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Shop In Knox City



STUDIOUS STUDENTS have "done themselves proud" during this long year of UIL academic accomplishments. Off to the state literary competition in Austin this weekend are seated, from left, Nancy Marin, Leah Rauch and Kristi Risinger. Standing, from left, are Billy Wayne Large, Justin Emerson, Johnny Grindstaff, Andy Williams, Beth Underwood and Starla Whitaker. Not pictured is Kim Ainsworth. (News Photo)



AND THE WINNER IS! Lucky recipient of the 1989 Ford Taurus given away by "M" System Super Markets, Monday, May 1, is Mary Bowman of Munday. Handing over the keys to the new owner is Don Railsback, area manager for the "M" System stores. Railsback reported that registration slips numbered anywhere from 20,000 to 40,000 in the respective stores of Knox City, Munday, Haskell, Seymour and Anson. The successful giveaway was enjoyed throughout by those participating and Mrs. Bowman's name was drawn Monday afternoon in Haskell. (News Photo by Dave Thompson)



Trina, Jeff Advance To State Golf

Knox City High School golfers finished the season on a successful note at the regional tournament. The girls' team composed of Trina Fry, Ivy Maurer, Stephanie Pepper, and Beth Underwood finished fourth with a fine score of 874. The boys' A team finished in third place with a two day score of 642. The team was composed of Jeff Abernathy, Danny Grindstaff, Andy Williams, Alex Flores, and Johnny Grindstaff. Team B composed of Chad Carter, Justin Emerson, Billy Large, Monte Owen, and Arnie Joe Pharr finished in sixth place with a total score of 695.

Advancing to the state meet in
See Golf, Page Ten

Remember To Vote

The joint election for city, school, and hospital will be held at the Knox County Aging Center from 7:00 a.m. until 7:00 p.m. Saturday. Clyde Voss is election judge.

The only contested race this year is the Knox City-O'Brien Consolidated Independent School District's election for two trustees. Candidates include Arthur Boice, who was appointed to the board last year to fill the unexpired term of Jimmy Tankersley's, Anthony Logsdon, Mike Newton, Butch Stephens, and Brian Williams.

In the City of Knox City election, incumbents seeking re-election to two year terms are Mayor Derrell Marion

and councilmembers Barbara Barnard and Marq Brockett. Rob Harrison is seeking a one year term to the council seat to which he was appointed last year to fill the unexpired term of Jon Godsey's when Godsey moved outside the city limits.

The one elective seat on the board of trustees of the Knox County Hospital District is being sought by incumbent Greg Clonts.

Absentee voting by personal appearance ended Tuesday at 5:00 p.m. In checking with officials as of Tuesday at 2:30 p.m., 28 had cast absentee votes in the City of Knox City election, 33 in the school, and one in the hospital.

Kim, Trina Win Gold In Regional Meet

For the third straight year, the team of Kim Bateman and Trina Fry will advance to the state tennis tournament in Austin May 12 and 13. This duo took third at last year's meet.

In the finals, the girls beat the team of Engle and Williams of Cross Plains. The Cross Plains girls won the first set 2-6 with the KC team taking the second two, 6-4, 6-4.

Girls' singles player Stacy Cheek placed third in the regional meet, and boys' singles participant Patrick Wup-

See Tennis, Page Ten

NEWS BRIEFS

AHA Salad Supper Set In Munday

The American Heart Association, Knox County Chapter, will hold a Salad Supper meeting, Tuesday, May 9, in the Munday Community Center. The meeting will begin at 7:00 p.m.

All chapter members bring a salad and a visitor.

Benjamin Fire Dept. Plans Pancake Supper

The Benjamin Volunteer Fire Department is sponsoring a Pancake Supper, Friday, May 5, beginning at 6:00 p.m. at the Benjamin Ex-Students Building. Prices may be noted in their ad elsewhere in this week's News. Donations are also being accepted for an afghan or decorated cake to be given away.

Girl Scout Banquet Is Set For May 11

The four troops of Knox City Girl Scouts will hold a combined Parent-Daughter Banquet beginning at 6:30 p.m. in the Knox City High School Cafeteria on Thursday, May 11. Along with a meal and entertainment from each of the four troops, a special presentation is scheduled. All Knox City Girl Scouts and their parents should mark the date on their calendar and make plans to attend the annual event.

Jamaica Will Be Sunday at Catholic Church

The Santa Rosa Catholic Church will be hosting its annual Jamaica this Sunday, May 7, on the church grounds.

A Mexican Dinner with all the trimmings will be served beginning at 11:30 a.m. in the Santa Rosa Catholic Hall. Door prizes along with other prizes will be given. There will be games and a concession stand and everyone is invited to attend and share in the fun and fellowship.

Interested In Slo-Pitch?

Several have indicated an interest in slo-pitch for the summer and are wondering if there are other men and women in the community, either church groups, organizations, or individuals who would like to participate in a mixed team program. If interested, readers are asked to please call Barbara Barnard at 658-3581 or 658-3010 after 5:00 p.m.

Boutique Celebrating Anniversary With Sale

Thelma Burt, manager of Family Boutique, said the firm is celebrating its sixth anniversary with a sale Thursday, Friday, and Saturday.

Owner Melba Pharr and Mrs. Burt said that they had stocked the store with many gift selections both for Mother's Day and graduation and are inviting everyone to take advantage of the savings.

KC Circle Club To Meet Tuesday, May 9

The KC Circle Club will meet Tuesday, May 9, at 7:00 p.m. in the home of Karen Smith. Sharing hostess duties with her will be Lara Steen.

County Extension Agent Jane Rowan will present the program on "Water quality & Use".

Members are asked to remember Mother's Day for secret pals.

Cub Scouts Supper Thursday Night

A reminder to all Knox City and area residents!

The Cub Scout Pack 161 will be sponsoring a Red Bean and Cornbread Supper Thursday night, May 4, from 6:00 to 7:30 p.m. in the Knox City School Cafeteria. Adults will pay \$2.50 for red beans, fixings, dessert and drink, and children age 5 and under will cost only \$1.00. Door prizes will be given, and everyone is encouraged to treat yourself to a good meal and help the Scouts, too!

Class of 1969 Is Planning 20 Year Reunion

The Knox City High School Class of 1969 is planning a 20 year reunion for July 1. For more information readers should contact Betty Hodges Bailiff at 658-3308 after 4 or Don Hawkins at 658-3041.

Dr. Terry Springer To Present Program

The Brazos Valley Care Home has scheduled a very informative meeting at the care home facility on Tuesday, May 9, at 7:30 p.m. that is open to the public. Dr. Terry Springer will be the featured speaker and present a program on "Cholesterol And Your Health." Anyone interested in this very timely and important subject is invited to attend.

TRAVELING TO AUSTIN for state competition May 11, 12 and 13 will be Billy Wayne Large in the long jump and 110 high hurdles and Trina Fry, girls golf medalist. Trina and partner Kim Bateman, not pictured, will participate in state tennis doubles. Jeff Abernathy, also not pictured, will participate in the boys state golf medalist division. (News Photo)



ARTIST OF THE MONTH - Rolanda Bowman of Pampa, daughter of Romain and Jack Stubbs, is featured as "Artist of the Month" for May at The Citizens State Bank. Rolanda, a 1972 graduate of Knox City High School, has had 17 years' experience in floral design. She is owner of Rolanda's in the Pampa Mall in Pampa and also Rolanda's in The Gallery in downtown Borger. She and her husband, Barry, have two daughters, Angela, who is six years old, and Christine, age two. (News Photo)

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BABYSITTING JOB Wanted: I'm 13 years old and very responsible. Reasonable rates. Call Lisa Russell at 658-3162. 4-20 ttp

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LAWN WORK WANTED - Contact Jarred Pepper, 658-3458 after 4:00 p.m. 4-6 tfc

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FOR SALE -King size mattress. Call 658-3338. 5-4 ttc

CRAFTSMAN RIDING Lawnmower For Sale, used one year. Call 658-3122 or 658-3564. 4-27 ttc

LONG FORMALS for sale sizes 4-5-7 and some size 12. Sandra Bateman, 658-3350. 5-4 ttp

GARAGE SALE

FIVE FAMILY Garage Sale - 601 South Ave. E (on the corner) Saturday, May 6, 9 to 5. Baby, kids, adults' clothing and shoes, bedspreads, drapes, sheets, twin mattresses, dishes, toys, hot water heaters, furniture, business counter, carpet, beauty shop wet station and dryers, 6-pole swing set. 5-4 ttp

GARAGE SALE - 1004 S. 3rd, Thursday and Friday, 8:00 till 4:30. Ladies' clothes, men's clothes, lots of items. 5-4 ttp

GARAGE SALE - Friday, May 5. Dresser, bookcase, end table, filing cabinet, pots and pans, dishes, jeans size 30-30, men's shirts, women's clothes and lots of miscellaneous. 1103 S. 4th, 8:00-5:00. 5-4 ttp

4-FAMILY GARAGE SALE in O'Brien behind gin office Thursday & Friday. Kids' clothes, dishes, baby clothes, misc. 5-4 ttp

GARAGE SALE - Saturday, May 6, weather permitting, 8:30 to ? 910 South Fifth (in back). Refrigerator, lawnmower, clothing, much more. 5-4 ttc

LEGAL NOTICE

NOTICE OF OPPORTUNITY
Notice is hereby given that Aspermont Small Business Development Center, Inc., is seeking financial assistance from the U.S. Department of Transportation under Section 18 grant program. Grant funds will be used to continue providing rural public transportation on demand responsive and a fixed schedule based on location with a 24-hour advance notice. Services are available in Haskell, Jones, Kent, Knox, Stonewall and Throckmorton counties. During this period the system will purchase one lift van. Special provisions for the elderly and handicapped are available. The system will charge a small fee, however, some passengers may qualify for fare subsidy. Copies of the grant proposal will be available for inspection by the public at 650 Washington St., Aspermont, Texas 79502, after June 15, 1989. Any person wishing to request a public hearing on the proposed project must submit that request in writing to 650 Washington St., Aspermont, Texas, 79502 prior to May 31, 1989. 4-27 2tc

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FOR SALE - 21" RCA color TV console. Very good condition. \$100.00, will negotiate. Contact Sammie at City Cleaners or after 5, call 658-5001. 5-4 ttc

FOR SALE - Double bed with headboard, \$50.00. See at News office. 4-27 tfc

CARD OF THANKS

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Thanks to the Knox City Ambulance Crew who took my mother to Humana Hospital in Abilene. Your kindness and expertise were greatly appreciated. Thanks also to the Knox County Hospital staff and doctors for their excellent care. We have appreciated the cards, visits, phone calls, and every expression of kindness.
Betty Skiles & Leona Solomon 5-4 ttp

NOTICE

I WILL DO babysitting in my home-309 South Main-Anita Bruce. (Bonnie Peysen's daughter-in-law). Phone 658-3398. 5-4 ttp

HELP WANTED - Experienced morning waitress and cook. Apply in person. Raquel's, Knox City. 4-6 tfc

THE TIMES-RECORD NEWS would like to introduce you to your news correspondent Stacy Angle Thompson, 658-3142. If you have any news related stories to share, please call Stacy. For home delivery service of our newspaper, please call Greg Huber at 658-3304. 3-9 tfc

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LEGAL NOTICE

PICK UP FOR SALE
The City of Knox City, Texas is now accepting sealed bids for a 1975 Ford half-ton pick up. Sealed bids may be turned in to Lynward Wilcox, City Administrator, at the City of Knox City, 200 Central Avenue, P.O. Box 128, Knox City, Texas 79529. Office hours are Monday through Friday, 8:00 a.m. through 5:00 p.m. Additional information may be obtained by calling 817-658-3313. Sealed bids will be accepted through May 9, 1989 until 5:00 p.m. The City reserves the right to reject any and all bids and shall be the sole judge of the quality of bids and the sole party to determine which of the bids constitute the highest and best bid. The judgement of the City Council will be final and non-appealable. 4-27 2tc

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PUBLIC HEARING
A Public Hearing is scheduled for Tuesday, May 9, 1989 at City Hall, 200 North Central Avenue, Knox City, Texas, at 7:00 p.m. This Public Hearing is to inform the Public of action to be taken in regards to Ordinance #1116 which pertains to dangerous and dilapidated buildings in the City of Knox City. The addresses to be discussed are:
1. Block 21, the South one-half (1/2) of Lot 3 of the Original Town, the address being the 300 Block of North Aspen.
2. Block 4, Lots 3-4 of the Original Town, the address being the 500 Block of North Central.
3. Block 14, Lots 4-6 of the Warren Addition, the address being North East 5th and Avenue G.
4. Block 44, Lots 16-17 of the Original Town, the address being 109 East Main.
The City of Knox City requests that the property owners of the above addresses attend this Public Hearing to discuss proposed actions to be taken. 4-27 2tc

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Extension Service To Observe 75th Anniversary

May 8 will mark the 75th Anniversary of the establishment of the Cooperative Extension Service.

On that date in 1914, President Woodrow Wilson signed the Smith-Lever Act and the Extension Service legally became the educational arm of the U.S. Department of Agriculture (USDA). The act established Extension activities within a unique nationwide system, funded and guided by a partnership of federal, state and local governments.

The first "county agents" were appointed on November 12, 1906, one to work in Texas and the other in Alabama. The first county home demonstration agent was hired in June 1910, to serve three Virginia counties. During this pre-World War I period, the youth component of the Extension Service developed from early corn-growing contests for farm boys, boy's corn clubs, and girl's canning clubs to become the 4-H Club.

By the end of June 1918, 2,435 counties had agricultural agents and 1,715 counties had home demonstration agents assisting USDA efforts to increase wartime production of agricultural commodities. Young people quickly took up the challenge, and in 1987, 4-H Club membership soared to 1/2 million members.

Knox County hired their first County Agent in 1912, A.E. Whittmore. The first Home Demonstration Agent (now referred to as County Extension Agent-Home Economics) was Bessie L. Gillis, who was hired in 1922. Since that time Knox County has had 21 agriculture agents and 23 home economics agents. These included:

Knox County Extension Agents-Ag.
A.E. Whittmore, 1912-1913; H.M. Cantrell, 1918-1925; W.O. Logan, 1925-1928; C.L. Wilson, 1928-1930; Weldon E. Jones, 1930-1941; Ralph Dunkle, 1941-1946; Jas. M. Carpenter, 1946-1948; Kenneth O. Lewis, 1948-1951; Wm. C. Pallmeyer, 1951-1953; Wm. J. Bryan, 1953-1956; Roy B. England, 1956-1959; Clarence D. Sturdivant, 1959-1959; Troy D. Jones, 1959-1960; Jno. A. Moore Jr., 1960-1962; Joe W. Doby, 1962-1967; Herman H. Collier, 1967-1976; Tommy K. Antilley, 1976-1979; Jimmy Mazurkiewicz, 1980-1981; Charles Siepel, 1981-1983; David L. Tunmire, 1984-1988; Donnie Peters, 1988-

Knox County Extension Agents-H.E.
Bessie L. Gillis, 1922-1923; Vivian M. Heard, 1923-1925; Mamie Maxwell,

1925-1927; Grace Nelson, 1927-1933; Jewell Faulkner, 1933-1935; Helen P. Burchard, 1935-1937; Sarah Nina Astin, 1937-1940; Neva Isom Van Zant, 1940-1942; Kathleen Lucile King, 1942-1946; Eugenia H. Butler, 1946-1949; Ida Belle Allen, 1949-1950; Goldie Maleta, 1950-1952; Georgia Fae Perkins, 1952-1953; Anna Lee Drieschner, 1953-1955; S.C. Kinsey, 1955-1967; Gail V. Osborn (Williams), 1967-1968; Sheryl K. Trimmier (Mahoney), 1969-1970; Ruth Elaine Bowman (Carmichael), 1970-1973; Nancy L. Fuhrken, 1974-1976; Carolyn Schur, 1977-1978; Sharon Book, 1978-1980; April Werley (Stamps), 1980-1982; Jane Lockname (Rowan), 1983-

For 75 years, the Cooperative Extension System has focused on problem areas that the American people felt were beyond their own control. Extension has helped people understand issues affecting their daily lives and provided practical research-based knowledge so that individuals and families can learn to resolve issues confronting them. Extension has been, and will remain, a people-oriented program.

In honor of the 75th Anniversary the Knox County Extension Office will be having an "Open-House" on Monday, May 8 from 9:30 a.m. to 3:30 p.m. Their offices are located on the first floor of the County Courthouse in Benjamin. The public is invited to drop by and visit with Extension personnel throughout the day.

Steve Rutherford On Dean's List

HOUSTON - Steve Kendall Rutherford, a Knox City High School graduate, has been named to the Dean's List for the fall 1988 semester at the South Texas College of Law in Houston.

To be named to the Dean's List, a student must have an overall average of 80 or better, with no grade below 75. The highest possible grade is 95. A full-time student must be enrolled for 13 semester hours and a part-time student for eight semester hours to qualify.

Steve is the son of Mr. and Mrs. J.B. Rutherford of Knox City.

KC Student To Travel With 'Belles'

The Cisco Junior College Wrangler Belles and Band travel to Washington, D.C. and Winchester, Virginia, May 4-7 to perform at the White House and in the Shenandoah Apple Blossom Festival Parade. Accompanying the group is Marci Berryman of Knox City.

In November during the annual CJC High School Drill Team Competition Marci was selected as a Wrangler Belle "Babe" and invited to participate with the college group on this performing tour. Selection was based on performing ability, projection of personality and recommendation of director.

Hospital Auxiliary Fund

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One of the most important services that an individual can offer to his community is his time to serve on the school board. Mike Newton has placed his name as a candidate to serve on the Knox City-O'Brien school board. Mike graduated from Knox City High School in 1971 and Texas A&M University in 1975. Mike has been involved in many community activities, one of those being a coach for the Little Dribblers basketball team. For the past two years, his team has made it to the National Finals in Little Dribblers.

Mike and his wife, Sharon, have three sons, Josh, Jordan and Matthew, who are students in our school system.

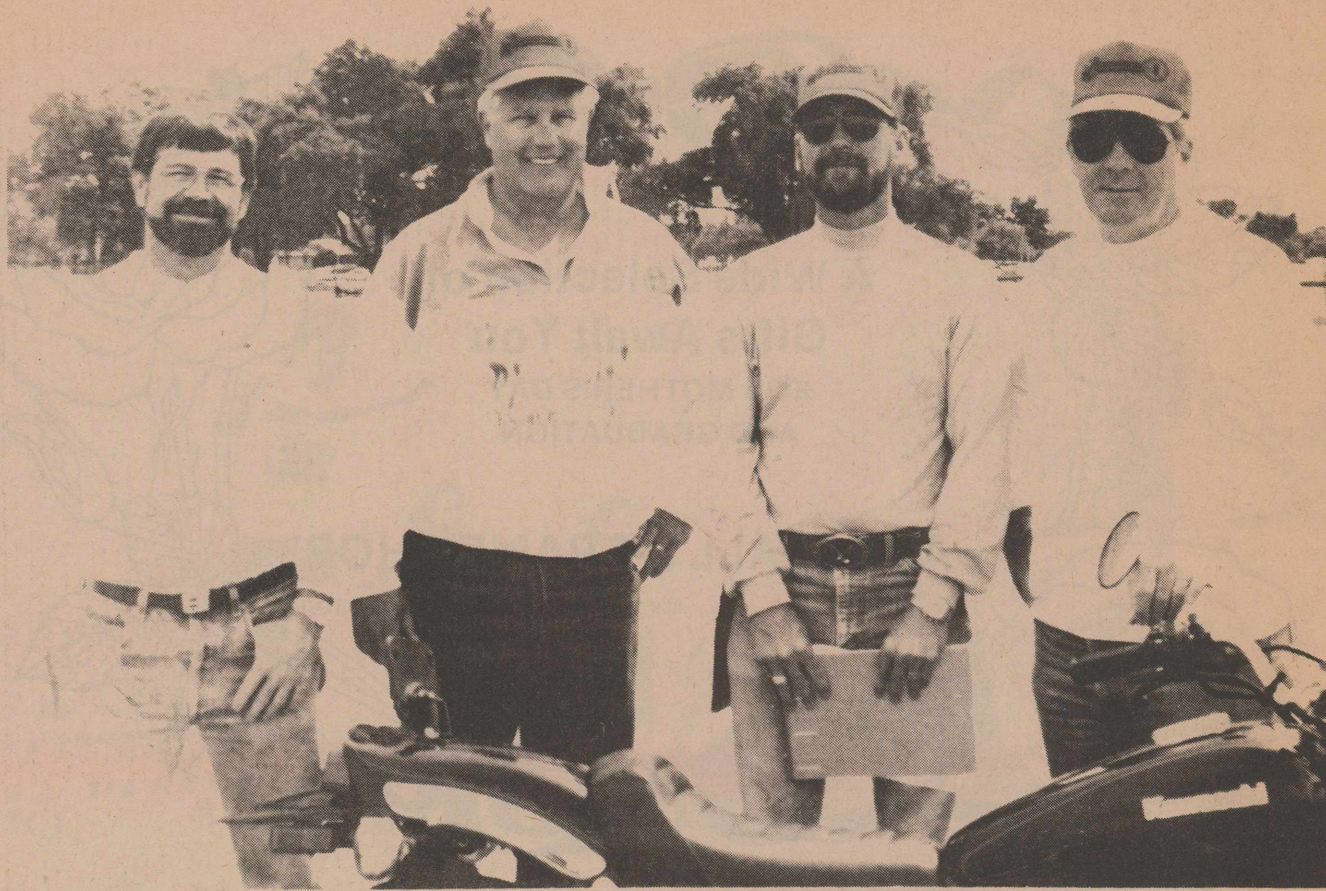
We, as concerned citizens, believe that Mike Newton is qualified to serve on the Knox City-O'Brien Consolidated School Board.

VOTE FOR MIKE NEWTON

(Pol. Adv. Pd. For By Concerned Citizens, Charles Durham, Treasurer)



MIKE AND SHARON NEWTON AND SONS
(Top to Bottom, Josh, Jordan & Matthew)



NEW INSTRUCTORS for the Texas Department of Public Safety Motorcycle Operator Training Program are shown here after completing a rigorous three weekend Instructor Preparation Course held at Texas Tech University in Lubbock. Instructing candidates during the school was Texas DPS Chief Instructor Jim White of Austin, shown here at left. Those graduating from the Instructor School were (from left to right) Royce Graham of Amarillo, Ron Vaughn of Odessa, and Dave Thompson of Knox City. The new instructors are DPS approved and certified nationally by the Motorcycle Safety Foundation to teach both the Motorcycle Rider Course for beginning riders and the Experienced Rider Course for those who already have street riding experience. Both courses are offered nationwide by the Motorcycle Safety Foundation and administered in Texas by the Department of Public Safety Motorcycle Operator Training Program. Instructor Dave Thompson of Knox City will be available to teach the courses primarily in Lubbock, Wichita Falls, and Abilene, but will travel throughout the state at the request of the DPS Motorcycle Operator Training Section in Austin. (Courtesy Photo)

Governor Proclaims May Motorcycle Safety Month

Austin -- In an effort to increase awareness of motorcycle training and safety, Governor William P. Clements has proclaimed the month of May as Motorcycle Safety and Awareness Month.

Coordinated by the Texas Department of Public Safety and the Department's Motorcycle Operator Training Section, the proclamation emphasizes the fact that motorcyclists must "be highly skilled, constantly alert, and have a thorough understanding of defensive driving skills."

To increase rider skills and reduce accidents, the DPS sponsors a motorcycle rider training and education program. Classes for both novice and experienced riders are offered at 44 sites around the state.

"Increased training is crucial to reducing the motorcycle fatality rate," said Henry Palma, Director of the DPS Motorcycle Operator Training Program.

"Research shows that the lack of

rider skill and training is a key factor in many accidents involving motorcyclists," he said.

In 1988, there were 8,108 motorcycle accidents reported in Texas. Among these, 8,183 people were injured and 295 were killed.

Seventy-eight percent (229) of the cyclists killed were not wearing helmets. Of the injured, 63 percent (5135) were not wearing helmets. Even though riders under 18 are required to wear helmets, 77 percent (17) of those under 18 who were killed were not wearing helmets at the time of the accident.

Two motorcycle related bills before the legislature should have an impact on the motorcycle accident rate. The legislature passed and the Governor has signed, a mandatory helmet bill for all operators and passengers on motorcycles. The effective date is September 1, 1989.

A second bill, Senate Bill 589/House Bill 322, has been passed by the Senate

and the House Transportation Committee. This bill given final passage, would provide for an expanded motorcycle safety education and training program.

Every driver on the highway needs to be alert for the presence of motorcycles on the road. Drivers of all vehicles as well as motorcyclists need to share the road safely. As described in the proclamation, "An overwhelming number of motorcycle accidents could be prevented if drivers of automobiles would be more aware and give consideration to motorcycle riders."

The Department of Public Safety has set up a toll-free number for information about motorcycle rider training. To find about the nearest training location, call 1-800-292-5787.

Letters To The Editor

2856 Las Vegas Trail
Apartment 169
Fort Worth, Texas 76116

Hi! to all the staff!
I am moving again. Please change my address so I can keep hearing from all the people I know and love very much. Also renew my subscription for another year.

I certainly appreciate the "Straight Talk" column. Atta Boy, Dave.

Thanks,
Audie Q. Kempe

Dear Dave & Stacy,

We were surprised and pleased to receive the KC News last week and we'd like to thank Elaine for our subscription.

We are finally settled in and enjoying Littlefield, but we miss good ole K.C. and our friends and plan to visit often. Tori says hi to all her little friends and she misses them, too.

See ya soon,
Troy, Tanya & Tori

Editor,

I am sure most of your readers who keep up with current events are aware of the recent happening in Stockton, California concerning the killings of five innocent children and following suicide of the psychopathic killer, Patrick Purdy.

Purdy is another prime example of our failed criminal justice system. Before this tragic incident, Purdy was arrested for soliciting sex, possession

of narcotics, dangerous weapons charges, attempted robbery and receiving stolen property and released on all counts. His most serious charge from all these accounts was a misdemeanor. One has to ask the question, "What was Purdy even doing on the streets?"

Most of the before mentioned information is somewhat available, however, what most of you have not been told is that Purdy was able to purchase guns on five different occasions despite California's 15 day waiting period for gun purchases, which accurately illustrates the ineffectiveness of waiting periods.

Of course the pro-gun control groups have again seized upon the emotions and media hype generated by the Purdy incident to pursue more gun control legislation. President Bush and others have decided it is their inherent right to decide who can own or import a semi-automatic weapon. Other legislation is also pending in Washington and in Austin that if passed would grant various governments all over the country the right to decide who can own and operate a firearm of any kind and would also give government the authority to confiscate your firearms at any time.

A few years ago when our Congressman Charles Stenholm was a statesman (Boll Weevil Days) one did not worry about his position on such issues. Unfortunately, he now cannot be trusted in this area of politics because of his unwavering support for a waiting period before purchasing

guns. Despite receiving opposition and not being able to publish any evidence otherwise, he maintains this is what the 17th District wants. Mr. Stenholm's supposed informal polls do not give him the authority to violate the Bill of Rights. No U.S. Representative should have the discretion to bargain with the right to keep and bear arms for is that right upon which all others depend. I wish more people could see the real depth of the gun control issue and that is one of freedom. Gun control has not been proven to be an effective deterrent of crime. Mr. Stenholm and his colleagues only have to look out their porches in Washington to see this. Washington DC. has some of the countries most strict gun control laws and also can brag of having the country's highest murder rate (151 murders to date).

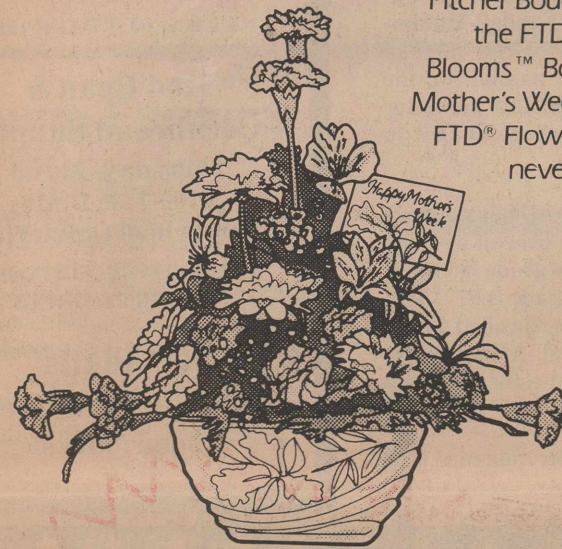
Can Mr. Stenholm guarantee that a gradual infringement of rights imposed on us by a waiting period will stop? In 1913 our income tax rate was 3%. Medicare began in 1965 with an annual \$200 million budget. Food stamps now consume \$12 billion annually. Too bad our Congress doesn't have the courage to put the same amount of energy into reforming wrongs as they do something as useless as a waiting period.

I hope the voters of the 17th District remember this before the next election.

Sincerely,
/s/ Joe W. Peeks, D.C.
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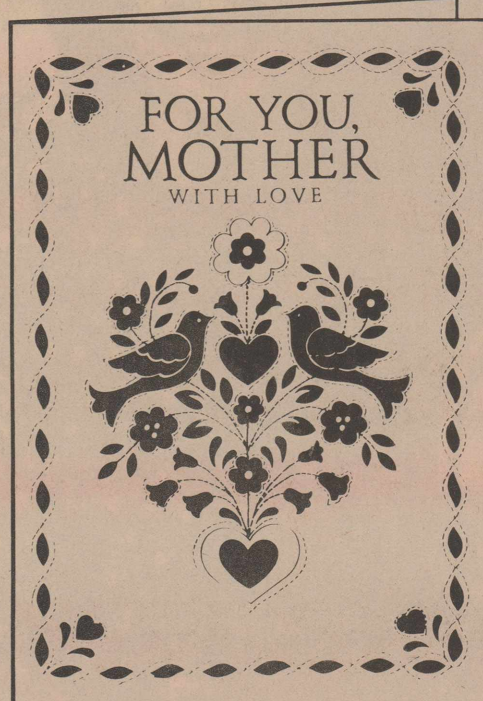
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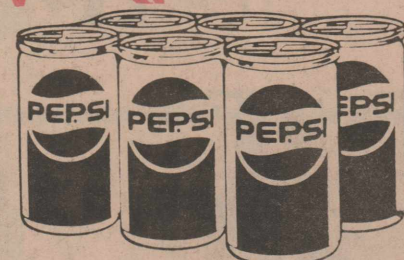


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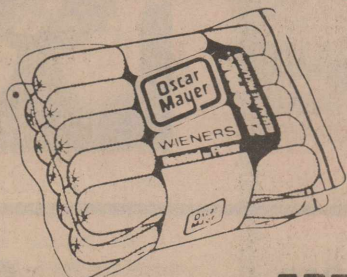


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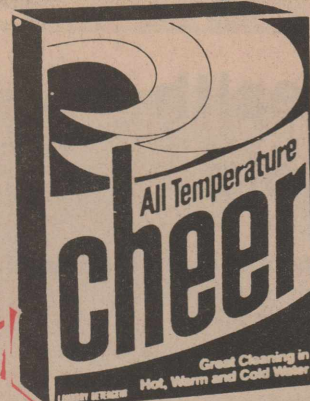
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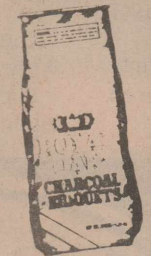
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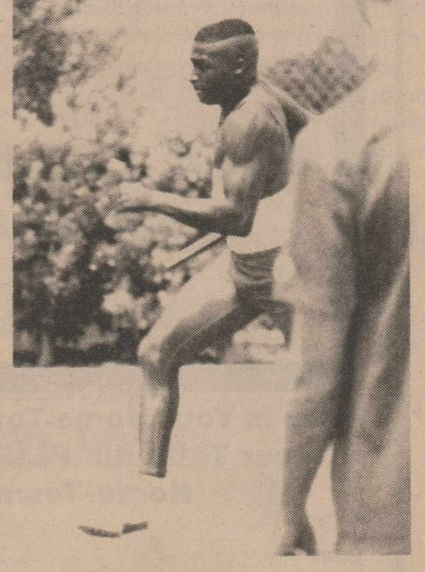
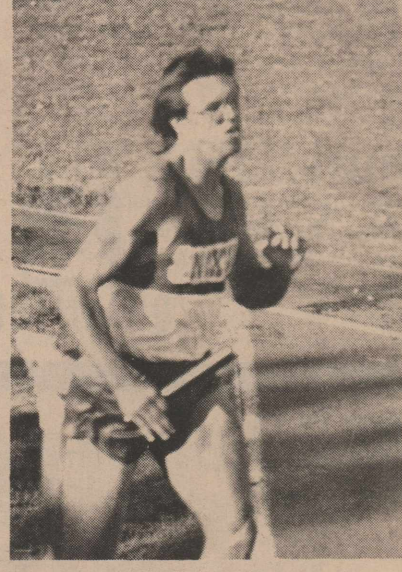
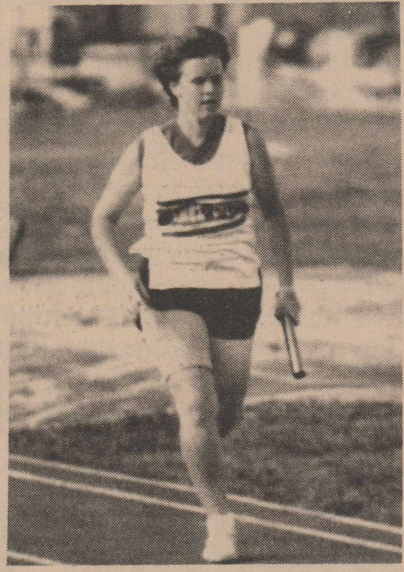
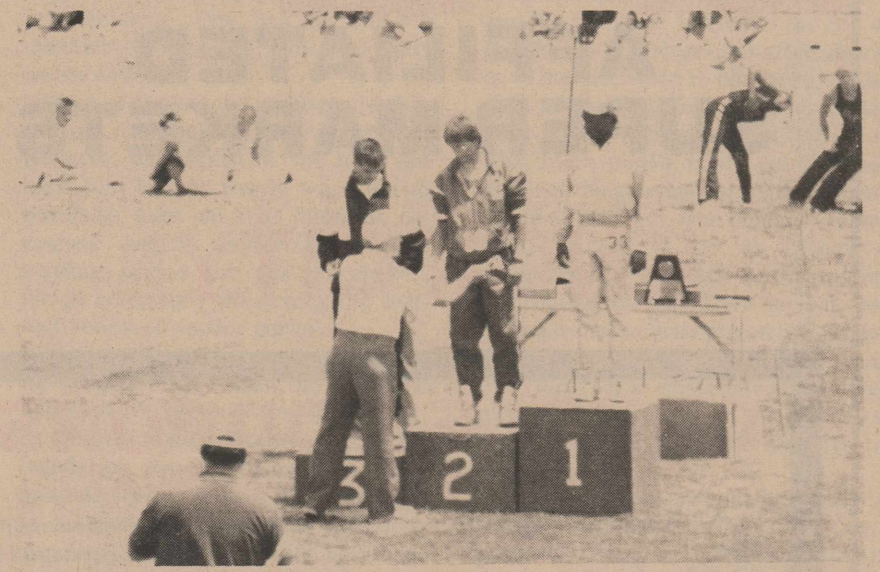


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PROCLAMATION

WHEREAS, The month of May, 1989 has been declared Mental Health and Chemical Abuse Awareness Month

WHEREAS, Headstream Memorial Center in Haskell represents the designated mental health authority for all residents of Knox, Stonewall and Haskell Counties.

WHEREAS, The citizens of Knox City should be made aware of the needs others in this community who benefit from services provided by this center.

NOW, THEREFORE, I Derrell Marion, Mayor of Knox City, do hereby proclaim the month of May, 1989 as

"Mental Health and Chemical Abuse Awareness Month" and urge the citizens of this city to support a worthwhile cause that may help neighbors have a better tomorrow.

/s/Derrell Marion,
Mayor

Local Mental Health Services Available

The month of May has been designated as National Mental Health and Chemical Abuse Month. In conjunction with this proclamation, now is an ideal time to call attention to the tri-county mental health facility located in Haskell.

The Headstream Memorial Center, located at 1301 North First in Haskell, opened in 1970 as the first Outreach Center affiliated with Vernon State Hospital; Aubrey Headstream served as its first director. Aubrey and his wife Majorie were instrumental in the center's success.

In September 1987, the Vernon State Hospital Programs merged with the Wichita Falls State Hospital Programs and the Headstream Memorial Center became one of 13 Outreach Centers covering a 20 county area. The center has a concerned, qualified staff consisting of three full-time and four part-time personnel. In the past 19 years, it has served over 2,000 people from Haskell, Knox, and Stonewall counties. Currently there are 80 cases from these three counties. In addition there are an average of 25 monthly screenings and referrals to other resources.

The purpose of Headstream Mental Health center is to provide mental health services close to home and to prevent, whenever possible, psychiatric hospitalization. The charge for these services is figured on a sliding income scale. However, no one will be turned away because they are unable to pay.

The Headstream Memorial Center provides services to the people in Haskell, Knox, and Stonewall counties including psychological testing, State Hospital screening, alcohol and chemical abuse counseling, behavioral, relationship, family and marriage counseling. Group therapy

programs, case management and psychiatric consultation are also available.

This facility's services are offered for children to the elderly. If readers have a problem in or concern about any of the above areas...There Is Help Available...Call (817)864-3472 in Haskell or the 24-hour crisis hot line number 1-800-621-8504 before 8:00 a.m. and after 5:00 p.m.

SCHOOL AND COMMUNITY CALENDAR

Thursday, May 4 -- Junior High Literary at Goree; Cub Scout Bean and Cornbread Supper, KC School Cafeteria, 6:00 to 7:30 p.m.
Friday and Saturday, May 5 and 6 -- Knox City Science Fair; State UIL Literary Meet in Austin
Monday, May 8 -- FHA Banquet
Tuesday, May 9 -- Junior High Tennis, Zone
Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday, May 9, 10 and 11 -- Drum Major, Twirler, Cheerleader and Drill Team Tryouts
Wednesday, May 10 -- Noon Lions Club, First United Methodist Church Fellowship Hall

China Painting Slated At VRJC

Two popular classes Beginning China and Porcelain Painting and Intermediate China and Porcelain Painting have been scheduled by the Division of Continuing Education of Vernon Regional Junior College for the summer semester.

Lucille Harris will be the instructor for both these classes which will include instruction in the basic and intermediate techniques of painting on china and porcelain. Mrs. Harris is well-known throughout the Greenbelt Area for her award winning china painting. She instructs numerous classes in North Texas and Southern Oklahoma.

Beginning China and porcelain Painting will meet on Mondays from 1:30-4:40 p.m. beginning May 22 and ending June 26. Intermediate China and Porcelain Painting will meet on Mondays from 1:30 to 4:30 p.m. beginning July 3 and ending August 8.

Early registration is necessary as class size will be limited. For further information, call the Continuing Education Office at 552-6291.

Counts To Assist In Team Roping

Rep. David Counts, D-Knox City, will be in Aspermont this Saturday to assist in Team Roping at the Ned Ward Arena one mile west of Aspermont.

The event begins about 10:00 a.m., a spokesperson said.

Averitts Return Home

Ada Maye and Joe Averitt returned home last week after their annual winter trip to the Valley.

Ada Maye reported a 'wonderful winter'. She said that Joe's health was excellent, and he played golf about twice a week. She said they especially enjoyed the visits from friends and the hometown news they received each week.

She said it was good to be back home again.

Young Farmers To Present Scholarship

The Brazos Valley Young Farmers are sponsoring a scholarship to be presented at the completion of the 1988-89 school year.

To be eligible for the scholarship, the following criteria must be met:

1. Must enroll in a related agriculture field in the college of the recipient's choice.
2. Be a deserving 4-H or FFA member in Knox County.
3. Be a graduating high school senior.
4. Complete an oral interview with the scholarship committee.

Applications may be picked up at the Knox County Extension office, Ag Science teachers or Brazos Valley Young Farmers' members.

Completed applications are due on May 12, 1989.

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For additional information and an application, please contact Lynward Wilcox at City Hall between the hours of 8:00 a.m. and 5:00 p.m. Monday through Friday. Applications must be received by 5:00 p.m., Tuesday, May 9, 1989.

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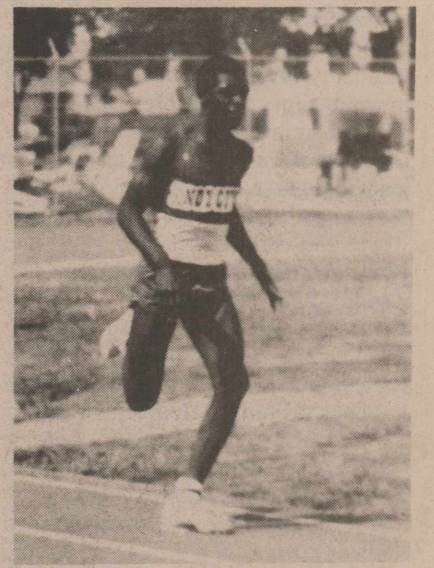
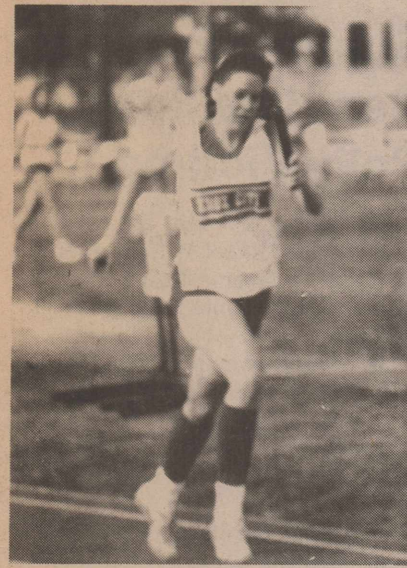
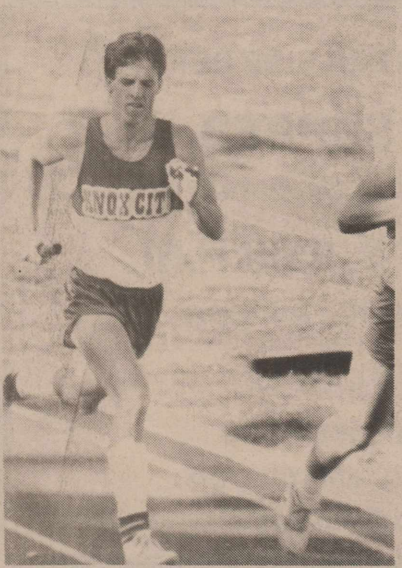
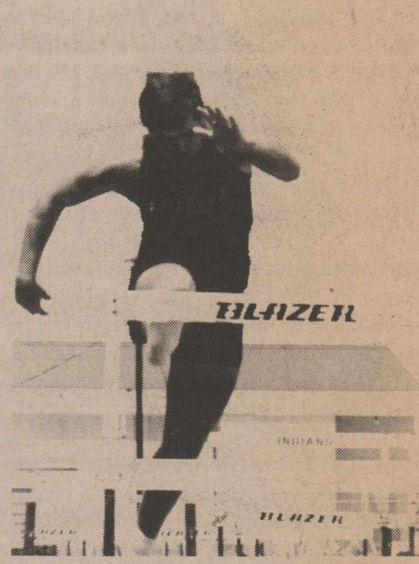
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By Stephanie Pepper



P-K, Kindergarten Sets Pre-Registration Friday

Pre-registration for students planning to attend Pre-Kindergarten or Kindergarten in the Knox City Elementary School during the 1989-90 school year will be Friday, May 5, from 10:00-1:00.

In order to be eligible for Pre-Kindergarten, the child must be four years of age on or before September 1 of current year.

In order to be eligible for Kindergarten, the child must be 5 years of age on or before September 1 of the current year.

Parents wishing to register their children should come by the Elementary School Principal's Office. Bring the child's birth certificate, immunization records, and Social Security Number.

If there are those who have a child or know a child that would be eligible for Pre-K or Kindergarten, remember this date for pre-registration.

Bloodmobile To Change Location

The Bloodmobile will be paying a visit to Knox City on Tuesday, May 16, and will be changing its location from the Fellowship Hall of the First United Methodist Church to the Knox County Aging Center.

According to Sue Marion, the hours will be from 3:00 p.m. until 6:00 p.m.

Anyone having any questions may contact Mrs. Marion at 658-3294 after 5:00 p.m.

RETURNS HOME

Mrs. W.H. Clonts has returned home from Granite Shoals where she visited her daughter and her husband, Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Averitt.



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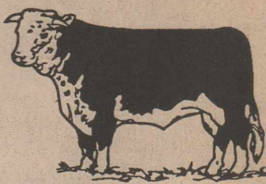
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PUBLIC NOTICE

May 1, 1989

To whom it may concern,

A few individuals have been using dumpsters to dispose of dead animals. Any dead animal will be picked up by City Hall, if we are notified of the animals location. Animals that are left in the dumpsters can really cause a stink! Also, if you have something to dispose of that you don't want in your dumpster, such as dead fish or fish remains, please don't put it in your neighbors dumpster. If you can't stand the smell, neither can they! Please be considerate of your neighbors and the ones who share your dumpster.

Sincerely,

Lynward Wilcox
Lynward Wilcox
City Administrator

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O'Brien Happenings

By Audie Johnston

"Trouble -- Some people treat God as though He were a lawyer; they only go to Him when they get into trouble."

HERE AND THERE

Recently visiting the C.B. Banners and A.C. Camerons were Butch and Bobbie Banner of Hawley and Babe Banner of Littlefield visited the Banners.

Winnie Johnston visited her daughter Barbara McGaughey in Stamford and they visited the David McGaughey family and Barbie McGaughey in Lubbock over the weekend.

Raymond and Olean Elmore visited relatives and friends in different parts of Arkansas last week.

Visiting Dwight and Edrie Gothard Sunday afternoon was their son, Paul Dean and his wife Kay of Mertzon.

The Bill Trices attended the graveside funeral service of Evelyn's nephew, Robert Bouldin of Austin, at the New Hope Cemetery last Friday. Bill conducted the service. The relatives went to Cliff House and visited for a while after the funeral.

The Bill Trice family went to First Baptist Church in Abilene Saturday morning for the Bible Drill competition among the Southern Baptist Children of Texas for this area. Their granddaughter was a participant in the competition. They went to Bonanza where the children treated Mom and Dad to a steak dinner and Happy 40th wedding anniversary cake.

J.D. and Mabel Hollis met the L.C. Stanleys and Roy Burgess of Snyder for a visit Saturday. Margie Tidwell of Lubbock visited the Hollises Sunday.

Orval and Helen Manning were in Odessa last week to attend the funeral for Helen's cousin, Wayne Coffee.

Royce Manning of Abilene spent Saturday with his parents, Orval and Helen.

Marvin Manning recently visited his daughter, Marvylene Lancaster and family and Jean Gibson and family in Springtown and Azle.

Visiting Mr. and Mrs. Jack Underwood "off and on" for the last two weeks were J.C. and Opal Floyd, Jack's sister from Durham, Califor-

nia. The Floyds also visited J.C.'s mother and sisters, Mrs. King in the care home.

Visiting the Jack Underwoods Friday night was D.G., Bonnie, Gayla and Amanda Underwood of Levelland.

Wayne and Corrine McKinney are visiting their daughter, Jodie Day and family in Brownwood. Jodie recently had surgery.

UNDERWOOD REUNION

The Underwood reunion met Saturday, April 22, at the Munday Community Center. A bountiful lunch was served to 53 people. Those present were Mrs. Mary Lea, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Wilson and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. G.D. Underwood, Gayla and Amanda of Levelland, Ernest Curb of Gorman, Mr. and Mrs. L.T. Hogood of Comanche, Corky and Jimmie Wilson, Mr. and Mrs. Brownie Underwood, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Underwood and Sandy and Mrs. Vera Underwood, all of Andrews; Mr. and Mrs. J.C. Floyd of Durham, California, Mr. Hamblin of Proctor, Jim Underwood of Andrews, Mrs. Beth Marr of Hobbs, New Mexico, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Fuich of Gonzales, Lou Hodges and Jennie Chestnut of Graham, Ruth and Anne Underwood of Knox City and O'Brien, Mr. and Mrs. Billie Ray Morrow of Knox City, Misty Ford of Graham, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Morrow, Nicole and Ashely of Stamford, Mrs. Ruby Rachel of Bedford, Mrs. Bobbie Jean Peyton of Fort Worth, Jay Lynn Peyton of Dallas, Mr. and Mrs. Cole Alsbrook of Rochester, Mr. and Mrs. Carol Lanham of Amarillo, Dana Lanham of Sweetwater and Mrs. Evelyn Underwood and Mr. and Mrs. R.H. Underwood of O'Brien and Mrs. Billie Jean McAuley, Mrs. Mildred Bridges, S.J. Reeves Jr. and Bonnie Corley, all of Knox City.

Remember when...

...the last thing you needed after a day's work was exercise?
...the woman who could press 200 lbs. worked in a laundry?
...it was the patient who needed the insurance, not the doctor?
...an adult seldom ran unless in pursuit of a train or a kid?

The Ladies III Sunshine Sunday School class of the First Baptist Church of O'Brien met Thursday night, April 20, in the home of Betty Poe for their Revealing Party. A luscious salad supper was enjoyed at 7:00. Following this bountiful meal, secret pals were revealed and gifts were opened before drawing names for new secret pals. Some were so sure who their pals were. So sure. It should be mentioned a video camera was in operation during all this activity. It's amazing the sounds a sensitive camera picks up. After all the ohs and ahs, trying on etc. videos of our Christmas party as well as the present party was shown. Such fun! Movie stars we aren't. That's for sure, but hams at heart, the homely and country is for certain.

Those who were present besides Betty were: Jean Barnard, Delma Rowan, Charlene Brothers, Leonia Raby, Bertie Ivie, Veeta Reid, Audie Johnston, Evelyn Trice and Janoma Stephens. Eva Covey, our teacher was ill.

Support Group Can Help Post Polio Victims

Mrs. Marion Perdue, accompanied by her sister Mabel Wilson, attended the Texas-Oklahoma Post-Polio Symposium at the Wichita Falls Hilton last weekend.

The symposium, presented by the Polio Survivors' Support Group, provided medical, psychological, and experiential knowledge to polio survivors as well as other persons with disabilities.

Relatively new, the support group is being sponsored by North Texas Easter Seals, Rehabilitation Center, March of Dimes, and Midwestern State University's Division of Continuing Education.

Anyone having had polio or who suffer other disabilities, family members, or other interested persons should contact Mrs. Perdue at 658-3219 for information.

Streams In Desert Places

By Ozelle Stephens

"Thou wilt keep him in perfect peace, whose mind is stayed on thee: because he trusteth in thee." Isa. 26:3. Sure, you can have this perfect peace in your bosom. It is yours, who-so-ever will may come seeking of the Lord. For God is no respecter of person. He has promised to all who will come and his words are yea and amen. It changeth not and is forever settled in heaven. The one who has accepted this peace of Jesus is happy in whatever situation you find yourselves in. Discouragement will not be your lot. Love is ruling your life, your trust is steadfast in the Loving Master who reigns supreme in your heart. He who sticketh closer than a brother walks by your side day by day.

You who do not know this Blessed one, LISTEN to His voice. He is calling you. His blood was shed to cover your sins regardless of how black they are, or how low you have stooped. He is reaching down to lift you up out of the mire. He will not only life you up but He will give you grace to stand and walk in the straight and narrow way. He said, "My grace is sufficient." He will never leave or forsake you. Listen, and you can hear Him say, "Come unto me, all ye that labor and are heavy laden, and I will give you rest. Take my yoke upon you, and learn of me; for I am meek and lowly in heart; and ye shall find rest unto your souls. For my yoke is easy, and my burden is light."

Shelton Rites Held Tuesday In Oklahoma

Kathlene Shelton, 33, of Elmer, Oklahoma, was killed Friday, April 28, at 8:25 p.m. in a one-car accident six miles north of Altus, Oklahoma.

Graveside services were held Tuesday, May 2, at two o'clock in an Altus, Oklahoma, cemetery.

Survivors include her husband, James Shelton of Elmer, Oklahoma; three sons, Gentry and Harley Shelton of Elmer, Oklahoma, and Tony Birkenfield of Wilburton, Oklahoma; two daughters, Amy Shelton of Elmer, Oklahoma, and Jamie Birkenfield of Wilburton, Oklahoma; five brothers, Johnny Wilson of Haskell, Doyle and Bert Wilson of Hartshore, Oklahoma, Steve Wilson of Tyler and Jesse Wilson of Knox City; eight sisters, Evelyn Bowers and Helen Watson of Euless, Myrtle Shores, Janice Wilson and Linda Sawyer of Wilburton, Oklahoma, Carolyn Smith of Abilene, Barbara Wilson and Veda Williams of Munday; and her grandmother, Myrtle Ary of Knox City.

IN FORT WORTH

Mr. and Mrs. Allen McGaughey, accompanied by their daughter-in-law Marsha McGaughey and children Michael and Tamara, were in Fort Worth last weekend to visit their daughter and her family, Mr. and Mrs. Jeff Harbaugh and Courtney.

They also enjoyed attending the Rangers-Red Sox game Saturday night in Arlington.

Rural Health Scholarship Program Now Advances

AUSTIN - The 31 members of the Texas Senate voted unanimously last week to approve Senate Bill 1351, authored by 30th District Senator Steve Carriker (D-Roby). The bill, called the Outstanding Rural Scholars Act, provides generous financial incentives for high achieving rural students who wish to go into the field of rural health care.

Once a student, who is sponsored by his community, commits to a career in health care, the student may receive

training in any health care field including that of a physician.

"The long-term solution to our rural health problems must include growing our own doctors and nurses," Carriker said. "We have a wealth of young people with the potential to serve our needs and this bill gives us the financial resources to educate them."

SB 1351 now awaits action in the Texas House of Representatives, where it is being sponsored by State Rep. Charles Finnell (D-Holliday).

Science Fair To Be Friday, Saturday

The Knox City-O'Brien Schools will hold their annual Science Fair May 5 and 6. Purpose of the fair is to expose students to scientific research and experimentation.

The public is invited to view the students' projects on May 5 from 7:00 to 8:30 p.m. and on May 6 from 9:00 to 11:00 a.m. They will be on display in the cafeterias of both the high school and junior high school.

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Rural Health Care 'Life or Death Matter'

Rural health care could be a life or death matter to any citizen of Texas who had an accident or medical emergency while traveling through the state, members of the Texas Chamber of Commerce and legislators were told at a breakfast meeting this week.

Problems with rural health care delivery in Texas were reviewed at the regular biweekly legislative breakfast of the Texas Chamber of Commerce by Larry Milner, President and Chief Executive Officer of the chamber, Rep. Mike McKinney and Sheryl Boyd,

Ed.D. of the Department of Internal Medicine of the Texas Tech Health Science Center. Both panelists were members of The Special Task Force on Rural Health Care Delivery that made its report to the Governor and the legislature this year.

The panelists zeroed in on the declining number of health care facilities in rural areas of the state. Rep. McKinney said that 72 Texas hospitals failed in the past five years, most of them in rural areas. One of the latest was the hospital in Leon County

where Rep. McKinney, a physician, practices. Last year alone, 17 hospitals in the state closed their doors.

Rep. McKinney pointed out that "if you're driving from Houston to Dallas and have a wreck in Leon County, you'll be involved in rural health care quickly."

Dr. Boyd, a member of the Texas Chamber Board of Directors, was vice-chairman of the task force. Sam Gorena, a member of the chamber staff, was the executive director. The group held eleven hearings throughout the state and heard from more than 250 witnesses.

Dr. Boyd pointed out that the economy of small towns and rural areas are severely impacted when there is inadequate health care. "Not only does a lack of doctors and hospitals make the attraction of new industry almost impossible, but health care itself is an industry that goes to the next larger city when facilities in a small town close," she said.

Parent Advisory Meeting Planned Here For May 8

Several area schools will be conducting a Parent Advisory Committee Meeting during the upcoming weeks for each of their special programs including Chapter I Regular, Chapter I Migrant, Chapter II, Vocational, English as a second language, Special Education, Library, Lunchroom, Gifted and Talented, and Dyslexia.

Parents of students in special programs, as well as members of the committees, are invited to attend. The agenda will review the programs in

each of the schools and elect officers for the coming school year.

The Knox City-O'Brien CISD meeting will be Monday, May 8, at 12:00 noon in the homemaking department.

Other meetings are Paint Creek, Tuesday, May 2, noon, library; Weinert, Tuesday, May 2, 2:30 p.m., teachers' lounge; Benjamin, Wednesday, May 3, noon, cafeteria; Goree, Wednesday, May 3, 2:30 p.m., homemaking department; Haskell, Friday, May 5, 3:45 p.m., high school library; and Rule, Tuesday, May 9, 2:30 p.m., cafeteria.

Comptroller Rep. Sets Munday Visit

AUSTIN - State Comptroller Bob Bullock said Monday that a representative from his agency will be in Munday on Tuesday, May 9, to answer questions about Texas taxes and assist taxpayers with paperwork and problems.

"I don't want to see state taxes turn into a burden for folks who can't get to a field office. Our visits are a service we're happy to provide to Texas taxpayers," Bullock said.

John DeLuna, Enforcement Officer from the Wichita Falls Field Office, will be at the Munday City Hall from 10:00 a.m. to 12:00 p.m. The public is welcome and there is no charge.

"I'm sending my employees out to help people with questions, filling out forms, and working out problems on a local, one-to-one basis. There's some things you just can't do as well over the phone or through the mail," Bullock said.

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Before the amendment of the new law, it was a class A misdemeanor for meter tampering unless the loss of service was more than \$200. Under the new law, any meter tampering regardless of the amount of loss is now a felony of the third degree.

Meter tampering consists of, but is not limited to:

- (1) Diverting electricity from passing through a meter device.
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Benjamin News

By Gladene Green

Well, here on May 1, we have a cooler morning. Temperature is about 50° and the wind blowing makes it seem more like fall than spring. We just can't seem to get that much needed moisture. We missed so many good chances for rain last week, but so far we are still very dry. It'll rain one of these days. It always has but the farmers, gardeners and folks with thirsty lawns sure would like to have it now.

NOTICE

The Benjamin Cemetery Association will meet Tuesday May 9 in the Assembly Room in the Courthouse. This is the annual meeting and will be the only one we will have all year. So please make a note of this and be there Tuesday May 9, at 7:00 p.m.

SCHOOL NEWS

School is "winding down" and the students are all busy with those last of school activities. The Jr. High Honor students were determined last week. Kate Grill is valedictorian and Ricky Trepanier is salutatorian. I don't know their averages yet but congratulate them for their honor. Their parents are Benny and Belle Grill and Joe and Julia Trepanier.

ELECTION REMINDER

Don't forget the city and school elections which will be Saturday, May 6, at the Memorial Building. Local races here are uncontested. Two places are to be filled on the city council and only two are running, Bill Ryder and Gladene Green. Likewise in the school election, two places to be filled and two on the ballot, Jack Whitten and Wyman Meinzer. So there's no real races, exercise your voting right. The polls will be open from 7 to 7.

HERE 'N THERE

Shirley Griffin Thompson and son Eric and a friend of Eric's, Eric George of Dublin visited Mary Bohannon one day last week. Shirley lived here during her high school days. She suffered a heart attack in December but is doing fine now, though she does face some heart surgery in the near future.

Jake, Shannon, Trey and Shaleigh Propps have moved back home. They are living on the Beavers Ranch between Benjamin and Truscott. Shannon said in the house "out in the middle of the wheatfield." She said they were sure glad to be back and we are glad they are too.

Benjamin volunteers collected about \$250.00 for the American Cancer Society last week. It is good to know that one-half of all the money collected will stay in the county for aid to cancer victims here. Making the drive over here were Barbara Pratt, Jan Pollock, Bea Parks, Eunice Friday, Virginia Griffith, Gladene Green. If you wanted to contribute to this most deserving cause, you can give your money to any of these volunteers and they will see that it gets to the Cancer Society.

The Benjamin Volunteer Fire Dept. will hold a pancake supper Friday night, May 5, beginning at 6 p.m. This will be held in the Memorial Building here in Benjamin. You can have all the pancakes you can eat, sausage, bacon, tea and coffee for \$3.00 and for a small additional charge you can have orange juice.

The Dept. is in bad need of a grass truck as the one we have is in very bad need of repair. And with the dry weather, we are having, there's an increased danger of grass fires and we sure need a rig to fight them.

So come on out, enjoy pancakes for supper and help a very good cause-an

ad with more details appears elsewhere!

And the city council is sponsoring a rabies clinic for your cats and dogs on Saturday, May 20 from 11 a.m. til 2 p.m.

Diane and I were in Lubbock Saturday. We went up to see the new home of Kevin and Robin Herring. It's gorgeous and we even got to help them move into it! My son-in-law, Rick Herring and his crew was the builder. And believe me, the finished product is a beautiful piece of work.

Among the Benjamin folks who were in Turkey during the weekend for the annual Bob Wills tribute were Bobby and Philomae Roberson, Lewis and Betty Lyles, Aliene Groves, Bertha Driver, Jason Redwine and Jim Bob Conner.

Jan and Homer Rolston and Jennifer and Rhonda Whitten were only a few of the folks who were at Lake Kemp during the weekend for Fish Day.

Good Luck to all our county kids who will be in Austin for the UIL Literary events this coming weekend. Christi and Sandra will be representing our school and special good wishes go to them.

Nell Hudson was in Paducah one day last week to visit her granddaughter, Salina Detwiler and family. While there she also visited Avis Propps who is in the care home. She said they sure had a good time reliving all the "old days" and said Avis really enjoyed it. Said she continues to feel pretty good each day.

Terry, Dee Ann and Chase Cartwright of Lakewood, Colorado are spending this week with his parents, Dub and Jo Cartwright and her parents, Doris and Ernesteen Dickerson in Munday and with other relatives and friends.

NOTICE

Don and Louise Hertel want everyone to know that they have a new phone number. It is 454-2015.

Child Welfare Board Has Special Duties

One function of the Knox County Child Welfare Board is to act as a "support" group for the Texas Department of Human Services.

Throughout the year, the Board is asked to pay needy children's expenses when they are not covered by state or federal programs-in special circumstances such as bills for physicians, pharmacy, hospital, clothes or food expenses when a child is taken out of the home because of abuse or neglect and placed with another family temporarily.

The Board is indebted to the caring people who take in these children in emergency situations.

These incidents are increasing and therefore our expenses are also increasing.

The Knox County Child Welfare Board appreciates donations at any time. An account is set up at the First National Bank in Munday and Citizens State Bank in Knox City.

FROM WACO

Mr. and Mrs. Gene Sutton of Waco visited several days last week with their daughters and their families, Sandy and Robert Espinosa and Sherry and David Bordovsky and family.



BENJAMIN UIL State Qualifiers are from left, Christi Whitten, second in Editorials, and Sandra Bolanos, second in Spelling. (Benjamin School Photo)

Basic Water Safety Offered At VRJC

The Division of Continuing Education of Vernon Regional Junior College will be offering a course entitled Basic Water Safety. This course is co sponsored by the Wilbarger Chapter of the American Red Cross.

Pam Robinson will serve as instructor for this course which is designed to provide elementary water safety information to families and individuals engaged in aquatic recreation. The objective of the course is to provide the individual, regardless of his lacer of swimming ability, with the knowledge and skills designed to safely handle aquatic emergencies.

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Haskell Open Rodeo Set May 12 & 13

The Haskell Open Rodeo May 12, 13 is sponsored by the Haskell Horse Club and is being produced by the TNT Rodeo Company of Anson.

Miss Griffith, Jones Plan June Wedding

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Griffith of Benjamin announce the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter, Rebecca Lynn, to Kemp B. Jones of Lubbock. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Ned Jones of Guthrie.

Becky is a graduate of Benjamin High School and is a sophomore at Texas Tech University, majoring in biochemistry. Kemp is a graduate of Benjamin High School and is currently employed by Lubbock Feedlots, Inc.

A June 2 wedding is planned.

Weather

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4-26	59	90	
4-27	59	88	
4-28	46	83	
4-29	52	69	
4-30	47	76	
5-1	48	70	

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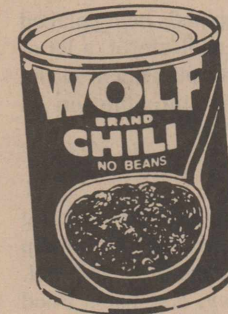
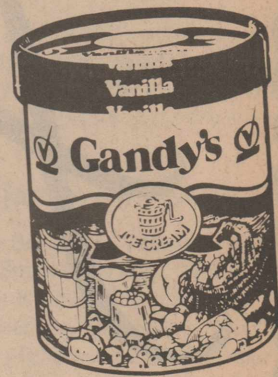
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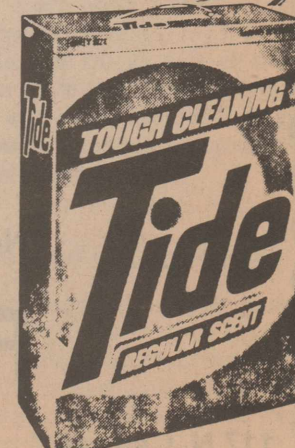
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ESSAY CONTEST WINNERS in the Wichita Brazos SWCD contest were presented Thursday night, April 27, at the annual banquet. From left are Karomy Sloan of Knox City, reserve champion; Christi Whitten of Benjamin, Grand Champion and Angie Partridge, Champion. (Courtesy Photo)

SWCD Awards Banquet Is Held In Benjamin

The Wichita-Brazos Soil and Water Conservation District held its annual Awards Banquet in Benjamin at the High School Cafeteria Thursday night April 27. Poster and essay contest winners at the district level were honored.

In the poster contest, Monica Nieto of Munday was presented the Grand Champion trophy, Kandis Longan of Munday the Champion trophy, and Robin Bowen of Munday the Reserve Champion trophy.

In the essay contest, Christi Whitten of Benjamin garnered the Grand Champion trophy, Angie Partridge of Munday the Champion trophy, and Karomy Sloan of Knox City the Reserve Champion trophy. Each winner also received a check from the district for her efforts.

The meal of baked ham, home-baked rolls, and assorted salads, vegetables, and desserts was catered by the Extension Homemakers Clubs of Knox County. Belle Grill's art class provided

decorations for the cafeteria. After introductions, the invocation, and the meal, Greg Huber, acting district conservationist for the Soil Conservation Service at Knox City, showed a videotape titled Land-Its Use and Abuse Through the Centuries.

SWCD Chairman Lonnie Offutt then presented trophies and awards to the contest winners. Angie Partridge and Karomy Sloan read their essays for those in attendance. Christi Whitten's essay was not available for reading because she has placed second in the essay contest at the area level. Christi will also be honored at the Area Awards Banquet to be held in Stephenville May 2.

The directors of the Wichita-Brazos SWCD wish to thank Benny and Belle Grill for their work in preparing the cafeteria, the Extension Homemakers Clubs for the wonderful meal, and everyone in attendance for making this year's banquet such a success.

HONOR ROLL

Collins-1st Grade - Brian Anderson, Natalie Bloxham, Sara Moore, Serena Parker, Jessie Rios Jr., Cari Trojack
Vacek-1st Grade - Brandon Gutierrez, Stephanie Pedrosa, R.J. Rizan, Candice Roberts, Chris Rocha, Enrique Ruiz

Austin-2nd Grade - Rachel Casillas, Aaron Large, Maria Martinez, Scotty Munoz, Stephanie Rios, Kyle Speck, Jimmy Trevino, Julie Webb

Brockett-2nd Grade - Brandi Becker, Kyle Alderson, Brackston Barnard, Tamara McGaughey, Gloria Nevarez, Vallerie Rodriguez, Tuwi Russell, Brook Tankersley, Roman Munoz

Benton-3rd Grade - Johny Alexander, Lane Boyd, Kim Grimsley, Ben Roberts, Reed Underwood

Williams-3rd Grade - Jordan Newton, Audra Weiershausen, Amy Hunt, Anthony Ainsworth, Felicia Marin

4th Grade - Cody Alderson, Amanda Baker, Melissa Barnard, Ritchie Carnes, Diana Estrada, Amanda Hollingsworth, Bryan Mullin, Tonya Parker, Nathan Rocha, Stefani Stephens, Eric Willson

5th Grade - Jennifer Abernathy, Tressie Boyd, Michael Casillas, Traci Deering, Wes Grimsley, Clint Hacker, Chris King, Josh Newton, Chad Richardson, Kristi Richardson, Bradley Rios, Duane Toliver, Sarah Vacek

6th Grade - Josh Burt, Billy Curd, Ryan Marion, Tammy McClure, Lila Jo Rector, Christina Rodriguez, Elisha Speck, Heather Tilson, Stephanie Williams

7th Grade - Denise Dudensing, Trisha Roberts, Lisa Russell, Mario Sigala, Kim Smith, April Tankersley, Jason Walin, Jessica Williams

8th Grade - Reagan Boice, Amy Carver, Amy Deering, Donnese Fritsche, Trent Mabry, Brandi Risinger, Alesha Rutherford, Hanna Williams

9th Grade - Shelly Balis, Lance Haragan, Roger Marion, Matthew Munsell, Kandon Sloan, Will Vacek

10th Grade - Justin Emerson, Johnny Grindstaff, Mitzi Marion, Kristen Perdue, Angela Staggs, Victor Vasquez, Andy Williams

11th Grade - Marci Berryman, Stacy Hobbs, Billy Large, Leah Rauch, Kristi Risinger, Karomy Sloan, Boyce Tankersley

12th Grade - Jeff Abernathy, Kim Bateman, Chad Carter, Lucy Casillas, Karen Daniel Reid, Alex Flores, Trina Fry, Kevin Hoekendorf, Nancy

Marin, Tanja Schafer, Chrystal Taylor, Beth Underwood, Kelli Whitten, Patrick Wupperman

Cholesterol School Set For May 11

The Cholesterol Workshop/Cooking School will be held Thursday, May 11. Times and locations are 12:30 p.m.-Knox Co. Aging Center, Knox City; 5:00 p.m.-Munday Community Center, Munday; and 7:00 p.m.-Knox City Community Center, Knox City.

With so much emphasis being placed on the risk of high cholesterol, a lot of information is being published on the subject. Often the information is misleading or incorrect.

Cholesterol Workshop/Cooking Schools are scheduled May 11 to help better inform you about cholesterol. Dr. Dymple Cooksey, Extension Food & Nutrition Specialist, will speak on the basics of cholesterol, misinformation, controlling cholesterol levels and can answer questions related to the subject. In addition, emphasis will be given to the diet.

The one hour program will be presented at three different times and locations during the day. For more information, contact the Knox County Extension Office, 454-2651.

GOLF (From Page One)

Austin April 11 and 12 will be second place medalist Trina Fry in the girls' division with a low score of 191, and Jeff Abernathy who was second place medalist with a score of 149.

Jeff advances to the state level after defeating Brad Jones from Baird in a sudden death playoff. Minutes earlier the Knox City boys' team that tied with Robert Lee for second place lost a dramatic playoff for the right to attend the state meet.

Jr. High Girls Take Second At District Meet

Knox City took second place in the junior high district track meet with 160 points. First place Munday had 229 followed by Rochester third with 48, Aspermont fourth with 44, Lueders-Avoca fifth with 34, Rule seventh with 18, Benjamin eighth with five, followed by Goree tenth with two and Paint Creek in eleventh.

Wins for the junior high team were: 3200 meter run, Sonnia Ledesma, second 16:10.31;

800 meter dash, Donnese Fritsche, fourth, 2:47.36; 100 meter dash, Necia Flye, third, 14.00; Tonya Manuel, fifth, 14.30; LaShonda, sixth, 14.40;

400 meter dash, Kindra McKinney, fourth, 73.03; 1600 meter run, Donnese Fritsche, fourth, 6:35.27; Sonnia Ledesma, fifth, 6:55.80; and Estella Rocha, sixth, 7:14.07;

400 meter relay, Tonya Manuel, Kim Posey, Jodi Cheek, Necie Flye, second, 56.80. This team had the second leg to fall and turn a complete somersault. She got up and continued her leg of the relay. KC would probably have won the relay had this not happened.

100 hurdles, Kim Smith, fourth, 20.25; Amy Deering, 20.56;

800 meter relay, Necie Flye, Denise Dudensing, Jodi Cheek, Kim Posey, first, 1:57.19;

200 meter dash, Denise Dudensing,

first, 29.41; Tonya Manuel, second, 29.94;

1600 meter relay, Amy Carver, Kim Smith, Jodi Cheek, Kim Posey, second, 4:43.46;

Triple Jump, Brandi Risinger, third, 27'4"; Trish Roberts, fifth, 24'6 1/4"; Jodi Cheek, sixth, 24'5 3/4";

High Jump, Necie Flye, first, 4'10"; Discus, Gwen Toliver, first, 79'4 1/4"; Long Jump, Necie Flye, second, 15'11 1/2"; Jodi Cheek, third, 13'10";

Denise Dudensing, sixth, 12'10 3/4"; Shot Put, Gwen Toliver, second, 27'11 1/2".

Pittmans Honored On 65th Anniversary

Mr. and Mrs. D.A. Pittman of Rochester were honored Sunday on their 65th wedding anniversary in the home of their daughter, Mrs. Mildred Stubbs and son Sam.

Their three sons and their families attending included Aunis of Anson, Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Pittman of Kemp, Oklahoma, and son of White Plains, New York, Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Pittman and Debbie of Earth, Mrs. Sherry Kelley and children Chase and Jennifer of Roswell, New Mexico, Mr. and Mrs. Monelle O'Brien of Comanche, a niece and Johnny Cortez of Rochester.

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One Contest Away

By Starla Whitaker

Well, that one contest is approaching on us. Yes, the State is this weekend at Austin. Boy, does Knox City have a crew going this time!

First of all, Johnny Grindstaff, who took first in typing, is going. Team debaters Andy Williams and Justin Emerson, who also got first, will be making another trip. Leah Rauch, Billy Large, and Kristi Risinger, who took first, second, and third, respectively, in accounting, get to go to show their stuff. Starla will once again try for the gold at State in informative speaking. Three Seniors, Nancy Marin and Kim Ainsworth, who took second

and third in shorthand, and Beth Underwood, who took third in Persuasive Speaking, are rounding out the crew.

To some, this meet is what they have worked or all year. All of them are going to do their best to bring home the gold.

Mark Daniel Is Honored At VRJC

Vernon Regional Junior College proudly announces that Mark Daniel was recognized as a member of Who's Who at the annual "Honors Convocation" program held on the VRJC campus on April 29, 1989.



Josh, Jordan & Matthew

To The Voters Of Knox City and O'Brien

I would like to use this letter as an opportunity to ask for your support in the Knox City-O'Brien School Board election.

I graduated from Knox City in 1971, and participated in F.F.A., band, U.I.L., and athletics.

I believe all programs in the school are important in providing a quality education for the students of our school system.

I graduated from Texas A&M in 1975, and moved back to Knox City in 1977 with my wife, Sharon.

We have been farming during this time, along with raising three boys who will all be in the school system next year.

I have been involved in Little Dribblers as a coach for six years and as a Bible class teacher for ten years.

I would like the opportunity to serve, and would appreciate your vote.

Sincerely,

MIKE NEWTON

(Pol. Adv. Paid For By Mike Newton)



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TENNIS (From Page One)

perman lost in the first round.

Boy's doubles teams of Danny Grindstaff and Andy Williams won their first match with Baird and lost their second to Irion County. Jim Ford and Billy Wayne Large lost to Eden in the first round. Eden went on to take first place, according to tennis coach Ronnie Verhalen.