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“Wheeler: town of friendship and pride”

Santa Clause Is Coming To Town

CWE CHAT WITH THE EDITOR
By *Laura C. Stas*

Work is underway on the Christmas Greeting Edition of *The Wheeler Times*. Copy for the Christmas Greeting section of the paper will have to be in the office by Thursday, December 17. Deadline for the regular section of the paper will be Monday morning, December 20 at 9:00.

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Wheeler's Zack Hibler is in Las Vegas this week competing in the World's Championship.

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STORM REPORT



As Reported by...
Stormie Meriwether,
Twelfth Grade Student

Dear Friends, In my Leadership Class we watched the movie, *Lean on Me*. That is a great movie! Everyone needs to know that someone cares about them and they can succeed. I really enjoy that class.

Saturday was my birthday and I had fun! We went to the OKC Zoo. I was a little disappointed that a large part of the zoo was closed for construction, but my favorite thing made up for that. I did the Wildlife Encounter with the Sea Lions and it was amazing! I got to see them close up.

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Band Concert

The "Pride of Wheeler" bands will perform their Christmas Concert Thursday, December 9, at 7:00 p.m. in the game gym.

Santa Letters To Be Published

Send your Santa letters to the *Times*. We publish them and send a copy to the North Pole. They will be published in the Dec. 23 Christmas edition.

Letters must be in the office by Monday, December 13; send them to *The Wheeler Times*, Box 1080, Wheeler, TX 79096 or wtimes@windstream.net



THIRD ROUND: Zack Hibler is shown here in his third round of riding at the National Finals Rodeo in Las Vegas. Zack will make 10 rides, starting last Thursday. **GO ZACK!**

Ecolomondo Initiates TDP Facility Expansion Into US With Shamrock Site Selection

Binding Agreement for 136 Acre Land Purchase Underway With Help From Shamrock Economic Development Corporation

Montreal, QC—TheNewsWire—November 30, 2021—Ecolomondo Corporation (TSXV:ECM) (OTC:ECLMF) (the "Company" or "Ecolomondo"), a cleantech company specializing in the development of proprietary

Oct. Wheeler I.S.D. Board Minutes

A Regular Meeting of the Board of Trustees of Wheeler ISD was held Wednesday, October 20, 2021, beginning at 6:30 PM in the board conference room located at #1 Mustang Drive, Wheeler, Texas, 79096.

Those present were: Dr. Lee Ann Hillhouse, Mark Marshall, Billy Richardson, Ike Finsterwald, Machille Henson, Mike Houska, Beau Means, Bryan Markham, Superintendent; Stacey Horton, Business Manager; Heather Hardcastle, Elementary Principal; Mike Bailey, Secondary Principal

recycling technology, Thermal Decomposition Process ("TDP"), and the commercialization of turnkey TDP facilities, today announced it has identified a 136.76 acre property in Shamrock, Texas as a potential site location to build

I. ESTABLISH A QUORUM

a. Pledge: Ike Finsterwald led the pledge.

b. Invocation: Beau Means offered the invocation.

II. OPEN FORUM

a. Hearing of Any Person/Group Wishing to Address the Board: None

III. READING OF MINUTES

a. Regular Meeting of September 15, 2021: Mark Marshall motioned to approve the minutes. Billy Richardson seconded the motion. Seven members voted to accept the motion, no votes against.

IV. FINANCIAL REPORT

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its first US-based waste-to-resources TDP plant.

Working in close consultation with the Shamrock Economic Development Corporation ("EDC"), Ecolomondo is currently negotiating a binding land purchase agreement and expects to close on the transaction in the coming weeks. The Company intends to build turnkey TDP recycling facilities throughout the United States that process end-of-life tires ("ELT") into saleable products including recycled carbon black, oil, gas, steel and fiber.

Strategically situated in Wheeler County and close to major hubs such as Dallas and Oklahoma City, the land is conveniently located on Interstate 40, a major east-west Interstate Highway running through the south-central portion of the United States. A future TDP facility would help service area recycling needs as municipal and state officials move away

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Santa Claus is coming to town! He and Mrs. Claus will be at the Panhandle Handmade Market inside the Wheeler County Agrilife Building from 10 a.m.-2 p.m. this Saturday, December 11.

Take the opportunity, also to finish up your Christmas shopping with unique Artisans from across the Texas Panhandle and Oklahoma, who specialize in jewelry design, home décor, baby gifts, toys, apparel, leather goods, candies and so much more. While you shop, your kids can design their own handmade gifts for loved ones, teachers,

and friends in the Creative Elf Workshop. Proceeds will benefit the Wheeler County Toys for Tots program.

Why not make it a day and visit our other shops downtown and enjoy a meal at any of our local restaurants. They are just minutes from the Panhandle Handmade Market this Saturday from 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. at 7939 US 83 in Wheeler, Texas.

For more information visit us on Facebook at Panhandle Handmade Market.

We'll see y'all there and a very Merry Christmas from our family to yours.

Military Rites For Michael Honeycutt

Michael Lynn Honeycutt, 70, of Wheeler passed away on Thursday, December 2, 2021 at his home.

Funeral services were at 2:00 PM Monday, December 6th at First Baptist Church in Wheeler with Rev. Larry Mitchell, officiating. Burial followed in Wheeler Cemetery with military honors. Viewing was held at the funeral home in Wheeler on Sunday, December 5th from 1:00 – 6:00 PM.

Arrangements were by Robertson Funeral Directors of Wheeler.

Michael was born in Wellington, TX on June 9, 1951, to Glenn Honeycutt and Elwanda Sturgill. Michael married Ladona Burrell Honeycutt on October 14, 1972. Former residents of Mclean, Michael and Ladona moved to Wheeler where they could enjoy their time surrounded by family.

Michael made a career of his lifelong passion which was being a mechanic. He retired from National Oilwell in June 2012 after 20 years. He also served his country for 20 years as a member of

Ruby Nell Bradstreet Services Friday

Ruby Nell Garner Bradstreet who liked to be called Nell, Granny, Granny Grunt, and Queen B, was born on August 4, 1929, to Charlie and Alice Garner. She was one of nine children. Nell passed away in the home of her daughter in Wheeler, Texas, on December 3, 2021 and went to her heavenly home, at the age of 92.

Funeral services will be Friday, December 10, 2021 at 2:00 PM at First Baptist Church in Wheeler with Rev. Larry Mitchell, officiating. Burial will follow at Wheeler Cemetery.

Viewing will be held at the funeral home on Thursday, December 9th from 9:00 A.M. to 6:00 P.M. with family receiving friends from 4:00-6:00 PM.

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Nell married Roy Marvin Bradstreet on November 8, 1947. Nell and Roy had six children. They lacked less than a month being married 70 years when Roy passed away on October 13, 2013. They had a wonderful long



Michael Honeycutt

the army national guard. He could always be found tinkering around in the garage in his spare time. There wasn't anything he couldn't fix. Michael also deeply loved his kids, grand children and everyone else he was Papa too. His favorite past time was taking all of his babies fishing at his favorite spot, Sand Spur lake.

Michael is preceded in death by his parents, Glen Honeycutt and Elwanda Sturgill; two brothers, Buster Newman, and Wendill Honeycutt; and one sister, Alice

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Ruby Nell Bradstreet

and loving life together. Nell loved to fish, camping for months at a time, and above all, loved her kids and grandkids.

Nell is preceded in death by her husband, Roy Bradstreet; son, Mike Bradstreet; daughter, Kathy Janzen; baby daughter, Tina Dawn; and several siblings and loved ones.

Nell is survived by her oldest son, David Bradstreet of Wolfe City, TX; son, Wesley Bradstreet and wife, Cindy, of Wheeler, TX; daughter, Debbie Glazner of Wheeler, TX;

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Merely Mustard

"A prophet does not profit." I heard that saying today. As far as I could tell I had not heard that before, although I kept wanting to think that I had. Nevertheless, it is a pithy one-liner, a play on words which conveys truth.

A cursory review of the prophets mentioned in the Old Testament indicates their lives were fraught with various degrees of hardship. That is an examination of the historical, perhaps we might say formal, interpretation of the word prophet. Yet what is a prophet except one who conveys a message of the truth?

Using the religious context of the word, a prophet is one who is in contact with, and speaking for, the divine. And what is the divine if it is not the truth? In a way it could be said that the quest for God is the quest for truth itself. The point I wish to make here is I would expand the application of the term 'prophet' to those who speak a message of truth – and the term applies all the more when the truth is obscured for any number of reasons.

And being a prophet, i.e., a truth teller, does not profit. Since the truth is right, speak-

ing truth injures (though in reality, it heals, like a medicine which burns when it is applied) those who would insist on the wrong. This makes the prophet's life more difficult.

Wheeler Times Christmas Edition To Be Published Thurs., Dec. 23

Christmas Edition of The Wheeler Times will be published December 23.

The December 23, 2021 edition of the paper marks the start of our 89th year of publication.

We will begin contact businesses and individuals this week for their ads. If we fail

Those who are not in the truth cannot tolerate the truth, or those who represent it. Thus they ensure that the prophet does not profit. This reality

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to contact you, please contact us 405-200-9705.

To send us ad copy, please email wtimes@windstream.net.

We are presently working on the Santa Letters and it is necessary they be to us by Wednesday, December 10.

Board (from Page 1)

a. Review of Bills: Mr. Markham reviewed the bills.
 b. Financial Statement(s): Mrs. Horton provided the financial statements through October 19, 2021.
 c. Financial Assumptions: Mr. Markham provided the financial assumptions with current data. Assumptions estimate a \$300,000 deficit.
 V. REPORTS/DISCUSSION ITEMS
 a. Principals' Reports: Mrs. Hardcastle reported an increase in elementary enrollment for the month, elementary WOWW programs, Fire Prevention Week, and the Wheeler County Ag Day.
 Mr. Bailey reported steady enrollment, HS Band advancing to the Area Contest, HS Boys Cross Country advancing

to Regionals, the weekly video announcements by the digital media class, and upcoming activities for the months of October and November.

VI. ACTION ITEMS
 a. Unfinished Business: 1. No Unfinished Business
 b. New Business: 1. Consider/Approve District Financial Audit for 2020-2021
 Mike Houska made a motion to table the district financial audit. Ike Finsterwald seconded the motion. Seven members voted to approve the motion, no votes against.
 VII. SUPERINTENDENT'S

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Windstream's basic local service rates for residential voice lines range from \$16 to \$26 per month depending on your service location. Specific rates will be provided upon request. For the broadband Lifeline discount to apply, a customer must subscribe to a Windstream service that meets the minimum standard requirements as defined by the FCC.

For the purposes of the Lifeline program a household is defined as any individual or group of individuals who live together at the same address and share income and expenses. Lifeline service is not transferable, and only eligible consumers may enroll in the program. Consumers who willfully make false statements to obtain Lifeline telephone or broadband service can be punished by fine or imprisonment and can be barred from the program. If you live in a Windstream service area, please call 1-800-347-1991 or visit www.windstream.com/Lifeline with questions or to request an application for the Lifeline program.

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REPORT
 a. Covid-19 Update: Mr. Markham reported that the last case was confirmed on October 3rd and that we have been relatively stable for the past few weeks.
 b. Depository Contract Amendment: Mr. Markham reported that Wellington State Bank had provided an amendment that included an increase in interest for the remainder of the contract.
 c. Bond Sale Update: Mr. Markham reported that the resale of bonds went very well. With the resale, the District looks to save approximately \$900,000 over the duration of the payment schedule.
 d. Review November Meeting Date
 The Regular November Board Meeting will be held November 17th at 6:30.
 VIII. EXECUTIVE SESSION
 a. If Needed, According to Texas Government Code Section 551.001, et seq.: The Board Did Not Enter Executive Session.
 b. Consider/Take Action on Resignations/Hiring of Personnel
 IX. ADJOURNMENT
 Mark Marshall motioned to adjourn at 7:01 pm. Billy Richardson seconded the motion. Seven members voted to accept the motion, no votes against.

TDP (from Page 1)
 from tire burning, landfilling and shredding.
 "Industry executives and governments throughout North America are embracing the notion of Extended Producer Responsibility programs, but need solutions in place to take back and responsibly recycle end-of-life products," said Eliot Sorella, Chairman and Chief Executive Officer of Ecolomondo "Forward thinking leaders like Shamrock's EDC are acting both smartly and responsibly as they consider and push for positive change and increased economic activity. We plan to be a great partner to Shamrock and surrounding communities."
 The planned land purchase and TDP facility construction in Shamrock, TX marks the start of a key commitment in Ecolomondo's strategic plans to expand its waste management operations globally and aggressively. The Company's Hawkesbury, Ontario TDP turnkey facility will soon be commissioned and will incorporate all of the technological advancements developed at the Pilot facility in Contrecoeur, Quebec, Canada.
 Additional updates on the Texas land purchase and facility will be forthcoming. The Company will take all appropriate steps to notify the Market and shareholders as events occur. Visit the Company's website at www.ecolomondo.com to learn more.
 About TDP Technology
 Thermal Decomposition Process technology is a proprietary waste-to-resources technology that the Company expects will play a critical role in the development and proliferation of the circular economy. TDP is a closed loop, slow pyrolysis technology that operates in an oxygen-free environment using positive pressure and a batch rotary reactor. The process is largely energy self-sufficient. Ecolomondo's exclusive automation system allows for strict control of cycle times, processing parameters and consistent batch production, resulting in quality, commercial-grade recycled commodities and end-products.

Two blondes were going to Disneyland. They were driving on the Interstate when they saw the sign that said Disneyland LEFT. They started crying and turned around and went home

Her question was, "If you are in a vacuum and someone calls your name, can you hear it?" She thought for a time and then asked, "Is it on or off?"

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MAINTENANCE: Kristen Moudy is shown here watering the planter boxes on the square. Kristen hauled the water in her vehicle and used a container until Dr. Ben Ed Hillhouse provided her with a 4-wheeler and water hauler.

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Wheeler County SWCD Annual Tree Sales

The Wheeler County Soil and Water Conservation District will be taking tree orders from now through March 25, 2022. Seedlings are sold in quantities listed. Lots will not be broken to facilitate the sale of individual seedlings.
 Bare root species available are, Aromatic Sumac, Bur Oak, Chinkapin Oak, Pecan, Shumard Oak, and Sand Plum. They are sold in multiples of 25 and priced at \$55.00.
 Containerized species available are Afghanistan Pine

and Italian Stone Pine. They are sold in multiples of 25 and priced at \$70. Payment must accompany order; no trees will be reserved until payment is received and all sales will be final; no cancellations or refunds.
 If you would like to place an order, please come by the Wheeler County SWCD office at 1410 S Alan Bean Blvd., Wheeler, TX. Trees will be available for pick up in March of 2022. Our office will take orders on Monday-Friday from 8:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m. If you have any questions, please call the Wheeler County SWCD at (806)826-3565 Ext. 101. Or you can also email us at wheelercounty@swcd.texas.gov.

Different Oils In Belly Button

Did you know why to put different oils in and on the belly button?

Our Navel (Nabhi), is an amazing gift that our Creator has given us. According to science, the first part created after conception is the navel. After it is created, it joins the mother's placenta through the umbilical cord.

Our Navel is surely an amazing thing! All our veins are connected to our navel, which makes it the focal point of our body. The belly button is life itself!

The "Pechoti" is behind the navel, which has more than 72,000 veins. The total amount of blood vessels we have in our body is equal to double the circumference of the earth.

We knew that to lower the temperature to the babies, we put a cotton swab with alcohol in the navel, now we know that with oil, it's better.

Apply Mustard Oil in your belly button - to get rid of dry, chapped lips. Will also keep your intestines moving to remove harmful bacteria but keep the good. Actually works as a mild detox.

Apply olive oil or coconut oil - to improve your fertility

Keep alcohol dipped cotton on your belly button - to cure a cold, flu and a running nose. When a baby has stomach pain, we put a few drops directly in the navel and we give the massage around the navel a few minutes, the pain is cured. Oil works the same way.

Keep brandy-soaked cotton ball on your belly button - to ease menstrual pain and cramps
 Sesame Oil is used for all types of joint pains. It is also known to strengthen bones. Many parents use in their children every night at bedtime.

Use an equal amount of Mustard Oil And Ginger Oil For Upset Stomach, Bloating, Nausea and digestive problems.

Using Warm Ghee improves blood flow to the nervous system and also enhances the immunity system.

As you get older, you'll realize that a \$300 watch and a \$30 watch both tell the same time.

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ALVAREZ, JOSE	DYLE, KOREE	33	34	MTP ADJ OF GUILT	\$175,000.00	IN CUSTODY
ANTUNA, MARTIN	RAMIREZ, JOSE	32	33	SMUGGLING OF PERSONS	\$15,000.00	12/1/21
CALMO-SANCHEZ, NICOLAS	PHILLIPS, SHANON	39	41	ASSLT FAMILY/HOUSEHOLD MEMBER W/PREV CONV	\$25,000.00	IN CUSTODY
DYLE, KOREE	RINCON, GUMARO	34	17	TRAFFIC WARRANT	\$650.00	12/1/21
FOSTER, TAYLOR	GARCIA, JESUS	31	26	SMUGGLING OF PERSONS UNDER 18YOA	\$20,000.00	IN CUSTODY
GARCIA, JESUS		26		IMMIGRATION DETAINEE		
GONZALES-LOPEZ, EFAFRODITO	REEVES, EDWARD JR	32	30	BURGLARY OF HABITATION HALL CO WARRANT	\$20,000.00	12/3/21
GONZALEZ, JOSE	PETIT, KENTON	23	29	BURGLARY OF HABITATION	\$25,000.00	IN CUSTODY
GRIFFIN, TRAVIS	NUNEZ, AYLIN	20	26	SMUGGLING OF PERSONS	\$15,000.00	12/5/21
GUERRERO-ESPINO, ESTEBAN		37		POSS MARIJ <2OZ	\$1,500.00	
HERNANDEZ, MARCOS	HERRERA-VAZQUEZ, MIGUEL	37	44	SMUGGLING OF PERSONS	\$15,000.00	12/3/21
HOWELL, TODD	CRUZ, DANIEL	39	35	DWI 3RD OR MORE	\$20,000.00	12/3/21
JONES, JAMES	WHITE, WESLEY	54	34	DWI 3RD OR MORE	\$20,000.00	12/3/21
LOPEZ, CALI	SATTERFIELD, BONNIE	36	36	POSS CS PG 2>=1G<4G	\$12,500.00	12/5/21
LOPEZ-CORONA, SANTIAGO	EMMERT-SEWELL, DREW	60	36	DWI 2ND	\$1,500.00	12/5/21
MCCLLELLAND, KAILYNN		28		RESISTING ARREST SEARCH OR TRANSPORT	\$2,500.00	
MILLER, DAVID	ANTUNA, MARTIN	59	32	AGG ASSLT DATE/FAMILY/HOUSE W/WEAPON	\$50,000.00	IN CUSTODY
MONTOYA MEJIA, LUIS		52		UNL POSS FIREARM BY FELON	\$12,500.00	
MORALES, CARLOS		31				
ORTIZ-JIMINEZ, RENALDO		29				

Texas Comptroller Transfers Money To SHF & ESF

Texas Comptroller Glenn Hegar Announces Transfer of \$2.9 Billion to State Highway and Rainy Day Funds

Texas Comptroller Glenn Hegar announced today he recently completed the transfer of more than \$2.91 billion into the State Highway Fund (SHF) and the Economic Stabilization Fund (ESF; commonly known as the "Rainy Day Fund"). Each fund received nearly \$1.46 billion, or 50 percent of the total transfer.

"The Rainy Day Fund and the State Highway Fund are key components of Texas' long-term economic success and help provide the foundation needed for our future growth," Hegar said. "Texas is experiencing a strong economic recovery, and our population continues to boom as more and more people and businesses seek out the jobs and opportunities created here in Texas. It is critical that we continue to invest in the infrastructure needed to maintain our fiscal health and keep our economy growing while at the same time acknowledging the uncertainty that remains and setting aside dollars to ensure we are able to weather future downturns."

The transfer amounts are based on crude oil and natural gas production tax revenues in excess of 1987 collections. If either tax generates more revenue than the 1987 threshold, an amount equal to 75 percent of the excess is transferred.

In November 2014, voters approved a constitutional amendment allocating at least half of these severance taxes to the ESF, with the remainder going to the SHF for use on non-toll highway construction, maintenance and right-of-way acquisition.

According to the Texas Constitution, the ESF transfer must occur within 90 days after the end of the fiscal year. When fiscal 2021 ended on Aug. 31, the ESF balance was \$10.3 billion.

With this most recent transfer, the new balance will be about \$11.4 billion, not accounting for currently outstanding spending authority of approximately \$1.43 billion. The balance in the ESF will change as agencies spend down this remaining appropriation authority and investment earnings are realized.

Quinn Minute

Christmas Trees

by Rix Quinn

Christmas trees are like a distant cousin. They come to your house, surround themselves with presents, and stay a month. Then they begin to shed, and need somebody to drive them off.

People often do strange things with cut trees. One of my neighbors pulled out a chain saw and widened his front door three feet. That allowed him to bring in the tree without bending it, and it made a great spectacle the neighbors could video.

Once inside the home, some people say you should cut a couple inches off the base of a live tree trunk, and immerse it in a tree stand filled with water.

If your tree's artificial, it doesn't need water. And if you cut anything off its trunk, you'll have a shorter tree next year.

Do not use flammable decorations on a tree. The new smaller, safer tree lights seem better. I even saw one guy try to wear these lights to a party, but his extension cord kept coming out.

Some people surround the tree with a decorative tree skirt. I have never worn a tree skirt to a party, because I do not shave my legs.

After the holidays, dispose of your tree properly. Many cities will remove it from your lawn, and recycle it into mulch.

Therefore, do not dispose of your artificial tree. Plastic mulch will not grow anything.

Simple Answer To Complex Problems?

by Rix Quinn

Several years ago, my Dad bowed his head during an outdoor funeral. As he did so, a gravestone caught his eye. It showed a name, and birth-and-death dates. But beneath those markings were these three words:

"He grew peaches." Throughout the service, Dad said could think only this single thought: "Wow...one man's life summed up in three words."

How many of us could define our current busy lives in 1000 words? Or just 500? My guess is...not many.

Do we compartmentalize famous people? When I say George Washington, is your major thought "First President?" Or if I say Thomas Edison, do you think "Invented the light bulb?"

Most of us remember only a few things about the famous people. But, strangely, the less we know about each, the longer we remember them.

Bottom line: No matter how smart we are - or how many degrees we've earned - we instinctively look for simple solutions, or techniques to save time and money.

In short...we all naturally simplify.

Inventor of simplicity? Around 600 b.c. the Greek slave Aesop began to chronicle fables from around the civilized world. He became so



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\$3.6 Billion In Nov. Sales Tax

State Sales Tax Revenue Totaled \$3.6 Billion in November

(AUSTIN) — Texas Comptroller Glenn Hegar today said state sales tax revenue totaled \$3.56 billion in November, 19.4 percent more than in November 2020. The majority of November sales tax revenue is based on sales made in October and remitted to the agency in November.

Year-over-year increases for most tax revenues continue to be affected by base effects: Year-ago revenue collections to which this year's collections are compared were suppressed by the pandemic. Compared to November 2019, sales tax collections were up 11.8 percent.

"November sales tax collections once again reached a new monthly high," Hegar said. "Texas continues to see growth in taxable sales in every major economic sector."

"Sales tax remittances from the construction, manufacturing and wholesale trade sectors had substantial growth compared to last year, indicating increased economic activity in the state despite continuing supply chain or labor shortage issues. Increased drilling drove higher collections from the oil and gas mining sector, though still remaining significantly below pre-pandemic levels."

"Collections from the retail trade sector remained strong in November, as they have been for most of the pandemic. Receipts from electronics and appliance stores had the sharpest increase compared to a year ago, while receipts from home improvement and furniture and home furnishing stores, already elevated last year by pandemic-induced shifts in consumer spending, again had double-digit percentage gains from a year ago. Receipts from clothing stores and sporting goods stores also had double-digit gains. Growth in spending at online merchandisers slowed in comparison to other sectors."

His stories—like the one about the tortoise and the hare—gave animals human qualities. His fables pointed out people's good and bad traits and illustrated critical life lessons. And many were very short...only a few hundred words.

And don't forget Sophocles, another author with no last name. He created plays that usually centered on a single heroic character who—in order to help humankind—chose an unpopular course of action.

Sophocles introduces us to (1) the popularity of contrarian thinking and (2) the value of building a story around a hero.

Boil honey, cinnamon, vinegar and alum. Stir, remove from heat. Cool, Stir in whiskey. Pour into large bottle. Shake well before using.

1 cup honey, 1 tsp cinnamon, 1/4 cup vinegar, 1/4 tsp alum, 1/4-1/2 cup whiskey.

Boil honey, cinnamon, vinegar and alum. Stir, remove from heat. Cool, Stir in whiskey. Pour into large bottle. Shake well before using.

Hear the "Abundant Living Broadcast" **KPDR-FM, 90.3** WHEELER, TEXAS Saturdays: 9:00 a.m. to Noon

POTATO SACKS EXERCISE

With 5 lb potato sacks in each hand, extend your arms horizontally and hold for one minute, then relax.

Each day you'll find that you can hold this position a little longer, 1 minute, then 2, 3, 4....

After 2 weeks, move up to 10 lb potato sacks.

After 1 month try 50 lb potato sacks.....

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The Grinch & Cindy Lou Who
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ROBERTS (ST. CLAIR, Granite Wash) Texakoma E & P, LLC, #409 McMordie, (320 acres) 1512' FWL & 1027' FSL, Sec 9, Blk A2, EL&RR RR Surv, A-455, 15 mi NW from Miami TD 9800', (sgd. Jeff Harwell 972-212-8028) Vertical
MOORE (PANHANDLE, WEST) Scout Energy Management LLC, #3B R. S. Coon, (27680 acres) 330' FNL & 503' FEL, Sec 3, Blk 6T, T&NO RR Surv, A-322, 8.65 mi SW from Dumas TD 4000', (sgd. Tonya Blanchard 972-782-4267) Vertical
MOORE (PANHANDLE, WEST) Scout Energy Management LLC, #12C Gober, (1760 acres) 1792' FSL & 466' FWL, Sec 12, Blk 1, J. Pointe-vent Surv, A-, 9.5 mi SE from Dumas TD 4000', (sgd. Tonya Blanchard 972-782-4267) Vertical
MOORE (PANHANDLE, WEST) Scout Energy Management LLC, #M 1B Haile, (640 acres) 1525' FNL & 2038' FEL, Sec 1, Blk 1PD, B Quanton Surv, A-1052, 13.91 mi SE from Dumas TD 4000', (sgd. Tonya Blanchard 972-782-4267) Vertical
 Gas Completions
 None
 Oil Completions
 None

Wheeler County COURT RECORDS

List of instruments filed in the Wheeler County Clerk's office from November 29, 2021 to December 3, 2021.
NOVEMBER 29, 2021
 C/C PROBATE-James Delton Bolz Sr. to Ex Parte 11-16-21. ASSIGN. CONVEY. BILL of SALE-Laura G. Ross, et al to Andral LLC, et al, 11-22-21, See Instrument.
 C/C PROBATE-Gene G. Hill to Ex Parte, 11-18-21.
 MD/ROY. DEED-Alvin L. Thomas, et al to Alvin Thomas Oil Properties LLC, et al, 11-2-21, See Instrument.
 ROW-Caaron Kinnaman to Lynn Rector, 5-20-21, See Instrument.
 MD/ROY. DEED-John Huff, et al to Brett G Taylor Royalty Trust, 11-8-21, SW/4 Sec. 2, Blk. A-2, H&GN Ry. Company Survey; N/2 Sec. 94, Blk. A-5, H&GN Ry. Company Survey; E/2 of Sections 54 & 57, Blk. 24, H&GN Ry. Company Survey.
 MD/ROY. DEED-The Burnett Foundation to Kimbell Art Foundation, 11-5-21, SW/4 Sec. 2, Blk. A-2, H&GN Ry. Company Survey; N/2 Sec. 94, Blk. A-5, H&GN Ry. Company Survey; E/2 of Sections 54 & 57, Blk. 24, H&GN Ry. Company Survey.
 MD/ROY. DEED-Kimbell Art Foundation to BRD Royalty Holdings LLC, 11-5-21, SW/4 Sec. 2, Blk. A-2, H&GN Ry.

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Company Survey; N/2 Sec. 94, Blk. A-5, H&GN Ry. Company Survey; E/2 of Sections 54 & 57, Blk. 24, H&GN Ry. Company Survey.
 MD/ROY. DEED-The Burnett Foundation to Kimbell Art Foundation, et al, 11-5-21, 390.8 acs. Sec. 25, Blk. A-3, H&GN Ry. Company Survey.
POWER of ATTORNEY-Kimbell Art Foundation, et al to KRP Isles Management LLC, 11-5-21, 390.8 acs. Sec. 25, Blk. A-3, H&GN Ry. Company Survey.

POWER of ATTORNEY-Nail Bay Royalties LLC, et al to Taylor Companies Mineral Management LLC, 11-8-21, SW/4 Sec. 2, Blk. A-2, H&GN Ry. Company Survey; N/2 Sec. 94, Blk. A-5, H&GN Ry. Company Survey; E/2 of Sections 54 & 57, Blk. 24, H&GN Ry. Company Survey.

NOVEMBER 30, 2021
 DEED-Miles Neaville to Bonnie Christine Neaville, 10-28-21, All Blk. XX, Romans Addition, Shamrock.
 DEED-Miles Neaville to Bonnie Christine Neaville, 10-28-21, All Blk. XXXVI, Romans Addition, Shamrock, (Except Lot 18).

DEED-Miles Neaville to Bonnie Christine Neaville, 10-28-21, All Blk. XXIX, Romans Addition, Shamrock.

DECEMBER 1, 2021
 DT-Jacob Andrew Widener et ux to Wells Fargo Bank NA, 11-23-21, Pt. SE/4 Sec. 60, Blk. A-8, H&GN Ry. Company Survey, Sub-Division #4, Wheeler.
 RDT-F&M Bank to JBK of Texas Enterprises LLC, 11-1-21, All Lots 1 and 2, Blk. 28, Original Town, Wheeler (Except West 12" of Lot 2).
 MD-Nena Barber-Rupp to Jack & Arlene Scheller Trust

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TxCDBG #72205021.

Immediately following the closing time for receipt of Bids, Proposals will be publicly opened and read aloud at Wheeler City Hall. Any Bid received after closing time will be returned unopened. Bids will be tabulated and presented to City of Wheeler for action at a later date. The City of Wheeler reserves the right to reject any or all Bids or waive any informalities in bidding. Bids may be held by the City of Wheeler not to exceed 30 days from the date of the Bid opening to review Bids and investigate Bidder qualifications before Contract award.

Information for Bidders, Proposal forms, Specifications, and Plans are on file at City of Wheeler and the office of Parkhill, Consulting Engineers, 800 S. Polk, Suite 200, Amarillo, Texas, 79101.

Attention is called to the fact that not less than the federally-determined prevailing (David-Bacon and Related Acts) wage rate, as issued by the Texas Department of Agriculture Office of Rural Affairs and contained in Contract Documents, must be paid on this Project. In addition, the successful Bidder must ensure employees and applicants for employment are not discriminated against because of race, color, religion, sex, sexual identity, gender identity, or national origin.

Bidders must submit a Cashier's or Certified Check issued by a bank satisfactory to the Owner, or a Proposal Bond from a reliable Surety Company, payable without recourse to the order of City of Wheeler in an amount not less than five percent of the Bid submitted as a guaranty that the Bidder will enter into a Contract and execute bonds in the forms provided within 15 days after notice of award of Contract to him. Bids without the required check or Proposal Bond will not be considered.

All contractors/subcontractors that are debarred, suspended, or otherwise excluded from, or ineligible for participation on federal assistance programs, may not undertake any activity in part or in full under this Project. The successful Bidder will be required to furnish a Performance Bond and a



Payment Bond, each in the amount of the contract, written by a responsible Surety Company authorized to do business in the State of Texas, and satisfactory to the Owner, as required by Article 5160, V.A.T.C.S., as amended by H.B.344, passed by the 56th Legislature, Regular Session 1959.

Bidders are expected to inspect the Site of the Work and to inform themselves regarding all local conditions.

Copies of the Plans, Specifications and Contract Documents may be secured at the office of Parkhill, Consulting Engineers, 800 S. Polk, Suite 200, Amarillo, Texas, 79101 (Phone 806-376-8600) as follows:

1. Download documents (.pdf file extension format) from Parkhill's Info Exchange web site after registering as a plan holder with issuing Parkhill office. There is no cost or deposit required for this option.

2. One set of paper copies for a non-refundable deposit of \$50.00.

3. A digital copy (.pdf file extension format) upon a non-refundable deposit of \$20.00 per each CD.

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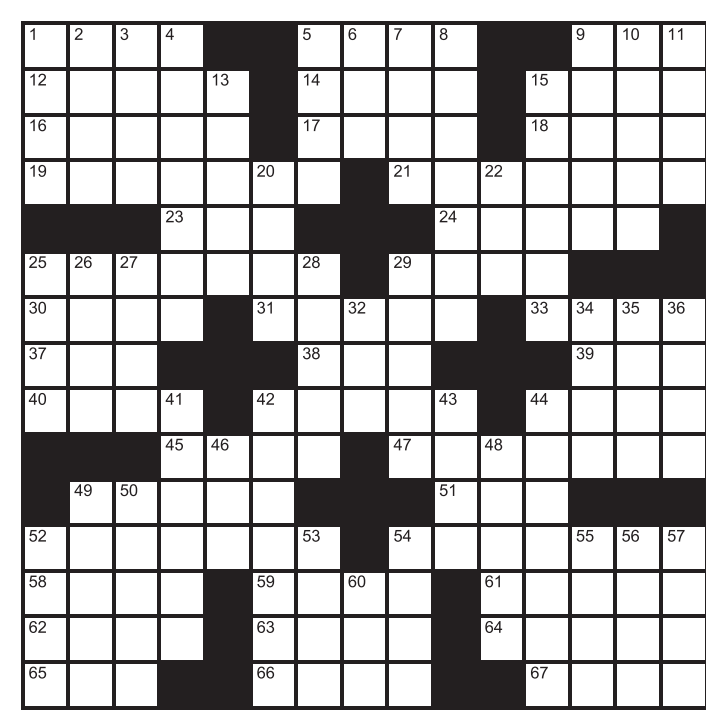
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TODAY'S LESSON IN IRONY
 THE FOOD STAMP PROGRAM IS ADMINISTERED BY THE U. S. DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE. THEY PROUDLY REPORT THAT THEY DISTRIBUTE FREE MEALS AND FOOD STAMPS TO OVER 46 MILLION PEOPLE ON AN ANNUAL BASIS.
 MEANWHILE, THE NATIONAL PARK SERVICE, RUN BY THE U. S. DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR, ASKS US, "PLEASE DO NOT FEED THE ANIMALS". THEIR STATED REASON FOR THIS POLICY BEING THAT..
 "THE ANIMALS WILL GROW DEPENDENT ON THE HANDOUTS, AND THEN THEY WILL NEVER LEARN TO TAKE CARE OF THEMSELVES".
THIS CONCLUDES TODAY'S LESSON ANY QUESTIONS?

Crossword PUZZLE



- Across
 1. Rival of 49 down
 5. Communicate silently
 9. Place to relax
 12. Birdlike
 14. Game on horseback
 15. Mountaintop
 16. Old-fashioned
 33. Rolling in dough
 37. The whole shebang
 38. Pen filler
 39. Refinable rock
 59. Pudding fruit
 61. Disgrace
 62. Cybercafe patron
 63. Life saver
 64. Bridal-veil material
 65. Drill insertion
 66. Pull hard
 67. Hammer's end

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17. Newton, e.g.
 18. Calf's meat
 19. Canadian province leader
 21. ATM readout
 23. "Give ___ break!"
 24. Montana city
 25. Strongboxes
 29. Pond dweller
 30. Willing, old-style
 31. Renter's paper
 40. Don't believe it
 42. Ancient Mexican
 44. Christmas tree topper
 45. Some chips, maybe
 47. Online site
 49. Harness racer
 51. Golf ball position
 52. Windows work area
 54. A branch of mathematics
 58. Vaulted recess

9. Done for
 10. Christmas wish
 11. Bridge toll unit
 13. Bing, bang or boom
 15. Personification
 20. Nobleman
 22. Car nut
 25. Secretive sort
 26. Unctuous
 27. Experienced
 28. Take by force
 29. Cockeyed
 32. Hill dweller
 34. Small amount
 35. Mountaineer's challenge
 36. Roll call response
 41. Computer troublemaker
 42. Wither away
 43. Battery unit
 44. Go faster
 46. Tennis court divider
 48. A prejudiced person
 49. Cola competitor of 1 across
 50. Black ink item
 52. Apply paint crudely
 53. "Guilty," e.g.
 54. Run ___ (go wild)
 55. Digestive juice
 56. Be a monarch
 57. Prayer's end
 60. Coffee holder

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Kelton Lions hosted their first high school home games on Friday night. The boys faced off against the excellent team from Accelerated Christian but despite taking good shots, the boys could not get them to fall. The girls played Darrouzett and won the hard fought battle by two points.



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THE WHEELER TIMES
 Page 5 — Thursday, December 9, 2021
 "Wheeler: town of friendship and pride"

The Fort Elliott Cougars traveled to Holy Cross on Nov. 30 and came home with a win!



Cougar, Jaytin Dickey, scores against the Holy Cross Mustangs.



Fort Elliott's Cutter Barr makes a lay-up which helped the Cougars win against Holy Cross 64-40.



Fort Elliott's Boone Begert blocks the shot of a Booker Kiowa in their game during the Miami Tournament on December 4, 2021.

Court

(from Page 4)

11-15-21, All Interest in Sec. 20, Blk. R.E., Roberts & Eddleman Survey.
 DECEMBER 2, 2021
 STATE TAX LIEN-State of Texas to Paisan Logistics LLC, 11-18-21.
 ASSIGN./BILL of SALE-High Alpine Production LLC to Amicus Energy LLC, 11-1-21, See Instrument.
 ASSIGN./BILL of SALE-Kean Production LP to Amicus Energy LLC, 11-1-21, See Instrument.
 ASSIGN./BILL of SALE-Themistocles Inc. to Amicus Energy LLC, 11-1-21, See Instrument.
 CEMETERY DEED-Wheeler Cemetery Assoc. to Ladona Honeycutt, 12-2-21, Lot 1, Blk. O-1, NE Addition, Wheeler Cemetery, Spaces E 1 & 2.
 RDT-Great Plains National Bank to Brian Neil Austin, et al, 11-4-21, 644.4 Acs. Sec. 39, Blk. 13, H&GN Ry. Company Survey.
 RDT-Great Plains National Bank to Brian Neil Austin, et al, 11-4-21, 644.4 acs. Sec. 39, Blk. 13, H&GN Ry. Company Survey.
 DVL-Brian Austin, et ux to Panhandle Fire Land & Cattle LLC, 11-12-21, 644.4 acs. Sec. 39, Blk. 13, H&GN Ry. Company Survey.
 DT-Panhandle Fire Land & Cattle LLC, et al to Capital Farm Credit ACA, 11-12-21, 644.4 acs. Sec. 39, Blk. 13, H&GN Ry. Company Survey.
 DEED-Shamrock Economic Development Corp. to City of Shamrock, 11-24-21, 5.29 acs. Sec. 44, Blk. 17, H&GN Ry. Company Survey, See Instrument for complete Land Description.
 DEED-Loney Wilson, et ux

to Adeniran Adekoya, 12-1-21, 2 acs & 2.5 acs. Sec. 65, Blk. A-5, H&GN Ry. Company Survey.
 DECEMBER 3, 2021
 DVL-Ida Mae Goad (Estate) to Kristyn L. Robinson, 12-1-21, 75' x 140' in Blk. 57, Stanley Addition, Wheeler.
 DT-Kristyn L. Robinson to Amerisave Mortgage Corporation, 12-1-21, 75' x 140' in Blk. 57, Stanley Addition, Wheeler.
 RDT-Quicken Loans Inc. to Steven Bentley, et ux, 11-17-21, All Blk. LI and All Lot 4, Blk. LII, Romans Addition, Shamrock.
 District Clerk's Filings:
 #14157-Wheeler County vs Berny Byren, Ellen Byrens, Bambi Byrens and Barry Byrens, 10-27-21, Tax Delinquency.
 #14158-JP Morgan Chase Bank N.A. vs Erminio R. Nevarez, 10-27-21, Debt/Contract Consumer/Commercial Debt.
 #14159-The State of Texas vs David Anderson Frederic, 10-28-21, Judgment NISI.
 #14160-Ashli N. Cubitt vs Dustin L Cubitt, 10-28-21, Divorce.
 #14161-Ex Parte vs Expunction, 11-4-21, Expunction.
 #14162-Richard Paul Oswalt III and Brett Martin Goad vs Jason Ray Bliss, 11-11-21, Motor Vehicle Accident.
 #14163-Discover Bank vs David Rion, 11-11-21, Debt/Contract Consumer/Commercial Debt.
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As you get older, you'll realize:
 • A Ford will also drive you as far as a Bentley
 • True happiness is not found in materialistic things, it comes from the love and laughter found with each other.

Chat

(from Page 1)

and I met Addy, a twenty-one year old Sea Lion. She was funny and sweet and very smart. I fed Addy fish. I did not know that Sea Lions have tiny black teeth. I'm glad I got to do that.
 I went to the Herpetarium, which was interesting. I absolutely hate snakes, but when they are behind the glass I like to see them. They had venomous snakes like the Mamba and some harmless snakes. I don't want to touch any snake, ever!

Chat (from Page 1)
 ship Rodeo. Good Luck.
 — cwe —
 Be sure to bring the youngsters in for their visit with Santa Saturday.
 — cwe —
 Good to see the prospect of industry coming into the county. This will mean employment opportunities.
 — cwe —
 Ronal Wayne, Juanita and Ian came to OKC Friday evening to join us at Quail Creek Bank's Snow Tubing. It was held at the ballpark downtown. The slide down was great fun; it was just a little bit hard climbing back up.
 — cwe —
 This was an outdoor event and we were a bit concerned as to how cold it was going to be. But, the weather was perfect.
 — cwe —
 William also joined us at the event and stayed for some cards.
 — cwe —
 Yes, Pop forgot Stormie's Birthday. It was Saturday; Our little columnist is 18. Happy Birthday, Stormie!

After the zoo, we went to Red Lobster. I didn't get to go shopping until Sunday afternoon.
 This is a busy week. Our Christmas Band Concert will be Thursday at 7:00 p.m. in the Game Gym. There is a BB Tournament at WT High School Dec 9-11 and The Wheeler Swine Jackpot is Saturday. Good Luck Mustangs!
 On Sunday, December 12, Mrs. Lohberger's students will be performing at the Mobeetie Visitors Center at the Community Christmas Celebration. I hope to see you there! That's it!

We can't be everywhere or know everything!
 If you have an event, let us know.
 If you need to inform Wheeler, let us know.
 Someone you know deserves to be recognized, let us know.
 Pictures are also appreciated

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A Reminder For County Livestock Producers

Wheeler County Livestock Producers Reminded to Report Forage Losses by Jan. 30

Coverage Available for Eligible Grazing Losses Due to Drought

WHEELER, Texas, December 6, 2021 — Wheeler County U.S. Department of Agriculture (USDA) Farm Service Agency (FSA) Program Technician in Charge Janee Cross reminds livestock producers who suffered grazing losses that occurred throughout 2021 due to drought to report their losses timely and to enroll in the Livestock Forage Disaster Program (LFP) by Jan. 30, 2021.

LFP provides compensation to eligible livestock producers who suffered grazing losses due to drought on privately-owned or cash-leased land or fire on federally-managed

land. Producers in Wheeler County are eligible to apply for 2021 LFP benefits on small grain, native pasture, and improved pasture. Livestock producers are encouraged to contact the Wheeler County FSA Office with any questions regarding specific forage crops that are eligible.

"Prolonged drought conditions have created a need for livestock disaster assistance programs in Wheeler County," said Cross. "I encourage all affected livestock producers to contact the Wheeler County FSA Office to schedule an appointment to enroll in the program before the Jan. 30 deadline."

Livestock producers must complete the LFP application and required supporting documentation no later than Jan. 30, 2021, for losses that occurred throughout 2021. Producers who already have

appointments scheduled require no additional action to meet the deadline.

Eligible livestock includes alpacas, beef cattle, buffalo, beefalo, dairy cattle, deer, elk, emus, equine, goats, llamas, poultry, reindeer, sheep or swine that have been or would have been grazing the eligible grazing land or pastureland.

Visit www.usda.gov/disaster to learn more about FSA disaster assistance programs or contact the Wheeler County FSA Office at 806-826-5578. To find a local FSA office, visit <http://offices.usda.gov>.

In a continuing effort to better serve the public, USDA has partnered with the Federal Emergency Management Agency and other disaster-focused organizations to develop the central resource for disaster related materials.

This knowledgebase is a collection of disaster-related resources that are powered by agents with subject-matter expertise. Visit the USDA Disaster Resource Center website to find additional USDA disaster information and assistance.

Court (from Page 5)

#14164- Discover Bank vs Brad A. Lewis, 11-15-21, Debt/Contract Consumer/Commercial Debt.

#14165-The State of Texas vs Estaban Guerrero Espino, \$3,195.00, 11-16-21, Civil Cases Relating to Criminal Matters.

#14166-The State of Texas vs 2008 Chevrolet Tahoe, Estaban Guerrero Espino, Southwest Auto Sales, 11-16-21, Civil Cases Relating to Criminal Matters.

#14167-The State of Texas vs 2007 Ford Expedition, Jose Luis Leon Gonzalez, 11-16-21,



Civil Cases Relating to Criminal Matters.

#14168-The State of Texas vs \$4,756.00 United States Currency, Pablo Saul Deleon Molina, 11-17-21, Civil Cases Relating to Criminal Matters.

#14169-The State of Texas vs 2001 Dodge Grand Caravan, Pablo Saul Deleon Molina and Robert Allan Ryan, 11-17-21, Civil Cases Relating to Criminal Matters.

#14170-The State of Texas vs 2011 Ford Expedition, Luis Enrique Montoya Mejia, Southwest Auto Sales, 11-17-21, Civil Cases Relating to Criminal Matters.

#14171-The State of Texas vs \$23,181.00, Renaldo Ortiz Jimenez, 11-18-21, Civil Cases Relating to Criminal Matters.

#14172-Wheeler County vs Oryan Oil & Gas, 11-19-21, Tax Delinquency

#14173-The State of Texas vs \$9,157.00, Freddy Ruiz, 11-19-21, Civil Cases Relating to

Criminal Matters.

#14174-The State of Texas vs 2011 Honda Odyssey, Santiago Lopez-Corona, 11-19-21, Civil Cases Relating to Criminal Matters.

#14175-The State of Texas vs \$7,829.00, Santiago Lopez-Corona, 11-19-21, Civil Cases Relating to Criminal Matters.

#14176-The State of Texas vs \$7,142.00, Patrick Douglas Johnson, 11-19-21, Civil Cases Relating to Criminal Matters.

#14177-The State of Texas vs \$5,013.00, Alexis Morales and Hector Roblero, 11-19-21, Civil Cases Relating to Criminal Matters.

#14178-The State of Texas vs \$1,679.00, Gregory Maxwell, 11-19-21, Civil Cases Relating to Criminal Matters.

#14179-The State of Texas vs 2010 Volkswagen Routan, Gregory Maxwell and Sampath Sengbounpheng, 11-19-21, Civil Cases Relating to Criminal Matters.

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