

## Shootin' Straight

By Dave Thompson

### THE NIGHTLY KNOX CITY 500

With the arrival of hot weather, one might guess that spring has completely passed us by in favor of an immediate summer. The arrival of the hot daytime and cool night temperatures brings many things to our community, unfortunately not all of them good. If you have tried to sleep at night with your windows open, you can probably already guess what I am talking about. For the past few weeks it has seemed that Knox City transforms into a drag strip or race track at night.

Even though it may sound like a lot of cars and motorcycles are involved in these late night activities, in truth there are only a select few. Over and over again, the same violators seem to get a big kick out of squealing tires and racing up and down the streets. What they are accomplishing is really beyond me. Besides the annoyance that affects the entire community, it is obvious that these immature drivers lack even the basic common sense necessary to know that their actions are also dangerous.

Perhaps some of this is a result of our community currently being without a full time police officer. It is a fact that our community leaders are trying very hard to remedy the police problem, but finding qualified applicants is a lot harder than it sounds. Many complaints have been voiced about the activities of only a few so very late at night. Odd as it may sound, many of these complaints are being voiced by the parents and relatives of the ones that are doing the racing! Holding true to the theory that "My child wouldn't do that," many parents aren't even aware that it is their own flesh and blood that is out risking everyone else's flesh and blood. Now maybe the terms "flesh and blood" aren't ones that you like to hear, but the simple truth of the matter is that should an accident occur as a result of these highly juvenile driving activities, a lot of flesh and blood will be involved.

A few of the nightly offenders are about to go forth into the world as responsible young adults. I will hold my breath and hope that the select few that are involved in the nightly Knox City Main Street races will accept responsibility and do their part in making our community a quieter, safer place for all to live.

More SHOOTIN' STRAIGHT next week.....

## Hounds Tie For 10th At State

The Knox City Greyhounds with the area's largest contingent of athletes at state, scored 16 points to finish in a three-way tie for 10th in Class A track last weekend in Austin.

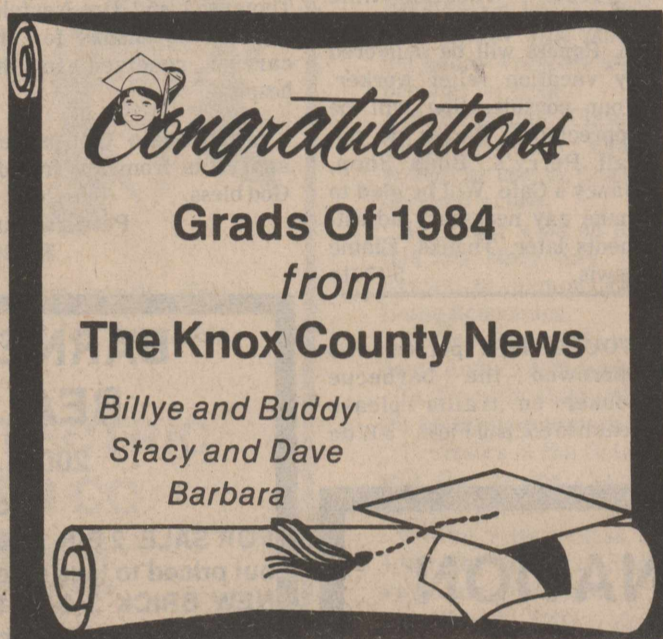
Otis Lockhart finished fifth in the long jump with 21-10 1/2. His season's best of 22-9 1/2, set last week at regional, would have tied him for second behind Kerry Pettie of La Poyner with a 22-10.

The 400-meter relay placed fourth with 43.8. Otis Lockhart was fourth in the 100 meters with 11.0, and Wayne Hutchinson was fifth in the 400 meters with 50.3.

Bremond, which lost to Knox City in the state football title game, easily won the track title for the second consecutive year with 58 points. Bruceville-Eddy was second with 32, followed by Claude with 26 and Teneha with 24. Roscoe finished in a tie with Amherst for fifth place with 22 points.



MAKING PLANS FOR Commencement Saturday night, May 19, are these Senior Class Officers with commencement speaker David Neil Perdue. Senior officers from left, are Wayne E. Hutchinson, Michelle Bateman, Peggilee Wupperman, Felicia Ward and Sarah Jones.



## Benjamin Homecoming Plans Are Complete

Plans for Benjamin's 1984 Homecoming on June 1, 2, 3 have been completed and according to a spokesman, everyone is invited to attend at the Benjamin Memorial Building where homecoming headquarters will be set up.

An art exhibit will be held in the building on Friday and Saturday with Dorothy Spikes as chairperson.

The building will be open at 3:00 p.m. with Grace Snailum as hostess chairperson. Jonnie Williams will be in charge of registration at 5:00 and complimentary snacks will be available from 6:00 to 10:00 p.m. with Penny Eaton as chairperson. A dance will be held there from 9 to 1 with a small fee or donation. During the first part of the dance, the homecoming queen will be presented.

On Saturday, races will begin at 8:30 a.m. with Donnie Ryder and Tom Moorhouse as chairmen. The Memorial Building will open at 9:00 a.m. and games and

roping will follow the races at the roping arena. A concession stand will open at 11:00 in the Memorial Building. Registration is at 1:00 p.m. with Grace Snailum and Jonnie Williams in charge. A parade will begin at 3:00 p.m. with the Spring Chickens' Club as coordinator. Immediately following the parade will be the business meetings. A barbecue will be held at the Memorial Building from 5:30 to 7:30 p.m. with a dance following from 9:00 to 1:00 with the Texas Hat Band. There will be a charge for both the barbecue and dance, spokesman said.

On Sunday, the church service will be held in the District Court Room in the Knox County Courthouse at 11:00 a.m. Stanton Brown is chairman. A catered meal will be held Sunday noon at the Memorial Building and there will also be a nominal charge for this meal.



## KC News Dedicated To '84 Graduates

This week's edition of *The Knox County News* is dedicated to the 1984 graduating class in this area. Merchants and individuals from Benjamin, O'Brien, and Knox City are extending best wishes and congratulatory messages to these fine students who have helped make history in their respective schools.

The achievements of these graduates have called attention to our particular area of Texas, and we are very proud of all of them.

The *News* staff joins with these others in wishing each and every graduate a very happy and successful future.



## Weather

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Date	Low	High	Rain
5-8	37	77	
5-9	45	88	
5-10	55	93	
5-11	56	97	
5-12	65	96	
5-13	64	95	
5-14	57	93	

## UIL Banquet Set For May 17

The annual UIL Banquet has been set for Thursday night, May 17, at 7:00 p.m. in the school cafeteria.

Tickets are on sale for \$4.00 each in the high school office.



USING A HAND and a DPS Trooper's hat to compare size, this photo by DPS Trooper Danny Wainscott shows the immense head of a buffalo that was struck and killed by a car last Saturday night west of Knox City. The accident happened at 9:54 p.m. when a vehicle driven by Cruz Salazar of Tulla hit the buffalo as it was standing in the roadway of Highway 222. There were no injuries to those in the car, but the auto did sustain moderate damage.

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## Jr. High Graduation Set Friday, May 18

Commencement for the eighth grade graduation will be held Friday, May 18, at 7:30 p.m. in the school auditorium in Knox City.

Addressing the graduates will be Knox City businessman David Counts.

Providing processional and recessional will be Robert Boston while John Covey will give the invocation.

Lawri Tankersley will give the salutatory address to be followed by Kim Moore with the valedictory.

Lawri Tankersley will sing a special solo, "Yesterday Once More".

Alan Donaldson will introduce Counts as speaker.

The presentation of awards will be made by Don Fritsche, high school principal, with the eighth grade girls singing "We've Only Just Begun".

Supt. W.R. Baker and mid-school principal Charles Reed will present diplomas to the graduates.

Shea Stubbs will give the benediction.

The commencement speaker also farms and is very active in his insurance and real estate agency as well as church, civic and community affairs and has been over the past 27 years in this community. David has served as president of the Lions Club, Chamber of Commerce, Greyhound Booster Club, secretary-treasurer of the Jaycees, Past Master of the Masonic Lodge, past president of the Baptist Men's Organization, and is presently serving on the board of directors of the Chamber of Commerce.

In addition to David's business and civic responsibilities, he has served in the Texas National Guard for over 30 years. He presently holds the rank of Lieutenant Colonel and is the Battalion Commander of the 2nd Battalion of the 131st Field Artillery Battalion of the Texas Army National Guard in Wichita Falls.

Counts and his wife Mary are members of the First Baptist Church. They have two children, Patti, who is employed in Lubbock, and David, who attends St. Mary's Law School in San Antonio. In his spare time, David enjoys flying.



TOP MID-SCHOOL GRADS at O'Brien have been announced and are from left, Kim Moore, who was named valedictorian with a grade point average of 95.91 and Lawri Tankersley, salutatorian, who posted a 94.95 average. Kim's parents are Paulette Moore and Kenny Moore, and Lawri's are Jimmy and Ann Tankersley. Exercises for mid-school will be Friday, May 18, at 7:30 p.m. in the Knox City school auditorium.

## Tickets Selling For Maines Brothers Opry

Making another return appearance in Knox City on Friday night, June 1, at 7:30 o'clock, the Maines Brothers Opry from Lubbock will again feature many talented country western entertainers. Included in the line up of talent will be trumpet player Tommy Anderson, a fantastic horn player who made his first appearance in Knox City with the show last year.

Being held as a benefit fundraiser for both the Knox City Chamber of Commerce and the Knox County Hospital Auxiliary (Pink Ladies), the show has already given early indications that it will be a total success with advance sales of reserved tickets progressing rapidly. With ticket prices remaining the same for three years in a row at \$8.00 in advance or \$9.00 at the door the night of the show, all seats are being sold on a reserved first come, first serve basis. Tickets are on sale at the Hospital Auxiliary Thrift Shop, the Chamber of Commerce office in City Hall, *The Knox County News* office, and at the Music Box record store in Haskell.

Besides Tommy Anderson and the Maines Brothers, the show will also feature Saxophonist Don Caldwell, who is the owner of Caldwell Recording Studios in Lubbock; Gospel Singer Buddy Lytle of Anson, who was on the Opry held here two years ago; The Angle Sisters, who have appeared with the



TOMMIE ANDERSON  
...trumpeteer

Maines Brothers Band on dozens of Opry's and who have also appeared for several years with the Otwell Twins from the Lawrence Welk Show on the Rehab Telethon from Abilene; and 10 year old Clay Hewitt. Clay has appeared twice with the Opry in Lubbock, one in Ralls, and was also on the last opry held here in Knox City last July.

Other entertainers will be reviewed in future news stories.

As with previous shows held here as fundraisers, this year's opry will also feature an auction of baked goods to raise additional funds. In an effort to conserve time, the auction itself will be handled differently than it was at previous shows. Emphasis is being placed this year on a lively show, certainly one that will be both fun and entertaining for all those who attend.



LTC DAVID COUNTS  
...in Texas Guard

## KC Man Assumes Command

Lt. Colonel David Counts of Knox City recently assumed command of the 2nd Bn, 131 Field Artillery headquartered in Wichita Falls. He succeeded Lt. Col. James Cantwell of Bowie who was reassigned to Headquarters, 49th Armored Division Artillery in San Antonio.

Lt. Col. Counts is a 30-year veteran of the Texas Army National Guard and has served in a variety of staff and command positions. His last post before taking over as battalion commander was as finance officer for the 49th Armored Division. He has received a number of awards and decorations including the Army Commendation Medal and the Texas Medal of Merit.

Lt. Col. Counts has been active in civic affairs in his hometown of Knox City having served as president of a number of local organizations. He is married and he and his wife Mary have a son, David III and a daughter, Patti.

2nd Bn, 131 Field Artillery has a number of batteries scattered over the north central Texas area including armories located at Vernon, Bowie, Decatur, and Breckenridge, as well as Wichita Falls. The unit has a well-known heritage and is known as the "Lost Battalion" from its experiences in World War II.

The 49th Armored Division is the largest command within the Texas Army National Guard with some 15,000 plus men and women in its ranks.

## Demo Convention Set For Saturday

The County Democratic Convention will be held Saturday, May 19, at 2:00 p.m. in the coffee room of the Knox County Courthouse in Benjamin, according to County Democratic Chairman David Counts.

During the convention, delegates to the state convention in Austin on June 15, 16 and 17 will be elected.

## Vaccination Date Is Saturday, May 19

Dr. W.H. Stewart of Munday will be in Knox City, Saturday, May 19, at the Knox City Fire Hall to vaccinate your pets for rabies.

Hours on Saturday will be from 1:00 until 5:00 p.m.

## Knox City Having Dog Problems

In response to a growing number of complaints from city residents about the number of dogs running loose within the city limits, City Secretary Teri Anderson reminds all who reside in Knox City that the city does have an ordinance relating to dogs that run loose.

City Ordinance number 23 states that dogs are not allowed to run at large and are required to be tied or kept within a fenced area. Owners who violate this ordinance and allow their dogs to roam the city are subject to both citations and fines from the city.

NEWS DEADLINE  
10:00 A.M.  
TUESDAY

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Almost new 3 Bedroom Brick home. Beautifully appointed and custom built. **REDUCED** have to see this. Believe all the extra features. The Roger Norton home. 1.25 acres. \$87,500.00. An excellent buy. Appointment only.

—DWELLINGS—

**TWO BEDROOM** - Near City Park. Vinyl siding with big trees in backyard. Good buy at \$13,500.00. 210 South 3rd.

**LIKE NEW** - Three or four bedroom country estate. Located 4 1/2 miles north of Knox City on 10.44 acres. All the extras. Just a super buy at \$89,900. Owners are being transferred. Additional acreage available. Appointments only.

**THREE BEDROOM**, one bath, living room, kitchen, a/c, fenced yard. **REDUCED**. Good buy at \$28,000.00.

**THREE OR FOUR** bedroom, living room, kitchen, 1 1/2 bath, utility room. 711 Aspen. Good Buy!

**ASBESTOS SIDING** - 3 or 4 bedroom super location. Fireplace, den, cellar. Lots of amenities. Excellent buy at \$35,000.00. 412 South Fourth.

**THREE BEDROOM**, one bath, living room, kitchen. Fenced backyard. Central air. 1106 South 4th. \$32,000.00. Approved For FHA Loan.

## FARM LAND

\*NICE COUNTRY Home Site: 16 Acres, 5 miles east of Rochester. Water well, nice trees. Set up for Mobile Home, \$20,000.00.

120 ACRES excellent farm land southeast of Knox City. Some water available. Old house.

HASKELL COUNTY Farm - 16w acres-excellent soil-2 irrigation wells w/o pumps. Approximately 1 mile East of O'Brien, \$850.00 per acre. OWNER FINANCING AVAILABLE.

31 ACRES east of Greyhound Stadium. All cultivated.

14 ACRES south of Knox City, would do for Texas Veterans.

207 ACRES 1 mile north of Knox City. Has assumable loan for \$60,000. Saltwater disposal well pays \$100.00 month. \$900.00 per acre.

## —COMMERCIAL PROPERTY—

BEAUTY SHOP inside city limits of O'Brien. Excellent location, newly remodeled, with equipment. Potential Office, \$9,000.00.

SUCCESS  
TO THE CLASS OF 1984

\*THREE BEDROOM, one bath, new kitchen. Corner lot, nice cellar. 411 E. Main. Excellent Buy at \$20,000.

## —NEW LISTING—

ALMOST NEW - 4 Bedroom Show Place. Vaulted ceiling, fireplace, 2 baths. Sunken tub in master bedroom area. Terrace. Double garage. Super well insulated. Beautiful home - 605 South Ave. E., \$134,000. No way to duplicate at this price.

NEW THREE Bedroom. Large den with fireplace. Brick home in Southfork Addition. Elegant Appointments. Ready for occupancy. 601 South 8th. Builder said sell.

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EXCELLENT BUILDING Lots in Southfork Addition.

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## NOTICE

HOT & THIRSTY? Cool off with a delicious sno-cone from a variety of flavors. Only 35¢. Open 4:00 to 9:00 until June 1. Then from 1:00-9:00. Clay's Sno-Cone Factory, 303 South Third. 5-17 tfc

NOTICE - Vacation time Mon., May 21 thru Sat., May 25. Papers will be delivered by vacation relief worker. Your consideration will be appreciated. Please do not call Perry's, Body Shop, Nancy's Cafe. Will be glad to make any necessary adjustments later. Thanks, Elaine Lewis. 5-17 1tc

WOULD THE person who borrowed the barbecue cooker on trailer please return to Softball Field. 5-17 tfc

## GARAGE SALE

GARAGE SALE - 1008 South 5th, Friday afternoon and Saturday. Lamps, radio, linens, ladies' and men's clothes, odds 'n ends. 5-17 1tc

YARD SALE - Three families. One block north of school in O'Brien Thursday & Friday. Furniture, antique table, dishes, small clothes. 5-17 1tp

PORCH SALE - Thursday, Friday and Saturday. Guitar amp, stereo amp, clothes, books, etc. Wanted - Barbells, TV, small refrigerator. 809 Main Street, Knox City. 5-17 1tp

GARAGE SALE at O'Brien - Thursday, Friday, Saturday. Across street from gin. Baby clothes, women's pants, misc. 5-17 1tp

GARAGE SALE - Men's & ladies' clothes, men's suits, shoes, two tires, jeans and misc. From 8:30-5:00. Saturday only. 1004 S. 3rd. 5-17 1tp

## CARD OF THANKS

To the hospital staff, Dr. Thompson and Dr. Neufeld, my sincere thanks for the care I received in the hospital.

I appreciate the prayers and visits from my friends. God bless.  
Patricia Ward  
5-17 1tp

## CARD OF THANKS

We wish to express our appreciation to the Brazos Valley Care Home and the Munday Nursing Center for their care of our sister and aunt, Clifford Elliott. Our thanks to our friends for their many expressions of sympathy, the calls, cards, food, flowers, your visits and your prayers. Our thanks to Rev. Douglas Stenberg, Rev. Bill Wright, Bro. James and Charlotte Patterson, and Elizabeth Wilson for the lovely funeral service. Our love and gratitude to Hob Smith and his assistants. God, bless each one of you.

Melvin and Jo Strickland, Billie Horton  
Nieces and Nephews  
5-17 1tp

## SPECIAL THANKS

We would like to send special thanks and gratitude to each of you teachers who have helped in the schooling of our daughter Rebecca.

This is the only time one of our three children have had the opportunity to start and finish in one school.

Special thanks to our fine principals Bill Holcomb, Coach Charles Reed and Don Fritsche. May your years of teaching and counseling greatly bless each of you who are so very vital to our Nation's school system.

Sincerely,  
Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Smith  
5-17 1tp

## SEE Classifieds Page Three

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FOR SALE: 2 B/R 1005 S. 2nd, needs a little work but priced to take care of repairs.

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NICE BUILDING lot 60x140 on South 4th St., a real buy at the price.

30 ACRES farm land 2 miles S.W. O'Brien.

3 B/R 1002 S. 4th St., real nice, a good buy, assumable loan.

NICE 3 B/R Brick 3 acres 5 1/2 mi. West Seymour, on Hi-Way 82, pecan trees & fruit trees, 2 water wells. All in tip top shape. Shown by appointment only.

3 B/R RULE, 1 1/2 acres, clean & nice and priced too cheap.

## VACCINATION For All Pets

Saturday, May 19  
1:00 to 5:00 P.M.

Dr. W.H. Stewart

Knox City Fire Hall

(South of Egenbacher Impl.)

Best Wishes  
Graduates



All of your friends will be going their separate ways. Whole new worlds will be opening up for you, full of fascinating and sobering discoveries. But your paths will cross from time-to-time, bringing back all of the warm and funny memories. As you choose your individual roads to travel, we want to wish you all the happiness and success in the world.

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## REAL ESTATE

FOR SALE BY OWNER - Brick home in excellent condition. Three bedroom, walk-in closets, living room with fireplace, kitchen, dining, 2 bath, large utility room with sink, double garage with storage room. New carpet, central heat and air, plenty of storage. Nice back yard with patio, garden, redwood fence. 708 Aspen, \$78,000, shown by appointment. Call Coach Rogers. 658-3894. 4-26 tfc

FOR SALE - Immaculate three bedroom, four possible, two bath, double garage, electric opener, fireplace, ceiling fans, water well, covered patio. 658-3226. 5-3 4tc

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A LOT OF HOUSE for the money - For Sale By Owner - Three or four bedroom house, two baths, den with fireplace, recently remodeled in Knox City. \$39,000.00. 658-5048. 5-10 2tc

COUNTRY HOME For Sale - Three bedroom, two bath, living room, den with fireplace, new carpet, patio, game room, barn and cellar, large backyard with rock fence. Shown by appointment only. Call Don Bunton, 658-3431. 3-15 tfc

## REAL ESTATE

HOUSE FOR RENT - Call 658-3868. 5-10 2tc

TRAILER HOUSE for rent - O'Brien area. 658-3440. 5-10 tfc

FOR RENT - Two bedroom house on corner of North 4th and Ave. E. Call 658-3120. 5-17 2tp

FOR SALE BY OWNER: Large 2 story Victorian home in excellent condition. West of school building in Benjamin. 4 bedrooms, 4 lots, fenced, 2 car garage, storage room, shop, two out bldgs. 454-2701 or 454-2961. 5-3 3tp

## MISCELLANEOUS FOR SALE

FOR SALE - Baby bed, high chair, car seat. Call 658-3721, Rita Curd. 5-10 2tp

FOR SALE - Electric cook stove, automatic washer, gravity exerciser. See at 506 North 4th or call 658-3120. 5-17 2tp

FOR SALE: 1980 Windsor Trailer, 3 bedrooms, 2 baths, 14x80. Call 658-3132. 5-17 2tp

ANTIQUA AUCTION - June 2. Sale starts 9 a.m. Watch for list - Barber Shop Antiques, 202 So. Ave. E, Haskell, Texas. 5-17 2tc

FOR SALE - 1979 Mobile Scout travel trailer, 29 ft. Rally Master, heating, cooling, stove, refrigerator, good clean condition, \$6900.00. Citizens State Bank. 658-3527. 5-17 tfc

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FURNITURE CLOSEOUT at White Auto Store in Knox City continues. 5-17 1tc

NEW 1984 Mobile Home for sale - Complete, unfurnished. Jimmy Jack, 658-3778. 5-3 5tp

IF YOU need some extra clean graves for sale, call 658-3740 or 658-3957. 5-10 4tp

FOR SALE - Grain Storage Tanks and related items. See Lupe Lerma at the former White Feed Mill, 128 North Second (West), Knox City. P&W Mesquite Co., 658-3958 or 658-3063. 3-22 tfc

## AUTOS-TRUCKS-TRAILERS

1981 CHEVROLET, one-ton flatbed pickup, \$5800; 16 ft. Gooseneck grain trailer, \$4,000. Craig Carver, 658-3813. 5-10 tfc

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## AUTOS-TRUCKS-TRAILERS

FOR SALE - 1981 Ford Ranger F150 pickup, LP Gas System with 100 gallon tank. 35,000 miles, white sport wheels, clean, \$7,000.00. Greg Clonts, 658-3249. 3-15 tfc

FOR SALE - 1972 Chevrolet, six cylinder pickup, with rebuilt motor (not used much), good work pickup, good gas mileage. Call after 5:30 p.m., 658-5028, Marie Rushing or see David Counts. 3-15 tfc

1973 PONTIAC for sale - See at Skiles Exxon or call 658-3439 after 5. 4-26 tfc

FOR SALE - 1979 Mazda GLC wagon. Good radial tires, new battery, excellent condition. Reasonably priced. Call 658-3141 or 658-3654. 5-3 tfc

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NEED REPAIRS? Jon's Automotive can take care of all your automotive needs. See us for repairs, tune-ups, brake adjustments, air conditioning service, etc. O'Brien Highway. 658-3606. 5-17 5tc

WATER WELL Drilling. House, Stock Irrigation Wells, Test Holes. Call W.P. Hise (817) 864-3727, Haskell, Texas (day or night) 864-3348. 2-16 tfc

CUSTOM FARMING and hay baling (round baling only). Call Ed Daniel after 5, 658-3196. 4-19 tfc

**CARD OF THANKS**

I wish to express my sincere thanks to everyone who contributed a donation to assist me in my running for Queen of Northwest Texas Purity Class.

Felicia Ward  
5-17 1tp

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**O'Brien Happenings**

By AUDIE JOHNSTON

"Happiness - The pursuit of happiness is a most ridiculous phrase; if you pursue happiness, you will never find it." (C.P. Snow)  
HERE AND THERE

Mrs. Lorata Johnston spent the weekend in Gainesville with her son, W.D. Johnston and family.

Jerry Hodges of Graham visited his mother, Clara Hodges, over the weekend.

Orval and Helen Manning spent Mother's Day in Abilene with their son, Royce, Peggy and Brad Manning.

Home from college for the summer are Toni Hewitt from Western Texas College in Snyder and Ava Covey from Angelo State University in San Angelo.

Jim, Janie and Missy Wilkinson spent the weekend in Odessa with their children, Phil and Rhonda Robinson, Doug and Mary Grimsley and Tina and Diane Haynes.

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

Mrs. Edrie Gothard returned to her home Saturday after spending several days in a Haskell hospital with a heart condition.

Visiting Mr. and Mrs. C.B. Banner over the weekend were Mr. and Mrs. Joe Banner and family of Amarillo and Mr. and Mrs. Butch Banner and boys of Hawley. They also visited Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Cameron. Brad Banner of Coleman also visited the Banners.

Sharon Sinclair of Wichita Falls visited Mr. and Mrs. David Hunt and Amy over the weekend. Sharon is the former Sharon Atkinson.

Ronnie, Nelda, Cory, Kevin and Casey Lusk of Stamford spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. John Covey.

James, Pearce, Cody and Christi Manning spent Sunday in Abilene.

Visiting Rev. Bill Trice and Evelyn Sunday was their daughter and her family, Mr.

and Mrs. Walter Condon of Lawn.

Irby and Johnnie Carlisle spent the weekend in Hereford visiting Irby's mother, Irene Owens and husband Herbert.

Mr. and Mrs. Ranzy Herring and Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Hines of Munday spent the weekend in Lubbock with their son and grandson Andy Hines.

Claudale and Jean Barnard visited their daughter, Claudia and family, Eddie, Jennifer and Jon Bryant in Levelland last week.

Visiting Coy and Loretta Hewitt over the weekend were Mr. and Mrs. Allen Moeller, Kelli Jo and Casey of Haskell and Richard and Vicki Daniel of Abilene. They celebrated Vicki's birthday along with Mother's Day. Kelli Jo remained for a visit.

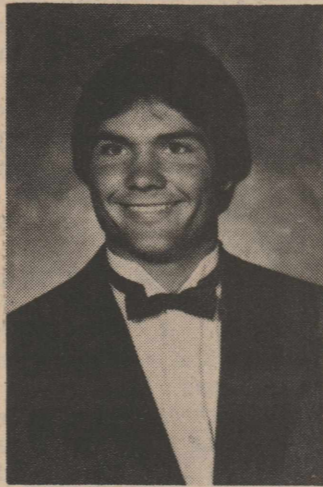
Corine McKinney spent the weekend in Nacodogoches with Mr. and Mrs. Gary Miles and boys.

Visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Draper Sunday were Scott, Vicki, Shannon and Angie Bolton, Juanita Heimerman, Kenneth, Jane and Brad Draper, all of Lubbock and Grady and Bea Ellis.

Bernice Rowan was in Haskell Saturday to attend a musical recital her granddaughter, Traci Burson, was in.

Stefani and Suzanne Stephens performed in the annual spring tap dance recital of Gwen McGuire in Seymour auditorium on Sunday, April 29. Ages two through 15 performed in tap dance and twirling routines to music with the stage decorated in bright spring props. Suzanne and Stefani tap danced to the routine of Genemie the Giraffe.

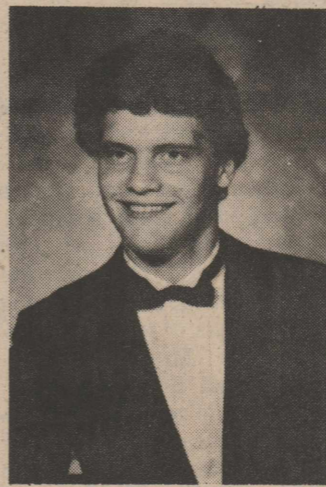
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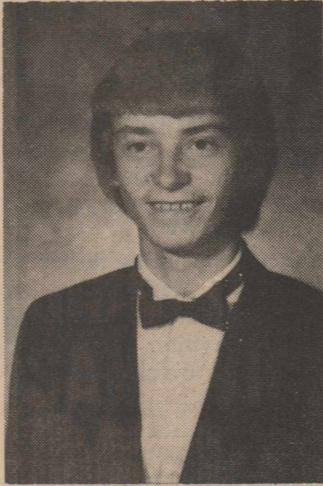
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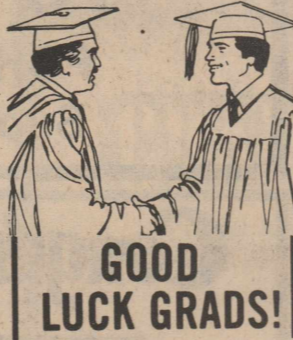
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## Seniors Of The Week



**TANYA AVERITT**

Tanya Dee Averitt was born on April 18, 1966. Her parents are Richard and Nellie Averitt. She has two brothers, Ricky and Monty.

Tanya was born in Knox City and has lived in Dallas, Hobbs, New Mexico, San Diego, California and Denver City. She started school in Denver City and soon moved to Knox City while still in first grade.

In Junior High, she participated in athletics, band, and pep club. When she started high school, she participated in FHA, band, athletics, pep club and Drill Team.

Tanya's favorite hobbies are fishing and camping. She also enjoys collecting records and tapes, swimming, skating, running, hiking, boating, and going to rock concerts.

Tanya's favorite colors are light blue, dark red, bright yellow, and soft purple. Her favorite rock groups are, Accept, Motley Crue, and Black Sabbath.

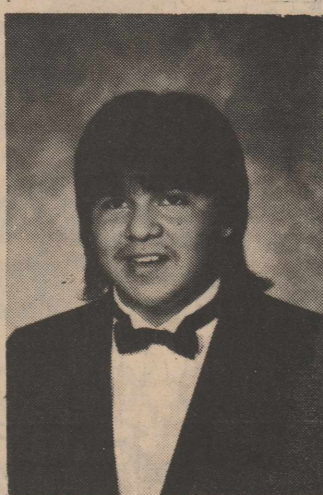
After Tanya graduates, she plans on working all summer and then attending college in the fall.

### IN ABILENE

Mr. and Mrs. Eddie Adkins were in Abilene Friday night to hear their grandson, Brian Fowler of Snyder, play his fiddle with Hoyle Nix and the West Texas Cowboys. They also visited Brian's parents, Mary Lynn and Brian Fowler of Snyder and the Adkins' son and wife, the Jim Edd Adkins.

### MOTHER'S DAY VISITORS

Mr. and Mrs. James Eiland and Jamie of Irving, Mr. and Mrs. Kenny Lawson and Sara of Wichita Falls, and Mr. and Mrs. Otto Lawson were visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ken Lawson Mother's Day.



**ALEX ESPINOSA**

On October 3, 1964, a baby boy was born to Mr. and Mrs. Juan Espinosa in the Haskell County Hospital. To welcome him home were his three sisters and one brother. He has lived in Knox City all his life.

Alex's activities in school involve football and tennis. Alex's favorite colors are red, blue, and gold. His favorite musical groups are "Iron Maiden" and "Number of the Beast". His favorite pastimes are just hanging out and having a good time. His future plans are undecided.

### SCHOOL AND COMMUNITY CALENDAR

Thursday, May 17 -- Semester tests; UIL Banquet, 7:00 p.m., school cafeteria  
Friday, May 18 -- School's Out a 2:30 p.m.!!! Eighth grade graduation, 7:30 p.m., school auditorium, KC Campus; Semester Tests  
Saturday, May 19 -- Teacher Workday (1/2 day), High School Graduation, 8:00 p.m., school auditorium  
Monday, May 21 -- Fire Meeting, 7:30 p.m.  
Wednesday, May 23 -- Noon Lions Club, First United Methodist Church fellowship hall

### IN MARTINEZ HOME

Mother's Day visitors in the home of Mrs. Dan Martinez were Mr. and Mrs. Phillip Johnson and daughter Lindsay, Rita Kirkpatrick, Mr. and Mrs. Gilbert Maldonado and son Carl, Sylvia Irvin and son Shane, all of Fort Worth, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Flores, Irene and David, and Mindy Mowery.

## The Kennel KC School News

### SOPHOMORE NEWS By Danny Balis

Tests have taken up a lot of time this week and they were pretty rough too. But on most of them, good grades were achieved. (Except on mine!)

School is almost out. Can you believe it? Those who are exempted are at home having a big glass of tea while watching "Match Game-Hollywood Squares Hour". It's good to get exempted. No semester tests!

I think we had a pretty good year, in all. State football champs, state tracksters, state tennis players, etc, etc, etc. I could go on forever. (almost).

The hot summer days are ahead. We can't wait for those. Actually they're already here, but they're not officially "hot summer days" until the pools open up.

Well, that's it for another year. See you next year as Juniors!

### FRESHMAN NEWS By Ila Kay Gross

Just a few more days of school left and everyone is busy with the cleaning out of lockers, checking in books, plus looking forward to the hot summer days that lie ahead.

While everyone is looking forward to summer there are quite a few people that are looking towards next year. We would like to congratulate Shana Chaney for making twirler and Temple Fritsche, Michelle Pierce and Christina Agraz for making cheerleader and Kim Gillispie for making drill team. Congratulations!!

The whole Freshman class would like to thank Mrs. Wainscott for being our sponsor. Thanks a bunch!

### KEY CHAPTER NEWS By Patricia Stewart

Four days of school left and everyone is excited. All of the girls in Homemaking I are very busy trying to finish making our final garment. One of the girls named Ila Kay finished her dress a week ago. She was really busy. Now that school is almost out we can't wait to be in Homemaking II.

### LOOK WHO'S HERE

Mr. and Mrs. Mike Newton are the proud parents of a baby boy born Tuesday, May 8, at 7:58 a.m. in Hendrick Medical Center in Abilene. The young lad has been named Matthew Emery and he weighed in at eight pounds, nine ounces, and measured 21 inches in length.

Helping welcome the baby home were big brothers, Josh, who is six years old, and Jordan, age four.

Maternal grandfather is Charles McCandless of College Station, and Mr. and Mrs. Laymon Newton of Rochester are paternal grandparents.

### LOOK WHO'S HERE

Vicki and Danny Reynolds of Abilene are the proud parents of a baby boy, Jacob Roy, born Saturday, May 5. The baby weighed in at six pounds, fifteen ounces.

Maternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Joe Cook of Abilene and Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Reynolds, also of Abilene, are paternal grandparents.

Great-grandparents include Lois Buckley of Knox City and the late Vernon Buckley and the late Mr. and Mrs. Roy Reynolds.

## Greyhound Leaders Are named for 84

Student leaders in the Greyhound Band, Drill Team and Pep Club have been named for the 1984-85 school year.

Heading up the Greyhound band next year will be Missy Pierce. Named as majorettes are Jenny Vasquez, head; Sheri Evatt and Shana Chaney.

Scarlet Belles drill team members are Paula Chambers, Chris Rodriguez, Leah Boone, Kim Gillispie, and Vera Sweat.

Head cheerleader will be Christi Clayton and Christina Agraz, Temple Fritsche, and Michelle Pierce are Greyhound cheerleaders.

## Rhodes Receives McMurry Degree

ABILENE-Phillip Kevin Rhodes of Knox City graduated from McMurry College in the 61st annual Commencement ceremonies held Sunday, May 6 in Radford Auditorium.

He received a Bachelor of Science degree with a major in Physical Education.

Rhodes, the son of Mrs. Florence Rhodes of Knox City, is a 1978 graduate of Knox City high school.

McMurry College is a fully accredited four-year liberal arts college. Established in 1923, it is owned and operated by the Northwest Texas and New Mexico Conferences of the United Methodist Church.

### IN BOONE HOME

Mr. and Mrs. W.R. Ryser of Honey Grove and his sister, Mrs. Mary Scholz of Denver, Colorado, recently visited a week in the home of the Ryser's daughter and family, the Joe Boones.

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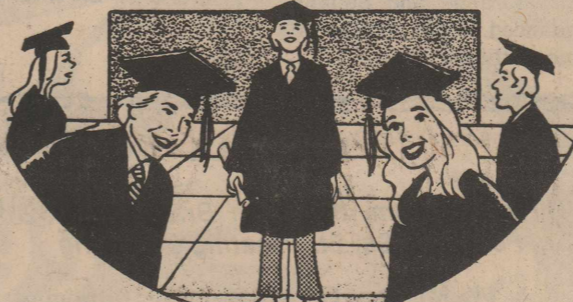
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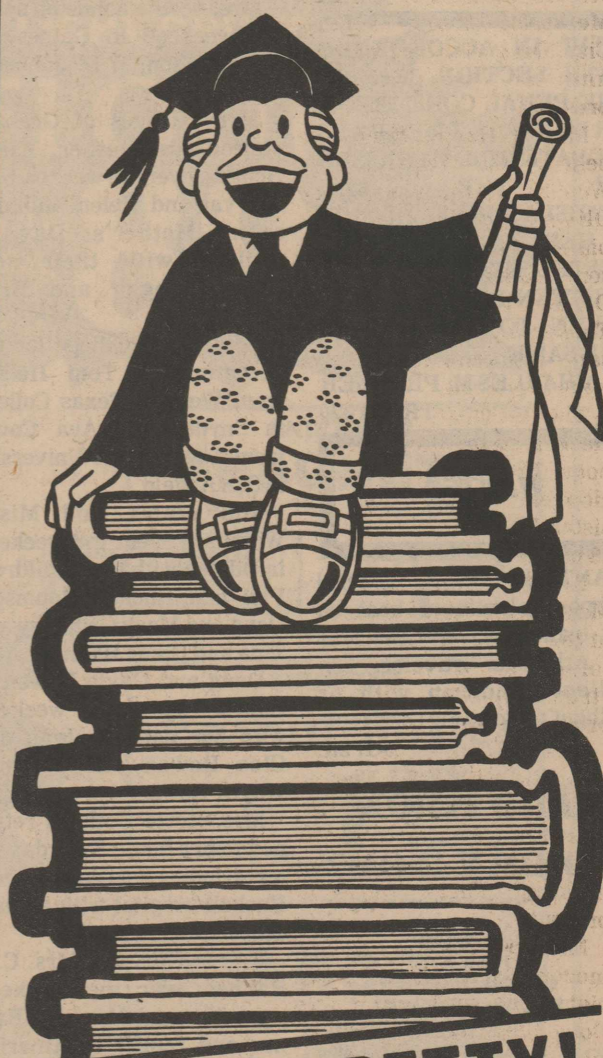
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## News Notes from the Brazos Valley Care Home

By Rena

Sunday School May 6 was taught by Ozelle Stephens. Lacy Headrick was the pianist and Joe Marion was the song leader. There were 19 present.

Sunday afternoon church service was held by the First Methodist Church of Knox City. Doug Stenberg was the minister. There were 20 present.

May 7 Happy Hour was held by the Woolleys. Bro. Woolley was the minister and Oliver Woolley was the pianist. John Chilcoat was the song leader. Doyle Graham, Oliver Woolley, Rena Tankersley and John Chilcoat sang a special song. There were 20 present.

The Hodges group from Haskell came Monday afternoon. They consist of Pastor Hodges, Mother Bell and sister Hammon. There were 18 present.

Rhythm Band was held May 8 with June Tankersley at the piano. All the residents joined in with their instruments. There were 18 present.

Arts and Crafts Class May 9 was held with Elsie Pierson and Linda Pierson as our teachers. We finished the caterpillars we had been making. There were 13 present.

Mid-week volunteer prayer meeting was held Wednesday night. The song leader was Doug Stenberg. The pianist was Kay Rogers and the minister was Jimmy Rogers. A special song was sung by the Ronnie White family. There were 41 present.

Eddy Pitchford and Jimmy Quintana were in charge of Bible Class Thursday. There were 31 present.

Jack Maddox visited Alibel Trimmier.

Joe Marion, Roger Marion and Jack Maddox visited Tom Ed Osborn.

Jack Maddox and Grace Welch visited Leah Couch.

Alice White, Edna Eubank, Jack Maddox, Lorean Pope, Mauray Stone visited Ruth Papworth.

Leone Strickland, Mackie Farr (sister) Ruth Dozier and Jack Maddox visited Frances Hudspeth.

Boyce and Clarie Qualls of Corpus Christi, Mildred Stubbs, Alice White, Linda and Bill Oliver, Edna Eubank, John Gillispie, Jack Maddox and Jimmy Rogers visited Bertha Trimmier.

Jack Maddox visited Pete Rocha.

Bennett McNulty, Barbara Jones, Marvin Jones and Jack Maddox visited Ben Snelson.

Edna Eubank and Jack Maddox visited Myrtle Ary.

Jimmy, Josie and J.J. Quintana, Jack Maddox, Eddy Pitchford, Diana Vasquez and Justin, Dimples Edgington, Z.I. and Mary Beth Smith (Mother and Daddy) and Edna Eubank visited Kelton Smith.

Jimmy, Josie and J.J. Quintana, W.N. McNulty,

Lucille Abbott and Jack Maddox visited Zolie Thomas and T.C. Carter.

Birdie Helton visited Minnie Reeves.

Jim, Josie and J.J. Quintana, Romain Stubbs and Jack Maddox visited Juanell Strickland.

Myrtle White, Clay Hewitt, Billye Angle, Stacy Thompson, Jack Maddox and Curtis Casey visited Bea Benedict.

Laura Kirby of Lubbock, Janie Wilkinson, Neva Epley, Vannah Carmach, Wanda Butler, Leo and Opal Guffey, Mary Smith of Lubbock and Jack Maddox visited Easter Hastey.

Jack Maddox visited Idoma Chowning and Ruth Harden.

Ramona Helms, Grace Welch, Jack Maddox, Wayne and Ruby Clark and Mrs. Pearl Walker visited Hazel and Waynell Clark.

Jimmy, Josie and J.J. Quintana, Sam Lusk, Pearl Gage, Allen Lowery, Pete Edge, Dewey and Marie Darr, Opal Guffey, Edna Eubank, Lorena Burlison, Lucille Abbott, Loretta Albus, Jack Maddox, Lorena Pope and Eddy Pitchford visited Mae Flowers.

Louise Finley, Jack Maddox, Bro. Gillispie and Mary Lou and Carol visited Horace Finley.

Pearl Gage, Alice White, Edna Eubank, George and Mozelle Hodges, Clara Hodges, Jack Maddox and Earl Watson visited Blanche Hodges.

Ozelle Stephens, Edna Eubank, Louise Finley and Jack Maddox visited Vida Williamson.

Alice White, Eula Booe, Pete Edge, Allen Lowery, Jack Maddox, Eddy Pitchford and Jimmy Quintana visited Mary Lou Foshee and Dora Followill.

Ozelle and Jack Maddox visited the Clay Hoges.

Ozella, Linda Arnold, Jimmy Quintana and Eddy Pitchford visited Corinne Gist and Marjorie Baker.

Edna Eubank, Jack Maddox and the Whites visited Edna Faye Pounds and Florence Burlison.

## Elliott Rites Are Held Sunday

Funeral services for Knox City resident Miss Clifford Elliott were held Sunday afternoon, May 13, at three o'clock in the First United Methodist Church. Officiating were the Rev. Doug Stenberg, church pastor, and the Rev. Bill Wright, Childrens Methodist minister. Burial was in the Knox City Cemetery with Smith Funeral Home in charge of arrangements.

Miss Elliott, 85, died Friday, May 11, at 10:40 a.m. in a Munday nursing home after a lengthy illness.

Born December 27, 1898, in Mississippi, her parents were the late W.C. and Hattie Elliott. She was a member of the First United Methodist Church in Knox City.

Survivors include two sisters, Mrs. Jo Strickland of Munday and Mrs. Billie Horton of Dallas; and several nieces and nephews.

Pallbearers were Jim Dillon, Buster Lowrey, John Lewis, Weldon Skiles, Allen McGaughey and Joe M. Clonts.

## Rister Participates In Exercise

Air Force News-Tech. Sgt. David W. Rister, son of Inez M. Burns of Munday, has participated in Global Shield 84, an exercise involving U.S. Air Force, Air Force Reserve, Air National Guard, Navy and Marine Corps units, and elements of the Canadian forces.

The exercise, coordinated by the Air Force Strategic Air Command (SAC), was designed to enhance readiness and the ability of SAC to carry out orders should deterrence fail.

Rister is an avionics communications technician with the 416th Avionics Maintenance Squadron at Griffiss Air Force Base, N.Y.

## Senior Thoughts About Themselves

Most likely to succeed: Greg Melin

Most likely to win a beauty contest: Amber Berryman

Most likely to be a race car driver: Marilyn Benson

Most likely to live in the "Big Apple": Becky Smith

Most likely to be a movie star: Kevin Eaton

Most likely to retire in Knox City: Chad Whitley

Most likely to be voted "Man of the Year": Chris Whitaker

Most likely to be voted "Woman of the Year": Daveine Holcomb

Most likely to dedicate her life to helping others: Felicia Ward

Most likely to be a movie director: Peggilee Wupperman

Most likely to be famous: Tanya Averitt

Most likely to acquire a big collection of Ferraris: Michelle Bateman

Most likely to invent a better mousetrap: Nancy Jones

Most likely to write the "Great American Novel": Sarah Jones

Most likely to be President of the U.S.: Greg Skiles

Most likely to be a woman body guard for the President: Rita Ramos

Most likely to be a successful lawyer: Steve Rutherford

Most likely to own a football team: Wayne Hutchinson

Most likely to start a new fashion trend: Angie Norton

Most likely to be a famous doctor: Nathan Staggs

Most likely to be a famous climber: Jesse Agraz

Most likely to own a worldwide French restaurant: George Espinosa

Most likely to be the second Picasso: Dwayne Watkins

Most likely to be invited to play at Wimbledon: Tina

Alsides

Most likely to discover a new source of energy for WTU: James Evatt

Most likely to buy out the Richeson Dairy Queen: Cindy Hernandez

Most likely to compete in the Olympic Water Skiing

competition: LouAnn Weatherall

Most likely to take over Ford Motor Company: Lupe Rios

Most likely to be an ambassador to Iran: Joe Paul Flores

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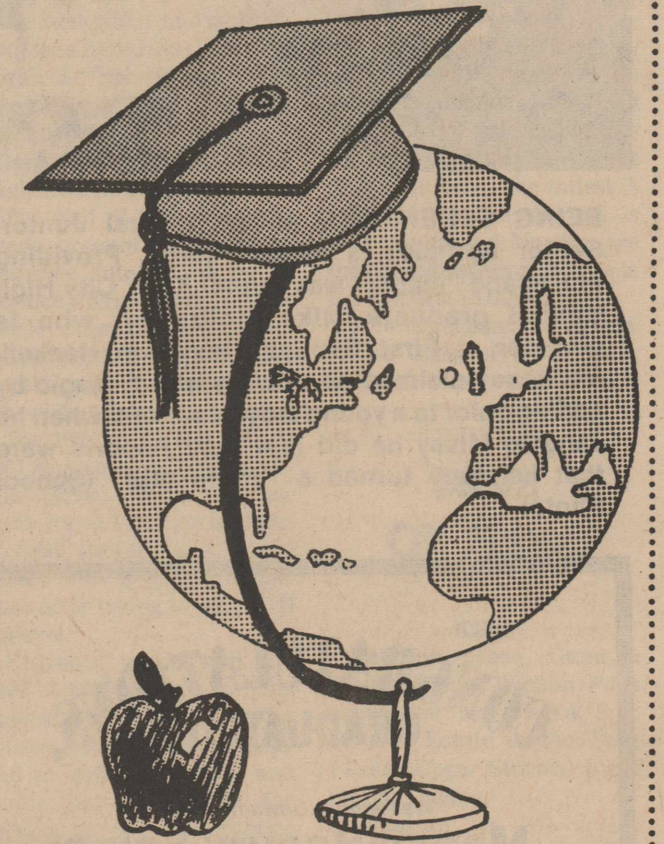


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SENIOR CLASS Members reading the "Senior Will" at the annual Junior-Senior banquet were from left, Nancy Jones, Becky Smith, Angie Norton, and Lou Ann Weatherall. (School Photo)



BEING SERENADED at the annual Junior-Senior Banquet is Missy Pierce. Providing music and "magic" was former Knox City High School graduate Mike McKinney, who is minister at First Baptist Church in Haskell. McKinney claimed he could perform magic by adding color to a young lady's face and when he sang to Missy he did just that. Reports were that her face turned a "bright red!" (School Photo)

## Beta Chi Chapter Installs Officers

The Beta Chi Chapter of Delta Kappa Gamma held a salad luncheon and installation of officers at their last meeting of the year, Saturday, May 5, at twelve noon at the First Baptist Church in Haskell.

Haskell, Weinert and Rule members were hostesses. Fifty-five members were present.

Vita White of Rule and Margaret Chafin of Knox City received scholarships for summer work.

Donnie Fincher presented the Red Rose Salute and "Woman of the Year" award went to Margaret Chafin for her many hours of work this year as treasurer.

Ellen Rieger of Haskell was initiated into Beta Chi.

Mary Martin of Haskell led the group in singing several Delta Kappa Gamma songs.

Mary Jo Lankford honored outgoing officers and committee chairmen with a red

rose. She was presented with a plant for her outstanding job as president.

Officers installed and presented with a red rose included Dorothy Myers, Munday, president; Cathy Bartley, Haskell, first vice-president; Leona Partridge, Munday, second vice-president; Pat Quattlebaum, Haskell, recording secretary; LaRue Reeves, Munday, corresponding secretary; and Mary Jo Lankford, Knox City, parliamentarian and treasurer.

Members were reminded of the state meeting in Amarillo and of the area meeting August 25 in Snyder. The next regular Beta Chi meeting will be October 6 in Knox City.

### STREAMS IN DESERT PLACES

By OZELLE STEPHENS

"Behold, I have done according to thy words, I have given thee a wise and understanding heart; so that there is none like you neither after you, neither after you shall any arise like unto thyself. And I will give you long life if you will follow me and obey my laws as your Father David did. When Solomon woke up and realized it had been a dream. He returned to Jerusalem and went into the Tabernacle, and stood before the ark of the covenant of the Lord, and offered up burnt offerings, and offered peace offerings, and made a feast to all his servants." (I Kings 5:5).

We find again in these scriptures the divine appearances of our God bring us unto prayer, leading us to pray for what God has prepared for us. He is a Great, loving merciful God who will not forsake you, or neither destroy you. He is ever near you, calling you unto Himself. We must walk before the Lord in truth, and in righteousness, and in uprightness of heart. We get wisdom and understanding from God's Word how to be still before Him and know that He is God.

## Separates for Spring Go Together

The dictionary defines proportion as "the proper relation between all the parts."

So does Helene Sidel. "Proportion is what fashion is all about these days," says the designer whose separates business has zoomed like Voyager II in the past couple of years. "There is no longer one shape or one length, but there is something more important than they ever were, and that's an interesting and often unexpected balance that makes the costume look attractive on the body."

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## Hickmans Home From England

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Hickman returned home last week from a trip to England. They accompanied their son and his wife, Ken and Anna Hickman, who remained in Europe to tour other countries. They are due back in the States on May 26.

While in London, the group visited Buckingham Palace, the Tower of London, Westminster Abbey, Tower Bridge, Big Ben, St. Paul's Cathedral, and enjoyed a shopping spree at Harrod's, the exclusive shop where the Queen of England shops.

They rented a car and drove to Bath, toured the Roman Ruins which dated back to 12 A.D., visited Oxford and the home of George Washington's ancestors at Surlingham. They also enjoyed visiting Warwick Castle and its grounds, as well as Stonehenge, the most important prehistoric monument in the whole of Britain, covering a span of about seventeen centuries between about 2800 and 1100 BC.

Another highlight of the trip was a visit to Stratford-upon-Avon, famous world over as the birthplace of William Shakespeare. They visited Anne Hathaway's cottage, the early home of Shakespeare's wife, surrounded by an old-fashioned garden and orchard.

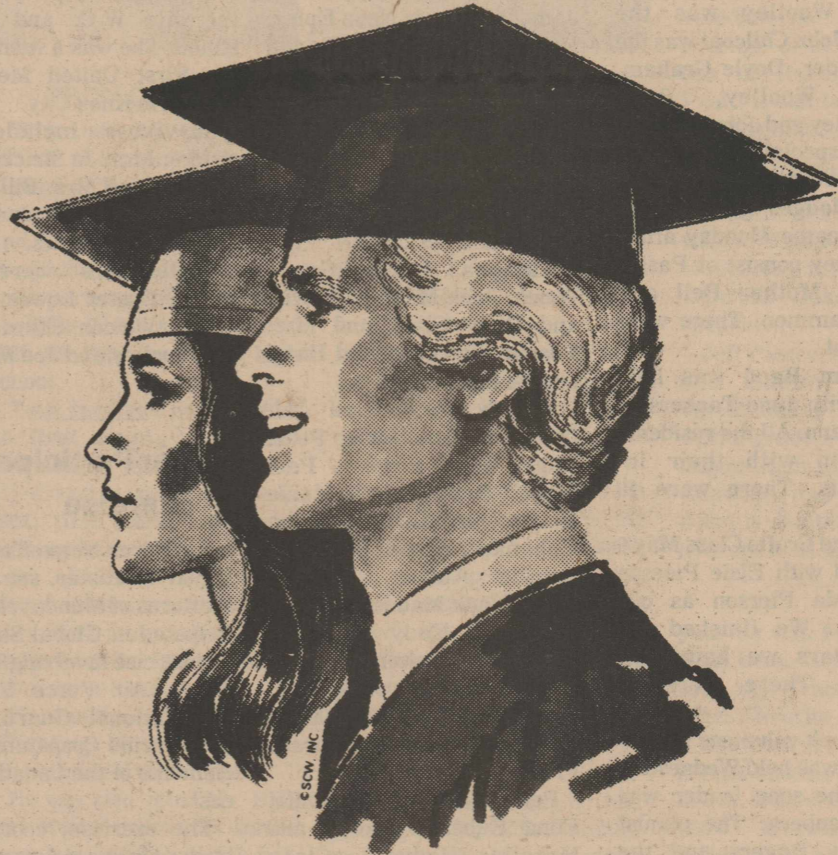


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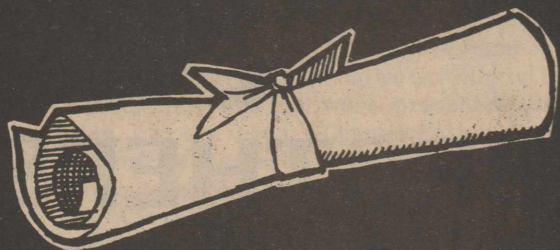
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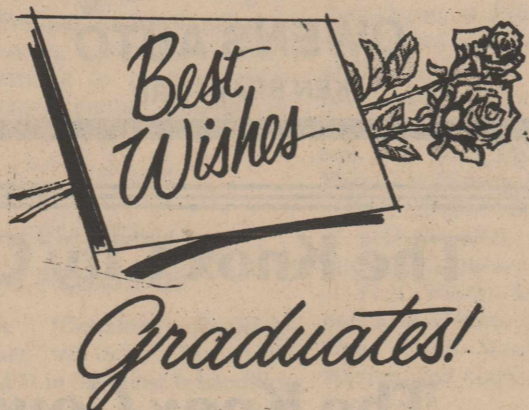
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Scripture..... Doug Stenberg  
Prayer..... Dave Stone  
Music..... Steve Rutherford, Nathan Staggs  
Christi Clayton, Lawri Tankersley  
Robert Boston  
Sermon..... John Gillispie  
Benediction..... Eddy Pitchford

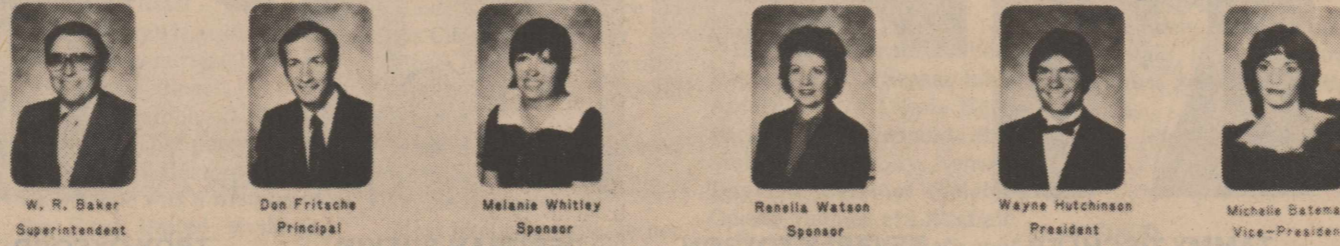
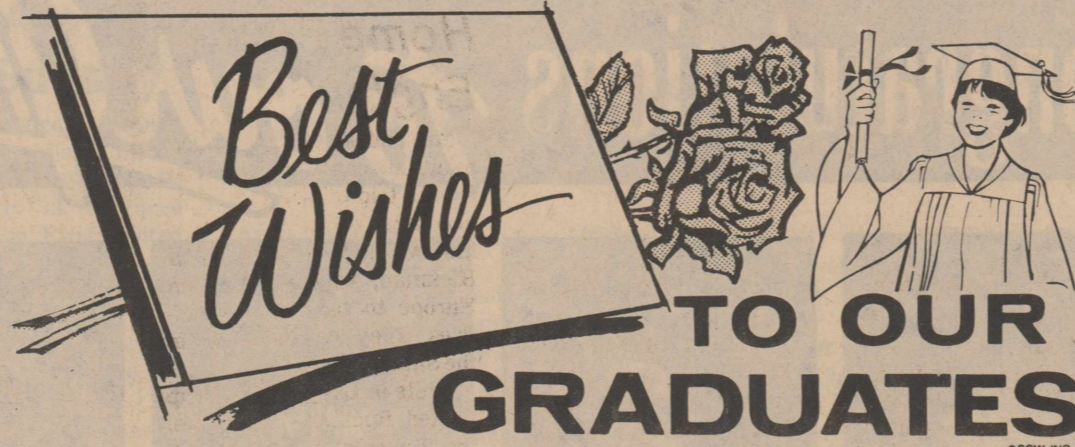
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Invocation..... Michelle Bateman  
Salutatorian's Address..... Steve Rutherford  
Valedictorian's Address..... Sarah Jones  
Music..... Jeff Thane  
Introduction of Speaker..... Wayne Hutchinson  
Commencement Address..... David Perdue  
Presentation of Awards..... Don Fritsche  
Presentation of Class..... Don Fritsche  
Presentation of Diplomas..... W.R. Baker  
Doug Meinzer  
Benediction..... Peggilee Wupperman  
Recessional..... Dottie Lowrey

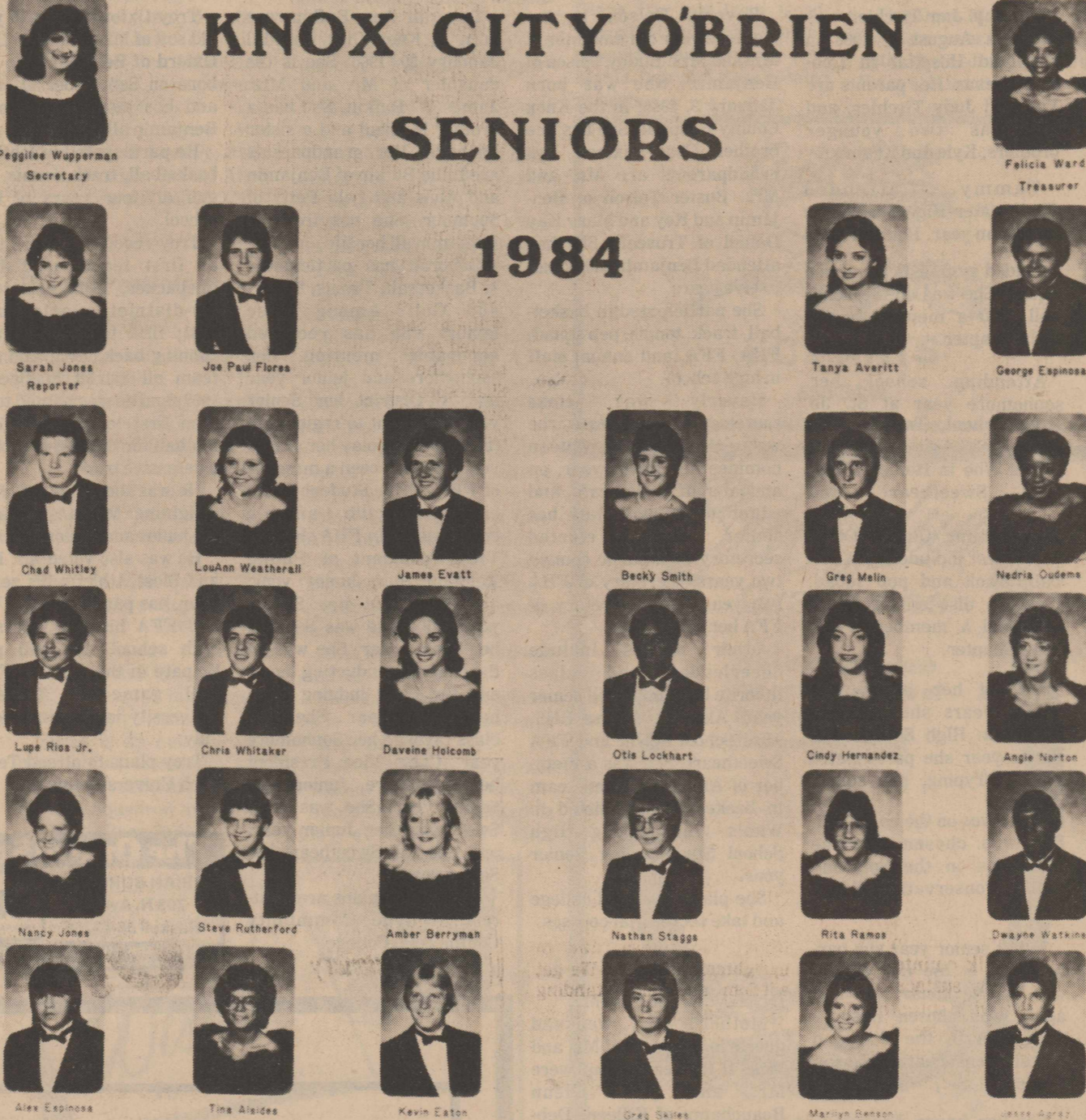
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Lou Ann. We remember Kevin as the Terror in Toughskins.  
The Fall of 1977 in 6th grade brought us Joe Paul, Dwayne, and Chris. Once again the class decided to share, this time it was the mumps. Chris told everyone he had a blackbelt in Karate.  
The Fall of 1978 and the 7th grade brought us Jesse, Greg Melin, Nathan, and Amber. Greg M. hasn't changed much, he still acts like he did when he first moved here. We're glad to see that James has finally changed to a current hair style and finally left the burr look behind. Amber was known as Miss Snyder, Texas. We're also glad to see she's finally quit wearing red lipstick and fingernail polish. There was a flash flood watch in the Jr. High when Daveine busted the water pipe in the science lab. We're sure Mrs. Reed is glad to have us not spraying Loves Baby Soft around her desk. The big surprise was when Sarah told Kevin to go to---!!!  
In the Fall of 1979 and the 8th grade Angie came to join our class. This is the year those of us who were in band hid in the bottom of the bus while one person went and told Miss Waltrip that everyone else was at the Jr. High basketball tournament. Someone dared Kevin to kiss Sarah at the eighth grade graduation party. We were the first class to go completely through the Junior High after its consolidation.  
The Fall of 1980 and ninth grade brought us Peggilee. Peggilee introduced us to Bernice, Ernie and Ernice. Her love then and now is Rick Springfield. Peggilee also started adding more medals for twirling to her collection.  
The 10th grade and Fall of 1981 was not good for Becky. She started school with her teeth wired together because of oral surgery and ended school with a broken collar bone after trying to play Evil Knievel.  
Eleventh grade and the Fall of 1982 brought us Otis Lockhart. He's the class Flip Wilson double. Both in looks and in action. Daveine and Angie got in trouble for driving across the practice field after a winter snow. Greg Skiles went to State in the Solo and Ensemble Contest. Steve and Dwayne both had knee surgery. Chad and Chris set a school record for trips to the office. The junior class threw a Mardi Gras that was attended by gypsies, clowns, bumble bees, Smurfettes and a Kiss guitarist. Kevin drove from Stamford every day. This year ended a little differently, Jesse fell off a mountain and a number of us got expelled for drinking on the bus while on our Junior Sneak Day.  
Senior year and the Fall of 1983 has been an exciting year. We got to where we could make run through signs in our sleep. We played football til it snowed at Christmas. Nancy got her braces. We heard our share of Tanya's wild stories. Chris decided that he needed something to eat for HECE. He told Mr. Fritche he needed to go home to get some medicine for his allergies, but Mr. Fritsche called Chris' mom instead. So, instead of getting food for HECE he got a bottle of nose spray and checked for fever by his mommy. Greg Skiles gets to go to state in the Solo and Ensemble Contest. Our Senior boys led us to a Class A State Championship in football. Steve and Nathan went to state in Debate. Angie turned off all the computers in class when she kicked off the main switch. Peggilee started wearing red in broad daylight. Nedria gave up her dreams of being the next Donna Summer for the love of Michael Jackson.  
**CLASS STATISTICS:**  
In 8th grade Steve was Valedictorian and Sarah was Salutatorian. Now its reversed. Greg Melin is now driving his fourth car in two years. The oldest is Rita and the baby of the class is Nathan. Tanya is last to get drivers license. The tallest is Greg S. and the shortest is Rita. Cindy and Marilyn are the class gigglers and Tina is the quietest in the class.  
This concludes the history of the Class of 1984 ending with 32 sweet BIG devils.

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**History Of The Senior Class**

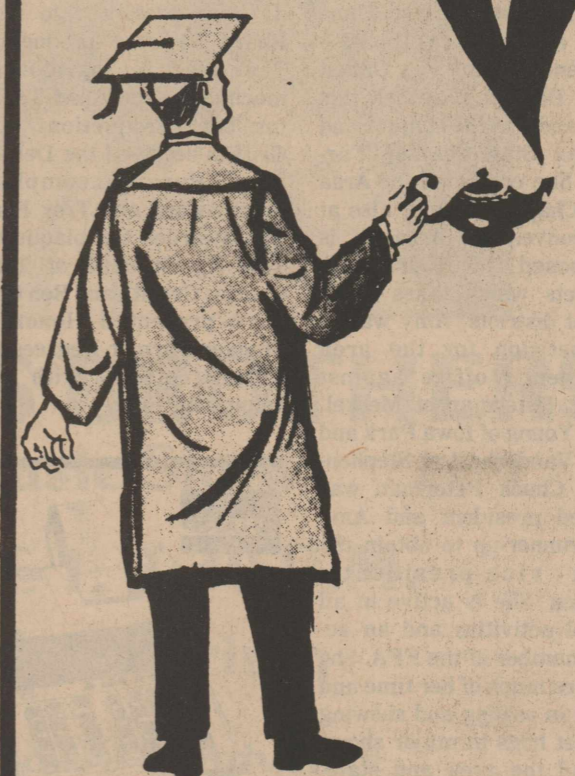
The Senior Class of 1984 has lived a long and adventurous life. Go back with us in time as we reminisce through the years.  
The Senior Class of 1984 began with twelve sweet little devils in Kindergarten, in the Fall of 1971. This bunch included Tina, Michelle, Marilyn, George, Cindy, Wayne, Nancy, Sarah, Nedria, Lupe, Greg S. and Chad. In the Kindergarten play about Indians, George and Nancy fought about who would sit in the front of the canoe. Melanie began working for the school the same year Chad began Kindergarten. One of her duties was transporting students to and from O'Brien. On one of these trips Charles McCrary bit Chad. Well, since Melanie believes the punishment should fit the crime, she stopped the car right there and bit Charlie's fingers. No, she didn't lose her job, nor did she contract a fatal disease from biting a little boy's grubby hand, but she still remembers the incident.  
Joining us in the 1st grade, in Fall of 1972, was Tanya. The great love of this year was Michelle and Greg S. Greg attended his share of birthday parties when he ran into a clothesline and displayed girl's red lace panties. This was a class that saved money. Whenever they found money on the playground they would put it in a Suetet box and one day they all walked to the Dairy Mart. This box bought a small coke and a cup of ice cream for everybody. This class also believed in sharing, including the chickenpox.  
Joining us in 2nd grade in the Fall of 1973, were Daveine, Jesse, and Becky. This was the year that Tanya screamed at the thought of getting licks from Mrs. Long. Lou Ann bit Angie because Lou Ann wanted Angie's doll and she got it!  
Joining us in 3rd grade, in the Fall of 1974, were Rita and Felicia. This is the year Nance was declared

playground boss.  
Joining us in 4th grade, in the Fall of 1975, was Steve. The great loves of this year were Michelle and Steve, Wayne and Nancy, Chad and Daveine. Daveine and Michelle had their appendix out. This is when we took our first class trip. It included a trip to the zoo, the coke factory, the movie, and lunch at the park. This year the boys taught the girls how to play football. Also Wayne and Steve were the local Starsky and Hutch, and Lupe was the local Barretta.  
In the 5th grade, the Fall of 1976, along came Kevin and

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**LORI GRIFFITH**

Lori Ann Griffith was born on March 25, 1966, in the Knox County Hospital. Her parents are Charles and Linda Griffith, and she has two younger sisters, Amy and Becky.

During high school, she participated in basketball, track, FFA, FHA, and UIL spelling and number sense four years. She also was in Gifted and Talented two years, golf one year, and annual staff one year.

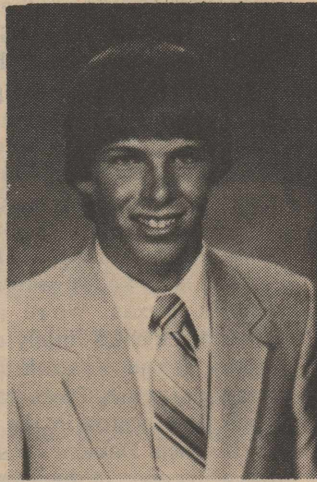
Lori was class president, class favorite, regional qualifier in spelling, and on the honor roll her freshman year.

During her sophomore year, she was class president, state qualifier in spelling, High Point Individual in high school, and on the honor roll.

In her junior year, Lori was class president, Student Council president, state alternate in spelling, High Point Individual, and on the honor roll.

During her senior year, she was class president, Student Council president, state qualifier in spelling, Most Likely To Succeed, Friendliest, and honorable mention All-District in basketball.

Lori plans to attend Baylor University in Waco this fall.



**TROY PRATT**

Troy Lance Pratt was born on April 7, 1966 in Lubbock, Texas to Jim and Barbara. His grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. W.W. Bailes and Mr. and Mrs. W.G. Moreland.

Troy remained in Lubbock throughout half of his first grade year. He then moved to Post, where he spent the next full year. The next place he moved to was Benjamin, where he has spent the rest of his school years.

Troy has participated in many extra-curricular activities while he was in high school. Which included football, basketball, track, UIL, and FFA for four years. Golf and One Act Play for three years. And tennis for two years. In football he received second team all-district his junior and senior years. In basketball he got honorable mention all-district his senior year. And in One Act Play he was named all star cast his senior year.

Troy has remained on the honor roll all four years he was in high school and is salutatorian of the 1984 graduating class. He plans to attend Texas Tech University and major in computer science when he gets out of high school.



**TAMMY TISCHLER**

Tammy Jan Tischler was born on August 8, 1966 in Highland Hospital in Lubbock, Texas. Her parents are Van and Judy Tischler, and she has two younger brothers, Kyle and Kevin.

Tammy attended Shallowater High School her freshman year. Her activities included gymnastics and pep squad. She was on the honor roll, and a member of the FHA Chapter.

Attending school her sophomore year at St. Jo High School, Tammy was elected class vice president, Who's Who in Homemaking, FFA Sweetheart, and

Homecoming Queen. Other activities included basketball, track and pep squad. She was also on the honor roll, and a member of the FHA Chapter.

During her junior and senior years she attended Benjamin High School. Her junior year she participated in UIL Typing, pep squad, and she was on the honor roll. She was chosen Reserve Champion in the Soil and Water Conservation Essay Contest.

In her senior year she participated in the pep squad, was on the honor roll, and again was chosen Reserve Champion in the Soil and Water Conservation Essay Contest.

For her future Tammy is planning a wedding, and is planning to attend Cooke County Junior College in Gainesville.

### Cooking Class Set At School

A "Gourmet Cooking Class" will be held May 24, 29 and 31 in the home economics department at Knox City High School.

Watch next week's paper for further details or contact Veeta Reid or Vera Newton.



**BEVERLY TOLSON**

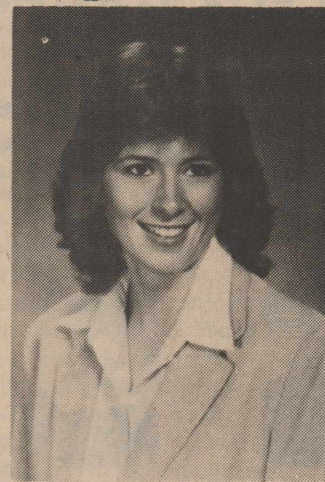
Beverly Tolson is the eighteen year old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Buddy Tolson of Benjamin. She was born January 9, 1966, in the Knox County Hospital. She has one brother, Chad, sixteen. Her grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Buster Tolson of Benjamin and Roy and Mary Kay Daniel of Truscott. She has attended Benjamin School all twelve years.

She participated in basketball, track, tennis, pep squad, FHA, FFA, and annual staff in high school.

Beverly was class secretary all four years, she was Halloween Queen nominee her junior year, on annual staff three years, and editor of annual staff her senior year, elected secretary of student council two years, secretary of FHA two years, and secretary of FFA her senior year.

Other honors include cheerleader and class favorite her junior and senior year. Also voted Miss BHS, Miss School Spirit, and FFA Sweetheart. She was a member of All-District first team in basketball, and listed in Who's Who Among High School Students her senior year.

She plans to attend college and take secretarial courses.

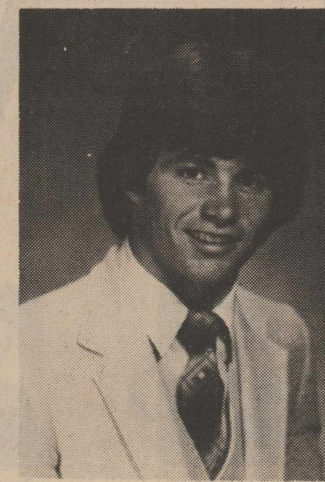


**DEBORAH BUFKIN**

Deborah Ann Bufkin was born in Knox City Hospital January 30, 1966. She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. James W. Bufkin. She has a brother Micheal and a sister Michelle. Her grandparents are Lillie Bufkin of Benjamin and Alvis and Lela Petty of Seymour. She has lived in Benjamin all her life.

Deborah has participated in Basketball, Tennis, Track, and Golf. Among these honors she has received honorable mention her sophomore and junior year and All-District her Senior year. She went to regional in track in mile relay her Junior year. She has been a member of FFA, FHA, Student Council, pep club and a cheerleader. In FHA she was Vice President of Public Relations her Junior year, and President her Senior year. FFA she was Sentinel her Senior year. She was on the chapter conducting team, and the Land judging team her senior year. She was class favorite her Sophomore year. Class Vice President her Sophomore, Junior, and Senior year. She was FFA Sweetheart her Junior year, and Football Sweetheart her Senior year.

Her Future plans are to attend Abilene Community Commercial College.



**TROY OXFORD**

Troy Oxford is the 18 year old son of Mr. and Mrs. Dave Oxford of Benjamin. He was born on September 11, 1965, and has attended school in Benjamin all twelve years.

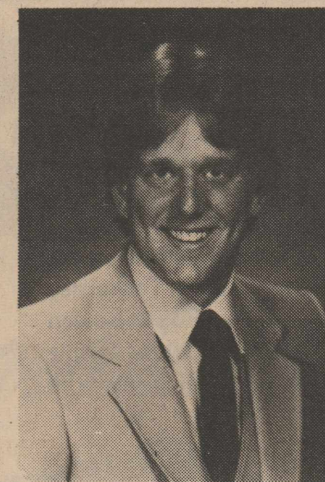
He participated in football, basketball, track, tennis, and golf all four years of high school.

Troy received honors such as first team, all-district linebacker, 1982; first team all-district quarterback, 1982; first team, all-district running back, 1983; and first team all-district linebacker, 1983; and he was named to six man first team All-State in football for the 1983 season as a defensive back.

He was the recipient of the "Fighting Mustang Award" his junior and senior years.

He was also voted Mr. BHS and Most Athletic his senior year, has participated in UIL and FFA his four years in high school. He will participate in the All-Star Football game at Tarleton University in Stephenville in July.

Troy plans to attend Texas Tech University this fall.



## Benjamin Announces Honor Grads

Benjamin High School's Commencement Exercises will be Friday night May 18 at 8:00 p.m. in the school gymnasium.

W.H. Heatly Jr. of Paducah will be the speaker.

Lori Griffith, daughter of Charles and Linda Griffith, is valedictorian with a grade average of 95.2. Troy Pratt, son of Barbara and Jim Pratt, is salutatorian with an average of 93.1.

### EIGHTH GRADE

Eighth grade graduation will be Thursday night, May 17, at 8:00 p.m.

Dennis Duke will be the speaker.

Jeff Pierce, son of Barbara and Sammy Pierce is valedictorian of the class with a grade average of 96.6. Buster Redwine, son of Judy Redwine and James Redwine, is salutatorian with an average of 94.2.

year he was FFA President, FHA Beau, Gifted and Talented, Mr. School Spirit, and Class Favorite.

His favorite kind of music is rock and his favorite group is The Police. He plans to attend Midwestern State University next year and possibly study medicine.

## DANCE

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RECENTLY NAMED Area IV FFA First Vice-President at their convention was Benjamin High School sophomore student Amy Griffith, who is shown with her FFA advisor, Dick Dickson. (Benjamin School Photo)

## Benjamin Sophomore Is Area FFA V-P

Amy Griffith, who is finishing her sophomore year at Benjamin High School, was elected Area IV FFA first vice-president last Thursday at the Area IV FFA Convention. Amy was Oilbelt FFA District Sentinel this year and was the chapter and district Star Chapter Farmer. She competed for Area Star Chapter Farmer also at the convention. Area IV is composed of four FFA districts which takes in 79 school districts. Amy was in competition for the area president's office against Chuck Peterman of Merkel, Scott Young of Iowa Park and Alan Vanderhose of Stephenville. Chuck Peterman was elected president and Amy was runner-up to obtain the first vice-president's position. She is active in all school activities and an active member of the FFA. She devotes much of her time and effort in raising and showing market hogs in major shows around the area and state. Her parents are Mr. and Mrs. Charles Griffith of Benjamin. Her vocational agriculture teacher and FFA advisor is Dick Dickson.

In the local Benjamin FFA awards banquet held Tuesday, May 8, this year's leadership and judging teams

were recognized and the degrees of Greenhand and Chapter farmers were presented. Proficiency awards were presented to Glen Heard for crop production, Toy Reed for agriculture mechanics, and Chad Tolson for beef production. Lori Griffith received the DeKalb Agricultural Accomplishment Award and Troy Pratt was awarded the plaque for Top Ag Student of 1984. Charles Griffith and Ben Grill were presented Honorary Chapter Farmer Degrees for working closely with and helping the FFA.



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**KNOX COUNTY NEWS**

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## EQUIPMENT AUCTION

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TIME: 10:30 a.m.  
LOCATION: 1 Block West & 1 Block South of Courthouse  
Benjamin, Texas

<p><b>TRACTORS</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1 - 1968 IHC 806</li> <li>1 - 1973 Case 1370 (needs repair)</li> <li>1 - 1978 Case 1570 (needs repair)</li> <li>1 - IHC 826 Hydro</li> <li>1 - J.D. 5020</li> <li>1 - 1966 J.D. 4020</li> </ul>	<p><b>EQUIPMENT</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1 - Case tandem, 13'</li> <li>1 - J.D. tandem, 14'</li> <li>1 - M.F. moldboard, 4 btm.</li> <li>1 - Krause oneway, 27 disc</li> <li>1 - Krause offset, 20'</li> <li>1 - Graham Hoeme</li> <li>1 - IHC chisel, 13' 3 pt.</li> <li>1 - Big Ox chisel, 9 shank</li> <li>1 - Jeffery chisel, 30'</li> <li>1 - Chisel plow, 15 shank, 3 pt.</li> <li>1 - Chisel plow, 14', 3 pt.</li> <li>1 - IHC 4 row cultivator</li> <li>1 - 4 row cultivator</li> <li>1 - IHC 6 row planter</li> <li>1 - 4 row planter</li> <li>1 - 5 row stalkcutter</li> <li>2 - 4 row knifing rigs</li> <li>1 - Dempster fertilizer spreader</li> <li>1 - IHC grain drill - 16 x 10</li> <li>1 - Melroe grain drill 282 - 28 x 10</li> <li>3 - J.D. grain drills DRB - 16 x 10</li> <li>1 - Mohawk shredder, 15'</li> </ul>	<p><b>HAY EQUIPMENT</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1 - Case swather, 14' self-propelled</li> <li>1 - New Holland hay loader</li> </ul>
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TRAILERS & PICKUP

- 1 - Equipment trailer
- 1 - Stock trailer
- 1 - 1967 Ford pickup

More equipment will be here day of sale.

Senior Class Will Serve Lunch

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FFA OFFICERS pictured with their sweetheart Daveine Holcomb are from left, Leon Burkham, sponsor; Danny Balis, reporter; Jesse Agraz, treasurer; Michael Rauch, sentinel; Steve Rutherford, vice-president; Daveine; Chris Whitaker, president; James Evatt, secretary; and Jim Dillon, sponsor. (School Photo)

## FFA Awards Are Presented At Banquet

Numerous awards were presented during the annual Future Farmers of America banquet held Monday night, May 14, in the school cafeteria.

Chris Whitaker, FFA president, presided during the banquet. He was assisted by chapter officers.

Among the awards presented included Steve Rutherford, DeKalb Award; Mark Walaski, Claude E. Reed Memorial Award; and Cliff Hacker, Star Chapter Farmer. Star Greenhand was presented to J. Emerson who also received the Outstanding Greenhand award and the Livestock Management Award. Outstanding horticulture students were Willie Robinson and Rita Ramos.

Others recognized were Steve Rutherford, Chris Whitaker, Danny Balis, radio team; Mark Walaski, Ronnie Reece, Adam Garcia, Otis

Lockhart, livestock team; Cliff Hacker, Michael Rauch, Tracy Carter, Mark Daniel, dairy team; Cliff Hacker, dairy cattle; Mark Daniel, Michael Rauch, Tracy Carter, Rudy Agraz, shop skills; Ronnie Reece, swine production; and Chris Whitaker, leadership award.

Recipients of chapter farmer pins were Michael Albus, Danny Balis, Tracy Carter, Mark Daniel, B.B. Edgington, Cliff Hacker, Michael Rauch, Phil Sarabia, David Thompson, Ricky Wupperman, and Greenhand Lance Cypert.

Receiving Greenhand pins were David Bradley, Richard Brewer, Ray Casillas, Brian Correll, Tim Cypert, Trent Driver, John Eaton, J. Emerson, David Gonzles, Robbie Large, Jessie Ledesma, Shane Lewis, Tony Logsdon, Mike Reece, Bruce Skiles, and John Weatherly.

The Junior Chapter Conducting Team of Ray Casillas, Tim Cypert, Shane Lewis, Jessie Ledesma, John Weatherly, J. Emerson, David Bradley, James Maddox, and Richard Brewer was recognized.

Other teams recognized were the quiz team of Shane Lewis, Jessie Ledesma, J. Emerson, and Richard Brewer as well as the poultry team of Tony Logsdon, Trent Driver, John Weatherly and Richard Brewer and the grass judging team of Jessie Ledesma, J. Emerson, Ray Casillas, and Robbie Large.

Additional Ag 1 recipients were Tim Cypert, leadership; Brian Correll, woodworking; Richard Brewer, sheep; David Bradley, beef cattle; Tim Cypert, swine production; and Robbie Large, rabbit production.

Horticulture students, Tina Alsidis, Adam Garcia, Steve Oudems, Rita Ramos, Willie Robinson, Ronnie Reece, and Charlie Vaden were also recognized.

Advisors are Leon Burkham and Jim Dillon.



RECIPIENT OF THE Claude E. Reed Memorial Award is Knox City junior student Mark Walaski shown accepting the award from Mrs. Reed.



J. EMERSON  
...Star Greenhand



CLIFF HACKER  
...Star Chapter Farmer



FHA OFFICERS for 1983-84 school year have been, kneeling from left, Gloria Quintana, Marilyn Benson, and Sarah Jones. Second row, from left, Sheri Evatt, Amber Berryman, Nancy Jones, Michelle Bateman, and Christi Clayton. Standing from left, Mrs. Vera Newton, sponsor; Angie Grisham, Steve Rutherford, FHA Beau; Celia Whisenhunt and Becky Underwood. (School Photo)



OUTSTANDING HORTICULTURE students recognized at Monday night's FFA Banquet are from left, Willie Robinson and Rita Ramos. (School Photo)

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**GOOD LUCK  
GRADUATES**

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Rev. Doug Stenberg, Pastor

**WE APPLAUD  
OUR  
GRADUATES**

**O'Brien Food Store**

## Congratulations Class of 1984



Hats off to our grads! You've worked hard these past years, we hope that success continues to be with you in the years to come!

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### Kuehler Lumber & Supply

## GREETINGS

Class Of '84

Our heartfelt congratulations to all  
our 1984 graduates



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Knox City, Texas

# Junior Prophecy

The seniors have described how successful they feel they will be after their graduation from high school. However, let us take a peek into the future.

We will begin our story of prophecy in the year 2024, 40 years from now. The place is Knox City High School, and the big event of the year is taking place - reunion of the 1984 graduates of Knox City.

The first guest of honor is Jesse Agraz. Jesse is happily married and has 14 kids. He owns the Conoco and has started teaching the little Agrazes to pump gas. He is also still taking a correspondence course for English III.

And who should walk in the door next but Marilyn Benson. Marilyn has finally learned how to drive. She puts her special driving techniques to use as a New York City taxi driver.

Oh, look here comes Amber. Amber has utilized her talents well in choosing a profession. She hosts a daytime television show in which she reveals all the latest gossip.

The graduates are pouring into the cafeteria now and we can see Tanya clear across the room. She has decorated her bald head with purple stripes. She claims this new look adds to her career as the lead singer and guitarist for an acid rock group called "Nazi Cruise".

Michelle, however, is in perfect shape after raising three children. She is married of course, and spends all of her free time as Senior Citizen cheerleader.

Otis Lockhart is walking with a slight limp. We have been told that this is due to the near fatal crash in the 1988 Olympics when his tennis shoe blew out running the 100 yard dash. He flipped 5 times and is very lucky to be alive.

Angie Norton hasn't changed a bit mentally, but physically she now tips the scales at a whopping 300 pounds. She has tried numerous diets, but still can't seem to shed that excess weight.

However, Greg Melin has changed. He came to the reunion in his 1980 Monte Carlo. Surprisingly enough, he still has the same turbo. We will not say, however, what shape the rest of the motor is in.

Oh, here comes Nancy and Sarah Jones. The twins live in separate towns. Nancy lives in Lubbock where she is a well known fashion consultant. Sarah lives in Knox

City where she teaches High School English. Sarah is still on the lookout for a rich husband. As the twins look for a place to sit we can hear Nancy complaining to Sarah about the clothes she is wearing.

And who is sitting in the corner sulking? Why it's Kevin Eaton, he has just received word that he was not selected as one of top 10 Macho Men of America. Better luck next year Kevin.

Here comes Greg Skiles. Greg and Bruce now run the Exxon station together. Like their fathers before them, people often have trouble telling them apart, because they look so much alike.

Alex Espinosa has now appeared upon this joyous occasion. Alex has dropped all his old habits and has become a priest.

It looks like James and LuAnn have made it, they are married now. They own a small farm on which they raise chickens. Their neighbors claim that Lou Ann does all the work.

Nathan has now joined the old crew. He has recently been released from the Vernon State Hospital. He supposedly went crazy while trying to find a cure for Wayne's bow legs.

We have just received a telegram that Chad Whitley will not make the reunion. He is in the hospital recuperating from a serious crash. He was driving his Ford truck in the Indy 500 when all of a sudden a wall jumped out in his way. We're all very sorry to hear about Chad and we all know it was the walls fault because Chad is a very cautious driver.

Felicia Ward has taken time out of her busy schedule to be present. Felicia is now a world renowned brain surgeon who is famous for the first brain transplant. She is practicing her medicine at the Knox County Hospital.

After 40 years, Wayne still goes to college, using all his athletic scholarships. Wayne also has a wife and two children. Fortunately, his children were born with normal legs.

Wow, here comes George Espinosa. He is in perfect shape. Due to the serious attitude he has developed towards physical fitness, George has been selected as Richard Simmons' personal assistant.

Tina Alsides is also a celebrity now. She has overcome her shyness and is now the host of a nationally

telecast show where she teaches millions of people to speak Spanish.

Daveine just flew in the room. The news on Daveine is that she never made it as a volleyball coach. Instead, she decided to follow the profession of her dreams. Due to her mad, passionate love for science, Daveine is now a chemistry professor at Tarleton.

Well, Becky Smith did make it to the reunion. She has taken time from her busy schedule to be with us. By the way, Becky is a recruiter for the Marines.

To everyone's surprise Chris Whitaker has stayed alive for 40 more years. We have heard that he has learned to control his temper. He earns his living as the head psychologist at the Huntsville prison.

Here comes Lupe. Lupe has moved to LA where he retains his title of Low Rider Champion of the World.

Right behind Lupe is Joe Paul on a new motorcycle with a starlet riding behind.

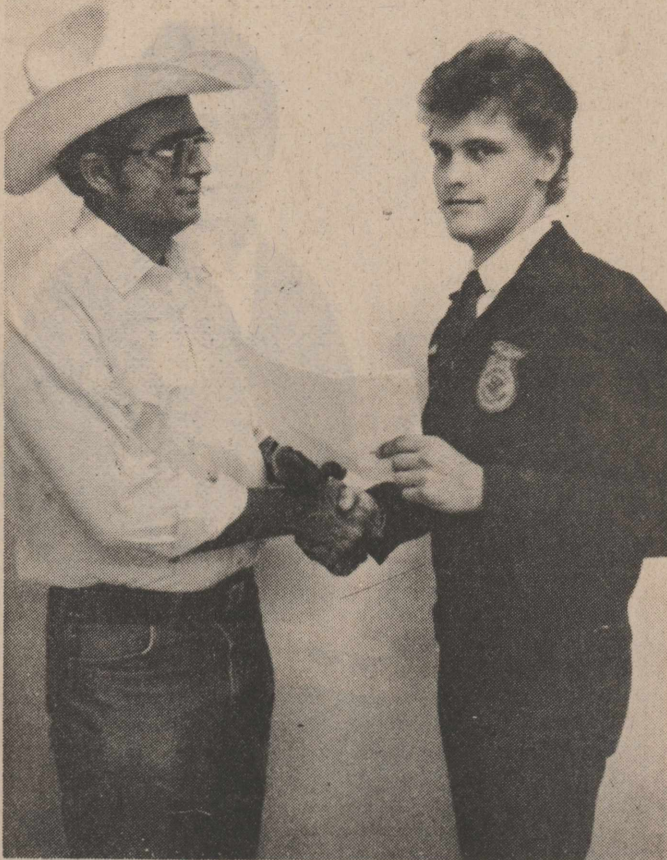
Dwayne also lives in Hollywood. Dwayne does quick sketches on the street corner. When business is slow he sells bug-proof sunshades and shades with windshield wipers.

The last graduate is Peggilee Wupperman. She is waving Hello to her old classmates in her Phyllis Diller outfit. However she can't stay long because she is on her way to tape another segment of the Tonight Show.

Well that wraps up our quick peek into the future with the 1984 graduates. As we step back into the present we want to wish the 1984 graduates much happiness in the future.

## Wupperman Loses In Quarterfinals

Knox City's Ricky Wupperman lost in Class A state quarterfinals 6-2, 6-1 to Shawn Ammons of Booker last weekend at Austin.



**NAMED AS DeKalb Award winner at the FFA Banquet Monday night was senior Steve Rutherford, accepting the award from advisor Leon Burkham.**

## DeKalb Award Goes To Knox City Senior

Steve Rutherford, Knox City senior and son of Mr. and Mrs. J.B. Rutherford, has been named winner of the 1984 DeKalb Agricultural Accomplishment Award. The award, sponsored nationwide by DeKalb Ag Research, Inc. and DeKalb-Pfizer Genetics, is presented to the senior agriculture student attaining the highest degree of proficiency in scholarship, leadership, and a supervised agricultural program.

Rutherford has been president of the Oilbelt District, has previously served as president and vice-president of the local FFA chapter, and previously was class president. His agricultural program consists of feeder cattle and swine. He was a member of the radio team and livestock judging team.

Following graduation, Steve plans to attend Texas Tech with a major in ag economics.

As this year's winner, Steve

receives a pin and certificate and his name will be inscribed on a special plaque displayed in the ag building.

The DeKalb award, often considered the highest honor a vo-ag student can receive on the local level, is presented in nearly 4,000 schools annually.

## Sheryll Reed Is Degree Recipient


Sheryll Reed, a 1977 graduate of Knox City High School, received a B.S. degree in elementary education from Texas Tech University Saturday morning, May 12. She participated in exercises at 10:30 o'clock in the Texas Tech Coliseum where she graduated summa cum laude with a 3.9 grade point average.

State Senator John T. Montford addressed the graduates.


Sheryll belonged to Phi Kappa Phi and Kappa Delta Phi. She was on the President's Honor List all semesters and was a National Dean's List member.

Attending exercises were Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Guinn, Dell Guinn and Karla Finley, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Reed and Kevin, and Mr. and Mrs. Greg Zeissel of Munday.

Sheryll and her husband, Mel, live in Levelland where he serves as a State Game Warden.

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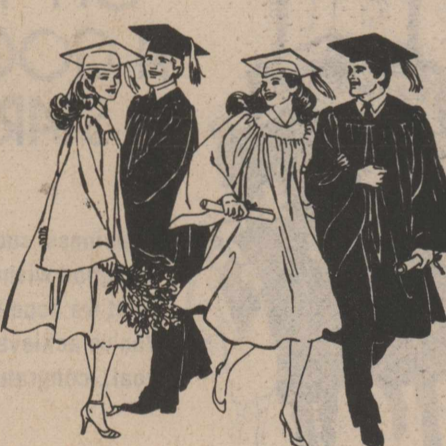
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*Well Done*  **Grads!**  
*We wish you much success and happiness.*  
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**GRADUATION**  
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# Grade School Track Results Are Told

Partial results of the recent kindergarten through fourth grade track meet held in Munday have been released to the News. School officials submitted the following:

Kindergarten girls -- 30 yard dash, Hilary Wheeler, first; Trisha Washington, fourth; Traci Deering, fifth and Marsha Flye, sixth; 50 yard dash, Hilary Wheeler, first; Trisha Washington, second; Marsha Flye, third; and Traci Deering, sixth; 75 yard dash, Marsha Flye, first; Hilary Wheeler, second; Trisha Washington, fourth and Jennifer Abernathy, sixth; 300 yard relay, Traci Deering, Jennifer Abernathy, Trisha Washington, Marsha Flye, Joanna Stone and Hilary Wheeler, second.

Kindergarten boys -- 30 yard dash, Lance Dever, first; Buck Ivie, second; Edward Roberson, third; Nathan Douglas, fourth; Hilario Herrera, sixth; 50 yard dash, Lance Dever, first; David Dudensing, fourth; Hilario Herrera, fifth; 75 yard dash, Lance Dever, first; Nathan Douglas, second; Edward Roberson, fourth; David Dudensing, sixth; 300 yard relay, Nathan Douglas, David Dudensing, Lance Dever, Billy Contreras, Josh Newton and Clint Hacker, second.

Six year olds, first grade, boys, 30 yard dash, Bronco Flye, first; Billy J. Curd, sixth; 50 yard dash, Bronco Flye, first; David Gonzales, fifth and Joe Bunton, sixth; 75 yard dash, Bronco Flye, first; David Gonzales, fourth; and shuttle relay, Al Rios, Bronco Flye, Joe Bunton, Kevin Dorsey, Billy J. Curd, David Gonzales, second; Ryan Marion, Jimmy Avina, Jason Jack, Ricky Garcia, Kareem Collier, Michael Ledesma, third.

Six year olds, first grade, girls, 30 yard dash, Necie Reagins, second; Lila Rector, fifth; LaKindra Douglas, sixth; 50 yard dash, Star Hernandez, second; Anna Stenberg, third; 75 yard dash, Star Hernandez, second; Necie Reagins, third; Anna Stenberg, sixth; shuttle relay, Star Hernandez, Lynnzie Logsdon, Christy Stenberg, Lila Rector, Anna Stenberg, Necie Reagins, first; LaKindra Douglas, Elisha Speck, Alisha Vasquez, Felicia Collier, Chrystal Tankersley and Christie Manning, third.

Second grade boys, 30 yard dash, Darrell Douglas, fourth; Jeffrey Reynolds, fifth; Scott Stephens, sixth; 50 yard dash, Jake Jordan, first; Shayne Mullens, fourth; Todd Faulk, fifth; 75 yard dash, Jake Jordan, first; Darrell

Douglas, sixth; relay, Todd Faulk, B.J. Casillas, Marc Espinoza, Jake Jordan, Stuart Wheeler, Darrell Douglas, first; Henry Calvillo, Dwayne Vasquez, Mario Sigalo, Cris Lee Hacker, Gilbert Casillas, Scott Stephens, third.

Second grade girls, 30 yard dash, Denise Dudensing, second; Kim Posey, fourth; Nicky Dever, fifth; 50 yard dash, Denise Dudensing, third; Kim Posey, fourth; Debra Ledesma, sixth; 75 yard dash, Denise Dudensing, third; Kim Posey, fourth; Virginia Bernal, fifth; relay, Kim Posey, Virginia Bernal, Debra Ledesma, Laurie Nevarez, Rhonda Parker, Denise Dudensing, second.

Third grade, 50 yard dash, boys, Matt Maurer, second; Mike Bunton, third; Billy Douglas, sixth; 75 yard dash, boys, Mike Bunton, second; Billy Douglas, fifth; 100 yard dash, Mike Bunton, second; Steve Ledesma, fourth; Matt Maurer, sixth; 100 yard shuttle relay, Mike Bunton, Chris Casillas, Billy Douglas, Joseph Johnson, Steve Ledesma, Matt Maurer, second.

Third grade girls, Necie Flye, third; 50 yard dash, Tonya Manuel, fourth; LaShonda Cotton, fifth; 75 yard dash, Necie Flye, first; Tonya Manuel, third; LaShonda Cotton, sixth; 100 yard dash, Necie Flye, second; Tonya Manuel, third; and LaShonda Cotton, fourth; 100 yard shuttle relay, Lori Boston, LaShonda Cotton, Amy Deering, Necie Flye, Lezlee Hearn, Tanya Manuel, second; Amy Carver, Donnese Fritsche, Jacy Dillon, Hanna Williams, Christy Rios, Kristi McKinney, third.



JUNIOR CHAPTER CONDUCTING in FFA are these young men standing, from left, Richard Brewer, Jesse Ledesma, John Weatherly, Ray Casillas, J. Emerson, Shane Lewis and Tim Cypert. Seated, from left, are David Bradley and James Maddox. (School Photo)



You've earned our praise, grads. Keep up the good work.



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## Haskell Frontier Days Set For May 17, 18 & 19

The Haskell Frontiers Day Celebration and Rodeo May 17, 18, 19 will be sponsored by the Haskell Horse Club, Bob Brandon, president and launched with a parade beginning at 5:30 p.m. and barbeque at 6:30 on May 17.

The nightly rodeo will begin at 7:30 p.m. at the arena, with Runt Sloan of Newcastle, producer and Charles Thornhill, announcer.

Grace Womack, parade chairman, announced that the parade will follow the traditional country and western theme and will include floats, riding clubs, farm and ranch equipment and area bands.

Haskell merchants have been asked to do a frontier theme for their store windows, and residents and visitors are encouraged to dress in the typical regalia.

Some of the organizations participating in the activities are the Young Homemakers,

sponsor of the Queen's Contest; Kiwanis Club, concessions and barbeque; Fire Department, downtown flags and gate sales; Rotary Club, printed programs; Girls Softball Team, advance ticket sales; and Chamber of Commerce, promotion.

Books open April 15 for the Ranch Team Events and May 16 for the Open Rodeo of bull riding, saddle bronc, bareback riding, barrel racing, calf roping, team roping. For information call 817-864-3324.

Rodeo Queen contestants are Sheree Dumas, Gina Kuykendall, Missy Briscoe, Shelly Briscoe, Gia Henshaw, Lori Lane, Leiza Morales, Shanna Sojourner, Alisha Boatman, Tammy Parsons, and Terri Liles. Last year's queen was Robin Weaver.



*Saluting our Graduates*

**Salute THE GRADUATES!**

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**PERRYS**  
Elaine Lewis, Manager

**Congratulations TO OUR GRADS**

We think of you as "ours" and we're proud as can be of what you've done! We wish you luck!

**Lewis Paint And Body Shop**

### Women On The Go

More and more women are traveling, and quite often by air. While air travel is a quick way to get anywhere whether for business or pleasure, women should know how to avoid fatigue that might result from an air journey. Here are a few simple in-flight tips that stewardesses have known about for years.

- Tuck in an extra pair of slippers to change into on the plane.

- Raise legs off the floor and rest them on a traveling tote bag for improved comfort when sitting for a long time.

- Take a short walk up and down the aisle.

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32-oz. Jar  
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BANQUET FROZEN  
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PREPARING TO ENJOY delicious food at the annual Junior-Senior Banquet held May 5 are, from left, Missy Pierce, George Espinosa, Kevin Eaton, Wayne E. Hutchinson, and Christi Clayton. (School Photo)

## Senior Will

Whereas, the Senior Class of 1984, being of sound mind and body do here by declare this our last will and testament. The items of this will, as herein duly recorded this day, May 5, 1984, are to pass to the Senior Class of 1985 upon probate of this will at 9:00 p.m.

- 1) We will the Junior Class the ability to finish school.
- 2) Nedria wills the school her candy wrappers and fruit peelings for color.
- 3) The Senior Class wills Lance Kevin's speaking ability to use in Coach Underwood's class.
- 4) Amber wills on to Cynthia her Mary Kay Testing Center to demonstrate in Home Economics.
- 5) The Senior Class wills Janie Angie's drill team suit.
- 6) We will Mark Walaski the ability to be himself.
- 7) Seniors in the Beta Club will the Junior Class the ability to get in.
- 8) The Senior Class wills Adam the ability to find his way home after school.
- 9) We will Missy another locker to put all of Todd's pictures in.
- 10) We will Andy Correll a free tank of gas for all of his riding around after school.
- 11) We will Vera, Marilyn's body for Volleyball and Basketball.
- 12) We will Mark Delgado a tank to drive to school in.
- 13) The chemistry class wills Ronnie a ticket back in time to be with his Neandralth look alike.
- 14) We will Ronnie the ability he thought in football he always had.
- 15) We will Stella the ability to stay in athletics and go to state again.
- 16) We will Debra and Stephanie the ability to teach Homemaking III.
- 17) We will Steve Otis's ability.
- 18) We will Tanya's notebook full of rock groups to Olivia for her hidden side

of life.

- 19) We will Charles the ability to impress the teachers more with his smoking techniques.
- 20) We will Charles the ability to break lights without getting caught.
- 21) The Seniors on the football team will Willie the ability to learn his position.
- 22) We will Faby a lifetime set of lunchroom trays.
- 23) We will Mindy the ability to express herself as Daveine does on the drill team.
- 24) We will the Junior Class our used caps and gowns.
- 25) Nancy and Chad will the Junior Class their invitations they never received.
- 26) The Senior Football players will the Junior Football players a State Championship parade their Senior year.
- 27) We will the Junior Class a sidewalk from Main Street to the school.
- 28) We will the Junior Class the ability to function as a class as the Senior Class does.
- 29) We will to each Junior a new brain to finish school.
- 30) We will to Charlie and Mark W. ability to get along with their sponsor.
- 31) Senior athletic girls will Vera some "support" to play volleyball and basketball with.
- 32) We will Mark D. the ability to get his assignments in!
- 33) We will Cynthia a new alarm clock in order to make

it to school.

- 34) We will Missy some help from the Sr. class to work on class projects.
- 35) We will Andy and Lance the ability to come alive their Sr. year.
- 36) We will Stella her own private mirror in the bathroom.
- 37) We will Adam the ability to be the star athlete of 1985 from all the practicing he does in his yard.
- 38) We will Debra ability to sail through her Sr. year without studying.
- 39) We will Faby the ability to be nominated Best all-around.
- 40) We will Charles the ability to stay out of the office his Sr. year.
- 41) We will Mindy the ability to smile at least once a day.
- 42) We will Steve the ability to get the girls he thinks he has.
- 43) We will Janie her own Cobra car to drive to school.
- 44) We will Stephanie de-chipping magic lotion for the chip on her shoulder to get her through her Sr. year.
- 45) We will Olivia the ability to be quiet.
- 46) We will Willie the Willie Wonka Chocolate factory to furnish the next Jr. class their chocolate.
- 47) We will the Jr. Class a graduation.

This concludes the last will and testament of the Sr. Class of 1984. We sincerely hope that the Class of 1985 will use

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### Services For Ex-Resident Held Sunday

Memorial services were held at 2:00 p.m. Sunday for former resident Henry Burton Allen at the Amarillo Unitarian Fellowship.

Allen, 55, of 4210 Parker, Amarillo, died Friday, May 11.

He was a longtime resident of Amarillo but had grown up in Aspermont and Knox City. Burt was a painter, sculptor, poet, and member of the Amarillo Unitarian Fellowship.

Survivors include two sons, Burt Allen Jr. of Amarillo and Brad Allen of Houston; two daughters, Becky Allen of Irving and Barbara Coldiron of Austin; his mother, Mrs. Birdie Turner of Pampa; three brothers, Roy Brian Allen of Amarillo, Claude Allen of Galveston, and Edd W. Allen of Australia; and one sister, Mrs. Evelyn Haiduk of White Deer.

The family requests that memorials be contributions to the American Cancer Society.

### Mid-School Twirlers, Cheerleaders Named

O'Brien Mid-School has named its twirlers and cheerleaders to serve for the next school term, Principal Charles Reed has announced.

Twirlers will be Ann Diaz, Kelli Whitten, Shawn Davis, and Angie Logsdon.

Cheerleaders are Kim Bateman, Marci Berryman, Karen Daniel, and Leah Rauch.

### Retired Teachers To Meet May 22

The Knox County Retired Teachers Association will meet Tuesday, May 22, for a salad luncheon. This will be the last meeting of the year.

Hostesses will be Margaret Siecke, Mary Jo Lankford and Tess Wall.

Dues for the next club year will be accepted at this time.



## Hats Off... Class Of 1984

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for your vote of confidence on Saturday, May 5. Jo and I sincerely appreciate the consideration shown us during my campaign for District Judge of the 50th Judicial District.

We want to thank our many friends and supporters who worked in our behalf.

With warmest regards,  
David Hajek

(Pd. Pol. Adv. By Jan Bufkin, Campaign Treasurer)

### A SPECIAL MESSAGE

I want to take this opportunity to publically express my sincere appreciation to the many people of Knox County who supported and encouraged me during my campaign for the office of District Attorney of the 50th Judicial District. With your help, I received 48.8% of the votes cast in the race. My candidacy presented a strong viable alternative. The results resolutely established my credibility as a strong potential candidate for the future.

I am proud of the kind of campaign we presented. Every candidate, when he announces for public office, voluntarily places himself before his constituents for close public scrutiny. I did so willingly. It is perhaps inevitable in a free society that a few zealots, without the sanction or control of any candidate, will grasp such an opportunity to create and disseminate "Political Propaganda" without regard for truth, honesty and integrity.

During my campaign, a handful of zealots carrying an uncharacteristic political alliance used every available resource uniformly characterized by defamatory remarks and accusations aimed against my good name and reputation. They took their best cheap shots. The strength of my campaign persevered because most of the good people of this judicial district recognized that their tactics transcended politics and clearly reflected immaturity, cowardice and ignorance. Truth, honesty and integrity were my defenses. For your continued support in the face of such adversity, I thank you.

I have no regrets and I owe no apologies. I tried to address the issues and to meet the voters in a good clean political race. My opponent won the election and I wish him success. The voters won because they had a choice. I won because I made hundreds of new friends.

Thank you,  
James M. Morris

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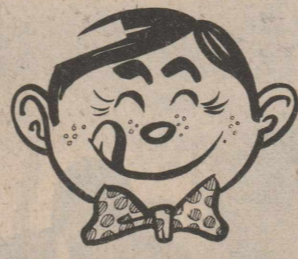
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