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# ELECTION '83

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Shootin'



Straight

By Dave Thompson

**The Right To Vote**  
As most readers know, this coming Saturday is once again an election day here in Knox City. With ballots to be cast for the Knox City City Council, Knox City Mayor, Knox City O'Brien Consolidated Independent School District Board Trustees and the Knox County Hospital Board, the day should prove to be both exciting and interesting!

In thinking about the elective process of picking our community leaders, we should all feel very fortunate that we are able to live in a country where we are allowed to do so. The right to have a freedom of choice is a very basic right that many in the world wish they could have, even if only for one time in their entire lives. As citizens of a free country, we each have the opportunity many times over in our lifetimes. With that basic right given to us by those who founded this country, it seems strange to me that there are so many who do not even bother to vote.

It seems that each time an election rolls around there are many who, for one reason or another, choose not to participate in the election of those that form our different levels of government. The many different reasons really amount to nothing more than excuses. Here are a few examples:

"I won't be in town that day." Some excuse, you could and should have voted absentee and supported those of your choice.

"I really don't know anyone who is running." Some excuse, you should have taken the time to become familiar with the different candidates. After all, they will be the same people who will be making decisions that affect you if they are elected.

"I really don't know the issues." Some excuse, you should have taken time to become knowledgeable. It is not hard to do, just listen to what people have to say.

"I am sure that my candidate will be elected, he or

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## Post Office Moves Into New Building

O'Brien Postmaster Ray Ashcraft advised the *News* office Monday of this week that the O'Brien Post Office would be moving into its new building on Tuesday and open for business on Wednesday.

Ashcraft said that an open house is planned for April 7 along with a retirement party for rural carrier R.P. Barnard Jr. who retired March 3. More information concerning this special occasion will appear in next week's *News*.

The new building, located on Farm to Market Road 2229 is a brown brick exterior and contains 864 square feet. The new post office has central heat and air and is fully energy efficient, Ashcraft said.



**MOST APPRECIATED** -- Cited as Knox City's "Most Appreciated Citizen" during the annual Chamber of Commerce banquet last Thursday night was Joe M. Clonts, right. Making the presentation was W.R. Baker, left.

## Knox City Native Is 'Most Appreciated'

Approximately 150 guests were on hand last Thursday night to see Knox city native Joe Murray Clonts honored as Knox City's Most Appreciated Citizen for 1982.

The award was presented during the annual Chamber of Commerce banquet by W.R. Baker. Clonts caused chamber officials some anxious moments, arriving late to the Thursday night banquet after attending his uncle's funeral services in Mart that same afternoon. Clonts commented that he missed the meal, but he got there "for the best part!" He further commented that he should have suspected something as "there sure were a lot of people seeing that I got here!"

Clonts, the son of Mr. and Mrs. W.E. (Gene) Clonts, graduated from Knox City High School in 1945 and from Texas A&M University. He and his wife, the former

## Town In Dark During Friday Thunderstorm

Knox City residents were left in the dark for almost two hours Friday night from 8:30 until 10:20 when two poles went down in Knox City and two in Rochester. West Texas Utilities Company local manager Dick Evtatt said a primary line burned also.

Hospital administrator Randy Abernathy said the Knox County Hospital did not suffer for the lack of electricity. The hospital has a generator in its basement that operates with natural gas or gasoline and Abernathy explained that when the voltage gets so low, the generator automatically kicks on. He said the generator is turned on every Monday morning to check it out.

Knox City, along with most of the area, was in a tornado watch until 11:00 o'clock Friday night. No severe weather occurred; however, pea-size hail, high winds and heavy rain fell for a few minutes.

The thunderstorms, spawned by a weak Pacific cold front, moved in a southeasterly direction, and dumped .6 inches of rain according to the Channel 2 gauge.

Margie Lowrey, are the parents of two children, Mrs. Burton (Diane) Balch of Houston and Joe Mark, a student at Texas Tech University in Lubbock. Mrs. Clonts is a teacher in the O'Brien Mid-School.

## Gift Cottage To Celebrate

One of Knox City's newest businesses, The Gift Cottage, owned by Sharon Rutherford will hold their grand opening, Friday and Saturday, April 1 and 2, with specials and other activities happening throughout the store.

Mrs. Rutherford purchased Under the Rainbow in February and changed the firm's name. She has added a complete line of greeting cards as well as scented candles to the already nice assortment of gifts and other selections. Available at The Gift Cottage are country items, folk art, brass, baby items and balloon bouquets for any occasion with a character clown delivering them. Mrs. Rutherford also noted that silk flower arrangements are also available.

As noted by her ad elsewhere in this week's *News*, Mrs. Rutherford has 20% off every item in the store including all cards. Floppy, the Easter bunny, will be at the store on Saturday from 10:00-12:00 and 2:00-5:00.

Mrs. Rutherford invites everyone to come and browse during the grand opening.

## Senior Citizens Slate Bake Sale

The Knox City Senior Citizens, in a fund-raising project, will be sponsoring a bake sale Saturday, April 2, near Bob's Super Save and the U.S. Post Office, beginning at 8:00 a.m.

An assortment of cakes, pies, breads, cookies, candy and other goodies will be for sale. Special orders will be accepted as late as Thursday, March 31, and readers should call 658-3618 or 658-3351 for specialties such as rum pound cake, German chocolate cake, red plum cake, millionaire pies, cherry fiesta pie, peanut butter pie and peanut brittle.

Joe has served the community in many ways, being active in the Knox City Lions Club, and being a chamber member for several years. Clonts has been very active with the Boy Scout program in Knox City and is a director of the West Central Texas Council on Scouting.

He and his wife are also members of the First United Methodist Church where he has served as Sunday School superintendent for many years.

Speaker for the evening's banquet was Dr. John C. Stevens, chancellor of Abilene Christian University. He gave those in attendance a unique and humorous trip back through America's history and also noted that a prosperous community is attained by looking three ways: back, to see what our families have done before us; ahead, to plan for the future and

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## Melba Pharr New Owner Of Boutique

The Family Boutique, formerly owned by Estelle Hawkins, has a new owner - Melba Pharr.

Mrs. Pharr purchased the business Tuesday and will take over as owner and manager today, Thursday, March 31.

She advised the *News* office that store hours will remain the same as will the store employees, Mildred Draper, Bernice Rowan and Hazel Tankersley.

The sale will continue with all present merchandise going at sale prices. She does plan to make new summer merchandise available to her customers and says that by fall and winter, she will have the store fully stocked. She plans to continue to stock some of the present lines of merchandise as well as adding new ones.

Mrs. Pharr, who is well known throughout the area, is director of nurses at the Knox County Hospital where she will continue in that capacity. She is inviting all former customers as well as new ones to come in.

## Knox City, O'Brien, Benjamin

# Local, Area Towns To Vote Saturday

With contested races in both the City of Knox City election and the Knox City-O'Brien Consolidated Independent School District, a good turnout of voters is expected this Saturday, when the above two entities join with the Knox County Hospital District in joint elections.

Voters will cast their ballots in Knox City in the Community Center at South Third and Avenue B where polls will be open from 7:00 a.m. until 7:00 p.m.

O'Brien voters will mark their ballots at the O'Brien Co-op Gin Office and Benjamin folk will vote in the Court House Assembly Room.

Serving as election judge for Knox City will be Clyde Voss, Lee Cox will be judge at O'Brien, and Clodell Duke will serve in that capacity at Benjamin.

In the local election, three are seeking the office of mayor including Craig Williams, Buddy Angle and Charles Auburg. Carol Felts and Elmer Wall are running unopposed for the two two-year council seats while the one-year unexpired council seat is up for grabs among Elaine Lewis, John Peysen and Shelton Boyd.

Those seeking election to the two seats on the Knox City-O'Brien school trustee board are J.B. Rutherford,

Jimmy Tankersley, Mary Ann Boone and Roland Marion.

In the Knox County Hospital District election, David N. Perdue is unopposed in his bid for a two-year term.

O'Brien city council members face no opposition. Three men have signed up for the council seats including Wayne McKinney, Rayland Hayes and James Manning. No one is running for mayor; however, the office is still open, according to O'Brien city secretary Veeta Reid.

Benjamin will have no races in either the city or school elections. On the Benjamin ISD board of trustees, Billy Ben Benson and David

Oxford, are unopposed in both the two year term positions with Louise Hertel running unopposed on the unexpired term. In their city election, Vernon McCanlies is seeking re-election as mayor. Keith Conner is running for one of the two two-year council terms.

Voters should make every effort to go to the polls and vote Saturday. These men and women have taken enough interest to offer their time and services to the city or school if elected, and voters should feel that it is a duty to study each candidate for office and choose those they believe would best benefit the respective boards. Vote Saturday!

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## Fashion Show For EMS Is Tonight

Tonight's the night for the Knox City Ambulance Auxiliary Fashion Show. The show is scheduled to begin at 7:30 o'clock in the church hall of the Santa Rosa Catholic Church on North Second Street.

Participants as models in the fund raising event for the Knox City Ambulance Service will be local men, women and children. Spring and summer clothing exhibited during the show will be provided by local and area merchants.

Entertainment for the event will be provided by Knox City talent in both country and instrumental music. A drawing will be held with several prizes available. All proceeds from the show will benefit the ambulance service in its drive to obtain funds for new equipment.

## School To Dismiss Friday At 2:30

Students in the Knox City-O'Brien Consolidated Independent School District will dismiss Friday at 2:50 for the Easter holidays.

According to school officials, parents of children are asked to take note of this time of dismissal. Classes will be dismissed Monday and will resume at the regular time on Tuesday.

## Teacher Contracts Renewed for 1983-84

The Knox City-O'Brien Consolidated Independent School District has renewed teacher contracts for 1983-84.

Among those are Joanna Delgado, Sherry Hacker, Janice Vacek, Donna Headstream, Earlene Austin, Carolyn Brockett, Linda Buntton, Doris Carnes, Paul Green, Carolyn Sloan, Sherry Speck, Idella Escobar, Bi Wupperman and Margaret Fritsche.

Also Margie Clonts, Ronnie Verhalen, Faye Reed, Judy Burnett, Frances King, Frankie Baker, Matt Harrington, Linda Underwood, Kathy Anderson, and Rachel Andrade.

Also C.H. Underwood, Renella Watson, Tommy Sloan, Vera Newton, Veeta Reid, Leon Burkham, Jim Dillon, Jimmy Rogers, Ronnie Cox, Dale Wainscott, Dotie Lowrey, Zoy Risinger, Dick Wupperman, Johnny Rocha, Claudia Tidwell, Pat Grimsley, Ruth Ishmael,

## Catholics To Host Men's Breakfast

The men of the Santa Rosa Catholic Church will host the monthly men's breakfast, Saturday, April 2, in their church hall at 7:00 a.m.

All men and boys of the community are invited to attend.

Bobby Hudson, Lea Reeyes, Dorothy Myers, Nancy Toliver, and Kathleen Tanner.

Superintendent W.R. Baker's contract was renewed in January, contrac-

## Community Service Set For Saturday

The Community Easter Service will be held Saturday, April 2, at 7:30 p.m. in the First Baptist Church in Knox City.

Host pastor will be John Gillispie and music director will be Don Roberts.

The congregation will bring the call to worship and Bill Trice will give the invocation. At this time, special music will be provided by the First Baptist Church.

James Patterson will present the scripture reading and the Foursquare Church will also provide special music.

The offertory hymn will be sung by the congregation with Dave Stone conducting the offertory service.

Don Roberts will also present special music preceding Doug Stenberg's message.

Juan Flores will close the service with the benediction.

ts for principal Don Fritsche and Charles Reed were renewed in February, and business manager Jo Hacker and high school secretary Melanie Whitley had their contracts renewed in March.

Several positions are hired through other programs and are not included as KC-O'Brien contracts, officials said.

## LL Parents To Meet Tuesday

Parents of Little League members are asked to meet at the Kennel in the City Park on Tuesday, April 5, at 7:30 p.m. for an organizational meeting.

According to Charles Pierce, plans will be made for the coming year and the meeting is for parents only.

## Weather

FURNISHED BY PLANT MATERIALS  
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Date	Low	High	Rain
3-22	34	54	
3-23	42	47	
3-24	43	60	
3-25	46	66	.76
3-26	43	63	
3-27	40	59	
3-28	32	66	

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**MUNDAY** - Super nice. Three bedroom brick, two baths, den, large living room, two car garage. 1361 W. Main, \$65,000. Call for an appointment.

**MORTGAGE MONEY** for housing is now more readily available to those who need housing and have not been able to buy. Smaller down payment and low interest on qualifying houses. Come see us.

**ONE BEDROOM**, Kitchen, Living room, carport, four lots with several outbuildings. 708 N. 4th St., Excellent price \$8,500.00.

**LUXURIOUS CUSTOM BUILT HOME** - New three bedroom, two bath, large family room with fireplace. Many nice extras. Super buy at \$72,000. South Aspen.

**ROCHESTER** -- 14 acres with two bedroom house, workshop. East side of Hwy. 6. Good buy at \$28,000.  
**ROCHESTER** -- Need Lots of Room? Four bedroom country rock home, 2½ miles south of Rochester on West Side Hwy. 6. Excellent price, \$37,000 with six acres. Shown by appointment only.

**SOUTH OF ROCHESTER** just west of Hwy. 6-60 acres with beautiful three bedroom, two and one-half bath, two story brick home with large den/kitchen, formal dining room. Lots of extras. Will sell house separately. Eight years old. Call for appointment. Great buy at \$115,000.

**IN MUNDAY** - Super nice, super large home. Must see to appreciate. 3 Bedrooms, 2 Baths, Living Room, Dining Room with granite partition, Sun Room, Utility, Den. Loads and Loads of Storage. Two central units, carport. Great buy at \$55,000.00. 810 N. Munday - FHA Approved.

**-RESIDENTIAL LOTS-**

**EXCELLENT BUILDING** Lots in Southfork Addition.  
... in Shannon Addition.

**ONE LOT**, 50x100. 202 North Avenue C.

**-COMMERCIAL-**

**INVESTMENT REAL ESTATE** - Texaco Service Station with 28,000 gallon storage. Good location. Priced to sell.  
**FOR SALE OR LEASE** - Choice Commercial location. Clarke Cabinet Shop - 808 East Main. Super buy at \$12,000.00.

**-FARM LAND-**

**¾ ACRES** with nice large, older 3 bedroom house, central heat. House could be sold separate with small acreage. Some out buildings, fruit trees, close to town.  
**HASKELL COUNTY** Farm - 160 acres - excellent soil - 2 irrigation wells w/o pumps. Approximately 1 mile East of O'Brien, \$850.00 per acre. Must sell to settle debts - Loan Available.  
**120 ACRES** excellent farm land. Salem Hutchinson farm southeast of Knox City. Some water available. Old house.  
**207 ACRES** 1 mile north of Knox City. Has assumable loan for \$60,000. Saltwater disposal well pays \$100.00 month. \$900.00 per acre.  
**179.3 ACRES** HASKELL County 4½ miles west of O'Brien. Approximately 80 acres cultivated. Buildings, fenced and cross-fenced. \$340.00 per acre. Make an offer. Owner needs to sell.  
**14 ACRES** south of Knox City, would do for Texas Veterans loan.

**MISCELLANEOUS SERVICES**

**LAWN AND GARDEN**  
Tilling - Call Tracy Carter, 658-3910 after 5 p.m. 2-24 10tp  
**BIRTHDAY & Special** Occasion Cakes. Cheryl Daniel, (817) 658-3196 after 5:00 p.m. 2-24 tfc

**WATER WELL** Drilling: House, Stock Irrigation Wells, Test Holes, Call W.P. Hise (817) 864-3727, Haskell, Texas (day or night). 2-15 tfc

**WANT TO DO** custom farming. 6-row shredder, rollover and moldboard, chiseling, etc. Charles Griffith (817) 454-2632. 3-24 3tp

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**VERMEER HAY** BAILERS - Reduced price on 1982 models plus a new lease purchase plan. Complete parts and service. Also sell Morrison belts for all brands of round bails. Mike Newton, 658-5053. 3-31 1tc

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**BAYLOR MILLING CO.,** Throckmorton Highway, Seymour. Custom mixing-pelleting-your grain or ours. Range cubes, creep feeds, start to finish. 817-888-5595. tfc

**REFRIGERATOR** for sale. Large older model, looks terrible but runs!! Ideal for lake cabin or those with none! Come see for yourself. Bring your pickup truck and just \$40.00 and we'll let you haul it away!! Call 658-3131 after 6:00 p.m. 3-31 1tc

**STILL HAVE** a few nice formal that would be great for end of school activities. Various types, various prices. Call Stacy at 658-3131 after 6:00 p.m. 3-24 1tc

**EVAPORATIVE COOLER** for sale - Well used, looks rough, but ran good when last used. \$50.00. Call 658-3142 days or 658-3327 nights. 3-24 1tc

**LEGAL NOTICE**

THAT IN ACCORDANCE WITH SECTION 30.05 OF THE PENAL CODE TEXAS CRIMINAL TRESPASS (SENATE BILL 111 PASSED BY THE 62ND LEGISLATURE), NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT POSTED EXCEPT WHERE WRITTEN PERMISSION IS GIVEN TO COME UPON THE SAME.  
CHARLES M. PRATHER TRUSTEE

**LEGAL NOTICE**

The Knox City-O'Brien ISD Board proposes to sell the following surplus equipment:

- 1968 Dodge 54 Passenger School Bus
- 1969 Chev. 48 Pass. School Bus
- 1955 International Utility 300 Farm Tractor (Three Point Hookup, Powerlift, Live Power Takeoff)

This equipment may be inspected week days 8 a.m. to 5 p.m. at the bus storage barn.

The board will receive sealed bids for each piece of equipment until 7:30 p.m. April 19th, 1983. Bids should be turned in to the office of the superintendent.

Bids will be opened at the board's regular meeting on this date. The board reserves the right to reject any or all bids.  
J.M. Emerson, Secretary 3-24 2tc

**LEGAL NOTICE**

The Knox City-O'Brien ISD Board proposes to purchase computer equipment. Equipment and bid specifications may be obtained from the office of the superintendent. Proposals and bids will be opened at the regular board meeting April 19, 1983, 7:30 p.m.  
J.M. Emerson, Secretary 3-24 2tc

**PUBLIC NOTICE**

**NOTICE OF APPLICATION FOR FLUID INJECTION WELL PERMIT**  
Exxon Corporation, P.O. Box 1600, Midland, Texas 79702 has applied to the Railroad Commission of Texas for a permit to inject fluid into a formation which is productive of oil or gas.

The applicant proposes to inject fluid into the c-zone (AKA 5300' Strawn) Formation, Bateman Trust Est. A/C No. 1 lease, Well Number 33. The proposed injection well is located 8 miles east of Guthrie, Texas in the Bateman Ranch Field, in King County. Fluid will be injected into strata in the subsurface depth interval from 5312 to 5330 feet.

**LEGAL AUTHORITY:** Chapter 27 of the Texas Water Code, as amended, Title 3 of the Natural Resources Code, as amended, and the Statewide Rules of the Oil and Gas Division of the Railroad Commission of Texas.

Requests for a public hearing from persons who can show they are adversely affected, or requests for further information concerning any aspect of the application should be submitted in writing, within-fifteen days of publication, to the Underground Injection Control Section, Oil and Gas Division, Railroad Commission of Texas, Drawer 12967, Capitol Station, Austin, Texas 78711 (Telephone 512/445-1373). 3-31 1tc

**PUBLIC NOTICE**      **NOTICES**

The City of O'Brien will hold a public hearing at 7:00 p.m. April 14, 1983, in the City Hall. The purpose of the hearing is to permit citizens to present oral or written comments or suggestions on possible uses of Revenue Sharing Funds in the amount of approximately \$1200.00 which the city expects to receive in the 1983-1984 fiscal year. 3-31 1tc

**NOTICES**

**BAKE SALE** April 2. Knox City Senior Citizens will sell cakes, pies, breads, cookies, candy and other goodies between Bob's and Post Office beginning at 8 a.m. Special orders will be accepted as late as Thursday, March 31. Call 658-3618 or 658-3351 in advance for rum pound cake, German chocolate cake, red plum cake, millionaire pies, cherry fiesta pie, peanut butter pie and peanut brittle. 3-31 1tp

**NOTICES**

This is to give notice of the intention to introduce a bill in the 68th Legislature, Regular Session, relating to the creation, powers and duties of a Juvenile Board in Cottle, King, Knox and Baylor Counties. Senator Ray Farabee, P.O. box 12068, Austin, Texas 78711; Representative Steven A. Carraker, P.O. Box 2910, Austin, Texas 78711; Representative Charles Finnell, P.O. Box 2910, Austin, Texas 78711. 3-31 1tc

**PREPARED CHILDBIRTH**

Classes! Will begin April 5. 6 sessions (one night a week) 7:00-9:00 p.m. Tuesday. Will meet at physical therapy department at Knox County Hospital, Knox City, Texas. Women whose husbands prefer not to participate are welcome! For more information, call Lizette Hastey (817) 743-3420 (Rochester). 3-31 4tp

**UNITED FOURSQUARE**

Women will sponsor a bake sale, Saturday, April 2, beginning at 8:00 a.m. in front of the Post Office. 3-31 1tc

**PLAYING THE** piano can be fun as well as educational. For lessons, call Kathy Brewer, 658-3769. 3-31 2tp

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**MISCELLANEOUS FOR SALE**

**TWO BEDROOM** furnished mobile home. Call 658-3342. 3-31 tfc  
**SMALL TWO** Bedroom house in O'Brien for rent, \$150.00 a month, plus deposit. Call 658-3473. 3-31 2tc  
**FOR RENT** - Three bedroom trailer house for rent, 658-3440. 3-24 2tp

**MISCELLANEOUS FOR SALE**

**FOR SALE** - Used lumber, 2 aluminum boats, 1-1969 Ford car, 1-1978 Ford pickup, 1 electric range. Call (817) 658-3849, C.H. Gideon. 3-24 2tp  
**ONE WW** 16' flat tandem axle trailer, one 14' flatbed tandem axle, both have good rubber. Kuehler Lumber & Supply, 658-3416. 3-24 tfc  
**600'** TOP RAILING for Chain Link Fence, 30' ft. Jim Dillon, (817) 658-3605. 3-24 2tp  
**16"** McCULLOCH Chain Saw, 300 Series with case, \$125.00. Jim Dillon, (817) 658-3605. 3-24 2tp  
**FOR SALE** - 100 Ft. Aluminum TV Tower. Buddy Tolson (817) 454-3231 after 5:00 p.m. 3-24 2tp

**MISCELLANEOUS FOR SALE**

**PIANO IN** Storage-Beautiful spinet-console stored locally. Reported like new. Responsible party can take at big saving on low payment balance. Write Joplin Piano, Inc., Joplin, Missouri 64801. Include home phone number. 3-31 1tp

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**MISCELLANEOUS FOR SALE**  
**BEARINGS - FILTERS** - Belts, Batteries & Spark Plugs for cars, pickups, tractors and plows. Planting furrows, chisel sweeps & DuckFoot (Breaking plow parts for Oliver & J.D.) Servis shredder & Kraus plow parts. Exchange alternators-starters. Try me - I may have what you need. Egenbacher Impl. Co. 3-31 tfc  
**ONE SET OF TIRES** for sale - Four used 16 inch pickup truck tires, good tread left, \$10.00 each. Also have one 14 inch automobile tire (mud & snow type), lots of tread left, \$10.00. Call 658-3142 days or 658-3327 nights. 3-24 1tc

**CARD OF THANKS**

To our many friends who were our guests, Sunday, March 27, we thank you for coming by to eat with us, in showing your love for us. We got great joy in serving you and hope you will come again and to the ones that help in the kitchen, a big thanks to you.

The Mission of The Church of the Living God May God bless you one and all of you. 3-31 1tp

**AUTOS-TRUCKS-TRAILERS**

**NEED WHEELS?** 1981 Chevrolet four-door sedan for sale. Equipped with a small V-8, A/C, P/S, P/B, AM radio, tilt steering wheel and electric rear window defroster. This car is wholesale priced at just \$4900.00. We mean business - shop around, compare prices, then come see us for your best deal! Call 658-3142 days or 658-3131 after 6:00 p.m. and on weekends. 3-31 1tnc

**FOR SALE** - 20 ft. travel trailer. Call 658-3865. 3-31 3tc

**GARAGE SALE**

**GARAGE SALE** - Now underway at 905 South Third. Floral couch and chair, bed, dresser, chest, box spring and inner spring mattress, all like new and lots of miscellaneous. 3-31 1tp

**HELP WANTED**

**NURSERY WORKER** needed at First United Methodist Church. Interested parties, call 658-3263. 3-31 1fc

**BIG COUNTRY** Savings Association, Stamford, Texas, due to expansion, is offering several new positions in secretarial, office work and clerical skills in various departments. If you are qualified and have experience and are interested, please apply at 122 West McHarg Street, Stamford, Texas, or call 915-773-2713 for more information. We are an equal opportunity employer. 3-31 2tc

**TO GIVE AWAY**

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**Archer County Art Show Set**

The Archer County Arts and Crafts Show will be held in June. For persons wishing more information they may contact, Kathy Morrison at 574-2190 in Archer City.

Entry information may also be obtained at this number.

**O'Brien Happenings**

BY AUDIE JOHNSTON

"Troubles - In the olden days, one trip to the woodshed and all your troubles were behind you." (H. Duane Black)

**HERE AND THERE**

Mr. and Mrs. Irby Carlisle, along with Irby's mother Irene Owens of Hereford, were in Abilene recently to attend the funeral for a former school teacher and resident of O'Brien, Mrs. Gladys Fox. She was married to Aubrey Fox, a former O'Brien school teacher and resident.

Mrs. Lorata Johnston is in Gainesville this week visiting her son, W.D. Johnston and family and two other sons, Kenneth Johnston of

Amarillo and Mickey Johnston of California.

Brad Banner and Gary Woodward of Littlefield visited Mr. and Mrs. C.B. Banner and Mrs. Noba Oliver in Knox City last week.

Visiting Rev. Trice, Evelyn and Ruthie last week for a few days were their daughter, Renda Carlton and children, Marty, Jodi, Casey and Toni of Lawn.

Tim Hester of Thibaux, Louisiana, visited his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Alton

Hester, this week.

Recent visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Claudale Barnard were Eddie, Claudia, Jennifer and John Bryant of Levelland.

Visiting Mr. and Mrs. Ken Pierson last week were James Bolton and Jim and Missy Bolton of Tuscola.

Mrs. Larry Wood, Kristi and Lesa of Garland and Mrs. Mart Nugent, Dusty and Daniel of Plano visited Mr. and Mrs. Audrey Pierson and Mr. and Mrs. Ken Pierson Saturday.

Craig Brothers visited Adrian Jones in Breckenridge over the weekend.

There were 19 Baptist men who met at the Church Monday of last week for a Brotherhood meeting. Bro. Culppepper from Goree Baptist Church brought a good testimony. Good food was enjoyed by all present.

Several local women from the O'Brien Baptist Church had a birthday party for those in the Care Home last week. Those helping were Mamie Emerson, Helen Manning, Bessie King, Jean Barnard, Vivian Hendrix, Lorata Johnston, Willie Mae Banner and Mildred Strunk. Rev. Trice's grandchildren sang for the group.

Mrs. Diana Condron and children of Houston are visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Underwood and her brother, C.H. Underwood and family this week.

"You never get a second chance to make a first impression."

**Brown Clonts Is Buried In Mart**

Funeral services for Brown Clonts of Mart, brother of Knox City resident W.E. (Gene) Clonts, were held Thursday afternoon, March 24, at two o'clock in Littlepage Funeral Home chapel with the Rev. W.H. Smith officiating. Burial was in the Mart Cemetery.

Mr. Clonts, 81, a retired railroad employee, died Sunday, March 20, in a Houston hospital.

Born August 14, 1901, in Frost, he attended Mart High School. He married Willie Pearl Holder in 1929 and worked for the Missouri-Pacific Railroad for 28 years. Mr. Clonts was a Navy veteran, a member of First Baptist Church, York Rite Bodies, Karem Shrine and Mart Lions Club. He was also past master of Mart Masonic Lodge 636.

Mr. Clonts had been a director of First National Bank since 1963. He also was chairman of the Mart Housing Authority, president of the Mart Chamber of Commerce agriculture committee and a trustee for the Mart Independent School District.

Survivors include his wife; two daughters, Mrs. Jerry (Gail) Davis of Houston and Mrs. Kathryn Brown of Arvada, Colorado; a brother, W.E. Clonts of Knox City; and seven grandchildren.

Mr. and Mrs. W.E. Clonts and Joe M. Clonts were in Mart Thursday afternoon for the services.

**Shootin' Straight**

(From Page One)

she doesn't need my help." That's really the poorest excuse of all because each and every person seeking a public office needs and deserves all the support they can get. If we all had the idea that they didn't need our help, where would we get our community leaders? This particular reason has a title, it is called APATHY. Don't let the label be placed on you, get out and do your part!!

"I don't know where to go." No problem, just read on: The Community Center at 212 South 3rd Street here in Knox City is the location. The times will be from 7:00 in the morning until 7:00 in the evening. With twelve full hours available, everyone should be able to make it at one time or another during the day. An additional benefit to some is that this is on a Saturday, that should eliminate a few of the "I have to work" excuses. For those who do work on Saturday, try to vote either before work, on your lunch hour or after work.

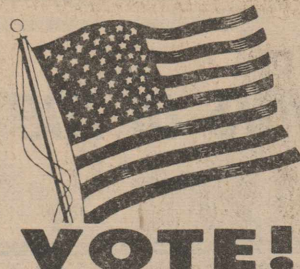
In closing, there is one rather prominent thought that needs to be mentioned: There are always those who find it easy to sit and pass judgment on others that are in elected offices. Many think from time to time that "someone else" would do a better job. The answer to that is simple: if you don't vote, don't gripe!

Hope to see you at the polls. More SHOOTIN' STRAIGHT next week.....

**Hospital News**

Patients In Hospital As Of March 25, 1983  
Knox City: Cora Stone, Dave Whitford, Arthur McGaughey, Myrtle Leach  
Munday: Ellen Ball, Theresa Albus  
Goree: Eva Thompson  
Benjamin: Lela Loper, Collins Moorehouse  
Truscott: Mina Manka

Patients Dismissed As Of March 18, 1983  
Knox City: Mary Simmons, Jim Hubbard, Erica Rhodes, Dora Followill, Tonya Hernandez, Tennis McNulty  
Munday: Willie Weaver, Tommie Hall  
Gilliland: Loys Welch  
Hereford: Elzie Sealy  
O'Brien: Rhonda Holmes



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## Seniors of the Week



**ADELA ROCHA**

I was born on October 15, 1963, in Knox City Hospital. I live in O'Brien with my parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Rocha.

I have many favorite things I like to do. I love to run, play tennis, and play volleyball. That's why I'm in athletics. My favorite colors are blue and black. I've always enjoyed drawing ever since I was in first grade—maybe earlier. I've enjoyed going to school here in Knox City, but I can't wait to finish.

I have been in many activities. I've played basketball, volleyball, track, and tennis. In track, I have been to regional for two years and in tennis I placed third. I have participated with Scarlet Belles Drill Team for two years. My future plans are undecided.



**JOE ROCHA**

On February 25, 1965, Joe Rocha Jr. was brought forth on this Earth. He's the ninth child of a large and happy family of twelve. Mr. and Mrs. Joe Rocha are his parents who have really given him a lot of support.

His favorite sports include football, basketball, and tennis. Currently, if not soon impeached, he's the class reporter for the one and only Senior Class of '83. He also serves as treasurer of the Beta Club. Yes, the Beta Club!

His favorite type of music is "rock 'n' roll" which include such groups as "AC/DC", "The Cars," "Foreigner," and "The Police." Plans for the future are undecided at this time, but he would like to go in a career of drag racing.

## The Kennel KC School News

### JUNIOR CLASS NEWS

By Sarah Jones

A bunch of KCHS students invaded the Vernon Regional Junior College campus last week to participate in various UIL events. The juniors involved did an especially good job! The participants from our class were Amber Berryman (typing), George Espinosa (science), Daveine Holcomb (feature writing), Wayne Hutchinson, (fourth in typing), Tanya Hicks (poetry), Sarah Jones (second in editorial writing, fourth in news writing, sixth in spelling), Greg Melin (spelling), Steve Rutherford (fourth in informative speaking, number sense), Greg Skiles (fourth in debate, spelling, science), Nathan Staggs (third in number sense, fourth in debate), Chris Whitaker, (third in prose, one act play), and Peggilee Wupperman (first in typing, second in ready writing, prose, one act play). Congratulations, everybody!

Other things going on: plans are underway for the Junior-Senior Banquet; juniors are doing well in golf, tennis, and track; and Steve Rutherford and Dwayne Watkins have matching knee braces.

### SCHOOL LUNCHROOM MENUS

BREAKFAST MENU:  
April 4-8, 1983

Monday - Easter Holiday  
Tuesday - Pineapple Juice, Pancake, Maple Syrup, Chocolate Milk

Wednesday - Apple Juice, Scrambled Eggs, Buttered Toast & Jelly, Chocolate Milk

Thursday - Pineapple Juice, Bacon, Buttered Toast & Jelly, Chocolate Milk

Friday - Applesauce, Cowboy Bread, Chocolate Milk

LUNCH MENU:  
April 4-8, 1983

Monday - Easter Holiday  
Tuesday - Hot Dogs/w/ Chili, French Fries, Green Beans, Cake, Milk

Wednesday - Tacos, Lettuce, Tomatoes & Cheese, Whole Kernel Corn, Cinnamon Rolls, Milk

Thursday - Meat Loaf, Stewed Cabbage, Tator Tots, Jello, Hot Cornbread & Butter, Milk

Friday - Roast Beef, Creamed Potatoes, English Peas, Hot Rolls, Butter & Honey, Milk

## Hounds Bring Home Olney Track Trophy

The Knox City Greyhound tracksters traveled to Olney Saturday and came home with the first place trophy in division I by racking up a total of 124 points. The junior varsity team placed fifth in their division with 66 points.

The 400 relay team of Ricky Gutierrez, Steve Oudems, Wayne Hutchinson and Sammy Johnson placed first with a time of 47.13. George Rocha placed first in the 110 meter hurdles with a finishing time of 17.11 while Wayne Hutchinson also crossed the finish line first in the 400 meter dash. He posted a time of 55.67. The 1600 meter relay of Steve Oudems, George Rocha, Sammy Johnson and Wayne Hutchinson was also first with a time of 3:53.45.

Second places consisted of George Rocha in the 300 meter hurdle race finishing with a 47.31 clocking; Steve Oudems, 200 meter dash, 25.03; Jessie Agraz, 1600 meter run, 5:22.07; Wayne Hutchinson, pole vault, 10-0; and Kevin Eaton, high jump, 6-0.

Jessie Agraz finished third in the 3200 meter run with a time of 11:27.57.

Finishing in fourth places were Greg Melin, 3200 meter run; Tyke Meinzer, 110 meter hurdles; Ricky Gutierrez, 100 meter dash and also the long jump. Tyke Meinzer also finished fifth in the 300 meter hurdles and Kevin Eaton was sixth in the 110 meter hurdles.

Other varsity tracksters participating were Chris Whitaker, 3200 meter run; Sammy Johnson, 100 meter dash; Sammy Johnson and Ricky Gutierrez, 200 meter dash; Chris Whitaker and Greg Melin, 1600 meter run; James Evatt, shot put; Steve Oudems, long jump; and James Evatt, discus.

In the junior varsity division, winners were Otis Lockhart, first, long jump; Otis Lockhart, second, 100 meter dash; David Thompson, second, 400 meter dash; Michael Rauch, fourth, 110 meter hurdles; David Thompson, fourth, shot put; Ricky Gutierrez, fourth, long jump; the 1600 meter relay, Adam Garcia, David Thompson, Michael Rauch and Otis

Lockhart, fourth; Adam Garcia, fifth, 400 meter dash; and the 400 relay team of J. Gutierrez, Adam Garcia, W. Robinson and David Thompson, fifth; and Charlie Vaden, 200 meter dash, sixth.

Other JV's participating were J. Gutierrez and Rick Wupperman, 800 meter run; Danny Balis and Tracy Carter, 110 meter hurdles; W. Robinson, 100 meter dash; Michael Rauch, Danny Balis and Tracy Carter, 300 meter hurdles; W. Robinson, 200 meter dash; J. Gutierrez and Rick Wupperman, 1600 meter run; Rick Wupperman, pole vault; Danny Balis, high jump; M. Daniels, F. Alsides, shot put; David Thompson, long jump; and David Thompson, B. Davis, discus.

Division I totals behind KC's first place win were 2. Bryson 107, 3. Newcastle 101, 4. Windthorst 60, 5. Woodson 46, 6. Rule 39, 7. Benjamin 33. Junior varsity totals were 1. Graham 114, 2. Olney 98, 3. Munday 85, 4. Rotan 67, 5. Knox City 66, 6. Decatur 37, 7. Bridgeport 36, 8. Springtown 28, 9. Haskell 10.

### FROM LUBBOCK

Gwen Hewitt and Mark Decker of Lubbock were weekend guests in the homes of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Buddy Angle, and her sister and her husband, Mr. and Mrs. Dave Thompson.

Clay was playing soccer Saturday and unable to accompany them to Knox City.

### Breeder To Donate Fees To Rehab

Aubrey Stokes, famed lawyer and horse breeder, of San Angelo announced this week that the West Texas Rehabilitation Center of Abilene, San Angelo, and Snyder will receive 10% of the 1983 breeding fee of two stallions he owns.

Dot Dot Dot Dash (s.i. 95) is by All American Futurity winner and leading sire Three Oh's AAAT, who is the breed's No. 6 all-time leading sire of money earners through 1981 and the sire of 114 stakes horses who have earned \$4.6 million. He is out of the Speck Deck mare Specka Barr AAA, who has produced 3 other stakes winners.

Deckem Easy (s.i. 98) is a son of Easy Jet AAAT, the All American Futurity winner and former all time leading money earner who has sired the winners of more than \$14.2 million including 88 stakes winners and 103 states-placed winners.

Deckem Easy is out of stakes producing Speck Deck mare Speckie Sue Deck AAA, a winner of 4 races and \$12,878.

These two fine stallions are standing at McDonald Equine Center, Sterling City, with a breeding fee of \$1,000 each.

The West Texas Rehabilitation Center is a non-profit organization that serves the handicapped of the Southwest at no charge.

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### STREAMS IN DESERT PLACES

By OZELLE STEPHENS

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The resurrection of Jesus Christ from the dead is proof that He has conquered death and has thrown open the door of everlasting life.

Because of Christ's death on the cross, we can know the joy of God's forgiveness for our sins. And through His resurrection we can have the blessed assurance of everlasting life.

After the dark hours on the cross when Christ was judged by God for our sins, His body was placed in a new tomb. His enemies set up a guard and sealed the tomb with a Roman seal so that his body would not be stolen.

Three days later, on resurrection morning, an angel declared the triumphant news to His followers: "I know that you seek Jesus, which was crucified He is not here: for He is risen." (Matthew 28:5). You have complete victory in Jesus Christ, our risen Saviour through your faith. Trust Him today.

ENJOY SQUARE DANCING  
Mr. and Mrs. Joe Clonts, Mr. and Mrs. Alton Fitzgerald, Mr. and Mrs. Z.I. Smith and Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Roberts of Benjamin were in Abilene over the weekend where they attended the Spree Square Dance Festival held at the Abilene Civic Center.

John Jones and Wayne Baldwin were callers with Helen and Norman Teague being round dance cuers.

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**GET OUT AND VOTE SATURDAY, APRIL 2**

(Editor's Note: Most of the candidates who placed political advertising in this week's News also had the following statements for release.)

**Craig Williams**

Candidate For Mayor

"My name is Craig Williams and I am seeking election as mayor. I have served two terms on the city council, one year serving as mayor pro tem.

"There are several reasons why I would like to be mayor of Knox City, but at this time I want to give you my best reason.

"Communication is my number one reason for seeking this office. Communication, needs to be restored between the mayor and the citizens of Knox City, also there needs to be more communication between the mayor and the members of the City Council. The first step for building a sound city government is communication, I hope you permit me to take this first step.

"For some of the other reasons that I did not list feel free to call me at my home 658-3338. I urge you to vote April 2. Thank you.

"Remember - the City belongs to you."

**Buddy Angle**

Candidate For Mayor

"As a candidate for Mayor of Knox City, I ask for the support of all those who are interested in a strong and stable city government. With past experience as both Councilman and Mayor of Knox City, I let my record stand on its own. There are many that do not understand the position of Mayor, some even feel that it is the Mayor who runs a town. In reality, a Mayor should strive to guide the City Council in a manner that benefits the entire community. A mayor does not even vote on issues unless there is a tie vote among council members. I feel that the strength of a small community should come from its elected city council, without any pressure from the Mayor.

"Many have asked about issues that concern me. Every aspect of Knox City government is of great concern to me; however I feel that there are a few items that need to be specifically addressed: Street lighting in the downtown area needs an improvement to serve those who are present in the area at night, more lights will also act as a crime prevention measure. Street paving, especially in residential areas needs to be upgraded in order to meet the needs of residents. Our law enforcement efforts need to be supported fully. An emphasis needs to be placed on retaining police officers here in our city instead of allowing our tax dollars to pay for the expensive training of those who stay for only a short time. I feel that the city council and Mayor need to be open to suggestions and ideas from the community. Council meetings should always be open to all those who have an interest in their city government.

Be sure to vote on Saturday, April 2. I appreciate your support and seek your votes for the office of Mayor. My name is last on the ballot forms, but I feel that it is first in your interest.

**H. Elmer Wall Jr.**

Candidate For City Council-2 yr. term

"I believe in maintaining an efficient city government which is responsive to the needs of the city and the will of the people."



**John Peysen**

Candidate For City Council One Year

"To help get a more organized work program instituted".

"To create a better atmosphere between the citizens and city government", and

"To improve the streets and water drainage and for a cleaner town."

**Elaine Lewis**

Candidate For City Council One Year

"In seeking election to the city council, my main goal is to represent all the citizens of Knox City. In the thirty-one years that I have lived in Knox City, I have had the opportunity to observe many that have served previously on the council. I have learned lessons from their past performance, some have been good examples to follow and have shown the need to have responsible individuals on our city council.

"As a mother and grandmother several times over, I have learned the lessons of responsibility that come with raising a family. Being a grandmother has made me aware of the need to have strong leadership now, so that our youth will be able to benefit in the future from our efforts.

"In business, I have had many years' experience in working with the customers of my Wichita Falls, Abilene and Dallas newspaper routes. It is my hope that the past experience I have gained in working with the many citizens of Knox City will enable me to serve them in the same manner as a member of the city council.

"I do not have a lot of complaints to make, and I do not intend to make promises about issues that I need to learn more about. My main thought about the city council is that its business should be conducted with good "common sense" judgment in the best interest of all the citizens.

"I welcome the opportunity to represent you as a member of our city government. I ask for your support and appreciate your help."

**Jimmy Tankersley**

Candidate For School Board

"To the voters in the Knox City-O'Brien Independent School District:

"In the upcoming School Trustee Election on April 2, I have filed for a position on the School Trustee Board. In seeking this elective position, I realize that there is not a great deal that needs improving in our excellent schools, but I would like to have the opportunity to serve as a school trustee to help maintain the fine school system that we now enjoy.

"Even though I have not previously served in this type of position, I feel that my background and experience as an independent businessman will be of great value to me as a member of our school board.

"I have had the privilege of attending our school, and it is with pride that my three children also attend the Knox City-O'Brien Schools. My responsibility as a parent directs my interest in the future of our school system. I feel that the educational needs of our children should always be the highest of our priorities.

"Your support and influence are appreciated; if elected I will try to make all decisions fair and impartially, in the best interest of both communities."

Please call the News office and report your company, your out-of-town visits, your parties or get together!

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**Roland Marion**

Candidate For School Board

"I have lived in Knox City all of my life and am self-employed at Marion Conoco Service Station. My wife's name is Sue and I have an eight year old son, Roger.

"I am currently president of the Greyhound Booster Club, member of the KC Fire Department, KC Emergency Medical Service and KC Jaycees.

"I do not believe in sitting back and being an observer. I believe in getting involved in community activities.

"I believe I can do a good job if elected to the school trustee position.

"If you would like to ask any questions about the way I would help guide the school system or if you would like to brag or complain about the way the school is being run now, call me Friday night, April 1, at home at 658-3294, (I never go to bed before 11:30 p.m.) and let's talk about it, or come by my place of business anytime."

**Mary Ann Boone**

Candidate For School Board

"I think the quality of education in the public schools and the opportunities available through this education is of great importance, not only to the youth of our community in our schools but also to their parents and all citizens of the community. Because of this, I believe the selection of school board members is very important. I would appreciate the opportunity to serve the Knox City and O'Brien communities in this capacity."

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**Bike-A-Thon Slated Here April 30**

Bike-a-thon chairman Rev. Dave Stone is asking Knox City residents to participate in the St. Jude Children's Research Hospital "Wheels for Life" Bike-a-thon to be held April 30 in Knox City.

Volunteer workers and riders are needed for the Bike-a-thon to raise funds for the world famous research center and its battle against childhood cancer and other catastrophic childhood diseases.

Rev. Stone said this year's ride is being dedicated to Terry, a leukemia patient at St. Jude. "By riding for Terry, we'll really be helping all stricken children since research is the only way these illnesses can be conquered," Rev. Stone said. "We're looking for people who will contribute some of their time and energy to help children live. We really need bike riders, since they are the

ones who can make this Bike-a-thon successful, but workers are also needed to help with registration, refreshments, and route safety."

In the bike-a-thon, riders enlist sponsors who donate a sum for each mile completed. Riders who raise \$25 will receive a St. Jude T-shirt, and those raising \$75 will receive a barrel tote bag. Local businesses are also being asked to donate prizes for the top riders.

"You can put your muscles to work for a child's life in this Bike-a-thon," Rev. Stone said. "We need every bike and every rider."

Interested persons can contact Rev. Dave Stone, 406 E. Main, (817) 658-3213.

St. Jude Hospital was founded by entertainer Danny Thomas, and operates primarily from public contributions.

**A Menagerie of Delight**  
Don't miss your chance to enjoy the delights of baby Llamas, Kangaroos, Anteaters and many more foreign and domestic animals during Westgate Mall's special presentation of Jett's Petting Zoo.  
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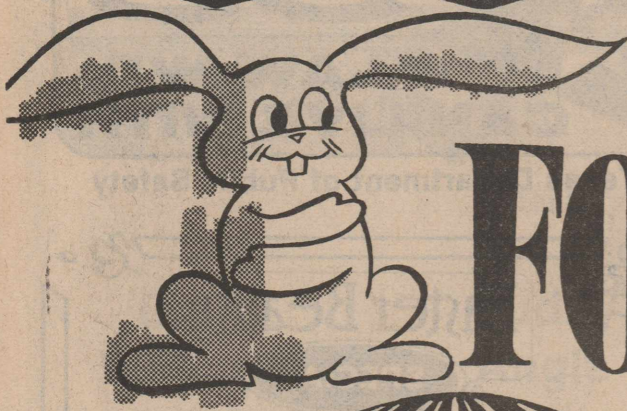
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**LITERARY WINNERS** -- Knox City High School students who won the right to advance to regional competition April 12-15 at McMurry College won events during the district contest held at Vernon Regional Junior College on March 25. Front row, from left, are Peggilee Wupperman, who will participate in typewriting and ready writing; Sarah Jones, editorial writing; and Becky Underwood, number sense. Back row, from left, are Nathan Staggs, number sense; Michael Rauch, feature writing; Karae Beason, shorthand; and Rick Wupperman, ready writing.

**In UIL Events**

## Students Advance To Regional Contest

Eight Knox City High School students advanced to regional competition during the District 10-A literary contest held March 23 at Vernon Regional Junior College.

Peggilee Wupperman was the only first place winner from KCHS in typewriting and will advance to the regional contest April 12 through 15 at McMurry College in Abilene. Other students advancing are Sarah Jones, second in editorial; Becky Underwood, second in number sense; Peggilee Wupperman, second in ready writing; Rick Wupperman, third in ready writing; Nathan Staggs, third in number sense; Michael Rauch, third in feature writing; Karae Beason, third in short-

hand; and Chris Whitaker, third in prose reading.

Additional placings for Knox City were Danny Balis, fifth and Karae Beason, sixth, headline writing; Steve Rutherford, fourth, informative speaking; Kristi Boone, fifth in prose reading; Sarah Jones, sixth, spelling; Wayne Hutchinson, fourth, typewriting; Karae Beason, fourth, ready writing; Sarah Jones, fourth, Rick Wupperman, fifth, and Becky Underwood, sixth, newswriting; Leah Boone, fourth, poetry interpretation; Toni Hewitt, fourth, shorthand; Greg Skiles and Nathan Staggs, fourth, and Sheri Evatt and Jenny Vasquez, fifth, debate.

Rule won the overall literary meet with 232 points while Knox City tied for second with Weinert, each posted 70 points. Crowell and

Harrold tied for third with 65 points each. Rochester finished sixth with 42, Benjamin was seventh with 25, Aspermont placed eighth with 15, Northside was ninth with 10 and Goree finished tenth with five points. Chillicothe, Goree and Paint Creek are also in District 10-A.

### Retired Teachers Hear About Novel

The Knox County Retired Teachers Association met in the Truscott Community Center on Tuesday, March 22, and enjoyed a program featuring the forthcoming novel, "Between the Wichitas." The communities of Truscott and Gilliland are outstanding in the history of Knox County and "Between the Wichitas" relates many interesting events in the development of these areas.

Virginia Casey, Margaret Todd, Vivien Brown, Gladys Meeks and Thelma Jamison served refreshments of finger sandwiches, cookies, relishes, coffee and tea.

The next meeting will be April 26 in the Munday Community Center under the direction of Penny Winchester. A style show will be presented by Mrs. Winchester's homemaking students.

## Beta Chi Chapter Meets In Haskell

The Beta Chi Chapter of Delta Kappa Gamma met Saturday, March 26, at 2:30 p.m. in the First Baptist Church in Haskell. Hostesses were members from Haskell, Rule and Weinert.

Some forty chapter members were present for the meeting. Attending from Knox City were Lois Smith, Margaret Siecke, Sudia Cash, Hazel Long, Mary Jo Lankford, Carolyn Sloan and Linda Bunton.

President Mary Jo Lankford reminded members that the next meeting will be a luncheon in the Aspermont Methodist Church basement on May 7 at 12:00 noon with Aspermont and Old Glory members as hostesses. For the Founder's Day and Beta Chi's birthday program, special speaker will be Mrs. Mary Rowlett. Special music will include a tribute to Delta

Kappa Gamma. Chapter members were asked to remember the upcoming state meeting in Beaumont and plan to attend if at all possible.

The president also announced that there is ample money for chapter scholarships and anyone desiring a scholarship should make application for one.

Donnie Fincher presented the chapter's Red Rose Salute to Mabel Derr of Weinert and Sudia Cash of Knox City.

Chapter members conducted a beautiful and impressive invitation ceremony for new members including Sherry Adams, honorary member from Haskell; Lee Barnett, honorary member, also from Haskell; Linda Bunton, active member from Knox City; and Shirley Sloan, active member from Rochester.

Mary Martin directed music for the initiation. Virginia Casey accompanied Carolyn Sloan who sang a special song.

Refreshments of congealed salads, crackers and coffee were served during social hour.

### Rixford-Wilson Are Wed March 26

Marge Rixford became the bride of Nathan Wilson Saturday, March 26, at eight o'clock in the evening in a ceremony at O'Brien Baptist Church. The Rev. Bill Trice, church pastor, officiated.

The bridegroom is the son of Mrs. Rilla Wilson of Abilene.

Providing traditional wedding music at the organ and piano were Sue Stephens and Linda Underwood.

Attending the couple were the bride's niece, Mrs. Lonny Richardson of Eagle Mountain Lake and Johnny Peysen of Knox City. Flower girl was Lindsey Richardson and ring bearer was Kelsey Richardson, nieces of the bride.

A reception was held in the dining hall of the church.

The bride is a retired nursing home administrator and licensed vocational nurse. The bridegroom is employed by "M" System Super Markets in Knox City, where the couple will reside.

### SAUSAGES ITALIANO

- 4 Italian sausages (hot or sweet)
- Water
- 1 tablespoon olive or vegetable oil
- 1 green pepper, cut in thin strips
- 1 medium onion, cut in 1/4-inch slices
- 1 clove garlic, minced
- 1 cup chicken broth
- 2 teaspoons cornstarch
- 1/4 cup dry white wine
- 2 to 3 cups hot cooked rice

In a medium skillet cover and cook sausages in a small amount of boiling water for 6 minutes. Pour off water. Add oil and saute gently until sausages begin to brown. Add green pepper, onion, and garlic to skillet. Cook, covered, about 10 minutes. Add chicken broth and cornstarch dissolved in wine. Cook, stirring, until clear and thickened—2 to 3 minutes. Serve over beds of fluffy rice. Makes 4 servings.

## Study Club Enjoys Texas

The Knox City Study Club met Thursday, March 24, in the Community Center. The Pledges of Allegiance to the United States Flag and to the Texas Flag were given in unison, led by Mrs. Wretha Fitzgerald.

Mrs. James Patterson sang "Have You Ever Been to Texas in the Spring?" Members joined her in singing "Texas, Our Texas" accompanied by Mrs. G.E. Wilson.

Mrs. Sammy White gave the program on "Historical Places and Things to See in Texas" including the San Jacinto Monument, the Alamo, the Texas State Capitol, the Governor's Mansion, the Astrodome, Lyndon B. Johnson Space Center, Astroworld, San Antonio Zoo and Aquarium, LBJ Ranch near Johnson City, Palo Duro Canyon, Six Flags Over Texas and the Texas Federated Woman's Club building.

Mrs. J.C. McGee, Mrs. Patterson and Mrs. L.E. Groves gave reports on the Mesquite District Annual Convention, TFWC which was held at the Kiva Inn in Abilene on March 16 and 17.

Mrs. A.P. Denton and Mrs. McGee served frosted drinks after the meeting. Those present in addition to those previously mentioned were Mes. Thomas Christ, president and Mrs. Ottis Cash.

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Pol. Adv. Pd. For Buddy Angle



## ENERGY SAVING WAYS

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Energy-conscious homemakers are looking at many ways to conserve energy and save money. Here are a few suggestions from Whirlpool home economists that can help you trim the cost of operating your automatic dryer:



- Avoid overdrying—overdrying wastes energy and can create static electricity and wrinkling as well as shrinkage of many cottons and knitted fabrics.
- Use your dryer's full capacity—energy is wasted when only one or two items are dried at a time.
- Don't overload—clothes dry more quickly if they can tumble freely.

### Nannie Hodges 90 Years 'Young'

Mrs. Woody (Nannie) Hodges celebrated her 90th birthday with a party in her honor held in the home of Dollie Feemster in Haskell on Wednesday, March 23.

Attending were Dollie Feemster, Ida Pack, Cornelia King, Mr. and Mrs. George Hodges, Dorothy Dykes, Patti, Brandon and Aaron Lewis and Cindy Feemster.

### County Library To Hold Story Hour

The City-County Library Story Hour will begin Thursday, April 7, in Munday and will be for pre-schoolers, ages four and five, from 10:00 until 10:30 a.m.

The story hour will consist of telling stories and seeing films and will be held each Thursday.

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## JOHN PEYSEN

CITY COUNCIL-ONE YEAR TERM

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**CHAMBER BANQUET  
(FROM PAGE ONE)**



**CHAMBER OFFICERS** -- Serving the Chamber of Commerce as officers for the coming year will be from left, David Albus, incoming president; Doris Crownover, secretary-manager; and Dick Evatt, vice-president, who is also outgoing Chamber president.

ground, to see what opportunities exist in the present and who can be helped by our efforts.

Outgoing president Dick Evatt presided over the banquet and introduced the 1983 incoming president David Albus. Other officers for the 1983 term include Evatt, vice-president; Doris Crownover, secretary-manager; and W.R. Baker, WTCC Director.

Presented as three year directors were Randy Abernathy, W.R. Baker and Joe Barnard. Two year directors are David Albus, David Counts and Jim Lynn while Dessie Egenbacher, Dick Evatt and Hob Smith were named one year directors.

Also introduced were Nathan Staggs, who will serve as senior representative and Charlie Vaden, junior representative.

Don Bunton, retiring director, and Tyke Meinzer, retiring youth director, were both presented plaques from the Chamber for serving.

The Jimmy Tankersley family provided a delightful variety of musical entertainment with vocal selections and accompanying themselves with their own instruments.

Ray O. Wright, minister of the Church of Christ, brought the invocation, and the Knox City-O'Brien Homemaking Department catered the delicious meal.

**FROM TYLER**

Mrs. John Muller, Annica and Ed arrived Monday night to spend several days with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Eddie Shaver.

Annica and Ed are on spring break this week.

**SERVICES OF THE  
CHURCH OF GOD  
IN CHRIST**

The Lord blessed us in the wonderful revival held at the Knox City Church last week. Elder Leon Ward, assistant overseer of the Abilene District preached powerful messages each night.

On Monday night, the message was "Throw the Monkey Out Doors", from Matthew 5:13,16, and on Tuesday night "It's Already Paid For", from Isaiah 55:1,7.

He preached from a portion of Genesis 6, "Come in the Lord's House, It's Going to Rain", on Thursday night, "By My Spirit Saith the Lord", from Numbers 14:22, and Zech. 4:6, and on Friday night from Rev. 7, "I Want to be in That Number".

A practice session was held at the Stamford Church on Saturday night for the district Sunshine Band and Purity Class children under the supervision of Sister Young and Sister Burnett. The young people are preparing to represent the Abilene District in the state convocation in Lubbock the last week in April, Lords Willing.

Sunday School had a good attendance with Supt. Manuel in charge.

Pastor Bennett preached during the morning service.

The Union Joint Meeting was held at the Goree Church on Sunday afternoon, and Elder Ward preached over there.

YPWW was the last service of the day here.

Elder Ward is preaching during a revival at the Goree Church this week.

**Auxiliary Okays Purchase**

Knox County Hospital Auxiliary members, in their regular monthly meeting last Monday night, heard Nancy Olsen of Advanced Medical Products of San Antonio describe the advantages of a fetal monitoring system.

The monitor, equipped with digital display of fetal heart rate and a two-channel, 3 cm/min pen-chart recorder, was described as the ideal

labor room monitor for hospitals where cost-effective operation and a dependable performance were paramount.

Auxiliary members voted to purchase a heart fetal monitor for the hospital but did not make a decision as to which model. Officials feel that they want something adequate but one that is not too heavily equipped for the use in the local hospital.

**Name Omitted**

Knox City High School Principal Don Fritsche has advised the News office that the name of Tyke Meinzer was inadvertently omitted from the honor roll printed in the March 17 issue.

Tyke is a senior student.

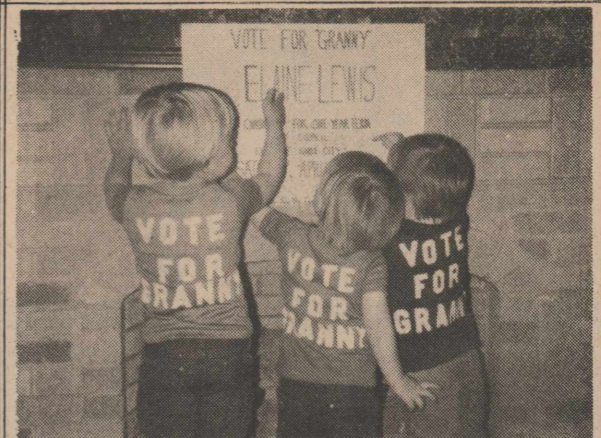
**Auxiliary Fund**

Memorials have been made to the Knox County Hospital Auxiliary's Heart Monitor Fund in memory of:

Sue Luttrall from Mrs. Olga Alvis, Mr. and Mrs. Neil Perdue, Mrs. George Mullino, Mrs. John Ben Glover, Mrs. Estelle Holcomb and Mrs. Kenneth Newberry.

**FROM KOPPERL**

Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Hodges, Guy and Eddie spent Sunday and Monday here with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Hodges.



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**Granddaughter Of  
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Judy Lynn Plunkett, granddaughter of Mrs. Q.C. Davis and daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Sammie Angle of Slaton, has been elected loan operations officer of Mercantile National Bank in Dallas.

Prior to her election, Mrs. Plunkett served as supervisor over research and quality control for loan operations at Mercantile, where she began her employment in 1970.

A 1966 graduate of Slaton High School, she and her husband Doyle reside in Dallas.

Mercantile Bank is the fifth largest bank in Texas with assets of approximately \$4.9 billion as of December 31, 1982.

Mr. and Mrs. Dean Homstad are the proud parents of a baby girl born Monday, March 21, at 12:20 a.m. in a Haskell hospital. The young miss has been named Amanda Jo and she weighed in at seven pounds, eight and one-half ounces. She measured 20 1/2 inches in length.

Helping welcome the baby home was big sister, Jo Dee, who is five years old.

Maternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. W.P. Curd Jr. of Knox City and Mr. and Mrs. Howard Homstad of Hallock, Minnesota, are paternal grandparents.

Great-grandparents are Mrs. Maggie Cagle of Knox City, Mrs. W.P. Curd Sr. of Haskell, and Mrs. Betty Kohl of Hallock, Minnesota.

**FROM NEBRASKA**

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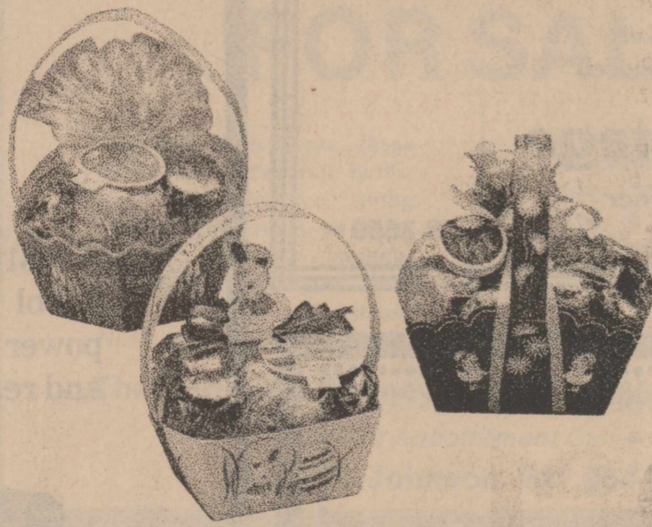
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**QUESTIONS & ANSWERS** SOCIAL SECURITY



**CRICKETT AND CHIGGER** - This pair of cuties will delight young and old alike with their clown antics Friday and Saturday during The Gift Cottage's grand opening. The Easter Bunny will be on hand Saturday with other clown characters available through Sharon Rutherford at The Gift Cottage.

**Q.** I have been collecting Social Security disability benefits for 9 years. In a few months, I'll be 65. Should I file an application for retirement benefits?

**A.** No. If you are receiving disability checks now, your disability benefits will automatically be changed to retirement benefits when you reach 65. You will get instructions when you reach 65 because your rights and responsibilities will be somewhat different than they are now.

**Q.** My mother recently underwent surgery. The doctor says she no longer needs medical care, so he's discharging her from the hospital next week. I think she should stay because she still needs help in getting in and out of bed and with walking. Wouldn't Medicare pay for this kind of care?

**A.** Care which is primarily for the purpose of meeting personal needs and could be provided by persons without professional skills or training—such as help in walking and getting in and out of bed—is considered custodial care. Medicare does not cover custodial care, even if the patient is in a hospital or skilled nursing facility or is receiving care from a home health agency.

**Q.** I recently received a statement of my earnings from Social Security, which I requested. It doesn't agree with the record I've kept of my earnings. What should I do?

**A.** Call, write, or visit any Social Security office right away. Give your Social Security number, the periods of employment involved, wages paid you in each period, and the employer's name and address. You also should include Forms W-2 or other proof of your wages, or if you're self-employed, copies of your tax returns for the years involved. A Social Security representative will help you to get any necessary correction in your earnings record.

**Q.** I applied for SSI payments several weeks ago. While I'm waiting to find out if I'm eligible, is there some place I can get some financial help?

**A.** Some States and local subdivisions make interim assistance payments to SSI claimants who are waiting for a decision on their eligibility for Federal payments. The State or local government can be reimbursed out of the beneficiary's first SSI check. For more information, contact your State or local public assistance office.

**Q.** My father has no income of his own and lives with me. He was 65 2 months ago. I think he may be eligible for SSI payments. If he is, will he get payments back to when he reached 65?

**A.** No. Under the SSI law, no payments can be made for months before a person applies. In addition, in the month of application, payment can only be made for that part of the month after the person applies. If your father thinks he is eligible for SSI, he should apply as soon as possible.

**Former Resident Has Heart Attack**

Former resident Sam Angle of Slaton suffered a heart attack last Thursday night while attending a lodge meeting in Slaton.

He was taken by ambulance to South Park Hospital in Lubbock and is a patient in ICU, where he is reported to be doing well.

Sam, who is retired from Santa Fe Railway, is married to the former Mary Vivian Davis and is a brother of Buddy Angle.

Sam's sister, Eloise Patton of Killeen, and his niece, Katrine Hudson of Benjamin were in Lubbock over the weekend to be with him.

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**Sunrise Service To Be At League Ranch**

The annual Sunrise Easter Service sponsored by all of the Benjamin churches will be held Sunday morning at the League Ranch north of the lake. As is the usual custom, breakfast will be at 6:30, followed by the worship service at 7:30 a.m. For those attending the service from Knox City, after going north on Highway 6 past the river bridge, the turn off to the right will be at the second cattle guard, a spokesman said. The site of the service is approximately three and one-half mile from the highway turnoff, which is about three and one-half miles south of Benjamin.



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## News Notes from the Brazos Valley Care Home

By Rena

National Nursing Home week for 1983 will begin May 8. Mother's Day seems to be the traditional time to observe a week of special activities around the nursing home. The primary focal point of National Nursing Home Week is the nursing home residents. The theme for this year is "Memories Were Made To Share".

Most people don't realize the vitality of many of our residents. Most of our residents want to stay in touch with friends and neighbors and to share the good memories they have stored up throughout their busy, productive lives.

Elsie Pierson and Linda Pierson taught craft Monday, March 21. They are still working on crosses for the Easter Holidays. There were 17 present for craft class.

June Tankersley played the piano for Rhythm Band March 22. There were 27 present for band.

Ladies from First Baptist Church of Rochester had a Sing-A-Long March 23 for the Care Home. There were several volunteers from the church and 30 residents involved in the Sing-A-Long. Everyone enjoyed having the ladies and singing with them.

Ladies of O'Brien Baptist Church gave the Birthday Party of the month March 23. Those having birthdays were Ruth Harden, Ruth Papworth and Opal Dennington. Bro. Bill Trice's grandchildren sang several songs which was enjoyed very much. Cake and punch was served to 53 residents.

The Mid-Week Prayer group was in charge of prayer meeting March 24. There were 35 present. Jimmy Rogers brought the message. Pauline Myers played the piano. It was a much needed service for everyone.

Romain Stubbs taught craft class March 24. There were 17 present. Romain taught the class to make Easter baskets and after they were finished they were filled with jelly beans, cute as could be.

Elsie Smith, Administrator Doyle Graham's sister, L.W. Graham and Edna Dennington visited the Care Home March 24 and Elsie played the piano for a sing-a-long, she also played for Doyle to sing a couple of solos for his dad.

Dave and Nancy Stone were in charge of exercise class March 25. There were 29 present for exercise. They all enjoy having the Stones help them with their exercises.

Ozelle Stephens taught Sunday School March 27. Peggy Guinn played the piano. There were 21 present.

The First Baptist Church of Benjamin was in charge of church services March 27 with Darrel Brown bringing the message. Dutch Benson led the singing and Linda Griffith played the piano. There were 35 present.

Durwood Qualls, Elsie

Smith, L.W. Graham and Ray O. Wright visited Clyde Jones and Januella Strickland.

June Tankersley and Mamie Emerson visited Vida Williamson.

Edrie Barnard and Dora and Oleta visited Mattie Daniels.

Zena and George Wall, Robert, Judi, Shelly and Sherri Wall and Anne and Tom Matlock of Fredrick, Oklahoma, visited Allene Wall.

Betty Aldridge and Ray O. Wright visited Weeper Aldridge.

Alma Swearingen visited Dicie Singleton and Esther Bradford.

Willie Mae Banner, L.J. Snelson, Mrs. Thomas, Ronnie White family and Marvin and Barbara Jones visited Ben Snelson.

Mildred Gates, Willie Mae Banner, Joe Marion, Auta Marion and Marvin and Dean Stiert visited Elzie Marion.

Alma Swearingen visited Lillie and Opal Dennington.

Shirley and Ruth Moore and Irene New visited Mattie Bullion and Angie Brockett.

Z.I. and Mary Beth Smith visited Kelton Smith.

Wayne Clark and Ramona Helms visited Hazel and Waynell Clark.

B.F. LaDuke, L.L. LaDuke, Willie Mae Banner, Jean Barnard, J.W. LaDuke, Lewis Kay and Ray O. Wright visited Zollie Thomas.

Janie Wilkinson, Jean White, Maurita Clark, Ray O. Wright and Lena McGee visited Corinne Gist.

Bill and Ruby Oden and son of Hinton, Oklahoma, Jimmy and Joshua Quintana and son, J.J., Sam Lusk, Betty Aldridge, Dewey and Marie Darr, Jewell Matura, Polly Marion, Bro. Wright, Gentry Day, Pepte Edge, Pearl Gage, Lorena Burnison, Willie Mae Banner, Earlene Meinzer, Loreta Albus, Nola Covey, Bessie King and Jimmy Rogers visited Mae Flowers.

Jo Strickland and Allene Wall visited Cliff Elliott.

Bessie King visited Minnie Robertson.

Eugene and Flo Hall, Temple and Earl Alvis, Jim Alvis and Ray Wright visited Nena Alvis.

L.W. Graham, Mrs. Bedford Smith, Edna Dennington and Ray O. Wright visited Tom Ed Osborn.

Dean Johnston and Ruth Dozier visited Eda Faye Pounds.

Ben LaDuke and Irene LaDuke both of Vernon, Mouse LaDuke of Olton and Mildred LaDuke visited Mamie Benton.

Ray O. Wright visited Lena Dabney.

Pearl Gage, K.E. and Oliver Wooley, Earlene Meinzer, Oleta Welch and Maudie, Bro. Darrell Brown and Charles and Linda Griffith visited Bessie Russell.

Beatrice Ellis, Loreta Johnston, Bessie King, Carol and Zoanne Felts, Mildred

## Harper Rites Are Held In Plainview

Funeral services for Henry M. Harper of Plainview, stepfather of former Knox City resident Bill R. Smith of Munday, were held Monday afternoon, March 21, at two o'clock in Wood-Dunning Funeral Home with Dr. R.L. Kirk, pastor of the First United Methodist Church, officiating. Burial was in Plainview Memorial Park.

Mr. Harper, 93, died Thursday, March 17, in Central Plains Regional Hospital after a brief illness.

Born January 21, 1890, in Lamar, Barton County, Missouri, he moved as a young child with his parents to Indian Territory in Oklahoma and later to Wellington where he was reared.

He then moved to South Plains in Floyd County and operated a large sheep ranch. Later, he moved to Hale County, east of Plainview where he raised cattle, sheep and hogs. Mr. Harper then bought a farm eight miles northwest of Plainview on the Edmonson highway and raised cattle and farmed. He moved to Plainview in 1975.

Mr. Harper and Prudence Sneathen Smith were married September 1, 1931, in Clovis, New Mexico. He was a member of the First United Methodist Church.

Survivors include his wife; a daughter, Mrs. Lee Halman of Whittier, California; a stepdaughter, Maxine Smith Steddum of Wilmington, California; a stepson, Bill R. Smith of Munday, two grandchildren and four great-grandchildren.

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## Tax Relief Package Gets Good Response

(Austin) In an effort to lower taxes for low and middle-income families and to help solve school finance problems, State Representative Steve Carriker, along with twenty other representatives, unveiled what has been called "the best idea heard about in Austin"; the Residential Tax Relief Package also known as "Proposition Zero."

"Proposition Zero" is a major tax-reform proposal calling for the replacement of school taxes on homes and personal cars and pickups with a statewide one-cent increase in the sales tax. Taxes levied by counties and cities would not be affected.

School districts across the state are being forced to raise taxes to meet growing costs while facing rollback elections which could devastate the school systems. Under the present plan school districts receive about 930,000,000 from residential and auto taxes. If the voters approve

"Proposition Zero" by constitutional amendment, then school districts would have much to gain. Preliminary estimates indicate that the sales tax would generate over 200 million dollars more than the residential and auto tax currently brings in. This would allow local school districts the opportunity to reduce taxes on other property. The revenue from the one-cent sales tax would be distributed to school districts in an equal amount per student based on Average Daily Attendance.

Commenting on the proposal Carriker said "homeowners are suffering an unfair burden in school taxes while school districts are facing rollback elections and it is time for us to give average taxpayers a break." When asked if the change would hurt low and middle income families, Carriker said "school property taxes are more costly to poor folks

and middle class families than a one-cent sales tax. In reality low and middle income families will pay hundreds of dollars less per year under this system because of sales tax exemptions for food, rent, house payments, and medicine.

When asked about chances of passing the "Proposition Zero" package, Carriker said that such a major change of policy will only be adopted if the people are behind it. "We have been getting a very positive response from all around the state and I'm very encouraged" he concluded.

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This \$1.00 admission ticket will pay your way to a first hand look at local models as they show spring and summer fashions from local area merchants.

This \$1.00 admission ticket will also represent a chance to win one of several door prizes to be given away. Some of the door prizes are a silk flower arrangement donated by Knox City Florist, a beautiful wooden bun warmer donated by The Art Stall and Frame Shop, a gold belt buckle donated by Lane Apparel of Haskell and an electric ice cream freezer donated by Jack Maddox.

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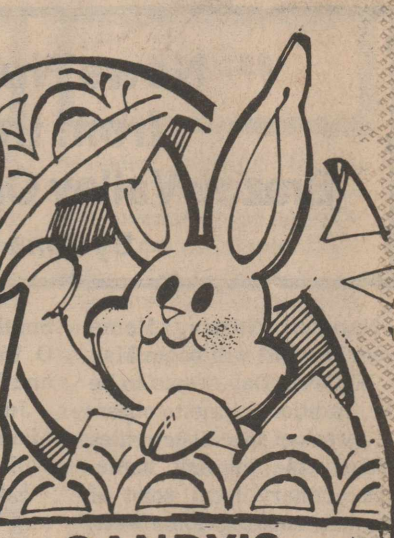
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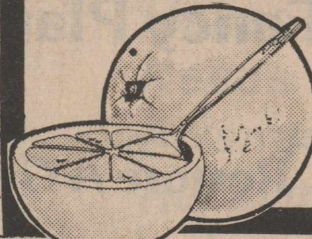
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