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In City Park At 7:30

## Friday Barbecue To Honor Oil Families

"The big pot's in the little pot" as the old saying goes, and Knox City Chamber of Commerce officials are rarin' and ready to get on with the picnic supper Friday night in honor of the oil companies and their employees who work in and near Knox City.

Almost a year ago, directors of the Chamber heard plans to promote an Oil Appreciation Week, and the plans became a reality when directors Alton Hester and Tommy Richardson assumed the responsibility for the big event.

This week, June 23-27, was proclaimed by Mayor R. Kenneth Crowover as Oil Appreciation Week to recognize and honor the oil and oil-related firms in our area for the added boost to the town's economy, as well as the many individuals who are taking their places in various civic, school, and church organizations and are making Knox City a better place to live.

An Oil Appreciation Barbecue will be held Friday evening at 7:30 o'clock in the City Park to honor the oil companies and their employees.

According to Hester, many business firms have made donations to the barbecue fund in order that the oil company officials and employees may dine as guests of the Knox City Chamber of Commerce. Officials are hopeful that individuals will feel free to come and help honor these folk and tickets will be available at the north entrance to the park.

Vic Lowry is in charge of the food preparation and the menu includes barbecue brisket, beans, potato salad, cole slaw, fried pies, and iced tea or coffee.

Registration for the supper begins at 6:30 p.m.

The welcome will be extended by Mayor Crowover and entertainment will be provided by the Angle Sisters, Hester said.

Mrs. Doris Crowover, Chamber secretary-manager, reported this week the names of Charles Anderson, Conoco, and Wayne Harden, retired had been omitted from last week's list of oil employees. She asks that if there are others who were unintentionally omitted that it be called to her attention in order that recognition may be made.

## Gas Company Asks Increase

Mayor R. Kenneth Crowover advised the News office Tuesday that the Lone Star Gas Company has requested that city officials enact an ordinance increasing the residential and commercial consumer gas rates.

Among the reasons cited for the requested increase included (1) Increased cost of gas purchased by Lone Star Gas Company, (2) Increased cost of borrowed money, and (3) increased distribution Lone Star Gas Company advised that the requested rate increase is immediately needed to maintain its standard of service.

Mayor Crowover said the next council meeting is scheduled July 14, at which time the rate increase will be discussed.

## Box Rent To Increase July 1

Post office box rent is scheduled to increase starting July 1, according to Postmaster Jeff Graham.

The United States Postal Service is raising rates in all U.S. Post Offices as part of an effort to get the system out of the red. Box rent rates are set according to the size of each post office.

There are nine different categories of post offices ranging from a Rural Contract Station (which handles mail but is not an official post office) to a Class 1A office as would be found in Fort Worth or Dallas.

The Knox City post office ranks somewhere in the middle. Fees will be charged on a semi-annual basis instead of the old quarterly system.

Rent for a No. 1 box is rising from \$4.40 to \$5.00 a year; No. 2 from \$5.40 to \$6.00; No. 3 from \$7.20 to \$8.00; and No. 4 from \$10.00 to \$12.00.

According to Kenneth Myers, Postal Service Clerk, all of the 509 boxes are rented at the present time.

## Baptist Church Sets Revival

Plans are underway at the First Baptist Church in Knox City for a summer revival to begin Sunday, July 6, according to the pastor, Paul Anderson.

The evangelist will be Dr. Rick Ingle.

More details will appear in next week's News.

## All Stars Asked To Return Suits

All 1974 Little League All Stars are asked to please return their uniforms immediately to Doug Meinzer, Weldon Skiles, Dick Stout, or to the City Cleaners.

They will be needed for the upcoming All Star team.



LION OFFICIALS PARTICIPATING ON THE PROGRAM at annual Ladies Night Thursday at Korner Kitchen were Arche Lieb, left, outgoing Lion president and Pete Elliston, right, incoming president. Glenn Shelton, center, "Hired Hand" columnist for the Wichita Falls Record News, entertained guests with his after-dinner speech.

## Elliston Installed As Lion Boss

Lions Club members, their wives, and other guests assembled at the Korner Kitchen last Thursday evening for the annual Ladies' Night Banquet.

Invocation was given by the Rev. Dick Richards of Rails who with his wife, Mary, and daughter Lori, returned for the occasion.

David Counts introduced the guest speaker, Glenn Shelton, columnist for the Wichita Falls Record News, who writes the daily column "Hired Hand".

Shelton encouraged the Lions to promote Americanism, as American is the greatest country under the canopy of heaven. He explained that the greatest threat to America does not come from strength of other forces, but from Americans, sitting in the lap of luxury, who criticize and degrade our great nation. He continued by saying, "American is not perfect, neither is man, but

we, as individuals, should have the faith and 'guts' of our pioneer ancestors who went to bed each night, praying 'Thank you, God, we'll take it from here.'"

Lion Z.I. Smith served as installing officer and installed Thomas F. (Pete) Elliston as president for the coming year.

## KC Teacher To Conduct Tours

A Knox City teacher, Mrs. Louise Kemletz, has been chosen as conductress for two tours this summer sponsored by Traveling Texans of Dallas.

Mrs. Kemletz, who has traveled with the group on tours for several years, is leaving Thursday (today) for Dallas for final briefing as a director for a tour which will take the group to parts of the Eastern United States and five provinces in Canada. The tour, scheduled to leave Sunday, June 29, will return July 18.

On July 20, Mrs. Kemletz departs with another group to Grand Canyon, Crater Lake, Oregon, and all sections of California. Mrs. Hazel Long and Mrs. Mary Vaughan plan to take this tour.

## Area Men Win

### In Hamlin Tourney

In Hamlin's first community tennis tournament, sponsored by the Board of Community Development, there were four entrants from Knox City and O'Brien, including Ronnie Verhalen, Albert Alsidis, Danny Del Hierro, and Burt Gutierrez.

Ronnie won first in singles in the 19 to 30 age bracket, and Burt tied for third in the same age bracket. Ronnie and his partner, Albert Alsidis placed second in doubles in the 19 to 30 age bracket and Burt and Danny played in the doubles semi-finals.

## KC Drum Major At Tarleton Clinic

Timilu Graham, who will be serving her second year as drum major for the Knox City High School's Marching Band, was among 172 students who were enrolled in the annual Tarleton State University Twirling and Drum Major Clinic which began on the Tarleton campus Monday, June 23. The clinic will end Friday, June 27.

Timilu, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jeff Graham, will be a senior this fall at KCHS.

Other officers include John McLaughery, first vice-president; David Counts, second vice-president; Jerry May, third vice-president; J. B. Tabor, secretary-treasurer; L.W. Graham, lion tamer; Bill Magee, tail twister; Henry L. White and Tommy Kent, directors for two year terms; and Guy Robinson and Paul Anderson, directors for one year terms.

Perfect attendance pins were presented to W.E. Clonts, David Counts, George Davis, Alton Fitzgerald, Otto Lawson, Ulric Lea, Guy Robinson, and C.W. Webber.

Outgoing president Lieb expressed appreciation to those Lions who served on committees during the past year and presented gifts to Lion Sweetheart Lori Richards, as well as the women who prepare the Lions weekly meal, Ruby Robinson, Lois Cypert, Jessie Teague, and Oleta Fitzgerald.

Dinner music was provided by Bobbie Bradberry at the organ.

## LVN Training Set At Seymour

The Seymour Hospital Authority of Vocational Nurses training is now taking applications for prospective students for the next class of vocational training.

The school, approved by the State Board of Vocational Nurses, is a twelve month adult educational program.

Requirements include being in good physical and mental health and applicants must be between the ages of 18-55 as of August 1976.

Persons may apply at the Seymour Hospital Authority between the hours of 9:00 a.m. and 3:00 p.m. Monday through Friday. Those coming from out of town should call for an appointment. Lois Wells R.N., instructor, Marquerite McNeil L.V.N., assistant instructor, or Janie Stewart R.N., Director of Nursing Service, may be contacted.

## Weather

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6-25	63		

## MUSIC FOR THE OPENING

Miss Spirit of '76 pageant are Stacy Holder and Keith Holder, and Aid at Vernon Regional Junior High School master of ceremonies. Pageant

## Emcee Are For Pageant

Miss Spirit of '76 pageant. Holder emceed the Miss Wichita Falls pageant last year and was co-chairman this year for the Miss Vernon Regional Junior College pageant. He was also announcer for this year's Santa Rosa Roundup Rodeo Parade in Vernon.

Buster Lowrey and the K.C. Kutters will present a square dance exhibition during the first intermission. The show is expected to begin with country and western music, with the name of the group to be announced when plans are complete and confirmed.

Highlighting the show will be Stacy's presentation of her talent act for the Miss Texas contest, Mrs. White said.

She reported there are now 40 candidates vying for the Miss Spirit of '76 crown. Besides Stacy, who isn't a contestant because of her hostess duties, Patti Counts, Lisa Elston, Pam Odom, and Debbie Reese will not be able to appear in the contest.

Rehearsals have been set for Thursday and Friday nights, July 17 and 18, and every candidate is urged to plan to attend these rehearsals so that Knox City can have a really good production.

## Musical Set By Baptists Wed., July 2

A musical, "Celebration of Hope" will be presented Wednesday night, July 2 at 8:00 o'clock at the First Baptist Church.

This musical features The PraisSingers, a group of about 100 young people from First Baptist Church in Lubbock.

Under the direction of Ron Lowrey, minister of music, "Celebration of Hope" has been said to be the greatest of all youth musicals. Live orchestration and multimedia presentation make this an outstanding witness to persons of all ages.

The First Baptist Church extends a cordial invitation to everyone to come and hear this outstanding group Wednesday night, according to the Rev. Paul Anderson, pastor.

**Did You Know** that C.O. Thomas, Box 5480, Longview, Texas 75601 subscribes to The Knox County News?

## Knox City Readies For Homecoming

Plans for the 1975 Knox City Homecoming, scheduled July 4-5-6, are nearing completion, according to Sam E. Clonts, alumni association president.

Events will begin Friday morning, July 4, with the Knox City Country Club's Men's Partnership Golf Tournament. Tee off time is set at 8:00 o'clock.

On Friday afternoon, the classes of '57 and '58 are meeting at the Mini Mall for a get-together, while the class of '67 will be meeting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Roy Smith.

Friday evening a barbecue supper, open to the public, will be served at the Knox City Country Club for \$2.75 per plate. Those wishing to make reservations are asked to contact Neil Perdue.

Also on Friday evening, the classes of '54, '55, and '56 are planning to meet at the Community Center at 7:00 o'clock.

The golf tournament continues Saturday and registration begins at 9:00 a.m. Saturday for ex-students at the Mini Mall.

Also on Saturday, the class of '61 will meet at the John A. Smith home from 2:00 until 4:00 p.m. with Judy Smith Leaverton and Jane Smith Schoonmaker as hostesses, while the class of '30 is planning an informal get-together at the home of Mrs. Loree Clarke from 1:00 until 5:00 p.m. Anyone who is interested in attending whether they were members of the class or not, will be welcome, Mrs. Clarke said.

Karen Clonts Michalik will be hostess for a get together for the class of '69 in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Sam E. Clonts, Saturday, July 5 from 2:00 until 4:00 p.m.

Saturday evening at 7:00, a picnic supper is being planned at the City Park to be followed by a brief business session. At 8:30, a square dance exhibition will be held at the local tennis courts across the street from the City Park, and will be followed by round dancing. Another dance is scheduled at the

Knox City Country Club to begin at 8:30 p.m. and is also open to the public.

Sunday morning at 11:00 o'clock a community worship service at the First Baptist Church will climax the Homecoming activities and the outstanding alumnus to be honored during this Homecoming will be Clyde Graham of Temple, Class of '36, and son of Mr. and Mrs. L.W. Graham.

Officials are hopeful that this year's Homecoming will be one of the best ever and they are especially anxious that local persons will turn out in good numbers to host this special occasion.

A "Welcome Home" page is being planned for next week's issue of the News and if anyone wishes to have his signature added to the page and should not be contacted, please call the News office by 4:00 p.m. Tuesday, July 1.

## District 4-H Horse Show Set In Vernon

Twelve Knox County 4-H'ers are entered in the 10th Annual District 3 4-H Horse Show June 27-28 to be held at the Santa Rosa Round-up Grounds in Vernon, according to County Extension Agent Herman Collier.

The show is to start with the performance classes at 9:00 a.m. Friday, June 27, and all interested persons are invited to be on hand to watch these 4-H youth and their horses participate.

Competing from Knox County will be Doug Brown, Tammy Carver, Lynda Brooke Hudson and Selina Hudson, all of Benjamin; Brett, Kelley, and Kristi Boone, Mike Burkham, Tami Grindstaff, and Joey Swain, all of Knox City; and Randy Bob Cypert and Russell Routon of Munday.

Approximately 200 4-H'ers from the 21 county district are expected to participate, Mr. Collier said.

Bob Powell of Albuquerque, New Mexico will judge the show.

**KNOX CITY OIL APPRECIATION WEEK JUNE 23-27**



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**Accidents Investigated**

The Texas Highway Patrol investigated six accidents on rural highways in Knox County during the month of May, 1975, according to Sergeant J.W. Garner, Highway Patrol supervisor of this area.

These crashes resulted in no persons killed and four persons injured.

The rural traffic accident summary for this county during the first five months of 1975 shows a total of 27 accidents resulting in no persons killed and eight persons injured.

The rural traffic accident summary for the 60 counties of the Lubbock Department of Public Safety Region for May, 1975, shows a total of 524 accidents resulting in 17 persons killed and 310 persons injured as compared to May, 1974, with 406 accidents resulting in 25 persons killed and 218 persons injured. This was 118 more accidents, eight less killed, and 92 more injured in 1975 at the same period of time.

The 17 traffic deaths for the month of May, 1975, occurred in the following counties: one each in Baylor, Parker, Terry, Yoakum, Moore, Swisher; two each in Clay and Armstrong; three in Potter; and four in Wilbarger.

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1/2 teaspoon dry mustard  
Combine ingredients in small bowl, stir until well mixed. Chill for at least 6 hours.

**ENERGY TIP**  
A light left on at night in a vacant house can provide you with a measure of convenience and security. But lights left on during daylight hours waste electricity. By using a timer, you can make sure that your home won't be completely dark when you're away, yet save electricity during hours when lights aren't really needed.

**PUBLIC NOTICES**  
"BECAUSE THE PEOPLE MUST KNOW"

**PUBLIC NOTICE**  
Seymour Hospital Authority of Vocational Nursing is now taking applications for prospective students for the next class of vocational nurses. The school is approved by the State Board of Vocational Nurses. This is a 12 month adult educational program. Requirements - good physical and mental health, you must be between the ages of 18-55 (as of August 1976). You may apply at Seymour Hospital between the hours of 9 a.m. and 3 p.m. Monday through Friday. If you are coming from out of town it would be best to call for an appointment for an interview. Contact Lois Wells R.N., Instructor, Marguerite McNeil L.V.N., Assistant Instructor, or Janie Stewart R.N., Director of Nursing Service. 6-26 1tc

**CARD OF THANKS**  
It is with grateful hearts that we extend our appreciation to our friends for their many acts of consolation during the loss of our loved one, Ben Williams.

Your outgoing love has made our loss easier to bear. May God bless each of you.  
Mrs. Ben Williams and children  
1tc

**KC Colored News-Events**

**SERVICES OF THE CHURCH OF GOD IN CHRIST**

We were gloriously blessed in the State Sunday School Convention held in Abilene last week.

Each day a workshop was held and services were held nightly.

On Monday night Elder R.L. Williams preached from Revelation 2:9-10, "Do You Have this Protection?"

On Tuesday night Supt. Bennett preached from II Kings 7 "Why Sit We Here Until We Die".

On Wednesday night Bishop Alexander preached from Luke 10:30 down some verses a masterpiece message teaching us how to treat fallen humanity.

On Thursday night Bishop Perkins of California preached from Job 14:14 a great message after which he prayed for those wanting prayer.

On Friday night our State Sunday School Field Representative, Sis Moore of Lubbock brought the message "Its Coming Up Again".

On Saturday night our State Sunday School Supt. Elder Pope preached from Hebrews 13:8 "The Relevant Christ". During the convention our District Field Representative, Missionary Blue took gravely ill and is a patient in the Stamford Hosp. God greatly blessed her and she's now resting nicely.

Elder Leon Ward and others did a wonderful job hosting the State Sunday School Convention.

Sunday School and morning service was held at the home Church Sunday morning. The Union Joint meeting was held at the Southside Church in Abilene. Sunday evening ANNOUNCEMENTS

Missionary McNeely of Dallas is running a three nights meeting at Munday this week.

The Evangelist meeting will be held at the Rule Church Thurs. through Sat. night of this week.

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**PUBLIC NOTICE**  
Bids are being accepted by the Benjamin Volunteer Fire Department for two trucks, including

(1) 1957 International 2-ton truck with 750 gallon tank.  
(2) 1964 1-ton Dodge, 4-wheel drive.

Bids must be made separately for each truck and will be accepted at Benjamin City Hall until 5 p.m. July 15.

We reserve the right to reject any or all bids.  
**HOMER ROLSTON\* FIRE CHIEF** 6-19 4tc

**PUBLIC NOTICE**  
That in accordance with article 1377c of the Penal Code, CRIMINAL TRESPASS (Senate Bill III passed by the 62nd Legislature), notice is hereby given that all lands of the W.T. Waggoner Estate are POSTED -- save and except where written permission is given to come upon the same.  
**JOHN BIGGS, TRUSTEE.** 12-2 tfc

**CARD OF THANKS**  
We would like to thank all of the people of Knox City who made our stay there enjoyable. We would also like to give a special thanks to those members of the community who helped us load the truck to move. There is a special spirit of fellowship in Knox City which we hope will continue. May God bless you.  
The Tom Neal family  
6-26 1tc

**CARD OF THANKS**  
We're so grateful to the many persons who took the time to sit with Bob and comfort him.

A sincere thanks to the doctors and hospital staff for their excellent and devoted care.

Also, we appreciate the many deeds of kindness and the prayers.  
Bob & Dorothy Bradberry  
1tc

**CARD OF THANKS**  
We would like to take this means to express our sincere thanks to those who helped out in our business as well as for their other expressions of sympathy during our recent bereavement.

Your kindnesses will always be remembered.  
Spurgeon, Helen, and Ellen Neely  
1tc

**Munday Man Employed By Olney Savings**

OLNEY - Olney Savings Association is pleased to announce that Max Anderson, a graduate of Munday High School and Texas Tech University, has been employed in the Home Office and assumed his new duties May 5.

He comes to Olney Savings with a vast working knowledge of savings association duties, having served as assistant vice president and savings officer with First Federal Savings and Loan Association of Lubbock. He has had experience in appraising, loan and savings departments, general accounting, loan servicing and teller areas. He has also been administrator and organizer of Keogh and Individual Retirement Accounts trust plan.

Anderson is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Jeff Anderson of Munday. He is married to the former Toni Leflar, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Lee Roy Leflar, also of Munday. The Andersons have one daughter, Buffie.

**FROM PLAINVIEW**  
Visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Butch Stephens recently have been Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Williams Jr., Pam, Kenan and Sam, Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Williams Sr., and Mr. and Mrs. Elmo Stephens, all of Plainview.

**STREAMS IN DESERT PLACES**  
by Ozelle Stephens

"I am come a light into the world, that whosoever believeth on me, should not abide in darkness." (John 12:46).  
Jesus himself said we did not have to be in darkness; he will reveal his deep truths to us. The way we live, the most of us, we never stop to realize what he means; we are so ignorant of The Word and its real meaning. We have eyes but we don't see. We have ears but we don't hear. God tries to speak to us in many ways. He is trying to show us his great truths, his great love and concern for us, but we don't take time to wait upon him until the spirit draws us into the secret chambers of his presence that we can hear and see spiritually. We must take time alone with him to learn how to yield ourselves unto his tender embrace before we can really hear and know him. We need to practice daily for fear we might miss the trumpet when it sounds.

**Munday Will Be Reviving Old Arts**

As a part of the Bi-centennial program in Munday, several sessions on reviving the old arts are being planned.

The first will be quilting beginning Tuesday, July 1, at 10:00 a.m. in the City-County Library. Mrs. Ina Cowan will be in charge and everyone is invited to attend, according to Mrs. Edith Hobart, librarian.

Mr. and Mrs. Doug Lowe of Whitney are the proud parents of a baby girl, Stacy Jeannine, born June 2, at 3:55 a.m. in the Hillsboro Hospital.

She weighed seven pounds, five ounces and is greatly admired by her three year old brother, Shayne.

Mrs. Lowe is the former Sandra Carter, daughter of former resident, T.C. Carter.

**Hospital News**

**PATIENTS IN HOSPITAL ON JUNE 23, 1975**  
Knox City: Dave Whitford, Bobby Lynn Bradberry  
Munday: Dora Norvill, John Mills  
Goree: Mary Reed  
Rochester: Herschel Rogers  
Jayton: Faye Alexander

**PATIENTS DISMISSED SINCE JUNE 14, 1975**  
Knox City: J.B. Ferguson, Porter Lowrey  
Munday: Ella Mae Jones, Mamye Brazell, Ted Herring, Marie Baker, Baby Boy Kiser, Truman Cypert, Ann Kiser, Elsie Norman  
Benjamin: Nell Hudson  
Abilene: George Campbell  
Rochester: Herschel Rogers, Jackie Shelton and Baby Boy  
Jacksboro: Revena Pippin



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## NEWS

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### Wichita Falls.

Mrs. Venta Horne took her grandson, Wade Carter, home to Fort Worth Wednesday and stayed until Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Mike Patterson and children of Wichita Falls spent the weekend in the John Jamison home.

Mrs. C.A. Meek went to Wichita Falls Friday and spent the night with Darlene Meek.

Visitors in the W.H. Simmons home this weekend were Mr. and Mrs. Ted Horne and Melissa of Plainview. Melissa will be staying this week with Mr. and Mrs. Paul Horne.

Mrs. Arnold Navratil visited Mrs. Bryce Meers in Bethania Hospital in Wichita Falls.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Shook of Wichita Falls visited in the Elmo Shaw home over the weekend.

Visiting with the Ronnie Simmons this weekend was Craig Smith of Odessa.

A guest of Mrs. E.D. Welch this weekend was Brad Jones of Vienna, Virginia.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Westbrook went to Wichita Falls over the weekend to visit Mr. and Mrs. G.R. Chapman and Renee Westbrook. Mr. and Mrs. Dale James of Paducah came by Sunday.

Harold, Jill and Carl Myers went to Lubbock this weekend. Harold and Carl visited with their brother, Bill, and Jill will be visiting Roxanne Perdue.

Saturday, Mrs. A.R. Bayers went to Seymour and visited Ola Barker and Ruby Coy.

Mrs. Idoma Chowning visited around Abilene Monday through Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. J.L. McBeath Jr. attended a family reunion at Mansfield Park south of Benjamin.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Bullion and Gail went to Plainview Sunday and visited Mr. and Mrs. Sam Bullion.

Sunday, June 29, there will be a singing jamboree at the Gilliland Baptist Church. The fun starts at 7:30 P.M. and everyone is invited to attend.

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## Area 4-H's Attend Meet

Five Knox County youth were among 140 4-H Club members, leaders, and Extension agents from a 22-county area that attended the District 3 Teen Leadership Lab at the Texas 4-H Center on Lake Brownwood, June 16-18.

Those attending the Lab were Lynda Brooke Hudson and Tammy Carver of Benjamin, Louis Lee Baty of Gilliland, Kathy Kuehler of Rhineland, and Tony Urbanczyk of Munday. Herman Collier, County Extension Agent, provided transportation to Brownwood, and Nancy Fuhrken, Assistant County Extension agent, served as one of the agent advisors for the 3-day event.

Kicking off the program was guest speaker John DeFoore, executive director of the Pastoral Care and Counseling Center at Abilene. Mr. DeFoore spoke on the theme of the lab which was "Getting Along With Yourself and Others". Ten 4-H members who are past and present District 4-H Council officers conducted the lab and led all of the group activities. In addition to the discussion sessions, 4-Hers had the opportunity to swim, hike, play ping-pong and volleyball, and learn folk dances.

This was the first activity for District 3 4-Hers to be held at the new 4-H Center. The Center was opened in April for camps, leadership labs, leader training programs, and other training activities. 4-H members throughout Texas conducted various fund-raising projects to raise money for the Center.

## Coody Family Holds Reunion

The annual Coody Reunion was held Saturday and Sunday, June 14 and 15. Saturday night a picnic supper was held at Mansfield Park and Sunday the noon meal was served at the Seymour City Park.

Those attending included Mr. and Mrs. Walter Coody of Munday, Mr. and Mrs. Don Coody and daughter of Seymour, Mr. and Mrs. Ronald Coody and children of Farmers Branch, Mr. and Mrs. Weldon Herring and Robbie of Wichita Falls, Mr. and Mrs. Rufus Benson and Dutch of Benjamin, Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Benson and family of Knox City, Mr. and Mrs. Billy Benson and family of Benjamin, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Benson and Lance of Midland, Mr. and Mrs. Don Jennings and Greg and Sandy Aultman, Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Benson, Gary and Sharon, all of Wichita Falls, Mr. and Mrs. Malcolm Shipman of Flagler, Colorado, Mr. and Mrs. Louis Meinzer of Childress, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Webb of Houston, Mr. and Mrs. Bob Meinzer of Benjamin, Mrs. Bert Swamer of Mansfield, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Gooch and Robin and Delette Blyton, all of Grand Prairie, Doug Meinzer of Knox City, Mr. and Mrs. Gene Howse of Mansfield, Mike Howse of Houston, Miss Dell Howse of El Paso, Mr. and Mrs. Buck Meinzer, Celeste and Joe David of Hale Center, Rhonda and Michael Gibbs of Bryan, Brad and Amy Meinzer of Corona, California, and C.W. Harbert and Barbie of Arlington.

Visitors included Mrs. Bessie Russell of Benjamin, Marvin Benson of Huntsville, Alabama, and Miss Imogene Henshaw of Houston.

### FROM FORT WORTH

Guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Z.I. Smith and Ben last week included Mrs. Smith's mother, Mrs. Nomah Francisco, Helen Pierce, Hazel Christy, and Ruby McClure, all of Fort Worth.

The group attended the Albany Fandangle Friday night and on Saturday, took Z.I.'s mother, Mrs. Clara Smith to the Abilene airport where she boarded a plane en route to Hot Springs, Arkansas, for a visit.

### IN SAN MARCOS

Mr. and Mrs. John McGaughey, David, Jodie and Barbie and Mr. and Mrs. Ted Johnston and Shane visited with Jerry Johnston and family in San Marcos Sunday.



THIS GROUP OF CONTESTANTS, photographed at the Youth Rodeo sponsored by the Knox County Riding Club in Benjamin last week, are, from left, Johnnie Morrow, Kristie Boone, Stasia Carver, and Leah Boone. (Photo courtesy of Knox County Riding Club)

## Youth Rodeo Winners Named At Benjamin

All Around winners of the Youth Rodeo sponsored by Knox County Riding Club of Benjamin held last Saturday include Pee-wee: boy, Shawn Chambers; girl, Beverly Tolson; Junior: boy, Brad Cude; girl, Stasia Carver; Senior: boy, Payton Tankersley; girl, Darla Burkett.

The top winning contestants of each event are in the Pee-wee Division. Barrels: 1st, Shawn Chambers; 2nd, Leah Boone. Flags: 1st, Shawn Chambers; 2nd, Beverly Tolson. Poles: 1st, Shawn Chambers; 2nd, Shawn Cude. Rescue Race: 1st, Beverly Tolson; 2nd, Todd Thompson.

Winners in the Junior Division are Barrels: 1st, Michel

English; 2nd, Stasia Carver. Flags: 1st, Kelley Boone; 2nd, Brand Cude. Poles: 1st, Brand Cude; 2nd, Stasia Carver. Rescue Race: 1st, Linda Hudson; 2nd, Michel English. Goat Tying: 1st, Stasia Carver; 2nd, Salina Hudson. Bareback Riding: 1st, Brand Cude.

Senior Division winners are Barrels: 1st, Teresa Carroll; 2nd, Darla Burkett. Flags: 1st, Darla Burkett; 2nd, Johnnie Morrow. Poles: 1st, Teresa Carroll; 2nd, Darla Burkett. Break Away Roping: 1st, Payton Tankersley; 2nd, Mickey Hite. Bull Riding: 1st, Doug Harrington; 2nd, Ken Jones. Goat Tying: 1st, Darla Burkett; 2nd, Tammy Carver.

# Farm And Ranch News

BY HERMAN COLLIER

### ALTERNATIVE CROPS PLANTED AFTER COTTON LOSS

In spite of replanting, sand fighting and all practices available to use, Knox County cotton producers lost thousands of acres of cotton from excessive rains, some hail and day after day of blowing sand.

Many acres intended for cotton production were planted to guar or grain sorghum after June 15 when producers decided it was getting too late to replant cotton.

The 1975 Knox County cotton acreage may be as low as 40% of the 1974 crop.

### OVERWINTERED COTTON BOLL WEEVIL

Overwintered cotton boll weevil have been active for several weeks searching for cotton squares. Two Leggett traps in Knox County have caught from a low of 16 to a high of 248 boll weevil weekly for the last seven weeks with the heaviest catches three to six weeks ago.

Producers with cotton starting to square may want to use an early season boll weevil control application as the plants reach the 1/2 grown square stage. These weevil still surviving will definitely be looking for these early squares to reproduce in.

### BLOOM DROP IN TOMATOES EXPLAINED

Certain environmental conditions will cause tomato blooms to shed, resulting in a poor fruit set. Partial failure of flowers to develop into fruit will result in abnormal fruits which may be misshapen or catfaced.

Blossom drop is most common in tomatoes which bloom late. The usual cause for poor fruit set is high temperatures, either at night or day. Night-time temperatures above 72 degrees F. along with daytime temperatures above 90 degrees F. often result in heavy blossom drop. On the other hand, unseasonably cool weather also causes blossoms to drop in addition to causing abnormalities in fruits.

Other factors causing lack of fruit set or abnormal fruit include unbalanced nutrition, extended periods of warm, windy weather with low humidity, extended periods of showery, cool, overcast weather.

traffic department as steno to the district sales manager at Lubbock on November 27, 1972. She was promoted to tracing and diversion clerk in that office on July 1, 1973, then promoted to office manager at Amarillo, July 1, 1974.

Ramirez was born February 3, 1938 at Southland, Texas. He graduated from Slaton High School and attended Sul Ross State College at Alpine, Texas. He began his Santa Fe career as a track laborer in the summers of 1955 and 1956. He became cashier at Presidio, Texas in September, 1957, transferred to Slaton on a similar job in July, 1958 and returned to Presidio in October, 1958. In November, 1972 he was promoted to train order clerk at Presidio and in December of that year was named agent-telegrapher at that point.

Tucker, born May 11, 1939 at Chillicothe, Texas, entered Santa Fe service as a station clerk June 1, 1959 at Slaton. He moved to the traffic department as tracing and diversion clerk in the district sales office, Lubbock, in 1970, and subsequently was promoted to head rate quotation clerk in the office of manager-traffic, Amarillo. On January 1, 1974, he was promoted to office manager in the district sales manager's office at Amarillo, and transferred to Lubbock in a similar capacity on July 1, 1974. Tucker and his wife, Anna Lea, are the parents of two sons, Gregory and Timothy.

Mary Lee Schuette, a native of Slaton, began her service with Santa Fe on October 2, 1951, as a clerk in the superintendent's office, Slaton, and after occupying several positions in that department, transferred to the

vey will be used to determine harvested acreage and production of early harvested crops for the state of Texas and for each county. Farmers who receive questionnaires are urged to complete and return them by mail. All individual reports are confidential and will be used only for state and county totals.

This survey is a cooperative effort of USDA's Statistical Reporting Service and the Texas Department of Agriculture.

### CONTROLLING CATTAILS

With the summer season fast approaching, the time is at hand to control cattails and other emergent aquatic vegetation.

If cattails were a problem last year, they will be again this year.

Small patches of cattails can be pulled by hand but care is needed to get all the roots, including the rhizomes from which new plants sprout.

Larger patches of cattails can be controlled with dalapon at 7 1/2 pounds per 55 gallons of water. Best control is achieved when a surfactant is added. One cup of household detergent will suffice for the 55 gallons of spray mixture.

One application of dalapon may not completely eradicate the cattails, so a second or third application at 21-day intervals may be required.

Before beginning a spray program, be sure to properly identify the plants involved. I suggest a copy of the Texas Agricultural Extension Service Bulletin B-1018 to aid in identifying aquatic vegetation and in determining appropriate chemical control be studied. The bulletin is available at the county Extension office.

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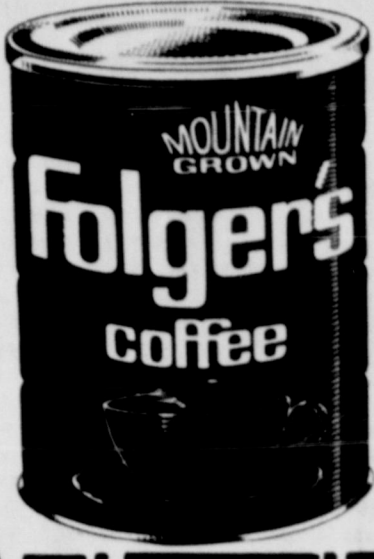
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# O'Brien Happenings

CHARLENE BROTHERS

Here it is another week, and Tuesday at that and this news was due to have been into the office Monday afternoon. The ladies in the news office would probably have a heart attack if I got my news in on Monday two weeks in a row. I'm not even sure that I got it in on Monday last week. So you can appreciate the editor of the paper as she usually is, in fact all the time, very nice about my being late. She thinks that is just my way of doing things.

### HERE AND THERE

Visiting in the home of their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Sam Johnston, during the weekend were Traci and Kelley Johnston of Iowa Park. They are the daughters of Mr. and Mrs. John Tom Johnston. John Tom and Nancy were in Houston over the weekend hunting a house, as they are being transferred to Houston by Texas State Optical, where John Tom works. Also visiting with Sam and Audie Sunday afternoon was Jimmy Johnston of Lubbock.

Gail Rowan of Lubbock visited in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ivan Rowan, Wayne and Keith during the weekend.

Bro. and Mrs. Bob Cameron and Beth were in Pampa over the weekend. Bob per-

formed the wedding of his niece and they visited with friends.

Betty and Bert Gutierrez and Craig Brothers were in Springtown where they were entered in a tennis tournament. This is a young people's tennis tournament that is being held in Springtown has been having the past few years and is strictly for amateurs.

Mr. and Mrs. Dwight Gothard and Mr. and Mrs. Paul Gothard, Courtney and Brandy of Highland returned from their vacation this past week. Dwight said they went to Dallas and took the train, Amtrak, to Houston. In Houston they visited the Astro-dome and other places of interest. He said they all had a very enjoyable time.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Whiteley have returned from a week's vacation in Colorado and other places of interest. Visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. James Manning the past few days were Mrs. Fern Brown of Kirbyville, an aunt of Pearce's, and also Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Adams and children of Silsbee. They all returned home Friday.

Visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. James Manning Sunday afternoon were Mr. and Mrs. Jeff Willis of Hamlin.

Buster Hodges was carried to the hospital Monday about noon, and at the last report I received he was thought to have suffered a heart attack. I know he will appreciate a card to help pass the time.

Attending G.A. Camp at Lueders last week were Toni Hewitt, Ava Covey, Nettie Johnson, Child and Mary Garcia, Lee Ann Kohout, niece of Veta, and their sponsor, Mrs. Johnny Reid. This was held at the Big Country Baptist Assembly and all the girls reported having a good time.

Ford Waldrip had surgery in the Seymour Hospital last week. He is doing fine, but will be in the hospital several more days, according to his wife.

### IN FORT WORTH

Mrs. Jack Stubbs, Sandy and Shea attended the National Sales and Products Seminar in Fort Worth June 15 through 18 at the Ramada Inn.

There were workshops and special sales meetings for American Handicrafts dealers.

### IN THRALL

Johnny and Jerry McCown returned home Sunday from Thrall where Johnny participated in the wedding of his cousin, Ricky McCown.

# Water Study Begins In Knox, Haskell Counties

This week and next Rollin W. Harden, an Austin consultant, will make his first visits to Knox and Haskell Counties to begin a 40-month study of the water supply in the Seymour Aquifer, according to the Texas Water Quality Board, sponsor of the study.

The project has been undertaken, after several months of preparation, at the request of residents of the two counties who are concerned with the quality of the water in the aquifer.

Harden said the study, which will cost \$237,000, is aimed at locating the sources of chlorides, nitrates and sulphates in the water and at finding ways to halt the pollution. Of the total cost of

the project, the Texas State Department of Health will receive \$22,000 for performing laboratory analyses.

Part of the work also will be done by the Texas Water Development Board at no charge, because of that agency's interest in developing some of the information produced by the study. That work will include installation of a water level recorder and computer analysis.

Harden, a geologist and hydrologist, once served with the Board of Water Engineers as a consultant, and with William Guyton and Associates of Austin, a groundwater consulting firm.

# Area Guardsmen To Train At Fort Hood

The Texas National Guard units in Abilene, Sweetwater, Snyder, and Stamford will be joining other units of the 111th Engineer Battalion at Fort Hood for annual training June 29-July 13. The units will depart their armories Sunday morning, June 29.

The 111th Engineer Battalion consists of 47 officers and 844 enlisted men in 11 locations throughout the state. The citizen-soldiers of the units drill 12 weekends a year and attend two weeks of annual training each summer.

Unit members at annual training will be engaged in a wide variety of training exercises, including practical exercise training with all types of demolition and explosive material, qualification firing with machine guns, grenade launchers and main gun on combat engineer vehicles.

### HERE FOR VISIT

Mrs. Cecil Proffitt and Casey of Memphis, Tennessee, will return home this week after a visit here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Chock Reeves.

Kay and the baby returned home with her parents after they had spent part of their vacation there with the Proffitts, where Cecil is stationed with the U.S. Navy.

The Reeves also spent some time in Tulsa, Oklahoma, with their son and family, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Reeves, Charlotte and Shane, where Charles was recently promoted and transferred by Cities Service.

### IN McCOWN HOME

Guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. John McCown and boys last Friday night were their daughter and her family, Mr. and Mrs. Mike Wyatt and Jennifer of Fort Worth.

On Sunday, Mike's brother and his family, Mr. and Mrs. John Wyatt and three boys on leave from the U.S. Air Force in Spain, visited in the McCown home along with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Johnny Wyatt of Rochester.

### FATHER'S DAY VISITORS

Here for Father's Day weekend in the home of Mr. and Mrs. N.L. McHam were their children, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Hamilton, Noel, Russell, Patricia and Denise of Idalou, Mrs. Bill Magness and Marty of Killeen, Mr. and Mrs. Loraine Johnson, Lori and Tim of Haskell. Also Noel's fiancée, Dusty Hubbard of Idalou.

### FROM AUSTIN

Forrest Perdue, son of Mr. and Mrs. David Perdue of Austin, and his cousin Brad Stebbins spent last week visiting Forrest's grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Neil Perdue.

### ATTEND WEDDING

Mr. and Mrs. J.C. McGee were in Fort Worth over the weekend to attend the wedding of their grandson, Howard Randall Mayfield to Sharon Ann Thornhill Saturday evening at 7:30 o'clock in Saint Luke United Methodist Church.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Mayfield and Mr. and Mrs. McGee hosted the rehearsal dinner at the Haltom City Community Center.

# Mrs. Tibbets Buried Mon.

Funeral services were held for Mrs. Frances Ann Tibbets, former Rochester resident, Monday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock in the First Baptist Church in Rochester. The Rev. Moody Smith, pastor, officiated and was assisted by Fay Wilson, Church of Christ minister.

Burial was in the Rochester Cemetery under the direction of Smith Funeral Home.

Mrs. Tibbets, 75, died Saturday afternoon in a Coleman Hospital after a short illness.

Born Frances Ann Morton on October 16, 1899, in Comanche, Texas, she married Jess Tibbets August 4, 1917 in Rochester. He died in 1972. She had lived in the Rochester community sixty years before moving to Coleman. She was a member of the Baptist Church.

Survivors include one son, Ozzie of Coleman; one daughter, Mrs. Anne Loudell Dushane of Brownsville; one brother, L.D. Morton of San Bernardino, California; one sister, Mrs. Ola Davis of Chula Vista, California; nine grandchildren and 25 great-grandchildren.

Grandsons served as pallbearers.

# Ellen Neely To Perform Friday

Ellen Neely, 16-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Spurgeon Neely of Rochester, will represent Rochester in the talent portion of the annual Frontier Days Celebration Friday night in Haskell.

Ellen, who is a very talented musician, will sing for her talent presentation.

Her parents own and operate the Knox City Florist.

### SUNDAY VISITORS

Visitors in the home of Blanche and Clifford Elliott Sunday were their brothers and their families, Mr. and Mrs. John H. Elliott of Lubbock and Rev. and Mrs. Bill Wright and Michael of Lubbock, and their sisters, Mr. and Mrs. M.E. Strickland of Munday and Mrs. B.P. Horton of Dallas.

### JOHNSTON GUESTS

Mr. and Mrs. Randall Walling, Tommy Jean and Randi Sue of Karachi, Pakistan visited with Mr. and Mrs. Ted Johnston last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Weldon Walling and David of O'Brien also visited in their home.

### IN HILLSBORO

Mr. and Mrs. N.L. McHam spent last week in Hillsboro with his mother, Cora McHam, who is ill.

# DPS Head Predicts July Accidents To Claim 54 Lives

AUSTIN The director of the Texas Department of Public Safety today estimated that traffic accidents in the state over the July 4th holiday weekend will claim 54 lives.

Colonel Wilson E. Speir said his department expects travel will be heavy in Texas over the holiday period "particularly in and around recreational areas" such as lakes and beaches.

He added that the estimate covers a 78-hour period starting on Thursday at 6 p.m. and counting until midnight Sunday. Last year during a 102-hour Independence Day celebration, 46 persons were killed in traffic mishaps in Texas.

### RECENT VISITORS

Recent visitors in the homes of Mr. and Mrs. Doug Meinzer and Tyke and Mrs. Lewis Floyd have been Mrs. June Schultz, Gary and Stevie and Cheryl Cox all of San Antonio, Mr. and Mrs. Ladell Bowen and Ottis Bowen of Alameda, California, D.B. Bowen of Abilene, Doyle Bowen of Conroe, Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Skiles and family of Hamlin and Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Baker of Lubbock.

### FROM VIRGINIA

Shari Shelton, who has been visiting her sister and her husband, E6 and Mrs. Richard Barnard in Norfolk, Virginia, the past five months, returned to Knox City Wednesday of last week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Shelton, who spent a two week vacation with Carla and Richard.

Shari plans to return to Norfolk August 1 where she will enroll as a second semester sophomore in Old Dominion University. She previously attended Tyler Junior College and the University of Texas at Austin.

### IN GRAHAM HOME

Visiting last Thursday and Friday in the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. L.W. Graham, were Mr. and Mrs. Dale Graham of Pasadena. Dale and Gay were enroute to Colorado for a two week vacation.

Other visitors in the Graham home include Mrs. Sumpter Reed of Gladewater and Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Ferguson of Tulsa.

Speir also pointed out that highway traffic deaths are about 25 per cent over the total at this time one year ago. "This is due to increased travel and somewhat higher speeds," he added.

# Miss America To Be In Fort Worth

DALLAS - Miss America, Shirley Cothran, will give her Christian testimony to about 15,000 teen-agers July 4 at Tarrant County Convention Center, Fort Worth.

Miss Cothran, a native of Denton, Texas, will speak at the opening session of the annual Texas Baptist Youth Evangelism Conference.

The conference is sponsored by the 2.2 million-member Baptist General Convention of Texas.

### IN OREGON

Mrs. A.P. Denton, her daughter, Miss Lou Denton and her grandsons, Danny and Donny Denton, sons of Mr. and Mrs. David Denton of Arlington, are to board a plane Thursday (today) in Dallas for Portland, Oregon.

Mrs. Denton's daughter, Mrs. Ruth Jane Pridgen of Parkdale, Oregon, will meet the plane at Portland where they will visit Mrs. Denton's brothers and sisters and other relatives.

### HARRIS GUESTS

Recent visitors in the Leo Harris home were Mrs. Onzia Williams, mother of Mrs. Sug Harris, her grandmother, Mrs. Ophelia Greer, and her aunt, Mrs. Leatrice Cunningham of Abilene. While here, they visited in the home of some old friends, Debra Reece, a cousin, from Abilene is still visiting.

### FROM TULSA

Kathy Evans of Tulsa, Oklahoma is here visiting her sister and family, Mr. and Mrs. Buc Reynolds, Harvey and Billy Bob.

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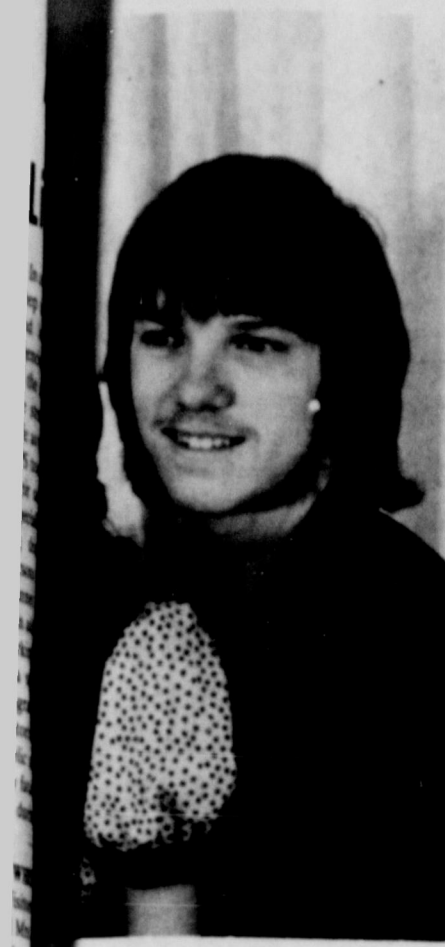
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# Miss Muhle Weds Buddy Curd Friday

Rita Ann Muhle of Rochester became the bride of William Jackson Curd Friday, June 20, in the Knox City Foursquare Church.

The Rev. W.R. Shifflett, pastor, performed the 7:00 p.m. ceremony.

Parents of the couple are Mr. and Mrs. John E. Muhle of Rochester and Mr. and Mrs. W.P. Curd Jr. of Knox City.

Organist was Mrs. Kenneth Myers and Paula Nall was soloist.

The bride was given in marriage by her father.

Carolyn Sue Muhle served her sister as maid of honor and Debbie Jean Curd, sister of the groom, was bridesmaid.

Veronica Jean Muhle was flower girl and ringbearers were Kevin Messenger and Jennifer Arlinda Messenger.



MRS. BUDDY CURD nee Miss Muhle

Best man was Ricky Aldridge and Jerry Dean Curd was groomsman.

The bride is a graduate of Rochester High School and was employed by Herman Marcus Inc. in Haskell.

The groom is employed by Wes-Mor Drilling Company and the newlyweds are at home at 1108 South Third Street in Knox City.

LELY and TERRY HAMILTON engaged to wed

NOEL HAMILTON and DUSTY HUBBARD ...to wed July 19

MISS CATHY COFFMAN ...engaged

## To Pledge August 29

Wedding vows will be exchanged Friday, August 29, in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Reed.

## Former Resident To Be Married

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Hubbard of Idalou announce the engagement of their daughter, Dusty, to Noel Hamilton, son of former residents Mr. and Mrs. Jack Hamilton of Idalou. Dusty and Noel are both spring graduates of Idalou High School.

## Coffman-Reeves Engagement Told

Cathy Susan Coffman and Bobby Mac Reeves will be married August 16 in the First Methodist Church in Goree. Miss Coffman, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Don Coffman of Route 1, Goree, is a 1975 graduate of Goree High School. Reeves, son of Mr. and Mrs. C.A. Reeves of Knox City, graduated from Knox City High School in 1973 and is employed by Mac Austin Inc. in Lubbock.

## Good Attendance At Church School

Approximately ninety children attended Vacation Church School at the First United Methodist Church last week.

Mrs. Imma Jeanne Alexander served as director and teachers included Barbara McGaughey, Peggy McGaughey and Imma Jeanne Alexander. Helpers included Ginger Johnston, Melanie Dillon, Paula Lorenz, Jamie Clonts, Jan Lowrey, Timilu Graham, and Diane Clonts.

Jessie Teague was in charge of the nursery and women of the church provided refreshments.

## Big Five Tourney Winners Named

The Big 5 Golf Tournament was held Tuesday, June 17, at the Knox City Country Club. Winners included championship flight, low gross, first Ruby Medford of Haskell and second Roberta Jenkins of Haskell; low net, championship flight, first, Naomi Bell of Hamlin and second, Inez Ferguson of Hamlin; low putts, Dorothy Smith of Hamlin; second flight, low gross first, Estelle Skiles of Knox City and second Arnell Denton; low net first, Tempie Alvis of Rochester and second, Faye Graham of Knox City; low putts, Odell Harbert of Knox City; third flight, low gross, first Velma Voss of Knox City and second, Darlene Phillips of Munday; low nets first, Ketta Casey of Hamlin and second, Pat Ford of Munday; low putts, Marian Frierson of Haskell; closest to pin, Inez Ferguson of Hamlin; long drive, Ruby Medford of Haskell.

## SS Checks Due Increase

Most persons who are receiving Social Security and Supplemental Security Income (SSI) checks will get a raise in July, according to Carl R. Beisner of the Vernon Social Security office. In most cases the increase will be eight percent, but in a few uncommon situations it may be more or less, especially for persons receiving Supplemental Security Income.

There is no need to apply for the increase. It will be automatic. The increase is due to an automatic cost of living provision enacted by Congress some time ago.

## Tips For Summer Parties

Summer is the season when it's "in" to do your party-giving "out." Today, whatever the occasion, modern ingenuity has devised conveniences that pave the way to fuss-free outdoor entertaining.



The home freezer, for instance, lets you tailor steaks or hamburgers to portion-size far ahead of backyard barbecue time to avoid last-minute scullery work and serving-line stack-ups. Another way to keep the line moving is by using the 12-cup Norelco coffee maker and its companion Plus 12 serving unit that holds another dozen cups at perfect serving temperature. That generous capacity guarantees a steady flow of hot, full-flavored coffee to your lawn-party or dining-terrace guests.

But then, some like it cold, so try this: For an iced brew, freeze a few trays of coffee cubes in advance. Then when the hot coffee is poured over the ice, the melting cubes won't dilute the drink. It's another way to make outdoor living easy in summertime.

## AREA OIL NEWS

In Knox County, Ausanka Oil Operators of Wichita Falls completed a producer 660 feet from south line and 330 feet from west line, S.N. Reed Lease, D.G. Burnett Survey. On 80 acres the well had a pay depth of 2,080 feet and is producing five barrels a day. Ausanka also completed a producer 630 feet from north line and 990 feet from west line, O.B. Parker Lease, Burnett Survey. On 160 acres the well had a pay depth of 2,190 feet and is producing 15 barrels daily.

ROCHESTER A well was completed six miles west of Rochester in the Tom Darling (Strawn) Field.

The Haskell County producer is Bright & Schiff of Dallas No. 1-A Mullis, Section 4, Block 1, W.C.R.R. Survey, A-984.

Daily potential was 75 barrels of 40 gravity oil, plus two barrels of water. It is pumping from an open hole with the pay topped at 5,002 feet.

Operator set the 4 1/2-inch casing at 5,003 feet, and the hole is bottomed at 5,005 feet.

It is a northeast offset to the firm's No. 1 Mullis, a Conglomerate producer.

John H. Chalmers of Abilene project in the regular field three No. 1 W.W. Burt, Lot 6, Red River CSI Survey 71, re-entry miles north of Rule, was plugged at 5,950 feet.

Operator set 4 1/2-inch casing on bottom for a completion attempt.

It has been plugged in March 1963 as S.C. Herring No. 1 Turner.

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## The Henry Rushings Celebrate Anniversary

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Rushing celebrated their fiftieth wedding anniversary on Saturday, June 14, with a family get-together at Possum Kingdom State Park. All their children, grandchildren and great-grandchildren were there to help them celebrate except one grandson, Dale Sanders, who is in the U.S. Navy and one great-grandson, Shannon Sander. Lillie Mae Hobbs was born in Alpine, Texas and came to Knox County in 1920. Henry was born in Kaufman County and moved to Knox County in 1918. They were married in Red Spring, Texas June 14, 1925 and have lived in Knox County for the past thirty-seven years with the exception of about three years when they lived in Vera, Weatherford, and Haskell.

Mr. Rushing worked for Clyde Burnett for six years and then as roustabout for Egenbacher Implement for twenty-six years and Speedy's Oil Field Service for two years before his retirement.

Those attending the celebration were Mr. and Mrs. Heulon Rushing of Gustine, Mr. and Mrs. J.D. Sanders and Mrs. Ella Sanders of Kermit, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Warren, Ricky and Rodney, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Rushing and Jimmy, Mr. and Mrs. Skeeter Feemster and Cindy, all of Knox City, Mr. and Mrs. Levi Adcock of Comanche, Texas, Mr. and Mrs. Andy Churman and Regina of Godley, Mr. and Mrs. Gary Gregory, Glen and Lisa of Baird, Mr. and Mrs. George Ryals, David and Kevin of Andrews, Mr. and Mrs. Randall Sanders of Odessa, and Mrs. Irene Willis, Mrs. Alma Ruth Womack and Carole Ann of Fort Worth.

The evening meal was served from a table laid with a gold cloth and centered with a three-tier wedding cake made by a granddaughter, Mrs. Levi Adcock.

Friends attending included Mrs. Jim Walker of Megargel, Mrs. Glenda Walker and Shavelta of Breckenridge, Mrs. Jackie Ensey, Scottie and Brent of Midland, Mrs. Senie Stanley and Chris of Bishop, Gary Gee and Allen Evans of Wichita Falls, and Tonia Lynn Cooley of Dallas.

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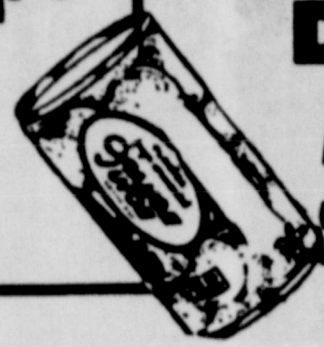
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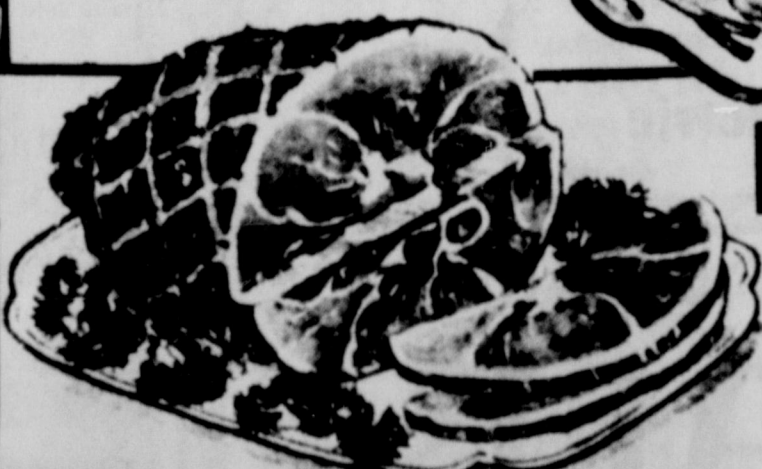
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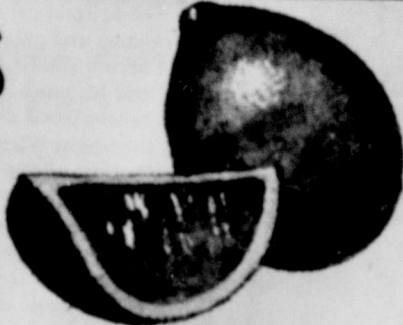
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