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## Jen Club To Sponsor Fall Flower Show

of the Knox City will present their flower show on Saturday, October 14, from 9 a.m. until 4 p.m. All are invited to attend.

Reed is flower show chairman and Mrs. H. E. Hargrave is assistant chairman. This year's show is "Art of Texas". It features "Texas Sculpture with scenes and thirty-eight hanging basket plants".

Artistic Arrangements Cascade" - will feature including (1) arrangements (2) arrangements (3) Mass (4) Miniature arrangements (5) Creative arrangements (6) "Along the Mexican Influence".

Flowers may be entered between 9:00 a.m. and 2:00 p.m. on Friday, October 20. Judging will be at 3:00 p.m. Friday afternoon.

## Junk Cars No Longer Allowed On City Street

In a regular meeting of the City Council Monday night, an ordinance was passed prohibiting the parking of junk vehicles on city streets.

Any vehicle without current registration tags or which is not in operable condition is considered in this category, officials said.

Action was taken on the matter because of the increasing number of old vehicles left parked on city streets in recent months.

City officials said that many times the parked vehicles create a traffic hazard as well as being dangerous when a driver's vision is restricted as he approaches an intersection.

Several residents have complained that the old vehicles are "eye sores" to the town.

Other routine business matters were attended to before the meeting was adjourned.



WINNING FIRST PLACE IN THE BUSINESS DIVISION -

The Knox County Hospital's entry in Saturday's parade, "We Deliver" took the top award.

## Saturday Parade Temed 'Best Ever'

Beautiful October weather, much enthusiasm, and participation by many all added up to a very successful rodeo parade Saturday afternoon at 4:00.

Parade Chairman Bill Baker began "lining up" the entries about 3:00 o'clock at the school and parking places downtown became scarce shortly afterwards.

Knox City Chief of Police Eddie Carr drove ahead of the color guard, Dwayne Johnson and Kelly Boone, who were followed by the Knox City High School Marching Band. Also adding more music and color was the KC Junior High Band.

Awards were given first place winners in three divisions, including business, organizations and clubs.

The Knox County Hospital's float "We Deliver" won first

in the business division. Funeral Home, Perry's, Knox County News, Trades Day, Chamber of Commerce, Woman's League, Santa Rosa, Catholic Mission, KC Country Club, Ladies' Association and the Beaver Ranch.

The combined Knox City and Knox County Riding Clubs with members from O'Brien, Benjamin, and Knox City won first in organizations with the Senior Class's float as second.

Others who participated included Buccaneer Stamps, Lewis Paint and Body, Large's Garage, Factory Outlet, John Egenbacher Implement, Smith

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# From Rochester

By BECKY SLOAN

## Coaches' Comments

By DON MULLINS

Some were happy with their cards others will have to do better to keep Parents and teachers happy. But with six week tests over without report cards received everyone will now settle down to making better reports for the next six weeks. HERE AND THERE

Mr. and Mrs. Ted Calhoun and children of Red River N.M. spent several days this week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Phil Simmons. Saturday they all went to Weatherford for the weekend and visited Mr. and Mrs. Phil R. Simmons Jr. and Shelly.

Mr. and Mrs. Elton Corley of Canadian, Mr. and Mrs. Sidney Corley and family of Midland, Mrs. R.A. Capers of Cleburne and Mrs. Earl Hanson of Rochester visited last Sunday with Mrs. J.M. Bell.

Mr. and Mrs. Sidney Corley and family of Midland spent the weekend recently with Mrs. Earl Hanson and other relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Homer Terry were in Lubbock Saturday to see Tech and Tulsa football game.

Gail McWhorter of Greenville was in Rochester Tuesday to visit Mr. and Mrs. Tony McWhorter and boys and Mr. and Mrs. Ray McWhorter. She attended the Rochester-Rule football game Tuesday where her brother Jeff was playing.

Mr. and Mrs. Bobby O'Neal and children of Abilene visited Mr. and Mrs. Virgil Mitchell over the weekend.

Newt Cole is home from Hendrick Memorial Hospital in Abilene and is reported to be doing fine.

Mr. and Mrs. Bud Adkins and Jeff of Abilene and Mr. and Mrs. Mike Adkins of Lubbock spent the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. Wilburn Adkins and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Mike Adkins of Lubbock visited during the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. Albert English and Tommy.

Mr. and Mrs. Manford Reid were in Lubbock over the weekend recently to see a football game. They also visited Mr. and Mrs. Jake Snodgrass.

Eda Fay Pounds of Kox City Care Home was visiting Rochester friends Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Roger Webb of Lubbock visited Mr. and Mrs. Dee Bleke over the weekend.

Mrs. Effie Lou Hollingsworth visited Friday night with Mr. and Mrs. Russell Hollingsworth.

Mr. and Mrs. Dickie Sloan, Scott and Lance of Chillicothe visited Saturday with Mr. and Mrs. Howard Sloan.



GILBERT CASILLAS

### O'Brien Boy Wins

#### At Haskell Co. Fair

Gilbert Casillas, O'Brien FFA Chapter member won first place in the Haskell County Fair September 30.

Casillas was entered in the Tractor Driving Division of the Fair and received a very attractive trophy designating him the top driver entered in the contest.

He had previously won second place in the event at the West Texas Fair in Abilene on September 16 receiving \$75.00. In 1970 he won third place at the Haskell Fair.

O'Brien is very proud of Gilbert's achievements at these contests.

#### 4-H'ers Organize

By KYLE WHITE

The 4-H Club met in the Junior High Library at 3:30 p.m.

Officers are Tammie Helton, president; Dwayne Johnson, vice president; and Council Delegate; Kyle White, reporter; and Greg Oliver, secretary-treasurer.

The 4-H leader is Mr. Collier.

#### IN SHAVER HOME

Mr. and Mrs. John Muller and Annica of Austin visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Shaver Jr. over the weekend and with her grandmother and aunt, Mrs. Molly Shaver and Mayme Shaver in Canyon.

John returned to Austin Monday and Annica remained in Kox City for a week's visit.

#### FROM FORT WORTH

Mr. and Mrs. Monroe Thomas Ben and Mary Beth of Fort Worth spent the weekend with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Thomas over the weekend.

#### VISITS PARENTS

Mrs. Gentry Day visited her step-father, Jimmy Mahaffey, who is in the hospital at Temple over the weekend. She also visited with her mother in Belton.

#### FROM HASKELL

Mrs. W.H. Hodges, former Kox City resident who is now living in Haskell, is visiting here this week with her son and his family, Mr. and Mrs. George Hodges and Sue, and her daughter Mrs. Cornie King.

## The KENNEL

### Senior Class News

By DORIS HOWELL

We were real lucky to win our game Friday night, Throckmorton outplayed us all over the field. They didn't do anything unexpected except play good football. Their defensive alignment was what we worked on all week, but we couldn't block it. They ran the same offensive plays that they had been running, except they executed their throwing ability and let them catch several passes that hurt; two for touchdowns. They had more yardage, completions and touchdowns against us than their first four games put together. We didn't think they could score that many points on us, (19 and only 18 points were scored the first 4 games). They blocked one field goal and one punt that gave them the ball in good field position. They scored shortly after the blocked punt to go ahead 19-14.

We found out that we could come from behind and win and showed great poise in scoring on a long pass with 4 minutes left in the game. This week we are fortunate in having an open date. Some of our minor injuries need a rest and we will need some time to patch up some minor offensive and defensive holes we have. Our next game is with Paducah, at Paducah Oct. 20. This will be our first district game and we need to be 100 per cent ready to go. The games will get tougher and we can't continue to play the way we have and win the district.

### Junior Class News

By MARTHA JONES

September 30 started out to be a chilly, windy day, and it was quite difficult for the Juniors to crawl out of a warm bed at 7:00 or 7:30 a.m. When fully awake, though, everyone was ready and willing to begin the Junior Workday. Final instructions were issued at the Post Office and by 8:30 twenty hard-working Juniors were busy washing cars, hauling hay, moving lawns, washing windows, selling baked goods, and cleaning houses. The day passed quickly—so quickly that some jobs had to be done Monday afternoon. All Juniors were home tired but pleased with the effort put out by all, including Mrs. Whitley and Mr. McGaughey.

The Junior class would like to thank everyone who supported the workday, with a "special" thanks going to Mr. John McCown. Mr. McCown hired several boys to haul hay—865 bales of it! This activity really stoked the money making projects off with a BANG!

The Junior favorites, Denise Grindstaff and Ricky Hacker, rode in a horse drawn buggy in the Rodeo Parade Saturday. Ricky says that the buggy was a good one and that it would probably go as fast as his car!

In football, all the Junior Varsity players were surprised when we heard that Monday had canceled their twogames with us and Rule canceled their second one. We're going to play two games with Jayton.

### Choir News

By MARTHA JONES

Everyone has heard of Christmas in July, but Christmas in October? The Kox City Choir has, because for the past couple of weeks the choir has been brushing up on songs especially written for the Christmas season. Some of the choir's favorite songs are "No Room at the Inn," "A Child of Hope," and "The Innkeeper."

### Homemaking II

By Vicki Berryman

Our Homemaking II class drew for our sewing machines and are sewing on our suits. There was a mistake in our class officers. Our president is Brenda Harris, Vice President is Pam Odom, Secretary-Treasurer is Anita Elliston, Reporter Vickie Berryman Song leader Jackie Rhodes, and if I messed it up I want to apologize to Brenda.

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## FHA News

By CINDY FOSTER

The FHA girls had their Daddy-Date Night, Monday, September 26. We all had a good time eating barbecue and playing games. The theme was Western and we all got to find out who is really the best water-gun shooter.

FHA Freshman initiation was also conducted at this meeting. The purposes and by-laws were explained to all the Freshmen. They are now formally members of the Knox City FHA Chapter.

Over all, the September meeting was very successful and everyone was well pleased with the results.

## FFA News

By LESLIE FITZGERALD

The FFA organization held a called meeting October 3, to elect a Sweetheart for the coming year. The Sweetheart must be either a Sophomore or Junior, have good standing in her scholastic work, and be well liked. The FFA members chose Kary Kent as the 72-73 sweetheart. Later in the year, Miss Kent will hand out ribbons at the local livestock show. She will compete in the county livestock show queen contest for the year 73-74 during the 72-73 show this year. Congratulations Kary!

## Cheering Group News

By CINDY FOSTER

The pep club traveled to Throckmorton for the game Friday night. We've learned some new chants and yells and we're practicing them for the next games. Everyone now has their suits made and if you see a blue spot in the crowd, that's us!

We have an open date this week but we're all backing the Hounds for the Paducah and especially the Monday game. We're behind you all the way!

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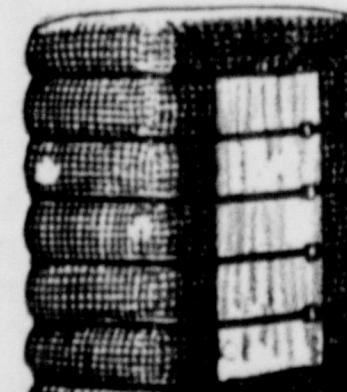
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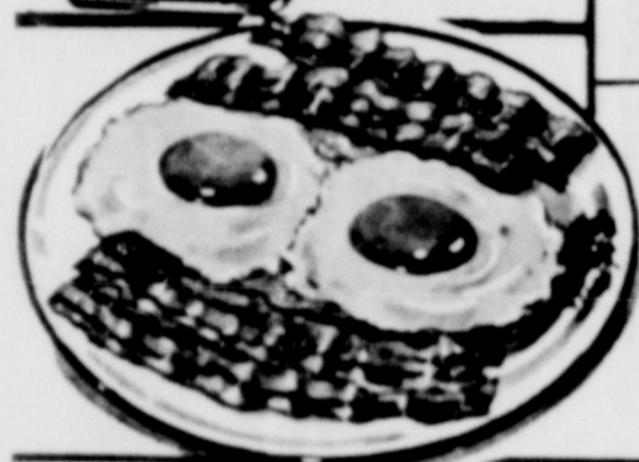


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down and kicked  
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nothing on a run.  
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Whiteley set up  
for Throckmorton  
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the pass and ran it  
For the second  
Cloots has made  
the runback the  
ards went to work  
ards II. In four  
yds were gained

and Throck took over on downs.  
Throck ran six plays before  
having to punt on fourth and  
16. Big defensive plays were  
made by Stanley Newton and  
Rob Harrison.

Following a 40 yd punt, a  
pass completed to Newton gained  
nothing. Time was getting  
short before the half, so again  
Swain went back to pass and  
was dropped for a 16 yd loss.  
On third down needing 26, Swain  
connected on a beautiful pass to  
Will Whiteley for 70 yds and  
a score. Swain kicked the  
extra point K. C. 14-  
Throck 13.

Following the kickoff the K. C.  
Hounds' defense was tough and  
Throck punted on fourth, ne-  
eding 19.

Philip Newton gained 18 yds  
on the first play. Charlie  
Flye, new face in the K. C.  
line up, gained three as the  
first half ended.

Cloots received the kickoff  
and ran it back 20 yds to the  
48. Three plays later K. C.  
punted. Ricky Hacker killed  
the ball at Throck's six yd line.  
Throckmorton ran B plays but  
was forced to punt by the K. C.  
defense with tackles being made  
by Billy Baker, Danny Woodall  
and Stanley Newton.

K. C. took over first and 10  
at their own 37. Bloxham carried  
for two after an incomplete  
pass, on 3rd and 8 from the  
39 Joey Swain passed to  
Phillip Newton who had worked  
his way out of the backfield  
and was clear up the middle  
for a 6 yd scoring pass. Swain's  
kick was good. Score K. C. 21  
Throckmorton 19.

Throckmorton ran the ball  
on two plays and had two in-  
complete passes following the  
kickoff.

K. C. took over on Throck's  
42. Bloxham made two yds,  
then seven yds, then Newton  
made two yds. Whiteley punted  
with one minute, 56 seconds  
left in the game. Ricky Hacker  
again killed the ball, this time on  
Throck's four yd line.

Throckmorton completed a  
10 yd pass. K. C. was called  
for hitting late and penalized  
15 yds. Throckmorton then  
threw two incomplete passes.  
On the third down a pass was  
knocked down but it was called  
pass interference against K. C.,  
setting up a Throck first on  
their 41. On the first play  
Robert Taylor caught the passer  
for a seven yd loss. A pass  
was completed on the second  
down but Bobby Reeves and  
Ricky Hacker stopped it for  
a five yd gain. The entire  
K. C. team caught the passer  
on third down for a 5 yd loss.

K. C. took over on Throck-  
morton's 30 yd line and ran  
two plays running out the clock  
to preserve their win.

The Knox City Greyhound fans  
are getting their money's worth  
but are adding more grey hair  
each week. This coming week  
we will get a rest to let our  
nerves heal.

ON FRIDAY, Oct. 20, the  
Hounds will travel to Paducah  
for the first District 7A game  
and game time will be at 7:30  
p.m.

## Miss Toland To Wed Glenn Hall Of Benjamin

Johnny W. Carver

Mr. and Mrs. Clinton James  
Toland of Taft have announced  
the engagement of their daughter,  
Patricia Sue, to Johnny  
Warren Carver of Lubbock, son  
of Mr. and Mrs. O. Odell Carver  
of Knox City.

A December 29 wedding in  
the First United Methodist  
Church of Taft is planned.

Miss Toland is a graduate  
of Taft High School and attends  
Texas Tech University. Her  
fiance was graduated from Knox  
City High School and attended  
Texas Tech.

## KC HD Club Meets In Bradley Home

The Knox City Home Demon-  
stration Club held its regular  
meeting Tuesday October 3 at  
2:00 p.m. in the home of Mrs.  
Bigum Bradley.

Mrs. Bradley opened the meet-  
ing with members participating  
in a game.

Mrs. Arnold Navratil and  
Mrs. Marion Chowning delegates  
to the Texas Home Demo-  
stration Association convention at  
the Astroworld Hotel in  
Houston, reported on their trip.

Each woman attended differ-  
ent work shops for safety,  
4-H, culture, arts and recre-  
ation. Plans were told of  
things the THDA will be doing  
in the future.

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## Blind Youth Sets Goal

(Editor's Note: The following  
article concerns a former  
Benjamin man who is now a  
rehabilitation counselor at the  
University of Houston. The  
son of Mr. and Mrs. H. A.  
Hall of Benjamin, Glenn lost  
his sight 15 years ago. He's now  
dedicated to helping the blind.)

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By VAN HETHERLY

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heaved across the West Texas  
flatland.

It railed through the maze  
of pipes and tanks of a gaso-  
line refinery in Pecos, and  
young Glenn Hall turned up  
the collar of his heavy coat,  
and covered his ears with his  
cap flaps.

With long strides he app-  
roached a tank of acid. Just  
as he drew alongside, the tank  
exploded, the blast knocking  
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## KC Pups Lose To

Munday 22-8

The Munday Braves played  
against the Knox City Jr. High  
Greypups for the first time on  
our home field, Thursday at  
6:00.

The Greypups got off to a  
good start by winning the toss  
and electing to receive. Though  
we got off to a good start,  
we didn't keep the ball and  
the Munday defense forced a  
turnover. Robert Spells scored  
two touchdowns to make the  
score 16-0 at half.

Coming into the third quarter  
the Greypups defense was hit-  
ting hard but Munday managed  
to slip by once more. The  
PAT was blocked this time  
making the score 22-0.

The Greypups came back late  
in the fourth quarter for a  
touchdown by Flint Richardson.  
The extra points were made  
by Jimmy Ross. After that  
the Greypups held the Braves  
back and the final score was  
22-8.

## 4-H Officers Are Elected

A 4-H meeting was held Mon-  
day, September 25, at 8 p.m.  
in the home of Mrs. Elaine  
Carmichael, Home Demon-  
stration Agent.

The main topic discussed was  
the role of adult leaders in  
helping the youth become inter-  
ested in 4-H projects. A film  
was shown about adult leader-  
ship.

Officers for this year were  
installed and included Alfred  
Kuehler, chairman; Wendell  
Partridge, co-chairman; Mrs.  
Adelpha Esquivel, secretary-  
treasurer; and Mrs. Philip  
Bruggeman, reporter.

Others attending were Mrs.  
Bill R. Smith, Mrs. Dan Sikes,  
and Herman Collier.

Refreshments of cookies,  
coffee, and cokes were served  
to all present.

## GRAHAM'S HAVE WEEKEND GUESTS

Dr. and Mrs. Hugh Parch-  
man, Alan, Vickie, Deidre and  
Richard of Fort Worth were  
weekend guests of Mr. and Mrs.  
Doyle Graham. They all en-  
joyed dove hunting.

The Parchmans also visited  
in the homes of the Jeff Grahams  
and the L. W. Grahams.

## VISITS IN LITTLEFIELD

Mrs. Bertha Trammier and  
Mrs. Ruth Dozier spent several  
days in Littlefield last  
week visiting their aunt and her  
family, Mr. and Mrs. V.S. Cas-  
sel and Mr. and Mrs. Dennis  
Jones.

Perhaps more valuable to

Hall than anything in over-  
coming his handicap has been his  
wife Mary, a classmate back  
in their native Benjamin, Texas.  
She is the former Mary Par-  
ham.

Mrs. Hall is as reticent about

his role as he is about his

former clients.

"After 14

years,

of course,

you know

you love somebody, and I just  
wouldn't want to say more than  
that."

They have a daughter

Amy 3,

and live in an apartment

at 2226 South Blvd.

For the blind, simple tasks

take on ominous proportions.

Selecting matching clothing

from your closet, for one. Mary

does for him. But there are

little tricks the blind can learn

to function in many ways as

efficiently as anyone.

Like sewing a distinctive

button onto the lining of a

jacket to identify it.

"And sometimes that sighted

persons could use to ad-

vantage," Goodrum adds.

"Such as pinning socks together

so you don't have to match

them after washing."

Hall and Goodrum also blind,

agree that doctors should level

with their patients about the

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