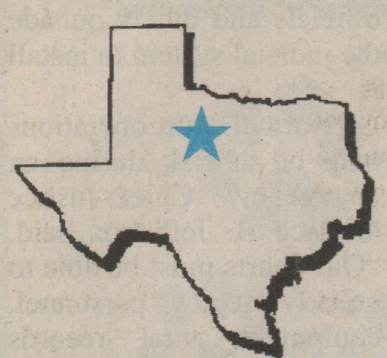


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Looking Ahead

• The Noah Project - North's Annual Christmas Tour of Homes

The Noah Project - North's Annual Christmas Tour of Homes will be Sunday, December 2 from 2:00 to 4:30 p.m. Tickets are \$10 each or two for \$15 and may be bought from any Advisory Committee member or at any of the homes. The homes this year include: Jason and Lanessa Hall, 502 South Ave. P; Irene Castillo, 509 N. Ave. E; Pam Norton, 605 N. Ave. F; First Methodist Church, 201 N. Ave. F; Tom and Amy Long, 604 N. 2nd. Refreshments will be at Denton and Dee Bates pool house, 402 S. Ave. H. Also helping to celebrate the Tour will be the following businesses that will be open during the Tour- The Carousel, Personality Shoppe and the Rocking R & B. The money raised will be used to help victims of family violence in Haskell, Jones, Knox, Stonewall and Throckmorton Counties.

• Haskell COC Annual Lighted Christmas Parade

The Haskell Chamber of Commerce Lighted Christmas Parade is December 8 at 6:00 p.m. in downtown Haskell. For more information please contact Sally Rueffer at the Chamber of Commerce Office at 940-864-2477.

• Santa Letters

Santa Letters are due into the NEWS office by Monday, December 10 by noon. They will be printed in our special Christmas issue Thursday, December 20.

• 7th Annual Cowboy Christmas Ball

Benjamin, Saturday, December 22 at 8:00 p.m., featuring America's Most Versatile Dance Band "The Bob Wills' Texas Playboys with Grammy Award Winner Tommy Allsup and Legendary Leon Rausch, with special guest DeAnne Roberts Winner of ABC-TV Prime Time "Six Degrees of Martina McBride" The Sidekicks will open the fun-filled show of music and dancing. \$25 Capacity Limited. Tickets Limited, advanced purchase suggested, table for ten can be reserved with advance purchase. Contact J.W. Sollis at 940-655-3413 or 940-839-7870, e-mail jwsollis@yahoo.com.

Late Texas Ranger John Stengel Honored With Special Grave Marker

A vital part of the Former Texas Rangers Foundation (FTRF) and the Former Texas Rangers Association (FTRA) is to preserve the true history of the Texas Rangers and to provide landmarks relating to the Texas Rangers. The marking of the Ranger's graves with the Texas Rangers' Memorial Cross is just one activity that fulfills this mission.

In commemoration of the service rendered and the sacrifices made by John Frederick Stengel of "D" Company, the Former Rangers Association has given a special grave marker. This marker will be placed at Ranger Stengel's grave at St. Joseph Catholic Cemetery at Rhineland, Knox County, Texas by his descendant, grandson Charles J. Albus of Pampa, Texas on Saturday, December 1, 2007.

With the help of local historical societies and Ranger's descendants, the Texas Rangers Memorial Cross Program researches, identifies and documents the burial sites of Texas Rangers statewide and places the Memorial Cross at the Resting place of the honored Rangers. The cross, with the mounted Ranger circle star badge, is a fitting landmark relating to the preservation of our Texas heritage.

The Texas Memorial Cross is furnished to members of the FTRA as a benefit of membership. There is no cost to the member for the cross or participation in the ceremony by association. It is one of the many benefits afforded members; any member who is a descendant of a Texas Ranger can apply for the cross to be provided to them for installation.

Membership in the Association includes Texas Rangers and linear descendants of Texas Rangers. Associate memberships are available to active Texas Rangers and Special Rangers.

Members receive a membership certificate; ID card; decal; and the Newsletter, Straight Talk.

The Former Texas Ranger Association would like to invite any Ranger, Ranger family member, or descendant of a Texas Ranger, to join the Association.

The FTRA and FTRF can be reached by mail at P.O. Box 290229, Kerrville, TX, 78029-0229; by phone at (830) 895-2262; by FAX at (830) 895-2090; and by email at FTRF@kctc.com. The 2006-2007 Texas Ranger Memorial Cross Program is funded in part by a grant from the Texas Historical Foundation.

Old Man Winter Toys With Knox County Over Weekend

Knox County felt the first icy breath of Old Man Winter over Thanksgiving weekend as a winter storm system had temperatures plummeting from the 80s at the beginning of the week to the 30s by Sunday, while dropping snow and sleet.

Driving conditions became hazardous by Sunday evening as roads began to freeze, temperatures continued to drop and more of the wintry mix fell across the county.

The Knox County Sheriff's office had no reported accidents due to the weather. Deputy Mark McAvoy stated that around 8 p.m. he noticed the worsening conditions and telephoned local radio stations to warn citizens to

stay off the roads.

Knox County Texas Department of Transportation (TxDOT) Maintenance Supervisor Gene Ward stated that three trucks were out Sunday night and Monday morning spreading salt and sand and pushing snow plows. He said that their main focus was bridges, school zones and intersections in towns.

The snow that fell Sunday and early Monday morning all but disappeared by Monday afternoon as temperatures again rose into the 50s.

According to reports, temperatures will range from the high 50s to the lower 70s over the next ten days, with lows in the 40s.

Board Hopes For Help In Brightening Children's Christmas



With four weekends left before Christmas and several angels still available on the Knox County Child Welfare Board's Angel Trees, there is a great opportunity to contribute to the happiness of area children in need on Christmas morning.

The Angel Trees are located at Citizens Bank in Knox City and at First National Bank of Munday.

The angel tree at Citizens Bank benefits children in the Knox City and Benjamin areas and the angel tree at First National Bank of Munday benefits Munday area children. Of the thirty angels that were put on the tree at Citizens Bank, eighteen were still available Monday afternoon.

About fifty-five angels were put on the tree at First National Bank of Munday, and about twenty-four were still available Monday afternoon.

These angels represent children who would not have Christmas without the support of their communities and the Knox County Child Welfare Board.

After selecting an angel from the tree, a special gift may be purchased for the child. Gift recommendations are listed on the back of each angel.

The deadline for returning the unwrapped gift(s) to Citizens Bank is December 10th.

The deadline for returning Munday area angel gift(s) is December 7th. Unwrapped gifts should be taken to Munday Tire and Appliance, according to Munday bank personnel.

Monetary donations are also welcome and may be sent to P.O. Box 123, Knox City, Texas 79529.

Knox City Chamber Kicks Off Christmas Shopping Season



Taley Espinosa is shown here sitting on Santa's lap, last Saturday at the Annual Chamber "Christmas in November"

Despite the push of a winter storm into the area over the weekend, many still turned out to enjoy the Knox City Chamber of Commerce's annual 'Christmas in November'.

The chamber's downtown event featured many activities, a Santa Dollars drawing for four gift certificates, businesses that stayed open late and the big guy himself, Santa Claus, who visited with children at the Art Stall.

Winners of the Santa Dollars drawing were Shirley Wilson, who won two of the certificates, Tina Seimens and Charlotte Crager.

Benjamin Volunteer Fire Department Responds To Structure Fire

Benjamin Volunteer Fire Department responded to an early morning structure fire in Truscott Tuesday morning.

At 7:15 a.m., BVFD and Knox County EMS were paged out to respond to the fire. According to BVFD Fire Chief Richard McCanlies, the fire was around a fireplace at the rear of a home owned by Jerry Bob Daniel.


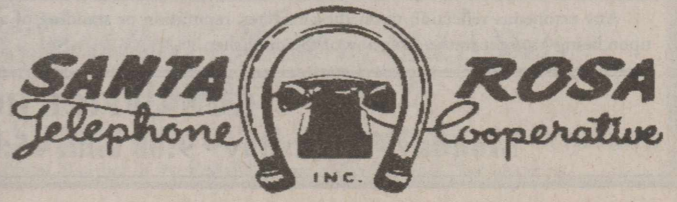
The home is lived in by one of Daniel's employees. It was undetermined as of press time if

the fire was caused by the fireplace or electrical in nature, said McCanlies.

In addition to Benjamin VFD and Knox County EMS, McCanlies stated that Crowell VFD was in route, Knox City VFD was on stand-by and Foard and Knox County Sheriff's Offices responded.

No one was injured, and although the structure has some damage, it was saved, according to sources.

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HIGHLIGHTS
By Ed Sterling

Property-Tracking System Improves Vision Of Eyes Of Texas

to make Texas stolen property files available to the public at www.trace.com/.

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Windstorm coverage rates to rise

Mike Geeslin, Texas Insurance commissioner, OK'd windstorm insurance

rate increases of 8.2 percent for residential and 5.4 percent for commercial properties, effective Feb. 1, 2008.

The Texas Windstorm Insurance Association had requested a 10 percent increase for both in a filing made this past August.

Geeslin said the increase is part of a strategy to improve the financial health of the windstorm association.

Parks agency touts upgrades

The Texas Parks & Wildlife Department says "Christmas came early this year" to dozens of state parks throughout Texas, thanks to lawmakers and voters who voted for more funding for parks.

Already, the agency said, many of the more than 200 new state park employee positions have been filled, repairs of long-neglected

facilities have begun or will soon begin, and days and hours of park operations are being extended.

And, because of the increased funding, park visitors will not only notice better maintained park facilities, but also will benefit from more interpretive programming, reopened campgrounds and trails, and better customer service.

The 80th Texas Legislature passed legislation to provide \$25.6 million for park operations and the hiring of park staff during the 2008-09 biennium.

Lawmakers also appropriated \$52 million in bonding authority to fund state park repairs, sending the measure to voters for approval.

In the Nov. 6 election voters approved Prop. 4, allocating \$25 million to dry-berth the Battleship Texas

to ensure its long-term preservation and another \$27 million for infrastructure repairs throughout the eight state park regions.

Court emergency plan in works

The Texas Supreme Court appointed a task force to begin design and implementation of an emergency program to prevent or manage disrupted court operations throughout the state in emergencies.

The 16-member "Task Force to Ensure Judicial Readiness in Times of Emergency" will identify existing gaps in court security, abilities to operate and other preparedness functions and response policies, procedures, and programs within the Texas judiciary.

The task force will develop an interim plan to fill gaps it identifies in the beginning,

then design an emergency management program, oversee it and work with court officials and others outside the judicial system to install it.

"Normal court operations may be at risk during an emergency," Chief Justice Wallace B. Jefferson said. "Our courts must be able to quickly deploy personnel, equipment, vital records and technological support so that the rule of law is preserved and substantial rights are protected."

Denise Davis of Austin, special counsel with the Baker Botts law firm and former parliamentarian of the Texas House of Representatives, will chair the task force.

The first meeting is scheduled for Dec. 13.

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By Ace Reid



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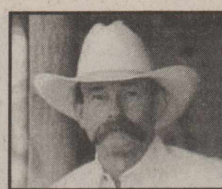
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BAXTER BLACK

ON THE EDGE OF COMMON SENSE

Born With The Music In YA

By Baxter Black, DVM

Some people are born with music in 'em. Other people do good with algebra, throwin' a rope or rebuilding engines.

I am blessed with the music. My father's family played, Grandpa played the fiddle, Uncle Wade the banjo, Uncle Bert guitar and second fiddle, Uncle Dink the mandolin and third fiddle, Aunt Effie the organ and "Hi-wa-yen slide git-ar" and my dad, the youngest, played whatever needed played.

I remember as a boy goin' back to visit in Oklahoma. Saturday afternoon they'd have a "musical." We'd gather at somebody's house. Anybody that wanted to play would sit in a big circle in the living room, including kids. The recognized 'first fiddle' in the group would start playing. They never told you the song or the key. There was no singing and nobody else took the lead. In my memory he'd play 4 or 5 songs in one key, switch to another key, play a few in that one, then eventually he'd say, "Bert, why don't you play one?" Bert, the acknowledged 'second fiddle', would graciously accept the invitation and play his favorites, then pass it on down. It went on for 3 or 4 hours!

I started playing seriously at about 15 years old. The old-time fiddle music was a great influence, but I also was a fan of the country music of my time; Lefty Frizzle, Hank Snow, Hank Thompson, Jim Reeves, Faron Young, Kitty Wells, Loretta Lynn. I played in a weekend country band in college. I picked up an interest in bluegrass and Bob Wills swing music. I was so focused on what I liked that I missed Elvis, the Beatles, Bob Dylan and the hundreds of folk and rock bands that were on radio stations I didn't listen to. Today I recognize Mick Jagger, Bruce Springsteen and Madonna's picture, but I couldn't name a song they did.

My brothers are musical, too. Then, somewhere along the line I married into another Oklahoma musical family. They were a step up from us because they could read music! Which just made them even better.

I've been schoolin' my son on the mandolin since he was about ten. He always gripes. Last month he asked if he could switch to guitar. "Sure!" I said. Next thing I know he's in his bedroom trying to figger out Billy Joel's 'Piano Man!' Looks like he's caught the bug.

Truth is, he never had a chance. When yer born with the music in ya, it's like breathin'. Oh, did I tell you the mandolin he's been playin' for the last four years was Aunt Effie's? I think she'd think that's cool.

Dumb Crook News

"Help! I'm Stuck In Freshly-Poured Concrete!"

Police in Reno, Nevada, say that an attempted carjacking was thwarted and the suspect nabbed when he ran and became stuck in freshly-poured concrete at a construction site there.

Construction workers helped capture the man, identified as 25-year-old Rudy Aguas, after police allege that he pistol-whipped a motel guest who was packing luggage into a truck the morning of November 20.

According to police, the 30-year-old guest of the Courtyard by Marriott was leaving the hotel and packing his luggage, while his girlfriend and young child were in the vehicle.

Police say that Aguas placed a pistol to the guest's head while the man stood behind the truck. Another suspect stood by the open driver's door near the woman and their child.

According to police, Aguas demanded the vehicle and whacked the man three times in the head with the butt of his gun.

Both suspects fled after the victim grabbed for the gun and it fired into the air.

A cop saw Aguas running and followed him into a building, where he ran into a freshly-poured concrete floor, police said. Construction workers tackled Aguas and he was arrested.

As of this writing, the second suspect remains on the loose.

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On September 20, 2007, Atmos Energy Corporation, Mid-Tex Division ("Atmos" or "the Company"), filed a Statement of Intent with each city within Atmos' service territory to increase its gas rates and implement a new schedule of rates and riders applicable to all customers within all incorporated cities served by the Mid-Tex Division. The proposed effective date of the requested rate changes is October 25, 2007. If approved, the proposed changes will affect approximately 1,428,700 residential, 122,600 commercial, and 960 industrial & transportation customers.

If approved, the proposed rates will increase the Company's annual revenues for the incorporated areas of its Mid-Tex Division by \$ \$50,946,000 or 3.5%, including gas costs, or 13.49% excluding gas cost. The proposed change in rates constitutes a "major change" as that term is defined by Section 104.101 of the Texas Utilities Code. In addition, the Company seeks to recover all of its rate case expenses and all city rate case expenses as allowed by law. The exact amount will not be known until the case is completed.

Based on the proposed rate design, the system-wide average monthly bill for each customer class within the incorporated areas of the Mid-Tex Division will increase by the amount and percent shown in the table below:

Customer Class	Current Bill	Proposed Bill**	Difference	Percentage Increase with Gas Cost	Percentage Increase without Gas Cost
Residential	\$70.85*	\$72.42*	\$1.57	2.22%	8.27%
Commercial	\$296.15*	\$305.36*	\$9.21	3.11%	22.72%
Industrial	\$2,975*	\$3,143*	\$167.89	5.64%	38.95%
Transportation	519.88	\$687.77	\$167.89	32.29%	38.95%

Note: Bill impact ranges are subject to varying tax rates among the cities.

*Includes Rider GCR Part A cost of \$7.55 per Mcf.

**The calculation of bill impacts assumes monthly consumption of 6 Mcf for residential, 30 Mcf for commercial, and 300 Mcf for industrial and transportation customers.

In addition to the rate revisions in Rate Schedules R, C, I, and T, other proposed tariff changes include changes to Rider GCR, Rider WNA and proposed Riders for a rate review mechanism and conservation & energy efficiency program. The Company proposes to revise its weather normalization adjustment ("WNA") mechanism to exclude non-weather sensitive commercial customers and to modify the WNA mechanism to calculate the WNA adjustment based on weather stations at a regional level rather than under the current practice of associating all towns with a single weather location for purposes of determining the WNA adjustment. The Company proposes a change to its Rider GCR to allow the recovery of the gas cost component of uncollectible expense through the Rider GCR instead of through base rates and to update the Upstream Allocation (Factor D) to reflect the factors as proposed in the Company's Class Cost of Service Study. In addition, the Company proposes a new Rate Review Mechanism ("RRM"), Rate Schedule RRM, to provide for an annual review by the cities of the Company's expenses, revenues and rate base investment and a corresponding adjustment to the Company's rates to reflect annual changes (increases or decreases) in these categories. The Company proposes a gas conservation & energy efficiency program and tariff to authorize the program. Finally, the Company is asking for authority to make future filings with the regulatory authority on an electronic basis, rather than by paper copy.

Persons with specific questions or desiring additional information about this filing may contact Atmos Energy Corporation at 1-888-286-6700. Complete copies of the filed Statement of Intent, including all proposed rates and schedule changes, are available for inspection at Atmos' offices located at 5420 LBJ Freeway, Suite 1600, Dallas, Texas 75240. In addition, customers can contact their respective municipality for additional information regarding this rate request.

Éste es un aviso a los clientes de Mid-Tex División de Atmos Energy Corporation, (la "Compañía"), que la Compañía está solicitando un aumento en la tarifa del gas. Este aumento afecta a todos los clientes de la Compañía en el ciudad de Mid-Tex. Si usted tiene preguntas con respecto a este aumento, por favor llame a Atmos Energy Corporation al 1-888-286-6700.

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Mozelle Maureen Corley

Mozelle Maureen Corley Fletcher, 84, of Bridgeport, formerly of Haskell, died November 21, 2007. A graveside service was held 2:00 p.m. Friday, November 23, 2007 at Rochester Cemetery with Steve Willis officiating, under the direction of Smith Funeral Home of Rochester.

Visitation was held Friday 10:00-11:30 a.m. at the funeral home.

Mozelle (Shockey) was born in Haskell County October 14, 1923 to Theodore (Thead) and Blanche Corley. She was raised in northwest Haskell County and attended school in Rochester and O'Brien, where she graduated as the Valedictorian of the graduating class of 1941.

After graduation she worked at the Knox County Hospital and Reed's Grocery Store until she married J.W. Hayes in 1951. J.W. died of cancer shortly after their marriage. She married Jimmy Doyle Bland in 1958 and gave birth to her only son, J. Edward (Eddie) in 1959.

After the death of her father in 1961, Mozelle and Eddie moved to Rochester to live with her mother. She worked at the ASCS office in Haskell from 1954 to 1974, when she retired. She later worked for Penman Propane, Rochester ISD and the Knox County Hospital.

She married Joe Fletcher in



1978. They lived in Rochester, attended the Church of Christ, and enjoyed their years together traveling and spending time with family. Mozelle was caring, giving, and loving woman who touched the lives of family and friends. While she has gone to be with the Lord Jesus Christ, she will remain in our hearts forever.

She is survived by son Eddie Bland and his wife Teri of Bridgeport; a sister Patsy Webb of San Angelo; brother J. Foster Corley and wife Faye of Mineola and 18 nieces and nephews.

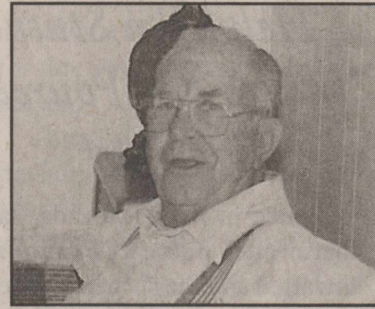
Mozelle was preceded in death by her parents, sisters Marie Shirley and Zeola Jan Corley, and brother E.L. Corley.

In lieu of flowers the family requests donations be made to the Rochester Cemetery Association at P. O. Box 245 Rochester, Texas 79544.

James "Leroy" West

James "Leroy" West, 70, of Benjamin, died Saturday November 24, 2007. A funeral service will be held 3:00 pm Wednesday, November 28 at the Benjamin Memorial Building. Burial will follow at the Benjamin Cemetery, under the direction of Mansell-Smith Funeral Home, Knox City. Visitation will be Tuesday 6:00 p.m. - 7:00 p.m. at the funeral home.

Leroy was born in Knox City March 24, 1937 to Thomas R. and Edith Conner West. Leroy was raised and lived most of his life in Benjamin. He married Gloria Clower April 10, 1970 in Vernon. He served his country in the National Guard at Fort Bragg, North Carolina. Leroy was a member of the Benjamin Lion's Club and the Benjamin Volunteer Fire Department, as well as a lifelong, active member of the Benjamin Baptist Church. He was a board member of the Benjamin Cemetery Association, the Benjamin City Council, and the North



Texas Water Board. Mr. West worked for the Texas Highway Department for 25 years. His acts of service were innumerable, from sharing garden vegetables to helping widows and neighbors of his community.

Leroy was preceded in death by his parents, two brothers, Adrian and Wayne, and son, Earl "Bud" Clower.

He is survived by his wife Gloria of 37 years, two daughters, Cathy Tomlinson of Justin, Texas; and Betty Parker of Aspermont, Texas; son, Robert Clower of Electra, Texas; daughter-in-law, Debbie Clower of Benjamin; 10 grandchildren, 11 great grandchildren, and a host of friends and loved ones.

God's Promises

By Jim Reid, Pastor
O'Brien Baptist Church



Have you ever heard the expression, "there are no atheists in foxholes"? You probably have.

Of course the expression means that when all hope is gone and fear for one's life is immediate, everyone will cry out to Holy God! There are many other circumstances in life that we would also cry out to God; to save us, to heal us, or to protect us and many more expressions of hopelessness.

Christians cry out also, but our cry is heard by God. He is our hope, our assurance, the loving God that we know.

We live with a viewpoint or perception that we know we will live eternally with God. Many people who do not know God personally would ask a believer, "how do you know?"

We know through prayer. We speak with God and He speaks to us. Jesus made it perfectly clear in the Bible

as He spoke, "It is written, and My house shall be a house of prayer" (Luke 19: 45a; NASB). You may think of the church as a place of activities, or programs, or funerals and weddings, or a place where people no better than you try to tell you how to live.

His House may be a place that you choose not to enter. Let me encourage you to enter God's house of prayer. God's house is a place where you can speak to Him.

God is faithful to hear the prayer of sinners. "If we confess our sins, He is faithful and righteous to forgive us our sins and to cleanse us from all unrighteousness. If we say that we have not sinned, we make Him a liar and His word is not in us." (1 John 1: 9, 10)

I pray that you will enter God's house this Sunday morning and cry out to Him, that He may hear you and assure you of His love for you.

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Travis C. Floyd
Knox County Judge
Knox County, Texas
(Published November 29, 2007 and December 6, 2007)

**Enforcement Of In-State Dairy Cattle Movement
Rule Delayed Through March 31, 2008**

Livestock health officials have delayed enforcement through March 31, 2008, for a new in-state movement requirement for Texas dairy breed cattle. The cattle tuberculosis regulation, adopted in September by commissioners for the Texas Animal Health Commission (TAHC), requires Texas dairy cattle to be identified prior to movement within the state. Because they are managed in close confinement, dairy animals can be at a greater risk for disease exposure if an infected animal is in the herd.

"Texas regained cattle tuberculosis (TB)-free status in 2006, and we need every tool available to assist in tracing disease, if it is introduced into the state," said TAHC's Dr. Dee Ellis, assistant state veterinarian. "Months of work can be expended tracing the movement of cattle infected or exposed to TB. Even knowing that the animal originated in Texas can assist epidemiologists in the search for the origin and spread of disease."

Dr. Ellis noted that cattle TB has been detected recently in two New Mexico dairies, a beef herd in Oklahoma, and in a rodeo bull

herd in Colorado. Furthermore, eight infected herds have been found in Minnesota, and Michigan has had a long-standing battle against the disease in cattle and free-ranging deer. He stressed that new sections of Texas' TB regulations applicable to cattle entering the state went into effect October 13.

"The delayed implementation of the in-state movement regulation for Texas dairy breed cattle will provide owners adequate time to select and acquire their identification tags," said Dr. Ellis. Through March 31, the TAHC will encourage voluntary compliance. Texas dairy cattle, regardless of age or sex, are to be identified prior to in-state movement, and owners should keep a record of the cattle they identify. The tags should remain on the animal for life.

Dr. Ellis said a several types of identification are acceptable for Texas dairy breed cattle:

- USDA alphanumeric test tags (USDA silver ear tags)
- USDA alphanumeric brucellosis calfhood vaccination tags (USDA orange ear tags)
- Dairy Herd Improvement Association (DHIA) tags

• Official breed registry tattoos or firebrand

• USDA approved Animal Identification Number (AIN) tags for official identification of individual animals.

Three forms of official AIN tags, differentiated by the first three digits of the fifteen digit number, are available:

- Manufacturer code "900" series RFID tags, available from many feed or supply stores
- USA prefix RFID tags
- Country code "840" series RFID tags. (Producers who use the "840" series must their premises registered.)

A commercially produced cattle-style clip, flap or button tag that identifies the dairy or owner and includes a unique animal number in the herd.

The TAHC also is considering approval for other types of identification.

Dr. Ellis said TAHC regulations already are in effect to reduce the risk for introducing cattle TB into the state.

All dairy breed cattle must be identified prior to entering the state. Sexually intact dairy cattle older than two months of age must have a negative TB test

within 60 days prior to entering Texas.

These animals also must be accompanied by a certificate of veterinary inspection.

Sexually intact dairy cattle younger than two months of age entering the state must have a Texas entry permit and a certificate of veterinary inspection.

The animals must go to a premise to be held until they are tested negative for TB at the age of two months.

Dairy cattle entering Texas are exempt from the TB test requirement only if they are transported directly to slaughter or to an approved feedlot, then slaughter.


These animals must be identified, and have a Texas entry permit and a certificate of veterinary inspection.

Mexican-origin ("M"-branded) steers recognized as potential rodeo and/or roping stock, and entering Texas from other states must have had a negative TB test within the previous 12 months. These animals also must be accompanied by a certificate of veterinary inspection, issued within the previous 30 days.

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Benjamin Sports

Benjamin Mustangs And Lady 'Stangs Take On Lueders-Avoca

The Benjamin boys and girls high school basketball teams traveled to Lueders-Avoca last Tuesday night to face off against the Raiders. The girls brought home a win, while the boys lost.

The Lady Stangs final score was Benjamin 48, Lueders-Avoca 35. The girls jumped out in the first quarter with a seven point lead, causing the Lady Raiders to come back in the second quarter and outscore Benjamin by four points.

The Lady Stangs opened up the second half of play, jumping ahead twenty more points in the third quarter. The Lady Raiders outscored the Lady Stangs by six points in the final quarter, but it wasn't enough to shorten the spread and gain a win for them.

Leading scorer for the Lady Stangs was senior Karla Benson with 14. Benson also led in rebounds with 13.

Julia Acevedo led the team in steals with seven.

Others scoring were Devon Jones - 10, Raquel Acevedo - 7, Judit Acevedo - 6, Julia Acevedo - 6, Nafeesa Ebraheim - 3 and Jessica Vanderpol - 2.

The Mustangs and Raiders took the court after the girls, and Lueders-Avoca jumped ahead in the first quarter with a 14 point lead. Although the Mustangs scored almost point for point with the Raiders throughout the rest of the game, the Raiders early lead kept the Mustangs from winning the game. The final score was Benjamin 44, Lueders-Avoca 60.

High scorer for the Mustangs

was Damon Gideon with 11.

Senior Lucas Cartwright led in rebounds with 14 and in steals with 5.

Others scoring for the Mustangs were Gilbert Nevarez - 8, Derrick Northrup - 7, Dusty Stevens - 6, Dylan Benson - 6, Lucas Cartwright - 5 and Eddie Rivera - 1.

The Mustangs and Lady Stangs hosted the Paint Creek Pirates on their home court Tuesday. Scores and stats were unavailable as of press time.

The Benjamin high school teams will travel to Lueders-Avoca again the 29th through December 1st for tournament action, and then next Tuesday will travel to Paint Creek.

Regular games begin at 6:30 p.m. Tournament game times are to be announced.

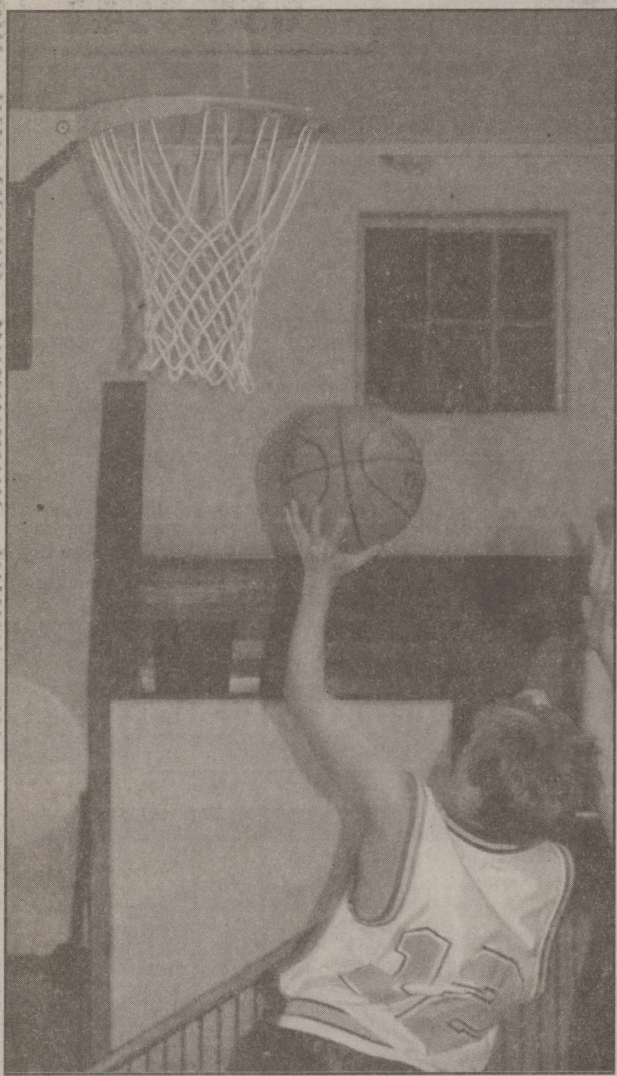
Junior High Mustangs Beat The Jayton Jaybirds 39-6

The Benjamin junior high Mustangs hosted the Jayton Jaybirds on Monday and had a sound defeat over the visiting team with a final score of Benjamin 39, Jayton 6.

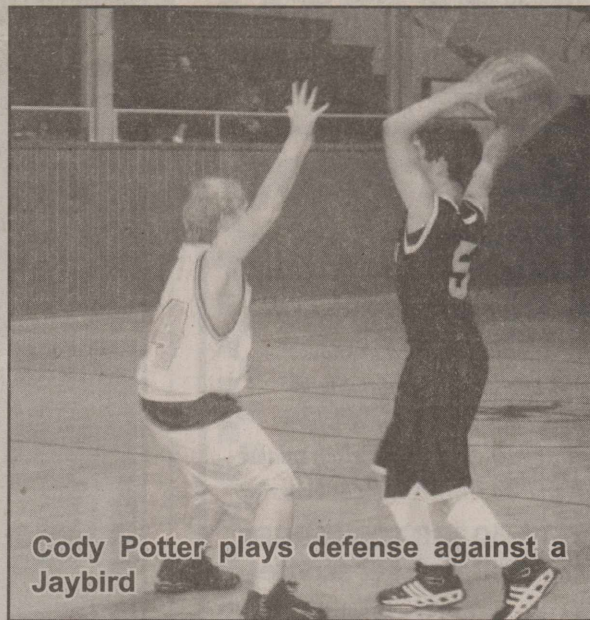
Stats were unavailable.

This is the first win for the team for the season, although previous games have been close calls.

The junior high Mustangs will host county rival the Knox City-O'Brien Bulldogs at home at 5:30 p.m. on December 3rd.



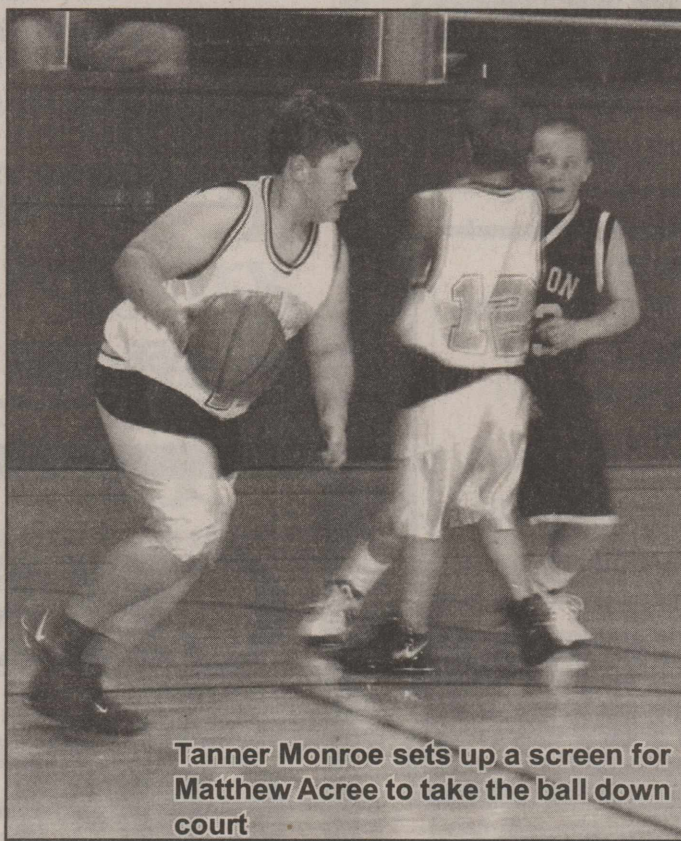
Tanner Monroe goes in for a layup after he breaks away on defense



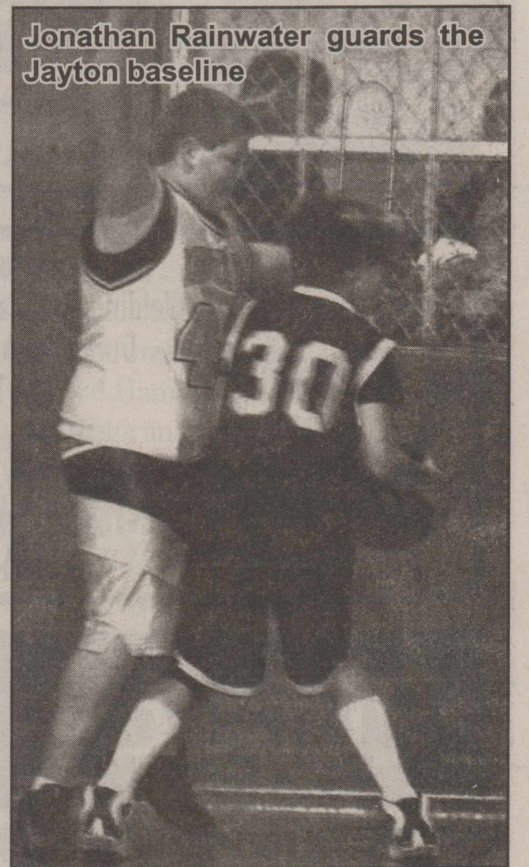
Cody Potter plays defense against a Jaybird



Blake Jones opens himself up at the post position



Tanner Monroe sets up a screen for Matthew Acree to take the ball down court



Jonathan Rainwater guards the Jayton baseline

BENJAMIN NEWS

By Gladene Green

Thanksgiving is over and now we can begin to prepare for that ever so busy Christmas season.

The older I get, the sooner the holidays seem to arrive each year, but it's always a fun time and always looked forward to.

Those of you who have been wanting colder weather and a little snow must be happy as we have had some of both the past few days.

After 85 degree weather on Monday and Tuesday, then dropping to the 40s and 50s, it did make quite a difference. Those jackets and gloves felt pretty good! Today (Monday) was a little better, though.

Sadness has come to our small community and the entire area with the death of Leroy West. Leroy had been in ill health for quite a while and seriously ill the past few weeks. He died on Saturday in Abilene.

His funeral will be Wednesday at 3:00 p.m. Leroy was a friend to everyone and loved by all. He will be missed by many. My sincere sympathy to Gloria and the rest of his family.

Here 'N There

There's been quite a bit of coming and going during this holiday weekend. I'm sure I'll miss many, but do have a little news of some happenings.

Jimmy Mancille of Austin was here for the weekend to visit friends and also his mom, Betty, who resides in one of the Beason houses in Rochester. I visited with Jimmy on Saturday. It's always good to see him.

Spending Thanksgiving with Betty Lyles and Lewis Lyles in the Munday Nursing Center were John and Judy Robinson of Sherman, Joy Lynn Lyles and Chip Powell, Stephanie and Brandon Grandbury and Peyton of Houston, Suzanne and

Monty Brackeen, Adelle and Reed of Salinas, Sara Robinson and a friend, Lao (of Columbia, they both live in Austin), Jacy Collins, Jara Gray and Talon of Munday, Tyler Collins of Seymour and Mike, Tammy and Cassie Lyles of Benjamin.

Visiting Jonnie Williams, Mary Bohannon and Brandi was Jack (Corky) Barker of Tuscon, Arizona.

Earlene Meinzer had her Benjamin kids, Wyman and Pate Meinzer and family, also Rick Meinzer of Rhineland and his son, Trapper Meinzer, who is in school in Denton.

Anthony and Jessica Lamb of Vernon had Thanksgiving with his mom, Deann, and grandparents, Dutch and Imagean Young.

Spending Thanksgiving with Jan and Fred Carver were John and Patty Carver of Taft, Josh and Virginia Sneed and Isabel of Canton, Laura Ann Carver of Huntsville, Gary, Stasia, Kallie and Ryder Antilley of Wingate, Jacy Collins, Jara Gray and Talon of Munday, Tyler Collins of Seymour, Riley and Stephanie Carver, Carson and Riley Paige and Dorothy Carver of Knox City and Mike, Tammy and Cassie Lyles of Benjamin.

Jan said she will be having an angiogram today (Tuesday) in Abilene. Doesn't expect a problem, but doctors want to do this just as a precaution as she had a little heart flare up a few weeks ago.

Our Thanksgiving guests were Mike and Diane Evans and Ashlee and Beckie Keyes, Dillon and Randi of Childress, Jessica Moorhouse of Tarleton State and Liz and Nathan Herring of Munday. We all had lunch in the home of Mike, Debbie and Will Moorhouse.

Thanksgiving Day guests of Hazel Stockton, Kim Moore

and girls and Bud Conner were Keith and Pam Conner of Midland and Blaine and Gary Neal and family of Seymour.

Enjoying the holiday weekend with Jane Gideon and Weldon Gideon were Sue and Dave Terry, Summer and Jake of Dallas and Lana Mendoza and family of Seymour.

Billy Jay Jennings of Rio Frio was here Monday to visit with Gloria West. He will not be able to be here Wednesday as he has a doctor appointment he can not miss. Billy has had several bouts with cancer and so far, so good, and he sure wants to keep a close check on things.

I talked with Patsy Bateman Monday night. She and Jim were in Houston for more tests at M.D. Anderson. Said they would return to their home in Denton today (Tuesday). She said Jim was doing pretty well and, of course, anxious to get home. They don't have to go back to Houston until January.

Also talked to James Redwine and his mom, Anna Mae Crenshaw. They are fine. Anna Mae just turned 96 and enjoys pretty good health for her age. It's always good to hear from friends.

Charles and Linda Griffith had their family on Saturday for their Thanksgiving meal and visit. On hand to enjoy the food, fun and fellowship were daughter, Lori and family of Lubbock, grandson Matt of the University of Texas and daughter, Becky, and her family of Benjamin.

I attended graveside rites for my uncle, Tom Sittin, in Rule Friday afternoon. His wife had died just two weeks before. He was my mother's baby brother - 94 years old. The last of that generation.

He had lived in Lubbock about fifty years, but was a Rule native.

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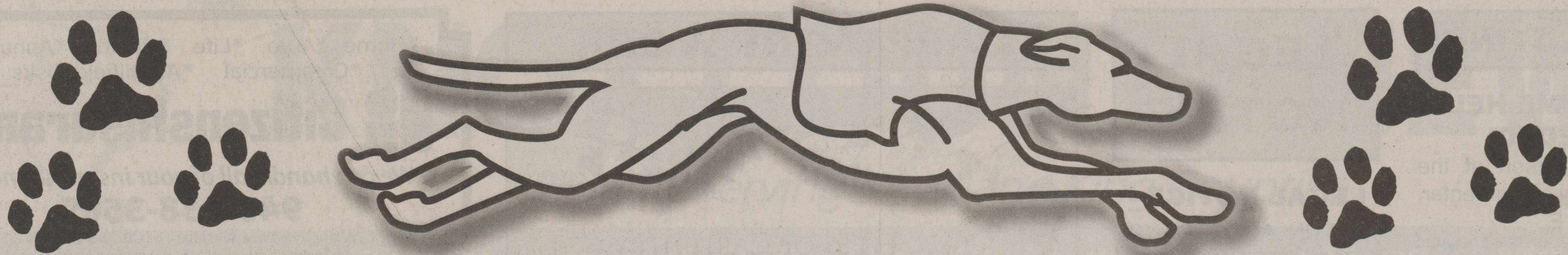
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Yellowhammers Defeat Hounds And Houndettes In Basketball Action

The Knox City Greyhounds and Houndettes were in Rotan on Tuesday, November 20 to meet the Yellowhammers on the basketball court.

The JV and Varsity Houndettes were defeated: 11-39 and 29-62, respectively.

"We are struggling to gain the intensity on defense," Coach Peters began. "We had 22 turnovers in the first half in the var-

sity game and most of those were in transition. No one can win with that kind of turnover statistic."

The Houndettes are working hard in practice to fix the transitions and continue to work on their intensity.

The JV and Varsity Greyhounds fell to the Yellowhammers in a couple of tough losses, too: 13-40 and

36-62, respectively. According to Coach Moore, "In the Varsity game, Rotan had a dominant player inside and we just couldn't stop him.

Rotan got on a roll and it seemed like everything they put up went in. We will move on and learn from our mistakes; and try to get better with each game."

Leading the scoreboard for the Greyhounds were Jordan Carter

with 13 points, Bandy Moeller 9; Orrin Myers 5; Derrick Coleman 3; Rico McCrary 2; and Andrew Inland 2.

The Greyhounds and Houndettes will host the Throckmorton Greyhounds and Lady Hounds on December 4, at the Greyhound Gymnasium. The JV and Varsity teams are scheduled. The first tip-off is planned for 4:00 p.m.

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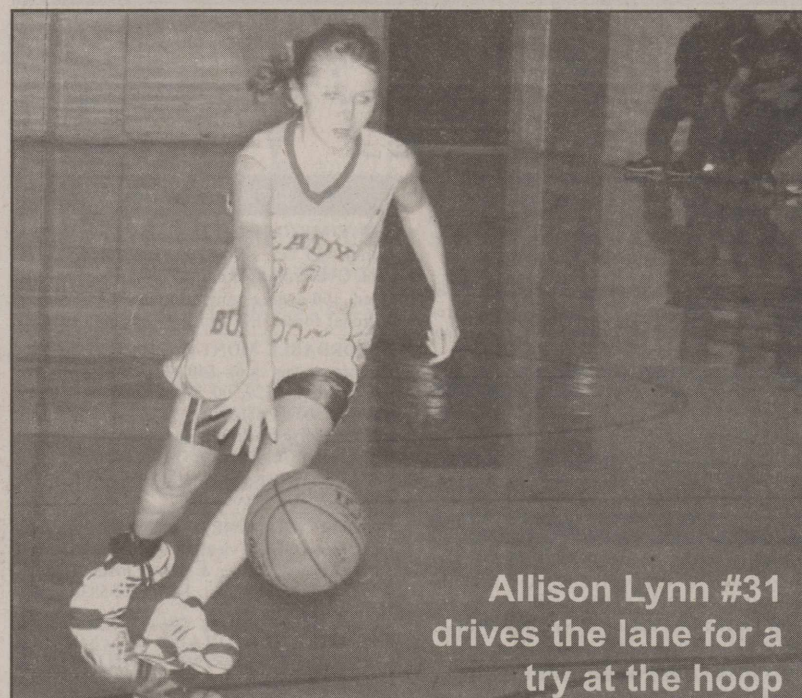
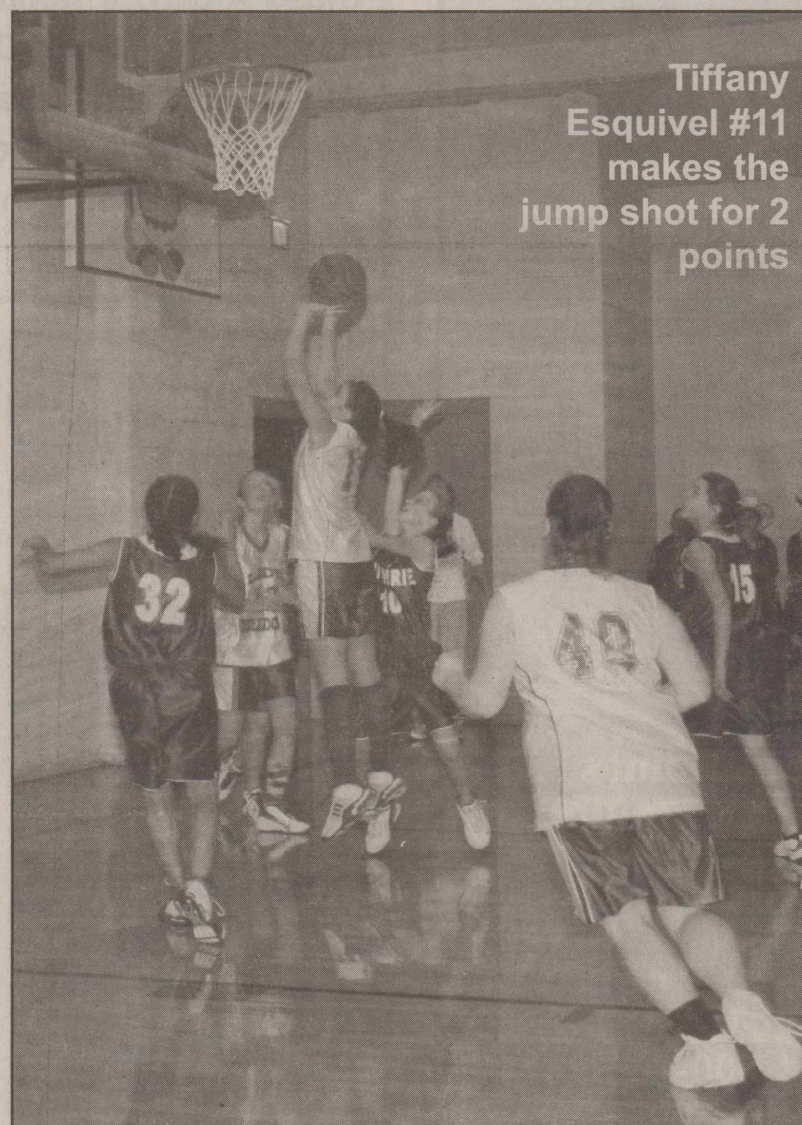
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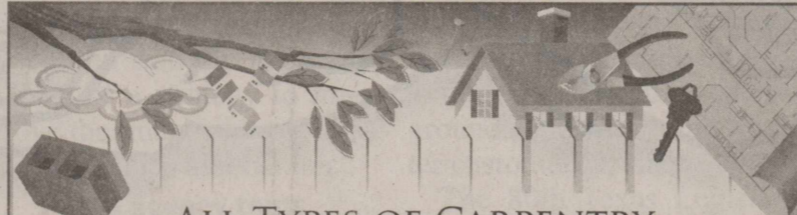
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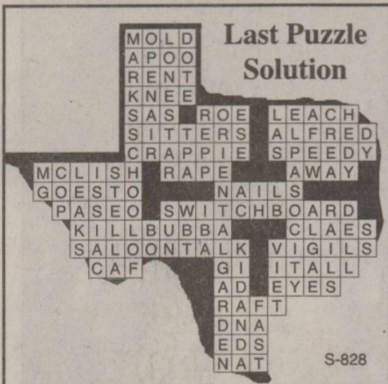
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