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### Shootin' Straight

By Dave Thompson

#### WELCOME BACK!

As noted in a separate story in this week's newspaper, Knox City once again has the service of a full time law enforcement officer. Returning to his former position after being rehired by the city council during last week's meeting, Richard Ferguson is once again the Chief Of Police for our community.

It seems to me that thanks are in order: thanks to the city council members for taking strong affirmative action by rehiring Richard, and thanks to Richard for returning to his position of service to our community. His is a job that is often thankless, a job that everyone wants done but not too many people want to step forward and actually take on the responsibility.

Whenever most think of a Police Officer, the image of all the television cops pop into our heads and the idea is easily formed that all officers are like the ones portrayed on the tube. In reality that is not so. Real life police investigations are not all easily solved within one hour as they always seem to be on television, but that seems to be necessary to avoid carrying them over into the next program. In real life, there aren't any "next week's program" for a small town law enforcement officer. Citizens who are calling for an officer do not want or expect to wait, the need is usually immediate and needs to be taken care of right away.

If you multiply the number of residents and the problems they might have times just one officer, it is easy to see just how busy that one officer can be as he undertakes his job. Add the fact that Richard is a family man and deserves time off to spend with his wife and small daughter and it is evident right away that his job is not an easy one. That is where each and every citizen can help out. Keep in mind the fact that there is only one officer for our city and try to weigh your needs against that fact. Police officers have to handle calls and other matters on a priority basis.

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## City Council's Agenda Long

By DAVE THOMPSON

With all council members present, the City Council of Knox City voted unanimously to fill the vacant position of Chief Of Police by rehiring Richard Ferguson to the position he held prior to his recent resignation. After interviewing three other applicants and a lengthy discussion with Ferguson about policies and guidelines, Councilmen Larry Staggs, Greg Kuehler, Carol Felts, Elmer Wall and Councilwoman Elaine Lewis all voted in favor of the motion made by Felts to rehire Richard Ferguson. Also present at the January 10 regular meeting were Mayor Buddy Angle and city Secretary Teri Anderson. Don Hawkins and Billy Bob Reynolds were also present and spoke at the meeting in support of the good job that Chief Ferguson has done in Knox City.

In other council action, Dick Evtatt of West Texas Utilities appeared before the council to discuss the new 5.1% increase in electric rates that was recently approved by the Public Utilities Commission. The P.U.C. approved the 5.1% increase after receiving a request from W.T.U. that a 11.4% increase



NAMED OFFICERS of the Citizens State Bank at the annual stockholders' meeting last Thursday were Greg Clonts, bank's new president, and Evelyn Shelton, who was re-elected executive vice president and named to the board.

Averitt Resigns After 60 Years

## Bank Names Officers And Directors For '84

Greg Clonts was elected president and chief executive officer of the Citizens State Bank and Evelyn Shelton and John L. Grindstaff Jr. were elected as directors at the annual stockholders' meeting held Thursday, January 12.

Sam E. Clonts was elected chairman of the Board of Directors. Existing directors who were re-elected include Henry J. Jones, Henry L. White, Greg Clonts, and Sam E. Clonts.

Bruce B. Campbell Jr. was named as an advisory director after electing not to serve as an active member of the board. During 1983, Campbell was elected chairman of the board of the Brazos River authority which is the governing body for all activities conducted on the Brazos River in Texas. The Authority authorizes all water purchases along the Brazos River and manages significant lakes along the river such as Possum Kingdom Lake near Graham.

Joe Averitt elected not to run as a director in 1984 after serving the bank for the past sixty years. Averitt served as

president of the bank from January 1964 through January 1975. He was first employed by the bank in 1923.

Greg Clonts returns to Knox City to become president of the bank after having served for the past year as a vice president in the Commercial Lending Division at the First National Bank in Abilene, Texas. Clonts previously had been employed by the Citizens State Bank for seven years serving as vice president and director.

He is currently enrolled in the Southwestern Graduate School of Banking at Southern Methodist University which is a comprehensive three year program designed for executive officers in commercial banks. He is a graduate of the National Commercial Lending School at the University of Oklahoma and the Texas Tech School of Banking.

Evelyn Shelton was re-elected executive vice president in addition to her being named to the bank's Board of Directors. Mrs. Shelton has been employed by the bank for the past 24 years and has served in virtually every area of banking operations.

## Local Youth Do Well At County Show

Local students did well in the weekend county livestock show held in Munday's Dunbar school.

Billy Wayne Large won grand champion honors in the rabbit division with his New Zealand white senior doe. Phil Sarabia won grand and reserve champion in the broiler division while Chris Whitaker took showmanship honors in the swine division.

Benjamin students winning were Lori Griffith, with the grand champion swine while her sister Becky Griffith took reserve champion honors in the swine division. Sulynn Oxford won reserve champion honors in the steer division and Stacie Ryder of Benjamin took showmanship award in the steer division.

Jason Zeissel of Munday had the grand champion steer.

Other winners in the weekend show were:

RABBITS: Senior New Zealand does, 1. Adam Campos, Munday; 2. Jacy Dillon, KC; 3. Robert Matties; Junior New Zealand does, 1. and champion, Billy Wayne Large, KC; 2. Christopher Clem; 3. Shane Simmons; Senior California does, 1. Donna Welch, Munday; 2. Tony Wilde, Munday; 3. Mark Redder; Junior California does, 1. and reserve champion, Jason Simmons; 2. Shane Simmons; 3. Donna Welch; Senior colored does, 1. Billy Wayne Large, KC; 2. Bill Friske, KC; 3. Brandon Saffel; Junior Colored does, 1. Robbie Large, KC; 2. Billy Wayne Large, KC; 3. Leah Boone, KC; Senior New Zealand Bucks, 1. Gary Brewer, KC; 2. Billy Wayne Large, KC; 3. Shane Lewis, KC; Junior New Zealand Bucks, 1. Adam Campos, 2. Jason Simmons, 3. Shane Simmons; Senior California Bucks, 1. Donna Welch, 2. Scott Jackson, 3. Ricky Taylor; Junior California Bucks, 1. Shane Simmons, 2. Kristin Simmons, 3. Jason Simmons; Colored Bucks, 1. Mark Walaski, 2. Scott Jackson, 3. Billy Wayne Large

POULTRY: Broilers: 1. and grand champion, Phil Sarabia; reserve champion, Phil Sarabia; 3. Ryan Offutt; MARKET LAMBS: Medium Wool: Lightweight, 1. Tyler Thompson, 2. Neil Waggoner, 3. Jae Jae Reneau; Mediumweight, 1. and champion, Todd Thompson; 2. Tyler Thompson; 3. Robin Reneau; Heavyweight, 1. and reserve champion, Troy Thompson; 2. Missy Reneau; 3. Angie Offutt;



WINNING GRAND CHAMPION honors in the rabbit division at the Knox County Junior Livestock Show with his New Zealand white senior doe was Billy Wayne Large, son of Mr. and Mrs. Billy Joe Large. Billy Wayne is a member of the Knox City 4-H.

Finewool, 1. and champion, Todd Thompson, 2. and reserve champion, Tyler Thompson, 3. Kent Latham; finewool cross: 1. and champion, Troy Thompson; 2. reserve champion, Robin Reneau; 3. Cherie Welch; Southdown, lightweight, 1. and reserve champion, Troy Thompson, 2. Robin Reneau; 3. Jae Jae Reneau; Heavyweight, 1. and champion, Tyler Thompson, 2. Troy Thompson; 3. Robin Reneau; SWINE: Berkshire: 1. Jason Simmons, Munday; 2. Troy Pratt, Benjamin; 3. Becky Griffith, Benjamin; CHESTER WHITE: Lightweight - 1. Lance Eppert, Knox City; 2. Mark Walaski, Knox City; 3. Justin Emerson, Knox City; Heavyweight - 1. Tyler Thompson, Munday; 2. Shane Simmons, Munday; 3. Troy Reed, Munday; Duroc: Lightweight - 1. John Weatherly, Knox City; 2. Dixie Reid, Munday; 3. Chris Whitaker, Knox City; Mediumweight - 1. Rhonda Albus, Knox City; 2. Michael Albus, Knox City; 3. Tracey Carter, Knox City; Heavyweight - 1. Amy Griffith, Benjamin; 2. Oscar Gideon; 3. Leandro

## Philip Homer Is Seeking Re-Election

Philip F. Homer has authorized *The Knox County News* to announce his candidacy for re-election as County Commissioner, Precinct 3, Knox County, Texas.

Homer said he would appreciate the support and consideration of the voters in the May primary.

His formal statement will appear in a later issue of the *News*.

## KC Study Club To Hear About Medicare

The Knox City Study Club will have its regular meeting, Thursday, January 19, at 2:30 p.m. with a special addition to the program by Ila Kay Gross, director of medical records and Rich Wheeler, administrator of the Knox County Hospital, speaking on the topic, "Medicare D.R.G.-S." and how it is effecting the hospital.

According to a spokesman for the group, this is vital information for the whole community and everyone is welcome, men and women.



RED RIVER PICKS -- Three Greyhounds were named to the Red River 22 squad, selected by the Wichita Falls Times and Record News sports staff and area coaches. Wayne Hutchinson, left, was named Most Valuable Player as well as defensive back while Otis Lockhart, center, was named offensive running back and Chad Whitley, right, defensive lineman.

## Greyhounds Chosen

Three members of the Class A state championship team, the Knox City Greyhounds, were named to honors in both the all-state teams selected by the Texas Sports Writers Association and the Red River 22 team selected by the Wichita Falls Times and Record News sports staff in cooperation with area coaches.

Recipients of second team class A all-state honors were Otis Lockhart, running back, offense; and Wayne Hutchinson, back, defense. No Greyhounds were named to first team honors.

Red River 22 team selections included Hutchinson receiving the highest award being that of Most Valuable Player as well as being named defensive back. Lockhart was named offensive running back while Chad Whitley was named defensive lineman. All are Knox City seniors.

Named all-state first team offense were wide receiver, Chal Finch, Sabine Pass; linemen, Percy Edwards, Bremond; Leach Neylano, Leon; Nathan Richard, Roscoe; and Otis White, Union Hill; center, Ryan Gilliam, Celeste; tight end, Tom Clay, Irran; quarterback, Travis Price, Wink; and running backs, Jimmy Shelby, Italy; Rusty Hunter, Bruceville-Eddy; and Lavaris Fisher, Granger.

On first team defense, linemen, Jimmy Porch, Celeste; Andy Taylor, Bremond; Allen Trigg, Bruceville-Eddy; and Gary Dankesreiter, Lindsey; linebackers, Tim Meyer, Bruceville-Eddy; Richard Hill, Maypearl; and Jim Shelby, Italy; backs, Brent Belcher, Meridian; Rey Trevino, Ben Bolt; Steve Sumrow, Celeste; and Rusty Hunter, Bruceville-Eddy.

Others named to the Red River 22 small school team were offense, quarterback, Tom Enloe, Olney; running backs, Michael Williams of Hollis, Oklahoma; Lockhart, Knox City; Richard Dillon, Ringling, Oklahoma; and Johnny Webb, Jacksboro; ends, Todd Matlock, Bowie and Billy McChesney, Nocona; interior linemen, Mike Muse, Holliday; Richard Holley, Petrolia; Mark Holcker, Quanah and Harry McAlister, Electra. Defensive selections were



SECOND TEAM ALL-STATE -- Selected to the second team all-state roster named by the Texas Sports Writers Association were from left, Wayne Hutchinson, who was selected as a defensive back and Otis Lockhart, offensive running back.

linemen, David Shepard, Graham; John Waits, Childress; F.A. Newman, Crowell; and Chad Whitley, Knox City; linebackers, Jeff Hoegger, Archer City; Rex Johnson, Electra and Quincy Adams, Munday; backs, Craig Correll, Bryson; Wayne Hutchinson, Knox City; Brad Pippin, Archer City; and Charlie Lott, Electra.

Hutchinson was named Most Valuable Player with Michael Williams of Hollis, Oklahoma, being offensive player of the year while David Shepard of Graham was selected defensive player of the year.

Mike Wood of Archer City and Joe Allen of Electra were named co-coaches of the year.

## KC Stock Winners Told

Local FFA and 4-H'ers began a weekend of livestock shows with last Thursday night's local livestock show.

Sharing top honors in the judging at the annual event were Ronnie Reece, Jacy Dillon, Phil Sarabia and Bobby Don Burkham.

Reece topped a 60-plus head swine show with his heavyweight Hampshire barrow, while Jacy won the top honors in the rabbit division with a senior New Zealand doe.

Sarabia exhibited the top pen of broilers while Burkham concluded the event by winning the market lamb division.

Thursday's winners included: MARKET SWINE: Chester White, 1. Starla Whitaker; 2. Mark Walaski, 3.

Justin Emerson; Duroc (light), 1. John Weatherly; 2. Brian Correll, 3. Tony Logsdon; Duroc (heavy), 1. Rhonda Albus, 2. Michael Albus, 3. Michael Albus; Hampshire (light), 1. J. Emerson, 2. Starla Whitaker, 3. Tim Cyper; Hampshire (heavy), 1. Ronnie Reece, 2. Bobby Don Burkham, 3. Tim Cyper; Spotted Poland China (light), 1. J. Emerson, 2. Bobby Don Burkham, 3. Mark Walaski; Spotted Poland China (heavy), 1. Chris Whitaker, 2. Michael Rauch, 3. Rick Wupperman; Yorkshire, 1. Bobby Don Burkham, 2. Mark Walaski, 3. Ray Hernandez; Crossbreds (light), 1. Craig Weatherly, 2. Crystal Correll, 3. Andy Correll; Crossbreds (medium), 1. Justin Emerson, 2. J. Emerson, 3. Michael Albus; Crossbreds (heavy), 1. Michael Albus, 2. James Evtatt, 3. Michael Rauch; Grand Champion Swine, Ronnie Reece; Reserve Grand Champion Swine, Craig Weatherly; Swine Showmanship, J. Emerson.

RABBITS: Junior Colored Does, 1. Billy Wayne Large, 2. Robbie Large, 3. Billy Wayne Large; Senior Colored

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**LEGAL NOTICE**

**NOTICE OF ESTRAY**  
Case No. 5  
Date: 1-10-84  
**PERSON REPORTING STRAY ANIMAL:**  
Name: Sam Boone  
Address: Knox City  
Telephone: 658-3741  
**LOCATION STRAY ANIMAL FOUND:**  
Owner: Knox Feed Lot  
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Telephone: 658-3748  
Approximate Location: App. 3 miles north and 2 miles east of Knox City  
**LOCATION OF IMPOUNDED ANIMAL:**  
Person in Charge: Sam Boone  
Address: Knox City  
**DESCRIPTION OF LIVESTOCK:**  
Breed: black horned steer; Brahman cross  
Color: black  
Sex: steer  
Age: 2 year old  
Weight: approx. 675 lbs.  
Earmarks, Brands and other Identifying Characteristics: Cropped left ear



This Report Made By:  
Manford Elliott

THE STATE OF TEXAS COUNTY OF KNOX  
BEFORE ME, the undersigned authority, on this day personally appeared Morris E. Nix, Sheriff in and for Knox County, Texas, who being duly sworn, deposes and says:  
That on the 10th day of January, 1984, he was notified by the above described person of the above described livestock which was found running at large in Knox County, Texas, at the above described location and pursuant to the stock laws of the State of Texas, Chapter Four, Title 121, Revised Civil Statutes of Texas 1925, impounded said livestock, said impoundment being at the above described location.  
Morris E. Nix Sheriff of Knox County, Texas  
SWORN TO AND SUBSCRIBED before me this the 13th day of January, 1984.  
Evelyn B. Balis Notary Public in and for Knox County, Texas  
This copy of Notice of Estray was delivered to you on 16 day of January, 1984  
Morris E. Nix Sheriff, Knox County, Texas 1-19 21c

# O'Brien Happenings

By AUDIE JOHNSTON

"Love -- As you love yourself, so shall you love others. Strange but true, but with no exceptions."  
**HERE AND THERE**  
Mr. and Mrs. D.S. Gothard were in Highland Friday night to see their grandsons play basketball. Courtney plays with the high school and Brandy with junior high. They played McCauley.  
L.A. and Eva Covey visited Rev. W.A. Park and family in Roma over the weekend. The Parks are in mission work in Roma and are former residents of O'Brien.  
Don and Tammie Brothers and Cody and Christie Manning were in Abilene Sunday to attend the show, "The Car".  
Mrs. Janoma Stephens of Plainview moved into her new home in Knox City last

week. Everyone welcomes you here, Janoma.  
Marvin Manning spent last weekend in Springtown visiting Mr. and Mrs. Derwin Lancaster and family and Mr. and Mrs. Larry Gibson and family.  
Mr. and Mrs. Mark Villa and family and Mr. and Mrs. Detra Villa and family of Haskell visited Mrs. Nema Gutierrez and boys Sunday and also visited Whitey Gutierrez in the Knox County Hospital.  
"Money -- There are bigger things in life than money; bills for instance."

## Prevention Workshop Set For Potato Bruise

A special workshop on potato bruise prevention is set up for January 26 at 9:30 a.m. at the Texas A&M University Research & Extension Center in Lubbock. The center is north of Lubbock International Airport on FM 1294 just east of I-27 at the Shallowater exit.

Dr. Robert Thornton, Extension Horticulturist from Washington State, will lead the workshop. Bob is a past president of the Potato Association of America.

The workshop is being sponsored by the Potato & Onion Committee of the High Plains Vegetable Growers & Shippers Council, Texas A&M University and Texas Tech University.

Educational programs conducted by the Texas Agricultural Extension Service are open to people of all ages regardless of socioeconomic level, race, color, sex, handicap, religion, or national origin.

## Attention, Children!

A story hour for four and five year old children is currently being held every Thursday from 10:00 until 10:30 a.m. in the City-County Library at 121 East B in Monday.

The library is presently showing films on animals and/or cartoons. All four and five year olds are invited to attend.

# Shootin' Straight

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Emergencies naturally come first, then other calls are scheduled in as to their immediate requirements.

When calling for an officer, assign your own priority ahead of time and make things easier for both yourself and for Richard. For example: if a dog has gotten into your trash late at night, is that actually a police matter or could a call to City Hall during normal working hours take care of the problem? Another example: If you need a copy of an accident report, is it necessary to call Richard late at night or could a call to City Hall during normal working hours take care of the need? Another example: If someone missed picking up your trash, is it a police problem or could a call to City Hall during normal working hours take care of the problem?

If the few examples stated above sound silly, believe me they actually happen on a regular basis. We can all help to make the job that Richard has a little easier if we just think a little ahead of time. You can also feel secure in the knowledge that if you need an officer on an immediate basis, Richard will do all that he possibly can to be there. His is a job of service to the public and he takes that responsibility very seriously as a Police Officer.

We can all imagine what a town without anyone to enforce the law could turn into, and we have recently had a brief experience of being without any local officer. Let's each do all that we can to avoid any repeats of that experience and make a concentrated effort to show Richard the thanks that he deserves while he goes about his work.

Once again, thanks to our City Council and Mayor, and a big WELCOME BACK to Knox City Chief Of Police Richard Ferguson.

More Shootin' Straight next week.....

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# Hospital Board Minutes

December 16, 1983

Members present: Vernal Zeissel, Buster Lowrey, Bernard Brown, Richie Smith, David Perdue

Members Absent: Stanton Brown, Ray Lynn Hardin  
Others Present: Richard Wheeler, Randy Abernathy, Dan Powers, Dr. W.F. Thompson

The December, Board of Directors meeting was called to order at 7:30 p.m. by the Board President, Vernal Zeissel.

The minutes of the November board meeting were read by Rich Wheeler and approved as read.

The Board was then addressed by Dan Powers concerning reimbursement from Medicare under the new Diagnose Related Group system, and the financial significants of this system to the hospital. The subject was then opened for discussion. After a lengthy discussion it was decided to further investigate various possibilities to increase profitability at a future date.

Mr. Powers then discussed the balance of accounts payable and the need to acquire a loan to pay these past due accounts. He further explained that this need for funds was due to poor reimbursement rates under the new Medicare program of diagnosis related groups (D. R. G.s), which went into effect October 1, 1983, for Knox County Hospital. After a lengthy discussion on the ac-

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# Plant Bare-Rooted Trees

By DAVID L. TUNMIRE  
Knox County Extension Agent-Ag

January is a good month to plant bare-rooted deciduous trees. This includes fruit trees, nut trees and shade trees. Many shrubs will also fall into this category.

The variety of tree is one of the most important items to consider when selecting a tree. Regardless if you are planting a fruit tree, nut tree or shade tree, the variety of the tree is an important factor affecting the survival of the tree. A list of recommended varieties for Knox County is available at the County Extension Office located in the Knox County Courthouse.

Once a sturdy, vigorous tree of the ideal variety has been selected it will be necessary to keep the root system moist at all times. If a tree can not be planted for several days, heel them in with moist soil.

Before planting, the top and roots need to be pruned. Cut off broken and bruised roots. As hard as it may be, remove a third to a half of the total top portion of the tree. This will compensate for the portion of the root system lost when the tree was dug.

Planting the tree is the last key step. Dig a hole for the tree that is just wide and deep enough so the roots are not bent when placed in the hole. Set the tree in the hole at the same depth it stood in the nursery row with the roots in their natural position. Working in a good top soil around the roots, fill the hole three-fourths full. Fill with water to settle soil and remove air pockets. Then finish filling the hole with top soil but do not pack.

It is important that the

# Local's Kin Dies In Virginia

Floyd Thomas Jenkins, 49, of Front Royal, Virginia, died January 4 at Warren Memorial Hospital. Jenkins was the brother of Mrs. Weldon (Estelle) Skiles of Knox City.

Funeral services were conducted at Maddox Funeral Home Chapel in Front Royal with the Rev. Lee Cooper officiating.

Born April 4, 1934, in Rapahannock County, he was the son of the late Mr. and Mrs. W.S. Jenkins.

Survivors include his wife, Mary; two daughters, Patty Newton of Bloomington, California and Brenda Thompson of Las Vegas, Nevada; and two sisters, Edna Riddle of Front Royal and Mrs. Skiles of Knox City.



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## Benjamin News

By GLADENE GREEN

### BALL NEWS

Last week's basketball results are as follows:  
Tuesday night at Benjamin it was Crowell girls 52, Benjamin 31.  
Stacia Ryder scored 8 points; Becky Griffith 6, Sue Gideon, Lori Griffith, Beverly Tolson and Debbie Bufkin 4 each and Amy Griffith had 1.  
Crowell boys won by a mere two points, of course

### STREAMS IN DESERT PLACES

By OZELLE STEPHENS

"Study to show thyself approved unto God, a workman that needeth not to be ashamed, rightly dividing the Word of truth." (1 Tim. 2:15).

In these days when there is so much sin, sorrow, heartache, suffering, killing and starvation with wars is a time the Christians should be continually searching out the great truths of God's Word so they will be able to give themselves to the work of Jesus Christ in giving love, comfort to the thousands of lost and suffering. You also will find much joy and great blessings will come into your life. The Word says the Word of truth that comes into your heart is better than thousands of gold and silver. (Psalms 109:72). David said to God, "I love thy law and commands better than fine gold. By searching out these nuggets of great truths of God and keeping them before us daily will help us to live a victorious life doing God's will. Jesus said if you seek first the Kingdom of God and His righteousness all things that you need will come unto you. You will be able to live an overcoming life and find Jesus Christ your daily companion giving you peace and happiness.

### Producers Invited To Haskell Meet

All producers are invited to attend a meeting to be held January 26 at the Haskell National Bank Community Room at 7:00 p.m. The meeting will be held by Glen Bordovsky, county executive director of the ASCS, concerning provisions of the 1984 Cotton Feed Grain Program. Interested persons are invited to attend. The sign-up period began January 16 and will continue through February 24.

### LOOK WHO'S HERE

Mr. and Mrs. Rodger Potts of Snyder are the proud parents of a baby girl born January 11 at 8:49 a.m. in a Snyder hospital.  
The young miss has been named Sara Elizabeth and she weighed in at seven pounds, fourteen and one-half ounces.  
The baby has a big sister Katie, who is six years old.  
Maternal grandparents are Mary Stone of Knox City and H.C. Stone of Dallas, and the late Mr. and Mrs. Jim Potts of Tahoka are paternal grandparents.  
Ila Stone of Farmersville is the great-grandmother.

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Jim Bateman, Denton  
Big Country Savings, Stamford  
Joe Boone, City  
Bill Bowley, Munday  
Esther Bradford, City  
Robert E. Brothers, Newark  
Troy Bryant, Wichita Falls  
Wendell Carnes, Lubbock  
Sam E. Clonts, Round Rock  
Esther Conn, O'Brien  
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Fayne Harvey, Littlefield  
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Gary Hewitt, Lubbock  
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Sammy Jackson, Frisco  
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Mrs. Pate Meinzer, Benjamin  
Mrs. W.R. Moore, Munday  
J.C. Moorhouse, Benjamin  
Atheleen Owens, City  
Don Pack, Houston  
Mrs. L.A. Parker, Benjamin  
Oather Poe, City  
S.J. Reeves Jr., City  
W.R. Ryser, Honey Grove  
Charles Siepel, NM  
Dan Sikes, City  
Bertha Swaner, Mansfield  
Virgil Tate, Okla.  
Mrs. Robert Taverina, MD  
Joe Trepanier, Benjamin  
Clyde Williams Sr., Plainview  
Tom Winegar, Borger

that's all it takes (or really just one). Kent Hertel had 20 points, Troy Oxford 16, Glenn Heard 10 and Troy Pratt 8.  
On Friday night at Chillicothe it was Chillicothe girls 54, Benjamin 49.  
High scorer was Debbie Bufkin with 16, Stacia Ryder 14, Lori Griffith and Beverly Tolson 6 each, Becky Griffith 3 and Sherri Parker and Lana Gideon 2 each.  
The Chillicothe boys won 74-47. Troy Oxford had 16, Kent Hertel 15, Oscar Gideon 8, Troy Pratt 6 and Glen Heard 2.

### HERE 'N THERE

Charles and Audie Snailum of Bozier City, Louisiana have been here this week visiting and attending to business.  
J.D. and Dee Ann Lamb of Wichita Falls were recent guests of her parents, the Dutch Youngs.  
Mr. and Mrs. Bill Ryder returned home Friday night after several days visit with relatives and friends in Fort Worth.

### Hospital News

#### Patients In Hospital As Of January 13, 1984

Knox City: Lindsay Fisher, Ida Reynolds, Virgie Simmons  
Munday: Joe Roberts, Weldon Gray, Secundino Lopez, Gena Ruth King  
Rochester: Jessie Smart  
Vernon: Jean Bishop  
Truscott: L.D. Welch  
Benjamin: James Moorhouse

#### Patients Dismissed As Of January 6, 1984

Knox City: Vida Williamson, Dora Followhill, Jean Kuehler, Loyd Howeth, H.L. McNulty, Jaurine Jones, Stephane Rhodes, Baby Girl Rhoads  
Munday: Vada Gray, Maude Reagan, Maurine Williams  
O'Brien: Horace Finley  
Goree: Tomas Gonzales  
Guthrie: Timothy Antilley

### SERVICES OF THE CHURCH OF GOD IN CHRIST

On last Thursday night Ass't. Supt. and Mrs. Leon Ward and members from Rule, Munday and Knox City attended service in Abilene at the Southside Church. This meeting was held in behalf of Texas Northwest with Bishop Watson preaching. He preached a powerful message from I Peter 1:13,16, telling us that the theme for this year is, "The Call To Holiness".  
On Saturday night the Goree Church sponsored a musical which was well attended.  
Sunday school had a good attendance with Supt. Manuel in charge.  
During the morning service Missionary Wilson taught us from Joshua 1:8, Psalms 1:2,3, Deut. 17:19,20, Proverbs 3:1, I Chron. 22:13, and other scriptures, a great lesson.  
YPWW was the last service of the day with Sister Manuel teaching the lesson.

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### Hospital From Page Three

counts payable and projected revenues Board President Vernal Zeissel called for a motion to borrow the funds at the best interest rate or to split the loan between the Knox County banks if the interest rates were equal. Bernard Brown made the motion to borrow the funds as stated. This motion seconded by David Perdue passed unanimously.  
A financial report of the hospital was then given by Dan Powers, followed by a list of November accounts payable to be approved. Richie Smith moved the accounts payable be approved and paid as listed. Buster Lowrey seconded the motion. The motion passed unanimously.  
A request from the Knox County Appraisal District for a Board decision on taxation matters were then discussed. The items brought before the board were:

1. An agreement for Knox County Hospital District to provide the Knox County Appraisal District with a tax rate by August 20, 1984. 2. An agreement for the Knox County Appraisal District to collect the taxes for Knox County Hospital District. 3. An agreement for the Knox County Appraisal District to tax automobiles for the Knox County Hospital District. 4. An agreement for the Knox County Appraisal District to grant the optional homestead exemption for the taxing year of 1984 for the Knox County Hospital District.

Bernard Brown made a motion to: 1. Provide the Knox County Appraisal District with a tax rate by August 20, 1984. 2. Agree to

have Knox County Appraisal District collect the taxes for the Knox County Hospital District. 3. Agree to have Knox County Appraisal District tax automobiles for the Knox County Hospital District. 4. Have the Knox County Appraisal District not grant the optional homestead exemption for the taxing year of 1984 on behalf of the Knox County Hospital District.  
This motion was seconded by Richie Smith and passed without exception.  
With no further business to discuss, Buster Lowrey moved the meeting close. David Perdue seconded the motion. The motion passed and the meeting adjourned at 10:05 P.M.

### LOOK WHO'S HERE

Mr. and Mrs. Tad Richardson are the proud parents of a baby daughter, Carrie Anne, who was born Sunday, January 15, at 2:35 a.m. in a Haskell hospital.  
The young miss, who weighed seven pounds, four and three-fourths ounces and was 21 inches long, has a big brother, Chad, who is six.  
Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Bill Leach, and Mr. and Mrs. Tommie Richardson of Haskell.  
Great-grandmother is Mrs. Estelle Landreth of Knox City and great-great-grandmothers are Mrs. Fred Reddell Sr. of Munday and Mrs. Myra Peacock of Aspermont.

Secretary to the Board:  
Richie Smith  
Minutes submitted by:  
Richard Wheeler

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### FHA Assisting Hospital Auxiliary

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Home Economics classes and FHA members have worked in small groups to design and construct the plate favors and get-well wishes.  
Members of the hospital auxiliary expressed a special thank you to the home economics classes and their advisors, Vera Newton and Veeta Reid.

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### Everything You Always Wanted To Know About Radioactive Waste Disposal ★

★ but nobody bothered to tell, until now.

The following is the third of the series.)

Up to now, we know basically what 'low level' wastes are and what they are not. We have discussed how they are measured and by what names a couple of the bad boys go by. Where does all this stuff come from? I'm glad you asked that! The 'Authority' has said time after time after time that hospitals and medical research will produce a great deal of this waste. Which in fact is not quite true. There is a "movement", for lack of a better word, towards the deregulation of some 'low

level' wastes such as those whose half lives are a few days and have these disposed of in another manner than the land fill dump site. But the break down which follows does not take this into consideration and the figures will be a little different.

Hospitals, research institutions and universities together produce 25% of the volume of 'low level' waste industry 24% and commercial power reactors 43% and the Federal Government only eight percent. This is at present levels of production. One needs to keep in mind

that Texas will have two nuclear power plants in full operation by 1990, if not sooner. Another breakdown uses the curie term again which measures the toxicity of the waste, while the above mentioned was a volume breakdown. Hospitals, research and universities account for less than 1% of the curies in a dump site while reactor wastes accounts for 45% of the same. Clearly, reactor wastes pose a far more serious problem than does medical wastes. The average medical hospital produces 1.2 curies per year of short lived 'low level' waste. The average pressurized water reactor produces 1,900 curies per year while the average boiling water reactor produces 4,000 curies per year. Just which type of nuclear reactor Texas is getting, was not available at the time of this article.

Some materials produced in reactors, classified as 'low level' are cesium-137 and cobalt-60. These hazardous isotopes are found in cooling water that circulates around the reactor core. This is because pinholes develop in the cladding surrounding the nuclear fuel allowing radioactive elements inside the fuel to be released to the coolant water. This water is periodically cleaned by filtering. The filters and sludges left over after cleaning contain significant quantities of both cesium and cobalt. Ninety-eight percent (98%) of radioactivity found in reactor waste comes from these filters and sludges. Now switching documents of research, we find that filters and sludges, according to the 'Authority' will be deposited in the dump site in a safe and manageable manner, but that will be discussed later on in another article.

The comparison continues and states that 75% of radioactivity found in medical wastes shipped for burial in dump sites has a half life of less than one week. Sixty percent of the medical wastes shipped is technetium-99m with a half life of only six hours. It is important to cite technetium-99m, the m stands for metastable, which means nothing to me personally, but read on. Technetium-99 without the m is a different material and has a half life of 210,000 years, that's right two hundred ten thousand years. It may be interesting to note that some wastes, classified as high level, have half lives of 24 million years. One material, Plutonium-240 has

a half life of 6,580 years and decays to Plutonium-236, which has this 24 million year half life. But as was mentioned, this is high level and only referred to as a point of interest.

Back to the main subject, other dominant materials in 'low level' wastes series are iodine-131 with a half life of eight days and comprises 76% of materials from medical wastes with half lives over seven days. Materials with these short half lives can be stored on site at a medical institution or a nearby warehouse until basically harmless. So medical research will not suffer because of a lack of dumping facilities. And with a deregulation, would be unnecessary all together. Because of this short half life and on site storage, some feel that the various agencies trying to establish the dump sites, not only in Texas, but nationwide, are showing the public by constantly pushing the medical waste issue. As far as I can tell, medium waste is not the issue. It's the other things that they don't want to talk about.

In the next article, the dump site will be discussed in some details, what the physical location will look like and how it will be constructed and basic information of why certain things are done. Also, we will bring to light certain facts about other existing dumpsites and why they have been closed.

### Seniors Eligible For 'Craig Scholarship'

Two Knox City High School seniors have an opportunity to win a \$500 college scholarship, it was announced this week by Billye B. Angle, publisher of the *Knox County News*.

The *News* is a member of the West Texas Press Association, the world's largest regional press group, and that organization is seeking out two future community journalists to receive stipends of \$500 each.

Through the "Bob Craig Memorial Scholarship" program, named in honor of longtime Hamlin Herald publisher Bob Craig who died in 1981, the West Texas Press Association is sponsoring an essay contest based on the theme "My Future and Career Plans in Community Journalism." High School seniors interested in pursuing a career in community journalism may submit their essays to WTPA Scholarship Committee, Marshall Day,

Chairman, Drawer 1200, Seminole, Texas 79360.

Essays must be post-marked no later than April 15, 1984.

The essay is limited to a maximum of 400 words and no letters of reference will be accepted for consideration in the contest.

In addition to being a senior in high school, they must maintain a "B" average or better and plan to continue studies at a school of journalism. Once the winners are selected they must be enrolled in at least three hours of journalism each semester he or she receives assistance.

The scholarships will be divided into payments of \$250 per semester for two semesters for two students.

Essays will be judged by the Texas Press Association.

### UMW Hears Plans For Upcoming Activities

The United Methodist Women met Tuesday, January 10, at 3:00 p.m. in the church parlor.

Lillian Logan presided over the business meeting.

Members heard plans for the District McMurry Kick-Off Supper on January 31 at 7:00 p.m. Date for the Senior Supper was set for March 26.

After the business, Virginia Lieb gave a devotional from Psalms 96.

There were 11 present.

### KC Grad Named To WTC Merit List

SNYDER--Toni Renee Hewitt of O'Brien has been named to the Merit List for the fall semester at Western Texas College.

To be eligible for the Merit List, students must be enrolled for at least eight but fewer than 12 hours of college credit work with a minimum grade point average of 3.5 on a 4.0 scale. Twenty-three students qualified for the fall Merit List.

She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Coy Hewitt.

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  - 1 can (4 ounces) sliced mushrooms (drain; reserve liquid)
  - 3 tablespoons flour
  - 1-1/2 cups chicken broth
  - 1/4 cup tomato paste
  - 1/4 cup brandy
  - 1/2 cup white wine
  - 1/2 cup sour cream
  - 3 cups hot cooked rice

Season chicken with salt and pepper. Heat butter in a large skillet. Add chicken and cook until golden brown. Push chicken to one side. Add onions, garlic, and mushrooms to skillet. Continue cooking until onions are tender. Add flour. Stir in broth, tomato paste, brandy, wine, and mushroom liquid. Cook, stirring constantly, until thickened. Adjust seasonings, if necessary. Spoon sauce over chicken pieces. Cover and simmer 30 minutes or until chicken is tender. Stir in sour cream. Serve over beds of fluffy rice. Garnish with fresh snipped parsley, if desired. Makes 6 servings.

### City-County Library Hours Listed

The City-County Library is open from 10:00 a.m. until 12:00 noon and from 2:00 until 5:00 p.m. Monday through Friday at 121 East B in Munday.

New books this month include *At Dawn We Slept - The Untold Story of Pearl Harbor* - Gordon W. Prange; *Friday* - Robert A. Heinlein; *The First Elizabeth* - Carolly Erickson; *A Woman's Age* - Rachel Billington; *Firefox Down* - Craig Thomas; *Beginner's Guide to Small Computers* - Marvin Grosswirth; *How to Cope with Teenage Drinking* - Dr. Gary G. Forrest; and *The Art of Beekeeping* - Ormond, Harry Aebi.

### Computer Class To Be Offered March 5

An Introduction to Computers class will be offered in Munday by VRJC Continuing Education Department, Mrs. Paula Schur, coordinator, has announced.

The class will begin March 5 and enrollment is open to adults only.

Class size is limited so interested persons should contact Mrs. Paula Schur (817) 422-4631 for further information.

Another course in Selection and Care of Houseplants and Lawn Plants is being offered by VRJC Continuing Education in Munday on March 6 and March 13. Information may be obtained from Mrs. Schur on fees, time and location of classes.

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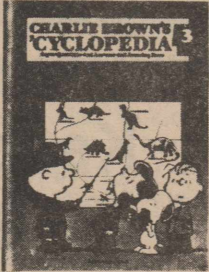
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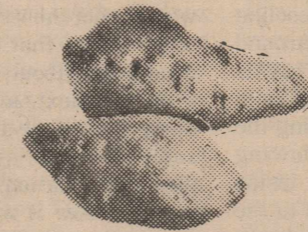
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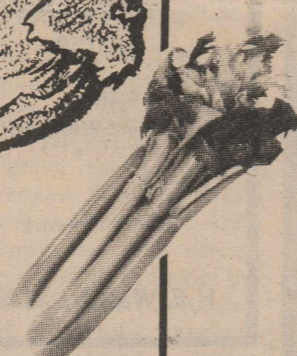


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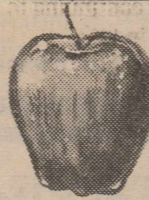


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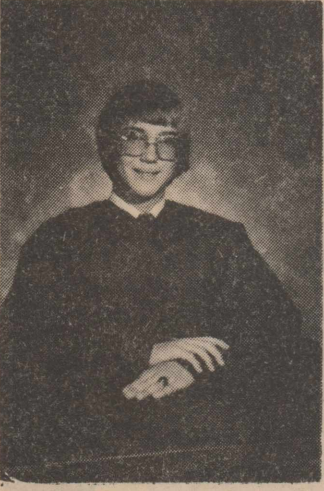
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## Seniors Of The Week

Beginning with this issue, members of the 1984 graduating class of Knox City-O'Brien High School and their autobiographies will be featured in *The Knox County News* each week. The autobiographies were written as an English class assignment. Seniors will be featured each week until the completion of the current school term.



**NATHAN STAGGS**

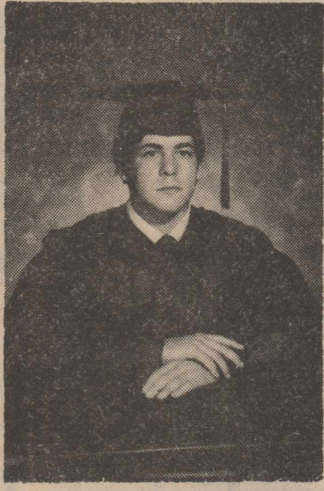
On April 14, 1967, Nathan Scott Staggs was born in Paducah, Texas to Larry and Beth Staggs. Nathan's father is a pharmacist and his mother is a professional beauty operator.

Nathan attended the Paducah schools until the summer of 1978 when he, his parents and his younger sister Angela moved to Knox City, where he has attended school ever since.

During his school years, Nathan has been in the Greyhound Band for six years and has participated in various solo and ensemble contests while in band. He has been to the regional meet in Number Sense contest for the past two years and hopes to go again this year. He has also participated in UIL Debate and Golf.

Nathan has been in the Beta Club for two years and in the Gifted and Talented Program for two years. His favorite pastime is playing the piano.

After graduation, Nathan plans to attend Texas Tech University in Lubbock and then hopes to go on to medical school.



**CHRIS WHITAKER**

On December 8, 1965 at 12:45 p.m., Christopher Lee Whitaker was born in Fort Worth, Texas. He spent his elementary years in Plainview.

Chris and his family moved to Knox City in 1976 and attended O'Brien Mid-School. There he participated in football, basketball, track, tennis and poetry reading.

In high school, at Knox City, Chris has been highly active in FFA. He has achieved the Lone Star Farmer Degree and has served as Chapter secretary, vice-president and currently is the 1983-84 chapter president.

He has been a member of the track, basketball, and UIL teams. He has also been a member of the state qualifying golf team, 1982 State Semi-Finals Football Team, and the 1983 State Championship Team. He received first team All-District honors for both seasons. He highly regards the guidance and care of the Knox City Coaching Staff throughout the years and especially in this past football season.

Chris's future plans are to attend Embry-Riddle Aeronautical University in Daytona Beach, Florida. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Hiram Whitaker.

## Houndettes Up Record To 5 and 1

By Coach Wainscott

Knox City travelled to Weinert last Tuesday to win an important game by only one point. The girls had a 12 point lead and slowly three girls fouled out. At that time it was hard for the Houndettes to score. But they held on with Kathy Hernandez part in key freethrows.

Friday, the girls played Old Glory at KC and pushed to make their district score 5-1.

The Houndettes are knee sore. Paula Chambers will be back in action after visiting the doctor about her knees. Vera Sweat injured her knee in warm up last Friday, we'll see what she can do. Tammy Rogers and Daveine Holcomb are holding and battling. Cindy Hernandez and Marilyn Benson also are struggling with theirs.

The battle this week will be Aspermont on Friday here at KC. At Aspermont, the Houndettes lost a close one. We're hoping to come back this time.

Tuesday, a practice game was played with Jayton Varsity girls and boys and also JV girls and boys. This practice game is needed by both groups (girls and boys). Knox City JV and ninth grade tournament is next week starting on Thursday. This is the busiest time for our JV and ninth grade. They will continue the next week and play in Haskell's JV and ninth grade tournament.

### Jr. High Has Exciting Games

The eighth grade girls had a very exciting basketball game with Haskell, Monday night. Rhonda Albus was high scorer with 11 points. Nichol Walaski with 2 freethrows. Other points were scored by Kim Moore 1, Christy Mowery 2, Michelle Manuel 2, and Sylvia Garcia 2.

The seventh grade girls also had a good basketball game against Haskell, Monday night. The high scorer was Mary Jean Ellis with 7 points. Kim Bateman with 4 freethrows. Other points were made by Beth Underwood 4, Kelli Whitten 1, Ann Diaz 2, and Tina Espinoza 2.

## Council From Page One

be granted. City Council members voted to approve the same 5.1% increase that was granted by the P.U.C.

Fire Chief Craig Williams discussed Fire Department matters with the council. He presented information on current Fire Department projects and the need for more safety equipment for the volunteer firemen. The department has recently had an increase in membership from 20 to 24 firemen who all serve on a volunteer basis. Other Fire Department matters discussed were the need for a communication system between the trucks and the station and the cost of such a system. Also presented was a high natural gas bill for heating the Fire Station. Chief Williams explained that the station has to be kept heated during cold weather to insure that the water in the trucks not be allowed to freeze. If such a freeze were to occur, the cost in repairs to the pumps on the trucks could run into the thousands of dollars.

Insurance contracts up for renewal were discussed. The council voted to spread the insurance coverage between the agents in Knox City and to transfer two of the policies to another agent after a motion to that effect was made.

The re-appointment of the Election Judge was discussed. After information given by Mayor Angle that Clyde Voss was willing to do the job, all voted in favor to have Clyde Voss as the Election Judge once again.

Health insurance for city employees was next on the agenda. The current policy held with the Texas Municipal League is up for renewal. After a discussion on the subject, a decision was reached to continue with TML but to drop down to a lower plan that will result in a savings to the city.

The annual resolution needed to tax automobiles was discussed and a vote was taken in favor of continuing to tax automobiles in 1984.

One sealed bid was received by the council for the small lot that was

previously advertised for sale by bid. The one bid was from Sterling Lewis, owner of Lewis Paint & Body Shop. The council agreed to accept his bid and sell him the lot.

Greg Kuehler brought up the subject of the city Health Ordinance. The ordinance is not being enforced and Kuehler thought that enforcing the ordinance would be in the best interest of the entire city. All generally agreed with Kuehler, then discussed the possibility of enacting a junk car ordinance in Knox City that is similar to the one adopted by the city of Stamford recently. More information will be obtained from Stamford and the matter studied further by the council members.

Mayor Angle presented the council with information that the employees who operate the trash truck are not being paid enough to make a decent living wage. A discussion of a raise for those employees followed. An increase of fifty cents an hour was presented, a vote on the issue was taken and all voted in favor except for one.

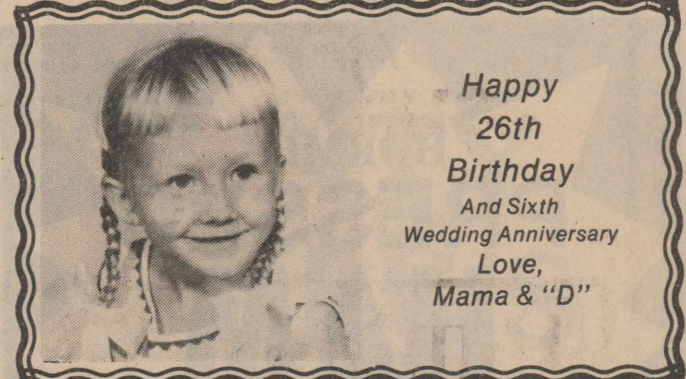
Councilman Wall then brought up the position of the City Clerk. He indicated that several months ago the council voted to have her work only ten days a month and she has been working more than that lately. Mayor Angle stated that he had authorized her to work more because it was apparent that the City Secretary could not handle the increased office workload without additional help. The council then voted to rescind the earlier action that stated the clerk was to work only ten days a month. Further action by the council amended the clerk's position to an "as needed" basis by City Secretary Teri Anderson.

### FROM DENTON

Mrs. Charles Reese of Denton spent Tuesday night of last week in the home of Mrs. A.E. Propps.

## County From Page One

Thompson, Munday; 3. Craig Weatherly, Knox City  
Mediumweight - 1. Lori Griffith, Benjamin; 2. Dixie Reed, Munday; 3. Glenn Reid, Munday  
Heavyweight - 1. Lori Griffith, Benjamin; 2. Todd Benson, Benjamin; 3. Todd Thompson, Munday  
Grand Champion Swine - Lori Griffith, Benjamin  
Reserve Grand Champion Swine - Becky Griffith, Benjamin  
Showmanship Award - Chris Whitaker, Knox City  
STEERS: Lightweight - 1. Stacie Ryder, Benjamin; 2. Jason Zeissel, Munday; 3. Jessie Hernandez, Munday; 4. Chad Tolson, Benjamin  
Mediumweight - 1. Sulynn Oxford, Benjamin; 2. Stacie Ryder; 3. Jessie Hernandez; Julie Partridge, Munday; 5. Angie Partridge, Munday  
Heavyweight - 1. Jason Zeissel, Munday; 2. Julie Partridge, Munday; 3. Angie Partridge; 4. Sulynn Oxford, Benjamin  
Grand Champion Steer - Jason Zeissel, Munday  
Reserve Grand Champion Steer - Sulynn Oxford, Benjamin  
Showmanship - Stacie Ryder, Benjamin



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Week of January 23-27, 1984  
**BREAKFAST:**  
Monday: Peach Slices, Cinnamon Toast, Chocolate Milk  
Tuesday: Pineapple Juice, Sausage, Buttered Toast and Jelly, Chocolate Milk  
Wednesday: Apple Juice, Scrambled Eggs, Buttered Toast, Jelly, Chocolate Milk  
Thursday: Orange Halves, Blueberry Muffins, Chocolate Milk  
Friday: Applesauce, Cinnamon Rolls, Chocolate Milk

**LUNCH:**  
Monday: Pigs in Blanket, Scalloped Potatoes, Green Beans, Pineapple Cobbler, Milk  
Tuesday: Bean Chalupas, Lettuce and Tomato Salad, Corn, Cinnamon Rolls, Milk  
Wednesday: Fish, Macaroni and Cheese, Blackeyed Peas, Fruit Salad, Batter Bread, Milk  
Thursday: Turkey, Dressing, Giblet Gravy, Creamed Potatoes, Carrots, Hot Rolls, Butter, Honey, Milk  
Friday: CharBurgers with Cheese, Lettuce, Tomato and Pickle Slices, Tator Tots, Cake, Milk

**FHA NEWS**  
By Becky Underwood  
Recently FHA'ers began a project of gathering used clothing for elementary students who may need it. Unfortunately, this project hasn't gotten very far.

Last Friday the FHA projects committee consisting of Sheri Evatt, Kim Gillespie, Angela Donaldson, and Becky Underwood, decided that efforts should be increased if the project is to be any help this year. So, FHA'ers are going to be contacting many people in the community asking for help in the next few weeks. If you think you can help, please do! If you aren't contacted, call the homemaking department or one of the committee members above. We'll really appreciate your cooperation.

**FRESHMAN NEWS**  
By Ila Kay Gross  
The Freshman girls played Haskell January 9 at O'Brien. The girls beat Haskell 26-25 in a tough fight. To lead us to this victory was Christina Agraz scoring 8 points, Temple Fritche 6 points, Stacie Eddington 6 points, Denise Diaz 3 points, Patricia Stuart 2 points, and Angela Donaldson 1 point. The Houndettes

played a hard game which was very exciting.

The Freshmen will play again in a Haskell 9-JV Tournament, February 2,3,4.

Way to go Houndettes let's keep up the good work and bring home a first place trophy from the Haskell 9-JV Tournament.

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## KNOX COUNTY, TEXAS OFFICE OF COUNTY TREASURER STATEMENT OF RECORDED RECEIPTS, EXPENDITURES AND CHANGES IN CASH BALANCES - ALL FUNDS Year Ended September 30, 1983

	Cash Balance 9-30-82	Receipts	Expenditures	Cash Balance 9-30-83
Jury Fund	\$ 4,246	\$ 6,259	\$ 13,331	\$ (2,826)
Officers' Salary Fund	(40,244)	224,986	192,261	(7,519)
General Fund	62,663	291,903	313,440	41,126
Road and Bridge Fund:				
Precinct No. 1	20,281	71,027	69,329	21,979
Precinct No. 2	23,677	71,368	65,788	29,257
Precinct No. 3	4,494	74,054	56,908	21,640
Precinct No. 4	19,907	72,911	54,998	37,820
Lateral Road Fund:				
Precinct No. 1	771	8,348	4,929	4,190
Precinct No. 2	9,243	8,348	5,506	12,085
Precinct No. 3	10,404	8,843	11,171	8,076
Precinct No. 4	7,920	8,348	5,141	11,127
Public Building Sinking Fund	1,616	-	1,616	-
Revenue Sharing Fund	16,247	36,714	41,640	11,321
Courthouse Building Fund	287	-	287	-
Fine Tax Fund	4,533	9,248	7,893	5,888
Law Library Fund	1,023	906	930	999
Social Security Fund	24	3,168	3,163	29
Senior Citizens' Activity Fund, Title IIIB	1,553	30,556	19,018	13,091
Senior Citizens' Nutrition Fund, Title IIIC	4,314	52,053	57,011	(644)
Area Agency on Aging Pilot Project	129	1,063	1,192	-
County Attorney				
Check Collections Fund	815	5,104	5,257	662
District Attorney				
Check Collections Fund	374	150	280	244
Emergency Response System Fund	2,154	35,326	37,480	-
	\$ 156,431	\$ 1,020,683	\$ 968,569	\$ 208,545

*Theresa*  
County Treasurer



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