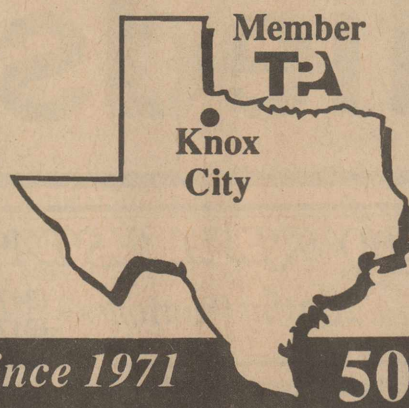


The Knox County News



Some Photos To Be Next Week

With a lot happening around the News office last week, the pictures taken when the Texas Parks and Wildlife Department representative was at the Community Center and also the photo from the Ladies' Coffee will appear in next week's News.

We appreciate your patience and understanding!

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Mrs. Escobar Is Honored At McM As 'Outstanding'

ABILENE -- Annette Escobar of Knox City was honored April 16 at the McMurry University Academic Awards Luncheon.

Annette was honored as "Outstanding Senior" in the Modern Languages Department at McMurry and was also the co-recipient of the overall "Outstanding Student" award in modern languages with Mindy Breeden of Abilene. Making the presentation was Dr. Bill Short, dean of the modern language department.

For the 1994-95 school year, Annette was selected as vice-president of Sigma Delta Pi, national Spanish honor society and she also pledged as a member of Kappa Delta Pi, national education honor society.

Annette is majoring in Spanish with English as her minor.

She and her husband, Charles, are the parents of three children, Michelle, Trisha and Anthony.

KCHS Honor Grads Named

Baccalaureate Is Sunday, May 15; Commencement Is Saturday, May 21

Knox City High School principal Will Steger has announced the 1994 Honor Graduates.

Named as valedictorian for the Class of 1994 is Denise Dudensing, who posted a four year average of 91.46. Denise is the daughter of Debbie Dudensing and Dewey Dudensing.

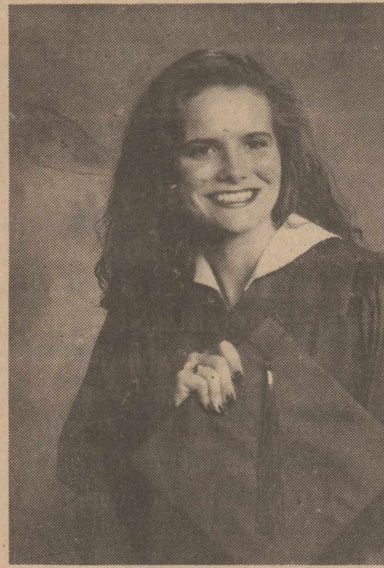
Trish Roberts, the daughter of Diane and Don Roberts, is class salutatorian. Trish completed her four years of study with a grade point average of 90.84.

Seniors completing the advanced high school graduation program are Denise Dudensing, Trish Roberts, Virginia Bernal, Amy Christian, Sammie Munoz, Laurie Nevarez, Lisa Russell, Mario Sigala and Jessica Williams.

Baccalaureate for the graduating seniors will be Sunday, May 15 with commencement exercises



DENISE DUDENSING
... valedictorian



TRISH ROBERTS
... salutatorian

to be Saturday, May 21, beginning at 7:00 p.m.

Both ceremonies for the Class

of 1994 will be held in the W.R. Baker Auditorium on the Knox City school campus.

New WTU Manager Assumes Duties

West Texas Utilities Company has named Keith Edwards as Knox City area manager.

Formerly Quitaque area manager, Edwards assumes the position effective immediately and will focus on customer service and operations in the Knox City and Rule area.

The announcement comes as WTU and its three electric operating affiliates continue a corporate-wide restructuring process.

The changes are part of a phased-in reorganization process designed to make the corporation and each of the electric operating companies more efficient and productive and position the companies to meet the demands of an increasingly competitive business climate.

"Our goal is to continually improve the way we do business by adding focus to our daily operation and greater accountability in taking care of the needs of our customers," Edwards said.

CSW, based in Dallas, is the parent of WTU, Central Power & Light Co., Corpus Christi; Southwestern Electric Power Co., Shreveport, La.; Public Service Company of Oklahoma, Tulsa, Ok.; Transok, also of Tulsa; Central and South West Services Inc., Dallas; and other related affiliate companies.

Two Guthrie Students Are 'Austin Bound!'

Mary Jane King and Kendra Williams of Guthrie will be competing in the State UIL Meet in Austin on May 7.

Mary Jane won first place in calculator applications with a score of 299 and Kendra placed third with a score of 272. Keri Moorhouse was the third team member scoring a 245. The team tied with Rule with a score of 816 but placed second due to a tie breaker rule.

Mary Jane also placed third in mathematics with a score of 128, qualifying her for state. The math team consisted of Mary Jane, Kendra and Keri and they are the alternates to state in that event. Mary Jane and Keri also competed in science. Kendra competed in poetry interpretation.

Others competing at regional were Marcus Cave, current issues and events, literary criticism and editorial writing; Jenny Burkett, feature writing and news writing; Delia Garza, feature writing; Caryn Cave, prose interpretation and literary criticism; Kala Jackson, literary criticism; Jody Moorhouse, science and headline writing and Charles King, editorial writing.

It Can Rain!

Knox City and the area received much-needed moisture last week in varied amounts, but all soaked up by the dry ground.

Some wheat farmers will be helped but for others, the rain came too late.

Cotton farmers will benefit from the moisture as planting will begin soon. Also stock tanks were badly in need of the rain.

Amounts varied from 1.7 up to 3.0 inches falling from early Friday through the weekend.

Knox City Lions To Host 4-Person Scramble Saturday

The Knox City Lions Club will host a 4-Person Scramble this Saturday, May 7, at the Knox City Country Club beginning at 9:00 a.m.

An entry appears in the Lions Club ad in this week's paper and may be mailed in or called in to Joe Rice or Carol Felts at their respective numbers.

Oscar Winning Actor Has Knox Co. 'Roots'

Tommy Lee Jones

For all of those Tommy Lee Jones fans out there, it has been called to our attention that the Oscar winning actor has Knox County "roots", really Knox City! In the article, he refers to tornadoes in Knox County and talks about the one that hit the "hospital" which would have been March 13, 1953.

Darlene Bellinghausen, who subscribes to *The New Yorker*, noticed the reference to Knox County in the April 1994 issue and thought it would be of interest to our readers.

The following is the portion of the article that talks about his connection to the area:

Tommy Lee Jones was born on September 15, 1946, in West Texas, in the town of San Saba, which had a population of just over three thousand. He is an eighth-generation Texan. His father, Clyde Jones, was a specialist in drilling tools who worked in oil fields -- not only in Texas but all over the world. Tommy Lee himself worked in the Texas fields,

with his father and without him, during school vacations. Clyde Jones died of a heart attack when he was in his mid-fifties. Tommy Lee's mother, Lucille Marie Scott, known as Marie all her life, worked at various jobs, including those of policeman and school-teacher. When Tommy Lee was about three, Marie had another son, who died in infancy. Now, with her second husband, she lives in Cameron, about a hundred and ten miles east of San Saba and a hundred and forty miles northeast of San Antonio.

"I've talked myself into believing I remember the day I was born. I hang on to my memories with cat's claws. I can remember tornadoes in Knox County. We were living in a trailer, next to a hospital and near a cotton field. The tornado jumped over our trailer and hit the hospital. I remember seeing x-rays from the hospital floating down over the cotton plants in bloom. Some of my memories are clear - very, very clear."

Tennis Team Completes Successful 1994 Season

The Knox City Tennis Team participated in the Region 1A Tennis Tournament April 28 and 29 at South Plains College in Levelland.

Christie Manning was matched up against Jamie Riggs from Booker High School. Riggs won the match 6-2, 6-0.

Chrystal Tankersley and Jessica Williams met Mindy White and Shantelle Wheeler from Miami High School. Chrystal and Jessica won the match 6-4, 6-4. They advanced to play Mandy Smith and Jennie Hoyle from Booker High School. Smith and Hoyle won 6-1, 6-3.

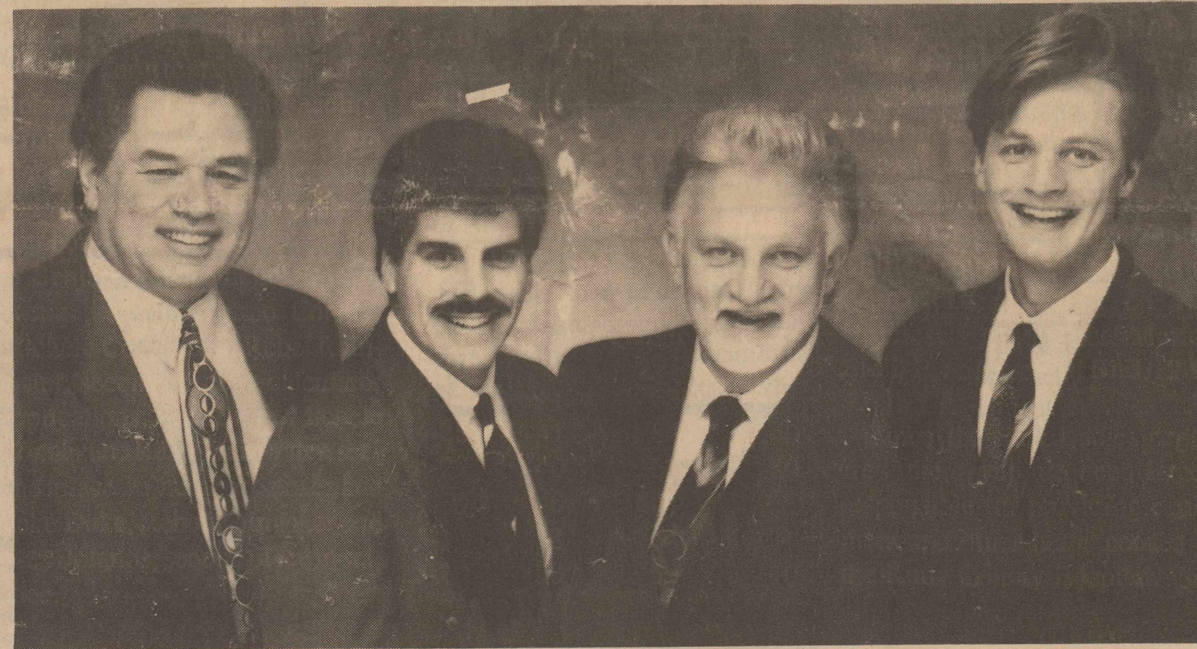
Scott Stephens was matched

up against Jason Cox from Grady High School. Scott won 6-4, 6-3. Scott advanced to play Orly Fuentes from Sanderson High School. Fuentes won 6-3, 6-0.

Josh Burt and Marc Espinosa were matched against Grant Gooch and Steven Cantu from Sands High School. Josh and Marc won 6-2, 7-5. They advanced to play James Bean and Tony Espara from Fort Hancock High School. Bean and Espara won 6-4, 7-5.

Advancing to the regional tennis tournament is evidence of many hours of practice and a lot of hard work. All players had a successful season, according to their coach Teresa Steger.

Imperials Concert Thursday At 7:00



THURSDAY NIGHT the 'Imperials' Gospel Group will be in Knox City for a concert at the W.R. Baker Auditorium beginning at 7:00 p.m. Sponsored by the Knox City Ministerial Alliance, members of the award winning and world famous group are from left, Armond Morales, Jeff Walker, David Will and Steve Ferguson.

Benjamin High Students Travel To Regional UIL

Two Benjamin High School students competed at the Conference 1-A Regional Contest held at Hardin-Simmons University in Abilene on Saturday, April 23.

Senior Stephanie Conner advanced to the regional spelling contest by placing second at the District 16-A Contest held at Vernon Regional Junior College on March 26.

Sophomore Zeke Duke also advanced to the regional contest by placing first in the district science contest.

Other Benjamin High School students who placed in individual district contests were Liza Bolanos, fourth place in headline writing; Stephanie Conner, sixth place in calculator applications; and Zeke Duke, fourth place in number sense.

Benjamin placements in team events were Stephanie Conner, Michele Conner and Rebel Rainwater, second place in calculator applications; Zeke Duke, Michele Conner and Rebel Rainwater, second place in number sense; and Zeke Duke, Rebel Rainwater and Liza Bolanos, second place in science.

Two Place In Regional Track Meet

Knox City regional qualifiers traveled to Levelland last week for the regional meet held at South Plains College.

Denise Dudensing placed fifth in the 300 meter hurdles and sixth in the 100 meter dash. She also competed in the 100 meter

hurdles.

David Dudensing finished fourth in the triple jump.

Others competing from Knox City were Felicia Collier in the shot put and discus, Ryan Marion in the 800 meter run and Kevin Dorsey in the 400 meter dash.

Girls Golf Places Sixth At Regional

The Knox City girls golf team placed sixth out of 14 teams at last week's regional golf tournament held at Sundown Golf Club.

Crystal Correll finished seventh overall out of 72 competitors with a two-day total of 206.

Also competing at the regional tourney were Jessica Williams, Leslie Mahan, Chrystal Tankersley and Sarah Vacek.

Weather

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Date	Low	High	Rain
4-26	48	93	
4-27	41	68	
4-28	41	84	.40
4-29	40	65	.80
4-30	40	61	
5-1	38	64	
5-2	50	59	.10

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DOWNTOWN STORE BUILDING - with storage building adjoining. 120 North Central.

MODERN OFFICE BUILDING - On Haskell Highway for sale or lease. Will remodel to suit.

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NEW LISTING - Three bedroom, one bath, den, needs a handy man, priced right! 807 South Second.

FARMS

PRICED REDUCED - 226 acres west of O'Brien, approximately 10 miles, 1/2 cultivation, 1/2 pasture

70 ACRES cultivated land with two irrigation wells.

Call about our many other listings!

Garage Sale

GARAGE SALE - Drapes, chairs, books, clothes, toys, BB pistol, pillows, electric razors, electric knife, skillets, food processor, radio and much more! Thursday (weather permitting!) Donald Johnson barn, five miles east on Highway 222.

5-5 tlc 34

LARGE GARAGE SALE - 607 South Avenue E, Friday and Saturday, 8 till late. Good clothes (all sizes), shoes, jewelry, collectibles, household items and lots of miscellaneous items. May 6 and 7, Friday and Saturday.

5-5 tlc 1p

INSIDE HOUSE SALE - Recliner, sewing machine, exercise bike, lawnmower, clothes, linens and lots of miscellaneous. Thursday and Friday, 807 Railroad Street, Rochester.

5-5 tlc 1p

GARAGE SALE - Friday and Saturday. Miniature bed, hide-a-bed, Game Boy with accessories, toys and much more! Across street from Lewis Body Shop.

5-5 tlc 24

Public Notice

PUBLIC HEARING GRANT PERFORMANCE AND CLOSEOUT

The City of O'Brien will hold a public hearing at 7:00 P.M., May 12, 1994 at City Hall for the purpose of reviewing its performance on a recently completed TDHCA grant, Contract No. 709059. All citizens, particularly low and moderate income residents are invited and encouraged to attend. Handicapped individuals wishing to attend this meeting should contact Veeta Reid to arrange for assistance. Written comments will also be accepted at City Hall during regular office hours.

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Political Calendar

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

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Help Wanted

THE KNOX COUNTY AGING SERVICE is accepting applications for a part-time kitchen worker. Must be 55 or older and in good health. Must qualify under S.T.E.P. (Senior Texans Employment Program, funded by the U.S. Department of Labor). This is an equal employment opportunity, no discrimination against race, color, or national origin, four hours a day, five days a week. For information, call (817) 658-3618.

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Vehicles For Sale

TERRA INTERNATIONAL has one pickup for sale - 1992 4x4 Chevrolet, \$8500.00. Call 658-3585.

5-2 tlc 15

FOR SALE - 1979 Ford V-8 pickup, one owner, clean and dependable. 807 Railroad, Rochester, 817-743-3524.

5-5 tlc 1p

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FOR RENT - Two bedroom, three bedroom houses. Call 658-3041.

4-14 tlc 9

REDUCED - George McNeil home, 658-5089, 1 1/2 acres, fenced, 2,400 sq. ft., hot tub, satellite, three bedrooms, two baths, fireplace.

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4-28 tlc 26

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4-7 tlc 8

FOR SALE - Coachman 24 ft. Travel Trailer, fully equipped and awning; also Hammond organ, excellent condition. 658-3865.

4-21 tlc 17

THE HASKELL BUSINESS ASSOCIATION is having a Mother's Day Early Bird Sale at participating merchants, Saturday, May 7. Some larger discounts in selected merchandise starts at 8:00 a.m. Hourly discounts will vary throughout the day. First Assembly of God of Haskell will have a food booth set up for breakfast at 7:30 a.m. and will also serve lunch. Haskell Volunteer Fire Department will fix hamburgers for lunch, both will be located on the northwest corner of the square. Lawn and garden chair seminars will be held starting at 10:00 through 2:00 at the same location. Mother's Day essay winners are to be announced at 3:00 p.m. Come and join the fun in Haskell. All antique and arts and craft booths are welcome to set up free of charge. For more information call Ed Walling, (817) 864-3845.

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O'Brien Happenings
By Audie Johnston

"Foot in Mouth - Early in our marriage, a lifelong friend of my wife's came to dinner. In the course of the meal, she broke a fork in half. "Don't worry about it, Helen," I reassured her. "it's just a cheap set." My wife turned to me and exclaimed, "Honey, Helen gave us that set as a wedding gift!"

HERE AND THERE

Those from this area attending the religious musical at Old Glory Saturday night were C.H., Linda, Beth and Reed Underwood; Alton and LaUna Hester, Thomas and Ruth Christ, Troy and Clara Hanson, Vivian Hendrix, Bernice Rowan and I. There were lots of good religious hymns sung and there were singers from Levelland, Burkburnett, Abilene and other areas.

Bro. George Yarger and Orval Manning were in Abilene Thursday night and Friday to attend an associational strategy planning. The men were enthusiastic over the meeting and enjoyed it all.

Beth Underwood, student at Midwestern University, spent the weekend with her parents, C.H. and Linda and brother Reed.

Visiting Claudale and Jean Barnard over the weekend were Claudia, Eddie and Jon Bryant, Lennie Robertson and Josh Arp from Levelland and Don, Diane and Angelia Roberts. Several of them spent some time fishing while here.

Lynward and Juanita Wilcox were in Lubbock last week for several days. Lynward spent some time in doctors offices while there.

Fannie Cameron returned to her home Saturday after spending several weeks with her daughter Mary Beth in Louisiana. Billie Ruth of Cedar Gap and Mary Beth returned her to her home for a while.

Aderle Herring of Junction spent the weekend with his par-

ents, Ranzy and Adelle Herring.

"Honey, I have a confession to make," a guy told his bride. "I'm a golf nut. You'll never see me on weekends during golf season." "Well, dear," she murmured. "I have a confession to make too. I'm a hooker." "No big deal," replied the groom. "Just keep your head down and your left arm straight."

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School Lunch Menus

For May 9 thru 13, 1994

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Monday: Chilled fruit, donuts, milk.
Tuesday: Fruit, cereal, toast, milk.
Wednesday: Fruit juice, scrambled eggs, toast, butter, jelly, milk.
Thursday: Fruit, cereal, toast, milk.
Friday: Fruit juice, blueberry muffins, milk.

LUNCH
Monday: Tacos with taco sauce, lettuce, tomatoes, cheese, refried beans, cinnamon rolls, milk, tea, koolaid. Or - salad plate.
Tuesday: Pizza, lettuce salad, corn, pears, milk, tea or koolaid. Or - salad plate.
Wednesday: Hot dogs with chili, curly fries, pork and beans, peaches, milk, tea or koolaid. Or - salad plate.
Thursday: Hamburgers with cheese, lettuce, tomatoes, pickles, tator tots, cookies, milk, tea or koolaid. Or - salad plate.
Friday: Turkey, gravy, creamed potatoes, green beans, hot rolls, butter, honey, milk, tea or koolaid. Or - salad plate.

FROM LUBBOCK
Clay Hewitt of Lubbock visited here last week with Dave, Stacy, and Scooter Thompson and ran the Sno Cone Factory while his grandparents, Billye and Buddy Angle were in Lubbock.

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Haskell - Knox Board Minutes

April 7, 1994

The Haskell-Knox Consortium Management Board met this date in regular session with the following members present: Solomon Kepley, E.B. Hosea, Jerome Hall, Weldon Koepf, Bill Stewart, Dickie Sloan, Tom Kutch, Jerry Morgan. Others present: Alice Wall, Charles Reed and Aleisa Morrow.

Motion was made by Bill Stewart, seconded by E.B. Hosea, to approve the minutes of the March 8, 1994, Board Meeting. Motion carried unanimously.

Motion was made by Tom Kutch, seconded by Jerry Morgan, to approve the payment of current bills. Motion carried unanimously.

Designated Purpose: Apple Computer, Inc., 456.30; Benjamin ISD, 708.33; Don Jackson, 276.00; Goree ISD, 604.16; Haskell ISD, 4,969.57; Haskell Memorial Hospital, 361.05; Knox City-O'Brien CISD, 1,282.16; Life Learning Systems, 200.00; McDuff Electronics, 2,853.84; Munday ISD, 1,208.33; Paint Creek ISD, 479.16; Reyna Ruiz, 44.16; Rochester ISD, 1,020.83; Rule ISD, 791.66; Sandra Wilson, 331.50; Stephen M. Osborn PhD, 735.00.

Maintenance and Operation: Anita Lockwood, 251.64; Deleard Tool of Texas, Inc., 60.76; Easterling Grocery and Market, Inc., 4.95; EIMC/University of Texas, 24.75; First National Bank, 638.88; Flatt Stationers, 137.25; GTE, 161.17; Harcourt Brace Jovanovich, 188.85; H-K Consortium-Petty Cash, 429.17; Leisa Morrow, 63.04; M-System, 74.83; Munday Tire and Appliance, 23.99; Mystic Ozark Water, 39.00; NTS Communications, 169.08; Postmaster, 278.00; Quill Corporation, 160.05; Joyce Saffel, 144.72; Stamford Welding, Inc., 144.72; Stamford Welding, Inc., 62.60; Kathleen Tanner, 356.56; Velvet Townsend, 294.29; Alice Wall, 97.20; West Texas Utilities, 153.98.

Alice Wall reviewed applications received for positions of Special Education Aide. Her recommendation would be to employ Melanie Dillon

and Pat Grimsley to fill the two positions. Jerry Morgan requested to see the salary for these positions. Melanie Dillon-3 years-\$8,320. Pat Grimsley-14 years-\$12,130. Charles Reed asked that the duties of the CBI Aide would be. Alice stated they would be assisting the Community Based Instruction teacher with instruction and assist with job coaching at training sites. Alice also pointed out that Melanie is skilled with the computer and Pat is a certified bus driver and would be able to transport students.

Motion was made by Jerry Morgan, seconded by Bill Stewart, to employ Melanie Dillon and Pat Grimsley as Special Education Aides. Motion carried unanimously.

Alice Wall presented a video program on Community Based Instruction. A report was given on the staff training for the special education teachers of the Haskell-Knox Consortium. Topic was on Transition For Students With Handicaps. Alice Wall explained that VEH is a vocational program while CBI is a special education program. The CBI class addresses transition for the student.

Solomon Kepley inquired about process used for determining a need for a program.

Alice Wall discussed gathering information through needs assessment of all programs, what is offered and what we need to offer students. We need to backup what we now say on "paper". The focus is on transition from school to work. Most students in special education graduated according to their individual education plan. Schools are held accountable when a student is graduated by demonstrating employment and/or employment ability skills.

Wall also discussed the Vocational Adjustment Class which will be offered. This is a special education class allowing a student to receive course credits while employed.

Mr. Kepley stated they would now address consideration of the teaching contract for Johnny Rocha.

Motion was made by Jerry Morgan, seconded by E.B. Hosea, to en-

ter into executive session as per Texas Government Code, Section 551.074, at 10:15 a.m. Motion carried unanimously.

Motion was made by Jerry Morgan, seconded by Weldon Koepf, to come out of executive session at 10:42 a.m. Motion carried unanimously.

No action was taken at this time in the consideration of the teaching contract for Johnny Rocha.

Alice Wall requested that her proposal previously presented, be reviewed.

Mr. Kepley stated that a request had been made to resubmit the proposal to discontinue the VEH program, vocational and special education programs were reviewed.

Motion was made by Jerry Morgan, seconded by Dickie Sloan, to stand with decision to discontinue the VEH program. Motion carried unanimously. Jerry Morgan stated that the CBI program would better suit the needs of the student he served. Bill Stewart stated that discontinuing the VEH program did not eliminate services being provided to the special education students. Jerome Hall stated that no students from Munday ISD were coming (1994-1995 school year), even if the VEH program continued. Solomon Kepley stated the Knox City High School Principal has been pleased with the VEH program.

Discussion: Alice Wall asked all Board Members if their districts had a teaching position for which Johnny Rocha was certified to fill, the response was negative.

Alice Wall stated a need to update the Interlocal Cooperative Agreement to present to the Management Board.

Motion was made by Jerry Morgan, seconded by Bill Stewart, to adjourn. Motion carried unanimously.

Auxiliary Fund

The Knox County Hospital Auxiliary has received a donation in memory of:

Buddy Tankersley by Mr. and Mrs. John L. Grindstaff Jr.

Three Officers Re-Elected By Brazos Electric

Three incumbent officers were re-elected by the Board of Directors of Brazos Electric Cooperative at the organization's 53rd annual meeting at the Waco Convention Center April 27.

Sam Houston, general manager of Hill County Electric Cooperative in Itasca, was re-elected president of the board. John Hartgraves, manager of Hamilton County Electric Cooperative in Hamilton, was re-elected vice president. Robert T. Lewis Jr., a Gainesville rancher and president of Cooke County Electric Cooperative in Muenster, was re-elected secretary-treasurer.

Following the annual business meeting, service awards were presented to 51 Brazos Electric employees whose service totals 820 years.

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FROM CALIFORNIA

Frank Nance of Turlock, California, a former Knox City resident, returned home Thursday of last week after a three week visit here and in Munday.

Frank moved to California in 1941.



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TxDOT personnel will provide specific information on available employment and will assist the general public in completing employment applications. Positions may range from entry level to professional engineering. Representatives from various professions within TxDOT will attend the Job Fair to answer questions concerning all jobs available. Some of the possible employment opportunities may include positions in engineering, maintenance, contacts and clerical.

For more information concerning TxDOT Job Fair 94, contact the Childress District Office.

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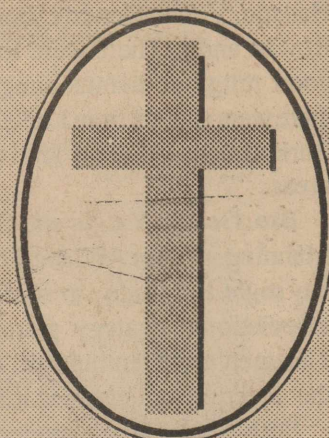
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Church Directory



First Baptist Church

Knox City

Bobby King, Pastor

*Sunday School: 9:45 A.M.

*Morning Worship: 10:55 AM

*Evening Worship: 7:00 PM

Mid-Week, Wed.: 7:00 PM

*Sunday Services Broadcast

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Santa Rosa

Catholic Church

Knox City

Father George Foley

Tuesday: 7:00 PM Mass

Sunday: 11:00 AM Mass

St. Joseph's

Catholic Church

Rhineland

Father George Foley

Mon.-Fri.: 8:00 AM Mass

Saturday: 7:00 AM Mass

Sunday: 5:00 PM Mass

(Spanish)

First United

Methodist Church

Knox City

Jim Teeter, Pastor

Sunday School: 9:45 AM

Morning Worship: 11:00 AM

Evening Worship: 6:00 PM

First Christian Church

Knox City

Bill Christian, Pastor

Sunday School: 10:00 AM

Morning Worship: 11:00 AM

Evening Worship: 6:00 PM

Foursquare Church

Knox City

Farrell Lemmings, Pastor

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Evening Worship: 6:30 PM

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O'Brien

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Gillespie Baptist Church

Ross Anderson, Pastor

Sunday School: 10:00 AM

Morning Worship: 11:00 AM

Evening Worship: 7:00 PM

Mid-Week, Wed., 7:00 PM

First Baptist Church Benjamin

John Gillispie, Pastor

Sunday School: 10:00 AM

Morning Worship: 11:00 AM

Evening Worship: 6:00 PM

First United Methodist Church Benjamin

Jim Teeter, Pastor

Sunday School: 10:30 AM

Sunday Worship: 9:30 AM

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Pending Name Of Pastor

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Mrs. Allen Hosts KC Circle Club

The Knox City Circle Club met in the home of Betsy Allen on April 12. Charlotte Cragar was co-hostess. The program was presented by Donna Byrd. Donna demonstrated making ribbon roses, a dried flower swag, gift ideas using a clay pot as the basis of a collection of items for a gift and a ribbon wall hanging. Her presentation was reported to be very enjoyable.

President Rita Rosencranz presided during the business meeting. A scholarship for 4H members was discussed. Applications for the scholarship were due May 1. The council report was provided by Ramona Helms. The possibility of making a Knox City theme quilt was discussed for a money-making project.

Birthdays were recognized for LaNell Kight, Rita Rosencranz, Julie Schur, and Mae Bradley.

Members present included Betsy Allen, Mae Bradley, Charlotte Cragar, Amy Daniel, Bobbie Harrison, Lisa Harrington, Ramona Helms, LaNell Kight, Leta Mangis, Pam Mongrain, Janice Rhodes, Ruth Rhodes, Eileen Rolo, Rita Rosencranz, Julie Schur, Cathye Williams, and Josie Agraz. Guests were Donna Byrd and Sandy Railsback.

The next meeting will be held at the home of LaNell Kight on May 10. Charlotte McNeil will serve as co-hostess. The program will be presented by Jane Rowan, CEA-Home Economics.

Anyone needing further information about the meeting should contact Rita Rosencranz.

VRJC Honors 65 Students At Convocation

VERNON - Vernon Regional Junior College honored 65 VRJC students during the annual "Honors Convocation" program held April 29 on the Vernon campus. The VRJC Student of the Year, the VRJC Sheppard Learning Center Student of the Year, the VRJC at Wichita Falls Student of the Year, and the outstanding Alumnus received special recognition.

Michael Davidson of Lubbock was named VRJC Student of the Year, Glinda C. Coates of Bowie was named VRJC Sheppard Learning Center Student of the Year, Patricia Ford of Wichita Falls was named VRJC at Wichita Falls Student of the Year. Gregory D. Stone of Chillicothe, principal at Chillicothe High School, was named Outstanding Alumnus.

A reception honoring all the honorees was held following the awards ceremony.



TO CELEBRATE 50TH ANNIVERSARY -- Peggy and Walter Hertel of Munday will be honored with a reception Saturday, May 7, to celebrate their 50th Wedding Anniversary. The Hertels were married May 5, 1944, in Seymour. Their children are hosting this special event and invite friends to attend, as noted by their invitation in this week's News. (Courtesy Photo)

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CELEBRATING 50 YEARS



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Julie Speck Initiated Into Honor Society

Julie Speck, a freshman mathematics major at Angelo State University, was recently initiated into the Alpha Lambda Delta Honor Society for freshman.

Alpha Lambda Delta is a national society that honors academic excellence during a student's first year in college. Eligibility for Alpha Lambda Delta is restricted to those students who have demonstrated superior skills and deep commitment to higher learning by completing 15 to 45 hours of course work with a 3.5 or better grade point average.

Attending the initiation ceremony and banquet were her parents, Sherry and Danny Speck and Lance Haragan of Knox City.

Julie is also the granddaughter of Bertha Driver of Benjamin, Ray and Karen Speck of DeLeon, Jewel Bailey and Howard and Edith Sloan of Knox City.



Kaitlyn Rachel Reynolds

Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Reynolds are the proud parents of a baby girl born April 21 in an Oklahoma City hospital.

The baby has been named Kaitlyn Rachel and she weighed in at eight pounds and measured 20 1/2 inches in length.

The baby has a big brother, Brooks, who is eight years old.

Paternal grandparents are Sequoyah and Bud Reynolds of Knox City and Rachel Reese of McComb, Oklahoma, is maternal grandmother.

IN SAN ANTONIO

Tess and Hank Wall recently visited in San Antonio with Hank's sister, Rowena Lane.

The Walls reported that the wildflowers down through the Hill Country were pretty, but not as tall or as abundant as during a normal year. They too have been in a drouth, even though it has rained recently.

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Marci Berryman To Receive MSU Degree

Marci Berryman, a 1990 graduate of Knox City High School, will receive her bachelor of science degree in criminal justice Saturday, May 14, from Midwestern University.

Commencement exercises will begin at 8:00 p.m. in the D.L. Ligon Coliseum in Wichita Falls.

Marci is the daughter of Mary Berryman of Archer City and Claude Berryman of Fluvanna.

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Police Chief Warns Of Shoplifting, Home Scams

By DEAN W. HOMSTAD
Knox City Chief of Police

This is the usual time of the year for home repairs, lawn restoration, and general house cleaning in preparation for the busy summer ahead. It is also the time for con men and women to be attracted to any house or area where they see prospects to run some type of scam. The scam artists seem to key mostly on the elderly population, possibly because the target victim is one trusting, easily fooled by a fast talking suspect, or possibly that they become confused easier by all the confusion during the scam.

One of the popular targets for these people are stores with only a few clerks. Some of the accomplices will cause a diversion while others will fill up purses with merchandise or hide other articles under their own clothing. Jewelry stores and pawn shops are a favorite of many. After a diversion has been initiated, one accomplice will take an amount of jewelry and cause the items to be passed along to another, who at times, will swallow the items to prevent detection and recover them later. Some women have been known to hide numerous articles of clothing under their own personal clothes, and are able to walk out the store undetected.

Home repair is also a favorite. Roof repair jobs are easy to fake as most elderly individuals cannot crawl up to the roof to inspect the job that has been done for him. At time, the repairman will promise to spray the roof with a sealant-preservative that is manufactured by a well known company and will cause the roof to be guaranteed against leaks and prolong the life of the roof for five years. The job appears to be good and the home owner seems satisfied that he had saved several dollars on the job. The sealant usually turns out to be aluminum paint or used motor oil diluted with kerosene, and in the first rain, it washes away. The same type of scam is used with driveway repair, the only difference is the "repairman" spreads an asphalt type mixture that really consists of motor oil mixed with gravel.

Another practice deals with house painting. The "painter" will spray while wash or watered down interior latex paint on the outside of the house. The traveling "pest exterminator" will crawl under a suspect house to inspect for dam-

age. The catch is that he will carry a piece of rotten wood to substantiate his claim that the house needs repairs. Normally he will crawl under the house for hours tapping on the beams, then will present a highly inflated bill for the structural work. Occasionally when foundation work is "needed", the repairman will spray the foundation with a sealant, which is actually gasoline in which they had soaked strips of tar paper to make it turn black.

If a job is contracted and the homeowner is able to watch, be very aware of what the assistants are doing. While the homeowner is watching the work, an assistant can be elsewhere in the residence taking money, jewelry or other valuable. After a "job" is actually completed, many times the estimate has been very over inflated, and due to the confusion created by the situation, the homeowner is usually convinced to pay the high bill, thinking maybe they can call the police later. This is a fatal mistake, as the con artists are very good at deception. They can change their clothing quickly, get into another vehicle parked just a few blocks away, and many have several different identifications in their possession.

If you need some home repair done, and an unknown person shows up at the door, get something and write down a description of the person and vehicle. Don't allow anyone you don't know to enter your house, the best way is to at least keep a screen door closed. If you tell them that you don't want the work done but they persist, tell them you are going to call the police. If they leave quickly, they probably had you targeted as a victim. If possible, get a license tag number, as good of description of the vehicle and direction they left, and the

best possible description of the person(s) involved and how many there. Call the police as quick as possible. If you don't, they may go "visit" your neighbor and attempt to do the same thing. Then the need and times comes to do some house or yard work that calls for help, contact someone locally. Up front it may sound like it costs more, but you will have a much better chance of getting the job done properly. Like the saying goes, "If it sounds to good to be true, it probably is." Contact this department if you have any questions or need help.

Some of the preceding information has been taken from numerous investigations into the crime of fraud done by this department and others. This department does have pamphlets available and a list of books to be read for further information.

Rites Are Held April 20 For Zelma Hester

Graveside services for Zelma Hester of Hugo, Oklahoma, were held Wednesday afternoon, April 20, at four o'clock in the Knox City Cemetery. Lester Duncan, Knox City Church of Christ minister, officiated.

Mrs. Hester, 84, died Tuesday, April 19, in Pushmataha Hospital.

Born July 28, 1909, she was the daughter of Ruben Lane and Minnie (Drake) Lane. She had lived in the Hugo area since 1976 and was a retired nurse. She was a member of the Church of Christ.

Survivors include a daughter, Marilyn Vaught of Fort Towson; two grandchildren, Coy Vaught of Idabel and Carla Vaught of Fort Towson; three great-grandchildren, a brother, and four sisters.

KC Study Club Members Enjoy Trip To Abilene

By JANOMA STEPHENS

Members of the Knox City Study Club met at the Community Center at 9:45 a.m. on April 21 to regroup and drive to Abilene. They met at the Golden Corral for lunch and a short meeting. Table grace was voiced by the Rev. James Patterson, and Lena McGee gave the Federation report. A most enjoyable meal, visiting with 11 women from the Philadelphian Club of Rule, fellowship with all, we then drove to North 1st and Cypress where a lengthy time was spent viewing the wonderful Grace Cultural Center. What a treat!

All three floors held treasures, especially of the Guita family, as well as others.

The Center was originally the Grace Hotel. The lobby and ballroom were redone as the original, the other part was reconstructed to accommodate the galleries and museum. The third floor is the museum. The second floor provides galleries for different types of various artists and also the Children's Wing. I do believe, perhaps, the Children's portion of the Center was most popular.

The garden patio, just off the lobby was beautiful. It appeared as if a dinner party were forthcoming.

As one wondered through the ballroom, with the huge floor to ceiling pillars, yesteryear was easily imagined. Thoughts of the big band sound and happy people enjoying good food could almost be heard. It is truly worth a trip to go see this wonderful place.

Enjoying the tour were the Rev. James and Charlotte Patterson, Frances Dear, Lena McGee, Olien Elmore, Winifred White, and Janoma Stephens.

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LEGAL TITLE OF BANK					STATE BANK NO.
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CITY Knox City					FEDERAL RESERVE DISTRICT NO. 11
COUNTY Knox	STATE Texas	ZIP CODE 79529	CLOSE OF BUSINESS DATE March 31, 1994		
Dollar Amounts in Thousands					
ASSETS					
1. Cash and balances due from depository institutions:	a. Noninterest-bearing balances and currency and coin		1	339	1.a.
	b. Interest-bearing balances			0	1.b.
2. Securities			12	669	2.
3. Federal funds sold & securities purchased under agreements to resell in domestic offices of the bank & of its Edge & Agreement subsidiaries, & in IBFs:	a. Federal funds sold		2	150	3.a.
	b. Securities purchased under agreements to resell			0	3.b.
4. Loans and lease financing receivables:			12	252	4.a.
a. Loans and leases, net of unearned income				197	4.b.
b. LESS: Allowance for loan and lease losses				0	4.c.
c. LESS: Allocated transfer risk reserve				0	4.d.
d. Loans and leases, net of unearned income, allowance, and reserve (item 4.a. minus 4.b and 4.c)				12	4.d.
5. Assets held in trading accounts				0	5.
6. Premises and fixed assets (including capitalized leases)				487	6.
7. Other real estate owned				0	7.
8. Investments in unconsolidated subsidiaries and associated companies				0	8.
9. Customers' liability to this bank on acceptances outstanding				0	9.
10. Intangible assets				408	10.
11. Other assets				0	11.
12. a. Total assets (sum of items 1 through 11)				29	12.a.
b. Loans deferred pursuant to 12 U.S.C. 1823 (j)				0	12.b.
c. Total assets and losses deferred pursuant to 12 U.S.C. 1823(j) (sum of items 12.a and 12.b)				29	12.c.
LIABILITIES					
13. Deposits:	a. In domestic offices:			26	13.a.
	(1) Noninterest-bearing		3	372	13.a.(1)
	(2) Interest-bearing		22	748	13.a.(2)
	b. In foreign offices, Edge and Agreement subsidiaries, and IBFs			0	13.b.
	(1) Noninterest-bearing			0	13.b.(1)
	(2) Interest-bearing			0	13.b.(2)
14. Federal funds purchased and securities sold under agreements to repurchase in domestic offices of the bank & of its Edge & Agreement subsidiaries, & in IBFs:	a. Federal funds purchased			0	14.a.
	b. Securities sold under agreements to repurchase			0	14.b.
15. Demand notes issued to the U.S. Treasury				0	15.
16. Other borrowed money				0	16.
17. Mortgage indebtedness and obligations under capitalized leases				0	17.
18. Bank's liability on acceptances executed and outstanding				0	18.
19. Subordinated notes and debentures				157	19.
20. Other liabilities				26	20.
21. Total liabilities (sum of items 13 through 20)				26	21.
22. Limited-life preferred stock and related surplus				0	22.
EQUITY CAPITAL					
23. Perpetual preferred stock and related surplus (No. of shares outstanding)				0	23.
24. Common stock (No. of shares):	a. Authorized			1,000	24.
	b. Outstanding			1,000	24.
25. Surplus (exclude all surplus related to preferred stock)				1	25.
26. a. Undivided profits and capital reserves				1	26.a.
b. LESS: Net unrealized loss on marketable equity securities				39	26.b.
27. Cumulative foreign currency translation adjustments				2	27.
28. a. Total equity capital (sum of items 23 through 27)				2	28.a.
b. Losses deferred pursuant to 12 U.S.C. 1823 (j)				0	28.b.
c. Total equity capital and losses deferred pursuant to 12 U.S.C. 1823 (j) (sum of items 28.a. & 28.b)				2	28.c.
29. 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)				29	29.
MEMORANDA: Amounts outstanding as of Report of Condition date:					
1. a. Standby letters of credit, Total				0	1.a.
b. Amount of Standby letters of credit in process of being				0	1.b.
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SIGNATURE OF OFFICER(S) AUTHORIZED TO SIGN REPORT Sharon Coyner				DATE SIGNED April 22, 1994	
NAME(S) AND TITLE(S) OF OFFICER(S) AUTHORIZED TO SIGN REPORT Sharon Coyner, Assistant Vice President				AREA CODE/PHONE NO. 817-658-3527	
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SIGNATURE OF DIRECTOR Ray Plummer		SIGNATURE OF DIRECTOR James Smudette		SIGNATURE OF DIRECTOR Carol Felts	
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Guthrie FHA Attends 1994 State Meeting

Special Recognition Received By Members

Representatives from the Guthrie Chapter of Future Homemakers of America attended the 1994 State Leadership Conference along with 4700 members and advisors from Texas. "FHA/HERO: A World of Possibilities" was the theme of the 1994 meeting which was held in the Dallas Convention Center in Dallas on April 29 and 30.

The business session was conducted during the House of Delegates session, Friday, April 29. Lisa Pettiet served as voting delegate. Nathan Holley was a member of the Connection Team and had articles published in the conference review newsletter.

Saturday morning's general session recognized two special people from Guthrie. Darlene

Withers received a state honorary membership award. Jennifer Vincent, senior student, received a \$500 scholarship from the Adams Spice Company.

Saturday evening's session was climaxed by recognition of competitive events participants and installation of officers. The Parliamentary Procedure Team, consisting of Kendra Williams, Jason Miller, Delia Garza, Jennifer Vincent, Bill Vinson and Roy Fuentes, won first place with the right to advance to national competition in Orlando, Florida, in July. Misty Fields placed fifth in the Little Friends contest. Kala Jackson was installed as state vice-president of achievement. Marianna Graves serves as the local chapter advisor.

May School Calendar

Thursday, May 5 - Imperials in concert at 7:00 in auditorium Thursday through Saturday, May 5 through 7 - State UIL Academic and One-Act Play Meet

Saturday, May 7 - SAT I, II Monday, May 9 - Senior Supper, Knox City Baptist Church

Tuesday, May 10 - TAAS Reading Test, fourth and eighth grades; Band Concert

Wednesday, May 11 - TAAS Math Test, fourth and eighth grades

Thursday, May 12 - TAAS Science Test, fourth and eighth grades; Girl Scout Banquet, KC school cafeteria

Thursday through Saturday, May 12 through 14 - State Athletic Meets

Friday, May 13 - TAAS Social Studies Test, fourth and eighth grades

Sunday, May 15 - Baccalaureate, 7:00 p.m.

Monday, May 16 - UIL Banquet, school auditorium

Tuesday, May 17 - End of course test - Algebra I; Senior Supper, Church of Christ Church

Wednesday, May 18 - End of course test, Biology I

Friday, May 20 - Report Period Ends, School Out Early, mid-school graduation

Saturday, May 21 - Teacher Workday, high school graduation, 7:00 p.m.

IN WICHITA FALLS

Mrs. E. H. Tankersley accompanied by Mrs. Scott Lynn and Landon visited Mrs. Scott Porter in Wichita Falls last Thursday.

Nancy Graves Honored At Tech Reception

LUBBOCK - Nancy Graves of Guthrie, a senior majoring in agricultural economics at Texas Tech University in Lubbock, was recognized at the University on March 25. Nancy was a Gold Award winner receiving a \$2,500 scholarship.

Texas Tech's College of Agricultural Sciences and Natural Resources recognized its Dean's Scholars during a reception. These scholarships have been established by the college to reward academic excellence and to encourage highly capable young men and women to major in the agricultural sciences.

The Dean's Scholars awards are based on academic excellence as well as leadership, sound character and good citizenship. The Gold Award is a \$10,000 four-year scholarship and the recipient must maintain a 3.4 GPA for the Gold Award.

Sam Curl, dean of the College of Agricultural Sciences and Natural Resources, congratulated the 23 scholars for their achievements.

Guthrie Students Participate In "Race For Kids"

Approximately 100 persons participated in the third annual "Race For Kids", Saturday, April 23, at Texas Tech University. The event is a project of the Child Development Research Center. The race featured a 5-kilometer race around the University, a one-mile challenge for elementary students and a team relay walk/run.

Winners from Guthrie were: males 12-14 Walt Hale; fourth grade, second place, Lance Green (boys), fourth place, Joli Shipman (girls); fifth grade, second place, Chase Richardson (boys), first place Krissy Shipman (girls), sixth grade, first place, Amber Green; one mile relay, Amber Green, Krissy Shipman, Chase Richardson, Walt Hale and Brandon Richardson won first place.

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- 1st Prize - "Diamond Star" Quilt won by Margery Searl
- 2nd Prize - Barbecue Grill won by Betty Martinez
- 3rd Prize - \$100 Savings Bond won by Joe Barretto
- 4th Prize - Girls/Boys 10 Speed Bicycle won by Chris Silva
- 5th Prize - "Tongan" Quilt won by Danny Lynn Ramirez
- 6th Prize - Steak Dinner For Two At The Branding Iron won by Louis Baty
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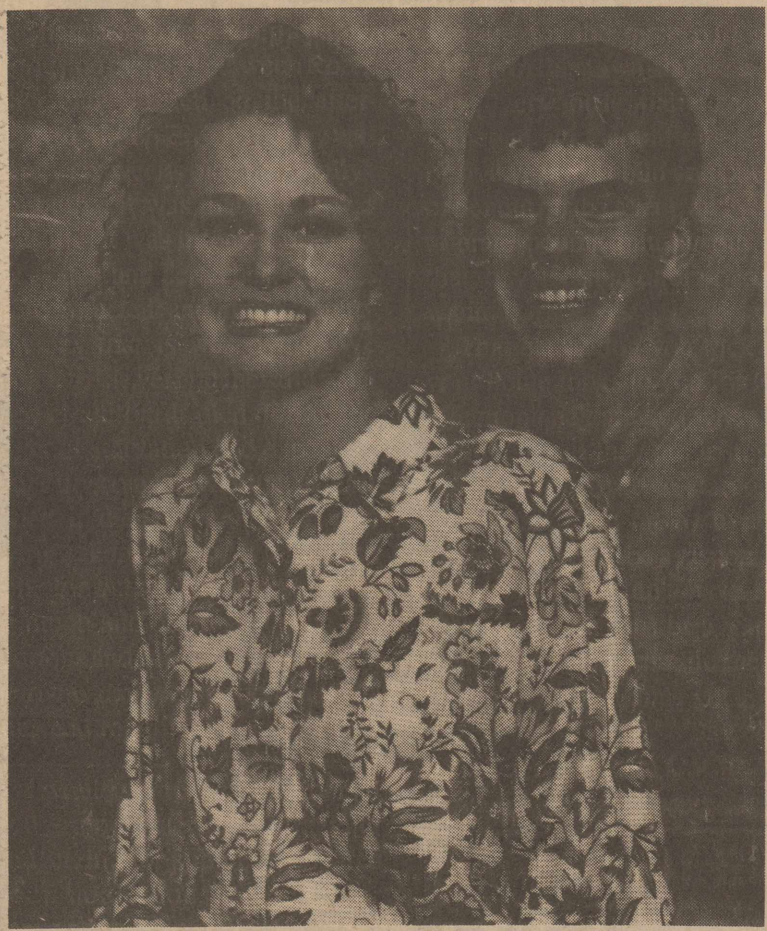
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Couple To Say July 30 Vows

Mr. and Mrs. Tim Moss of Knox City announce the engagement of their son, Steven Trent Mabry to Nikki Bea Fortenberry. The bride-elect is the daughter of Susie Fortenberry of Riverside, California; and Mack Fortenberry of Denver, Colorado.

The ceremony will be held on July 30 in Levelland at the Cactus Drive Church of Christ. The couple is presently attending South Plains College in Levelland and will be attending Mississippi State University in Meridian, Mississippi, this fall.



TAMMY ROGERS and KENDALL MONTGOMERY

Former Resident Is Engaged

Former Knox City residents Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Rogers of Olney announce the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter, Tammy to Kendall Montgomery, son of Mr. and Mrs. Bud Montgomery.

The bride-elect is a 1986 graduate of Olney High School. She received her Bachelor of Science Degree at the University of Texas at San Antonio and her Master of Education degree in Kinesiology at Stephen F. Austin University in Nacogdoches. She is currently teaching and coaching at Irving High School.

The future bridegroom is a 1982 graduate of Olney High School. He received his Bachelor of Business Administration in Accounting at Angelo State University in 1986. He is currently employed by West Central Cellular in San Angelo.

The wedding will be June 11 at the First United Methodist Church in Olney.

Letters From Our Readers

April 11, 1994

Dear Dave,

Sharon and I picked up a puppy alongside the road between Rochester and O'Brien on the afternoon of March 29. The puppy was barely six weeks old and I really doubt that it was that old. It was starving, it was infected from insect bites and scratches, its eyes were infected and it was pretty obvious that it was dying. We took it to the vet and they did what they could but it died during the night of starvation and exposure. Our only comfort was that at least when it died it was warm and being taken care of. Our hearts ache for that puppy that suffered so much and our hearts ache for the dogs and cats we see everyday in town scavenging food in trash cans and roaming the streets.

I would say to the pet owners if you are not interested in having and caring for puppies then have your adult dogs neutered or spayed. Instead you let them have litter after litter and you either do what somebody did with this one - - you drop them off out in the country or you let them run loose around town. The ranchers and farmers living out in the country have animals that are working animals trained for the jobs they do. And if they do happen to have any just as pets, like the rest of us they don't want or need any more. Just because you are tired of your pet does not mean you can simply turn it out and expect somebody else to take care of it.

I for one am tired of seeing uncared for pets roaming our streets and the roads outside of town. I am fully aware that this is not just a Knox City problem but

pretty much a problem everywhere, but that doesn't excuse it. We are for the most part good people in this town and we would have very little patience with someone who would take a four or five year old child and put him or her out on the street, and yet we tolerate people putting out pets that they got tired of or no longer wanted.

That cat or dog you took into your home looks to you for love, affection and care and when you turn them out they are lost, confused and destined to starve, die of disease or be hit by a car or truck. If you can't be a responsible parent you shouldn't have children and if you can't be a responsible pet owner please do the rest of us a favor and don't get a pet.

Sincerely,
William C. Christian

KC Native Dies Saturday In N. Richland Hills

Funeral services for Knox City native Melba Stephens of North Richland Hills were held Wednesday, April 27, at 1:30 p.m. in Shannon Rose Hill Chapel.

Mrs. Stephens, 70, died Saturday, April 23, at her residence.

Born in Knox City, she was a member of Ridgecrest Baptist Church. She and her husband, Robert Stephens, were owners of

Drixell Plumbing in Fort Worth since 1974.

Survivors include her husband, Robert of North Richland Hills; a son, Robert C. Stephens Jr. of Fort Worth; a daughter, Colleen Gross of Arlington; a brother, Jack Hill of Arlington; her mother, Susi Jewell Hill of Arlington; three granddaughters and one great-granddaughter.

Pink Ladies To Meet Monday At 5

The Knox County Hospital Auxiliary will meet Monday, May 9, at 5:00 p.m. in the downtown Thrift Shop.

All members are encouraged to attend, a spokesperson said.

Eastern Star To Meet Thursday

The Rule Chapter #989 Order of the Eastern Star, with which Knox City's Chapter has now merged, will meet Thursday night at 7:30 p.m. in Rule.

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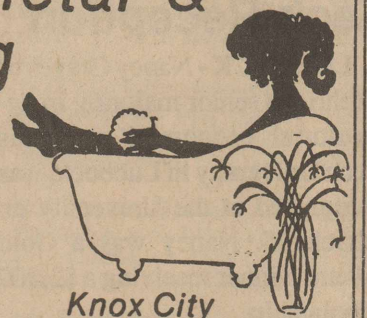
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