounds. Each one is active in his or her respective places of worship, and is firmly committed to the building up of the local church.

Their desire is to bring the hope of Christ's love, to unite all believers in Christian faith and to let the fine entertainment, great fellow- whole world know that following Christ is the path to contentment and joyful living!

> Come join us on Sunday, July 28, 2002, at 6:00 p.m. for a great time of worship and fun.

The Third Annual Old Mobeetie bock, TX Texas Music Festival will be held July 26, 27 and 28, 2002. The -- Portales, NM festival will again feature Bluegrass, Western Swing, Country Western and Gospel, along with other various styles. The weekend's schedule is:

Friday 6:00 pm - midnight; Saturday 10:00 am - 12 midnight; and Sunday 9:00 am - 12 noon. Sunday's program will feature Gospel music.

J. C. Mills will be our M.C. Frank Cleveland is our Sound Man. Featured bands and entertain-

ers include: STAR CANYON -- San Angelo,

TEXAS COUNTRY -- Wickett,

BUDDY & TINA WRIGHT -- Lub-

BAND -- Leedey, OK A LOT OF GRASS -- TX Pan-

SUSIE COUNTRY -- Texola, OK (Opening Act for David Frizzell

and Box Car Willie) MAGIC CITY COWBOYS --Magic City, TX (Some band mem-

bers were with Bob Wills band) MARY McDONALD & A TOUCH OF GRASS -- Stonewall, OK (1998 Female Vocalist - Traditional Mu-

sic Association) We are taking reservations for RV Hookups OR it's first come, first served when you arrive here (\$10.00 per night, seven days for

# TRIPLE L BLUEGRASS BAND John Holcomb, 85 Is LARRY FORD BLUEGRASS Buried At Wheeler Fri.

John P. Holcomb, 85, died Tuesday, July 16, 2002, at Wheeler,

Services were at 3:00 p.m. Friday, July 19, 2002, in the First Baptist Church, Wheeler, Texas. Dr. Toby Henson, pastor, offici-

Burial was in the Wheeler Cemetery by Wright Funeral Home.

Mr. Holcomb was born to Tony and Troy Williams Holcomb on July 14, 1917, in Elkhart, Texas. He married Clara Elizabeth Burnett in Memphis, Texas, in 1940. Mr. Holcomb had lived in Wheeler since 1953. He worked at the Carbon Black Plant in Shamrock for several years and was a self-employed carpenter. He served in the United States Army in World War II. He was a member of the First Baptist Church. He was preceded in death by four brothers, three sisters and one grandson.

Survivors include his wife, Clara Holcomb of the home; one son, Buck Holcomb, and wife, Lavene, of Canadian, Texas; two sisters, Corene Keeler of Shamrock and Eva Mae Richerson of Shamrock; two granddaughters, Shara Gail Motishige and Tanya White; and four great-grandchildren.

The family requests memorials be to First Baptist Church of

# Rites Saturday, July 20 For Clara Ridgway, 78

Clara Corcoran Ridgway, 78, died Thursday, July 18, 2002, at

Mobeetie, Texas. Services were at 10:30 A.M. Saturday, July 20, 2002, in the United Methodist Church, Mobeetie, Texas. Rev. Gary

Jahnel of Canadian, Texas, and

Rev. Dick Irvine, Pastor, officiated. Burial was in the Mobeetie Cemetery by Wright Funeral Home of

Mrs. Ridgway was born to Paul and Sarah Ray Corcoran on November 8, 1923, in Mobeetie, Texas. She lived in Mobeetie all her life. She graduated from Mobeetie High School in 1941, and attended Draughons Business School in Amarillo. She married H. J. "Cotton" Ridgway on October 5, 1946, in Pampa, Texas. She was a member of Mobeetie

United Methodist Church and served as church treasurer. Survivors include one son, Bill Ridgway and wife, Virginia of Mobeetie, Texas; two daughters, Clara Sims and husband, Kent, of Booker and Kay Hobdy and husband Bill of Canadian; one brother, Ariza Corcoran of McLean; one sister, Evelyn Riley of McLean and

The family requests memorials be to Mobeetie Methodist Church or Mobeetie Cemetery Associa-

three grandchildren.

# Commissioner's Court Regular Meeting Mon.

The Wheeler County Commissioners' Court met in regular session on Monday, July 22, 2002, at the Wheeler County Courthouse Annex at 410 S. Main Street in Wheeler.

Ten items were on the agenda for the commissioners' consider-

The hourly payroll time sheets and the bills were considered and paid.

The amending of the budget was considered.

The Courthouse Restoration Project is proceeding on schedule. The Asbestos abatement is underway and is to be completed in (Continued Page 6)

### Hospital Notes

**Extended Care** Estelle Orr Ruth Ledbetter

Verne Lohberger Ardie Martin Gladys Pannell Jewel Moore Neta Evans

**New Admissions** 7/15 Nora Babb

Mamie Loyd Hestelle Killingsworth 7/16 Katherine Holt Jess Mixon

7/18 Dismissal Minerva Jones 7/16

7/22

Elijah Slate Mamie Loyd Katherine Holt Jess Mixon

Work On Courthouse FILTERED AIR: This tubing, running out the east side of the Wheeler County Courthouse is used for air exchange on all three floors of the courthouse. The asbestos in the glue under the asphalt tile is being -Photo by Rob Schaffer removed at the present time.

# **Restoration Underway**

What is going on at the court-

in good hands. The sight supervisor is Denver Bruner of EcoSystems Environmental, Inc. Denver has twelve years experience in the field. Ice abatement has sent one of the best crews around. The abatement supervisor, Kelly Wright also has twelve years of experience in the field and is an absolute perfectionist. His right hand man, Roberto, has ten years experience and keeps everything under control. The rest of the crew is also experienced and all are hard workers. Everyone is working hard to make this first step in the restoration as smooth as possible.

Rob Schaffer, courthouse custodian, states, "I have worked close with Kelly and his crew and cannot see how we could have found anyone better." The TDH (Texas Department of Health) man showed up unannounced Friday and found everything was in good order. If you see Kelly or any of his crew let them know how much we appreciate them.



VOLUNTEER: Arnold 'Fat' Jones stands beside this volunteer sunflower in his garden at 205 S. Main in Wheeler. Fat has not planted sunflowers for some time and still has several of the volunteers each year; normal hybrid sunflowers with one large bloom. This single stalk, as you can see, is loaded with blooms, ranging in size from 4 to 6 inches across. The plant stood about 6' tall or more before the rain storm Monday evening.

house? There are signs everywhere. Things sticking out of the windows. Strangers all around.

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MISSION TRIP 2002. Pictured back row (I. to r.) Bill Smith, Bob Wills, Mike Blackburn, Janie Blackburn, James Chapman, Dolores Simmons, Russ Holder of FBC Macon, Jim Calderon, Von Chapman, Weldon Simmons. (Middle row) Evangline Wills, Kyle Goldsmith, Keri Marion, Cledith Burrell, Matt Hampton, Dwight Arganbright, Nicki Calderon, Mike Keith, Ember Keith, Cindy Bradstreet, Bob Rowley. (Seated) Todd Hubbart, Sindy Chapman, Jotana Simmons, Samantha Chapman, Amanda Bond, Tabathia Blackburn, Claudia Marion, Wesley Bradstreet. Not pictured was Betty Chapman, H. B. Krug and Pastor Toby Henson. This group with the prayer support and financial help of First Baptist Church of Wheeler spent the week of July 14 thru the 20th doing construction and VBS work for First Baptist Church of Macon, MO. Six people were involved in helping with Vacation Bible School, 4 people were cooks that fix breakfast and lunch for 35 to 40 people every week day, the other 21 individuals hung and taped approximately 450 sheets of dry wall.

# Mary McDonald and a Touch of Grass Not to work, the courthouse is To Perform At Mobeetie Music Festival

In 1994, Mary was asked to form grass music for the past 15 years, a band, and start booking before that she was helping her shows...So she did just that, she three children with their interest in came up with "A Touch of Grass", music. (Her son Marty is a profesfor the band name, because she sional musician, and studio engidoes traditional country, blue- neer, her daughter Dhana, and grass, and country gospel on all Lisa have done studio back up of the shows. "A Touch of Grass" singing on Mary's recordings, as is a hard working band, and does well as others). After they grew up their very best to please you.

Mary McDonald-Mary has loved she decided to see just what she to sing for about as long as she could do with her singing (not trycan remember, she taught herself to play the guitar, and has been going all over the USA singing, and promoting "Traditional" Country, Country Gospel, and Blue- and won the "Female Vocalist"

# This will be the first time A

Bunch of Grass will be playing at the Mobeetie Music Festival. The band is made up of Wayne Tolbert, Eudell Gifford, Donny Brown, Junior Blankenship, Eddie Kitchens and Bill Murry. The band was formed this year. Several members have played with other bands in the past.

Wayne Tolbert is from Amarillo and plays the mandolin and sings harmony.

Eudell Gifford is from Lefors and plays rhythm guitar and sing lead. Donny Brown is from Fritch and plays the bass. Junior Blankenship is from

Stinnett and plays the Dobro. Eddie Kitchens is from Dumas and plays the banjo and sings har-

Bill Murry is from Meadow Lark Housing addition near Fritch and plays the fiddle. He also plays with the Flint Hill Specials.

# **Jason Porton Named**

West Texas A&M University has named more than 1,000 students to honor lists for the spring 2002 semester. Of that total, 297 were named to the President's List and 788 students were named to the Dean's List.

Students named to the President's List must have a grade point average (GPA) of 3.85 or better on a 4.0 scale and carry a minimum class load of 12 undergraduate hours.

Among those on the President's List from Wheeler was Jason L. Porton, Senior, Sport//Exercise Sciences.



and moved on with their own lives.

ing to be a star) but living out a

dream. Everything seemed to

snowball, and she has won numer-

ous awards, and was nominated,

award in 1998 at the International

TMA Awards Show held in the

state of Michigan. Also in 1998

Broadland Records in Canada

asked her to record a "Traditional

Country" album in Nashville. In

March 2002 Mary was inducted in

to the "The International Singing

Brakeman Association" Jimmie

Rodgers "Hall of Fame" in

Meridan, Mississippi. Mary has

done many, many "Hank Williams"

tribute shows, and festivals, has

opened shows for numerous

country "Legends", the list goes on

and on. Mary was born in Stone-

Mary McDonald

# Wheeler ISD

2002-2003 Calendar

Staff Development	August 12-15
Staff Work Day	August 16
Classes Begin	August 19
Labor Day Holiday	September 2
End First Six Weeks (29 days)	. September 27
End Second Six Weeks (30 days)	November 8
Thanksgiving Holidays	ovember 27-29
Thanksgiving Holidays N End Third Six Weeks (27 days)	December 20
Staff Work Day	December 21
Christmas Holidays December	23 - January 1
Classes Resume	January 2
Classes Resume End 4th Six Weeks (32 days)	February 14
Spring Break	March 10-14
End 5th Six Weeks (30 days)	April 4
Easter Holidays	April 18
Bad Weather Day	April 21
Easter Holidays Bad Weather Day End 6th Six Weeks (32 days)	May 22
Junior High Graduation	May 22
bad weather Day	May 23
High School Graduation	May 23
Staff Work Day	May 24

October 4 March 7 April 17 (3 additional days as needed for staff development)

Early Dismissals

**Test Dates** Oct. 22-24 Feb. 25-27 March 4 April 29, 30 May 1, 2 July 8-10 (retest)

# Fort Elliott

School Calendar-August 2002 - May 2003

August

12 Teacher Inservice

13 Teacher Inservice

14 Teacher Inservice 15 Teacher Inservice

16 Teacher Inservice

19 First Day of School September

2 Labor Day Holiday 27 End of First 6-Weeks (29 days)

October 21 Holiday

November 8 End of Second 6-Weeks (29 days) 28-29 Thanksgiving Holidays

December 20 End of First Semester

End of Third 6-Weeks (28 days) 23-31 Christmas Holidays January

1 New Year's Holiday 2 Teacher Inservice 3 Teacher Inservice

February 14 Holiday 20 End of Fourth 6-Weeks (33 Days) 21 Holiday

> March 10-14 Spring Break

April 11 End of Fifth 6-Weeks (30 days) 18 Holiday 21 Holiday/Snow Day

May 26 Holiday/Snow Day 29 End of Sixth 6-Weeks (31 days) End of Semester Last Day of School (Graduation Date Not Set)

# **Allison ISD**

School Cadendar 2002-2003

Student Holldays Labor Day - September 2nd Thanksgiving Break - November 28-29 Christmas - December 23 - January 1, 2003 Spring Break - March 17-20 Student Holiday - April 18

> Teacher Workdays August 16, 2002 May 24, 2003

Teacher Inservice Days August 13, 14, 15 October 11 February 14

Early Dismissals August 30, November 27 December 20, March 14 April 17, May 23

> **Bad Weather Days** March 21 April 21

> > Graduation May 23

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Proberbs 24: 30, 34 I walked by the field of a certain lazy fellow and saw that it was overgrown with thorns, and covered with weeds; and its walls were broken down.

### MEALS on WHEELS

MONDAY, July 29, 2002 - FRI-DAY, August 2, 2002

MONDAY: Lima Beans W/Ham. Spinach, Cornbread/Margarine, Pineapple Slices

TUESDAY: Barbeque On Bun, Potatoe Salad, Coleslaw, Roll/

Margarine, Jello WEDNESDAY: Chicken and Dumplings, Fried Zucchini,

Cornbread/Margarine, Rice Pud-THURSDAY: Enchiladas/Sauce,

Spanish Rice, Tossed Salad,

Cornbread/Margarine, Peach FRIDAY: Tuna Casserole, Carrots,

Then as I looked, I learned this lesson: A little extra sleep, a little more slumber, a little folding of the hands to rest means that poverty will break in upon you suddenly like a robber and violently like a

Happy Birthay to Mona Betzen, Houston Barr, Janae Brotherton, Anna Dukes, Lake Ledford and Cathy Hooper on July 28, Ray Currie, Naomi Lowe, Dale Corcoran, Walter Hand and Susie Erwin on July 29, Jo May, Randy Finsterwald, Mike Farrell, Makensie Chick on July 30, Larry Hampton, Jona Meek, Geniva Hogan, Theresa Trimble, Gary Ware and Angie Ware on July 31, Laurel Hershman, Alice Bell

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are often quick to assign blame. Lawsuits are filed for virtually any reason when it is hard to immediately assign blame. Perhaps sometimes things just happen according to God's ultimate mysterious ways. The frustrating thing about this is that we may never know why God chose for things to be the way they are. But if we trust God (and he has time and time again proven to us that he is worthy of trust) then we also trust that God knows what he is doing. Nonetheless, we frequently look for someone to blame.

In John 9 the disciples with Jesus are walking along and they come across a blind man. Immediately the disciples respond like humans and reason that someone must be to blame for this man being born blind. So they speak to Jesus: "Rabbi, who sinned, this man or his parents, that he was born blind?" It is interesting that they see sin as the reason for physical infirmity; however Jesus points out that us. sin and physical infirmity are not necessarily related to each other.

When things go wrong we In fact, probably even surprisingly presented to the questioners Jesus says "neither this man nor his parents sinned, but this happened so that the work of God might be displayed in his life." You can look down a few verses after this and see that a miracle occurs and that the blind man sees, but even if Jesus did not perform a miracle for that man, the truth remains that the work of God can still be displayed in that man's life. Whatever things in our lives that seem to be wrong can still be a stage for the work of God being dis-

This Sunday at the Church of Christ in Wheeler we will be studying how Jesus works fulltime in his efforts to save people's souls, even if that means working on the Sabbath day. On Sunday night we will finish our study of the book of Habakkuk. On Wednesday, July 31 we will have Boyd Williams from Miami be our guest speaker. Come join

Shawn D. Johnson

An Invitation: You are cordially invited to attend any of the weekly services of the Wheeler Church of Christ Sunday Night Worship which meets at 1001 S. Alan Bean Blvd, in Wheeler, Texas

Services: Sunday Bible Study **Sunday Morning Worship** 10:55 A.M. 6:00 P.M. Wednesday Bible Study

Helton, Randy Horton, Kinslie Ralston on August 1, Aaron Laverty, Megan Horn, Gary Davis, Gabriel Rodgers, Lewis Newman and Leola Farris on Aug. 2, Darryl Luttrell, Gradon Schaub, Zach Mabry, Melanie Alls, Raysha Vandever and Tanya Gonzales on Happy Anniversary to Joe and

Christy Willingham, Kaleb and Marti Meek, Kent and Debbie McLaughlin, Kevin and Leslie Wilson and Edith and Kelley Cross on July 29, Mike and Mendy Bailey on July 31 and Cecil and Jean Meadows on August 3.

Sincere sympathy to family and friends of Clara Corcoran Ridgway, 78, in her death. A sweet lady. Very large crowd of relatives and friends out to her funeral.

Devin (Debil) McDaniel and Gabreil and Damien visited Devin's mom, Pam Jones, a few days. Good to see them. Pam goes to Amarillo some to baby sit the boys while Devin takes summer courses.

Nice to see Jerrie Moore and great-nephew, Toby Hubbard, eating at Maxeys Sunday for lunch. Toby is the grandson of Jerrie's late sister, Jorean, and Charles Hubbard. He has been staying with Jerrie and helping with maintenance work. Jerrie has enjoyed having him.

Ryan and Janae Brotherton spent last week with grandparents, C. B. and Maurine Brotherton. Doris Finsterwald and Brandon came in Tuesday and they all went to the park to swim and play. Later the Brothertons went out to Doris' home. The kids enjoy playing together and driving around to see things. Friday C. B. and Maurine took their grandkids to meet their mom, Kathy Brotherton and her mom, Sandy Denton, at Clinton, Oklahoma to go home to Yukon, Oklahoma. Keep praying for C. B. and Maurine.

Heath Parker, 13, grandson of Winnie Reid Dodge and greatgrandson of the late Otis Reid was seriously injured about a week ago at Mt. Pleasant, Texas and is in a Tyler hospital. The other two boys in the car were killed. Remember Heath and his family in your prayers and the families of the other boys. Winnie grew up at Wheeler and is a cousin to Gena Zybach.

Saturday night supper guests at Larry and Vickey Nelson's to celebrate Larry's 50th birthday were Danny Nelson and Amy and Danielle, Keri and Greg Koelzer and Jimmy Nelson. Sunday Jimmy and Danny went to a fishing tournament at Baylor Lake near Childress. Iva and Sybil Alexander from Lefors visited Larry and Vickey Sunday.

Saturday night Lou Dean Douthit, Irene Keys, Virginia Puryear and Edna May ate at the Hill Top at Reydon and came back to Irene's in Allison and played 42.

Friday Mayme McElroy from the King Ranch, north of Canadian visited Willa Fillingim. Mayme will be teaching at Perryton and maybe driving a bus and has workshop to go to. Saturday Laurel Hershman and granddaughter, Shelby Dawson, visited Willa and played with the animals and borrowed a kitten for Shelby to play with. Sunday Jodie and Kenny



PAGE 2—Thursday, July 25, 2002 Wheeler, town of Inendship and pride

Striley and Andrew and a friend from Amarillo visited Willa. From Oleta Rogers. Thanks! . .

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Ray and Glenda Hudson visited Brenda Graddy at BSA in Amarillo. Brenda has been there a month with fever and blood clots in her lungs with complete bed rest. She can be up a little now. Ray and Glenda Hudson also visited Max Satterwhite from Panhandle at

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site. Pray for these. Saturday night Ray and Glenda and Hack and Bobbye Coffee and Lacreta McLanahan and friend, Danny, all went to Lipscomb to a

Frankie McWhorter Dance. There was a very large crowd at the dance platform. Delicious Barbeque turkey and goat plates were served. Lipscomb is a very

tiny town in a sparcely settled county north of Canadian. But it refuses to die. They also have an art gallery. Robert Rogers, cartoonist, also had his drawings on display and some for sale. They had a fun time. It rained awfully hard on us Mon-

day night coming from Miami. Made it hard to see the road at times. When we got to Doyle and Bulah's we waited awhile for rain to stop so they could go in without getting drenched. When we met trucks or they passed us, we were really blinded by the water kicked up. Thankful for rain.

Shelby Dawson, 2, spent a few days with grandparents, Ed and Laurel Hershman, while her parents, Sarita and Brad Dawson and Micaela went on a river-rafting vacation with their church group.

From Mobeetie Baptist Church going to Wheeler Care Center Sunday to make beautiful music and sing were Marion Grimes, Doris Finsterwald, Bob Meller and Nadine Lane and also Martha Meek. They also visit with the resi-

I wonder if 2002 may be one of the wettest Julys on record. Miami Fun Bunch

Good to have Doyle and Bulah Grimes go with us to Miami Fun Bunch Monday night. Hostesses were Evelyn Huff and Jane Bright. There was a varied and very delicious meal. Next meeting August 12 will be pot luck with no hostesses. Roberts County Sheriff presented a program on the new system they are installing that will automatically call people to see if they are o.k. If no answer they will alert the dispatcher and someone (Continued Page 6)

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Our sympathy goes out to the family of Ralph Hovey. He passed away Monday night.

Tuesday night visiting with Lorene Rector and Annisa were William and Sissy Burch, Tyler and Caitlyn of Wheeler and Dale and Melba Corcoran. Tyler and Caitlyn stayed all night and Wednesday with her.

Melba Corcoran went to Pampa Wednesday to the doctor.

Melba Corcoran had a letter from Kelly and Edith Cross their house missed the flooding that hit Abilene. They are doing pretty well just real lonesome. Dana, David, Caleband Justin moved to Virginia. They sure miss the grandchildren. David's company transferred him.

Word has been received that Beth Turner had a major stroke. She has got out of intensive care in Lubbock but is still in the hospital. Remember J. W. and Beth in your prayers. She is paralyzed and can't see but can talk and swallow.

Jess Mixon entered Wheeler Hospital Thursday. Remember him in your prayers.

Our sympathy goes out to the family of Clara Ridgway.

Trish McLaughlin and Andrea Martinez spend Friday night with Lorene Rector and Annisa.

Friday Lorene Rector, Orville Greenhouse, Annisa Garcia and Andrea Martinez shopped in Wheeler.

Those enjoying a cookout Friday night in honor of Bill Elliott's birthday were Bill and Dutch Elliott, George and Marie Kilcrease, Brad and Rhonda Elliott, D. J. and

### **OLD JAIL** MUSEUM NEWS

Tuesday Bobbye Hill and Melba Corcoran attended a meeting in Amarillo at the Quarter Horse on committee plans. After lunch they attended the meeting in Tulia. The meetings were on Texas Plains Trail Region. The group is getting an application ready to apply for the funds for the trail. The region covers 52 counties in the panhandle. At the meeting James May was elected meeting moderator. Reports were given from the committees. They set the next meeting for August 27 at Tulia.

Those from Northwest Texas Museum Association involved is James May, American Quarter Horse, Lynn Hopkins Hutchinson County Museum, Viola Moore Carson County Square House Museum, Marie T. Neff of Post, Bobbye Hill and Melba Corcoran Mobeetie Jail Museum.

Dutch Elliott served as docent Tuesday at the museum.

Wednesday Dutch Elliott worked on the archives. Melba Corcoran worked on photos.

Thursday Dutch Elliott served as docent.

Friday Bill Elliott and Dutch Elliott parked campers and served as docents. Melba Corcoran worked on the World War II display and also served as docent.

The campers are beginning to come in. They had one group of picking Friday night. The grounds is full of campers with several groups picking at night. There have been lots of members working on

the grounds and parking campers. Melba Corcoran served as do-- cent and worked on the exhibits.

### CARD OF THANKS

To everyone who called, came by, brought food, sent flowers, and prayed for us, we extend our sincerest thanks.

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The Family of

Dustin, Vic and Patti Williams, Mark and Patty Sue Elliott, Jeremy, Sarah and Harley Elliott, Greg Elliott and Nathan and Nelda Lancaster all of Pampa, Steve, Madysum and Miranda Elliott of Borger, LaNelle Leonard of Canadian, Anessa Garcia of Amarillo, Lorene Rector, Andrea Martinez and Dale and Melba Corcoran all of

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Wellington. Jona Meek, Bob Meller and Leanne Schaub went as sponsors. This next week Bob Meller will be in charge of the Junior Boys Camp.

Baptist Church that went to Central Baptist Church in Pampa Sunday night for their youth Musical and Commissioning service. The Youth Musical is "Rise Up And Praise Him". Those from Mobeetie that were commissioned as Mission Volunteers were Stephen Kephart, Michael McLaughlin, Calvin Lane, Bob Meller, Gay Hale, Nadine Lane and Melba Corcoran. Stephen, Michael, Calvin and Bob

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will be going on the construction Dale and Melba Corcoran and crew. Nadine will help in the Densel and Fern Reed visited in kitchen. Gay and Melba will be Wheeler with Pauline Barnes Sat- working in Bible School. There is around 90 making the trip. The There were 13 youth that went ones from Pampa will be leaving to the Baptist Youth Camp in Saturday. The ones from Mobeetie will be going up Sunday afternoon. Remember the trip and all the workers in your prayers.

Visiting with Leola Stuart and Gladys Richardson Saturday were There were several from the Don and Kay Richardson of Cluster City, Oklahoma. Richmond Davis of Pampa came by for a

Monday Leola Stuart and Gladys Richardson went to Wheeler for Gladys' lab work. They visited with Tony Griffin and Nora Babbs. Doris Shirey came by and they had a nice visit with her. Doris and Leola went to school together at Wheeler for several years.

Bill Elliott went to the doctor Monday. He is having trouble with his leg. He will have more test next week. They think it is a pinch nerve.

Gary and Marilyn Grimes of Amarillo visited Saturday with Doyle and Bulah Grimes. They took them to Pampa to eat and

Amy Garcia of Amarillo came Saturday and picked up Annesa. Patsy Caswell and Karla Lovelace spent the weekend in Waco watching Patsy's granddaughters playing softball.

# **Houston Livest'k Show Awards Scholarships**

Texas FFA members have an additional \$700,000 to help finance their higher education due to the Houston Livestock Show and Rodeo scholarships presented July 11 at the Texas FFA Convention in Fort Worth, Texas. Each of the 70 scholarship recipients was awarded a four-year, \$10,000 scholarship.

"The young people of Texas are a true treasure, and this is extremely apparent with each of these FFA members receiving Show scholarships" said P. Michael Wells, president of the Show. "The Show's mission of benefiting youth and supporting education is personified by these young men and women in the FFA program who have displayed their commitment to education, leadership and community."

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tion, the Show funds research at

10 Texas universities, enhances

educational opportunities through

ENGAGEMENT ANNOUNCEMENT: Jamie Danene Greer and Michael

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The scholarships presented to grants, and supports the Rodeo Texas FFA members are only one Institute for Teacher Excellence. The Houston Livestock Show part of the Show's current annual commitment of more than \$8.5 and Rodeo is a 501(c)(3) educamillion. The Show also awards ditional charity and has committed rect scholarships through the more than \$85 million to scholar-Texas 4-H and the Texas Family, ships and educational programs Career and Community Leaders

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FRIDAY

Organizations & School Activities. Call: 806/826-3123 for listings.

15 Wheeler Fire Dept. .. 7:00 P.M.

Wheeler Elementary Registration ... 9:00-11:00 A.M.

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18 Family Visits
Wheeler Care Cntr. .. 2:00 P.M. 

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Week Ending July 18, 2002 Intentions to Drill

HEMPHILL (WILDCAT & S.E. CANADIAN Douglas) El Paso Production Co., #4A Jones Trust '24', 1849' from North & 660' from East line, Sec. 24,1,G&M. PD 7450'. ROBERTS (WILDCAT & PARSELL Lower Morrow) Range Production Co., #12 Ben Hill, 1710' from North & 2101' from West line,

Sec. 143,42,H&TC, PD 11500'. Rule 37 Amended Intentions to Drill GRAY (WEST PANHANDLE) Gruy Petroleum Mgmt. Co., PD 4000 Amended to change well location for the following wells:

#3 Krouch, 1320' from North & 880' from West line, Sec. 187.E.D&P. #9 Lewis, 1320' from North & 550'

from East line, Sec. 65, E, D&P. #3 Massey, 1320' from North & East line, Sec. 183, E, D&P. HEMPHILL (WILDCAT & S.E.

CANADIAN Douglas) El Paso Production Co., #5 Humphreys '32', 2400' from North & 700' from West line, Sec. 32,1,G&M, PD 9000'. Amended location Gas Well Completions

GRAY (EAST PANHANDLE) Fairway Links Energy, Inc., #3 Bidwell, Sec. 21,25,H&GN, spud 12-10-01, drlg. compl 12-20-01, tested 2-15-02, TD 2322', PBTD 2320' --GRAY (EAST PANHANDLE) Fairway Links Energy, Inc., #4 Bidwell, Sec. 21,25,H&GN, spud 12-14-01,-drlg. compl 12-18-01, tested 2-15-02, TD 2345', PBTD 2329' --ROBERTS (TUFFY Upper Morrow) BP America Production Co., #1 Courson 'C', Sec. 155,13, T&NO, spud & completion not shown, tested 6-6-02, TD 9300', PBTD 9212' -- SWR #10 was approved to commingle #1-L & #1-U Courson 'C'

Plugged Wells GRAY (PANHANDLE) Phillips Petroleum Co., #12 Clay, Sec. 177,B-2,H&GN, spud 3-25-64, plugged 5-16-02, TD 3194' (disposal) --

GRAY (PANHANDLE) Phillips Petroleum Co., #2W Single 'D', Sec. 172,B-2,H&GN, spud 11-7-47, plugged 5-20-02, TD 3145' (disposal) --

GRAY (WEST PANHANDLE) Phillips Petroleum Co., #1 Boston, Sec. 109,3,1&GN, spud 2-13-52, plugged 6-3-02, TD 2808' (gas) --GRAY (WEST PANHANDLE) Phillips Petroleum Co., #1 Glass, Sec. 148, B-2, H&GN, spud 11-20-59, plugged 6-5-02, TD 2774' (gas) Form 1 in Katex Oil Co.

HEMPHILL (WILDCAT) BP America Production Co., #2 Lawerence Teague, James McFarlane Survey, spud 10-12-00, plugged 4-8-02, TD 11748' (gas) -

HEMPHILL (S.E. CANADIAN Douglas) Apache Corp., #1 Lewis Humphreys, Adam Wilhelm Survey, spud 4-27-02, plugged 5-7-02; TD 7230' (dry) (CARRIE ROBERTS

KILLEBREW Douglas) Sundown

# **Wheeler County**

List of instruments filed in the Wheeler County Clerk's Office from July 15, 2002 - July 19,

JULY 15, 2002 D-W. D. Mitchell, et ux to Randy J. Henson, et ux, 6-7-02, Pt. NW 1/4 Sec. 53, Blk. A-8, H&GN Ry. Company Survey.

ASSIGN.-A. D. Vinyard to D W Production, 5-1-02, NE 1/4 Sec.

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Energy, Inc., #2-209 Caroline Killebrew, 467' from North & West Lease line, Sec. 209,42,H&TC, spud 2-8-95, plugged 5-23-02, TD 5800' (gas) -- Form 1 in Coenergy Operating

WHEELER (PANHANDLE) Vernon Davenport, Bell 'E', Sec. 81,17,H&GN (oil) -- Form 1 in Teci Production, for the following wells: #3, 430' from North & 2310' from East Lease line, spud unknown, plugged 6-24-02, TD 2108' --

#4, 630' from North & 1650' from East Lease line, spud unknown, plugged 6-27-02, TD 2120' --WHEELER (PANHANDLE) M.E.G.G., Inc., Betenbough, Sec.

100,17,H&GN (oil) -- Form 1 in L.R. Spradling, for the following #1-W, 660' from South & 330' from

West Lease line, spud 9-2-60, plugged 6-12-02, TD 2100' --#2, 330' from South & 990' from West Lease line, spud 10-28-68,

plugged 2002, TD 2150' --#4, 330' from South & 990' from West Lease line, spud 12-30-68, plugged 5-15-02, TD 2143' --

#5, 330' from South & East Lease line, spud 12-15-69, plugged not shown, TD 2245' -WHEELER (PANHANDLE)

M.E.G.E., Inc., #1 James, 430'from North & 330' from East Lease line, Sec. 81,17,H&GN, spud 10-10-63, plugged not shown, TD 2126' (oil) -- Form 1 in L.R. Spradling WHEELER (EAST PANHANDLE) M.E.G.G., Inc., #14 Collingsworth, 660' from South & 330' from East Lease line, Sec. 99,17,H&GN, spud 12-2-60, plugged 6-7-02, TD 2123' (oil) -- Form 1 in L.R.

WHEELER (EAST PANHANDLE) Questa Energy, #1 Laquita, 2310' from North & 330' from East Lease line, Sec. 82,17,H&GN, spud unknown, plugged 6-18-02, TD 2074'

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Instrument. C/C PROBATE—Barbara B. Russell to Ex Parte, 6-1-01, See Instrument. D-Jennifer Sanders, et vir to

47, Blk. 13, H&GN Ry. Company

RDT-Bank One, N A to Clifton Dean Hathaway, et ux, 7-5-02,

RDT-Beneficial Texas Inc. to

Weldon Simmons, et ux, 7-1-02,

Pt. Blk. 47, Stanley Add., Wheeler.

C/C PROBATE—John William

Russell to Ex Parte, 1-30-01, See

Survey.

See Instrument.

Monte Lynn Mills, et ux, 7-15-02, Lots 20-24, Blk. 6, Shamrock. SHERIFF'S D-J. D. Williams, et al to Johnny Velasquez, 7-8-02, E 1/2 SW 1/4 Blk. 22, Shamrock. **JULY 16, 2002** 

DVL-Paul M. Wiley, et al to Steve Hampton, et ux, 5-14-02, SE 1/4 Sec. 6, J. Poitevent Survey. DT—Steve Hampton, et ux to First Ag Credit PCA, 7-10-02, SE 1/4 Sec. 6, J. Poitevent Survey. SHERIFF'S ROY. D-Hugh McAllister to Kenneth

Wischkaemper, 7-8-02, .208330 Roy Int. in Sec. 52, Blk. 13, H&GN Ry. Company Survey. SHERIFF'S D-Everett C. Neal, et al to J. M. Morgan, et ux, 7-8-02,

Lot 1, Blk. 30, Shamrock. SHERIFF'S D-Edward B. Walton, et al to Gary Atkins, et ux, 7-8-02, SW 1/4 Lot 2, Blk. XC, Romans Add., Shamrock.

MD-Ronald D. Nickum to Linda L. Nickum, 6-25-02, N 1/2 Sec. 3, Blk. R.E., Roberts & Eddleman

C/C PROBATE—Bonnie Nell

Fabian to Ex Parte, 7-9-02, SE 1/ 4 Sec. 60, Blk. 23, H&GN Ry. Company Survey. DVL-Roderic Harold Fabian to

Cal Holwick, et ux, 7-15-02, SE 1/ 4 Sec. 60, Blk. 23, H&GN Ry. Company Survey. DT-Cal Holwick, et ux to Herring National Bank, 7-15-02, SE 1/4 Sec. 60, Blk. 23, H&GN Ry. Com-

pany Survey. D-Randall H. Williams, et al to Dudley Daberry, et ux, 7-10-02, SW 1/4 Sec. 69, Blk. 13, H&GN Ry. Company Survey.
D—Randall H. Williams, et al to

SW 1/4 Sec. 39, Blk. 17, H&GN Ry. Company Survey. D—Randall H. Williams, et ux to Clifford Oldham, et ux, 7-10-02, SE 1/4 Sec. 38, Blk. 17, H&GN Ry.

Kenneth Wischkaemper, 7-10-02,

Company Survey. AMEND. DT-Gary McClellan, et ux to Pacesetter Corporation, 6-4-02, See Instrument.

DT-J. B. Brown to Bank of Commerce, 5-22-02, Pt. NE 1/4 Sec. 87, Blk. 23, H&GN Ry. Company Survey.

JULY 17, 2002 ASSIGN.-Rock Island 1977 Exploration Project Company to Rock Island Resource Company Inc., 7-15-02, Sec. 29, Blk. R.E., Roberts & Eddleman Survey.

ROY. D/MD-Dean Louise Fitz-Patrick Trust to All Church Home For Children, et al, 7-10-02, SW 1/4 Sec. 21, Blk. A-3, H&GN Ry. Company Survey. JULY 18, 2002

OL-Susan Richardson to Schonwald Land Inc., 5-13-02, N 1/2 Sec. 3, Blk. R.E., Roberts & Eddleman Survey. OL-Joseph N. Richardson to

Schonwald Land Inc., 5-13-02, N 1/2 Sec. 3, Blk. R.E., Roberts & Eddleman Survey.

OL-Lois E. Richardson to Schonwald Land Inc., 5-13-02, N 1/2 Sec. 3, Blk. R.E., Roberts & Eddleman Survey. OL-Lonnie G. Richardson to

Schonwald Land Inc., 5-13-02, N 1/2 Sec. 3, Blk. R.E., Roberts & Eddleman Survey OL-Mary Wofford, et al to

Schonwald Land Inc., 5-13-02, N 1/2 Sec. 3, Blk. R.E., Roberts & Eddleman Survey. ASSIGN.—Schonwald Land Inc.

to Sierra Resources Inc., 7-17-02, N 1/2 Sec. 3, Blk. R.E., Roberts & Eddleman Survey. ASSIGN.—Sierra Resources Inc. to El Paso Production Company, 7-17-02, N 1/2 Sec. 3, Blk. R.E.,

Roberts & Eddleman Survey. POA-Kenneth King to Lena Joyce Porter, 7-17-02. RDT-First State Bank of Mobeetie to Martha L. Brown, 7-11-02, Pt. Blk. 6, Wheeler. ASSIGN. OVERRID. ROYALTY-

Gaea Services Inc. to Newsom Family Trust, et al, 7-15-02, SW 1/4 Sec. 55, Blk. 17, H&GN Ry. Company Survey. JULY 19, 2002

TDT-Elsie I. Hughes to Claude DRIVER-ASAP! 21 OTR Drivers. ACCIDENT VICTIM? WE stroke and death. Free confidential Cox Jr., et al, 7-19-02, Lot 16, Blk. 72, WSSA, Shamrock. MD-Katharine Colleen Calcote to

Cherry Louise McDonald Johnson, 7-19-02, 2 acs. N 1/2 NE 1/4 Sec. 3, AB&M Survey. ASSIGN.—Schonwald Land Inc. to Sierra Resources Inc., 7-19-02, See Instrument.

District Clerk's Filings: #11224—Derahah R. Weldon vs Bryan Lee Gosselin, 7-15-02, Divorce.

#11225—Jerry Alyce Martinez vs Julian Lee Martinez, 7-15-02, Di-#11226—Pat Jarrett Helton, et ux (1-888-667-3729).

vs David Conner, 7-17-02. #11227—City of Shamrock vs Melva Ray Toland, 7-18-02, Tax

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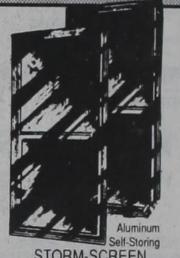
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Another nice sunny Monday morning here in Allison with little

Clifton and Louise Boydston's last Sunday dinner guests were Pearl Harrison, Eddy and Wanda Walker and grandson, Tyler, and Mike and LaQuinta Hulse from Tuscon, Ariz.

My son-in-law, Darrel Harrison of Amarillo picked me up last Thursday and I went back to Amarillo with him and spent the night with Johnnie and Darrel. Early Friday morning Johnnie and I left Ama-rillo, going to Clovis, N.M. and spent the day with my daughter, Peggy White. We had a good time shopping and eating out and just being together. We visited in Peggy's home in the afternoon and had birthday cake and ice cream. Then left on our way back to Amarillo, and got there about eight o'clock. Darrel brought me home early Saturday morning. Then he went on back to the farm to do what he does over there.

Jerry and Cathy Gilmer of Amarillo came Sunday morning and were in church with me. From there we went to Wheeler to Maxeys and had dinner, came back to Allison, and they did jobs around the place that I couldn't do. I can mow the yard but Jerry did that for me, and I appreciated everything he did for me so very much and we did get some visiting done.

There was a birthday celebration for Darenda Begert's grandmother last Sunday afternoon at the Erick Nursing Center. Clara Hill celebrated her 99th birthday. Those attending from Allison were Hiram and Darenda Begert, Bret and Hayley and McKimley Begert, Bill and Willa Jean Shelton and Rusty Shelton from Oklahoma City.

Opal Boydston was supper guest with Stephanie Walker, Tyler and Addison at Wheeler one day last week. Juanita Boydston and Wanda Walker attended the supper that was served at the Church of Christ for the ones that were doing the walk-a-thon across Texas.

On Wednesday Opal, Juanita and Curtis Boydston attended the yearly United Pentecostal church camp meeting at the camp grounds, through Friday night. They spent the nights with Warren and Charlene Brown. On Thursday Juanita had dental work done in Amarillo.

Roma and Billy Brown went to Amarillo last Monday to attend the United Pentecostal camp meeting through Monday and Tuesday night. They spent both nights with Warren and Charlene Brown. Sunday dinner guest was Thursia Poindexter of Cheyenne, Okla.

Peggy Chandler's house guests for a few days are Melvin and Betty Stinnett from Buena Viesta, Colo. Red and Anna Dukes house guests from Friday to Sunday afternoon were Jim and Shirley

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Pewitt from Paradise, Texas. On Saturday they all went to Shamrock and picked up Bessie Crenshaw and then on to the Windmill Restaurant east of Shamrock on the edge of Texola.

Rita Grayson left last Thursday morning with Debbie and Tim Jones. They went to Ruidosa, N.M. Rita stayed with Everett and Billy Dollar. Rita, Tim and Debbie came back home on Sunday. Rita said she enjoyed her visit very much with the Dollars.

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Lee and Sharon Hall and grandchildren, Jordan and Elisha Jones, spent the weekend with Troy and Lona Jones and their grandson. On Sunday Nona Jones and Bill and Kay Donaldson were dinner guests with Troy and Lona and their other guests.

Recently Edna May's daughter, Linda and Dean Lieb and their granddaughters, Molly and Kate Lieb from Morse, Texas, visited with Edna to help her celebrate her birthday.

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Lanora Morse last Sunday evening after church.

Take time to pray-it is the great- If you would be remembered, do one est power on earth.

# 'Sales Tax Holiday' Is Set For August 2-4

Christmas in August once again returns to area retailers with the fourth annual Sales Tax Holiday weekend. Area shoppers will have the opportunity to save the Texas state sales tax on most clothing and footwear during the annual Sales Tax Holiday, scheduled this year for August 2-4, 2002.

Since the Sales Tax Holiday was instituted in 1999, shoppers have saved millions of dollars. The taxfree shopping weekend was instituted by Texas Comptroller Carole Keeton Rylander to boost the state's retail economy and to help families with their back-to-school

Merchants and shoppers at Amarillo's Westage Mall 1-40 and Coulter, always welcome the opportunity to save the 8.25% state and local sales tax, according to Brian Giffin, the mall's general manager. "The back-to-school shopping season is second only to Christmas in terms of sales volume," he said. "in some cases, the volume of apparel and shoe sales made in July and August is equal to or better than November and December.

"The tax-free weekend has proven to be very popular for backto-school shoppers," Giffin said. "It is to the back-to-school season what the day after Thanksgiving is to the Christmas season.

The Sales Tax Holiday applies to most clothing and footwear priced at less than \$100. Eligible items are exempt from state and local sales tax unless a city chooses not to participate. Amarillo participates along with most other Texas communities.

Items priced at more than \$100 are taxed as usual. A list of exempt and non-exempt items is available at the Comptroller's website,

http://www.cpa.state.tx.us/ taxinfo/taxpubs/tx98 490/tx98 490.html.

## The Herman Toppers **Observe 56th Anniver.**

Herman and Estelle Topper of Borger celebrated their 56th Wedding Anniversary Saturday, July 20. Phillip Topper, of Amarillo, took his parents to Pampa and treated them to lunch at the Texas Rose. The Toppers enjoyed a great meal and a great visit. Previously in the week Herman and Estelle invited their grandsons, Jake and Trevor Topper of Borger to lunch at the Plaza. Everyone enjoyed the Mexican food and visit before Jake and Trevor headed to the mountains for the weekend with their dad

In Wales, hazel twigs were once woven into a wishing cap which, it was believed, would grant the wearer's

Helen Crawford visited with Elvis's favorite singer was said to have been Tom Jones.

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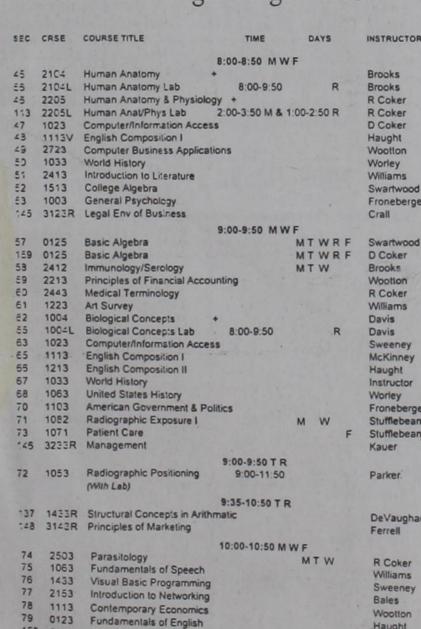
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Esther Bowers, Willis and Verna Fillingim. Visitors always welcome. The ladies of Miami Baptist Church had a luncheon recently to celebrate Pearl Skeen's 89th birthday. Frank and Evelyn and Doyle and Bulah had wedding an-

Morgenstern, Pearl Skeen, Sarah

Gill, Vera Murphy, Vera Nolty,

niversaries. Sunday dinner guests of Martha Meek were Cindy and Don Hartsfield and Glory and Hayden and Chuck and Phoebe Hartline and Aaron and Tamera. Visiting in the afternoon were Mack and Linda Sides and Jimmy and Tivian Sides and Hannah and Taylor from Abilene.

Martha was expecting Shawn and Amy Everett and Dakota, Codi and Colton from San Antonio to come Monday for a visit.

Coming Friday night to Bevard and Diane Dukes home were John Paul and Deidre Harris and Logan and Carissa Dukes and Britt McCarter. Saturday they left early for Foss Lake and played in the water, tubing and boating. Logan on the Mission trip. loved the mud and the water. They had a picnic lunch under the trees, and had fun. Sunday Carissa and Britt went back to Canyon. Carissa had to work. The others went to Church of Christ at Allison and on to Hill Top Cafe for lunch. Monday Diane was still doing laundry.

Bob and Gena Zybach enjoyed visits from Diane Dukes, Carissa

Dukes and friend Britt McCarter and John Paul and Deidre Harris and Logan Saturday night. Visiting them Sunday night were Wayne and Kathy Zybach.

Ned Burrell and granddaughter Stacey Burrell spent ten days visiting Stacey's mom, Trudy and husband Lance Kendall at Santa Cruz, California. They had a great time and saw 4th of July Fireworks at Monterey Bay, (very cold), Golden Gate Bridge, rode a train to see the Red Woods, saw an old fort from the 1800's, China Town and many other things. They got back to Wheeler July 9. Ned was still tired when she went July 13 to Macon, Missouri on the Mission trip. But enjoyed both trips very much. Ned helped with food preparation at Macon. Has been resting up since she got back, and

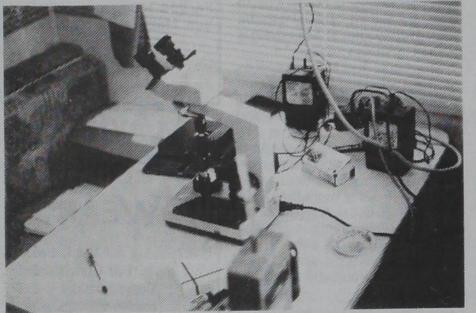
probably doing laundry. Nice to have Joe and Sherry Wagoner from Canadian join us for supper at Maxeys Tuesday night. They do lots of nice things for the older widows of Canadian First Baptist Church, such as mowing lawns for several.

Nice to see Hannh Fay Chapman and grandson Dirk Chapman eating at Maxeys one night. She is a very proud grandma and has a right to be. I've known Hannah since days at Briscoe School. She was a star athlete, too, and a little younger than me. Dirk's family were gone

Nice to have son Danny come by Thursday for a little visit. And Saturday. Always helpful.

Rosalie and Jimmy Keelin vis-

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# Mustang Athletic Boosters Seek Information On Past Athletic Honors

The Mustang Athletic Booster Club would like to create a large sign listing team honors. This sign will be at the site of the old football concession stand. We have done a little research to get things going, but would like to ensure that we have not omitted any teams. If you have information to add or correct, please contact Kim Goad at the Wheeler School, 826-5241 WHEELER MUSTANG TEAM HONORS

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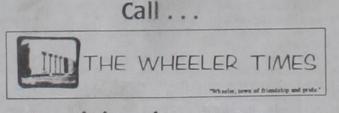
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ited Gene and Norma Keelin and Daniel Sunday in Wheeler. Rosalie also visited a little while at the Wheeler Care Center.

Thanks Juanita Fillingim for driving us to Pampa Thursday. Willis saw Dr. Baker, the eye doctor, for a second opinion. No surgery planned. Had a nice meal at Furrs Cafeteria. Saw Marie Baker from Canadian with Lorene McCormick from Miami there. And many others. Dr. Baker's opinion was basically like Dr. Robin Smith.

Sincere sympathy to his wife, Clara and other family and friends of John Holcomb in his death. He and brother, Jake Holcomb were the main builders of our house in the country in 1964 with help from Raymond Burke's building cabinets and built-ins, Clint DeWolfe on the brick, Hub Hubbard, paneling, etc. Guynes on the plumbing

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about 60 days. The commissioners should be able to take bids for the rest of the project in Septem-

The consideration of the burn ban was on the agenda, but there is no need for a ban at the present

John Sullivan, Wheeler EMS Director, informed the commissioners of a change in the contract for billing of the ambulance service. The company presently used for billing is going out of business, effective the end of the month. A new contract with a different company was presented and accepted with the addendum required on county contracts.

Scott Porter, Wheeler County Tax Assessor, presented the delinguent tax rolls. The commissioners accepted the tax roll as pre-

Item 8 on the agenda for the Commissioners to consider a resolution for Wheeler County to exempt organizations engaged primarily in charitable functions. This was tabled until the next meeting in August to allow for the commissioners to do research.

Precinct 2 recently had a motor "burn up" in a '85 Chevrolet Pickup. The Kelton Fire Department requested the pickup title be transferred to them. The commissioners voted to place the pickup in the county's surplus auction in September.

Commissioner Daryl Snelgrooes asked his fellow commissioners to consider allowing him to consider bids for a new maintainer. The county will advertise for bids for a new motor

Mary (from Page 1)

Mary and her husband Louie have cattle; they also host a 3rd Saturday Night Opry each month at their place called, "Mary's Music Barn". Mary has several tapes, and CD available. She also has compiled a "country cookbook" of over 700 recipes from her friends and fans, from every state, and several from overseas, if you like cookbooks I am sure you will want one. If you like the "real" sound of country, and bluegrass singing, I think you will like Mary.

Bobby Willard-Bobby has been playing bass guitar for Mary and "A Touch of Grass" since 1996 and a good job he does. He was born in Southeastern Oklahoma (Non). He grew up in a musical family, so music has always been a part of his life. He also plays guitar, mandolin. Bobby has played with several bands through the years while he was makng a career in the United States Air Force, and has been the opening act for some of our country legends while stationed in Lubbock, Texas. If you ask Bobby what his hobby is, he will tell you first; music, then he will tell you he likes camping, and fishing, and he likes to work on small engines. Bobby is retired from the Air Force, and now makes his home near Stonewall, OK (Union Valley) with his wife, Kay. They have two sons and four grandchildren, with another one due soon.

Paul Carr-Paul plays "Lead Guitar" for Mary, and "A Touch of Grass". He was born in Sapulpa, Oklahoma, and began his interest in the guitar at the age of eight, by the time he turned twelve he started singing, and hasn't stopped. Paul plays harmonica, and is a songwriter. He started playing professionally in 1952, in Fresno, California, It was there he met up with several of our "country legends". In 1978 he entered a talent contest at the famous, "Cains Ballroom", in Tulsa. Thirtyseven entered the contest, and you guessed it, Paul won first place. The next year (1979) Ernest Tubb was booked at the same place and Paul was ask to open the show for him. Paul had his own band in the Tulsa area for about ten years. Paul is a retired truck driver, but he still drives a public transport bus for Purcell, Oklahoma. He has five children, three boys, and two girls. His hobby is make their home in Lexington, your prayers. Much improved.

for Mary, and "A louch of Grass", can sing all parts of harmony, and can even sing his friend, Agnes' part when she doesn't show up. Alton has been playing since he was eleven years old, Fiddle is his main instrument, but he can play several other instruments. He also wrote a fiddle tune called "Scotty's Fiddle". Alton is a "Traveling Sales Representative". He has two daughters, two son-in-laws and three granddaughters. His hobbies are Music and Softball. Alton makes his home in Oklahoma City,

and others. Good job. May God comfort each of you.

Nice to have Doyle and Bulah Grimes eat lunch at Mobeetie Cafe with us Tuesday. We had a good visit. Nice to see Doug Corse and Patricia Eads there.

Nice to visit with Henry and Margaret Leach at Wheeler First State Bank Tuesday. They never did find their heifer that strayed.

Wednesday July 17 was Verneal and Juanita Prater's 54th wedding anniversary and their daughter Wanda's 53rd birthday. Verneal and Juanita left home about 3:30 a.m. Wednesday. They stopped for doughnuts in Chilreess and went through Guthrie (lots of road construction) and on to Stamford to get Wanda to visit for ten days or so. They got back to Maxeys about 12:00 noon for lunch. They filled up with gas (or diesel) in Shamrock. They drove about 439 miles. Happy Anniversary, Verneal and Juanital Happy birthday, Wanda. Have fun! Macon Missouri Trip

About 30 men, women and teens from Wheeler Baptist Church left Saturday to go to Macon, Missouri to help sheet-rock the addition to the First Baptist Church there—a pretty large, tall building. Mike and Janie Blackburn and Tabitha from Kansas City joined them. Mike was a great help in the kitchen as he had been a navy cook, cooking for large groups. The Wheeler church group paid for their own rooms and prepared their own food. The Macon group did furnish snacks and desserts some. Several helped with VBS. Some who went were Von and Sindy Chapman, Weldon, Delores and Jotana Simmons, Toby Henson, Matt Hampton, Bob and Evangeline Wills, H. B. Krug, Ned Burrell, Claudia and Keri Marion, Wes and Cindy Bradstreet, Jim and Nicki Calderon, Samantha and James Chapman, Kyle Goldsmith and brother-in-law, Todd Hubbard, Betty Chapman, Bill Smith, Bob Rowley, Mike and Amber Keith, Amanda Bond, and Dwight Arganbright. They got their projects done good. The Macon people were very appreciative of their helpfulness. All worked hard and were blessed.

Flood at Tuscola Elva Wood and Zoah Britton enjoyed visits from their granddaughter Carlene Stewart and Garrett, Britney, Everett and Matt from Tuscola, Texas about 15 miles north of Abilene. Five homes there got flooded by over eight had to be sawed off and replaced. clean up after pets. Also baseboard and insulation there. Sunday Carlene and chil- admitted free. dren went to the United Methodist from the Wheeler Care Center got trees. to visit with Carlene's family at

flooded. So sorry. Hovey Funeral

from Amarillo, a special friend, of- is 32 miles east of Pampa Tx or 11 ficiated. A son, David Hovey sang miles west of Wheeler, IX. a special and led two congregational songs. Randy McCurley read the obituary. Jim Batton alsc FACILITY ON OUR GROUNDS\*\*\* sang a special. Doris Finsterwalo played beautiful music. Pallbearers included Dewayne Hovey, Jeffrey Hovey, Robby Hovey, Bill Howard, Cal Leslie, Collin and Randy McCurley, Jeremy and Larry Tomlinson. Honorary Pallbearers included Joe Darnell, Bill and Bob Finsterwald, Chuck Hogan, Ted McCurley and Pete Seitz. Employees of Mobeetie Bank were there to show support. Mary has worked at the bank for many years. At the close of the service, Mary Hovey gave a brief talk of appreciation and thoughts that she thought Ralph would want said. May God comfort each of you. Dinner was served at the

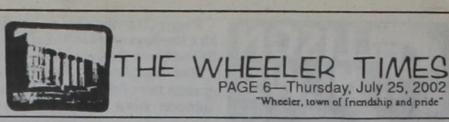
Nice to have JoAnn Morgenstern visit us Saturday and eat supper at Maxeys. We celebrated her birthday. Maybe she won't mind that I tell she turned 73 on Wednesday. A very sweet

lady, and a dear friend. Good to see Marie Baker at Maxeys with Larry and Deanna Baker from Pampa. They had been to Cheyenne to the hospital to see Marie's sister, Allene Parman. Allene has been pretty ill with two weeks in Amarillo in the hospital and three weeks at Cheyenne Hospital. They were pleased to see her looking good, but still Music. Paul and his wife Linda on dialysis. Remember Allene in

Also at Mayeys were Russell Alton Scott-Alton plays the fiddle and Carol Bradstreet and boys, Tyler and Logan from Elk City with and sings lead, and harmony. He several family members. Good to see them. Russell's dad David Bradstreet was there and Kassy Martinez and Brenae.

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# Walmart Awards Grant To Co. 4-H

Wal-Mart associates in Pampa, Texas presented the Wheeler County 4-H with a \$ 500.00 grant today. The donation was raised with the help of 182 members as part of the Wheeler County 4-H Community Matching Grant Pro-

"Our Wal-Mart associates were thrilled to work with the Wheeler County 4-H to raise funds for a worthwhile cause," said Terry Randle, manager. "The money will be utilized for programs in the local community and we are glad to support this organization. This isjust a small part of Wal-Mart's ongoing commitment to the communities in which we operate."

The Community Matching Grant Program is the largest program funded by the Wal-Mart Foundation. This program involves fundraising efforts by not-for-profit organizations with the participation of Wal-Mart associates. Wal-Mart matches up to \$1,000.00 of the funds raised. More than 50,000 matching grants, totaling nearly \$36 million, were awarded through the matching grant pro-

(from Page 1) \$55.00 or ten days for \$75.00). Dry campers will be charged \$4.00 per night. The Mobeetie Volunteer Fire Dept. will have a food concession, including its famous homeinches of rain. At Carlene's the made ice cream, during the festicarpets had to be removed. val. No alcohol or drugs will be Sheetrock had got soaked to permitted. All pets must be on a about three foot an the walls and leash and everyone is expected to The admission fees are: Friday were soaked and furniture. They -- \$8.00; Saturday -- \$10.00; Sunswept out the garage as soon as day -- FREE, or a weekend pass

they could and moved furniture out for \$16.00. Children under 12 are

There will be nightly picking and Church in Wheeler with Grandma jamming on the campgrounds. It is Elva Wood and Uncle James recommended that you bring lawn Hubble. They had dinner at the chairs, as seating is limited. Howchurch. Grandmother Zoah Britton ever, there are plenty of shade The Old Mobeetie Texas Mu-

Zoah's son's house. Carlene and seum Association sponsors the Richard Britton's house was badly music festival as its primary fundraising event. Proceeds from the festival will be used for museum There were many relatives and activities as well as helping profriends from Mobeetie, Reydon vide for the continuation of the and many places out to Mobeetie music festival. The festival will be Baptist Church Friday for the fu- held on the Old Courthouse neral of retired Pastor Bro. Ralph Square, site of the Jail Museum in Hovey, beloved by many. Our Old Mobeetie, TX. Old Mobeetie is sympathy to his wife Mary and located south of the intersection of other loved ones. Bro. Jeff Messer State Highway 152 & FM 48, which

> \*\*\*REMEMBER, WE HAVE A NEW TEN-UNIT RESTROOM

> For additional information, call the Museum at (806) 845-2028, from 1 - 5 pm.

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Phase one of the project has started and will be done soon. Schaffer will have pictures of the entire process, and will keep everyone updated as the project

Next week Rob Schaffer talks with Denver Bruner about asbes-

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gram in 2000. Wal-Mart helped raise and contribute #71 million for local communities through joint efforts with these organizations.

Wal-Mart Stores, Inc. empowers its associates to serve the needs of their communities through the Wal-Mart Good Works initiative. Last year, associates of the company's 3,000 Wal-Mart stores, SAM'S CLUBS and distribution centers raised and contributed more than \$190 million to charitable causes nationwide. Wal-Mart's unique grassroots approach to giving has enabled the company to ensure that 97 percent of all dollars contributed by our associates are used in local communities. More information about Wal-Mart can be located online at: www.walmartstores.com.

Melissa Hampton, Wheeler 4-H Photography Volunteer Leader and Tammy George, Pampa Wal-Mart Associate are pictured receiving the donation.

# Aderholt Reunion On June 26 Is Big Success

The Aderholt reunion held June 26 was a great success. The catered event was held at the M.K. Brown Auditorium in Pampa. The children, their spouses, and inlaws of L. S. and Virginia Aderholt attending were:

Doris Hays of Amarillo, Lois Johnston of Amarillo, Ray and Evelyn Aderholt of Fritch, Moose Anderson of Miami, Estelle and Herman Topper of Borger, Reta Grayson of Allison, JoNell and Bobby Joe Grayson of Spearman, Bill Allen of Fritch, and Evie Aderholt of Borger. Many grandchildren, their spouses and children also attended. Friends of the family to drop by were JoAnn and

Everyone enjoyed the visits, good food, and the fun entertainment. We are all looking forward to next years reunion and hoping many more can attend.

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and Allison. It is hard to believe it is time to start thinking about school already. That time will be here in three weeks. -CW8-

We went to OKC Friday to spend the most of the weekend with Jennifer. On Saturday we went to see Mother Porter, Bill and Betty and returned home Sunday morning.

Had to make sure the grandpuppy doesn't forget me. She wakes me up around 6:30 for her morning walk. -CWe-

-CW9-

Each time I mow the back yard, I am reminded of my missing 100' extension cord. Barbara and I both remember loaning it to someone. It is a flat tan cord. I certainly do need it.

-cwe-Monday night was card night. Mike and I won the first two games and were in the lead at mid-point of the third game when Rhonda and Leroy arrived. Rhonda, Bob and Dwight came back to win the third game.



COVERED: Everything but the floor is taped and covered with plastic as the tile and adhesive on the floors in the courthouse is being re-

The most popular Christmas carol, which has been translated into every langauge on earth, is "Silent Night."

There is only one way to happiness and that is to cease worrying about things -Epictetus which are beyond the power of our will.