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THURSDAY, DECEMBER 16, 2010

"Wheeler; town of friendship and pride."

By Louis C. Stas

Congratulations, Wheeler Lady Stangs! They placed third in the Ft. Elliott Basketball Tournament.

- cwe -And still, we remain cold and dry.

- cwe -Donations are still being accepted for 'Toys for Tots'. Help make someone's Christmas a bit brighter.

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Next week is the Times Christmas Edition. Today, Thursday is the last day to get those Santa Letters in.

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And Better get any other items you want in the paper into the office.

- cwe -

The deadline for getting anything in the paper next week will be Monday Noon! Thanks.

- cwe

I have been forgetting to compliment Kristi Petit on how nice the gazebo looks. Just goes to show you: "If you want something done, get some help and do it yourself." I do not know who helped, but Thanks.

- cwe -

And, again this year, the City Employees had the Christmas decoration in place immediately after Thanksgiving. They look great!



\$250 CASH: Wheeler Banking Center sponsored a drawing following the Chamber of Commerce Christmas Open House. The event was held the first weekend in December this year with over 30 exhibitors. This was the first year we were able to have the open house at the Wheeler County Ag and Family Center. Rosa Varela is shown here holding the bank bag, containing her \$250 in cash; she was one of over 550 shoppers at the annual event. One ticket was given with each purchase. Stacy McQueen (center, right) presented the winnings. Representing the Chamber of Commerce is the president, Chad Helton, and Frankie Jackson, member in charge of the 2-day event.

Commissioners' Court Conducts Business

The Commissioners' Court of which was traded. Wheeler County, Texas, met in regular session on Monday, De- thority for horizontal oil and gas Services, LLC was given permiscember 13, 2010 at 9:00 a.m. in the Commissioners' Courtroom of the Wheeler County Courthouse, 401 Main street, Wheeler, Texas, to consider prior bills and discuss was given permission to bore unmatters of mutual concern.

The court granted pooling auwells in Sec. 6 and 7, Block A-3, County, Texas.

Enogex Gas Gathering, LLC ing.

and Pipeline Crossing.

Chesapeake Midstream Gas sion to bore under County Road H&GN Ry. Co. Survey, Wheeler 29 for the installation of an underground Utility and Pipeline Cross-

der County Road 28 for the instal- missioners' court will be Monday,

Fourteenth Annual 'Toys For Tots' **Drive Is Underway In Wheeler**

Ben Britt & Nathaniel

Hillhouse Toys for Tots Tots drive is underway in Wheeler. Sponsors are the Wheeler Vet Clinic, Wheeler County Sheriff's Department, Wheeler Banking Center, First State Bank of Mobeetie and Wheeler and Ware Chevrolet.

New or good serviceable used toys are needed. Items are being collected for youths from 0-15 years of age. If you wrap a gift, please include sex and age on each gift.

These gifts may be the only Christmas some children may receive. Your gifts will be greatly appreciated.

If someone is aware of needy families, please contact Wheeler Sheriff's Department or Lee Ann Hillhouse with families' name, ages and sex.

Your help and contributions are appreciated.

Monetary donations may be left at the Sheriff's office and Wheeler Vet Clinic. Monies will be used for toys, clothing or food as the donor wishes.

"Cash" Drawing **Ninners Named**

The Wheeler Chamber of Commerce \$1,500 "Cash" Drawing was held Saturday and Sun-

Applications are available at Wheeler I.S.D. and Wheeler Vet The fourteenth year for Toys for Clinic; these need to be in by December 1, 2010

Kelton FFA Group Enters Competition

Members of the Kelton FFA Chapter competed in the Top of Texas LDE held at Frank Philips College in Borger. Eighteen students represented Kelton School in Job Interview, Creed Speaking, Farm Skills, Farm Radio, Senior Chapter Conducting, and Senior FFA Quiz.

Denver Page and Paloma Contraes competed in the Job Interview LDE. For this competition, each member submits their resume, completes a job application for an agricultural position on site and participates in an interview via telephone, in person one-on-one and with a panel of possible employers.

Leslie Alvarado, Chevenne Powell, Charmayne Hampton, and Manual Esparza participated in the Creed Speaking Contest. A member presents the FFA Creed from memory and answers questions about its meaning and purpose. This event is just one way to boost self-confidence, earn recognition, and develop powerful, organized and professional communication skills.

Kristen Garner, Ethan Johnson, Manual Esparza, Danny Dawson, Manny Morales, and Mallory Huebner took part in the Farm Skills Demonstration. A team of 3-5 members performs an actual demonstration of an agricultural skill including anything in the Agricultural Science and Technology curriculum using effective public speaking and communication methods. The Kelton students prepared and performed a demonstration about Cardiac Pulmonary Resuscitation. In the demonstration, students performed CPR on an adult and infant. The teams then demonstrated the use of an AED that might be necessary in an emergency situation that might occur on the farm, in the ag shop, or out in the field hunting or fishing. Matt Stephenson, Mallory Huebner, Cheyenne Powell, Leslie Alvarado, Destiny Westbrook, and Ryan Smith performed in the FFA Farm Radio LDE. A team of 3 members presents an informative radio program covering one or more agricultural subjects that is current in nature and local in content. The contest assumes that the chapter has a regularly scheduled noncommercial radio program once each month over a local station. Kelton FFA members prepared a script about the feral hogs that are in Wheeler County and the Texas Panhandle. The script addressed the problems caused by feral hogs and the hunting and trapping ben-

CAAG Take the time one of these evenings to drive around and look at the Christmas lights. Lots of work

is represented. - cwe

Hope you remembered Wheeler Banking Center's Christmas Open House Tuesday. Lots of goodies.

- cwe -

First State Bank will be serving up treats next Tuesday with cash drawings.

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STORM REPORT As Reported by . .

Stormie Meriwether, First Grade Student

Dear Friends, Deers are everywhere! One day a buck ran very fast right in front of my car. My dad almost stopped. The deer went flop right on my car! I am so glad we had our seatbelts on! We stopped to see if it's dead or not. He got up and jumped the fence and ran away. I am so happy he is OK!

Yeah! We did it! The real Nutcracker was great! I love to dance for all the people. One time my big family came to see me, even Seth and Jaeden! I got beautiful pink roses and everyone is so happy!

The next time Mr. Ben came to my ballet. I did not know Mr. Ben liked ballet. He's a cowboy! I am so happy he came.

The last day was Monday. There were a 'lotta' at my ballet. It is very fun to dance for the kids! Ballet is great!

Next time maybe I will be a big mouse or something. When I am bigger, I want to dance in the snow like in my Snow Globe!

I went to the church to see Miss Paula do her cantata. It was wonderful! You can't believe I say my Principal (David Dale) there. He is a Principal and a singer!

I sat with Natalie. We loved the beautiful music! That's it!

At 10:00 a.m. the 14 items on lation of an underground Utility December 27, 2010. the agenda were addressed.

The court approved the minutes of the previous meetings.

The commissioners accepted the monthly reports of the Justices of the Peace, 1& 2; County Tax Assessor, County Clerk and District Clerk as presented.

The hourly payroll time sheets were approved for payment.

The court approved the payment of the bills with the exception of the Barber/Dyson invoice. No action was taken on the bud-

get. No action was taken on the burn ban.

No action was taken on the consideration of purchase of equipment/vehicles over \$5,000.00.

No action was taken on personnel

The commissioners approved the Elected Officials' bond amounts as presented.

The commissioners court dates for 2011 will remain the second and fourth Monday of each month. Item 11 was the consideration

of a lease/purchase of a vehicle from Barber/Dyson Ford in Elk City. At an earlier meeting, the lease/purchase was approved and error was found in the lease; it was rescinded. The court voted to return the pickup and ask for a refund of the \$7,500 in payment and the return of the vehicle,

Lady 'Stangs Take Third Place

The Wheeler Lady Stangs participated in the Ft. Elliott Tournament December 9-10-11.

Scoring by the Wheeler girls in each of the three games is as follows

Wheeler (56) vs. Holy Cross Academy (Amarillo) (25): Stacie Hanson, 11; Taylor Sparks, 10; Kaylee Marion, 9; Kenzie Blankenship, 2; Gabi Menefield, 11; Haley Sparks, 3: Tania Flores, 5; Carla Mendoza, 2; Paige Jones, 4.

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Wheeler (30) vs. Texline (41) Stacie Hanson, 5; Taylor Sparks, 2; Kaylee Marion, 3; Gavi The local team took third place. Menefield, 5; Haley Sparks, 2; Tania Flores, 9; Paige Jones, 4.

Wheeler (47) vs. Samnorwood (25)Stacie Hanson, 6; Taylor

Sparks, 6; Kaylee Marion, 4; Kenzi Blankenship, 2; Gio Luna, 2; Elizabeth Castillo, 2; Gabi Menefield, 2; Haley Sparks, 7; Tania Flores, 10; Carla Mendoza,

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People visiting the Wheeler, TX Post office on Wednesday, Dec. 22, 2010 may obtain the Wheeler, Texas Plains Trail Region pictorial postmark in person at the temlished there.

Those who cannot be there that day but who wish to obtain the special pictorial postmark may submit a mail order request to:

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Wheeler, TX 79096-9998 Pictorial postmarks are available only for the date indicated, and requests must be postmarked no later than 30 days following the requested pictorial postmark date.

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Items submitted for postmark may not include postage issued after the date of the requested postmark. Such items will be returned unserviced.

Customers wishing to obtain a postmark should affix stamps to day, December 4 & 5. Stepping forward to claim the

"Cash" at the Saturday drawing were: \$100 Winners-Adley Gilmer,

Bonnie Downie and Joey Stone. \$50 Winners-Christian Simon. lan Finsterwald, Barbara Hinnenkamp and Lori Selby.

\$25 Winners-Guadalupe Avila, Mary Blackburn, Kade Kemp and Noah Remy

Sunday's winners were: \$200 Winner-Jacob Maxwell Winners-Andrew \$100

Coomer and Caitlynn Walker \$50 Winners-: Tracie Timmons, Jacob Maxwell, Doyle Pond, Rick Bond and Christian Simon.

\$25 Winners: Sue Chandler, Christine Atherton, Bryce Richardson, Goreti Devora, Kellie Martin, Betty Morrison, Viola Hungate, Bonnie Downie, Chase Helton and Jacob Maxwell.

Sponsoring the drawing this year were:

Alvey Tax & Law; Antique Cupboard; Britt Ranch; Buck & Beyond; Capital Farm Credit; City Drug Bed & Breakfast; County Star News; Dr. Mike Smith; Eastern Panhandle Insurance; First State Bank; H & H Tire and Dirt Works; Hyland's Pharmacy; Jennings Plumbing; Lyndon Loyd Auctioneers; Market Square Thriftway; Marshall Discount Auto; Massage Therapy Center; Maxey's Steakhouse; McCains Auto Body; Mel's Diner; Mustang Auto Care: Novedades Saharay; Paradise Spa; Parkview Hospital, Home Health, and Assisted Living; Raekye Gifts & Mustang Video; Sabbe Construction; Shell Station; Soto's Restaurant; Speedi Mart; Texas Farm Bureau; The Purple Door; The Spot; Ware Chevrolet; West Texas Gas; Wheeler Banking Center; Wheeler Flower Shop; Wheeler General Store: Wheeler Land & Livestock; Wheeler Nursing & Rehab; Wheeler Plumbing; Wheeler Times; Wheeler Vet Clinic;

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Times Announces **An Early Deadline**

Next week's Times will be the "Christmas Edition" with the Santa Letters and Christmas greeting from your friends and neighbors.

We feel we need to move the deadline for news and pictures up to 12 noon on Monday from 5:00 p.m. Monday.

The paper will (hopefully) be put in the mail on Tuesday evening.



efits.

Exciting Murder Mystery Fundraiser To Benefit American Red Cross

Mission.

The American Red Cross, Eastern Texas Panhandle Chapter and the One Act Play students of Wheeler ISD invite the community to a root-tootin' good time at its murder mystery dinner fundraiser 6 p.m. January 15 at the Wheeler County Ag & Family Life Center.



Event Raises Funds to Ensure guests play the investigators trythe Local Chapter Continues its ing to solve a murder that occurs during the meal. The play is titled "Death in Them Thar Hills""and porary Post Office station estab-

has a western flair. At a murder mystery dinner the of the Easter Texas Panhandle

must have training before they can respond and help. The Red Cross is only as strong and as ready to respond as the community support we receive."

event, the staff of Eastern Texas Panhandle offices will attend the event dressed as dance hall girls

"We provide assistance without cost when our neighbors need it most and that assistance comes from the community in the form of volunteers and donations," said Jana Gregory, executive director Chapter. "We can't say to a disaster victim that as soon as we raise the funds, we'll take care of you. Red Cross must have supplies purchased, ready and waiting to be utilized. Our volunteers

To add more excitement to the and be part of the servers.

ANGEL TREE: Wheeler Nursing and Rehab once again has their Angel Tree in place. Businesses, organizations and individuals are invited to visit the care center and pick angels from the tree. Each angel contains the name and personal information about one of the patients at the home. The Christmas party will be Thursday, December 16, at 6:00 P.M. Pictured here are Diane Dukes, representing First State Bank of Mobeetie: and Breeley and Logan Harris.

Event Details:

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jeans or your favorite western attire.

 Seating is limited to the 100 persons.

 The meal will be catered by the Steve Walker. The cost of a meal and entertainment is \$40 per larger envelope with adequate couple or \$20 for individuals. December 13 to January 6. Call 800 297-2270 or 806-826-5534 for more details.

any envelope or postcard of their 6 p.m. January 15 at Wheeler choice, address the envelope or Community Center, N on Highway postcard to themselves or others, insert a card of postcard thickness · Dress: Your best boots and in envelopes for sturdiness, and tuck in the flap. Place the envelope or postcard in a larger envelope and address listed above. Customers can also send stamped envelopes and postcards without addresses for postmark, as long as they supply a postage and their return address. · Tickets are available from After applying the pictorial postmark, the Postal Service will return the items (with or without addresses) under addressed protective cover.

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Welcome To The . . . FIRST STATE BANK of Mobeetie Mobeetie Office: Wheeler Office: Christmas First & Wheeler St. 1408 S. Alan Bean Blvd. Mobeetie, Texas Wheeler, Texas

Tuesday, December 21, 2010

9:30 - 2:30 P.M. — Both Locations

\$4,000 Cash

Several Cash Drawings will be held for different amounts of money

We will close at Noon on Friday, December 24 for our employees to have more time with their families. Enjoy the holidays with your family and come see us December 27 for all your banking needs.

so nothing is worth trying



God bless America, Land that I love,

Stand beside her and guide her Through the night with a light from above. From the mountains to the prai-

ries

To the oceans white with foam God bless America, our home sweet home.

Glad to hear that Steve Walker's brother, Eddy Walker, came through surgery on his heart and is doing well. Praise the Lord! Glad to know that Robert Jones'



wife, Ann, is out of the hospital and home. Praise the Lord!

thankful she is better. God bless you, Ann. You are special!

Claus? Many years ago Joe Wagoner of Canadian made Mr. Claus was beloved by many and was a and gave it to Willis and me as a great coach. Services Wednesgift. It has stayed bright and I enjoy having him put up by friends etery Friday. during the holidays. Many thanks! Thank you, Joe!

"Be not dismayed whatever betide, God will take care of you.

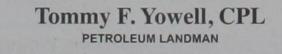
Beneath His wings of Love abide, God will take care of you."

New director of Wright Funeral Home is Ron Burke. Best wishes! And many thanks to Jim Wright and helpers for all the good years.

Thanksgiving feast was enjoyed at Roy and Nell Bradstreet's the gladness of the shepherds, home with many family members and the wisdom of the wise men. Thursday. Enjoying all the delicious food and desserts were the door of love all over the world. David and Patti Bradstreet, Russell, Tyler and Logan from Carthage, Texas; Mark, Laurie, Reid and Neil, J.R. and friend, Kaylyn, all of Wolfe City; Mike and Jan, Stephanie, Dakota, Tayler and Lana from Oklahoma City; rado; Danielle, Jacob and Kelsey, Katherine, Aaron and Genet and others.

"Happy Anniversary" to Danny

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and Karen McNeil, Dec. 21 and Skeet and Deanna Johnson, Dec. And keep praying for Ann; so 22. God bless you all!

RETERECTERES

Sincere sympathy to family and friends of Cecil Reynolds, 73, in How do you like my Santa his death. Cecil taught school and lived at Briscoe several years and day with burial at Mobeetie Cem-

Sincere sympathy to family and friends of Bessie Gober Baird, 95, in her death. She had attended school in Miami and Mobeetie.

Merry Christmas to all and God bless you, everyone! Remember, God loves you and I do, too. Christmas Prayer

Loving Father, help us remember the birth of Jesus that we may share in the song of the angels, Close the door of hate and open

Let kindness come with every gift and good desires with every greeting. Deliver us from evil by the blessing, which Christ brings, and teach us to be merry with clean hearts.

"May the Christmas morning Paul Janzen from Salida, Colo- make us happy to be thy children and the Christmas evening bring us to our beds with grateful thought forgiving and forgiven for Jesus' sake. Amen." (Robert Louis Stevenson)

> Jacey Haiduk, daughter of Stacey "Phillis" Haiduk and granddaughter of Charles and Edith Phillis from White Deer, was at the Pig Show and won 1st place in show and breed in her class at Wheeler Stock Show. Nice to have a visit from "old friend". Charley Phillis, during the show. Congratulations, Jacey. Charley also visited Dick and Ruth Irvine, friends of many years. Big crowd at the new stock show barn. Sorry Edie Phillis couldn't come to the stock show because she had hurt her leg recently. Good luck, Edie, we missed you.

"Happy Birthday" to Chris Carlson, Louise Howell, Peggy Rose, Ruby Smith, Hyland Weaver and Logan Yarbar, Dec. 19; Melanie Gates, Jerod Guillan, Sec. 2, Blk. A-3, H&GN Ry.

Gina Seitz, Dec. 24, and Robert Brown, Mack Marshall and Shelia Mick, Dec. 25

"God be with you till we meet again." Merry Christmas to all.



List of instruments filed in the Wheeler County Clerks office from December 6, 2010 -December 10, 2010. **DECEMBER 6, 2010**

REL. UCC/DT-National Bank of Commerce to Derin Chase, et ux, — —, See Instrument.

RDT-Amarillo National Bank to William P. Harris, 11-30-10, W/2 Sec. 13 and S/2 Sec. 12, Blk. A-5, H&GN Ry. Company Survey. MD-Carol A. Lieberman to Joel Lieberman, et ux, 12-1-10, W 462.89 acs. Sec. 43, Blk. A-5, H&GN Ry. Company Survey. EXT. DT-Howard L. Evans, et ux to National Bank of Commerce, 11-24-10, Pts. SE/4 Sec. 55, Blk. 13, H&GN Ry. Company Survey. OL-W. R. Seeds, et al to Cheaspeake Exploration LLC, 10-28-10, Sec. 66, Blk. A-7, H&GN Ry. Company Survey. **OL-Nichola Ware Henslee to** Chesapeake Exploration LLC, 11-1-10, E 70.15 acs. N/2 SE/4 Sec. 5, Blk. A-4, H&GN Ry. Company Survey

CORR. OL-Richard A. Steed to Sanguine Gas Exploration LLC, 9-15-10, N/2; N/2 SE/4 Sec. 3, Blk. A-2, H&GN Ry. Company Survey

CORR. OL-Steed Family Limited Partnership to Sanguine Gas Exploration LLC, 9-15-10, N/2; N/ 2 SE/4 Sec. 3, Blk. A-2, H&GN Ry. Company Survey.

ROW-Stiles Land Assets Ltd to Chesapeake Midstream Gas Services LLC, 11-5-10, Pt. SE/4 Sec. 67, Blk. A-7, H&GN Ry. Company Survey.

ROW-Atherton Family Limited Partnership to Chesapeake Midstream Gas Services LLC, 11-1-10, Pt. E/2 E/2; E/2 W/2 E/2



RDT-Union Bank NA to Mariner Energy Texas LP, 11-4-10, See Instrument.

Exploration LLC, et al to Von A. Martin LLC, et al, 10-27-10, N/2 Sec. 5, Blk. L, J. M. Lindsey Survey.

DT-MarkWest Oklahoma Gas Company LLC to Wells Fargo

Bank, National Association, 11-30-10, See Instrument. **DECEMBER 7, 2010**

UNIT DESIGN.-Sanguine Gas ROW-Mills Ranch & Company Ltd. to Enbridge Pipelines (Texas Gathering) LP, 11-17-10, Pt. Sec. 37, Blk. A-7, H&GN Ry. Company Survey.

ROW-Garland Moore, et ux to Enbridge Pipelines (Te.as (Continued Page 5)



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Donna Hunt, Royce Marion, Rocky Mendiola and Bob Wills, Dec. 20; Tyler Ault, Jason Forrester, Jim Jackson, Lindsey Theissen and Rick Woollard, Dec. 21: Patterson Alvey, Amber Butler, Robert Smith and Hank Henderson, Dec. 22; Cameron Bibens, Casie Brittain, Steve Earney, Ronda Rutherford and Jennifer Sabbe, Dec. 23; Braydon Kuntz, Shaund Patterson and Listen to . . .

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Company Survey. C/C HEIR./DISTRI. DECREE-Paul E. Rowsey Jr. to Ex Parte, 11-30-10, W/2 Sec. 47, Blk. 24, H&GN Ry. Company Survey. REL. UCC DT-Union Bank NA to Mariner Energy Inc., - - -, See Instrument. REL. UCC DT-Union Bank NA to Mariner Energy Inc., - -See Instrument. RDT-Union Bank NA to Mariner Energy Inc., 11-4-10, See Instrument. RDT-Union Bank NA to Mariner Energy Texas LP, 11-4-10, See Instrument. RDT-Union Bank NA to Mariner Energy Inc., 11-4-10, See Instrument







Mrs. McKee's class at Kelton did an author study on Allen Say and learned about Japan. They read many books written by Allen Say; Many of them are set in Japan. They learned many things about



the Japanese culture, including how to eat with chopsticks. Class members shown here are (back row, I. to r.) Brock Buckingham, Jacob Maxwell, Mark Herndon, Kaleb Kimbro, Kiera Hurtado, Kassidy Carter, (front row) Clint McKee, Callie Crabtree and Larrie Galvan.

(Left) Kaleb Kimbro, Callie Crabtree, and Mark Herndon eating ramon noodles with chopsticks.





The Mt. View Quilting club held their Christmas Party Thursday. They quilted till noon then had the party. Those attending were Sidney Lynch, Betty Haines, Jammae Hines, Betty Rogers, Carol Ann Scribner and Melba Corcoran. It was held in Betty's guesthouse. Danny Rogers ate lunch with the group.

TEL Sunday school class members took gifts for Toys for Tots Wednesday. Those attending were Arica Lancaster, Doris Finsterwald and Laura Vandever. They then ate pizza at the County Barn.

Wednesday night, Ft. Elliott Elementary held their Christmas play. It was a good event. The children all did a great job. Arica Lancaster was kind enough to take Doris Finsterwald, Maurita Stribling and Melba Corcoran for a girl's night out. Thanks, Arica.

OMTA met Thursday night with Joe VanZandt in charge of the meeting. Regular business was attended to. Suzanne Lohberger was voted to fill one of the vacancies.

They accepted Bernice Hefley's resignation from the board with regrets. Those attending were Joe VanZandt, George Kilcrease, Bill Finsterwald, Dale Corcoran, Louise Hogan, Maurita Stribling, Gina Seitz, Dutch Elliott, Suzanne Lohberger and Melba Corcoran.

Joey Stone and Pauline Barnes visited Friday night with Dale and Melba Corcoran. They played pinochle.



"BISCUITS" The COONDOG

Personally, I think every red- hunters could tell which dog they blooded, American boy ought to were hearing. I figured that I just go "coon" hunting at least twice, didn't have the finely tuned ears before he gets married. The first needed for the art of, "Coon Hunttime he will probably, form the ing." Dale, said he couldn't tell one opinion that he likes, or doesn't dog's voice from any of the oth-

THE WHEELER TIMES PAGE 3 - Thursday, December 16, 2010 Wheeler; town of friendship and pride

The TEL Sunday school class

went to Maxey's for lunch Sunday.

Those attending were Laura

Lancaster, Danny and Betty

McElroy, Doris Finsterwald, Hugh

and Mae Bailey and Dale and

There was a beautiful wedding

Saturday of Raysha Dawn

Walker. Raysha is the daughter of

Ronny and DeAnna Vandever and

granddaughter of Laura

Vandever. They received a nice

wedding shower Sunday after-

Amarillo for the Christmas Party

of the Golden Spread Electric.

Jim Batton had hand surgery to

repair broken tendons. His hands

will be out of use for 5 weeks. He

went back Monday for a check-

Batton will go to the graduation of

Keith Phifer from OSU. He is mar-

ried to Ashley Hamilton, daughter

of Mark and Jamee Hamilton. He

is the grandson-in-law of Jim and

This next Sunday is the day for

the First Baptist Church to go to

the Wheeler Care Center. Plan on

making the trip; it will be a bless-

gery on his foot this past week.

Aaron Lancaster had minor sur-

This Saturday Jim and Kay

They had a real good time.

Kay and Jim Batton went to

Melba Corcoran.

noon.

Kay Batton.

ing to you.

He is doing real well.

Maurita Stribling went to Elk City to see Roy Lynn Stribling and family after his surgery on his arm Vandever, Aaron and Arica to repair torn tendons in it. She attended the live nativity scene put Rogers, Bro. Don and Mayme on by the Methodist Church. She said it was real good. They took them from one scene to another by hayrides.

The First United Methodist Church of Mobeetie held their Vandever and Justin Thomas church Christmas Dinner Sunday. They enjoyed it very much.

> Louise Hogan's guest Friday night was her niece, Timara Timmens, of Conway, AR. They had a great visit.

> The wedding of Shantell Meek will be held Saturday in the Baptist Church.

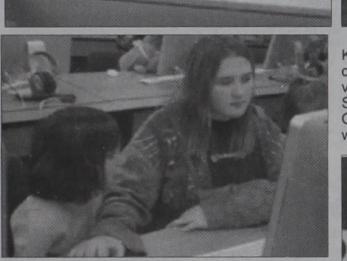
Parkview Artery **Coping With Holiday** Depression

Depression around the holiday season is not uncommon. It can often creep up without warning and lead to feelings of shame, guilt, and animosity.

Depression can be a lonely and painful struggle as well as an uncomfortable subject to talk about. However, depression is not something to be ashamed of, and people suffering from it only need a bit of help. An open ear or kind word can make the world of difference, but there are still other ways to take matters into your own hands and make sure the holiday season does not go missed.

Sometimes all you need is to get away. Go for a walk through the park, browse through a local store, sit and do nothing at a coffee shop, anything to get out of the house. Even if the weather is as sour as your mood, you will feel better for having been outside for as little as half an hour. To be honest, you do not have to have a goal when you set out into the big wide world. Allow yourself to be aimless. Depression thrives on restrictions, so being outside without a definitive plan will help break the mood.

ExpressYourself during



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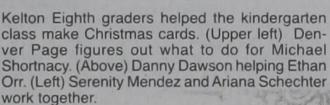
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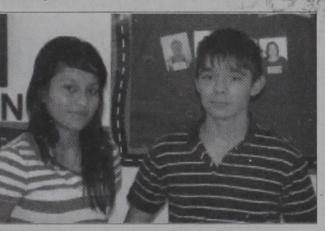


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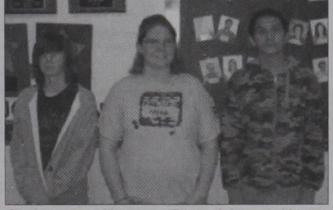
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Below: Area qualifying Chapter Conducting Team.

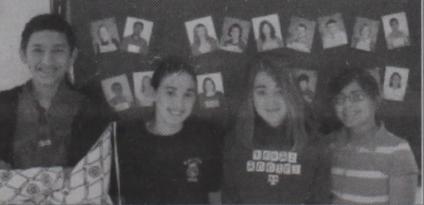




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Senior FFA skills team. Ethan Johnson, Kristen Garner, and Manual Esparza.



like it. Either way, he still needs to go a second time, just to make sure he was right the first time.

After the second time, if he's convinced that he really likes it, then he should immediately start looking for a girl who likes to coon hunt too, and marry her right away, before some other coon hunter gets her. They tell me that eligible coon-hunting girls are hard to come by, because of the high demand and short supply.

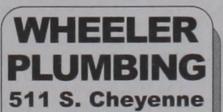
In a time of short supply, you might have to settle for a possumhunting girl. This is about all the marital advice I have. If you need help, (more complicated than this) you may have to consult a professional.

Once, when we were in high school, Lloyd Goad invited Dale Wofford and me, to go coon hunting with him. I had been one time before, when I was about ten years old, but that was a little too young to start thinking about a wife. So, I was ready for a second go at this.

Lloyd had several dogs, and he said they were all pretty good hunters, especially a female named, "Biscuits." Taking Lloyd up on his invite, the three of us, together with all the dogs, went over to the "Magic City" bridge, just south of Porter's ranch. We didn't leave Wheeler until dark and by the time we unloaded at the bridge, it was really dark!

The dogs quickly picked up the trail of a coon. They started running and baying. It was getting more exciting by the minute.. We took off on foot running down the river bottom, trying to stay as close to the dogs as we could. Not easy in the dark, sand, and bushes. We stumbled, staggered, and fell, no telling how many times. Once, we even blundered right into a big bunch of geese that were on the ground. At first, there was so much commotion, I didn't know where to go. Then it occurred to me, stand still, the geese would clear out on their own. It didn't take them long to disappear into the dark. Our hearts were thumping pretty good from that encounter and excitement was running pretty high. Can't hardly wait for the dogs to "tree" a coon!

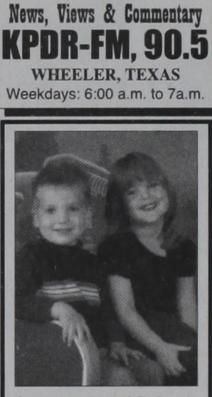
Every once in a while, Lloyd would say, "I hear "old Billy," I hear "old Jumbo," I hear "old Jackson," but I don't hear "old Biscuits." I was always amazed that coon



ers either.

Lloyd, kept on wondering what had happened to old Biscuits, why wasn't she baying too, along with the rest? One of us just happened to look back and sure enough... there was old Biscuits, trotting along right behind us.

I suppose, even a top-notch hound like her, can have an "off day" too



Grayson, 4, and Ruby, 5, are the children of Gary Don and Julie Forrester of Broken Arrow, OK. Grandparents are Ed and Patricia Forrester of Wheeler

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the Holidays to Avoid Depres-

Depression stifles who you are, turning your personality dull and making everyday tasks seem monumental. The weight of holiday depression can led sufferers to believe that they are not good at anything, and that their efforts will just fail so nothing is worth trying. This creates a vicious cycle that can keep you from doing the things you truly enjoy. Depression will spiral out of control until you eventually begin to question your own identity. ((Depression feeds off of repetition. As you settle into your holiday routine, depression can come on rather quickly. A general rule as far as this goes is: Whatever depression tells you to do, do the opposite. Do not allow depression to take away what makes you who you are. Find something that you identify with, like music, exercising, or decorating, something that makes you active. Once you have found a way to express yourself - dancing, singing, painting - make time for this activity, as it will promote selfexpression, which is one key to coping with depression. (Accepting Depression and Coping with Emotions

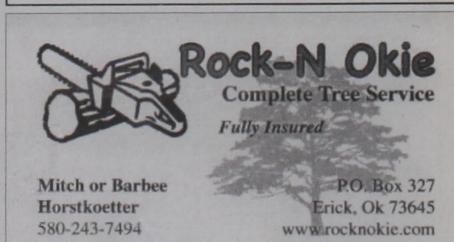
Depression, especially around the holidays, is common. It will never go away unless you take active steps in trying to defeat it. It may feel like an uphill battle the whole way, but it will be worth all the effort in the end.

Not only can these tips relieve depression around the holidays, they can be used whenever the feeling strikes. You are worth it!

(medcat (Give thanks for what you are now, and keep fighting for what you want to be tomorrow.



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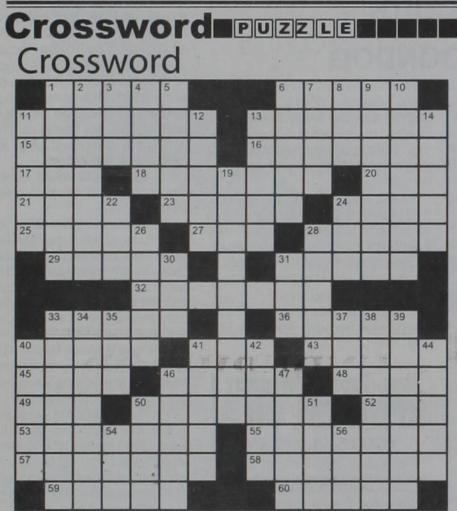
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Application of Golden Spread Electric Cooperative, Inc. to Amend a Certificate of Convenience and Necessity for a proposed Transmission Line Within Wheeler County)

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NOTICE OF SHERIFF'S SALE THE STATE OF TEXAS

COUNTY OF WHEELER

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NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that by virtue of a certain Writ of Execution issued out of the Honorable 31st Judicial District Court of Wheeler County, on December 10th, 2010 by Sherry Jones, District Clerk of said 31st Judicial District Court of Wheeler County for the Sum of \$1,490,185.61 under judgment in favor of Tommy F. Yowell, Harry J. Graff and Saja Corp., styled, Tommy F. Yowell, et al v. Aikman Oil corp. placed in my hands for service, I, Sheriff of Wheeler County, Texas, did, on the 14 day of December, 2010, levy on certain Real Estate, situated in Wheeler County, Texas, described as follows, towit

All of the undivided 8.0% of the consolidated oil, gas and mineral leasehold interest, more or less, together with any revisionary rights; and, all of the undivided 0.21 overriding royalty interest, more or less, created under and covering the land described in those certain Oil, Gas and Mineral Leases which have been filed for record in the Deed Records, Wheeler County, Texas, which references to the leases and land described therein are made as if said legal descriptions were written verbatim herein, as more fully set forth and referenced herein below, as follows, to-wit:

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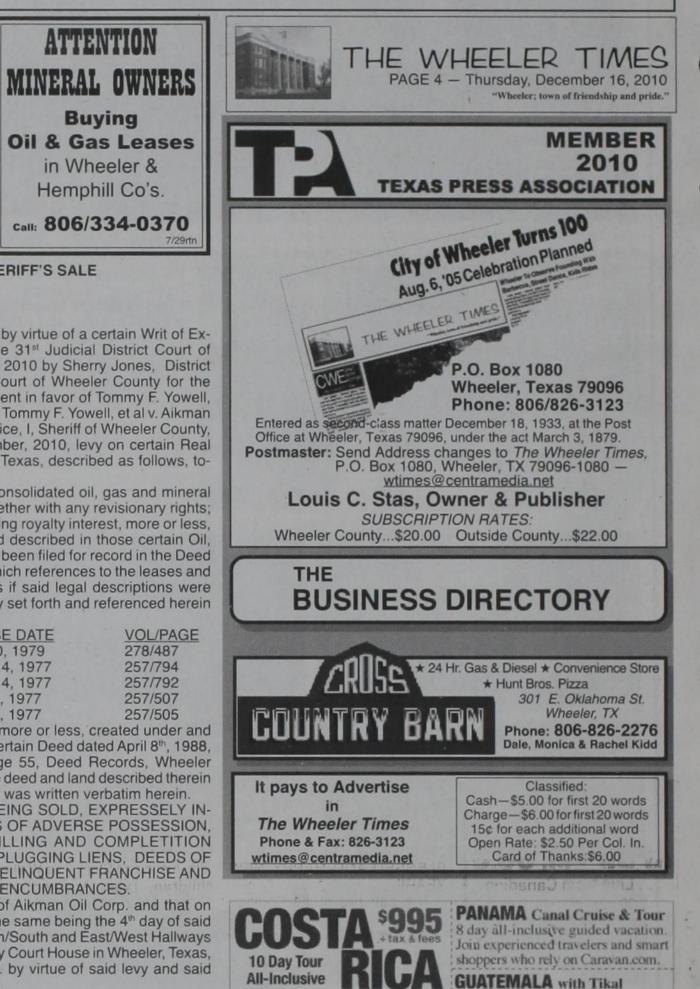
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mediately preceding said day of sale, in The Wheeler Times, a newspaper published in Wheeler, Texas. WITNESS MY HAND this 14 day of December, 2010.

(Signed) Rowdy Clark, Chief Deputy Sheriff, Wheeler County, Texas

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notifying you of the intent of Golden Spread Electric Cooperative, Inc., (Golden Spread) to amend its Certificate of Convenience and Necessity (CCN) for a new 115 kV transmission line to be located in Wheeler County, Texas. The project includes the construction of a new substation north of Wheeler approximately one (1) mile east of U.S. Highway 83. The estimated cost of the project is \$7,000,000.

Persons with questions about the transmission line may contact Randy Allison at (806) 379-7766. Persons who wish to intervene in the docket or comment on the applicant's application should mail the original and 10 copies of their requests to intervene or their comments to:

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The deadline for intervention in the docket is January 24, 2011, and the PUC should receive a letter from anyone requesting intervention by that date.

The PUC has a brochure titled "Landowners and Transmission Line Cases at the PUC. Copies of the brochure are available from Golden Spread Electric Cooperative, Inc. at (806) 379-7766 or may be downloaded from the PUC's website at www.puc.state.tx.us. To obtain additional information about this docket, you may contact the PUC's Customer Assistance Hotline at (512) 936-7120 or (888) 782-8477. Hearing- and speech-impaired individuals with text telephones (TTY) may contact the PUC's Customer Assistance Hotline at (512) 936-7136 or toll free at (800) 735-2989. In addition to the intervention dead-

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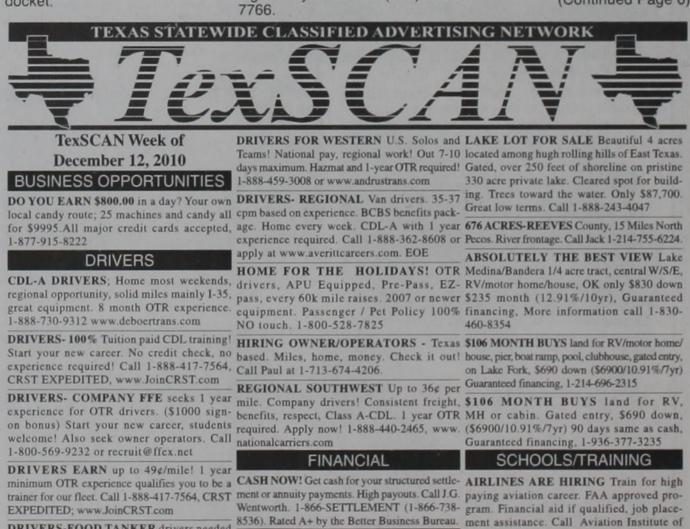
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I WILL extol thee, my God, O king: and I will bless thy name for bless thee; and I will praise thy them their meat in due season. shall praise thy works to another, and shall delcare thy mighty acts. I will speak of the glorious honour of thy majesty, and of thy wondrous works. And men shall speak of thy fright of thy terrible acts: and I will delcare thy greatness. They shall abundantly utter the memory of thy great goodness, and shall sing of thy righand full of compassion; slow to 145:1-21 anger, and of great mercy. The mercies are over all his works. All the works shall praise thee, O Lord; and thy saints shall bless thee. They shall speak of the

glory of thy kingdom, and talk of nity of Allison joined together in thy power; To make known to the making cookies and then those sons of men his mighty acts, and the glorious majesty of his kingdom. Thy kingdom is an everlasting kingdom, and thy dominion endureth throughout all generations. The Lord upholdeth all that fall, and raiseth up all those that be bowed down. The eyes of all ever and ever. Every day will I wait upon thee: and thou givest name for ever and ever. Great is Thou openest thine hand, and the Lord, and greatly to be satisfiest the desire of every liv- a Happy New Year. Later in the 36, Blk. A-7, H&GN Ry. Company praised; and his greatness is ing thing. The Lord is righteous day, several of the women went unsearchable. One generation in all his ways, and holy in all his to the Wheeler Nursing and Reworks. The Lord is nigh unto all them that call upon him, to all that and her Junior High School Choir call upon him in truth. He will ful- sang for the residents and then fil the desire of them that fear him: afterwards, punch was served he also will hear their cry, and will and the goodie bags were given save them. The Lord preserveth out as well. Then later in the afall them that love him: but all the ternoon, a few women went to the wicked will he destroy. My mouth Assisted Living at Parkview Hosshall speak the praise of the Lord: pital and served them punch and and let all flesh bless his holy delivered them bags of goodies. teousness. The Lord is gracious, name for ever and ever. Psalm Everyone was happy and appre-

The weather in Allison, Texas much. Thanks to all that planned Survey.

gathering at the United Methodist Church helped to put the cookies into zip lock bags and then put trail mix in the zip lock bags and then put them and candy and packaged peanut butter crackers and cheese crackers into a Christmas bag that had a tag from all the churches here in Alllison wishing all the people who received these bags a very Merry Christmas and hab Center where Ariel Lohberger ciated the refreshments very



we ate and played games and had a great time.

Tis the season to be joyous and happy and remember the birth of Jesus!

God Bless and Keep ya'll till next time!!

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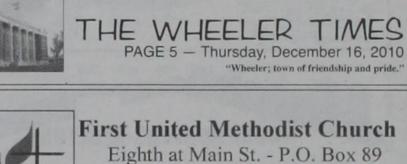
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ROW-Sidney Jackson, et vir to Enbridge Pipelines (Texas Gathering) LP, 10-21-10, Pt. SE/ 4 Sec. 2, AB&M Survey.

ROW-Clint Huff, et al to MarkWest Oklahoma Gas Company LLC, 11-2-10, Pt. Sec. 2, Blk. 5, Brooks & Burleson Survey

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STORMIE SHOPS AT OPEN HOUSE: There was a big Christmas Shop in Wheeler! I loved to look at all the pretty things. There were so many things to choose. Finally I found it! It was a beautiful pink butterfly for my hair! I had my birthday money from my "Brunkle" Mark (Meriwether). I spent some of my money, not all. I love the pretty bows and things for my hair!



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Lord is good to all: and his tender on this Tuesday morning is just and made this possible. There beautiful out, very COLD, but just was several good workers that looking outside from within a helped to bag the goodies and we warm house, it is beautiful. Praise wish to thank them as well. the Lord for his goodness and mercy to us. For his keeping Mobeetie and the Wheeler Branch power. MERRY CHRISTMAS EVERYONE and remember that their employees Monday night JESUS IS THE REASON FOR THE SEASON!! And a BLESSED AND HAPPY NEW YEAR!!

The First State Bank of had their Christmas party for and Juanita Boydston really did enjoy getting to entertain and visit with Justin and Stephanie Walker children, Tyler, Addison and The churches of the Commu- Alyssa. They were very good and

ROW-Susan Renee Blankenship to MarkWest Oklahoma Gas Company LLC, 11-18-10, Pt. SE/ 4 Sec. 31, Blk. A-3, H&GN Ry. Company Survey.

ROW-Rebecca Foreman, et al to MarkWest Oklahoma Gas Company LLC, 11-11-10, Pt. SE/ 4 Sec. 31, Blk. A-3, H&GN Ry. Company Survey.

ROW-Susan Renee Blankenship to MarkWest Oklahoma Gas Company LLC, 11-18-10, Pt. SE/ 4 Sec. 31, Blk. A-3, H&GN Ry. Company Survey

ROW-Mitchell Ehrlich to Follett National Bank, 11-24-10, Sec. 50, Blk. A-3, H&GN Ry. Company Survey

EXT. OL-Kevin Totty to Mobeetie Resource Development LLC, 11-16-10, W/2 NW/4 NW/4 Sec. 57, Blk. A-5, H&GN Ry. Company Survey

HEIRSHIP AFF.-James W. Winkley to Janice Davis, 11-22-10, 20 acs. W/2 NW/4 NW/4 Sec. 57, Blk. A-5, H&GN Ry. Company Survey.

MD-Daniel G. Kirk to Kenneth Wischkaemper, et al, 11-30-10, NW/4 Sec. 127; S/2 Sec. 128, Blk. 23, H&GN Ry. Company Survey.

ROY./MD-Virginia Carol Mixon to Miles L. Mixon, 12-6-10, See Instrument.

ASSIGN. CONVEY. BS-Cordillera Energy Partners III LLC to Granite Operating Company, 12-3-10, S/2 Sec. 31, Blk. A-3, H&GN Ry. Company Survey; SE/4 Sec. 40, Blk. A-4, H&GN Ry. Company Survey. D-Robert Earl Martin, et ux to

Hugh M. Shannon, et ux, 11-27-10, Pt. Lots 1 and 2, all of Lots 19 and 20, Blk. 8, HAS, Shamrock.

TERMINATION TRUST AFF.-Garland Moore, et al to Raymond and Isabell Moore Trust, 12-27-06, No Land Given. **DECEMBER 8, 2010**

TERM MD-Sessions Living Trust to R. Michael McCauley Jr., 12-1-10, Sec. 4, Blk. 5, Brooks & Burleson Survey.

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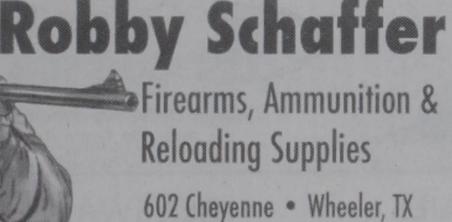
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D-Aaron Lee Lancaster, et al to Earnest Aaron Lancaster, 12-8-10, E 32 acs. NE/4 Sec. 49, Blk. A-5, H&GN Ry. Company Survey. D-Arica Corcoran Lancaster to Earnest Aaron Lancaster, 12-8-10, 210.11 acs. Secs. 5 and 6, Blk. A-5, H&GN Ry. Company Survey

ASSIGN. ASSUMPTION AGREE.-Chesapeake Energy Marketing Inc. to Chesapeake Midstream Gas Services LLC, 11-15-10, W/2 W/2 Sec. 17, Camp County School Land.

ROL-Rio Petroleum Inc. to 7-H Cattle Company, et al, 12-1-10, Secs. 86 and 87, Blk. A-5, H&GN Ry. Company Survey.

OL-B & G Operating Ltd. to Sanguine Gas Exploration LLC, 11-29-10, N/2 N/2 Sec. 41, Blk. A-5, H&GN Ry. Company Survey. OL-Samuel Don Haynes to Sanguine Gas Exploration LLC,

(from Page 5) H&GN Ry. Company Survey. 11-22-10, NE/4 Sec. 62, Blk. A-5, H&GN Ry. Company Survey. OL-George Kent Havens to Sanguine Gas Exploration LLC, 11-22-10, NE/4 Sec. 62, Blk. A-5, H&GN Ry. Company Survey. WELL-BORE ASSIGN.-Wichita LM Properties LLC to Sanguine Gas Exploration LLC, 11-17-10, W/2 Sec. 21, Blk. L, J. M. Lindsey Survey

ROW-Garland Moore, et ux to Sanguine Gas Exploration LLC, 11-15-10, Pt. NE/4 Sec. 36, Blk. A-7, H&GN Ry. Company Survey. OL-Gieseman Living Trust to Sanguine Gas Exploration LLC, 11-23-10, S 1/3 E 240 acs.; W 400 acs. Sec. 27, Blk. A-7, H&GN Ry. Company Survey.

Exploration LLC, et al to Gene B. Caperton Trust, et al, 10-1-10, Sec. 5, Blk. 1, Brooks & Burleson Survey.

11-10-10, S/2 Sec. 73, Blk. A-5, MEMO. OPERATING AGREE.- 4 Sec. 38, Blk. A-4, H&GN Ry. Chesapeake Exploration LLC, et Company Survey. OL-Catherin H. Elliott to al to Chesapeake Exploration ASSIGN. BS MD-First State Bank Sanguine Gas Exploration LLC, LLC, et al, 7-12-10, Sec. 5, Blk. of Mobeetie to DDC Track LLC, Brooks & Burleson Survey. 1, D-Kenneth Harold Austin, et al to DT-DDC Track LLC to First State Enogex Products LLC, 12-1-10, 70.0 acs. NW/4 Sec. 55, Blk. A-4, H&GN Ry. Company Survey. D-Russell Killingsworth, et ux to Ray Cogburn, et ux, 12-7-10, SW/4 Sec. 34, Blk. 17, H&GN Ry. Company Survey,

Killingsworth, et vir, 12-7-10, Pt. SW/4 Sec. 34, Blk. 17, H&GN Ry. Company Survey.

Killingsworth, et vir, 12-7-10, E/2 Sec. 34, Blk. 17, H&GN Ry. Company Survey.

DT-Russell Killingsworth, et ux to Survey Capital Farm Credit FLCA, 12-7-10, SW/4 (ROW); E/2 Sec. 34, UNIT. DESIGN.-Chesapeake Blk. 17, H&GN Ry. Company Survey.

RDT-Capital Farm Credit FLCA to Ray Cogburn, et al, 12-7-10, See Instrument.

Don Russell Killingsworth, et al, Sec. 17, Blk. A-7, H&GN Ry. 12-7-10, See Instrument.

DVL-Derin Chase to Matthew OL-Cledith Burrell to R K Pinson Ross Watkins, et ux, 12-6-10, Lots 13 and 14, Blk. 76, WSSA, Shamrock.

DVL-Basilia Chase to Matthew OL-Janice Ware Barr to Ross Watkins, et ux, 12-6-10, Lots 13 and 14, Blk. 76, WSSA, Shamrock.

DT-Matthew Ross Watkins, et ux Company Survey. to JP Morgan Chase Bank NA, 12-6-10, Lots 13 and 14, Blk. 76, WSSA, Shamrock.

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WELL-BORE ASSIGN.-BP America Production Company to Forest Oil Corporation, 11-15-10, Sec. 25, Camp County School Land.

STL-State of Texas to Hall-Mac Corporation, 12-3-10.

ROY./MD-Maurice M. Langston Company Survey. Jr. Trust, et al to Westco Family Limited Partnership, 12-2-10, Sec. 23, Blk. M-1, H&GN Ry. Company Survey.

DT-Westco Family Limited Partnership to G R Coddington Ventures Ltd., 11-12-10, Sec. 32

11-2-10, See Instrument. Bank of Mobeetie, 11-2-10, See

Instrument. **RDT-Great Plains National Bank** to John Mann, et al, 10-25-10, Sec. 57, Blk. 24, H&GN Ry. Company Survey

UNIT DESIGN.-Forest Oil ROW-Ray Cogburn, et ux to Cara Permian Corporation, et al to James H. Hill, et al, 10-25-10, Sec. 11, Blk. A-3, H&GN Ry. Company Survey

DVL-Ray Cogburn, et ux to Cara ASSIGN. CONVEY BS-Cordillera Energy Partners III LLC to Nowitzki Oil & Gas LP, 11-15-10, Sec. 2, Blk. 2, Brooks & Burleson

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UNIT DESIGN.-Sanguine Gas Exploration LLC, et al to Von A. RDT-Capital Farm Credit FLCA to Martin LLC, et al, 11-4-10, E/2 Company Survey.

> & Associates (TX) LLC, 7-30-10, N/2; N/2 SE/4 Sec. 3, Blk. A-2, H&GN Ry. Company Survey.

> Chesapeake Exploration LLC, 11-1-10, E 70.15 acs. N/2 SE/4 Sec. 5, Blk. A-4, H&GN Ry.

MEMO. OL-Black Stone Natural Resources I LP to BSAP I Inc., 11-12-10, SE/4 SE/4; SE/4 NE/4 Sec. 2, Blk. A-3, H&GN Ry.

Inc. to Trident Energy Inc., 11-15-10, Sec. 50, Blk. A-8, H&GN Ry. Company Survey.

OL-Hester Trust to Samson Lone Star LLC, 7-14-10, N/2 Sec. 63, Blk. M-1, H&GN Ry. Company Survey.

OL-Oklahoma Exploration Company to Samson Lone Star LLC, 7-14-10, N/2 Sec. 63, Blk. M-1, H&GN Ry. Company Survey.

RDT-Parson Family Trust to Floyd Skipper, et ux, 12-6-10, Pt. NE/4 Sec. 62, Blk. 23, H&GN Ry.

D-Don R. Lee to J B Lee of Austin Family Limited Partnership, et al, 11-23-10, 124.75 acs. W/2 Sec. I, Blk. 27, H&GN Ry. Company Survey.

TRUSTEES D-Opal C. Schroeter (Deceased) to Miles Pat Cline, 9-





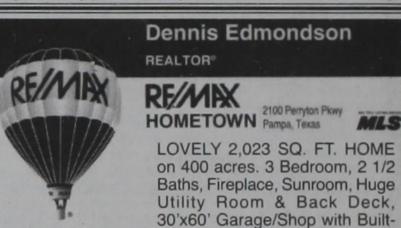
HOSTS: Ramon and Hilaria Perez were hosts for the celebration of the "Virgen de Guadelupe". Pictured with her grandparents is Crystal Hernandez.



being supplied to customers had exceeded the Maximum Contaminant Level (MCL) for NITRATE. The U.S. Environmental Protection Agency (U.S. EPA) has established the MCL for NITRATE at 10 mg/L. And has determined that it is a health concern at levels above the MCL. Analysis of the drinking water in your community for NITRATE indicates a level of 16 mg/L. This violation occurre during the third quarter of 2010.

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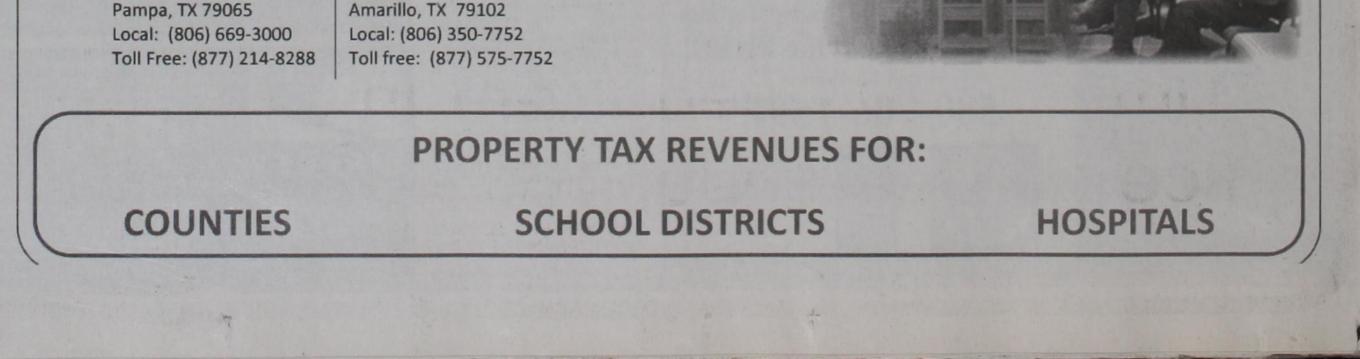
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Jessica Alls, Cierra Alvarado, Charmayne Hampton, Chantelle Hampton, Tannen McDermett, and Paloma Contreas participated in Senior Chapter Conducting. Teams conduct a mock chapter meeting to demonstrate knowledge of basic parliamentary law Alls, Tannen McDermett, and and the use of correct parliamentary procedures. At the conclusion of the meeting, team members are asked questions regard-FFA Sr. Chapter Conducting team placed 2nd in the Top of Texas District LDE and qualified to ad-Area in Sr. Chapter Conducting.

211, 214, 217, 220, 1393, 1522, 1540

Market Square

Chat (from Page 1)

I noticed I failed to 'jump' the drawing winners story last week. I have the whole thing on page one this week.

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- cwe -

Cierra Alvarado competed in the Sr. Quiz LDE. An exam testing team members' understanding of the FFA, agricultural education, ing parliamentary law. The Kelton current agricultural events and parliamentary procedure is given. Teams can be made of 3 or 4 members. The Kelton FFA Sr. vance to Area 1 LDE Contest held Quiz Team placed 2nd in the Top at West Texas A&M University in of Texas District LDE and quali-Canyon, TX. Kelton placed 9th in fied to advance to the Area 1 CDE in Canyon at WTAMU. At area, Chantelle Hampton, Jessica this team placed 9th in Area 1.

"Stormie's fancy dance."

- cwe -

group, Seth and Jayden Musae. choose to use an alternative They are both 2 1/2 and that was quite a long time to "be quiet". Jayden kept wanting to know where Stormie was.

- cwe -Water (from Page 6)

child must be given an alternative water supply for any consumption. Boiling the affected water is not an effective treatment for nitrate removal.

Most consumers do not need to use an alternative water supply. However, if you have health con-

We attended Stormie's cerns, you may want to talk to your performace in "The Nutcracker" doctor to get more information Saturday evening. Seth called it, about how this may affect you. At this time, the health effects to fetuses of pregnant women is un-We had two little ones in our clear. If you are pregnant, you may source of water for drinking and cooking purposes.

> We are working to correct the problem.

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THE WHEELER TIMES PAGE 8 - Thursday, December 16, 2010 "Wheeler; town of friendship and pride."

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