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"Wheeler, town of friendship and pride."

WELLINGTON DROPS WHEELER, 29-6

No one can ever accuse the Wellington Skyrocks of slacking on defense. In beating Wheeler last Friday night, 29-6, the Rockets gave up one big play an 82-yard touchdown run by Mark Marshall on the third play from scrimmage just 1:32 into the game. Other than that, however, Wellington's defense gave up an anorexic 51 total yards on 37 of the Mustangs' offensive plays.

Meanwhile, the Rocket offense wasn't glamorous (five fumbles were put on the ground by Rocket ball-handlers, losing two) but balanced. The Rockets, led by fullback Jason Fike's 102 rushing yards and quarterback Clifton Burns' 140 passing yards,

rolled up 350 yards of total offense and scored touchdowns in every quarter.

The first half was closely played as both teams scored on their first possessions. Marshall's score was a brilliantly executed play. The lanky senior took a sweep pitch from quarterback Chad Dunnam, found his hole, cut back to the middle of the field, and outran the Rocket defense to the end zone which gave the Mustangs a 6-0 lead after Dunnam's PAT kick was wide left.

That lead was short-lived, however, as the Rockets came right back with a six-play, 71-yard drive. Fike ate up most of that yardage with a 52-yard

scamper on the first play of the drive. Five plays later, Burns hit Flanker Daniel Valles in the end zone with a 19-yard bullet. Burns' kick was no good on the PAT to tie the score at 6-6.

That would be all the scoring until 3:36 remained in the opening half when Rocket return man Valles corralled a Joe Dan Ledbetter punt on his own 10 and weaved between defend-

ers all the way up the right sideline to Wheeler's end zone. Fike went up the gut on the PAT run for two points to give Wellington a 14-6 lead.

Up to that point, however, neither team was able to capitalize on the others' mistakes. Wellington found itself in good field position at Wheeler's 41 after Ledbetter had his punt blocked by a Rocket defender, that chance was tossed by the wayside when, facing a fourth and four from the Mustang 35, Burns threw short to Valles after being under pressure from Joe

Dan and Jarrod Ledbetter.

Wheeler lost a golden opportunity after Corey Case recovered a Rocket fumble on the Wellington 24. But, facing a third and 16, Joe Dan Ledbetter coughed up the ball after losing five yards on an end-around play.

The second half belonged solely to Wellington. The Rockets ate 6:41 off the clock on an opening drive that covered 72 yards on an 11-play drive. The majority of the yards on that drive came on an 18-yard scramble by Burns

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Wheeler County

BOND ELECTION SATURDAY

The Wheeler County Commissioners have called a bond election for October 31, 1992, to determine if the commissioners shall be authorized to issue bonds in the amount of \$1.25 million. The bonds are to go for the construction of a private prison at Shamrock.

The City of Shamrock has agreed to provide the land, a paved access road and water and sewer to the site, located at the east edge of Shamrock off Interstate 40.

The bond money would not be used unless a contract is signed with the state for the construction and operation of a private prison. The facility would be built with private money and operated privately under contract with the state on a lease/purchase contract.

Construction has been estimated in the \$10 to \$12 million range. This facility would be privately owned and subject to taxing by the county for a period of approximately 10 years. If the State obtains ownership at the end of the lease/purchase the facility would be tax exempt.

In addition to providing added tax money to the county, the prison would provide jobs for the area and therefore provide additional money for the county.

The argument against the prison is the cost to the taxpayers. The tax rate at the present county evaluation would be 0.443 to retire the debt over a period of 10 years. The opponents maintain we do not know what the county evaluation is going to do over the next 10 years and cannot predict what the rate would be at the end of the bond retirement. In response, the bonds would not be issued unless the prison would be in operation, meaning this facility and its employees would be paying taxes also.

County voters will report to their regular voting places for the balloting. The polls will open at 7:00 A.M. and remain open until 7:00 P.M.

CWE CHAT WITH EDITOR
By Louis C. Stas

I was disappointed in the turn-out at the open meeting for the discussion of the bond election held Tuesday evening. The meeting was sponsored by the Chamber. A number of questions were asked and answered. The decision is up to the voters of Wheeler County—**VOTE!**

For what my opinion is worth, the county needs employment opportunities for their citizens. This would provide jobs and the bonds would not be issued unless the prison is to be operated.

Don't let this be a North/South vote, cast your vote for the county.

Also, remember to cast your ballot in the General Election Tuesday, Nov. 3.

If you don't vote, you don't have a right to complain.

The attendance at the 'Concerned Parents & Citizens Meeting' was well attended Tuesday evening. Rodney Weatherly is to be commended for the way he conducted the meeting. Another meeting will be called at a date to be announced.

CONGRATULATION! Wheeler, Ft. Elliott and Kelton Cross Country kids for earning the right to compete at Regional.

WARNING: Beware of individuals offering assistance at the post office. Oops, I was supposed to forget that, wasn't I Darla.

We traveled to Oklahoma over the weekend. The activities included a family reunion in El Reno. This was the Pauk family—the family of Daddy's sister. Mother Stas saw two brother-in-laws, a sister-in-law and several nieces and nephews. Jennifer even found a second cousin-once-removed her age, who is just as short as she is.

Once again, **VOTE!**

WEATHER				
DATE	DAY	Lo	Hi	Pre
10-21	Wed.	53	82	0.00
10-22	Thurs	55	81	0.00
10-23	Fri.	55	84	0.00
10-24	Sat.	56	81	0.00
10-25	Sun.	53	83	0.00
10-26	Mon.	47	67	0.00
10-27	Tues.	40	76	0.00
Low for the year:		01-15,	14	
High for the year:		07-01,	102	
Total moisture for month:			0.00*	
Total for year:			14.48*	
Total Snow:			Trace	

Courtesy: KPDR-FM Radio

4-H & FFA Hogs & Lambs Tag Deadline Is Nov. 1

All 4-H and FFA members are reminded that their hogs and lambs to be shown in the 1993 Wheeler County Junior Livestock Show must be tagged by November 1, 1992 according to Don King, county Extension agent. Animals will be tagged on their premises by the local Agricultural Science Teacher or County Extension Agent. Anyone who has not tagged their animal should contact the AST or CEA immediately.

Those members who have not had their animals tagged previously should take them to the county show barn in Wheeler between 10:00 and 11:00 a.m. on Saturday, October 31 to be tagged.

November 1 is also the deadline for entries for the county show. Exhibitors may get an entry fee refund if they scratch their animal from the show before January 1, 1993.



SIXTIETH ANNIVERSARY: Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Kidwell will be honored at a 60th wedding anniversary reception on October 31 from 2 to 4 P.M., at the Coin and Copper Room, First National Bank in Wheeler. The couples children and their families will host the reception: Dave and Betty Kreyling, Barbara Rector, Pampa, Bud and Karilyn Kidwell, Plainview.

Fern James married Curtis Kidwell on November 5, 1932 at Sayre, Oklahoma. They have lived in Wheeler for 50 years. Curtis is retired from the Texas Highway Department. Fern is a homemaker.

The couple have 2 grandchildren, and 3 great grandchildren: Kathy Johnson, Linden, Texas; Kim Kidwell Plainview, Texas; Renee Watson, Michael Hunt, Chelsea Hunt, Linden, Texas.

The honored couple would enjoy the pleasure of the company of all their friends on this joyous occasion.



REGION BOUND: The Wheeler Cross Country Team earned a second place at the district competition held at the Boy Scout Camp east of Wheeler. The young ladies will compete at Regional on Saturday, Nov. 14 in Georgetown. Pictured are (back row, l. to r) Coach Debbie Finsterwald, Nissa Boedeker, Rochelle Rives, Cyndi Alley, Jeseka Wallace, (front row) Dena Compton, Christy Glassey, Amanda Rives and Melissa Chapman.

Wheeler Harriers Qualify

The district 2-2A Cross Country meet was held October 22, at M.K. Brown Scout camp., Panhandle won the district team championship with 26 points with Wheeler placing a close second

with 30 points. Clarendon finished third with 80 points.

Rochelle Rives won the individual district championship with a good run of 12:01. Tammy Stewart of Panhandle placed a distant second in 12:27, Dena Compton placed third in 12:58, Angie Ogletree fourth in 13:06 and Stacy Bertran fifth in 13:18.

The top two teams and the top five individuals qualify to compete in the Region I meet which will be held at Mae Simmons Park in Lubbock on November 7th. These teams and individuals will attempt to qualify for the state meet which will be held in Georgetown on November 14th.

The Wheeler team has had a good year thus far and are hoping for a strong showing at the regional meet.

New Arrival

Sarah Suzanne Horn Keith and Tyna Horn are proud to announce the birth of their daughter Sarah Suzanne born on October 17 at Coronado Hospital in Pampa. Sarah weighed 9 lbs. 10 oz. and was 20 1/2 inches long. She is welcomed by brother Larry Lee, sister Megan.

Grandparents are Thurman and Bobbye Horn of Mobeetie and Lee and Genise Young of Canadian.

Ft. Elliott Jackets

The Ft. Elliott Boosters are selling satin jackets in the baseball style. The jackets will have the Ft. Elliott Cougar emblem in the center of the back. The jackets are red, with red, black and white elastic on the sleeves and waist band. You can see an example of the jacket at Sallie's in Mobeetie. If you have any questions, contact Sallie May at 845-2453 or Vickey Nelson at 375-2321 or 375-2238.

First Baptist Plans Fall Family Festival

When: Saturday, October 31st
Where: FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH, WHEELER

Time: 6:00 p.m. until 8:00 p.m.

We are planning to have a Christian alternative to Halloween at our church. Parents are invited to bring their children to our Fall Family Festival for a wonderful time as a family. There will be several shops or stations of activities for all children and their parents this night. The activities will take approximately one hour for a family tour through the streets of our new testament Jerusalem town. Refreshments will be served and delights given to the children who are in the sixth grade and under who attend. Families may come for a tour at any time during the evening. We look forward to sharing in the lives of the children and parents on this evening.

Hospital Notes

PARKVIEW HOSPITAL REPORT

Old Admissions

10-5 Ben Trout
10-14 Essie Finsterwald
10-16 Tabitha Ruiz
10-18 Willie Hefley

New Admissions

10-20 Lucille Reneau
10-21 Roy Dees
10-22 Loyd Davidson
Jewel Holloman
10-24 Linda Wiginton

Dismissals

10-22 Lucille Reneau
10-23 Roy Dees
10-24 Estelle Orr
Irene Dunnam

BRISCOE SPOOK HOUSE

The Ft. Elliott Junior Class is having a Spookhouse at Briscoe Thursday night. The time will be 7:00 P.M. to 10:00 P.M. A ride to the spookhouse will be furnished; watch for the flashing yellow lights for the location of the pickup.

Come out for a night of scary fun. K thru 5th: \$1.00. 6th thru Adult: \$2.00.

Surplus Food

Surplus food will be distributed Friday, October 30, 1992, from 9:30-11:00 A.M. at the Wheeler County Courthouse.

RED RIBBON CAMPAIGN

The Wheeler County Extension Homemakers are supporting the Texans War on Drugs 1992 Red Ribbon Campaign by wearing and providing Red Ribbons to Wheeler County students.

The Red Ribbons are a visible symbol of commitment to a drug-free life. The 1991 Campaign reached an estimated 12 million Texans, and hopefully will reach even more in 1992.

Red Ribbons were distributed to the Allison, Fort Elliott, Kelton, Shamrock, Wheeler, and Wheeler Christian Academy schools. In addition, residents in the communities were given ribbons to wear for Red Ribbon Week.

TICKETS NOW ON SALE!

Alpha Mu Alpha members are now selling tickets to their Style Show which is to be held November 2nd at 6:30 p.m. in the Methodist Church Atrium. This event is a great way to get in the mood to dress for the holidays.

The fashions will be modeled by local men, women, and children. Fashions from Andie's, Fashion Corner, Jones Men's Wear, Lad n Lassie, Kidstuff, Hi-Lands, Wayne's Western Wear, Bette's, Busy Bee, The Carousel, and The Boutique will be worn.

Tickets are \$6 and there will be a limited amount sold, so get your ticket early.

Services Are Held For Donald Everett French

Donald Everett French, 67, of Canyon, died Monday, Oct. 26, 1992.

Services held 10 a.m. Thursday, October 29 in Holley Funeral Home Chapel, Rev. Burton McIlroy, pastor of Foursquare Gospel Church in Albuquerque, N.M. and Rev. Billy Nickell of the First Assembly of God Church in Canyon officiated. Burial will be held today Thursday, October 29 at 2 p.m. in the Claude Cemetery by Holley Funeral Home.

Mr. French was a retired construction supervisor for Southwestern Public Service Co. He was an Army veteran of World War II. He was a member of First United Methodist Church of Canyon. He married Mary Louise Thomas Oct. 18, 1942. A daughter, Linda Louise Williams, preceded him in death.

Survivors include his wife; two sons, Gerry Lee French of San Antonio and Karl Donald French of Slidell, La.; three sisters, Pauline Stacy of Meade, Kan., Phyllis Edwards of Garden City, Kan., and Betty Hayes of Dalhart; and six grandchildren.



Icyll Littrell

Meet The Care Center Residents

Icyll Littrell was born in Kernes, Texas on June 16, 1911. Icyll lived with her family in Kernes until they moved to Wheeler in the 1930's. Icyll then married and had one son, Dwayne. Dwayne now resides in Wheeler after making stops in the Arizona deserts. Icyll also has a grandson named Vic. Vic Bradford was an all-state lineman for the Wheeler Mustangs in 1979 on offense and defense. This made Icyll very proud.

Icyll has been a resident of the Wheeler Care Center since 1983. Icyll enjoys arts and crafts and painting during her time at the care center. She also enjoys watching the St. Louis Cardinals play baseball. Icyll is a very funny woman. She enjoys visitors and would like to have more.

By Joe Dan Ledbetter



GOLD STAR: Shonda Prescher of the Shamrock 4-H Club received Wheeler County's highest award Tuesday evening, October 20. Shonda was awarded the Gold Star Award. Shonda is the sixteen-year-old daughter of Michael and Diana Pate and has been an active member of the Shamrock 4-H Club for eight years. Her major projects are beef, sheep, leadership, breads, gardening and food and nutrition. She has represented Wheeler County at various stock shows, district contests, as a district council delegate and at Electric Camp. Shonda serves as a teen leader for a variety of 4-H activities. The highlight of this year for Shonda was attending 4-H Congress in Austin. Shonda placed first at the District Competition and fifth at the State contest with her method demonstration, and she submitted a record book for the District Contest. She also showed her beef projects at Houston Livestock Show and the county stock show. Shonda placed first at the county Bake Show and represented Wheeler county at the Better Bake Show at the Tri-State Fair in Amarillo. Shonda has served her club as president and council delegate in addition to serving as County Council chairman and vice-chairman. County Judge Wendell Morgan presented the award. Also pictured are her parents, Michael and Diana Pate of Shamrock. The four banks in Wheeler county sponsored the Gold Star Award.

BRISCOE NEWS

By Vetola Parker

My sister, Madell went to Hoyles & J.O.'s Wed. This morning, Friday, she started to Panhandle to visit N. F. tonight. She goes home Sunday. A grandson is coming from McKenney to drive her home.

Shawn Davis brought me a bottle of their white liniment out. So sure thank him. He still goes to Briscoe School. It's real pretty to just look out a window.

The 28 of October is Nelson Parker's Birthday and Tera Jo Daugherty Oct. 6 is N.F. Young's birthday.

Sure hope Madell makes it back to Amarillo. She hasn't been driving much, not this far at a time.

She had Eddie Pellets to drive her up here. He caught a plane back home.

Ted and Paulene come tonight around sun down.

Verna sent me a picture of Dennis & Karen's wedding. I didn't have one. Can't seem to get Verna on the phone to thank her. Was sure glad to get it.

We are getting dry. This was for those kids in California.

Leroy and Janice are to come tonight.

Madell wanted to see some of my kids, especially Nelson and Jane. Think she's going to miss all of them.

Pauline gone to take Betti to doctor this morn.

Jimmy Joe and Sara Jane and little boy went home.

Bill and Neta were down. Kenneth Ogle was down and over there. He looked better, Mable said, in some time.

Ted and Pauline came last night. Susie, Scott's wife, came this morning. Scotty is working somewhere north of here.

Mable and family were eating dinner.

Forgot Sarah's baby's name. He was sure cute.

Getting warm out there.

Quail season next weekend. Now they taste good—they are sure cute to get killed.

Curtis and Jane Ann Hall visited us Saturday afternoon. Was glad to see them. They looked good to me. They were on their way to see her mother, Ruby.

Lois Hudson said they were doing fairly. They hadn't gone anywhere this week.

Talked to Mona's husband, Don Reynolds. He said he thought Essie felt better tonight than last night. She still in Wheeler hospital. We hope she is soon a lot better.

Can't get Eunice Edwards. Hope she is ok.

Marylou said Bob Puryear was taking therapy. Hope he gets all ok and soon. He still in Oklahoma City.

Nelson came down for a little visit Sunday afternoon.

We had a vehicle once. Everytime we went somewhere, it would backfire and catch on fire. I would get out, throw some dirt on it and go on.

Jakayle fell, mouth hit coffee table, cut her lip. Hurt her nose and teeth. Hope they are ok. Her mouth and nose bled a lot she cried an hour or more. I told Tish not to let her go to sleep—What Daddy would not let us go to sleep if we was hurt, especially if on head. When they went home, she looked like she in a stupor, half asleep. Looked pale, etc. I called up to Dumas just now. Got Jill. She said Kayla was

doing pretty good. So guess they never took her to the doctor or Jill would told me.

We had a lot of excitement yesterday. A bird got in the house. Tish was as afraid of it as a rattlesnake. Paulene got after it finally caught it. It was a little bird. Tish was standing out side—All out there. Nelson told Tish look there—there was a big bull snake Tish screamed, ran in the house screaming like she been bit. Nelson got a hoe—I thought to kill a snake last night after all had gone. Betti said they didn't kill that snake, said he was after mice and rats. W.O.W. I had rather have mice and rats than bull snakes. I could see that bird getting in the house.

Garry, Ted & Nelson on well house, they saw a short spark in house; all bailed off well house. Garry's foot went through top, skinned leg. He ran round house to this drop switch to cut electricity off. Tish saw him; she knew something was wrong. Have a idea she had had it by time got home. Someone connected 2 wires and did not tape it good. Good thing the top of the well house was not Tin. Carelessness I called it.

So old big snake is still alive. Guess Paulene told Betti be careful when she stepped out door. W.O.W. The could took it to the barn.

Dark in here, need glasses. Monday morn.

Essie Finsterwald still in hospital. LaVern is there. She had not heard this morn.

Hope all kids got back home. Jill did, got her this morn.

Madell and John got home. Rex Helton is still in hospital. Sure hope he is better.

Doc. Wilhelm called, said there was moisture in the air over there.

Glen and Carolyn Mosser came down from Amarillo with Bettie Wood to visit them. Spent the night Saturday. He preached Sunday at Shamrock.

Doc was out around the barn. He has 2 (guess you would call them rams). Doc said he was watching one, acted like he would hit Doc. Doc kept watching him, decided he wasn't. Doc turned to open a gate, he really gave Doc a lick. Doc said if he had hit a bone

Here & There

By Laura Guthrie

This old, well-worn sweater feels good tonight. No, I haven't turned on any heat, but if this temperature drop and high winds continue, the gas will be oozing through the meter before the week is over. Today was a nice day to stay indoors.

I have a few little crochet projects going. I've finished a few sewing jobs that I'd started a few years ago, and I always have a patchwork afghan going. I never get caught up. (probably because I love to read.) I read all the time that my eyes will allow. But they (my eyes) are wearing at the same as my body.

I loved the Dedication Poem and the Letter to the Mustangs that was in the Times last week. It didn't have a "By line" so I don't know who wrote it, but I'm backing you in everything you said, and-from me, Mustangs, don't give up.

Ed Forrester had a couple of half days on the job last week, which is part of his therapy. His wife, Patricia visited him in Amarillo on the weekend. She says that Ed's work-on-the-job, didn't hurt as much as the work-on-the-treatment, anyway it's part of the routine. I hope it will all be profitable for him.

I enjoyed attending church yesterday. I haven't been able to make it very often this summer.

Mr. and Mrs. Frizzell of Shawnee, Okla. were guests on the weekend, of their son, Rodney Frizzell and family. Rodney is the Minister of Youth and Music at the local Baptist church.

Jean Pollock of Maryland is visiting here with her mother Jewell Holloman.

I hear that Jewell Moore is home from her stay in an Amarillo Hospital, and seems to be improving. She was ailing from a fall she had at home.

It's that time of year again, that we are thinking of spooks and Tricks and Treats. Yes, I know that some people believe it is Heathenish. Maybe so, in it's origin. But I've lived a long time and never for one minute have I thought of it as a religious celebration. It's just a Fun-Time. Oh, yes sometimes there's rough jokes and Vandalism, but mostly it's the "wonder in a child's eye" as he receives a small treat. One time I decided I'd have fun along with the kids. I had long hair at that time. I donned a black cape and a witch's hat, combed my hair down over my shoulders and every time the door bell rang I'd pick up my broom and a basket of treats. When I opened the door the kids would be so shocked they would just stare. But with a kind word, they would take a treat and back off. It was fun.

However I am impressed that some of our churches are taking steps to give the youngsters "something worthwhile to do on Halloween Eve."

Now, I remind you again. Before the next issue of the "Times" we will have had two elections. Saturday is the Bond Election concerning the building of a prison near Shamrock. Then on the following Tuesday — well you know what that is. So make up your mind, and if you don't vote, don't complain at the returns.

To the Editor

The Wheeler Times

If it was within your power to save the lives of a thousand babies, by picking up your pen and voting, - even if you'd be voting for something less than what you think you'd like, - would you do it???

If you could save the life of a 100 by voting, - would you do it???

If you could save the life of 10, - would you do it???

If you could save the life on ONE baby by voting, - would you do it???

HOW MUCH IS A LIFE WORTH???

Is it worth as much as "your desires", or wants; is it worth as much as money; as economy???

Just HOW much is a life worth???

IT IS within your power to save the life, not only of a 1000, but tens of thousands of lives by voting for LIFE NOT DEATH!!! Read again the Republican Platform and the Democrat Platform.

Pres. Bush has vetoed many an abortion bill and he will veto the "Freedom of Choice Act" that is a DEATH bill. Clinton says he will sign it immediately. It would mean the death of untold thousands, with NO restrictions from conception through the ninth month, for any reason!!!

Your decision will have ETERNAL CONSEQUENCES.

Are you willing to share the guilt in that many murders???

Or would you rather share the joy of those beautiful babies, made in the likeness and image of God???

WHAT WILL YOUR ANSWER BE???

Willia Fillingim

VOTE NOVEMBER 3
Elect PAUL HATHAWAY
Comm. Preinct 1

(Pol. Adv. paid for by Paul Hathaway, Rt. Box 102, Mobeelie, TX 79061)

he would have broke it. He hit a meaty spot. Doc said he moaned and groaned around some time. Hated to hear this. Daphne and Madell visited Ola Barry. They said she was very alert.

If I was Doc. I would put that butting

WHEELER MENU

November 2-6
MONDAY: Lunch: Steak fingers, broccoli and cheese, baked potatoes, hot rolls, ice cream.

TUESDAY: Lunch: Enchiladas, tossed salad, refried beans, nacho rounds, jello.

WEDNESDAY: Lunch: Polish sausage, onion rings, potato salad, biscuits, fruit cobbler

THURSDAY: Lunch: Turkey and Dressing, mashed potatoes, green beans, hot rolls, pie.

FRIDAY: Lunch: Hamburgers, chips, lettuce & tomatoes, fruit.

fellow in locker.
They say the wind is blowing. I can't tell it in here. Trees blowing some.

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PEOPLE WORKING TOGETHER

The Senate of The State of Texas
Steven A. Carriker
October 1992

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Austin, Texas 78711
512/463-0130

Dear Friends:

I firmly believe that public office is a sacred trust...a contract between the office holder and the people that requires the elected official to honestly and effectively represent the people's interest.

In 1988, the people of District 30 placed their trust in me and I have honored that trust by working hard to represent our district to the best of my ability.

In just four short years we have accomplished a lot by working together. Together, we have improved access to health care. Together, we have brought new prisons to the 30th District and have become leaders in the fight against crime. Together, we've helped create jobs and economic opportunities and worked to improve the quality of life for our senior citizens and our children. Together, we have made a good start toward a better tomorrow. But the job is not finished. We must continue to make our best case in Austin on the issues most vital to us.

As state senator, I'll continue to listen to the needs and concerns of our district and I'll keep on fighting to claim our fair share.

I want to keep working as your Senator. I ask for your vote, your support, and your prayers in this effort. Together, we can build a brighter future for all Texans.

Sincerely,

Steven A. Carriker
State Senator

...I'll Keep Fighting
To Claim Our Share.

VOTE FOR STEVE CARRIKER
NOVEMBER 3rd

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Cross and Bob Kinnaman on Nov. 1. Diane Reeves on Nov. 2, Dusty Walker and Joe Atwood on Nov. 3, Patty Shields, Tracy Densberger and Maurita Stribling on Nov. 4, Shannon Cantwell, Eric Zybach, Steve Corse, Steven May, LaJo Crownover and Chuck Hogan on Nov. 6, Erma Weibe on Nov. 7.

Happy Birthday to Kelly and Edith

Beth Hefley Alvey

Candidate for District Clerk



- ☆ Attended WTSU
- ☆ Completed over 7 years Tax Law Courses
- ☆ Worked in the Public for over 20 years
- ☆ Property Owner and Wheeler Co. Tax Payer

Seeking this office to better serve the people of Wheeler Co.

Paid Political adv. by Jim Alvey, Treasurer, Rt. 1, Box 223, Wheeler, TX 79096

Happy Anniversary to Mike and Lee Ann Lehman on Nov. 1 and Shawn and Daphne Zybach on Nov. 2

Don't forget to vote on Nov. 3. Try to find out about the candidates. Pray that the best ones will win! Our country is at stake.

Next Sunday night Nov. 1 at 6:30 will be singing night at Gageby church with Winnie Gilmer in charge. Ya'll come!

We are looking forward to the Wheeler Senior Citizens covered dish supper and game night next Monday night Nov. 2, 6:00 and to XYZ (Xtra years of zest) at Mobeetie Baptist Church Friday night Nov. 6. Supper and devotional 6:30. Blood pressures earlier, visitors are always welcome both places. Also 42 at Mobeetie sometimes.

Nice to have friends over for a pile on supper and 42 party Friday night. Those here were Evelyn Meek, Gaye Hale, Homer Danders, Edna May, Kelly and Edith Cross, Roy and Roy and Lois Meadows and Martha and J.P. Meek. Sarah Hale visited Sarah Haxton Friday night. Tracy Densberger visited Mr. St. John while the Crosses were at our house.

"Some people come into our lives and quickly go. Some stay for awhile and leave footprints on our hearts and we are never the same."

Fort Elliott Volleyball girls will be playing either Harold or Chillicothe for bi-district, hopefully closer and probably first week in November. Won't

know till after Tuesday night who, when and where, because of a tie.

"When God puts a mountain in your path, you don't sit at the foot of it and cry, you set out to climb it."

Kelton F.F.A. group won first in the Freshman quiz at Clarendon Saturday to win first in district. Area will be next Saturday at Clarendon. Those competing were Jodie Crownover, Brandi Connors, Jennifer Kirkland and Star Smith. Alternate was Jennifer Wilcox. Fort Elliott won second with David Helton, Misty Morgan, Bobby Blackburn, Kimberly Winter and Brandi Luttrell competing. Congratu-



lations to all. Collin McCurley competed in reciting the creed.

Fort Elliott High School boys competed in a Cross Country Run at Thompson Park Amarillo Thursday and won second for their team—only 4 points behind first place Texline. Boys running were Dusty Walker, Travis Goad, Jake Swigart, David Helton, Corey Kinnaman, John Moffett and Josh Purcell. Congratulations! They will advance to Regional Nov. 7.

Nice to have Diane Moffett and finance, James Brice, out to church at Gageby Sunday with Alisha, James and John Moffett.

Visiting Faye Smith Sunday afternoon were David and Winnie Gilmer, Brandon Finsterwald, Doris Finsterwald and Ellen Powell.

Nice to have Angelia and Jeremy Joe Hefner, Carolan Aycock and Michael J. Shorter go to the Dairy Queen with us Thursday night for supper. The Hefners and Mom Janet are staying a few weeks with Laura and Dale Vandever while Rich get started in his new job near Dallas and gets a house for them to stay in. Chad and Christina are also with Rick's mom there.

Matthew 25: 40 Inasmuch as you have done it unto one of the least of these my brethren, ye have done it unto me (Jesus).

Joyce Aycock flew to Dallas to take the test to be licensed LVN. Her son met her there and she got to visit and stay with him and he took her to Wichita Falls Saturday to meet Bob and Carolan.

Nice to see Carolyn May and Travis and Clayton and Opal Farris at the Dairy Queen in Wheeler Thursday.

Belated Happy 80th Birthday to Opal Boydston, a dear little lady who always has a smile.

Remember Jewell Holloman in your prayers. Evelyn Meek has been a frequent visitor to her aunt in the hospital. Jewell is improved.

Enjoying a "slumberless" overnight party at E.G. and Willa Fillingim's Friday night to celebrate Londa Crownover's 13th birthday were Brandy Kirkland, Bridgette Lunsford, Kristina Wilcox, Annette and Korina Lopez, Lee Scales, Elissa Ray and Catrina Wash and Londa. They had lots of fun with the animals, trampoline and other things.

Nice to have David and Rita Pearson and Dallas and Lindsey Fillingim and Amy Purcell join us for lunch at Maxey's Sunday. Lots of lovely people there. Nice to see Ruth Wiley and Liz Boring with Mr. and Mrs. Paul Wiley and Grainger and Dorothy McIlhany, the Johnny Velasquez family and Opal Davidson, J.R. and Ona Black, his mom.

Always nice to have our college kids home. Good to see Cheryl Hudson and Dallas out to church. Ray and Pat hosted a birthday dinner for Cheryl. Also there were Oden and Lois Hudson, her grandparents.

Some good games of Volleyball at Fort Elliott school Tuesday night, when

Kelton came to play. Ft Elliott Junior High defeated Kelton 15-9 and 15-13. Fort Elliott High School won over Kelton 15-3 and 15-11 but all players have improved.

Tuesday was sisters day out for Polly Hefley and I. We enjoyed a leisurely drive up to Lake Marvin and a delicious lunch at Maxey's II. The foliage was gorgeous. So peaceful! Also a nice view from Maxey's.

Olaf Sivage drove to Houston and visited daughter Sue and Larry Snider and Zachary, Issac and Courtney and got to see the boys play football on Thursday night.

Aaron and Claudetta Laverty and Caaron enjoyed visiting the Gordon Lavertys last weekend and helping Gordon celebrate his 30th birthday. They also got to watch Gordon play softball and Casey and Danny play soccer. Claudetta also made a cheerleading skirt for Cheyenne and they all went to Dallas to the Fair for awhile. Gordon's family lives at Decatur. Claudetta also had a birthday.

"Remember not only to say the right thing in the right place, but far more difficult still, to leave unsaid the wrong thing at the tempting moment" Benjamin Franklin.

Mark Meek was recently elected to the board of directors of the Hemphill County Soil and Water Conservation District and represents zone 4. Mark and Annette Meek, Steve Radar and Hack Coffee, conservationist. Attended the 52nd annual convention of Texas Soil and Water Conservation District Directors at South Padre Island Convention Center Oct. 19-21. Annette is State Secretary.

Everyone seemed to be enjoying the carnival Saturday night at Briscoe. Good crowd, good food and fun things to do. One of the favorites for younger kids was the swinging log pillow fight. The winner was the one who could stay on the log while the other fell to the mattress below. But all kids love pillow fights, whoever wins, the dunking tank was a favorite place, too, to be able to give a teacher or adult a cold water dip. Lots of people playing bingo with good gifts. Many kids dressed up special for the contest, there was a spook house "uptown", raffles, wheel of fortune, face painting, balloon pop and many other games.

The Kelton High School boys ran Cross Country at the Boy Scout camp Saturday and won first. Congratulations.

Willis and I enjoyed a nice drive to Childress Wednesday and a good visit with Sharon Worley and Mona Worley and Cody Lee, 4 weeks old, from Paducah, Sharon is still doing 48 hours weekends (3 double shifts) at Methodist Hospital Lubbock.

God be with you till we meet again.

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"Wheeler, town of friendship and peace."

PUBLIC MEETING CONCERNING UNDERGROUND WATER

A public meeting concerning underground water issues will be held on Thursday, November 5th, at 6:00 P.M. at the Hemphill County Exhibition Barn. Representatives from the following organizations will make presentations and be available for questions:
State Representative Warren

Chisum, Texas Water Commission, Texas Railroad Commission, Sterling County underground Water Conservation District, Lipan-Kickapoo Underground Water Conservation District, Panhandle Groundwater Conservation District #3, North Plains Groundwater Conservation District #2 and Texas Farm Bureau.

Topics of Discussion: Do we need to be in a water district? Do we need to join a district or form our own district? What tax rate would need to be set? Come to this meeting and hear all sides of the issue discussed. Sponsored by: Hemphill Soil and Water Conservation District, First State Bank, Canadian Feedyards, Inc. and Hemphill Co. Farm Bureau. If you can attend the meeting, please call Julia at 323-6754 so that we may plan for refreshments.

4-H FOOD PROJECT

The Wheeler County 4-H Food & Nutrition project will begin November 1. Those completing the project will be eligible to compete in the County Food Show on November 21. For more information, contact Joan Gray at the Wheeler County Extension office at 826-5243.

4-H is the youth development program of the Texas Agricultural Extension Service and focuses on the needs, interests and concerns of boys and girls between 3rd grade and 19 years of age regardless of socioeconomic level, race, color, handicap, religion or national origin.

"Trick or Treat" Safety

"Trick or Treat" are familiar words that will soon usher in another Halloween season. Halloween is a time when children will be distracted by the excitement of the season, a time when parents should take steps to ensure their children's safety by instructing them in the do's and don'ts of Halloween.

Major Vernon Cawthon, Regional Commander of the Texas Department of Public Safety, says, "It's a good idea to insure costumes fit well, not too tight or too loose, causing a child to trip and fall. Painting the child's face with makeup is preferable to wearing a mask, which obstructs vision. Make sure all costumes are made of non-flammable material, especially wigs and masks. Young children should always be accompanied by an adult. If you do not accompany your child, instruct him to go out with a group and not to stop at homes which are dark. Costumes should be reflective or a piece of reflective tape placed on the costume and bags. Everyone should carry a flashlight."

Major Cawthon went on to say that all candy should be taken home and checked prior to anything being eaten and if a suspicious treat is found, contact the police. For those who plan to participate in handing out treats, turn on your porch light to let children know they are welcome and remove obstacles from the front yard that could cause a child to trip and fall. Keep lighted jack-o-lanterns or candles away from steps or the front door where a child's costume could be ignited by a flame. Major Cawthon advises motorists traveling into residential areas to drive with extreme caution and be watchful of children darting into the street.

SWEETWATER NEWS We went to Erick Thursday and there was a Restricted to 10 Ton on the river bridge. We'd lost weight and made it across ok. I remember some 65 years ago when they were having The Covered Wagon at the local Erick theater. We were all set to go when word came that the bridge had washed away in the flood. That didn't stop daddy. We all crawled into the Model T and went to see. Sure enough the bridge was gone and the river raging. But all was not lost, Earl Hill was there with teams pulling the cars across. Think he charged a dollar. We chugged merrily to the show and happily gave him another dollar to take us back across. Joe says the town was also paying him.

The FFA supper and slave sale was postponed until Monday. Had a good turnout. Most valuable slaves of the 30 were Monte Tucker, president, and Mandy Carlson, chapter sweetheart. Don Riley was auctioneer, Bobby Hines, advisor.

Don Grace is honored in the 1992 Who's Who Among America's Teachers. Selections were made by former students. Don Teaches business and is boy's coach.

Kristian Henson was Reserve Champion in individual acts at the 4-H Share the Fun contest at Cheyenne last week. The group in the junior division, received a blue ribbon.

Bad week with us. We ran out of watermelon, I put the 3 A.B. gave us in the ice box and rationed them out but all good things come to an end. Had a nice call from cousin Midge Kinnie, Sudan, Tx. She was afraid I was sick, no Sweetwater news in the paper. And that was the main reason, they take the paper! Kind of her to say so.

The Kitchen Band had a busy week. Went to Fairview Village for lunch and played a while. To Elk Nursing Home in afternoon. Friday to Wheeler Care Center. As always a wonderful time. Band members were Basil and Billy Doss, Betty Brothers, Jack Criswell, Iona Miller, Rose Abla, Hazel Francis, Lillian Foshee, Margaret Boney, Mabel Holland, Margaret Hiller, Bess Perkins, Murray Orgain, Loyd Addis, Richard Crawford, Roy Swagger. We Three and Ole Five String. Sang Happy Birthday to Roy who was 87 Oct. 24.

Visited with Johnnie Stephens, Ruth Cantrell. Her sister Lucille Loyd is very ill at Cyril. Bollard Williamson, Jim Anderson, Bonnie Mooney, Mr. and Mrs. Dale Baker, Walter Pasby, Ruthie Walker, Edora Veal, Corn, Ruth Taylor, Mr. and Mrs. M.H. Jones.

Dropped in at the hospital to see Margie Harkins. Found her asleep. She's back at home now. And Minnie Culver. Minnie broke her hip. She will have a birthday, the 28th. Callie Prock

had eye surgery. Mollie Carlson has been on the puny list.

Schedule for the Erick Kitchen Band for November is 1st Tuesday, Erick Home, Saturday 14, Honey Festival, Erick, 11 a.m. at High School auditorium, 1st Friday, Bell Avenue Home, 2nd Tuesday, Grand Place, 3rd Tuesday, Fairview Village, noon, Elk Home 2 p.m., 4th Tuesday, Hensley Home, 4th Friday, Wheeler Care Center.

Funeral services were Thursday for Gertrude Garrett at the Erick Chapel. Burial was in the Buffalo Cemetery. Gertrude had been in poor health for a number of years.

One thing that might help the country would be to give a good tax break

to families where one parent stays home with the children. Would help cut down on crime, children would learn better in school, and would make a lot more jobs available.

Brenda Foshee, Brian and Laura, from Sand Springs were here to spend a few days with Inez Coffey while school break was on.

Our kids had three days off. Wednesday was for parent-teacher conferences. Thursday and Friday, Teachers meeting.

Brendon Atkinson, Robin Hagerman, and Jennifer Taylor attended a 4-H Youth Action Conference two days at OKC. Theme was Development of Leadership Skills.

Joe Dale, Esther, and Melissa called from Missouri to see how we were doing. Mike is still at St. Joe. Told them all was well except extremely dry. The wheat farmers are praying for rain and the cotton farmers saying wait till we harvest.

Went shopping and it was like Old Home week. Saw Dewitt and Marjorie Hawkins, Lavelle Webster, Coy Sites, Lawanda Keathley, O.K. and Elma Henson, Lovelle Hill, Laraine Skelton, Lena Luman, and Birdie Whipkey. Lanelle and Donnis Hayes of Enid were out to spend the weekend with Mildred Allen. Leroy, Faye, and Randilyn came for Sunday dinner.

Attending the FFA Colt contest at OKC were advisor, Bobby Hines, Monte Tucker, Shay Mong, Steve Dawson, Danny Reed, Jody Johnston, Brendon Atkinson, and Robin Hagerman.

Everyone hopes Mr. Bush isn't desperate enough to make another war his October surprise.



Brett Buckingham Receives Silver Scholarship

Dean's Scholars of Texas Tech

University's College of Agricultural Sciences were honored by faculty, administrators and parents at a reception Oct. 16 in the University Center courtyard.



November 2-6
MONDAY: Lunch: Stew, peanut butter sandwiches, cornbread, apples, milk.

TUESDAY: Lunch: Roast, creamed potatoes, green beans, hot rolls, milk, fruit.

WEDNESDAY: Lunch: Nacho pie, corn salad ice cream, fruit milk.

THURSDAY: Lunch: Hamburgers, French fries, ice cream, milk.

FRIDAY: Lunch: Burritos, corn, salad, cookies, milk.

Menu subject to change

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To be eligible for a Gold Scholarship, students must graduate in the upper 10 percent of their high school class and/or have a minimum score of 1,300 on the Scholastic Aptitude Test or a minimum grade of 3.1 on the American College Test.

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Receiving a Silver Scholarship was Brett Buckingham, senior agricultural economics major from Wheeler.



November 2-6
MONDAY: Breakfast: Juice, cereal, toast, milk.

Lunch: BBQ Chicken, scalloped potatoes, apricots, bread, milk/tea, pears.

TUESDAY: Breakfast: Juice, biscuits, eggs/sausage, peanut butter, milk.

Lunch: Spaghetti/meat sauce, corn, salad, Texas toast, milk/tea, choc. chip cookies.

WEDNESDAY: Breakfast: Juice, cinnamon rolls, 1/2 apple, milk.

Lunch: Cheeseburgers, French fries, lettuce, tomato, onion, milk/tea, strawberry gelatin w/fruit.

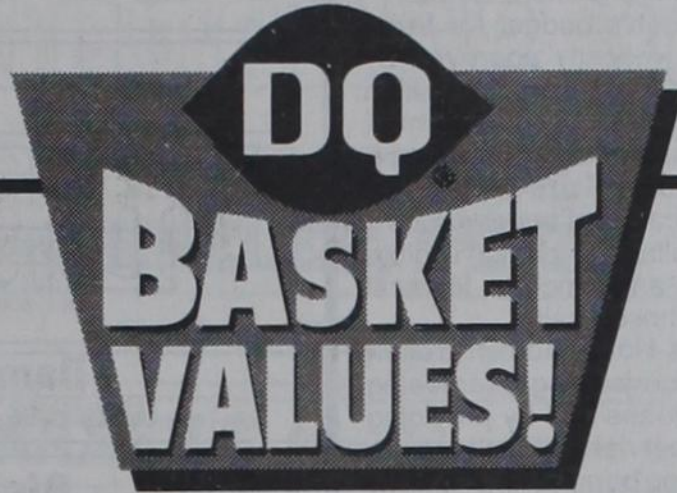
THURSDAY: Breakfast: Juice, peanut butter & jelly sandwiches or cereal, milk.

Lunch: Chicken fried steak, m. potatoes, green beans, hot roll, milk/tea, cake.

FRIDAY: Breakfast: Juice, cereal, toast, milk.

Lunch: Beef & veg. soup, grilled cheese sandwiches, pickle spear, crackers, milk/tea, peanut butter cookies.

Menu subject to change.

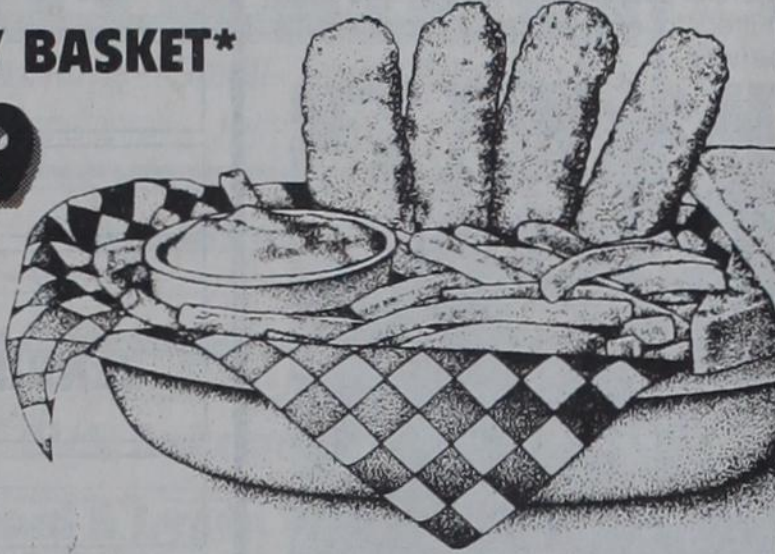


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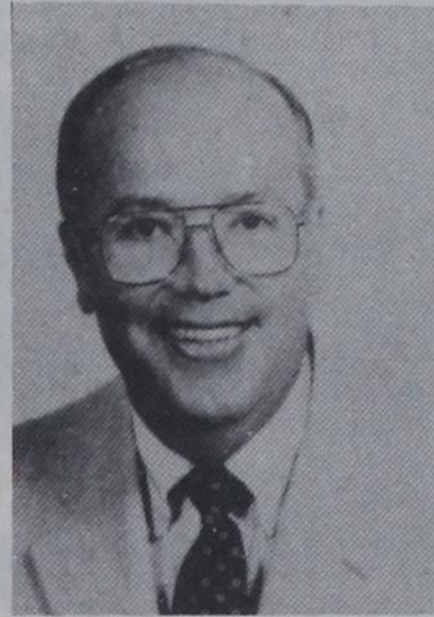
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The following statements were taken from the *Shamrock Texan* and *The Wheeler Times*. The question as being asked by concerned tax payers of the county.

Statement:

First, in 1990 Wheeler County had a tax base of \$468,070,474. The next year, in 1991, the tax base had fallen by almost thirty million dollars to \$438,587,681 and now in 1992 stands at \$404,062,940. The tax rate in 1990 was .2925 cents per \$100 valuation. The next year it went to .3600 cents per \$100 and now it stands at .36069 cents per \$100. As valuation falls, the rate of tax must increase to maintain the same revenue as the previous year.

Question:

As properties get older and the oil and gas production continue to decline, how long will the tax base fall at approximately \$30,000,000 per year? What will the county tax base be five (5) or ten (10) years from now?

Statement:

How much is the proposed tax increase?
The proposed tax increase will be .042 cents per \$100.00 of valuation. The current tax base of Wheeler County is \$404,062,940.

A .042 cent per \$100 increase would generate an overall increase of \$170,000 per year for ten years. This total would completely retire the bond issue and the cost associated with the issue.

Question:

As the tax base declines, the tax rate will have to be increased to generate the \$170,000 yearly bond payment. What will the tax rate be in a few years? What will the Real Cost be to the tax payer?

(Paid for by Concerned Tax Payers of Wheeler County, Rob Hogan, Jr., Chrm., Rt. 1, Box 207, Mobeetie, TX 79061)

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Care Center Comments

By Cathy

The holiday season is close and we are excited. We are making plans for our Christmas party on December 12th at 7:00 pm. The Wheeler Care Center will be giving \$50.00 to each hall for decorations. If you have family or friends here and would like to participate in the decorating you can do so by contacting the committee chairperson for each hall. For "A-Hall" the person to contact is Judy Cornell in Allison. For "B-Hall", Rita Pearson from Briscoe is who will be making the arrangements. "C-Hall" decorations will be arranged by Carol Kiker in Allison and "D-Hall" decorations will be handled by Doris Knoll in Shamrock. We are anticipating the best Christmas party ever so please come and join us in celebrating.

Each week we have volunteers that come to the facility without fail. Each one bring their own special service.

They are a blessing that could never be replaced and we are thankful for each one.

Janice Sparlin is here for Baptist Bible Study. Rozena Zybach and Fern Young come to have devotional each week. This month we have had Ila Byers, Vida Brown, Mae Nash, Frances Hefley, Ruth Taylor, Opal Hefley, Evelyn and Jaclyn Meek, Mary Mitchell, Elva Wood, Marie Gudgel, Cathrine Holt and Ruth Miles, volunteer for serving juice, helping with bingo, serving popcorn and many other

activities. I have probably missed somebody and to the ones I have mentioned and anyone I've missed thank you.

The residents were able to go outside and enjoy some beautiful weather this week. We still have some flowers out front and they enjoyed taking time to smell their fragrance. Balloon volleyball has become popular around here. I think the residents are out in front of the employees on scoring. We had our usual bingo day this week. Bingo always draws a big crowd. We

had 24 residents play and Joe Richardson was the blackout winner.

The Erick Kitchen band came Friday. We had a good crowd. They all enjoyed the music and dancing. Three of the C.N.A.'s from the facility joined in on the dancing.

Thank you to the Kiker family for their gifts to the residents and to the facility.

I hope that everyone can come by and visit the facility and don't forget the Christmas party.
Love Cathy

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Wheeler Church of Christ

Congregational Concerns:

From Saturday night, November 14th, through Sunday, November 15th, this congregation will host a seminar that will be devoted to the family. This seminar will be entitled, "Families on the Leading Edge". Ron Rose, the founder of Faith in Families Ministry, will conduct this seminar. Essie Finsterwald remains hospitalized in the local hospital.

Wille Hefley, the mother of Jerry Hefley is hospitalized in the local hospital. Her condition is slowly improving.

Ardie Martin is hospitalized in the local hospital, recovering from recent hip surgery.

From The Minister's Desk:

Since the release of the Movie, JFK, there has been a renewed interest in the assassination of President John Kennedy. This renewed interest recently prompted one of the leading researchers of the assassination, Mr. Carl Henry, to make an interesting observation.

Mr. Henry said: "Over the past few years, objective rational research into JFK's assassination has given way, has lost ground to, a highly speculative form of inquiry which has one "feeling more and thinking less". Playing to the emotions, rather than to a balance of reason and emotion, tenuous relationship, and far-fetched theory have become the foundation for truth, supplanting facts, common sense, and reason."

I think that this observation could also be applicable to Christianity. In my judgement, there are too many people who have this "feeling more and thinking less" attitude towards Christianity. If these people were Bible students, they would recognize that the emphasis of the bible is toward the minds of people not their emotions and feelings. For example, Romans 12: 1-2 says: "I urge you therefore, brethren, by the mercies of God, to present your bodies as a living and holy sacrifice, acceptable to God, which is your spiritual service of worship. And do not be conformed to this world, but be transformed by the renewing of your mind, that you may prove what the will of God is, that which is good and acceptable and perfect."

Notice that this text says: "--Be transformed by the renewing of your mind"--. It does not say: "--Be transformed by the renewing--" of your emotions or feelings. From this text then it should be obvious that Christianity is not a subjective faith which merely consists of emotions and feelings. Rather it is an objective faith which consists of truths that people can believe and practice.

For this reason, there are at least two important observations that can be made about Christianity. These two observations are:--

1. Christianity is a faith that is characterized by an objective standard of truth. Jesus pinpointed this objective standard of truth when He said: "If you abide in My word, then you are truly disciples of Mine; and you shall know the truth and the truth shall make you free." (John 8:31-32) when people ignore this objective standard for truth and depend upon their emotions or feelings, their lives will be filled with blantant error and subjective nonsense.

Did you remember Jessica Hahn? Ms. Hahn was the young woman who was involved in a sex scandal with the former televangelist, Jim Bakker. As a result of this scandal, Ms. Hahn received some financial offers which would allow her to profit from this scandal. For example, she was offered a substantial amount of money to pose nude for Playboy magazine. Before she would accept this offer, Ms. Hahn stated that she would have to receive a sign of God's approval. Within a few days of receiving the offer by Playboy magazine, Ms. Hahn claimed to have received God's approval because she had seen a rainbow. Perhaps Ms. Hahn would have made a different decision if she had read I Peter 3:1-5.

With the Bible, people have an objective standard of truth which they can use to determine the course

of their life. They do not have to depend upon their feelings or emotions. But people must not make the same mistake that the Pharisees made. Jesus plainly described their mistake when He said: "You search the Scriptures, because you think that in them you have eternal life; and it is these that bear witness of Me; and you are unwilling to come to Me, that you may have life." (John 5: 39-40)

Like the Pharisees, people can have a knowledge of the Scriptures, but not know God. To know God, people must have faith in Jesus Christ. This faith is achieved by their obedience to the objective truths of the Word of God not by their feelings or emotions.

2. Christianity is a faith that is characterized by a consistent lifestyle. When people twist Christianity into a subjective faith which consists of feelings and emotions, their spiritual lives will be terribly inconsistent. As long as their feelings and emotions are stimulated, these people have a strong faith, but when their feelings and emotions are not stimulated, these people have a weak faith. Their spiritual lives are like a roller-coaster ride because their feelings and emotions cannot be consistently stimulated.

Please do not misunderstand. The Bible does not teach that Christianity is an emotionless faith. For example, Romans 12:15 says: "Rejoice with those who rejoice, and weep with those who weep." But while the Bible does not teach that Christianity is an emotionless faith, it does emphasize that Christianity should have knowledge, obedience, and emotion in their proper sequence. According to the Bible, people must first study and learn the truths of the word of God. They then must be obedient to these truths which will enrich their emotions.

To illustrate this sequence, read the following Biblical texts and decide how many people would obey them if they first had to "get excited". "--Love your enemies and pray for those who persecute you--" (Matthew 5:44); "Never pay back evil for evil to anyone. Respect what is right in the sight of all men" (Romans 12:17); "Do nothing from selfishness or empty conceit, but with humility of mind. Let each of you regard one another as more important than himself--" (Philippians 2:3); "--if anyone suffers as a Christian, let him not feel ashamed, but in that name let him glorify God." (I Peter 4:16)

These texts simply would not be obeyed if people first had to "get excited". If these verses are to be obeyed, people must have the attitude that Jesus expressed in His prayer in the garden of Gethsemane. He prayed: "--Not My will, but thine be done." (Luke 22:42) When people have this attitude, their lifestyle will be consistent and rational.

I think that Mr. Henry was absolutely correct. The attitude of "feeling more and thinking less" will not solve the assassination of President John Kennedy. It also will not produce authentic Christianity.

Bill Morrison, Minister
Church of Christ
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.

Texas Farmers & Ranchers Benefit Program

Neal Sox Johnson, State Director of the United States Department of Agriculture (USDA) Texas Farmer Home Administration (FmHA), said today, "I am pleased to announce another successful year for the Farmer Programs Division of the Texas FmHA."

Texas FmHA made 1,877 direct operating loans totaling more than 91.7 million dollars to farmers and ranchers in Texas to finance operating and living expenses. In addition, the agency also guaranteed 1,021 farmer program operating loans made by private lenders totaling over 125 million dollars.

In excess of 4.2 million dollars in direct farm ownership and more than 13.3 million dollars in guaranteed loans were granted. Funds from these loans were used to purchase and improve farm and ranch land in Texas.

As result of Texas FmHA programs in fiscal year 1992, 3,015 farm and

ranch families continued to work in the ranching business or to become owner/operators of family farms.

President Bush's budget for fiscal year 1993, as recently approved by Congress, has authorized 3.3 billion dollars nationally to continue to meet the needs of our nation's farmers and ranchers. "Texas FmHA looks forward to an allocation of approximately 250 million dollars to assist eligible Texas farmers and ranchers in fiscal year 1993," Johnson said.

The Farmers Home Administration assists rural America by guaranteeing private sector loans and by providing temporary, supervised direct loans to farm and housing borrowers who have a reasonable chance for success, and whose current needs cannot be met at reasonable rates and terms by commercial sources. The Agency is committed to excellence in providing its service.



Mr. & Mrs. James Hutchison, III

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Aimee Dillon and James Hutchison III were married Sept. 5 in an outdoor ceremony at the home of the grooms grandmother, Mrs. Mary Hutchison in Clarksville, Texas. The Rev. J. F. Austin officiated.

Katy Carter, Uvalde, TX sister of the bride served as matron of honor.

James B. Hutchison II, father of the groom, served as best man.

The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. James L. Smith, Jr. of Wheeler.

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At Clarendon — 7:30 P.M.

WHEELER, TEXAS

1992 WHEELER MUSTANGS

No.	Name	Pos.	Ht.	Wt.	Class
1	Ruth Ledbetter	TE	6'1"	195	Sr.
2	Maxey's Steakhouse	SE	5'11"	155	Jr.
3	Thriftway	QB	6'1"	185	Jr.
4	Big Town Selections—Small Town Friendliness	B	5'11"	135	Fr.
5	300 E. OKLAHOMA WHEELER, TEXAS	B	6'0"	180	Jr.
6	Ruth Wiley	B	5'10"	140	Jr.
7	Bob & Evangeline Wills	QB	5'4"	110	Fr.
8	Dick DeArment	SE	5'9"	155	Jr.
9	Richard & Lynda Wallace	B	5'10"	190	Sr.
10	Bridgett, Jeseka & Cassidi	B	6'3"	175	So.
11	The Wheeler Times	B	5'8"	115	Fr.
12	Louis, Barbara, Jennifer, Liz & Forrest	B	6'1"	160	Sr.
13	Ed & Patricia Forrester	B	5'9"	140	So.
14	Jimmy, Marie, Stephanie & Jason Adams	C	5'10"	155	So.
15	The Kenneth Nelson Family	G	5'11"	160	So.
16	Johnny's Shamrock Service	G	5'11"	185	Fr.
17	Johnny, Betty, Melissa & Justin Chapman	G	5'6"	125	Fr.
18	Bob, Sue & Amy Vanpool	T	5'9"	175	Fr.
19	Jerry, Carolyn, Justin & Kendall Hefley	T	5'9"	175	Fr.
20	M. & M. GIN	B	6'1"	150	Jr.
21	Farm Bureau Texas	TE	5'9"	140	Fr.
22	Texas Farm Bureau Insurance Companies	QB	5'3"	110	Fr.
23	Gary Alston, Agency Manager	TE	6'4"	150	Jr.
24	Agents: Gary Ware & Wayne Wheeler	T	6'5"	170	Jr.

Athletic Director: Ronnie Karcher
 Assistant: Jeff Pierce, Shawn Read, Steve Scott
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 Dirickson
 Sponsor: Kim Goad
 Sylvia Maddux (Sr.), Jana Velasquez (Sr.),
 Jr.), Jullie Porter (Sr.), Shelby Beers (Sr.),
 Mascot: Angie Martin (Sr.)

CLARENDON BRONCOS

No.	Name	Pos.	Ht.	Wt.	Class
7	Spencer Smith	B-E	160	B-E	12
10	Todd Lindley	E-B	130	E-B	10
14	Chad Campbell	QB/LB	170	QB/LB	11
22	Ron Suiter	B-B	150	B-B	12
25	Corey Fields	E-B	160	E-B	10
27	Woodrow Wilson	E-B	175	E-B	11
34	Rickey Smith	B-B	150	B-B	11
44	Brice Fletcher	B-LB	170	B-LB	12
48	Wesley Smith 1	B-LB	80	B-LB	11
50	Casey Alexander	C-T	228	C-T	11
51	David Lane	G-LB	150	G-LB	12
55	Garey Vinson	G-LB	160	G-LB	10
61	Clay Wright	C-M	160	C-M	12
64	Billy Bob Hoggard	G-T	225	G-T	12
74	Chris McKinney	T-N	245	T-N	12
75	Tim Landon	T-N	275	T-N	11
77	Stacey Alexander	T-T	244	T-T	11
78	Darren Spier	T-T	226	T-T	11
80	Joe Morrow	E-E	175	E-E	11
88	Steven Davis	E-E	195	E-E	12
89	Greg Collins	E-S	160	E-S	11

Coaches: Mike Smith, Jim Stewart, Lonnie Hines, J. R. Compton, Monty Chapman, Bob Davis & Jack Hall
 Managers: Christel Green, Krista Percival, Kelly Laxson, Charlie Holt, Kathy Tunstall, Ty Lewis, Suzy Williams & Jan Melton

1992 Wheeler Mustang Football Schedule

Date	Opponent	Time
Aug. 21	West Texas (Scrimmage)	T 5:30
Aug. 28	Shamrock (Scrimmage)	T 5:30
Sept. 4	Gruver—22	Wheeler—14
Sept. 11	Sunray—13	Wheeler—6
Sept. 18	Spearman—12	Wheeler—8
Sept. 25	Booker—13	Wheeler—42
**Oct. 2	Quanah—33	Wheeler—13
*Oct. 9	Panhandle—57	Wheeler—20
*Oct. 16	Memphis—52	Wheeler—22
*Oct. 23	Wellington—29	Wheeler—6
*Oct. 30	Clarendon	T 7:30
*Nov. 6	Canadian	H 7:30

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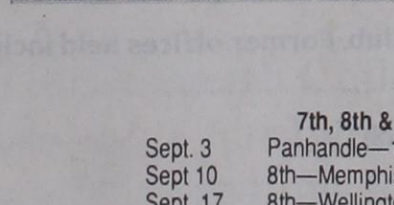
No.	Name	Pos.	Ht.	Wt.	Class
10	Ray Immel	SE	4'11"	95	7
11	Jason Porton	QB	5'3"	100	8
20	Shane Sparlin	SE	5'3"	100	8
21	Ramon Meraz	SB	4'11"	85	8
22	Marshall Flowers	QB	4'10"	80	7
23	Travis Stevens	RB	5'2"	115	8
30	Shea Weatherly	FB	5'0"	90	7
31	Brandon Simmons	SE	4'11"	95	7
32	Shane Stribling	SB	5'3"	95	7
33	Layne McCasland	RB	5'3"	90	7
40	Robert Gallardo	RB	5'6"	125	8
42	Jeremey Davis	FB	5'3"	130	7
44	Dustin Case	FB	5'8"	120	8
50	John Porter	C	5'1"	100	8
51	Josh Lee	C	5'3"	120	7
52	Mike Johnson	C	5'4"	110	7
60	Simon Delgado	G	5'0"	115	8
61	Andy Irvin	T	5'11"	165	8
62	Dean Hutchison	T	5'7"	185	8
63	Chris Beard	G	5'6"	135	8
64	Bryan Judd	G	5'6"	115	7
65	Jose Avila	T	5'8"	210	8
70	Will Wheeler	T	5'5"	140	7
71	Paul Arganbright	G	4'10"	125	7
72	Michael Hennig	T	5'8"	140	8
73	Cecil Pender	T	5'7"	120	7
74	Wade Brickey	T	5'10"	230	8
75	Clayton Brownfield	T	5'10"	260	8
81	George Salas	TE	5'3"	90	7
82	Daniel Keelin	TE	5'2"	120	8

Coaches: Shawn Read, Steve Scott
 Athletic Director: Ronnie Karcher
 Superintendent: Glyndol Holland
 Cheerleader Sponsor: Missy Schafer
 Cheerleaders: Cassi Wallace (8), Kalli Bradstreet (8), Mika Goad (8), Vanessa Baize (8), Penny Dollar (8), Camille Porter (7)

Dustin Weatherly is a 15 year old freshman. Dustin was a guard and linebacker for the Mustang JV this year. Dustin was a three sport man in junior high as he also participated in basketball and track. In his spare time, he likes to sleep and watch "Hot Shots". He is also an avid user of the microscope in Biology lab.

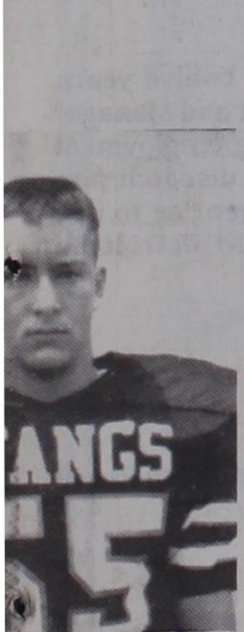


Trent Ware is a 14 year old freshman. Trent is a center for the Mustangs, a position he has played since 7th grade. He also lines up as a safety defensively. Since the cancellation of the JV schedule, he has been a valuable contributor on the scout team. With some added bulk, the coaches think Trent could help in the offensive line. Ware will also play basketball this winter. He enjoys out door activities such as hunting and golfing, also in his spare time, Trent doubles as a chauffeur.



Date	Opponent	Score
Sept. 3	Panhandle—18	Wheeler— 8
Sept. 10	8th—Memphis 12 W-12	7th W-18 M-0
Sept. 17	8th—Wellington 18 W-14	7th W-34 We-6
	JV—W-32	We-6
Sept. 24	8th—Cl-32	W-8
Oct. 1	8th—Ca-20	W-8
	JV—W-6	Ca-21
*Oct. 8	8th—P-20	W-6
*Oct. 15	8th—M-26	W-28
*Oct. 22	8th—We-18	W-18
*Oct. 29	Clarendon	H 4:30-6:00-7:30
*Nov. 5	Canadian	T 4:30-6:00-7:30
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pleasant defensive surprise play of **Russell Woollard** tackle. He has become more aggressive as the game on. Offensively, starting center. Russell off season in the weight knows what it takes to ball. In his spare time, plenty of time hitting is a consistent memor roll. His all time is "Wayne's World."



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List of instruments filed in Wheeler County Clerk's Office, October 16 thru October 22, 1992

OCTOBER 16, 1992
 D—John T. Carr, et ux to Bernard Earl Husted, et ux, 10-16-92, Pt. SW/4 Sec. 4, T&NO, exc. mins.
 DT—Betty Jean Husted, et ux to Bank of Commerce, McLean, Texas, 10-16-92, Pt. SW/4 Sec. 4, T&NO, exc. mins.
 D—Elmerine Burnam to Billy J. Morrison, et ux, 10-13-92, Pt. SW/4 Sec. 6, Blk. A-4
OCTOBER 19, 1992
 SUB—United States Of America, et al to Northern Natural Gas Company, 7-2-90, Pt. N/2 Sec. 21, Blk. OS-2
 DT—Steven K. Caperton to Ruth T. Caperton Trust, 10-7-92
 ASSIGN—Robert V. Kruse, et al to San Jacinto Energy Prod. Corp., 10-7-92, Sec. 6, Blk. L, J. M. Lindsey
 ASSIGN—Texas Secondary Oil

Corp. to Bandera Petroleum, Inc., 10-06-92, Sec. 18, Blk. A-4
 ASSIGN—L. B. Simmons Energy, Inc. to Venture Royalties, 10-7-92, W/2; SE/4 Sec. 10, Blk. 2, B&B
 ASSIGN—L. B. Simmons Energy, Inc. to Bandera Petroleum, Inc., 10-7-92

D—Swift Energy Company to Philcon Development Company, 9-30-92, Sec. 34, Blk. M-1
 D—Swift Energy Company to

RESTAURANT MENU

Nov. 2-6
MONDAY: Lunch: Meat loaf, corn, blackeye peas, fruit, corn bread, milk, tea.
TUESDAY: Lunch: Ground beef & macaroni, green beans, hominey, fruit, rolls, milk/tea.
WEDNESDAY: Lunch: Stew, cheese sticks, fruit, cornbread, milk/tea.
THURSDAY: Lunch: Pork chops, potatoes, broccoli, rolls, cake, milk/tea.
FRIDAY: Lunch: Corn dogs, French fries, carrot & celery stick, cookies, milk/tea.
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Philcon Development Company, 9-30-92, Sec. 13, Blk. RE
 ASSIGN—American Exploration Company, et al to Striper Oil, Inc., 9-29-92, S/2; East 80 acs. of N/2 Sec. 2, Blk. 2, B&B
DURABLE POA—Karmon M. Stewart to Dalton Stewart, et al, 10-16-92
 ASSIGN—Johnson Southwest, Inc. to Texona Acquisition Company, 6-24-92, S/2 Sec. 2, H&GN Survey, Cert. 5/1720
 ASSIGN—Dekalb Energy Company, et al to Louis Dreyfus Gas Holdings, Inc., 10-16-92, S/2 Sec. 48, Blk. 24

DT—Louis Dreyfus Reserves Holding Corp., et al to Banque Paribas (New York Branch), 10-14-92, S/2 Sec. 48, Blk. 24
GENERAL D—Robert Walker Stiles to Sandra Stiles Christner, 10-19-92, S/125' Blk. 42, Wheeler
EXT. DT—Melvin May, et ux to Canadian Production Credit Association, 10-16-92, Sec. 26, Blk. A-9, exc. mins.

OCTOBER 20, 1992
 POA—Mary Bessie Finsterwald to Rosemary Vise, et al, 10-19-92
 C/C FINAL DIST.—Emilie S. Bohner, Estate to Ex Parte, 10-13-92, W/2 Sec. 47, Blk. 24
RATIF—James A. Davidson to Plains Petroleum Operating Company, et al, 8-24-92, Pt. E/2 Sec. 3, Blk. L, J. M. Lindsey

D—Una Payne, et al to Frank's Auto Parts, 10-1-92, Lots 1-3, Blk. 1, Tarbet's Add. Shamrock
 DT—Frank's Auto Parts to First State Bank of Mobeetie, Texas, 10-1-92, Lots 1-3, Blk. 1, Tarbet's Add, Shamrock

RDT—First American Bank, Erick, Oklahoma to Muri Kuhlman, et ux, 10-16-92, 5 acs. SW/4 Sec. 2, Blk. A-4, Surface Only
 MD & ROY, D.—Betty Lou Bush to Bush Family Trust, 7-22-92, Sec. 48, Blk. 24

MD & ROY, D.—William F. Bush to Bush Family Trust, 7-22-92, Sec. 48, Blk. 24

DURABLE C/C POA—William F. Bush to James V. Bush, ———
 C/C POA—Betty L. Bush to James V. Bush, 3-10-92

AFF. HEIRSHIP—Raymond Burks, et al to Nora E. Patterson, 10-20-92
OCTOBER 21, 1992

ROY, D.—Benjamin Charles Whitener Trust to Benjamin Charles Whitener, 9-28-92, Pt. Sec. 57, Blk. A-8
MERGER—Pan Petroleum Master Limited Partnership, et al to Panaco Inc., 8-28-92

ASSIGN—Daniel Carney to Darrach Trust, et al, 10-5-92
EXT. DT—M. Kent Sims to First National Bank at Lubbock, 10-13-92, Pt. Sec. 2, Blk. A-4

MD & ROY, D.—Woodrow Wilson Massad, et ux to Woodrow Wilson Massad, et al, 10-14-92, Pt. Sec. 69, Blk. 23

POA—Connie M. Renner to Carl Dean Renner, 11-27-91
 ASSIGN—Search Drilling Co., et al to Rialto Energy Inc., 10-1-92, N/2 Sec. 12, Blk. 1, B&B Survey

RDT—First National Bank of Shamrock, Texas to Jarrell Russell, Jr., et ux, 10-9-92, Pt. Sec. 59, Blk. 23

OCTOBER 22, 1992
 RDT—Farm Credit Bank of Texas to Paul George, et ux 10-20-92
AOL—Explorer Oil & Gas, Inc. to Reneau Oil Company 10-4-92 Pts.

Sec. 9 Blk 27
 A OF JUDG—Shamrock Independent School District to Ruby Keys 9-21-92
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C/C MERGER—OMNI Exploration, Inc. to Cairn Energy USA, Inc. 10-1-92
CORR D—Ruth T. Caperton Trust

to Ruth T. Caperton Trust 10-14-92
CORR D—Gene B. Caperton Trust, et al to Gene B. Caperton Trust, et al 10-14-92 See Instrument
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Navy Airman Recruit Michael R. Brooks

Navy Airman Recruit Michael R. Brooks, a 1991 graduate of Allison High School of Allison, TX, recently completed the Aviation Machinist's Mate Basic Jet Engine Course.
 During the course at the naval Air Technical Training Center, Naval Air Station Memphis, Millington, TN, students receive introductory instruction on the characteristics and operating principles of jet engines, engine lubrication, ignition and fuel systems, procedures for refueling and defueling aircraft for removal and installation of aircraft engines and operating aircraft ground handling equipment.
 He joined the Navy in March 1992.

Alpha Mu Alpha October Meeting

Members of Alpha Mu Alpha met Monday, October 26 at the Coin & Copper Room of First National Bank.
 President Marci Wright called the meeting to order. Plans were finalized for the Style Show to be held November 2nd.
 Discussions about the Senior Citizen Supper was held and will be held November 16th.
 program for the evening was different Christmas ideas shared by members.
 Hostess for the evening was Sharla Weaver.

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- ☆ 7 Years on North Wheeler County Hospital District Board (Presently Serving as Chairman)
- ☆ 22 Years As Independent Businessman (Present Owner & Manager of Omega Grain)

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EDUCATION

★ Graduate of Wheeler High School, 1974

★ Graduated Cum Laude, Texas A & M University, College Station, Texas, 1979. B.S. Degree in Agricultural Engineering. Honors and activities include: Distinguished Student Award
 Alpha Epsilon (Agricultural Engineering Honor Fraternity)
 Phi Eta Sigma (Freshman Honor Fraternity)
 Panhandle Home Town Club, President 1979
 TAMU Racquetball Club

EMPLOYMENT

★ Self-employed in transportation industry for the past twelve years. Management experience includes position as General Partner and Manager of contract-carrier fleet. Responsibilities included: contracting, employment and supervision of driver, maintenance, and office personnel, dispatch, permits and licensing, purchasing, and management of all other day to day general office procedures. Currently contracted to United Petroleum Transport, Borger, Texas.

RELIGIOUS

★ Member, Gageby Baptist Church

CIVIC

★ Member, Wheeler Lions Club. Former offices held include Vice President and Tail Twister.

★ Former Little League Coach

PERSONAL

★ Married to Lisa; father of four sons: David, in junior high at Briscoe; Doug, Matthew, and Mark, all attending elementary school at Mobeetie.

★ Son of Thomas R. (Tooter) and Martha Helton; grandson of Tom and Alice Bell Helton and Forace and Neta Standlee Evans, all of Briscoe and Wheeler.



RECOGNIZED: The 1992 Wheeler County 4-H Achievement Banquet was held Tuesday, October 20 at the Wheeler school cafeteria. These 4-H'ers were recognized for their accomplishments over the past year: (l. to r., back row) Bret Goad, Andy King, Melissa Chapman, Kasey McCasland, Kirt Boedeker, All Wheeler 4-H; (front row) Morgan Nall, Shamrock; Mike Johnson, Wheeler; Kyle Masters, Jennifer Johnson, and Justin Chapman, all of Wheeler.

Task Force To Promote Tourism In Panhandle

A task force to promote tourism and recreation is being started in the panhandle. In a meeting held at Canadian last Wednesday the directors of the North Rolling Plains Resource Conservation and Development (RC&D) Council voted to organize the task force.

The main thrust of the task force will be to develop a plan to "market" recreation and tourism in the area. Organizing a "Marketing Council" will be one of the main goals of the task force. The Marketing Council will promote recreation and tourism in an effort to bring dollars back into rural communities of the panhandle.

"Rural communities are hurting eco-

nomically. Tourism is one way we can help those struggling communities," says John Crowell, coordinator for the RC&D Council.

"This task force will help communities to develop, organize, and coordinate events. By working together we can attract more tourists and keep them in the area longer."

According to Crowell, "Interstate 40 and Highway 287 bring millions of people through the panhandle each year. Many are looking for something to see and do. They need to know that Texas panhandle is more than just a stretch of highway connecting the lakes of Oklahoma with the mountains of New Mexico."



AWARD WINNERS: These Wheeler County 4-H'ers were recognized for their work this past year. They are: Amanda Porter, Shamrock; Shonda Prescher, Shamrock; Mechelle Marshall and Jotana Simmons, Wheeler; (back row) Dirk Chapman, Lauren Sams, Wheeler; Katie Shipp, Wheeler; Jennifer Reynolds, Shamrock and Kerri Griffin, Wheeler.



We have a unique history and culture that still lives and must not be forgotten. The trail of the Red River Wars is just one example of our history that needs to be preserved for our

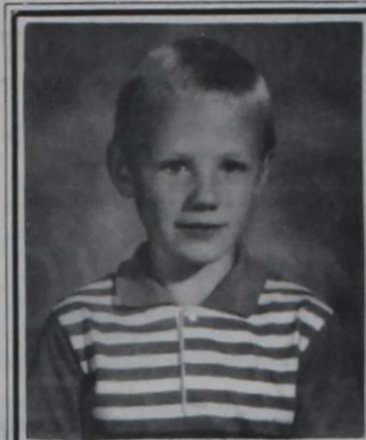
children and developed for tourism. This task force will look at potential historical, recreation, and tourist developments as well as promote the ones we already have."

In other business the North Rolling Plains RC&D Council voted to provide help for several community projects around the area. These include constructing a "Creative Learning Playground" at Memphis, starting a new fire department at Hoover, upgrading the Wheeler T.V. Translator system, building an open air pavilion at Canadian, finding a permanent home for the Silverton Caprock Jamboree, and sponsoring a fund raising/grant writing seminar.

The RC&D Council will help find possible sources of funding and prepare grant proposals. Some projects may be partially funded with RC&D funds from the Department of Agriculture Soil Conservation Service. The RC&D office will also help in organizing, planning, and promoting local projects where needed.

Judge Wendell Morgan serves on the North Rolling Plains RC&D board of directors and represents Wheeler County.

For more information contact the North Rolling Plains RC&D office in Pampa at (806) 669-0312.



Cody Charles Williams, is the six year old son of Huey and Mary Sue Williams of Lovington, N. M. Grandson of Charlene Whitener and Iona Williams of Wheeler.

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Let's be honest, the real beneficiary of this proposal will be a private industry. Their interest is not to benefit our county but to prosper themselves. Do you really want to spend your tax dollars for their gain? Think about it!

(Pol. Adv. paid for by Concerned Tax Payers of Wheeler County, Rob Hogan, Jr., Chrm., Rt. 1, Box 207, Mobeetie, TX 79061)

Meals on Wheels MENU

Nov. 2-6

MONDAY: Nov. 2: Pork fritters, mashed potatoes & sweet kraut, green beans, rice crispy treats.

TUESDAY: Nov. 3: Pinto beans & ham bits, fried potatoes, onion slices, fruit cobbler and cornbread.

WEDNESDAY: Nov. 4: Fried chicken, blackeyed peas, brussel sprouts, pineapple cream pudding.

THURSDAY: Nov. 5: Roast beef & gravy, mashed potatoes, buttered carrots, yogurt, hot rolls.

FRIDAY: Nov. 6: Breaded veal cutlets, navy beans, buttered spinach, fruit cocktail cake.

Menu subject to change.

CARD OF THANKS

I wish to express my heartfelt thanks for the many acts of kindness and care for me during my recent illness. Thanks to the wonderful staff of nurses at Parkview Hospital and Dr. Mendiola for their good care. My very grateful thanks to Brother Hovey for the visits and prayers; also to all that visited me, sent cards and flowers and brought food to my house.

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- ☆ Member of Wheeler Lion's Club
- ☆ Member Mobeetie Fire Department
- ☆ Served on Board of Directors of First State Bank of Mobeetie

- ☆ Served on Federal Land Bank Board of Wheeler & Collingsworth Co.
- ☆ Engaged in Farming, Oil Field Service & Construction and Sales of Farm & Industrial Equipment

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(Pol. Adv. Paid for by Paul Hathaway, Rt. 1, Box 105, Mobeetie, TX 79061)

VOTE
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FOR PROGRESS
SATURDAY, OCTOBER 31

I want my
dad to vote **YES**,
October 31, so
I can live in
Wheeler when I
grow up.

Kayla Marie Andis
Daughter of Kevin Andis



Wheeler County voters will go to the
polls Saturday, October 31, to decide on
issuing bonds in the amount of
\$1,250,000 to provide as an incentive to
the State of Texas to build a private
prison in Wheeler County.
Think about your future, your children's
future and your grandchildren's future
when casting your vote.

ASCS County Committee System And Election

The Agricultural Stabilization and Conservation Service has an office in some 3,000 agricultural counties within the United States.

Each of these county offices have a farmer elected county committee. This committee is made up of 3 members who are actively engaged in farming in that county. The committee is responsible for the administration of programs and activities of ASCS and the field operations of CCC.

These committees are established under the Soil Conservation and Domestic Allotment Act of 1935, as amended. The Agricultural Adjustment Act of 1938 mandated use of elected farmer committees for the first time. Local farmers were considered most capable of making decisions regarding the administration of farm programs in their county.

County ASC committee members are elected by eligible farmers in local administrative area (LAA) of the county. Wheeler County is divided into three LAAs wherein farmers elect community ASC committees who in turn elect a county committee member.

A county committee is made up of three regular members (each of whom

serves a staggered three year term), and two alternate members for each county committee member.

To hold office as a county committee member, a person must be eligible to vote in the committee elections.

generally must reside in the LAA and must meet certain requirements to insure that political activity or conflict of interest is not involved in committee decisions or operations. In general, those eligible to vote in the annual LAA ASC committee elections are persons of legal voting age who have an interest in a farm as owner, operator, ten-

ant, or sharecropper and who is eligible to participate in the programs administered by the committee.

Bob Hink is completing his third consecutive three year term. That is the maximum number of consecutive terms a person can serve. Bob is the county committeeman from LAA2. A new committeeman must be elected for January 1, 1993. Nominating petitions have been mailed to the LAA2 eligible voters. These petitions are to nominate community committeemen. There must be at least five persons nominated with at least one of these being a woman. If there were a minority group of farmers in the county that



made up of at least 5% of the farmers, a minority farmer must be nominated also. If five farmers are not nominated by individual farmers in the LAA, the county committee is required to complete the nominations.

Three Community committeemen will be elected on December 10, 1992. These community committeemen will meet on December 17, 1992 to elect a county committeeman and two alter-

nates that will represent their LAA. A county convention will be held on the same day, with all nine community committeemen from the three LAAs to determine who the county committee chairman and vice-chairman will be for 1993.

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FRIENDS OF 4-H: The Wheeler County 4-H Council will recognize a "Friend of 4-H" each year at the annual Achievement Banquet. This year the Wheeler Chamber of Commerce was recognized. Accepting the award was Lee Ann Hillhouse. The award was presented by Andy King, chairman of the 4-H council and master of ceremonies for the banquet. Shonda Prescher, left, is the 1st vice chairman of the 4-H council.



HONOREES: These Wheeler County 4-Hers were honored Tuesday evening, October 20, 1992, for their accomplishments this past year. They are (back row, l. to r.) Trampas Seymour, Shamrock; Penny Dollar, Wheeler; Melissa Reynolds, Shamrock (front row) Whitney Cadra, Morgan Nall and Wendy Lax, all of Shamrock.

FREE BLOOD PRESSURE CLINIC

There will be a Free Blood Pressure Clinic for all Wheeler County residents regardless of age, Thursday, November 5, 1992. It will take place in the south end of the Senior Citizens' Center on Canadian Street from 9:00 a.m.

to 12:00 noon. This clinic is conducted by Shepard's Nursing Service, Pampa, Texas and is sponsored by the Wheeler Senior Citizens and the Texas Agricultural Extension Service.

Educational programs of the Texas Agricultural Extension Service serve veterans and people of all ages regardless of socioeconomic level, race, color, sex, handicap, religion, or national origin.

ROUND-UP SUNDAY A SUCCESS

87 plus people attended First Baptist Church in Mobeetie's Round-up Sunday on October 4, 1992. Barbecue beef and all the trimmings were served in the fellowship hall.

After lunch the Gospel Heirs singing group from Amarillo provided the music. A good time was had by all.

VOTE NOVEMBER 3 Elect PAUL HATHAWAY Comm. Precinct 1

(Pol. Adv. paid for by Paul Hathaway, Rt. Box 102, Mobeetie, TX 79061)

Christian Beware: Do Not Put the Economy Ahead of the Ten Commandments.

Did you know that Governor Bill Clinton...

- Supports abortion on demand? (Violates Exodus 20:13, Leviticus 20: 1-5)
- Supports the homosexual lifestyle, and wants homosexuals to have special rights? (Violates Exodus 20:14, Leviticus 20:13, See also Romans 1:26,27)
- Promotes giving condoms to teenagers in public schools? (Violates Exodus 20:12, Colossians 3:5, See also Romans 1:28-32)

**Bill Clinton is openly promoting rebellion against God's Laws.
In our desire for change, do we really want as a president and a role
model for our children a man of this character who supports this
type of behavior?**

But what about the economy?

Yes, we are in tough economic times, *but God forbid that we sell our most sacred beliefs for the hope of financial gain.* Furthermore, how can we expect God to bless our economy if we plummet down a path of immorality? (Deut. 28)

**The Bible warns us to not follow another man in his sin,
nor help him promote sin -- lest God chasten us.**
(See Deuteronomy 13, Jeremiah 23, Proverbs 4:14, 11:21; 16:5, 1 Timothy 5:22)

How then can we vote for Bill Clinton?

Pd. Pol. Adv. by Big Valley Investments, Inc., Bob Covington, Treasurer, 123 Davenport, Borger, TX 79007

DEAR EDITOR,

This letter is in regard to a matter that we see fit to address. In the upcoming election we have several persons to vote on, some we don't have the slightest idea what their views are and some we know personally. This year there are some really tough decisions to make. We have many dedicated and qualified people in our own county to vote on.

One in particular, we are highly recommending is Elmer Harrison, who is running for constable as a write-in. There are many rumors flying around our community about the reasons that Elmer is running. Most of them are just that, "Rumors".

Elmer has been working for Wheeler County for the past 22 years and has come to think of Wheeler as his home and does not want to leave. He's raised two sons here and has every intention of continuing his life here.

His every intention for running for the constable position is to continue serving Wheeler in a capacity that he feels sure that he can make a difference.

There should not be any reason for a tax increase to cover his salary. There's already a paid constable in the south part of the county and he must make a difference. Shamrock has a police department, deputies, and highway patrolmen, and the constable is still called on to help out. So wouldn't it help to have an elected, paid constable in Wheeler to help out the Sheriff's department. A constable that would be full time and knows that this is his responsibility.

Elmer is already attending Amarillo College at his own expense to obtain his Peace Officer Certification. He's ready, willing, and able to continue serving the people of Wheeler County.

Do we need another family to leave Wheeler because there are not any jobs to keep them here?

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SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
1	2 Kiwanis 12 Noon Methodist Fellowship AF-AM Lodge 7:30 P.M. Wheeler Sr. Citiz. 6:00 P.M. Covered Dish Dinner Mobeetie City Council .. 7:00 P.M.	3 Wheeler Lion Club Sparlin's 6:00 A.M. Wheeler Chamber Maxey's 12 Noon Driver's License Trooper City Hall 9:00-4:00 Election Day	4 Wheeler Senior Citizens Quilting 1-5 P.M.	5 Quilting 1-5 P.M. Wheeler Sr. Citiz Free Blood Press. Clinic 9:00-12 Noon Wheeler Senior Citizens Quilting 1-5 P.M. Old Mobeetie Ass'n First State Bank Mobeetie 7:00 P.M. Wheeler Fire Dept. 7:00 P.M.	6 Mobeetie XYZ Club Mobeetie Baptist Church Blood Press 5:00 P.M. Covered Dish 6:30 P.M. END OF SECOND SIX-WEEKS	7 Kelton Boys Cross Country Levelland
8	9 Kiwanis 12 Noon Meth. Fellowship Hall AF-AM Lodge 7:30 P.M. Commissioner's Court 10:00 A.M. Fl. Elliott ISD Bd. 7:00 P.M. Kelton ISD Bd. 7:30 P.M. Care Center Birthday Pty .. 2:45 P.M. Methodist Church Sponsored	10 Mobeetie Fire Dept. 7:00 P.M. Wheeler Lion Club Sparlin's 6:00 A.M. American Legion 7:30 P.M. Wheeler Fire Dept. Alzheimers Meeting 7:00 P.M. Wheeler Care Center	11 Wheeler Senior Citizens Quilting 1-5 P.M.	12 Wheeler Senior Citizens Quilting 1-5 P.M. Allison ISD Bd 7:00 P.M. Wheeler ISD Bd 6:30 P.M.	13	14
15	16 Kiwanis 12 Noon Methodist Fellowship AF-AM Lodge 7:30 P.M. City Council City Hall 9:00 A.M.	17 Wheeler Lion Club Sparlin's 6:00 A.M. Driver's License Trooper City Hall 9:00-4:00	18 Wheeler Senior Citizens Quilting 1-5 P.M.	19 Wheeler Senior Citizens Quilting 1-5 P.M. Tralee Crisis Center City Hall 2-4 P.M. Wheeler Fire Dept. 7:00 P.M. Great American Smoke Out	20	21 4-H Foods Show Wheeler School 9:00 A.M.
22	23 Kiwanis 12 Noon Meth. Fellowship Hall AF-AM Lodge 7:30 P.M. Commissioner's Ct. 10:00 A.M. Kelton Lions Club Mtg. . 7:30 P.M. Kelton School	24 Wheeler Lion Club Sparlin's 6:00 A.M.	25 Wheeler Senior Citizens Quilting 1-5 P.M. Wheeler Early Out Fl. Elliott Early Out 12:45 P.M. Kelton Early Out 1:00 P.M.	26 Thanksgiving Day	27 Erick Kitchen Band Wheeler Care Center .. 2:30 P.M.	28
29	30 Kiwanis 12 Noon Methodist Fellowship AF-AM Lodge 7:30 P.M.	31 Wheeler Lion Club Sparlin's 6:00 A.M. Driver's License Trooper City Hall 9:00-4:00	CROSS CAR CENTER Chevron ☆ 24 Hour Wrecker Service ☆ Auto Body Repair Phone: 806/826-3123 Intersection Hwy. 152 & 83 Wheeler, Texas	THE FIRST STATE BANK OF MOBEETIE ESTABLISHED 1908 FIRST JAIL BUILT IN THE PANHANDLE OF TEXAS	HYLAND'S PHARMACY 109 East Texas—Wheeler Phone: 826-5561 DOUBLE COUPONS EVERYDAY Limit: 75c - \$1.00 \$1.00 Coupons: \$1.00	FIRST NATIONAL BANK In Wheeler "Bank with the Best" Member: F.D.I.C.



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JUNIOR HIGH FOOTBALL PLAY

Wheeler-Wellington Game Ends In Tie for 7th

Hopes of a perfect season for the Wheeler 7th grade were shattered in Wellington last Thursday when the Firecrackers tied the Colts in a District 2-2A contest. The tie leaves both teams with a 2-0-1 record in district play.

Defenses dominated the game as the score indicates. Wheeler limited Wellington to only 90 yards; however, the Colts were only able to amass 126 yards offensively. "Wellington has really improved defensively since our last game," stated Coach Steve Scott.

"A couple of move-ins strengthened their defense that we were unable to move the ball as consistently as we have in past games. The lack of intensity we have stressed with these kids finally caught up with us."

Wheeler opened the game with a fine drive that covered 50 yards. Unfortunately, the offensive series ended when the Colts turned the ball over on downs at the Firecracker six. Wellington was unable to mount any offensive threat and punted. On the next series, Jeremy Davis who rushed for 97 yards on the evening got two of them on the Colts on touchdown of the game. The run for PAT was stopped. That score left the Colts in the lead at

the half 6-0.

Defense dominated again the 2nd half as no scoring took place until Wellington completed only their second pass of the game, but it was good for TD and a tie. The all important try for two was stopped as Layne McCasland tripped up the Wellington QB as he tried to bootleg around left end.

The Colts took over following the kick-off with 2:22 left in the game. Two fine runs by Davis and Bryan Judd put the Colts into Wellington territory. Disaster struck as on the next play, the referee ruled that the Colt runner fumbled when it appeared that the runner was down. This made the score final as Wellington was unable to score.

Play is improving for the 7th grade as McCasland and Will Wheeler stepped up their level of play in the 2nd half and made several fine plays to stop Firecracker drives. Good efforts were also turned in by Jorge Salas and Shea Weatherly. The Colts return to action next Thursday when Clarendon will visit for a 4:30 game.

8th Grade Wins Second Consecutive Game Thurs.

The Wheeler 8th grade Colts won their second consecutive road game when they defeated Wellington 18-14. The win raised the season record to 3 win and 4 losses and the district record to 2-1. The Colts will try to avenge an early season loss to Clarendon when they host the other Colts in a 6 p.m. game Thursday.

The first half was an example of good old Wheeler "smash mouth" football as they controlled both sides of the ball. The offensive line opened some fine holes for running back Travis Stevens and full back Dusty Case. The initial drive of the 2nd quarter was capped by a twenty-five yard run by Case. The run for the PAT was stopped. On the ensuing kickoff, the Firecracker return man was unable to maintain possession and Wheeler came up with the ball following a mad scramble. With 1:58 left in the half, the Colts scored again on a full back pass from Case to split back Ramon Meraz. The scoring play covered 36 yards. Once again the PAT run was no good. The half-time score remained 12-0 in favor of the visiting Colts. "I was really pleased with our play in the 1st half. This was the first time we have had a two touchdown lead. The offensive line especially Andy Irvin and Clayton Brownfield opened some large holes for our backs."

The second half began with the two squads trading possession. Following a Wheeler punt, Wellington mounted their first scoring drive of the evening. On the seventh play of the drive, the firecrackers finally hit pay dirt on a 21 yard run. The run for two was good cutting the Colt lead to 4 points. This was, however, a night when the 8th grade would answer anything Wellington had to offer. The drive following Wellington's score was culminated by 30 yard scoring scamper by Stevens. The try for two was stopped by the home team for the third time. This score increased the Colt lead to 18-8. The Wheeler defense then took over. Fine plays were made by several players as the Colts denied the 'Crackers the end zone until only 34 seconds remained. Defensive end Irvin and Ranger Stevens did a fine job of stopping Wellington's best play, the bootleg. Twice they strung out the play and threw the quarterback for a loss. Linebacker Simon Delgado also made a fine play deflecting a pass that might have resulted in a TD. The other linebacker, Case, also played well with 3 tackles for losses in the contest. Wellington scored on a 5 yard run but had used too much of the precious clock. The extra point was no good. The Colts recovered the expected outside kick and ran out the clock to win by the identical score that Wellington defeated them by earlier in the season. "It was a fine team effort. Everyone played well," stated a very pleased Coach Read. "Besides the kids mentioned already, I think Jason Porton deserves some recognition. As our quarterback, Jason did a fine job of executing our offense. He has improved his footwork and blocking skills and that has made a difference in the past two games. John Porter also was key contributor. John overcome some adversity in the last two weeks and probably played his best game to date for Wheeler Junior High."

Marshall Andis Honored For 20 Years Service

Marshall Andis of Wheeler was honored by Southwestern Public Service Company for twenty years of service to electric customers at the company's annual Panhandle division awards dinner October 15 in Amarillo.

He is among 114 SPS employees in the division and at area power plants who were being recognized for a collective 1,945 years of work.

SPS serves 96 communities and provides wholesale power to 16 rural electric cooperatives in the Panhandle and South Plains of Texas, eastern and southeastern New Mexico, the Oklahoma Panhandle and southwestern Kansas.

Burton Ford-Mercury Recognized for Service

Burton Ford-Mercury was honored by the Texas Automobile Dealers Association (TADA) for 38 years of continuous service by the same family.

TADA Field Manager James Conner, Jr presented the Silver Select Award at the dealership to Pete Burton, Richard Burton, Gary Burton, and Delbert Thomas of Burton Ford-Mercury. "We appreciate the support of the people of Wheeler and the surrounding area for the past 38 years", said Richard Burton. "We look forward to continuing to be part of this community for many years to come."

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Mustangs (from Page 1)

and a 44-yard Burns-to-Valles pass. Fike was the money-man as he dove in from two yards out for six points. Burns hit Valles for two more to give a Wellington a cushy 22-6 lead with 5:19 left in the third stanza.

The Ponies' offense was put into neutral for the entire half. They could manage only two offensive yards in the final 24 minutes.

Wellington, on the other hand, was hitting on all cylinders. The Rockets closed the game with a flourish as they scored on their final drive with a six-play, 37-yard drive. Burns and Valles were, once again, the catalysts on the drive. The duo hooked up on a 25-yard pass play for the Rockets for a first and goal from the five. Fike covered three yards two plays later for his second touchdown. Burns nailed the PAT kick for the final 29-6 score.

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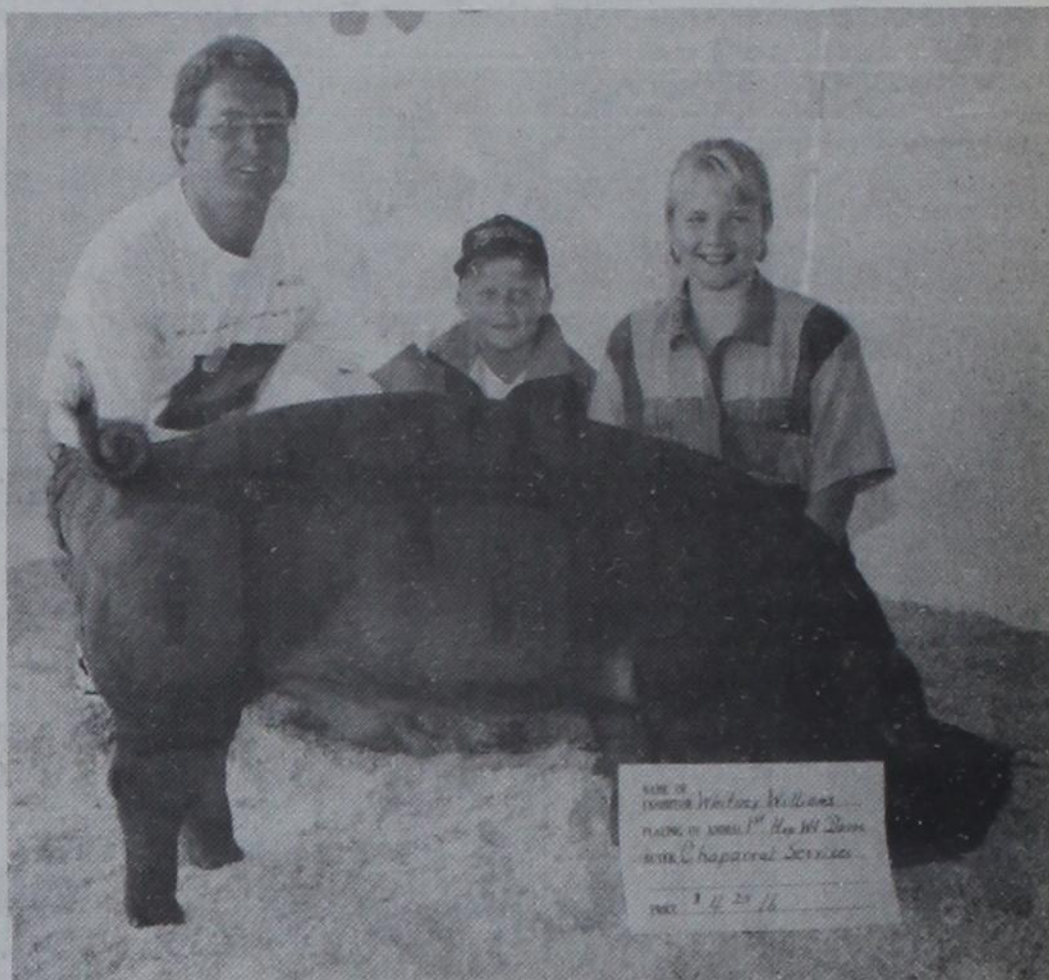
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"Wheeler, town of friendship and pride."



Former Wheeler-ite, Whitney Williams (12) of Lovington, New Mexico, seems to have handled her transplant to New Mexico very well. She is shown in this picture with the buyers of her first place heavy weight duroc at Lea Co. Fair. Whitney says she feels pretty lucky about placing with her hog considering more than two hundred pigs were shown in the competition this year. She is a member of Blue Sky 4-H Club at Lovington and has done well in her other projects also. At the last county awards ceremony Whitney received the top honors medals in swine, photography, fashion revue, sewing, baking, foods and nutrition, wildlife, citizenship and horticulture. The county agent referred to her as "an all around top hand" as she was honored with the

achievement pin and the plaque for Outstanding Girl Novice 4-Her of Lea County in competition with thirteen other clubs. In June of this year she was high point individual judge in horticulture with her team placing third, high point individual in sewing and high point judge on her livestock judging team at Southeast District Contest which was held at Ft. Sumner. Whitney is also active in Jackson Avenue Baptist Church and enjoys playing bells in the bell choir. Her other hobbies are volleyball, basketball, playing the piano and saxophone. She is the daughter of Huey and Mary Sue Williams and has a brother, Cody. Whitney is the grand daughter of Lona Williams and Charlene Whitener, both of Wheeler.

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RED RIBBON WEEK: Joan Gray is shown presenting Ricky Pfeif with Red Ribbons for the students and teacher at Wheeler Christian Academy



BOWLERS: Wheeler was represented in the Special Olympics Area Bowling Tournament in Amarillo Saturday. Bowling were (l to r) Teresa Soto, Diana Risner, Amanda Childress, Chris Vick, Kris Bradley and Jeret Moore, front. Teacher, Claudia Marrion is pictured in the background.



TRAVELING: This group of bowlers and supporters attended the Special Olympics Area Bowling Tournament in Amarillo Saturday, October 24. The bowlers brought home many awards.

Students Compete In Special Olympic Bowling

From one, lone bowler, who started in 1989, the Wheeler Strikers has grown to six eager, enthusiastic participants. Saturday, October 24, the Wheeler Strikers journeyed with parents, siblings and friends to participate in the Special Olympics Area Bowling Tournament, in Amarillo,

Texas. 17-year-old Kris Bradley bowled solo in 1989. In 1990 and 1991, Kris was joined by Amanda Childress, 11 years, and Teresa Soto, 13 years. This year, Jeret Moore, 10 years, Chris Vick, 10 years, and Diana Risner, 9 years, join the team eagerly to make Wheeler a formidable opponent against area schools from Pampa, Borger, Amarillo and Canyon.

Saturday Kris Bradley placed fourth against experienced Pampa opponents in his heat. Teresa Soto won a silver medal in her heat. Amanda Childress, Jeret Moore and Chris Vick and one other girl were in the same heat. Amanda won second, Jeret fourth and Chris third. Diana Risner won a bronze medal in her first year of competition.

Kris Bradley's group of supporters in 1989 numbered four. Saturday, the six member team had twenty-three supporters. The size of the team and the size of the supporters has grown and the team did such a good job and had a really great time!

Kris Bradley is the son of P.D. and Yvonne Topper. (We missed P.D. and Jason's support enormously this year!) Teresa is the daughter of Pedro and Hermilo Soto. Amanda is the daughter of Wayne and Pat Childress. Jeret is the son of Dennis and Kim Moore. Chris is the son of Betsy (Brickey) Vick. Diana is the daughter of Bobby and Caryn Risner. Super job. Wheeler Strikers!

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