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## GREYHOUNDS ARE DIST. 13-B BASKETBALL CHAMPIONS

The Knox City Greyhounds, with one-sided victories over Goree and Benjamin during the past week, won the District 13-B basketball championship and will advance to bi-district, playing the winner of a District 14-B play-off series between Weinert and O'Brien.

Tonight (Thursday) the Knox City boys, both A and B teams

play practice games at Crowell, and next Tuesday night the Greyhounds meet Vera in their last conference game with the outcome not affecting the district championship.

Don Johnson was high with 25 points when the local lads beat Goree Friday night, 62-27 while Don Lambeth was high for the losers with 11. Knox City also took the girls' game, 49-26 with Lou Denton scoring 23 and Peggy Crownover 19. High for Goree was Brenda Hutchens with 11.

Scores in the Benjamin game were 66-38. Johnson was again high with 16 and Knox City captain Joe Elledge scored 15. Don Ryder was high for Benjamin with 11.

Another championship was decided on the local court when the Benjamin girls defeated Knox City, 46-39. Marilyn Searcy won scoring honors for Benjamin with 21 points, while Lou Denton's 16 paced the Knox City girls.

## Plainsman Quartet To Present Concert At O'Brien Feb. 12



The Plainsman Quartet of Dallas will make a personal appearance at the O'Brien High School auditorium next Thursday night, Feb. 12, it was announced this week.

They will be sponsored by the O'Brien senior class.

The concert will begin at 8 o'clock. Admission will be 50c and \$1.00. Everyone is invited to attend and hear this well-known quartet and at the same time help the seniors.

## Legion Play Night Set for Tonight

A reminder was issued this week of the American Legion's annual Play Night for members of the American Legion and members of the Legion Club which will be held tonight (Thursday) beginning at 7:30.

Members of the Auxiliary will prepare and serve a supper. Tournaments in dominoes, ping pong, and pool will be played. Tickets are \$1.25 each and Legionnaires were invited to bring guests.

## Little League Assn. Calls Special Meeting

Members of the Little League Association and others interested will meet at the American Legion Hall next Thursday night, February 12, Sammy White, association president, said this week.

The meeting will begin at 7:30 p. m., and important business affecting the Little League program will be discussed.

## O'Brien Bulldogs Cinch Spot in District Playoff

The O'Brien Bulldogs cinched a spot in the play-offs for the District 14-B basketball championship with victories over Mattson and Rochester during the past week. The play-offs will be a best-two-out-of-three series between O'Brien and Weinert, with the winner meeting Knox City of District 13-B in the bi-district contest.

Danny Walsworth, O'Brien's all-star guard, scored 31 points to pace the Bulldogs to a 69-47 victory over Mattson last Friday night. Second high scorer was O'Brien's John Tom Johnston with 23.

O'Brien girls also won, 39-24, with Clara Matura scoring 17 points. Tuesday night the Bulldogs beat Rochester 74-33, with Walsworth scoring 33 points and

girls slipped by O'Brien last two seconds in Rochester's Jean

points, while Lou

## GRAND JURY INDICTS SIX

The February term of the Knox County grand jury returned six true bills of indictment when it met in Benjamin, Feb. 2.

Indicted for forgery were Rey-mundo Torres Delgado and Jesus Erasmo Villarreal, members of a group of Maxicans passing forged checks in Munday, Haskell, Rule, and other area towns. The two passed identical checks drawn on the First National Bank in Munday and dated Nov. 8, 1958. They were made to Ruben Gomez and signed Steve Kubena and marked "for labor". Each in the amount of \$47.50, they were passed to Helen Loree Weigel.

Delgado is in the Knox County jail in Benjamin and Villarreal is in the Haskell County jail.

Donald Wayne McCaslin and Geo. Grady White, 17 and 18 year old Oklahoma youths, were indicted for breaking into the Paul Weiss store at Vera during the fall. Another 14-year old boy, with the two, was handled by the Oklahoma Juvenile Courts. McCaslin and White are now in the penitentiary in Oklahoma. They were arrested in Houston following a pick-up order from an Oklahoma sheriff's office. They admitted the Vera burglary and other charges against them in Oklahoma.

Two others, who are not in custody, were indicted, one for removing mortgaged property and one for fraud. Both are former Knox County citizens.

V. E. Moore, mayor of Munday, serves as foreman of the grand jury. Other members are Vernon McCaslin and Mrs. J. D. Redwine of Benjamin, J. G. Adcock and Felix Taylor of Truscott, Mrs. June Navratil of Gilliland, Paul Weiss of Vera, Menon Cox of Knox City, Olen Coffman of Vera, George Hunt and J. T. Murdock of Goree, and Edwin K. Johnson of Munday.

## Meeting Called to Organize Cub Scouts

Bill Bolin is the new cubmaster for the Cub Scouts, it was announced this week.

A meeting to re-organize will be held at the Legion Hall Tuesday night beginning at 7:30. All cubs and their parents were asked to attend and help the new cubmaster get the Cub Scouts organized.

## Knox Woman's Niece Has Champion Steer At Ft. Worth Show

If close relatives of the 9-year old girl who showed the grand champion steer at the Southwestern Exposition and Fat Stock Show had been listed, Mrs. Ted Darland's name would have been on the front pages of most of Texas' newspapers Monday.

Connie Swinford, the winner of the stock classic, is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Swinford of Friberg and Mrs. Darland's niece. After winning the show, Connie said she would give one-tenth of the proceeds from her champion to the church. Her parents said they carried their daughter and her fine steer to Ft. Worth "never dreaming we would win anything, much less the championship." The animal will sell at auction Friday. Last year's champion sold for more than \$6,000.

## Jury Summoned For District Court

Thirty-six Knox Countians have been summoned for jury service for the called docket of Criminal District Court Monday, Feb. 9.

Mailed notices to appear for service by H. T. Melton, sheriff, were Ed Bateman, Jr., Leon Bivins, Gladys Glenn, Earline Meiner, and P. H. Pierce of Benjamin; Vivian Brown, Gladys Eubank, C. H. Laquey, W. H. Simmons, Dwight E. Burgess, E. Paul Horne, O. R. Miller, Mrs. Sam Stone, Mrs. Belle Thompson, Earnest Beck, Jr., Ladean Feemster, Mrs. Addie Hughes, H. A. Sullins, Dorse Blankenship, W. R. Mayo, Lee G. Patterson, W. M. Tynes, Ira Bowden, G. W. Hawkins, Burton Thomas, Mrs. Indiana Beal, J. C. L. McAfee, Fred Redell, Jr., C. L. McAfee, Walter Brown, F. J. Loran, W. L. Beason, Ila Sue Boyd, Joyce Crownover, Melvin A. Lowrey, and S. P. Woodward.

Jury commissioners are Paul B. Pendleton, J. M. Chowning, and W. F. Shannon.

## Williams Moves Into New Offices

TV Antenna Service Co. and the offices of C. E. Williams and Bill Sams were moved this week to the Williams building on the Munday highway.

The building, which formerly housed Reed's Drive-In Grocery, has been extensively remodeled. New furnishings will arrive later, Williams said.

The building also includes facilities for District Judge L. M. Williams, but Judge Williams will also retain his downtown office. The antenna service phone remains the same, Williams said.

## For Courthouse Improvements

# Knox Countians to Vote On Bond Issue Saturday

Knox Countians will vote Saturday, February 7, on a \$55,000.00 bond issue for improvements and repairs on the county courthouse at Benjamin.

The building, completed in 1934, was built partly by WPA labor and cost \$93,300.00. However, architects and engineers estimate that under present construction costs, the building would cost about \$350,000.

A firm of architects and engi-

neers, Wilson, Patterson and Associates of Ft. Worth, was employed by the commissioners court last November to make a complete survey of the building, and according to their estimates the \$55,000 would put it back in "like new" condition.

The figure includes installing a new 20-year roof, repairing bad plaster and repainting the entire interior, installing through-wall flashing around the perimeter, replacing all caulking around windows, silicone waterproofing

of the building's exterior, cutting out all mortar joints to a minimum depth of one-half inch and tuck-pointing with water-proofed mortar, refinishing all floors, installing additional lighting in the district courtroom, and many other repairs. It also includes repainting the sheriff's quarters and jail.

In an address at the Knox City Lions Club Wednesday County Attorney Tom Bullington said that if the bond issue is voted, complete specifications will be furnished by the architectural firm, competitive bids will be secured and the work will be carefully supervised. As the work proceeds it will be checked by the architects, and claims for payment by contractors will be checked and certificates issued by the architects for payment by the county. Upon completion of the work it will be inspected by the architects and the commissioners court before final payment is made. All workmanship and materials will be guaranteed a year.

While the election order calls for an ad valorem tax, county officials point out that the 25-cent statutory tax for permanent improvements is already in effect and there will be no new or increased taxes. There is no present indebtedness on the courthouse and the hospital and jail bond sinking fund is in excellent condition. The hospital bonds will be retired in seven years and the jail bonds in fifteen years. If the courthouse improvement bonds are approved by the voters, plans are to pay them in eleven years, retiring the debt on March 1, 1970.

The tax rate for permanent improvements could not be reduced if the bond issue is not approved, officials add, because the money would have to be spent for temporary repairs and upkeep, which would not solve the problem of preventing further deterioration of the courthouse.

Eligible to vote in the election are all resident property taxpayers of the county, who have rendered their property for taxation and who have paid their 1958 poll taxes, or are exempt from paying because of age.

In his talk Wednesday the county attorney pointed out that the courthouse is the property of the citizens of Knox County, and urged all eligible voters to vote for or against the bond issue. He also urged everyone to visit the courthouse and inspect copies of the architects' recommendations, in order to be more familiar with the issue.

Polling places in the county will be the same as for the general election.

## O'Brien Tourney Schedule Changed

The O'Brien Grade School basketball tournament, scheduled to begin Monday, was postponed, and first-round games were to be held this afternoon (Thursday).

In the girls bracket, Mattson was to play Rule at 5 p. m., following the Mattson-Rochester boys game at 4 p. m. O'Brien and Rule boys will play at six tonight.

Friday's games will begin at 5 p. m. when the Knox City and Rochester girls will play. Knox City and Vera boys will play at six followed by the O'Brien and Vera girls at 7.

Saturday's games will begin at 9 a. m. when Paint Creek girls will play the winner of the Knox City-Rochester game.

George Piller is the host coach. The tournament was delayed because of the bad weather Monday.

## The Weather

Observations by Horace Finley

Date	Max	Min	Rain
29	66	44	
30	56	30	
31	45	30	
1	36	19	
2	24	15	0.17
3	47	21	T
4	65	29	
Rain this week			0.17
Rain this year			0.27
Rain this date last year			1.39

## COUNTY COTTON MEETING SLATED AT MUNDAY FEB. 12

Gaylon Scott, Chairman of Knox ASC County Committee, today announced that a county-wide meeting of all cotton producers will be held in Munday, February 12 (Thursday) at 7:30 p. m. The meeting will be held in the Elementary School Auditorium. Every person interested in the 1959 cotton program is cordially invited.

The primary purpose of this meeting will be to discuss the Choice (A) and Choice (B) cotton

allotments and Price Support for 1959. Other programs will be discussed on a question and answer basis.

Jesse T. Gilpin, County Office Manager of the Knox ASC County Office, will be in charge of this meeting. He will be assisted by R. C. Couch, Jr., the County Committee composed of Scott August Schumacher from Rhineland and T. J. Partridge from Sunset. B. P. Davenport, Jr., of Stamford, who is a member of the Texas ASC State Committee, will also be present.

The Munday Chamber of Commerce, headed by Hugh Beaty as president, will sponsor this important meeting. Donald Hobart, chairman of the Agriculture Committee, said that it is of importance to the producers of Knox County to attend. "Cotton is the basis of our economy and it is only natural we should be interested in maintaining this economy," Hobart said.

Beaty said refreshments would be served following the cotton discussion.

## Mothers March Nets \$342.07 For Dimes Drive

Although the drive was not completed Wednesday, Mrs. W. J. Roddy reported that over \$800 had been contributed to the 1959 March of Dimes by local citizens.

Cards which were given out to school children had not been returned Wednesday so the final tabulation will be announced next week.

Members of the 1946 Study Club who conducted the Mothers' March in freezing mist Saturday night collected \$342.07, Mrs. Roddy said.

Mrs. Sam Emory Clonts and Mrs. Samuel Tankersley were in charge of the Mothers' March.

A little over \$28 was counted when the MOD containers were picked up from business houses. Members of the Lions Club donated \$160.80, and coffee sales for the MOD added \$85.15 to the fund drive, Mrs. Roddy reported.

## Little League Calls For Return of Suits

Those who still have Little League or Pony League ball suits were asked by Wesley Garrison to bring them to the City Hall.

Plans for another season of baseball are being made, with an organizational meeting called for Thursday night, Feb. 12. It is hoped that all suits will be turned in by that time.

## Title Necessary For Registration Of Cars, Trucks

New car license tags went on sale Monday at the county tax collectors' office, and tax collector John Smith said owners are required to bring their certificate of title when re-registering a vehicle.

Smith received instructions from the Highway Department's motor division to strictly enforce the provision of the Texas Title Act requiring that a certificate of title and expiring receipt be produced when registering a car.

March 31 is the deadline for buying the new plates without penalty, but Smith urged early registration of cars and trucks to avoid a last-minute rush. He advised car owners to check now to see if their title has been misplaced, as it takes a week or longer to secure a duplicate of the title certificate.

The 1959 plates will be the reverse of 1958 plates, with black letters and numerals on a white background.

## USDA SETS 1959 COTTON PRICE SUPPORT AT 30.40

The Agriculture Department Friday announced a base price support of 30.40 cents a pound for this year's cotton grown in compliance with regular federal planting control allotments.

It also announced a base rate of 24.70 cents for cotton grown under an alternate production control program allowing grow-

ers to exceed regular allotments 40 per cent.

These rates apply to 7/8-inch cotton, the base grade for price support purposes.

Premiums are offered for better grades, while poorer ones are discounted.

Legislation enacted last year set up the alternate choice program granting supports at not less than 80 per cent of parity for growers complying with allotments and 15 per cent percentage points less for growers electing to overplant allotments 40 per cent.

Last year's single base rate—only for cotton grown in compliance with allotments—was 31.32 cents a pound.

Friday's rates reflect 80 per cent and 65 per cent of parity, respectively for the two levels of support. The rates were based upon the department's calculation that the parity price of cotton next August 1, the beginning of the 1959 crop marketing year, will be 38 cents a pound.

This compares with 39.55 cents for the parity price last August 1.

## Quarterback Club to Meet Friday Night

All members of the Knox City Quarterback Club are urged by John Waddell, president, to attend a meeting of the club tomorrow (Friday) night.

The meeting will be at the field house beginning at 7:30. Final plans will be made for the magician show to be sponsored by the club later this month, and the possibility of buying an electric scoreboard for the football field will be discussed, Waddell said.

Several county officials agree that the county was "hooked" last fall when a county contractor was almost \$8,000 to "repair" courthouse.

Contract called for severals that will be done overnight—if the courthouse imminent bond issue passes. We retract, but the work was done under FOUR contracts avoiding the state piling counties or cities arise for competitive bids pending \$2,000 or more.

man had one contract to haul the south side of all the in the courthouse for \$4.00; an identical contract to haul the north wall for \$7.00; one covering the east e for \$1,976.00 for the st wall for

It was contractor's claim that the courthouse roof was structurally unsound and his offer to fix it for \$35,000, we understand, that prompted the commissioners to call in competent, reputable architects and engineers, who found that there was no structural weakness.

The present repair program includes a new 20-year roof at \$1,425, which is considerably less than \$35,000!

We've always warned our readers against doing business with fast-talking, fast-traveling, fly-by-night "home repair" men, who are especially plentiful in the fall of the year. Now it seems our county officials should beware of "courthouse repair men!"

The downtown business district is undergoing some more improvements. C. E. Williams and Bill Sams have moved their offices—No, that's another story!

The display windows at City Hardware have been taken out and a new plate glass front is going in. The change will give the store more floor space, make it more modern in appearance, and at the same time eliminate a "tumble weed catcher."

Otto Lawson says he has removed many a tumble weed from the front of the store, and has never found any money in one. So Ernest Teaff was mighty lucky recently when he found two one-dollar bills attached to a weed!

C. E. Williams and Bill Sams have moved their offices, along with TV Antenna Service Co., to the newly remodeled Williams building on the Munday highway. They invite all their customers, clients, patrons, friends, coffee drinkers, and golf partners to call at their new location.

And if you haven't any other reason, stop in anyway to see the mural in the reception room. It looks real!

One cold spell has been following another so fast it's hard to tell when one stops and another begins.

One business man says as sure as his long handles in wash, it's bound to rain today!

See Monday and caused the Knox close Tuesday others in the caught a little rain crop. But was so dry and make a good thing of a

Here's the use on of Cotton Offered

course on identical all the available, cotton in is rolling and it's prompt delivery!

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Stephen 202 MAIN

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# STATE CAPITAL Highlights AND Sidelights

by Vern Sanford  
TEXAS PRESS ASSOCIATION

AUSTIN Texas — With committees appointed and put to work, Speaker Waggoner Carr urged House members to be "especially industrious" to save both time and money. Answers, he said, will "not be any easier to find next summer than this winter and spring."

Appropriations Committee responded by putting itself on a five-days-a-week, eight-hours-a-day schedule, aimed at having the big appropriations bill ready in 60 days. Ordinarily, other legislation is held back until appropriation decisions are made.

**HOUSE COMMITTEES** — Top committees and their leaders are: Appropriations, W. S. Heatly of Paducah, chairman, John Huebner of Bay City, vice chairman; Revenue and Taxation, V. L. Ramsey of Beckville, chairman, Frates S. Sceligion of San Antonio, vice chairman; State Affairs, Richard Cory of Victoria, chairman, Max C. Smith of San Marcos, vice chairman; Oil and Gas, Wesley Roberts of Lamesa, chairman, Richard Slack of Pecos, vice chairman.

**Constitutional Amendments**, James M. Cotten of Weatherford, chairman, Frank McGregor of Waco, vice chairman; Insurance, Carl C. Conley of Raymondville, chairman, Joe Chapman of Sulphur Springs, vice chairman; Motor Traffic, H. J. Blanchard of Lubbock, chairman, Rufus Kilpatrick of Beaumont, vice chairman, Agriculture, Truett Latimer of Abilene, chairman, Harold B. Parish of Taft, vice chairman.

**SENATE COMMITTEES** — Less drastic, but fully as important to legislation processes, were Lt. Gov. Ben Ramsey's selections of Senate committees.

Top posts are concentrated among veteran Senators, experienced in government, and in accord with the conservative philosophy predominant in the Upper House. Heaviest respon-

sibility will be in the hands of Sen. Dorsey Hardeman of San Angelo, State Affairs chairman, and Sen. William S. Fly of Victoria, Finance chairman.

Other committee leaders include State Affairs, Jop Fuller of Port Arthur, vice chairman; Finance, Preston Smith of Lubbock, vice chairman; Agriculture and Livestock, George Moffett of Chillicothe, chairman, Culp Krueger of El Campo, vice chairman; Labor and Management Relations, George Parkhouse of Dallas, chairman, Krueger, vice chairman.

Also Oil and Gas, Frank Owen of El Paso, chairman, Moffett, vice chairman; Insurance, Floyd Bradshaw of Weatherford, chairman, Owen, vice chairman; Transportation, Abraham Kazen Jr. of Laredo, chairman, William T. Moore of Bryan, vice chairman; Constitutional Amendments, Bill Wood of Tyler, chairman, Jimmy Phillips of Angleton, vice chairman.

**GAS "EXPLOSION" DUE** — Battle lines are drawn swiftly and heavy artillery rolled up for the fight over Gov. Price Daniel's tax program, particularly the gas severance tax.

**HANDS OFF** — Governors of 28 other states have joined him, says Governor Daniel, in a fight against President Eisenhower's proposed 1 1/2-cent raise of the federal gasoline tax. This tax should be left to the states, the governor believes.

**GRIST FOR THE SESSION** — Most of the bills which will be stirring up the air in the next few weeks already are in the mills. Among them are these measures which would: Provide for party registration by voters at the time they pay their poll taxes, by Rep. Jamie Clements of Crockett. Only persons registered as party members would be allowed to participate in primaries and conventions; Raise teachers pay by approximately \$800 a year, and lengthen school year to 190 days, by Rep. L. DeWitt Hale of Corpus Christi; Increase liquor taxes from \$1.40 to \$2.50 a gallon, by Rep. Pete LaValle of Texas City; Tax Corporation Income on a graduated scale, by Rep. Dean Johnston of Houston, to raise an estimated \$20,000,000 annually; Increase truck weight limit from 52,420 to 72,000 pounds, by Rep. R. L. Strickland of San Antonio;

Require open meetings by all governmental agencies, except where they are now required by law to be confidential, by Rep. Truett Latimer of Abilene; Change primary election dates from July and August to the first and fourth Tuesdays in May, by Rep. Marshall O. Bell of San Antonio;

Give all cities of more than 10,000 full authority to regulate

## People, Spots In The News

**'WEAPONS SYSTEM'** concept is embodied in this F-106 jet interceptor, with Hughes Aircraft Co.'s new MA-1 electronic system flying plane through all phases of flight, freeing pilot for tactical decisions.



**TIRED BUT smiling**, Fidel Castro reaches Havana as climax of his successful overthrow of Batista government in Cuba.

**COOL, MAN!** Seven tons from a nearby mountain went into this snowman who was "something for the girls" at a Las Vegas, Nev. hotel.



**BIG WEEK-END** for 12 flag company employees in Clifton, N.J. turned out this giant version of new 49-star American flag. It weighs 200 pounds, uses 350 yards of material, more than a mile of nylon thread.

wages and hours of firemen and policemen, by Rep. Ben D. Suderth of Brownwood;

Provide a new University of Texas medical branch; Prohibit labor unions from using regular dues and assessments for political purposes, by Sen. George Parkhouse of Dallas;

Loan state funds to communities to help establish local homes for old people, a constitutional amendment proposed by Rep. Murray Watson of Mart;

Set butterfat content of milk offered for sale at a minimum of 3 1/4 per cent, by Rep. Steve Burgess of Nacogdoches.

Raise unemployment benefits from \$28 to \$40 a week and extend pay period from 24 to 39 weeks, by Rep. Roger Daily of Houston;

Require employers to recognize a collective bargaining agent supported by a majority of employees, by Reps. Clyde Miller and Robert Eckhardt of Houston;

Allow higher speed limits on Texas highways. One proposal, by Rep. Bill Jones of Dallas, would raise maximum from 60 to 70 m. p. h. Another, by Reps. Tom James of Dallas and Louis Anderson of Midland, would permit Highway Commission to regulate maximum up or down, as road conditions justify;

Abolish poll taxes as a requisite for voting, by Reps. B. H. Dewey of Bryan and Maude Isaacks of El Paso;

Have Democratic Executive

committee members elected by direct primaries, rather than selected at the state convention, by Rep. Dewey;

Repeat the law requiring that a local vote be taken before a school can desegregate, by Rep. Don Gladden of Fort Worth;

Make Arlington State College a four-year school, by Sens. Doyle Willis of Fort Worth and George Parkhouse of Dallas. Similar proposals were put forward for John Tarleton College at Stephenville and Midwestern University, Wichita Falls;

Allow Legislators to set their own pay by a two-thirds record vote, a constitutional amendment by Sen. Dorsey Hardeman of San

## Hospital News

Patients in the Knox County Hospital February 2 were:

Mrs. D. E. Wells, Knox City; Hugh Eubanks, Truscott; C. W. Pack, Knox City; Mrs. Ida Hertel, Benjamin; Thelma Williams Munday; Lorenzo Jackson, Knox City; Tom P. Robinson, Knox City; Sam Warren, Munday; June Ann Gough, Knox City; Mrs. S. L. Favor, Knox City; Mrs. John May, Knox City; Josephine Reynolds, Knox City; Mrs. Sam Warren, Munday; Joe Landa Ybarra, Munday; C. C. Anderson, O'Brien; Lola Figueiroa, O'Brien; Mrs. Clarence Thompson, Knox City; Mrs. R. Kilcrease, Benjamin; Mrs. John Robinson, Knox City.

Patients dismissed from the hospital since Jan. 26 were:

E. H. Harrison, Munday; Mrs. Arnold Brown, Knox City; Mrs. Jewell Day, Knox City; H. H. Wheeler, Knox City; Robert Rhodes, Knox City; A. E. Propps, Knox City; Mrs. J. R. Hanks, Goree; Gerald Dee Gough, Knox City; Mrs. Willis Pack, Knox City; Betty Ray, O'Brien; Elton Williams, Knox City; Altae Williams, Knox City; Aljeo Losoya, O'Brien; Delpha Wilson, Knox City; Guy McLaine, Jr., O'Brien; Melissa McCauley, Munday; Mrs. G. R. Haynie, Munday; Patricia Maldonado, Knox City; Karen Crawford, Munday; Frank Scott, Munday; Leslie Joe Morris, O'Brien; J. Martin Maldonado, Knox City; Stewart Waddell, Knox City; Mrs. V. G. Crawford, Munday; Mrs. Henry G. Jones, Knox City; Mrs. Chas. Moorehouse, Munday; Harry Hickman, Knox City; Willis Pack, Knox City; Mrs. John Schwadlenak, Knox City; Mrs. Arthur Chaney, Munday; James Williams, Munday; Luz Lasaya, O'Brien; Shirley Nell Williams, Munday; Billy Groves, Knox City; Andy Garcia, Munday; Stewart Harris, Knox City; W. M. Hertel, Benjamin; Mrs. Vern Stubbs, Knox City; Mrs. George F. Hagle, Goree.

Births January 26-February 2: Mr. and Mrs. John Robinson

Angelo; Ban automobile selling on Sunday, by Sen. Ray Roberts of McKinney.

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Knox City, a son.  
Mr. and Mrs. Henry Jones  
Knox City, a daughter.  
Mr. and Mrs. J. Maldonado  
Knox City, a son.  
Mr. and Mrs. G. R. Haynie  
Munday, a son.

proof of her age, also. The social security people will help you get the proofs if necessary.

Joe Nesbitt, field representative of the Social Security Office in Wichita Falls, will be in Knox City at the City Hall at 10:00 a. m. on January 21st.

## Streams In Desert Places

Ozelle Stephens  
Keep looking up. The Lord is the same yesterday and today and forever. Delight yourself in Him and He will give you the desires of your heart. He is the Lord who keepeth you. "Thy God, be it is that doth go with thee: He will not fall thee, nor forsake thee." (Deut. 31:6). Listen to His voice calling unto you. "Let not your heart be troubled: Ye believe in God, believe also in Me." (John 14:1).

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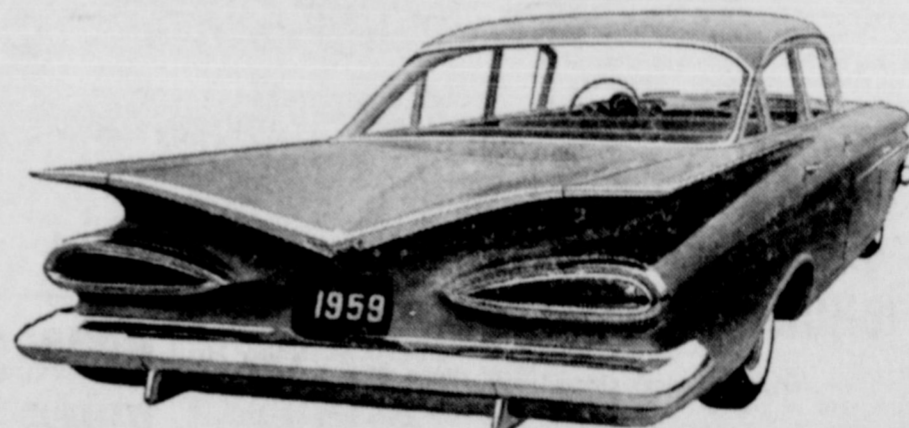
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Biscayne 4-Door Sedan shows the Fisher Body beauty of Chevrolet's lowest priced series for '59.

## CHEVY'S NEW HI-THRIFT 6

More miles are back in a gallon of regular-grade gas—up to 10% more—and Chevy's new Hi-Thrift 6 engine puts them there. It also gives you more "git" in the speeds you drive the most.

Here's an engine that always seems able to coax extra miles out of a tank of regular-grade gas. In fact, if you're one of those drivers who keep tab on things like gas mileage, you'll soon see for yourself that this new Hi-Thrift 6 gets up to 10% more miles a gallon.

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**VELVEETA CHEESE** 2 lbs. 89¢

OAK FARMS  
**MELLORINE** 1/2 gallon 39¢

## O'Brien News

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Yarbrough and children were in Odessa over the week end to attend Mr. Yarbrough's brother's wedding.

Rev. Mickey Johnston of Henrietta visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. O. S. Johnston, last week.

Mrs. Ninnie Harris of Colorado is here to be with her mother, Mrs. Ella Griffin, who is seriously ill in Haskell County Hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. R. T. Carney transacted business in Abilene one day last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Milton Rowan and family were in Abilene last Friday to attend the automobile show.

Mr. and Mrs. S. N. Reed and A. A. Cox returned Saturday from the Valley where they had spent the last two weeks transacting business.

Mr. and Mrs. Oather Poe and Bonnie spent the week end in Odessa with Mrs. Poe's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Leo Duncan, and other relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. John L. Grindstaff will leave Thursday for Washington D. C. to attend a REA convention. They plan to return in 10 days.

Kay Ford spent the week end with her parents in Lamesa.

The Grade School basketball teams were in a tournament at Avoca last week end. Both teams defeated Aspermont Thursday night. Scores were 12-10 in the girls game and 42-16 in the boys game. The boys played Avoca and the girls played Paint Creek and the boys lost. Saturday night the girls played Albany for third place and were defeated. The boys were defeated for third place by Hawley. The Paint Creek girls and the Albany boys were winners.

Mrs. R. B. Walsworth of Spur and Mrs. Leo Guffey of Lubbock visited Mrs. M. E. Griffin last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Holmes had as guests in their home their daughter, Betty, and family of Aspermont.

Paul Dean Gothard, student at McMurry, spent the mid-semester holidays with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. S. Gothard.

Herschell Foree, also a McMurry student, spent his holidays with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Foree.

Lowell Rowan, Royce Manning and Jerry Johnston, students at Hardin-Simmons, Abilene, spent several days with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Milton Rowan, Mr. and Mrs. Orval Manning, and Mr. and Mrs. F. A. Johnston.

Bobby Hanson, student at Texas Tech, spent the holidays with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Louis Hanson.

### School Lunchroom Menus Announced

Menus at the Knox City School Lunchroom for the week beginning Feb. 9 will be as follows:

Mon.: Salmon croquettes with cream gravy, whipped potatoes, green beans, whole wheat bread, butter, fruit cobbler, milk.

Tues.: Meat loaf with tomato sauce, English peas, buttered corn, vegetable salad, cornbread, butter, ice cream sandwiches, milk.

Wed.: Ham sandwiches, potato chips, pork and beans, green salad, cake squares, milk.

Thurs.: Frito pie, blackeyed peas, cole slaw, sliced bread, butter, fruit jello, milk.

Fri.: Pinto beans, French fries, green salad, cornbread, butter, coconut pudding, milk.

### ANNOUNCE BIRTH OF SON

Mr. and Mrs. John (Duck) Robinson have announced the birth of a son on Saturday, Jan. 31, in the Knox County Hospital.

The boy was named Wallace Kelly. He weighed eight pounds, three and one-half ounces.

Mrs. Robinson is the former Kay Lynn Davis, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Bert Davis of O'Brien. Mr. and Mrs. Guy Robinson are paternal grandparents.

Miss Andy Hudson of Ft. Worth spent the week end with Samantha Graham in the Jeff Graham home. Her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Buck Hudson, were visiting relatives in Munday.

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THE LOVELACES



MISS COMPTON, BILLY GILPIN EXCHANGE VOWS HERE THURSDAY

Miss Patricia Ann Compton and Billy Lee Gilpin were united in marriage Thursday, Jan. 29, at 7 p. m. The double ring ceremony was read in the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. M. Compton. Parents of the bridegroom are Mr. and Mrs. Jess T. Gilpin.

Rev. Oscar Bruce of Haskell, former pastor of the Knox City Methodist Church, performed the ceremony in an informal blue and white setting.

Ushers were Stanley Compton, brother of the bride, and Palmer Brooks Campsey, both of Knox City. Best man was Frank Neil Hall of Van.

Nuptial music was provided by Mrs. Tommy Abe Watson, organist, and Miss Rachel Butler of Stephenville, soloist. Mrs. Palmer Brooks Campsey gave a reading.

The bride, given in marriage by her father, was attired in a street-length dress of white satin, embroidered with iridescent sequins and seed pearls. The fitted bodice featured a Sabrina neckline and brief sleeves. Her shoulder-length veil was attached to a satin headpiece studded with sequins and seed pearls. She carried a bouquet of gardenias

surrounded by stephanotis atop a white Bible.

Something old was a pearl necklace. Her wedding attire was new, and borrowed was a pair of pearl earrings from her grandmother, Mrs. Chas. Dunlap. She wore a blue garter and in her shoe she wore a lucky coin which belonged to her great-grandfather, R. N. Compton.

Matron of honor was Mrs. David Damron of Lubbock. She wore a costume of heavenly blue silk and carried a nosegay of white feathered carnations.

Following the ceremony a reception was held in the home. The refreshment table was covered with a white cut-work linen cloth over blue, and centered with an arrangement of white carnations. The three-tiered cake was decorated with rosebuds and topped with white wedding bells and blue forget-me-nots. Mrs. LaRoy Stubbs served coffee from a silver service. Miss Wanda Bartlett poured punch and Miss Patsy Denton served cake. Mrs. Montie White registered. Music was provided by Mrs. Dusty Bateman.

When the couple left for travel

to Fort Worth, the bride was wearing a coral suit styled with mink trim.

Both Mr. and Mrs. Gilpin are graduates of Knox City High School. She attended McMurry College, Abilene, and Tarleton State College, Stephenville where she was a member of D. S. T. Rodeo Club, a majorette two years, senior editor of the Grass-burr, member of the college choir, and a member of the Ag-gettes.

Gilpin is a student at Arlington State College.

Parents of the bridegroom were hosts for the rehearsal dinner at Roddy's on Wednesday evening.

Out-of-town guests for the wedding were from Bryan, San Antonio, El Paso, Galesburg, Ill., Abilene, Graham, Fort Worth, Knox City, Lubbock, and Stephenville.

The couple is at home at 2841 Avenue H, Fort Worth.

### Miss Givens to Wed

Mr. and Mrs. Charley Givens have announced the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter, Glenda, to Drayton Headen, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. Headen of Carrollton. The wedding will be in February.

Both the bride-elect and prospective bridegroom are students in Ranger College.

Mr. and Mrs. David Slaughter and daughter of Ranger visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Olvis Hamm, during mid-semester holidays of Ranger College. Slaughter is football coach at the college.

Mrs. Kenneth White and girls of Edmondson visited relatives in Knox City over the week end.

### Student Council Elects Officers

Officers of the Knox City High School Student Council were elected Friday, Jan. 29, when they met for organization.

Jimmy Abbott was elected president. Other officers are: Vice-president, Pretrecia Hendrix; secretary-treasurer, Lanear Hendrix; and parliamentarian, Ted Harper.

Other members of the council elected from each high school class by their class members are James Weedon and Donald Verhalen, freshmen; and Lyndol Cypert and Jeanette Colson, sophomores. Pretrecia Hendrix and Harper are junior representatives and Lanear Hendrix and Abbott are senior representatives.

Sponsor is Keltion Tidwell, science teacher.

The council recently met with the Hamlin council for lunch and to look at that council's constitution and by-laws. Application for membership in the Texas Association of Student Councils has been applied for.

### ATTEND DISTRICT MEETING

Eight Knox City women were in Munday last Thursday to attend the district meeting of the Women's Society of Christian Service, Methodist church.

They were Mmes. Oran D. Smith, Perry C. Spenny, Don Railsback, A. J. Keathley, S. M. Clonts, C. C. Hoge, T. S. Edwards, and L. W. Graham.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Spikes and daughters, Roma Jan and Vicki, of Crowell visited Mr. and Mrs. Henry Jones and Mr. and Mrs. Henry Jean Jones and family in Tuesday.

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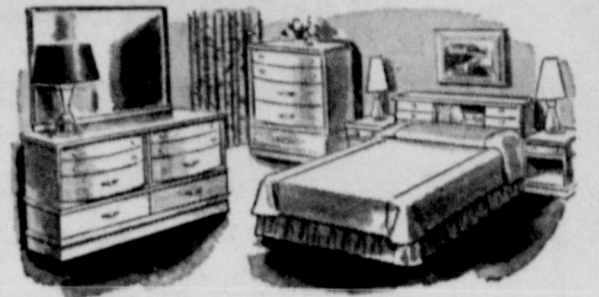
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## KNOX COUNTY VOTERS . . .

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## ON THE \$55,000 COURTHOUSE IMPROVEMENT BOND ISSUE

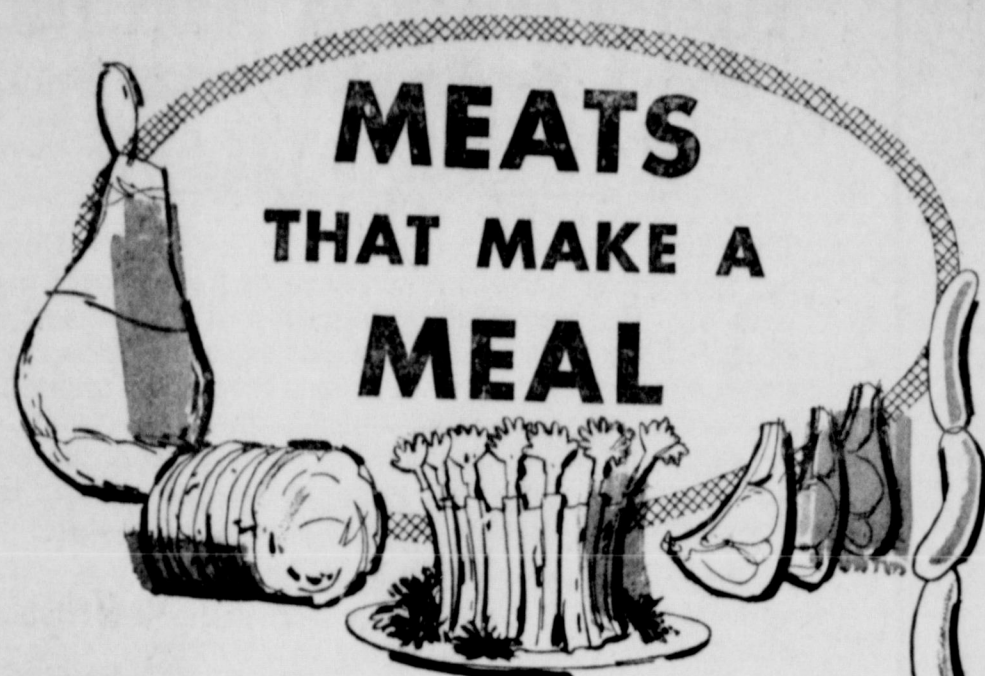
The county just recently spent about \$8,000 to stop the Courthouse from leaking. If this money was wisely spent, surely other necessary repairs could be made at a more reasonable figure.

According to the last county audit 'Dec. 31, 1957' Knox County still owes about \$170,000 Principal on building bonds. So far just interest-None of the principal-has been paid on the jail bonds.

**LET'S STOP THIS SPEND, SPEND, SPEND POLICY OF OUR COUNTY OFFICIALS!**

# VOTE NO In The Election February 7!

(Pol. Adv. Paid for by Knox County Voters.)



# MEATS THAT MAKE A MEAL

GRADE A  
**Fryers** Fresh Dressed lb. **27¢**

ARMOUR'S STAR  
**Bacon** Ranch Style 2 lb. pkg. **98¢**

GOOCH'S RANCH STYLE  
**Sausage** Pure Pork 2 lb. pkg. **79¢**

**Picnic Hams** Gooch's lb. **29¢**

Yellow Quarters  
**FARMDALE OLEO**  
2 lbs. **29¢**

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**BISCUITS**  
All Brands  
2 for **19¢**

FANCY TENDER  
**BEEF RIBS** lb. **29¢**

**PET INSTANT**  
NON-FAT DRY MILK  
4 qt. size ..... **35¢**  
12 qt. size ..... **89¢**

BOSS BRAND  
**FRANKS** package **29¢**

KRAFT'S CHEESE FOOD  
**VELVEETA** 2 lb. box **79¢**

BORDEN'S INSTANT  
**POTATOES** box **35¢**

FOREMOST  
**SWEET MILK** 1/2 gal. **39¢**

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EATON'S  
**ORANGE JUICE** 5 cans **\$1.00**

BREADED  
**SHRIMP** package **53¢**

**Kraft Oil** Quart **59¢**

VAL-VITA YELLOW CLING — No. 2 1/2 can  
**PEACHES** 4 for **\$1.00**

KIMBELL'S  
**Apple Butter** 20 oz. tumbler **35¢**

WASHING POWDER  
**TREND** 2 boxes **35¢**

GOLDEN  
**BANANAS** lb. **10¢**

Fresh California — Cello. Bag  
**CARROTS** 1 lb. **9¢**

Colorado Red — Mesh Bag  
**SPUDS** 10 lbs. **39¢**

JUMBO STALK  
**CELERY** each **9¢**

LARGE FIRM HEADS  
**LETTUCE** each **15¢**

TEXAS RUBY RED  
**GRAPEFRUIT** 5 lb. bag **35¢**

FRESH  
**CRANBERRIES** 1 lb. box **10¢**

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WHITE SWAN  
**COFFEE**  
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FRENCH DRESSING, 8 oz. bottle ..... **29¢**

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# "M" SYSTEM STORES

## Former Knox Minister Reports On Mission Work in Sweden

Mitchell S. Greer, former minister of the Knox City Church of Christ, has mailed the Herald a report on his first 20 months of mission work in Sweden.

Mr. and Mrs. Green and daughter, Robanne, went to Sweden in the spring of 1957, along with Payne Hattox and family of Munday and Mr. and Mrs. Dan Billingsly of Carrollton. Sailing with them were several other Church of Christ ministers and their families, bound for other Scandinavian countries. Since they left the states the Greens have another child, Randi Ray.

Greer's mission work in Sweden is sponsored principally by the Midwest City Church of Christ in Oklahoma City. He expects to return to the states for a visit sometime in early 1960.

The minister's letter follows:

Dear Friends:

The new year is now well underway, and soon a full two years of our work here in Sweden will be in the past. Almost eight inches of snow now covers the ground, and the cold and darkness of the Northern winter sometimes reminds us of some discouraging times in this work. But the beauty of the sun occasionally peeking out during the short daylight hours, reminds us of the "brighter spots" and the hope that lies beyond what we can see.

When we came to Sweden in May of 1957, we had little idea of the many tasks that lay ahead of us—both in adjusting to a new life, and in starting a work completely new to this country. The first task, finding a meeting place and living quarters for the three families, seemed almost hopeless. This took six weeks, housing is so scarce here. Among a people strange to us, with different foods, different measuring systems, different money, and a different language, even grocery

shopping became a nerve-wracking problem. We were able to buy small European cars, used, and began to learn to drive on the left side of the road—with a number of hair-raising experiences. We tried to make contacts with the people who could understand us, and took language lessons to learn to talk to others. We started our public services in a small, rented hall, in among several sects of bad reputations. We held public services and private studies with the aid of interpreters, and with all the misunderstandings that necessarily accompany such interpretation. (For instance, in one sermon I said, "Sometimes we must even leave our parents to serve Christ." My interpreter misunderstood, and translated "parents" as "pants". Some of the mistakes were not funny and doubtless some of them worked their damage without ever being caught by any of us.) We began without Swedish song books, tracts, class materials, or any kind of aids for teaching in Swedish. The Swedish Bibles had to be read for us by our interpreters.

We soon made some contacts, especially through newspaper ads which are highly effective here, and drew small crowds to our services. We learned to sing songs in Swedish. We had tracts translated and printed (our 13th tract should be completed soon) and a six-lesson correspondence course. We gradually became able to conduct private studies without interpreters. After our first nine months we preached in Swedish from translated manuscripts, and later without any translation help. Several gospel meetings were conducted, some with visiting preachers. The power of the Lord's word converted 14 people within 16 months, in a land where less than 5% of the people attend any kind of church services regularly. We made efforts to overcome many handicaps beginning the production of colored slides in Swedish for home Bible classes—the ladies working on a Bible story book for use in children's classes—and above all, searching for a decent meeting place. A number of times we could not rent our two little rooms for regularly scheduled services. Sometimes, tax declarations had been piled in the meeting place, or Communist signs and literature when the Communist Election Bureau was using the same place part-time. On occasions, beer bottles had been outside the door, cigarette stubs littered the floor inside, and drunks had been

sleeping in the small auditorium. It was little wonder that some visitors made slighting comments, others just never came back, and friends warned us that we must have a different meeting-place if our plea for a return to the Bible was even to be given a hearing—much less accepted. Other discouraging events occurred when a native preacher left us for another group because they could furnish him a house, two faithful members were found to be living in adultery, and several became disinterested and unfaithful.

However, we face the year ahead with hopes for much improvement and progress in this work. We hope to secure a place of our own in a much better part of the city. Definite plans on this are slow to develop, but complete information should be available soon now. If this is accomplished, we will contact a much better class of people—the dependable, stable Swedes. And a few of our present members continue to hold our hopes high for a solid nucleus of Swedish members. Also two other fine families are now studying the Bible and manifesting great interest. For the benefit of all of these, as well as to interest new prospects, we are planning a short series of meetings for almost every month. This week, Brother Cline Paden of Copenhagen, Denmark, will be preaching here for five nights, January 14-18. Simultaneously we are increasing our advertising programs, and printing new tracts such as: "Neither Catholic, Protestant, nor Jew." We plan also to try one weekly service completely in English for the part of the population that speaks and understands English well. The colored films for home Bible studies are available in English, and should be ready for use in Swedish this month. Six sets are being made in Swedish—three for use by those of us who are here now—and three for the unknown preachers that we hope will come . . . SOON.

Jo Billingsly and Lois have nearly completed work on material for 3 months for some children's Bible classes. The mimeographed books will be already prepared for any new workers along with all the tracts and other materials in Swedish. Although we still need more materials provided, and are especially in need of the meeting-place for the progress of the Lord's cause one of our greatest needs now is for more workers to come and help spread the gospel. The Hattox family is to return to the States soon, and the Billingsly family plans to leave in August for a few months visit home. We plan to do the same in December, when we will have been here more than 2½ years. These plans mean an increased need for additional workers. One of us would be here all the time to work with any new family that could come to Stockholm this year. And the desperate need continues for preachers to begin new works in Goteborg, Malmo, and other Swedish cities.

I must also mention the new "Skandinavisk Kristen" (Scandinavian Christian), an eight-page paper to be printed monthly by the church in Oslo, Norway, with the other congregations in Scandinavia cooperating. The first issue is just out, with articles in Danish, Swedish, and Norwegian, to teach and encourage both members and contacts. These three languages are enough alike that the people of one country can read the other two languages. Danes, Norwegians, and Swedes can often converse with one another, each speaking his own

## Brush Control Subject Of New Leaflets

COLLEGE STATION.—Chemical brush control is dealt with extensively in three leaflets published by the Texas Agricultural Extension Service.

They are L-415, "Brush Control with Ammate," L-414, "Brush Control with 2, 4, 5-T" and L-415, "Chemical Brush Control." Authors are G. O. Hoffman and B. J. Ragsdale, extension range specialists.

Each leaflet contains a chart giving instructions and information about the particular chemical it deals with. The charts explain the kind of brush, size of brush, method of application, chemical mixture, season of application and kind of equipment needed. Diagrams are included in addition to detailed instructions on how to make cuts and the amount of chemical solution to apply.

These leaflets are available free of charge from local county agents or the Agricultural Information Office, College Station Texas.

## ATTEND FUNERAL

Misses Clifford and Blanche Elliott were in Pampa Wednesday to attend funeral services for their brother-in-law, E. H. Harris.

Mr. Harris, who had been ill for some time, died at 5 p. m. Monday. Services were held at the Methodist Church in Pampa Wednesday afternoon.

native tongue. With this advantage, we hope to make good use of the talent from each country for the strengthening of the work in all three.

Mentioning languages reminds me that our study of Swedish at the University of Stockholm is to be resumed this week. And with the meeting in progress, that means lots of extra work. So, for now, may we express to you our thanks for all your help and encouragement during the past year. As the Swedish people do after Christmas, may we also wish you "en god fortsattning" (a good continuation). May everything continue well for you is our prayer to God. Write to us soon.

Sincerely,  
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## ELECTION CALLED - SATURDAY, FEB. 7 \$55,000 Courthouse Improvement Bonds NO INCREASE IN TAX RATE

The Commissioners Court of Knox County last November employed a well known firm of Fort Worth architects to make a careful examination of the present condition of the Courthouse. Their report of this survey states that when the building was erected, it was a first class building, well built and designed, however, over the years much damage has taken place and deterioration has set up principally due to weather, water leakage, freezing and ravages of time.

According to the architects estimate the cost will be approximately \$55,000.00 to correct the defective conditions now existing and to put the building in first class condition; so in order to conserve our investment in the Courthouse, an election on the authority to issue that amount of bonds will be up to the qualified voters in a bond election Saturday, February 7th.

Many questions will be asked with probably some inaccurate answers so we set out below important questions with correct answers.

QUESTION—When was our Courthouse built?

ANSWER—Completed in the year 1934.

QUESTION—How much did it cost?

ANSWER—\$93,300.00

QUESTION—How much would it cost if built at present prices?

ANSWER—According to architects estimate about \$350,000.00

QUESTION—How many bonds do we owe on our Courthouse?

ANSWER—NONE—All have been paid.

QUESTION—How much will my tax rate be increased to pay these \$55,000.00 of bonds?

ANSWER—NONE—Your tax rate for Courthouse, Hospital & Jail purposes will remain the same as heretofore.

QUESTION—Why will my tax rate for the above purposes be the same?

ANSWER—Because all the Courthouse Bonds have been paid and because of the excellent condition of the Hospital and Jail Bond Sinking Fund set up to pay that debt.

QUESTION—When will all of the Hospital Bonds be paid?

ANSWER—March 1, 1966—Seven years.

QUESTION—When will all of the Jail Bonds be paid?

ANSWER—February 15, 1974—Fifteen years.

QUESTION—When will all of the proposed Courthouse Bonds be paid?

ANSWER—March 1, 1970—Eleven years.

QUESTION—What tax rate is levied for Courthouse, Hospital & Jail purposes?

ANSWER—25c—The statutory tax for permanent improvements.

QUESTION—Would my tax rate for permanent improvements be reduced if this election should be defeated?

ANSWER—NO—Because this tax money must be used for temporary repairs and upkeep each year which will not solve the immediate need to prevent further deterioration of our Courthouse.

QUESTION—Who can vote in this election?

ANSWER—Qualified electors who have personal or real estate property on the County's tax roll and hold a 1958 Knox County poll tax receipt or are exempt from paying for same because of age.

QUESTION—When is the election?

ANSWER—Saturday, February 7th.

QUESTION—Where do I vote?

ANSWER—At the same place you vote in General Elections.

QUESTION—It apparently is good business to protect my investment in our courthouse without any increase in my tax rate. Is this correct?

ANSWER—Yes—PROTECT YOUR INVESTMENT—NO INCREASE IN TAX RATE—

## VOTE FOR THE BONDS!

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Notice is hereby given that the Commissioners' Court of Knox County will receive bids from any Banking Corporation, Association, or individual Banker in Knox County, Texas, for the depositing of Public Funds belonging to said county, and funds in the hands of the County and District Clerks Trust Funds, up to and including ten o'clock A. M. February 8, 1959.

The Bank, Association or individual banker, will be required to enter into a bond, as required by law, before qualifying as County Depository, and the Commissioners' Court reserves the right to reject any and all bids.

Given under my hand and seal of said Court, this 22 day of January, A. D. 1959.

L. A. PARKER  
County Judge, Knox County  
Texas. 2c9

**NOTICE OF SALE**  
**TEMPORARY NOTES**

**HOUSING AUTHORITY OF THE CITY OF KNOX CITY, TEXAS**

Sealed proposals will be received by the Housing Authority of the City of Knox City, Texas (hereinafter called the "Local Authority") at City Hall (P. O. Box 235) in the City of Knox City, Texas, until, and publicly opened at, twelve o'clock Noon (C. S. T.) on February 17, 1959, for the purchase of \$200,000.00 Temporary Notes (Sixth Series), being issued to aid in financing its low-rent housing project.

The notes will be dated March 10, 1959, will be payable to bearer on March 11, 1960, and will bear interest at the rate or rates per annum fixed in the proposals accepted for the purchase of such notes.

All proposals for the purchase of said notes shall be submitted in a form approved by the local Authority. Copies of such form of proposals and information concerning the notes may be obtained from the Local Authority at the address indicated above. 2c9

**CARD OF THANKS**

We wish to express our thanks to our friends and neighbors for the beautiful floral offerings, the abundance of food, and the many kindnesses extended to us during the recent passing of our loved one, George P. Oliver. May God's richest blessings be with each of you.

Mrs. Faye T. Taylor and boys  
Mr. and Mrs. Keller Holmes  
Mrs. Ross Oliver and family  
Mrs. Gordon Oliver and family. 1tp

**VISIT HERE**

Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Sharp spent several days here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Waldrip, and other relatives. Mr. Sharp returned during the week to his studies at Arlington State College. Mr. and Mrs. Waldrip carried Mrs. Sharp and the baby home Sunday.

*Corner on Cotton*  
BY BOB COLLINS

What will Congress do about the cotton program? ... most experts agree that nothing very important will happen directly to cotton ... feeling is that the new program must have a trial before any sizeable changes are made ... behind the scenes a direct subsidy payment plan with restrictive payments to individual farmers is being talked, but probably won't appear on the floor of either house in the near future ... also being talked (and there may be some action on this) is the setting of a limit on the total funds for price support and on a crop-by-crop basis ... this results from an unexpected large price support burden ... which has helped raise total USDA outlays from an expected \$5 billion for the fiscal year to over \$7 billion if predictions prove right ... this will equal more than two-fifths of the net income of all farm operators in the country ... the President has pointed out that by July 1 the government will be holding farm surplus products worth \$9 billion and that the cost of such items as storage, interest, etc. will run about \$1 billion a year ... another target is the "open end" loan in which you can pull your cotton out of the loan and sell it on the market if the price makes this desirable ... Secretary of Agriculture Benson opposes most of these changes ... but he does want to abandon the parity formula and use some "market-price" method of arriving at support levels ... this method will be tested on the 1959 corn crop ... also, there is a move to allow a farmer who isn't going to utilize his cotton allotment to transfer it to someone else ... under present regulations this can't be done ... the farmer may turn his allotment back to the ASC committee for reassignment, but he doesn't have to and usually doesn't.

**How's That?**

Secretary Benson says "... if farmers had more freedom—and less interference from Government—their production adjustment over the years would have been more realistic."

**Misquoted**

We find the most misquoted part of the farm bill is percentage vs. points ... this is correct: Choice "B" farmers will have a support price of 15 parity POINTS less than Choice "A" ... not 15 PERCENT less.

**Picker Sales Up**

Reports indicate that the sales of mechanical cotton pickers are up for the first time in quite awhile ... does this mean there's going to be a lot of Choice "B" planting ???

**Uncle Ben from Benjamin says:**

DEAR MISTER EDITOR:

I didn't know it till I read this piece in the paper last night that the Government ever month stores away millions of dollars worth of stuff that would be essential in case of war.

I'm in favor of this system of stockpiling a little all along instead of the way they did it during the last war. We got caught with our stockpile down in that one and it was somepun to see them Congressmen flopping a round like a chicken with his head cut off trying to git things fere the war.

I recollect they come up with a War Production Board and some of the things they done was out of this world. Fer instant, they put tombstones on the non-essential list. That didn't upset the home front too much on account of most folks lives with their nose on the grindstone and they ain't got much objection to using it fer a tombstone when they passes on.

But when they made a rule that caskets had to be held to six foot in length it started a second war. I remember that the Michigan Funeral Directors and Embalmers Association filed a writ of habeas corpus or some pun that the average man could not be buried in a box six foot long without bending his knees up in such a fashion as would make his relatives mad at the undertaker. And a Michigan feller in Congress got up and asked if it hadn't "come to a hell of a mess when a man couldn't get a decent burial in America." And Congressman Bob Doughton from North Carolina answered that to help the war effort a feller shouldn't mind being put away with a slight bend in his knees.

I don't recollect how it all come out in the end, but I know things was very bad on account of us gitting caught short. I'm strong in favor of this stockpiling business and I hope they'll include caskets so's a feller can be laid to rest stretched out and comfortable. He gits a crib three foot long when he's born and he ought to git a box eight foot long when he dies. It's a long, hard fight to gain them five foot.

I see by the papers where a big New York bank is serving tea from four 'til six on Monday and Friday. I ain't surprised, with drug stores handling lawn mowers and hardware stores selling patent medicine. If I own-

**Benjamin News**

**BENJAMIN, Feb. 2.** — Mr. and Mrs. John Chilcoat visited Mrs. Myrtle Jones in Seymour Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Cash and children visited Mrs. Lillie Ryder Sunday.

Mrs. Oscar Hudspeth visited in Paducah one day last week.

Wylie Joe Meinzer of Knox City was visiting friends here Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. John Skidmore and boys of Houston spent the week end with his brother, Ray Skidmore, and family.

Mrs. Woody Roberts and Mrs. Millard McSwan of Goree visited Mrs. Willard Kilgore and family Thursday.

Mrs. Tommie Hall underwent surgery in Wichita Falls last week. Those visiting her Saturday were Mr. and Mrs. Gene Hall and daughter and Mrs. Larry Hall.

Mr. and Mrs. Steadman and children of Fort Worth visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Redwine, over the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Pete Barnett were business visitors in Munday Friday.

Mrs. Bill Ryder Jr. and daughter, Sue, were in Knox City Saturday.

D. V. Gilbert and O. V. Chitty were in Seymour on business one day last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Von R. Terry were in Wichita Falls Thursday attending to business.

Billie Trainham of Abilene spent the week end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Trainham.

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- 1 '48 Dodge 1½ Ton Truck
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## Former Knox Minister Reports On Mission Work in Sweden

Mitchell S. Greer, former minister of the Knox City Church of Christ, has mailed the Herald a report on his first 20 months of mission work in Sweden.

Mr. and Mrs. Greer and daughter, Robanne, went to Sweden in the spring of 1957, along with Payne Hattox and family of Munday and Mr. and Mrs. Dan Billingsly of Carrollton. Sailing with them were several other Church of Christ ministers and their families, bound for other Scandinavian countries. Since they left the states the Greers have another child, Randi Ray.

Greer's mission work in Sweden is sponsored principally by the Midwest City Church of Christ in Oklahoma City. He expects to return to the states for a visit sometime in early 1960.

The minister's letter follows:

Dear Friends:

The new year is now well underway, and soon a full two years of our work here in Sweden will be in the past. Almost eight inches of snow now covers the ground, and the cold and darkness of the Northern winter sometimes reminds us of some discouraging times in this work. But the beauty of the sun occasionally peeking out during the short daylight hours, reminds us of the "brighter spots" and the hope that lies beyond what we can see.

When we came to Sweden in May of 1957, we had little idea of the many tasks that lay ahead of us—both in adjusting to a new life, and in starting a work completely new to this country. The first task, finding a meeting place and living quarters for the three families, seemed almost hopeless. This took six weeks, housing is so scarce here. Among a people strange to us, with different foods, different measuring systems, different money, and a different language, even grocery

shopping became a nerve-wracking problem. We were able to buy small European cars, used, and began to learn to drive on the left side of the road—with a number of hair-raising experiences. We tried to make contacts with the people who could understand us, and took language lessons to learn to talk to others. We started our public services in a small, rented hall in among several sects of bad reputations. We held public services and private studies with the aid of interpreters, and with all the misunderstandings that necessarily accompany such interpretation. (For instance, in one sermon I said, "Sometimes we must even leave our parents to serve Christ." My interpreter misunderstood, and translated "parents" as "pants". Some of the mistakes were not funny and doubtless some of them worked their damage without ever being caught by any of us.) We began without Swedish song books, tracts, class materials, or any kind of aids for teaching in Swedish. The Swedish Bibles had to be read for us by our interpreters.

We soon made some contacts, especially through newspaper ads which are highly effective here, and drew small crowds to our services. We learned to sing songs in Swedish. We had tracts translated and printed (our 13th tract should be completed soon) and a six-lesson correspondence course. We gradually became able to conduct private studies without interpreters. After our first nine months we preached in Swedish from translated manuscripts, and later without any translation help. Several gospel meetings were conducted, some with visiting preachers.

The power of the Lord's word converted 14 people within 16 months, in a land where less than 5% of the people attend any kind of church services regularly. We made efforts to overcome many handicaps beginning the production of colored slides in Swedish for home Bible classes—the ladies working on a Bible story book for use in children's classes—and above all, searching for a decent meeting place. A number of times we could not rent our two little rooms for regularly scheduled services. Sometimes, tax declarations had been piled in the meeting place, or Communist signs and literature when the Communist Election Bureau was using the same place part-time. On occasions, beer bottles had been outside the door, cigarette stubs littered the floor inside, and drunks had been

sleeping in the small auditorium. It was little wonder that some visitors made slighting comments, others just never came back, and friends warned us that we must have a different meeting place if our plea for a return to the Bible was even to be given a hearing—much less accepted. Other discouraging events occurred when a native preacher left us for another group because they could furnish him a house, two faithful members were found to be living in adultery, and several became disinterested and unfaithful.

However, we face the year ahead with hopes for much improvement and progress in this work. We hope to secure a place of our own in a much better part of the city. Definite plans on this are slow to develop, but complete information should be available soon now. If this is accomplished, we will contact a much better class of people—the dependable, stable Swedes. And a few of our present members continue to hold our hopes high for a solid nucleus of Swedish members. Also two other fine families are now studying the Bible and manifesting great interest. For the benefit of all of these, as well as to interest new prospects, we are planning a short series of meetings for almost every month. This week Brother Cline Paden of Copenhagen, Denmark, will be preaching here for five nights, January 14-18. Simultaneously we are increasing our advertising programs, and printing new tracts such as "Neither Catholic, Protestant, nor Jew." We plan also to try one weekly service completely in English for the part of the population that speaks and understands English well. The colored films for home Bible studies are available in English, and should be ready for use in Swedish this month. Six sets are being made in Swedish—three for use by those of us who are here now—and three for the unknown preachers that we hope will come . . . SOON.

Jo Billingsly and Lois have nearly completed work on material for 3 months for some children's Bible classes. The mimeographed books will be already prepared for any new workers along with all the tracts and other materials in Swedish. Although we still need more materials provided, and are especially in need of the meeting place for the progress of the Lord's cause one of our greatest needs now is for more workers to come and help spread the gospel. The Hattox family is to return to the States soon, and the Billingsly family plans to leave in August for a few months visit home. We plan to do the same in December, when we will have been here more than 2½ years. These plans mean an increased need for additional workers. One of us would be here all the time to work with any new family that could come to Stockholm this year. And the desperate need continues for preachers to begin new works in Goteborg, Malmo, and other Swedish cities.

I must also mention the new "Skandinavisk Kristen" (Scandinavian Christian), an eight-page paper to be printed monthly by the church in Oslo, Norway, with the other congregations in Scandinavia cooperating. The first issue is just out, with articles in Danish, Swedish, and Norwegian, to teach and encourage both members and contacts. These three languages are enough alike that the people of one country can read the other two languages. Danes, Norwegians, and Swedes can often converse with one another, each speaking his own

## Brush Control Subject Of New Leaflets

COLLEGE STATION.—Chemical brush control is dealt with extensively in three leaflets published by the Texas Agricultural Extension Service.

They are L-418, "Brush Control with Ammate," L-414, "Brush Control with 2, 4, 5-T" and L-415, "Chemical Brush Control." Authors are G. O. Hoffman and B. J. Ragsdale, extension range specialists.

Each leaflet contains a chart giving instructions and information about the particular chemical it deals with. The charts explain the kind of brush, size of brush, method of application, chemical mixture, season of application and kind of equipment needed. Diagrams are included in addition to detailed instructions on how to make cuts and the amount of chemical solution to apply.

These leaflets are available free of charge from local county agents or the Agricultural Information Office, College Station, Texas.

## ATTEND FUNERAL

Misses Clifford and Blanche Elliott were in Pampa Wednesday to attend funeral services for their brother-in-law, E. H. Harris.

Mr. Harris, who had been ill for some time, died at 5 p. m. Monday. Services were held at the Methodist Church in Pampa Wednesday afternoon.

native tongue. With this advantage, we hope to make good use of the talent from each country for the strengthening of the work in all three.

Mentioning languages reminds me that our study of Swedish at the University of Stockholm is to be resumed this week. And with the meeting in progress, that means lots of extra work. So, for now, may we express to you our thanks for all your help and encouragement during the past year. As the Swedish people do after Christmas, may we also wish you "en god forsattning" (a good continuation). May everything continue well for you is our prayer to God. Write to us soon.

Sincerely,  
Mitchell S. Greer  
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## ELECTION CALLED - SATURDAY, FEB. 7 \$55,000 Courthouse Improvement Bonds NO INCREASE IN TAX RATE

The Commissioners Court of Knox County last November employed a well known firm of Fort Worth architects to make a careful examination of the present condition of the Courthouse. Their report of this survey states that when the building was erected, it was a first class building, well built and designed, however, over the years much damage has taken place and deterioration has set up principally due to weather, water leakage, freezing and ravages of time.

According to the architects estimate the cost will be approximately \$55,000.00 to correct the defective conditions now existing and to put the building in first class condition; so in order to conserve our investment in the Courthouse, an election on the authority to issue that amount of bonds will be up to the qualified voters in a bond election Saturday, February 7th.

Many questions will be asked with probably some inaccurate answers so we set out below important questions with correct answers.

QUESTION—When was our Courthouse built?

ANSWER—Completed in the year 1934.

QUESTION—How much did it cost?

ANSWER—\$93,300.00

QUESTION—How much would it cost if built at present prices?

ANSWER—According to architects estimate about \$350,000.00

QUESTION—How many bonds do we owe on our Courthouse?

ANSWER—NONE—All have been paid.

QUESTION—How much will my tax rate be increased to pay these \$55,000.00 of bonds?

ANSWER—NONE—Your tax rate for Courthouse, Hospital & Jail purposes will remain the same as heretofore.

QUESTION—Why will my tax rate for the above purposes be the same?

ANSWER—Because all the Courthouse Bonds have been paid and because of the excellent condition of the Hospital and Jail Bond Sinking Fund set up to pay that debt.

QUESTION—When will all of the Hospital Bonds be paid?

ANSWER—March 1, 1966—Seven years.

QUESTION—When will all of the Jail Bonds be paid?

ANSWER—February 15, 1974—Fifteen years.

QUESTION—When will all of the proposed Courthouse Bonds be paid?

ANSWER—March 1, 1970—Eleven years.

QUESTION—What tax rate is levied for Courthouse, Hospital & Jail purposes?

ANSWER—25c—The statutory tax for permanent improvements.

QUESTION—Would my tax rate for permanent improvements be reduced if this election should be defeated?

ANSWER—NO—Because this tax money must be used for temporary repairs and upkeep each year which will not solve the immediate need to prevent further deterioration of our Courthouse.

QUESTION—Who can vote in this election?

ANSWER—Qualified electors who have personal or real estate property on the County's tax roll and hold a 1958 Knox County poll tax receipt or are exempt from paying for same because of age.

QUESTION—When is the election?

ANSWER—Saturday, February 7th.

QUESTION—Where do I vote?

ANSWER—At the same place you vote in General Elections.

QUESTION—It apparently is good business to protect my investment in our courthouse without any increase in my tax rate. Is this correct?

ANSWER—Yes—PROTECT YOUR INVESTMENT—NO INCREASE IN TAX RATE—

## VOTE FOR THE BONDS!

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## Legal Notice

### NOTICE TO BANKING CORPORATIONS

Notice is hereby given that the Commissioners' Court of Knox County will receive bids from any Banking Corporation, Association, or individual Banker in Knox County, Texas, for the depositing of Public Funds belonging to said county, and funds in the hands of the County and District Clerks Trust Funds, up to and including ten o'clock A. M. February 8, 1959.

The Bank, Association or individual banker, will be required to enter into a bond, as required by law, before qualifying as County Depository, and the Commissioners' Court reserves the right to reject any and all bids.

Given under my hand and seal of said Court, this 22 day of January, A. D. 1959.

L. A. PARKER  
County Judge, Knox County  
Texas. 2c9

### NOTICE OF SALE TEMPORARY NOTES

#### HOUSING AUTHORITY OF THE CITY OF KNOX CITY, TEXAS

Sealed proposals will be received by the Housing Authority of the City of Knox City, Texas (hereinafter called the "Local Authority") at City Hall (P. O. Box 235) in the City of Knox City, Texas, until, and publicly opened at, twelve o'clock Noon (C. S. T.) on February 17, 1959, for the purchase of \$200,000.00 Temporary Notes (Sixth Series), being issued to aid in financing its low-rent housing project.

The notes will be dated March 10, 1959, will be payable to bearer on March 11, 1960, and will bear interest at the rate or rates per annum fixed in the proposals accepted for the purchase of such notes.

All proposals for the purchase of said notes shall be submitted in a form approved by the local Authority. Copies of such form of proposals and information concerning the notes may be obtained from the Local Authority at the address indicated above.

#### CARD OF THANKS

We wish to express our thanks to our friends and neighbors for the beautiful floral offerings, the abundance of food, and the many kindnesses extended to us during the recent passing of our loved one, George P. Oliver. May God's richest blessings be with each of you.

Mrs. Faye T. Taylor and boys  
Mr. and Mrs. Keller Holmes  
Mrs. Ross Oliver and family  
Mrs. Gordon Oliver and family. 1tp

#### VISIT HERE

Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Sharp spent several days here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Waldrip, and other relatives. Mr. Sharp returned during the week to his studies at Arlington State College. Mr. and Mrs. Waldrip carried Mrs. Sharp and the baby home Sunday.



What will Congress do about the cotton program? ... most experts agree that nothing very important will happen directly to cotton ... feeling is that the new program must have a trial before any sizeable changes are made ... behind the scenes a direct subsidy payment plan with restrictive payments to individual farmers is being talked, but probably won't appear on the floor of either house in the near future ... also being talked (and there may be some action on this) is the setting of a limit on the total funds for price support and on a crop-by-crop basis ... this results from an unexpected large price support burden ... which has helped raise total USDA outlays from an expected \$5 billion for the fiscal year to over \$7 billion if predictions prove right ... this will equal more than two-fifths of the net income of all farm operators in the country ... the President has pointed out that by July 1 the government will be holding farm surplus products worth \$9 billion and that the cost of such items as storage, interest, etc. will run about \$1 billion a year ... another target is the "open end" loan in which you can pull your cotton out of the loan and sell it on the market if the price makes this desirable ... Secretary of Agriculture Benson opposes most of these changes ... but he does want to abandon the parity formula and use some "market-price" method of arriving at support levels ... this method will be tested on the 1959 corn crop ... also, there is a move to allow a farmer who isn't going to utilize his cotton allotment to transfer it to someone else ... under present regulations this can't be done ... the farmer may turn his allotment back to the ASC committee for reassignment, but he doesn't have to and usually doesn't.

How's That?  
Secretary Benson says " ... if farmers had more freedom—and less interference from Government—their production adjustment over the years would have been more realistic."

Misquoted  
We find the most misquoted part of the farm bill is percentage vs. points ... this is correct: Choice "B" farmers will have a support price of 15 parity POINTS less than Choice "A" ... not 15 PERCENT less.

Picker Sales Up  
Reports indicate that the sales of mechanical cotton pickers are up for the first time in quite awhile ... does this mean there's going to be a lot of Choice "B" planting ???

## Uncle Ben from Benjamin says:

DEAR MISTER EDITOR:

I didn't know it till I read this piece in the paper last night that the Government ever month stores away millions of dollars worth of stuff that would be essential in case of war.

I'm in favor of this system of stockpiling a little all along instead of the way they did it during the last war. We got caught with our stockpile down in that one and it was somepun to see them Congressmen flopping a round like a chicken with his head cut off trying to git things fere the war.

I recollect they come up with a War Production Board and some of the things they done was out of this world. Fer instant, they put tombstones on the non-essential list. That didn't upset the home front too much on account of most folks lives with their nose on the grindstone and they ain't got much objection to using it fer a tombstone when they passes on.

But when they made a rule that caskets had to be held to six foot in length it started a second war. I remember that the Michigan Funeral Directors and Embalmers Association filed a writ of habeas corpus or some pun that the average man could not be buried in a box six foot long without bending his knees up in such a fashion as would make his relatives mad at the undertaker. And a Michigan feller in Congress got up and asked if it hadn't "come to a hell of a mess when a man couldn't get a decent burial in America." And Congressman Bob Doughton from North Carolina answered that to help the war effort a feller shouldn't mind being put away with a slight bend in his knees.

I don't recollect how it all come out in the end, but I know things was very bad on account of us gitting caught short. I'm strong in favor of this stockpiling business and I hope they'll include caskets so's a feller can be laid to rest stretched out and comfortable. He gits a crib three foot long when he's born and he ought to git a box eight foot long when he dies. It's a long, hard fight to gain them five foot.

I see by the papers where a big New York bank is serving tea from four 'til six on Monday and Friday. I ain't surprised, with drug stores handling lawn mowers and hardware stores selling patent medicine. If I own-

ed a cafe close to that bank, I'd start lending money on Tues day and Saturday. Yours truly,  
Uncle Ben

## Benjamin News

**BENJAMIN, Feb. 2.** — Mr. and Mrs. John Chilcoat visited Mrs. Myrtle Jones in Seymour Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Cash and children visited Mrs. Lillie Ryder Sunday.

Mrs. Oscar Hudspeth visited in Paducah one day last week. Wylie Joe Meinzer of Knox City was visiting friends here Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. John Skidmore and boys of Houston spent the week end with his brother, Ray Skidmore, and family.

Mrs. Woody Roberts and Mrs. Millard McSwan of Goree visited Mrs. Willard Kilgore and family Thursday.

Mrs. Tommie Hall underwent surgery in Wichita Falls last week. Those visiting her Saturday were Mr. and Mrs. Gene Hall and daughter and Mrs. Larry Hall.

Mr. and Mrs. Steadman and children of Fort Worth visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Redwine, over the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Pete Barnett were business visitors in Munday Friday.

Mrs. Bill Ryder Jr. and daughter, Sue, were in Knox City Saturday.

D. V. Gilbert and O. V. Chitty were in Seymour on business one day last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Von R. Terry was in Wichita Falls Thursday attending to business.

Billie Trainham of Abilene spent the week end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Trainham.

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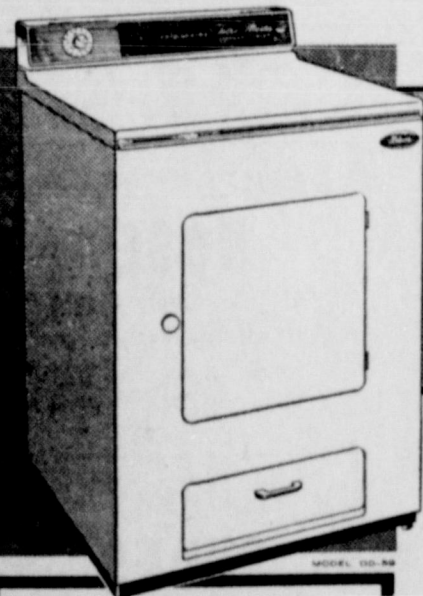
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- Tandem Disc Harrow Plows 11' to 13' 4"
- Used Irrigation Siphon Tubes Carrier & Sprinkler Line 4"-5"-6"
- Oil and Water Tank Truck Service
- 1 New 1959 Dodge Pickup
- Used Tractors and Equipment —
- 1 W-9 Tractor
- 1 F-20 with 4-row Planter and Cultivator
- 1 F-20 Tractor
- 1 Ford Tractor
- 1 Ford One-Way
- Used Breaking Plows

#### Used Cars and Trucks —

- 1 1941 V8 Ford
- 1 100-Barrel Tank Trailer
- 1 '48 Dodge 1 1/2 Ton Truck
- 1 '50 2-Door Pontiac — Cheap

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## LOWREY DRY GOODS

## AREA FARMERS MAY HAVE COTTON LAND PRE-MEASURED

Any farmer who wants to be entirely sure of compliance with the cotton allotment for 1959 may have the acreage measured in advance of planting, according to Gaylon C. Scott, Chairman of the Knox County Agricultural Stabilization and Conservation Committee. This service, which is offered to all producers of cotton is called "pre-measurement".

Every year, Scott said, there are some farmers who either exceed or underplant their cotton allotments through inaccurate measurement on their own part or because of incorrect information about the size of permanent fields. In case of overplanting, this can often cause unnecessary expense for fertilizer seed, and soil treatment. Underplanting could cause loss of farm income.

A farmer who uses pre-measurement service on his farm pays to have the work done by regular ASC performance report

ers. The pre-measured acreage will be accepted as the official measured acreage for all ASC purposes provided the farmer plants within the measured area. A later trip will be made to the farm to determine that these requirements have been met, but in most cases an additional survey will not be required.

Pre-measurement may be requested by application to the County ASC office by not later than April 1, 1959. The farmer will be asked at the time of application to deposit sufficient funds to cover the cost of the work.

### New Officers Named For Youth Center

New officers for The Kennel Knox City's youth center, were elected at a meeting Sunday.

Fred Carver was elected president. Serving with him will be: Margie Paul, vice-president; Jane Smith, secretary; Benton Bolin, treasurer; Sam Anderson, sergeant-at-arms; and Pretreia Hendrix, representative. Named adult sponsors were Mr. and Mrs. Odell Carver, Mr. and Mrs. Doyle Graham, Mr. and Mrs. M. L. Verbalen.

Plans for a semi-formal Valentine dance on Feb. 14 were made. A western dance will be held at a later date. Members voted to buy a new record player. The youth center will be open after home ball games and on Friday and Saturday nights.



W. L. Collins Jr., pre-law student at the University of Texas, has recently been appointed a Cadet PFC in the Army ROTC Brigade at the university.

Collins, a sophomore at the university, is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Rip Collins of Knox City.

### Savings Bonds Program Planned

Increased activities will be carried on in this and other counties of Texas for the 1959 step-up U. S. Savings Bonds program, W. E. Braly of Munday County Chairman of the Volunteer Bond Organization announced today.

Steps for the expanded program were detailed at a district planning meeting in Wichita Falls Mr. Braly said, at which time the increased importance of Savings Bonds to the sound economy of every person, each community and the nation was emphasized. County Bond Chairmen, Civic and Agricultural leaders, Bank officers, Newspaper editors, Radio station officials and others from the counties in this district were called to the meeting.

Beryl Godfrey of Fort Worth chairman for the Fort Worth area Savings Bonds Committee was the principal speaker at the District Savings Bond meeting in Wichita Falls, January 29.

More volunteers are being enlisted to push the program throughout the year in every community. Everything will be done to make the county goal of \$242,000 and thus help achieve the 1959 Texas goal of \$182.5 million. The national goal is \$5 billion.

The chairman urges that everyone in the county help put the 1959 Savings Bonds program over the top by buying more Bonds throughout the year.

### Soil Tests Advised By A&M Specialist

COLLEGE STATION—An inventory of your soil now will provide a basis for planning a fertilizer program which will supply needed plant nutrients and help your crops produce nearer their yield potential.

A soil test will give this inventory by determining the level of usable nutrients in the soil says Bill Bennett, extension soil chemist who is head of Texas A&M's soil testing laboratory.

"Soil tests are somewhat like finding out your bank balance," Bennett said. "If it is low, it should be replenished. If it is well filled, you're in good shape."

Slowly available nutrients which are not available now but will be in the future are important as well as readily usable nutrients, Bennett pointed out. Fertilizer recommendations based on soil tests take both forms into consideration.

Farmers should plan now to take inventory of their soil by getting a soil test, Bennett advised. Local county agents can provide advice and assistance in taking a soil sample and submitting it for testing.

Glenda Givens returned to her studies at Ranger College Tuesday after a visit here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Givens.



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## 7-STEP COTTON PROGRAM SAVES FARMERS MONEY

COLLEGE STATION.—Texas cotton producers saved an estimated \$50,000,000 in labor costs by harvesting approximately 2,000,000 bales by mechanical means during 1958. Too, reports Fred C. Elliott, extension cotton specialist, they saved another \$14 million plus through the use of machines and chemicals for controlling grass and weeds in their cotton fields.

While these savings were being made, Elliott adds, they also set an all-time high of 387 pounds of lint an acre. The specialist credits the 7-Step Cotton Program, initiated 13-years ago by the Texas Agricultural Extension Service, as a major factor in the progress made by the producers of the State's most important crop.

The program, says Elliott, brought together on the county and state basis committees representing every segment of the cotton industry and all have worked to improve their industry. Since 1946 the average lint yield per harvested acre has been increased from 134 pounds to the 1958 record yield of 387 pounds.

Last year, county agents in 204 Texas counties assisted producers with various phases of the 7-step program. Elliott says that special emphasis was placed on the use of cotton burs for soil improvement and also to reduce gin fire hazards. Burs were spread, he says on 9,735 farms in 129 counties. A few years ago most of the burs were burned as waste.

Cotton followed phosphated legumes on 20,326 farms in 151 counties; barnyard manure was used on 7,685 farms in 151 counties to increase yields and defoliants or desiccants were used on 37,885 farms in 162 counties as an aid to mechanical harvesting.

In posting the \$64 million plus savings in labor, cotton producers used 26,662 stripper harvesters and 1,831 spindle pickers in 133 and 78 counties respectively. The weed and grass control savings were made through the use of 44,496 rotary hoe equipped tractors in 157 counties and the use of spot treatment for Johnsongrass control in 148 counties. Lateral oiling with post emergence chemicals for weed control was used in 47 counties.

Elliott gives full credit to the 7-Step Cotton Committees and the county agricultural agents

for the achievement record under the program. The economy of the entire state has materially profited from the results of this cooperative effort Elliott said.

### Morrison to Head Football District

Pat Morrison, superintendent of Paint Creek Schools, Monday was elected to head District 4 Six-Man for the 1959 season. In a meeting at Goree, the district voted in favor of retaining the schools of the previous year, with first district games starting September 24 and the season closing November 5. Weinert won district last season and went on to win region one title.

Practice six-man games are being sought with other six-man schools. Vera, Benjamin, and Goree want practice 8-man games. Opening district games in district play for September 24 find Vera at Weinert, Paint Creek at O'Brien, Goree at Mattson and Benjamin having a bye.

Harry Hickman was dismissed from a Wichita Falls hospital Tuesday of last week and is now recuperating at home. He underwent surgery in Wichita Falls General Hospital the previous Friday.

### O'Brien Students to Enter Speech Tourney

The speech class of O'Brien High School will be represented by eleven students at the fourth annual high school forensics tournament at Howard Payne College, Brownwood tomorrow (Friday).

Students competing and their events are:

Jerry Covey and Danny Walworth, Sue Lewis and Lou Underwood, oratorical declamation; Sharlyn Day, Mary Bryant and Buddy Williams, dramatic declamation; Patricia LaDuke and Ann O'Neal, poetry reading; Joyce Denton and Kay Ford, duet reading; Sharlyn Day and Patricia LaDuke, extemporaneous speech.

Sponsors for the trip are Mrs. Lee Haymes, speech teacher, and Gene Sanders, commercial teacher.

### PENMAN ATTENDS CONOCO'S JOBBER ADVISORY COUNCIL

Continental Oil Company jobber, Monty Penman of Penman Oil Company, Knox City, attended the organizational meeting of Conoco's Jobber Advisory Council in Fort Worth Tuesday.

Second in a series of such meetings to be held by Conoco jobbers in Texas, Oklahoma, Louisiana and Arkansas, the council attracted distributors from throughout north and west Texas who are part of the company's Fort Worth Marketing Division.

Miss Joan Lain of Midland visited friends in Knox City a relatives in Munday during the week end.

### TOO LATE TO CLASSIFY

LOST: Yellow kitten last week. Finder please call Mrs. Sam White. 1c

FOR SALE: Bertha's Babyland in Munday. If interested see Mrs. Terr Harrison or call 3551 after 6 p. m. 2c10

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Mr. and Mrs. Paul Hoge are cordially invited to attend one of the following shows.

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February 6 and 7  
Cole Younger and Frank Lovejoy in

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### SUNDAY AND MONDAY

February 8 and 9  
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### TUES. - WED. - THURS.

February 10, 11 and 12  
Marlon Brando, Montgomery Clift and Dean Martin in

### The Young Lions

CinemaScope

### SCOREBOARD

Sunday School attendance in Knox City churches Sunday, Feb. 1, was as follows:

First Baptist	161
Church of Christ	118
First Methodist	79
Foursquare	72
Assembly of God	25
Gospel Mission	21
TOTAL	476
Last Week's Total	601

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Foremost PURE ICE CREAM, 2 pints ..... 35c

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