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THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 26, 2009

"Wheeler: town of friendship and pride."



Congratulations, Ft. Elliott Lady Cougars! These young ladies defeated Nazareth in the second round of the Region I 1A Division II playoffs and met McLean at Wheeler Tuesday evening for the quarterfinals game. Let's go all the way to state, girls!

- cwe -- The Wheeler Mustangs drew a bye in the Region I 1-A Division I playoffs. No time or place was (Continued Page 7)

As Reported by . Stormie Meriwether, Kindergarten Student

It's a busy time. We go to all the places and see all the people. First we went to Layne's basketball game. Next we went to my church for 'sghettie' dinner and to watch the funny show. It was so good. Ethan, Taylor, Allison, Carol and my "Bruncle" Mark were the best. My favorite was Ethan and Mark being "The Lollipop Kids".

My cousin, Jaeden is one year old. She had a big party. She can open all the gifts by herself; it's her birthday.

I saw my friend "BigBoy" (Jeff Travis) at the party. His little girl, Sidney is so sweet. She is just like a sister to me. Her mom says I can come play with her some-

Church was so fun! All the kids sang a song. We sang, "I praise the Lord with my KKK-Kazoo". I love to play the kkk-kazoo. You

can play any song you want. All the kids pray for anything we want. One little girl prayed for her daddy. He is sick. I just prayed that I can sit in my seat and be quite at school so I can get a star.



Last week the Wheeler Lady Stangs played the first round of the playoffs against Sunray. The Lady Stangs lost to Sunray. 59-22. The girls have not been to the playoffs in more than three years, and they represented Wheeler very well.

On Saturday the Mustangs had a playoff practice game at Randall High School. The Mustangs played against Lorenzo. It was a very intense and nerve wrecking game, but in the end Lorenzo came out stronger and beat the Mustangs 57-53

The One Act Play traveled to Sunray for a OAP festival. It was a good time and many good-pointers were given after the performance by a judge.

The week of February 23-27 will be National FFA Week. Wheeler High School Students will be dressing up on the various days and a teacher appreciation breakfast will also be held on one of the mornings.

On February 14, 2009 students competed at the Canadian UIL Academics Meet. The students did a great job representing Wheeler High's academic excellence. Exact results are not avail-



REGION I 1A DIVISION II VICTORY: Ft. Elliott's Lady Cougars won a 56-52 victory over Nazareth Friday evening, February 27, 2009. The first time win over the Swiftettes in plays put the Ladies into the regional quarterfinals against McLean. The quarterfinals game was played at Wheeler Tuesday evening, February 24, 2009. Team members are: Stormi Lancaster, Megan Horn, Morgan McDowell, Tori Boydston, Charity Baird, Adrian Reis, Alexis Zybach, Karly Lovelace, Marissa Keelin, Kailey Hudson, Ailene Wyant, Sarah Horn, Kaycee Swift, and Cheyenne Swift.

Fifth 6-Weeks

Wheeler Grades 1-6 Honor Roll

Local Student Places First At

Kaitlyn Helton, a 4-H member pion steers, lambs, barrows and

from Wheeler, exhibited a First wether goats. Over 22,000 head

Place Light Weight White/Other of world-class livestock from

Purebred Barrow in the Junior across the country will be on ex-

Barrow Show at the 2009 legend- hibit throughout the 24-day run of

ary Fort Worth Stock Show & Ro- the Show. A record six national

deo on February 5, 2009. Junior Shows will be hosted at the event.

show entries totaled 9,698 at this In addition, an impressive 17 live-

year's show which ends February stock auctions will be conducted.

gram provides youth with valuable try to over 900,000 visitors mostly

lessons in life and business and from the Metroplex and surround-

builds a foundation that serves ing areas. Approximately 30% of

them long after their show years visitors are from outside the

have passed," said W.R. Watt, Jr., Metroplex and other states as well

president and manager of the as other countries. Besides live-

show. "Our commitment to this stock, the show includes educa-

Winning exhibitors are awarded visitors on the livestock industry

cash "premiums" - this year to ex- and provides 4 acres of shopping

ceed \$92,005 - in addition to mon- to suit most any taste.

"The junior livestock show pro- nation's dynamic livestock indus-

Sabastian Gonzalez, Chase Markham, Johana Pacheco, Jor-Helton, Paden Markham, Jose dan Venzor, Caitlynn Walker

Rodriguez, Valeria Tintori Gallardo, Andres Garcia, Eduardo Hernandez, Blayne Richardson Porras, Josue Rincon

Cambri Moore, Marvin Ramirez, Madalyn Brdecko, Mitchell Ford; Kala Turner; A&B-Luis A&B-Don Butler, Cody Clark, Enriquez, Kaitlyn Helton, Shelby Wendy Marquez, Daniela Molina, Jones, Lizeth Monarrez, Anaid Adriana Reza, Brittney Robinson, Pichardo, Jayton Smith, Tony Chisum Rutherford, Kori Howard, Castillo, Leslie Engles, Rachel Brenda Garcia, Aileen Hinojos, Huff, Nallely Jacquez, Will Stiles, Andrew Huff, Joan Lopez, Taylor Landry Umsted Fourth Grade:-All A's-Levi Bryan Parra.

First Grade: All A's-Brady Ware, John Turner; A&B-Bailey, Christian DeBose; A&B— Alejandra Aguilar, Cassidy Andis, Kaylee Garza, Sandra Monarrez, Dacey Clark, Esther Gonzalez, Landon Peppers, Denise Esmy Herrera, Lurissa Meadows, Pichardo, Christian Torres, Julia Kaitlyn Peppers, Michelle Andrade, Ian Finsterwald, Chavira, Abree Finsterwald, Ky

Fifth Grade:-All A's-Second Grade: - All A's - Michaela Bailey, Brennan Melody McGruder, Cooper Fore- Umsted; - A&B-Ricardo man, Heather Johnson, Angel Castillo, Gracie Gaines, Ricardo Ontiveros; A&B-Adan Devora, Gallardo, Alejandra Gonzalez, Alejandro Hollingsworth, Miaia Zach Hibler, Kaitlyn Jones, Mar-Lira, Caroline Monsivais, Keila tin Lopez, Javone Willis, Andrea Rocha, Martin Rodriguez, Jesus Avila, Abril Buenrostro, Savanah Sanchez, Cooper Adams, Aneline Foster, Gairo Gallardo, Lyndi

Sixth Grade: All A's-Abby Third Grade:-All A's-Angel Bond, Cooper Ellison, Destrie Garcia Gonzalez, Jordan Herrera, Kinnaman, Stefany Barboza, McClendon, Zulema Mendoza,

The Stock Show showcases the

tional exhibits designed to educate

Now in its 113 th year, the leg-

Co. Commissioners Meets Mon., Feb. 23

The Wheeler County Commissioner's Court met in regular session on Monday, February 23, 2009 in the Commissioner's Courtroom of the Wheeler County

Courthouse at 10:00 a.m.

agenda. The court voted to approve the

hourly payroll time sheets for pay-

The county's bills were paid as approved.

Daryl Snelgrooes, Commissioner Pct. 1 received approval to move \$10,000 from precinct 1 equipment budget into the precinct's parts and supply budget. No other action was taken on

The next regular meeting of the court has been moved from Monday, March 9, to Friday, March 6. Court time has been moved to 9:00 A.M. for this meeting only.

County Clerk, Margaret presented her certificate for 20 hours continuing education, which was accepted by the court.

The monthly reports for Justice of the Peace 1, treasurer, tax collector and treasurer's reports for December and January were ac-

County Judge Jerry Hefley was given permission to advertise for bids for the Wheeler County De-

No action was taken on the county-wide burn ban. The burn ban remains in effect.

Graveside Rites For Lena Pearl Darby

Lena Pearl Darby, 81, died February 22, 2009 at Konawa, OK. Graveside services and burial will be Thursday, February 26, 2009 at Mobeetie Cemetery in Mobeetie, TX at 2:00 P.M. with Rev. Dr. Alberta Helton, officiating; and under the direction of Wright

Funeral Home. Lena was born December 27, 1927 in Chelsea, OK, to David Lee and Catherine Dick. She married William J. Darby on December 17, 1949 in Clovis, NM. Lena and her family formerly lived in Mobeetie for many years, she was a homemaker. Lena was a loving wife, mother and a grandmother. Lena was a member of Bible Bap-

tist Church in Lefors. Survivors include her husband, William J. Darby of Konawa, OK, two sons Bill Darby of Katy, TX and Bob Darby of Konawa, OK, four sisters, Barbara Stigal of Florida, Betty Wheatherly, Faye Farrar, and Dixie McDowell of Booneville, AR, four grandchildren, Meagan Brooks, Catherine Howell, Matthew Darby, and Nicole Darby, and five greatgrandchildren, Marshall Howell, Gracie Howell, Shyla Howell, Darrien Hester and Kamry Hester.

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Master Gardener Training Is Offered

Texas AgriLife Extension Service is opening registration for the 2009 Master Gardener Training Series for residents in the north- The Wheeler I.S.D. Board of eastern Texas Panhandle. This advance training will cover topics such as landscape design, vegetable gardening, soil science, pesticide management, insects/ disease management, irrigation management, lawn and turf, and proper plant selection. Registration is open to anyone willing to The first day to apply for a place participate and agree to give back on the ballot was February 7. The (Continued Page 2

The Circus Is Coming To Wheeler; **Advance Tickets Are Now On Sale**

Thanks to the sponsorship of the Wheeler chamber of Commerce, Culpepper and Merriweather Circus, Americals Favorite Big top Circus, is coming to Wheeler, Texas, on Wednesday, March 25, 2009, at the corner of Sixth & Mobeetie, with two scheduled performances at 5:00 p.m. and 7:00 p.m. In its24th season, C&M Circus has become internationally known for quality family entertainment. This authentic One-Ring, Big top Circus has been featured on national Geographicls Explorer TV series, Entertainment Tonight, the Los Angeles times, the Chicago Tribune and Arizona Highways Magazine. It has also been featured on the A&E Special: Under the Big Top and most recently, On the Road with Circus Kids, a Nickelodeon special featured on the

nick News Program. Bring your friends and family out circus morning to watch as a familiar place in your town is transformed into a bustling circus City. Activity swirls around the grounds as animals are unloaded, the Big top is erected, and rigging is prepared for performances later in the day. Enjoy the magic and tradition of the American Circus with

your family and create memories that will last a lifetime. Between 9:30 and 10:00 a.m. There were eight items on the watch the raising of the Big Top, then stay for the FREE tour. This presentation offers a unique faceto-face opportunity for a families, schools and interested community

> members to meet and learn. The Wheeler Chamber of Commerce will be selling advance tickets. With the purchase of advance tickets there is a savings of \$3 per adult ticket and \$1 for a childls ticket (ages 2-12). Advance tickets are \$8 for adults and \$6 for a childls ticket.

> Advance tickets for the circus are available at the Chamber Office at 505 S. Alan L. Bean Blvd., Marshall Auto, Novedades Saharay, and Paradise Spa. Advance tickets may be obtained from Robin Smith at the school. Remember: You save money by purchasing advance tickets and the chamber makes a percentage of the advance sales.

Mary Lue Williams Passes February 14

Mary Lue Guthrie Williams, 76, passed away February 14, 2009. Mary was born August 22, 1932, in Maysville, Oklahoma, to Melvin and Edith Guthrie. Her family moved to Allison, Texas, when she was a small child. She had resided in Pampa, Texas, for the past 30 years and was a retired bookkeeper for Williams Appliance Services. She was a member of Women of the Moose.

At her request, Mary's body has been donated to Texas Tech Medical School in Lubbock, Texas, and no public services are scheduled.

Mary was preceded in death by her parents, six brothers, two sisters, a granddaughter, Kendra Gilmer, and a daughter-in-law, Reba Gilmer.

Survivors include three sons, David Gilmer and wife, Linda, of Wheeler, Texas; Jim Gilmer and wife, Vicky, of Sayre, Oklahoma and Bill Gilmer of Gun Barrel City, Texas; two daughters, Mary Nell Finsterwald and husband, Bob, of Mobeetie, Texas, and Carolyn Dominey and husband, Roy, of Pampa; Texas; two sisters; Bessie Ringler of Prescott Valley, Arizona, and Mildred Rather and husband, Jerry, of Parker, Arizona; 12 grandchildren, Melanie Gilmer of Thompsons Station, Tennessee, Crystal Marshall of Wheeler, Texas, Hank Gilmer of Fort Worth, Texas, Casey Gilmer of Elk City, Oklahoma, April Finsterwald of Su Won, South Korea, Andy Finsterwald of Levelland, Texas, Caroline Ledford, Johnny Bailey, Amanda Douglas and Dustin Douglas, all of Pampa, Texas, and Toby Gilmer and Jimmy Gilmer both of Canadian, Texas; 21 great-grandchildren and many nieces and nephews.

Filing Is Now Open For School Board

Trustees has called an election for Saturday, May 9, 2009. Two places are to be filled on the board; both are for 3-year terms. Place 4 is presently held by Dr. Lee Ann Hillhouse.

Place 5 is presently held by James Masters.

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Saharay, 410 S. Main. The Chamber receives a percentage of the gate for tickets sold in advance. Tickets are now on sale at the above mentioned lo-

Mark Wednesday, March 25, on your calendar and plan to attend one or both performances of the



Ruby Loretta Brown **Services Saturday**

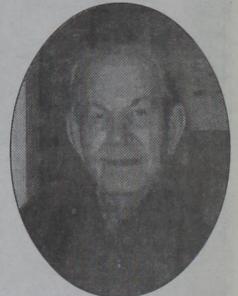
For Ruby Brown, 90 Ruby Loretta Brown, 90, died Saturday, February 21, 2009, in Wheeler, Texas. Services were Monday, February 23, 2009, at the First Baptist Church in Wheeler, Texas, at 2:00 p.m., with Rev. Ricky Pfeil of Amarillo, Texas, and Larry pastor, officiating. Burial was in the Wheeler Cemetery, Wheeler,

Texas, under the direction of

Wright Funeral Home, Wheeler,

Texas. Ruby was born October 21, 1918, in Strong City, Oklahoma, to Robert and Ann Smith West. She married Elmer Brown on September 14, 1940, in Cheyenne, Oklahoma. Elmer died in 1972. Ruby was a homemaker, loving wife, mother and grandmother. She was a member of Cornerstone Church.

Survivors include two sons, Robert Brown and wife, Dena, of Wheeler, Texas, and James Brown and wife, Debi, of LaGrange, Texas; three daughters, Nelda Babb and husband, James, of Wheeler, Texas, Opal Childress and Shot of Wheeler, Texas, and Brenda Davis and Jerry of Pampa, Texas; 27 grandchildren, 51 great-grandchildren and 12 great-great-grandchildren.



Steve W. Lanning

Rites In Amarillo For Steve Lanning

Steve W. Lanning, 90, died Thursday, February 19, 2009, in Amarillo, Texas. Services were held Monday, February 23, 2009, at 10:00 A.M., in the North Amarillo Church of Christ with Glen Walton officiating. All arrangements were made by Blackburn-Shaw Martin Road Chapel, 1505 Martin Road, Amarillo, Texas. Viewing was Sunday, February 22, 2009, at the chapel and the family received visitors at the funeral home Sunday afternoon from 5PM-7PM.

Steve was born August 17, 1918, in Eldorado, Oklahoma, to Ray and Annie Lanning. He married Elaine Lott May 18, 1940, in Prairie Hill, Oklahoma. Steve worked as a carpenter for Gibbin-Terrill Construction Company from which he retired after about 20 years. He loved to fish and raised

He was preceded in death by his wife, Helen Lanning; his parents; sisters, Lola Stewart and Leora Nix; and brothers, Nathan Lanning and Cecil Lanning.

Survivors include three daughters, Karla Belote and husband. Malcolm, of Wheeler, Texas; Linda Britten and husband, John, of Claude, Texas; and Donna Sutliff of Amarillo, Texas; a brother, Lecil Lanning of Canon City. Colorado; ten grandchildren, 19 great-grandchildren, six greatgreat-grandchildren and numer-



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FIRST PLACE: Kaitlyn Helton is shown here with her First Place Light Weight White/OPB Hog at the Fort Worth Junior Barrow show on February 5, 2009. Kaitlyn is a member of the of the Wheeler County 4-H. Kaitlyn's picture ran in the February 12, 2009, edition of the Times.

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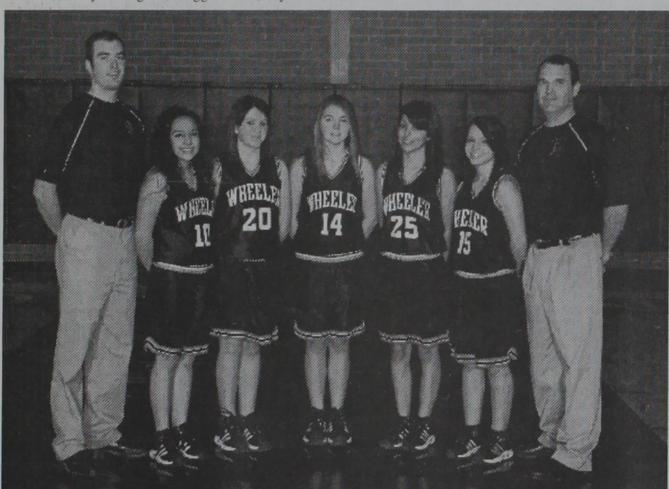
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WHEELER'S 7TH GRADE BASKETBALL GIRLS' TEAM: Back (left-right): Coach Bailey, Stormy Moore, Megan Reed, Hannah Stiles, Gabby Venzor, Coach Dorris' Front (left-right): Dulce Castillo, Kylie Schubert, Abby Rodriguez, Maggie Jones, Peyton Lefew



WHEELER 8th GRADE GIRLS' BASKETBALL TEAM: (left to right) Coach Dorris, Vanessa Altamirano, Breann Robinson, Elizabeth Horton, Danielle Garcia, Alyssa Kinnaman



WHEELER 7th GRADE BOYS'BASKETBALL TEAM: Coach Markham, Jake Ware, Brody Richardson, Andrew Coomer, Cody Howard, Zack Johnson, Coach Brady



WHEELER 8th GRADE BOYS' BASKETBALL TEAM: Back (left-right): Coach Markham, Zay McCasland, Jason Pike, Coach Brady Front (left-right): Zack McCasland, Ismael Buenrostro, Josue Perez, Garrett Andis



Ms. Johnson along with the first grade students held a (SURPRISE) baby shower for Mrs. Orr the other first grade teacher at Kelton. Students include: Rae Bell, Kierra Hurtado, Kassidy Carter, Emily Cook, Jayton Couch, Maddison Martinez, Laney Garcia, Cruz Juarez, Fernando Garza, Brock Buckingham, Cody Carr, Kaleb Kimbro, Jacob Maxwell, Ransley Cochran, Clint McKee. Teachers: Mrs. Orr with her son Ethan and

By Juanita Boydston

Now faith is the substance of things hoped for, the evidence of things not seen. For by it the elders obtained a good report. Through faith we understand that the worlds were framed by the word of God, so that things which are seen were not made of things which do appear. By faith Abel offered unto God a more excellent sacrifice than Cain, by which he obtained witness that he was righteous, God testifying of his gifts: and by it he being dead yet speaketh. By faith Enoch was translated that he should not see death; and was not found, because God had translated him: for before his translation he had this testimony that he pleased God. But without faith it is impossible to please him; for he that cometh to God must believe that he is, and that he is a rewarder of them that digigently seek him. By faith Noah, being warned of God of things not seen as yet, moved with fear, prepared an ark to the saving of his house; by the which he condemned the world, and became heir of the righteousness which is by faith. By faith Abraham, when he was called to go out into a place which he should after receive for an inheirtance, obeyed; and he went out, not knowing whither he went. By faith he sojourned in the land of promise, as in a strange country, dwelling in tabernacles with Isaac and Jacob, the heirs with him of the same promise. For he looked for a city which hath foundations, whose builder and maker

is God. Hebrews 11:1-10 I Will love thee, O Lord, my strength. The Lord is my rock, and my fortress, and my deliverer; my God, my strength, in whom I will trust; my buckler, and the horn of my salvation, and my high tower. I will call upon the Lord, who is worthy to be praised. Psalm 18:1-3

The weather here in Allison, Texas has been very windy and cool, but I hear that its to get warmer, could be in the eighties this Tuesday evening. But the good ole Texas Panhandle wind is still with us. Just wish we could get some rain so we wouldn't be in such danger of fires. That is a scary thing for sure. Just pray and believe we are going to be alright. Praise be to God!!

Bridget and Hagen Weatherly of Wheeler, Texas visited their grandmother, Peggy Chandler on Saturday morning.

Wheeler County

List of instruments filed in the Wheeler County Clerk's office from February 9, 2009 - February

13, 2009 **FEBRUARY 9, 2009**

ROW-Davis Family Trust No. 1 to Chesapeake Energy Marketing Inc., 1-29-09, NW/4 Sec. 65, Blk. A-7, H&GN Ry. Company Survey. ASSIGN./CONVEY. BS-Laura G. Ross, et al to Laura G. Ross LLC, 1-5-09, W/2 SE/4 Sec. 7, Blk. A-8, H&GN Ry. Company Survey. MERGER AFF.-David W. Copeland to COG Oil & Gas LP, et al, 1-5-09.

OWNERSHIP AFF.-Charles Bateman, et ux to The Public, 2-4-09, Lots 11 and 12, Blk. 51, WSSA, Shamrock.

OL-Frank Carlo to Questar Exploration and Production Company, 1-7-09, Pt. NE/4 Sec. 4, T&NO Survey.

OL-JoBeth Davis Porterfield to Questar Exploration and Production Company, 12-29-08, SE/4 Sec. 25, Blk. A-4, H&GN Ry.

Company Survey. OL-Berkley Stringer to Questar Exploration and Production Company, 11-5-08, SE/4 Sec. 25, Blk. A-4, H&GN Ry. Company

Survey. OL-Darrell Ricketson, et ux to Questar Exploration and Production Company, 11-6-08, Pt. W 202.80 acs. E/2 of Sec. 26, Blk. A-4, H&GN Ry. Company

MD-B. Coleman Renick Jr. to Renick Trust, 4-14-08, Sec. 1, Blk. 1, J. Poitevent Survey. OL-B & G Operating Ltd. to R. D. Davis & Associates Inc., 10-1-08, Sec. 21, Blk. A-4, H&GN Ry.

Company Survey. DT-Chesapeake Investments LP to Union Bank, NA, 2-3-09, See

Instrument. **FEBRUARY 10, 2009**

D-Idella Conner, et vir to Brian Andrews, et ux, 2-9-09, Pt. E/2 SW/4 Sec. 37, Blk. 17, H&GN Ry. Company Survey.

D-Travis Stevens to Stiles-Velasquez LP, 2-10-09, Lots 10, 11, 17, 18, and 23, Hefley 2nd Add., Wheeler.

HELEASE LIS PENDENS-

Glenna O'Dell to Wayne Turner, 2-1-09, W/2 Sec. 13, Blk. A-8, H&GN Ry. Company Survey. MD-Arrowhead Resources Inc. to Map2006-OK, 1-15-09, Sec. 8, Blk. R.E., Roberts & Eddleman

TRUSTEES QCMD/ ROY. D-Ramona Marie McDonald Revocable Trust to Ross Family Foundation, 2-4-09, Sec. 38, Blk. A-5, H&GN Ry. Company Survey. **FEBRUARY 11, 2009**

D-Lawrence Overcast, et ux to David Blake, 1-26-09, 0.1 ac. Lot (Continued Page 6)



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was so close and real in that ser-

vice. Very good indeed. Roma

and Nita really did enjoy it and

Len Brown of Dumas, Texas had

a malanoma cancer removed

from between his nose and eye

and they had to go in five differ-

ent times to get all the cancer.

Now they are going to do some

skin grafting to replace what they

took out. He needs our prayers.

We are praying for you Uncle

Len!! May God keep you and be

with you. He also needs gallblad-

der surgery, so we need to really

ing of my Aunt Lois Boydston's

youngest brother Donnie Esclante

in Arkansas passing away. Know

that will be hard for her as she is

not very healthy herself." Our

prayers are with her and the fam-

to the program through commu-

nity service efforts. Fifty hours of

advanced training will be offered

in various locations throughout the

area, and are scheduled monthly

from April through October, Ap-

plications are now available and

should be turned in with the

\$150.00 registration fee by Tues-

day, March 31st. A complete list

of dates and topics as well as the

registration packet can be picked

up at your local County Extension

Office along with additional infor-

mation about the prpgram... To

God Bless and Keep ya'll till

Sure hated to hear this morn-

pray for him.

Opal's brother and Nita's uncle,

each received a blessing.

Opal and Juanita Boydston did a great job. The power of God went to Shamrock, Texas on Tuesday for Juanita to get a shot for her allergies. They enjoyed breakfast after the doctor's visit as Juanita had to go fasting to the doctor. They enjoyed some shopping in Shamrock and then came by Wheeler before going home.

Friday, Glenn and Betty Boydston stopped by and visited Opal Boydston on their way to their Lakeside home at Ft. Cobb by Binger, Oklahoma.

Friday evening, Roma Brown stopped by for a short visit. He wasn't feeling well, but Opal gave him some medicine and he is feeling better now. He goes everday to Pampa to be with his wife, Billy June Brown who is in the Pampa Nursing Center. She is doing better now also. She is hoping to get to come back to Allison soon. We are praying for you Aunt Billy and hoping that you get to come back to Allison, for we miss you here.

Sunday after Sunday School, Opal and Juanita Boydston trav- next time!! eled to Wheeler and grabbed a bite to eat and then went on to Gardener (from Page 1) Pampa, Texas to visit Opal's sister and Juanita's aunt, Billy June Brown. Roma and Juanita attended the United Pentecostal Church in Pampa, Faith Tabernacle, pastored by Bro. and Sis. Ben Corbitt. They got there as they were having their Sunday School service and then they had church service after that. They also gave out prizes for perfect attendance to their children. Bro. Chase Plumlee preached and he

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one for the beautiful flowers, phone calls and food for our family during the sickness and death of Jack Hefley. Thank you to Dr. Galutia, Dr. Lavell, and all of the nurses at Parkview Hospital.

The care he got in Assisted Living was excellent. He loved each and everyone there.

We will always remember every kindness extended to us. Bernice Hefley

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MOBEETIE By: Sue Mayfield

Since we have had such crazy winds this month, maybe this was our March weather and the whole month of March will be on the gentle lamb side. That would be a nice change. Those 40 to 60 mph winds have really taken a toll on roofs and buildings. It's hard to believe that by this time next week we will be into the month of

Congratulations to our Fort Elliott Lady Cougars! They have been playing their hearts out on the basketball court...have worked hard all season. Their stats for the season stand at 25-4. Very good !! Last Tuesday, they met the Groom Lady Tigers and won 74-49. Then, it was on to take on the legendary Nazareth Swiftettes. Some of the "best of the best" made very good use of the court. After a hard-fought game, the Lady Cougars were victorious over the Swiftettes with a score of 56-52. Great game. Way to go, girls! Keep up the good work!!! Good luck!!!

Our deepest sympathy to Mary Nell Finsterwald and the family and friends of her mother, Mary Lue Williams of Pampa. She passed away on Sat., Feb. 14, 2009. Private family services are to be held at a later date. Mary was retired from Williams Appliance and Services, as a bookkeeper. She was an active member of the women's group of the Moose Lodge. Survivors include three sons, David Gilmer of Wilmer, TX., Jim Gilmer of Sayre, OK., and Bill Gilmer; along with two daughters, Mary Nell Finsterwald of Mobeetie, and Carolyn Sue Dominey of Pampa; also, two sisters, 12 grandchildren and many great-grandchildren.

Glad to hear that Frankie Herman of Miami is doing much better. She has been in the Pampa hospital for 3 weeks after surgery for a broken hip. She is still having trouble with her heart, but is able to be up some and do her therapy. Hope you are soon doing much better and strong enough to go home.

Our deepest sympathy goes out to Bulah Grimes of Amarillo and the family and friends of her loving husband, Doyle, 93, in his death on Wed., Feb. 18, 2009 Services were held Saturday afternoon at the Mobeetie First Baptist Church with Rev. Johnny Crawford officiating. Burial was at the Mobeetie Cemetery. He had been fighting health problems for several years. Doyle and Bulah were a great team and took good care of each other for 70 plus years. They worked hard and loved their family and are so proud of each of them. Doyle was a farmer and rancher in Wheeler County for many years. He was an active member of the First Baptist Church while they lived in Mobeetie, serving as an usher for many years. He was very involved in the Mobeetie Masonic Lodge and served as past Master. Doyle is survived by his precious wife, Bulah, two sons, Jerry Grimes and wife, Beverly, and Gary Grimes and wife, Marilyn, all of Amarillo; a daughter, Phillis Tucker and husband, Jerry, of Guymon, OK.; three brothers, F.M. Grimes of Wheeler, TX., Clell Grimes of Santa Clara, CA., and Kenneth Grimes of Wichita Falls, TX., nine grandchildren and 17 great-grandchildren. He was preceded in death by all five of his sisters. Doyle will be greatly missed by many.

The ladies of the First Baptist Church hosted the families of Lorene Rector on Thursday and the Grimes family on Saturday. Thank you to all that made the family dinners and visitation so nice for these grieving families.

Word was received of the death of Virginia Patterson in Pampa on Wed., Feb. 18, 2009. She had been a resident of Dalhart, TX., her whole life until she moved to a Pampa nursing home in Dec., 2008. Virginia had turned 97, on Feb. 2. She had taught school in Dalhart, Stratford, TX, Des

Moines, NM, and on an Indian reservation in AZ. She was also involved in the real estate business in Dalhart. She was preceded in death by her brothers. Billie Patterson, and James "Richard" Patterson; and greatniece, Teresa Dawn Guthrie. Virginia is survived by niece, Frances Ann Guthrie and husband, Mearl, of Pampa; sister-in-law, Frances Patterson of Dalhart; great nephew, James Guthrie and wife, Kelli, of Fairplay, CO.; great-great niece, Codi, and great-great nephew, Khale, both of Fairplay, CO. Memorial services will be held at a later date.

Our condolences to Karla Belote and the family and friends of her father, Steve Lanning, 90, of Amarillo on Thurs., Feb. 19, 2009. Services were held Monday morning at the North Amarillo Church of Christ with Glen Walton officiating. His wife, Helen, two brothers and two sisters, preceded Mr. Lanning in death. He is survived by three daughters, Karla Belote and husband, Malcolm, of Wheeler, TX., Linda Britten and husband, John, of Amarillo, TX.; one brother, ten grandchildren, several greatgrandchildren and six great-greatgrandchildren.

Many thanks to the County crew from precinct one, that have been working hard and helping clean up some of the old houses and buildings that are hazards. They made short work of it and have the lots cleaned off so nice. Thanks to Gordon Estes and the Mobeetie Volunteer Firefighters Feb. 21, 2009. Services were held have been there to help. I'm sure there were others and I'm sorry if I missed your names. Everyone's hard work to clean up the weed patches and abandoned junk really makes a difference!

back in the panhandle on their way to AZ and CA with some special delivery vehicles. Lori's parents, Ron and Phyllis Jackson of Amarillo came and picked her up Thursday afternoon. They had been in Pampa visiting with Phyllis' mother, Alice Little, at the Pampa hospital. They took Lori back by to see Nanny Little for a short visit before going on to Amarillo to spend the night. Lori's sister, Christi Thomas, had surgery on Friday morning. Lori wanted to be with the family. Todd and Diesel, their male Scottie, spent Thursday night here so Todd could rest and we could get a visit. Todd was just miserable with a cold, so didn't get much rest. Then after they had Christi back in her room at the hospital, Todd went to Pampa to pick up their female Scottie dog, Miley. Then, it was on Claude, TX., and Donna Sutliff of `to Amarillo to meet Lori and head out to Phoenix.

Our condolences to the family and friends of Ruby Brown, 90, of Wheeler. She passed away Sat.,

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Monday morning at the First Baptist Church of Wheeler with Rev. Ricky Pfeil of Amarillo and Rev. Larry Mitchell of Wheeler officiating. Burial was in the Wheeler Cemetery. Ruby is survived by Todd and Lori Mayfield were two sons, Robert Brown and wife, Dena, of Wheeler, and James Brown and wife, Debbie, of LaGrange, TX.; three daughters, Nelda Babb and husband, James, and Opal Childress and husband, Shot, all of Wheeler, and Brenda Davis and husband, Jerry, of Pampa; 27 grandchildren and númerous great-grandchildren and great-great grandchildren. Ruby was a loving wife, mother,

> to many. Leola Stuart enjoyed lunch with Jerry and Cheryl Richardson Sunday after church. Cheryl is such a good cook. They always have a good visit. Tyler and Katie are busy young adults, so Leola doesn't always get to visit with

and grandmother and dear friend

Carol Orthman and Lou and Barb Orthman returned safely to Charleston, SC, after a wonderful cruise to the beautiful Bahamas. They got to tour parts of Freeport and Nassau. It was quite an experience. The weather stayed very nice, even though it was a bit cool on deck out in the middle of nowhere. The only bad day they had was Monday when they came back to the dock. Nothing like your own bed, though. Barbara is scheduled for colon surgery on Wed., 25th. Wish we could be there. Thank goodness for telephones. She is very lucky to have the best home nurse available. Mom is always there to make someone feel better and make the best of an uncomfortable situation.

So sorry to hear that Charlotte Dunn of Dumas is fighting with esophageal cancer. This is her 4th or 5th bout with one type of cancer or another. She and Roger are very active members of the Hunt Memorial Methodist Church in Dumas. Their daughter, Shellie Minor, and family are also very active. You are all in our prayers.

Please keep our friends and neighbors in your prayers: Clinton and Maurita Stribling, Bernice Hefley, Charlotte Dunn, Don and Mary Edwards, Bill and Shirley Dyson, Jane Seitz, Sue and Pete Seitz, Louise Hogan, Orville Greenhouse, Alvern Hutchison, Mabel Tabor, Byron Simpson, Tom Frye, Julia Buckingham, Elisabeth Newman, Shelton May and family, Kenneth and Vera Walker, Iona May, Leola Farris, Dick and Ann Graham, Jennifer Mayfield, Todd Mayfield, Ralph Mayfield, Barbara Orthman, Lonnie Hendrix, Danny Hendrix, Audrey Seitz, Lou Dean Douthit, Charlene Rainey, Debbie Kinnamon, Carolyn Sabbe, the families of Michael McLaughlin, John Ulrey, and Joe Tolle and others as they serve our country in Iraq, Kamry Fillingim and family, Dale and Melba Corcoran, Peggy Frazier, Mary Whitener, Mearl and Frances Guthrie, Shannon Pool, Karen Sorensen, Jamie Trimble Brogdin and family, Andrea Auldridge and John Paul Harris and families, Chuck Carl, Bill and Patsy Caswell, and the families and friends of Doyle Grimes, Virginia Patterson, Mary Williams, Steve Lanning and Ruby Brown.

from last week ...

While we were in Pampa on business Tuesday, we met a cute family at Walmart. The girls were getting their ears pierced like Nanna and Mom. Ricky and Joan'a Sumner, Da'Nae, 5, and Ra'Nae, 3, along with brother, Paul, 8 months, had been visiting with Nanna and Paw and Aunt Reecie. Da'Nae is quite the little visitor. She is a brave sister and wanted her ears done first. She was quite the trooper...just winced a little. She had big tears in her eyes, but was bound and determined not to cry. Dad couldn't stand it and took Paul to shop for guy stuff. I complimented Da'Nae on her bravery and she just started chatting. Her middle name comes from her Mom's mother, and Ra'Nae's middle name comes from her other grandma. Paul 's middle name is her daddy's first name. She had part of her family history down very well, knew her phone number and address and Nanna and Paw's number, just in case. Her school doesn't let them use the phone unless it's a "mergency". She is a cutie. Ra 'Nae wasn't quite as brave as sister, but she was proud of her earrings, too. Life through the eyes of a child is so refreshing sometimes.

Thursday, we were in Cheyenne for Ralph's check-up, along with labs and x-rays, of course. All went well and it was on to the drug store and on to Wheeler. Ralph treated us to a delicious meal at Soto's. What a wonderful surprise to see Louise Hogan, looking wonderful, and her beautiful niece, Carmelita Hogan, from Granbury. They were planning a few days of visiting and getting caught up on the family news. It was so nice to meet Carmelita. Hope you had a wonderful visit

and safe trip. We were in Amarillo on business Friday and got to meet our son, Todd, and his wife, Lori, and her parents, Ron and Phyllis Jackson, for lunch. Lori always has to have her Mexican food fix when she gets in this area. Poor Lori is fighting a cold that has been tormenting her for 4 days. She has been trying a little bit of everything; has thought and hoped that



it was just allergies, but seems to

be a little more than that. Sure

hope Todd doesn't get it, but liv-

ing in the close quarters of an 18-

wheeler makes it an almost im-

possible challenge. Todd and Lori

were on their way back from CA

to Dallas to drop a couple of cars

and take care of some business.

They were headed to New York

on Sunday. They plan to run the

east coast this week so they can

be in Orlando by the 26th so they

can be there for the National

Cheerleading Competition. Their

oldest daughter, Rachel Ryan,

teaches and coaches the cheer-

leaders at Haltom High School in

the Dallas area and their son,

Michael Mayfield, is on one of the

teams. This is his first year to do

such a thing, so this has been

quite an experience. To be cho-

sen for the competition team was

a pleasant surprise to him. He has

been working hard and enjoying

it. Rachel's a nervous wreck try-

ing to get perfection out of a team

that has only seven of the 24 kids

that have ever done such a com-

petition. What a challenge! Good

Carol Orthman, Lou and Barb

Orthman, and part of the Harley

Davidson club from Charleston,

SC., left early Thursday morning

to board a Carnival cruise ship to

the Bahamas. Really surprised us

when they called on Friday morn-

ing from somewhere in the Atlan-

tic. The weather was beautiful and

they were on the aft deck watch-

ing the spray from the propellers

and the birds. The colors were all

bright and brilliant. All was going

well and none of our family was

seasick. Quite and accomplish-

ment. Lou was a Navy man, but

this was a first for Mom and Barb.

They went prepared, though, and

wore the patches, just in case. I

guess they really work. Carol

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were home and had a wonderful

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Wheeler Chamber Meeting On Feb. 11

The Wheeler Chamber of Commerce directors met at Mel's Diner at noon on Wednesday, February 11, 2009. The main topic of the meeting was the Chamber's upcoming banquet.

In an effort to have the banquet in the new Wheeler County Agricultural and Family Center the date of the banquet has been moved to April. Saturday, April 4, is the date now being considered. If the new building is not completed, the banquet will be held in the school cafeteria.

Brent Reed, a comedian from Houston, is being considered for the entertainment. Reed has a different way of looking at a variety of topics. His website is www.brentreedcomedian.com.

It is at this banquet that Wheeler's Outstanding Individuals-man, woman, teenager, farmer/rancher and pioneer, are recognized.

The Chamber also discussed the upcoming Culpepper & Merriweather Circus scheduled for Wednesday, March 25. This will be the third year for the circus to visit Wheeler and it has been well received each year. They will have a "new" tent this year.

The City Wide Garage Sale/Car Show and Block Party is set for Saturday, May 2. Richie Rodriquez has been booked for entertainment on the square that

The 4th of July was also a topic of discussion; it will be on Saturday this year.

In the works is a barrel train for the entertainment of the youngsters at each of the Chamber events. Advertising will be sold each year for display on the barrels. The rented train at last year's July 4 celebration was such a hit, the Chamber is working on getting their own"train".

Your presence input and/or ideas are always welcome at the Chamber meetings. If you would like to be called as to the date of the next meeting, please call the Chamber office at 806/826-3408

SWOSU At Sayre To Hold 10th WARP

Southwestern Oklahoma State University at Sayre will hold its 10th annual Timed WARP (writing and research project) event for area high school juniors on Tuesday, February 24.

SWOSU-Sayre language and literature instructor Judy Haught said the day's activities will include a research and writing competition for the students and a service learning workshop for English teachers.

The participants with the top three essays will be awarded scholarships.

Lunch, entertainment and prizes will also be provided for the participating students and their teachers.

For additional information, contact Judy Haught at (580) 928-5533.



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The Board of Directors, North Wheeler County Hospital District, has set Saturday, May 9, 2009, for the election of Hospital District directors. The election will be held jointly with the School Trustee

The deadline for filing for director of the North Wheeler County Hospital District is Monday, March 9, 2009

Two districts will elect directors this year: Mobeetie District, currently represented by James Batton, and Briscoe District, currently represented by Ray Hudson.

Anyone disiring his or her name to be placed on the ballot as a candidate for director shall file a petition with the secretary of the Board of Directors or Office of the Administrator, asking that said name be printed on the ballot.

Petitions for filing may be obtained from Ann Fagan-Cook, RN, BSN, Administrator, Parkview Hospital, 901 S. Sweetwater, Wheeler, Texas. 2/19-26c

ANUNCIO

El Carretillero Norteno de Junta Distrito de Hospital de Condado va a tener una eleccion de hospital divida en distritos directores, el sabado, 9 de Mayo de 2009. La eleccion se valdra en colaboracion con la aleccion de trustee escolar.

El fin del plazo para marchar en fila para el director del distrito de hospital de condado de carretiller norteno es el lunes, 9 de Marzo

Dos distritos elegiran directores este ano: el Mobeetie divide en distritos corrientemente representado por James Battoon, y Briscoe divide en distritos corrientemente representado por Ray Hudson.

Todo el mundo deseando su Parkview Hospital is now accept- nombre para ser situado en la boleta como un candidato para el director archivara una peticion con el secretario de la junta directiva o oficina del admin-826-5581 or apply in person at istrador, preguntando ese antes 901 Sweetwater, Wheeler, Texas. mencionado nombre es impreso en la boleta.

Se pueden obtener la peticion Parkview Hospital Dietary Depart- por marchar en fila de la oficina ment is now taking applications for de Ann Fagan-Cook, RN, BSN, full time and part-time cook and Administradora, Hospital de tray aid. Benefits and mileage Parkview, 901 S Sweetwater, Wheeler, TX. 2/19-26c

NOTICE

The City of Wheeler will hold an election May 9, 2009, for the purpose of electing (3) council members. The positions will be for a two-year term. The first day for filing of an application is February 7, 2009. The last day to apply for a place on the ballot is March 9,

Anyone interested in filing for an lot should come by City Hall, 303 Larry Diamond, dietary 7/10rtn P.M. Monday-Friday. 2/26-3/5c

SWIMMING POOL MANAGER

The City of Wheeler is accept-

ing applications for a manager for the swimming pool for the 2009 swimming pool season. The City prefers the applicant to hold a Red Cross Life Savings Certificate. The Applicant should review the contract at City Office before submitting application. Applications are to be reviewed at regular meeting March 16, 2009, at 7:00 p.m. The City reserves the right to accept or reject any or all applications. Send applications to City of Wheeler, P.O. Box 98, Wheeler, Texas 79096 or bring to City Office, 505 S. Alan Bean Blvd. in Wheeler. 2/26-3/5c

BUDGET HEARING

The City of Wheeler will hold a Budget Hearing at 6:45 P.M. Monday, March 16, 2009, in City Hall at 505 S. Alan Bean Blvd in 2/26-3/5c

PERMIT REQUIRED FOR **BURNING IN CITY**

Texas Penal Code Sec. 28.02 ARSON (a) A person commits an offense if the person starts a fire, regardless of whether the fire continues after ignition, or causes an explosion with intent to destroy or damage:

ture on open-space land; or vehicle:

(A) knowing that it is within the limits of an incorporated city or town; (B) knowing that it is insured against damage or destruction; (C) knowing that it is subject to a mortgage or other security inter-

(D) knowing that it is located on property belonging to another; (E) knowing that it is located within property belonging to another; or (F) when the person is reckless about whether the burning or explosion will endanger the life of some individual or the safety of the property of another.

(c) It is a defense to prosecution under Subsection (a)(2)(A) that prior to starting the fire or causing the explosion, the actor obtained a permit or other written authorization granted in accordance with a city ordinance, if any regulating fires and explosions.

 Review the following burn regulations and then contact the Fire Department to request a burn permit. The Fire Marshal will set up an appointment to come out and conduct a site inspection. This inspection must be conducted with the owner or owner's representative. The Fire Marshal will provide a burn permit application for the applicant to fill out and sign. If the inspection passes, the Fire marshal will approve the permit and provide the applicant a copy for future reference. It is recommended to apply for a burn permit two to three days prior to the desired commencement of the

2. A copy of the permit application and inspection must remain available on site at all times.

3. Burn permits are valid for 3days. When the permit expires, applicants shall go through the entire permit process again.

4. Contact the Wheeler County Dispatch at 826-5537 prior to the desired commencement of the open burn. Give the Dispatcher your permit number and address information to verify that the weather conditions are satisfactory to conduct the burn.

5. A phone shall be available to call 9-1-1 if the fire gets out of

6. You must have control of your fire at all times. Out of control wildfires are subject to fees or fines to cover expenses incurred by the fire department during extinguishment.

7. The location for open burning shall not be less than 50 feet from any structure, and provisions shall be made to prevent the fire from spreading to within 50 feet of any

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tentially explosive materials, chemical wastes, or items containing natural or synthetic rubber. 11. If at any time the burning causes or may tend to cause smoke to blow onto or across a road or highway, it is the responsibility of the person initiating the burn to post flag-persons on atfected roads.

12. Open burning shall be constantly attended by a person knowledgeable in the use of fireextinguishing equipment and familiar with the permit limitations which restrict open burning until the fire is extinguished. An attendant shall supervise the burning material until the fire has been extinguished. A garden hose connected to a water supply or other approved fire-extinguishing equipment shall be readily available for use at open-burning sites.

13. Burning must be conducted downwind of, or at least 300 feet from any structure containing sensitive receptors located on adjacent properties unless prior written approval is obtained from whoever owns or rents the adjacent property and either resides or conducts business there.

14. Recreational fires shall not be conducted within 25 feet of a structure or combustible material unless the fire is contained in a (1) any vegetation, fence, or struc- barbecue pit. Conditions which could cause a fire to spread within (2) any building, habitation, or 25 feet of a structure shall be eliminated prior to ignition. 2/26c

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HEMPHILL (WILDCAT & BUF-FALO WALLOW Granite Wash) Cordillera Energy Partners III, L.L.C., Alexander, Sec. 1,-,J. Poitevent, PD 13600', for the following wells:

#4, 1599' from North & 1980' from East line of Sec. #5, 2023' from South & 1980'

from East line of Sec. HEMPHILL (WILDCAT & SHREIKEY Granite Wash) Range Petroleum Co., for the following

wells: #1 Imagine 'SWD". 1547' from South & 1617' from East line, Sec. 59,A-2,H&GN, PD 6500

#1 Make Believe 'SWD', 1000' from North & 2150' from West line, Sec. 78, A-2, H&GN, PD 5800'

ROBERTS (ST. CLAIR Granite Wash) Mewbourne Oil Co., #853 Jones, 510' from South & 850' from West line, Sec. 85,C,G&M, PD 11000'

ROBERTS (WILDCAT & ST. CLAIR 9200') Mewbourne Oil Co., #4 Christie Tipps '77', 1800' from South & 900' from East line, Sec. 77,B-1,H&GN, PD 11000'

WHEELER (WILDCAT STILES RANCH Granite Wash Cons.) Linn Operating, Inc., #11 Britt '43', 1980' from South & West line, Sec. 43, A-3, H&GN, PD

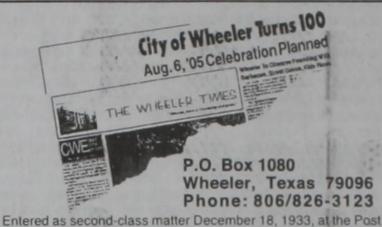
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13150' -HEMPHILL (S.E. CANADIAN Upper Marrow) Unit Petroleum Co., #4 Frank Shaller 'A', James Calk Survey, spud 8-12-08, drlg. compl 9-6-08, tested 11-20-08, TD tested 10-21-08, potential 17511

12000', PBTD 11960' HEMPHILL (GEM-HEMPHILL Granite Wash) Latigo Petroleum Consolidated) Linn Operating Texas, L.P., #1 Cook '39', Sec. 39,41,H&TC, spud 6-2-08, drlg. compl 6-24-08, tested 11-3-08, TD compl 7-18-08, tested 8-14-08, 12500', PBTD 12430'

HEMPHILL (GEM-HEMPHILL Granite Wash) Latigo Petroleum Texas, L.P., #3 Moore '63', Sec. 63,41,H&TC, spud 9-7-08, drlg. compl 9-28-08, tested 11-5-08, TD spud 2-9-08, drlg. compl 4-24-08, 12317', PBTD 12317'

HEMPHILL Granite Wash) Cimarex Energy Co., #2069 Hobart Ranch, Sec. 69,A-2,H&GN, spud 10-22-08, drlg. compl 11-20-08, tested 12-19-08, potential 7920 MCF, TD 12600', PBTD 12460' -

HEMPHILL (HEMPHILL Granite Wash) Unit Petroleum Co. #4 Frank Shaller 'B', James Calk Survey, spud 8-25-08, drlg. compl 9-16-08, tested I1-10-08, TD 12050', PBTD 10802' -

ROBERTS (N.W. MENDOTA Granite Wash) Cimarex Energy

Co. of Colorado, #2 Myrtle Flowers '61', Sec. 61, B-1, H&GN, spud 5-1-08, drlg. compl 9-26-08, tested 11-25-08, potential 312 MCF, TD 10896', PBTD 10751'-

ROBERTS (ST. CLAIR Granite Wash) Texakoma Operating, L.P., #@ N. McMordie '127', Sec. 127, C, G&M, spud 10-16-08, drlg. compl 11-6-08, tested 12-22-08, potential 3447 MCF, TD 9841' PBTD 9716' -WHEELER (STILES RANCH

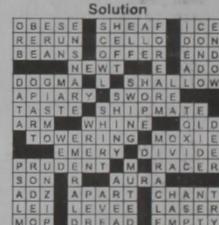
Atoka) Apache Corp., #305 Dsllie Sec. 5,-,AB&M, spud 8-29-08, drlg. compl 10-17-08, tested 12-8-08, potential 8146 MCF, TD 16850', PBTD 16788' -

WHEELER (STILES RANCH Atoka) Apache Corp., #1103 Stiles '3', Sec. 3, A-3, H&GN, spud 6-23-08, drlg. compl 9-1-08, MCF, TD 16750', PBTD 16610'-

WHEELER (STILES RANCH Inc., #4 Britt '38', Sec. 38,A-3,H&GN, spud 6-14-08, drlg. TD 15950', PBTD 15862' -

WHEELER (STILES RANCH Granite Wash Cons.) Newfield Exploration Mid-Con., Inc., #14 Britt Ranch 'F' 6, Sec. 6,2,B&B,

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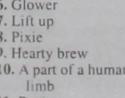
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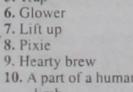
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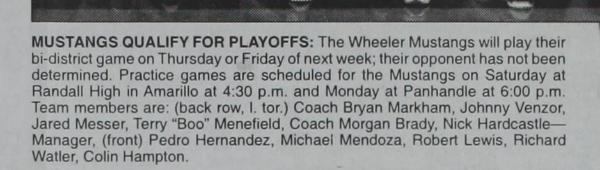
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SEASON ENDS: Wheeler's Lady Stangs ended the 2008-2009 season Tuesday evening in the first round of play-off Regional I 2-A Div. I playoffs. The girls have a 11-16 record for the season. Pictured are: (back row, I. to r.) Coach Camden Dorris, Stacey Hanson Ashley Gallagher, Haley Sparks, Taylor Sparks, Macie Miller, Coach Mike Bailey, (front) Nicole Moore, Presley Thomas, Whitney Reed, Kaylee Marion, Bailey Richardson, Tania Flores

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Feb. 27; and Carolyn Buckingham, Brian Coate, Don

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Cook and Kylee Hall, Feb. 28.

"Happy Anniversary" to Earl and

Betty Hustead, Jan. 24; Ed and

Jeannie Hennig, Feb. 22; Mike

and Melody Goad, Feb. 24; Jim

and Tivian Sides; Chad and Lacey

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Brown, Feb. 25; and Steve and

friends of Mary Lue Williams, 76,

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God bless you, all.

Joy Zybach, Feb. 26.

By Verna Fillingim

"Blessed be God, even the Father of our Lord Jesus Christ, the Father of mercies, and the God of all comfort; Who comforts us in all our tribulation, that we may be able to comfort them which are in any trouble, by the comfort wherewith we ourselves are comforted of God" (II Corinthians 1:3,4).

"Happy Birthday" to Alberta Helton, Tyler Lewis, Melissa Mendiola, Roland Miles, Bailey Richardson, Angela Sauer, Sharon Swindler, Elise Vanpool, Katherine Woollard, Savannah Yockey, Nicki Morrison, Micrielle Sauer, Valerie Sauer, Denise Carder, Liz Stiles, Cody James, John Collins, Bo Compton and Lynna Watson, Feb. 22; Karen Lewis, Shelby Fisher, Jeannie Hennig, Skyler Jaco, Mark Cornett, Jordan Moore, Andrea Auldridge, Debbie Glassey, John Moffett, Evie Aderholt, Mathew Jewell and Wallace Burkeen, Feb. 23; Heath Eliasen, Austin Johnson, Rebekah Morrison, Danny McNeill, Jan Newland, Scott Luttrell, Dwight Tipps,

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of Pampa, in her death, Saturday, Feb. 14, at Pampa. Private family services later. Survivors include three sons, David Gilmer of Wheeler, Jim Gilmer of Sayre and Bill Gilmer of Texas; two daughters, Mary Nell Finsterwald of Mobeetie and Carolyn Dominey of

> Laurel Hershman did well after surgery Tuesday at B.S.A. and got

for Laurel and Ed. Enjoying dinner together at Preston Glazner's Sunday to celebrate Kelley's 34th birthday were Preston and Elsie Glazner, Noel Glazner, Debbie Glazner, Kelley Glazner and Jacob Maxwell. Happy Birthday, Kelley, and many

to come home on Thursday. Pray

more. Think they also celebrated Elsie's birthday.

Nice to have a call from Erma Riley. She had enjoyed her visit to Texas from Tuttle, Oklahoma, so much recently when she and Nelda Cote from Newport News, Virginia, met Martha Meek, Dianne Sparks and me for lunch and a wonderful visit together at Maxey's. We all enjoyed it. Erma also enjoys being with a dear friend at Tuttle who lives in the 20. Fort Elliott will play McLean other part of her duplex and they at Wheeler Tuesday night in a get to visit a lot. They also stopped at Sayre on the way back to Tuttle and visited old friends, Joyce (Helton) and Joe Paul Smith. The weather got stormy on the way back, but made it safely, and, so thankful! They also had visits from other family and friends. Thanks for calling, Erma. My mom and dad (O.C. Evans) enjoyed you and Ed so much...like family!

Last Sunday night, Feb. 15, was a Sweetheart Banquet with lots of good food, music and singing at Allison Methodist Church. Helping out on the music and singing were Jay Godwin and Hank and Venetta McPherson from Canadian. Allison Methodist

men were the cooks and cleanup crew. Wasn't that nice?

JANA KANA

Golden Agers met at Wheeler Baptist Fellowship Hall, Thursday, Feb. 19, for a good potluck meal, visiting and humorous readings. Leona Coates, Ella Mae Wood and Ned Burrell served the food. Home Health ladies who came to give wellness checkups were Kim Wheeler, Amanda Salas, Paula Harrison, Chastity Longbine and Jennifer Bryan. Thank you, all, very much! Others there included Junior and Lavenna Pannell, Joe and Ann Ellison, Ray and Mae Brazeal, Shirley Horton, Jeanette and Carson Bird, Johnnie Bird, Leo and Sylvia Shuler, Trudy Kendall, Betty Howard, Martha Meek, Verna Fillingim and maybe

Congratulations to Jason and Diana Hathaway on the birth of their new baby boy, Jacob Michael Hathaway. All are invited to foyer of Briscoe Gym, Briscoe, Texas, on Sunday, March 1, 2009, at 2:00 p.m. to view the new baby, honor them all, visit and bring gifts for a

baby shower. Sincere sympathy to family and friends of Doyle Grimes, 93, in his death, Wednesday. Services were Saturday at Mobeetie Baptist Church with Rev. Johnny Crawford officiating. Doyle was a friendly, pleasant fellow and a member of Mobeetie Baptist Church for many years. He is survived by his wife of over 70 years, Bulah (Brewer), many other family members and numerous friends. He and Bulah had lived in Amarillo a few years after retir-

Tina Bond and Beverly Bryant, with some help from others, prepared the good Wednesday night supper at Wheeler Baptist. Many

Congratulations, Fort Elliott Cougar girls on defeating Nazareth 56 to 52, Friday, Feb. quarterfinal game. Good luck!

"For the eyes of the Lord are over the righteous, and His ears are open unto their prayers; but the face of the Lord is against them that do evil. And who is he that will harm you, if you be followers of that which is good" (I Peter 3:12,13).

Old Time Gospel Music On KPDR, 90.5



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night, March 3, at 6:30. Visitors joyous time in heaven for Lorene First Sunday Singing will be at

Allison Baptist Church at 6:00 p.m., Sunday, March 1. Good program, good food and fellowship! Visitors always welcome. Hope to see you there.

No quilting at Totty School, Thursday, Feb. 19, because of

make beautiful music Tuesday Lorene Rector's funeral. What a and her loved ones who have gone on before!

Rita Pearson went to Amarillo to a Farm Bureau Insurance meeting and got to go by and see grandson, Blain, play baseball Thursday. Rita was always good

in sports, as were Dallas and (Continued Page 7)

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WHEELER (WEST-PARK Granite Wash) Forest Oil Corp. #407 Zybach, Sec. 7, RE, R&E, spud 10-7-08, drlg. compl 10-28-08; tested 12-4-08, potential 3348 MCF, TD 144521, PBTD 14400

Plugged Wells

PBTD 13458 -

GRAY (PANHANDLE) Kismet Properties, Inc., M.B. Leopold, Sec. 141,3,1&GN (oil) Form 1 in Drlg. & Explor, Inc., for the following wells:

#4, spud 9-13-36, plugged 5-23-08, TD 3290' -

#5, spud 8-5-37, plugged 5-14-08, TD 3302"-

#10, spud 10-22-41, plugged 5-28-08, TD 3312' -

GRAY (PANHANDLE) Kismet Properties, Inc., North Vollmert, Sec. 140,3,1&GN (oil) - Form 1 in King Oil Co., for the following wells:

#1, 330' from South & West Lease line, spud 3-29-30, plugged 8-23-08, TD 3295' -

#2, 330' from North & 330' from West Lease line, spud 6-3-35, plugged 7-23-08, TD 3283' -

#5, 330' from North & 990' from East Lease line, spud 9-1-36, plugged 7-25-08, TD 3283' -#6, spud 10-3-36, plugged 7-31-08, TD 3275' -

#8, spud 5-19-37, plugged 8-14-08, TD 3285' -

#10, 990' from North & East Lease line, spud 12-4-37, plugged 7-1-08; TD 3290' -#11, 990, from South & West

Lease line, spud 11-13-38, plugged 7-21-08, TD 3280' -#14, 990' from North & 330'

from East Lease line, spud 11-17-40, plugged 8-11-08, TD 3280' — #16, spud unknown, plugged 8-5-08, TD 3275' -

HEMPHILL (NORTH FELDMAN Douglas) Apache Corp., #2 Immel 'A', 660' from South & 467' from East Lease line, Sec. 14,1,G&M, spud 12-30-02, plugged 10-8-08, TD 8000' (gas)

HEMPHILL (HEMPHILL Douglas) Laredo Petroleum, Inc., #1 Elm Creek Ranch '47', 660' from North & 990' from East Lease line, Sec. 47, A-1, H&GN, spud 2-25-08, plugged 3-26-08, TD 13442'

Week Ending February 19, 2009 Intentions to Drill

WHEELER (WILDCAT & STILES RANCH Granite Wash Cons.) Linn Operating, Inc., #7 Britt '38', 1980' from North & East line, Sec. 38,A-3,H&GN, PD 16550'. Oil Well Completions

Gas Well Completions HEMPHILL (BEGERT 10200) Laredo Petroleum, Inc., #3 Begert Trust '5', Sec. 5,41,H&TC, spud 10-23-08, drlg: compl 11-10-08,

SCHOOL MENU

MONDAY, March 2 - FRIDAY, March 6, 2009 MONDAY

Breakfast: Cereal, Toast, Oatmeal, Juice, Milk Lunch: Enchiladas, Tossed Salad, Pinto Beans/Rice, Churros, Fruit, Milk TUESDAY

Breakfast: Biscuits, Gravy, Eggs, Sausage, Juice, Milk Lunch: Lasagna, Carrot Sticks,

Black-Eyed Peas, Bread Sticks, Fruit, Milk WEDNESDAY Breakfast: Pancake Pups, Ce-

real, Toast, Juice, Milk Lunch: Steak Fingers, Mashed Potatoes, Gravy, Green Beans, Hot Rolls, Fruit, Milk THURSDAY

Breakfast: Biscuits, Gravy, Sausage, Juice, Milk

Lunch: Veg Beef Soup, Cheese Sandwich, Pickle Spears, Crackers, Fruit, Milk FRIDAY

Breakfast: French Cinnamon Toast, Cereal, Oatmeal, Juice,

Lunch: Pizza, Corn, Salad, Fruit,

tested 12-12-08, potential 1666 MCF, TD 13375', PBTD 13340'-HEMPHILL (BEGERT 10200) Laredo Petroleum, Inc., #2 Begert Trust '6', Sec. 6,41,H&TC, spud 10-7-08, drlg. compl 10-27-08, tested 11-30-08, potential 2885 MCF, TD 13526', PBTD 13230'-WHEELER (STILES RANCH Granite Wash Cons.) Chesa-

Sec. 65, A-7, H&GN, spud 8-13-08, drlg. compl 9-25-08, tested 12-30-08, potential 2066

peake Operating, Inc., #14 Davis

MCF, TD 16600', PBTD 16515' --WHEELER (STILES RANCH from East Lease line, spud un-Granite Wash Cons.) Linn Operating, Inc., #5 Dobson Ranch '40', Sec. 40, A-3, H&GN, spud 8-13-08, drlg. compl 9-19-08, tested 11-1-08, TD 16010', PBTD 15894' --WHEELER (STILES RANCH Granite Wash) Newfield Exploration Mid-Con., Inc., #14 Britt Ranch 'B' 45, Sec. 45, A-3, H&GN, spud 11-13-07, drlg. compl 3-3-08, tested 5-19-08, potential 2570 MCF, TVD 15681', MD 15600' "-Directional

WHEELER (STILES RANCH Granite Wash) Newfield Exploration Mid-Con., Inc., #16 Britt Ranch 'B' 45, Sec. 45, A-3, H&GN, spud 11-14-07, drlg. compl 2-27-08, tested 5-23-08, potential 3979 MCF, TVD 15740', MD 15950' -Directional

WHEELER (STILES.RANCH Granite Wash) Newfield Exploration Mid-Con., Inc #14 Britt Ranch 'C' 35, Sec. 35, A-3, H&GN. spud 11-10-07, drlg. compl 3-29-08, tested 6-27-08, potential 4788 MCF, TVD 15680', MD 15810' -Directional

WHEELER (STILES RANCH Granite Wash) Newfield Exploration Mid-Con., Inc., #15 Britt Ranch"C' 35, Sec. 35, A-3, H&GN, spud 11-8-07, drlg. compl 2-7-08, tested 6-27-08, potential 3550 MCF, TVD 15787', MD 15887"-

Directional WHEELER (STILES RANCH Granite Wash) Newfield Exploration Mid-Con., Inc., #16 Britt Ranch-'C' 35, Sec. 35, A-3,H&GN, spud 11-9-07, drlg. compl 5-10-08, tested 6-27-08,

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tion Co., #1 Leslie Webb, et al 'L'

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(gas) - Form 1 in Diamond

HEMPHILL (SPARKS Tonkawa)

EOG Resources, Inc., #2

Humphreys '59', 660' from South

& 1980' from West Lease line,

Sec. 59,42,H&TC, spud 3-14-

2000, plugged 11-7-08, TD 7716'

LEASE AGREEMENT-David

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LLC, 12-19-08, SE/4 Sec. 56, Blk.

A-5, H&GN Ry. Company Survey.

LEASE AGREEMENT-Atherton

Family LP to GTP Towers I LLC,

12-19-08, 4.69 acs. Sec. 68, Blk.

A-7, H&GN Ry. Company Survey.

TRUSTEE CORR. MD-Eubank

Family Trust to Eubank Family

Trust, 12-23-08, Secs. 42 and 63,

Blk. 23, H&GN Ry. Company

HEIRSHIP AFF.-Anita Porter, et

al to Joan Maulsby Porter, 1-30-

09, Secs. 15 and 16, Blk. L, J. M.

OL-Irby Taylor to Questar

Exploration and Production

Company, 1-13-09, SW/4 Sec.

11, Blk. L, J. M. Lindsey Survey.

EXT. OL-Sarah Kay Walker to

Questar Exploration and

Production Company, 1-23-09, N/

2 Sec. 11, Blk. L, J. M. Lindsey

ROW-Stiles Land and Assets Ltd.

to Chesapeake Midstream Gas

Services, 1-28-09, Pt. E/2 Sec.

67, Blk. A-7, H&GN Ry. Company

ROY./MD-Hildor Arnold Barton to

Southwest Petroleum Company,

et al, 1-29-09, Sec. -, Blk. 24,

ROL-Brigham Oil & Gas, et al to

Charles Burton Welty, et al, 1-13-

09, S/2 Sec. 30, Blk. A-7, H&GN

D-Dawn M. Coker to Billy Taylor,

2-3-09, Sec. 11, Blk. R.E.,

ROW-Margaret. Dobbs to

Samson Lone Star LLC, 1-15-09,

E 240 acs. Sec. 50, Blk. M-1,

ROW-Deborah K. Dobbs to

Samson Lone Star LLC, 1-15-09,

E 240 acs. Sec. 50, Blk. M-1,

SURFACE LEASE AGREE .-

Margaret A. Dobbs to Samson

Lone Star LLC, 1-15-09, W 160

acs. Sec. 47, Blk. M-1, H&GN Ry.

SURFACE LEASE AGREE -

Deborah K. Dobbs to Samson

Lone Star LLC, 1-15-09, W 160

acs. Sec. 47, Blk. M-1, H&GN Ry.

ROW-Bobbie Duane Calcote, et

al to Pogo Panhandle 2004 LP,

12-18-08, Pt. SW/4 Sec. 3, AB&M

ROW-Densel Reed, et ux to

Chesapeake Energy Marketing

Inc., 1-29-09, Pt. Thomas James

HOME EQUITY DT-Francis Naomi Lowe to National Bank of

Commerce, 2-6-09, Lots 1 and 2,

ROW-Darrell Lister to Greenbelt

Electric Cooperative Inc., 11-6-

Lone Star LLC, 11-7-08, See

LLC, 1-20-09, Sec. 28, Blk. A-3,

C/C ADMINISTRATION-F. Kirk

Johnson III to Ex Parte, 2-5-09.

Capital Farm Credit PCA, 2-12-

D-Charles F. Kuntz, et ux to

Raphael Gallardo, 1-13-09, E 70'

BILL OF SALE-Saul L. Engles to

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PARTIAL ASSIGN.-Chesapeake

Exploration LLC to Chesapeake

Investments, 1-27-09, Sec. 6,

Blk. 1, Brooks & Burleson Survey.

WELL-BORE ASSIGN.-Wichita

Partnership Ltd. to Sanguine Gas

Exploration LLC, 1-29-09, NW/4

NW/4 Sec. 21, Blk. L. J. M.

ROW-Betty Hink to Sanguine

Gas Exploration LLC, 1-12-09,

Pt. NE/4 Sec. 6, AB&M Survey.

OL-MAP0304 to Questar

Exploration and Production

Company, 1-21-09, SE/4 Sec. 25,

Blk. A-4, H&GN Ry. Company

Exploration and Production

Company to Richard A. Steed, et

al, 1-13-09, NE/4; Pt. W/2 Sec.

4, Blk. L, J. M. Lindsey Survey.

D-First Baptist Church of

Mobeetie to Charles L.

McDermett, et ux, 2-10-09, Lots

22-25, Blk. 118, New Mobeetie.

D-Nancy Shelton to First Baptist

Church of Mobeetie, 1-19-09,

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ROL-Questar

09, See Instrument.

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Ricardo Mejia, 2-13-09.

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Blk. 1, PBA, Shamrock.

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1, Blk. 41, Shamrock

WHEELER (STILES RANCH Granite Wash) Newfield Exploration Mid-Con., Inc., #5 Thomas Britt '6', Sec. 6.5, B&B, spud 6-16-07, drlg. compl 12-7-07, tested 3-19-08, potential 2852 MCF, TVD 15490', MD 15680' - Directional Plugged Wells

HEMPHILL (N.W. GLAZIER Up per Morrow) Garrison Brothers Pipe & Used Equip., Cleveland, Sec. 22,43,H&TC (gas) for the following wells:

#2022, 1200' from South & 660' known, plugged 11-19-08, TD 11103' -

#3022, 660' from South & 1856' from East Lease line, spud unknown, plugged 11-25-08, TD-

HEMPHILL (N.W. GLAZIER Upper Morrow) Garrison Brothers Pipe & Used Equip., #1064 Reid Trust, Sec. 64,42,H&TC, 1930 from North & 1930' from West Lease line, spud unknown, plugged 12-2-08, TD 11128' (gas)

HEMPHILL (HEMPHILL Douglas) Dominion Oklahoma Texas, E&P. #1 Flowers '33', 1980' from North & 467' from West Lease line, Sec. 33,41,H&TC, spud 1-27-07, plugged 8-21-07, TD 8955' (oil) -HEMPHILL (HEMPHILL Douglas) Dominion Oklahoma Texas E&P41 #1 J. Ramp '8', 467' from South & East Lease line, Sec. 8,41,H&TC, spud 10-31-06, plugged 8-15 08, TD 8908' (dry)

HEMPHILL (MATHERS RANCH Hunton) Rosetta Resources Operating, L.P., #1611 Shell Federal et al, 1500' from South & 2100' from West Lease line, Sec. 161,41,H&TC, spud 12-26-72, plugged 11-6-08, TD 17700' (gas)

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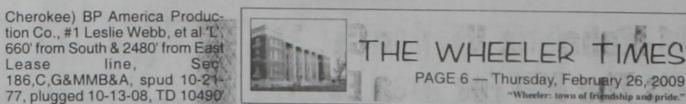


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ROYALTY: Wheeler Nursing & Rehab, held their annual Valentine's Day Coronation, Friday, Feb. 13th. The residents and staff voted for a King and Queen resident. Learline Biter was voted as Queen and Sonny Looper was voted King. The residents enjoyed cake made by Marie Sharp after the ceremony.



FOURTH PLACE: Carley Owens had a 4th place Maine Anjou heifer at the San Angelo Stock Show.



RECOGNIZED: Stefan Tucker had the reserve supreme Maine Anjou heifer and also won the showman ship belt buckle at the San Angelo Stock Show.

OVERRID. ROY. ASSIGN .-Sanguine Gas Exploration LLC to Richard Lee Hauschild Jr. Revocable Living Trust, et al, 2-6-09, Sec. 5, Blk. L, J. M. Lindsey

08, Pt. S/2 Sec. 74, Blk. 13, H&GN Ry. Company Survey. RATIFICATION/AMEND.-Velma Survey. ASSIGN.-Sanguine Exploration LLC to Don H. Louise Boydston to Samson Nelson, et al, 2-9-09, Pt. W 200 acs. S/2 Sec. 5, Blk. L, J. M.

Lindsey Survey. WELL-BORE ASSIGN.-Weiss ASSIGN.-Sanguine Trust to Linn Energy Holdings Exploration LLC to Don H. Nelson, et al, 2-9-09, Pt. W 200 acs. S/2 Sec. 5, Blk. L, J. M.

Lindsey Survey. ASSIGN.-Sanguine DVL-William Douglas Wright, et Exploration LLC to Don H. al to John Diaz, et ux, 1-27-09, Nelson, et al, 2-9-09, Pt. W 200 Lots 1-3, Blk. J. Purcell's Add., acs. S/2 Sec. 5, Blk. L, J. M. Lindsey Survey.

DT-John Diaz, et ux to William ASSIGN.-Von A. Martin LLC to Douglas Wright, et ux, 1-27-09, Cinnamon Resources LLC, 2-5-Lots 1-3, Blk. J. Purcell's Add., 09, NE/4 Sec. 18, Blk. A-7, H&GN Ry. Company Survey. DT-Mark J. Cadra, et ux to

AGREEMENT-Global Tower Assets LLC to Devin Howard, 1-8-09, 15.1 acs. SE/4 Sec. 60, Blk. A-8, H&GN Ry. Company Survey. **FEBRUARY 18, 2009**

EXT. OL-State of Texas to Kaiser-Francis Oil Company, 10-15-08, 156.32 acs. Sec. 19, Blk. OS. EXT. OL-State of Texas to Kaiser-Francis Oil Company, 11-14-08, 156.32 acs. Sec. 19, Blk. OS. EXT. OL-State of Texas to Kaiser-Francis Oil Company, 12-18-08,

156.32 acs. Sec. 19, Blk. OS. AFF.-KCS Resources LLC to KCS Resources Inc., et al, 1-1-

HEIRSHIP AFF.-Rita Griffin Oster, et al to Albert Clayton Griffin, 2-18-09

D-Dan J. Taylor, et ux to Taylor Family Trust, 12-8-08, N/2 S/2 Sec. 86, Blk. 23, H&GN Ry. Company Survey.

D-Dan J. Taylor, et ux to Taylor Family Trust, 12-8-08, N/2 of Sec. 70 and Pt. S/2 N/2 Sec. 86, Blk. 23, H&GN Ry. Company Survey. D-Dan J. Taylor, et ux to Taylor Family Trust, 12-8-08, 9 acs. S/2 N/2 Sec. 86, Blk. 23, H&GN Ry. Company Survey.

D-Thomas Living Trust to Mickey A. Thomas, 2-16-09, Pt. SE/4 Sec. 44, Blk. 23, H&GN Ry. Company Survey. TDT-Guaranty Bank FSB, et al to Texas Capital Bank NA, 2-13-09.

See Instrument. **FEBRUARY 19, 2009**

HEIRSHIP AFF.-Christal C. Jackson to Kenneth Ivan Jackson, 2-17-09, SE/4 Sec. 6, (Continued Page 7)

Flu Season Revisited

What you can do when the flu tries to visit you.

You can take all the precautions in the world, but sometimes the flu sneaks around your defenses. So what do you do when someone in your house or you has the

What you can do now are the same things you should do for any virus: get plenty of rest, drink lots of fluids and try overthe-counter pain relievers. Most viruses, including the flu, last about a week and healthy people usually get better without any specific therapy.

It is a good idea to follow general common-sense measures to decrease your chance of catching the flu, or any other virus, for that matter. Here again is some of the common sense to do list:

· Avoid close contact with people who are sick.

· Stay home when you are sick (to prevent others from catching your illness). As much as possible, keep your distance from others if you can't stay home.

· Cover your mouth and nose with a tissue when coughing or sneezing,

· Wash your hands regularly to get rid of germs. · Avoid touching your eyes,

nose or mouth so any germs on your hands do not enter and infect your respiratory High-risk individuals may

need to see a doctor if they think they have the flu; their physician may want to test them for influenza or prescribe an anti-viral medication.

The flu season is generally considered between October and May with the peak of the season falling between late December and March.

So hang in there. Remember the employees of Parkview Hospital are here to keep you informed and to help with your medical needs.

Take care of your body. It's the only place you have to live.

Old Mobeetie Visitor Center Fills The Bill For Area Events

Thanks to a generous grant from the Harrington Foundation, the Old Mobeetie Visitor's Center provides a large, stylish space long needed by the people of North Wheeler County for weddings, proms, reunions, meetings and many other functions.

The main room features large beautiful windows and a wooden pillar that can be used for a variety of needs. The room features stage lighting and a sound system which makes this perfect for speaking or musical events. The room will hold more than 300 people. The Old Mobeetie Visitor Center also provides tables and chairs so there is no need for clients to bring their own unless they

A stunning portable wooden dance floor is also available and can be set up for clients. It's absolutely beautiful and perfect for weddings. The wooden floor can be configured in many different ways, an elegant isle for a wedding, or a dance area for the reception or for a prom, and, most important, it can be sized to meet your needs. The dance floor can also be rented separately and our volunteers will bring it to the desired location and provide the setup and dismantling

Another great feature is the state of the art kitchen featuring two ovens with warming drawers. A large six burner gas range, two sinks, a dishwasher and lots of counter space makes this kitchen perfect for any catered event.

This beautiful facility is something area residents have needed for a long the fact that it features

Country (from Page 5) Lindsey. Pretty thrilling to see her 6-year-old grandson enjoying it (like seeing Dallas play pee-wee's again). David Pearson had a fire department meeting, so couldn't go. He would have enjoyed watching Blain play, too.

"Bless the Lord, O my soul and all that is within me. Bless His holy name. He has done great things for me; bless His holy name."

James Greer was in charge of he Deacon Ordination service for Charlie Davis, Tony Dickey and Youth Director, Charlie McDermitt, Sunday at Mobeetie Baptist Church. Vickey Ferguson sang a special song. James is Vickey's brother; she and Gene went to the service. A good supper was served following the ordination service. Best wishes to all.

Mark Meadows and Landry and Tatum showed their goats at a goat show at San Angelo over the asked regulators to approve a reweekend. Sorry to hear that little duction in electric bills for all Barrett Meadows is still sick with classes of customers that would stomach upset, so mama Mandy amount to a 20 percent reduction stayed home with him.

Cindy Bradstreet went to tomer beginning March 1. Pampa to celebrate her mom, Lois Barrett's, 84th birthday Sat- flect lower natural gas prices and urday. Cindy's sister, Sherrie Free, went to Borger with Cindy and Hobbs Generating Station. The Lois to eat at Sutphen's Barbeque reduction is about three times the and had a good time visiting and amount of a recent rise in base shopping.

It is great to see our country's flags flying all over town. Don't Public Utility Commission of forget to pray for our country. Jesus is the answer to our prob-

According to 2009 calendars, a fuel surcharge at the end of Feb-Daylight Saving Time starts Sun- ruary - one month earlier than day, March 8, when we set our clocks forward an hour. How time flies! Here it comes, ready or not!

We welcome new resident, Ovella Young from Shamrock, to Wheeler Care Center. God bless March, by \$20.02 on an interim you!

Nadine Lane's sweet sister,

Evelyn Elliott, is back living with Nadine at Allison. Good to have her out to hear the pretty band music and singing, Feb. 17, when Robert Jones, Jay Godwin, Geoff Caldwell, Gene Keelin and Jim Jackson came to Wheeler Care Center to make beautiful music. Some singing were Jay Godwin, Nadine Lane, Winnie Gilmer, Leona Coates, Jim Jackson, Roy Bradstreet and Bob Hinkl Good job! Others visiting were Charlie Finsterwald, Robert and Dena Brown, Roger Brown and family, Tria Godwin, Martha Meek, Roy and Nell Bradstreet and Verna. Thanks to all! Many residents

were out to enjoy the music. Sincere sympathy to family and friends of Ruby Brown, 90, in her death, Saturday morning, Feb. 20. She was pretty congested, but enjoyed visits from her daughters, Nelda Babb, Opal Childress and Brenda Davis and other loved ones. Her funeral was Monday, Feb. 23, at 2:00 p.m. at Wheeler Baptist Church with burial in Wheeler Cemetery. There was lunch for the family at the church before the funeral. She had been in Wheeler Care Center for a few days and enjoyed visits from her precious family. God said, Come up higher." Sons include Robert Brown and Dena and James Brown.

"I will say of the Lord, He is my refuge and my fortress; my God; in Him will I trust" (Psalm 91:2).

I had uninvited company Saturday night about bedtime...a strong odor of skunk. No thanks! Dianne Sparks enjoyed a visit

from her sister, Darlene, from Albuquerque, Sunday. Good to have her out to church with Dianne and family at Wheeler Baptist Church. Darlene also visited relatives in Amarillo. Hope

Church . . .

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she can come back sometime. "God be with you till we meet custom woodwork, lighting, sound and a state of the art kitchen, makes it a special place to hold

Come by and take a tour of the facilities. You're sure to like what you see. If you are interested in renting the facility or the dance floor, please contact the museum office at 806-845-2028

UPDATE ON PROJECTS

Volunteers at the Old Mobeetie Jail Museum have almost completed the displays in the Wheeler County School room. Several volunteers have dedicated many days of the past months to research and prepare this exhibit. If you have any historical memorabilia you would like to donate to the exhibit, please contact Melba Corcoran at 845-2028

Planning for the Red River War room is still in preliminary stages. One of the most exciting features will be paintings by world famous western artist Kenneth Wyatt depicting the history of Wheeler County. He has currently completed paintings of the Battle of the Sweetwater and Hidetown (the original settlement in Wheeler County). Work has begun on an Indian Village scene. Other paintings planned include one of the Fort Elliott Parade Grounds and the famous gunfight between Bat Masterson and Corp. Melvin King in which dance hall girl Mollie Brennan lost her life.

Workers will begin selling ads for the Old Mobeetie Music Festival book soon. We deeply appreciate your support of the museum and its events, especially in these trying financial times. The festival brings approximately 2,500 people to this area for a three day period each July. You will no doubt see them frequenting local business and offering a little boost to the local economy.

Work is also being done on the Huselby House thanks to generous donations by area families. The roof has been replaced, the delapidate back part removed and the porch rebuilt. Windows are currently being ordered for the historic home.

If you would like to join the Old Mobeetie Texas Association please join us at our monthly meetings at 7 p.m. on the second Thursday of each month.

Xcel Energy on Wednesday

for an average residential cus-

fuel-cost savings from the new

The request was made to re-

Through a series of filings at the

Texas, the company is seeking

approval to reduce fuel charges

on customer bills and to remove

planned. The surcharge began in

April 2008 and was scheduled to

end March 31. Together, these

changes will drop an average bill

of 1,000 kilowatt-hours, starting in

Xcel Energy Bills To Fall By

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Glenn & Betty in Caribbean

(from Page 6) Blk. 27, H&GN Ry. Company

Survey. HEIRSHIP AFF.-James Davis Clay Jr., et al to James Davis Clay Sr., 10-13-08, See Instrument.

C/C WILL-Robert H. Kitchel to Ex Parte, 1-27-09

MODIFICATION DT-Andreas Delius, et al to Texas Capital Bank, 1-15-09, See Instrument. TRUST MEMORANDUM-Chas Wayne Orr, et ux to Orr Family Revocable Trust, 1-29-09, NE/4 Sec. 8, Blk. L, J. M. Lindsey Survey.

OL-S. D. Sipes Jr. to Sanguine Gas Exploration LLC, 2-5-09, NW/4 Sec. 24, Blk. A-7, H&GN Ry. Company Survey.

HEIRSHIP AFF.-Kathy Foster to Joe Bailey McClanahan, 2-6-09, SE/4; S 33 acs. NE/4 Sec. 32, Blk. A-7, H&GN Ry. Company

OL-Ruby Jewel McClanahan to Sanguine Gas Exploration LLC, 1-23-09, SE/4; S 33 acs NE/4 Sec. 32, Blk. A-7, H&GN Ry. Company Survey.

OL-Marilyn Steed Stafford to Sanguine Gas Exploration LLC, 1-23-09, SE/4; S 33 acs NE/4 Sec. 32, Blk. A-7, H&GN Ry.

Company Survey ASSIGN.-Napah TERM Corporation to Forest Oil Corporation, 2-2-09, Pt. Sec. 4, Blk. 1, Brooks & Burleson Survey. TERM ASSIGN.-Houston & Emma Hill Trust Estate to Forest Oil Corporation, 2-3-09, Pt. Sec. 4, Blk. 1, Brooks & Burleson

TERM ASSIGN.-Glenn Lattimore Family Limited Partnership to

The fuel charges are recovered

through a fuel-cost factor that is

updated two to three times per

year. The company also has

asked the PUCT to allow it to

change the formula by which the

factor is figured to reflect savings

from the new Hobbs Generating

Station. Once the proposed per-

manent fuel-cost factors are

adopted by the PUCT and set in

place on June 1, the decrease

would be slightly less at \$15.36

savings for average bills, or a 14

percent decrease from current

sion to expedite the approval of

these changes to our fuel factors

in order to reduce bills as quickly

as possible," said David Eves,

president and CEO of Southwest-

ern Public Service Company, an

energy costs are collected

through the base rate and also

through the fuel-cost factor. Fuel

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Wheeler Girls' Golf

At Canadian

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"We have asked the Commis-

Forest Oil Corporation, 2-4-09, Pt. Sec. 4, Blk. 1, Brooks & Burleson Survey.

TERM ASSIGN.-Attaboy Inc. to Forest Oil Corporation, 2-5-09, Pt. Sec. 4, Blk. 1, Brooks & had an hour's worth of flat Burleson Survey.

DVL-Garland D. Kysar to Richard Partlow, et ux, 12-15-08, Lots 19-21, Blk. 110, New Mobeetie. DT-Richard Partlow, et ux to Shaunna Lynne Gray, 12-15-08, Lots 19-21, Blk. 110, New

Mobeetie. D-Denise L. Moon to Michael Smith, et ux, 11-6-08, Blk. 26, Mobeetie.

MD-Chesapeake Exploration LLC to Chesapeake Royalty LLC, 1-19-09, S/2 Sec. 12, Blk. 1, Brooks & Burleson Survey; and E/2 Sec. 21, Blk. A-3, H&GN Ry. Company Survey.

2-17-09, Lot 1 and S 45' N 150' of Lot 2, Blk. LXXXV, Shamrock. QCD-Betty J. Perez to Kirk Clay, 2-17-09, Lots 1 and 2, Blk. LII, Shamrock.

costs are pass-through items, and customer bills.

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TERM ASSIGN.-James R. Hill Family Limited Partnership to Forest Oil Corporation, 2-1-09, Pt. Sec. 4, Blk. 1, Brooks & Burleson Survey.

D-Chas Wayne Orr, et ux to Orr Family Revocable Trust, 1-29-09, Survey

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QCD-Betty J. Perez to Kirk Clay,

as prices for natural gas and coal change, the costs or savings are tracked and reflected on future

Xcel Energy bills fall by as much as 20 percent - p. 2 of 2 -

On Feb. 7 the company raised base rates to help offset rising costs of doing business, adding \$6.04 to an average residential bill. This increase amounted to a \$57.4 million increase in annual revenue, but the changes in fuel costs will save customers \$142.7 million annually.

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The View of a Southern Woman

.... Southern California that is.

We did a really funny thing for the past month. It was called a vacation cruise. Now, I believe you are supposed to relax and sit in a deck chair on a big ship, watch the blue water go by at a fast rate of speed and eat, eat, eat. Well. we did all of that, but not much of the RELAXING thing. Oh yes, we did sit down and watch the blue water go by for a few minutes and then it was time to go ashore and tour the islands, swim with the fishes, rumble down a dirt road with giant chuckholes in it that would bust a normal person's kidney apart, eat with the natives (I am not much into raw shellfish, but they did have some pretty good eats), visit old castles, schools, police stations, plantations, gardens and waterfalls and wait for transportation that

Chat (from Page

NE/4 Sec. 8, Blk. L, J. M. Lindsey available at press time for their next game.

> cwe -Congratulations, Ft. Elliott Cougars! They also played Tuesday evening at Wheeler. They met Lefors Tuesday evening in the Region I 1-A Division II playoff

— cwe — Thanks, Brenda Hefley and Coach Dorris for advising me of the outcome of the games played Tuesday, Februay 17.

- cwe -Have you sent in your nominations for Outstanding Man, Woman, and Employee for the year to the Chamber office. There are individuals out there who deserve the recognition and you may be the only one with the information. Deadline is Friday, February 27.

The circus is coming to town on Wednesday, March 25. Advance tickets are now on sale. Buy them early and save money.

- cwe -

In the past three days, I have heard two different comments on the impression Wheeler leaves with people.

The first was negative. An individual passing through town stopped at a local convenience store and felt the town was very unfriendly — cwe —

The second was positive. The individual commented on what a nice, pretty town Wheeler was. - cwe -We traveled to OKC on Thurs-

day evening, which I am sure does not surprise you. - cwe -

On Saturday Liz, Phoebe and Jaden came to visit. - cwe -

On Sunday we attended a first birthday party for grand-niece Jaeden Musae; she and Seth are just a couple of months apart in

age. - cwe -Cards were played Monday evening. Leroy and Dwight won the first and third games. Luck was just not with Rhonda and I.

- cwe -

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tires. No wonder with some of those roads! We had to wait for a ride back to the ship and I accused our driver of staving too long at a cafe in town and maybe imbibing in a few too many beers. but he said it was margaritas and if I did not settle down, he would take me to visit the inside of their jail. (Probably, his cousin worked there.) We did see a jail, but that was another island and they did not keep me, although I did have my photo taken with a cop. My cousin, Linda Hendrik, almost stepped on a snake and we had a few iguanas pop out of the bushes to greet us, but no real mishaps. Back on board our ship, I thought that REST would be in the offing, but no...there were stage shows, formal dinners, photo sessions (they make a lot of money with that one), shops to see and new friends to visit and even a few moonlight strolls. Early next morning, it was off again to visit another island. The Caribbean and Bahamas are beautiful and we just might go back some day, but I think I will do as Linda's husband, Ray, said, "Next time, stay on the ship and relax." Ray jokes a lot.

Our son, Neal, and wife, Michelle; daughter, SaRita, and hubby, Robbie; and Linda and Ray's son, Mark, and wife, Sarah, are going on a cruise to the Caribbean this Saturday for a week and I just wonder if they will survive the islands or the islands survive them. It just might be hard for them to come back to a normal life after visiting those beautiful

We spent a week in Orlando, Florida, with Ray and Linda and saw all the sights there plus hundreds of shopping malls. I did not know there were so many malls in one town. We also had a great time at Epcot Center and toured the town. Never got any rest there, either, but lots of fun.

Spent 3 days driving home and seeing the states, but glad to get home. Henry ignored me and still is. He flogged Glenn Forrest Frosty right away.,,not once, but twice! Glenn picked him up, to Henry's embarrassment, and had a talk with him, but that did not help for Henry attacked him again. Henry then walked away, seeming pleased with himself since he got back at us for leaving him that long! Before we left, Glenn had shot a skunk in the chicken pen and the smell is almost gone (a month later). With love to all of you, Betty Boydston.

Assisted Living: Jane Seitz Tom Frye Iona May

Julia Buckingham Mae Helton Wanda Garner Wanda Keeton

Karla Belote 2/19 Clint McKee Ted Graham **Dismissals**

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SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
Church Wheeler Nursing & Rehab W. First Baptist 3:00 P.M.	Wheeler High plays Golf at Clarendon	Wheeler Lions Club Mel's	4	Wheeler Fire Dept 7:00 P.M.	Wheeler JH Track	Wheeler HS Track
Church Wheeler Nursing & Rehab Allison	Ft. Elliott C.I.S.D. Bd 7:00 Wheeler Girls' Golf at Shamrock	Mobeetie Fire Dept. 7:00 P.M. Wheeler Lions Club Mel's Diner	Wheeler I.S.D. Enrichment Day	Old Mobeetie, Texas, Assoc. Vistors' Center 7:00 P.M. Wheeler I.S.D. Bd6:30 P.M.	13	14
Church Wheeler Nursing & Rehab Mobeetie Baptist 3:00 P.M.	Wheeler City Council City Hall	Wheeler Lions Club Mel's Diner 6:30 A.M. Wheeler Boys' Golf At Shamrock	No School for Wheeler I.S.D.	Wheeler Fire Dept 7:00 P.M. No School for Wheeler I.S.D.	High School & Junior High Track	21
Church Wheeler Nursing & Rehab Johnnie & Patty Crawford	23 Wheeler Girls' Golf At Childress	Wheeler Lions Club Mel's Diner	Culpepper & Merriweather Circus In Wheeler Two Performances: 5:00 and 7:00 P.M. Buy Advance Tickets and SAVE!	26 Junior High Track Meet	High School Track Meet	28

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Filing Deadline

endary Fort Worth Stock Show & formances of the World's Original deadline to file for a place on the April 27, and continue through ballot is Monday, March 9. The deadline to file as a write-in candidate is March 16, 2009. Early voting will begin Monday, Main).

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Tuesday, May 5, 2009. Early ballots may be cast at Wheeler I.S.D, #1 Mustang Drive (north end of



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