# Shootin' Straight

By Dave Thompson

CHILI, MUD & FUN

Here are some of the comments that I have heard around town in the last few days: "A complete success," "A real blast," "A lot of fun," "Super good food" and "Let's do it again next year!!" Those remarks have all described the First Annual Fall Festival And Chili Cookoff held this past Saturday by the Knox City Chamber of Commerce. The event drew a huge crowd as it provided a lot of good times and even better memories to all who had the privilege of participating or just attending.

The day started off early with rain clouds threatening to spoil the activities, but the determined teams of cookers and the even more determined chamber directors made up their minds that no amount of rain would ruin the day that had taken so long to plan and prepare for. The rain fell throughout most of the day, but seemed to have little effect on the good times that most were having. Weather was a factor in the cancellation of a few of the events that were scheduled. It was obvious to most that the cow chip throwing contest would be a victim of the weather, soggy chips do not fly very far and most people there really didn't want to handle a mush, wet, smelly cow chip! The horseshoe pitching contest and a few of the other games were also stopped because of the rain but the large crowd kept themselves both busy and entertained with the many other activities that were held throughout the day.

present being throughout the day, my best guess on the number of persons attending would have to be at least four hundred or better. Some stayed for the entire day and some came but left early. Regardless of the number that might have left before the schedule of activities ended, it would be hard to recall any other event held recently that attracted as many out of town and local residents to the Knox City area. During the planning stages, some thought the event should be held within the city limits to better benefit more local people. The City Park was mentioned as a possible location. However, after witnessing the large crowd that attended the event Saturday, the sponsors knew they had selected the best possible location because there was no place here in town that could have handled the crowd. Most of the chili cooking teams that traveled to the contest from other cities and locations had campers and trailers so they could spend the night on Friday and get a very early start on their cooking Saturday morning. The large number of campers and trailers would have swamped our small City Park and the traffic to and from the area would have caused large traffic jams anywhere within the city limits. Even with all the space available at the David Albus farm site, there were times throughout the day when a parking place was difficult to find!

In order to bring this event to our community, a few of the Chamber of Commerce directors worked very hard and put in a lot of hours to insure a successful outcome. There are undoubtedly many who were involved in the planning and work, but two directors worked extra hard and deserve a lot of both praise and thanks for their efforts. Jean Carol Kuehler and David Albus were instrumental in making the First Annual Fall Festival and Chili Cookoff the huge success that it was. Many compliments were received, but the

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AND THE WINNERS ARE -- Coming up with first place in the Knox City Chamber of Commerce's First Fall Festival and Chili Cookoff was Oscar Grey and his family with their Little Brothers chili.

# Cookoff Is Big Success

The Fall Festival and Chili Cookoff sponsored by the Knox City Chamber of Commerce this past Saturday was termed a complete success by chamber directors as the event attracted over 400 persons from throughout the

Held at the David Albus Farm just north of Knox City, the day's events were dampened somewhat with almost continual rainfall. The weather caused the cancellation of a few events such as the horseshoe pitching tournament and the cow chip throwing contest, but the Miss Chili Powder contest and the chili cooking went on as scheduled.

Appearing before a good sized crowd huddled under a large awning, Michelle Bateman, Marilyn Benson, Amber Berryman, Angie Norton, and Becky Smith were the contestants in the first ever Miss Chili Powder Contest. The contest ended with the selection of Amber Berryman as the winner. As Miss Chili Powder, Amber was present throughout the day to preside over the activities and to take part in the final awards ceremony.

After a long day of smelling the aroma of cooking chili, the 36 teams that entered the contest gathered out of the rain under the protection of an awning to await the results of the judging. The judges took their time and spent over an hour sampling each different recipe that made it to the finals. After a final tasting by the judges, the names of the top ten winners were announced as follows:

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MISS CHILI POWDER - Senior Amber Berryman was chosen "Miss Chili Powder" from a field of five contestants Saturday during Knox City Chamber of Commerce's First Fall Festival and Chili Cookoff. Amber is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. C.W. Berryman.

# Ambulance Service To Hold Musical

The Knox City Ambulance
Service is sponsoring a
musical entitled "An Evening
of Enjoyment", next Monday
night, November 14, in the
school auditorium beginning
at 7:30 o'clock.

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Buddy Lytle, well-known gospel singer of Anson, will emcee the event as well as sing for the audience.

Other performers include a group consisting of John Gillispie, June Tankersley, and Tommy Kent; senior Peggilee Wupperman, who

was crowned Band Sweetheart Friday night, will give a stand-up comedy routine; the Gruvy Grandmas of Gilliland, a musical group with its members all above age 72, has an 82-year-old fiddle player who just began playing the fiddle a few years ago; Ronnie White and his talented family of Benjamin will be singing; Son Propps and Tommy Shaw's

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# Chamber

**Schedules** 

**Programs** 

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The Knox City Chamber of Commerce, having just completed its very successful First Fall Festival and Chili Cookoff, is already planning another series of promotions for Knox City.

The annual Christmas Appreciation Programs have been scheduled for the first three Saturdays in December as the merchants' way of expressing their thanks to customers for shopping at home.

Chamber of Commerce secretary-manager Doris Crownover said a list of participating merchants would be made available to the News office next week, and merchants will begin giving tickets on Monday, November 14.

The Chamber will sponsor the Miss Merry Christmas pageant again this year to be held on Thursday night, December 15, in the school auditorium. More details will appear in a later edition of the News.

Scheduled to begin in January, a new Chamber-sponsored program will be the "Employee of the Month" and should be one in which a number of persons will be interested.

# Chili Supper Set Friday Before Game

The Knox City Senior Citizens are sponsoring a chili supper with all the trimmings Friday, November 11, from 5:00 to 7:00 p.m. at the Senior Citizens Center at 608 East Main.

Senior Citizens are hopeful that football fans will take advantage of the opportunity to 'eat out' prior to the last district game Friday night and attend the chili supper where they can enjoy dessert, tea or coffee with their chili and trimmings.

Price of the supper may be noted in an ad elsewhere in this week's News.



**NEWS** 

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KNOX COUNTY

BAND ROYALTY · Seniors Peggilee Wupperman, daughter of Band Director and Mrs. R.L. Wupperman, was crowned Band Sweetheart while Greg Skiles, son of Mr. and Mrs. Weldon Skiles, was named Band Beau in ceremonies Friday night. Mr. Wupperman is shown behind his daughter.

Hounds District Champs

# Hounds Shoot Down Jaybirds

By DAVE THOMPSON

In last Friday night's Coming Home game against the Jayton Jaybirds, the Knox City Greyhounds totally dominated the action as the visiting Jayton team went down to defeat by the Hounds, 21 to 0. This defeat gave the Hounds the District 3-A championship.

In first half action at Greyhound Stadium, the fans witnessed a tough defensive battle between the Greyhounds and the Jaybirds. Knox City scored first very early in the first quarter after good yardage plays by Joe Paul Flores, Otis Lockhart, and Wayne Hutchinson ended with a run into the end zone for six points by Steve Oudems. The point after kick was good, putting the Hounds out front, 7 to 0.

After the Greyhounds scored, the first half action continued as a defensive battle with Jayton able to hold the Hounds to just 74 yards rushing and 51 yards by passing. Quarterback Hutchinson attempted 11 passes during the half, completing four for the 51 yards with two pass interceptions. There was a brief moment of excitement just before halftime when Jayton intercepted Greyhound pass for a touchback and possession of the ball. With just 15 seconds left on the clock, time expired before Jayton had the opportunity to move the ball.

Third quarter action literally exploded as Greyhound Otis Lockhart scored six points on a run with 9:46 still remaining on the clock for the quarter. Hutchinson's point after kick was good, running up the score to 14-0 in favor of the home team.

Another third quarter score by Knox City followed a fancy play as quarterback Hutchinson handed off to Dwayne Watkins who in turn passed



FOOTBALL SWEETHEART - Crowned Football Sweetheart for the second consecutive year last Friday night was Daveine Holcomb, senior daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Bill Holcomb, who is shown with her father.

the ball for long yardage to Joe Paul Flores. A catch by Flores enabled him to turn and take the few steps between himself and the goal line. With the score then 20-0, Hutchinson placed another point after kick between the uprights to up the score to Knox City 21, Jayton 0 with 4:32 left in the third quarter.

There was no further scoring in the third quarter as both teams settled down to a tough defensive game. The Jaybird defense seemed to come alive early in the fourth quarter and stopped the Greyhounds cold on two successive series of plays. That defensive effort by Jayton seemed to fire up the Greyhound defense as the Hounds made several key defensive plays, including sacking the Jayton quarter-

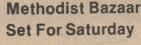
back several times for big yardage losses. Mike Morales from Jayton tried to pull his team into scoring position with a 20 yard run that placed the Jaybirds in good scoring

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### Holiday Bazaar Set In Benjamin

The Spring Chickens Extension Homemakers will hold a "Holiday Bazaar" Saturday, November 12, at the Sorosis Club Building, south of the Baptist Church in Benjamin.

On hand to select from will be homemade crafts, Christmas items, cakes, pies,



The annual church Bazaar will be held Saturday, November 12, beginning at 9:00 a.m. at the First United Methodist Church.

An arts and crafts booth as well as food and baked goods and a white elephant sale will be held in conjunction with the Bazaar.

The United Methodist Women will be serving a stew lunch between the hours of 11:30 a.m. and 1:00 p.m. Dessert and drink will be included in the price of the meal ticket which is noted by their ad elsewhere in this week's News.

# Hospital Auxiliary To Meet Early Mon.

The Knox County Hospital Auxiliary will meet Monday, November 14, at 6:30 p.m. in the downtown thrift shop.

the downtown thrift shop.

The meeting has been set earlier due to the Ambulance
Talent Show set for the same evening at 7:30 p.m.



PROCEEDS SPLIT TWO WAYS - Accepting a check for one half of the proceeds from the Haunted House Project are (left to right) Rita Ramos and James Evatt of the Knox City Law Enforcement Explorers Post. Looking on (center) is Knox City Police Chief Richard Ferguson, the Explorer Scout advisor. Presenting the check (at right) is Mike Newton, Knox City Jaycee Chapter President.

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# MISCELLANEOUS

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FOR SALE

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FOR SALE

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### NOTICES

NOTICE -- Beverly Chaney is back at the Mini Mall in the beauty salon. Call 658-3957 or 658-3086 for appointment.

### **PUBLIC NOTICE**

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submit written comments on this application to the Federal Reserve Board at the Federal Reserve Bank of Dallas, Holding Company Supervision Department, Station K, Dallas, Texas 75222. The comment period on this application will not end before December 8, 1983. Call Bettye Ramsey, 214-651-6488, at the Federal Reserve Bank of Dallas, to find out if you have additional time for submitting comments on this application or if you need more information about submitting comments. The Federal Reserve will consider comments, including requests for a public meeting or formal hearing on the application, if they are received by the Federal Reserve Bank during the comment period.

### **NEWS DEADLINE** TUESDAYS 10:00 A.M.

Pursuant to Article 1577 V.A.T.C.S., P.F. Homer, Commissioner of Precinct 3, Knox County will on behalf of the Commissioner's Court of said County offer for sale at public auction the real property known as the Dunbar School on Monday, November 21, 1983 at 2:00 P.M. Auction will take place at said school. Legal description is the East half of Block 136 and the West half of Block 137 of the Reeves and Musser

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By AUDIE JOHNSTON

"Work -- Work is a magic lamp. It will bring you anything on this Earth that you desire. Instead of wishing for the things you want, it is only necessary to work for them." (Erick Von Karl) HERE AND THERE

Gail Rowan of Lubbock spent the weekend with her parents, Ivan and Cleo Rowan and brother Wayne.

Harvey and Sue Burleson and Jimmy Dale Burleson and wife of Daisy, Oklahoma, spent the weekend with Clifton and Bessie Duncan and Bill and Nellie Duncan.

Mr. and Mrs. Louis Conn and family of Abilene recently visited Esther Conn and Mr. and Mrs. Sonny Correll and family

Donnie, Diane, Trish and Angelia Roberts were in Hereford over the weekend for Tri-State Chemical Compary's Christmas party. y also visited Donnie's brother, Ken Roberts and family

Mrs. Nola Covey spent the weekend with her daughter, Nelda Lusk and family. Nola and Nelda will go to Dallas this week for Nelda to see her bone specialist.

Angelia Reid, student at Texas Tech, spent the weekend with her parents, Johnny and Veeta Reid.

Visiting Jim, Janie and Missy Wilkinson over the weekend were Doug, Mary and Justin Grimsley of Odessa and Janie's mother, Easter Hastey of the Brazos Valley Care Home.

Visiting Irby and Johnnie Carlisle over the weekend were Bryan, Linda and Amanda Reed of Anton. The Carlisles received word that

### Homemakers **Send Out** Invitations

The Knox City Circle Extension Homemakers are busy preparing for their first annual Arts and Crafts Bazaar to be held in Knox City on Saturday, November 19 and invitations have been sent to more than fifty-five clubs, businesses, and individuals to join in the event. The bazaar will be held in the Knox City American Legion Hall next door to Allsup's between the hours of

10:00 a.m. and 5:00 p.m. Individual booths will be available and profits from each booth will go to that particular organization or individual. Booths are limited to six feet by three feet.

Entry deadline has been extended and interested persons should call committee chairwoman Becky Baker at 658-3328 or homemaker president Marlene Siepel at 658-3625.

The event is something new for Knox City and officials are hoping that the bazaar will draw good participation.

More details will appear in a later issue of the News.

their son-in-law. David Gardner, who is in Air Force College in Montgomery, Alabama, was recently promoted to Master Staff Sgt. His wife is the former Ann Carlisle. They will be moving to Offutt Air Force Base in Omaha, Nebraska, in January.

Royce, Ruann, Michelle and Jim Cox of Big Spring spent the weekend with Lee and Ayres Cox.

"Destiny - Destiny is not a matter of choice; it is not a thing to be waited for, it is a thing to be achieved." (William Jennings Bryan)

### Cookoff From Page One

10 - Mike Bryson of Wichita Falls with his Cow Chip Chili 9 - Don Jones of Wichita Falls with his Highlife Chili

8 - Gary Wallace and his Sgt. Peppers Lonely Heart Club Chili of Wichita Falls.

7 - Grady Gray with his Mud Duck Chili of Vernon. 6 - Jerry Barton of

5 - Debra, Johnny and Patsy with their Ace High Chili of Vernon.

4 - Moose Juice Chili of Wichita Falls.

3 - Bill Duncan, Sonny Correll and David Albus of Knox City with their Brazos River Chili. 2 - The Herring Group of

Rhineland with their Hillbilly 1 - Oscar Grey of Vernon

with Little Brothers Chili. The three top finishers in the showmanship division

3 - El Rancho Grande Chili, Lea Reeves, Annette Hester, Jennie Smith, and Lola Mae

Kuehler, Gary Kuehler, Larry Welch, Johnny Melton, and Mary Albus.

1 - Hillbilly Chili, C.H. Herring, Clara Herring, Traci Herring, Ray Herring, Mary Herring, and Junior Herring of Rhineland.

Best of Show Award went to the Knox County Hospital M.A.S.H. Unit Chili with Rich Wheeler, Nona Hutchinson, Frieda Wright, Betty Collins, Eulala Hearn, Melvin Bruggeman and Debbie Bishop.

After the end of the day's events and cleanup of the area, the somewhat tired Chamber of Commerce directors talked over the successful event and made predictions that next year's "second annual" chili cookoff would be even bigger, better and (hopefully) drier!

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push its head 30 feet out of water - as high as a threestory building?

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As reported in last week's News, the recent Halloween Haunted House project turned out to be a complete success. This marks the second event that the current Jaycee chapter has undertaken in less than six months to benefit the children of Knox City and all of the Jaycees feel very good about this. Current plans call for a repeat of the projects next year.

The Jaycees were made aware of a comment concerning the Haunted House project that was being passed on to customers by an employee of a local business. It seems this employee felt it was necessary to tell her customers her opinion that she felt the Jaycees were probably all drinking at the Haunted House project. This comment was challenged by a Jaycee who happened to be in the store and was also discussed by those members present at the last meeting. Not knowing the reason behind the comments, all of the Jaycees felt that it was best to set the record straight to the public. This Jaycee Chapter has an unwritten law that alcoholic beverages will not be allowed at local Jaycee events. It is also a written rule that no alcoholic beverages will be allowed on the premises of the Railroad Depot Building that we have leased from the city as a future meeting hall. The chapter inserted that clause when the lease requirements were discussed and voted on. That is the way that the majority of the members wanted it, and THAT'S THE WAY IT IS. The Jaycees are proud to be a community service organization for Knox City and the members of our local chapter take a firm 2 - Munday Chili, Perry stand against any person who tries to belittle what we are

> work and projects. Our raffle ticket sales are going great! This project is

trying to accomplish with our

being used to gain additional funds for the restoration of the Railroad Depot as our future meeting hall. Tickets are still on sale from any Javcee member. Richard Ferguson and Don Hawkins have been the leaders in sales so far. The tickets are just \$1.00 each or six for \$5.00 and the prize to be given away is a hindquarter of beef from Jaycee Rob Harrison at Bob's Super Save. The drawing for the winning ticket will take place during the halftime of this week's ballgame against Motley County here at Greyhound Stadium. School Superintendent Bill Baker has given the Jaycees permission to sell more tickets at the gate prior to the game. If you haven't purchased your tickets yet, be sure to look for the Jaycees who will be at the

The next regular scheduled meeting will be on Wednesday, November 16, at 8:00 p.m. at the Community Center. Any young man between the ages of 18 and 35 who is interested in our organization is cordially invited to attend.

### Musical From Page One

western band of Truscott; a women's quartet made up of June Tankersley, Peggy Guinn, Mary Jo Lankford, and Pauline Myers; and last but not least, a group consisting of Brownie Tackitt, JoAnn Maddox, and Mutt Logsdon.

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years to come.

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# Shootin' Straight

From Page One

ultimate compliments came from those who had attended many different cookoffs and remarked how much they liked this one in comparison to others they had been to.

Along with the work of these two key people, the success was a combined effort of many who volunteered their time, both for the work and also for a chance to join in on the fun! All involved deserve our thanks for helping to put the name of Knox City in the minds of so many from so many different places.

The Chamber sold food that was prepared by many of its members; the cooking was fun to watch and most important of all - tasted great! School Superintendent Bill Baker and his wife Frankie cooked the tastiest item that I ate all day long, a Mexican food entree that was delicious!

I was allowed the privilege to MC the Miss Chili Powder contest, an event enjoyed by all. The young ladies who participated were really good sports about the weather that infringed upon their contest. It would be my guess that not too many pageants have umbrellas as a necessary part of the wardrobe! With Knox City High School Senior Amber Berryman chosen as "Miss Chili Powder" by the out of town judges, the event ended with a rousing round of applause from all present.

The efforts of the many different teams that entered the chili cooking contest also Service Held deserve some highlighting as the aroma of fresh cooking chili that was prevalent all day throughout the site seemed to stir everyone's ap-

A lot of the teams tried out for showmanship as well as cooking. The varieties of different costumes and actions of excitement to the day. Our ford, Church of Christ own Knox County Hospital team captured the honors in the "Best Of Show" division. They portrayed a "M.A.S.H." unit in action, complete with an operating room, a patient, all the necessary surgical equipment to operate on fresh cooking chili, and an IV bottle that provided a healing solution that could be placed Revenoorers just disregard High School and entered nu out by Hospital Address!!

With radio station KVRP broadcasting hourly reports to advertise the events of the day to interested listeners, many who were present at the cookoff got to be "on the radio" for the first time in their lives! A senorita named "Juan" got the surprise of her life when her (supposedly under the influence of tequilla) story about just swimming the Rio Grande went out over the air throughout the big country! Leatrice Reeves said later that she had no idea she was talking on the radio, she thought she was just talking on the phone! - Now I really wonder what was in that "tequilla" jug she was carrying around!! Another group who went live over the radio, the "Hillbilly" group of by Bud and Mary Alice Perry Kuehler, Larry Welch, Mary Ann Albus, Gary Kuehler, and Johnny Melton, Hendrix, and Mr. and Mrs. consented to sing their ver- John Crownover.

sion of the Beverly Hillbillys' tune. Their musical instruments included a jug, a washtub and spoon and a washboard, and their performance is guaranteed NEVER to make it into the top 40! Speaking of radio performances, if you happen to see Judy Perdue vou can ask her how she felt celebrating her birthday on the radio at a chili cookoff!

All things considered, the day seemed to be a fantastic success. The weather tried its best, but still could not dampen the spirit and enthusiasm so evident in those participating and attending. It was a "first" annual type of event; the title hints at more to come during the following years. With such a success at the beginning, there is little doubt that this could grow into a very big and very profitable fund-raiser for the Knox City Chamber of Commerce in future years. The day was really more than just a fund raiser. It was an event that drew many together in a festive atmosphere of friendship while promoting the name and location of our community at the same time.

To the many who planned, provided, worried, and worked so hard: THANKS for a really fun day!

# Memorial Here Friday

Memorial burial services for Cora Inez Darr Gains, sister of Knox City resident Wayne Darr, were held Friday morning, November 4, at 10:30 a.m. in the Knox seemed to add an extra flavor City Cemetery. Eddy Pitchminister, officiated. Her remains were brought back here from San Antonio and buried in the Knox City Cemetery in the family plot.

Born May 17, 1912, Mrs.

Gaines passed away on December 20, 1981. She was the daughter of the late John and Etta Darr and moved to King County with her parents in the same classification as about January 1, 1920. She good ole moonshine! (You graduated from Knox City that!) An added attraction to ses training at St. Joseph's the hospital's display was the Hospital in Fort Worth where presence of "Klinger," acted she graduated. She was baptized into the Baptist Church ministrator Rich Wheeler. at Brock Community in 1923. Those of you who see Rich in She was married to H.W. the next few days should Gaines of Fort Worth in 1934 make it a point to tell him and went to Germany with how terrible he looks in a him during World War II. She later moved back to Fort Worth and practiced nursing until failing health in the 1960s. She moved to San Antonio and spent the last five years of her life in a nursing

> She is survived by two brothers, Carl Darr of Paducah and Wayne Darr of Knox City; two sisters, Hallie Darr Thompson of Clyde and Marie Dodson of Seguin; and several nieces and nephews.

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# **News Notes** from the **Brazos Valley Care Home**

By Rena

Sunday School October 30 was held with Ozelle Stephens as our teacher. The song leader was Joe Marion and the pianist was Peggy Guinn. There were 21 present.

Church Services was held Sunday afternoon by the Rochester Baptist Church. Rev. Kuenstler was the minister, Bob Acree was the song leader and Susan Turner was the pianist. There were

Happy Hour was held October 31 with Rev. K.E. Woolley as our minister. Mrs. Woolley was the pianist and Doyle Graham was the song leader. There were 25 present.

Halloween came to the Brazos Valley Care Home Monday afternoon in the form of ghosts, goblins and all sorts of costumes. It was the Brownie Troop and they sang songs and had made Halloween Cards which they gave to the residents. We enjoved their visit so much.

Rhythm Band was held November 1 with June Tankersley at the piano. The residents played their instruments. We had 25

We had Arts and Crafts class Wednesday, November 2. Mabel Hollis, Elsie Pierson and Mrs. Banner were our instructors. This week we made Octapus out of yarn. There were 18 present.

Mid-Week Volunteer services were held Wednesday night. The minister was Doug Stenberg. The song leader was Ronnie White and the pianist was Mrs. Ronnie White. There were 59 present.

Eddy Pitchford and Jimmy Quintana were in charge of Bible Orientation class Thursday, November 3. There were 29 present. Everyone always enjoys having Eddy and Jimmy.

Linda and Crystal Pierson and Patrick were in charge of the Exercise Class. There were 17 present. Everyone had lots of fun. Following exercises everyone joined in a sing-a-long, also had a current event led by Doyle Graham.

Homstad, Pearl Gage, Delma Lee Howell, Eldora Gray, Eddy and Kathy Pitchford, Brenda Curd, Debbie and Amanda Homstad, Martha Faye Booe, Carl Chafin, Mabel Hollis, Romain Stubbs, Mattie Balis, Jim, Josie and J.J. Quintana visited Maggie Cagle.

Carl Chafin, Elaine Glover, Jimmy Quintana, Earl Alvis, Eddy and Kathy Pitchford visited Nena Alvis.

Jimmy Quintana and Eddy and Kathy Pitchford visited Bill Burleson.

Carl Chafin, Raymond Wilhite, Pete Edge, Jimmy Quintana and Eddy and Kathy Pitchford visited Lena

Bennett and O.J. McNulty, Darlene Carter, Chad Carter, Sonia and Brittany Sharee Denison visited T.C. Carter.

Jimmy Quintana, Mother and Daddy Z.I. and Mary Beth, Dimples Eddington, Lois Hutchinson and Anita Collier visited Kelton Smith. Freddie Clark, Ruth Clark,

Nolie Covey, and Ramona Helms visited Hazel and Wavnell Clark.

Brice and Pearlie Robertson, Nola Covey, Bill Trice and Ruth Clark visited Minnie Robertson.

Carl Chafin, Mattie Bales. Malerey and Jean Penick, Jim Quintana and Eddy and Kathy Pitchford visited Zollie Thomas.

Eddy Pitchford, Jimmy Quintana and wife, Ozelle Stephens, Pearlie Robertson, Nola Covey, Lorena Burnison, Pearl Gage, Mattie Bales, Raymond Wilhite, Pete Edge, Ruth Clark and Marie Darr visited Mae Flowers.

Bud Reynolds visited Ruth Harden.

Neva Epley, Vannah Carmack, Carl Chafin, Raymond Wilhite, Bill McGuire, Dorothy Strickland, Johnny Bill King, Eddy and Kathy Pitchford visited Easter

Pearl Gage, Lorena Burnison, Ruth Dozier, Mattie Bales, Raymond Wilhite, Bill McGuire, Guy and Annie Marshall, Carl Chafin, Johnny Bill King, Dorothy Strickland, Marie Darr, Jimmy Quintana, Eddy and Kathy Pitchford and Clara Hodges visited Maude Newberry

Lorena Burnison, Ruth Pearl Gage, Dozier. Raymond Wilhite, Bill McGuire, Carl Chafin, Marie Darr, Jimmy Quintana, Kathy and Eddy Pitchford visited Juanelle Strickland.

Mary Lou Speck, Darlene Howeth, Carl Chafin, Raymond Wilhite, Pete Edge, Betty Aldridge, Mr. and Mrs. Mildren Reeds, Eddy and Kathy Pitchford visited Weeper Aldridge.

Eldora Gray, Delma Lee Howell, Ida Barnett and Eddy Pitchford visited Mary

Mabel Hollis, Carl Chafin, Raymond Wilhite, Pete Edge, Eddy and Kathy Pitchford visited Corinne Gist.

Dorothy Graham, J.D. and Mabel Hollis, Carl Chafin, Bobbye (McCarty) Townley of Carlsbad, New Mexico and Ruby and Hester McCarty of Amarillo visited Clay and Libby Hoge.

Carl Chafin, Mattie Bales, Raymond Wilhite, Eddy and Kathy Pitchford and Billy Johnson visited Mary Lou Foshee.

Ozelle Stephens, Mabel Hollis, Carl Chafin and Mattie Bales visited Vida

Ruby Hester McCarty of Amarillo, Bobbye McCarty Townley of Carlsbad, New Mexico, Betty Aldridge, Darlene Howeth, Eddy and Kathy Pitchford, Alma Swearingen, Ida Pack, Eldora Gray, Delma Lee Howell, Dollie B. Feemster of Haskell, Mrs. J.D. Hollis, Carl Chafin, Mrs. Hammons, Mrs. Bales and Ida Barnett

visited Blanche Hodges. Marvin and Barbara Jones, Martha Faye Booe, Bennett McNulty, O.J. McNulty, Carl Chaffin and Raymond Wilhite

visited Ben Snelson. Joe Marion, Mildred Gates, Martha Faye Booe, Carl

Chafin and Raymond Wilhite

visited Elzie Marion.

Carl Chafin, Jimmy Quintana and Eddy and Kathy Pitchford visited Ruth Papworth.

Mildred Stubbs, Ruth Dozier, Raymond Wilhite, Elton Qualls, Eddy and Kathy Pitchford, Jimmy Rogers and Dean and Bill Johnson visited Bertha Trimmier

Eddy Pitchford and wife, Jim, Josie and J.J. Quintana visited Roy Oliver.

Eddy and Kathy Pitchford visited Eda Fave Pounds.

Jim, Josie, J.J. Quintana, Eddy Pitchford, Mattie Bales and Lula Hammons visited Mytle Ary.

IN ABILENE

Mr. and Mrs. Alton Fitzgerald visited Leslie and Zena Fitzgerald in Abilene Sunday. Leslie and Zena are moving this week to Davenport, Iowa. She is employed by John Deere and will work out of Moline, Illinois, just across the Mississippi from their home. Leslie's employment is pending. Their address is 2623 East George Washington Blvd., Davenport, Iowa 52803.

Recently, Alton and Wretha spent several days with their grandchildren "babysitting" at Lake Ransom Canyon while their parents, Dr. and Mrs. Claude L. Ricks Jr., were in San Antonio at a medical meeting for the military.

LOOK WHO'S HERE

Terry and Tammie Jobe are the proud parents of a baby girl born Monday, October 31, at 7:30 a.m. in a Haskell hospital.

The young miss has been named Tiffany Michelle and she weighed in at seven pounds, five and one-half

Maternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Charles Durham of Knox City, and Mr. and Mrs. Alford Jobe of Adrian are paternal grandparents.

> Letter To The Editor

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John also said, "God so loved the world, that he gave his only begotten son, that whosoever believeth in Him should not perish, but have everlasting life." (John 3:16). This is the only way for man to escape the everlasting, burning fires of hell: to call on The Lord Jesus Christ to forgive him of all his sins and come into his life and live within him.

The word says again, "He hath made him (Jesus) to be sin for us, who knew no sin: that we might be made the righteousness of God in him." (11 Dor. 5:21). Jude wrote, "God is able to keep you from falling, and to present you faultless before the presence of his glory with exceeding joy." (Jud 24). If you have been born of His Spirit, washed in His Blood you have Blessed assurance. You can say, Jesus is mine. Oh what a foretaste of glory divine. This is my story, this is my song, Praising my Savior all day

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# **Horticulture Course** Set November 14-17

An Ornamental Horticulture Short Course for adults will be held November 14-17 under the sponsorship of the Knox City-O'Brien High School Vocational Agriculture Department, according to W.R. Baker. Superintendent, and Jim Dillon, teacher of Vocational

Agriculture.

Dr. Anna Beth Neason, Horticulture Specialist with the Agricultural Adult Education Program and the Department of Horticulture at Texas A&M University, will do the instructing in the course. Dr. Neason holds R.S., M.Ed., and Ph.D. degrees in agricultural education. She is qualified as a certified teacher of horticulture in the vocational

The short course at Knox City is scheduled to begin November 14 at 7:00 p.m. in the Vocational Agriculture Building. During the dates the short course is in progress. Dr. Neason will be available to assist enrollees with individual problems and to provide on-the-farm and inthe-home instruction.

agriculture program in

Persons interested in attending the short course should call or write the Teacher of Vocational Agriculture, Jim Dillon. Horticulture Short Course Certificates will be presented to enrollees who attend all four of the training sessions.

Dr. Neason states that the short course can be adjusted to the wishes and interests of the people enrolled, but that she expects to cover such subjects as plant growth and development, propagating media, plant propagation, developing and maintaining

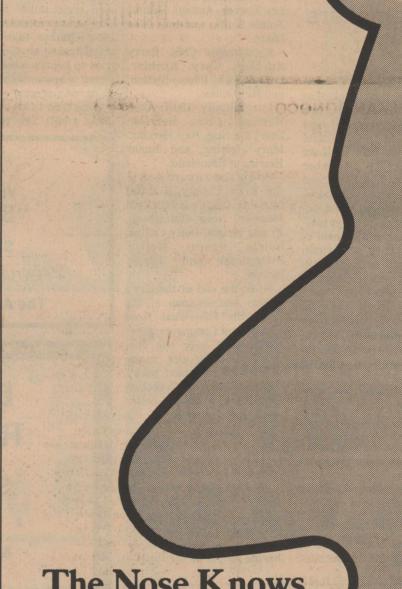
the landscape, establishing and caring for lawns, houseplants, and greenhouse production, operation and management. The course includes classroom instruction as well as laboratory-type instruction with the class enrollees taking part.

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**SCHOOL MASCOT:** Greyhound

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LOOK WHO'S HERE

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Ray Riley of McLean are the proud parents of a baby girl born Friday, October 28, at 8:00

The young miss, who has been named Randi Jo, was born in a Shamrock hospital and weighed seven pounds, 15 ounces. She measured 191/4 inches long.

Grandparents are the Rev. and Mrs. John Gillispie of Knox City and Mr. and Mrs. Earl Riley of McLean.

CORRECTION

It has been called to our attention that we incorrectly on the football page last week. Our apologies to these boys. Sophomore Ray Hernandez was inadvertently identified as Adam Garcia.

Mrs. Abe Watson and Mrs. A. Watson were in Abilene Thursday of last week to attend the Southern Living cooking school.



# **Benjamin News**

BY GLADENE GREEN

NASHVILLE TOURISTS Several area folks were on the KLUR-Red Carpet Nash-

ville Express last weekend. They left Thursday evening October 27 at 8 P.M. and traveled by bus arriving in Memphis, TN for breakfast. They visited Graceland and Elvis Presley's home, then went on to Nashville and attended Opry Land USA. They arrived home Monday, October 30.

Among the tourists were Benjamin residents Shari and Shirley Brown and Betty

FOOTBALL ROYALTY Thursday night despite the rain the Benjamin Junior High team played Guthrie here at home. The local boys won, finishing the season with only one loss. The football hero and sweetheart were also presented. Sulynn Oxford, daughter of Sue and David Oxford is the sweetheart and co-heroes are Buster Redwine and Jeff Pierce. Buster's parents are Judy Redwine and James Redwine and Jeff is the son of Barbara and Sammy Pierce. All are eighth grade students. SOROSIS CLUB

The Benjamin Sorosis Club met Thursday, November 3, in the club house. Nine members were present.

Jane Lockmane, Knox

how God speaks to everyone

Myrtle White had charge of

the installation service of the

incoming officers for 1984-

1986. She used the words:

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Lieb, vice-president; Mamie

Watson, secretary; and Kitty

Spencer, treasurer. Peggy

McGaughey will be reporter

prayer of dedication.

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The group dismissed with a

in different ways.

County Home Agent, led the program, which was a round table discussion on family history. Members told of different things about their childhood. Ila Bohannon and Jessie Roberts hostesses

ts, Gloria and Leroy West.

HERE 'N THERE **Betty Parker of Asperment** spent Sunday with her paren-

Wayne and Wanda West of Cisco were weekend guests of his mother, Edith West. Mr. and Mrs. Barney Castleman of San Antonio visited his sister, Ruth Ressell last week.

> Mildred and Gary Hamilton of Azle visited the Van Greens Sunday

Don Griffith is a patient in the Knox County Hospital. We wish Don a speedy recovery.

Christine Patterson and Lee and Grace Snailum were in Amarillo last weekend. The Snailums visited their daughter and family, the Floyd Nunleys and Christine cared for her grandchildren, the children of Mr. and Mrs. Lynn Patterson, while Lynn and his wife were attending a church seminar in Lubbock.

Katrine Hudson of Nolanville and Eloise Patton of Killeen were here for the weekend visiting Debra Hudson, Lynda Brooke Pierce and the Wally McNitts.

**AMY HARRIS** ...busy competing

### Gutierrez's Grandchild **Dallas Winner**

Five year old Amy Harris, granddaughter of O'Brien residents Mr. and Mrs. Humberto Gutierrez, has been busy competing recently with a Dallas drill team.

This particular drill team is composed of four, five, and six year olds. Young Amy is the daughter of Frankie and Betty Harris of Dallas.

The team won first place in competition and first place in best costume in their zone division which consists of six different teams

With their wins, the drill team will now advance to city competition. They will also perform at one of the Dallas Mavericks basketball games as halftime entertainment at Reunion Arena.

Out of Amy's team she was chosen as the cheerleader for the boys' city football playof-

Kenneth Gibbs

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Visiting Mr. and Mrs. Ted Johnston over the weekend were their granddaughter, Kerrie Johnston of Bedford and her friend, Steve Maddox of Millsap; and the Johnstons' grandson, Shane Johnston of Abilene. They all attended the homecoming football game Friday night.

**VISITHERE** 

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# Methodist Women Install Officers

The United Methodist Ways." She had each one tell Women met Tuesday, November 1, at 3:00 p.m., in the church parlor for their regular monthly meeting and the installation service of the officers for the next two years.

R.A. Shaver III, Rochester

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Smith, City

Jan Spann, Missouri City

Ozelle Stephens, City

Mildred Stubbs, City

Margie Sutton, Austin

**Buddy Tankersley, City** 

Hazel Tankersley, City

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Jack Varnell, Fort Worth

E.W. Gene Underwood,

W.L. Trice, O'Brien

Matt Verhalen, City

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Mrs. W.L. Woodward, City

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Julia Waldron, Burkburnett

Loyd Waldrip, City

O'Brien

Laverne Thompson, City

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Mrs. Martin T. Smith,

Carl Shelton, City

Willard Skiles, City

Weldon Skiles, City

John A. Smith, City

Z.I. Smith, City

Wichita Falls

Ben Snelson, City

A short business meeting was held preceding the

Final plans for the upcoming Church Bazaar, on Saturday, November 12, from 9:00 a.m. to 3:00 p.m. were Members hope everyone will take advantage of the many items found on display in the Fellowship Hall of the church. A number of useful and attractive articles will be found in the Arts and Crafts division; tasty and enjoyable foods will be for sale in the baked and canned goods section; and a lot of unusual items can be bought at a very nominal price in the "White Elephant" booth.

The local UMW will serve a

tion: God Speaks in Many

noon meal consisting of homemade stew, cornbread, dessert and a drink from 11:30 a.m. to 1:30 p.m. Ruby Robinson brought an



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# KC School News THEKENNEL

### SCHOOL LUNCHROOM **MENUS**

Week of November 14-18, 1983 BREAKFAST:

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Thursday: Orange Halves, Blueberry Muffins, Chocolate

Friday: Applesauce, Cinnamon Rolls, Chocolate Milk

Monday: Fish, Macaroni and Cheese, Green Beans, Apple Halves, Cornmeal Sticks, Fuesday: Hot Dog with Chili,

Ranch Style Beans, Dill Pickle Wedges, Pineapple Cobbler, Milk Wednesday: Burritos, Tossed

Salad, Corn, Jello, Milk Thursday: Roast, Gravy, Creamed Potatoes, Stewed Cabbage, Hot Rolls, Butter, Honey, Milk

Friday: CharBurgers with Cheese Slices, Lettuce, Fomato and Pickle Slices, Fator Tots, Cake, Milk

SENIOR NEWS

By Sarah Jones Last Friday night was a good night for the Greyhounds in general and the Seniors in particular! Peggilee Wupperman and Greg Skiles were presented as the Band Sweetheart and Beau, and Holcomb was crowned Football Sweetheart. We have such a class! talented

Seniors!!! Also last weekend, Amber Berryman won the title of "Miss Chili Powder" Congratulations Amber!

PEP CLUB NEWS **By Tammy Rogers** 

Well district football will be coming to a close with our last game being against Motley County this Friday night. After defeating Jayton last Friday the Hounds are "District Champs" no matter who wins in the Motley County game.

The Pep Club wants to thank all the people that bought a mum for the Homecoming game. Congratulations to Greg, Peggilee, and Daveine.

We hope everyone will continue to cheer on the Hounds as they go into the playoffs. Good Luck Hounds!

**Band Wins** 

In Marching

The Knox City High School

Marching Band was awarded

a Division II rating (ex-

cellent) in the University In-

terscholastic League's Mar-

ching Contest held last Wed-

nesday at Memorial Stadium

In twirler competition,

head twirler Peggilee Wup-

perman received a Division I

(superior) rating, Shari

Evatt received a Division II

Vasquez received a Division

The twirler trio received a

Band Director R.L. (Dick)

Wupperman is to be com-

mended for the fine im-

provement the KC Band has

made since he took over

The concert and sight-

in Vernon in April, Mr. Wup-

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several years ago.

perman said.

**II Rating** 

in Wichita Falls.

GREENHAND NEWS By J. Emerson

The Greenhands have worked very hard these past few weeks getting the ag farm ready for the projects. Now we start back on our Leadership teams. It will take a lot of work to be ready for contest but we are all willing to do what it takes to

### SCHOOL AND COMMUNITY CALENDAR

Thursday, November 10 --Fire Meeting, 7:30 p.m. Friday, November 11 Veterans' Day; Knox City vs. Motley County, here, 7:30

Monday, November 14 -Brownies 111, 3:30 p.m.; KC Ambulance Talent Show; Adult Horticulture Workshop begins and continues through Thursday

Wednesday, November 16 --Noon Lions Club, First United Methodist Church fellowship hall; Brownies 113, 3:15 p.m.; Junior Girl Scouts 112,

Houndettes

**Win District** 

In Volleyball

District 4-A Volleyball

nettes which had split with

the Houndettes earlier in

teams were keyed up for the

champion of district 4-A. It

was exciting volleyball. Both

teams deserve to be in the

playoffs. As last year both

teams look forward to the

Regional Tournament

because neither team has

won a match at the tour-

nament in the past few years.

Knox City winning the mat-

ch 11-15, 15-11, 15-9, will ad-

vance to the area playoffs

because they have no bi-

district opponent. This means

that they are the bi-district

champs also. It is possible

that the Houndettes could

meet Aspermont in the

regional finals if both teams

Area playoff was played

Tuesday against Chillicothe

at Vernon High School. The

winner will advance to the

Regional Tournament at

continue to win.

Levelland

(excellent), and Jenny regular district play. Both

By Coach Wainscott

# Wheeler, Randy Abernathy,

a discussion concerning the next board meeting. Since the next scheduled board meeting falls Thanksgiving it was decided to move board meeting up Others present: Richard one week to November 17.

It was also decided that, because of daylight savings time, the board of directors meeting should be moved to 7:00 p.m.

Rich Wheeler then gave an overview of the Medicare Survey conducted in the last part of September. It was noted that the staff and administration of the Hospital were praised for the great strides they had taken toward improving health care delivery in Knox County during the past two years. The main concern of the survey team being the age and condition of the hospital

### Mrs. Angle 'Re-Adopted' As Leader

building.

Again this year, Girl Scout Troop 112 has chosen Billye Angle, publisher of The Knox County News, as its community adopted leader.

The idea behind the program is for each troop to select a community leader in its hometown who is interested in the Girl Scout program. Throughout the year, the troop will include its leader in its programs and activities, as well as remembering its adoptee on special

The program also aims at involving the Girl Scouts in their community and to help them learn about the different people who help serve their community.

Mrs. Angle was Troop 112's adopted leader last year and again the troop thanks her for accepting the position.

### Championship goes to Knox City's Houndettes after a battle with Aspermont. Last Tuesday, a single elimination tournament was played to decide the district champion. Knox City played Weinert first and won 15-5, 15-4. The same day the Houndet-



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# MINUTES OF THE **KNOX COUNTY** HOSPITAL DISTRICT

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The board then engaged in

Members present: Vernal, Zeissel, Buster Lowrey, Richie Smith, Ray Lynn Har-

Members absent: Stanton Brown, Bernard Brown, David Perdue

Dan Powers, Gene Vineyard The October Board of Directors meeting was called to order at 8:00 p.m. by the

Zeissel The minutes of the September board meeting were read by Rich Wheeler and approved as read.

Board President Vernal

### Hospital News

Patients In Hospital As Of November 4, 1983

Knox City: Imogene Deibert, Minnie Robertson, Louis Rogers, Blanche Neatherlin, Debbie Dudensing Hubert Munday: Bellinghausen

Rochester: Lucy Fulbright Benjamin: Don Griffith Seymour: Pearl Tompkins Haskell: Betty Jo Ruiz Missouri: Martha Carr

> **Patients Dismissed** As Of October 28, 1983

Knox City: Charlotte Patterson, Vírgie Simmons, Willie Sparks, Rita Abernathy, Belle Snelson, Birdie Propps, Martha Harbert, Rickie

Munday: Ruth Ishmael O'Brien: Rachel Catano Truscott: Onie Welch



at no cost to the Hospital, a new structure.

motion unanimously.

After a long discussion about the recent Medicare Survey, the condition of the existing building, and the ramifications of acquiring a new building, it was decided to conduct a possibility study, concerning the acquisition of

A financial report of the Rich Wheeler, followed by a payable to be approved. Richie Smith moved the accounts payable be approved and paid as listed. Buster Lowrey seconded the motion.

moved the meeting close. Richie Smith seconded the

Secretary to the Board

hospital was then given by list of September accounts

With no further business to discuss, Ray Lynn Hardin motion. The motion passed and the meeting adjourned at

Richie Smith

Minutes submitted by: Richard Wheeler Weekends (817) 422-4401 or 422-5343

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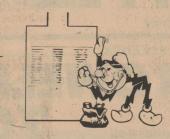
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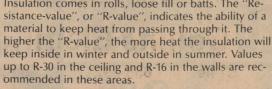




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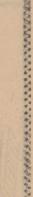


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# Firemen Undertake **Rescue Tool Project**

The Knox County News has received information that the Knox City Volunteer Fire Department is currently undertaking a project to raise the funds necessary for the purchase of a new life saving rescue tool, the "Jaws Of Life.'

This rescue device is in widespread use throughout the country with both Fire Departments and Rescue Units utilizing "Jaws" to save the lives of people trapped in their automobiles after crashes. A mechanical device used to pry and cut metal apart, the "Jaws Of Life" is capable of prying open car doors, cutting through car roofs, and much more when used in rescue service.

Another county fire department recently started a drive to obtain a similar rescue tool. They approached fire and police officials in all the cities of Knox County with the idea of the entire area pitching in and obtaining one central tool that would be kept in Munday.

Since the demand for this type of equipment requires immediate availability whenever it is needed, the members of the Knox City Fire Department did not feel that residents of Knox City would benefit greatly from a unit that was stored in another city. While respecting the other department's efforts and goals, Knox City's firemen took into consideration the time required for the neighboring city's firemen to first respond to their station and then drive all the way to Knox City in the event of a call for the rescue tool. The members of the Knox City Volunteer Fire Department feel residents could be served better with a "Jaws Of Life" unit right here in the city.

The expense of this piece of rescue equipment prohibits any immediate purchase. The fund raising project will undoubtedly take a long period of time. With estimates ranging around \$6,000.00, the firemen will attempt to raise the funds with projects such as their recent Turkey Shoot.

This effort by the Knox City Volunteer Fire Department is another example of the kind of department that serves Knox City. Our firemen are constantly training and striving to update both their equipment and techniques to better serve the community. The recent addition of a new fire truck to the department was a major revision of and equipment professional techniques of

our fire fighters were recently demonstrated at the Firemen's Convention held here a few months ago.

Like other fire department equipment, the "Jaws Of Life" is designed to help save lives when needed in an emergency. The firemen need your help with this fund raising project, and donations may be made to JAWS, in care of the fire department. Important notes to keep in mind are the fact that any donation is tax deductible and, most important of all when available for use, this rescue tool just might save your life or the

life of a loved one!

# HOUNDS

From Page One

Knox City	Total Stats	Jayton
15	First Downs	5
292	Yards Rushing	110
77	Yards Passing	13
t 5 of 13	Passes Completed	1 of 7
v 1	Intercepted by	2
3 for 26	Punts	4 for 30
7 for 55	Penalties	9 for 70
3	Fumbles Lost	2

position on the Greyhound 20

With Jayton threatening to score, the fans were treated to some really tough and exciting football action as the Greyhound defense exploded as they forced Jaybird Quarterback Trey Richey down in-

that totaled 39 yards. Late fourth quarter action had both teams exchanging the ballfer offensive series

to the turf three plays in a

row for big yardage losses

without further scoring suc-

Winning the Coming Home game 21-0 over the Jayton Jaybirds, our Knox City Greyhounds are still undefeated in district play. Their only loss of the year occurred in pre-season action. Knox City will host Motley County here at Greyhound Stadium this Friday night, November 11 at 7:30 p.m. for the last district game before the playoffs.



SHOWMANSHIP AWARD · Winning first in showmanship during the Fall Festival and Chili Cookoff Saturday was this team from Munday, the Hillbilly Chili group, who are, from left, C.H. Herring, Clara Herring, Traci Herring, Ray Herring, Mary Herring and Junior Herring.



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The head of a household must qualify to receive these commodities. The household must qualify by declaring the combined total gross income Knox City. of all persons living in the household.

before deductions. Self employed persons must use their

The past method for the net income, (gross income

The net income of applicant eligible to receive U.S.D.A.

All persons who wish to receive these commodities must be qualified, and application will be taken on the

16 day of November, A.D. 1983, 9:00 a.m. - 12:00 noon at the Community Center in Applicants are asked to

bring their Social Security Gross income includes number or Driver's License amounts of wages received number or some other type of

# BAZAAR

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# **PUBLIC NOTICE**

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**November 9, 1983** 

to be charged for natural gas service to residential and commercial customers in the environs area (outside incorporated limits) of Benjamin,

The rate schedule is expected to furnish a 10.39 percent increase in the Company's gross revenues in the environs of Benjamin,

A Statement of Intent has been filed with the Railroad Commission of Texas and is available for inspection at the Company's business office located at

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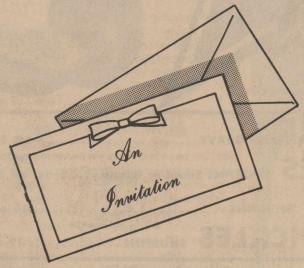
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