

# The Knox County NEWS

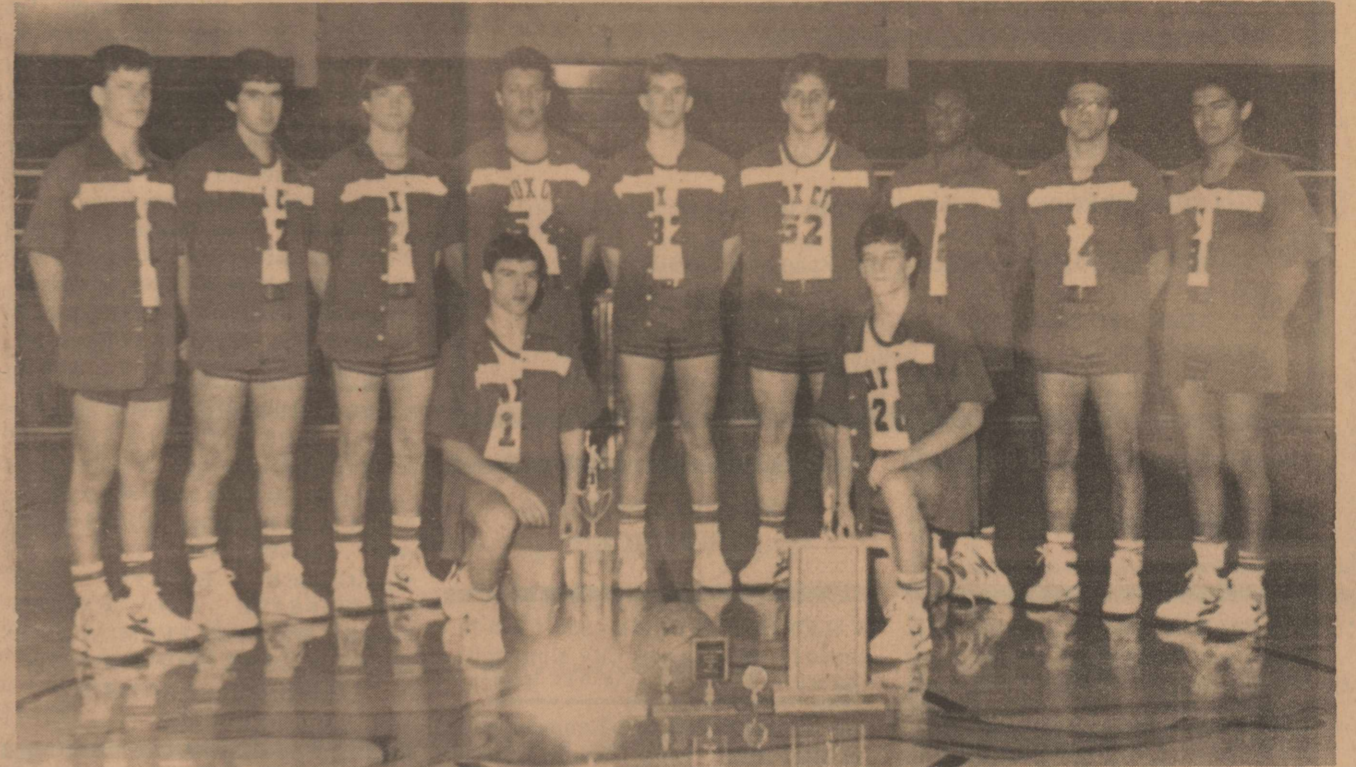
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THURSDAY, JANUARY 26, 1989  
KNOX CITY, KNOX COUNTY, TEXAS 79529



**FORMER TRAIN DEPOT STAYS IN KNOX CITY** and is now located at its new and hopefully permanent location at 107 Aspen, near the intersection of North 3rd and West Aspen Street. Thanks to the efforts of Knox City businessman Sterling Lewis, the historic landmark will not be lost. With the building up for sale by the city council and in danger of being moved out of town, Lewis had a strong feeling about the building because of its age and historical value so he purchased the building himself and had it moved to a lot near his auto body repair shop. Moved this week by W.B. Holden Company of Hamlin, the building still faces an uncertain future as Sterling has not decided what to do with it. When asked about his plans for the former railroad depot, Sterling stated that he was "not sure of his plans yet." The building is structurally sound but needs a lot of repair work. (News Photo)



BOYS' VARSITY 1988-89

## Ambulance Service Needs Volunteers

### To Sponsor Course

The Knox City Ambulance Service is in need of additional volunteers to make ambulance calls. Additional personnel are needed especially during week day working hours in order to meet the Texas Department of Health's minimum legal requirements to maintain certification of the Ambulance Service.

An Emergency Care Attendants (ECA) Course is being sponsored in Knox City by the Ambulance Service to provide training to the public interested in this worthwhile service. The cost of this ECA Course will be paid for personnel who agree to pull one, twelve hour shift on primary call per week for one year, or two, twelve hour (24 hours) shifts on back up call per week for one year. On-call shift hours begin at 6:00 a.m. through 6:00 p.m. each day and from 6:00 p.m.

through 6:00 a.m. for night call. These people must complete the course and pass the State Certification Test in order to receive the course paid benefit.

The course will begin on February 28, 1989, and will be completed on March 30, 1989. Classes will be held at the Knox City Community Center, 212 South 3rd St., each Tuesday and Thursday evenings and will begin at 6:00 p.m. and dismiss at 10:00 o'clock. The State Certification Test will be given on April 11, 1989. This will fulfill the 40 hour course requirements by the State of Texas Health Department.

Thomas G. Waldrip, Director of the Knox City E.M.S. states, "This course provides training above an Advanced First Aid Course and is very beneficial to those who wish to take this course for their own personal, family or work related reasons. This training will help

an individual to treat and care for injuries and illnesses of your own family, friends, or work associates and possibly to even save another person's life. I especially encourage the schools, businesses and companies to sponsor employees for this course. However, if an individual takes this course and does not wish to volunteer for the Ambulance Service, they will be billed for the course."

Applications for this ECA Course may be obtained at the *Knox County News Office*, Knox City City Hall, Knox City Florist, Marion Conoco, or the Knox City Ambulance Service office. Deadline for enrollment is February 21, 1989. If readers wish to obtain more information about this course and requirements, please call the Knox City Ambulance Service Office at 658-3374.



LORENE BEASON  
...assumes duties

### Mrs. Beason Is New Care Home Administrator

Lorene Beason recently assumed the duties of Administrator of the Brazos Valley Care Home.

Mrs. Beason graduated from the Stamford Memorial Hospital School of Vocational Nursing and received her nursing home administrators license from Texas University in Austin.

She has worked several years as administrator in Haskell, Brownfield, Lamesa, and other towns, for a large group of nursing homes.

She continues to live in Rochester where she and her late husband, Talbert Beason, lived.



GIRLS' VARSITY 1988-89

## Local Families Needed For Exchange Students

ASSE International Student Exchange Programs (ASSE) is seeking local families to host boys and girls from Scandinavia, France, Italy, Spain, Germany, Holland, Great Britain, Switzerland, Japan, Canada, Australia and New Zealand, 15 to 18 years of age, coming to this area for the upcoming high school year. These personable and academically select exchange students are bright, curious, and anxious to learn about this country through living as part of a family, attending high school and sharing their own culture and language with their newly adopted host family.

The students are fluent in English and are sponsored by ASSE, a non-profit, public benefit organization, affiliated with the Swedish and Finnish Departments of Education. ASSE also cooperates with the Canadian Provincial Ministries of Education and is ap-

proved by the Australian and New Zealand Departments of Education.

The exchange students arrive from their home country shortly before school begins and return at the end of the school year. Each ASSE student is fully insured, brings his or her own personal spending money and expects to bear his or her share of household responsibilities, as well as being included in normal family activities and lifestyle.

The students are well screened and qualified by ASSE. Families may select the youngster of their choice from extensive student applications, family photos, and biographical essays. Students and families are encouraged to begin corresponding prior to the student's arrival.

ASSE is also seeking local high school students to become ASSE exchange students abroad. Students

should be between 15 and 18 years old and interested in living with a host family, attending school, and learning about the lands and people of Scandinavia, France, Spain, Germany, Holland, Britain, Switzerland, Canada, Australia or New Zealand. Students should have a good academic record and desire to experience another culture and language through living with a warm and giving volunteer family. Academic year and shorter term summer vacation programs are available.

Persons interested in obtaining more information about becoming a host family or becoming a student abroad should contact ASSE's local representative: Sequoyah Reynolds, Box 392, Knox City, TX, 79529 at (817) 658-3945 or call toll-free to (800) 333-3802.

### Knox County Eligible For Disaster Loans

Knox County Judge David N. Perdue has received word that Knox County has been designated eligible to apply for emergency disaster loans from the Farmers Home Administration.

According to a letter received from the office of Gov. Wm. P. Clements Jr., the Secretary of Agriculture has notified the administrator of the Farmers Home Administration to immediately make emergency loans available to eligible applicants in Knox County, and the local FmHA office has details on this program.

The governor's office congratulated Judge Perdue in seeking the assistance for the members of his agricultural community.

### Did You Know...

That Grace Watson, 1305 Hadley, Arlington, Texas 76011 subscribes to *The Knox County News*?

## NEWS BRIEFS

### Benjamin Cafe Under New Management

The Mustang Cafe, formerly Bud's Cafe in Benjamin, is under new management, and Kathie and Jack Waldron are inviting readers to come by. As will be noted by the firm's ad in this week's *News*, the cafe is open Monday through Friday, closed Saturday, and open Sunday. Hours may be noted in the ad.

### Windbreak Deadline Is February 7

The deadline for ordering windbreak tree seedlings through the Wichita-Brazos SWCD is February 7, 1989. Anyone wishing to order conifers or hardwoods for windbreaks or beautification plantings should contact the SC's office or call 658-3526. No orders will be taken after February 7.

### City To Hold Junk Car Auction

As will be noted in the ad this week for the City of Knox City, an auction to sell junked vehicles will be held February 11 at 10 a.m. at the Sewer Plant. Year and make are listed in the ad elsewhere in this week's *News*.



# THE CLASSIFIEDS

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- THREE BEDROOM, 2 bath, carport, 704 South Central.
- THREE BEDROOM, one bath, 408 North Second.
- FOUR BEDROOM, 3 baths, 2 garages, 2 carports, 308 Avenue F.
- CUSTOM BUILT 4 bedroom, 3 bath, split level, 609 S. Avenue E.
- TWO BEDROOM, 1 bath, carport, 809 Main.
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- 100 ACRES, West of O'Brien, Cultivated.

**REAL ESTATE**

- FOR SALE** - 3 bedroom, 2 bath house, pay the closing costs and assume loan, also gas cook stove. Call Bill Stewart, 658-3007, after 5. 12-22 t/c
- FOR RENT** - 705 Aspen. Three bedroom, one bath, carport, electric range and refrigerator furnished. \$100.00 deposit. 915-698-2325 after 5:00 p.m. 11-10 t/c
- FOR SALE** - Three bedroom, two bath home, five acres, three barns, three miles west of town. A.D. Asher, 658-3482. 1-26 t/c
- FOR RENT** - Two and three bedroom houses on Aspen. 658-3041. 12-15 t/c
- IN O'BRIEN** - 2-3 bedroom, 2 bath brick on two lots, fireplace, basement, cellar. Price reduced. In Knox City 3-4 bedroom homes, two bath, central air. See to appreciate. Call Esther Conn, 817-658-3904; Hartsfield Realty, 817-864-2665. 1-12 t/c
- FOR SALE** - Three bedroom brick, 1 1/2 baths, central heat/air, good neighbors, 360 No. 14th. Munday. Gerald Saffel, (817) 422-5178. 1-19 t/c
- FOR RENT** - 2 bedroom house, 504 South Second, 658-3287, \$175.00 per month. 1-26 t/c
- FOR SALE** - 3 bedroom, 2 bath-spacious living area on 2 1/2 acres, 13x21 shop building-outside storage building, satellite dish. 1 1/2 miles North of Knox City. Call 658-3677. 1-12 t/c

**MISCELLANEOUS FOR SALE**

- FOR SALE** - New kingsize bedspread, quilted ivory satin, scalloped edges. 658-3194. 1-26 t/c
- FIREWOOD FOR SALE** - Delivery \$75 a cord, you pick up-\$60. Contact Jimmy Redwine or call 658-3753. 1-5 4tp
- "THANK YOU For Not Smoking" Signs now available at *The Knox County News*, 110 North Central. Walnut base, white letters, acrylic holder, \$3.75 each. 1-19 t/c
- VALENTINE NAPKINS!** Pretty soft white with big red hearts. A must for that special party! *The Knox County News*, 110 North Central. 1-19 t/c

**MISCELLANEOUS SERVICES**

- CUSTOM CATTLE Hauling** - Any place, anywhere, anytime. 658-3813. 1-26 8tc
- HOLDEN HOUSE Moving & Foundations.** W.B. Holden, Hamlin (915) 576-3197. 1-26 14tp
- CRP SHREDDING** and Custom Farming - Call Ed Daniel, 658-3196 or 888-2301, Seymour. 6-9 t/c

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**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. CHARLES M. PRATHER TRUSTEE**

**LEGAL NOTICE**

**NOTICE TO BANKS OF KNOX COUNTY**  
As authorized and required by Art. 2544, V.C.S. State of Texas, the Commissioners' Court of Knox County at their regular meeting place will accept bids for designation as County Depository for Knox County funds until 10:00 a.m., February 13, 1989. Any banking concern within the county desiring appointment as depository bank will file their bid application with the County Judge of Knox County and must be in his hands by 10:00 a.m., February 13, 1989.  
Signed: /s/David N. Perdue  
David N. Perdue  
County Judge  
Knox County, Texas  
1-26 2tc

**LEGAL NOTICE**

The advertisement for a Public Hearing at City Hall, Knox City, Texas, on January 10, 1989-which was published December 29, 1988, and January 5, 1989-contained an error in regards to item number 4. This item was shown to be in violation of City Ordinance #1116 which pertains to dangerous and dilapidated buildings in the City of Knox City. The item was published as follows:  
4. Block 20, Lot 10 and Lots 13-15 of the Original Town, the address being the south two-thirds of 106, 108 and 110 North 3rd and Aspen.  
The advertisement is corrected to read as follows:  
4. Block 20, Lots 13-15 of the Original Town, the address being the south two-thirds of 106, 108 and 110 North 3rd and Aspen.  
/s/Lynward Wilcox  
Lynward Wilcox, City Administrator  
1-26 1tc

**LEGAL NOTICE**

**PUBLIC HEARING**

A Public Hearing is scheduled for Tuesday, February 14, 1989, at City Hall, 200 North Central Avenue, Knox City, Texas, at 7:00 p.m. This Public Hearing is to inform the Public of action to be taken in regards to Ordinance #1116 which pertains to dangerous and dilapidated buildings in the City of Knox City. The addresses to be discussed are:

1. Block 35, Lots 17 and 18 of the Original Town, the address being the 100 block of North Aspen and the 100 block of West Main.
2. Block 31, Lots 11 and 12 of the Original Town, the address being 410 East Main.
3. Block 16, Lots 9 and the East half (1/2) of Lot 8 of the Original Town, the address being the 400 block of North East 3rd.
4. Block 8, Lots 7-9 of the Warren Addition, the address being North East 3rd and North East Avenue F.

The City of Knox City requests that the property owners of the above addresses attend this Public Hearing to discuss proposed actions to be taken.

Sincerely,  
/s/Lynward Wilcox  
Lynward Wilcox, City Administrator  
1-26 2tc

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Dave Thompson..... Associate Publisher

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CITY Knox City COUNTY Knox STATE Texas ZIP CODE 79529

FEDERAL RESERVE DISTRICT NO 11 13 20006  
CLOSE OF BUSINESS DATE December 31, 1988

Dollar Amounts in Thousands		Bill	Mill	Thou
<b>ASSETS</b>				
1. Cash and balances due from depository institutions:				
a. Noninterest-bearing balances and currency and coin			906	1.a.
b. Interest-bearing balances		3	768	1.b.
			7	215
2. Securities				
3. Federal funds sold and securities purchased under agreements to resell in domestic offices of the bank and of its Edge and Agreement subsidiaries, and in IBFs:				
a. Federal funds sold			1	450
b. Securities purchased under agreements to resell			-	0
4. Loans and lease financing receivables:				
a. Loans and leases, net of unearned income		7	395	4.a.
b. LESS: Allowance for loan and lease losses			100	4.b.
c. LESS: Allocated transfer risk reserve			-	4.c.
d. Loans and leases, net of unearned income, allowance, and reserve (item 4.a. minus 4.b. and 4.c.)			7	295
5. Assets held in trading accounts				
			1	31
6. Premises and fixed assets (including capitalized leases)				
			268	7.
7. Other real estate owned				
			-	8.
8. Investments in unconsolidated subsidiaries and associated companies				
			-	9.
9. Customers' liability to this bank on acceptances outstanding				
			-	10.
10. Intangible assets				
			328	11.
11. Other assets				
a. Total assets (sum of items 1 through 11)			21	361
b. Loans deferred pursuant to 12 U.S.C. 1823 (j)			-	12.b.
c. Total assets and losses deferred pursuant to 12 U.S.C. 1823(j) (sum of items 12.a. and 12.b.)			21	361
<b>LIABILITIES</b>				
13. Deposits:				
a. In domestic offices			19	401
(1) Noninterest-bearing		3	001	13.a.(1)
(2) Interest-bearing		16	400	13.a.(2)
b. In foreign offices, Edge and Agreement subsidiaries, and IBFs			-	13.b.
(1) Noninterest-bearing			-	13.b.(1)
(2) Interest-bearing			-	13.b.(2)
14. Federal funds purchased and securities sold under agreement to repurchase in domestic offices of the bank and of its Edge and Agreement subsidiaries, and in IBFs:				
a. Federal funds purchased			-	14.a.
b. Securities sold under agreements to repurchase			-	14.b.
15. Demand notes issued to the U.S. Treasury				
			-	15.
16. Other borrowed money				
			-	16.
17. Mortgage indebtedness and obligations under capitalized leases				
			-	17.
18. Bank's liability on acceptances executed and outstanding				
			-	18.
19. Notes and debentures subordinated to deposits				
			-	19.
20. Other liabilities				
			121	20.
21. Total liabilities (sum of items 13 through 20)				
			19	522
22. Limited-life preferred stock				
			-	22.
23. Perpetual preferred stock (No. of shares outstanding)				
			-	23.
24. Common stock (No. of shares: a. Authorized)				
			100	24.
			700	25.
			1	039
25. Surplus				
			1	839
26. Undivided profits and capital reserves				
			-	26.
27. Cumulative foreign currency translation adjustments				
			-	27.
28. Total equity capital (sum of items 23 through 27)				
			1	839
29. Losses deferred pursuant to 12 U.S.C. 1823 (j)				
			-	29.
30. Total equity capital and losses deferred pursuant to 12 U.S.C. 1823(j) (sum of items 28.a. and 29.b.)				
			1	839
31. Total liabilities, limited-life preferred stock, equity capital, and losses deferred pursuant to 12 U.S.C. 1823(j) (sum of items 21, 22, and 28.c.)				
			21	361
MEMORANDA: Amounts outstanding as of Report Date:				
1. Standby letters of credit, Total				
			-	1.a.
2. Amount of Standby letters of credit in memo 1.a. conveyed to others through participations				
NOTE: This report must be signed by an authorized officer(s) and attested by not less than three directors other than the officer(s) signing the report. The undersigned officer(s) so hereby declare that this Report of Condition has been prepared in conformance with official instructions and is true to the best of my (our) knowledge and belief.				
SIGNATURE OF OFFICER(S) AUTHORIZED TO SIGN REPORT				
/s/ Evelyn B. Shelton		DATE SIGNED		1-23-89
NAME AND TITLE OF OFFICER(S) AUTHORIZED TO SIGN REPORT		AREA CODE/PHONE NO		817 658 3527
Evelyn B. Shelton, Executive Vice President				
We the undersigned directors, attest the correctness of this Report of Condition and declare that it has been examined by us and to the best of our knowledge and belief has been prepared in conformance with official instructions and is true and correct.				
SIGNATURE OF DIRECTOR		SIGNATURE OF DIRECTOR		SIGNATURE OF DIRECTOR
/s/ [Signature]	/s/ [Signature]	/s/ [Signature]		
State of Texas		County of Knox		19 89
(MAKE MARK FOR NOTARY'S SEAL)		Sworn to and subscribed before me this 23rd day of January		
		and I hereby certify that I am not an officer or director of this bank		
		My commission expires 10-10-1989		

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**MED-A-LERT**



## Dennis Vasquez Named To All-State Band

Dennis Wayne Vasquez, a member of the Robert E. Lee High School Band in Midland, will perform with the Texas All-State Band in San Antonio on Saturday, February 11, as a part of the 1989 Texas Music Educators Association Convention meeting there. He was chosen for the honor in competitive auditions held this year across the state at district, region and area levels.

Dennis is a private music student of Mrs. Sharon Chase and plays at school under the direction of Mr. Randie Storie, who is a member of the TMEA. Dennis will be one of only ten euphonium players to perform with the All-State Band.

Dennis also recently performed with the Lee Marching Band in Washington, D.C. at the inauguration of President George Bush. Midland's Lee Band was the only high school band representing the State of Texas selected to march in the parade.

Dennis is the son of Victor and Rachel Vasquez of Knox City and Linda and Tom Jecha of Midland. Grandparents are Mrs. Dan Martinez of Knox City and Mr. and Mrs. Victor Vasquez Sr. of Munday.

## CRP Sign-Up Slated For February 6-24

Local officials with the U.S. Department of Agriculture have announced that the department's eighth sign-up for the Conservation Reserve Program (CRP) will be held February 6-24.

The program, which allows eligible land to be "retired" for a ten year period, has been successful in reducing severe erosion on some 28 million acres to date.

Producers in Knox County have enrolled approximately 10,000 acres in the retirement program and prevented the loss of approximately 300,000 tons of top soil annually.

Interested parties must sign-up for the CRP at their local ASCS office during the sign-up period and submit a dollar per acre bid on a competitive basis.

The highest accepted bid to date for Knox County has been \$40. per acre. Technical and financial assistance will be available to plant permanent cover on accepted tracts. The goal of the program is to halt erosion on 45 million acres of highly erodible land in the U.S.

## Weather

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Date	High	Low	Rain
1-17	25	68	
1-18	30	62	
1-19	28	59	
1-20	26	51	
1-21	18	59	
1-22	25	65	
1-23	39	72	

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## O'Brien Happenings

By Audie Johnston

"If you pick up a starving dog and make him prosperous, he will not bite you. This is the principal difference between a dog and a man."

**HERE AND THERE**  
Butch Banner of Hawley visited his grandparents, Berlie and Willie Mae Banner and Arthur and Fannie Cameron Saturday.

Visiting Lee Cox and Johnnie and Irby Carlisle last week were Naomi Creel of Goliad and Lura Cox of Weatherford. The three sisters visited Royce Cox and family in Big Spring, Margaret Rogers of Forsan, Judy and James Hooper of Kermit, and Luke and Ina Aldridge of Littlefield and also Lee's granddaughter, Patsy Jones in a

Lubbock hospital, who had recent surgery.

Recent visitors in the home of Orval and Helen Manning were Bob and Eyyonne Ray and Estaline Manning, all of Iowa Park.

Orval and Helen Manning were in Fort Worth last week visiting their grandson Brad and his wife Monica Manning. Accompanying them was Brad's mother and father, Peggy and Royce Manning.

Guests in the Orval Manning home Saturday was Helen's brother, Darrel and his wife, Dorris Pack. Their daughter, Denise and husband Junior and baby Brady, all of Slaton.

"George Washington never told a lie. Of course, he never played golf or filed an income tax return, either."

## Streams In Desert Places

By Ozelle Stephens

While reviewing the life of our wonderful Saviour we see the great protecting hand of God saving Him from the wicked King Herod. After He was born in Bethlehem, was warned by God in a dream that should not return to Herod but depart into their country another way. Then after eight days He was carried to the Temple for the services and sacrifices unto the Lord according to that which is said in the law.

There the Holy Christ revealed unto Simeon and Anna that the baby Jesus was the Lord's Christ whom the world was looking for. This part of the story tells us how great and powerful our God is. Let us turn back to the prophets and listen while God speaks to us... "I am the first, and I am the last; and beside me there is no god... Fear ye not, neither be afraid... I will go before thee, and make the crooked places straight: I will break in pieces the gates of brass, and cut in sunder the bars of iron. I will make a way in the wilderness, give waters in the wilderness and ravines in the desert places."

## Care Home News

By Debbie Dudensing

Greetings from the Brazos Valley Care Home!

This week is a full one for the residents here. Monday morning, Bro. Woolley will have the morning Bible Study and that afternoon we'll have a few games of dominoes.

Tuesday, June Tankersley will lead a group in Rhythm Band. Tuesday and Thursday afternoons, the residents enjoy a few games of Bingo.

Wednesday morning, Bro. Hodges has a Bible Study and that afternoon a few ladies enjoy needlework class.

Thursday morning, the Sunshine Girls from O'Brien will have Nailcare and Manicures.

Friday morning, Launa Hester leads in a Time of Oldies But Goodies on the piano, and if the weather permits a few residents will enjoy lunch at the Senior Citizens Center. Friday afternoon, the residents enjoy Arts and Crafts Class.

It has been said time again, but some things are worth repeating. Thank you to all of our volunteers for the time you give to the residents and to us here at Brazos Valley Care Home. You all helped 1988 be a good year, and we are looking forward to seeing all of you again through 1989.

## Munday Medical & Surgical Clinic

Open Monday through Friday  
9 a.m. to 6 p.m.

Call 422-4537 for appointment

Joe Mendoza, Jr. M.D.

will be in the office Monday through Thursday  
from 2 p.m. to 6 p.m.

# AUCTION

## City of Knox City

—SEWER PLANT—  
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2. Dodge: 6347153125
3. Olds: 358395R114447
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5. Ford: 7D54H135144
6. Plymouth: PH41M5D163325
7. Olds: 3Z57S6M714698
8. Chev Pickup: 4C154S205045-Burned
9. Subaru DL: A22L921833
10. Ford: 4K31U120630
11. Mazda: STC363846
12. Ford: 3G62S233481
13. Chev: 164697R148404
14. Volkswagen: 3602072915
15. Pontiac: 2L69S2T382812-Burned
16. Ford: 1G58Y171182
17. S. Wagon: TP46M3D129689-Burned
18. Ford Pickup: F10K7K14542
19. Pontiac: 233698R189388
20. Chev: 156696R176996-Burned
21. Dodge Stationwagon: No Number-Burned
22. Chev: 164697R120376-Burned
23. Ford: 8D56F147995
24. GMC-Trk: 102PSD3408A
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28. GMC-Trk: F373X1937
29. Olds: No Number 7038457 LAN266525?
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LOOK WHO'S HERE



Mr. and Mrs. Jeff Harbaugh of Fort Worth are the proud parents of a baby daughter born January 15 at 1:39 p.m. in Harris Methodist Hospital in Bedford.

Courtney Elizabeth weighed seven pounds, two ounces and measured 20 inches long.

Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Allen McGaughy of Knox City and Mr. and Mrs. Phillip Harbaugh of New Albany, Indiana.

It is reported that Courtney Elizabeth has numerous aunts, uncles, and cousins waiting to spoil her.

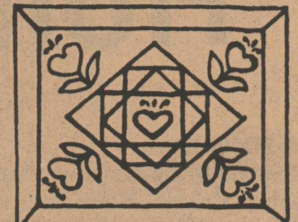
IN FORT WORTH

Allen McGaughy, Marsha McGaughy, Micheal and Tamara were in Fort Worth last Saturday and Sunday to visit Sarah and Jeff Harbaugh and meet the new baby, Courtney Elizabeth.

Grandmother Peggy McGaughy is staying with them, and Allen plans to go back this weekend to return her home.

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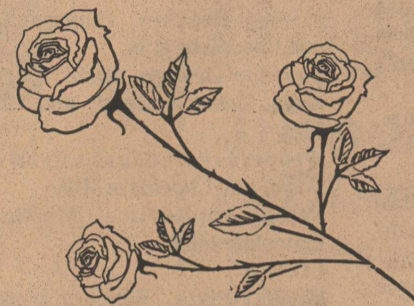
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We would like to express our thanks to each and everyone who showed so much love and kindness at the loss of our loved one. We deeply appreciate the flowers, cards, food, visits and especially for the prayers that made our heavy hearts lighter. All these special memories will be held near and dear to our hearts and make our grief easier to bear.

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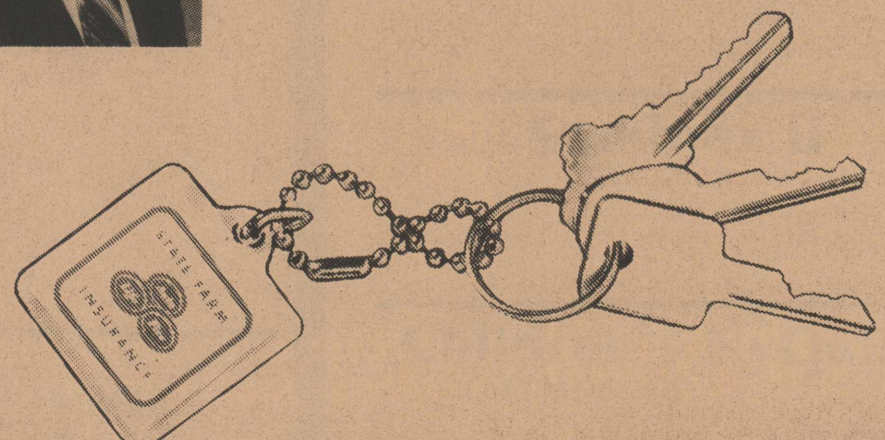
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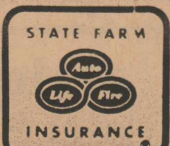
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Vacek-1st Grade - Laura Greenwood, Brandon Gutierrez, Leticia Marin, Stephanie Pedroza, R.J. Rizan, Candice Roberts, Christopher Rocha, Enrique Ruiz, Mckenna Smith

Austin-2nd Grade - Rachel Casillas, Tommy Flores, Aaron Large, Maria Martinez, Scotty Munoz, R.J. Pedroza, Stephanie Rios, Vanessa Rodriguez, Kyle Speck, Jimmy Trevino, Tamiaka Ware, Julie Webb

Brockett-2nd Grade - Kyle Alderson, Brackston Barnard, Cristina Hernandez, Eli Huber, Tricia Legg, Tamara McGaughey, Roman Munoz, Gloria Nevarez, Rudy Ramos, Carlos Miranda, Vallerie Rodriguez, Tuwi Russell, Brook Tankersley

Benton-3rd Grade - Nathan Bloxham, Lane Boyd, Ben Roberts, Heath Turner, Reed Underwood

Williams-3rd Grade - Jordan Newton, Amy Hunt, Anthony Ainsworth, Felicia Marin

9th Grade - Shelly Balis, Lance Haragan, Roger Marion, Matthew Munsell, Kandon Sloan, Will Vacek

10th Grade - Justin Emerson, Johnny Grindstaff, Mitzi Marion, Stephanie Pepper, Angela Staggs, Victor Vasquez, Andy Williams

11th Grade - Marci Berryman, Billy Large, Amber Mahan, Leah Rauch, Kristi Risinger, Karomy Sloan, Boyce Tankersley, Kris Tiffin

12 Grade - Jeff Abernathy, Kim Bateman, Bob Burkham, Lucinda Casillas, Tina Espinosa, Alex Flores, Trina Fry, Kelly Garcia, Nancy Marin, Johan Nylen, Tanja Schafer, Chrystal Taylor, Beth Underwood, Patrick Wupperman, Karen Daniel

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LET IT SNOW: Mount Rainier in Washington state may take the prize for the snowiest place on earth. Ranger Rick magazine reports that over 48 feet of snow fall there in a normal year.

# School News

## FRESHMAN CLASS NEWS

By Kim Chambers

The freshman have started their new semester off in a full swing. We got new English books, we are now having Literature. We completed our soap carvings and have begun working on cardboard boxes. This is our last but not least important book report to do.

The JV tournament finally came to an end. The JV guys finished first! Congrats guys. The girls got defeated by Crowell and Jayton. We go up against Abilene and Munday this week. Lets go get 'em!

## SCHOOL LUNCHROOM MENUS

### Week of January 30-February 3, 1989

#### BREAKFAST

Monday-Peaches, Cinnamon Toast, and Chocolate Milk

Tuesday-Orange Juice, Scrambled Eggs, Toast & Jelly, and Chocolate Milk

Wednesday-Bananas, Fruit Loops, Toast, and Chocolate Milk

Friday-Applesauce, Muffins, and Chocolate Milk

#### LUNCH

Monday-Pizza, Whole Kernel Corn, Green Beans, Haystack Cookies, and Milk or Tea

Tuesday-Hot Dogs with Chili and Cheese, French Fries, Gelatin, Mexican Chili Beans, Apple Halves, and Milk or Tea

Thursday-Béef Enchiladas, Pinto Beans, Fried Vegetable Sticks, Vanilla Cookies, and Milk or Tea

Friday-Ham, Creamed Potatoes, English Peas, Hot Rolls, Butter, Peanut Butter Whip, and Milk or Tea

#### FROM DUBLIN

S.W. (Steve) Stephens of Dublin visited last Thursday and Friday with Janoma Stephens and the Butch Stephens and family in O'Brien.

#### IN LUBBOCK

Romain Stubbs and daughter Shea of Stephenville visited in Lubbock last weekend with Mr. and Mrs. Bobby Day and Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Day.

# WTU Bills To Increase In February

West Texas Utilities Co. today received permission to recover the cost of a replacement fuel contract at its Rio Pecos Power Station. The station near McCamey, Texas, is one of nine power stations operated by the utility. The plant has been burning the higher-priced replacement gas since late December.

"A residential customer using 1000 kilowatt hours of electricity a month will see his average bill go from \$78.42 to \$82.77," WTU local manager Dick Evatt said. The actual increase in a customer's bill will vary depending on usage level, the customer group and time of year.

The company has different summer and winter rates as directed by the Public Utility Commission of Texas. The PUCT regulates utility rates in Texas, and it was this state agency which authorized today's actions.

Although the average cost of fuel on the company's many fuel contracts has not changed significantly, the replacement costs on this pre-oil embargo gas contract were nine times higher than the old price. The old contract at 22 cents per million BTUs has saved customers \$350 million over its 20-year life.

"We would like to have kept those prices and not changed any of our fuel costs to customers, but the contract expired," Evatt said. The local manager added that WTU has lowered its fuel factor five times since 1985, and had six refunds totaling almost \$50 million as the result of other contract changes.

Fuel is burned at power stations to produce electricity. It makes up approximately 36 percent of the cost of electricity. They are passed through directly to the customer, Evatt said, with the utility making no profit on fuel costs.

WTU customers will see the increase starting on February bills. The company in September initially asked for permission to change the fuel factor portion of the bill. This provided four months for regulatory review before the higher fuel charges were needed.

HEAVY SNOW: When you're done rolling and packing snow into a snowman, be glad you don't have to carry it anywhere. According to Ranger Rick magazine, a six-foot snowman might weigh over 300 pounds.

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## CARD OF THANKS

We would like to express our sincere thanks to everyone who so willingly helped to lighten our sorrow during the loss of our dad, Clifton Grant.

Words cannot adequately express our appreciation for your prayers, visits, phone calls, food, cards, memorials, flowers, the service and other expressions of your love.

Special thanks to the Brazos Valley Care Home and their entire staff for such special love and care given to him during the three years he was a resident there. Also to the EMS staff, Dr. Springer, Dr. Neufeld, and the nurses for the splendid care he received at the Knox County Hospital.

A special "Thank You" to the ladies who prepared and served the noon meal at the church.

May God bless each of you.

Families of:  
Bill Grant  
Lucille Jennings  
Dink Large  
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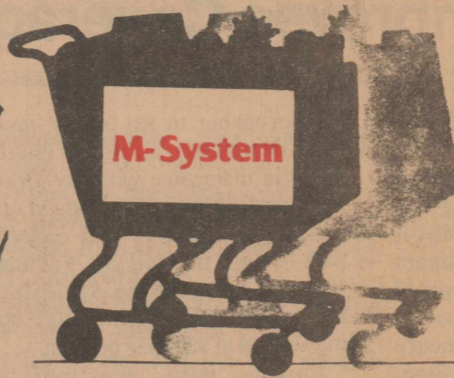
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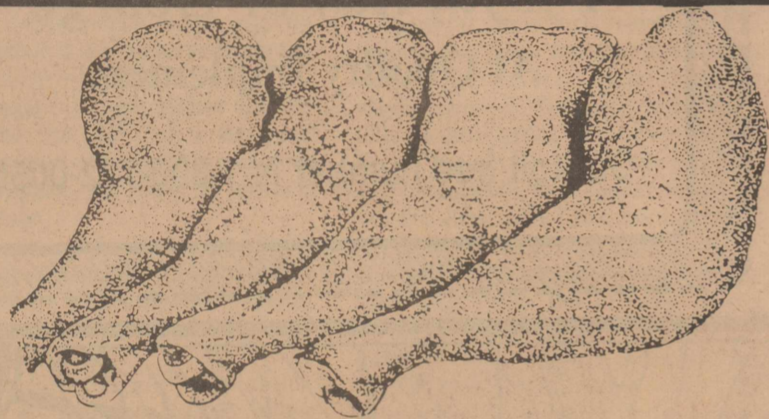
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**Cabbage** Fresh Green..... Lb. **12¢**



## Benjamin News

By Gladene Green

### BASKETBALL

There's been several basketball games since you last heard from me, as I completely missed last week's news.

The Lady Mustangs defeated Rochester on January 10 by a score of 47-34. Kelly Westmoreland had 19 points, Francine Redder had 16, Christi Whitten made 10 and Rebekah Duke had 2. Ther, the following Friday night, as we played hosts to Goree, we again were victorious. That score was 38-26, with Kelly scoring 18 points, Francine with 10, Christi had 8 and Sandra Balones made 2. That brought us up to Tuesday, January 17, as we again were the host team. This time to Knox City who left with a victory to their credit. The score was 43-31. Francine had 12 in the game, Kelly made 8 points, Sandra and Shannon Parker made 2 each and Christi had 7. At this time there is a three way tie for first in District play but by the time this is read, that will change as we meet Monday on Tuesday night.

Friday night is a non conference tilt, our girls soundly defeated Patton Springs. The score was 52-24. Scoring went like this, Francine had 19, Kelly 14, Christi 10, Sandra 6, Rhonda Whitten 2 and Brandi Jones 1.

### MISS MOORHOUSE MUCH IMPROVED

Kelly Moorhouse, the 20 year old daughter of John and Carolyn Moorhouse of Seymour who was injured in an automobile accident recently is greatly improved at this time. She is out of ICU and into a private room now and on Friday walked down the hall with the help of her daddy. It's so good to get this news about Kelly and we are all praying that her progress continues and she will soon be back and enjoying good health.

The Moorhouse family expressed their most sincere gratitude for all the expressions of concern and all the prayers said in Kelly's behalf since the accident.

Nell Hudson was released from the Knox County Hospital last week. She's feeling better but will have to take it easy for a while. There's lots of flu in the area and folks are being warned to take real good care of themselves if they take it. Otherwise serious problems result from it. (That bit of advice is free)!!

### HOMEMAKERS MEET

The Sr. Homemakers Club met Tuesday in the home of Jimmie Klutts. They made plans to have a chili and bean supper on February 11 at 6:00 p.m. (I'll remind you again before that date). The funds raised from this supper will go toward the purchase of playground equipment for the city park.

The club is planning the dedication of the park on March 4 in conjunction with the annual clean-up day. That depends of course on the weather.

### BIRTHDAY PARTY

Ashley Bufkin turned three years old on January 10 and she had a party! It was a family get-together and barbecue held at the home of her grandparents, Freddie and Lena Reithmeyer in Crowell. The meal, complete with a birthday cake was enjoyed by Ashley, her parents, Mike and Lorrie Bufkin and her little brother, Josh. Also her great grandparents Reithmeyer, Stephanie Reithmeyer, George Reithmeyer, Fred Gray and Billy Glover and the hosts, her Reithmeyer grandparents.

### PARTY HONORS TEACHER

Mrs. Veta Reid was honored by the Benjamin FHA on January 18 with a party in the Homemaking Dept. Mrs. Reid was a Home Economics teacher here for 22 years, retiring this past year to become school counselor. The classes presented her with a platter with her name and years of service inscribed on it.

Refreshments of cookies and punch were served those attending.

### HERE 'N THERE

Virginia Griffith was in Lubbock last week for her regular check-up. She got a good report and if all continues to go

well, she will not have to go back for four months.

Gloria and Leroy West were in Crosbyton last Thursday, January 12, for the funeral of her uncle, Joe Yarborough. Joe was a former Munday resident and had visited in Benjamin on many occasions. Belated sympathy is extended to Gloria and her family.

Chris McGreger and a friend, Nancy Cox, both students at the University of Texas were recent guests of his parents and grandparents, Nancy and Fred McGreger and Kenneth and Jessie Roberts.

Rae Beeler of Crosbyton visited her sister, Lois Golden one day last week. Rae was enroute home from a business trip to Austin.

The Hertel boys, Kent of Southwestern Oklahoma School of Pharmacy, Scott of Wichita Falls and Craig of Vernon-Northside spent the weekend with their parents, Don and Louise.

Bill Brooks of Paris was by to visit me one day last week. Bill is with the E.P.A. of the Red River Authority and was in the area discussing phases of that project with various city and county leaders. It's always good to see Bill when he gets out this way.

Sheryl Tomlinson and children, James Harvey and Christa were weekend Benjamin visitors. Sheryl said she and the kiddos miss Benjamin terribly and would love to move back if she could find suitable employment. And we would love to have her back here.

I had a busy weekend and was thankful for the beautiful weather. Saturday p.m. I attended the 50th wedding anniversary of Mr. and Mrs. Grady Phillips at the Community Center in Munday. Saw lots of friends whom I haven't seen in a while and enjoyed visiting with everyone. Saturday night, I attended the dinner and reception at Rhineland honoring John Lee and Jan Wilde.

On Sunday, I visited my kids Debbie, Gordon, Becky and Cody Taylor in Childress.

Steve and Linda Kearns and Matthew of Roscoe and Sara Golden and family of Seymour visited Lois Golden and the Randy Hibbons during the weekend.

Several Benjamin students were in Rotan Saturday for a Math and Science meeting. Kate Grill and Rebekah Duke placed second in their divisions. Ricky Trepanier placed fifth. Louis Baty is their sponsor. Congratulations to these young folks on their accomplishments.

Belle Zoch and daughter Tasha of Killeen, Johnny T. Hudson and son, Heath of Pilot Point and Salina Detweiler and family of Paducah were weekend guests of their mother and grandmother, Nell Hudson and also visited with Danny Hudson.

### Area Student Named To SPC Honor Lists

LEVELLAND-Lutricia Manuel of Knox City is among 354 students named to the Dean's Honor List for the fall 1988 semester at South Plains College.

To be selected for the Dean's Honor List, students must maintain a minimum 3.25 grade point average while carrying at least 12 semester hours. An additional 166 students were named to the President's Honor List, maintaining a 4.0 or straight A grade point average.

"We are very proud of the outstanding scholastic excellence achieved by our honor students at SPC," said Dr. Orlo Sundre, vice president for academic affairs. "They have proved to be highly successful in their college careers."

## Medicare Improves Coverage

People who dropped their Medicare medical insurance coverage or declined it when they were first eligible have another chance to sign up for it now. Between now and March 31, there is an annual open enrollment period to get coverage, which goes into effect July 1.

Many people who thought Medicare medical insurance was not for them might want to take another look at it this year. More extensive services will be covered starting January, 1990, because of recent legislation.

Among the items of improved coverage are regular mammography screenings and increased days of home health care. A cap is set on the total expenses an individual would have to pay in Medicare-approved charges. In 1990, that cap is \$1,370. Coverage of out patient prescription drugs will be phased in over a four year period, beginning January 1, 1990. In 1990, Medicare will cover home IV therapy and immunosuppressive drugs. Coverage of all other prescription drugs will begin January 1, 1991.

To pay for these services, Medicare medical insurance premiums will also

be increasing to \$31.90 per month in 1989. In addition, all people eligible for hospital insurance will pay an annual supplemental premium based on their income tax liability and collected as part of their income tax. For tax year 1989, the rate will be \$22.50 for each \$150 of income tax liability, up to a maximum of \$800 per person.

Anyone with questions about coverage can call a special toll-free Medicare phone number, 1-800-888-1998. Questions about the supplemental premium should be directed to the Internal Revenue Service. For a free IRS publication, available January 1989, which explains the Supplemental Medicare Premium, call toll-free, 1-800-424-3676 and ask for Publication 934.

IRS also has a TELE-TAX service which provides toll free information. Beginning January 2, 1989, you may call 1-800-554-4477 and select topic 223 entitled "Social Security, Tier 1, and Catastrophic Coverage." Questions about the general enrollment period can be answered by the Social Security Administration; the toll free telephone number is 1-800-234-5772.

## Jackie Young Named To 'Who's Who'

Jackie Young has been included in the 16th edition of Who's Who of American Women.

This edition marks the 30th anniversary of the reference book. As women have entered a variety of professions in greater numbers since 1958, when the first edition was published, there has been an increasing interest in and a need for their biographical data.

In the first volume of Who's Who of American Women, volunteer workers in civic, religious and club activities constituted almost 16% of the biographees...outstanding women such as are found in many sectors of business, such as advertising, banking, insurance and publishing.

In preparing the contents of this edition, more than 25,000 listed, the editors have researched a variety of sources: newspapers, periodicals, professional associations and other information.

Selection of a name to be included in WW of AW is based on positions of noteworthy achievements in their fields. Many qualify by virtue of both position and accomplishment. To be selected, a woman must have attained conspicuous achievements. The biographee may scarcely be known in the local community but may be recognized in her field of endeavor for noteworthy achievement.

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Thus is with Jackie Young, who was director of the Knox City Ambulance Service from May, 1981 to April 1987. She was recommended to WW of AW by the Texas Association of EMTs. She was, in the beginning, the only female director of an Ambulance service in this area of Texas. Her commitment

### INDALLAS

Romain Stubbs was in Dallas last week to attend the Spring Gift Show at the World's Trade Center.

She was joined there by her daughter Shea and her friends, Tamara Barnett of Haskell and Debbie Hickey of Godley, all Tarleton State University students at Stephenville.

to the EMS, both in service to the people of Knox County and bringing the EMS to a financially sound condition, was not left unnoticed, officials noted.

Ms. Young was also cited as a nurse consultant on teaching breast feeding to new mothers at St. Mary's of the Plains Hospital in Lubbock, Texas.

Ms. Young has also recently been published in the World Anthology of Poems after receiving the Golden Poet of the Year award for 1986 and 1987. The 1988 winner will be published in the near future.

She also attends TTUHSS School of Nursing to obtain her Bachelor of Science degree in nursing. She will graduate next May.

Currently, Mrs. Young works at Lubbock General Hospital in the Neonatal Intensive Care unit, where she cares for premature and sick babies.

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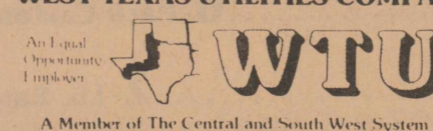
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**CELEBRATING THEIR GOLDEN ANNIVERSARY** on January 15 were Ruth and Oscar Johnson of O'Brien. The couple was married January 15, 1939, in the Haskell County Courthouse. The former Ruth Duncan moved to O'Brien in 1936 from East Texas. Oscar moved from Anson to O'Brien the same year. They are members of O'Brien Baptist Church. The couple has one daughter, Laquita Morris of Bonham; three grandchildren, Leslie Joe, Laina Steward, and Dennis Morris, all of Bonham; and four great-grandchildren. (News Photo)

## Feeding Seminar To Be Held

A Supplemental Feeding Seminar will be held on Thursday, January 26, at 7:30 p.m. at the Knox County Courthouse.

Dr. Nelson Adams, Extension Beef Specialist, will discuss the benefits of supplemental feeding beef cattle.

Dr. Dale Lovelace, Extension Forage Specialist, will discuss the importance of feed stuff quality.

The seminar is being sponsored by the Knox County Livestock Committee.

Committee members include Randal Kinnibrugh, O.L. Patterson Jr., Treanna Patterson, Charles Durham, Herbert Bellinghausen, Greg Huber, David Key, J.M. Emerson, Kenneth Baker, and Bob McWhorter.

## 4-H'ers To Attend FW Stock Show

Twenty Knox County 4-H'ers will be exhibiting animal projects at the Southwestern Exposition and Livestock Show in Fort Worth.

Bryan Latham of Munday will exhibit his Simmental heifer on January 20.

Christi, Rhonda and Jay Whitten, Jason Patterson, Jason and Jeremy Simmons of Benjamin, Lance McWhorter, Aaron Kiser and Angie Partridge of Munday will be exhibiting steers on February 2-3.

Cathy, Chad and Rebel Rainwater of Benjamin, Timmy Cash of Gilliland, Amy and Adam Carver and Chris and Amanda Hollingsworth of Knox City, Doug Edrington, Cathy Nelson and Tyler Thompson of Munday will exhibit swine projects on February 1 and 2.

4-H'ers will be accompanied by parents, 4-H leaders and Donnie Peters, County Extension Agent.

## Auxiliary Fund

Donations have been made to the Knox County Hospital Auxiliary in memory of:

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## Truscott-Gilliland News

By Clara Brown

Monday morning came in looking like spring, just like most mornings of the last several days. There are hopes for a snow toward the end of the week, but the hopes are weak. However, a nice warm, springlike six inch gully washer would be acceptable to many. (Like all the men in my family.)

Burial services were held at the Gilliland Baptist Church Saturday afternoon for Valoise Cook McGuire.

Valoise entered Bethania Hospital at Wichita Falls several days ago following a heart attack. She was the daughter of John Sherman and Jessie Lee Jamison Cook. She married Glen McGuire in 1936. Valoise became bookkeeper for the Farmers Cooperative Elevator at Truscott and the Gilliland Cooperative Gin in 1948. For the last several years she had been manager of the Truscott elevator. All the immediate family was able to come home including Valoise and Glen's two children, Lewis of Waco and Elise of Arlington. Also present were Lewis's wife, Carol, and their two children, Angie and Susan. Elise's daughters, Terrie and Lori came from Arlington and also attending was a great-grandson, Jason Cypert.

Valoise is also survived by her brother, A.L. Cook of Gilliland.

Among the out of town relatives attending the services were Nina Combest of Vernon, Mr. and Mrs. Howard Cook of Quanah, Doyle and Loretta Davis of Wichita Falls, Mrs. Judy Thompson of Vernon, Winnie and Forest Carter of Granbury, Joyce Holder of Fort Worth, Lyndal Sewell of Fort Worth, Sue Winstead of Austin, Homer and Joe Jamison of Amarillo, Charles Clinton Welch of Lubbock, Weldon Welch of Graham, Wilford Welch of Wichita Falls, and Margaret and Lloyd Jones of Abilene.

Others were Gary and Barbara Coltharp of Seymour, Jack and Katie New, Lawrence and Ginger New of

Amarillo, Ailene Groves of Benjamin, Mrs. Mickey Ferry of Pleasant Plains, Illinois (near Springfield), Phil and Fred Cook of Mesquite, Mrs. Kay Sanner of McKinney, Jerry Miller of Merkel helped with the services and his wife, Sherry, came along with Andy, Kerry, Jerry Miller Jr. and Jerry Jr.'s daughter, Amanda.

Relatives from Seymour included Mrs. Thelma McGuire, Mr. and Mrs. Lee Wayne McGuire, Doris Hardin, and Grace Loving. Mr. and Mrs. Roy F. McGuire came from Levelland. This is only a partial list and some may have been accidentally omitted.

Curtis Casey spent Saturday afternoon visiting Margaret Todd at Abilene. He said she got in her chair and he pushed her around the grounds so they could enjoy the beautiful afternoon.

Norma Lee of Vernon visited her father, Edgar Jones late Saturday afternoon.

Kay Carroll reports they are catching almost no wild hogs at the present. The hogs seem to have changed their route. Other people,

however, are reporting an increase in the number of sightings. A scientific survey made in Truscott last week showed that 100 percent of the persons interviewed liked Barbara Bush better than Nancy Reagan. They all preferred Barbara's grandchildren to Nancy's dog. Anyone wishing to participate in the survey should write Opinion, Truscott, Texas 79260. This is a non-partisan survey.

## District DPS Report Is Released

Capt. L.A. Reinhart, District Supervisor of the Lubbock Highway Patrol District comprising of 21 counties said, "For the year of 1988, troopers investigated 45 fatal accidents, 654 personal injury accidents, and 750 property damage accidents. There were 50 persons killed and 654 persons injured in these accidents."

DPS officials stated, "In Knox county, troopers investigated one fatal accident, eight personal injury accidents, and 19 property damage accidents in the year of 1988. One person was killed and eight persons were injured in these accidents."

## DPS December Report

Capt. L.A. Reinhart, District Supervisor of the Lubbock Highway Patrol District comprising of 21 counties said, "For the month of December, troopers investigated two fatal accidents, 58 personal injury accidents, and 65 property damage accidents. There were two persons killed and 58 persons injured in these accidents."

DPS officials stated, "In Knox county, troopers investigated no fatal accidents, no personal injury accidents, and two property damage accidents in the month of December. No persons were killed and no persons were injured in these accidents."

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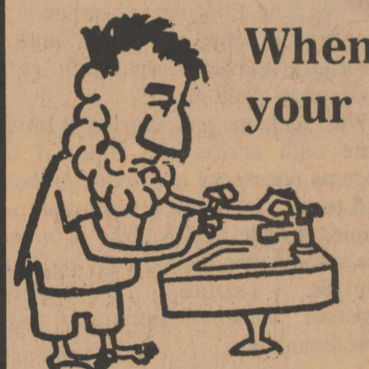
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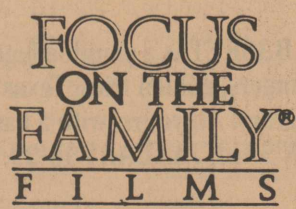
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Mid-Week Worship: 8:00 P.M.

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Morning Worship: 10:45 A.M.  
Evening Worship: 6:30 P.M.  
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## Mrs. Ward Addresses Study Club January 18

Fifteen members and guests of the Knox City Study Club met Thursday, January 18, 1989 in the Community Center. The meeting was called to order by Janoma Stephens. Winifred White gave the invocation and led the Pledge of Allegiance to the American and Texas flags. After a short business meeting Lena McGee, Director, then introduced our guest Mrs. John (Marie) Ward of Aspermont, who brought our program. Mrs. Ward was the first President of Mesquite District. Mrs. Ward has just returned from a trip to Russia. She told us of the trip there and to the several points of interest she visited while in the Soviet Union. She stressed that they went only to the places that were chosen for them to see. One of the odd things was she spent \$1 while in Russia. She did use her Visa card for a few purchases but where they went, there was nothing to buy. The food lines were extremely long. A line for bread, a line for eggs, etc. They did not find the food very tasty in Russia. She stressed that we should not be taken in by the news media because she said Russia as we

know it, is still the same Russia in spite of the new leader.

From Russia they went to Poland which she found to be beautiful. A different world so to speak. Mrs. Ward stated the scene they found in East Germany brought tears to one's eyes. Such a tragic situation. A very remarkable thing was the group left Lubbock and after many stops, changes, etc., when they arrived in Russia their luggage was with them. Mrs. Ward brought pictures and a few odds and ends that we all enjoyed seeing. Our program title was on International Affairs and we surely felt as if we had toured part of Asia and Europe with Mrs. Ward.

Ladies enjoying the program were: Sammie Carpenter, Wretha Fitzgerald, Louise Amerson of Munday, Bea Parks of Benjamin, Ruth Ann Driggers of Abilene, Ruth Christ, Lena McGee, Winifred White, Charlotte Patterson, Audie Johnston, Marguerite King, Jessie Roberts, Charlotte McNeil, Janoma Stephens. Members thanked Mrs. Ward for a lovely meeting.

## 'Preventing Teen Pregnancy' Scheduled For February 2

All parents and interested adults are invited to a special previewing of the materials from the Teen and Community Involvement Program's "Preventing Pregnancy" series. This meeting is scheduled for Thursday, February 2, 1989 at 7:00 p.m. in the high school auditorium.

With teenage pregnancies at an all-time high across the state, it has become necessary to provide preteens and teens with more information pertaining to the health risks of a teen pregnancy, basic anatomy and conception, sexually transmitted diseases, decision-making and assertive techniques.

Through the united efforts of the Aspermont Small Business Development Center, the Texas Department of Human Services and the March of Dimes Foundation, this educational

program has been developed to help young adults understand what problems can arise if a teen makes the decision to become sexually active. To learn more about the "Preventing Teen Pregnancy" series being presented in the schools in this area, parents are encouraged to attend this meeting, officials stated.

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## Emergency Farm Loan Applications Being Accepted

Applications for emergency farm loans for losses caused by drought are being accepted at the Farmers Home Administration (FmHA) office located in Knox City, FmHA County Supervisor Bobby G. Cude said today.

Knox County is one of 46 in Texas recently named by Secretary of Agriculture Richard E. Lyng as eligible for loans to cover part of actual production losses resulting from the drought.

Cude said farmers may be eligible for loans of up to 80 percent of their actual losses or the operating loan needed to continue in business or \$500,000 whichever is less. For farmers unable to obtain credit from private commercial lenders, the interest rate is 4.5 percent.

"As a general rule, a farmer must have suffered at least a 30 percent loss of production to be eligible for an FmHA emergency loan," Cude said. Farmers participating in the PIK or

Federal Crop Insurance programs will have to figure in proceeds from those programs in determining their loss.

"Applications for loans under this emergency designation will be accepted until September 11, 1989, but farmers should apply as soon as possible. Delays in applying could create backlogs in processing and possibly over in to the new farming season," Cude said.

FmHA is a credit agency of the U.S. Department of Agriculture. It is authorized to provide disaster emergency loans to recognized farmers who work at and rely on farming for a substantial part of their living. Eligibility is extended to individual farmers who are U.S. citizens and to farming partnerships, corporations or cooperatives in which U.S. citizens hold a majority interest.

The FmHA office in Knox City is open from 9:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. Monday through Friday.

## Retail Merchants Make Plans

The Retail Merchants Association mapped out plans for the coming year last Thursday night when the group met at the Oil Patch Cafe.

New officers will be named next month to coincide with the new year for the organization. All annual dues will be coming up in February.

Current president Lane Davis said, "The very basis of this organization is to create additional business for Knox City merchants and to promote projects

that will attract customers for our businesses."

Plans call for at least four major projects during the year, with one event scheduled each quarter.

One event that will be changed this year is the Little Miss and Mister Pageant previously held in City Park. Members agreed that the pageant is not beneficial to the business climate, and therefore another project to be held downtown is being planned.



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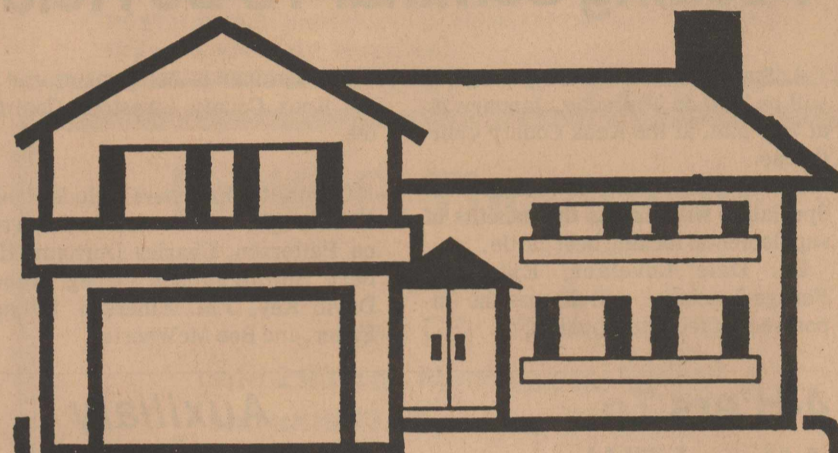
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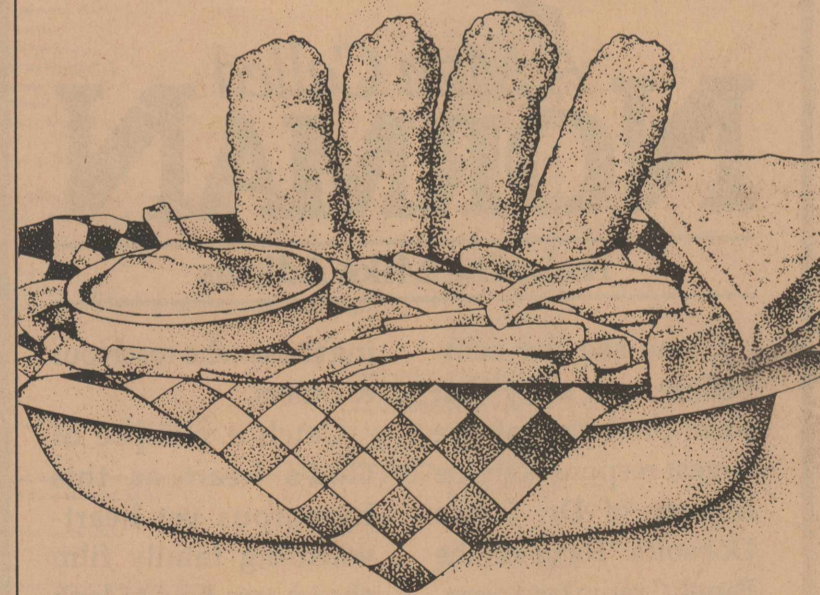
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