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Shootin' Straight

By Dave Thompson

The Movies

(Note: I do not claim to be a movie critic, and this is not a movie review column, but I just wanted to pass on some good information to the readers.)

Well, I finally did it! After listening to and reading the media advertisement for almost a month about the latest Star Wars movie, I took off Sunday afternoon and went to see the movie.

Considering myself a Star Wars "Veteran" after seeing the first two movies in the series, I fortified myself with lots of popcorn and a large soft drink to make it through the latest in the adventures of Luke Skywalker, Hans Solo, Princess Leia and Darth Vader.

As the movie started, it was very evident that this movie was vastly different than the first two. The movie starts off with some familiar robots walking up to a large steel door in the middle of the desert. Now I am not going to let you know the plot in case you still haven't seen the show yourself, but shortly after the opening scenes with the Android and R2D2 a brand new character is introduced in the form of Jabba The Hut. If you are thinking that is a strange name, just wait until you see him (?) for yourself!

The designers in Hollywood really worked overtime on "Return Of The Jedi," this Star Wars sequel is by far the best of the three and possibly the best and most entertaining movie that I have seen in quite some time!

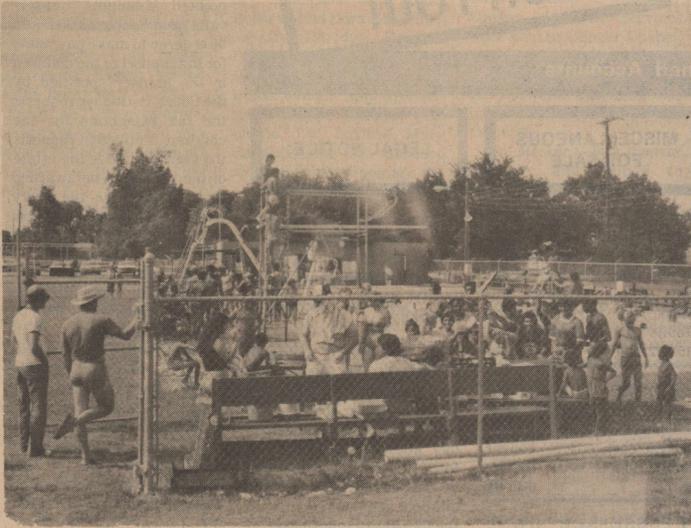
Along with a return of all the regular characters, this show features a host of new and exciting "space people" to thoroughly entertain even the toughest of skeptics. There are big ugly "people," little short furry "people" and creatures with snouts like a wild boar. There are creatures that have a wicked laugh, a "man" with a horn that grows from the side of his head and wraps around his neck and head like a tail would-and he has the weirdest red eyes! Some of the new faces are horrendous, some are really UGLY and some will make you laugh with fond affection!

The movie itself is packed full of special effects, outer space gimmicks, gadgets and spaceships. The flying scenes and battle scenes are truly a state of the art. I would probably have to use a computer to figure out the amount of hours that must have gone into the production of this movie. It is evident that no expense was spared to make this a show designed to please the fans.

"Return Of The Jedi" is one of very few movies that I can recall recently that is appealing to those of all ages. So many of the new movies are not ones that parents would feel comfortable taking their children to. Not so with this show, it is a first class family movie. In taking note of those who were at the same show that we attended, the majority of the audience was comprised of families. Parents and children alike really enjoyed the show, the comments in the lobby after the movie were all very positive.

If you happen to be sitting around the house some evening or weekend with nothing to do, I would highly recommend taking the time to see this show!

Just one clue about the story before I close for this week: ever seen a movie where the bad guy wanted to be good but couldn't - that is, until his family helps him! More SHOOTIN STRAIGHT next week.



THE SOUTH END of the Knox City Swimming Pool area suddenly became busy as the Jaycees started to hand out the first batch of 300 hot dogs. As seen in this photo, the pool was a popular place to be on splash day.

Splash Day Beats Heat

As Knox City Fourth of July temperatures rose to a blistering 103 degrees, more than three hundred residents took advantage of the Jaycees' free Splash Day at the city swimming pool.

Termed by those present as an overwhelming success, the free swimming seemed to be a very welcome way to beat the holiday heat. Pool manager Brenda Correll stated that her busiest day at the pool so far this year has been with just over 100 swimmers on a Saturday. The Splash Day crowd of over 300 swimmers sets a record going back many years. A large portion of the crowd on hand might have been attracted to the pool by listening to the radio as FM station KVRP in Haskell donated a lot of air time to advertise the event.

Along with the free swimming for the day, several members of the Knox City Jaycee Chapter were on hand at the pool during the afternoon to cook and serve up a total of three hundred hot dogs. Rob Harrison, Tommy Mangis and Dave Thompson took care of hot dog duties while Bill Groves, Ronnie Oliver, Richard Ferguson and Dale Bloxham helped out in the concession stand area. Jaycee wives Michelle Oliver, Dorethy Harrison and Stacy Thompson also helped out during the day.

Others helping to make the day a success were the pool manager Brenda Correll and her lifeguards Brian Correll and Missy Walaski. Spectator Sue Marion volunteered her time and was a big help in serving the hot dogs.

Another probable record was set during the cooking of the hot dogs. It took only seventy minutes to cook, serve and devour the three hundred free hot dogs. As the serving of the food was announced, the pool seemed to empty as the crowd moved toward the south end of the pool area where the Jaycees had their bar-b-que grill set up. Those working at serving the food worked at a very fast pace, matched only by the faster pace of those eating the hot dogs!

With the Jaycees being a community service organization, events like this that benefit the community are sure to continue. Several Jaycee members have indicated that they would like the free Splash Day to become an annual event for Knox City. The next Jaycee sponsored event will be the Country Music Opry to be held at the high school auditorium on Saturday, July 16, at 7:30 p.m.

Weather

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6-28	66	86	1.18
6-29	62	94	
6-30	68	99	
7-1	76	101	
7-2	75	102	
7-3	77	103	
7-4	77	103	



WITH A WET TOWEL shielding against the hot sun, Jaycee Rob Harrison has the cooking duties while Jaycee Tommy Mangis appears to be coaching the crew to work a little faster to prepare the free hot dogs as the pool July 4 splash day crowd gathers around.

Opry Ticket Sales Increasing Rapidly

show halftime to raise additional funds.

A new feature this year will be four separate cash drawings that will be held during the show. All ticket holders will be eligible for the drawings by just signing their names to the back of the ticket and dropping the stub in a box as they enter the auditorium. At four different

With the Opry just a little over a week away, the Jaycees urge those wishing to attend to purchase their tickets as soon as possible. All tickets are general admission and are \$8.00 each in advance and \$9.00 each at the door on the night of the show.

Tickets are still available from any of the Jaycees, from Evelyn Balis and Oscar Mangis at the County Courthouse in Benjamin, at Bob's Super Save and at the Knox County News office.

With many of the same entertainers who performed at last year's Opry, the show will also feature some new faces to the Knox City Opry scene. On hand for an evening of fun and excellent, top quality country music will be The Maines Brothers from Lubbock, gospel singer Jim Fullingim from Petersburg, Singer, dancer and fiddler Cecil Caldwell from Lubbock, country trumpet player Tommy Anderson from Lubbock, singer Jerry Brownlow from Lubbock, fiddle player Richard Bowden from Lubbock. The Angle Sisters, and nine year old singer Clay Hewitt from Lubbock. Once again, Knox City's Dave Thompson will be the Master of Ceremonies for the Opry.

Sponsored by the Knox City Jaycees and the Knox City Senior Citizens Center, the Opry will be a fund raiser to gather money for both organizations. As in last year's show, there will be an auction of baked goods at the

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The News office was notified this week that T-Ball for youngsters ages six, seven and eight will begin next week and will be played on Monday and Thursday nights beginning at 6:30 p.m.

According to Dennis Grossman, one of the coaches, anyone interested may participate.



BENJAMIN CHEERLEADERS -- Four members of the Benjamin High School cheerleading squad attended the National Cheerleaders Association camp last week at Tarleton State University in Stephenville. Representing Benjamin were bottom row, left to right, Beverly Tolson, Debbie Bufkin and Stacia Ryder and top row, Sue Gideon. Several hundred cheerleaders participated in the camp. (TSU Photo)

Doan, Wright Win Annual Tournament

Sixty-four teams entered the annual Low-Ball Partnership Tournament, July 2 and 3 at the Knox City Country Club.

The team of Doan and Wright won first in the championship flight followed by Zeissel and Snyder, second; Bufkin and Nuckols, third; and Towery and Reeves, fourth.

In the first flight, winners were Del Hierro and Garcia, first; Weldon Skiles and Donnie Skiles, second; Sosa and Gonzales, third; Roughton and Everett, fourth.

In the second flight, Wilson and Davis were first, Beneavides and Wagner, second and a tie for third and fourth places were the teams of Goodwin and Jowery and Carr and Duncan.

The third flight saw Bell and Jones, first; Myers and Bomer, second; Markey and Markey, third and Kelly Robinson and Bobby Robinson, fourth.

Yell and Taylor were first in the fourth flight with Grady Staggs and Larry Staggs, second; Bruton and Richmond, third; and Abbott and Abbott, fourth.

In the fifth flight, it was Frierson and Moore, first; Abbott and Lawrence, second; Beneavides and Beneavides, third; and Seay and Chandler, fourth.

During the tournament, Joe Sosa hit a hole-in-one on the 186-yard No. 14 at the Country Club.

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New Loan Officer At Citizens State Bank

The Citizens State Bank of Knox City recently expanded personal in the loan department with the hiring of a new Loan Officer at the bank.

The new face visible to those conducting banking & loan business is that of Larry Don Welch, the new Loan Officer.

While being new at the Citizens State Bank, Larry is no stranger to the Knox County area. He is a native of Munday, having graduated from Munday High School in 1979. From 1979 through 1983, Larry has been a student at Panhandle State University in Goodwell, Oklahoma.

With a college major in Agri-business, Welch will feel right at home working the banking business in the farm areas of Knox County.

A distinguished college football linebacker, Welch received many honors while playing from 1979 through 1983 at Panhandle State University. In 1980 and 1981, he was a member of the NAIA All American Team, an Honorable All Conference Team member in 1980, a First Team All Conference member in 1981 and a Second Team All Conference member in 1982. He was also a member of the Oklahoma Varsity Lettermen Club ("O Club") during his four years of



LARRY WELCH
...assumes duties

college. With two different professional football teams wanting his skills on the gridiron, Larry instead chose the business community for a career field.

Currently receiving on the job training from Bank President Clint Norman, Larry will shortly assume his full duties as a Loan Officer.

Larry is married, he and his wife have recently moved to Knox City and reside on South Fifth Street. He is the son of Shirley and Don Welch of Munday.



BRIAN CORRELL
...alert lifeguard

Lifeguard, Spectators Make Rescue

Thanks to the alertness of a lifeguard and several spectators, a near tragedy was recently avoided at the Knox City Swimming Pool.

The rescue of a woman swimmer occurred during a private family reunion swimming party held at the pool on Saturday evening, July 2. Pool lifeguard Brian Correll was observing those present when he noticed a woman going off the slide in the middle portion of the pool.

With her eyes closed, the woman went down the slide and entered the water. After she entered the pool, several youngsters swimming in the area were splashing her as all seemed to be having fun. The woman did not know how to swim and started to back away from those who were splashing her. Still keeping her eyes closed, she backed off into the deep end of the pool.

The woman later admitted to pool manager Brenda Correll that she panicked after she knew that she was in deep water. Brenda's son Brian, a lifeguard at the pool, saw the woman entering the deep water but didn't know for sure if she were playing around or not. When Brenda observed the woman, she yelled to Brian and he immediately went into the water and towards the woman. Several other members of the family reunion party also saw the woman struggling and went in to help out. Brian reached the woman about the same time as did several of those helping. She was then helped to the side of the pool and out of the water.

The quick action of several people helped to keep this family reunion a happy one. Lifeguard Brian stressed that he was thankful to those who assisted. The happy ending is one that was welcomed by all.

Brian, who is 14 years old, is employed for the summer as a lifeguard at the pool. He has previously attended a lifesaving course.

SS Representative To Visit July 13

A representative of the Vernon Social Security Office will be in Knox City Wednesday, July 13, at the Knox County Aging Services from 1:00 until 2:30 p.m.

The representative will be on hand to assist persons in filing an application for Social Security Retirement.

Firemen Busy With Local, Area Calls

By KEN LAWSON
Fire Dept. Reporter

Firemen have been busy again this week with Mother Nature and fireworks being the cause of most of the calls. On Monday, June 27, at 5:13 p.m. we were called to Mrs. C.A. Barnard's residence at 204 South Second Street to extinguish a fire caused by lightning. Damage was to the phone and cable lines entering the house. Two trucks and 13 firemen responded to this call.

On June 30 at 4:10 p.m., firemen were called to the old McFaddin Ranch Road, nine miles west of Knox city to a pasture fire that was close to oil wells and tanks. Two trucks and five firemen responded to this call.

Then everything went wild. At 10:15 p.m. on July 2 which started a series of four calls within 14 hours, all were fireworks related. At 10:15 p.m., we were called to O'Brien to a grass fire across from the Baptist Church. O'Brien firemen had this one out on our arrival. The next call came in 25 minutes later at 10:40 p.m. to the alley behind the Lee Carothers home. Two trucks and 12 firemen made this call. On July 3 at 12:10 p.m, firemen were called to the lot north of Large's Garage to a grass fire. One truck and seven firemen had no trouble with this one. Then on July 3 at 12:35 p.m., 25 minutes after the last call, we were summoned to Benjamin to a reported house fire at the Leaverton residence where we found a large shed on fire. Benjamin firemen were already on the scene. One truck and approximately 13 firemen were on this call. All

of the last four fires were blamed on fireworks, according to Roland Marion, the Knox City fire marshal. Youngsters and sometimes oldsters get a kick out of fireworks, but they should be adult supervised at all times.

Selma Word gave the fire department a nice donation last week and folks, we appreciate this and it is very vital in our efforts to upgrade the need of the KCFD. The City provides all the basic needs but there are little things like smoke ejectors, bolt cutters, extension cords, small engine powered pumps, and accessories to the fire station that are either donated or cash given toward the purchase, and we really appreciate this.

Band Boosters To Meet Monday

Members of the Knox City Band Boosters will meet Monday, July 11, at 7:30 p.m. in the home of Glenna Benson, 109 Avenue H.

Officers elected at the close of last year's school term are president, Mrs. Benson; vice-president, Beth Staggs; secretary-treasurer, Annette Evatt, and chairman of calendar sales, Toby Whisenhant.

Items of business to be discussed will be events scheduled throughout the year and the upcoming calendar sales which will begin on August 1.

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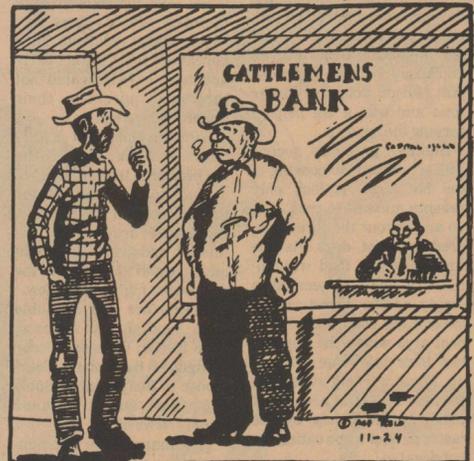
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Words are inadequate to express our appreciation for the many kindnesses extended to Numan during his illness and to the family following his death.

The beautiful flowers, cards, and memorials are deeply appreciated, as were the ladies who prepared and served food.

A special thanks also to Dr. Thompson and Dr. Neufeld, and to the clinic and hospital staffs for their loving concern.

May God bless each of you.
The Family of Numan Bishop
7-7 1tp

CARD OF THANKS

The management of Perry's wishes to publically thank Leon and Eloise Watson, George and Mozelle Hodges and Sue Marion for their help in moving merchandise out of the water. Their efforts saved us having a large loss of merchandise. Thanks!
7-7 1tp

CARD OF THANKS

Our sincere thanks and appreciation to the Benjamin and Knox City fire departments for their effort in trying to contain the fire that destroyed a shed and storage building Sunday.

Due to your effort, fortunately, our house was not damaged.

Thank you again.
Lou Leaverton
Jerry & Family
Bert & Family
7-7 1tp

CARD OF THANKS

We would like to express our thanks and appreciation to our family and friends for prayers, visits, cards, food and flowers during Mae's recent surgery.

Pete and Mae Edge
7-7 1tp

NOTE OF APPRECIATION

We would like to thank the Jaycees for providing the free swimming and hot dogs at City Park Monday. It made the Fourth of July very special for Cyndy and other youngsters. They all enjoyed it thoroughly.

We really appreciate the young men who are thinking and doing for others. Thanks again.

Judy Feemster
7-7 1tp

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PIERSON GUESTS

Visiting the A.A. and Ken Pierson families over the weekend were Audrey's sister, Eudice Nichols of Nevada, Texas, his nieces, Clova Wood and daughters Christy and Lisa of Garland, and Lavonda Nugent and sons Dusty and Daniel of Plano.

They reported a great visit and good time together and enjoyed homemade ice cream.

IN FORT WORTH

Rev. and Mrs. John Gillispie and Kim were in Fort Worth last week where he attended the pastors' conference at Southwestern Seminary Monday through Friday.

O'Brien Happenings

By AUDIE JOHNSTON

"Women - The trouble with being a woman these days is that you have got to look like a girl, dress like a boy, think like a man and work like a dog." (Wise and Otherwise) HERE AND THERE

Visiting Irby and Johnnie Carlisle over the weekend were their son Joe Dean and wife Carolyn and son Kirk of Bryan; Linda, Robyn and Amanda Reed of Anton and Jason Gradner of Montgomery, Alabama.

Mr. and Mrs. John McAda and boys Shane, Dennis and Nathaniel of Fort Riley, Kansas; and Kenneth and Rose Marie Johnston of Conroe are visiting Mr. and Mrs. C.B. Banner.

Juanita Heimerman of Lubbock spent Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Draper.

Mr. and Mrs. Butch Stephens and children and Janoma Stephens of Plainview attended a family reunion in Melrose, New Mexico, and spent a few days in Ruidoso, New Mexico, over the weekend.

Donnie, Diane and Trish Roberts were in Amarillo last week and visited Donnie's brother, Ken Roberts, Gaye and son. They all attended the show "Texas" near Canyon.

Mr. and Mrs. Bobby Cox and family of Fort Worth, Jackie Cox and family of Lubbock spent the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. A.A. Cox.

Mrs. Fannie Cameron and Billie Ruth of Cedar Springs have been vacationing and sight seeing in California, Las Vegas and parts of Colorado.

Marti and Casey Carrollton of Lawn spent several days last week with their grandparents, Rev. Bill Trice, Evelyn and Ruthie. They returned them to their home Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ranzy Herring visited Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Hines in Munday and Mr. and Mrs. Kevin Urbanczyk and Jr. in Goree over the weekend. Jr. spent Saturday night with them.

Visiting Mr. and Mrs. J.D. Hollis over the holidays were their son, Jimmy, Wynette, Holly and Robbie, all of Richardson and Hazel Tankersley of Knox City.

The children of Ernest O'Neal and the late Ruby O'Neal enjoyed an O'Neal family reunion at the KC Park over the weekend. Those attending were Peggy Tabor of Austin; Karen Tabor and Aaron of Fayetteville, Arkansas; Vanessa Tabor and Griffin of Dallas; Doris, Joe and Michelle Barnard and Mike and Lissa Newling and Michael Gabriel and Chris, all of Boron, California; Jean, Dwayne and Jeannine Johnston and

Debbie, Coty and Tony Ivey, all of Lubbock; Buddy, Ann and Benita Williams, Renee Burch and Denton Burch, Kyla Williams and Buddy Williams Jr. of Imperial, California and Bobby, Regina, Traci and Scott O'Neal of Rochester. They also celebrated Ernest's 80th birthday.

Ross Walsworth of Albany visited Mr. and Mrs. C.B. Banner and family Sunday afternoon.

James, Pearce, Cody and Christie Manning and Pearce's two brothers, Butch and John Holland and families of Hamlin enjoyed the Fourth of July weekend at Lake Stamford.

Ronnie, Nelda, Cody, Casey and Kevin Lusk of Shallowater visited Mr. and Mrs. John Covey Monday. Cody and Casey remained for a visit.

"Heart Trouble - Two things are bad for the heart; running upstairs and running down people." (Bernard Bavick)

IN SMITH HOME

Fourth of July weekend visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. John A. Smith were their daughters and their families, Mr. and Mrs. Haby Schoonmaker, Steve and Scott and a friend, Curtis Lee, all of Carrollton and Mr. and Mrs. Bert Leaverton, Bill and Lee of Whiteface.

FROM DENTON

Mr. and Mrs. Brack Shaver, Braxton and Nolan of Denton were Fourth of July weekend visitors in the home of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Eddie Shaver.

IN AMARILLO

Mrs. John Gillispie and Kim are in Amarillo this week visiting their daughter and sister and her family, Mr. and Mrs. Sam Jones and Shaun.



HORSE SHOW WINNERS - Winners in the District III Horse Show held in Vernon recently were these youngsters from Knox City. Back row, from left, Kristi Boone, J. Emerson and Leah Boone and front row, Justin Emerson. (4-H Photo)

District III Horse Show Results Told

Five Knox County youths were among the 160 4-H horsemen who competed in the District III 4-H Qualifying Horse Show held at the Wilbarger County 4-H Arena in Vernon June 17-18.

Three of the five were among the top twenty contestants who will represent District III at the Texas State 4-H Horse Show later this month.

In addition, four Knox County youths participated in the invitational section of the District III Horse Show, competing in the roping events.

Knox County 4-H horsemen named to the top twenty from District III were Shawn Cude of Goree and Kristi and Leah Boone of Knox City. J. Emerson of Knox City will serve as an alternate. Justin Emerson of Knox City, riding his dun gelding Buck, also represented Knox County at the district qualifying show.

Shawn, son of Mr. and Mrs. Bob Cude, rode his blue roan gelding, Dr. Mito, to third in stakes, fifth in poles and sixth in barrels.

Kristi, whose parents are Mr. and Mrs. Joe Boone, rode

her bay gelding, John's Choir, to third place in poles, seventh place in stakes and eighth in barrels to earn her trip to the state show.

Leah, showing her paint mare, An Apache Beauty, placed third in western horsemanship and eighth in showmanship to qualify her for state competition. Leah is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Boone.

J. Emerson and his grulla gelding, Blue Ringo, took fourth place in poles and ninth place in stakes to qualify as an alternate to the state show. J. and Justin are the sons of Mr. and Mrs. J.M. Emerson.

Knox County was well-represented in the roping events, also. Shawn Cude and Todd Thompson of Munday teamed up to take second place in the steer roping, while Todd also placed third in the judged tie-down roping. Tyler Thompson and J. Emerson also competed for Knox County in the roping events.

Todd and Tyler are the sons of Mr. and Mrs. Larry Thompson.

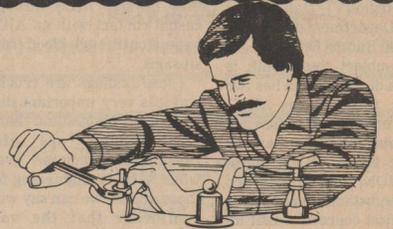
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times during the show, different members of the audience will be asked to draw a ticket from the box and announce the four winners of the cash to be given away.

The show is sure to be enjoyable to all; with the best in country western music and the air conditioned comfort of the Knox City High School Auditorium, everyone attending is sure to enjoy an evening that doesn't happen too often in a smaller community like Knox City.

By purchasing a ticket to this night of talent, you will be helping both the Senior Citizens Center and the Jaycees. Supporting the show is helping your community because both the organizations that are sponsoring the show put the money raised at fund raisers like this right back into Knox City. The Senior Citizens Center utilizes their funds to help out other senior citizens, and the Jaycees put their funds in different community services projects that benefit many.

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Rex Allen Gains Lifetime Membership

Rex Allen, Arizona's Cowboy known throughout the nation for his films and narration of Disney Specials, was awarded a lifetime membership in the "Old Timers Association of the Texas Cowboy Reunion."

Allen was Parade Marshal for the Texas Cowboy Reunion last Friday.

He is the second movie star to receive this lifetime membership. The first was Will Rogers whose last public appearance was at the Texas Cowboy Reunion.

Allen stated that he appreciates the lifetime membership to the Association. He considers it an honor to be included in this historic society. The Texas Cowboy and his descendants were known for their neighbor helping neighbor philosophy. Allen was carrying out this philosophy by attending the Stamford Art Foundation Dinner and Art Show which is a benefit for the West Texas Rehabilitation Center.

Roy Lambert, president of the Old Timers Association, said that Rex Allen has always exemplified the type of man that every westerner strives for his son to be.

SERVICES OF THE CHURCH OF GOD IN CHRIST

The Lord blessed during the three nights meeting held at the Knox City Church last week.

Sister Manuel sponsored the three nights pastor's aid program.

Monday night was musical night with different churches participating.

Minister George Washington Jr. preached on Tuesday night from a portion of Matthew 5 the first few verses a great message and on Wednesday night Elder George Blue preached a great message also from St. John 1:1.

Missionary Nettie M. Ward sponsored a two night meeting at the Rule Church last week.

Minister Clovis Dever preached in Rule on Thursday night from Psalms 23, "Confidence in God's Grace."

Some of the members from the Knox City Church attended the revival held in Seymour last week. Evangelist Charles Tanner of Lubbock preached mightily during that revival.

A practice session was held at the Stamford Church on Saturday evening for the Abilene District Sunshine Band and Purity Class young people. They are preparing to represent the district in the state convocation in Lubbock during the month of July, Lord's Willing.

Sunday school had a partial attendance with Supt. Manuel in charge.

During the morning service pastor Bennett preached a powerful message from Amos 4:10, 12, "Prepare to Meet Thy God".

Horton Receives MMAS Degree

KELLY AFB, TX - Maj. Thomas A. Horton, son of Ruth D. Horton of Munday has completed the U.S. Army Command and General Staff College Regular Course and received the Master of Military Art and Science (MMAS) degree at Fort Leavenworth, Kansas.

The ten-month regular course at the Army's senior tactical school produced graduates who are competent military problem solvers. Emphasis was placed on career development for the officer's future duties as a commander or staff officer.

The Union Joint meeting was held at the Munday Church on Sunday afternoon and Elder Menion Cox preached a blessed message over there from Gen. 1:1 and John 1:1.

Farm & Ranch Report

By County Agent Charles Siepel

COTTON INSECTS PREVALENT

With most cotton up and growing, producers need to begin field scouting as soon as possible.

Trips are common in most fields but have not occurred in large enough numbers to threaten the crop. Most fields have outgrown the threat of the thrip damage.

Some fields have populations of beet army worms. Farmers are urged to keep a look out for these pests and take corrective measures when populations reach eight per five foot of row.

Boll weevils have been collected in pheromone traps in much higher levels than last year. These are the highest levels in this area since the 1976-1977 growing

season. Farmers are urged to scout their cotton fields and keep an eye out for the boll weevil. If weevils are found, apply insecticide after the pin-head square but before the 1/2 grown stage or 1/4 inch in diameter. This stage should normally last about five days. Producers should begin scouting their fields three days after the first application to determine if a second application is necessary.

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ENGAGEMENT ANNOUNCED -- Mr. and Mrs. James Albus announce the engagement of their daughter, Mary Ann to Chris Bell of Vernon, son of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas F. Bell Jr., also of Vernon. The bride-elect graduated from Knox City High School and is a student at Vernon Regional Junior College. Bell graduated from Vernon High School and VRJC and is head of security at VRJC. The couple plan to be married September 10 at St. Joseph's Catholic Church in Rhineland.

COMMUNITY CALENDAR

Monday, July 11 -- KC Homemakers Circle Club, 9:30 a.m.

Tuesday, July 12 -- City Council, 7:00 p.m.

Wednesday, July 13 -- Noon Lions Club, First United Methodist Church fellowship hall; Social Security Representative at Aging Center, 1:00 to 2:30 p.m.

Thursday, July 14 -- Fire Meeting, 7:30 p.m.

Saturday, July 16 -- Country Music Opry, School Auditorium, 7:30 p.m.

Wednesday, July 20 -- Noon Lions Club, First United Methodist Church fellowship hall; KC Jaycees, Community Center, 9:00 p.m.

FROM LUBBOCK

Gwen Hewitt and a friend, Mark Decker of Lubbock visited Friday and Saturday of last week in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Buddy Angle and her sister and her husband, Mr. and Mrs. Dave Thompson. Gwen's son, Clay, had been visiting and returned home on Monday.

FROM DALLAS

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Final Order in Docket 78-72 (the Access Charge Docket) as they impact all telephone companies. It is anticipated that Docket No. 5113 will be evidentiary in nature. RATES FOR SOUTHWESTERN BELL MAY BE DETERMINED BY THE COMMISSION IN OR AS A RESULT OF THIS PROCEEDING. Interested parties seeking further information or desiring to participate in Docket No. 5113 are advised to write to Rhonda Colbert Ryan, Secretary and Director of Hearings, Public Utility Commission of Texas, 7800 Shoal Creek Boulevard, Suite 400N, Austin, Texas 78757 or telephone the Public Utility Commission Consumer Affairs Division at (512) 458-0223 or 458-0227, or (512) 458-0221 TTY for the deaf.



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STREAMS IN DESERT PLACES

By OZELLE STEPHENS

"If you refuse criticism you will end in poverty and disgrace; if you accept criticism you are on the road to fame." (Prov. 13:18) Living Bible.

Criticism is something that everyone encounters from time to time, so one of the most important lessons a Christian can learn as he grows into maturity is how to handle criticism.

Don't ever be surprised when you are criticized. No matter who you are or what you are doing, you're never going to make everybody happy. Criticism descends on the just and the unjust. If your goal in life is to keep everybody happy and for everybody to like you, you will be frustrated and miserable. Jesus Christ, who was perfect, was severely criticized. Actually, a Christian should be concerned if he is not criticized. For 2 Tim. 3:12 says, "Indeed all who desire to live a godly life in Christ Jesus will be persecuted."

We find that David spent much time in prayer when he was criticized. He cried out to God, "Help me, Lord, keep my mouth shut and my lips sealed...let the godly smite me. It will be a kindness. If they remove me, it is medicine. Don't let me refuse it. But I am in constant prayer against the wicked and their deeds. I look to you for help, O Lord. You are my refuge." Remember He will never fail you.

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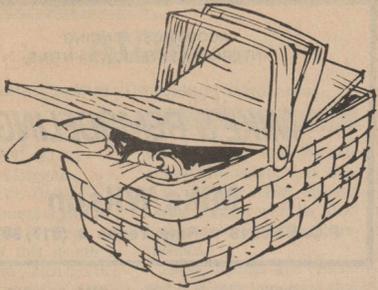
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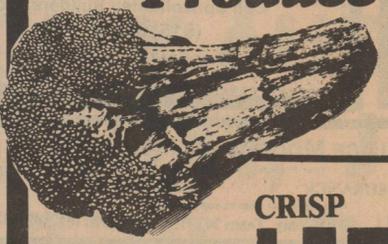
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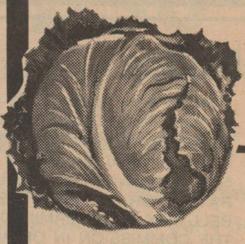
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News Notes from the Brazos Valley Care Home

By Rena

The Nursing Home industry across the nation is in a struggle to be recognized for what it is: a valuable humanitarian public service. As providers of long term health care, we must channel our energy into demonstrating to the public and to legislators and regulators in government that nursing homes nationwide are dedicated to providing high quality health care to the elderly and chronically ill individuals in need.

With the reform of the social security program, Congress will be forced to turn its attention to new ways to provide money for medicare and medicaid. There is a growing number of Americans who are unable to care for themselves. The direction government takes on issues relating to federal health program budgets will ultimately reflect the nation's willingness to do its part in ensuring that long term health care is available to everyone who needs it.

Sunday School, June 26, was taught by Ozelle Stephens. The song leader was Joe Marion and the pianist was Lacy Headrick. Joe Marion sang two specials, "Thank God I'm Free" and "You Can Still Believe". There were 19 present.

Sunday afternoon services were held by the Gillespie Baptist Church. Song leader was Joe Earp. The pianist was Jeannie Ward. The minister was Rev. Mark McMillian. The residents enjoy these services so much.

Monday, June 27, we had our Sunshine hour with Rev. Wooley and Mrs. Wooley. Mrs. Wooley was the pianist and Doyle Graham led the singing. The Sunshine hour starts the week off just right and all the residents enjoy this time.

On June 28, we had Rhythm Band with June Tankersley. The residents all play their instruments and a good time is had by all. There were 25 present.

Mrs. Pierson, Mrs. Hollis and Linda Pierson held the sewing class on June 29. There were 14 present and we made soap holders for the bathrooms.

Our Mid-Week Volunteer group held prayer meeting. The song leader was Cyle Clayton, the pianist was Pauline Myers and the minister was Jimmy Rogers. There was 35 present.

On July 1, we had our exercise class. Lois Smith played the piano and Mutt Logsdon sang a solo. There were 29 present.

Earl Alvis, Carl Chafin, Mike Dimac, Jim Quintana, Lemod Hester, Irene Hester, Tempie Alvis and Jim Alvis visited Nena Alvis.

Carl Chafin, Jim Quintana, Mike Dimac visited Lena Dabney.

Mike Dimac and Jim Quintana visited Ruth Papworth.

Tracy Carter, Mike Albus, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Manning and Maureen Manning visited Tom Ed Osborn.

Barbara Thomas, Audie Kinyre, Laudie Qualls all of Fort Worth, Mildred Stubbs,

Debbie Gross, Ruth Dozier and Jimmy Rogers visited Bertha Trimmer.

Tracy and Terry Carter, Bennett McNulty, O.J. McNulty, L.O. Snelson and Carl Chafin visited Charley Collier.

Judy Shipman, Pearl Gage, Earlene Meinzer and Mr. and Mrs. K.E. Wooley visited Bessie Russell.

Betty Aldridge, Mike Dimac, Jim Quintana, Elsie Pierson, Pearl Gage, and Helen Green visited Maggie Cagle.

Betty Aldridge visited Mamie Benton.

Alma Swearington visited Lillie Dennington.

Dorothy Alexander visited Clyde Jones.

Shelly Balis, Evelyn Balis, Bennie Holten, Ozelle Stephens, Mrs. Wilkinson and Edna and June Tankersley visited Vida Williamson.

Betty Aldridge visited Willie Aldridge.

Ida Pack, George and Mozelle Hodges, Cindy Feemster, Dollie B. Feemster, Brett Proctor all of Haskell and Charles and Lou Pack from Hooker, Oklahoma, all visited Blanche Hodges.

Maurita Clark and Nona Hutchinson visited Corine Gist.

Dorothy Anderson, Barbara Jones, Bennett McNulty, C.J. McNulty and L.O. Snelson visited Ben Snelson.

Martha Booe, Mildred Gates, Auta Marion, Joe Marion, Bennett McNulty, and Joanna Stone visited Elzie Marion.

Alma Swearington, Evelyn Balis and Shelly Balis visited Dicie Singleton.

Elsie Pierson, Linda Pierson, Crystal Pierson, Mable Hollis, Sequoyah Reynolds, Rita Ramos, Bud Reynolds, Bill Reynolds, Harvey Reynolds and Cindy Reynolds visited Ruth Harden.

Janie Wilkinson visited Easter Hastey.

Janie Wilkinson was at the Care Home Thursday and cut the men's hair. They all looked pretty.

Z.I. and Mary Beth Smith, Janie Wilton and Dimples Eddington visited Kelton Smith.

Billye Angle, Stacy and Dave Thompson and Polly Marion visited Bea Benedict.

Edna Burns, Melvin and Joe Strickland and Mabel Hollis visited Dora Falwell.

Betty Aldridge, Darlene Howeth, Joe and Auta Marion, Earlene Meinzer, Helen Green, Billy Henderson, Rosalie Stephens, Carl Chafin, J.W. LaDuke, Mary Coppedge and Jim Hubbard all visited Zollie Thomas.

Hospital News

Patients In Hospital As Of July 1, 1983

Knox City: Wilma Whitford, Myrtle Leach, Thelma Townsend, Tinnie McNulty
Munday: Ida Horne, Camille Chatman, Elvester Watkins, Annie Hatch, Charlie McAfee, Elizabeth Carnahan
Rochester: Edward Lewis

Patients Dismissed As Of June 25, 1983

Knox City: Lewis Flye, Alestine Flye, Renee Ellis, Floyd Bailey, Matt Harrington, Frank Garcia, Birdie Propps, Rachel Vasquez and Baby Girl
Munday: Gurtha Smith, Ninfia Aldaco, Florence Ray, Linnie West, Warren Chandler, James Hall
Rule: Florence Alexander
Seymour: Charlie Kotulek

Kyle White Is ACU Graduate

ABILENE -- Jimmy Kyle White, son of Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy D. White of Route 1, was one of 713 spring graduates at Abilene Christian University.

White received an associate of science in range animal production.

ACU awarded degrees to 615 undergraduate and 98 graduate students during commencement exercises in Moody Coliseum May 1. The group was the largest class ever to graduate from the university, which is the fourth largest private college or university in Texas and the largest affiliated with the Churches of Christ.

A.J. Messer Dies June 19 In Colorado

Knox City native A.J. Messer, 71, of Lakewood, Colorado, died at 9:30 a.m. Sunday, June 19. Services were held at Olinger Chapel, 29th and Wadsworth in Lakewood, Friday, June 24, at 11:00 a.m. Interment was in Fort Logan National Cemetery.

Mr. Messer was a charter member and helped to organize the Baptist Church in Bailey, Colorado. Gordon Tripp of the Bailey Baptist Church and the Rev. Mike Wright officiated at the services.

Born May 23, 1912 in Knox City, he attended school in Knox City where the Messer family farmed. He operated a variety store in Knox City and in Eldorado, Oklahoma. He married Gladys Crume in Eldorado on April 4, 1940. He served in the Army in World War II and after his discharge moved to Bailey, Colorado, where he became a prominent real estate and building contractor.

Survivors include his wife, Gladys; a daughter, Virginia Shoffstall and a grandson of Westminster, Colorado; three sisters, Mrs. Dave (Wilma) Whitford and Mrs. Ted (Winnie) Johnston, both of Knox City and Mrs. L.B. (Ione) Skinner of Eldorado, Oklahoma.

IN WRIGHT HOME

Visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Otis Wright over the Fourth of July weekend were Mr. and Mrs. Joe Dee Davenport, Richard, Jason and Deeanne of Albuquerque, New Mexico; Mr. and Mrs. James Wright, Mrs. Joe Cothron, Nicole and Amanda of Haskell, Mrs. William Wright of Baird, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Friske, Cyndy, Bill, Liz, and Missy and Mr. and Mrs. Johnny Rocha, Nathan and Joseph of Knox City and Vic Davenport of Rochester.

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The young miss has been named Laura Ann and she

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