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# **Report Given On Washington Trip**

#### By BETTY ALBUS

On January 17, Texas farmers and ranchers joined with others from across the nation in one of the largest drives on Washington, D.C., since the nation was founded more than 200 years ago. The purpose of the drive, being to restore prosperity, not only to rural America, but the nation as a whole. Estimates of as many as 100,000 farmers and ranchers swarmed into the hallowed halls of Congress telling of the inequities that exist in the prices farmers are receiving for their products.

It would be impossible to bring an agenda or diary of all that the farmers did while in Washington. There were many meetings and appointments scheduled, many at conflicting times, therefore we went in different directions, each person going to as many meetings or scheduling as many appointments with Congressmen as could be worked into the busy schedules. We were busy from early morning until late at night, talking with Senators, representatives and their aides. When we weren't talking to Congressmen, we were having meetings and discussions with the leaders and representatives of groups such as the Cotton Council, Ways and Means' Committee, Farm Bureau, the head of Beef Imports Division, USDA, and many more. Most of these meetings were guite heated and informative, as the various leaders struggled to answer the questions put to them by the farmers and ranchers. They were often at a loss for words and very surprised at the knowledge the farmers had about actions

their valid pursuits. He welcomed everyone to come by his office for assistance in setting up various appointments with Congressmen. Mahon further agreed to go immediately to his office and phone Secretary of Agriculture Bob Bergland to try to arrange a meeting between Bergland and the farmers. On the afternoon of Jan-

uary 18, the Texas delegation of Senators and Representatives who had returned to Washington met with Texas farmers and ranchers in the Caucus room of the Cannon House of Representatives building. The room was filled to overflowing, with people sitting on the floor, or standing wherever they could find a spot to squeeze into, as hundreds more farmers listened outside in the halls.

Representative George Mahon opened the meeting, telling those present, "The farmers' mission to Washington is a valid one, and something good is going to result from their trip to Washington. There has been some impatience on the part of the farmers, but is a time for impatience when people are confronted with total and complete disaster in their occupation!"

The rest of the Texas delegation each took their turn at the microphone, as each and everyone of them voiced their approval and support for the farmers and their demands. Some of the statements from the Congressmen were:

Omar Burleson, 17th District---''We have a long range problem and a short range problem, but it is imperative that we take action .immediately on the short

range goals, to give the vowed that he was in 100% farmers some relief and assupport of the farmers and sistance, and then work on the long range goals, or we will no longer have agriculture as we know it today" Representative Young (Corpus Christi) had this to say, "When you mess

around with the food and fiber problems, you are messing with the future of this country. If the family farmer is driven off and Corporative farming takes over, we'll be looking at lots more than 100% parity!" Rep. Ray Roberts spoke in support of the farmers and their demands, pledging to do

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all he could to aid the farmers. "We're proud that you are here, you should have been up here sooner,---but now that you finally ARE here. get through to Congress and we'll see some action". Rep. Poage, 11th District stated that he supported the farmers and continued, "If we can get Congress to understand, and I think that you are already doing a great job of getting through to them .--- then I think we can achieve the goals of the American Agriculture Movement. We need to convince

the urban people that when the farmer can't make a profit, they too, will be in a bad shape' Rep. Jake Pickle received

thunderous applause as he stated, "The American Agriculture Movement is not just gentle breeze blowing across our land, --- it's a raging tornado. State leaders in Texas will help to try to find solutions because whatever will help the farmers, will help the Nation"

Rep. Eligio de la Garcia from the Harlingen area said.

anyone would, that no busi-

ness could survive with such

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must have an answer to the

farmers' problems and the

answer must come SOON. If

we don't protect the rural

people and family farms.

America will disappear as a

Rep. Sam Hall commended

the farmers for coming to

Washington at their personal

expense to lobby for their

needs, (he emphasized that)

most lobbyists were well paid

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TAKING TOP HONORS AT THE FORT WORTH FAT STOCK Show Wednesday of last week was David Counts, left, pictured with Knox City vocational ag teacher and FFA advisor Leon Burkham. David's steer placed first in his class and captured Grand Champion honors in the Short Horn Class on hoof. Graded choice, the animal placed on the rail and was Grand Champion Short Horn Carcass on the rail. David's parents are Mr. and Mrs. David Counts.

#### Also Herdsman Recipient

# Local FFA Wins At Fort Worth

Knox City-O'Brien Future ing to Burkham, the animal Farmers of America Chapter members, along with vocational ag teachers Leon Burkham and Jim Dillon, are making a tremendous showing at the Fort Worth Fat Stock Show which will continue through this weekend. Wednesday of last week, David Counts' steer placed first in his class and won calves

dressed 75.6 percent, with a live weight of 1130 pounds. The judge highly complimented David's steer, remarking that the confirmation and condition of the animal was exceptional. The Knox City junior, son of Mr. and Mrs. David Counts, is participating in his third year of

In the spot breeding swine competition, Kyle White showed the champion boar while Kristi showed the reserve gilt

Kevin White took reserve champion honors in the Berkshire breeding swine judging. Other results included Joseph Godsey, second place, July Yorkshire gilt; Rodney Warren, fifth, August gilt;

# FORT WORTH STOCK SHOW Joint Elections Set April 1

Knox City-O'Brien Consolidated Independent School District, and the Knox County Hospital District will again hold their respective elections set the joint election for Saturday, April 1, in the Community Center. Polls will be open from 7:00 a.m. until 7:00 p.m.

In the city election, the terms of councilmen Celso Gonzales, L.V. Worley, and Charles Auburg will expire.

#### **Grapevine Trip** Rescheduled

#### For Sat., Feb. 25

With flu on the rampage most everywhere, the Grapevine Opry trip has been postponed until Saturday. February 25.

Deadline for getting in reservations is Friday, February 10, and reservations must be accompanied by the \$20.00 fee per person. The fee includes the bus fare alone with choice seats for the Opry.

Plans call for the bus to leave The Knox County News office at 1:00 p.m. with arrival in Grapevine about 5:00 p.m. The group will have time for a meal before the Opry opens at 6:00. The show begins at 6:30 with a short intermission after about an hour and a half. The show concludes at 9:00 and the group should be back in Knox

The City of Knox City, the Holdovers are Mayor Kenneth Crownover, councilman Vernon Bridges and councilwoman Cornie Covey.

City secretary Faye Railsback said that any eligible together this year and have person who desired to file may do so at the City Hall. To be eligible, a person must have resided in the State of Texas for the past 12 months and be a resident of the City the past six months.

> In the Trustee Election three one year terms held by John Crownover, J.M. Emerson, and Allen McGaughey will expire with three positions to be filled.

Holdover members are Alex Godsey and Doug Meinzer, two-year terms which will expire in 1979, and Henry Jean Jones and John L. Grindstaff Jr., three-year terms which will end in 1980. Candidates may find the necessary filing forms at the superintendent's office. All candidates must file by March 1 with the secretary of the Board of Trustees, John Grindstaff Jr.

The order further provides for joint election to be held with the cities of Knox City and O'Brien and the Knox County Hospital District. Voters in the former Knox City ISD will vote at the Community Center and voters in the former Carney district will vote at O'Brien.

In the hospital election, the terms of Richie Smith of Munday and Vernal Zeissel of Rhineland, will expire, Holdover member is Gene Brown

of the organizations, and how the farmers had been "used" and misrepresented by them.

The discussion of beef imports was especially heated as farmers hurled questions at the man in charge, regarding the unsanitary conditions in the slaughtering and packing plants in foreign countries. These plants are not inspected on a regular basis, as are the facilities in America, and vet the meat coming into this country from these unsanitary plants is stamped USDA approved and sold to the unaware consumer as top quality American beef. The consumer is unaware that the meat is foreign beef, and that it hung for as long as four days in an open-air, dirt-floor facility, where flies are swarming!

On Wednesday morning, January 18, at 8:30, we were welcomed to Washington by Representative George Mahon of Lubbock. He praised the farmers for coming, as he

### **Boutique To Observe 2nd** Anniversary

'Time does get by in a hurry." mused Estelle Hawkins in talking about The Boutique having its second anniversary

She also stated that it had been a wonderful two years and that she had enjoyed serving the people of Knox City and surrounding towns with the best in brands including - Levi's, Donovan Galvani, Act III, Jerell, Queen Casual and many other well known brands.

Mrs. Hawkins extends an invitation to all of her customers to stop by, browse, and look over the "Specials" she has for everyone during her Second Anniversary Sale

grand champion honors in the 'The time has come to do Short-Horn Carcass Steer something and we're GOING Class. The animal then gradto do it!". He also said. "The ed choice, placed first on the figures I have seen from the rail and was also named farmers made me realize, as grand champion Short-Horn

representative **KC Students Plan** from South Texas had this to **Mexican Dinner** say, "Rural America is the

> The Pan American Student Forum, a Knox City High School organization, will sponsor its annual Mexican Dinner Sunday, February 5, in St. Isabel Hall.

Carcass on the rail. Accord-

Serving hours will be from 11:00 a.m. until 1:00 p.m. and the menu will consist of tamales, enchiladas, beans, rice, salad, coffee or tea, and dessert.

Mrs. Ray Escobar is the sponsor and Mrs. Celso Gonzales if co-sponsor of the group.

The reasonable prices are listed in a display ad elsewhere in this week's News.

Knox City FFA took the Kevin Reed, fourth, July spot swine herdsman award for the 16th consecutive year. The honor is based on the chapter's exhibitors and their cooperation and participation with show officials, as well as the condition and appearance of the animals exhibited, their placings, and their ap-

pearance with their exhibitors. The local chapter literally dominated a large portion of the breeding swine show with Johnathan Godsey's grand champion Yorkshire boar. Greg Oliver showed reserve, while Daniel Godsev had the

reserve champion Yorkshire gilt.

**RETURNS HOME** Mr. and Mrs. Henry White and Adam were in San Antonio last weekend to re-

turn his mother, Mrs. Myrtle White, home. She had been visiting her daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Clay the past two gilt; Greg Oliver, fourth, July Yorkshire gilt; Jay Emerson, fifth, Yorkshire gilt; Kyle White, third, spot gilt; and Kristi White, second and third, spot gilt and fourth, Duroc gilt.

#### **Elshiemer To Be** At Foursquare

The Philip L. Elshiemer Family will be guests at the Foursquare Church all day Sunday, February 5, according to the Rev. Charles Moran, church pastor.

Elshiemer will be ministering in song and the public is invited to come and hear this vocalist, as noted by the ad elsewhere in this week's News. Mrs. Hershell Tankersley advised the News office that Elshiemer will also be singing during the monthly First Sunday Singing between the

hours of 2:00 and 4:00 o'clock

Sunday afternoon.

City between 12:30 and 1:00 of Munday. a.m.

If readers would like to join

in, they are asked to let the

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than February 10.

According to hospital ad-The fast moving show is ministrator, Glen Rumley, clean, family-type entertainfiling deadline for the hospiment with a variety of acts, tal election is 25 days prior to including country-western the election date.

Anyone wishing to file as a candidate must be 18 years of age or older, must be a registered qualified voter of the district, own land subject to taxation by the district, and submit a petition to the secretary of the board, Richie Smith, in Munday. The petition must contain the names of not less than 25 qualified voters residing within the boundary of the hospital district.

Petitions for the position may be picked up at the Knox County Hospital.

Deadline for filing in the city election is March 1, and absentee voting by personal appearance will begin March 13 and continue through March 28. Mrs. Railsback will serve as absentee voting clerk for the city.



MANNING THE KNOX CITY OFFICE of the American Agriculture Movement, are from left, Herbert Bellinghausen, David Albus, Donald Johnson, and Jim Anderson. The office opened this week in the office of the Knox County Fertilizer, and Herbert Bellinghausen, owner, invites all interested persons to come by where they can listen to tapes and find answers to other agricultural problems.

## Strike Office Opens

weeks

The Knox City chapter of the American Agricultural Movement opened a strike office here Tuesday of this week in an attempt to better coordinate the farmers' protest of low farm prices.

The office is located at Knox County Fertilizer, owned by Herbert Bellinghausen and the strike office number is 658-3623. Bellinghausen said the office will be opened "all day" for Knox City and area residents.

"The purpose of the office is to have a headquarters for this (AAM) organization so people can keep in touch with what is going on in Washington and all over the United States," Bellinghausen said. Anyone interested in learning more about the strike movement, can come by the office and listen to some very informative and interesting tapes, Bellinghausen continued.

Men's and women's official strike caps and emblems, as well as bumper stickers, are

also available at the office. A spokesman for the AAM invited everyone, farmers as well as businessmen, to come by the office for a cup of coffee and find,out what each person can do, to help save our family farms and rural

America. The spokesman further stressed that the time has come for every concerned individual to take part in this movement and that we cannot expect others to do it all as the interest and support of everyone is necessary.

The News office was advised by David Albus Wednesday morning that after reporting the opening of the Knox City strike office was the 998 office to open in the nation

#### Did You Know ...

that Lena Dodd, Rt. 3 Box Richland, Missouri, 371. 65556 subscribes to The Knox County News?



FARMERS' WIVES JUST BACK FROM WASHINGTON were among twenty women who gathered Tuesday morning in the David Albus home to offer their help locally to the American Agriculture Movement. Back row, from left, are Sandy King of Munday, Martell Tankersley, Vernelle Tankersley, and JoNell Cornett, all of Knox City. Front row, left to right, are Betty Albus of Knox City and Melba Howard of Haskell.

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> CARD **OF THANKS**

We want each of you to know how much we appreciated the many kindnesses extended our family during the loss of our loved one. The flowers, food, cards and words of comfort meant so much to us.

Special thanks to Bro. Bob Cameron, Bro. Charles Moran, the members of the O'Brien Baptist Church and those of the Foursquare Church in Knox City.

May God bless each of you in a special way.

The Family Of Mrs. Nettie McAda A F Woodall & Family Mr. and Mrs. Frank J. Woodall & Family and Mrs. E.L. Huckabee & Family J.T. Woodall & Family

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### PUBLIC NOTICE

#### **PUBLIC HEARING NOTICE**

A Hearing Commission of the Texas Department of Water Resources will conduct a public hearing beginning at:1:30 p.m., February 28, 1978, County Courtroom, Lamar County Courthouse, Paris, Texas; and 1:30 p.m., March 1, 1978, Room 216, Amarillo Building, 301 S. Polk, Amarillo, Texas, in order to receive testimony concerning Volume 1, Basic Data Report, of the Water Quality Management Plan for the Red Basin. This document is the first of two volumes which, upon completion of Volume 11, will form the Water Quality Management Plan for the Red Basin. Volume 1, Basic Data Report, includes information on existing wastewater treatment facilities; existing water quality; existing land use patterns; existing population; and projections of economic growth, population, and probable land use patterns. Volume II, Plan Summary Report, will present the recommended plans for water quality management and the legal, financial, and institutional requirements of each plan. Also included in Volume II will be descriptions of Feasible alternatives, an environmental assessment, and a summary of the public participation activities conducted during the development of the plan. The Water Quality Management Plan for the Red Basin is being developed to satisfy the requirements of Section 208 of the Federal Water Pollution Control Act Amendments of 1972, and pursuant to Title 40 Code of Federal Regulations Parts 130 and 131 and the State of Texas Continuing Planning Process. The public hearing shall be conducted in compliance with Section 26.037 (formerly Section 21.089), Texas Water Code. The study area for this plan includes most of the Red River Basin. This plan will not address the planning required in the Texarkana Designated Areawide Planning Area; detailed planning within that area will be provided through the development of the Texarkana Areawide Waste Treatment Management Plan and will not be considered at this hearing. Copies of the Basic Data Report will be made available for public inspection at the following locations: Texas Department of Water Resources Offices. Stephen F. Austin Building, 1700 North Congress Avenue, Austin, Texas; Texas Department of Water Resources District 1 Office, 301 S. Polk, Room 306, Amarillo, Texas 79106; Texas Department of Water Resources District 2 Office, 4819 Avenue Q, Lubbock, Texas 79412; Texas Department of Water Resources 4 Office, 203 James Collins Blvd., Duncanville, Texas 75116; Texas Department of Water Resources District 5 Office, 3801 Highway 42 North, Kilgore, Texas 75662; and the Red River Authority of Texas, 302 Hamilton Building, Wichita Falls, Texas 76301. Copies of Volume II, Plan Summary Report, will be made available at these same locations when completed in June, 1978. However, the hearing cited in this notice will consider only Volume I, Basic Data Report, of the Water Quality Management Plan for the Red Basin. Requests for copies of the Basic Data Report and questions about it should be addressed to Mr. Tommy Slaughter, Texas Department of Water Resources, P.O.Box 13087, Capitol Station, Austin, Texas 78711, or call (512) 475-3454. When requesting a copy or sending a query by mail, please include your complete return address and telephone number. The public is encouraged to attend the hearing and to present evidence or opinions as to the accuracy of the existing and projected data compiled in the Basic Data Report. Written testimony which is submitted prior to or during the public hearing will be included in the record. The Hearing Commission would appreciate receiving a copy of all testimony at least five (5) days before the hearing. The testimony and questions concerning the public hearing should be addressed to Gordon W. Houser, Texas Department of Water Resources, P.O.Box 13087, Capitol Station, Austin, Texas 78711 or call (512) 475-5516. The date selected for this hearing is intended to comply with deadlines set by statute and regulation. Any publication or receipt of this notice less than thirty calendar days prior to the hearing date is due to the necessity of scheduling the hearing on the date selected. This public hearing may be continued in order to fully develop the evidence.

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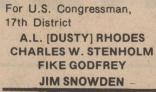
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**RAY FARABEE** (re-election) For State Representative,

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We would like to thank all our friends and relatives who -remembered us with cards, telephone calls, flowers, and food brought to our home during the loss of our loved one.

We would like to express our appreciation to Dr. Howell and the hospital staff, to Bro. Travis Boyd, Bro. John Gillispie, and Bro. James Patterson for their prayers and many visits, to the care home and to the hospital. May God bless each of you

in a special way.

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It gives me great pleasure to say "Thanks" to all of you that visited me while I was in the hospital. For the cards, and flowers as well as a "Thanks" for the special prayers. Another special thanks to the sweet nurses and Doctor Thompson, for his care and concern for me. We are so blessed to have him in Knox City.

May God bless and keep him always and all of you is my prayer.

> **Alestine Flye** 2-2 1tnc

A thank you to all our friends who were so thoughtful and kind while I was in the hospital and while A.A. was sick with the flu. No one knows what friends are until you need them.

A thank you to Dr. Thompson for his kindness to us. Thanks again to all.

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Munday, Texas 76371 Dear Editor:

I think most of us are beginning to realize that we are in this cost-price squeeze together in these small agriculture towns.

History shows that the only time that America has a good economy is when we are in a war or when farm prices are high. We in American Ag. are doing something about farm prices. If you as farmers and businessmen are concerned about the future of Agriculture and care about your fellow farmers, we strongly urge to join the American Ag. movement for 100% parity for all farm products.

If we can get more for our products we can afford to pay more for the things we buy which will create more jobs and more taxes, and will help our small towns as well as large cities. In 1977 at least 25% of the farmers in the United States lost money and a like number just barely broke even. This hurts our nation in that those 50% of farmers pay very little income taxes, and also when agriculture prices are low we don't balance our trade with foreign nations which happened in 1977 when our country lost 27 billion dallars in our trade. Many of our bankers and

farm leaders feel that if we have one more year of farm prices as they now are, our nation will suffer another depression as we had in the early thirties.

Many people do not seem to realize the plight of the farmer, but we in the American Ag. movement have taken it upon ourselves to try to educate the consummer to the perils of the family farmer going out of business. We believe that corporate farming will take over and will get a price that will guarantee them a profit in farming, and they can't grow food as cheap as family farmers. If this happens our young farmers will have to move to the cities to compete for jobs and cause more problems for our cities and also our small towns will

suffer from their loss. The American Ag. Movement believes that we have enough farmers (about 45%) behind the movement to get 100% parity. It will take longer if we don't grow any crops and buy anything to convince the President and Congress that we mean business, but if we had all the farmers in the nation in the Am, Ag, movement we could get what we ask for in one day and no one would go hungry. we could go ahead buying and selling and growing crops. But, unfortunately some do not see fit or care enough to

Rt. 2 try to better themselves or their fellow Americans.

> Most of us know that our President who promised the farmer a fair price when he was campaigning for office, is told what to do by Unionized Labor which is receiving 160% of parity now, threatened to veto a farm bill this past Fall that would have quaranteed satisfactory prices to the farmer. We feel that he has let the farmer

down and that our only

recourse is to strike. We know, as we have been told by a man in Washington that if we fail in this movement, there is no use for the farmer to ever try to get 100% parity again, because they will know that is true that farmers can't "stick" together on anything as some

consumption'

weren't for agriculture, Fort

Worth wouldn't even exist.

and to keep a healthy agricul-

ture is vital to all of us." He

also emphasized, "Unless

farmers are enabled to stav

on their family farms and

produce, the ENTIRE NA-

TION will suffer like it has

Senator Lloyd Bentsen

praised the farmers for com-

ing to Washington, and then

went on to say that he had

recently returned from a trip

to Venezuela. "Venenzuela

used to be a great agricultural

nation. Now that nation is

importing beef and food to

for my products?"

head

never suffered before."

now believe We've heard it said all our lives that when the farm population gets down to just a few, that we will get together and organize. That time is now! This movement has got to succeed and I believe that it will, for the good of America and because our young farmers believe in it and are willing to work for it. May God help us and this

great land of ours. Sincerely, Edward J. Smith

Jan. 30, 1978

To the editor: Just wanted to express my regrets to the people of Foard and Knox counties for having to miss activities planned there Jan. 18 in my honor

because of bad weather. The ice and sleet prevented me from attending all scheduled stops that day except for a Rotary luncheon in Childress and an afternoon reception in Quanah.

I'll hope to see you during my next trip to North Central Texas.

> Yours Sincerely, /s/ Bob Krueger Member of Congress

#### ATTEND ALLEN SHOW

Mr and Mrs. Lee Smith. along with Mr. and Mrs. Buddy Angle and Clay Hewitt, were in Pampa Friday Night of last week to attend the stage show of Rex Allen Jr., the Country Travelers, and the Angle Sisters at the MK Brown Auditorium.

### REPORT FROM WASHINGTON TRIP Cowart Rites Held Monday

(From Page One)

have come to Washington to nual convention there. Many get a commitment from the of the farm wives as well as Texas delegation, and I think some of the farmers attended you've gotten it. We are the Convention, and also being killed by imports, --+our talked with many consumers exports have to be increased-from all across the nation. It. we are going to have to label became obvious that conproducts that come into this sumers from the urban areas country, so that the consumer did not realize the situation of is aware of what he or she is the 'price squeeze' now forcbuying," He ended by saving, ed upon the farmer. The 'Every member of the Texas people we talked with were delegation in Washington. very much concerned about D.C. stands 100% behind you the extremely high prices and will do everything in our consumers might have to pay for food if family farmers power to get help and relief for farmers in this session.' cannot remain in business The Representative from and corporations take over Dallas stated, "We have a farming. In his speech to the Convention, Representative \$30 billion dificit in petroleum imports. Agriculture can pro-Tom Harkin of Iowa explainvide the difference in that ed the desperate situation deficit, if we will raise the that the farmers are in at price of raw Agriculture propresent. He told the groups ducts used in foreign exthat the time has come for change, as well as for our own consumers and farmers to work together in heading off Rep. Jim Wright of Fort the inflationary food prices Worth had this to say, "If it caused by the middlemen.

> Before the convention ended, the Consumer Federation of America unanimously passed a resolution calling for legislation to ''enhance production and insure a reasonable profit to family farmers". The Consumer Federation of America represents 225 state, local, and national organizations, including Consumer groups, rural electric coops. labor unions, and senior citizen groups .--- all totaling about 30 million people. Having their support and endorsement is a major accomplishment for the American Agriculture Movement.

survive, because their nation On Friday, January 20, a didn't act to keep the farmers few of the farmers from this in business. Now Venezuela area were among the fortunfarmers are living off the ate 150 to attend the meeting government, --- they are costwherein 37 AAM delegates ing the government. It is time met with Agriculture Secrefor farmers in America to tary Bergland. The farmers say, "This is what I'll take,--chosen as delegates had facts, NOT what will you give me figures and reports to back up their statements, as each one, George Mahon summed up in turn, told Bergland about the meeting by saying, "For their persona! financial losses 43 years I have been attendthis past year, and about the ing important meetings in losses of thousands of the this Caucus room but today's other farmers who had been meeting has been the most forced to sell their farms and DYNAMIC & THRILLING seek employment in the cities, meeting I've every attended because they were so far in here." His closing words to debt they could not be rethe farmers were, "Damn the financed by their banks or torpedoes, --- full speed a-PCA. The reports were so touching, that even the po-Senator Tower was not vet licemen in the room had tears back in Washington when in their eyes. Bergland prothis meeting was held, but mised nothing except that he upon his return to D.C., he would report back to Presiwas very active in working dent Carter what he had with the farmers and vowed

to fully support the farmers in Many, many more meettheir demands If necessary ings were held, and many he is going to introduce a new eves were opened in Washington by the grassroots farmers in America. It is the unanimous opinion of those making the trip to Washington that much was accomplished and that the American Agriculture Movement will be successful. The present We were fortunate that aim of the AAM is to keep farmers in Washington until its goals are met. America was having its an-

heard.

Services for Thomas L. Cowart, 53, of Abilene and brother of Gus Cowart, were held at 10:00 a.m. Monday at the 16th and Vine Church of Chirst in Abilene. Mr. Cowart died Friday, January 27, 1978 at Hendrick Medical Center

after a sudden illness. Tim Conaster, minister, officiated. Burial was at 3:30 p.m. Monday at Loop.

Born Feb. 26, 1924, in Dawson County, he lived most of his life in Lamesa where he finished school. Cowart married Lillian Rose Luttell January 26, 1945, in Ackerly. He served in World War II from 1941 to 1945 and

### Local's Kin **Buried Here**

Graveside services for Emmett Boyd Turner of Aspermont, brother-in-law of A.P. Denton of Knox City, were held Saturday afternoon in the Knox City Cemetery following two o'clock services in the chapel of McCov Funeral Home in Aspermont. Mr. Turner, 88, died at approximately 10:00 a.m., Thursday, January 26, in Stonewall Memorial Hospital after a lengthy illness.

Born February 13, 1889, in Taylor County, he had lived most of his life in the Panhandle, including the past four years in Amarillo, Mr. Turner was a retired barber and was married to the former Birdie Denton Allen of Amarillo. He had been a patient at the Aspermont Care Home for the past few weeks

Survivors include his wife, Birdie Jane: a son, Ray of Greely, Colorado; four stepsons. Claude Allen of Santa Fe, New Mexico, Bert and Brian Allen, both of Amarillo, and Edd Allen of Australia; a stepdaughter, Evelyn Haideck of White Deer; a daughter-in-law, Maxine; a brother, Wade of Indiana: four sisters. Nellie Reuszer and Lela Reuszer, both of Liberal. Kansas, Lona Belle Miller of Garden City, Kansas, and Otha Pearl Knight of Muskogee, Kansas; five grandchildren and three greatgrandchildren.

moved to Abilene from Dallas in 1967, Mr. Cowart had been a mechanic all his life and was a member of the 16th and Vine Church of Christ.

Other survivors in addition to his brother include his wife; two sons. Edgar of Merkel and Ronald Leslie of Andrews; a daughter, Sherry Lynn Hanson of Amarillo; and two grandchildren.

ATTEND FARM MEETING Among those from Knox City attending the Area Agriculture Meeting in Seymour Monday night were Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Cornett, Mrs. Charles Lankdford, Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Tankersley, Mr. and Mrs. E.H. Tankerslev. Mr. and Mrs. Bobby Tankersley, Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Albus, Mr. and Mrs. David Albus, Lee Smith, and Mr. and Mrs. Buddy Angle and Stacy

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Roias Rites Held Wed. Funeral services for Jose Catholic Church. (Joe) Anjel Rojas of O'Brien Mr. Rojas, 50, died Monwere held Wednesday afterday, January 30, at 6:30 p.m. noon at ten o'clock in the in the Knox County Hospital Santa Rosa Catholic Church following a long illness. with Father Bartholomew Born August 2, 1927, in Landwermeyer, officiating. Burial followed in the O'Brien

Cememtery under the direc-

tion of Smith Funeral Home.

night at the Santa Rosa

**Methodists To Host** 

The monthly Men's Break-

fast will be this Saturday

morning, February 4, at se-

ven o'clock in the Fellowship

Hall of the First United

According to the Rev.

James Patterson, church

pastor, all men and boys of

the community are invited

to attend this time of Chris-

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tian fellowship and fun.

Men's Breakfast

Methodist Church.

Rosary was held Tuesday

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Roscoe, he married Maria Rocha in February, 1953, in Knox City. He was a retired farm worker and a member of the Catholic church.

Survivors include his wife. Maria of the home; seven sons, Carlos, Louis, Steve, Lupe, Gilbert, Henry, and Robert, all of O'Brien; six daughters, Mrs. Teresa Luna of Stamford, Mrs. Olga Herpeche of Graham, Elena, Rivica, Martha and Yolanda, all of O'Brien; a sister, Mrs. Frances Marceleno of Wichita Falls; and two grandchild-

Pallbearers were Eulalio Garcia, Felix Valdez, Roberto Gutierrez, Joe Flores, Ray Escobar, and Lupe Figueroa.

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Other Bandy hits include "Bandy The Rodeo Clown'', "Hank Williams, You Wrote My Life", "Cowboys Are Not Supposed To Cry", "Soft Lights, Hard Country Music", "Here I Am Drunk "She Took More Than Her Again'', "I Am Sorry For You, My Share'', Friend", and "Biggest Airport in the World'

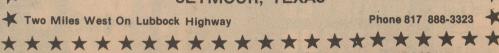
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Mr. and Mrs. Smith also visited in Childress with their sister-in-law, Mrs. Roy Smith and their niece, Mrs. Jean Coyle, both en route to Pampa and on their return trip home.

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bill that will aid the farmers. He expressed hope that the President and the Department of Aariculture would take immediate action, without having to do the Legislative is the Administration did not act.

while we were in Washington, the Consumer Federation of

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| 1,000.00 Minimum     | 10,000.00            | 6.98%           | 11,838.05              |
| 6.50%, 1-Year        | 1,000.00             | 6.72%           | 1,067.15               |
| Certificate,         | 5,000.00             | 6.72%           | 5,335.76               |
| 1,000.00 Minimum     | 10,000.00            | 6.72%           | 10,671.53              |
| 5.75%, 90 Day Notice | 1,000.00             | 5.92%           | 1,014.48               |
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#### SENIOR CLASS NEWS by Peggy Gutierrez

Last week Mr. Holcomb asked the Seniors to write down their full names so that he would know what to put on our diplomas! Also last week we had a meeting to discuss the fifth and sixth grade tournament. Mr. Dillon assigned us things to bring to the concession stand and a work schedule for everyone. We also made a decision on where to go on our Senior trip. We voted to go to Galveston. We can hardly wait!

This week in basketball we play Crowell and Aspermont, both here. Come and help support the Seniors at the fifth and sixth grade tournament at O'Brien, Monday, Thursday, and Saturday!

SOPHMORE CLASS NEWS by Gerri Watson

This week all the classes in high school, including the sophomores, are writing es-



BREAKFAST MENUS: February 6-10, 1978 Monday: Orange Wedges, Hot Biscuits, Butter and Jelly, Milk

Tuesday: Orange Juice, Pancakes, Butter and Syrup, Buttered Toast, Milk Wednesday: Raisins, Rice with Butter and Sugar, Buttered Toast, Milk Thursday: Grape Juice, Scrambled Eggs, Buttered Toast and Jelly, Milk Friday: Applesauce, Cowboy Bread, Milk LUNCH MENUS: February 6-10, 1978 Monday: Corn Dog, Scal-

loped Potaotes, Green Beans, Peach Cobbler, Milk Tuesday: Hamburger, Vegetable Slices, Pork and Beans, Chilled Fruit and Cookies, Milk

Wednesday: Roast Beef with Beed Gravy, Mashed Potatoes, English Peas, Honey, Hot Rolls and Butter Milk Thursday: Pinto Beans with Ham, French Fries, Spinach, Hot Combread and Butter. Gingerbread Cake, Milk

Friday: Pizza with Cheese,

says for the Soil Conservation Contest in our English classes. The subject is "Conservation Today For The Future Of Tomorrow.' The essay should be written up to 300 words in ink or typed. First. second, and third place trophies will be given. The first place winner's paper goes to District for judging in the District contest. The Soil Conservation Service supplied us with brochures to help us use facts. Our papers are due today. We are all waiting to see who wins.

Last weekend Kyle White, Joseph Godsey, and Greg Oliver went to Fort Worth Livestock Show and won several awards with breeding stock. This last Wednesday Russel Hacker, Robert Espinosa, Cyle Clayton, Kyle White, Shelton Rhodes, Joseph Godsey, and Greg Oliver are leaving for Fort Worth. Today, Gaylynn Burkham and Simone Cobb left for Fort Worth. Congra-

tulations to those who won and good luck to those who went this weekend. The Sophomore girls are still learning different types

of fabric. Also this week they will finish up their shirts and then start on their new projects. The Home Projects are due next week too.

#### **KENNEL EDITORIAL** by Junior Figueroa

and Irene Flores This week, all four English classes worked on Conservation essays for te County Conservation Essay Contest, sponsored by the Department of Agriculture office in Knox City. The first place winning essay of the school will compete in the District (county) contest. Conservation should be important to us since Knox City is an agricultural community. Without good conservation practices, good crops and hunting is not

possible. Terracing and contour farming protects our soil from being blown or washed away, while hunting regulations and well planned grazing lands benefit our supply of game for hunting. Windbreaks protect the soil and at the same

time also draw to the area. As you can see these prac-

be represented by four

soloists in Regional UIL Solo

and . Ensemble Contest in

Wichita Falls. They are Am-

'Se tu m'ami, se sospiri

(Italian), Stephen Ashcraft,

'Linden Lea', Jan Burt,

'Pleading', and Shane John-

ston also with 'Linden Lea'.

LOTS OF LUCK!!

with,

Ashcraft

ber



MAKING A RECENT TOUR OF THE KC NEWS OFFICE was this group of Typing II students, along with their teacher, Mrs. Dottie Lowrey. Students are, first row from left, Laverne Martinez, Rhonda Skiles, Rosa Rocha, and Jan Burt. Back row, left to right, are Roger Jackson, Loran Hedgecoke, Roy Faulk, and Mrs. Lowrey.

By Steve McIlhaney

40, Munday

Gutierrez 6, Ware 21, Skiles

43, Paducah

Gutierrez 5, Ware 28, Skiles

27, Paducah

Albus 10, Alsides 2, Burkham

7, Johnson 2, Helton 2, Reid

The Houndettes won two

games last week to raise their

district record to 2-0 for the

second half. Over all the

Houndettes are 6-3 for dis-

trict and 18-7 for the year. In

both games the Houndettes

were behind at halftime but

each time the girls have come

on in the second half to pull

These victories are good

examples of the way the girls

have played most of the year.

We have played all the

games with good hustle and a

desire to win. The girls have

never given up no matter how

HOUNDETTES

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2. Watson 2

out the wins.

**Coaches' Comments** 

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game

Our guards have done a

good job all year defensively

and have continued to im-

prove each week on bringing

the ball to the forwards. Judy

Ray, Rosa Rocha, and Brenda

Albus have started most of

our games with Kay Howell,

Gerri Watson and Sonia Car-

ter doing a good job coming

in when we really need them.

game average of 44 points per

Our forwards, Peggy Gu-

tierrez, Gayle Ware, and

Rhonda Skiles have scored

1268 points for a game aver-

age of 51 points per game.

They also have done a good

iob all year with the forward

press. They do an excellent

job of hitting the open girl

If we continue to keep

playing good ball we still

have a chance to be a district

contender. We should know

by the end of the week if we

are still in the running. No

matter what, our girls have

who has the best shot.

- SCHOOL -COMMUNITY CALENDAR

Friday, February 3--Aspermont, here, BGB, 5:00 p.m. Monday, February 6---Seventh and eighth grades basketball at O'Brien, 5:00 Tuesday, Febraury 7 -- Hamlin,

there, BGB Wednesday, February 8--Noon Lions Club, Masonic Fellowship Hall Thursday, February 9--School

picture retakes

#### ATTEND SERVICES

Mr and Mrs. A.P. Denton accompanied by their daughter, Lou Denton of Fort Worth, were in Aspermont Saturday to attend the funeral services for Mr. Denton's brother, Emmett Boyd Turner, who died Thursday of last week. His wife, the former Birdie Denton Allen, is a sister to Mr. Denton. Others from Knox City attending the funeral services at Aspermont were Mr. and Mrs. Morris Denton, Bill Denton, and Mrs. Jobie Den-

According to Mrs. Denton, all of Mrs. Turner's children and some of her grandchildren attended the funeral, except for one son, Edd Allen and family, of Australia.



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### Benjamin **Basketball**

#### Girls

Benjamin 41, Paint Creek 37 Lynda Hudson 8, Tammy Carver 14, Becky Welch 19 Benjamin 25, Chillicothe 51 Tammy Carver 16, Rhonda Heard 1, Lynda Hudson 2, Becky Welch 2, Stasy Carver

Benjamin 29, Harrold 45 Tammy Carver 17, Becky Welch 9, Shelia Benson 3

Boys

Benjamin 59, Paint Creek 29 Joey Pierce 8, Louis Beaty 8, Craig Hertel 2, Johnny Pierce 4, Mark Oxford 4, Ricky Carver 4, Pedro Estrada 3, Mark Collins 8, Keith Pierce 11, Jessie Estrada 3, Billy Benson 8

Benjamin 50, Weinert 51 Keith Pierce 18, Johnny Pierce 7, Mark Collins 12, Joey Pierce 6, Craig Hertel 7 Benjamin 53, Chillicothe 44 Craig Hertel 9, Mark Collins 22, Keith Pierce 14, Johnny Pierce 5, Joey Pierce 3 Benjamin vs. Harrold No Score Available Johnny Pierce 4, Joey Pierce 10, Ricky Carver 2, Mark Oxford 2. Craig Hertel 14, Mark Collins 9, Keith Pierce

#### **Brothers On WTC President's List**

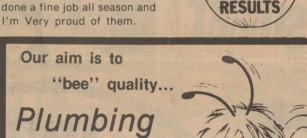
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They have held twenty-five Craig Brothers, son of Mr. opponents to 1094 points for a and Mrs. J.O. Brothers of O'Brien, has been named to the President's List at Western Texas College in Snyder.

To qualify for this elite list, a student must take as many as 15 hours and carry a 4.0 average

Craig, who was salutatorian of his 1977 graduating class at Knox City-O'Brien High School, is majoring in automotive and diesel me-

chanics. WANT ADS A WORLD OF





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You must stay always in the boundaries where God's love can reach you. Wait patiently for the eternal life that our Lord Jesus Christ in his mercy is going to give you. Try to help those who argue against you. Be merciful to those who doubt. Save some by snatching them as from the very flames of hell itself. And as for others, help them to find the Lord Jesus Christ by being kind to them. And now--all glory to him who alone is God, who saves us through Jesus Christ our Lord. He is able to keep you from slipping and falling away, and to bring you, sinless and perfect, into his glorious presence with mighty shouts of everlasting joy. (Jude 21-25)

Letter To

**The Editor** 

Wichita Falls, Texas 76309

Am enclosing a check for

another year's subscription. I

mail the paper to my son,

Bill, at Byers, Colorado and he and family really enjoy it. He is disappointed that

Leola Isbell quit reporting for Benjamin, as she was really

Dear Billye Bess,

good

1900 Britain

January 27, 1978

tices benefit both the farmer as well as the hunter. By money. If you own a fireusing these conservation place and know how to use practices we can have better it effectively, you may be able to save 14 percent or crops and at the same time develop better hunting areas. more on winter fuel bills

#### CHOIR NEWS by Shane Johnston

The following hints on getting the most from your Last week the choir was fireplace as a supplemental heating source are taken invited to sing at the weekly "The Fireplace from meeting held by the Lions Efficiency Report," pub-Club. We really enjoyed lished by Duraflame, singing for you and hope to Inc., the leading firelog be able to do it again soon. manufacturer This Saturday the choir will

this year.

• Make sure your fireplace draws well. Prune back overhanging limbs or large trees close to the chimney. They can create a downdraft, causing the fireplace to smoke on windy days.

• Check the height of your chimney. It should be at least two feet higher than any point within a ten foot radius on a sloped roof.

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> • Have your fireplace and chimney inspected annually and cleaned, if necessary.

• Don't close the damper if the fire is still smouldering. Instead, block the front of the fireplace with a tightfitting metal cover or a glass screen.

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the United States Senate, and he

Deeply rooted family ties in his home town of New Braunfels in-

is no newcomer when it comes

to meeting the challenge of an

stilled in him a strong sense

of integrity, a respect for hard

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will be in the

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moved back to Benjamin last weekend after living here just a few months. He is employed with Red River Authority. Mrs. Elsie Cook of Munday

was here Monday morning for a visit and to attend to business. and Charlotte Dennis

Welch were in Fort Worth on the weekend to attend the Fat Stock Show

Mr. and Mrs. Neal Logan of Knox City delivered a filing cabinet to our Community Center Monday morning. It was acquired thru the COA. We appreciate the Logans delivering it. The cabinet will really come in handy to keep important papers in. Maybe our secretary, Ila Mae, will have more space in her cabinets now.

Virgil Johnson of Crowell visited in town Monday morning For those who have not

**Baxter Moves To** Abilene

William H. (Bill) Baxter has been named manager of **Customer Technical Services** for West Texas Utilities Co., and has moved to Abilene from Shreveport, Louisiana.

Baxter had been a marketing services division manager for Southwestern Electric Power Co., which is a sister company of WTU in the Central and South West System.

WTU Vice President W.P. (Bill) Sayles, who made the announcement, said Baxter will function as marketing coordinator for the company, and will expand the company's efforts in promoting better energy management by electric users and helping develop a more stable economic base throughout WTU territory.

Sayles said the Customer Technical Service staff under Baxter's direction will work toward a more balanced electric load growth, to allow WTU to continue delivering

Mr. and Mrs. Van Green completed high school there is a golden opportunity for them at the Foard County Neighborhood Center in Crowell, where classes in Basic Adult Education courses are being taught from 7:00 to 9:00 p.m. each Monday and Thursday evenings. These courses prepare the student for the GED equivalent to the high school diploma.

Since a high school education is required for many positions, and certainly so if the person wishes to advance in his work, this training is most valuable.

In addition to that, the training is free and lots of fun, says Mrs. Irene New who is the teacher TRUSCOTT HOME **DEMONSTRATION CLUB** 

MEETS The Home Demonstration Club met Thursday afternoon

in the home of Mrs. Kay Cumley with Irene New as acting president.

> Carolyn Schur, Assistant County Home Demonstration Agent from Benjamin, gave a demonstration of new kitchen appliances. Canyon

Refreshments of dainty sandwiches, cake, coffee and tea were served to Mmes. Aurelia McElroy, Vivian Brown, Margaret Todd, Berniece Jones, June Looney, Idoma Chowning, New and Cumley.

The Columbian Club of Crowell was host to the County Federation Meeting in the new Bank Community Room on Monday afternoon. Those from here attending were Mmes. Vivian Brown, Berniece Jones and Idoma Chowning



Mr. and Mrs. Steve Conner of Houston are the proud parents of a baby girl born Monday January 30, at 3:45 p.m. in Northwest Memorial Hospital in Houston.

The young miss has been named Michele Elaine and weighed in at seven pounds and 13 ounces. She measured tion' 21 inches in length.



JOE RAY RILEY, JACQUE GILLISPIE ... to say vows May 27

# Locals' Daughter To Wed In McLean

RTA Discusses

Grapevine Opry

Community Center in Knox

City. One of the subjects

discussed during the meeting

was of the upcoming trip to

the grapevine Opry, which

has been re-scheduled for

Saturday February 25. Asso-

ciation president Lillian Lo-

gan passed along information

concerning the trip and noted

that the bus will leave Knox

City at 1:00 p.m., arrive in

Grapevine around 5:00 p.m.

for a meal before the 6:30

show begins, and then return

home by 12:30 or 1:00 a.m.

**Former Resident** 

Oklahoma State University of

Tahlequah President's Honor

Roll for the fall semester.

**On Honor Roll** 

proved

Mrs. Logan also directed

Reverend and Mrs. John Mrs. Earl W. Riley of Gillispie announce the en-McLean

gagement and approaching marriage of their daughter, Jacque, to Joe Ray Riley of The prospective bride-High School. groom is the son of Mr. and

> West Texas State University in Canvon.

The Knox County Retired wedding at the First Baptist Teachers Association met Church in McLean. Tuesday, January 24, in the

#### IN LUBBOCK

Mr. and Mrs. Neal Logan visited Sunday in the home of their son and his family, Mr. and Mrs. Lanny Logan, Ethan and Christian, in Lubbock.

# Weather Summaries **Reported By Center**

Summary For December, 1977

the business meeting and 1977 was December. minutes were read and apslightly warmer, windier and much drier than normal. Nutrition and mental health Temperatures for the month was the program subject with averaged 47.4 degrees F, Ina Cowan as the leader. which is 3.0 degrees above Mrs. Cowan conducted a the 10 year average (1966-75) "Questionaire on Legislaover the 25 and the NRTA and the year average. The warmest AARP 1979 session of legistemperature recorded was 80 lature will consider the quesdegrees on the 3rd and the tions in the same questionaire. coolest was 15 degrees on the

# **Bradfords** Celebrate 68th Anniversary

Knox City residents, Mr. and Mrs. Ben Bradford, celeanniversary Thursday, January 26.

the couple exchanged vows in a buggy in the small community of Margaret, six miles northeast of Crowell, with the late Charley Powell performing the ceremony.

Special anniversary wishes were extended to the Bradfords Thursday morning on the Paul Harvey show as a niece and nephew called in the report.

The Bradfords are the parents of four girls, Nola Claxton of Abilene, Atheleen Owens of Knox City, Bennie Lee Holten of Carlsbad, New Mexico, and Evelyn Balis of Sonora, and two sons, John Winston Bradford of Menasha, Wisconsin, and Kenneth Bradford of Knox City. One grandson, James

Hopkins of Fort Worth, lived here for awhile with his grandparents and finished high school here. A year after their marriage,

the couple moved to eastern Oklahoma and after three vears moved back to Margaret where they remained until 1953. Mr. Bradford then worked for Abilene High School for five years in the athletic department and on June 5, 1958, the couple bought their home and moved to Knox City

Mrs. Bradford, the former Esther Miller, is a native of Delta, Alabama, and will be 88 years old on her next birthday which will be April 15. She was the daughter of the late R.A. and Idona Miller

Her husband, who will be 89 this May 4, was born in Huntington, Tennessee, to the late John and Sudie

Bradford.

growing days in 1977 which is the average annual growing days for this area. The last spring frost occurred March 22 and first killing fall frost was November 9.

Precipitation for the year totaled only 17.22 inches which is 6.88 inches below

ceived as compared to the 12

year average of 7.31 inches.

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#### The couple met when they were six years old in Gatesbrated their 68th wedding ville, Texas, where they received their first schooling. In 1898, Mrs. Bradford's family

In 1905, Mr. Bradford's

Married in the year 1910, moved to Crowell where they lived on the Clark Ranch connecting the four corner counties of King, Cottle, Knox and Stonewall. family moved to a farm east

> of Crowell and the couple later began going together. The Bradfords owned 120 acres of land north of Crowell and 80 acres north of Thalia until illness necessitated the sale of the farms.

The Bradfords, noting that all of their children, grandchildren, and great-grandchildren are living, say, "We are very fortunate.'

Members of the Baptist church, the couple commented that they had no hobbies and had worked hard throughout the years. They enjoy gardening and canning. A delayed celebration for the couple is being planned by family members.

#### **HOSPITAL NEWS**

#### ADMISSIONS

Knox City: Odis Brown, T.P. Robinson, Myrtle McKinney, Arabell Rogers, Elzie Marion, Ula Booe, Rhonda Eaton & Baby Boy

Munday: Willie Partridge, Mary Johnson, Vera Carver, Ida Voss, Mattie Partridge, Clayton Wien, Aubrey Roden Goree: Maribell Harlan, Raymond Shelton

Rochester: James Crane Benjamin: W.E. Ryder Commanche: Jessie Carmack Dallas: Ruth Clark

DISMISSALS

Knox City: Martha Darr, Pat Lawery, Clay Hoge, Tuben Garcia, T.C. Carter, Luther Wooley, Alestine Flye, Tanya Whitten & Baby Boy, Lea Reeves, Noba Oliver Munday: Misti Zeissel, Brandy Brannon, Martina Perez, Leita Lain, Shelton Phillips, Merrel Cotton Jr. Elizabeth Russell, Johnnie McAfee, Charlie McAfee, Bertha Ballard, Edith Butler O'Brien: Leola Cox. Robert Johnston Rochester: Wanda Butler

Goree: Mason Harlan **Dallas:** James Feemster



MR. AND MRS. BEN BRADFORD ... wed 68 years

# Sherry Reddell Now **Olney Head Teller**

Mrs. Sherry Reddell, 1306 Country Club Road, Olney, has been promoted to the position of Head Teller for Olney Savings following action taken by the Board of Directors of Olney Savings during their regularly scheduled December Board Meeting.

Sherry has been employed by Olney Savings as a teller since February, 1975. In her capacity as teller, Sherry's primary duties and responsibilities have included those of working directly with customers in servicing their savings and loan accounts. computer posting, telephone contact with customers, mail work-up, subsidiary ledger cards, and preparation of supervisor's transactions reports. Sherry is also alternate bookkeepper for the Association

Before joining Olney Savings in 1975, Sherry's experience record included employment with Republic Aluminum Co., Olney. as Production Control Planner, and Southern Bleacher Construction Company, Graham.

Sherry is a graduate of Graham High School, where her major emphasis study was business. She has recently completed a home study course through the Institute of Financila Education, Chicago, Illinois, Savings and Loan Accounting. Sherry and Ronnie Reddell have two children



Miss Gillispie is a graduate of West Texas State University in Canyon and is employed as a teacher by McLean

Riley is a senior student at

The couple plans a May 27

reliable service at the lowest possible cost.

'Our purpose is to improve customer understanding and the wise, efficient and safe use of electricity and electrical equipment," Sayles said. Another major function of

Baxter's staff will be to work with area towns for economic growth and development in order to "improve job opportunities for the young, the underemployed and the unemployed," Sayles added. Baxter holds a degree in electrical engineering from the University of Arkansas and is an Air Force veteran

### **UFW Meets Monday Eve**

with service in Korea.

A good time was had by the twenty-one women attending the United Foursquare Women's monthly meeting Monday evening. Games, prizes and a sing-a-long trip down "memory lane" provided the entertainment.

Rev. Katherine Byrd Foursquare pastor from Weinert, ministered on the UFW's 1978 theme "Involved and Fulfilling in Women's Ministries." The devotional message was very inspiring. The next planned activity for the UFW is a Valentine party, February 14, with husbands invited. Further information will be forthcoming.



**March of Dimes** To protect the unborn and the newborn

> THIS SPACE CONTRIBUTED BY THE PUBLISHER

Maternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Edd Broach of Lubbock, and Mr. and Mrs. Bud Conner of Benjamin are paternal grandparents.

Great-grandparents are Lonzo Poe of Knox City, Mrs. Nora Broach of Munday, and Mrs. Hazel Stockton and Mrs. Zula Conner, both of Benjamin

#### IN OKLAHOMA

undergraduate students who Mr. and Mrs. O.C. Poe have completed 12 or more spent the weekend in Altus, semester hours and received Oklahoma, visiting S/Sot. no grade below an A for the and Mrs. Johnnie Peysen, Ronnie and Rhondi. semester

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For Your Valentine

Juesday Feb. 14

**1977 WEATHER SUMMARY** 1977's weather was anything but "normal". The Anna Duckworth, daughter average temperature for the year was 64.8 degrees F of Mr. and Mrs. Oldrick Fojtik of Knox City, was

10th

which is the warmest renamed to the Northeastern corded during the last 12 years. The coolest average recorded through this period was 60.8 degrees F in 1973. The warmest month was

The president's list names July with an average temperature of 85.1 degrees while the coolest month was January with an average temperature of 34.24 degrees. There were a total of 232

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the 12 year average of 24.10 inches. Precipitation for January through June averaged above to near normal moisture; however, each month from July through December recorded below normal rainfall. The months of September and October totaled only .85 inches of moisture re-

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# **GRAPEVINE TRIP RE-SCHEDULED**

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### **News Notes** from the **Brazos Valley Care Home** By MRS. EDNA EUBANK

Our people at the home were truly disappointed at having no church services on Sunday. They appeared and waited but no one came! we neglect these Should souls?

Mrs. Williamson was happy to see all who visited her They were Mrs. Hollis, Louise Finley and Clifford.

Mr. and Mrs. Oliver King and Misti of Plainview were down to see Mrs. King. Later in the week Joe King of Nazareth visited with her.

Mr. Snelson was glad to see and visit with his wife. Mrs. Chandler entertained her daughter, Mrs. Hollis. Mr. and Mrs. Dave David-

son were callers on Eda Fay

# **Rhodes To** Discuss Issue

Representatives of various elements of the energy industry within the 17th Congressional District willbe in Abilene Wednesday, February 8, to attend a reception for and talk with A.L. (Dusty) Rhodes, candidate on the Democratic ticket for the seat of retiring U.S. Representative Omar Burleson. The reception is being sponsored by Independent Oil Operators and Producers of West Texas. and will be attended primarily by persons in oil and oilrelated businesses. Abilene oilman, John Chalmers, will host the event, which is slated to take place from 4:00 to 5:30 p.m. at the Sheraton-Abilene

Rhodes is concerned about, and has a deep committment toward helping to solve the problems facing the energy production of Texas and the nation. At the reception, Rhodes is expected to discuss the strangleholds that are continually being placed on the oil and gas industries in the form of Federal regulations. Likewise, the candidate will outline his basic ideas on how he plans to combat the

Pounds and her mother, Florence Burleson Mrs. McGaughev came to see her mother, Mrs. Milli-

gan Mrs. Cyr liked having her son Tom Thomas as her **duest** 

Mrs. Berryhill was pleased to see Jean Thomas.

Mr. Waldrip had as his guests, Lloyd Waldrip, Z.Y. Ranger, M. Strickland, Elder Harrison, Mr. Kirkpatrick, Ulrie Lea, and Ford Waldrip. We lost one of our dearest citizens to death recently. Mrs. Pool was known and loved by all who knew her.

We miss her Ruth Henderson welcomed her daughter, Mrs. Morrow

of Mundav Betty Jo Aldridge is back from the hospital and called on Bill this week.

Vicie Pearl Emerson's sister. Mrs. Mattie, accompanied by her husband Floyd called on Vicie Friday. They are from Muleshoe. Velma Tillinghost's dau-

ghter, Jan Spann and her father of Houston, came to see her Our birthday's for February include: Mamie Benton,

4; Bill Aldridge, 14; Wayne Harden, 24; and Frances Milligan 27.

ATTENDING THE 4-H Sewing Workshop in Brownwood last weekend were these leaders, from left, Sammie Ashcraft, Assistant County Extension Agent Carolyn Schur, and Marg Hardin.

# **4-H Leaders Attend Workshop**

Two Knox County 4-H clothing leaders, Sammie Ashcraft and Marg Harden, along with assistant county Extension agent. Carolyn Schur, attended a clothing construction leader workshop at the Texas 4-H Center in

The training included fashion trends for spring and summer 1978, fabric and notion trends, fashion and fabric coordination, sewing machine adjustments for today's fabrics, and contemporary sewing techniques.

Becky Culp, area clothing specialist of Amarillo; Janice

O'Brien Teams Win Haskell Trophies

**By Steve McIlhaney** The O'Brien basketball

trophies for the season. teams traveled to Haskell last **7th Grade Girls** week and brought home three O'Brien 15, Haskell

trophies for their efforts. The seventh grade and eighth sley 2, Beason 2 grade team won consolation trophies in their respective divisions while the seventh 2, Grimsley 3, Albus 2 grade boys won second place in their division. All the 7th Grade Boys players have worked hard all O'Brien year and with these trophies Gutierrez 6.

the teams have combined to KC Colored **News-Events** 



I am Jeremy Chris Eaton 29 and I plan to rule the roost Garcia 8, Roberson 3, Grimand I have plenty of relatives who will see that I am a badly O'Brien 13, Aspermont 11 spoiled little boy. I made my Rocha 2, Helms 4, Roberson arrival in the Knox County Hospital at 12:59 p.m. on Tuesday, January 24, 1978, weighing nine pounds, three 34, Haskell 18 ounces and am 21 inches Meinzer 7. long. My proud parents are Stafford 12, Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Eaton. Oh, yes, let me tell you O'Brien 24, Seymour '39 about all my grandparents.

My maternal grandparents

some great-grandparents Mr.

and Mrs. R.V. Singleton and

Mrs. Effie Grisham, all of

De Leon; Mrs. Carrie A.

Dunnam of Knox City and

Mr. and Mrs. Douglas Eaton

of Rotan. Wait that is not all

as I also have a great-great-

grandmother, Mrs. Mary

Winters of San Angelo. Don't

I sound like a winner to you?



Mrs. Bert Davis of Snyder

visited in the home of her

daughter and family, Mr. and

Also Vicki Hewitt of Western

Texas College in Snyder vis-

Marvin Manning and Cody,

son of Mr. and Mrs. James

Manning, visited in Spring-

town with the Derwin Lan-

caster family and the Larry

Gibson family. They want to

see Carla Lancaster and

Mr. and Mrs. David Hunt

of Midland visited with their

parents, Mr. and Mrs. E.W.

Hunt and Mr. and Mrs. L.A.

Covey, Greg, Ava and John

Morgan during the weekend.

Hamlin Saturday to attend

the funeral for Joe Stewart.

the father of Jeff Willis, her

Craig Brothers of Western

Texas College in Snyder vis-

ited with his parents, Mr. and

Mrs. J.O. Brothers and other

relatives and friends during

Attending the Area Evan-

gelism Conference in Hamlin

Monday night were Bob,

Kathy and Beth Cameron,

Mrs. Claudia Keller, Bernice

Rowan, Mr. and Mrs. J.M.

Emerson and J, Shane John-

ston, Jonathan, Joseph and

Daniel Godsey, Greg Covey,

and Mr. and Mrs. Bill Dun-

can and Binki and Rita Ramos

cousin, also of Hamlin.

the weekend.

Pearce Manning was in

ing the weekend were Mr. How do you like the kind of and Mrs. Floyd Grimsley of weather we have been having? It would be so much nicer if it would only rain with Vicie Pearl Emerson in more or a good snow would Mrs. Grimsley is a sister to help heaps. Of course we appreciate any Demp and Vicie Pearli should amount of either that we get. It is soon going to be looking bad for the farmers, they need to get started doing Mrs. Coy Hewitt and Toni. something in the fields, even if it is the wrong thing. The way things are now you do ited with her parents. not know just what to do, that is what to plan to plant or how much. I do think if everyone would cut their acreage about 20 to 25 percent we would have better prices this fall when the harvest time comes. Think about this before Shane Gibson play basketball.

The school tax assessorscollectors everywhere in the state are working, or have finished, on a report that we have to turn in each year and if you think reports are fairly easy to make and get them half way right, you should help Oscar and me with this one next year. I have about decided what makes this one so tedious is that the way the instructions are worded no one really knows for sure what to put down. There will be a number of ways you can interpret the wording of different things. Anyway, I think we got ours done for another year, hope so.

planting

Speaking of taxes, all you people that are over 65 please do not forget to come by the offices and sign your exemption for another year. You remember this has to be done each year. Also anyone that get a veterans exemption has to bring your papers in each year and also sign the exemption we have, do not

HERE AND THERE

forget

Visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. F.D. Emerson dur-

**Lions Club** News By Z.I. Smith

At Wednesday's meeting

#### Stamford AAM Is Off To Washington

STAMFORD-Members of ington later in the month the American Agriculture Strike Movement from Stamford will be among area groups returning to Washington, D.C., to witness Senate hearings on the farm

bill Muleshoe. They also visited The group will leave Feb. the Brazos Valley Care Home 5

They will return to Wash-

#### FROM AMARILLO

Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Baker of Amarillo visited here over the weekend with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Doug Meinzer and Tyke, and her grandmother, Mrs. Lewis Floyd.

in the House of Representatives Carlton also said the farm group is concerned about a United Nations treaty which would authorize government seizure of private land. He said President Carter has signed the treaty but it has

not yet been approved by the

when the bill reaches the

Senate floor, according to

Kenneth Carlton, one of the

Carlton said that a bill

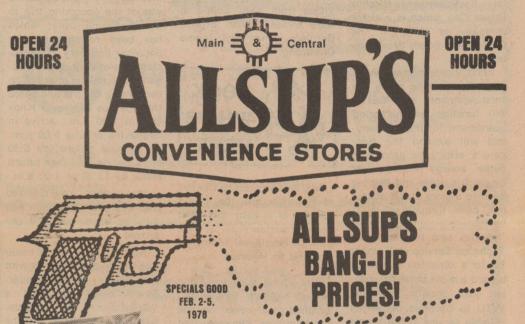
backing 100 percent parity for

farmers has been introduced

leaders

Senate 







Gilbreth, sewing instructor from Alton's Sewing Machine Company in Abilene; Christi Robertson, assistant manager of Day Dreams by the Yard of Abilene; and Teri Debolt, manager of Bernina Sewing Studio in Abilene, conducted Brownwood last weekend. the weekend event.

> Knox County leaders were among 92 other 4-H leaders across the state attending the workshop

> > The 4-H clothing project is

open to any youth age 9-19.

Anyone interested in being in

a 4-H clothing project group

as well as entering the county

dress revue, is asked to

contact Carolyn Schur, county

problems plaguing the energy industries on the Federal level

The Abilene business man and attorney earlier this month blamed a "lack of leadership" for the problems now facing the oil and gas industries, and for the high prices that the consumer ultimately has to pay for a gallon of gasoline. Stated Rhodes, "I want the Federal government out of the setting of price controls and the economic standards of our communities, and that's what they're doing when they establish ceiling prices and regulate production.

Rhodes was the first of five candidates to announce on the Democratic ticket for the 17th Congressional District's Representative seat. One Republican has also announced for that race

We will never no just how good it is to see the young womens that is going though These training. nursing young ladies will be great in their profession some day. The young R.N. look so promising. Little Adrian lones is one of ours and little Mrs. Corrin McKinney is the other Knox City girl and then there is other, but these two I no. I no they will be great. Guest in the home of Mrs. Beatrice Mays & Alestine. Sunday afternoon were Mrs.

Amy Joe, Verna Dean, Ollie Moris and Glenda Johnson. Elder Bennett and Bro. Payne, Mother Georgia and Bertha

> **CALL IN YOUR NEWS** 658-3142

8th Grade Girls O'Brien 12, Haskell Hutchinson 2, Garcia 6, Rhodes 4 O'Brien 20, Aspermont 13 Hutchinson 2, Garcia 6, White 9, Rhodes 2, Johnston

Gutierrez 2, Meinzer 5, Staf-

Lankford 3,

ford 4, Guinn 13

Guinn 6

#### 8th Grade Boys

O'Brien 19, Haskell 41 Hedgecoke 3, Taylor 2, Leach 2, Flores 4, Marin 2, Lewis 4, Cowart 2 O'Brien 19, Aspermont 26 Hedgecoke 2, Taylor 6, Leach 6, Flores 1, Marin 2, Rojas 2



are Mr. and Mrs. Ray Speck Lion President Patterson anof Knox City and Mr. and nounced the mid-winter con-Mrs. Charles Grisham of ference at Graham which was Goree. Paternal grandparents Saturday, January 28, and are Mr. and Mrs. J.C. Eaton urged everyone to attend. of Knox City. Then I have

Lion Z.I. Smith introduced Mrs. Dottie Lowrey and the Knox City High School Choir who sang five numbers. The choir members who presented the program were Amber Ashcraft, Stephen Ashcraft, Angie Bateman, Jan Burt, Phyllis Casillas, Judy Herring, Kay Howell, Roger Jackson, Skipper Jackson, Shane Johnston, Angelia Reid, Rhonda Skiles, and Gerri Watson.

Many lions complimented the students and the entire club appreciated their entertainment



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