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JR, LIVESTOCK SHOW Sweetheart candidates as they appeared Saturday morning in their honor are pictured, seated from left, Barbara Brannan, Connie Gentry, and Dianne Greenwood. Standing, from left, the 1970 Livestock Sweetheart Diann Williams of Goree and Betty Riekle, Kathy Milson, Jan Guinn, and Cynthia Partridge.

Selection Of 1971 Sweetheart To Be Made

Awards Banquet Tonight At 7 Knox City School Cafeteria

The annual Knox County Livestock Show Awards Banquet is scheduled for tonight at 7:00 o'clock in the school cafeteria. The award will be given to the winner of the show, and the division winners will give recognition to the exhibition of the 1971

County Sweetheart will be made, too, from candidates Barbara Brannan, representing the Benjamin Future Farmers of America; Cynthia Partridge, Munday 4-H; Kathy Milson, Benjamin 4-H; Betty Riekle, Munday Future Farmers of America; Christi Greenwood, Goree 4-H; Connie Gentry, Knox City Future Farmers of America; and Jan Guinn, Knox City 4-H. 1970 Sweetheart Diann Williams of Goree will be

on hand to crown the new sweetheart. Candidates are judged on outstanding personality, poise, individuality, and scholastic average.

Each FFA chapter and 4-H club within the county may choose a girl each year as its representative to compete for the honor. The girl chosen must be classified as sophomore or junior in order that she may be present to perform the duties of the sweetheart, such as presentation of ribbons at the show, the following year. Any girl presently serving as FFA chapter sweetheart is not eligible.

A coffee, featuring a western theme, in honor of the candidates, was held Saturday morning at 9:00 o'clock in the home of Mrs. Sam E. Clonts in Knox City, with Mrs. John Crowover as co-hostess, Miss Marsha Shaver, 1970 South Plains

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Members Union Drive Scheduled Jan. 21-22

Members of the County Farmers Union are scheduled for a district meeting at 7:00 p.m. on Friday, January

Dwight Key, and Clarence Searcy of Munday, Les Jamison and Loyd King of Goree, Claudell Bratcher and Wesley Trainham of Vera, and Cyle Carver and F. D. Amerson of O'Brien.

Members were told that Knox County increased its membership 30% last year and expects to double it during the upcoming drive.

President J. L. Stodghill of Munday gave a report of the 1970 state convention held in Amarillo in December, and also explained new changes in the farm bill.

Changes In State Dept. Public Welfare Program

Changes in policy and procedure to the limited funds for public welfare use were recently by Burton

September 3 year ago we had 40,000 AFDC cases representing 136,000 children. This past September there were 71,000 cases and 222,000 children. Our AFDC rolls have been going up an average of 10,000 recipients a month.

"So January 1 was set as a target to make the changes necessary to continue meeting the needs of those for whom we have the responsibility to help.

"What we have tried to develop is the most economic delivery system possible within the framework of law and regulation - a system in which we can define every action and give our reasons for it.

"Basically our changes are three. The first involves the way people APPLY for public assistance. This new system will be used only in the so-called 'adult' programs - for the old, the blind, and the disabled. At the core of the system is an 'eligibility form' - similar in principle to the one you use to

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City Council Hears Telephone Proposal

The City Council met Monday night in regular session with Mayor C. C. (Buddy) Angle, Councilmen Carl Shelton, L. V. Worley, Henry White, and City Secretary Faye Rallsback present. Two councilmen, Willard Skiles and Paul Clayton, were not present.

Voters Should Register Now

Only 31 Knox City voters have registered in the local Chamber of Commerce office, according to manager Doris Crowover. To be eligible, all persons must register before January 31.

Every qualified person should feel it both is a privilege and responsibility to vote in all elections. If you have not registered, be sure and do it now!

LVN School To Be Offered Again

Knox City - The Greenbelt School of Practical Nursing has advised officials of Knox County Hospital that the school, located in Crowell, will offer another course in Practical nursing in 1971. The school will start about February 15th.

Upon completion of the prescribed courses of the school, graduating students will be eligible to take the state examination for Licensed Vocational Nurse.

Applications for the school may be filled out at Knox County Hospital. There are qualifications that should be met for these courses and they will be explained upon request for an application, a hospital spokesman said.

Lois Johnson Buried Tues.

Funeral services for Mrs. Lois Johnson, 51, were held at 2:30 p.m. Tuesday from the Church of God in Knox City, with Mrs. John Crowover as co-hostess, Miss Marsha Shaver, 1970 South Plains

Mrs. Johnson died January 7, in the Knox County Hospital after a short illness.

Born November 16, 1919, in Dallas, she lived in Post for ten years prior to her move to Knox City in 1969.

Survivors include her daughter, Mrs. Tommie Hayward of Knox City; her mother, Mrs. Georgia Smith of Knox City; a brother, Tommy Lee Moss of Wichita Falls; two sisters, Mrs. Charlie Flye of Knox City and Mrs. Morseline of Davenport, Iowa; five grandchildren and one great-grandchild.

Her husband preceded her in death.

4-H Entries To Abilene

Nine Knox County 4-H members have entered 5 steers, 4 barrows and 2 fat lambs in the Abilene Fat Stock Show Monday, January 18, 1971.

Entering steers are Mark Haskin, Cynthia Partridge, Patsey and Mary Denise Zeissel. The barrow entries are Tony Gauntt, Rudy Esquivel, Ricky Decker and Buddy Cypert. Dave Partridge will have two fat lamb entries.

The animals are to be moved to Abilene Saturday and Sunday January 16-17 and all animals will be shown Monday, January 18.

FROM ODESSA Visiting Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Coates over the Christmas holidays were Mr. and Mrs. Wyman Tidwell, Tammy, Terri, and Tracy of Odessa.

Report Your Locals Call 658-2281

On the business agenda was a discussion of a new service offered by representatives of the General Telephone Company of the Southwest. Harlan Jones, division manager for General Telephone, explained a toll free calling arrangement called EAS (Extended Area Service) for Knox City, Benjamin, Munday, and Goree. The service allows any telephone customer in any of the four towns to call any customer in any of the other four towns with no toll charge.

Mr. Jones reported that customers in Knox City who can now call 734 other telephones would be able, with the addition of EAS, to call 1858 other telephones. It would take approximately 24 months to install the service after approval of the city councils of all four towns.

The official said that in Knox City there would be an additional charge to the residence customers of approximately \$2.25 per month and an additional charge to the business customers of \$5.50.

City officials agreed to work with the Chamber of Commerce and other individuals in learning the desires of the Knox City residents before any action is taken in regard to the matter.

Sgt. Glenn Smith On Midtour Leave

Sgt. Glenn Smith arrived in Dallas Monday, January 4, where he was met by his wife, Carolyn.

Glenn, who is serving with the U.S. Army in Korea, received a 15-day midtour leave. A 1967 graduate of Knox City High School, he received basic training at Fort Bliss, Texas and Fort Leonardwood, Missouri, during the late summer and early fall of 1969. He was sent overseas on May 24, 1970, and is serving as a M.P. in Korea, Ascom.

Prior to army duty, Smith trained as a law enforcement officer at the academy in Austin. He served as Highway Patrolman for the Dept. of Public Safety at Wichita Falls until he entered the service on August 5, 1969.

He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Bill Smith of Knox City and his wife is employed by Counts Insurance Company.

WEEKEND VISITORS

Visiting in the home of Mrs. Jessie Teague Sunday afternoon were her brother-in-law and his wife, Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Teague of Abilene and Mrs. Louise Baker and Margaret Vaughan, also of Abilene.

Rev. Roger Butler Is Named Chairman Of Mother's March

Rev. Roger Butler has been appointed chairman of the local Mother's March of Dimes by Knox County chairman Mrs. Morris Denton. According to Mrs. Denton, the date for the National and local campaigns will be January 25.

The 1971 March of Dimes

Band Boosters To Meet Feb. 2

At a recent executive meeting of the Knox City Band Boosters, it was decided that there would be no meeting in January. However, all Band Booster members are reminded that a meeting will be held Tuesday, February 2, at 8:00 p.m. in the Band Hall.

Mrs. Bruce Campbell Jr., club president, announces there are still some 1971 band calendars available. Anyone wishing to purchase one of these may do so by calling Mrs. Peggy Grindstaff at 658-7131.

Counter Irritant: A woman who shops all day and buys nothing.



SHOWMANSHIP AWARD WINNERS were, from left, Rogers Lankford of Knox City in the swine division, Cynthia Partridge of Munday in the beef division, and Art Crowover of Knox City in the sheep division. (Herald Photo)

Knox County Livestock Show Is Largest In Show's History

Knox City - Beautiful weather, a new location for the show in Knox City, and a tremendous number of entries all combined to make this year's show the largest Knox County Junior Livestock Show in its history. The newly-acquired former Ford building on the Munday highway was the site of the show last Friday and Saturday, and with 257 entries, it was necessary to hold the show two days instead of one as in previous years, Leon Burkham, Knox City vocational ag teacher and FFA advisor, said. The county show is alternated each year between Munday and Knox City.

Judging the breeding swine and sheep Friday was Bob Jacobs, former vocational ag teacher and associate county agent who is now Farm Bureau service agent in Vernon.

Art Crowover, son of Mr. and Mrs. John Crowover, won double honors by showing both grand champions in the breeding sheep division. The 14-year-old Knox City freshman showed a Hampshire ewe lamb and a Hampshire ram.

Mike Burkham, son of Mr. and Mrs. Leon Burkham showed a Hampshire ewe lamb that took reserve champion honors. The 12-year-old seventh grader almost swept the Knox County show last year when he won grand and reserve champion wethers and grand champion

ewe. D'Wayne Johnson, 9, one of the show's youngest exhibitors and son of Mr. and Mrs. Donald Johnson, won reserve champion ram honors with a Cheviot ram. Dean Bouldin, 15-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Bouldin, showed a Hampshire sheep, winning grand champion, fat lamb division. Reserve champion honors again went to Mike Burkham as he showed a Southdown sheep in the fat lamb division.

A 4-H'er from Munday, Joe Glenn Nelson, 10-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. John Earl Nelson of Munday and a fifth grader, showed the grand champion boar with a July Duroc. Roland Marion, son of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Marion, had the reserve champion boar, an August Yorkshire.

New WTU Manager Named To KC Office

J. B. Tabor Jr., local manager for West Texas Utilities Company in Turkey for the past two and a half years, has been transferred to Knox City where he has replaced George Field as the company's local manager. Field is not attending the Executive Development Program at Texas A&M University, and will assume new duties in Ballinger in February. The announcement was made today by District Manager Russell Crowover of Stamford.

Employed by WTU for the past 11 1/2 years, Tabor joined WTU in 1959 in Stamford and worked as a line serviceman and an appliance serviceman until his transfer to the Anson Service Department in 1962. He has been serving as the Company's local manager in Turkey since 1968.

Born in Stamford in 1939, Tabor spent his early life in the Stamford area, attended the Stamford Public Schools, and is

B. B. Campbell Sr. Returns To His Home

Bruce B. Campbell Sr., chairman of the board of the Citizen State Bank, was able to return to his home Monday of this week after being confined to the Knox County Hospital the past ten days.

According to family members, he is doing real well.

IN HITCHCOCK HOME

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Gaine and children of Abilene and Mr. and Mrs. Harley Reeves and children of Odessa visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Jess Hitchcock over the Christmas holidays.

Gerald Voss of the Munday FFA and 15-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Howard Voss of Munday, showed the grand champion gilt, a July Hampshire, while Jimmy Blake of the Goree 4-H, took reserve champion honors with his July Yorkshire as reserve champion gilt.

Saturday's steer and barrow classes were judged by Max Stapleton, Haskell County agriculture agent.

A pair of Herefords took grand and reserve champion honors and both were bred on the Bruce Campbell ranch northwest of Knox City.

Mark Haskin, 10-year-old fourth grade 4-H'er and son of Mr. and Mrs. Calbert Haskin of Goree, topped the heavy-weight class with his entry, a

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J. B. TABOR JR.

a 1957 graduate of Stamford High School. Before joining WTU, he was employed by Aerial Sprayers, Inc., Williams Construction Company, and later by R. B. Stovall Construction Company.

Mrs. Tabor is the former Paula Gene Baucum. They were married in Anson in 1965. During his residence in Turkey, Tabor has been one of Turkey's leading civic workers. He is vice president of the Lions Club, president of the Citizens Project Committee, president of the Turkey Trotters Square Dance Club, a member of the Volunteer Fire Department, president, director and coach in the Little League Association, member of the Turkey Industrial Foundation, president of the Turkey Gun Club, and a member of National Sportsman Club and the National Rifle Association.

The Tabors are members of the First Baptist Church.

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HOSTESSES FOR THE SATURDAY morning coffee honoring the County Livestock Sweetheart candidates were Mrs. Sam E. Clonts, left, and Mrs. John Crowmover, third from left. Second from left, John Hogue, his wife, Vivian, extreme right, and Marsha Shaver are this year's judges.

BANQUET

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Maid of Cotton and a senior at Texas Tech University in Lubbock and Mr. and Mrs. John Hogue, owners of the casual corner in Seymour, are serving

as this year's judges. They were on hand to visit with the candidates and to interview each girl Saturday morning. The girls, who were attired in western wear, were scheduled to appear at the county livestock show during the day, where they sold advance tickets to the awards banquet.

Tonight at the banquet, the candidates will make another appearance in formal before the judges, and after the final decision the winner of this year's contest will be crowned by Miss Williams.

Due to the tremendous attendance of this year's county show, a large number of guests will attend.

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MARK HASKIN, 10-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Calbert Haskin of Goree, took grand champion honors with his 910-pound Hereford steer. (Herald Photo)

4 and 1, Billy Baker, Knox City FFA; 2, Bob Walker, Munday FFA; 3, Tony Gault, Munday A.H.; 4, Ricky Decker, Munday A.H.; 5, Johnny Allen, Knox City FFA; 6, Brent Balthasar, Knox City FFA; 7, Jerry Cartwright, Benjamin FFA; 8, Ricky Harker, Knox City FFA; 9, Humphreys, Humphreys FFA; 10, Marty Griffin, Munday FFA; 11, Bob Harrison, Knox City FFA; 12, Mandy Lankford, Knox City FFA; 13, Tracy Cartwright, Benjamin A.H.; 14, Kenny Groves, Benjamin A.H.; 15, Greg Clonts, Knox City FFA.

Hampshire heavyweight — 1, Cindy Albus, Knox City A.H.; 2, Gerald Voss, Munday FFA; 3, Jerry Lowe, Munday A.H.; 4, Gerald Voss, Munday FFA; 5, Chris Phillips, Munday A.H.; 6, Kevin Allen, Goree A.H.

Yorkshire heavyweight — 1, Don Ray, Knox City FFA; 2, David McLaughlin, Knox City FFA; 3, Jackie Gentry, Knox City FFA; 4, Jimmy Ray Albus, Knox City A.H.; 5, Henry Rodriguez, Knox City FFA; 6, Jerry McLaughlin, Knox City FFA.

Yorkshire heavyweight — 1, Rogers Lankford, Knox City FFA; 2, Mike Burkhams, Knox City FFA; 3, Bryan Burkhams, Benjamin FFA; 4, Kevin Groves, Benjamin A.H.; 5, Billy Baker, Knox City FFA; 6, Max Jensen, Knox City FFA; 7, Don Ray, Knox City FFA; 8, Bob Walker, Munday FFA; 9, Jerry Cartwright, Benjamin FFA; 10, Mike Burkhams, Knox City FFA; 11, Betty Reeves, Knox City FFA; 12, Lewis Fitzgerald, Knox City FFA; 13, Lewis Fitzgerald, Knox City FFA; 14, Rubin Voss, Munday FFA.

Crossbred heavyweight — 1, Rudy Enlow, Munday A.H.; 2, Jerry Herring, Munday A.H.; 3, Rogers Lankford, Knox City FFA; 4, Kevin Allen, Goree A.H.; 5, Rudy Voss, Munday FFA.

Best Cattle
Charolais heifer — 1, Steve McKarr, Knox City FFA.
Hereford lightweight steer — 1, Wade Haskin, Goree, A.H.; 2, Sandy Jones, Goree A.H.; 3, Johnny McCowan, Knox City FFA.
Hereford heavyweight steer — 1, Mark Haskin, Goree A.H.; 2, Cynthia Partridge, Munday A.H.; 3, David "Virologist" Munday A.H.; 4, Rudy Jones, Goree A.H.

Angus and Shorthorn steer — 1, Dave Parrish, Munday A.H.; 2, Johnny Rodriguez, Munday FFA; 3, Mike Newton, Knox City FFA.
Crossbred lightweight steer — 1, Cynthia Partridge, Munday A.H.; 2, Randy Thurgauer, Munday FFA; 3, Randy Jones, Goree A.H.; 4, Kevin Allen, Goree A.H.

Hereford heavyweight steer — 1, Peter Dixon, Munday A.H.; 2, Bryan King, Munday A.H.; 3, Mary Denise Dixon, Munday A.H.; 4, Randy Jones, Goree A.H.; 5, Ted Richardson, Knox City FFA.

Two Durks — 1, Billy Baker, Knox City FFA; 2, Ricky Harker, Knox City FFA; 3, Jerry Cartwright, Munday A.H.; 4, Terry Baker, Knox City A.H.

Angus Durks — 1, Randy Park, Knox City FFA; 2, Adrian Gonzalez, Knox City FFA; 3, Tony Gault, Munday A.H.; 4, Billy Baker, Knox City FFA; 5, Joe Glynn, Munday A.H.

July Hampshire — 1, Gerald Voss, Munday FFA; 2, Bill Stewart, Munday FFA; 3, Bob Walker, Munday FFA; 4, Jerry Pruitt, Munday FFA; 5, Kenny Walker, Munday FFA.

August Hampshire — 1, Dean Pruitt, Munday FFA; 2, Bill Stewart, Munday FFA; 3, Johnny Quintero, Munday FFA; 4, Randy Quintero, Munday FFA; 5, Randy Quintero, Knox City FFA; 6, Billy Baker, Knox City FFA.

September Hampshire — 1, Tom Baker, Knox City FFA; 2, Ray Herring, Munday A.H.; 3, Nefre Gonzalez, Knox City FFA; 4, Kevin Herring, Munday A.H.



CINDY ALBUS, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. James Albus of Knox City, is pictured with her grand champion barrow. (Herald Photo)



DEAN BOULDEN, left, and MIKE BURKHAM, both of Knox City, are shown above with Dean's grand champion Hampshire and Mike's reserve champion Southdown wether. (Herald Photo)

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910-pounder, and saw it named grand champion. Reserve

champion was a Hereford entered by 4-H'er 16-year-old Cynthia Partridge, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Wendell Partridge of Munday. Her 950-pound entry was second in its class but topped the other first place breed winners as reserve champion.

Grand champion barrow was a Hampshire shown by Cindy Albus, 13-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. James Albus of Knox City. It was Cindy's first time to exhibit as a 4-H'er, but she topped the other breed winners to have a champion. Reserve champion barrow was another Hampshire shown by Gerald Voss of Munday.

Taking showmanship honors were Rogers Lankford, 18-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Lankford, in the swine division. Cynthia Partridge in the steer division and Art Crowmover in the sheep division.

Charles Lankford served as general show superintendent. Swine division superintendents were John McLaughlin and Kenneth Lankford, sheep division, Donald Johnson and Elmo Todd, and beef division, Charlie Groves and Clifford Cornett.

Fuller Shannon, treasurer for the Knox County Junior Livestock Show, reported Monday of this week that contributions so far had been received from individuals and business firms in Munday, Rhineland, Gilliland, and Knox City. An approximate figure on the prize money was given as \$1,077, about the same as last year's. However, in the sale which followed the show, 29 animals were sold and premiums totaled \$2,411.74, more than double over last year's sale. Officials were very pleased with results and expressed appreciation to Gerald Lawrence, auctioneer from Aspermont, who donated his time for the sale.

Results of the two-day show are as follows:

Barrows
Charles Enlow, 1, Gerald Voss, Knox City FFA; 2, Mike Burkhams, Knox City FFA; 3, Mandy Lankford, Knox City FFA; 4, Mike Burkhams, Knox City FFA; 5, Jerry Pruitt, Munday FFA; 6, Bill Stewart, Munday FFA; 7, John Quintero, Munday A.H.

Savings Bonds Total 44% Of 1970 Goal

According to a report received from Mr. M. L. Wiggins, Chairman of the Knox County Savings Bonds Committee, sales of Series E and H United States Savings Bonds in Knox county during the month of November totaled \$10,046. Eleven-month sales were \$69,879 for 44 per cent of the 1970 goal of \$160,000.

Sales in Texas during the month amounted to \$14,915,027 compared to \$12,962,108 during November 1969. The January-November sales totaled \$166,883,983 for 93 per cent of the 1970 goal of \$179.9 million.

Over the Nation during November there were new purchases of E and H Bonds amounting to \$373 million. Sales for the first eleven months of 1970 were \$4,281 million - 5.8 per cent above a year earlier. Exchanges of Series E for new Series H Bonds totaling \$212 million were reported for the first eleven months - a 27 per cent increase over the \$167 million exchanged during 1969.

KC Woman Attends Music Convention

Mrs. E. Q. Warren recently attended a national music convention held at the Statler-Hilton in Dallas.

Since it was national, many interesting speakers were heard and all activities were at the hotel except one event which was held at S.M.U. where the eliminations for scholarships were held.

Mrs. Warren reports that she had a pleasant as well as profitable time.

Auction Saturday, Jan. 16, 1971 10:00 a.m.

Julia Mae Hicks, Owner

Location of Sale: From O'Brien, travel East on 2229 nine miles to the intersection with FM 229 travel East on this road 2 1/4 miles; turn south travel for 1 mile; turn west again for 1/4 mile to auction site. From Munday, travel south on 157 three miles, turn west for 2 1/2 miles, turn east one mile, and 1/4 back west to the auction site.

Lunch served on grounds. Come bring your own be with us as a buyer or guest.

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COMPLETED GPCP Contract. Picture on the left field on the S. E. Williamson farm northwest of ... on the right shows completed grassed waterway.



Field erosion has been controlled and silt pollution below field has been curtailed. Mr. Williamson completed his GPCP contract December 31, 1970.

Jan. 15 Deadline To Return Questionnaires

Jack Coker, Director of the Veterans Administration Regional Office in Waco, today reminded 800,000 recipients of monthly pension checks to carefully fill out, sign and promptly return their annual income questionnaires - by January 15, at the latest.

He noted that two-thirds of the veterans and dependents, including parents of deceased veterans drawing dependency and indemnity compensation, have returned the questionnaires received with their November 1, checks.

S. S. Reports

A very important date is here for some area residents over age 65, stated Wayne Klipping, manager of the Vernon social security office, January 1 was the beginning of a three month "General Enrollment Period" provided for under the Social Security Medicare law. A person who is eligible but has never enrolled in part "B" of Medicare can sign up during this "open" period which ends March 31, 1971, stated Klipping. Medical coverage will be effective the following July 1.

Part "B" of Medicare or medical insurance helps pay for doctor bills, diagnostic tests, and certain other medical expenses incurred outside the hospital Klipping added.

This will be the last chance to enroll for those people born between October 1, 1902 and September 30, 1903, the manager emphasized. Those born before October 1, 1902 and who never enrolled are not eligible.

A person who enrolls for part "B" during the "open" period will have to pay a slightly higher rate if he has had an earlier opportunity to sign up.

BACK TO SCHOOL

Brack Shaver returned to Arlington today (Thursday) after spending the holidays with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Eddie Shaver.

Brack is working toward his master's degree at UTA in Arlington.

One of the latest computers is so human it blames its mistakes on others.

Psychedelic fishing pole - Mod rod.

Postman: Zone Ranger.

Heckling: Needle craft.

That First Big Step



WALKING presents a problem when a child has been born with an open spine. But Norman Proctor, 3, of Salt Lake City, Utah, is finding the help he needs at the March of Dimes Birth Defects Center at Primary Children's Hospital. Skilled professionals, such as physical therapy aide Charles H. Vought, make it a lot easier for a little boy who wants to learn. The voluntary health organization helps support medical services, research and professional and public health education aimed at prevention and treatment of birth defects.

Co. Farmers Complete Contracts

County farmers and miles of parallel terraces, farm ponds, and conservation cropping systems. The completed contract work will have a big impact on pollution abatement by curtailing both wind and water erosion, officials agree.

The planning and completed practices under the Great Plains Conservation Program represents a change on some of the farms to include a livestock enterprise. Several of the farms were formerly cotton, wheat, and grain sorghum farms with little or no history of livestock operations. These farms now include livestock.

This seems to be the trend in the Great Plains area of the United States, Lieb said.

The Great Plains Conservation Program can cover all phases of the change from strictly row crop farming to livestock production. Depending on the land owner or operator's needs and desires a plan can be prepared to include the establishment of improved pastures using introduced or native grasses. Cropland can be used for supplemental grazing and cash crops. At this time 101 Great Plains Conservation Program contracts have

been written on 2,350 acres of land obligating over \$230,000 for Knox County. This does not include the funds put into the contract by the farmer.

The Great Plains producer contracts which expired December 31, 1970, included those of Mrs. Opal Hutchinson, S. E. Williamson, Clyde Yost, Mrs. Roxie Williams, Mack Cooke, Williams and Moorehouse, Leo Fetsch, E. M. McSwain.

AFDC application form that will have many advantages. Under the direction of a public welfare worker, applicants meeting in groups can fill these out sufficiently. Then each client will be contacted and the information verified in the traditional manner. Still we will have saved some time and served more people simultaneously. (Of course applicants can continue to apply individually.)

"A third shift that allows us to serve more people with our present staff is a new switch from long-range social services to short-term goals can be much more effective than the old-fashioned method of trying to be all things to all clients for all time.

"Delivering these short-term goals means an impact on local communities and their various resource agencies. That's because we will provide only those services for which we are responsible - including, of course, child protection foster care and adoption services.

"In the past year we concentrated our limited staff in the areas where children need our services most desperately. For example, to better provide permanent homes and parents for the abused and neglected children, we have doubled our adoption staff. We have added a third more staff to our day care licensing service.

"We are providing more in-depth protective service to children in Texas' 254 counties, though we still need State funds to provide an adequate foster care program for children who are not related to AFDC.

"We will also work with communities and county governing bodies to help develop resources in areas where resources are lacking. At the present time our State Constitution places the entire responsibility for meeting the needs of the county's poor upon the Commissioners' Court. Thus a trend back in the direction of meeting local problems locally is necessary because of lack of funds on the State level due to Constitutional limitations.

"Tax exempt charitable organizations will, also, be asked to help meet the needs of indigent people contacting our office for help, thus our office shall become not only a place where benefits can be received from tax dollars, but also a referral service to where benefits can be received from tax exempt dollars that are exempt for the purpose of helping the needy. We feel these resources have not been utilized as much as they should have been and that we have a wasted duplication of the public's money.

"We have a big problem facing the people of Texas: we are trying to work it out the best we possibly can with the resources available. We hope you, the people, will seek to understand our problem and we diligently seek your cooperation in helping solve it."

HOME FROM NTSU

Mary Reese, sophomore student at North Texas State University at Denton, will return to her studies there this weekend after spending the holidays here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Reese and Debbie. On Saturday, January 2, Mary participated in the wedding of her suitemate, Janet Mauzy, at Hurst.

Kappa Gamma Led By KC Group

The Chapter of the Kappa Gamma Society City Saturday afternoon 10 o'clock in the City Cafe for a monthly meeting. Members and the Bill Merkel and others were present.

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"This simplified application shows faith in the dignity and responsibility of those who must ask for assistance.

"We will not use this method in the AFDC program at this time. Tests of this method in the AFDC program were made in Houston, but the results were disappointing. The trouble may be in the form itself. We're still working on it, trying to iron out the bugs. Our second change DOES involve the AFDC program, however. We are implementing a "client-completed"

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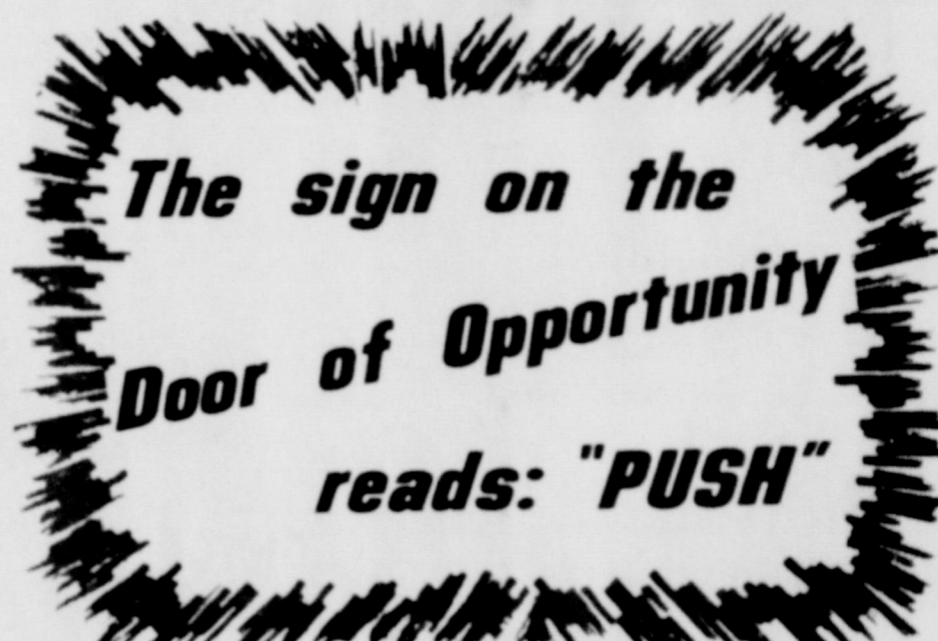
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Set-Aside Farm Program To Help Producers On Crops

The set-aside feature of 1971 farm programs for feed grain, wheat, and cotton should help producers concentrate on the crops they can produce best, according to A. J. Navratil, chairman of the Knox County Agricultural Stabilization and Conservation Service (ASC) Committee.

Navratil said that set-aside idea seems to fit with trends that have been building in farming over the years. These include the trend in which American farms have grown fewer in number and larger in size, and the trend for producers to become more efficient and more productive. The efficient, competitive producer will be in the best position to take advantage of growing world demands for farm products, Navratil said.

Under the new programs, a producer agrees to set aside a pre-determined number of acres of cropland from production and devote it to approved soil-conserving uses. He then can plant his remaining cropland to any crop he wishes except for sugar cane and for quota crops such as peanuts, tobacco, rice and extra long staple cotton.

In this way, Navratil said, a farmer can plant the crops that he prefers to grow and which give him his best net returns. Agricultural specialists who helped develop the new programs point out that this greater freedom to plant will eventually lead to the concentration of certain crops in areas of the country where they can be grown most efficiently. They expect more corn production concentrated in the Corn Belt, more small grains in the Great Plains, more soybean production in the Southeast, and an expansion of cotton production in the most efficient areas.

One of the basic ideas behind the set-aside feature, according to Navratil is that producers in all of these areas can be better off because they will be producing the crop they grow best at a lower cost. He added that some farmers for years have been locked into certain patterns of producing their crops because of the acreage control features of past programs. A farmer who had

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Anyone interested in membership may obtain an application for membership from Faye Rallsback, secretary, at the City Hall, Box 478, Knox City, Texas, or Charles Lankford, president. All applications for membership are welcome. 1-7-2tc

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County Cancer Society Meets Here Jan. 7

The Knox County American Cancer Society met January 7, in the Fellowship Hall of the First United Methodist Church in Knox City, with Hank Matthews, president presiding over the business meeting.

Guest speaker for the meeting was Lefty Ross, District 13 Crusade Chairman. He gave an outline on the District Crusade meeting which is to be held in Wichita Falls, January 21. He said all phases of the April Crusade will be covered, such as publicity, special gifts, house to house, business, how to order materials and use them.

The next County meeting will be in February at Rhineland.

Streams In Desert Places

BY OZELLE STEPHENS

"Whatever a man sows, that shall he also reap." Gal. 6:7.

In the beginning of the new year let us as Christians, seek to be a blessing, a lighthouse to others on this troubled sea of life. In fact we are very much like a lighthouse - just as the blinking lights go on and off to send forth a beacon of light to warn the ships of dangerous rocks and give other ships a point of reference to help them fix their position. By living close to God we send out the light of God's word, the power of his love to guide others. As our love, prayers, thoughts, and acts go out to others, we are sending forth the beacon of light of hope, trust, love and peace, thus we become a spiritual beacon drawing others in the harbor of his love and safety. This brings into our life stream of the same, for "Whatever a man sows, that shall he also reap."

Public Notice

NOTICE OF TAX RENDITION, 1971

I, Faye Rallsback, Assessor and Collector of Taxes, of the City of Knox City, Knox County, State of Texas, do hereby give public notice that all persons, firms, corporations and associations, public or bonded warehouse, beginning January 1st or before the first day of April of each and every year, shall furnish the Assessor and Collector of Taxes of the City of Knox City a full and complete statement, list and schedule verified by affidavit, of all real personal property located elsewhere and subject to taxation in the City of Knox City owned, held or controlled by them, or in their possession as agent, bailee, warehouseman or custodian on the first day of January and shall in said statement, list and schedule, state the name and address of the owner or owners of such property. Such lists, statements and schedules must be filed with the office of the Assessor and Collector of Taxes of the City of Knox City, in the City Hall Knox City, Texas.

WITNESS my hand, this 11th day of January, A. D. 1971.

Faye Rallsback Assessor and Collector of Taxes for the City of Knox City, Texas 1-14-1tc

KC Colored News-Events

By ALESTINE FLYE

SERV. OF THE CHURCH Usher Board Meeting, Sunshine Band, and Choir practice were held on Saturday evening.

Sunday School had an excellent attendance on Sunday morning with Missionary Wilson acting Supt.

The morning service Supt. Bennett preached from Hebrews 2:1, 2 & H Thess. 2:13. Y.P.W. and night service were held. Elder Bennett preached about "The Lord is My Helper".

The Abilene and Coleman districts are to meet at Bethel Church of God in Christ in Abilene Thurs. night of this week. Bishop Alexander requests this call meeting.

We share in the sorrow of Mother Georgia Smith's family at the losing of their loved one, Mrs. Lois Johnson.

The Lee Earl Ward family of Albuquerque N. M. visited in the home of his parents, Elder and Leon Ward during the Christmas holidays. They then travelled to Houston to visit Mrs. Ward's parents Mr. and Mrs. Lonnie Rhodes.

The senior Wards especially enjoyed the visit with their children.

Johnny Helms, son of Mr. and Mrs. John Helms, visited them over the Christmas holidays. Johnny is a student at Angelo State University in San Angelo.

Sgt. Dwight Faulk Returns To States

Army Sergeant and Mrs. Dwight Faulk and Celeste have returned from Germany, where Dwight has been stationed for the last two and a half years. He is now assigned to Fort Bliss, in El Paso.

They spent the Christmas holidays visiting their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Elston and girls, and Mr. and Mrs. D. E. Faulk.

CALL IN YOUR NEWS - 658-2281

Farm Bureau Urges Market Oriented Economy Study

The American Farm Bureau, at its recent 52nd annual meeting, urged the Secretary of Agriculture to use his authority to assure farmers of income opportunities comparable to other segments of the national economy.

"We believe that the next three years should be used for an intensive study and reappraisal of all approaches to the improvement of the incomes of American farm families, looking toward the development of a market-oriented economy for all of agriculture," the Bureau said.

"To this end we urge farmers, individually and through their farmer-owned and farmer-controlled organizations, to develop programs and facilities which can coordinate production with demand, manage temporary oversupply, increase farmers' bargaining power, bring about orderly marketing, as-

Ex-Knox Citian Featured Sunday

Just in case the model who was featured on the front page of the Abilene Reporter-News' society page Sunday looked vaguely familiar, she is a former Knox City resident and graduate of our local school.

Mrs. Lynn Mendenhall, the former Patsy Denton and daughter of J. V. (Jodie) Dentons, was pictured in the Sunday edition modeling a late day party dress in one photo and a pantsuit in another.

Patsy's husband is the new head coach of the Cooper High basketball team and she teaches English at Jefferson Junior High. The couple's son, Greg, 6, attends kindergarten.

CALL IN YOUR NEWS

Country Club Happenings

The Ladies Luncheon was held Wednesday, January 6 at the Country Club.

Hostesses were Mrs. Cidy Williams and Mrs. Neil Perdue.

The next luncheon will be Wednesday, February 4.

The first pretty Sunday in January the couples play will be held.

CALL IN YOUR NEWS

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The Old Timer

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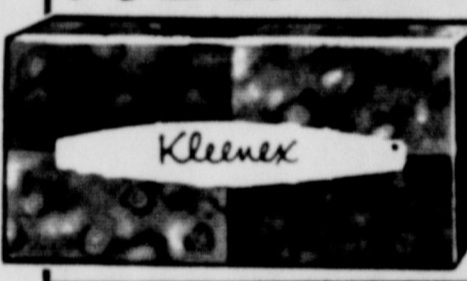


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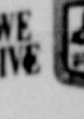
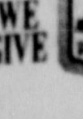
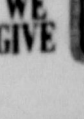
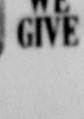
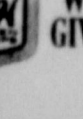
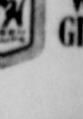



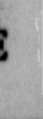
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Senior Class News

By GWEN ANGLE

Studies are being greatly talked about around KCHS this week! (only because of Mid-term tests!)
 I am sure we will all be relieved when Thursday is over.
 In English we are studying "The Rime of the Ancient Mariner" by Samuel Taylor Coleridge. Mrs. Cash warned us to look for familiar quotations such as "Is this a dagger I see before me, its handle 'tward my hand" from "Macbeth" by William Shakespeare, on our Mid-term test.
 Tuesday the basketball teams play at Baird, and Friday we play Wylie here. The Wylie girls are the current STATE class A champions, so it ought to be a fantastic game! Come and support the KC teams.

Junior Class News

By JAN LANKFORD

This is mid-semester week and if we can survive the tests, we can survive through the last semester!
 The English III class is studying literature from the American Revolution. We have studied George Washington, Alexander Hamilton, Thomas Jefferson, Benjamin Franklin, and other, and we memorized the Preamble to the Constitution.
 The basketball teams played Baird there Tuesday night. Last Friday the teams played Roscoe here. The girls and B team boys won, and the A team boys lost.
 We get out of school Friday for a teachers' workday. I imagine by then we'll be looking for a holiday.

Sophomore Class News

By DEBBIE WALL

Monday morning, pictures were taken. Almost everyone was involved, as choir, basketball, Beta Club, Kennel Staff, Annual King and Queen, and several other pictures were taken.
 Wednesday and Thursday will be mid-term tests. Second, fourth, sixth, and seventh period classes will have tests Wednesday, and first, third, and fifth period classes have tests Thursday.
 There will be a pep rally Thursday for the Wylie basketball game. Wylie's girls were last year's State Champions, and our girls will be giving them a hard fight. Everyone come and help support our bas-

Senior Class News

ketball teams!
 One last word - No School Friday!

Freshman Class News

By DENISE GRINDSTAFF

The Hounds and Houndettes have played two district games each. The Hounds have lost both of their games, but the Houndettes have won both of theirs. Tuesday they play Baird, and Friday we play Wylie.
 Pictures were made this week. They were of choir, basketball, Annual King and Queen and Band Beau and Sweetheart.
 The B team is still undefeated after beating Aspermont and Roscoe. Now their record is 5-0.

Science Dept. News

By JEAN MARTINEZ

This week the news from the Science Department was taken from the things discussed in lecture.
 Lecture for the most part, has been involved in the study of the endocrine system. The endocrine system is composed of various glands that secrete hormones.
 The thyroid gland is one of the most important glands in the endocrine system. It is located on each side of the trachea, just below the larynx.
 This gland functions in the regulation of metabolism, growth, hardening of the bones, muscle tone, body temperature, and mental development.
 A malfunction of the thyroid gland can result in one of the two abnormal conditions. These conditions are hypothyroidism and hyperthyroidism.
 Hypothyroidism develops as a result of a deficiency of thyroid hormone which is iodine. This can occur as the result of a diet deficiency.
 If the gland lacks iodine, this will prevent production of the hormone.
 The gland will then become enlarged in order to collect more iodine and thus forms the condition known as goiter.
 Symptoms of the goiter condition are: loss of weight, body will be cold, the individual becomes slow and sluggish in activity, and the condition can cause mental defects and interfere with breathing.
 A correction of the iodine diet, administering of the artificial hormone, surgery, and radiation are all a source of curing the condition.
 If the condition occurs during infancy, the condition will interfere with growth and thus result in the condition of cretinism.

Cretins are born with serious defects both mentally and physically. The infant in most cases lives a very short life span.
 Hyperthyroidism is just the opposite of hypothyroidism. This condition produces a higher rate of metabolism, higher body temperature, increased heart action, and the individual will be very irritable and nervous.
 These conditions result in shorter life spans.

Homemaking II

By PATTY PITTS

Last week we finished giving our reports on the different childhood diseases. Friday we took a test over our reports. We had to study hard to keep our grades up.
 Now, the FFA and 4-H banquet is our main thought. We will be scrubbing potatoes, making, and serving the meal. It promises to be more fun than work.

Beta Club News

By GWEN ANGLE

An organizational meeting of the National Beta Club was held Friday. Officers for 1971 were elected and are as follows: President, Rogers Lankford, Vice President, Mike Newton, Secretary, Alice Martinez and Reporter, Gwen Angle. At this meeting we discussed qualifications for members and services we would perform.

Eighth Grade News

By STACY ANGLE

Tonight (Monday) the Pups and Pupettes will play Paducah there, and also this week the teams are entered in the Aspermont tournament. Next Monday night they will play Crowell there.
 In the Rule games last week, our girls won 34-31, and our boys won 45-41. Nice going, teams!
 Today (Monday) the photographer will be here to make the group and individual basketball pictures.
 Several eighth graders won honors at the county livestock show last weekend. Congratulations!

Girl Scout News

By JUDY HERRING

The Girl Scouts are planning to sell Girl Scout cookies. We will sell our cookies on March 6. There are four kinds of cookies. They are mint, sandwich, butter and peanut butter.
 CADETTE GIRL SCOUT
 Saturday, January 9, the Senior Cadette planning board held their meeting in Knox City at the Study Club building. Twenty-four girls arrived at the designated place at 11:00 and began the meeting with the reading of the minutes.
 The girls are planning several things which will interest many Girl Scouts over 14 years of age. There will be a conference held in Colorado for planning board members. For scouts over the age of 14 years, who want to help, a campout will be held for patients from the Wichita Falls State Hospital.
 The Girl Scouts who attended are Dorothy Sloan, Patty Pitts, Vicki King, Carol Jenkins, Mary Smith, Jean Collins, Louise Waynes, Rhonda Mickelson, Michele Litsey, Susan Hawley, Clarene Snider, Candl Gaetzman, Kendi Brown, Diane Dray, Cheryl Embrey, Melinda Davis, Karen Cooper, Collett Cherry, Irene Sotter, Mary Ann Cherry, Regina Pitts, Kathryn Pitts, Ann Jenkins, and Jo Ann Mickelson.

School Calendar

JANUARY 11 - 15
 Monday Junior High Basketball - Paducah, There, 6:00, FFA Barbecue
 Tuesday High School Basketball - Baird, There, 5:00
 Wednesday Exams
 Thursday Junior High BB Tournament at Aspermont begins
 Friday Teacher Work Day, Student holiday, High School BB - Wylie, Here, 5:00.

FROM ABILENE

Mr. and Mrs. David Slaughter, Elise and John of Abilene spent the holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Hamm.

Lunchroom Menu

JANUARY 18 - 22
 Monday Orange Juice - Buttered Toast/Jelly - Milk
 Tuesday Grape Juice - Bacon - Buttered Toast/Jelly - Milk
 Wednesday Orange Juice - Oatmeal - Buttered Toast - Milk
 Thursday Banana - Ready-to-Eat Cereal - Buttered Toast - Milk
 Friday One-Half Orange - Scrambled Eggs - Buttered Toast/Jelly - Milk
 LUNCH
 Monday Hot Dogs - Baked Beans - Potato Chips - Chilled Peaches - Ice Box Cookies - Orange Juice - Milk
 Tuesday Meat Patties - Mashed Potatoes - Seasoned Spinach - Corn Bread/Butter - Coconut Pudding - Milk
 Wednesday Fish Sticks - Buttered Corn - Okra and Tomato Casserole - Thick Sliced Toast - Brownies - Milk
 Thursday Beef Tacos - Lettuce and Tomato Salad - Cream Peas - Sliced Bread - Apple-sauce Cobbler - Milk
 Friday Roast/Gravy - Mashed Potatoes - Green Salad - Hot Rolls/Butter - Jello/Fruit.

KC Study Club To Observe "Texas Day"

The Knox City Study Club will observe "Texas Day" with a program on Thursday, January 21, at 2:30 p.m.
 Mrs. George Davis will be program leader and guests will be the members of the 1946 Study Club.
 Roll call will be answered by what each person likes best in Texas History.

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VISIT PARENTS

Mr. and Mrs. Derrell Marion and Lance of Big Lake visited their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Tommy Richardson and Mr. and Mrs. Dickie Marion over the Christmas holidays.



Coaches' Comments

By COACH HIBBITTS

In last week's action the Greyhounds were defeated in both the Aspermont and Roscoe games by narrow margins. Aspermont defeated the Hounds by 3 and Roscoe by 1.
 In the Aspermont game, Mike Newton was awarded two stars because he scored 17 points and had 15 rebounds. Rogers Lankford had two stars because he had 16 points and drew a charging foul. Greg Clonts had two stars because of his 5 assists and no turnovers. Roland Marion had 2 stars because he had 10 points and 11 rebounds and Phillip Newton had one star for drawing a charging foul.
 In the Roscoe game Greg Clonts had 3 stars because he scored 10 points, grabbed 12 rebounds, and had 5 assists. Bobby Reeves had 2 because he had no turnovers and drew a charging foul. Mike Newton had one star for scoring 17 points. Rogers Lankford had one star for scoring 15 points and Roland Marion had one for scoring 15 points.
 To say the least, it's very disappointing to lose games like the Aspermont and Roscoe games. This is especially true after the teams had played good ball and then faltered at the end. This put us out of the race for the first half of district, but the way our district is organized this year, it still leaves us with a chance. If we win the second half of district play, this would tie us for the district Championship and force a play-off.
 We've had our backs to the wall before, so we're not going to give up, but just bear down a little harder. We believe in our character and leadership, and we know that we're still alive.
 ATTENTION PEP RALLY IN THE HIGH SCHOOL GYM THURSDAY AFTERNOON AT 3:30 - THE PUBLIC IS URGED TO ATTEND!!!

Mrs. Robinson Is HD Club President

The Knox City Home Demonstration Club was organized Thursday, January 7. Miss Elaine Bowman, HD agent, presided at the meeting which was held in her mobile home at So. 4th and Aspen. The group reviewed "Simple Parliamentary Procedure".
 Officers elected include Mrs. Guy Robinson, president. Mrs. Clyde Bouldin, vice-president. Mrs. Bill Smith, secretary and Mrs. Martha Floyd, reporter. Mrs. Dale Pitts was named Council Delegate.
 Meeting dates will be the first and third Thursdays at 2 p.m. and all interested persons are invited to join. The next meeting will be January 21 in the Bouldin residence at 1119 So. 4th Street.
 Others who attended Thursday's meeting were Mmes. Bud Carver, Horace Finely, O. B. McElroy, and B. B. Hendrix.

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KC Couple's Nephew Is Wed To Gail Farrell

(Editor's Note: Mr. and Mrs. Otto Lawson, accompanied by their grandson, Kenny, and Mrs. Joe Roy Smith, were in Durant to attend the wedding of Otto's nephew and Miss Farrell, who is a favorite of many Knox City viewers on the Lawrence Welk TV show. Because of the interest of many readers, we are using the wedding write-up in its entirety from the Salinas, California, paper.)
 Miss Gail Lee Farrell, who was married to Robert Leroy Lawson Saturday, December 27, was one of the soloists at her wedding.
 The bride, who is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Brince C. Farrell of Durant, Okla., is a featured performer on the Lawrence Welk show.
 Her husband is the son of Mrs. Mabel R. Lawson of Salinas and the late R. C. Lawson.
 They repeated their vows after the Rev. Dr. J. M. Gaskin at afternoon rites in the First Baptist Church of Durant. In addition to songs by vocalist Pamela Green, the bride sang "You and I." Organist was Mary Ann Craig.
 The bride designed her Juliet-inspired gown of white velvet featuring modified leg-o-mutton sleeves and a slightly gathered skirt with a self-train falling from an Empire bodice, inset with a bib of Spanish-eyelid heirloom lace. Her dress was detailed with pink, green, and white ribbons which trimmed the wrists, bodice, and front of the skirt and also were laced through the bib and tied in a bow in the back.
 She wore a velvet-based wreath of pink rosebuds, leaves and baby's breath and carried a cascade of pink and white rosebuds with the same accent.
 The bride fastened a small gold, initialed brooch-pin that had been in her mother's family for 200 years at the neck of her dress.
 Her only attendant was Mrs. William A. Howard of Tulsa, Okla., who donned a floor-length, long-sleeved gown of burgundy velvet with Empire, V-neck bodice trimmed in antique gold, jeweled braid.
 The best man was Donald Weeland of Glendora, Calif.

Engagement Announced

Mr. and Mrs. Counts have announced engagement of their daughter Rhonda Cheryl, to Guy Robinson, son of Mr. and Mrs. Guy Robinson of Big Lake. The bride-elect is a graduate of Big Lake High School and is a senior at Christian College where she will graduate in May. She has a BS degree in Elementary Education. She is employed by ACC's Center.
 The prospective groom is a graduate of Big Lake High School. He has a BS degree in English from McMurry in 1965, where he was and Big Chief of Big Club. He taught in Big Lake High School for two years and did graduate work as Tech University is currently serving with the States Navy aboard the Blue Ridge in Philadelphia.
 The couple will be married in June at the Big Lake Christian Church.
 Flashlight battery in my light.

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