

Lewis Paint Shop Destroyed By Fire Tues.

Fanned by Strong South Winds, Nothing Left, Not Even The Walls After One Hour; 5 Trucks Battle The Blaze

A consuming fire completely destroyed the Sterling Lewis Paint and Body Shop on central Avenue in Knox City Tuesday. The building of plastered concrete block, steel and wood framework, and described here as the "largest building in town" was gutted from the front to the back in a matter of some forty minutes. The fire of undetermined origin broke out at 11:40 a. m. in the front part of the building, originally designed as a show room, and one of the front inside walls had caved in and a plate glass window cracked and popped out within minutes of the fire's discovery.

OWNER WAS AWAY

Sterling Lewis, owner of the business had gone to Haskell to get parts for an automobile and was not present when the fire broke out. His father, Clinton Lewis Sr., who works with him was also out of town when the fire occurred. He arrived on the scene at the height of the blaze. He had been to Jacksboro to visit his father, who is critically ill.

I just knew that's where the fire was," said the senior Lewis, "as soon as I saw all that smoke billowing over town."

The fire was discovered by Ernie Singleton, car body repairman, who said that he heard an explosion-like sound in the front and that he looked in that direction and saw a fire burning furiously in an area just above the ceiling-suspended heating unit.

Singleton said that before he could realize what had happened the flame began flashing at the ceiling, which immediately caught fire. Singleton yelled out to Jimmy Parker, who was working on a car in the back of the building, and at the same time started running out the front door to the City Hall, two doors away.

FIRE ALARM GIVEN

When Singleton made the few steps to the City Hall to turn in the alarm Duck Robinson City Secretary said, "I got the news all at once from about four people, one of them being Singleton." Others had caught the view of the flashing fire from across the street.

Duck Robinson said that he then turned in the alarm himself

FIRE CLOUD ABOVE

Singleton said that when he got back into the building, Parker was at the wheel of the Company wrecker and shot out the front with it. Singleton also manned a vehicle and drove it out the front.

They were under a cloud of fire and smoke.

When the two men returned into the building the flame was already spreading to the back. Singleton glanced around and saw a wall collapse. The two jumped into a pickup each and drove out through the rear of the building.

The men made still another trip into the building and brought out a couple of passenger cars. Singleton said that the white smoke was boiling everywhere on his last run through a side door with one of the cars, and that he was "beginning to choke up."

THREE VEHICLES BURN

Singleton made one more pass at trying to get out other cars but gave up when he reached one and realized that it was jacked up on a hydraulic lift.

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Word Received On Death of Former Benjamin Man

Word has been received in this area of the death of a former Benjamin resident, Wallace Ovid Ward on December 24, 1966 in Seattle Washington.

Mr. Ward (Jiggs) was born Feb. 14, 1909, at Benjamin, the youngest son of Mr. and Mrs. T. B. Ward.

For the past twenty-one years Mr. Ward has resided in Seattle, where he was engaged in apartment house management.

Survivors include his widow, Mrs. Helen Ward of Seattle; his mother, Mrs. Nellie Ward of Lakewood, California; a sister, Mrs. Aveline Olson of Centralia, Washington; two brothers, Thomas (Harbert) Ward of Spenard, Alaska and Euell Ward of Renton, Washington.

Former K C Youth Accidentally Shot

Dale Bloxham, eight-year-old son of Mrs. Betty Jean Bloxham of 4084 North 10th, Abilene, former residents of Knox City, was critically wounded Friday afternoon about 3:50 in an accidental shooting.

Reports were that Dale and another 8-year-old boy were looking for a BB gun in the other boy's home when they came upon a loaded .22 caliber pump rifle in a closet. The gun discharged accidentally, hitting Dale in the chin. As the boys were alone in the house, his companion summoned aid, and he was rushed to Hendrick Memorial Hospital. Surgery was performed late Friday night.

Relatives have reported that Dale is "holding" his own, but is still in critical condition.

Dale is the grandson of Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Hawkins of Abilene, also former residents of Knox City.

Two Classes For Sewing To Be Held

Two clothing construction classes for women are scheduled to begin this month in Knox County. They will be open to any woman who is interested in improving her skill in sewing and in making a garment during the course.

The class on basic construction is to be organized on February 15 at 2:30 p.m. in the Munday Grade School Lunch Room.

The tailoring workshop will be organized on February 10 at 9 a. m. at the Court House in Benjamin.

The purpose of these meetings is to discuss types of fabric suitable for the projects, supplies needed, also to give those interested an opportunity to enroll. Classes would probably meet once each week for four to six weeks. If you are interested, but are unable to attend one of the organization meetings, please drop a card to S. C. Kinsey, County Home Demonstration Agent, Benjamin.

FROM LUBBOCK

Mrs. Minnie Lee Huntsman of Lubbock was here Tuesday and Wednesday of last week visiting her son and his wife, Mr. and Mrs. Hass Huntsman, and other relatives and friends.

Weather Observations

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DATE	HIGH	LOW	RAIN
2-1	78	46	
2-2	48	29	
2-3	64	23	
2-4	68	32	
2-5	71	33	
2-6	47	23	
2-7	56	22	
2-8		31	
Soil Temp. (Bare Ground)			
2-2	38		
2-6	32		



Members Of National Beta Club

Knox City High School students receiving recognition as Members of the National Beta Club are pictured above with their sponsor, Ward Cooksey, high school principal. Reading left to right, first row: Judy Rushing, Carolyn Crowover, Mary Reese.

Anne Hoge, Becky Lowrey, and Susan Reese; second row: Linda Abbott, Eloise Jordan, Jeanna Vassar, Velvet Verhalen, Karen White, Lynn Beason, Mike Glenn, and Jerry Myers; third row: Mr. Cooksey, Charles Escobar, Ronald Curd, Floyd Baker, Randy Hise, and David Hoge.

SENIORS OF THE WEEK



CHARLES BURT

Charles Burt was born February 17, 1949, in Knox City, and is the son of C. L. Burt.

Charles has had two years of track and two of football. However, he says that neither year of football was completed. He participated in F.F.A. for one year.

He always attended the Knox City Schools with the exception of his Junior year in High School, which he spent in Plano, Texas, attending Plano High School.

Charles has brown hair, green eyes, is 5 ft., 11 3/4 inches tall and weighs 148 pounds.

He lists his favorite song as "Eve of Destruction," his favorite actor, Lee Marvin; his favorite actress, Ann Margaret; and Johnny Cash is his favorite singer. His favorite color is blue.

City Election Set For April 4

A city election has been called for Tuesday, April 4, 1967. At this time, a mayor and two councilmen will be elected for two-year terms. One councilman will be elected for one year to fill the unexpired term of Charles Pack, who recently moved to Big Lake. A member will be appointed by the Council to serve the eight weeks of Pack's time before the election.

The terms of Mayor Buddy Angle and Councilmen Carl Shelton and Paul Clayton expire this April. Other members of the Council who terms do not expire until next April are Clyde Voss and O. M. (Jesse) James.

Deadline for filing will be Saturday, March 4, and application blanks may be obtained at the City Hall.

Local Boy Wins Contest Prize

Danny Lewis, 9-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Sterling Lewis, was notified last week that he was one of twelve winners in a specialty company's Grand Awards Promptness Contest for 1966.

Danny had sold packaged Christmas tags and seals. He had a choice of \$100.00 in cash or a popular brand portable TV set.

He also was asked permission to use his photograph and statement of how he sold his merchandise so quickly for the firm's advertising.

Have you guessed which choice of prizes Danny chose? THE MONEY, naturally! Congratulations, Danny.

HERE FROM HURST

Mrs. William David Denton, of Hurst, Texas, was a weekend visitor in the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. P. Denton. Gay went by car last weekend to Ft. Leonard Wood, Missouri, to visit with David. He will be transferred to Fort Sill, Lawton, Oklahoma, on February 17th, for further training.

SENIOR OF THE WEEK



CYNDY JOHNSTON

Cyndy Johnston was born September 21, 1948, in Knox City, the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Billy Gene Johnston.

She lists her activities as four years in F.H.A., four years in F.T.A., 2 years as Librarian; and four years in Band. Her Senior year, Cyndy is serving as Class Reporter, 3rd Vice-President of F.H.A., Historian of F.T.A. and is a member of the Office Staff.

Her favorite color is pink; food, broiled steak and baked potatoes; song, "Try Me" by James Brown; actor, Ben Gazzara.

Cyndy is 5 feet, 6 inches tall and has brown hair and brown eyes.

Winners Listed For Club Tourney

The Bridge and Canasta tournament held last Wednesday at The Woman's Club here was attended by approximately 40 ladies.

Winners at bridge were Ist, Mrs. Alma Culwell; 2nd, Mrs. Bob Howell, Bingo, Mrs. Bruce Campbell Jr. and Traveling prize for a bid of 5 or over, Mrs. Samuel Tankersley.

In canasta Mrs. Joe Averitt and Mrs. Ben Farmer won 1st places.

Refreshments of coffee and pie were served by the hostesses, Meses. Jerry Odom, George Wall, Henry L. White and Paul Hoge.

The tournament was sponsored by the 1946 Study Club.

This group of Knox City High School students are members of the National Beta Club, which is an organization of high school students of good mentality and character, creditable achievement, and commendable attitudes. Membership herein signifies that the student has been designated by the high school authorities as worthy of special recognition because of outstanding attainment and promise.

To be eligible for local membership, a student must be in the Knox City High School for one and one-half years and maintain a grade average of 88. After these conditions have been met, the student is nominated for membership, and then must be approved by the local members.

Those who have attained membership for the first time this year are Ronald Curd, Floyd Baker, Randy Hise, Eloise Jordan, Jeanna Vassar, Lynn Beason, Mary Reese, Anne Hoge, and Becky Lowrey.

Serving the group as officers for 1966-67 are Mike Glenn, president; Jerry Myers, vice-president; David Hoge, Secretary-Treasurer; and Judy Rushing, reporter.

Jr. High Teams Lose To Paducah At District Meet

The Knox City Jr. High basketball teams were at Crowell last Thursday night to compete in play for the western half of District 11—A. Both girls and boys teams played Paducah and lost, the girls 34-14 and the boys, 56-28. Betsy Ross was high point for the K. C. girls, and Charlie Lieb was high point for the boys.

The teams were hosts to Old Glory Monday night, and both the Jr. High teams and the 5th and 6th grade boys were defeated. The girls lost 26-19, with Alice Martinez high point for K. C. with 14 points. The boys lost 43-29, and Charlie Lieb scored 9 for high point. The 5th and 6th grade boys had their game tied until the last few seconds when Old Glory scored ending the game 14-12. Greg Clonts scored 6 for K. C. high point.

The Jr. High boys' team will play the Seymour B team at 5:30 p. m. Thursday in the Seymour Jr. High Boys' tournament.

Last Rites Held Saturday For Mrs. L. V. Dodd

Funeral services were held Saturday at 2:30 p.m. in the First Baptist Church for Mrs. L. V. (Kitty) Dodd, 67, with the Rev. Gerald Petty, pastor, officiating, assisted by Ira Harrison of Abilene, long-time friend of the family. Burial was in the Knox City Cemetery under the direction of Smith Funeral Home.

Mrs. Dodd died at 8:30 p.m. Thursday, February 2, in the Knox County Hospital where she had been a patient since last Sunday morning when she had suffered a stroke during the morning worship services at the First Baptist Church.

Born December 3, 1899, in Itasca, she married L. V. Dodd on May 22, 1922, in Wichita Falls. They moved to Knox City in 1940 and lived here until 1958 when they moved to Shallowater. They returned here the latter part of 1965.

Survivors include her husband; one son, Billy J. of Lubbock; four daughters, Mrs. A. J. Collier, of Odessa, Mrs. Morris Jenkins of Rochester, Mrs. Eugene Wells of Garland and Mrs. Frank Pierce of Stamford; her mother, Mrs. J. R. Snyder of Seymour; two brothers, C. A. and Charlie Snyder, both of Seymour; two sisters, Mrs. J. J. Church of Seymour and Mrs. Charlie Carter of Houston; and 13 grandchildren.

Pallbearers were Guy Robinson, G. W. (Jack) Coats, Charlie Keck, Howard Logan, Otto Lawson and Bud Thompson.

Long, Dry Spell

Last year at this time, Knox City had received two heavy snows, occurring in January, that helped some moisture-wise. This year many old-timers are saying that they do not ever remember going this long without moisture of some sort.

Last fall was very unusual in that 7.5 inches of rain fell in the month of September, .73 in October, a trace in November, and .03 in December.

This year began with a rain total "NONE" for January.

As the wheat continues to suffer, and the land becomes drier day by day, all keep hoping, "maybe next week."

K C FFA Wins Swine Herdsman Award For 4th Year at Ft. Worth Stock Show

The Knox City Chapter of the Future Farmers of America won the Swine Herdsman Award at the Fort Worth Fat Stock Show last week to make it the fourth consecutive year that the K.C. Chapter has won this award. It is a cash award made to the chapter. This is quite an honor for our school and our town, as there were approximately 800 breeding swine and 1700 barrows that the animals of our FFA boys were in competition with.

Jimmy Faulk exhibited the Grand Champion Yorkshire gilt and David Speck exhibited the Reserve Champion Yorkshire boar.

Other winners included Ronald Curd, first place July Yorkshire gilt; David Speck, 3rd place July Yorkshire gilt; Paul Graham, 6th place Chesterwhite gilt; Amador Gonzales, 10th place Chesterwhite gilt; Floyd Baker, 4th place July Hampshire gilt; Mickey Logan,

12th place September Hampshire gilt; Charles Escobar, 10th place July Duroc gilt; Jimmy Faulk, 6th place lightweight Duroc barrow.

And Kenny Lawson, 16th place medium weight Duroc barrow; and Wayne James, 17th place, medium weight Hampshire barrow.

Assisting Leon Burkham, Knox City FFA vocational ag. teacher and chapter advisor, with transportation to the show were Mr. and Mrs. Fred Carver, Mr. and Mrs. Odell Carver, and Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Carver.

Mr. Burkham stated that a number of Knox City residents attended the show, and in fact Saturday, he remarked that he looked like "Knox City."

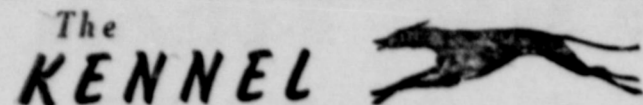
These boys have worked hard and they, and Mr. Burkham, serve recognition for the showing they have made. Congratulations are extended to all.

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SENIOR CLASS NEWS

By Cyndy Johnston

The class appreciates the participation of those that bought items from the Senior Class Garage Sale Saturday. The money will be used for the Annual King and Queen Contest.

The class chose a play entitled "Grandad Steps out." Tryouts rehearsals began after basketball season.

A special program will be presented to the Senior Class on Wednesday. All of us are anxious to find out what it will be.

JUNIOR NEWS

By Velvet Verhalen

The race for Annual King and Queen is really getting under way. The contest will officially be over on Wednesday and the winners will be announced.

Both basketball games will be at Knox City this week. Tuesday night we play Paducah and Friday night Archer City will challenge our teams.

SOPHOMORE NEWS

By Mary Reese

The Beta Club met several times last week. The Sophomore members are Randy Hise, Anne Hope, Floyd Baker, Jeanna Vassar, Ronald Curd, Eloise Jordan, Lynn Beason and Mary Reese.

The Hounds and Houndettes were both defeated at Petro's last Friday night. But we have games with Paducah and Archer City this week. Both games will be here.

FRESHMAN NEWS

By Gayle Campbell

Kenny Lawson and Jimmy Faulk went to the Fort Worth Fat Stock Show last week. Jimmy's pig placed sixth and Kenny's placed sixteenth. Both were in the Duroc barrow division. We are all very proud of them.

Friday, in homemaking, the girls attended a program based on "Good Family Relations." We learned the importance that family relations play in the kind of character a person develops.

EIGHTH GRADE NEWS

By Gwen Angle

I must have spoken too soon soon about winning (hoping to win) in the District Tourney at Crowell. Paducah really did beat us. We don't even like to think about it, much less talk about it.

We have a game tonight and we are supposed to play Old Glory. This may very well be the last girls' basketball game of the year for us. The boys are entered this weekend in a tournament at Seymour. I hope we have a few more games just for fun. After this is all over, I think some of the girls are going to try and run track! Then we plan on having a Jr. High volleyball team.

Nothing else exciting has happened this week. See ya later!

SEVENTH GRADE NEWS

By Carol Speck

The Junior High boys and girls basketball teams played in the tournament at Crowell Thursday. The games were with Paducah, and we lost both games. Rolanda Stubbs and Billie Clement received suits, and we are happy to have them on our team.

Last weekend Pam Pack came back to visit some of her friends. Pam moved to Big Lake with her mother, Lula Belle, and her father, Charles Pack. We all enjoyed seeing her again.

GEORGE B. REED, USN

GRADUATES FROM AVIATION

FIRE CONTROL SCHOOL

MEMPHIS, TENN. — (FHTNC)

January 26 — Aviation Fire Control Technician Airman George B. Reed, USN, son of Mr. and Mrs. John L. Reed of Goree, Texas was graduated from Aviation Fire Control School at the Naval Air Technical Training Center, Memphis, Tenn.

He studied safety precautions, publications, reports, and the basic theory of aviation gunfire control systems.

Prior to this course, he completed a two-week course in Aviation Familiarization and the 13-week Electronics Fundamentals School.

Sen. J. Hightower Opposes Liquor By The Drink Tax

AUSTIN — Senator Jack Hightower, Vernon, said Thursday that Governor John Conally's proposed liquor-by-the-drink tax revenue measure "would create more problems than it would solve."

The Senator also questioned the advisability of the Governor's proposed repeal of the Co-sin-Briscoe Act under which state funds are allotted for construction of farm-to-market roads.

"I do not think that there will be any tangible benefits for the state under the liquor-by-the-drink proposal, even though it was proposed as a revenue measure," Senator Hightower said.

In his address to the legislature, the Governor said that the proposed tax on the liquor sales would add \$15 million to the state's revenue during the next biennium.

"I am in agreement with Governor Connally's statement that increased effectiveness in enforcement of laws relating to private clubs and the sale of liquor are essential," the senator said.

"However, I do not believe that the legalization of liquor by the drink is necessary to accomplish this. Such legislation would, in my opinion, create more problems than it would solve."

Check Cashing System Changed

DALLAS — The Federal Reserve Bank of Dallas will not process checks which do not carry the magnetic ink symbols of the writer's bank after Sept. 1, 1967.

Officials of the 11th Federal Reserve District here said the restriction was imposed in the name of efficiency.

They pointed out that the four offices under the jurisdiction of the Dallas Reserve Bank process more than 1.1 million checks daily. Computers sort checks with the magnetic symbols at the rate of 60,000 an hour. But only 1,500 checks an hour can be handled on low-speed machines that do not require the symbols.

After Sept. 1, officials announced checks will be handled as a non-cash collection. This means that credit cannot be given the receiver of the check of the check until it has been completely processed through the drawer's bank.

The announcement said that drug stores, department stores and super markets are being urged to withdraw their counter checks which do not have the "funny numbers" on the bottom.

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TRUSCOTT NEWS

MRS. H. A. SMITH

Mrs. G. W. Hollis was a guest of Mrs. R. B. Glidewell Sunday.

Mmes. Homer Martin, Bill Dodd and Marion Chowing attended the T. H. D. A. at Haskell last Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Eubank spent the weekend with their children, Mrs. Inez McLaughlin and family of Carlsbad, N. M., and Dennis and Horace of Post.

They returned home Monday. Mr. and Mrs. Joe Gordon of Crowell visited the Horace Haynes Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Price of Seymour spent Thursday night with their daughter, Mrs. Tommie Tapp and family.

Miss Lelah Jones of Stamford spent the weekend at her home here.

Mr. and Mrs. Irwin Eubank of Lubbock spent the weekend visiting here and at Crowell.

Mr. and Mrs. Chester Roberts of Abilene visited her sister, Mrs. Marion Chowing and father, Mr. Stoker, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. James Corder of Chanute, Illinois, are visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. O. Corder. They will return to Dallas Monday where her mother, Mrs. Jack Spikes of Crowell, will have surgery Tuesday at Baylor Hospital.

Mrs. Florence Good, sister of Mrs. J. W. Chowing, is in a Jackboro hospital and in very serious condition at the present time.

Mr. and Mrs. Hubert Chowing of Lubbock spent Saturday night with his father here and visited other relatives Sunday.

Harold Baird of Oklahoma City visited relatives and friends in the Gilliland area over the weekend. Mr. and Mrs. Glenn McGuire

visited their daughter and family in Arlington over the weekend and also attended funeral services for his aunt, Mrs. Clara Taylor of Fort Worth. Mr. and Mrs. O. R. Miller at

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tended the funeral of Mrs. Les Whalley, sister-in-law of Mrs. Miller, in Crowell, Saturday.

Paula Horne of Lubbock spent the weekend with her parents here.

Mr. and Mrs. Colson of Vera visited the A. L. Cooks Friday night.

Mrs. J. R. Spivey and W. H. Simmons were Muenster visitors Friday.

Rev. Jack Gardner was in Oklahoma City the past week for a medical checkup.

Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Cook, Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Kinniburgh, Mr. and Mrs. L. B. Bat. visited the Ed Peemster in Knox City Friday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Q. D. Williams of

Floydada visited her relatives here Sunday on their return trip from the Fat Stock show in Fort Worth.

Mmes. Dorothy Dodd and Marie Gillespie attended H. D. Council in Benjamin Friday.

Mrs. R. B. Glidewell and son visited her brother in Seymour Rest Home Sunday and also visited her brother-in-law, Buster Ford, who is a patient in Knox County Hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Newt Bryant visited his parents Sunday and his mother, Mrs. Jess Bryant returned home with them for a few days visit.

Mmes. Allie Moorehouse and Mary Lou McLaury visited Mrs. H. A. Smith Monday.



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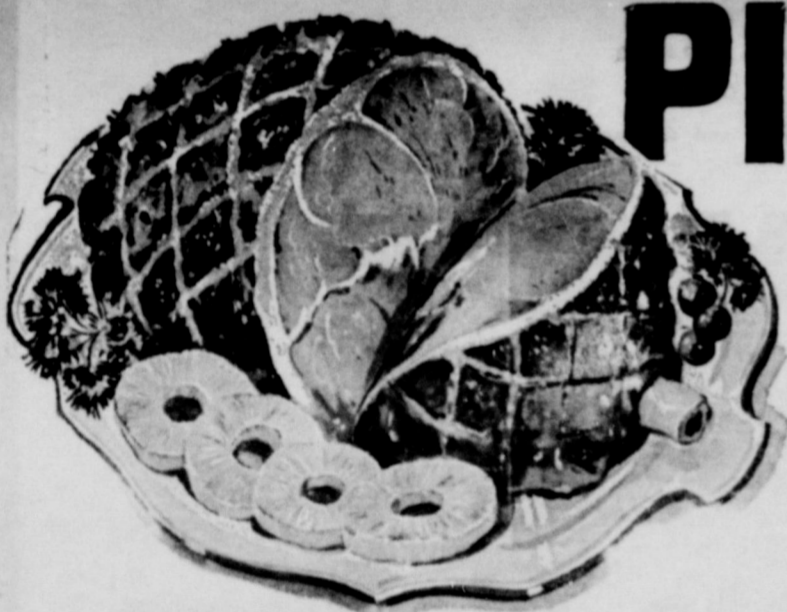


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O'BRIEN NEWS

MRS. SAM JOHNSTON

Visiting Mr. and Mrs. Bill Johnston over the weekend were Mrs. Sonnie Hughes, Ronnie and Stan, and Mr. and Mrs. Dwayne Johnston, Debbie and Jeanine all of Lubbock.

Mr. and Mrs. Gayle Holmes and daughter of Monahans, spent the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. Grady Holmes and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Hodges and family of Monahans visited Mr. and Mrs. Buster Hodges and Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Underwood over the weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. James Duncan and Becki of Fort Worth spent the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. Sam Johnston and Mr. and Mrs. Clifton Duncan and Lynn.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Mullings visited their daughter, Mrs. Marvin Wyatt and husband in Brownwood over the weekend.

Jill Walsworth, student at Ranger Jr. College, spent the weekend with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ross Walsworth, Danny and Jay.

Mrs. L. E. Hughes of Abilene visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Bill Johnston Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. John Lippard and Mrs. Junior Reeves were in Abilene last Wednesday to visit Jonette Lippard and Susan Vannoy.

Mr. and Mrs. Eddie Rinburger of College Station spent the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. Bobby O'Neal and Traci. Mrs. Rinburger was a granddaughter of Mrs. L. V. Dodd.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Hines and

children of Lewisville spent the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. J. W. LaDuke and Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Hines in Knox City.

Mr. and Mrs. O. S. Johnston of Bowie have purchased the Roy Hines home and will move here in the near future.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Barfield of Abilene spent the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. Sonny Correll.

Mr. and Mrs. Dewey Hewitt of Stamford visited Mr. and Mrs. Ranzey Herring Friday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Brothers, Don and Craig spent the weekend in Abilene with Mr. and Mrs. Ader's Herring and boys.

Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Covey and children visited Mr. and Mrs. Doyle Dotson and daughter in Abilene and Mr. and Mrs. J. T. DeHay in Brownwood over the weekend.

Mrs. Ken Moore will spend a portion of this week in Fort Worth with her husband the Rev. Ken Moore and her mother from Fort Worth will stay here with their four sons, Ken, Kary, Keith and Kelly.

Jim Edd Adkins of Fort Worth visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Eddie Adkins and Mary Lynn over the weekend.

Lupe Figuierro is living in Bridgeport where he is employed.

O'BRIEN BASKETBALL

The O'Brien High School basketball teams were hosts to Old Glory last Tuesday night. The boys lost a close 37-31, after staying ahead for three quarters. David and Mike Hewitt were high point and the girls lost with

Olivia Del Hierro high point.

Both teams went to Goree Friday night and lost both games. The Hewitts were high for the boys and Claudia Barnard high for the girls.

They will play their last home game Tuesday night with Benjamin.

O'BRIEN SCHOOL MENU

Feb. 13-17

MONDAY:

Corn Dogs, Green Lima Beans, New Potatoes, Carrot Sticks, Apple Crisp, Sliced Bread, Butter with Milk.

TUESDAY:

Roast and Gravy, Mashed Potatoes, Lettuce and Tomato Salad, Fresh Pears, Honey, Hot Rolls, Butter, Milk.

WEDNESDAY:

Beans, Stewed Tomatoes, Fresh Spinach, Salad, Rolled Wheat Cake, Corn Bread, Butter, Milk.

THURSDAY:

Spaghetti and Meat, Green Beans, Buttered Corn, Lettuce Wedges, Fruit Jello, Sliced Bread, Butter, Milk.

FRIDAY:

Barbecue on Buns, Pickles, Chopped Onions, Lettuce, Potato Chips, Raisin Oatmeal Cookies, Milk.

S. S. Officer To Be In Knox City Wed., Feb. 15th

Edwin S. Draughon, Officer in charge of the Vernon Social Security office, will be at the New City Hall in Knox City on Wednesday, February 15th, at 10:00. He will take applications and answer questions pertaining to social security.

All people in Knox City and Knox County desiring to file applications for social security benefits or ask questions about social security are invited to meet Mr. Draughon at this convenient location. He is available to speak to interested groups about social security at any time. There are no charges for these services.

Do not expect your voluntary medical insurance part of Medicare to pay for routine physical checkups.

Cub Scouts In Monthly Meet

Den 6 of the Knox City Cub Scouts was in charge of the Flag ceremony when the Cubs met January 31 at the Methodist Church.

Parents of the cubs joined in singing "America."

Jerry Ray, Cub Master announced that the annual Blue and Gold Banquet will be held February 28. All those interested in scouting are invited and urged to attend.

Cakes were auctioned with Den 5 furnishing the cakes. The scouts use a cake auction each month for raising funds and dens take turns in furnishing the cakes.

In program activity, Den 1 gave the history of Knox County scouting.

Den 3 was presented in a skit of "Famous Men."

Den 4 gave the story of "Pony and his Bow and Arrow."

"Cause my Pa said so," was the title of Den 5's presentation.

AIRPLANE RACE

In outdoor activity at the City Park, a model airplane race was held with Rusty Grims'ey claiming the honor for the fastest plane.

Ray Hester won the honor of having the best looking plane. The boys had built their own models.

AWARDS GIVEN

In award presentation the following received various marks for work accomplished:

Mike Poteet, Bear Badge.

Randy Harrison, Bear Badge.

Ray Hester, Lion Badge.

Tim Taylor, Gold Arrow.

James Screws took a 2-year perfect attendance badge.

Receiving Bobcat awards were Donny Skiles, Keith Conner, Jimmy Hertel, Scotty Hertel, David Jones, Peyton Barnard and Kenneth Groves.

Den 2 conducted the closing ceremony and called for all scouts to join in giving the Cub Scouts promise.

AT BIRTHDAY EVENT

Mr. and Mrs. N. L. McHamm and their daughter and her family, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Hamilton and children went to Fort Worth Sunday to meet Mr. McHamm's mother, Mrs. Cora McHamm of Hillsboro.

The occasion was Mrs. Cora McHamm's 80th birthday, celebrated with a 2 p.m. dinner at Wyatt's Cafeteria. Other family members met the group there. Nine of the honoree's children were in attendance.

Thirteen grandchildren and eleven great-grandchildren attended.

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BENJAMIN NEWS

MRS. BERT MARSHALL

Van Earl Sams of Vernon was a recent visitor of his mother, Mrs. E. B. Sams, other relatives and friends.

Guests of Mrs. F. M. Jennings over the weekend were Mrs. Wanda Lee Smith and son from Midland and Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Jacobs and girls, Augustine and Justine from Hamom City.

Weekend visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Orb Russell were Mr. and Mrs. John Smith from Alamogordo, New Mexico. Mr. and Mrs. Verlyn Miller of Alamogordo spent several days last week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Orb Russell. They also visited other relatives and friends while here.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Powers, Christene and Steve and Mr. and Mrs. Ken Stroud, Randy and Cindy of Midland were weekend visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Clower and family and Mrs. Gloria Clower and Betty.

Mr. and Mrs. Austin Tomlinson Jr. of Fort Worth spent the weekend with their parents, Mrs. Gloria Clower and Betty and Mr. and Mrs. Austin Tomlinson Sr. and family in Rhineland. They also visited her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Clower, Bud and Robert.

Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Cartwright, Terry, Tracy and Tina spent Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Theodore Russell in Welling-

ton. Mr. and Mrs. Claude Jennings were in Fort Worth over the weekend visiting Mr. and Mrs. Charles Jennings and family, other relatives and friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Fulenwider from Childress visited with friends and attended services at the Church of Christ here Sunday morning. They had spent several days with their son, Ray Fulenwider and Mrs. Fulenwider in Ru'e.

Mr. and Mrs. Dean Nolen and son from Lubbock spent the weekend with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Nolen, other relatives and friends and attended services at the Church of Christ, Sunday morning.

J. D. Brown left Sunday morning for Temple to enter a hospital there for medical treatment.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Welch and family from Seagraves were weekend visitors of Mrs. Oleta Welch and Willie Lois and friends.

Mrs. Gloria Clower and Betty were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Austin Tomlinson Sr. and family, and Mr. and Mrs. Austin Tomlinson Jr. in Rhineland Sunday.

Bobby Hudson of Abernathy visited his mother, Mrs. Josephine Hudson and Mr. and Mrs. Tom Brook Hudson and girls over the weekend. Mrs. Josephine Hudson returned home with him for

a visit.

Mrs. Bonnie Terry and Vicki and Mrs. Bert Marshall were visitors in Knox City Wednesday of last week.

Homer T. Melton was in Tullia one night last week to attend the wedding of his nephew, Jimmie Norris. Mr. Melton served as best man in the wedding.

Mrs. Jonnie Barker attended the wedding of Dannie Fulton and Shirley Rasberry in Crowl Saturday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Benson, Toni and Todd were visiting relatives in Wichita Falls over the weekend.

ATTEND FUNERAL

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Hodges accompanied their daughter and her husband, Mr. and Mrs. Oran Covey to Archer City Sunday, January 29, to attend the funerals services for Mrs. Hodges' sister-in-law, Mrs. Joe Fields.

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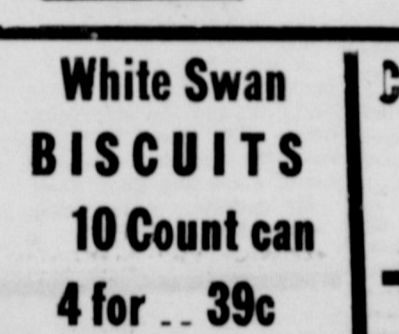
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CARD OF THANKS

We would like to take this way of saying "Thank You" to our many friends who have comforted us in the loss of our beloved daughter and sister, Rosemary Gonzales Saucedo. May God Bless you for your many deeds of kindness. Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Saucedo Faye, Jesse, Jr., Ramona and Toni.

CARD OF THANKS

We would like to express our sincere appreciation to those who comforted us in so many ways during the illness and death of our loved one, Mrs. Kitty Dodd.

To the doctors and nurses at the Knox County Hospital, to the ladies who sat up with her, prepared food, to those who sent the beautiful floral offerings, and cards and visited with us, and to those who helped with the services, we will always be grateful. L. V. Dodd

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Airman James L. Curder, son of Mr. and Mrs. Warren O. Cor- der of Truscott, Tex., has been selected for technical training at Chanute AFB, Illinois, as a U. S. Air Force aircraft equipment repairman.

The airman recently completed basic training at Lackland AFB, Texas. His new school is part of the A-1 Training Command which conducted hundreds of specialized courses to provide technically trained personnel for the nation's aerospace force.

Airman Curder, a 1964 graduate of Crowell High School, attended Cisco Junior College and West Texas State University, Canyon.

Area Oil News-- WILDCAT SCHEDULED IN THROCKMORTON COUNTY

Harding Brothers Oil and Gas Co., of Dallas has staked a wildcat three miles west of Woodson in Throckmorton County.

It is No. 2-B J. L. Edmes spotted 959 feet from the south line and 1,659 feet from the west line of Section 689, TE&L Survey; 959 feet from the south line and 1,160 feet from the west line of a 400 acre lease. This is 933 feet north-east of No. 1-B, a Conglomerate discovery prorated in regular field.

The 4,600-foot rotary will test the Mississippian.

HOME ON LEAVE

Stanley Luckworth, CTSN, recently completed a course at the U. S. Naval Training Center at Pensacola, Fla., and was listed as one of the honor students. Stanley serves as a communication technician.

He is home with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. G. Duckworth, on a 13-day leave. He is scheduled to leave February 20, and will be stationed in Italy with a security group. He will be based within 25 miles of where his father was when he served with the Air Force in World War II.

Stanley is a 1964 graduate of Knox City High School, and he attended school at A.C.C. in Abilene before entering the service.

IN BUCHANAN HOME

Visitors in the J. O. Buchanan home have been Mrs. Opal Smith, Mr. and Mrs. Eddy Smith and Mindy, Mrs. Ruby Wilson, Mike and David, and Miss Emma McHam, all of Abilene.

Mrs. Gonzales, Wreck Victim, Dies Last Wed.

Funeral was held at the Santa Rosa Catholic Mission here last Thursday at 4 p.m. for Mrs. Maria Gonzales, 56, who died in the Stamford Memorial Hospital at 1:15 p.m. Wednesday, February 1. Father Herman Laux, MSC, of Rhineland, officiated and burial was in the Knox City Cemetery under the direction of Smith Funeral Home.

Mrs. Gonzales was the third person to die from injuries received in a two-car accident in Stamford on Friday, January 27. Her granddaughter, Rosemary Saucedo, was buried here last week after succumbing to injuries in the same accident.

Born June 16, 1910, in Sager-ton, she came here in 1921. She was a member of the Catholic Church.

Survivors include her husband, Nefro Gonzales of Knox City; two sons, Amador (Shorty) of Knox City and Guadalupe of Boulder, Colorado; three daughters, Mrs. Manuela Rios of Knox City, Mrs. Antonia Saucedo of Knox City, and Mrs. Fay Baltazar of Fort Morgan, Colo., and one adopted daughter, Lois Palacio, and 15 grandchildren.

Pallbearers were Ray Escobar, Edmond Casillas, Jesse Casillas, Manuel Casillas, Samuel Rocha, Johnny Munoz, Dan Martinez, and Alfredo Montalvo.

Six Miles Of Construction Let For Knox County

A contract for 6,105 miles on FM Road 267 in Knox County has been awarded to a Lubbock, Texas firm, it was announced in Austin by the State Highway Commission.

Kerr Construction company submitted the low bid of \$9,720.09 on the project Reconstruction of grading, structures base and surfacing is expected to take 100 working days, according to V. J. McGee District Highway Engineer at Childress.

George R. Wall, Resident Engineer at Munday will be in active charge of the project while it is under construction.

SCHOOL NEWS

Margaret Howell

The Knox City Future Teachers Chapter met Monday night in the library. Mike Glenn called the meeting to order. Cathy Richardson called the roll and read the minutes of the previous meeting.

A treasurer's report was given and plans for the State FTA meeting, February 24-25, at San Antonio were discussed.

Mrs. E. R. Carpenter gave the program on teaching and her experiences as a teacher. Through her speech the chapter was able to see a new light on teaching.

Refreshments were served by Jerrene Mincey, Margaret Howell, Joe Reeder, Paul Graham, and George Arnett.

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SS News - -

All Knox County residents approaching their 65th birthday are urged to contact the Vernon Social Security office approximately 3 months before their 65th birthday, Edwin Draughon social security manager in Vernon, announced today.

Mr. Draughon said that 120,000 Americans reach 65 each month. These individuals are vitally affected by the medicare enrollment provisions.

The enrollment period for signing up for doctor bill insurance is a 7-month period spanning 3 months before the month in which age 65 occurs through 3 months after the 65th birthday month. However, Mr. Draughon warned, persons will have medical insurance coverage effective at the earliest possible month (65th birthday month) only if they sign up in one of the 3 months before the month of their birthday. Those signing up in the month of their 65th birthday or in one of the following 3 months will not be protected for 1 to 3 months after they enroll.

Mr. Draughon pointed out an interesting sidelight. Under the law a person is considered to reach 65 on the day before his 65th birthday. Therefore, if a birthday falls on the first day of the month, that person reaches 65 on the last day of the previous month for social security eligi-

lity purposes. A person born September 1 would legally be 65 on August 31. His medicare enrollment period for doctor bill insurance runs from May 1 through November 30.

This person would have medical insurance protection for the whole month of August only by enrolling before the end of July. By waiting until September, his doctor bill insurance protection would not begin until November.

87% Of Bond Quota For Knox County Made In 66

United States Savings Bond sales in Knox County during 1966 totaled \$122,195, according to Mr. W. E. Bradley, Chairman of the Knox County Savings Bond Committee. The 1966 sales goal for Knox County was \$140,000 and 87 per cent has been achieved.

During 1966 Texans purchased a total of \$153,172,007 in Series E and H Savings Bonds. This represents 104 per cent of the state's goal of \$147.5 million. Sales in Texas during the month of December totaled \$13,790,861 which is an increase of 19 percent over the same period of 1965.

Knox City School Lunch Menu

- February 13 - February 17 -
- MONDAY:**
Vegetable Stew - Cheese Slices
Lettuce Wedges with Dressing
Peanut Butter Squares.
Milk.
- TUESDAY:**
Meat Pattie with Brown Gravy.
Candied Sweet Potatoes
English Peas
Corn Bread - Butter
Chilled Fruit
Milk
- WEDNESDAY:**
Spiced Luncheon Sandwiches
Potato Chips
Relish
Pudding
Milk
- THURSDAY:**
Spanish Rice
Green Beans
Cole Slaw
Corn Bread - Butter
Jello with Fruit
Milk
- FRIDAY:**
Steak Fingers
Potatoes with Gravy
Green Salad
Hot Rolls - Butter
Cobbler
Milk

Small Business Loan In 2nd Year At Aspermont

The Aspermont Small Business Development Center is in its second year of operation for the purpose of counseling and pro-speaking engagement, and assisting businesses and prospective new businesses.

There has been a number of changes made in the Economic Opportunity Loan program and wishes to encourage those previously intrviewed and anyone else interested in knowing of this program to contact their office.

The Aspermont S. B. D. C. also encourages each community to contact them in regards to any matters such as industry, schools for small businessmen, recreation facilities, water projects, community development loans, rural financial corporations, speaking engagements, and any other projects that might be needed in your community.

A total of 47 loans in the amount of \$429,700.00 have received approval and 8 loans totaling \$78,000.00 are now pending in the Small Business Administration office, Lubbock.

Lone Star Gas Co., Announces 1966 Net Income

Lone Star Gas Company President L. T. Potter today announced a 1966 consolidated net income of \$21,547,985.80 for the firm and its wholly-owned subsidiaries Lone Star Producing Company, Lone Star Gathering Company, and Nipak, Inc.

The figure represents an income per share of \$1.47, an increase of 25 cents per share over the 1965 earnings of \$1.22 per share.

Earnings in 1966 were almost \$4 million higher than in 1965. Potter attributed most of the increase to "depressed" earnings during 1965 that resulted from the warmest fall in 33 years. Potter explained that heating weather for 1966 was up to average, noting that Lone Star Gas Company enjoys almost 100 percent saturation of all heating markets in its areas of operation.

The utility president said increased earnings in 1966 were due to a large increase in natural gas sales and increased production with more favorable market prices for oil and natural gas liquids, including butane, propane and gasoline.

HERE FOR WEEKEND

Mr. and Mrs. Charles (Rastus) Pack and their daughter, Pam, who recently moved to Big Lake, were here this weekend attending to business and visiting with friends and relatives.

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Knox City Study Club Hears Joe Cash ACC English Instructor On Literature

"The technique, structure, point of view and theme of our present day writers run through the problems of the age just as they did in Victorian times or the Romantic Age," said Professor Joe Cash, instructor of English at ACC, Abilene, when he addressed the Knox City Study Club on Thursday afternoon, Feb. 2.

"But the writing itself is different," said Cash, "in that the present day writer uses a 'slice of life' approach and there is no more of the cradle to the grave episode in novels today."

Mr. Cash went on to tell how the novelist of today makes use of the artificial in the tools of his trade (words). The present day novelist must have the coined word, the catchy phrase, trite sayings and a play on words for the sensationalism he seeks. He draws on his own experiences for material using bits and pieces recalled from life's encounters.

Mr. Cash speaking on "Destiny of the 20th Century Viewed by its Literary Giants," said that the characterization in modern writing has undergone a great change. "There is the exit," he said, "of the hero here." The story of today tells about the little man—little people with every day little incidents thrown in.

"This is a reflection of the space age in which we live. Science and the space age have stipped man of his importance. The author is not seen among his lines. Domesticity has all but vanished from our literature."

In tracing this pattern, Mr. Cash said that H. G. Wells predicted that future writing would go to science fiction as an outline and short cut to learning.

In various times there has been naturalism or determination and fatalism, popular during the de-

pression when writing said, Man can't rise above the grotesque, man's will is enslaved, heredity controls him and the hardships of life will finally get into his soul.

The stream of consciousness is popular with writers now. The author gets into the mind of his character—further it's the subconscious mind—and the writer leaves nothing out. He strips his character's mind and bares his soul. This type of writing, noted in "Ulysses," is easily employed today and lends itself to flash backs, dreams, panorama, as seen in T. V. movies and read in books.

"Our literature," said Cash, "tells us what is happening to our culture, the trends of our society and vividly portrays life."

Mr. Cash was presented to the study club by his mother, Mrs. Otis Cash, club president, Mrs. E. Hob Smith expressed the delight of members at having Mr. Cash as their speaker.

In other business of the club it was voted to hold an Easter style show and to hold a bake sale, the date to be announced later.

Hostesses for the occasion were Mrs. Abe Watson, Mrs. M. S. Denton and Mrs. Monty Penman.

ANNOUNCE ENGAGEMENT

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Clower of Benjamin are announcing the engagement of their daughter, the former Betty Jane Moon to Rex W. Reid of Monahans, son of Mr. and Mrs. Bill Talkington of Corsicana.

The wedding will be solemnized in August.

The couple will live in Monahans where he is employed by the El Paso Natural Gas Co. of Monahans.

IN WICHITA FALLS

Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Propps were in Wichita Falls last Wednesday night to attend an Electrolux meeting.

IN FITZGERALD HOME

Mr. and Mrs. Wallace Cantrell Lisa and Terrell of Breckenridge visited here last weekend in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Alton Fitzgerald and Leslie.

IN LUBBOCK

Mrs. Bertha Perry spent the weekend in Lubbock with her brother and his family, Mr. and Mrs. H. S. (Buster) Hicks and attended the wedding of their daughter, Shirley, to Mr. Jack Gregory of Dallas. The ceremony was performed at the St. Luke Methodist Church in Lubbock.

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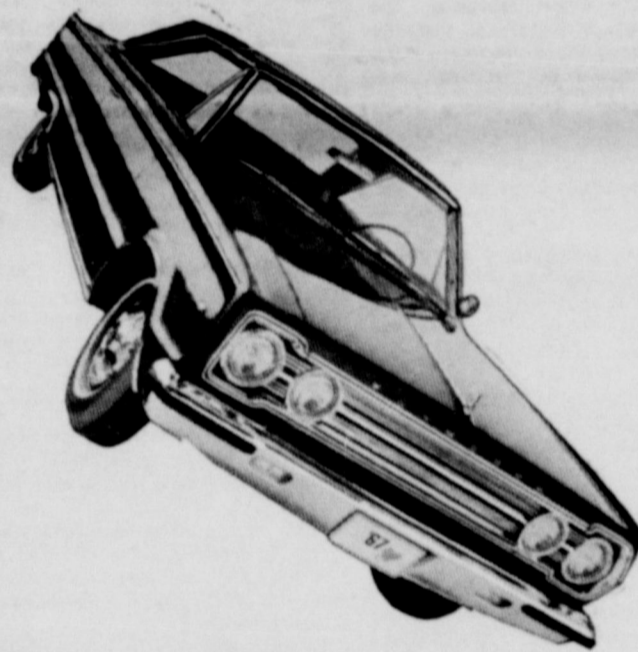
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Miss Reeder To Marry R. A. Shaver III

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Reeder Jr. announce the engagement of their daughter, Jinx, to Mr. R. A. Shaver III, son of Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Shaver Jr. of Rochester. The wedding is planned for June 23 at 5:30 p.m. at the First Christian Church in Knox City.

Hospital Notes...

Patients Dismissed Since 1-30, '67

Rachel Catano, O'Brien
Cesar O Campos, Abilene
Stella Garcia and Baby Boy,
Knox City
Jinx Reeder, Knox City
Nancy Gregory, Rochester
Arlene Anderson, Houston
Margaret Caussey, Knox City
Ocie Clough, Munday
Margaret Yeager, Munday
Florine Wilde, Munday
Bud Moon, Knox City
T. D. Hester, Munday
Ramona Mendoza, Knox City
Joetta Garcia, Munday
Hazel Long, Knox City
Evelyn Wren, Munday
Stella Garcia, Knox City
Cora Be I Gardner, Knox City
Neva Montoya, Seymour
Antonie Saucedo, Knox City
Lois Palacio, Knox City
Doris Tibbets, Rule
Duster Ford, Munday
Quincy Davis, Knox City

Patients in Hospital, 2-7-1967

Tommye Sanchez, Knox City
Mary Bell, Munday
Nannie Robinson, Knox City
Cecilia Rocha, Knox City
Neva Montoya, Seymour
A. C. Boggs, Munday
Maude Labell, Munday
Ham Dennington, Knox City
Ted Clary, Knox City
Betty Aldridge, Knox City
George Floyd, Munday
Bill McFerrin, Knox City
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Otis Simpson, Munday
Michael Putman, Munday
Maggie Royer, Knox City
Elic Moorhouse, Munday
Betty Williams, Knox City
Bertha Fincannon, Munday
Florence Rhodes and Baby Girl,
Knox City
Spencer Baby Girl, Knox City
Joanne Foreland and Baby Girl,
Weinert

There were three vehicles in the shop that were totally destroyed by the ravishing flames and later had an appearance of being "melted down."

Destroyed in the fire was a 1965 Chevrolet, whose owner lives at Munday, a '60 Mercury, owned by a Rube resident and a 1953 Thunderbird hardtop, design d with portholes, reported to be the property of an overseas serviceman. The latter car was in storage. The others were in for repairs.

DAMAGES REACH \$33,000

Sterling Lewis made an estimate of his losses around 5 o'clock Tuesday afternoon and reported an approximate thirty thousand dollars. He said he had partial coverage. He said he had Keepers' ability on vehicles in the building.

In addition to the 100 by 150 foot building which was a total loss, there was also the loss of a lot of tools and working equipment, auto parts and other supplies.

Lewis had occupied the building for the past two years. The building at one time housed the Ford agency here. Lewis moved into the quarters from a location on West 4th, just down the alley.

NOW RELOCATING

Lewis had still maintained ownership of his 4th street location and was busy setting up shop there late Tuesday.

FIREMEN QUICK

Knox City firemen were manning the hoses at the fire within a few minutes and were tied there for more than two hours. They battled a high south wind but managed to keep the fire in its source. Fireman duty ran on the rest of the day.

Winds bilowed the flames high into the air and made a gray smoke which changed into an ominous black as acetylene paints and thinner and naphtha exploded in the building.

The Knox City Volunteer Firemen were aided by firemen from Munday, Benjamin, O'Brien and Rochester.

Hose lines were strung out for a two-block area in all directions and all city pumps and wells were running. Service and line men from community service companies of K. C. were also set to work on gas lines, electrical wiring and telephone services. Services were not hampered long.

THREAT TO OTHERS

Other property under threat during the blaze included the West Texas Utilities Co. and the A. P. Denton Store property. West Texas "carried out" records, meter books and some small equipment to company autos, although no fire spread to the building.

A. P. Denton lost a tin structure when debris caved in the roof. The building was used as storage.

LEWIS RECLAIMS RECORDS

Some records were salvaged from metal files and a safe from the Lewis building remains following the fire—scorched but legible.

WALLS ARE FELLED

Firemen pulled down outside bull walls of the Lewis building after the fire because of possible danger of collapse. Areas south of the building were roped off for several hours.

The sinister black cloud of smoke swelling from the flames hovered over the north part of town like an evil omen and brought area residents here throughout the afternoon.

IN ABILENE

Mrs. J. W. Tankersley, Buddy Tankersley and Mrs. Maggie Talbot were at Hendrick Memorial Hospital in Abilene Sunday to be with Mrs. Tankersley's great-grandson, Dale Bloxham, who was shot in an accident last Friday in Abilene.

Mrs. C. W. Stephens of Knox City and Mrs. Eddie Adkins of O'Brien were there on Monday.

Relatives report that the doctors were unable to remove the bullet, and that Dale remains in the Intensive Care Unit at the hospital in critical condition.

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Youth Concert of Wichita Falls Symp. Orchestra To Be Presented Sat. Feb. 18

Local students have been invited to attend the sixth annual Area Youth Concert of Wichita Falls Symphony Orchestra to be presented in Wichita Falls Memorial Auditorium at 9:30 a.m., Saturday, February 18.

Tom Crane, popular TV-3 personality, familiar to local people through his daily "Weather Vane" reports will serve as narrator for a highlight of the hour-long program.

The genial Oklahoma City-born civic and church leader will narrate the symphonic tale, "Peter and the Wolf," by Prokofiev, a work which makes easy the recognition of various instruments of a symphony orchestra.

Also appearing with the orchestra under the baton of William Boyer will be a talented young Dallas pianist, 16-year-old Carol Cravens, who recently won the Texoma Young Artists Competition sponsored by Wichita Falls Music Teacher's Association. She will play the first movement of the Grieg Piano Concerto.

Rounding out the varied program will be two orchestra works, "Overture: Russian and Ludmilla," by Glinka and "Clair de Lune," by Debussy.

Complete program background has been provided the local sponsor in order that students may learn about the music to be played prior to attending the concert.

Local students attending the concert last year numbered none.

Buckles-Morgan Vows Repeated

Miss Linda Anne Buckles, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Buckles of Meeker, Colorado, became the bride of Stuart Kenneth Morgan, the son of Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Morgan of Gurley, Neb., in the Meeker Methodist Church Sunday, January 22, at 2 o'clock in the afternoon. The candlelight double-ring ceremony was solemnized by the Rev. Sheridan Malott.

Given in marriage by her father the bride wore a full length gown of white chantilly lace over white bridal satin. The fitted bodice featured a scalloped square neckline with French sequins and tiny seed pearls. The A-line skirt fell from a slightly raised waistline. The traditional long sleeves tapered at the wrist and fastened at the waist with a bow as the trailing lace train. Her silk inclusion veil, belonging to the sister of the groom, was attached to the crown with a white satin rose.

Miss Judy Buckles, sister of the bride, was maid of honor.

The bride's mother chose for her daughter's wedding a moss green boucle wool suit with gold suede accessories and a corsage of pale gold carnations. The groom's mother chose a royal blue suit with black accessories, and a corsage of white feathered carnations.

For her going-away costume, the bride chose a navy and white suit with red accessories. Her corsage was white gladioli from her bridal bouquet.

Following a short honeymoon trip the young couple is now at home at 314 West Prospect, Apt. 194, Fort Collins, Colo. They will resume their studies at Colorado State University where his fraternity is Sigma Tau.

The bride and her parents are former residents of Knox City. She is the grand-daughter of Mrs. H. M. Thompson.

VISITS DENTONS

Mrs. Gertrude Dowdle, of Fort Worth, visited several days last week in the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. P. Denton. She came back from Fort Worth, with Mrs. Denton, who had been there the week before.

Beta Chi Chapter In Regular Meet

Beta Chi Chapter of the Delta Kappa Gamma Society met in Aspermont, February 4, at 2:30 p.m. at Hickman's Cafe.

Conditions That Foster Creativity, was the topic for study at this meeting. Mrs. Curtis Casey, Truscott, 1st Vice President of Beta Chi, was program leader.

Mrs. Frank Martin, Haskell, and Mrs. Kenneth Lankford, of Knox City sang a duet, "Invocation by Newton and Haydon."

Mrs. Otis Cash of Knox City, presented, very ably, the topic, "Creative Homes."

Mrs. Thomas Pritchard, of Old Glory, read "Creativity," by Ethel Miller.

The entire group assembled, and sang "The Delta Kappa Gamma Song."

Beta Chi president, Mrs. H. T. Wilkinson of Haskell, presided for the business session.

Hostesses were Mrs. Martha Harrell, Mrs. Marvin Lott, Jr., Mrs. A. D. Martin, Mrs. W. O. Robinson, Mrs. Lee Smith and Mrs. E. M. Wright, all of Aspermont.

Members were present from Haskell, Knox City, Truscott, Old Glory and Aspermont.

The next meeting will be the Annual Birthday Luncheon of the Society, to be held in Knox City, March 4.

KC Garden Club To Meet Feb. 14

The Knox City Garden Club will meet Tuesday, February 14 at the home of Mrs. Phil Dudney. Meeting time has been set for 2 p.m.

The program on hobbies will be given by Mrs. Hershell Hines of Rule.

IN DALLAS

Mrs. Henry Jones is in Dallas this week to be with Mrs. Jack Spikes, who is a patient in Baylor Hospital.

FROM PADUCAH

Carl Darr of Paducah was a visitor in Knox City Tuesday.

Firemen Wives' Banquet Sat. P.M.

The annual Firemen Wives' Banquet was held Saturday night at 7:30 in the Masonic Lodge Fellowship Hall with 56 people attending. Guests were the wives of the members of the Knox City Volunteer Fire Department and the members of the City Council and their wives.

John Barnhill, minister of the Church of Christ and Chaplain of the Fire Dept., for 1967, gave the invocation. President Joey Watkins served as Master of Ceremonies. He introduced Charles (Rastus) Pack, former president, who moved recently to Big Lake. Rastus spoke briefly and told the group of the pleasure it had been to have served with them and also, as a member of the City Council, he expressed his appreciation to them for being "so nice to work with."

Joey recognized other officers, including Fire Chief, Larry Don Lan, Assistant Chief, Willie Collins; Secretary-Treasurer, Richard Poteet, Asst. Fire Marshal, Jack Land; Reporter, Lyndol Cybert, and Mascot, Mike Poteet.

Guests and firemen enjoyed a delicious meal of steak, cream gravy, pinto beans, baked potatoes with cheese, vegetable salad, fresh onions, hot rolls, peach cobbler tea and coffee.

Musical entertainment was provided by Tommy Guy Waldrip and Rogers Lankford, who sang several numbers accompanied by Tommy Guy on the guitar, and Misses Connie and Jody McKenney, who also sang several popular tunes accompanied at the piano by Mrs. Pauline Myers.

Eight Students Make Honor Roll In KCHS Typing

Mrs. John Barnhill, Commercial teacher, Knox City High School has announced the names of eight students, who made the honor roll for the first semester. The honor roll students are named below.

Two honor students of 17 in Second-year typing are: Linda Abbott and Backy Lowrey.

The six honor students of 32 First-year typing are: Susan Reese, Gail Cornett, Pam Walker, Karen White, Martha Faulk, and Judy Rushing.

KC Group Attends 'Small Town Task Force' Meet Fri.

Sam E. Clonts, County Judge; Bruce B. Campbell Jr., Citizen's State Bank; and Mrs. Doris Crownover, Chamber of Commerce; attended a "Small Town Task Force Hearing" in Stamford, Friday, Feb. 3. The hearing topic was "The Role of State and Federal Government in Developing Small Towns."

The hearing was fourth in a series of Small Town Task Force hearings conducted by the West Texas Chamber of Commerce. Other meetings have been held in various small West Texas towns.

The Task Force was formed for the purpose of assisting towns under 12,000 population, and to give opportunity for individual communities to give testimony concerning problems, assets, and potentials.

130 area residents attended the Stamford session, which was held at the Cliff House Restaurant.

KCHS Teams Lose District Games

The Knox City High School basketball teams were defeated this past week in two district games in 11-A action. The teams hosted Paducah Tuesday night. The girls played a very close game, and at the end of the first, second and third quarters, there was a difference of only one point. The game ended 29-33, in their favor. Diane Thomas was high point for KC with 13. The K. C. boys were defeated 64-37. Jerry Myers was high point for us with 17.

Both boys and girls lost their games at Paducah last Friday night.

Archer City will play here Friday night, and the teams will travel to Munday on Tuesday, Feb. 14, for the last scheduled district game.

IN ROCHESTER

Mr. and Mrs. William Hester and children spent Sunday in Rochester with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wilson Bean and Carolyn, who is a student at A.C.C. in Abilene.

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