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"Wheeler, town of friendship and pride."

CWE CHAT WITH EDITOR

By Louis C. Stas

The Ex-Student/Teacher reunion was definitely a success. Registration was over 250 with several students attending their class reunions without registering.

And, our local exes are to be commended. You did an excellent job of co-hosting.

I, a non-ex, had a good time visiting with the exes. I also enjoyed the meal with two exes, Greg and Josh Bryant.

Compliments to Garth Nash and Bill Green for their part of the program. The audience enjoyed Garth's playing and singing, especially "Nick Names". Bill surprised everyone with a song he had written—is that one available on CD, Bill?

The dance Saturday evening did not have a good turnout. Most likely the threat of rain was the reason for the poor showing. But, the rain did wait until after the dance.

The Wheeler's Annual 4th of July Celebration is next. Is it marked on your calendar?

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Commissioners' Court Meets; Burn Ban Removed As Of Mon.

Wheeler County Commissioners' Court met in regular session on Monday, June 13, 2005. The meeting was held in the commissioners' courtroom at 10:00 a.m.

Fifteen items were on the agenda. The court approved the minutes of the previous meeting.

Monthly reports for the Justices of the Peace, County Tax Assessor, and County Clerk. The reports were approved.

The hourly payroll time sheets were approved for payment as presented. The commissioners approved the payment of bills presented to the court.

A few loose ends remain to be tied up on the courthouse restoration project.

The county burn ban was lifted effective Monday, June 13.

The court approved the crossing of County Road 28 for an oil and gas pipeline by Chesapeake Energy Marketing, Inc.

The commissioners voted to allow Enbridge Pipelines (Texas Gathering), L.P., to cross County Road 33 with an oil and gas pipeline.

Valor Telecom requested permission to replace a buried cable along County Road 1 and County

Road 1. Permission was given. The Safety Incentive Program adopted last month was amended to include part-time employees.

The commissioners voted to not allow salt water disposal lines to be run on county right-of-ways.

Texas Tech University health Sciences Center presented a contract for approval by the commissioners for autopsy services. The contract presented was for a two year period and the county is limited to one year contracts. No action was taken.

The court voted to approve the reappointment of Willis Smith to the Board of Trustees of Texas Panhandle Mental Health Retardation (TPMHMR) for a term from September 1, 2005, to August 31, 2007.

The commissioners approved the posting of County Road M from FM 592 East 2 miles to the intersection with County Road 25. Speed limit signs of 35 mph will be erected.

Wheeler County Commissioners will meet again on Monday, June 27, 2005 at 10:00 A.M. Requests to be put on the agenda must be made 72 hours prior to the meeting.



Helen George

Helen George, 69, Is Buried Sun., June 8

Helen George, 69, died Wednesday, June 8, 2005, in Wheeler.

Services were at 2 p.m. Sunday in First Baptist Church in Wheeler with Gene Gee, Church of Christ minister of Lefors, and Dr. Shawn Johnson, pastor of Wheeler Church of Christ, officiating. Burial was in the Zybach Cemetery in Briscoe by Wright Funeral Home of Wheeler.

Mrs. George was born January 30, 1936, to Lee and Ida Bell Halpaine in Perryton, Texas. She married Eddie George on June 17, 1956, at Perryton. Mr. and Mrs. George moved to Briscoe in 1956. She was a devoted wife, partner, and friend to her husband for what would have been 49 years on June 17, 2005. She was a loving mother and grandmother. In fact, if you got within five feet of her, you knew all about her kids and grandkids. She suffered a massive stroke in May, 1990. The stroke broke her body, but not her spirit; it robbed her of her beautiful smile, but not her sense of humor. She moved to the Wheeler Care Center in January, 2004. Mrs. George worked for First National and First State Banks in Canadian for a total of 12 years.

She was preceded in death by her mother; her father; and her beloved grandson, Michael.

Survivors include her husband, Eddie George of Briscoe, a son, Lee George and wife, Tammy, of Pampa; two daughters, Amy McPherson and husband, Dennis, of Sunray and Holly Williams of Austin; and two grandchildren, Hilary McPherson of Amarillo and Matthew McPherson of Sunray.

The family suggests memorials be to Church of Christ of Wheeler.

Jesse Crowder Jr., Dies In Reno, Nev.

Jesse Bryan Crowder (J.B. "Jr.") died April 3, 2005 in Reno, Nevada. Jesse was born on June 12, 1921 in McKinney, Texas; however, his family later moved to Wheeler, Texas where he grew up. He joined the Navy in May of 1940 and was assigned to the Enterprise. The ship was on its way back to Pearl Harbor on December 7, 1941. In 1942 he was commended and awarded a Purple Heart when the Enterprise was hit by a bomb. After a year in Oak Knoll Naval Hospital, he returned to active duty and participated in many Pacific campaigns. Before retiring from the Navy in 1960, he was Commissary Officer at the Miramar Naval Air Station and then the Aircraft Carrier Bon Homme Richard. Jesse received the Navy Ney award for his innovative 24 hour feeding plan that was adopted throughout the Navy.

From 1960 to 1962 Jesse worked as a restaurant manager in the Santa Ana, California area. He then began a new career with the Navy Exchange as a civilian employee and his first assignment was Atsugi, Japan. He and his family remained there for six years and experienced the Japanese culture first hand. Jesse was the Food Services Manager for Atsugi Base and several other facilities in Japan. His next assignment was the Naval Air Station at Alameda, California where he remained from 1969 to 1988.

Jesse retired and in 1992 moved to Reno, Nevada. He was a member of the Masonic Order for 51 years. Jesse took his Journey to Paradise on April 3 after failing health over the preceding year. He went peacefully at the Washoe Medical Center. He is survived by his wife Charlotte, daughter Cheryl, son Bryan and wife Steffany, and his three lovely granddaughters Shelby, Laken, and Cassidy.

PAMPA CHAMBER OF COMMERCE

Business Expo & Job Fair Dates

The Pampa Chamber of Commerce would like to invite everyone to attend our 6th Annual Business Expo & Job Fair on Saturday, June 18th from 9:00 a.m. to 3:00

Stormie Lancaster Advances To Olympic Volleyball Tournament

Members of the Amarillo Elite Volleyball Club have been invited to play in the USA Jr.

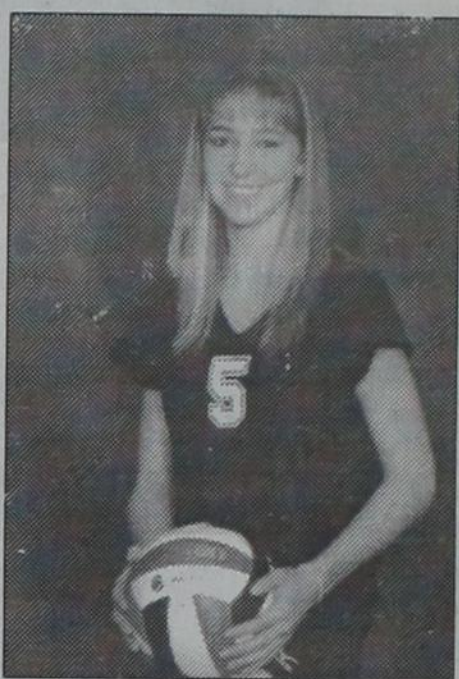
Olympic National Volleyball Tournament to be held in Salt Lake City, Nevada. Stormie Lancaster, the 14 year old daughter of Earnest and Brenda Lancaster, and teammates will travel to Salt Lake to compete in the tournament which will be held June 28-July 3. Stormie is a member of the Amarillo Elite Volleyball Club, 14-1-Team Frenzy.

The team has competed in USA Volleyball Tournaments across the country including Redlands; Oklahoma City, Ok.-placing 5th in 16 year-old division; Texas Fest, Dallas, TX.-placing 5th in 15/16 year-old division; Texas Tumbleweed, Lubbock, TX.-placing 3rd in 16 year old division; Amarillo Elite, Amarillo, TX.-placing 3rd in Division II; Tall City, Midland, TX.-placing 2nd in Division II; Crossroads, Denver, Co.-placing 2nd in Silver Bracket, Lone Star Classic, Austin TX.-placing 8th in 14 year-old division; and Sun Country Regional Tournament; Amarillo, TX.-placing 1st. This first place win advanced the team to the Jr. Olympic Tournament.

Stormie also competed while in Denver, CO and Austin, TX for the USA High Performance Camp.

She has received confirmation that she is in the top 35% of the girls who tried out in her age division. Thus, she had been invited to attend a USA Volleyball Girls Development Camp. The camp is held in Austin and will be July 9-13.

Stormie attends Ft Elliott CISD and will be a freshman in the 2005-2006 school year. She and her family would also like to thank everyone who has helped support Stormie throughout this season.



Stormie Lancaster

WHEELER TIMES NAMED TO 2005 MEDIA HONOR ROLL

Whereas, in each community, the public schools are shaped by that community to provide the most appropriate and effective education for the school children who attend those schools; and

Whereas, public schools are dependent on the community's support in countless ways, including support in setting goals for the education of our children, in establishing successful volunteer and booster programs at the schools, for annual funding of operations, in periodic bond elections, in the election of qualified school board members; and

Whereas, much of the community's knowledge and opinions about the public schools rely on responsible reporting by local media representatives who decide which news to share with the community, how much attention will be focused on various issues, and what the tone of the reporting will be; therefore

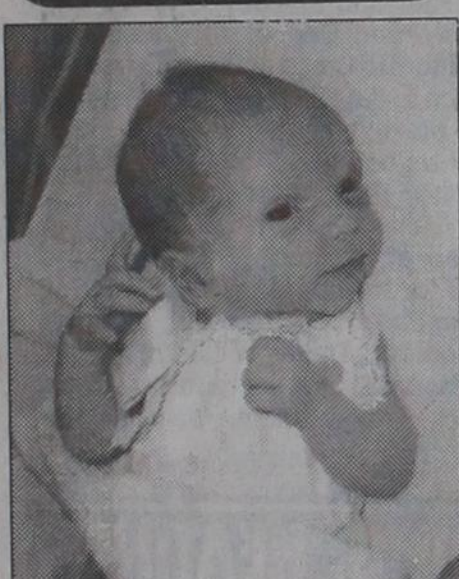
NOW BE IT RESOLVED that the Board of Trustees of the Wheeler Times/Wheeler Times of the statewide Media Honor Roll, calling attention to the ongoing responsible and exemplary nature of reporting on this community's public schools. We express our appreciation for your balanced and accurate approach to sharing with this community both the challenges facing our schools and the successes achieved by the teachers and students. Your work has aided this community in focusing on the goal of providing the best public schools we can for every child who attends them.

Wheeler Co. Show Steer Validation Set

The Wheeler County Steer Validation will be held Monday, June 27th at 7:00 am at the Wheeler Veterinary Clinic.

If you are planning to show a steer in 4-H or FFA in the fall of 2005 or the spring of 2006, you must bring your steer to this validation.

New Arrival



RUBY DEANN FORRESTER
Proud parents Gary Don and Julie Forrester would like to announce the arrival of their beautiful daughter, Ruby DeAnn Forrester. Ruby was born May 24, 2005. She weighed 4 pounds and 12 oz. and was 18 inches long. She already has her grandparents, Ed and Patricia Forrester, wrapped around her little finger. She is also welcomed by great grandma Esther Forrester.

Program To Help Recovering Addicts

Celebrate Recovery, a Trinity Fellowship Outreach Ministry, is a Christian based program helping addicts and recovering addicts stop the vicious cycle of abuse. The meetings will be held every Wednesday night at 7:00pm at the Trinity Fellowship Bunkhouse. For more information please call 928-2345.



WIND DAMAGE: This tree at the corner of Eleventh and Canadian Streets in Wheeler split Friday afternoon when a cloud moved over Wheeler. Wind and heavy rain moved across the county. The moisture measurement Saturday morning was 1.67". An additional 0.91" was measured Sunday morning.

Wheeler To Host 6-on-6 National Championship Friday & Saturday

Wheeler will host the 6-on-6 National Passing Championship June 17th and 18th. "It will be a great opportunity for some folks to come out and see some of the best Six Man Teams in Texas and abroad right here in Wheeler", said Coach Toby Tucker.

The field of teams in the competition will include State Finalist Valley, Meadow, Happy, Crowell, Gustine, Follett, Arthur, Nebraska, and Wheeler.

METHODIST CHURCH

Vacation Bible School Scheduled

The Methodist Church in Wheeler invites children to "Serengeti Trek: Where Kids are Wild About God." The Methodist Church will hold its Vacation Bible School on June 27-July 1, from 6:00 - 8:30 pm. The church members will feed the children supper each night, and will have "Family Night" on Friday night. All parents are invited to attend the "Family Night," and enjoy a Hamburger Dinner provided by the United Methodist Men. A pre-registration party

The teams will begin pool play Friday and the championship bracket will be held Saturday. 6-on-6 is a passing only game in which teams play on a 45 yard field and have 20 minute running halts.

Wheeler will play at 2 pm, 3:30 pm, and 5 pm, on Friday. Saturday's times will be determined by wins and losses. Come out and see some good football Friday and Saturday.

will be held at the Wheeler Pool on Friday, June 24, from 6:00-8:00 pm.

"This year our church is crawling with excitement as we go on a Serengeti Trek," says Pastor Ricky Carstensen. "Our Serengeti Trek program will provide fun, memorable Bible-learning activities for kids of all ages. Each day kids will sing catchy songs, play teamwork-building games, nibble Watering Hole Snacks, experience electri-

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CHAMBER WELCOME: Chip Hill, president of RiverCrest Homes, L.L.C., receives a Chamber of Commerce welcome from David and Kathleen Cross. Chip has completed his first show home in Wheeler and held open house on Saturday and Sunday. This is the first new home built in Wheeler in several years. Hill hopes to build several more homes in Wheeler. Pam Hill is pictured to the left.

FIRST PLACE: Winning the Wheeler 2nd Ex-Students Golf Tournament June 10, 2005, with a score of 28 were (l. to r.) Arden Kenady, Amarillo; Maurice Pettit, Borger; Ida Goad, Wheeler, and Hap Martin, Farningham, N.M. (See Page 2 for additional pictures)

Annual Ex-Student Tourney A Success

The 2nd Annual Wheeler Ex-Students Golf Tournament was held on Friday, June 10, 2005 at the Shamrock Country Club in Shamrock, TX. Thirty-nine golfers participated in the tournament. These participants were from: Amarillo, Borger, Jacksonsville, Morton, Pampa, Shamrock, Houston, and Cameron, all in Texas; and some also from Arizona and

Florida. Everyone enjoyed donuts and coffee before play furnished by the Wheeler Ex-Students Assn., and after play Subway sandwiches were provided by Todd Moore Ins. Agency. The Wheeler Ex-Students Assn. and the tournament committee would like to thank each and everyone that participated and helped to make our 2nd Annual Tournament a success.

TxDOT Schedules Meeting On Hwy. 83

The Texas Department of Transportation (TxDOT) will conduct a public meeting on July 15, 2005 at 10:00 a.m. in the TxDOT District Office, 7599 US 287, Childress, Texas. The purpose of the meeting is to help plan transportation services for elderly-person and persons with disabilities in the Childress District. Counties in the Childress District are Briscoe,

Childress, Collingsworth, Cottle, Dickens, Donley, Foard, Hall, Hardeman, King, Knox, Motley, and Wheeler.

Interested organizations, public entities and individuals within the Childress District are invited to attend this meeting. Those interested in attending the meeting who have special communication or accommodation needs are encouraged to contact Kim Butler at 940/937-7248 at least two days prior to the meeting. Because the public meeting will be conducted in English, any requests for language interpreters or other special communication needs should also be made at least two days prior to the public meeting. TxDOT will make every reasonable effort to accommodate these needs.

Ex-Student/Teacher

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Wheeler 2nd Ex-Students' Golf Tourney—9 Holes Played



SECOND PLACE: This team took second place honors at the Wheeler 2nd Ex-Students Golf Tournament June 10, 2005, at Shamrock. Team members are (l. to r.) Harvey Wright, Elk City; Carroll Pettit, Pampa; Gene Hall, Pampa, and Harrison Hall, Wheeler.



THIRD PLACE: This team tied with five other teams with a score of 29. Winning third place in the Wheeler 2nd Ex-Students Golf Tournament June 10, 2005, were (l. to r.) Donald Rives, Morton; Jim Jamison, Georgetown; Mike Goad, Briscoe and Fred Goad, Wheeler.



ALSO PLAYED: This group of men had a score of 29, but did not place in the Wheeler 2nd Ex-Students Golf Tournament June 10, 2005. Pictured are (l. to r.) Bryan Markham, Wheeler; Toby Tucker, Wheeler; Kenny Rutherford, Wheeler, and Jason Porton, Samnorwood.



DID NOT PLACE: A score of 29 did not earn this team a place in the Wheeler 2nd Ex-Students Golf Tournament June 10, 2005. The Wheelerite team members are (l. to r.) Mika Goad, Melody Goad, J. J. Johnson and Bret Goad.



ALSO TIED: The 29 score was popular at the Wheeler 2nd Ex-Students Golf Tournament June 10, 2005. This Wheeler team is composed of (l. to r.) Jenny Smith, Mike Smith, Clay Walser and Larry Jennings.

COUNTRY NEWS
By Verna Fillingim

Mark 16: 15-16: You are to go into all the world and preach the good news to everyone, everywhere. Those who believe and are baptized will be saved. But those who refuse to believe will be condemned.

Happy Birthday to Glenn Meriwether and John Sappington on June 19; Korbin Austin, Bradley Dodd, Cody Clark, Jerry Killingsworth, Pam Arganbright, and Codi Everee on June 20; Carl Baker, Hannah Sides, Marci Wright, Daniel Buice, and Lindi Ann Rose on June 21; Jane Ann Hall, Jennifer Light, Aaron and Darren Gaines, Myranda Pierce, Justin Walker, Christina Swift, Niki Cooper, and Madison Timmons on June 22; Butch Murray, Angela Jolly, Matt Daniels, Drew Couch, and Camile Portion on June 23; Chris Ford, Ken Daughtry, Paul Arganbright, Keaton Christner, Oleta Jones, Emma Rogers, Iva Alexander, Mark Meek, Mary Corcoran, and Tanner Aldridge on June 24; William Stiles, Dedra Dorman Morgan, Chad Harrison, Taylor McClendon, Dave Johnson, Marisa Bonner, Tom Fisher, Bernie Taggs, Todd Meek, Josh McElroy, and Opal Hefley on June 25.

Happy Anniversary to Ed and Laurie Hershman, and Bob and Mary Nell Finsterwald on June 20; Luke and Stacey Horton, Jim and Pam Light, and Charles and Margaret Kuntz on June 21; Kent and Connie Bryan, and Gary and Tonya Gilliland on June 22; and George and Barbara Harris on June 23.

Briscoe School Reunion: Calling all Ex-students of Briscoe-Fort Elliot School. Please come to Briscoe to discuss the soon-to-be 5 year School Reunion. We will meet at the school cafeteria Thursday night at 7:30. Committees need to be formed to plan for catered meal, program director (if we want much of one), activities, etc. That is Thursday, June 16 at 7:30 pm. The Reunion will be Saturday, July 30. What time? It will be in the air-conditioned new gym. Kevin Meek is president of Ex-students with Lou Dean Deuthit vice-president.

"If you see someone without a smile, give them one of yours."

Glad to hear that Kenna Howad and her family are not moving away. Praise the Lord! Glad Kenna is still at Wheeler Care Center.

Correction: Wheeler Care Center Father's Day program will be Friday, June 17 at 10:00 am. Bro. Joe Jernigan will be singing some songs as part of the program. Visitors welcome.

Wheeler Baptist Golden Ageds and friends will meet Thursday, June 16 at noon for a pot-luck meal with visiting and maybe a program. Visitors welcome.

Everyone is invited to a baby shower to help Bob and Jerry Meller prepare for the arrival of their new baby girl. Shower is Sunday, June 26, 2005 from 2-4 pm at the home of Ray and Glenda Hudson in Briscoe. Turn east off Hwy 83 toward Briscoe. First brick home on the south side of the road (look for the pink balloons). Baby's name is Summer Brooke Meller. She is due July 11. Selections at Wal-Mart. For further directions call Glenda at 375-2390, Caaron at 845-1109, or Tracey at 845-1133.

Irene Dixon, 83, passed away Thursday night in Wheeler. Sincere sympathy to family and friends. Her funeral was Monday, June 13 at 2:00 at United Methodist Church in Canadian with burial at Washita Cemetery.

Glad to hear Ned Burrell's daughter, Trudy Kendall, got to go home from the hospital in California and is doing better. Keep praying for full recovery.

Willa Fillingim has 7 baby Minx kittens to give away because she has a surplus. There are 3 white and 4 assorted ones. Give Willa a call at 323-6081 if you are interested. Willa loves baby animals, but she enjoys sharing.

Sorry to hear that old neighbor Cecil Meadows had to have his right foot removed Thursday at Northwest Texas Hospital in Amarillo because of blockages. There was no circulation in that right foot. Cecil's foot was removed about 5 or 6 inches below the knee. He expects to get a prosthesis. Report is he is doing well otherwise. He is a pretty plucky fellow to be nearly 86 years old. Daughter Donna Hawkins came up from Louisiana to be with Cecil and Jean and other family members during his surgery and recovery. He has enjoyed working a big garden out on the farm. Hope he will soon be up and going. Remember him and Jean in your prayers.

Frank and Nancy Clymer left early Friday to go to Lake Fryar (south of Perryton) for four days for a restful, relaxing, long weekend. They take their pull-behind camper-trailer that could sleep six.

Visiting Irene Dixon at Wheeler Care Center were her daughter, Brenda May, and sons, Chad and Lance May and wife and two daughters.

Tamara Hefley plans to go to Sul Ross State University this fall and play basketball at Alpine. Best wishes, Tamara.

My, what a dark and rumbley afternoon Friday in Wheeler. The little outside lights even came on for sometime. We got some wonderful rain. Thank you, Lord. An inch and .4 on my gage! More later. Inches more.

Reba Wofford enjoyed a visit



JACKSON-RUBIO ENGAGEMENT: Jim and Frankie Jackson would like to announce the engagement of their daughter, Jessica, to Jaime Rubio. Jaime is the son of Manuel and Gloria Rubio of Greenwood, Texas. The bride-elect is the granddaughter of Mr. and Mrs. Palo Cummings of Wellington and Ms. Ruth Jackson of Wheeler. She is a graduate of South Plains College and is currently working as an RN for Covenant Home Health Care in Midland, Texas. The prospective groom is the grandson of Ms. Edena Rubio of Pecos and the late Enrique Rubio, as well as the late Mr. and Mrs. David C. Alba. He is currently attending Midland College and is employed at Manor Park Retirement Village. The couple plan to be married August 20, 2005 at the Reese Conference Center in Lubbock.

from nephew Dale Wofford and Gloria Wilson from Dallas. Ella Mae Wood ate supper with Dale and Gloria at Maxeys Friday night. Ella Mae also got to visit with her sister, Phyllis and Bill Helton from Amarillo who were here for the Wheeler School Reunion. Ella Mae went to the Reunion with them. Dale and Gloria were here for the School Reunion. Big crowd there.

Sincere sympathy to family and friends of Lois Flowers, 95, of Canadian in her death.

Carol and JoAnn Lackey came to Wheeler School Reunion and spent Friday night with Carroll's sister, Rita and David Pearson.

Mobeetie Baptist Church is inviting everyone to come to their cream fellowship at their church Sunday night June 19, Father's Day, at 6:00 pm followed by a short worship service.

Sincere sympathy to Eddie George and family in the death of his wife Helen, 69. She seemed

so perky. We never know who of us will be next. Her funeral was Sunday, June 12 at 2:00 pm at First Baptist Church, Wheeler, with burial at Zybach Cemetery. She looked so pretty in the casket. She was always beautiful. Church of Christ served lunch.

Heard Iona May will probably be moving into Parkview Assisted Living soon. She has been in the hospital with Congestive Heart Failure. Souds like a good thing to do. Iona will enjoy visiting with the others there. Best wishes, Iona. It's her choice. Go by to see her.

Nice to visit with Gene Gee and granddaughter, Courtney, from Lefors at Maxeys Saturday.

Ken and Lindsey Criswell and Blain and Dagen were weekend visitors to David and Rita Pearson. Nice to eat lunch with the Criswells at Maxeys Saturday and Sunday for a good visit. They also visited Willis. Thanks for coming.

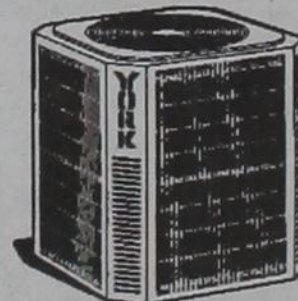
Dallas Fillingim will be flying to Denver, Colorado, Thursday, June 23 for his company Mid America Research Corporation summer meeting. Dallas will be making a presentation at the meeting. Good luck. He will come back on the

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Wheeler Church of Christ

This Saturday is the Vacation Bible School at the Church of Christ. Invited are all those who are between 3 years old and those just completing the 6th grade. It is going to be a fun day. Come up to the building between 10:00 a.m. and 3:00 p.m. for the Jerusalem Marketplace. I'm going to be teaching classes to everyone in the Synagogue School. At some point you'll get to go out to the playground and participate in games that were popular in the first century as well as today. And then the highlight, going to the Marketplace itself. What is usually our Multi-Purpose building will be transformed into a real Jerusalem Marketplace. Watch the potter work on making clay containers, see the weaver with all of the blankets and quilts. Work alongside the Jeweler as you make different fun items. Get your hands in the dough as you help the Baker. Sample some of the sweets in the Candy Shop. Get your hands dirty when you are with the Gar-

dener. Learn about some of the animals in the Bible as you get to see and touch the pigeons with the Birdkeeper. Smell the aromas at the Herbs and Spice Shop. See all of the different baskets that the Basket-maker has assembled. Learn a new song or two at the Music Shop. Watch out for the Roman Soldier as he helps keep the peace. Avoid the tax collector or he may make you pay a little bit (play money - don't worry!). If you see a beggar, you may want to drop a coin in his hat. When lunch-time rolls around there will be plenty of food.

If you are willing to, dress up in something that you think people wore in Bible-times. A lot of adults, including me, will make our best guess at what they looked like back then and will try to dress appropriately. You're going to do fun things and take home fun things. And you'll learn about Jesus every step of the way. Come for Vacation Bible School. See you there!

Shawn D. Johnson

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

Services:
Sunday Bible Study 10:00 A.M.
Sunday Morning Worship . 10:55 A.M.
Sunday Night Worship 6:00 P.M.
Wednesday Bible Study 7:00 P.M.

MOBEETIE NEWS

By: Sue Mayfield

Congratulations and all best wishes to Justin Hefley and Brittney Mick. They recently announced their engagement. No date has been announced.

Brittany just received her degree and is currently employed with Dr. Whinery on Coulter as a dental assistant. Dr. Whinery does a lot of surgery. Even does reconstructive surgery. They recently created a new chin for a gentleman. Brittany loves her new job.

It was such a delight to visit with Lorene Rector and Orville Greenhouse Tuesday morning at Thriftway. They were all bright and bubbly.

Lorene called Bulah Grives recently, they had a good visit. Bulah and Doyle are doing quite well. Although Bulah's back is still dealing her a lot of misery. Had an appointment to get some shots in her back. I hope this finds you feeling much better, Bulah.

Bulah and Doyle had a very nice surprise. Verner and Eva Webb, who also live in Amarillo. They enjoyed a great visit and playing dominoes. The Webbs are doing quite well.

Bulah's sister, Audrey, lives near by in another assisted living facility and visits quite often.

Hi from your friends in Mobeetie, Doyle and Bulah and Verner and Eva. We certainly miss ya'll.

Monday and Tuesday at the Top of Texas rodeo in Pampa finished up the kids part of the rodeo. Wednesday all awards were handed out.

Jayden Medley and Erica

Saunstaire, children of Tim and Jennifer Mayfield of Pampa, rode along with Justen and Jarrod Dickey, sons of Richard and Cindy Dickey of Pampa.

Jayden and Erica rode their new horse, Tinker Bell. For their first time in the arena with her, they were quite happy with her performance. Although Erica missed out on any belt buckles.

Poor Erica and Justen just had a bad day.

Jarrod Dickey placed second in Gollfette and third in barrels. He rode his momma's horse, Jake, and did a really good job. His regular horse, Scrappy, was seriously bruised up and had torn chest muscles in a recent accident. So riding a big horse like Jake was quite a challenge.

Jayden got first in goat tying, second in stick horse and third in barrels. Jayden thinks Tinker Bell is a good horse.

They are looking forward to the Borger Rodeo next June 17 and 18.

Harley Jacobs has enjoyed her first week in Europe. They hit the ground running on Saturday. They saw the Eiffel Tower and a small museum. Then Sunday they visited the Louvre and Notre Dame. Monday, they boarded a bus and it was on to Strawsburg, France. (I didn't even know such a place existed.) They toured a beautiful old cathedral and another part of Notre Dame.

Her dad, Jeff Mayfield, asked if she saw the hunch back at either of the Notre Dames. Harley's reply was, "I wasn't looking for him." Is Jeff onery or what?

Wednesday the crew boarded the bus and it was on to Switzerland. After a couple of stops there, they arrived at their host family party in Austria on Friday evening.

It was quite a gathering. They will spend six days with their host families.

Thank each of you that helped make this trip possible. For Harley.

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So sorry to hear that John and Leann Williams' roof was torn off in a "gust-nado" Thursday night or Friday a.m. Just so thankful no one was hurt. Praise the Lord. It sure doesn't need to rain anymore for a while.

Thursday night we met Michelle Reichel and friend, Earl, in Clinton, Ok., with Michael and Brianna.

We got into a bad rain storm at Elk City on the way home. Actually had to pull over for about 10 minutes, as couldn't see the road. It was pouring so hard and so much wind and lightning. Then when we got home, found limbs and branches of trees in the road and yard, along with puddles everywhere.

Ended up with 1.35 inches Thursday night and Friday morning. Friday night and Saturday morning we received 1.50 inches. Saturday night through Sunday a.m. we received another 1.65". Just after church started, another



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blast gave us half an inch.

Our poor wheat farmers. The little bit of hail early Sunday morning didn't seem to hurt anything. For that, we are very thankful.

Leola Stuart really enjoyed her visit to Wylie, Texas, with Dennis and Vanessa Stuart and Garrett and Braydon.

One day while Dennis was off, they all went fishing. They had a wonderful time even though Vanessa and Leola got skunked. Braydon caught his very first fish all by himself. Dennis got a good picture of the occasion.

Garrett, Braydon, and Dad brought in the supper. Lucky fishermen!

Garrett has won a very honored award. He is the first person in history of Dodd Elementary at Wylie, Tex., to achieve his 1,000 points this year. They had to create a special award for him and a t-shirt for his reading abilities. In Oct. 2004, they had to do the same thing, when he achieved the 900 pt. level.

Garrett worked very closely with his teacher to choose appropriate books and arrange extra reading time after he completed his daily assignments.

Dennis even sent Garrett's teacher a bouquet of flowers at the end of the year for helping Garrett achieve his 1,000 points before school was out.

Garrett has received many reading awards through the years. He received a personal letter from Laura Bush commending him on his achievement, along with the standard mail out from her office. Way to go, Garrett.

Saturday, the family of Aunt Ermal Pond of Amarillo had a surprise birthday party for her at Bivins Nursing home. There was a good turn out and Aunt Ermal thoroughly enjoyed the evening. Even with all the crazy weather.

Friday, Leola was in Wheeler to visit with her mother, Gladys Richardson, and roommate, Minerva Jones. Minerva was just getting over the cough and congestion crud and Gladys was just coming down with it. Gladys was feeling pretty rough. Hope this finds you feeling much better, Gladys.

Saturday, Dale Richardson of Elk City and sister, Leola Stuart, attended the Wheeler School Reunion. It was a great day and lots of good visiting.

This was Dale's 50th for his class. His dad attended school here many years but didn't graduate from Wheeler. It was a lot of fun, getting reacquainted with many of his friends.

The Richardson Family Reunion was held Sunday at the Conference room of the Irish Inn in Shamrock. There were more in attendance than usual. They had a great day and lots of good visiting and catching up.

Felton and Esther Richardson of Chandler, Texas, came the farthest of the seniors.

Don Richardson came in from Pennsylvania, taking the award for the person traveling the furthest.

Don is the son of Clois and Rita Richardson of Elk City.

Glad to hear that Barbara Richardson is doing so well after her knee replacement surgery. She was able to attend the reunion.

Boy, Canadian had a gully washer Sunday. By 2:00 p.m. they had 4 more inches of rain.

Sure good to hear that Peggy Dunn is doing quite well.

We've had some trouble with our computer. Tim Free of Pampa installed Windows Xp for us. Then had to come to the house to get us hooked up to the internet again. Everything was working fine, just couldn't get on the net. But Tim got it all figured out and set up.

It's wonderful to be able to have someone come to the house and get everything set up.

Tim is starting his own business, P.C. Dreams—in-home or office service. What a life saver! If you need someone that's fair, reasonable and dependable, call Tim Free at 806-662-4555.

This was in a Natural Connection bulletin:

The History of Medicine
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1850 A.D.—That prayer is superstition. Here drink this potion.
1940 A.D.—That potion is snake oil. Here swallow this pill.

1985 A.D.—That pill is ineffective. Here, take this antibiotic.

2001 A.D.—That antibiotic doesn't work anymore. Here, eat this root.

Doesn't that sound about right? Bob's brother, Clifton Mayfield, and wife, Mary, came in from Tucumcari, N.M. Saturday evening. After a short visit, we all loaded up and drove to Cheyenne, Okla. and Arnett, Okla., to visit with brothers, Ralph and Kenneth and families.

After eating supper in Cheyenne we got home and settled in before the storm hit. Cliff and Mary rode it out in their camper trailer.

What a nice surprise to see Bob Bull in town for a visit. Bob and Lois were living in Arkansas near Lois' daughter, Penny. Hope they're in for a nice long visit.

So sorry Virginia Patterson's mother isn't doing too well. Virginia had a good visit with her mother.

Virginia has some health issues of her own. She will have cataract surgery in July and may have to have more surgery later on.

Please keep Virginia and her mother in your prayers.

Make plans to participate in and attend the Mobeetie Community-Wide Garage Sale on Saturday, June 25—8:00 a.m.—4:00 p.m.

It's so good to have Ida Miles back at work at Johnny's Thriftway. She is one special lady.

Please keep our friends and neighbors in your prayers. Wilhelmina Sherrell, and Mary Edwards, Earl and Mabel Tabor, Bill and Patsy Caswell, Don and Willene Burke, Lorene Rector, Orville Greenhouse, Doyle and Bulah Grimes, Davy Fleming, Ida Miles, Virginia Patterson and Virginia's mother, Shelton May, Gladys Richardson, Minerva Jones, Earl and Leola Farris, Dick and Ann Graham, and Marvel Graham.

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Property Tax Protest and Appeal Procedures

The law gives property owners the right to protest actions concerning their property tax appraisals. You may follow these appeal procedures if you have a concern about:

- the market or special appraised value placed on your property
- the unequal appraisal of your property
- the inclusion of your property on the appraisal roll
- any exemptions that may apply to you
- the qualification for an agricultural or timber appraisal
- the taxable status of your property
- the local governments which should be taxing your property
- the ownership of property
- the change of use of land receiving special appraisal
- any action taken by the chief appraiser, appraisal district or appraisal review board that applies to and adversely affected you.

Informal Review

Real Estate Mobile Homes	Contact Jeanine Hawkins Donnetta Dollar @ 806-826-5900
Industrial/Commercial Business Personal Property	Contact James Morgan @ 806-358-8186
Minerals	Contact Lewis Henderson @ 806-358-8186

Review by the Appraisal Review Board
If you can't resolve your problem informally with the county appraisal district (CAD) staff, you may have your case heard by the appraisal review board (ARB).

The ARB is an independent board of citizens that reviews problems with appraisals or other concerns listed above. It has the power to order the CAD to make the necessary changes to solve problems. If you file a written request for an ARB hearing (called a notice of protest) before the deadline, the ARB will set your case for a hearing. You'll receive written notice of the time, date and place of the hearing. If necessary, you may request a hearing in the evening, Saturday or Sunday. Prior to your hearing, you may ask to review the evidence the

CAD will use to uphold their determination. The CAD may ask you for a copy of the evidence you plan to present. The hearing will be informal. You or a designated agent may appear in person to present evidence or you may send notarized evidence for the ARB to review at your hearing. The CAD representative will present evidence about your case. You may cross-examine the CAD representative. The ARB will make its decision based on the evidence presented. The CAD has the burden of establishing the property's value by a preponderance of the evidence presented. You can get a copy of a protest form from the appraisal district office at 402 South Main in Wheeler.

Note: You shouldn't try to contact ARB members outside of the hearing. The law requires ARB members to sign an affidavit saying that they haven't talked about your case before the ARB hears it.

Review by the District Court
After it decides your case, the ARB must send you a copy of its order by certified mail. If you're not satisfied with the decision, you have the right to appeal to district court. If you choose to go to court, you must start the process by filing a petition within 45 days of the date you receive the ARB's order.

Tax Payment
If you appeal and your case is pending, you must pay the lesser of the amount of taxes due on the portion of the taxable value not in dispute or the amount of taxes due on the property under the order from which the appeal is taken.

More Information
You can get more information by contacting your appraisal district at Wheeler, Texas Central Appraisal District, P.O. Box 1200, Wheeler, Texas 79096, phone 806-826-5900. You can also get a pamphlet describing how to prepare a protest from the appraisal district or from the State Comptroller's Property Tax Division at P.O. Box 13528, Austin, Texas 78711-3528.

Deadline for Filing Protests with the ARB*

Usual Deadline
On or before May 31 (or 30 days after a notice of appraised value was mailed to you, whichever is later).

Late protests are allowed if you miss the usual deadline for good cause. Good cause is some reason beyond your control, like a medical emergency. The ARB decides whether you have good cause.

Late protests are due the day before the appraisal review board approves records for the year. Contact your appraisal district for more information.

Special Deadlines
For change of use (the appraisal district informed you that you are losing agricultural appraisal because you changed the use of your land), the deadline is before the 30th day after the notice of the determination was mailed to you.

For ARB changes (the ARB has informed you of a change that increases your tax liability and the change didn't result from a protest you filed), the deadline is before the 30th day after the notice of the determination was mailed to you.

If you believe the appraisal district or ARB should have sent you a notice and did not, you may file a protest until the day before taxes become delinquent (usually February 1). The ARB decides whether it will hear your case based on evidence about whether a required notice was mailed to you.

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Week Ending June 9, 2005
 Intentions to Drill
HEMPILL (BUFFALO WALLOW Granite Wash) Forest Oil Corp., Barker, Sec. 53, M-1, H&GN, PD 13701, for the following wells:
 #3053A, 2269' from North & 1000' from Westline of Sec. #4053A, 974' from North & West line of Sec. HEMPILL (BUFFALO WALLOW Granite Wash) Forest Oil Corp., Irene Dixon, Sec. 48, A-2, H&GN, PD 12900, for the following wells:
 #948A, 2000' from North & 467' from West line of Sec. #1148A, 2400' from South & 467' from West line of Sec.
HEMPILL (BUFFALO WALLOW Granite Wash) Forest Oil Corp., #1852 John Vise, 1062' from South & 1122' from East line, Sec. 52, M-1, H&GN, PD 13837.
HEMPILL (BUFFALO WALLOW Granite Wash) Forest Oil Corp., Peak-Walser, Sec. 29, A-2, H&GN, for the following wells:
 #1129, 2339' from South & 1650' from West line of Sec., PD 13104.
 #3029A, 1750' from North & 467' from West line of Sec., PD 13206.
HEMPILL (WILDCAT & BUFFALO WALLOW Granite Wash) Noble Energy Production, Inc., #7006P Brotherton, 2250' from North & 1650' from West line, Sec. 70, M-1, H&GN, PD 13500.
ROBERTS (WILDCAT & HODGES Des Moines) Questa Energy Corp., #2039 Hodges, 933' from South & West line, Sec. 39, 43, H&TC, PD 8300.
 Recompletion
ROBERTS (WILDCAT & LIPS Cleveland) Latigo Petroleum Texas, L.P., #1 Courson Ranch '156', 1950' from North & 2000' from Westline, Sec. 156, 13, T&NO, PD 7100.
WHEELER (WILDCAT & ALLISON BRITT 12350') Chesapeake Operating, Inc., #1 Jones '31' 785' from North & 1980' from East line, Sec. 31, RE, R&E, PD 15000. Replacement well
WHEELER (WILDCAT & LISTER Granite Wash) Noble Energy Production, Inc., PD 13600, for the following wells:
 #2211 McAllister, 1600' from South & 1239' from East line, Sec. 22, L, J.M. Lindsey.
 #0501 Walker, 467' from North & East line, Sec. 5, J. Poitevent.
WHEELER (WILDCAT & MILLS RANCH Atoka) BP America Production Co., #1 Lara '54', 1697' from South & 771' from East line, Sec. 54, A-7, H&GN, PD 16900.
WHEELER (STILES RANCH Granite Wash) Turner Transportation, #1 Reed, 1876' from South

& 2552' from West line, Sec. 70, A-7, H&GN, PD 6000'. Commercial Disposal well
WHEELER (WEST PARK Granite Wash) Devon Energy Production Co., L.P., #2 Reid Trust '18', 467' from North & 1980' from Westline, Sec. 18, RE, R&E, PD 15000.
 CORRECTED intention to Drill
ROBERTS (WILDCAT & ALPAREARSON Brown Dolomite) Jones Energy, Ltd., #3 Cavins-Jarvis, 755' from South & 2000' from West line, Sec. 15, 44, J.T. Pollard, PD 4000. Corrected to change well location & County. Was shown in HANSFORD CO.

Wheeler County COURT RECORDS

List of instruments filed in the Wheeler County Clerk's office from June 6, 2005 - June 6, 2005
JUNE 6, 2005
 MD/ROYALTY CONVEY.—Jesse Verlin Curry Jr. to Anthem Oil and Gas Inc., et al, 5-25-05, Sec. 23, Blk. M-1, H&GN Ry. Company Survey.
 D—Juan Moya, et al to Shannon Moya, 5-27-05, Lots 4-6, Blk. 21, Shamrock.
 QCMD/OVERRIDE/ROYALTY—Bobby J. Darnell to Jennier Darnell Gideon, et al, 5-25-05, See Instrument.
 MD—William E. M. Rives, et ux to Douglas Preston Rives, et al, 5-26-05, E 1/2 Sec. 15, Blk. A-8, H&GN Ry. Company Survey.
 OL—Marc A. Gist to Sanguine Gas Exploration LLC, 4-26-05, N 1/2 N 1/2 SE 1/4 Sec. 21, Blk. L, J. M. Lindsey Survey.
 OL—Marc A. Gist to Sanguine Gas Exploration LLC, 4-26-05, N 1/2 N 1/2 SE 1/4 Sec. 21, Blk. L, J. M. Lindsey Survey.
 C/C PROBATE—John E. Lefevre to Ex Parte, 5-11-05, See Instrument.
 QCD—John E. Lefevre to John E. Lefevre Revocable Trust, 1-18-01, See Instrument.
 MD—John E. Lefevre Revocable Trust to John H. Lefevre, et al, 5-20-04, See Instrument.
 HOME EQUITY DT—James Larry Porton, et ux to Centrex Home Equity Company LLC, 5-25-05, 100'x165' Out of Sub. Div. #4, out of SE 1/4 Sec. 60, Blk. A-8, H&GN Ry. Company Survey.
 HOME EQUITY AFF. AGREE.—James Larry Porton, et ux to The Public, 5-25-05, 100'x165' out of Sub. Div. #4, out of SE 1/4 Sec. 60, Blk. A-8, H&GN Ry. Company Survey.
 ROW—Kaleb E. Meek to Peak Operating of Texas LLC, 5-19-05, Pt. Sec. 60, Blk. M-1, H&GN Ry. Company Survey.
 ROW—Kaleb E. Meek to Peak Operating of Texas LLC, 5-19-05, Pt. Sec. 60, Blk. M-1, H&GN Ry. Company Survey.
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on Orig. W-1 (BHL: 500' from South & East line Sec. 16, 44, E.C. Hooper) Horizontal Gas Well Completion
HEMPILL (BUFFALO WALLOW Granite Wash) Tri-Ex Petroleum, L.P., #1232 Harrison Sec. 232, C, G&MMB&A, spud 8-21-04, drlg. compl 12-26-04, tested 2-25-05, TD 13470', PBTD 13210'

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June 7, 2005
 RDT—National Bank of Commerce to Carl Knoll, et ux, 6-2-05, Lot 13, Blk. 6, Mont-Lew Add., Shamrock.
 ASSUMPTION D—Brenda Ramos to Jerry Luna, 6-3-05, Lots 13 and 14, Blk. 58, WSSA, Shamrock.
 ASSUMPTION DT—Jerry Luna to Brenda Luna Ramos, et ux, 5-31-05, Lots 13 and 14, Blk. 58, WSSA, Shamrock.
 EXT. DT—Jerry Luna to Citizens Bank, 6-3-05, Lots 13 and 14, Blk. 58, WSSA, Shamrock.
 ROW—Peggy Bryant to Atlas Pipeline Mid-Continent LLC, 5-13-05, Pt. SE 1/4 Sec. 58, Blk. A-7, H&GN Ry. Company Survey.
 ROW—Thomas Michael Bryant, et ux to Atlas Pipeline Mid-Continent LLC, 5-16-05, Pt. W 1/2 Sec. 52 and Pt. SW 1/4 Sec. 57, Blk. A-7, H&GN Ry. Company Survey.
 ASSIGN.—Hadaway Engineering Inc. to Ridgely Properties Ltd., 6-2-05, NE 1/4 Sec. 23, Blk. A-5, H&GN Ry. Company Survey.
 UNIT DECLARATION—Brigham Oil & Gas LP, et al to Arie Rose Hefley, 4-15-05, N 1/2 Sec. 30 and S 1/2 Sec. 31, Blk. A-7, H&GN Ry. Company Survey.
 EXT. OL—Robert Mark Howard to Brigham Oil & Gas LP, 5-3-05, NE 1/4 Sec. 77, Blk. 13, H&GN Ry. Company Survey.
 EXT. OL—Chris Allen Howard to Brigham Oil & Gas LP, 5-6-05, NE 1/4 Sec. 77, Blk. 13, H&GN Ry. Company Survey.
 EXT. OL—Joel Dean Howard to Brigham Oil & Gas LP, 5-6-05, NE 1/4 Sec. 77, Blk. 13, H&GN Ry. Company Survey.
JUNE 8, 2005
 DVL—Shirley Jolly to Carol Clawson, et vir, 6-7-05, Pt. SW 1/4 Sec. 5, Blk. A-4, H&GN Ry. Company Survey.
 DT—Dale L. Clawson, et ux to Shirley Jolly, 6-7-05, Pt. SW 1/4 Sec. 5, Blk. A-4, H&GN Ry. Company Survey.
 STL—State of Texas to Janie Patton, 5-31-05.
 ASSIGN/ROY./MD—Charlann Seaneey Jeffrey, et vir to Charlann Seaneey Jeffrey Trust, 5-10-05, SW 1/4 Sec. 23, Blk. M-1, H&GN Ry. Company Survey.
 TDT—Legend Bank, NA to GNB Financial NA, 5-13-05, Pt. Sec. 33, Blk. A-8, H&GN Ry. Company Survey.
 AMENDMENT OL—Alice U. Reed Burress to Chesapeake Exploration Limited Partnership, 5-2-05, Pt. Thomas James Survey and Pts. of Secs. 1 and 2, C&M Survey.
 AMENDMENT OL—Densel Reed, et ux to Chesapeake Exploration Limited Partnership, 5-2-05, Pt. Thomas James Survey and Pts. of Secs. 1 and 2, C&M Survey.
 AMENDMENT OL—Gynell Reed Thompson to Chesapeake Exploration Limited Partnership, 5-2-05, Pt. Thomas James Survey and Pts. of Secs. 1 and 2, C&M Survey.

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CITY WIDE GARAGE SALE: MOBEETIE. The City of Mobeetie will host a city wide garage sale June 25, 2005. The Sale will last from 8:00 a.m. until 4:00 p.m. All residents are encouraged to participate if interested. Visitors are welcome. **Mobeetie City Council** 6/9-6/23c

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AMENDMENT OL—Jewell Odene Reed Rasco to Chesapeake Exploration Limited Partnership, 5-2-05, Pt. Thomas James Survey and Pts. of Secs. 1 and 2, C&M Survey.
AMENDMENT OL—Thelma Louise Reed Hall to Chesapeake Exploration Limited Partnership, 5-2-05, Pt. of Secs. 2, C&M Survey.
WELL ROW—D & R Transports to David Gilmer Jr., 4-4-05, Pt. Sec. 5, Blk. A-4, H&GN Ry. Company Survey.
D—First Ag Credit PCA to W. B.

Johnson Grain Company Inc., 5-19-05, Lots 1-6, 19-24, Blk. 15, Wheeler.
RVL/RDT—First Ag Credit PCA to Daryl G. Snelgrooves, et ux, 5-19-05, Lots 1-6, 19-24, Blk. 15, Wheeler.
MD—Julie Brooke to Charles W. Brown, et ux, 5-3-05, Sec. 62, Blk. A-7, H&GN Ry. Company Survey.
MD—Teresa Albus to Charles W. Brown, et ux, 5-3-05, Sec. 62, Blk. A-7, H&GN Ry. Company Survey.
MD—Matthew D. Moore to Charles W. Brown, et ux, 5-3-05, Sec. 62, Blk. A-7, H&GN Ry. Company Survey.

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fyng Bible Adventures, Collect Bible Memory Buddies to remind them of God's Work, and create Bible Point Crafts they'll take home and play with all summer long. Serengeti Trek is an exciting way for kids to learn more about God's love," says Pastor Ricky. "We hope Serengeti Trek will leave a little bit of God's love in our community."

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(From last week)

Finally, my brethren, be strong in the Lord, and in the power of his might. Put on the whole armour of God, that ye may be able to stand against the wiles of the devil. For we wrestle not against flesh and blood, but against principalities, against powers, against the rulers of the darkness of this world, against spiritual wickedness, in high places. Wherefore take unto you the whole armour of God, that ye may be able to withstand in the evil day, and having done all, to stand. Stand therefore, having your loins girded with truth, and having on the breastplate of righteousness; And your feet shod with the preparation of the gospel of peace; Above all, taking the shield of faith, wherewith ye shall be able to quench all the fiery darts of the wicked. And take the helmet of salvation, and the sword of the Spirit, which is the word of God. Ephesians 6:10-17

The weather here in Allison has been just so beautiful, but last night we had kinda stormy weather. But we are thankful for the rain we received.

Allison people are so thankful and grateful to Lisa Montgomery-Cox for opening the Pa's Allison Diner and Grocery. I talked to Lisa and she told me how it came about. Lisa has three children, Bailee Montgomery, age ten and Brittani Montgomery, age 16 and a three year old son, Brennan Cox.

Lisa's Dad was working on Britt's Ranch and couldn't believe that he couldn't even buy a newspaper or cup of coffee here in Allison. He saw the building that used to be the cafe earlier and thought how nice it would be to have a cafe in Allison again. So they found the owner, which was Cletus Greene and she gladly sold it to them. Lisa and family are from Cheyenne, Oklahoma. Her Dad lives in Sweetwater, Oklahoma.

Pa's Allison Diner and Grocery is located at 108 Wheeler Avenue and right now, you may order out by calling Lisa's cellphone 580-497-6163. Pa's Allison Diner and Grocery is open from 6 a.m. to 8 p.m. Monday thru Friday. Unless her daughter, Bailee, has a softball game in the event she will close the cafe early around four on those nights. Pa's Allison Diner and Grocery will be open on Sunday-11 a.m. to 3 p.m.

Lisa's Dad is putting a trailer in back of Pa's Allison Diner and Grocery for Lisa and family to live in. WELCOME TO ALLISON!!

Lisa reports that the Allison people have been wonderful to them. Patient with the new waiters and offering help along the way.

Lisa wishes to say a special thanks to Dad, Mom, Stepfather, (Lester and Virginia Isch of Reydon, Oklahoma).

Virginia is a beauty operator in Reydon, she does Willa Jean Shelton's and Kay Donaldson's hair. They have been Lisa's phone

friends, helping to spread the word of the opening of the cafe. Also special thanks to Cletus. Lisa thanks God for her safety with all the traveling she has been doing. They hope to expand the cafe sometime, making it bigger.

So thrilled to have them here in Allison. I've already tasted their cooking and it is fantastic. Come by and have a bite to eat and visit with them.

Bill and Kay Donaldson stayed several days in Amarillo, Texas last week. While there, Dawn helped Bill and Kay to celebrate their 50th Anniversary. Dawn treated Darla and John Hays, Katie Donaldson, Matt Benton and of course Bill and Kay Donaldson to a very delicious meal at Marty's. Happy 50th Anniversary Bill and Kay!!

Bill and Kay Donaldson attended a birthday party for Wallace Donaldson in the home of Roland and Mae Morse along with Joe and Delores Whitten and Howard and Carolyn Builderback.

Lee and Sharon Hall and Bill and Kay Donaldson visited Armanda Jones in Tulia, Texas, also there were David and Janie Nall and sons from Slaton, Tennessee.

Daniel Lewis, Kelly Lane and Nathan Rainey from Weatherford, Oklahoma visited in the home of Bill and Kay Donaldson and Daniel, Kelly, Nathan and Bill all fished at Skipout Lake.

Dawn Donaldson and Darla and John Hays were lunch guests in the home of Bill and Kay Donaldson on Memorial Day.

Tuesday, Opal and Juanita Boydston visited in the home of

Glenn and Betty Boydston and had great refreshments and yes a game of spinners.

Thursday, Glenn and Betty Boydston journeyed to Amarillo, Texas on business.

Friday, Juanita Boydston accompanied Glenn and Betty Boydston to Pampa, Texas where they shopped some and then had a very tasty meal and dessert at

Sonic. Sonic's junior banana splits just so delicious and just the right size. Yummy!!

Saturday, Glenn and Betty Boydston traveled to Binger, Oklahoma where they visited in the home of Robbie and SaRita and Carissa and Kelton. They enjoyed their visit and they fished and caught some really big fish. Glenn and Betty stayed the night with



Robbie and SaRita.

Glenn and Betty arrived back to Allison on Sunday night.

THIS WEEK'S NEWS...

O God, thou art my God; early will I seek thee: my soul thirsteth for thee, my flesh longeth for thee in a dry and thirsty land, where no water is; To see thy power and thy glory, so as I have seen thee in the sanctuary. Because thy lovingkindness is better than life, my lips shall praise thee. Thus will I bless thee while I live; I will lift up my hands in thy name. Psalms 63:1-4

Our weather here in Allison has been very rainy and very stormy for a few days. We had a very bad storm here on Thursday evening that did a lot of damage, it wrecked havoc on our trees, there was not a tree in our yards that wasn't touched by the storm. Great big limbs off trees. And a big part of a tree fell on our power lines and ripped the metal pole that goes to our meter box and all the lines, down from the house. So we were without electricity for a couple of days. Also without water. But we had good neighbors that called and let us come eat with them. Also our kinfolk was really kind to us in that time. Our thanks to all that helped out.

Monday, Len and Betty Brown of Dumas, Texas arrived in Allison to their Allison cottage to visit a few days. Opal and Juanita Boydston visited them Monday evening awhile.

Tuesday, Opal and Juanita Boydston and Len and Betty Brown visited in the home of Roma and Billy June Brown after church. Enjoyed lots of visiting and delicious refreshments were served.

Wednesday, Roma and Billy June Brown, Len and Betty Brown, and Glenn and Betty Boydston visited in the home of Opal and Juanita Boydston. Visiting and refreshments were enjoyed by all.

Thursday evening, Opal and Juanita Boydston and Roma and Billy June Brown visited in the Allison cottage of Len and Betty Brown. Really good refreshments and more visiting was enjoyed by all. Then later in evening, Juanita was keeping in touch with someone with a t.v. and found out that a storm was in Mobette and was there when we came out of the cellar. Praise God for that.

Friday, our electricity was off for a night and a day. So Billy June Brown invited us to eat breakfast with her and so we took her up on the offer. The breakfast was really good and we enjoyed our visit as well. We also visited Louise and

Mike and LaQuinta that day as well. We received at least two inches of rain also.

Glenn and Betty Boydston helped us stack limbs and they hauled a bunch off for us. Which we are truly grateful and thankful for their help.

Saturday, Opal and Juanita Boydston, Pearl Harrison, Mike and LaQuinta Hulse, Cory and Michelle Phillips and son Conner, Michael Hulse, Bennie and Debbie Boydston, Heather and Josh, Jason, Sabrina and Cody, Kim, Chuck, Kamber, Trey, Brittain and Chase Thompson, and Nadine Reynolds were dinner guest in the home of Louise Boydston.

Saturday night, a large crowd of friends and family attended the wedding of Josh Archer and Heather Boydston. It was a beautiful wedding. Bruce Archer, the daddy of the groom made the arch for the couple and it was just gorgeous. And the reception was really nice too. A beautiful wedding cake made by Julie Boydston was very delicious and I didn't catch the name of the person that made the grooms cakes but they were so unique, one looked just like a black hat laying on the table and then a boot cake as well. They were delicious too. Just a great wedding. After the wedding and reception there was a party given for the wedded couple and friends and family at Lester and Clydene Hall's house.

Sunday, Opal and Lillian Boydston journeyed from Oklahoma City to Allison, Texas and they had lots of delays along the way. They went thru a tornado in Clinton, Oklahoma and was delayed two hours there and was in very bad weather, of course with the tornado. WOW!!! I sure would have hated to be in a car during one of those things. Power lines were down on I-40 and caused them a detour as well. It was storming so bad they had to pull over at one point and sit thru the storm. But they did arrive safely in Allison around ten Sunday night. Praise God for his saftety.

Kyle Boydston and Noah and Cheisi Boydston stayed the week in the home of Dick and Cletus Greene. On Friday Kevin and Theda Boydston and other daughter, Adriann of Beggs, Oklahoma arrived in Allison and visited in the home of Dick and Cletus Greene. While Kyle, Noah and Cheisi was here, Cletus treated them to rides in Wonderland Park in Amarillo among other entertainments. On Saturday, Roy and wife and girls

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NOTICE OF PUBLIC MEETING TO DISCUSS BUDGET AND PROPOSED TAX RATE

The Kelton Independent School District will hold a public meeting at 8:00 p.m. on Monday, June 27, 2005 in the cafeteria of the Kelton School Building at the intersection of Texas Farm Road 592 and Texas Farm Road 2697, Kelton, Texas. **The purpose of this meeting is to discuss the school district's budget that will determine the tax rate that will be adopted.** Public participation in the discussion is invited.

The tax rate that is ultimately adopted at this meeting or at a separate meeting at a later date may not exceed the proposed rate shown below unless the district publishes a revised notice containing the same information and comparisons set out below and holds another public meeting to discuss the revised notice.

Comparison of Proposed Rates with Last Year's Rates					
	Maintenance & Operations	Interest & Sinking Fund*	Total	Local Revenue Per Student	State Revenue Per Student
Last Year's Rate	\$ 0.7803	\$ 0.00	\$ 0.7803	\$ 8,835	\$ 507
Rate to Maintain Same Level of Maintenance & Operations Revenue & Pay Debt Service	\$ 0.8154	\$ 0.00	\$ 0.8154	\$ 8,949	\$ 315
Proposed Rate	\$ 1.00	\$ 0.00	\$ 1.00	\$10,637	\$ 315

*The Interest & Sinking Fund tax revenue is used to pay for bonded indebtedness on construction, equipment, or both. The bonds, and the tax rate necessary to pay those bonds, were approved by the voters of this district.

Comparison of Proposed Levy with Last Year's Levy on Average Residence		
	Last Year	This Year
Average Market Value of Residences	\$ 48,663	\$ 52,675
Average Taxable Value of Residences	\$ 34,408	\$ 33,265
Last Year's Rate versus Proposed Rate per \$100 Value	\$ 0.7803	\$ 1.00
Taxes Due on Average Residence	\$ 268.49	\$ 332.65
Increase (Decrease) in Taxes		\$ 64.16

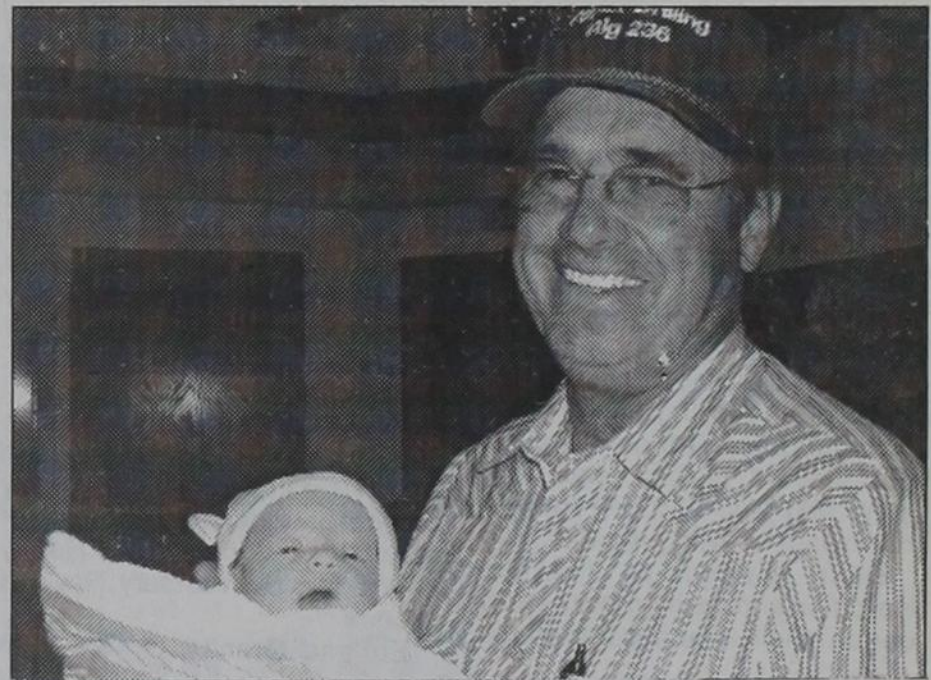
Under state law, at the dollar amount of school taxes imposed on the residence homestead of a person 65 years of age or older or of the surviving spouse of such a person, if the surviving spouse was 55 years of age or older when the person died, may not be increased above the amount paid in the first year after the person turned 65, regardless of changes in tax rate or property value.

Notice of Rollback Rate: The highest tax rate the district can adopt before requiring voter approval at an election is \$1.39505. This election will be automatically held if the district adopts a rate in excess of the rollback rate of \$ 1.0398.

Fund Balances

The following estimated balances will remain at the end of the current fiscal year and are not encumbered with or by a corresponding debt obligation, less estimated funds necessary for operating the district before receipt of the first state aid payment:

Maintenance and Operations Fund Balance(s)	\$ 1,115,155.57
Interest & Sinking Fund Balance(s)	\$ 0.00



GREAT-GRANDDAUGHTER: Forrest Boydston is shown here with his new great-granddaughter, Kendi Shay. She was born June 6, 2005, in Oklahoma City. She weighed 6 lbs. 12 ozs. and was one hour old here.

The View of a Southern Woman

... Southern California that is.

As we dressed for church this morning, I told Glenn Forrest Frosty that maybe it was time to go back to California. No other reason other than to get some sleep! We have had 3 nights of "boomerangs", tornado watches and a bedroom where you can not turn off the lights. Even with the blinds pulled, we still have a lightning lit up room. Now this is not for an hour. It is for most of the night. We even spend the night of the hurricane wind storm in our cellar and that is not one of my favorite places. When all this blows over, and I am hoping it will sometime, I am going to redecorate that cellar with bright paint after we get a few leaks fixed and make it more cheery. We lost a lot of tree limbs and I mean big ones from the storm of Friday night and also lost about 5 hours of our 7 hour sleep. Glenn is still cleaning up the yard. Last night was not much better and I do hope Brother Mac did not notice my nodding off. No, it was not his sermon; just lack of sleep. Glenn said I would get use to it. Ho Ho Ho! That isn't going to happen! I did find a new hobby and that is collecting blown

down bird nests. Our yard was full of them. Will save them to show grandson Kelton when he visits in July. Just the thing for a ten year old boy and his grandma Betty to enjoy looking at.

We finally got our new great granddaughter last Monday, June 6th. We made another run to Oklahoma City, but the stork beat us by one hour. Kendi Shay is a beautiful 6 # 12 oz doll and I was photographing her in that second hour of life. I also told her that it was her birthday and she seemed to understand me. At least she was looking straight into my eyes and taking it all in. Wish we lived closer so I could go over and spoil her.

Last night, we attended the wedding of Heather Boydston, our niece, and Josh Archer in the First Baptist Church here in Allison. It was a beautiful wedding and Heather was a lovely bride and I think it will take Benny and Debbie a while to recover in the pocket-book area. We wish the bride and groom a long and happy life together.

With love from a storm watching California woman, Betty Boydston.

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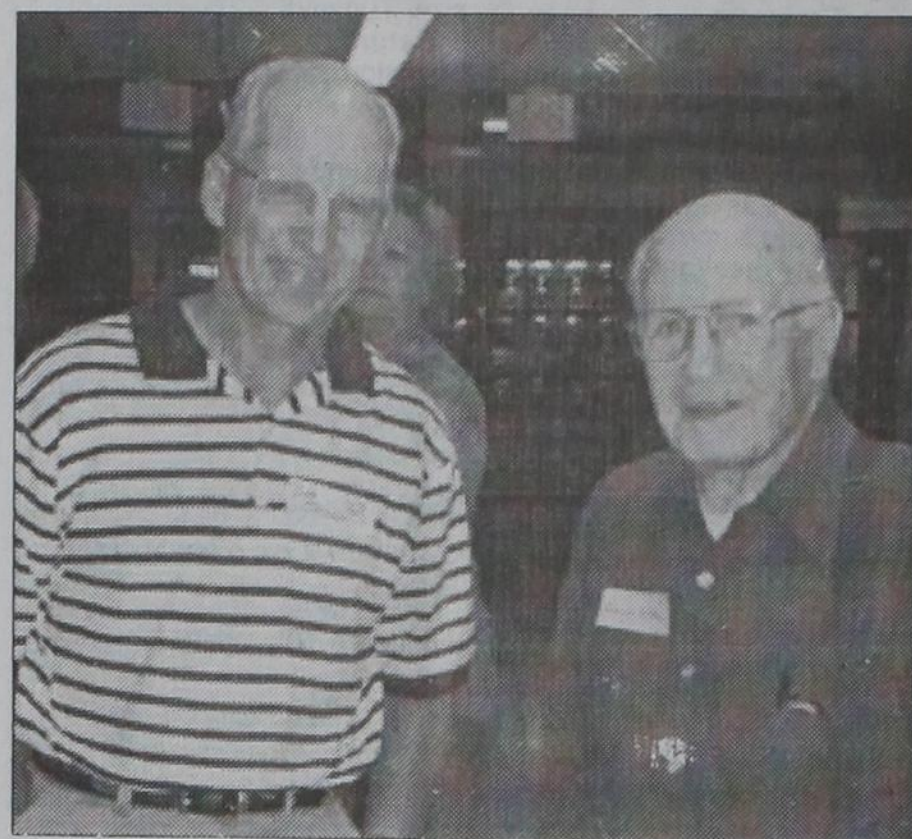
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OLDEST EX-TEACHER PRESENT: George Gandy was recognized at the 2005 Ex-Student/Teacher Reunion as the oldest ex-teacher present for the reunion. The plaque is shown here as the plaque was presented by Fred Goad, 2005 president of the association. Mr. Gandy taught at Wheeler from 1960 to 1976.



LOCAL EXES: Bob Stiles, class of '67, and Dennis Porter, class of '31, enjoy a visit at the Ex-Student/Teacher Reunion on Saturday.



JUST ARRIVING: Jim Porter, '58, from Wheeler, stops a minute to greet Harold Reid, '57, from White Deer, Texas, and his wife, Gwen, as they arrive at the Ex-Student/Teacher reunion. Janice Jaco Marr '55, from Moore, Oklahoma, had a short visit.



REGISTRATION: Jodie Johnson, class of '48, from Iowa Park, Texas, is shown here Saturday morning, as she registered at the Wheeler Ex-Student/Teacher Reunion. Ida Mae Goad is standing behind the registration desk. Also shown helping with the registration are Kathleen Cross, class of '61, and Donna Velasquez, class of '67, in the foreground and Christie Jones, class of '84, background right.



THREE CLASSES REPRESENTED: Enjoying the post registration time in the Wheeler school lobby were John Noah, class of '45, from Cedar Hill, Texas, Bob Noah, class of '40, from Amarillo, Texas, and Herbert Green, class of '39, from Lovington, New Mexico as shown here.



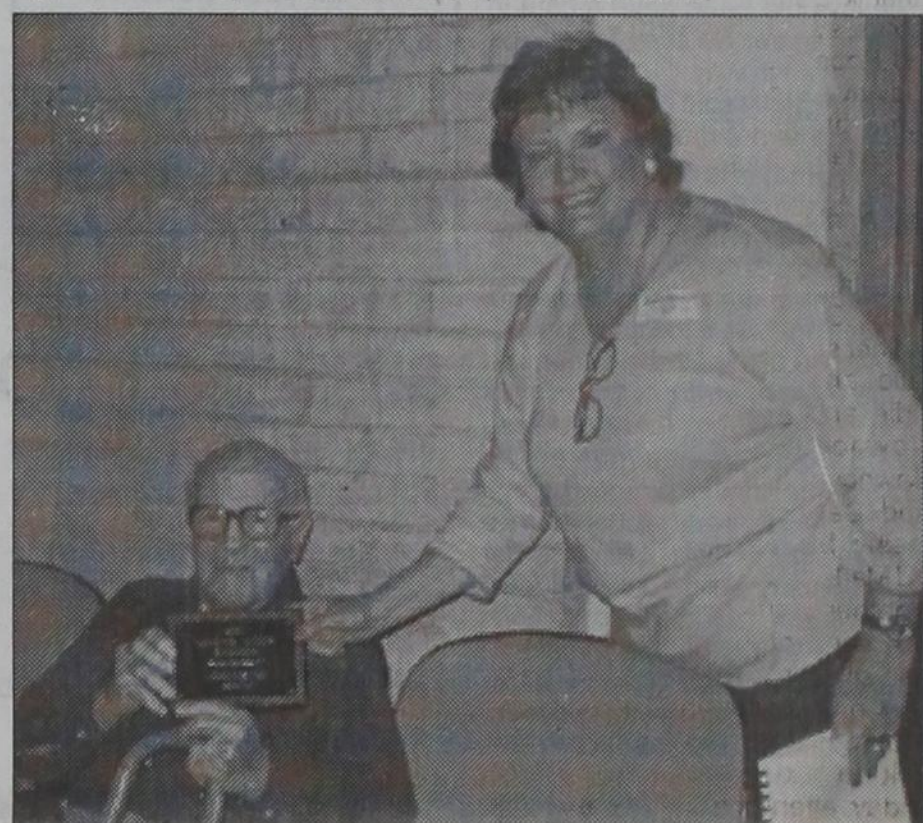
PLAQUE RECIPIENT: Dr. Ray Martin, class of '75, from traveled the greatest distance to attend the Ex-Student/Teacher reunion on Saturday, June 11. Ray lives in Mansfield, Massachusetts.



GATHERING: This cluster of exes represents three classes; they were sharing stories of the past at the 2005 Ex-Student/Teacher Reunion. Shown here are Billie Traylor Williams, '51, from Pampa, Texas; Helen Johnson May, '53, from Amarillo, Texas; Betty Traylor Williams, '53, from Pampa, Texas; Doris McGruder Shirey, '52, from Wheeler; Loretta Crowder Clay, '53, and Buddy Toon, '53, from Shamrock, Texas.



ENTERTAINMENT: Back by popular demand to provide entertainment for the Ex-Student/Teacher reunion Saturday was Garth Nash, class of '58, from Anthem, Arizona. Nash entertained with humor and music, including his song of nicknames.



OLDEST EX: Dennis Porter, class of '31, at the age of 91 was the oldest ex-student in attendance at the Ex-Student/Teacher reunion. Mr. Porter lives in Wheeler; he was the oldest by only a few months.

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27th. He hated to go off and leave his girls for a few days.

Glad to hear that Odessa Mooney came through surgery at Amarillo Wednesday to repair two valves in her heart. Praise the Lord! Keep praying.

Remember George Harris in your prayers. He had cancer surgery. May God surround you with His loving, healing presence.

Best wishes to Heather Boydston and Josh Archer as they began their marriage together

Saturday, June 11th, at Allison Baptist Church.

Ray and Glenda Hudson went to Amarillo Monday, June 6, and visited Lois Hudson, Sharon and Harold Bertrand, and Peggy Newman. Glenda had a doctor's appointment at Amarillo Tuesday, but she checked out O.K. Good! They also went to Charlie, Texas (northwest of Wichita Falls), the Peach Capital of Texas. They brought back a bushel and a half of very delicious peaches. Happy 6th Wedding Anniversary, Ray and Glenda.

Ed and Brenda Graddy celebrated their 40th Wedding Anniversary with family and friends at Canadian June 4. Congratulations.

From the Comics: "I don't mind birthdays, I really don't. It's the aging thing that curdles my cheese." Yes!

The Totty-Mountain View Quilting Club met Thursday, June 9 for quilting and visiting and included: Jane Seitz, Audrey Seitz, Betty Haynes from Pampa, Sydney Lynch, Augusta Brown, Bobbie Ehman, Betty Rogers and daughter Vickie, Melba Corcoran, and Kandi Jones. They got Betty Haynes quilt finished. The Totty School Reunion was Sunday, June 12 with lunch and visiting.

Marvin and Irene Mason are moving to the city because of health reasons. They had a big auction at their place east of Canadian in the Gem City Community Saturday, June 11. Best wishes, Irene and Marvin.

Mike and LaDenna Honeycutt and her mom, Ned Burrell, went to a Defoor family reunion at Altus, Oklahoma over the weekend. There are cabins there and water activities and other things.

We had a nice time at Wheeler Senior Citizens Tuesday night with a delicious pot-lock meal. Thanks Joyce Perkins for getting things ready. Birthday girls were Evelyn Meek and Betty Howard. Lou Dean Douthit made the delicious cake. Some others there were, Wesley and Helen Steen, Jo Redding, Mary Margaret Dodd, Martha Meek, and Verna Fillingim. We had one table of 88 and one of Chicken Foot. We missed some who were unable to be there. Next meeting will be Tuesday, July 5 at 6:00 pm. Visitors always welcome.

Davy and Shannon Gilmer and Adley enjoyed going to a cartoon movie at Canadian Saturday night. Glad they were able to go. Keep praying for them.

Lori Barnes and Blake, and Taylor and Tanner (twins) from Stephenville came up for Saturday's School Reunion and spent Saturday night with Leo and Sylvia Shuler. Good to have them all out to Wheeler Baptist Church Sunday.

Enjoying a family cruise to Alaska were Bro. Bill and Kay Stiles, Freddie and Melody Velasquez, Sarah and Chris Howard and C.J. from Houston, and Bob and Sharon Swindler from Loveland, Colorado. They all met at Denver and flew to Anchorage, Alaska and sailed to Vancouver, British Columbia. They were gone 9 days, getting back home Saturday. A fun trip.

Kay Stiles was leaving Monday to go to a WMU Executive meeting

at Dallas, coming back Tuesday night.

Nice to visit with Brenda May at Wheeler Care Center. Her mother Irene Dixon, was a resident at Wheeler Care Center.

We only had two faithfuls from Allison to come Tuesday morning to Wheeler Care Center. Just Louise Boydston and her mom, Pearl Harrison. Louise does a great job playing the piano and leading singing and Pearl helps. Carol and Vance Boydston were in Indiana, and Lillian and Curtis in Oklahoma City. Opal Boydston didn't feel well so Juanita stayed with her mom. We still had a good sing-a-long and a good group of residents. Allison Pentacostal group comes each first Tuesday. Earl and Betty Husted expect to be back for church at Wheeler Care next Tuesday (the good Lord willing and the creek don't rise). Visitors always welcome.

Some weren't sure they believed all those "Little Known Texas Facts" in last week's column. This is where I got them: Martha Meek's brother, Garland Fort from Mississippi, sent the clipping to Martha. They were compiled by Jim Davidson, a motivational speaker from Conway, Arkansas. His address is 2 Bentley Drive, Conway, Arkansas 72034. We found them interesting. I'd like to see that armadillo egg that split into 4 babies.

Nice to visit with Bertha Eckles at Canadian on the phone. She is 95 and has home health care. She broke an arm in April and has to use a walker. She asked me to keep her in my prayers. She doesn't get to go to church much or other places. She misses that a lot. Pray for Bertha. She is such a sweet lady. Still lives alone.

Lela Pride from Wheeler Care Center enjoyed eating lunch at Maxey's Sunday with her son, Sonny and Geraldine Pride from Arlington and daughter Patsy Banda and Donna Trimble and Diane Lucas from Benbrook (granddaughters). They went to the Wheeler School Reunion.

Joel and Laura Dodd and Brandon, Bradley, and Brandi from North Richland Hills were weekend visitors to C.G. and Rosemary Dodd and attended the Wheeler School Reunion. Grandma Mary Margaret Dodd enjoyed eating lunch at Mel's with them Sunday. Brandon stayed to spend a week with his grandparents.

Nona Ann Faulkner from Longview, Texas came to the Wheeler School Reunion and visited Wesley and Helen Steen and attended Wheeler Baptist Sunday.

Joyce Perkins and a sister were all together for the

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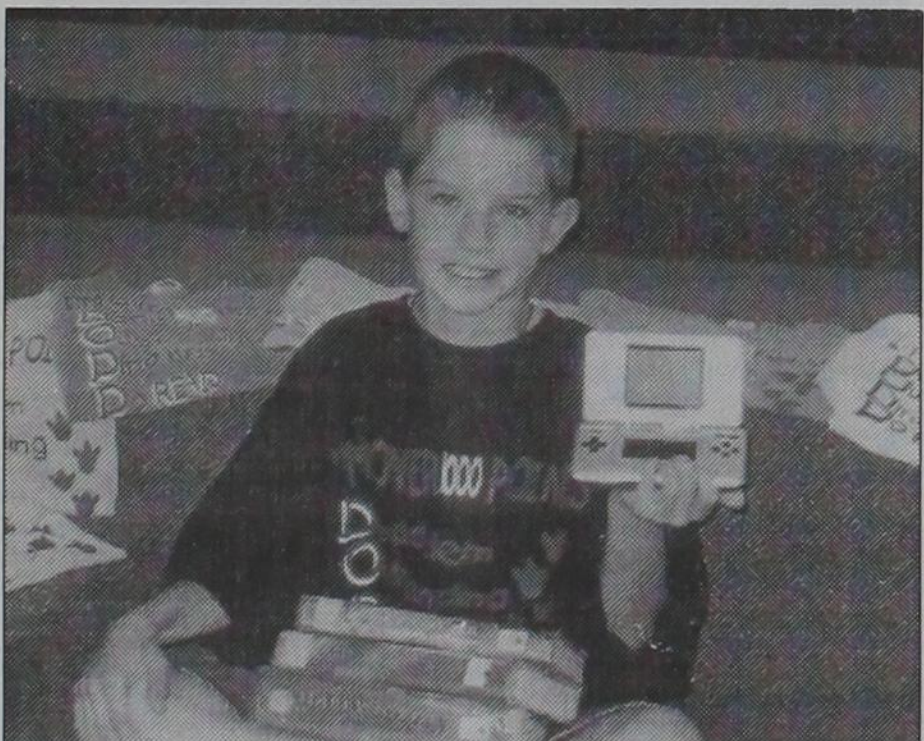
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"Wheeler, town of friendship and pride."

Wheeler School Reunion over the weekend (5 of them). Junior and Freida Cox from Blanket, Texas, and James Cox from Smyer, Texas stayed with Joyce. Marvin and Linda Cox stayed out at the farm with Sonny and Geraldine Pride. Think they are from Amarillo. It was the 50th Anniversary for Joyce and the class of 1955.

We had some stormy times the past week. But wonderful rain. Some reported lightning affecting phones, air-conditioners, hot water heaters, etc. Many had no electricity for a while.

W.O. and Exie Jones enjoyed a visit Saturday from niece Rossie Errington Bell and husband Calvin

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A FIRST: Dodd Elementary's first ever 1,000 point reader, Garrett Stuart, a fourth grade at Wylie, Texas. Garrett is the son of Dennis and Vanessa Stuart of Wylie. He is the big brother of Brayden Stuart. Garrett's grandmothers are Leola Stuart of Mobeetie, Texas, and Quatha Baker of Lubbock, Texas. Great-grandmothers are Gladys Richardson of Wheeler, Texas, and Beulah Stuart of Shamrock, Texas.

AUCTION

Sat., June 18, 2005—9:35 A.M.

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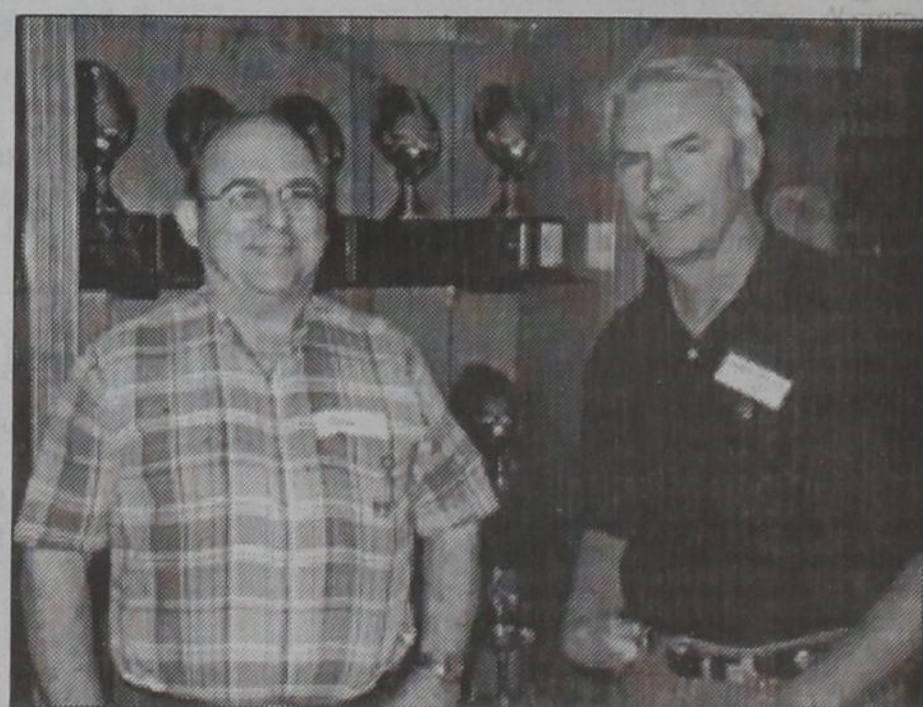
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VEHICLES & BOAT—99 Dodge Ext-Cab 4-Dr., 97 Ford Thunderbird LX, 97 Dodge Grand Caravan, 96 Dodge Caravan, 95 Ford Crown Victoria, 92 Dodge 3/4T, 4x4 Diesel, 91 Ford F-150, 89 Ford Aerostar, 89 Chevy Van 30 Ambulance, 83 Buick Park Ave., 81 Chevy 3/4T, 4x4, 71 Inter. 4x4 Scout, Alum. 16' Boat ☆ **POP-UP CAMPER**—95 Coleman Destiny ☆ **TRAILERS**—Rufhauf 40', W&W 5'x10' Enclosed ☆ **FARM & CATTLE EQUIP.**—NH 495 Swather, Hesston 5500 B/R Baler, Krane 14; Tandem, Mohawk 13'6" & SMF 7' Shredder, Bramco B/M Hyd/12V B/R Bale Hauler ☆ **LAWN MOWERS & SHOP TOOLS**—Honda, Devilbiss, Porter Cable, Milwaukee, Ryobi, Hitachi, DeWalt, Delta, Craftsman, B&D, CP, CH ☆ **OFFICE FURNITURE & EQUIP.**

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GETTING RE-AQUAINTED: Preston Glazner, class of '65, from Lubbock, Texas, and Frank Rogers, class of '69, from Round Rock, Texas, discuss past and present events at the Ex-Student/Teacher reunion on Saturday, June 8, 2005.



GREATEST DISTANCE: Linda Trimble, class of '66, was awarded a plaque for having traveled the greatest distance to attend the Ex-Student/Teacher reunion. Linda lives in Hemphill county.

from Amarillo. Rossie helped with some of their business. Rossie is the daughter of Ross Errington who used to live here, but is deceased. They ate lunch at Sotos and had a good visit.

At Wheeler Park Sunday was the Pendleton, Patterson, and Bradshaw Reunion with a delicious catered meal prepared by Steve and Joyce Walker with help from Harold Jones and Steve's sister, Linda Sanders, to serve it. About 75-100 were there. But sure was cold and rained some. Some there were Jimmy Nelson, Danny and Ashley Nelson and Danielle, Amy and Haylee from Pampa, Brad and Wendy Harrison and Lexie, Todd and Cristan, Cathy and Frank Hooper from Perryton, Myron Jolly and Myron and Shirley Jolly, and many others.

Wheeler Baptist V.B.S.: 95 kids from all over town, or visiting here, registered for Vacation Bible School ages 4 years through 6th grade. Nearly 50 helpers, teachers, crafts, and music people. Good to see the good program and all telling about Jesus and singing and taking part. You did a great job! Pastor's wife, Emma Williams was V.B.S. director and Pastor Dennis helped. He has a way with kids. Thanks to all who helped to make Vacation Bible School a fine experience and to make Jesus more real to the kids. The 4 and 5 year olds and kindergartners started the program out with singing and then Pastor Dennis led them marching around the church as he played his guitar. Great! Lots of hot dog supper and desserts for everyone. Big crowd there.

Rose Reunion: There were about 47 at the Rose Reunion at Amarillo Saturday. Lots of visiting, games, swimming, and food. They had Popeye's Chicken and large Subway sandwiches cut in pieces. Some brought desserts. Some there were Fay Sell, Vea Fillingim, Joyce Hardage, Willa Fillingim, Gay Andler, Garland and Sharon Sell, Eda Bynum and granddaughter Leta, Glenda Kay and friend Cindy, Gayle and Kay Singleton and her son and wife and children, LaJo and Charles Crownover, Jodie and Kenny Striley, Londa Crownover and friend, Terri Crownover and friend, Sarita and Brad Dawson and Micaela and Shelby, Mozelle Thomas, Andrea and Mark Dobbs and children, Ruth together to the reunion.

A sad note: Joan's boyfriend was killed in a car accident. A tire blew on his pick-up. No seat belt in use. He was ejected from the pick-up and killed. Funeral was Friday afternoon. They went to Irvine, Pixie and husband and daughter and girls, and Calvin and Sharon Hardage from Oklahoma. They also had door prizes, Jodie Striley helped to plan and coordinate everything.

Wes Bradstreet Party: Friends came to Wes and Cindy Bradstreet's home Thursday night to celebrate Wes' 51st birthday with hamburgers and hot dogs and all the trimmings. Also Cindy had made a German Chocolate Cake, a chocolate cake with white frosting, and home made strawberry and vanilla ice cream. All very good. Thanks Cindy. There to celebrate were Frank Clymer, Rick and Tina Bond and Abby, Mike and Beverly Bryant and Josh and granddaughter Sarah, Bob and Evangeline Wills, Bro. Dennis and Emma Williams and John and Justin, Delores Simmons, Miles Keith, Sue Gaines and Darren and Gracie, and Verna Fillingim. Happy Birthday, Wes. Their house is so pretty and roomy inside. They are building on a porch and another bathroom. They have a beautiful place with many big trees around it and room for kids to play. Grandson Miles Keith stayed a week or so with Wes and Cindy and came to Wheeler Baptist Church with them.

Hudson Trip: Ray and Glenda Hudson celebrated their 6th Wedding Anniversary with a 1400 mile trip filled with fun things and people. June 5 is their Day. They left Friday to go to Oklahoma City and spent Friday night there. Saturday they met Brady and Cynthia Hudson and Megan, and her friends Jarrett and Mika Hudson, at Tulsa. Brady and Cynthia treated Ray and Glenda Hudson to a night in the fabulous McBirney Mansion. Saturday at 5:30 pm Crystal Hudson and Grant Meek were married in a beautiful outside wedding overlooking the Arkan-

sas River. Also at Tulsa and at the wedding were Jeff and Cheryl Fraley and Steven and Sonya Hudson and Patrick. Ray and Glenda also visited Aaron Miller at Kelgore, Texas, and Mike and Jennifer Graddy and Allison at Wichita Falls, Canton, Texas has a Trading Fair on Thursday, Friday, Saturday, and Sunday before the First Monday. The Hudsons were there on Sunday afternoon about 4:00 pm and they were sold out and closing everything down. They did get 2 bowls of peach ice cream.

Brown to have Lee and Esther Niece and Joan and Jessica and her friend, Brock Garrison, come spend Friday night with me. They are like family. The Browns are from Ratliff City, Oklahoma and work at a Pizza Hut in Weatherford, Oklahoma. The twins graduated from Fox High School this year and will be going to college at Norman doing pole-vaulting. They are good athletes. The Browns were going on up to Eads, Colorado to a family reunion. They also visited Willis. We ate breakfast at Mels before they left and had a good visit. Esther and I had Western Omeletes with hash browns—very good. Their daughter Jennifer and Kevin Woods and Kelton and Kaleb, from Claude, were to meet them at Dumas and ride along the funeral before they came.

Totty Reunion: The Totty-Mountain-View Annual School Reunion was Sunday, June 12. The club furnished chicken and drinks. Others brought desserts and other goodies. The only two that actually attended Totty School were Hugh Bailey and Bill Bailey from Pampa. Door prize of a big flashlight for men was won by Tony Dickey. The Women's door prize was won by Jane Seitz—a pretty picture of roses (won't ever wilt). The club sold chances on a quilt, beautifully colored flowers was the pattern. Winning the quilt was Glenda Weatherby (but she wasn't there). Some others who were there were Melba and David Seitz, Audrey Sietz, Frances Dickey, Don and Willene Burke, Bryan and Kantrel Williams from Crowell, Kerry Williams, Louise Bailey, Mae Bailey, Dale Corcoran, Danny and Betty Rogers and Tina and Maggie, and Kandi Jones and Dakota and Harley. Telling them some history about Totty was David Seitz.

More Things to Think About:

1. Most effective sleeping pill is peace of mind.
2. Most crippling disease is excuses.
3. Most powerful force in life is Love.
4. Most dangerous outcast is a gossip.
5. Most incredible computer is the brain.
6. Worst thing to be without is Hope.
7. Most deadly weapon is the tongue.
8. Most power-filled words are, "I can."
9. Greatest asset is Faith.
10. Most worthless emotion—Self Pity.
11. Most beautiful attire is a smile.
12. Most prized possession—Integrity.
13. Most contagious spirit—Enthusiasm.
14. Most powerful communication is prayer.
15. God's greatest gift is salvation.
16. A special blessing is sleep.
17. A great gift is Love

United States Postal Service Exam

The United States Postal Services announces a Battery 473 Examination will be open to the public for the Borger Area, which includes Booker, Borger, Cactus, Canadian, Dalhart, Dumas, Fritch, Groom, Gruver, Higgins, McLean, Pampa, Perryton, Shamrock, Spearman, Stinnett, Stratford, Sunray, Texline, Vega, Wellington, Wheeler, and White Deer.

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lona May got moved into Parkview Assisted Living Monday, June 13.

Best Wishes! Wheeler Baptist Children's Choir had an "End-of-School" party Wednesday, June 8 at the Wellington Activity Center. They left the church parking lot at 4:00 pm and got back at 8:00 pm. There were 33 kids and 5 adults: Stacey Horton, Heather Hardcastle, Emma Williams, Claudia Marion, and Michael Killingsworth. They took hot dogs, chips, dip, drinks, and cookies/desserts. Some activities were bowling, climbing the rock wall, batting cages, and volleyball. They were grades 1st-6th. They had a good time.



dishes to wash. A nice lady changes their beds and cleans their rooms. They have a place for snacks with a fridge, etc. Their son, Gary, and wife, Marilyn (like a daughter), come nearly every day to visit and check on them. Bulah's sister, Audrey lives 5 blocks away

and comes very often. She is Audrey Alexander, who grew up at Mobeetie. A relative in Washington state, Willie Sue Grimes Pierce, takes the Wheeler Times. When she read that they were in Amarillo, she gave them a call. Doyle and Bulah will be married 67 years on July 9, 2005.

Tex. Bond Sales To Speed Hwy. Project

OFFICIALS DEPOSIT \$1 BILLION IN PROCEEDS TO SPEED TRANSPORTATION PROJECTS

Congestion relief in Texas got a huge injection of funds today with the transfer of \$1 billion in bond proceeds into the Texas Mobility Fund.

The proceeds come from the sale last week of bonds backed by the Texas Mobility Fund. Established by the 77th Legislature and approved by Texas voters, the fund allows the Texas Transportation Commission to issue bonds to finance transportation projects in the state.

"This new money will allow the state to build major metropolitan highway projects in half the time it would have previously taken," said Gov. Rick Perry. "Innovative solutions like the Texas Mobility Fund enable the state to solve our transportation needs faster and more efficiently than ever before."

The \$1 billion will be used to pay for such activities as engineering and right-of-way acquisition and to fund much-needed expansion of the state's transportation system. Through the use of bonds, these needed improvements will be delivered to Texans years ahead of the pay-as-you-go method.

TxDOT Executive Director Mike Behrens said that the bond funds will allow TxDOT to accelerate transportation projects by helping to double the financial resources for reducing congestion over the next ten years. "We are working fast to get Texans out of traffic congestion," he said. "We are moving forward on transportation in this state."

After receiving public comment, in September 2004 the commis-

sion adopted a Strategic Plan for the Texas Mobility Fund that directed money toward projects including:

- * A multimodal approach
- * Local control
- * Leveraged funding to accelerate projects
- * Priority status to previously requested, locally-supported projects
- * A success metric focused on speed and efficiency in reducing congestion

The Texas Bond Review Board approved in May the department's request to issue bonds backed by the revenue of the Texas Mobility Fund. The board approved the issuance of \$4 billion in bonds over the next few years, allowing TxDOT and its local partners to plan projects knowing that the necessary funds will be available when needed.

The Texas legislature established the Texas Mobility Fund in 2001. Voters approved the concept that same year. In 2003, legislators authorized money for the fund.

The Mobility Fund can help to speed locally-supported and already-planned projects that reduce congestion, improve safety, expand economic opportunity, and enhance connections among various parts of the state. To receive Mobility Fund monies local areas were asked to submit plans that leveraged their allocation of the Mobility Funds with tolls, user fees, private funds and other revenue sources to stretch limited transportation dollars.

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Saturday, June 25th

4 pm 'til the cows come home!



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by Sarah Gill-Northcutt
7:30 PM

BOOK SIGNING
by Delbert Trew
4 PM

CHUCKWAGON DINNER
by Keven Romines
6:30 PM

TALES OF THE PAST
by Delbert Trew
7:30 PM

CAVALRY REENACTOR
Jimmy Northcutt
7:30 PM

WESTERN MUSIC
by the Prairie Heirs
8:30 PM

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6/7 Braden Moore
6/8 Iona May
6/9 Tammy Newman
Maria Zepeda
Minnie Vinson
6/10 Marie Osby
Chrystal Selby

Dismissals

6/6 Dorothy Ellis
Zeland Rainey
6/8 Braden Moore
6/9 Melvin Todd
Gwen Loyd
Maria Zepeda
6/10 Tanner Collins
6/11 Shot Childress
Tammy Newman
Chrystal Selby

Allison (from Page 5)

came and visited in the home of Dick and Cletus Greene also. Jonathan and Alexis Greene and Jamie Goldsberg and daughter, Adrianna were all weekend visitors in the home of Dick and Cletus Greene.

Monday, Glenn and Betty Boydston journeyed to Oklahoma City, Oklahoma where their great granddaughter, Kendi Shay Brown was born. Betty took several photos of her and with Grandma SaRita and Grandpa Robbie and Uncle Kelton and Dad, Tyler and of course, great grandpa Glenn and great grandma, Betty. They all looked very proud in the pictures I received. Robbie Green with his wife, SaRita took Glenn and Betty out to eat at a very nice restaurant. It was surely a time of celebration.

Tuesday, Glenn and Betty came home and shopped on the way after having breakfast in Binger, Oklahoma. They enjoyed a tasty meal in Elk City, Oklahoma at Sonic.

Wednesday, Glenn and Betty Boydston traveled to Cordell, Oklahoma and enjoyed a lunch with Mr. and Mrs. Rick Lindley which the Lindley's treated Glenn and Betty to the delicious meal.

Friday, Eddy Walker visited in the home of Glenn and Betty Boydston and brought them a homemade apricot pie. Betty reported that it was yummy!

Friday evening, Sue Chandler visited in the home of Glenn and Betty Boydston.

Bret Begert flew to Omaha, Nebraska Thursday where he attended the Heartland Regional Junior Limousin Cattle Show in David City, Nebraska and he returned home on Sunday.

Roma and Billy June journeyed to Amarillo, Texas on Monday where Roma had a checkup at the V.A. While in Amarillo, Roma and Billy June stopped by and visited awhile with Warren and Charline Brown. They enjoyed a tasty meal at Braum's.

Wednesday, Roma and Billy June Brown traveled to Pampa, Texas for Billy June's doctor appointment and again they enjoyed a meal at Braum's.

Pete Begert journeyed to Amarillo, Texas on Monday and his daughter, Linda Ingersoll took him on up to Lubbock, Texas where they stayed the night and was there early for his surgery Tuesday morning. Tuesday night Pete stayed

with Becky and Jeannie Gilmer. Glad your surgery is over and that you are doing good after the surgery.

Greg and Tiffany Boydston and son Gavin of Amarillo, Texas and daughters, Tori and Hannah Boydston of Stinnett, Texas visited in the home of Gary and Julie Boydston over the weekend. While they were there visiting, several gathered and had a very delicious meal at Pizza Hut in Elk City, Oklahoma. Others joining them were Eddy Walker and grandchildren and Justin and Stephanie Walker and Sue and her family. If I left anyone out, please forgive me, I can't remember sometimes. Ha!

Mike and LaQuinta Hulse of Tucson, Arizona visited in the home of Louise Boydston from Wednesday till Sunday evening. She really enjoyed their visit. On Saturday, Cory and Michelle Phillips and son Conner of Arizona visited in the home of Louise Boydston. Also Michael Hulse of Arizona, Chuck, Kim, Kimber, Brittany and Chase Thompson and Trey of Amarillo Texas visited in the home of Louise Boydston over the weekend. Saturday night after the wedding of Josh and Heather, others gathered among those above mentioned were Sue Martin, Adam Martin,

Jeremy Montgomery and wife and son, Tim and girlfriend and Kristi and Brianna Hansbro of Jones, Oklahoma and Shirley Chadwick of Oklahoma City and Pearl Harrison and Cheryl Dupont. I'm so sorry that part of my news

was left out last week. Especially about our new cafe here in Allison, which is called Pa's Allison Diner and Grocery. Its a great place to eat.

God Bless and Keep you till next time.

DEAR DAD . . .

Mrs. Thomas' Second Grade

Dear Dad,
I love you so much. I wish that I could take you shopping for a new pair of shoes. Then we could go out for ice cream before we go home.
Love,
Taylor McClendon

Dear Dad,
Thank you for everything you have done for me. I like the meat you fix for me on the grill. Thank you for helping me fix my pinewood derby car. It was so cool! Thanks for buying all of my toys, they are fun. I love you so much. Number 6 is really cool!!!
Love,
Mitchell Ford

For Dad,
Dad, you are the most intelligent because you let me eat whatever I want and also I want to tell you that I am happy because you have been good to me. Also I wanted to tell you to forgive me for all of the bad things I have told you. I know many places because you take me to see all of the places and because of that, I like you. Dad, I

hope that I make you proud because you are the best of the dads.
From,
Camilo Magadan

Dear Daddy,
I love you so, so much. You are the best daddy a kid could have. I can't wait until we travel together and I show my lambs, Chachi, Lilly, and Marshmallow. I like going to work with you.
Love,
Madalyn Bredecko

Dear Dad,
Happy Father's Day! I hope you're happy on Father's Day. You are the best dad a girl can have. I love you, Dad. I think you are a SUPER DAD.
Love,
Britney Robinson

Dear Dad,
I love you, Dad. Thank you for working so hard to buy me all of the things I like. Thanks for taking me to school when you are not working. Thank you for the house. Have a good Father's Day!
Love,
Brenda Garcia

Dear Dad,
I love you so much! You are the best dad ever. You are so good with me. I like to play baseball with you the best. I love you, Dad!
Love,
Danny Morales

Dear Dad,
I love you so much! You are the best dad a guy could ever have. I love you. You are the best. You are so cool and fun. I love you, Dad!
Love,
Chisum Rutherford

Dear Dad,
I love you so, so much! I'll never stop thinking about you. I love you so much that I could kiss you a lot. I hope that we have a great summer together at Ruidoso. I have a special place in my heart for you. I love you so much!
Love,
Sarah Carstensen



Dear Dad,
I hope that you have a good Father's Day because I am going to get you something special. You are very special to me. You are the best dad a kid could ever have.
Love,
Kori Howard

Dear Dad,
Thank you for taking me golfing with you. I remember when you would take me fishing and I caught a whopper! Happy Father's Day!
Love,
Dallen DeBose

Dear Dad,
I love you so much. I miss you so much when you are gone. I will always love you forever and ever!
Love,
Lexi Brister

Dear Dad,
I love you, Papa! I am so glad that you are my step-grandfather. I love you more than you think you know. I LOVE YOU!!
Love,
Kayla Duncan

Pampa (from Page 1)

p.m. at the M.K. Brown Civic Auditorium in Pampa. This year's gold sponsors are The UPS Store, Centramedia and Innovative Staffing Solutions and our silver sponsors for 2005 are Brown, Graham & Co., National Bank of Commerce, Brown's Shoe Fit, Texas Workforce Center, Cable One, Shepard's Crook Nursing Agency and Heard-Jones Healthmart. Admission is free! Come see what Pampa has to offer!

You'll discover a wealth of information on dozens of businesses from Pampa area businesses including employment services, shipping services, cable television and technology, health care products, custom framing, financial services, home health services, cosmetics, plumbing, assisted living, hospice care, leather goods, real estate and internet services, just to name a few!

In addition to the dozens of local businesses who will be on hand to share their latest products, services and technology with you. The Expo will feature a special appearance by Dr. Malouf Abraham, lots of good food, pony and wagon rides, free weight and blood pressure checks, children's fingerprinting and DNA sample kits. Coffee Memorial Bloodmobile, information from the National Weather Service, kids activities and exotic animals from the Amarillo Wildlife Refuge. There will also be many door prizes, giveaways and samples.

Also this year, we have added a Job Fair to the Expo with help from Texas Workforce Center. You can bring your resume to the Job Fair

and interview with several local businesses who are currently seeking new employees. The Job Fair will be held at the M.K. Brown Civic Auditorium during the same hours as the Business Expo. A great benefit of attending the job fair is that you can make contact with several employers in a short time. Be sure to bring a good supply of resumes to the fair and be prepared to interview with prospective employers. And remember, appropriate dress and grooming are critical for making a good first impression. Some of the businesses accepting applications and interviewing at the Job Fair will include Centramedia, Innovative Staffing Solutions, Shepard's Crook Nursing Agency, Cable One, Halliburton, Sivali's, Smithfield Premium Genetics, Texas Department of Criminal Justice, Titan Specialties, Turner Energy and Texas Workforce Center.

Chat (from Page 1)

The varied amounts received Friday evening in Wheeler. The official measurement was 2.65", measured Sunday morning at 7:00 a.m. An additional 0.91" was measured Sunday morning.

On Monday morning, an additional 0.16" was measured.

When I was returning to Wheeler on Friday afternoon, I had to pull over east of Stiles Ranch road, because of the the heavy rain.

I took Barbara to Weatherford on Friday afternoon, where we met Ronal Jr. They traveled on to OKC.

Barbara, Jennifer, Cathi and Dorcie are in Galveston the first part of this week, taking in the sights.

Ragena Bryant was called in to type and proof read. Thanks for the help, Ragena.

We had a missing heading on 'Allison News' last week and quite a bit of the column was not visible. It was not until I went to work on this week's paper that I found the problem. I had 'pasted up' page 2 as a 7 column page and the printer had to move First State Bank's ad over, covering up the first column of 'Allison News'. Sorry, Juanita.

I failed to extend birthday greeting last week to **Melba Arnold** and **Patricia Forrester**; both celebrated birthdays on Monday, June 13. But, I did remember to call them Monday evening.

We had six to play cards Monday evening. Rhonda and I won the first game with LeRoy and Dwight as our opponents. Mike joined our team and Joseph the other. LeRoy, Dwight and Joseph won the last game.

Wheeler Library To Have Magic Show

The Wheeler Public Library would like to inform the public about its Summer Reading Program. The theme this year is **Wild About Reading**. The Program will be held on three Fridays in July beginning with a magic show on July 8th at 1:00 pm. We would like to invite all children and parents to attend the magic show. The **The Magic Dad** will be featured and has taken his show all over the place. We feel so fortunate to have him come to our library and know we are going to enjoy his show to the fullest. After the magic show we will help you find some books to check out and you will be given a sheet to keep track of your summer reading. On July 22nd (the last day of our program) we will add up the number of books read and have some prizes for the most books read.

As I said the theme this year is **"Wild About...Reading"** and we thought that it would be fun to have some wild animals at the library. Of course they would be wild animals raised by people and domesticated (somewhat!). We are asking anyone who is raising something unusual to please call us about putting it in our summer reading program **ZOO**. The library has some really good friends that are gonna help us this year and we are looking forward to a fun and exciting program.

So all kids and their parents are invited to participate in our summer program this year. Please don't forget our magic show with the **The Magic Dad** on July 8th at 1:00 pm and be here early to sign up for a wild time with us!!!

July 8, 2005; 1:00-2:30 pm - The Magic Dad and registration
July 15, 2005; 1:00-2:30 pm - Wild About Reading Zoo
July 22, 2005; 1:00-2:30 pm - Last day of Summer Reading Program, lots of fun planned.
See you beginning July 8th

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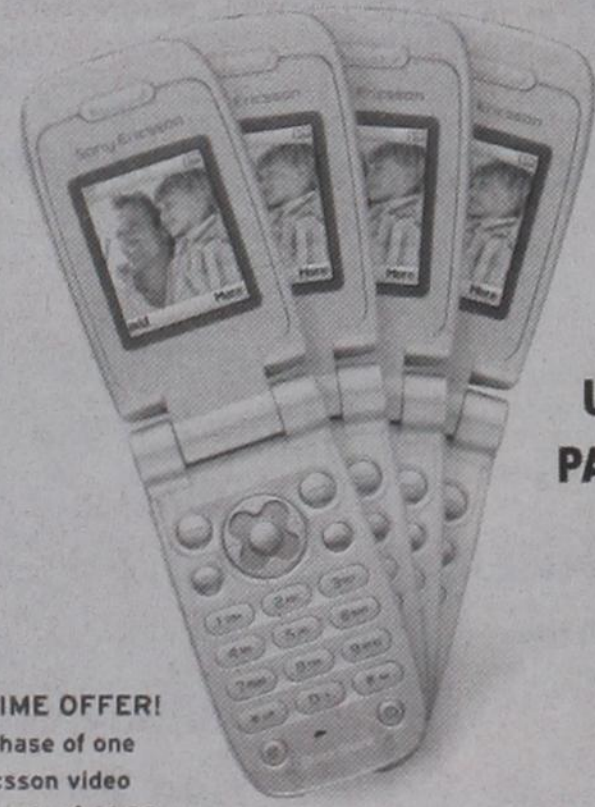
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