

# The Wheeler Times

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THE COUNTY SEAT NEWS PAPER

## Term District Court Begins 9th

Setting Outlined and Other Information to Facilitate Prompt Disposal of Cases

Friday, April 9, is the date set for the spring term of district court at Wheeler. Judge W. R. Ewing will occupy the bench, and Attorney Lewis M. Goodrich will represent the state. Tentative docket setting is as follows: 1st week—non-jury; 2nd week—jury; civil; 3rd week—jury; criminal; 4th week—jury, civil; 5th week—criminal cases, if any, given preference this week; 6th week—subject to criminal; 7th week—civil; jury. Subject to 8th week—open.

The Times acknowledges obligation to Miss Blanche Adams, district attorney, for the following information regarding the forthcoming term of court.

Appearance docket will be set by calling of the same. Cases set, as near as practicable, in order of their setting.

Court has experienced difficulty in getting cases to trial, especially set for trial during the part of the term, there being a delay on the part of the bar to cases passed by agreement to a day in the term; this frequently a congested condition during the days of the term. Hence, will not be passed by agreement on any day, except for good cause and the bar is now put on notice to have their cases ready for trial day set. If a case can not be set on day set by reason of absence being on trial, it will be called in its order, from day until it can be reached.

In which a jury is demanded, will be placed on the jury docket if a paid, or the statutory affidavit of inability to pay same is made. Contested divorce cases may be set at any time that may suit convenience of counsel and court.

In which there is no appearance on the calling of the docket, dismissed for want of prosecution or placed upon the retired as the circumstances may, in opinion of the court, warrant. A number of cases have been called to term, with no one appearing for either side. These cases are disposed of.

## ADDITION ON NEW SERVICE STATION

and was broken this, Thursday, for the foundation of an addition to the new filling station across highway east of the Carver Station. The addition, designed workshop and garage, will be 60 feet in dimensions, and of brick construction with built-in and concrete floor.

Hodnutt and Charley Flynt of have the contract, which is completion as soon as possible is estimated that, barring unusual difficulties, the new room finished in about 15 days. Original building, designed as a station, has been completed months, but has not been occupied.

The completion of the addition to the Wheeler Service station, operated by John Lewis and Norwood Johnson, will be moved to that from its present quarters opposite the Peoples store.

## DIAN POST TO GREET LEGIONNAIRES

Ch-Owens Post No. 56 Canadian host post of the American Legion's 18th district convention, is out a program of diversified entertainment for the several hundred legionnaires expected in that district on April 7 and 8. Invitations to 73 posts in the district have been sent not only by Zyden Post but also by Edward Wheeler, Canadian mayor, and S. J. Johnson, secretary of the Canadian Legion of Commerce. The attractions offered to the legionnaires will be a golf tournament, an officers' school, a dance, with a well known orchestra and a tea by state officers and a tea by visiting ladies.

## ATTENTION: BOY SCOUTS

All Boy Scouts of Wheeler are requested to attend a meeting of Troop 77 Friday night at 7:30 p. m. at the Methodist church. Special plans for an outing of the Scouts will be discussed. Remember—this meeting is for the new as well as the old troupe. If the Scouts wish to go on a hike they should be present at this meeting if it is at all possible.

## Britt and Howe Buy Gains Drug

Sale of another Wheeler business concern was recorded Saturday, when Buck Britt and Melvin Howe formed a partnership and purchased the Gains Drug Store from Dr. W. L. Gains and his brother Frank.

The new owners are not strangers in Wheeler and Wheeler county. Britt, a ranchman and livestock grower living on a ranch east of Wheeler, has lived here many years. He will continue that line, not being active in the drug store.

Mr. Howe, who has lived in the county 23 years, has spent most of that time in the Shamrock community. A year ago he accepted a position as pharmacist at the City Drug Store in Wheeler and was employed there until engaging in his new venture, where he assumes the duties of manager.

He is a registered pharmacist, spending one year at Canyon and three years at Oklahoma State University, of which he is a graduate. He will be assisted in the store by Roe Green, employed there the past year.

With the change of ownership, a change of name also occurs. The enterprise will be known in the future as the Royal Drug store. A new coat of paint and attractive sign on the front has been completed this week.

The store has been operated by the Gains brothers since 1928. Disposal of it was found necessary because of the continued illness of Frank, who managed the store. Dr. Gains could not spare the necessary time from his medical practice and hospital duties to look after the drug business. He will now devote his entire time to his practice.

The Gains brothers bespeak for their successors a continuance of the patronage of friends and customers of the store.

## REVIVAL MEETING AT THE MOBEETIE METHODIST CHURCH

With Rev. J. Edmund Kirby, pastor of the Methodist church in Wheeler, in charge of the preaching, a revival meeting is in progress at the Mobeetie Methodist church. Rev. Cecil Matthews, pastor of that church, accompanied Rev. Kirby to Wheeler Wednesday afternoon for a brief visit. Rev. Matthews stated that some splendid preaching features the services, and an invitation is extended the general public to join with the congregation in fostering a revival that will reach the entire community.

The revival is scheduled to continue several days yet.

## AUTO LICENSE PENALTY

Advices from the state highway department received by Mrs. M. L. Gunter, Wheeler county tax collector, carries a warning to motorists who have not secured licenses for the current year.

The communication says, in part: "Penalties on delinquent registrations are effective at and after midnight, April 1, provided the vehicle has been used on the highways after April 1."

"The full annual license fee must accompany registrations made during the month of April, 1934, and unless an affidavit accompanies the application on registrations made after April 1, penalties should be collected in addition to the annual fee."

Mrs. Gunter states that the law calls for 20 per cent penalty, and she has authorized this announcement in an effort to save costs to motorists.

## COUNTY COURT MONDAY

County court will convene next Monday, April 2, with Judge W. M. McMurtry presiding. According to records in the county clerk's office, a light docket is to be disposed of. With county court, which runs two weeks, overlapping one week on district court, which begins April 9, a busy time in court circles is foreseen for Wheeler.

## Interscholastic Meet Friday and Saturday

Annual County School Event Dated For Week End With Mobeetie As the Host

With every teacher and pupil in the county hoping for fair weather to supplant the usual brand prevailing for the past three or four week ends, the stage is all set at Mobeetie for the annual interscholastic county meet tomorrow and Saturday.

Interest in the event is keen throughout the county. Officials directing the affair, headed by B. T. Rucker, Magic City, predict that with any reasonable weather conditions, this year's meet will set a high mark in county annals; and may surpass all previous efforts.

The Times is indebted to the journalism class of Wheeler high school for the following list of entrants who will represent the local school in the interscholastic league meet. They are:

One-act play—Earl Sivage, Joe Meek, Nerine Young, Mamie Lee Starkey, Fae Ficke, John Ficke and Anna Mae Puett. Girls' debate—Ruth Dill and Willie Mae Hollabough. Extemporaneous speech—girls, Bessie Mae Ficke; boys, Raymond Creekmore. Girls tennis—singles, Helen Gilmore; doubles, Martha Alice Wiley and Parilee Clay. Boys tennis—singles, Curtis Weeks; doubles, H. E. Young and Curtis Weeks.

High school essay—Velma Pillars. Story telling—Edwina Flanagan. Declamation, both schools—senior boys, Curtis Weeks; girls, Ruth Garrison; junior boys, Everett Cole; girls, Nell McPherson; junior grammar grades, girls, Johnnie Fae Templeton; boys, Adrian Risner.

Miss Kathryn Bowers is in charge of choral singing.

Sub-junior track—Lavey Cross, Alton Weeks, J. I. Bale, LaVerne Coleman, Billie Burke, Mansel Womack, Louis Havenhill and Robert Smith. Arithmetic—Ruth Faust and Clowes Jones. Sub-junior spelling—Vivian Clay and Annis Ruth Denham. Picture memory—Joyce Faust, Melba Hyatt and Leona Brigman.

Junior essay—Naomi Johnson. Fourth and fifth grade spelling—Mary Nell Burke and J. W. Starkey. Junior high track—H. E. Young, Neil Hale, Robert Guynes, Edgar Flynt, Bob Tillman, Grady Havenhill, Dudley Callen and J. D. Badley.

Senior track—Earl Farris, Earl Sivage, John May, John Ficke, J. C. Turner, Christopher McClain, J. R. Burke, Bill McCarroll, Raymond Creekmore, Carl Haie, Dewey Vise, O. D. Conner, Cecil Sherwood, Curtis Weeks and Jack Guynes.

Miss Bennie Mae Williams has charge of the out-door baseball for girls, and C. B. Witt is in charge of the boys playground ball.

## NEW PHARMACIST AT CITY DRUG STORE

Glen D. Prather of Oklahoma City, arrived in Wheeler Wednesday night to accept a position as pharmacist at the City Drug store. He began his duties Thursday morning.

Prather is a graduate pharmacist of Oklahoma University. Recently he has been employed in Oklahoma City. Previous to that he held a position in southwestern Oklahoma.

He is a married man and has a wife and three children. The family did not accompany Prather here, but will come later, when he has had time to find suitable accommodations for them.

## SUNRISE EASTER SERVICE

One of the most inspirational and colorful services of the Easter season is to be the Easter Sunrise service sponsored by the Young People's Division of the Methodist Church. If weather conditions permit, the program will be given on the south lawn of the Methodist Church, and if not, it will be presented in the church, Sunday morning at 6:30 a. m.

An interesting feature of the program will be the echo singing of "He Lives on High"; other special songs, orchestral numbers, and readings will form a part of the worship.

Invitations were extended to the B. T. S. and the Christian Endeavor last Sunday, but due to the bad weather very few members were present to receive the invitation, and the Sponsors of the program wish to take this means of inviting every young person to attend the service. Help to make this observance of Easter worth while by your presence.

## 'Little Women' a Rogue Feature First of Week

Alcott Fans to See Screen Version of Classic With Katharine Hepburn in Lead

Louisa M. Alcott fans are to have their inning at the Rogue Theater the first of next week. Beginning Monday and continuing throughout Tuesday and Wednesday, April 2, 3 and 4, the New England classic, "Little Women," is to be shown, and Manager Lee Guthrie is assured that the screen story is a faithful reproduction of the settings made famous by that book.

The production, featuring a cast of 20 character artists headed by Katharine Hepburn, established a unique record in filmland long before actual production work began, when approximately 200,000 film fans wrote the RKO-Radio studio requesting that the story be made just as written, and not modernized, as was the studio's alternative project.

The tone of the letters indicated that the estimated 20,000,000 people in America alone who have read the great classic of home life would rather consider tampering with the letter and spirit of the original work uncalled for. School children, it was pointed out, have been taught to believe that the story represents the highest ideals of youth.

It was these letters that led to the decision to spend a fortune authenticating the period settings.

The Alcott home in Concord, Mass., where Louisa M. Alcott drew her characters from real life, was reproduced in its entirety at Hollywood. The home was photographed inside and out, and these photographs were used as models for the settings.

Miss Hepburn plays Jo. The supported cast and the roles they enact are Joan Bennett as Amy, Frances Dee as Meg, Jean Parker as Beth, Paul Lukas as Fritz Baher, Edna May Oliver as Aunt March, Douglas Montgomery as Laurie, Henry Stephenson as Mr. Laurence, Spring Byington as Marmee, Samuel Hinds as Mr. March, Mabel Colcord as Hannah, John Davis Lodge as Brooke and Nydia Westman as Mamie.

## BIRTHS

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Lowrie are the proud parents of a boy, born March 27.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Ross Adcock, of near Canadian, a baby boy, March 24.

## MISSIONARY SOCIETY

The regular meeting of the Women's Missionary Society met in the Methodist Church, Tuesday, March 27.

The program was a study from Christian Industry in America. The study was conducted by Mrs. J. E. Kirby, assisted by Mrs. Ed Cosper, Mrs. Dink Hunt, Mrs. Adams and Mrs. Robt. Bowers.

After singing "Faith of Our Fathers" and a prayer by Mrs. J. D. Merriman, we took up the lesson which had for its Bible reference only Matt. 7-12, embodying all the teachings of Christ as it were in the Golden principle or rule of life. And as we delved deeper and deeper into the lesson the wonder grew that any nation calling itself Christian, could let such conditions as have and do exist among the poorer and underpaid classes, especially among women and children.

We owe it to our town and neighbor and our state to vote for better labor standards within our state. Every woman whether or not she wished the franchise should live up to the privilege it has given her. How appropriate for us are these lines of Margaret Sangster: "It is not the things we do, dear, but the things we have left undone, That gives us a bit of heartache at the setting of the sun."

## Surprise Birthday Dinner

Mrs. S. G. Holley was pleasantly surprised Sunday, March 25, when her husband and children prepared a delicious dinner in honor of her 47th birthday, that was on Tuesday, the 27th.

Those who enjoyed the occasion were Messers and Mesdames Danah McDonald, W. O. Brodnax, J. P. Green, S. D. Conwell, Holt Green, Buford Conwell and Mrs. Russell Criner and son Jerry and S. G. Holley and family.

## SPECIAL NOTICE

Rev. J. Edmund Kirby, pastor of the Methodist church authorizes the following special notice:

"We invite the citizenship of Wheeler to place flowers in the church in memory of some loved one, or friend, for the Easter service Sunday morning."

## Seed Loan Office Is Opened Here

The Wheeler Times has just received word that an emergency crop loan office has been opened at the Weatherly & Derryberry offices in the Citizens State Bank building in Wheeler, and farmers desiring loans should apply there at their earliest convenience. It is understood that no applications can be received after April 30. These statements will be found in an advertisement of the above firm on another page of this paper.

This set-up is handled under the Farm Credit Administration, instituted during February of the present year.

According to the regulations under which the crop loans are to be made this year, any farmer who secures a loan must obtain a statement from the county production council, where one exist, that he does not intend to increase his acreage or production in violation of the Agricultural Adjustment Administration program.

In counties where a county production council has not been set up, before any application for a loan will be considered the farmer who is applying will have to give satisfactory evidence that he is co-operating with the production control program of the Agricultural Adjustment Administration.

The maximum amount of an emergency crop loan that may be obtained by any one individual is \$250, the minimum is \$25.

Applications for loans in any amount from \$25 to \$150 may be accepted by the emergency crop loan office provided the farmer does not have sufficient security to obtain a loan elsewhere.

A farmer applying for \$150 or more must first make application to the Production Credit Association for a loan from it. Rejection of this application by the association will be considered sufficient evidence that other credit is not available and the applicant may then make application to the emergency crop loan office.

## Third CCC Enrollment Ready for Applications

Wheeler County Allotment Is 10 Men—Eligibility Requirements Enumerated.

That Wheeler county has been allotted ten men in the forthcoming Civilian Conservation Corps enrollment, is the statement made public by W. Veale, county relief administrator, this week. Veale expressed the opinion that it may be possible to get the county quota increased and that his office will be glad to do all that it can to attain that end.

Those desiring to enroll are requested to file their names with the administrator at his office in Wheeler. As soon as application blanks and proper authority comes from Austin, applicants will submit to examination by a physician.

Eligibility qualifications include: Unmarried men who are American citizens between the ages of 18 and 25 inclusive, and who have dependents in Wheeler county or elsewhere to whom they are willing to allot a substantial portion of their monthly allowance. Dependents may be by blood or obligation.

Not more than one man from each family will be accepted. Applicants selected must come from families who are now on relief rolls. Or if it is shown that an applicant's family has not heretofore received relief, but there is now actual need of his wages to avoid public aid, he will be considered eligible.

Men with any history of mental derangement cannot be accepted. No man dismissed from the C. C. C. during a previous enrollment, whether an honorable discharge or otherwise, will be selected for further service.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Strentz and son, Lloyd Gayle, returned Friday from a business trip to Eden.

## County CWA Plan Ended This Week

Substitute Work Relief Program Not Yet Ready to Function—April 16 Date Set

Receipt of the following instructions from Adam R. Johnson, state relief official addressed to W. Veale, Wheeler county administrator, constitute the latest available information on the subject.

"CWA terminated March 29. Program of work relief previously announced for April 2 will not start on that date. Any new program will be strictly of relief and not employment, with the exception of certain projects already approved and listed in other communications. Make this clear to applicants and public officials.

"There will be no new relief work nor work program until at least April 16. In the interim you are instructed to see that every applicant is fully and completely investigated and eligibility for relief clearly established by means of test, and each budgeted. Give direct relief only in case of proven need.

"You will continue work on projects outlined in Letter 325, only essential persons to be retained. You are authorized in addition to furnish county agent and crop production loan committee with clerical help selected from relief rolls and to extent of budgeted needs. \* \* \* You are directed to make no obligations in excess of unobligated funds."

## MABEL LOUISE PATTERSON PASSED AWAY LAST WEEK

Mabel Louise, six-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Patterson, passed away Thursday, March 22, at her home in Sayre, Okla. She had the flu about five months ago, which affected her heart, later developing into dropsy. She was born Oct. 3, 1927, at Wellington, and departed this life March 22, 1934, at the age of six years, five months and 19 days. The doctors attending did all that medical skill could do to restore her health, but the Lord saw best to take her home to Heaven, where sickness, sorrow, heartache nor sin can enter. She had the best of care during her illness. Her mother was at her bedside day and night.

She is survived by her parents and two brothers, Clarence Arnold and Marion Eugene, three grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Sanders of Wheeler, and Mrs. Patterson of Wellington, and a host of relatives and friends.

Funeral services were conducted by Rev. G. W. Simmons at the Baptist church in Wheeler Friday, March 23, with burial in the Wheeler cemetery.

## SECOND P.-T. A. TOURNAMENT HELD ON TUESDAY EVENING

At the second P.-T. A. "42" tournament for this year, held Tuesday evening at the American Legion hall, \$10.50 was realized. Ten tables were occupied.

Miss Agnes Reynolds won high score for women, and O. Lewis made a high score for the men.

Refreshments of hot chocolate and sandwiches were served. Mrs. H. M. Wiley and Mrs. Lee Guthrie composed the entertainment committee.

## FINANCE IS SUBJECT OF B. & P. W. CLUB PROGRAM

The B. & P. W. club held their regular meeting Friday night in the ladies club room.

The program was on Finance, with Leet Womack, finance chairman, in charge. Parliamentary drill was led by Viola Jones. Mrs. Annie Hugh Lyle gave a very interesting talk on Finance. Roll call was answered by telling a joke. Plans were made to sponsor a pie supper on Thursday, April 12, at the Rogue theater.

Six new members were added to the membership, as follows: Wertha Tarter, Berge Goad, Jerome Brigman, Inez Garrison, Doris Hooker and Blanche Grainger.

Guests of the evening were: Annie Hugh Lyle, Nell Admas, Carrie Davis and Mary Smith of Shamrock, and Mrs. J. I. Maloy, Juanita Maloy and Lois Hodge of Wheeler.

Refreshments of hot chocolate and cinnamon rolls were served. Gordon T. Phillips has been quite ill with the flu for a week. He was able to be at his office Wednesday.

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## OUR YOUNG PEOPLE

While admitting that "the maze of conflicting standards, impulses and interests" of the present day are at times bewildering to the younger generation, Miss Katherine Lenroot of the Children's Bureau declares that on the whole children are no worse than their parents were during childhood.

She calls attention to the new agencies for studying boys and girls of the 'teen age, mentioning the Boy Scouts, Girls Scouts and Campfire Girls, each of which has a beneficial influence.

Miss Lenroot believes that more comforts of life, better educational opportunities, greater frankness in facing problems of sex, and other conditions of the present furnish a better basis for character development than was known by previous generations.

In cities and communities where statistics are available there has been a marked falling off in juvenile delinquency during the past ten years, and there has been no increase in the more serious offenses, if population be considered.

Miss Lenroot points out that each generation of adults, from the earliest times to the present has developed the wildness of youth, and wondered what the world was coming to. She adds that those in a position to observe actual conditions do not share in the apprehension of the alarmists.

Coming from one who views the subject from an exceptional point of vantage, the conclusion expressed by Miss Lenroot are reassuring.

## THE ARMY MAIL JOB

The average citizen will fail to understand why, with millions appropriated for defense of the country through armed forces, the Army Air Corps found flying the mail routes such a hazardous undertaking and so foreign to the knowledge of the flyers who undertook it when the contracts of the air lines were cancelled. Why such flying as was attempted and at which, apparently, the army failed so signally, should not have been a part of the routine the flyers were required to undertake, is the puzzle. Of course, the smart young men from all over the country obeyed instructions. They flew as they were told and when. Could it be possible that, when and if war comes the fine young men we have sent from all parts of the nation would be grounded except when flying in formation? What one wonders, did the army expect to do when it became necessary for a plane to do a solo in search of a gun, a battalion or whatnot in some unknown position that must be determined and charted?

If, as it has developed, the army could not take over the air mail, its complement not sufficiently trained for the job, the lay mind is unable to fathom why. Perhaps here is a reason rather than an excuse.

## A BILL FOR \$485.00

Suppose a Federal tax collector came to your home and presented a bill for \$485.00, telling you to pay it promptly or your property, investments, savings of anything else you possessed, would be attached to satisfy it?

You would feel outraged. But as the head of a family, you will pay a bill like that whether you know it or not. The amount represents the average family's share of federal expenditures for 1933, which totaled \$14,500,000,000. Some of it you pay directly, through federal income, gasoline and similar taxes. The bulk of it, so far as most families are concerned, is paid indirectly. It's part of the cost of shoes, clothing, furniture, food, theater tickets, automobiles—every necessity and luxury. After you have paid this, you are not through with your tax bill. State, county and city governments are left, all hungry for more money; all taking a constantly rising percentage of your income.

Businesses pay a substantially larger proportion of income in taxes than do individuals. An excessive drain on an industry's bill till for taxes means less money for wages, purchases and expansion. It means

that opportunity to find a job, or hold one you already have, or obtain an increase in pay, has been lessened.

The tax problem affects every investor, every home-owner, every worker, every family. Not one of us escapes its crushing burden. That is why each and every one of us should do his or her part to create efficient and economical government, and to study the necessity behind every tax demand from the smallest county seat in the land to the capital at Washington.

## PROFIT BY LESSON

The official observation of Financial Independence Week, which occurred from March 19 to 24, is over, but the benefits resulting from the Week should have just begun.

During that week speakers and writers, through the medium of the press, the platform, radio and advertising, told us of life insurance. We learned about annuities, about business reverse protection, about policies, guaranteeing education for one's children and security for our own old age, about endowments, straight life and a dozen other kinds of policies. Many of us doubtless were surprised to discover how completely life insurance meets the various financial and family problems each individual must face and solve. We learned that it is an investment as well as a protection, that it can be used to build an estate as well as to protect dependents against the death of the provider. Such lessons are invaluable at a time when social problems and the art of buying are a serious matter.

One must plan his life today. Being well insured isn't entirely a matter of amount—it largely depends on whether we have the kind that best fits our own needs and problems. Observance of Financial Week should encourage a national movement among individuals to protect themselves so far as possible against a repetition of the financial losses and hardships that are in many cases entirely unnecessary during a depression.

## FACING THE MUSIC

The National Recovery Administration asked the critics of the New Deal to come to Washington and express their views. They came, and they "cracked down" hard on the provisions of the different codes. The result is that the President stepped into the grand stand to direct the code orchestras. General Johnson's 519 codes aren't as perfect as that explosive gentlemen evidently believed they were.

Now the question arises to what to do about shortening maximum hours, increasing minimum wages, improving enforcement of labor provisions and compelling obedience to the whole program under which the government is seeking to control and manage the affairs of a free people.

General Johnson seems to have been convinced that there are a good many sour notes in his orchestra. Still, it is evident, that industrial America is standing pat; and nearly everyone is patiently praying that the New Deal may be successful.—Tulia Herald.

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## CITATION

The State of Texas)  
County of Wheeler)  
To the Sheriff or any Constable of  
Wheeler County, Greeting:

You are hereby commanded to summon R. C. Moore by making publication of this citation once in each week for four consecutive weeks in your county, to appear at the next regular term of the District Court of Wheeler County, to be held at the court house thereof in Wheeler, on the 9th day of April, 1934, then and there to answer a petition filed in said court on the 8th day of March, 1934, in a suit, numbered on the docket of said court No. 2378, wherein Jane Moore is plaintiff, and R. C. Moore is defendant, alleging cruel treatment as grounds for divorce.

Herein fail not, but have you before said court on the said first day of the next term thereof, this writ, with your return thereon, showing how you have executed the same.

Given under my hand and seal of said court and issued the 8th day of March, 1934.  
(SEAL) BLANCHE ADAMS,  
Clerk District Court, Wheeler County, Texas.

## ELECTION NOTICE

STATE OF TEXAS,  
County of Wheeler,  
Town of Wheeler.

Notice is hereby given that an election will be held at the city office (Citizens State Bank Building) in the town of Wheeler, in this county, on the 3rd day of April, A. D. 1934, the same being the First Tuesday in

said month, for the purpose of electing a Mayor, and Three (3) Aldermen for said town of Wheeler. J. N. Green has been appointed presiding

## Fair Food PRICES SATURDAY AND MONDAY

MACARONI Pkg. -----	4c
SPAGHETTI Pkg. -----	4c
20 Lbs. CREAM MEAL -----	40c
Sunrise Special COFFEE, pkg. -----	22c
Bonnie OATS Pkg. -----	15c
Swansdown CAKE FLOUR, Pkg. -----	29c
48 Lbs. GOOD FLOUR -----	\$1.55
Quart Jar MUSTARD for -----	12c
Clabber Girl BAKING POWDER, 2 lb. can -----	23c
Big Ben SOAP 7 bars for -----	25c
Palm Olive SOAP, per bar -----	5c
Several other brands of SOAP, per bar -----	5c

We have in stock a choice line of Garden Seeds and the prices are RIGHT.

The foregoing list of staple items will give you an idea of the scale of prices on the many other lines of choice, fresh merchandise to be found here.

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officer for said election, and he shall select One (1) Judge and One (1) clerk to assist in holding same, and said election shall be held in the same manner prescribed for holding other elections.

Every person who has attained the age of twenty-one (21) years and who has resided within the limits of the town for six months next preceding the date of said election and is a qualified voter under the laws of the State of Texas, shall be entitled to vote at said election.

Witness my hand this the 6th day of March, A. D. 1934.

R. D. HOLT,  
Mayor of the town of  
Wheeler, Texas.

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Herein fail not, but have you before said court on the said first day of the next term thereof, this writ, with your return thereon, showing how you have executed the same.

Given under my hand and seal of said court and issued the 6th day of March, 1934.

(SEAL) BLANCHE ADAMS,  
Clerk District Court, Wheeler County, Texas.

Rev. and Mrs. Alamo Starkey and children were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Newsome.

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## Banks

OFFICIAL STATEMENT OF FINANCIAL CONDITION of the

## First State Bank of Mobeetie

at Mobeetie, State of Texas, at the close of business on the 5th day of March, 1934, published in the Wheeler Times, a newspaper printed and published at Wheeler, State of Texas, on the 29th day of March, 1934.

## RESOURCES

Loans and discounts, on personal or collateral security -----	\$ 56,351.76
Loans secured by real estate -----	1,372.10
Overdrafts -----	58.14
Securities of U. S., any State or political subdivision thereof --	1,208.40
Banking House -----	10,654.66
Furniture and Fixtures -----	2,000.00
Real Estate owned, other than banking house -----	1,802.46
Cash in bank -----	1,078.80
Due from approved reserve agents -----	63,634.78
Stock Depositors Insurance Co. -----	1,000.00
Other Resources -----	150.94

TOTAL ----- \$139,312.04

## LIABILITIES

Capital Stock -----	\$ 20,000.00
Surplus Fund -----	5,000.00
Undivided Profit, net -----	4,224.22
Individual Deposits subject to check, including time deposits due in 30 days -----	109,617.71
Time Certificates of Deposit -----	446.88
Cashier's Checks Outstanding -----	23.23

TOTAL ----- \$139,312.04

STATE OF TEXAS, County of Wheeler.  
We, A. Finsterwald, as President, and H. L. Flanagan, as Cashier of said bank, each of us, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of our knowledge and belief.

(Seal) A. FINSTERWALD, President  
CORRECT ATTEST: H. L. FLANAGAN, Cashier  
GEO. B. DUNN, MARK MUSELBY, W. G. STILES, Directors.  
Subscribed and sworn to before me this 27th day of March, A. D. 1934.  
G. L. KEY, Notary Public, Wheeler County, Texas.

## Car Parts Specials

Chevrolet car rear axles -----	\$2.00
Chevrolet car drive shafts -----	3.35
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Chevrolet car crutch hubs, complete -----	2.00
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Model A Ford piston rings -----	1.50
Chevrolet 4 piston rings -----	2.00
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Chevrolet and Model A Ford armatures exchanged -----	2.00
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We carry a complete line of automobile parts, including:  
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Yates Shoe and Harness Repair Shop in connection.

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## Notice to Farmers

We are prepared to take your application for  
**Feed and Seed Loans**  
There will be no deduction from your 1934 loan, for due on feed and seed loans, or any other proceeds due cotton reduction, etc.

No applications will be accepted after April 30, 1934.

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## When You Think of Windmills

# AERMOTOR Windmills

The Windmill with Outstanding Features  
A strong wheel with only six bolts . . . Round tension wheel arms which screw into the hub—they will never work loose . . . Extra large wheel shaft . . . Removable bearings easily replaced . . . Quiet gears . . . Adjustable stroke . . . Adjustable brake . . . Self-oiling pump pole swivel . . . Smooth regulation in high winds.  
The Auto-Oiled type of Aermotor was first made in 1915. It solved in a very practical way the problem of windmill lubrication. The general system adopted by the Aermotor Co. has never been improved upon, but some changes in details of construction have been made from time to time as experience has shown the way to betterments. The latest improvements are the most important that have ever been made and will surely make the Aermotor more decidedly than ever the outstanding windmill of the world.

The performance of a windmill depends much upon upon which it stands. In buying a windmill like the Aermotor is going to last for many years, it is important that it be on a strong, rigid tower which will last as long as the Aermotor Towers are wonderfully strong and durable.

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Will Rogers and Zasu Pitts

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Fri.--Sat. & Sat. Matinee

Also, Harry Langdon in "Roaming Romance"

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# "LITTLE WOMEN"

Three Days, April 2-3-4

Also, Amos & Andy Cartoon

## FREE TICKETS

Listen, Girls: Here is a chance for you to see "Little Women" To all girls between the ages of 10 and 16 inclusive who are admitted Free. If you are entitled to a free pass, have your sign below and come be our guest.

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**Golden Ply prevents cause of blow-outs!**  
Prevent blow-out tragedies, which has built into every new Golden Ply. This invention inside the tire—blow-outs really start. Rub-fabric don't separate. Thus, wheels don't form. Blow-outs prevented by overcoming their unseen cause.

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get finer fabrics and er workmanship when have your Suit made order here. But cost o higher than a ready- e suit.  
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**PLEASANT HILL**

**Helen Sanders**  
Mr. and Mrs. Carl Lamb from the Porter Flat community, who have been visiting in the W. M. Sanders home for the past few days, returned home Monday. Macy Sanders accompanied them home where she will remain for the rest of the year.

Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Patterson from Sayre, Oklahoma, and Grandma Patterson from Wellington, visited in the B. W. Hill home Saturday.

The small daughter of Clifford Mason is very ill with bronchial pneumonia at this writing.  
Rev. G. W. Simmons filled his regular appointment at Amarillo Saturday night and Sunday. Miss Opal Shumate accompanied him, where she will remain to attend business college.

A large number from this community attended the funeral of little Mabel Patterson, Friday.

Opal Shumate entertained a group of young folks with a party Thursday night. All reported a nice time.

R. W. Sanders and Carl Rogers of Delhi, Oklahoma, spent Friday night in the home of W. M. Sanders.

Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Patterson from Sayre, Oklahoma, spent Friday night with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Sanders. They returned home Saturday. Mrs. Patterson from Wellington accompanied them home where she will visit for a few days.  
Mr. and Mrs. P. N. Durham and daughters and Mr. and Mrs. Loftin Pitts from Chillicothe, Texas, visited with Mrs. Durham's sister, Mrs. W. M. Sanders, over the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Patterson and children were visitors in the G. W. Mason home Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Lamb and family spent Saturday night with Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Anglin.

Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Sanders had as their Sunday dinner guests Mr. and Mrs. Loftin Pitts, Mr. and Mrs. P. N. Durham and daughters, Mr. and Mrs. Murry Sanders and sons, Mack Sanders, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Lamb and children, Garland and Carlene, and Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Anglin and children, Donald and Jaunell.

**CORN VALLEY NEWS**

By Mrs. Ebb Farmer

Mr. and Mrs. Archie Crane and Mr. and Mrs. Herman Morris spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Shelby Pettit, of Briscoe.

Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Farmer spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Morrison Boone of the Toddy community.

P. J. Mears has moved his station to Magic City.  
Mrs. Joe Ing, who has been visiting her daughter, Mrs. Emanuel Bonham, has returned to her home in Elk City, Okla.

Mrs. Herman Morris was in Mobeetie Tuesday on business.

Miss Joyce Bailey spent Tuesday afternoon with Miss Cozette Wharton.

Earl Sivage of Briscoe spent Saturday night with Mr. and Mrs. Olen Johnson.

Miss Leta Arnold of Mobeetie visited Sunday with Mrs. F. H. Ing.

Mr. and Mrs. Carrol McClennen attended the American Legion supper at Wheeler last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Olen Johnson spent Sunday with Mrs. Annie Sivage near Briscoe.

The Wheeler Times—\$1.00 a Year.

Charter No. 12627; Reserve District No. 11

**Banks**  
REPORT OF CONDITION OF THE  
**First National Bank**

OF WHEELER,  
In the State of Texas, at the close of business on March 5th, 1934

ASSETS	
Loans and discounts	\$44,870.34
Overdrafts	356.62
Other bonds, stocks, and securities owned	900.00
Banking house, \$6,000.00; Furniture and fixtures, \$1,900.00	7,900.00
Real Estate owned other than banking house	3,200.00
Reserve with Federal Reserve Bank	9,619.18
Cash in vault and balances with other banks	27,924.69
Other assets	831.50
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>\$95,602.33</b>
LIABILITIES	
Demand deposits, except U. S. Government deposits, public funds and deposits of other banks	\$62,885.41
Time deposits, except postal savings, public funds and deposits of other banks	3,715.25
Public funds of States, counties, school districts, or other subdivisions or municipalities	1,703.66
Deposits of other banks, including certified and cashiers' checks outstanding	945.60
Total Deposits	69,249.92
Undivided profits—net	1,352.41
Capital stock	25,000.00
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>\$95,602.33</b>

Total Including Capital Account \$95,602.33  
STATE OF TEXAS, County of Wheeler.

I, Frank B. Craig, Cashier of the above-named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.  
FRANK B. CRAIG, Cashier.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 28th day of March, 1934.  
(Seal)  
J. N. PORTER, Notary Public.

CORRECT—ATTEST:  
STILES, A. FINSTERWALD, W. E. PENNINGTON, Directors.

**MOBEETIE**

Wilber Burch

Dennis Reynolds spent Sunday with Roy Williams.

Mrs. Tom Hale returned to her home Thursday after visiting relatives in Bowie, Texas.

Lee Risley spent Friday and Saturday at Canyon.

Mr. and Mrs. John Newman of Decatur visited in the C. N. Ward home Tuesday and Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Connell of Carlsbad N. Mex., visited in the W. E. Dart home over the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Homer Bartram visited in the A. H. Bartram home Sunday. Misses Shirley and Bonnie Cox and Maggie Burns were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Elgen Harrel of Lefors, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Johnston visited in Amarillo Friday and Saturday.

Leo Cupples and Miss Margaret Weaver were united in marriage Saturday evening in the home of the groom's parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. W. West of Mobeetie.

Angus Oswalt, who is attending school at Pampa, visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Bert Oswalt over the week end.

Miss Mary Sims, a student of Canadian high school, visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. G. Sims over the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Kerr left Monday for Fort Worth, where they will visit a few days.

Miss Lillie B. Meadows of Wheeler was a Mobeetie visitor the past week.

The Mobeetie schools closed last Friday so the faculty might attend the teachers' conference at Canyon Friday and Saturday. The time devoted to the conference was well worth while, for many of the outstanding state officials, among them being State Supt. L. A. Woods, were present. Many inspirational speeches were made.

This conference brought all members of the teachers profession closer together and caused them to see the need of organization before much progress in education can be made. New hopes and enthusiasm were aroused. All who participated in the conference benefitted much by having done so.

**Movie Chatter**

By a Rogue

**Will Rogers in Mr. Skitch**

Breathes there a man, woman or child who has never laughed at Zasu Pitts? Could there be such a person who has never laughed at Will Rogers? If such there be, he, she or it can never make this claim after seeing Will and Zasu together in their latest picture, "Mr. Skitch," which comes to the Rogue Friday and Saturday and Saturday matinee.

Everyone likes clean fun, and this they are assured in any Rogers picture, to say nothing of Zasu thrown in for good measure. Also, Harry Langdon in "Roaming Romeo."

**"Little Women"**  
By Louisa May Alcott

Here is the story that the world has been waiting 65 years to see. Here is the story that every girl reads for the first time at about the age of 12 years and then continues to reread at regular intervals for the rest of her life. It is the immortal Louisa May Alcott's "Little Women." It is coming to the Rogue Theater for three days, commencing Monday, April 2.

**KELTON NEWS**

Mrs. Jackie Isbell

Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Peterman transacted business in Wheeler Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. George Henderson and family attended the funeral of his nephew, Haskell Attaway of Plainview, at Shamrock Tuesday.

Mrs. Claud Davis was a Shamrock visitor Saturday.

A. C. Brown transacted business in Shamrock Saturday.

Ross Batey is spending a few days with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Batey.

Mr. E. L. Wall was called Friday to the bedside of her father, E. Jackson, who is seriously ill. He is reported to be gaining a little strength.

George Hefflin of Twitty was a Kelton and Wheeler visitor Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. James Scott and son James, Jr., and Charley Britten were Reydon and Allison visitors Friday. Mrs. Scott is spending a week or two with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charley Sargent at Allison.

George Henderson transacted business in Shamrock Thursday.

Miss Inamae Jolley spent the week end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Jolley of Twitty.

E. L. Wall and Bailey Whiteley were business callers in Berlin, Oklahoma, Thursday.

Mrs. Pauline Barron of Amarillo is spending a few days with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Chilton, here.

A. J. McCord spent the week end with his family in Shamrock.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy McCurley were Shamrock visitors Saturday.

Floyd Carver, Joe Henderson and Ross Batey were Shamrock business callers Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Tommie Isbell and Mrs. A. C. Brown were Erick, Oklahoma shoppers Monday.

James Scott was a Wheeler visitor Saturday.

Frank Chilton transacted business in Texola Saturday.

Gus and Luther Hampton of Sweetwater visited friends and relatives here Friday.

Olan Mitchell was a Kelton visitor Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Lamar Roberts of Sayre, Oklahoma, were Kelton and Twitty visitors Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Whitener of Shamrock and Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Wood and small daughter of Clovis, New Mexico, visited Mr. and Mrs. Claud Davis here Sunday.

Oliver Blackburn of Erick, Oklahoma, is visiting with friends and relatives here.

Mr. and Mrs. D. L. Briley of Sayre, Oklahoma, visited friends and relatives here Monday.

S. L. Wall was a business caller in Wheeler Tuesday.

Joe Cooper and son of Davis were Kelton callers Friday.

Virgil Owens and Leroy Wall were Shamrock callers Saturday.

**NOTICE!**

**Purchase of the  
Gaines Drug Store**

Buck Britt and Melvin G. Howe wish to announce to their many friends in Wheeler and Wheeler county that they have purchased the Gaines Drug Store in Wheeler and have renamed it the Royal Drug Store.

The public is requested to consider the Royal Drug when in need of drugs and sundries.

You can rely on us for a high quality of merchandise and courteous serv. ce.

Visit the Royal Drug when in Wheeler, for we appreciate your patronage.

**Prescriptions Carefully Compounded  
Fountain Service  
Cosmetics**

**Royal Drug Store  
MELVIN G. HOWE, Manager**

**LAW'S CLAMMY HANDS  
REACHING FOR BARBER**

Mobeetie has just as good as lost a fine barber, for there comes a time in human events when the law is forced to step in and lay its cold and clammy hands upon the mainspring of a problem which seriously threatens society in general and is a menace to the children.

Our old comrade, Edgar Carter, is the very man in reference, who has

committed this high crime and misdemeanor by attaching a snapshot picture of himself to his barber's license and hanging it in plain view, right smack-dab in his front office.

The sight of it has already thrown one baby into spasms, and caused a Ford car to shed several bolts and about three pounds of haywire.—By J. E. Burgess.

Mrs. J. M. Porter went to Dallas Tuesday, to spend a few days.

**Dr. F. N. Reynolds  
DENTIST  
WHEELER, TEXAS**

Special Attention Given to Extractions, Plates and Gum Diseases.  
OFFICE WILKINSON HOME—SOUTH OF GUNTER HOTEL

**Friday & Saturday Specials**

FRESH VEGETABLES		Grape-Nuts Flakes 10c	
Radishes, bunch	5c	With "Scottie" Spoon, pkg.	23c
Carrots, bunch		Crackers, 2 lb. box	
Lettuce, head		Mackerel, can	
Texas Oranges, doz.	15c	Fresh Oysters, pt.	40c
Grapefruit, each	5c	Cheese, lb.	18c
Bananas, nice size, doz.	15c	Light House Cleanser, can	5c
8 oz. Vanilla Extract	19c	BIG A FLOUR, 48 lbs.	\$1.55
3 lbs. Brazos Coffee, With knife and fork	95c	W. P. Salad Dressing, half pt.	10c
1 lb. with teaspoon	35c	Mustard, qt.	15c
Bonnie Oats 2 for	35c	Sugar, 25 lbs.	\$1.19
Seed Sweet Spuds, bu.	\$1.50		
Extracted Honey, gal.	95c		

**Rabbit Free!** WITH EACH TEN EASTER EGGS YOU BUY, YOU GET A CHANCE ON THE EASTER RABBIT FREE

**Puckett's Store No. 4**

# THE CORRAL

Edited weekly by Journalism Students of Wheeler High School.

### THE STAFF

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### ARE YOU JEALOUS?

Fame is something that we all wish to achieve but "there's some got to be jest common people" like the most of us if we wish to keep peace in this good United States of America. We all would like to be President but one at a time is enough for such a large host of people and besides there is not enough time for each person to serve a term that would be worth while.

In school there are usually girls and boys that are popular with all the students, or I mean the majority of the student body. Do you watch these pupils closer than any of the others in order to see all of the mistakes that they make and criticize them when you probably make the same error or one that is much worse? It seems to me, of course you may think differently, that JEALOUSY causes a great many of us to do and say unpleasant things to our associates. I do not mean that when you dislike a person that you are jealous of him because this isn't always the cause.

When one pupil makes a better grade than another there is a tendency to be envious of him and we try to find faults with his work if possible. Malice not only rules in grades but also in other phases of life and even in all sports that are carried on in school. Every few days you read in the paper where one person has killed himself and maybe taken the lives of several others just because he is envious of some one.

I term Jealousy as something similar to a disease, but of course not a physical weakness, which may be cured only by your special attention and care. Are you spiteful of someone—if so, why? You should be glad if he or she is able to possess something that you do not and can not get very easily. Your being jealous may cause and does cause some people many unhappy hours and heartaches that otherwise would have never happened. If you are ill-willed and you know it why not change? I'm sure that you will feel better and also your friends will feel better toward you. From now on when one of your classmates possesses a talent that you lack why not pat him on the back and tell him just how much that you admire his works. Even if you do not say so, you think that he is great and wish that you could do something just as good. You probably have a talent that he or she doesn't own. Now isn't that right? How do you "lak" the idea of fighting jealousy and fighting it hard? It is a small word with many troubles following around after and with it. So you must work hard to bury such a wor' and bury it deep. A.M.P.

### GILMORE IS CHAIRMAN OF RESOLUTION COMMITTEE

Supt. J. L. Gilmore was chairman of the resolutions committee of the teachers' meeting in Canyon last week end. There were almost 2,000 teachers at this gathering. Many noted men spoke. Some of them are Doctor Brezell, president of the Oklahoma University, Doctor D. E. Campbell of the Peabody College, J. O. Loftin, president of Texas State Teachers Association, and L. A. Woods state superintendent. The music was furnished by the Amarillo Orchestra, Canyon Orchestra and Band, and the Canadian Girls Glee Club.

### LEAGUERS ATTEND PARTY AT METHODIST CHURCH

Monday evening at 8:00 o'clock in the basement of the Methodist Church the Epworth League was entertained with a "42" party. Refreshments of wieners and buns were served to Fay Ficke, Anna Mae Green, Nerene Young, Marguerite Ficke, Elizabeth Joss, Wanda Taylor, Minnie Hix, Bessie Mae Ficke, Helen Green, Inez Shipman, Joe Meek, Tom Wood, Earl Savage, Charles Hix, and Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Meek.

### Honor Roll Increases By Large Percentage

Showing an increase in the grades, the honor roll for this past six weeks, has a total of eighty-five students. Twenty made all A's and sixty-five received A's and B's.

The following students are honored for making high grades. First grades: All A's: Patsy Beal, Vera Mae Derryberry, Fontilla Montgomery, Louise Fillmore, Alfred Hale and Jean Hall. All A's and B's: Marion Janell Crowder, Geraldine Deering, Eula Bootman, Audrey Bootman, Devan Brigman, Sonny Boy Crossland, Robert Goad, Donald Hunt, Jonnie Noah, Joe Page, Hubert Leau Parker, Carl Pierce, Eddy B. Witt and J. W. Creekmore.

Second grade all A's: Peggie Nell Badley, Lavern Gill, Arlie Ruth Waters and Wilburn Brasher. A's and B's: Lucille Balch, Imogene Crowder, Mabel Lamb, Pauline Miller, Veneta Mitchell, Geroldine Williams, Alice Pearl Hogan, Clyde Guynes, Billy Hix and F. A. Starkey.

Third Grade, all A's: Dorothy Sanders, Emily Lou Ahlyler, Edwina Flanagan, Annie Dail Bowers and Elza Thurston. A's and B's: Boneta Dowdy, Pauline Underwood, Jaunita Johnson, Inetta Maxwell, Dorothy Grace Bland, Anita Hale, Audrey Haynes, Wilma Derryberry, Jim Johnson, Billy Wiley, F. B. Craig, Bobbie Cooper, Herman Floyd, Robert Bean, Leroy Goad, Earl Deering and Quincy Deering.

Fourth grade, all A's: Mary Nell Burke and Adrian Risner. A's and B's: Melba Deering, Marie Herd and Joe Griffin.

Fifth grade A's and B's: Elizabeth Balch, Leona Brigman, Stella Cooper, Presley Guynes, Louise Genthe, Melba Hyatt and Theodore Cooper.

Sixth grade, all A's: Johnnie Faye Templeton. A's and B's: Helen Flynt.

Seventh grade, all A's Vivian Clay. All A's and B's: Lula Barr, Margie Bowers, Clara Jean Dill, Ruth Faust, Mary Genthe, Irene Hunt, Lavelle Jacob, Jonnie Lewis, Mildred Plattor, Amos Page, Wayland Pollard, Alton Weeks and Mansel Womack.

### AUNT SUSIE SUGGESTS:

Dear Aunt Susie: Please tell me why I did not get to go to Canadian last Sunday?—Walter.

Dear Walter: The reason you did get to go is because you were not brave enough to walk like Coy did.—Aunt Susie.

Dearest Old Aunt Susie: Will you tell me how to keep the "big boys" from pulling my trousers off?—Curtis.

Dear Curtis: If you will take the "big boys" advice and leave the grade school girls alone you will have no more trouble.—Aunt Susie.

Dear Aunt Susie: Tell me what to do to get Walter in a good humor. He is mad at me and it is breaking my heart.—Chubby.

Dear Chubby: You will have to be very nice to him and you should always agree with him upon any subject; this will finally win him over.—Aunt Susie.

Mrs. Gilmore says, "Come tomorrow we'll try to have a test before we pass out."

### SPECIALS Saturday-Monday

- CABBAGE, lb .....2½c
- NEW POTATOES, lb. ....5c
- CARROTS, bunch, .....5c
- LETTUCE, head .....5c
- Big Ben SOAP, 7 bars ....25c
- CORN STARCH, 3 boxes ..25c
- Lighthouse CLEANSER, can 5c

We also have plenty of GARDEN SEEDS at 5c package.

We buy all kinds of produce, paying the highest market prices

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**C. H. CLAY**  
Grocery-Produce

### Adams Entertains Basketball Girls

Friday night, March 23, the basketball girls with invited guests were entertained with a party at the home of their coach, Miss Winona Adams. The girls met at 7:15 for the annual ceremony of laying away their basketball suits. They presented their coach with a gold basketball. She gave the girls various gifts for tokens of remembrance. The captain, Anna Mae Puett, also presented each girl with a handkerchief with a basket ball embroidered on them. The boys arrived at eight o'clock and various games were played. Refreshments consisting of sandwiches, banana pudding, and punch were served to Miss Bernice Addison, Anna Mae Puett, Willie Mae Hollabough, Beulah Hollabough, Marguerite Ficke, Exie Creekmore, Fay Ficke, Cozette Crawford, Nerene Young, Inez Shipman, Lena Hollabough, Elizabeth Joss, Bessie May Ficke, Forest Strentz, Coy Hix, Derwood Lewis, Curtis Weeks, Arthur Burke, Clifton Walker, Walter Adams, John Ficke, and the hostess, Miss Winona Adams.

### Tennis Teams Have Preliminary Tryouts

Batting the balls back and forth until it was almost too dark to see them, Wheeler and Shamrock tennis teams met in the preliminaries for the Interscholastic League contest here on the Wiley courts Tuesday afternoon.

In the girls' doubles, Parilee Clay and Martha Alice Wiley defeated their opponents and Helen Gilmore tied Lucille Blackburn in the girls' singles. The determining set between these two will be played before Friday.

Wheeler was not so fortunate in the boys' tennis; Curtis Weeks lost in singles and he and H. E. Young were defeated in doubles.

### CAUGHT in the LASSOO'S NOOSE

What was Raydon doing holding Lizz's hand in the study hall Tuesday?

Inez is afraid that everybody is going to be married before she gets big enough—especially at Mobeetie.

May West's "Come up and see me sometime" has its place, but now the latest is Lizz's "us dance."

Come on, J. C., don't let the big old boys get you in trouble. Since when did you "git to be a chauffeur?"

"Slup" and Coy must'a had change of heart. They started to Canadian Friday night, but came back for the party at eight. Could some freshman's plans have accounted for this?

Watch out, girls, or the grammar school girls will take your boy friend away from you.

What is this about Chub driving without lights Saturday night?

The girls got to turn tables on the boys Friday night they got to invite the boys to a party instead of vice versa.

"Toughy" has been wearing Bill's ring lately. Must be something up.

Among the boys in high school who have just been married lately, (or at least say they have just been married), are Coy, "Slup", Bill, Raymond, Curtis, Forest, Charley and Ray. C. L. has been acting as minister.

Walter is rather changeable. Wednesday and Thursday night he took "Tootsie" home, but Friday night he took both Chub and "Tuffy" home.

C. L. was seen in the History IV room Monday morning playing hands with Augusta. Wonder if it is something serious?

Nerene was at the show in Shamrock Sunday afternoon but we don't know who it is yet.

One of our senior boys went to Canadian this week, but the other was afraid he would get wet feet.

Has any one seen Pete Morgan's new permanent?

"Raydon" says that all they do at parties in Wheeler is dance.

### Juniors Set April 5 For Annual Banquet

Thursday night, April 5, is the night set for the Junior-Senior Banquet, according to Mrs. J. L. Gilmore, sponsor of the class.

Funds were made to finance the banquet by presenting a class play and sponsoring a picture show.

Members of the Home Economics Club will prepare and serve the food under the instruction of Miss Bennie Mae Williams, home economics instructor.

The banquet menu consists of fruit cocktail, chicken a la king, English peas, in potato nests, stuffed celery, pickles, cabbage and carrot salad, buns, strawberry ice cream, coffee and mints. The banquet will be served in four courses, featuring a color scheme of pink and green.

### Track Meet

All out for the 100 yard shot put! No, I mean the 880 high hurdle. Well what I want to tell you is what a gigantic track meet we're having this evening. Someone is going to be eliminated. The entries are "Slup", Adams, "Hibe" Balch, and Furl Aris, I mean Earl Farris. They are now on the track for the mile. They are here, there, I mean gone. "Slup", the veteran miler takes the lead as he hurls the javlin 36 feet (which, by the way is a new record for the 40 pound shot at "Hibe" who is still on the first lap of the mile. "Hibe" makes a beautiful catch in left field and starts down the sideline using the javlin as a vaulting pole to clear the next hurdle for they are now broad jumping.

The crowd goes hazy dazey, I mean wild, when Farris breaks the tape a full fifty strides behind the field to set a record of fourteen inches and one foot for vaulting. He beat "Slup" by a scant two yards. "Hibe" is on the second lap of the mile dash and going strong. Owing to high wind, sandstorm and rain the shot put contest will be put off for fear of the weather damaging it.

It looks as if Farris will win the meet for he has lost the last two events already. Adams won the three R by debating on the subject "Why all cars should come equipped with three packages of chewing gum." Hibe is still on the second lap of the mile dash looking as fresh as when he started the race.

It is certain that Farris will win the meet as he won the tiny tot story telling by telling how men get bald headed. The meet is over and the winners are announced; the crowd is stunned for Balch won by one-fourth of a point. It is very simple because he had finally completed the mile and won the sixty meter broad jump.

### PERSONALS

Inez Shipman and Elizabeth Joss were shoppers in Shamrock Friday afternoon.

Doraean Wood went to Shamrock Saturday night.

Marguerite and Bessie Mae Ficke were Shamrock visitors Saturday.

Marie Waters from Mountain View spent the week end with Doraean Wood.

The Ficke family and Anna Mae Puett went to Pampa Thursday afternoon of last week.

Nerene Young was in Shamrock Monday afternoon.

Inez Shipman went to Shamrock Saturday.

Raymond and Exie Creekmore spent the week end in Elk City, Oklahoma.

Doraean Wood visited in Mobeetie Sunday.

Inez Shipman spent Sunday in Mobeetie.

Willie Mae Hollabough shopped in Shamrock Monday afternoon.

The Wheeler teachers attending the Northwest Texas Conference for teachers held at Canyon were Mr. J. L. Gilmore, Mr. C. B. Witt, Miss Bennie Mae Williams, and Miss Ruth Ewing.

Mrs. J. L. Gilmore fell and sprained her ankle last week end.

Mrs. H. E. Young and daughter Nerine and Mrs. J. A. Page made a trip to Shamrock Monday afternoon.

C. A. Norman returning Friday.

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# The Fourth Lovely Lady



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## THE STORY

**CHAPTER I.**—Following the splendor of her niece, Cintra, to sister which she has financed, Smith Lovely ("Smif," by her assistance), youngest and physically weightiest of the four Lovelys, finds herself in decidedly bad circumstances. She has her plans for the future, however, she refuses to divulge to her prominent figures in New York

**CHAPTER II.**—The historic Lovely Lovely, in Virginia, is owned by her brother, Bill-Lee, but, unable to maintain his position as a Lovely should, he is living in Chicago, while the estate is left to a Mr. Johnstone Nesbit. Smif's wish is to own Lovely, to she feels sure her brother will

**CHAPTER III.**—Under the name of Saitou Smif establishes her- self in the business of a dress- maker. The business promises to be profitable, but there is con- sideration among the other Lovelys in the city that one of the should, as one tartly expresses it, be an "adventurer."

**CHAPTER IV.**—Smif has a client, a he does not require her callers to be of the Lovely family, she is lovelike pursuit of an ex- ceedingly stout lady, his neighbor, she refers to as Mercy. Later, the question, Miss Martha Wash- Mercedes (Mercy, for short), her story is that because of her weight she has lost her Johnny Smif recognizing the name of her caller, advises her to if she has reduced, Mercy pro- duces Smif, who is herself at- tending an overabundance of flesh, try the "cure," and if the re- sults satisfactory Mercy will fol- low. For a generous fee, she consents.

**CHAPTER V.**—On his next visit by mere chance discovers Smif and is himself recog- nized by Smif as the tenant of Love- Johnstone Nesbit. She also Mercy as the owner of an es- tate in Lovely. Smif feels she should know more of Nesbit and to call on her that evening apartment. He tells her a pa- tory of his unhappy childhood, takes a strong appeal to Smif's heart.

**CHAPTER VI.**—Born abroad, but the American parents, circumstances es- tablish the lessee of Lovely. Smif, having been English, he lessly violates the conventions, he bitterly says, feels him- self "pariah," having been cast into darkness by his neighbors as an "adventurer." He has a miniature great-grandmother which bears a striking resemblance to Smif, and her portrait is that of Love- Lovely, also an ancestress of Smif. According to Virginia tradi- tion, Smif and Smif are "cousins," and Smif does not feel in any way inclined to change the relationship.

**CHAPTER VII.**—Smif's "reducing" gives promise of splendid re- sults. She takes an apartment in the city. His real name is Rockwell, family reasons he took the name, Johnstone Nesbit, fa- mously "Stone."

**CHAPTER VIII.**—Smif does not favor idea to some day have Love- her own, though Nesbit does this, Pamela Phelps, youn- gest of Smif, becomes the threat- ening of a blackmailing plot, dame Saitou's ingenuity as a out of troubles bids fair to thorough test.

**CHAPTER IX.**—With Nesbit's help Smif wins the blackmailers, the in- naturally bringing Smif and closer.

**CHAPTER X.**—Smif becomes some- of her occupation. The ex- thrills are absent. A client he has signally failed to help himself out of the world and dies, and that is about the last she announces to her sisters is "going out of business," path money to buy Lovely, ing there to live and die. She arrangements she has made brother for the purchase of the are conclusive.

What a little fool I must have seemed." "Not a fool—only a spirited boy. I assure you that I was proud to claim you when recently I learned that you were my cousin."

"My dear," Mrs. Culpeper told Smif later. "I really liked our new cousin. If I were younger, I would dispute his possession with that fat Miss Mercedes, who has given every one in the neighborhood to understand that she has him in her pocket."

Smif replied. "Of course Miss Mercedes means to marry him and, frankly, I think he'd be happier married. He badly needs companionship."

"Not the companionship of that county fair exhibit," Cousin Mab stated with a firmness that defied contradiction. "She is shrewd but totally uninteresting, and I suspect comes of vulgar people of the Middle West. There's a burr in her speech that can't other- wise be accounted for. It is the most persistent of our provincial accents, and although she seems to fancy so, calling you 'honey' every other minute doesn't make one a southerner, does it, honey? Frankly, I don't like the young woman, although she gives the most delicious dinners in the state."

"So I've heard. . . . Well, sooner or later she'll be back among us, ten years younger and many times more beautiful. Then we'll see if Stone can resist her."

"Do you approve of the match?" Cousin Mab was watching her keenly and Smif bent for a light for her cigarette.

"I do and I don't," she owned with entire candor, waving away with one hand the smoke that partly veiled her face. "I confess I'm not crazy about Miss Mercedes, but I do think it's hard lines to be denied a love affair simply because one's fat. In spite of that, when I once fancied for a few moments that they were actually engaged, I can't say that I was pleased, even while I saw plainly what a nice solution it would be of all my worries."

"And what are your worries?" Cousin Mab inquired, lifting quizzical eyebrows.

"They're principally connected with Stone at present. I ought to have told him long ago that I had planned all my life to buy Lovely. Now, it is going to look as if I had hurried to do it behind his back. And Stone and I have been friends. I'd hate to lose that friendship almost as much as I'd hate to lose Lovely. Not quite, I suppose; because if the scales tipped that way, I could say: 'Here it is, I've bought it; but if you love it too much to lose it, I'll give it up to

well. That's as it may be, but it's what he always says. When do you propose to let Stone know that you are here?" "I'd like it awfully if he could be taken to the heart of the Hoxton Hunt and the countryside in general without fancying I had anything to do with it," Smif said wistfully. "It would mean a lot for—well—for his morale, I'll call it for lack of a better word. I must visit Great-Aunt Anabel Trevor and the Culpeper aunts and uncles some time. Suppose I start the round at once? Can you get the preliminaries over in two weeks, say? Then I'll come back as if it was my first appearance and stay with you, if you'll have me, until Susan Phelps comes down to Lovely to a house party there. The Phelps are really my dearest friends up North. You'll like them, Cousin Mab. Tell me, will that suit you?"

"Perfectly, and I don't know why it shouldn't work. Since nobody knows you know Stone except Kit and me, you'll probably not be mentioned if I warn Kit." Which she proceeded to do with such emphasis that for once he held his usually unruly tongue.

Smif left on her series of visits and peace descended upon Culthorpe.

## CHAPTER XII

For Stone, the next few weeks were among the happiest of his life so far. At last he was among friends, and not the least of his pleasures was the anticipation of Smif's surprise when she arrived at Lovely to find the situation so completely altered. His early contacts were, naturally enough, with the men of the countryside, and so it hap- pened, as Smif had hoped, that he did not hear of her first visit to Culthorpe.

Not quite so soon as she had expected she returned there and was wel- come with acclaim by its inmates. Cousin Mab was especially delighted to have her back. As an enthusiastic matchmaker she was eager to see the first meeting between Stone and Smif in order to draw her own conclusions.

It is sure that if Smif had fathomed Cousin Mab's schemes she would have taken herself off at once. As it was, without a word to any- one, she had a horse saddled the morning after her return and rode off alone to Lovely. When she entered the grounds and walked her mount up the winding drive, her heart almost stood still. Nothing here was changed, really. And, strange to say, it had not grown smaller, as places seen last in childhood are so apt to do.

The house, tall-pillared and spacious, stood on a rise of ground scarcely high enough to deserve the name of hill, yet giving it command of all the sur- rounding country. At sight of it, the suspense was over, her heart resumed its beat, her blood seemed to sing through her veins. For her, the old place was as it had always been.

"And it's mine," she said under her breath; "at last all this loveliness is all my own. What more could I want in the world than this?"

A colored boy came around the corner and ran down the steps to take her horse, a wide grin of welcome on his face.

"Take the horse around to the stable and find your master," said Smif abruptly. She wanted to be alone. To enter her home as if it were already hers before the world. As she mounted the steps, she asked herself once again, impatiently, why Bill Lee did



"Smif! This Is Too Good To Be True."

you. . . . I'm not that unselfish, Cousin Mab. I'd love him to have the use of it. I'd be glad to let him use the track and the new stables and the other improvements he has built.—But the old place is ours. Our dear lie there. Without disloyalty to them, how can I give it up?"

The older woman made no answer when Smif paused and looked at her appealingly. She knew right well the solution she would like to recommend, but it was too soon for so risky a venture. Smif might take alarm and run away North, which was the last thing she wanted. So she preserved a sym- pathetic silence and Smif went on:

"You can see it would be a wonder- ful solution for me if he married Mercedes. He would live within easy reach and we could at least share the track and training quarters. I don't think I'll break the news to him until Mercy is back from her cure and I'm sure he knows his own mind. Then, if he just won't have her, I'll help him look about for another place. I might even pretend it was for me. What would you think of that?"

"My dear, don't ask my advice. I'm an utterly unprincipled woman myself. Your Cousin Kit will tell you that I only tell the truth when I've made up my mind nothing else will work as

them as Stone entered from the por- tico. "Smif!" he cried, "this is too good to be true. When did you come and where are you staying?" "I reached Culthorpe yesterday afternoon," she said, devoting more at- tention to the adoring dogs than to him. "And I'm certainly glad to see you and the pups."

"And the old place? How do you think it looks? I haven't spoiled it, have I?" "That's the strange thing.—Not that you haven't spoiled it but that it looks so exactly as I remember it. I was afraid that I had an impossible ideal in my mind—and here it is as I had dreamed."

Stone was pleased. He could have had no warmer praise than her ex- pressive face offered him. (TO BE CONTINUED)

## LOCAL ITEMS

R. H. Forrester and Roy Puckett motored to Pampa Monday evening.

Mrs. H. C. Sanders spent Sunday in Shamrock with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. E. Burkhalter and family.

T. E. Burkhalter of Shamrock was in Wheeler Tuesday to visit his daughter, Mrs. H. C. Sanders.

Mrs. J. C. Moore was in Wheeler Tuesday having mattresses made, and doing some shopping.

Miss Jaunita Maloy and T. S. Puckett motored to Shamrock Friday evening and attended a show.

Mrs. B. F. Hooker of Wellington came Saturday to visit her son, J. W. Hooker and family, for a few days.

B. B. Price and J. A. Beaty of Kelton were in Wheeler Monday transacting business.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Black, little grandson, M. L. Roman and their daughter, Mrs. W. B. Bland, who live north of Wheeler went to Wellington last week, where Mr. Black had his teeth extracted.

Ruth's class of the Baptist Sunday school, with their teacher, Mrs. Alamo Starkey, are giving a dinner at the church on April 27. They have chosen sides, using their class colors, red and white. The side that gets the most new members will be the guests of the losing side.

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# BRISCOE ECHOES

Sponsored by the Senior English class: Tommie Cates, Birdie Lee Helton, Joe Puryear, B. F. Crossland, Pauline Higdon, Harriet Alice Meadows, Pauline Evans and Tamsey V. Riley. This class is instructed by Mrs. Allen Smith.

## Importance of Little Things

He who was an excellent character judge has said, "The little foxes spoil the vines" or rather, that the little things of life are most important. Let us then look for awhile on the busi- ness or material side of life. The per- son who is particular about the lit- tle things and details has a good chance for promotion.

We see that all the great charac- ters of history have been careful about the insignificant details. Ed- son could never have been able to perfect so many inventions if he had not given close attention to the smaller things. Franklin, the author of so many of our helpful maxims, was a great believer in giving atten- tion to the little things.

We find in the Bible that we are rewarded for paying attention to lit- tle things. Christ says: "Well done, my good and faithful servant, thou hast been faithful over the little things and I shall make you ruler over many." This is another instance that shows His supreme belief in the importance of the details of life.

The person who is careful about everything in life is going to build a lasting good character because when he pays attention to even the small things, he is doing what has been fore-ordained by his Maker in order to have a full character.

This helps obtain such character qualities as industry, honesty, and accuracy. These seem but little things but think how disreputable is a per- son who lacks these qualities.

In my opinion, nothing does more toward making a person what he should be, both morally and physical- ly than being careful about the lit- tle things that we are prone to leave off or forget.—P. L. E.

## FACULTY ROSTER

Mr. Rogers, the superintendent of Briscoe school, is well qualified for his line of work, as he has fourteen years of experience. He has an A. B. degree from S. M. U., and has done post-graduate work at the University of Chicago, the University of Texas, and the University of Colorado. This is Mr. Rogers' second term to teach in Briscoe.

The Briscoe school has been or- ganized only four years, and we have much work to do in order that our school may rank among the class "A" schools.

Our schools need more worthy men to hold the office of superintendent, for without leadership excellent work cannot be done.

## RHYTHM BAND

Last year Miss Cook and Miss Scott, realizing the need of some musical development in children, organized a rhythm band; however, the band is now directed by Miss Scott and Miss Carmack. The band has the follow- ing instruments: four triangles, a drum, one Chinese wood block, cym- bals, one bird whistler, twelve pairs of rhythm sticks, two clappers, four bells, and two tambourines. It is di- rected by Kenneth Smith and is com- posed of the second and third grades.

We feel that the rhythm band is an asset to our school and that all who take part in it will profit much. The school takes pride in presenting its rhythm band, and would like for everyone to come and hear it, as it is usually a feature on each pro- gram.

## Song Books and Chapel Singing

Briscoe school has 32 new "Golden Books of Favorite Songs." A wide variety of subjects are covered in these books, from children's songs patriotic selections of the state and nation.

Although these books have not been used in chapel as yet, it is be- liever they will develop student's voices and increase interest in sing- ing.

Miss Marilyn Wiley came home Tuesday to spend Easter week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. M. Wiley. She is attending C. I. A. at Denton.

Miss Opal Shumate, correspondent for the Wheeler Times, at Pleasant Hill, went to Amarillo Saturday to take a stenographic course in the business college there. Paul Shumate, a brother, accompanied her, return- ing home Monday.

# What of the School?

Is the school an institution in our community worthy of our consideration? Is it training the youth to meet life that will be encountered in the future? In answering these questions one would have to be a prognosticator, especially would this be true to answer the second one.

There is no doubt in the mind of the thinking public that the school is an institution inseparable from the community in which it is located. A majority of the students who attend this institution remain in the community of their alma mater. Their lives are more or less influenced by the teaching they receive during their early childhood. Then is it advisable for the citizenship to wake up and take notice of the type of instruction presented?

The answer to the second question at the outset is problematical. We do not know all the trends to loflow but we can see and foretell a few of these. There is no question but that the "New Deal" has given the working class, to which most of us belong, more leisure time. Then the curricula of our schools should be so modified to prepare our children to make worthy use of this leisure time. From the press reports it is clearly shown that the teachers, trustees, P.-T. A., and others interested in the youth of the Panhandle have banded themselves together to promulgate a country-wide revision of the curricula to better enable the school to meet these con- ditions and successfully train the child to face the problems that are apparent. If there is a general interest shown in this, why can't our own locality become aroused and assist?

# The Churches of Wheeler

J. Edmund Kirby Alamo Starkey Flavil R. Yeakley

### Political Announcements

Subject to the action of voters in the Democratic Primary, July 28, 1934.

STATE OF TEXAS

Representative:

122 District—  
JOHN PURYEAR.  
(Re-election)

For District Attorney:

LEWIS M. GOODRICH  
(Re-election)

COUNTY OF WHEELER

For Sheriff:

CLAUDE HILTBRUNNER.  
W. O. (KID) DEWEESE  
RAYMOND WATERS

For County Judge:

W. O. (OLIVER) PUETT  
W. M. McMURTRY  
(Re-election)  
A. MONROE

For District Clerk:

BLANCHE ADAMS.  
(Re-election)  
HOLT GREEN

For County Attorney:

CLYDE FILLMORE  
(Re-election)

For County Clerk:

MRS. M. L. GUNTER  
F. B. (DICK) CRAIG.  
NATHAN LUMMUS

For County Treasurer:

HATTIE WOMACK.

For County Superintendent of Schools:

O. B. MILLER  
(Re-election)  
B. T. RUCKER.

For Commissioner:

Precinct No. 1—  
D. G. (DOUG) SIMS  
(Re-election)  
W. W. ADAMS  
W. T. (TOM) ARNOLD

For Commissioner:

Precinct No. 2—  
FLOYD A. MOONEY.  
ARTHUR WHITENER.  
(Re-election)  
S. B. DAVIS.  
JIM TROUT

Buster Walser and John Wofford attended the preview in Shamrock Saturday night.

### WANT ADS

FOR SALE—Good used piano. Mrs. Jim Trout. 13t3p

FOR SALE—Corn, maize, kafir, he-gira and cane seed for planting. E. Davee, at City Market 13t3p

PEANUTS FOR SALE—Big red peanuts, extra good; large variety, \$1.00 bushel. At my home just north of Wheeler school, H. E. Cole. 13t3p

FOR SALE—7-tube battery Airline radio; cheap. Paul Wilson, 2 miles south of Wheeler. 15t1p

### LOCAL NEWS ITEMS

Rev. O. C. Evans and daughter Pauline of Briscoe, were Saturday business callers in Wheeler.

Terrell Gunter and his mother Mrs. M. L. Gunter made a business trip to Hedley Friday evening.

Mrs. Jack Vice and Mrs. J. S. Standlee of Briscoe were in Wheeler Wednesday on business.

Judge W. M. McMurtry returned Wednesday night from Austin, where he spent several days on business.

Word received by relatives from R. D. Holt who is taking a rest cure at Kerrville, states he is doing nicely.

James and Duval Lee Norment entertained a group of friends Friday evening at their home, east of Wheeler.

Harrison, son of Mrs. Cora Hall, celebrated his 12th birthday Sunday by inviting H. E. Young, jr., to eat dinner and spend the day with him.

Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Lawrence moved Wednesday from south Main street to the T. P. Hyatt property, on the street west of Main.

D. A. Hunt has been added to the sales force at the Ernest Lee Hardware store. His duties started last week.

Henry Frye of Sulphur, Okla., is in a serious condition, due to a fall. He is owner of the Frye ranch, east of Wheeler.

Mr. and Mrs. J. I. Maloy, proprietors of the market and cafe are having the interior of their building re-decorated, as well as the fixtures.

Miss Thelma Jackson and uncle, Lester Jackson of Pampa visited Saturday with her father, W. E. Jackson, and friends.

W. B. Breeding of Kirkland came Sunday to visit his daughter, Mrs. D. A. Hunt and family. He was accompanied by his son, Frank.

Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Young and daughter, Nerine and Anne Mae Green motored to Shamrock Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. W. O. Puett and daughters, Anna Mae and Orveta, motored to Clarendon Sunday, where they were guests of Mrs. Puett's parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Martin.

Mrs. C. C. Dyson of Mobeetie visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. R. Meek north of Wheeler, last Thursday and came to town in the afternoon and had some dental work done.

Mrs. H. E. Nicholson and Mrs. D. E. Holt expect to motor Friday to College Station to spend Easter with their sons, who are attending school there.

Mr. and Mrs. George Lambreth and daughter, Betty Jean, were in Wheeler Monday. He transacted business, while Mrs. Lambreth visited her cousin, Miss Berga Goad, and friends.

J. B. Puckett of Sayre was in Wheeler Thursday visiting his nephews, Roy and T. S. Puckett, and looking after the interests of the Puckett grocery stores here and in Mobeetie.

Mr. and Mrs. S. P. Hodnutt spent the week end in Dallas, with their daughter and husband, Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Pierce, returning Wednesday morning. They made the trip with T. O. Hall, a salesman in this territory, who visited his family. Mr. Hodnutt reports a fine rain the entire distance from Dallas to Wheeler.

R. E. Brazil, proprietor of Brazil's Variety Store, went to Dallas Tuesday, to buy merchandise for the store. He returned Thursday.

Mrs. Ward McPherson and sons, Ward, jr., and Jimmy Paul, of Shamrock, were guests Wednesday of the C. N. McPherson family.

Postmaster Ray D. Brown and A. M. Abernathy, manager of the Allison Mercantile Company of Allison, were in Wheeler Wednesday evening, on business.

Mr. and Mrs. C. N. McPherson and daughters Nellie and Mary Helen motored to Shamrock Sunday to visit Mrs. McPherson's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Harrison.

Mr. and Mrs. G. A. McCrohan motored to Childress Tuesday to meet their daughter, Jacqueline, who is attending C. I. A. at Denton. She will return to her school work next Tuesday.

Superintendent Gilmore and daughter, Miss Helen, C. B. Witt, Misses Ruth Ewing and Bennie Mae Williams of Wheeler attended the educational conference at Canyon, Friday and Saturday.

Mrs. A. B. Crump and mother-in-law, Mrs. Annie E. Crump, motored to Canadian Wednesday to visit Dr. M. M. Meeks and family. They expected to visit in Pampa Thursday and return home Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Bun Cole of Springfield, Colorado, are spending this week with his parents and sister Mr. and Mrs. G. B. Cole and Mrs. Clarence Robinson and family here and with his brother, Loyd and family at Frederick, Oklahoma.

Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Cole and son and daughter, Gwendolyn, and Lloyd Anthony of Frederick, Oklahoma, visited his parents and sister, Mr. and Mrs. G. B. Cole and Mrs. Clarence Robinson and family. They came Saturday and returned Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. S. D. Conwell went to Estelline Tuesday to visit her nephew, Harold Winkler and family. Mr. Conwell returned Wednesday, while Mrs. Conwell accompanied her nephew to Gainesville where she will visit her mother, Mrs. W. F. Winkler, for a few days.

H. C. Sanders and daughters, Dorothy and Martha Lee left Sunday by auto for Dallas to see his mother, Mrs. W. J. Sanders, who has been quite ill. Marcell Orrick of Shamrock, a cousin of Mrs. H. C. Sanders, accompanied them and did the driving. They are expected home the last of the week.

Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Carver of Shamrock and their daughter, Mrs. R. E. Brazil motored to Pampa Friday to meet the former's son, Rev. Douglas Carver of McPherson, Kansas, who was called to White Deer to assist in the funeral services for Mr. Osborn. While in Pampa they were guests of their daughter and sister Mrs. C. J. Montgomery and family, returning early Saturday morning.

Miss Gladys Gunter returned Monday from a ten-day vacation spent in Dallas and Fort Worth, visiting friends and relatives. She also visited Miss Virginia Smith, a school chum of hers, at Arlington. Last Sunday she heard Dr. Truett preach at the First Baptist church in Dallas, where he is pastor.

The annual Baptist Sunday school and B. T. S. convention will meet at Memphis, Texas, on April 3 to 5. This includes representatives from a group of counties that comprise District 10. Mrs. E. W. Carter of Wheeler has been chosen to appear on the program Wednesday, April 4, as instructor of the intermediate Sunday school work.

Lamar Guthrie and John Traweck of Matador were Thursday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Lee Guthrie. The boys were returning from a two-weeks trip to Chicago, Niagara Falls and Detroit, Michigan, where they bought a Plymouth coupe for L. H. Dirickson at Matador, a brother-in-law of Lamar. They returned through Virginia and Tennessee and visited points of interest.

### At the Churches

CHURCH OF CHRIST  
Sunday school services begins at 9:45 a. m. Let us be prompt in our attendance. The lesson for the morning is of unusual interest.

Preaching service starts promptly at 11 a. m. Our sermon for the morning will be the answer to the question, "Why Three Crosses on Calvary's Hill?" Has this question ever troubled you? Be sure to attend this service. Attention is also called to the friends of orphan children that there will be a special collection made for the Tipton Orphan's Home.

Young people meet at 7:30 p. m. to discuss an interesting lesson, and at 8 p. m. preaching service will begin. The sermon for the evening will be the second of the series on "The Church." Prayer meeting service is at 8 p. m. Wednesday, and Ladies

Bible class meets Friday at 3 p. m. Come and enjoy these services with us.

FLAVIL R. YEAKLEY, Minister.

### ASSEMBLY OF GOD CHURCH

REV. ALVIN WALLS, Pastor

Sunday school, 10 a. m.  
Preaching, 11 a. m. and 8 p. m.  
Morning sermon subject: "The Resurrection of Christ."  
Christ's Ambassadors meeting, Tuesday, 8 p. m.

Prayer meeting, Thursday, 8 p. m.  
Preaching, Saturday, 8 p. m.  
You are cordially invited to attend these services. The interest is getting better. You will enjoy yourself. Come with us, and we will do thee good.

### FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH

REV. ALAMO STARKEY, Pastor

Remember our Easter program next Sunday. A special choir will be arranged to provide good music. We are hoping this will be one of the best services since we have been here.

This is also Invitation Week. Be sure to invite someone who is not attending Sunday school to come and be with us.

Sunday school at 9:45 a. m.  
Preaching at 11 a. m.  
B. T. S. at 7 p. m. and preaching at 8.

A welcome awaits you. Come and be with us.

### METHODIST CHURCH

J. EDMUND KIRBY, Pastor

Sunday school at 9:45 a. m.  
Morning worship at 11:00 a. m.  
We invite the public to worship with us at this Easter time. Special music will be furnished by the choir. The pastor will preach. A helpful service awaits you.

There will be no services at the evening hour, due to the pastor helping in a revival meeting at Mobeetie. The young people will meet at 7 o'clock for their services.

Make this a glad Easter season by attending upon the worship services of our church.

### CHURCH OF GOD

ORA MAE HUFF, Pastor

Sunday school at 10 a. m., preaching at 11. Sunday evening services at 7:30 p. m. Cottage prayer meeting every Wednesday evening; prayer meeting at the church on Friday evenings at 7:30.

Everybody welcome. Come with us—and we will do thee good.

### Banks

OFFICIAL STATEMENT OF FINANCIAL CONDITION

### CITIZENS STATE BANK

at Wheeler State of Texas, at the close of business on the 5th day of March, 1934, published in the Wheeler Times, a newspaper printed and published at Wheeler, State of Texas, on the 29th day of March, 1934.

### RESOURCES

Loans and discounts, on personal or collateral security .....  
Loans secured by real estate .....  
Securities of U. S., any State or political subdivision thereof .....  
Banking House .....  
Furniture and Fixtures .....  
Cash in bank .....  
Due from approved reserve agents .....  
Due from other banks and bankers, subject to check on demand .....

### TOTAL

### LIABILITIES

Capital Stock .....  
Surplus Fund .....  
Undivided Profits, net .....  
Due to banks and bankers, subject to check .....  
Individual Deposits subject to check, including time deposits due in 30 days .....  
Time Certificates of Deposit .....

### TOTAL

STATE OF TEXAS, County of Wheeler.  
We, J. M. Porter, as President, and J. N. Porter, as Assistant President, of said bank, each of us, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of our knowledge and belief.

(Seal)  
CORRECT—ATTEST:  
D. E. HOLT, A. B. CRUMP, G. W. PORTER, Directors.  
Subscribed and sworn to before me this 27th day of March, 1934.  
FRANK B. CRAIG, Notary Public, Wheeler County, Texas.

### Specials for Friday, Saturday and Sunday

48 lbs. Guaranteed FLOUR  
10 lbs. SUGAR

7 bars Blue Barrel Laundry  
SOAP for  
SEED POTATOES  
Irish Cobblers, peck  
Heinz Oven-baked BEANS  
with Pork, can  
Heinz SOUPS  
any kind, can  
Texas Girl COFFEE  
1-lb. pkg.  
MIXED CANDY  
per pound  
LETTUCE, large  
crisp head, each  
3 lbs. PORK SAUSAGE  
2 lbs. STEAK, Baby Beef, any cut  
Fresh SIDE PORK, per pound  
Country Sugar CURED HAM, half or whole, per lb.  
Fresh Country BUTTER, lb.

HIGHEST MARKET PRICE PAID FOR CREAM AND BUTTER

### City Market and Grocery

FREE DELIVERY

# our annual EASTER SALE

### Chiffon Hose

- New spring shades
- Full fashioned
- Not irregulars

69¢

### Ladies Shoes

- White, beige
- Pumps, Ties
- Regular \$3.49

\$2.98

### New Easter GLOVES

- White, beige, blue
- Cloth, Kid
- All sizes

59¢ to \$1.98

### SMART EASTER FROCKS



\$2.98 to \$7.95

### Easter

- All colors
- Values
- Friday

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### New

- New
- Whites
- Sizes

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### New BLOUSE

- Sizes
- Solids
- Fine

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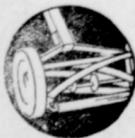
### RIGHT TOOLS Make Right Gardens



You can do wonders with your garden when you have the right tools to work with. We have a great selection at unusually low prices. We list just a few of the items on sale now.



Garden Hoes  
Garden Rakes  
Spading Forks  
Garden Spades  
Hedge Shears  
Garden Plows  
Garden Hose  
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Practically everything to make your gardening easier and more profitable can be found in our stock. Come in and select your needs early.

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