



Look who's older !!!

As another year rolls by, it's time to let someone know that we all know she's another year older !!!

See Birthday adv., Page 3

KC students advance to state

Tamara McGaughey and Jennifer Vacek have families who are proud of them!

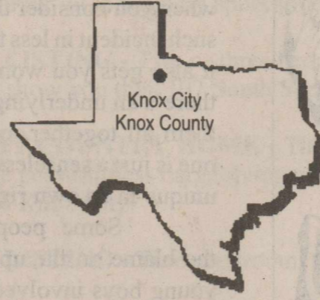
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Remember the time change !!

Readers are reminded that it will soon be that time again..... it will be time to set your clocks AHEAD one hour when you go to bed this Saturday night. The official time change happens at 2:00 a.m. on Sunday morning. Remember: clocks ahead 1 hour !

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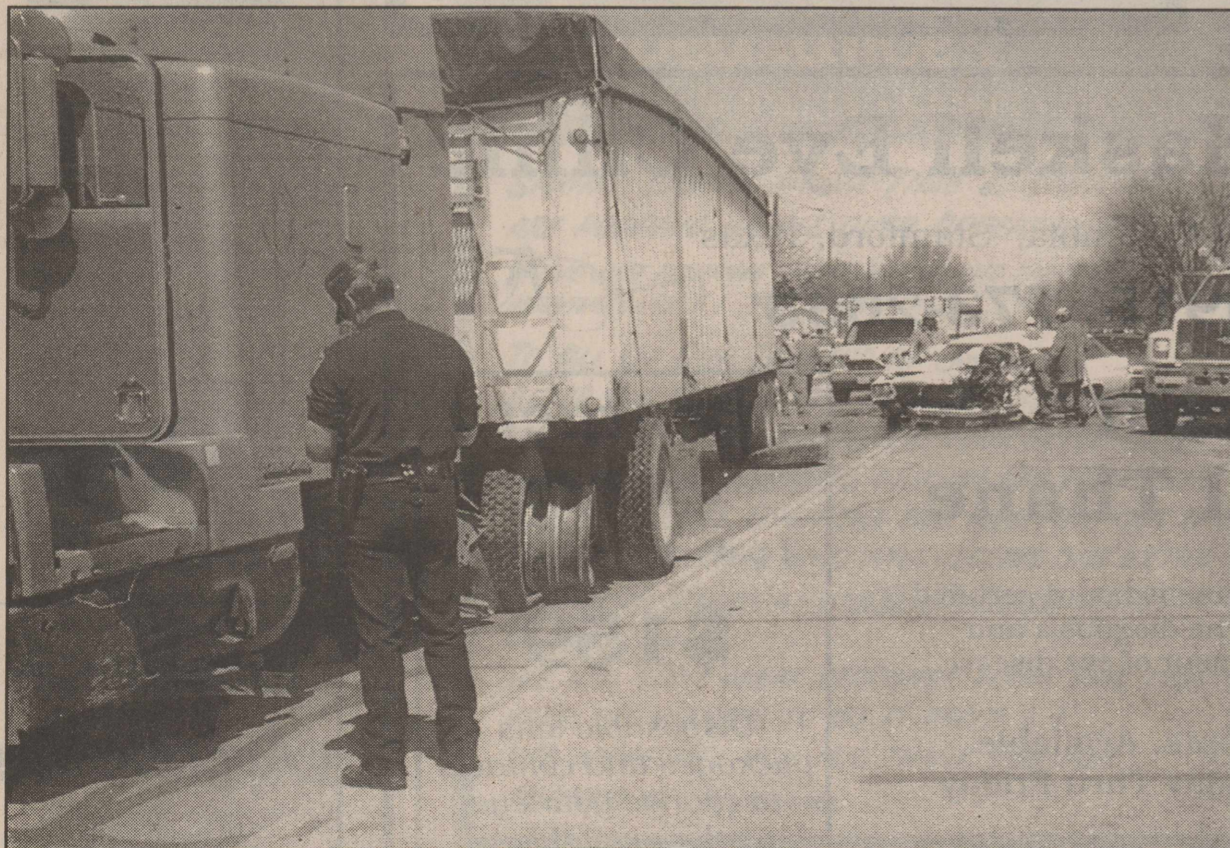
Emergency personnel are determined and dedicated



EMERGENCY PERSONNEL responded to a wreck early Monday involving a car and a semi-truck on S. Central. In this photo, firemen and ambulance personnel remove Roy Riley of KC from his car.



DPS HIGHWAY PATROLMAN Brian Williams is shown in the above photo marking off the accident scene for his investigation. KC firemen in the background hosed the scene clear of spilled gas.



KC POLICE CHIEF Harry Steen gathers information from the truck driver, Woodrow Belew of Dublin.

KC Dairy Queen receives 6 year safety award

GRAHAM, TEXAS - At the recent Richeson All-Star Reunion I Leadership Conference the Dairy Queen of Knox City received an Outstanding Safety Achievement Award.

This award is given to the Dairy Queen with the least amount of accidents for the past year. Richeson Companies was proud to award this to the Dairy Queen of Knox City for not having an accident for the last 6 years.

Accepting the award for the Knox City Dairy Queen was new manager Richard Louder.



PRESENTING THE SAFETY AWARD to KC Dairy Queen Manager Richard Louder (at right) was Richeson Vice President, Patricia Dial. (Courtesy Photo)

Methodists schedule Holy Week services

The First United Methodist Church will be holding Holy Week activities beginning Sunday, April 5, and continuing through Easter Sunday, April 12.

The Rev. Vergil Ichtertz, church pastor, has announced that services will be held on Palm Sunday, April 5, beginning at 11:00 a.m. On Palm Sunday, a baptismal and confirmation service will be held and the sermon topic will be "The Day of Acclaim".

Knox City Ministerial Alliance members will share in the week long service.

Monday, April 6, Paul Cham-

bers of the Foursquare Church will preach on "The Day of Authority", beginning at 12:00 noon.

First Baptist pastor Johnny Johnson will bring the 12:00 noon message on "The Day of Argument" on Tuesday, April 7.

Steve Pepper, First Christian Church pastor, will preach on "The Day of Apartness" on Wednesday, April 8, at 12:00 noon.

William Sterling, First United Methodist Church pastor of Munday, will bring the Thursday, April 9, 12:00 noon message of "The Day of Action".

Rev. Ichtertz will preach the

Friday, April 10, message on "The Day of Agony", beginning at 12:00 noon.

He will also bring the Sunday, April 12, Easter message, "The Day of Victory" at the 11:00 a.m. service.

Everyone is invited to attend any or all of these services, Rev. Ichtertz said.

The Monday through Friday services will begin at 12:00 noon daily and conclude at approximately 12:40 p.m. enabling those attending during the noon hour to be back to their work places by 1:00 p.m.

KC Lions Club to help with 'Trash-Off'

CHILDRESS - It's spring cleaning time in Texas. On Saturday, April 4, more than 82,000 volunteers statewide will take part in the 13th annual Great Texas Trash-Off, one of the nation's largest one-day litter pickup events. Part of the Don't Miss with Texas litter prevention campaign, the Trash-Off is organized by the Texas Department of Transportation (TxDOT) and Keep Texas Beautiful (KTB).

In Knox County, Adopt-a-Highway groups including Knox City Lions Club will rid state roads of litter.

In addition, 61,293 Keep Texas Beautiful volunteers will clean

city streets, county roads and parks.

"The local groups who participate in the Great Texas Trash-Off are to be commended for taking time to help keep Texas beautiful," Barbara Seal, TxDOT Adopt-a-Highway coordinator said, "when motorists travel Texas roads to see the bluebonnets and wildflowers, their view should not be of litter."

Scheduled for the first weekend in April, the Trash-Off kicks off Keep Texas Beautiful Month and Keep America Beautiful Month.

The Great Texas Trash-Off is part of TxDOT's litter prevention

programs, which include Don't Mess with Texas, Adopt-a-Highway and a grassroots partnership with Keep Texas Beautiful. Together, these programs have reversed a trend in the increase in the amount of litter on Texas highways, resulting in a 72 percent reduction in litter and a cost savings to taxpayers of \$2 to \$4 million per year.

Anyone interested in participating in the Great Texas Trash-Off can call their local TxDOT office, 940-422-4350 or Barbara Seal, Childress District TxDOT Public Information Office, 940-937-7145 or Keep Texas Beautiful at 1-800-CLEANTX.

Judge Perdue proclaims April as 'child abuse prevention month'

PROCLAMATION

WHEREAS, Nearly 34,000 cases of child abuse and neglect were confirmed in Texas in Fiscal Year 1997; and WHEREAS, Child abuse and neglect are complex and ongoing problems in our society affecting great numbers of children; and

WHEREAS, Every child is entitled to be loved, cared for, nurtured, and secure; and

WHEREAS, Preventing child abuse is the responsibility of all citizens; and

WHEREAS, Community action is needed to help families break the cycle of abuse;

NOW, THEREFORE, I, David N. Perdue, County Judge, do hereby proclaim the month of April 1998 to be

CHILD ABUSE PREVENTION MONTH

in Knox County and urge all citizens to work together to help reduce child abuse and neglect significantly in years to come.

Dated this 26th day of March, 1998.

/s/ DAVID N. PERDUE


Knox County Judge

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Johnny Johnson, Pastor
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* Sunday Evening Worship at 7:00 p.m. ~ Mid Week, Wed. at 7:00 p.m.
Sunday Services telecast live on Channel 17 in Knox City & O'Brien
- FIRST UNITED METHODIST CHURCH ~ Knox City**
Vergil Ichtertz, Pastor
Sunday School at 9:45 a.m. ~ Sunday Morning Worship at 11:00 a.m.
Sunday Evening Worship at 6:00 p.m.
- FIRST CHRISTIAN CHURCH ~ Knox City**
Steve Pepper, Minister
Sunday School at 10:00 a.m. ~ Sunday Morning Worship at 11:00 a.m.
- FOUR SQUARE CHURCH ~ Knox City**
Paul Chambers, Interim Pastor
Sunday School at 9:45 a.m. ~ Sunday Morning Worship at 10:45 a.m.
Sunday Evening Worship at 6:30 p.m. ~ Mid Week, Wed. at 7:00 p.m.
- SANTA ROSA CATHOLIC CHURCH ~ Knox City**
Father Kevin Fagan ~ Deacon Julian Estrada
Sunday Bilingual Mass at 11:00 a.m.
- ST. JOSEPH'S CATHOLIC CHURCH ~ Rhineland**
Father Kevin Fagan ~ Deacon Julian Estrada
Monday Through Friday Mornings, 8:00 a.m. Mass
Saturday Mass at 5:30 p.m. ~ Sunday Mass at 9:00 a.m.
- FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH ~ Benjamin**
John Gillispie, Pastor
Sunday School at 10:00 a.m. ~ Sunday Morning Worship at 11:00 a.m.
Sunday Evening Worship at 6:00 p.m.
- FIRST UNITED METHODIST CHURCH ~ Benjamin**
Vergil Ichtertz, Pastor
Sunday Worship at 9:30 a.m. ~ Sunday School at 10:30 a.m.
- GILLESPIE BAPTIST CHURCH ~ Gillespie**
Ross Anderson, Pastor
Sunday School at 10:00 a.m. ~ Sunday Morning Worship at 11:00 a.m.
Sunday Evening Worship at 7:00 p.m. ~ Mid Week, Wed. at 7:00 p.m.
- FIRST CHRISTIAN CHURCH ~ Benjamin**
Sunday Morning Worship at 9:30 a.m. ~ Sunday School at 10:30 a.m.
- THE BELIEVERS' CHAPEL ~ Highway 222**
W.O. Smith, Pastor
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ISSUE UPDATE
with *Mac Thornberry*

We're Rich As a Nation Economically, But Morally We're Falling Behind

The shootings at an Arkansas school last week are hard to understand. It's clearly a tragedy. And when you consider that it's the third such incident in less than six months, it also gets you wondering whether there's an underlying thread joining them all together, or whether each one is just a senseless act of violence unique in its own right.

Some people are putting the blame on the upbringing of the young boys involved. Some of the national media suggest that because the boys were raised around guns, they were somehow more likely to commit this kind of heinous act. Well, I was brought up around guns, and I know a lot of other people in our part of the country who were as well. So I just don't buy it.

I tend to agree with Arkansas Governor Mike Huckabee, who was asked whether he thought the boys' experience with firearms could have led them to commit such a crime. He replied, in effect, that he believed that what's in a person's heart is more important than what's in their hands. I couldn't agree more.

We live in a society where young people are bombarded with televised images of violence from nearly the moment they are born ... where too many parents are afraid or unwilling to teach their children the difference between right and wrong ... and where too many kids find a greater sense of belonging in gangs than they do in their own families.

We're rich as a Nation economically -- the budget is balanced, unemployment is down, and the Dow is closing in on 9000. But morally, we're falling behind.

We may never know what caused the shootings last week in Arkansas. But I do know that if we don't do a better job teaching our children about values and being positive role models in their lives, more young people will be lost and a tragedy like we saw last week could happen yet again.

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The nationally televised Mrs. America Pageant is seeking representatives from the Knox City area to compete for the title of Mrs. Texas 1998. The winner of the state pageant will go on to compete for the title of Mrs. America in Las Vegas, Nevada in August.

Each year, married women from throughout the state are invited to compete in the annual event. According to Tana Herrington, the pageant's executive director, "the pageant exists for one reason only - to celebrate the beauty of America's married women."

"We welcome women of all ages and from all walks of life.

The only requirements are that the women are married and live in the state of Texas. One of our contestants had six children and several had none. The qualities that all of the contestants seem to have in common are self-confidence, a positive outlook and a definite zest for life.

The winner of Mrs. Texas earns an all expense paid trip to compete in the national program, as well as several thousand dollars worth of prizes. This year the pageant will be held in Houston, Texas, the weekend of June 26-28, 1998.

For contestant or sponsorship information, contact Tana Herrington at (407) 566-8260.

Hospital's 'extra mile' recipient

By JOYCE GREENWOOD
Recipient of this quarter's "Going the Extra Mile Award" is maintenance orker Jessie Moore. More than a dozen of Jessie's co-workers nominated him for this award and each of them commented on his cheerful attitude toward any task he is asked to complete.

"Jessie is always willing to help," stated a member of the office staff. "During the past two months, there has been an increase in employee absenteeism because of winter illnesses. The same illnesses have also increased the patient load and many times, our housekeeping staff has been short handed. Jessie has often left some maintenance job he was doing to help clean the rooms for the next admission. There are few days when Jessie cannot be found walking around the facility to see what needs to be done."

A member of the nursing staff said, "Seems Jessie is helping somebody in some situation on a daily basis lately. Besides his duties in the maintenance department, he has assisted the nurses with combative patients, cleaned rooms when the housekeepers are sick, tagged supplies, and lifted heavy boxes for the kitchen staff. Even more refreshing than his willingness is his cheerful attitude. I doubt if Jessie knows just how much he is appreciated by his fellow employees."

This writer called the front desk on a particularly dark and dreary day. I asked if I could possibly get a light bulb. On eof our bulbs had gone out a few days before and about two hours into my three to eleven shift, the other went out, leaving only the light over our 911 computers. In not more than ten minutes, Jessie was knocking on the door with a package of light bulbs in his hand and a smile on his face.

"I understand it's getting pretty dark up here," he said. He replaced the high ceiling bulb and the one in our table lamp, then left two more in case we needed them. I'm sure I interrupted his work with such a small request, but nobody would have known it by his attitude. By all consensus, it seems that Jessie Moore is very deserving of the Extra Mile Award. He wears many hats - - all with the same cheerful attitude.

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Ex-resident dies in Fort Worth

Nina Gruben Hill, 84, a kindergarten teacher at Humpty Dumpty Day School, died Wednesday, March 4, in a Fort Worth hospital.

Services were Saturday, March 7, at the First Christian Church in Arlington.

Born February 5, 1914, in Royston, she grew up in Knox City. She married Jess W. Hill in 1928 and had lived in Arlington since 1942. Thirty years of her life were spent teaching kindergarten at Humpty Dumpty Day School. She adored teaching children and helping them learn new things.

First Christian Church of Arlington was her church home. She was president of the Christian Adult Fellowship and the Josephine Henry Christian Women's Fellowship. In addition

to other leadership positions, she was a member of Heritage Singers and Christian Education Fellowship Sunday School Class and was coordinator for Friday Game Night.

In December 1996, she received the Deacon Emeritus Award for outstanding devotion and leadership to her church.

She was preceded in death by her husband, Jess W. Hill.

Survivors include a son, Harold Hill and his wife, Lanell of Huntington; a daughter, Charline Hartley and her husband, C.C. of Arlington; grandchildren, Brenda Kline and Laura Petersen, both of Arlington, Charles Hartley of Katy and Sue Holsomback and Jess Hill, both of Fort Worth; a step-grandson, Cody Moree; and 12 great-grandchildren.

Motorcycle safety courses are scheduled at VRJC in Vernon

Vernon Regional Junior College Division of Workforce and Continuing Education has been authorized to be a course provider by the Motorcycle Safety Foundation and the Motorcycle Safety Bureau of the Texas Department of Public Safety. The course will be taught at the VRJC Skills Training Center located at 2813 Central Expressway East in Wichita Falls.

Classes offered will be both the Basic and Advanced Motorcycle Safety Course.

The Motorcycle Safety Foundation Basic Rider Course is for both current motorcycle riders, and those needing a motorcycle endorsement on a current Texas driver license. Tuition is \$100 for 18 hours. The class will meet from 5:30 - 9 p.m. Friday for classroom instruction, and 8 a.m. - 4 p.m. Saturday and Sunday for skills instruction. A helmet is required. Motorcycles and course materials are furnished. The first class will be April 3 - 5.

The Motorcycle Safety Foundation Experienced Rider Course is designed for participants who have at least six (6) months mo-

torcycle driving experience and own their own motorcycle. The tuition is \$25 for 8 hours skills instruction. Participants will ride their own motorcycle, wear an approved (DOT standard) helmet, protective clothing, gloves, and boots to class. Classes will meet on Saturday OR Sunday. The first class is scheduled for Saturday, April 18.

Students must pre-register by filling out an enrollment packet at the Skills Training Center. Call (940) 766-3369 for more information or for a current schedule of classes.

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Rodriquez rites held Saturday

Margaret Ledesma Rodriquez, 62, died Wednesday, March 25, at her Dallas residence. Funeral services were held Saturday, March 28, at 10:00 a.m. at the Santa Rosa Catholic Church in Knox City. Burial was in the Knox City Cemetery under the direction of Smith Funeral Home.

Mrs. Rodriquez was born November 18, 1935, she was the daughter of Frederico and Juanita Ledesma.

She was a Catholic.

Survivors include her husband,

Zenon Rodriquez; four daughters, Nellie Palacio of Bair, Janie Saucedo of Rochester, Sylvia Rodriquez of Phoenix, Arizona, and Carla Micheo Romo of Dallas; a son, Edward Romo of Dallas; three brothers, Tony Ledesma of Hollis, Oklahoma, and Jessie Ledesma and Manuel Ledesma, both of Knox City; and four sisters, Reyes Barrientez of Benjamin, Rosie Nevarez of Knox City, Yolanda Herrera of Rule and Mary Lou Vargas of Dallas; and six grandchildren.



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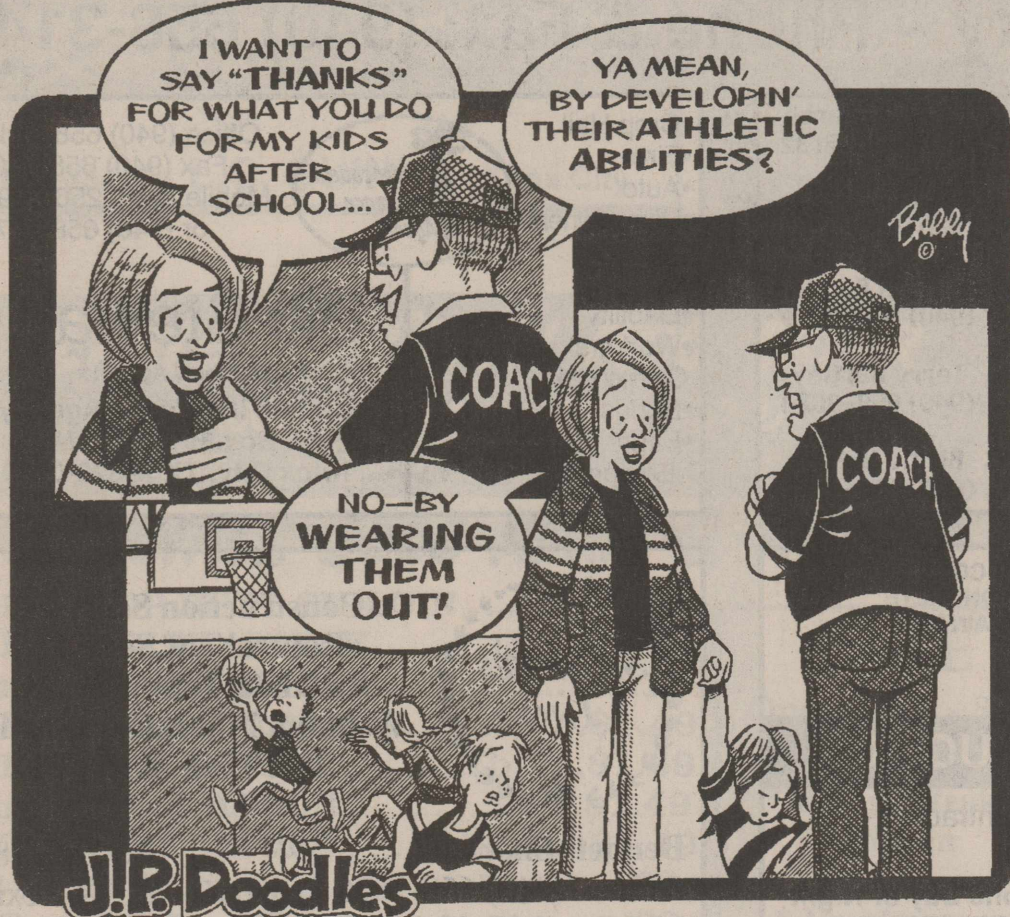
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DAVID DAVIS HASKELL COUNTY JUDGE

(Pd. Pol. Adv. By David C. Davis, Campaign Treasurer)

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I would like to thank everyone in Precincts 1 and 2 who supported me in the Justice of the Peace election. Though I didn't make it to the runoffs, I feel I've gained a lot of new friends during this time. A special thanks goes out to those who help spread my name to those who didn't know me. And to the Benjamin residents, you really made me feel good to be a part of a great little community. Thanks for all your support!!
Please remember to vote on Tuesday, April 14, and support Imagean Young during this runoff election.

Thanks, Mitzi Ham

(Pol. Adv. Pd. For By Mitzi Ham, Benjamin, TX 79505)

I would like to thank everyone who supported me in the recent election. To those who could not for one reason or another, I hope to be able to gain your confidence and support in the upcoming months. Together we can build a competent and successful Sheriff's Department. If anyone has questions or problems, please feel free to contact me. Once again, thank you to everyone.

Dean W. Homstad

(Pol. Adv. Pd. For By Dean W. Homstad, P.O. Box 460, Knox City, TX 79529)

Chemical safety program is Tuesday

The Brazos Valley Young Farmers and the Knox County Extension Service is sponsoring a "Chemical Safety" program Tuesday, April 7, at the Brazos Valley Young Farmers Building in Munday beginning at 7:00 p.m.

The program will be conducted by Kelly Griffen with the Texas Department of Agriculture. Those attending will receive one CEU in laws and regulations for renewing their private, commercial or

non-commercial applicators license with the Texas Department of Agriculture.

A meal will be served after the program. This meal is sponsored by the Brazos Valley Young Farmers. Following the meal, the Brazos Valley Young Farmers will have a short meeting.

For more information, contact any Brazos Valley Young Farmer or call Paul Weiser in the Extension office at 940-454-2651.

Aging center lunch menus

April 6th thru 10th

Monday, April 6 - Beef stew, peach half with cottage cheese, cheese stick, cornbread, brownie.

Tuesday, April 7 - Chicken strips with gravy, garden green salad, baked potato, peas and carrots, hot rolls, lemon pudding.

Wednesday, April 8 - Beef tips with noodles, vegetable salad, whole kernel corn, hot rolls, cherry crunch.

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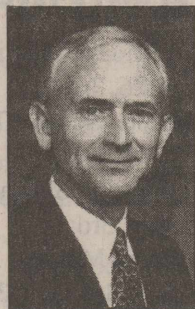
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THE CURRENT IRS TAX CODE MUST GO

"Reckless" and "irresponsible" are the words that President Clinton recently used to describe a plan to abolish the IRS tax code. With all due respect, Mr. President, what is truly irresponsible is a seven-million word tax code that is anti-work, anti-saving and anti-family.

By attacking this plan, the president is insulting thousands of small-business owners who have joined NFIB's Campaign to Abolish the IRS Code and signed petitions calling for the end of the current tax code. The goal is to collect one million petitions in 1998 and deliver them to Congress as "one million reasons to stop talking about the code and do something about it."

NFIB has designated April 15 as National "It's our money, not THEIRS" Day. Volunteers and supporters will be at designated post offices in more than 100 cities nationwide collecting signatures asking Congress and the president to abolish the IRS Code by the year 2001 and replace it with a code that lowers taxes and rewards work and savings. On the final tax filing date, we want to remind taxpayers that the money they are sending to the government belongs to them, not the IRS.

And veteran lawmakers agree that the only way we will ever have real tax reform is to scrap the current tax code and start over. "The Tax Code Termination Act," introduced by Sens. Tim Hutchinson, R-Ark., and Sam Brownback, R-Kan., and Reps. Steve Largent, R-Okla., and Bill Paxon, R-N.Y., has many congressional supporters. Both Senate Majority Leader Trent Lott and House Majority Leader Dick Armey have promised to schedule a vote on abolish-the-code legislation this year.

President Clinton has indicated in speeches that small-business owners want to create "fiscal anarchy" by scrapping the code and then figuring out what to do next. But small employers understand that a new plan must be ready for implementation before the old code is put to rest.

The debate on alternatives to the tax code has just gotten started, and small-business owners have been busy educating themselves about each plan. Reps. Dick Armey, R-Tex., and Billy Tauzin, R-La., have been traveling the country discussing the merits of two of the most popular alternatives—the flat tax and the national retail sales tax.

Far from being a reckless scheme, the Campaign to Abolish the IRS Code is based on these seven steps: One, Congress must pass legislation that would sunset the IRS Code by December 31, 2001. Two, the American people should have an opportunity at town hall meetings to debate and define the principles that any new tax code must contain. Three, in 1999, Congress will write two alternative tax codes—one based on a sales tax and one based on income tax—including transition rules for each proposal. Four, Americans will be educated about the two alternatives. Five, on November 7, 2000, a national advisory referendum will be held so that Americans can choose the least of three evils—a national sales tax, new income tax, or keep the current tax code. Six, by July 4, 2001, Congress will enact the tax code with no changes or amendments. Seven, the new tax code will take effect by July, 2001.

Instead of stubbornly embracing the status quo, President Clinton should join the Campaign to Abolish the IRS Code and champion the cause. If the president listens to small business on this one, he will be remembered as the president who got rid of the seven-million word, social engineering document that cost Americans so much time, money and grief.

To participate in the April 15 event or join the campaign, call 1-888-NOT4IRS.

Houston rites held in Odessa

Leonard Houston, 92, of Odessa died Friday, March 13, 1998 in Odessa. Funeral services were held Monday, March 16 at the Hubbard-Kelly Chapel. Burial was at Sunset Memorial Gardens. Hubbard-Kelly Funeral Home was in charge of arrangements.

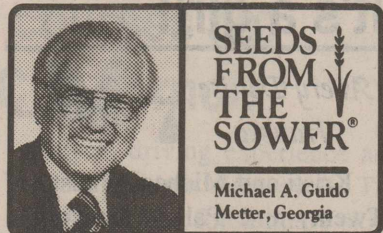
He was born in Merkel on December 29, 1905. His parents, Luther and Ida Houston moved the family to the Union Grove community west of Knox City in 1923. He married Verlan Gaither of O'Brien on December 23, 1933 in Wichita Falls. She preceded him in death in 1994.

He had lived in Odessa for 30 years where he had retired from Odessa American College and was a member of First Baptist Church.

Survivors include son, Jerry Houston of Littleton, Colorado; daughters Shirley Simpson of Odessa and Clarice Andrade of Anahola, Kauai, Hawaii; sister Louise Darr of Imperial, California; 7 grandchildren; 11 great-grandchildren; and one great-great grandchild.

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KC native dies in Grand Prairie

Thomas H. (Bob) Turner, 87, who was retired after a career in institutional food sales, died Friday, March 6, in Grand Prairie.

Services were Monday, March 9, at Moore Funeral Home.

Mr. Turner was born June 23, 1910, in Knox City.

Survivors include his wife of

51 years, Nola Turner; a son, Tom Turner and wife Gay of North Richland Hills; a daughter, Dana Middleton and husband, Doug of Mansfield; sisters, Rita Stamps of Gainesville, and Nita Agnew of Washington; and grandchildren, Chris and Eric Turner and Amy and Andy Middleton.

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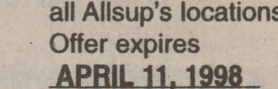
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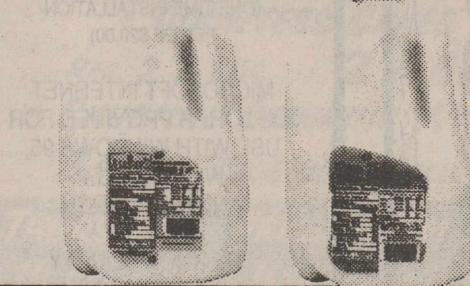
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Bulldog track results from Munday, Rotan meets

O'Brien Bulldogs have finished third and fourth in the Munday and Rotan track meets, respectively.

Results are as follows:

Munday meet, Thursday, March 5 - third overall with 83 points

2400 meter run - Shawn Speck, 9:50, 5th;
800 meter run - Logan Morrow, 2:43, 5th;
110 meter hurdles - Will Grimsley, 20.80, 1st;
100 meter dash - Gemile Roberson, 13.12, 2nd;
400 meter run - Ryne Burkham, 67.44, 5th;
300 meter hurdles - Will Grimsley, 48.89, 1st;
200 meter dash - Gemile Roberson, 26.67, 3rd;
1600 meter relay - Ryne Burkham, Gemile Roberson, 4:26, 3rd;
Triple Jump - Scooter Thompson, 30' 3", 4th;
Discus - Felipe Sanchez, 1st;
Garry Manley, 3rd;
Shot - Garry Manley, 36' 8 3/4", 1st; Felipe Sanchez, 32' 9 3/4", 6th;

Rotan meet, Thursday, March 19 - fourth overall with 106 points

2400 meter run - Shawn Speck, 10.26, 3rd;
400 meter relay - Scooter Thompson, Ryne Burkham, Logan Morrow, Landon Weiershausen, 57.27, 4th;
800 meter run - Logan Morrow, 2:52, 5th;
110 meter hurdles - Will Grimsley, 18.56, 1st; Landon Weiershausen, 20.67, 5th;
100 meter dash - Gemile Roberson, 12.7, 2nd;

400 meter run - Ryne Burkham, 69.23, 5th;
300 meter hurdles - Will Grimsley, 50.53, 3rd; Justin Casillas, 56.58, 6th;
200 meter dash - Gemile Roberson, 26.49, 3rd;
1600 meter run - John Fisher, 6:33, 4th; Shawn Speck, 6:40, 5th; Wes Parker, 6:40.62, 6th;
1600 meter relay - Ryne Burkham, Gemile Roberson, Landon Weiershausen, Will Grimsley - 4:33 - 3rd;
Long Jump - Gemile Roberson, 12' 11", 6th;
Triple Jump - Scooter Thompson, 33' 3", 3rd; Shawn Speck, 32' 9 1/2", fifth;
Discus - Felipe Sanchez, 118' 4", 1st; Garry Manley, 111' 8", 2nd;
Shot - Garry Manley, 2nd; Felipe Sanchez, 5th.

O'Brien happenings By Audie Johnston, O'Brien Correspondent

"My straight - A 16-year-old son, Jeff, is a boy any parent would be proud of - until you see the floor of his room, covered with layers of clothes, magazines and sports equipment. Recently I accompanied Jeff to the credit union where he opened up his first bank account. While the credit officer was processing the paper work, I told Jeff he needed a safe, accessible place to store his passbook. "I know, Mom," he replied. "I'll keep it on my floor."

HERE AND THERE - Wednesday of last week, Janoma Stephens and Vivian Henfdix were in Post where Vivian visited with her brother and his wife. Janoma was guest speaker of the Woman's Culture Club held in the First Christian Church. They returned home by way of White River Lake and Vivian recalled homeplaces and ranches she visited and lived as a youngster.

Norma and Delbert Hayes entertained ten couples from Abilene for an old fashioned Sunday afternoon. Lots of checkers, spaghetti, visiting and dominoes were enjoyed.

Enjoying HeeHaw in Sagerton Friday night were Billie Ruth Walker, Jan Frost, Rose Marie Johnston, Audie Johnston and Janoma Stephens.

Bernice Rowan went on Thursday night with a group from the Aging Center.

Billie Anne Sanders visited her grandmother, Billie Walker, over the weekend. She is employed at Petsmart in Amarillo.

Also Kevin Banner, wife and children visited his grandmother, Billie Walker. Kevin is stationed at Fort Hood.

Myrtle and Milton Sandell, cousins of Billie Walker, visited Billie over the weekend. They live near Peacock.

Billie visited her sister-in-law, Vera League and husband in Farmers Branch last week.

Nina and Winifred Arp of Levelland spent the night Friday and Claudia and Eddie Bryant.

Dan and Marilyn Talbot were in Shallowater Sunday to spend the day with their daughter, Cathy and husband Gary and son Derrick Hughes.

Loretta Hewitt was in Stamford Saturday to attend the track meet which her granddaughter, Kelli Moeller, did real well in.

I was in Haskell last Tuesday to visit a great-granddaughter Taylor Walker of Bossier City, Louisiana. She was spending sometime with her other great-grandparents, Bud and Jo Turnbow. She's the granddaughter of John and Nancy Johnston of Houghton, Louisiana.

Scott Stephens and roommate Tommy, students at Texas Tech, visited his mom Sue and Bennett Shortes and Janoma Stephens over the weekend.

Delbert and Norma Hayes and Dan and Marilyn Talbot were in Sagerton Saturday night for the Hee Haw musical. They all enjoyed lots of good music and comedy and a huge crowd.

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Tuesday, April 7 - 12:00 Noon
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Wednesday, April 8 - 12:00 Noon
'The Day of Apartness' - Steve Pepper

Thursday, April 9 - 12:00 Noon
'The Day of Action' - William Sterling

Friday, April 10 - 12:00 Noon
'The Day of Agony' - Vergil Ichtertz

Easter Sunday, April 12 - 11:00 A.M. - 'The Day of Victory' - Vergil Ichtertz

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Rochester ISD reserves the right to reject any and all bids. 4-2 2tc 147

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LEGAL NOTICE - THAT IN ACCORDANCE WITH SECTION 30.05 OF THE PENAL CODE OF TEXAS - (CRIMINAL TRESPASS SENATE BILL III LEGISLATURE), NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT ALL LANDS OF THE W.T. WAGGONER ESTATE ARE POSTED - SAVE AND EXCEPT WHERE WRITTEN PERMISSION IS GIVEN TO COME UPON THE SAME.
GENE W. WILLINGHAM
A.B. WHARTON 52

Political Calendar

The following have authorized *The Knox County News* to announce their candidacy for public office.

- State Representative, District 70
SCOTT MCCLAUGHLIN (R)
 - DAVID COUNTS (D)** - Re-Election Justice of the Peace, Precincts 1 & 2
 - IMAGEAN YOUNG (D)** - Re-Election
 - ROBERT (ROB) HARRISON (D)**
- Pol. Adv. Pd. For By Above Named Candidates

Help Wanted

MUNDAY NURSING CENTER accepting applications for Weekend RN, Full Time LVN - 11-7 shift, Part Time LVN - 11-7 shift. Apply in person, 421 W. Ave. F. EOE. 3-19 tfc 35

APPLICATIONS ARE BEING accepted for the position of Pool Manager of the Knox City Swimming Pool. A description of job duties and applications may be picked up at City Hall. Submit a written proposal of planned operations and management by May 1, 1998. Equal Opportunity Employer. 4-2 5tc 46

APPLICATIONS ARE BEING accepted for Cemetery Upkeep and Parks and Ground Maintenance. Need to start immediately. Contact Danny Parker at City Hall, 200 North Central, 658-3313. Equal Opportunity Employer. 4-2 tfc 29

Vehicles

FOR SALE - '95 Kawasaki 900 ZXI Jet Ski with extras. Call 658-5597 after 6:00. 4-2 2tc 14

FOR SALE - 1988 Ford Ranger, two-tone paint, four speed, four cylinder, 940-658-3713, leave a message. 2-26 tfc 17

FOR SALE - '96 F-150 XL, five-speed, six cylinder, single cab, 25,000 miles. all 658-5597 after 6:00. 4-2 2tc 17

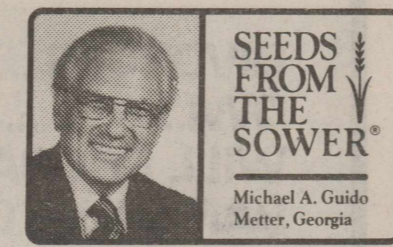
FOR SALE - 1990 Chevrolet Suburban, all power, rear air, 123,000 K, \$7500.00. Call 658-3893 after 5:00. 4-2 2tc 16

Services

HOME DECORATORS - Building, Remodeling, Painting (Interior and Exterior), Experienced, Free Estimates. Bobby O'Neal, (817) 743-3550. 3-30 tfc 15

COMPLETE LAWN CARE - Mowing, trimming, edging. Call Wes, Kim or Will, 658-3135. 3-19 tfc 12

CEMETERY CURBING - Stone leveling and decorative rock. Kenneth Burt, 658-3346. 3-5 9tp



SEEDS FROM THE SOWER
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Metter, Georgia

A frog found himself caught in a deep rut on a country road. His friends tried to get him out, but failed. So they left him in despair.

The next day one of those friends came hopping along and he saw the one who had been stuck in the mud. "I thought you couldn't get out," he said.

"A truck came along," answered the first frog, "and I had to."

Do you find yourself having to do things you don't seem to have the strength to do? Then call on the Lord.

That's what Paul did. He found in Him measureless might. And he said, "I can do all things through Christ who strengthens me."

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'A JURY CONSISTS of 12 persons chosen to decide who has the best lawyer. Here's a special buy from Kinney Furniture in Stamford: Sofa, love seat, two end tables, a coffee table, and two lamps for only \$999. Only \$38 down and \$328 monthly. Free delivery to Knox County. 4-2 1tc

'WOMEN ARE LIKE wine - some turn to vinegar, but the best improve with age. Your mattress is something that doesn't improve with age. Sleep better, feel younger, and enjoy life more by getting a new Spring Air mattress set from Kinney Furniture in Stamford. Special savings right now during the Vanna's Choice Back Supporter Mattress Sale. Kinney's has been in business since 1932 and we have sold Spring Air for 50 years. 4-2 1tc

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3-19 3tc 27

Notice

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A Golden Time

Brazos Valley Care Home
658-3543
605 Avenue F, Knox City

A Maine physician says more and more men and women in their 40s and 50s are being treated for fractures related to osteoporosis. And he says the disease is more prevalent in heavy drinkers and smokers in that age range. That's because alcohol is "toxic to bone" and because chemical substances in cigarettes can interfere with normal bone regeneration. Osteoporosis is a progressive disease that causes victims to lose bone density. The disease causes about 300,000 hip fractures yearly.

Appearances

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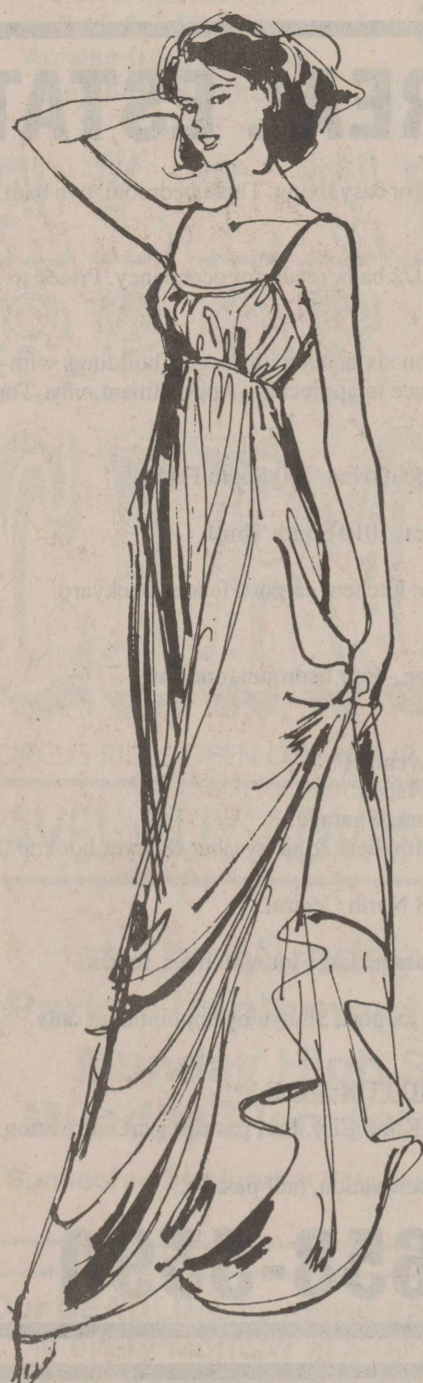
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Texas Child Abuse Statistics

Texas Department of Protective and Regulatory Services Fiscal Year 1997

Statistics/Resources

Reports of Child Abuse	112,766*
Investigations of Child Abuse	75,728*
Confirmed Investigations	22,598*
Confirmed Victims	34,110*

* Fiscal Year 1997 data was incomplete at press time

Paquete de Información sobre la Prevención del Abuso Infantil



Estadísticas/Recursos

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'Champ' Jones rites held in Fort Worth

Funeral services for Berniece Champion 'Champ' Jones of Fort Worth were held Wednesday, April 1, at 2:00 p.m. at Laurel Land Memorial Chapel of Fort Worth.

Mrs. Jones, 85, died March 29 in a Fort Worth nursing home.

Born January 31, 1913, in Brownwood, she was a registered nurse and was retired from Cook's Children Hospital. She was a member of South Hills Baptist Church and was preceded in death by her husband, Casey Jones.

Survivors include a son and daughter-in-law, Bobby C. and Dana Jones of Fort Worth; a daughter and son-in-law, Dianne and Jim Radcliffe of Runaway Bay; two sisters, Faye Clifton of Round Rock and Jeannie Morgan of Burleson; and two grandchildren, Tia Radcliffe and Tege Radcliffe.

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