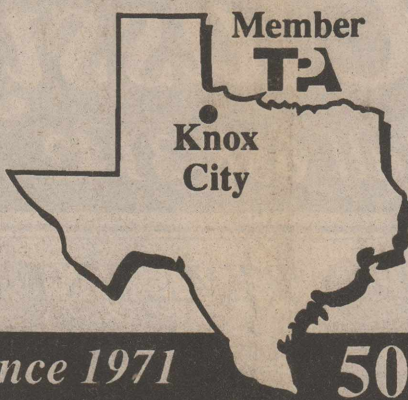


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"MA SHULTZ", above, and "BIG BERTA", below, STOLE THE SHOW at the "Covered Wagon Variety Show" in Knox City last week. Held as a fundraiser for the Knox County Aging Center, the entertainment provided a lot of laughs and featured some "darn good" local talent. More photographs appear inside this week's News. For those who weren't there, see if you can guess the real identity of "Ma" and "Berta". (NEWS Photos)



Texas Tech Exes To Meet Monday In Haskell At 6

Texas Tech Ex-Students will have their annual meeting of the Rolling Plains Chapter of the Texas Tech Ex-Students Association, Monday, April 19, at the Haskell Country Club.

Registration is scheduled at 6:00 p.m. with the meal being served at 7:00 p.m. catered by River Smith's of Lubbock. Children not wanting a River Smith's meal may eat hot dogs free of charge.

Texas Tech football coaches will attend the meeting and present a short program.

The annual scholarship fund raising auction will follow the program. All interested Tech ex-students and Tech supporters are invited to attend, according to Bobby Hobgood of Haskell.

For information on adult and children's meal tickets or those wanting additional information, interested persons are asked to RSVP to Don Bowman in Munday at 673-8237.

Byron Waldrip Has Lead In SPC's "Grease"

LEVELLAND - - The carefree life of the 1950s will be brought to the state in April as the South Plains College Theatre Department presents "Grease". Byron Waldrip, a freshman from Knox City, has the leading male role of "Danny Zuko".

One of the longest running productions in Broadway history, "Grease" will be performed April 15 through 20 in SPC's Theatre for the Performing Arts.

"Everybody that's in this play and the majority of the people that will be coming to see the play, grew up on the movie," Waldrip said. He contin-

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Little League Set For 1993 Season

Season Opener Set For May 3

The Knox City Little League Association has been busy the past several weeks as preparations for the upcoming 1993 season are being made.

With Kevin Stone as President, Danny Parker as Vice-President and Dave Thompson as Secretary-Treasurer, the board of directors will also consist of a coach from each team and a parent who will act as a player representative. In addition, Janet Conner will serve on the board as the parent/player representative from Benjamin.

Areas of concern being worked on by the association are upgrading the condition of the playing field, working on the fence and buildings, operation of the concession stand, obtaining uniforms and equipment, and the annual candy sales by team members.

The infield area has been plowed and new Bermuda grass sown in. A

workday has been set for repairs on the fence and other areas of concern.

Sammie Offield has agreed to manage the concession stand. Due to her normal work schedule, she will once again be relying on volunteer help from the parents to man the stand during games. The stand also runs on donated food items.

New uniform pants will be furnished to the T-Ball players this year, all the teams will wear grey pants with their various color uniform t-shirts. Two teams have had name changes, last year's Eagles will now be the Astros and last year's Raiders will now be the Braves. Little League teams will remain the same.

Coaches for the teams this season are as follows:

Little League

Cardinals: Danny Parker and Sid Richardson, Dodgers: Jessie Rios and Nefro Gonzales, Royals: David Anderson, Tigers: Mario Ramos,

Tharon Campbell and Danny Lewis. T-Ball

Astros: Dwayne Johnson and Sharla Carver, Braves: Dave Thompson, Robert Anderson and Adali Weiershausen, Rangers: Marq Brockett, Ricky Gonzales and Ronnie Oliver, Tigers: Becky Watson.

While the team selections for little league have not been determined as of press time this week, the T-Ball players have been assigned to teams. T-Ball coaches will be contacting those players about practices later this week. The school has asked for practice not to begin until after the school achievement tests are completed on Thursday.

With all the support and enthusiasm shown, it looks like a great season this year. Coaches and board members look forward to working with the parents as well as the players, and they want to emphasize that the players need family support.

District Track Meet Is Here Friday

On your mark, get set - - GO !!

Nine schools will converge on Knox City Friday when both girls and boys teams from throughout the district will participate in the annual district meet to be held at Greyhound Stadium.

According to Coach Rogers Lankford, teams from Aspermont, Crowell, Munday, Lorenzo, Paducah, Petersburg, Spur, Motley County and Knox City will participate.

As of press time Tuesday morning, a tentative schedule for Friday was to begin the meet at 10:00 a.m. with the 3200 meter run and field events. Running preliminaries are to begin at 2:30 p.m. with the finals set at approximately 6:30 p.m.

Physicians Honored On Doctor's Day

When Georgia physician Dr. Crawford Long used ether as an anesthetic agent on March 30, 1842, the age of modern medicine began. Each year March 30 is designated as Doctors' Day in hospitals across the nation as a way of honoring the physicians in the community.

"Hospitals in rural areas have difficulty in attracting and retaining physicians," Stephen Kuehler, administrator at Knox County Hospital, said. "We are very fortunate to have two very talented physicians serving Knox County."

Shirley Barretto MD and Calvin M. Casipit MD see patients in both Knox City and Munday. Dr Casipit is a specialist in internal medicine, who came to Knox County Hospital last

year. Dr. Barretto, a family practice physician, returned to Knox City last year, after practicing medicine in North Dakota for four years.

As a family practice physician, Dr. Barretto treats most illnesses that might occur in a family. Her practice includes everything from pediatrics to gerontology, treating the newborn to the elderly.

Dr. Casipit focuses his work on the diagnosis and treatment of the major internal body systems, such as the cardiovascular system and the respiratory system.

"We are very proud of our medical staff," Kuehler said. And, we invited the area to say 'thank you' to our physicians for their services to the area."

Early Voting Now Underway

Early voting began Monday of this week for three local elections and one state election. Deadline to vote in the City Council, Hospital District, School Board, U.S. Senate, and State Constitutional Amendment elections will be Tuesday, April 27.

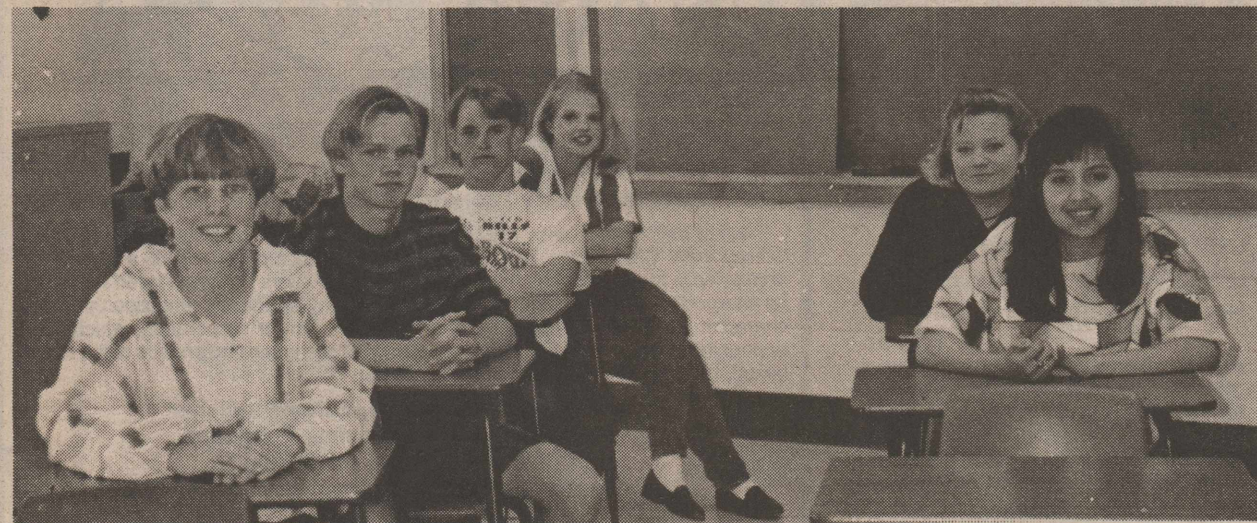
Early voting will be conducted at City Hall in Knox City Monday through Friday from 8:00 a.m. until 5:00 p.m. for the city and school elections, while early voting for the hospital and state elections will be held in the County Clerk's office in the Knox County Courthouse at Benjamin from 8:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m.

On the statewide ballot, education will be one of the prime matters to face voters on May 1. There will be three Constitutional Amendments on the ballot, dealing primarily with education finance. Also, there will be a race pitting numerous candidates for the U.S. Senator seat presently held by Bob Krueger who was appointed to fill the vacancy left by Lloyd Bentsen.

Fund For Shirley Brown Begins In Knox County

Two funds for Shirley Brown, who will be going to M.D. Anderson Hospital in Houston, later this month have been started in Knox County.

Donations may be left at the Citizens State Bank in Knox City or the First National Bank in Munday.



KNOX CITY HIGH SCHOOL students advancing to the Regional UIL literary competition to be April 23 in Levelland are from left, Jessica Williams, accounting team; Joseph Logsdon, informative speaking; Josh Burt, persuasive speaking; Denise Dudensing, accounting team; Lisa Russell, keyboarding; and Virginia Bernal, accounting team. Sponsor for the group is Renella Watson. (NEWS Photo)

CLASSIFIEDS, From Page Two**PUBLIC NOTICE**

and professional evaluators. Nominations are now being accepted until Friday, April 16. Forms are available in the Elementary School Office.

For more information or questions, please contact Greta Waldrip, G / T Instructor. 4-8 2tc 180

PUBLIC NOTICE

SAMPLE WEED ORDINANCE
AN ORDINANCE TO PROTECT THE PUBLIC HEALTH AND PROMOTE THE PUBLIC WELFARE OF THE CITY OF KNOX CITY, TEXAS, BY PROVIDING FOR THE FILLING UP AND DRAINAGE OF LOTS THAT SHALL HAVE UNWHOLESOME PLACE OR PLACES WHERE STAGNANT WATER MAY ACCUMULATE THEREON; THE CLEANING OF ANY BUILDING OR PREMISES OF FILTH, CARTRON OR OTHER IMPURE AND UNWHOLESOME MATTER; REQUIRING OWNERS OR OCCUPANTS OF LOTS IN THE CITY OF KNOX CITY TO KEEP SAID LOTS FREE FROM WEEDS, RUBBISH, BRUSH AND OTHER UNSIGHTLY OR INSANITARY MATTER; PROVIDING FOR NOTICE TO BE GIVEN TO OWNERS OR PREMISES IN CASE OF FAILURE OF OWNER TO MAKE LOTS AND/OR PREMISES SANITARY AND SIGHTLY THAT THE SAME MAY BE DONE AT THE EXPENSE OF THE CITY OF KNOX CITY; PROVIDING FOR THE FIXING OF A LIEN AGAINST SUCH LOTS FOR SUCH IMPROVEMENT; AND DECLARING AN EMERGENCY.

4-15 1tc 145

PUBLIC NOTICE

ABANDONED AND JUNKED MOTOR VEHICLES
AN ORDINANCE TO DEFINE ABANDONED AND JUNKED MOTOR VEHICLES; GENERAL ENFORCEMENT; AUTHORITY TO TAKE POSSESSION OF ABANDONED VEHICLES; NOTICE OF IMPOUNDMENT; AUCTION SALES AND DISPOSITION OF PROCEEDS; CUSTODY OF VEHICLE BY GARAGEKEEPER, POLICE DEPARTMENT; FEE TO ACCOMPANY REPORT OF GARAGEKEEPER; PROCEEDS OF SALES TO GARAGEKEEPER AND POLICE; DISPOSAL OF VEHICLE TO DEMOLISHER; JUNKED VEHICLES DECLARED A PUBLIC NUISANCE; PROCEDURES FOR ABATING NUISANCE; DISPOSAL OF JUNKED VEHICLES.

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ELECTION NOTICE**NOTICE OF ELECTION FOR KNOX COUNTY WATER CONTROL & IMPROVEMENT DISTRICT NO. 1**

An election is hereby ordered to be held at Benjamin, Texas, Memorial Building on May 1, 1993, for the purpose of electing three directors. Absentee voting by personal appearance at the County Clerk's office in Benjamin, Texas, between the hours

ELECTION NOTICE

of 8:00 a.m. and 5:00 p.m. beginning April 12, 1993, and ending April 27, 1993. Applications for ballot by mail should be mailed to Knox County Clerk, Benjamin, Texas, 79505 and must be received by 5:00 p.m. on April 23, 1993.

Order issued this 1st day of February 1993.

Avisio de Eleccion Para Condado de Knox agua control & mejoría distrito numero uno por la presente se ordeo que se llevara a cabo una eleccion el 1 de mayo 1993 el proposito del 3 directores en Benjamin monumento edificio.

La botacion en ausencia en persona se llevara a cabo de lunes - viernes en la oficina del condado de Knox empleado oficina en Benjamin, Texas entre las 8:00 de manansa las 5:00 de la tarde empezando el 12 de abril 1993 terminado el 27 de abril 1993. los solicitudes para boletas por correo debe ser mando por correo a Knox County Clerk Benjamin, Texas 79505 y debe ser recibir el 23 de abril 1993 antes del las 5:00 de la tarde orden emitadica 1st de febrero 1993.

Kenneth Roberts,
Vice President of
Board of Directors
board of de tabla de directors
4-8 3tc 252

ELECTION NOTICE**NOTICE OF GENERAL ELECTION (AVISO DE ELECCION)**

To the Registered Voters of Knox City, Texas:
(A los votantes registrados del Knox City, Texas.)

Notice is hereby given that the polling places listed below will be open from 7:00 a.m. to 7:00 p.m. on May 1, 1993, for voting in a General election to elect two (2) Councilmembers and One (1) Mayor.

(Notifiquese, por las presente, que las cadillas electorales situas abajo se abriran desde las 7:00 a.m. hasta las 7:00 p.m. el 1st de Mayo de 1993 para votar en la Eleccion para dos miembros de Council and y una Alcalde.)

LOCATION(S) OF POLLING PLACES
(Direccion(ES) DE LAS CASILLAS

ELECTION NOTICE**ELECTORALES)**

Knox City Aging Center
Knox City, Texas (Knox County)
Centro Para Ancianidad Del Condado Knox
Early voting by personal appearance will be conducted each weekday at (La votacion en ausencia en persona se llevara a cabo de lunes a viernes en)

Knox City - City Hall
Knox City Ciudad Alcaldia
200 Central Avenue
200 Norte Central
Knox City, Texas 79529
Knox City, Texas 79529

(location) (sitio)
between the hours of 8:00 a.m. and 5:00 p.m. beginning on April 12, 1993

(entre las 8:00 de la manana y las 5:00 de la tarde empezando el 12 abril, 1993)

and ending on April 27, 1993.

(Y terminando el 27 de Abril, 1993).

Applications for ballots by mail shall be mailed to:

(las solicitudes para boletas que se votaran en ausencia por correo deberan enviarse a:)

Cindy Maxwell
(Name of Early Voting Clerk)

(Nombre del Secretario de la Votacion En Adelantada)

200 North Central
(200 Norte Central)

(Address) (Direccion)

Knox City, Texas 79529

(City) (Ciudad)

(Zip Code) (Zona Postal)

Applications for ballots by mail must be received no later than the close of business on

(Las solicitudes para boletas que se votaran en ausencia por correo deberan recibirse para el fin de las horas de negocio el)

April 23, 1993

23 de abril 1993

(date) (fecha)

Issued this the 1st day of April, 1993.

(Emitada este dia 1 de abril, 1993.)

Oscar Mangis

Signature of Presiding Officer
(Firma del Oficial que Preside)

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ELECTION NOTICE**NOTICE OF CITY ELECTION (AVISO DE ELECCION)****ELECTION NOTICE**

To the Registered Voters of Benjamin School District, Texas: Notice is hereby given that the polling places listed below will be open from 7:00 a.m. to 7:00 p.m., on May 1, 1993, for voting in a City election, to elect three members.

LOCATION OF POLLING PLACES

Benjamin Memorial Building

Absentee voting by person appearance will be conducted each weekday

at the County Clerk's Office, Knox County Courthouse between the

hours of 8:00 a.m. and 5:00 p.m.

beginning on April 12, 1993 and ending on April 27, 1993.

Applications for ballot by mail shall be mailed to: Gloria West, Box 196,

Benjamin, Texas 79505.

Applications for ballots by mail must be received no later than the close of

business on April 23, 1993

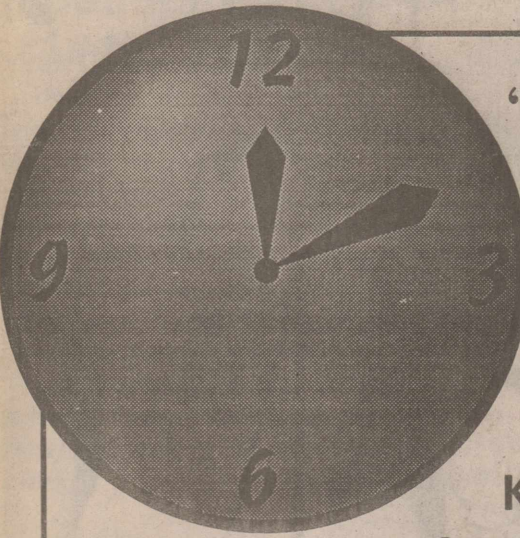
Issued this the 8th day of April, 1993.

Dorothy Spikes

City Clerk

Signature of Presiding Officer
(Firma del Oficial que Preside)

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**"EVERY MINUTE COUNTS IN AN EMERGENCY!"**

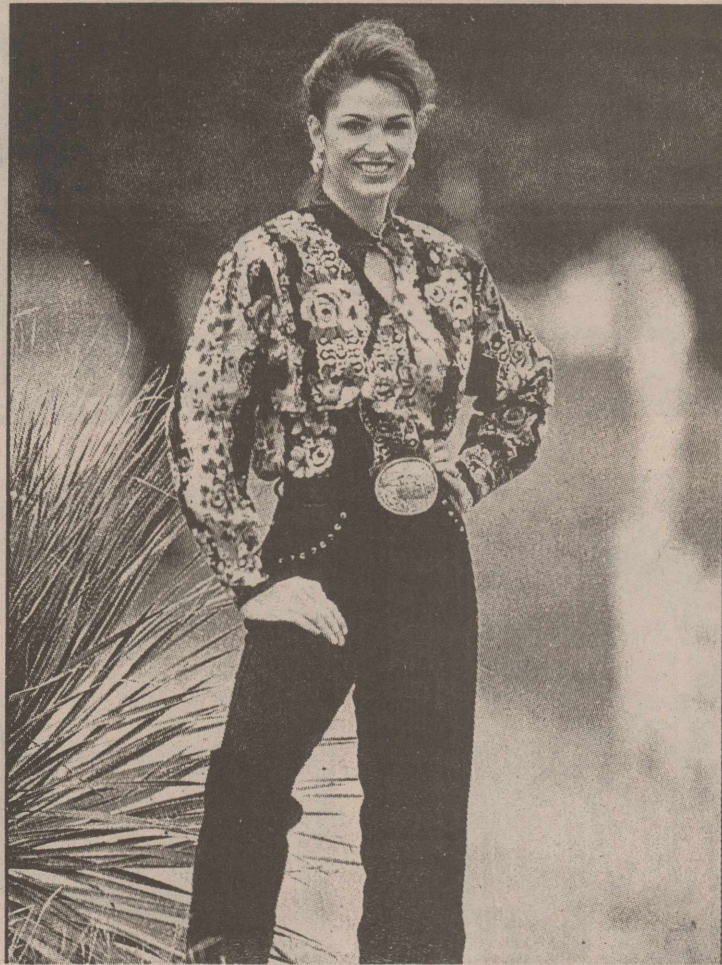
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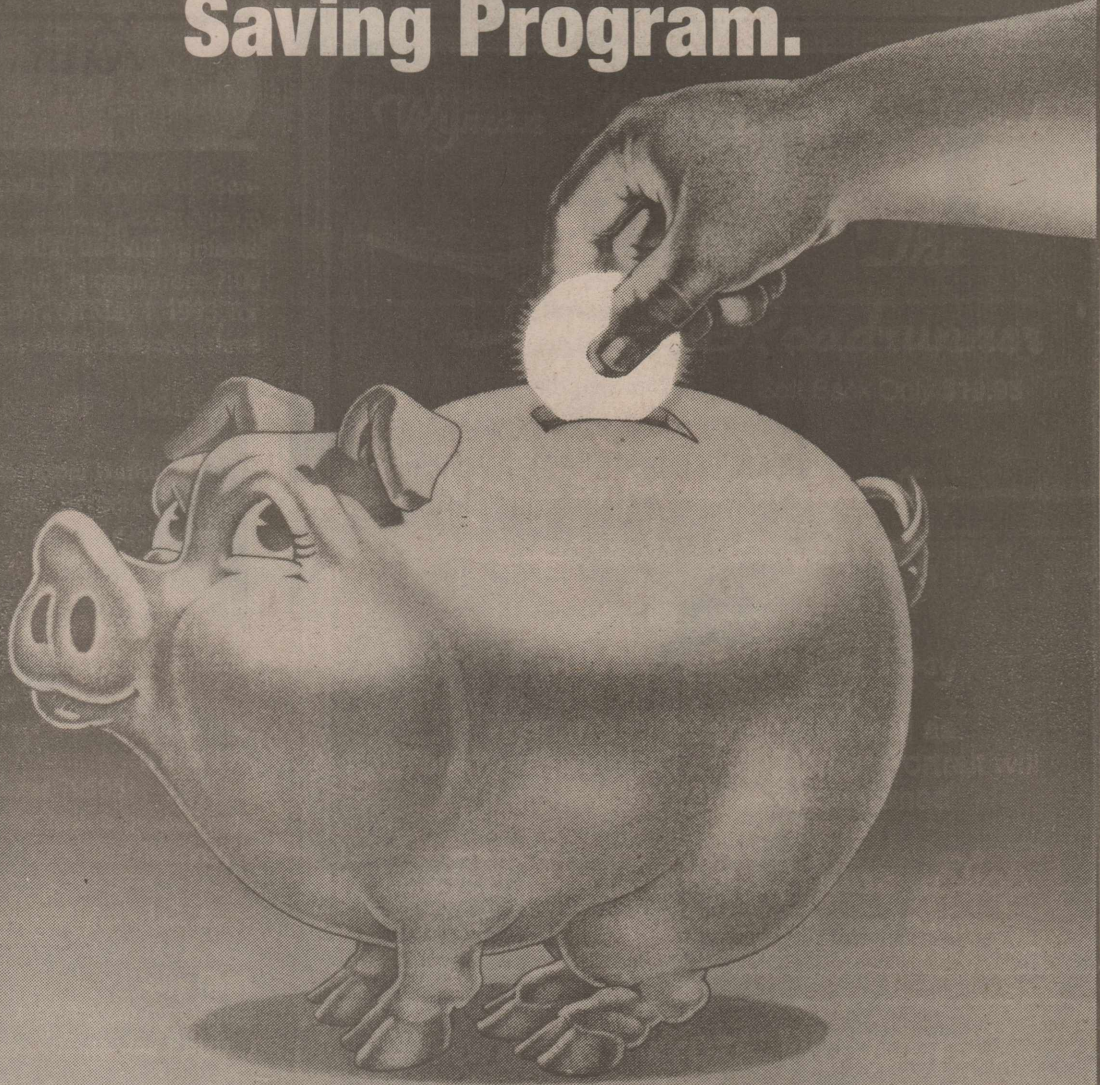


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According to the Census Bureau, the county with the greatest number of residents over 85 is Los Angeles County. The county with the greatest percentage of residents over 85 is Smith County, Kansas with 5.2%.

Mayo Clinic researchers say the widely used Hemocult test for blood in the stool is practically useless as a screening test for cancer. They say in a study of 13,000 patients, the test failed to detect cancers 70% of the time.

' Covered Wagon Variety Show '

... A Night To Remember



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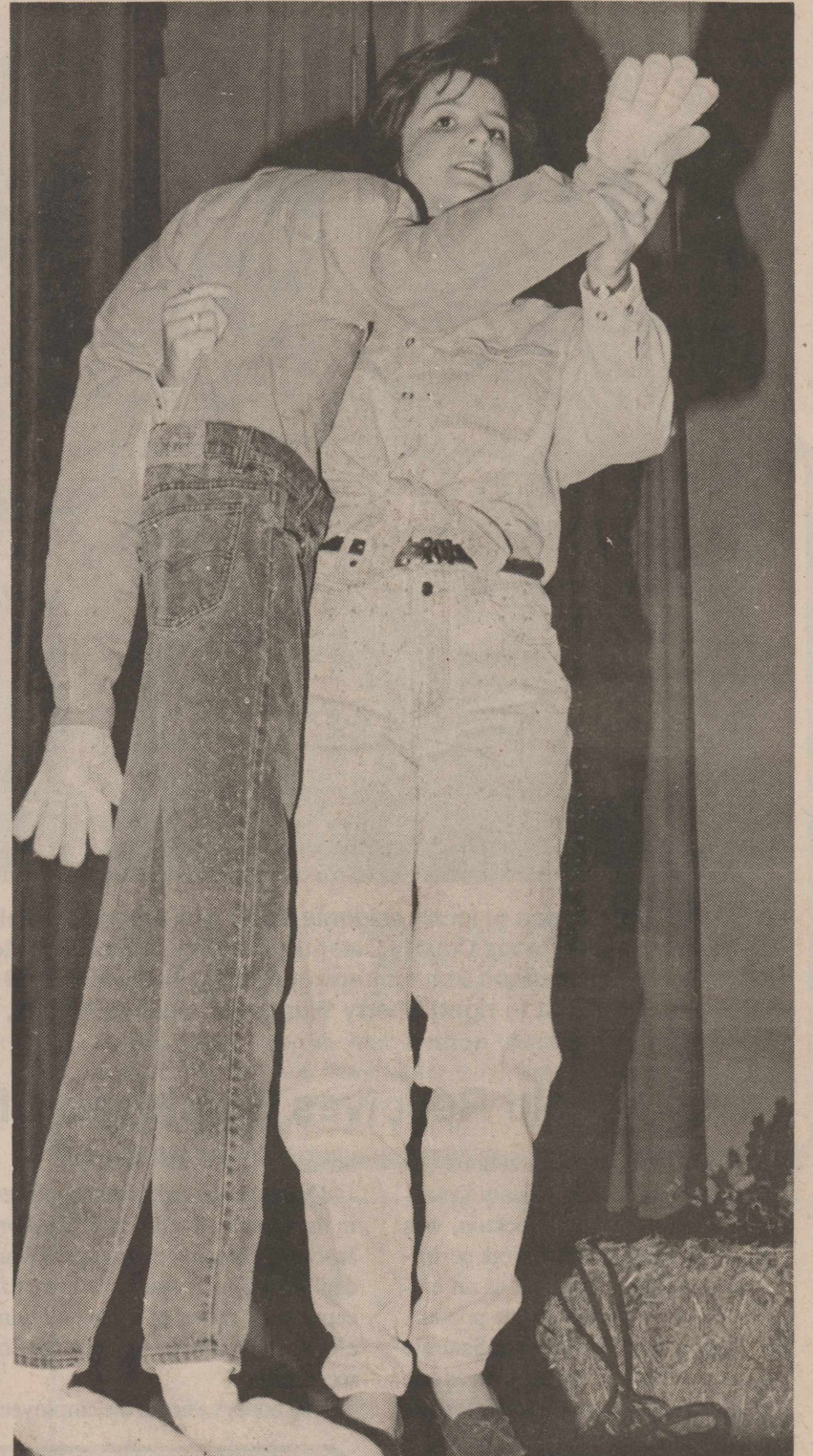


Thanks, Everyone . . .

We Enjoyed The Show !

' Covered Wagon Variety Show '

... A Night To Remember



Thank You For A Fine "Covered Wagon Variety Show"

I want to take this opportunity to say "Thank You" to all of those who helped in any with the "Covered Wagon Variety Show". Especially, I want to thank Steve Pepper for stepping in at the very last moment and putting the final touches to the show. Without him, the show would have been cancelled.

Others who did such fine jobs were: Romain Stubbs, Rita Rosencranz and Renella Watson, who decorated the stage. Beverly Munsell and ZoAnn Felts and the two groups of children who presented the music. Thanks to Natalie Bloxham and David Leathers for their piano solos. Thanks to Renella Watson and the Drama Club for their skits. We will expect more of this type of work soon.

Thanks to Betty Bailiff and her son who helped with the audio equipment. Thanks to Boots Walker, Orville Dear and Tracy Carter for their Cowboy songs. To the two show stoppers, Ma Shultz and Big Bertha, receive all our thanks for adding such fun to the show.

Anna Marie Waldrip gets our thanks for her song and poem. Thanks to the Tackitt band, LaUna and Alton Hester and Mutt Logsdon, for providing music as the people were coming in for the show. Thanks to Zoy Risinger and Ruby Cockerell for working the ticket booth and for Ruby's kind words about the program.

Thanks to Roberta Walton for her part in helping on stage and behind the scenes. I hope we will see more of her.

Then a special thanks to "The Oil Field Bums" who are Jim Burt, Don Williams, Bob Owens (who we may not let leave town) and Steve Pepper. They spent lots of time working on their music.

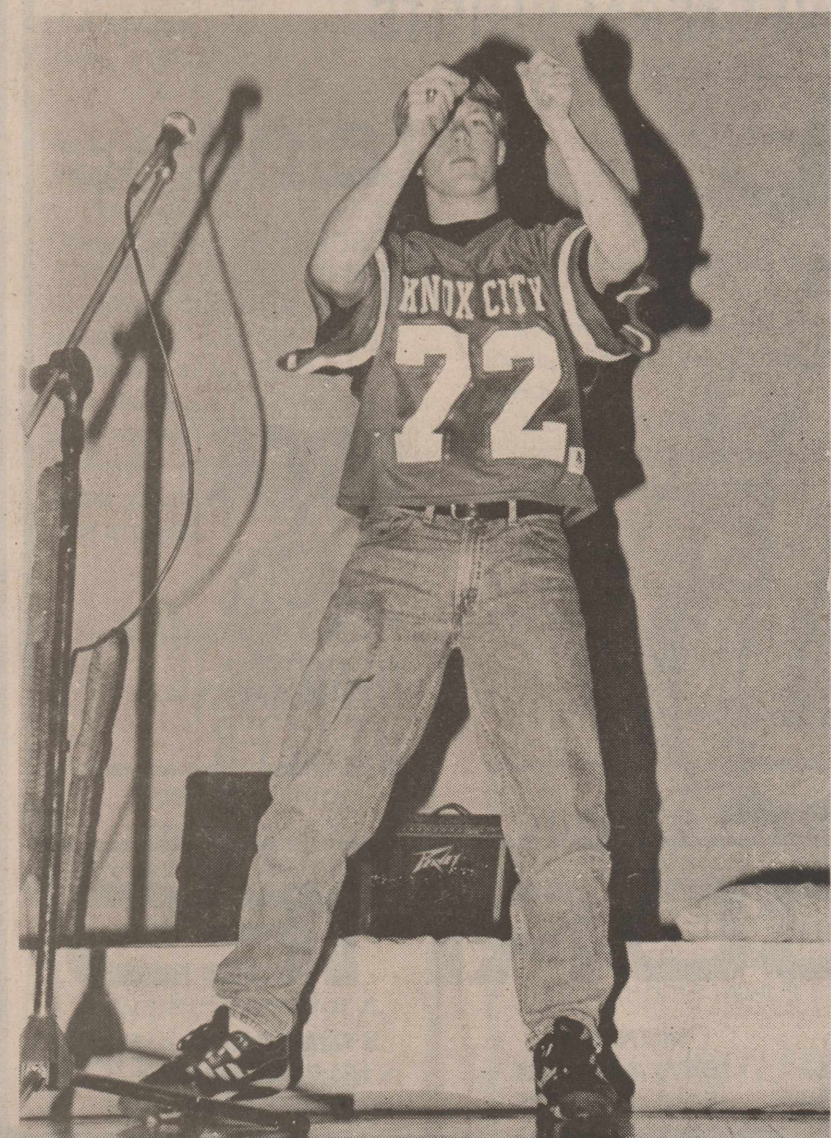
Thanks to the person who helped run the curtain for it helped to make everything to run smoothly.

Thanks to all who visited me and sent cards or called. Also, thanks for your kindness and prayers. I really missed a fine show and I appreciate all the help. If I have left anyone's name out, please accept my thanks here.

Because this show was such a success, we will probably have another in October, by special request.

This show earned about \$350.00 for the Knox County Aging Service and for this they say thank you, too.

Jo Maddox





KELLY OFFFIELD, son of local residents Eddie and Sammie Offfield, was honored recently with fellow co-workers at the Pecos County Detention Facility in Fort Stockton. Shown with Offfield in the above photo taken by Shannon Bonham and appearing in the March 18 edition of the *Fort Stockton Pioneer* newspaper are (left to right) Sherry Waggoner, Joanna Wyche, Angelita Garcia, Offfield, and Emily Long.

Kelly Offfield Receives Employee Of The Month Award

Kelly Offfield, a Corrections Officer III at the Pecos County Detention Facility in Fort Stockton, was recently honored for his work performance by being selected as an employee of the month for the prison.

The son of Eddie and Sammie Offfield of Knox City, Kelly was one of five employees selected for the

honor.

Quoted in an article that appeared in the March 18 edition of the *Fort Stockton Pioneer* newspaper, Warden Terry Foster stated "We are exceptionally proud of these individuals who have been singled out for recognition."

The honors went to the employees

for specific reasons such as performance above and beyond the call of duty, overcoming personal obstacles, excellent rapport with other departments, and performing duties with little or no supervision

Offfield hails from Hamlin. His family includes his wife Missy, and four children.

Weather

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4-6	44	76	
4-7	47	69	
4-8	36	65	
4-9	32	81	
4-10	50	91	
4-11	46	79	
4-12	44	92	

Letter To The Editor

3711 Galvez Avenue
Fort Worth, TX 76111
March 26, 1993

Dear Stacy,

Well, lo and behold, there was our name on the list of people whose subscription expires this month. Enclosed is my check for another year. We went all winter without so

much as a cold when all at once John and I were hit with the flu. Just when it is pretty enough to go outside and encourage things to grow. I already have had lots of flowers blooming (even if I did have to watch them out the window).

Take care in KC.

Pearl B. Clark

Study Club Members Attend 33rd Annual Spring Convention March 13

By Ruth Christ
Club Reporter

On Saturday, March 13, six Knox City Study Club members attended the 33rd annual Spring Convention of the Texas Federation Women's Club, Mesquite District, in Aspermont. The Phoenix Club of Aspermont hosted the event, with a total of 74 members from 18 clubs present.

The convention theme was "Presenting Hospitality and Heritage of the West."

The meeting was held in the Stonewall County Community Center. The beautiful decorations carried out the Western theme.

A proclamation from P.C. Carry, major of Aspermont, was given by Aspermont Elementary School Principal Mrs. Viva Schwarz. The chairperson for the meeting was Mrs. Marie Ward of Phoenix Club, Aspermont.

Our special guest was TFWC State President Elect Mrs. Dorothy Kemp of Corpus Christi. She talked to us about the uniqueness of Texas and the women who helped to make it so. Janoma Stephens of Knox City, president of Mesquite District, presented Mrs. Kemp with an appreciation gift.

After the delicious catered lunch, the clubs' presidents, charter members, and outstanding volunteers were presented and honored. Mrs. Marie Ward was surprised to receive the award for Outstanding Club Woman of Mesquite District for 1992.

Next on the program was the recognition of all Mesquite District clubs for their programs and projects for 1992, from the department and division chairmen of Mesquite District. Knox City club received a total

of 13 awards, including four firsts, nine seconds, and also rated 98 points on the club book. Our club president, Mrs. Marguerite King of Munday, received an award as "Most Outstanding President."

Those attending the convention from Knox City included Mrs. Lena McGee, Frances Dear, Winifred White, Marguerite King, president; Erma Liles of Weinert, Janoma Stephens, president of Mesquite District; and Ruth Christ, club reporter.

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Beef With Green Pepper	With Fried Rice	\$4.67
Beef Mandarin	With Fried Rice	\$4.67
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Hot & Spicy Shrimp	With Fried Rice	\$5.67
Shrimp Broccoli	With Fried Rice	\$5.67
Shrimp Chow Mein	With Fried Rice	\$5.67
Sweet & Sour Shrimp	With Fried Rice	\$5.67
Shrimp Pecan Ding	With Fried Rice	\$5.67
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Hot & Spicy Chicken	With Fried Rice	\$4.67
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Sweet & Sour Chicken	With Fried Rice	\$4.67
Chicken Broccoli	With Fried Rice	\$4.67
Chicken Chow Mein	With Fried Rice	\$4.67
Chicken Pecan Ding	With Fried Rice	\$4.67
Pork Mandarin	(Hot & Spicy)	\$4.67
Pork Pecan Ding With Fried Rice	(Hot & Spicy)	\$4.67
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Individual Egg Roll		\$1.00

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Clubhouse Sandwich	\$2.49
Subway "Heroes" Sandwich	\$1.97
Tuna Sandwich	\$1.77
Ham Sandwich	\$1.77
Ham And Cheese Sandwich	\$1.97
Hamburger	\$1.77
Bacon, Lettuce & Tomato	\$1.77
Barbeque Sandwich	\$1.77

Salads

Chef Salad	\$1.99
Cesar's Salad	\$1.99
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Toss Saled	\$1.49
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Santa Rosa
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Knox City
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Sunday: 11:00 AM Mass

St. Joseph's
Catholic Church
Rhineland
Father Gary Geurtz
Mon.-Fri.: 8:00 AM Mass
Saturday: 7:00 AM Mass
Sunday: 5:00 PM Mass
(Spanish)

First United
Methodist Church
Knox City
Jim Teeter, Pastor
Sunday School: 9:45 AM
Morning Worship: 11:00 AM
Evening Worship: 6:00 PM

First Christian Church
Knox City
Bill Christian, Pastor
Sunday School: 10:00 AM
Morning Worship: 11:00 AM

Foursquare Church
Knox City
Sunday School: 9:45 AM
Morning Worship: 10:45 AM
Evening Worship: 6:30 PM
Mid-Week, Wed.: 7:00 PM

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Mid-Week, Wed.: 7:00 PM

Gillespie Baptist
Church
Ross Anderson, Pastor
Sunday School: 10:00 AM
Morning Worship: 11:00 AM
Evening Worship: 7:00 PM
Mid-Week, Wed.: 7:00 PM

First Baptist Church
Benjamin
John Gillispie, Pastor
Sunday School: 10:00 AM
Morning Worship: 11:00 AM
Evening Worship: 6:00 PM

First United
Methodist Church
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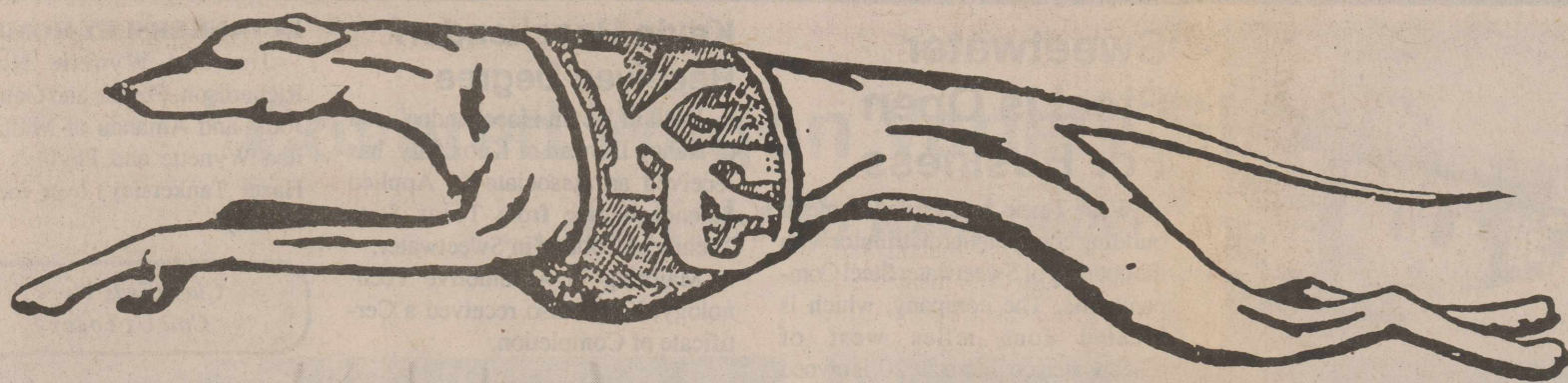
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'TWO-TIME' FIRST PLACE TOURNEY WINNERS were these second grade boys coached by Dwayne Johnson, center back of photo. Winning first place in both the Rochester and Knox City tournaments team members are front row, from left, Wes Parker, Caleb Carver, Landon Welershausen, Brad Johnson, Coy Munoz and Scooter Thompson. Back row are from left, David Bernal, Alfredo Aguyo, Trey Watson and Dominique Collier. Not pictured is James Huber. (Courtesy Photo)



FIRST PLACE WINNERS in the Knox City Tournament were these kindergarten students. Shown with their coach, Dwayne Johnson, back row, from left, are Dustin Johnson, Ross Hagar, Drew Barnard, Junior Albus and Joshua Hunt. Front row, from left, are Remington Oliver, Justin Parker, Jonathan Burt and Aaron Johnson. (Courtesy Photo)

KC School News

SENIOR CLASS NEWS

By Amy Deering

One more week has passed and only five weeks of school left! Hopefully, everyone had a Happy Easter and is ready to work hard to finish out the school year.

There are quite a few activities that are taking place this week. Monday, there was a district tennis tournament at Crowell. Tuesday, the Methodist Church is hosting a Senior supper in honor of the '93 Senior class. Also, the FFA grass judging team is traveling to Breckenridge for the district contest. This Thursday, the FHA State delegates will be traveling to Houston on a chartered bus for the State FHA convention. It is going to be very exciting! This Friday is the district track meet which will be held here starting with the field events at 10:00 a.m. We wish all competitors lots of luck this week in all of their challenges! Have a wonderful week!

SOPHOMORE CLASS NEWS

By Lila Jo Rector

Hope everyone had a happy Easter. Last week was the beginning of a new six weeks. This is an important six weeks. We hope all do well. It is also count down time until the end of school, which is May 21.

The grass judging team went to Breckenridge Tuesday and participated in the district grass judging contest.

Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday everyone was busy taking NAPT Achievement tests. One good thing about them is you got out of a few classes.

Everyone is working on projects and trying to get them finished up for the end of school. Hope everyone does well and works hard.

Have a **Great Week!!!**

O'Brien Boys Finish Third In Munday Meet

By Coach Jim Chappell

The O'Brien Junior High Boys finished third in the Munday track meet last Thursday with a team total of 82 1/3 points.

Winning for O'Brien were: 400 meter relay, Nathan Rocha, Dwayne Ware, Adrian Serrano, Anthony Ainsworth, first, 49.17; 800 meter run, Nathan Rocha, third, 2:36;

110 meter hurdles, Adrian Serrano, third, 18.10; Anthony Ainsworth, fourth, 18.60;

100 meter dash, Dwayne Ware, fourth, 12.91; Raymond Lawcock, fifth, 50.45;

300 meter hurdles, Adrian Serrano, second, 47.80; Raymond Lawcock, fifth, 50.45;

1600 meter run, Salvador Serrano, second, 5:48;

1600 meter relay, Nathan Rocha, Ricky Carver, Willie McKinney, Anthony Ainsworth, third, 4:00.62;

Long Jump, Willie McKinney, fourth, 16'11 1/2"; Anthony Ainsworth, fifth, 16'9 1/4";

Triple Jump, Nathan Rocha, fifth, 32' 10 1/2";

Pole Vault, Nathan Rocha, Patrick Pharr, tie for fourth, 6'6".

The O'Brien boys and girls both will compete in the junior high district track meet Thursday in Crowell.

School Lunch Menus

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Wednesday: Hot dogs with chili, curly fries, ranch style beans, apples, milk, tea or koolaid. Or - salad plate.

Thursday: Hamburgers with cheese, lettuce, tomatoes, pickles, onions, french fries, rice krispie cookies, milk, tea or koolaid. Or - salad plate.

Friday: Steak fingers, gravy, creamed potatoes, green beans, hot rolls, butter, honey, milk, tea or koolaid. Or - salad plate.

FIFTH GRADE NEWS

By Codie Huber

The 5th Grade Class has to decide if we will be going to a News Station at Abilene. So Stephanie Pedroza has to talk with Mrs. Hedgecock's class. If we do go to Abilene I bet we will see a lot of cool things.

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The Knox City Little League is once again about to start the playing season. The first Little League games will be on Monday, May 3, and the first T-Ball games will be on Tuesday, May 4.

Sammie Offield has agreed to be in charge of the concession stand, and work the stand along with help from team parents. She also needs donations of the following items: Chili, Cheese Sauce, Nacho Chips, Corn Chips and Pickles.

If you, as a business owner or parent, would be able to help with any of these items, please call Sammie at 658-5001. She will be available to pick up the items, if needed.

The Little League Association thanks you in advance, with all the help we have been receiving from throughout the communities of Knox City, O'Brien and Benjamin, we hope to have the greatest season ever!!

Card of Thanks

Your phone calls, cards and prayers during the time of my surgery and recovery has been greatly appreciated.

These expressions of love and concern cause me to realize once again how special the folks of Knox County really are.

Thank you so very much.

Dr. Newton D. Neufeld

O'Brien Girls Compete In Munday Meet

By Coach Sandy Chappell

The O'Brien girls competed in the Munday track meet, April 8, and scored 39 points.

Placing and competing were: Discus - Kristi Chambers, 76", first; Michele Collier, 75'5", second; Shot - Michele Collier, 24'3", third; 100 meter - Jennifer Dockins, 14.01;

800 meter relay - 2:06, sixth, Jennifer Dockins, Diana Estrada, Melissa Klohn, Audra Dale;

1600 meter - Michelle Chaney, fourth, 6:43;

1600 meter relay - 5:01, sixth, Michelle Chaney, Diana Estrada, Sara Dillon, Audra Dale.

4-H Parents, Leaders and Youth To Conduct Meeting

The Knox County 4-H and Youth Committee will meet on Tuesday, April 20 at 5:30 p.m. in the Munday Chamber of Commerce and Agriculture meeting room.

Purpose of the meeting is to review the direction of the 4-H program and plan summer activities.

Anyone with an interest in 4-H and/or youth is invited and encouraged to attend.

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KC Competes In 'Texasville' Meet At Archer City

By Coach Rogers Lankford

Knox City tracksters competed in Archer City's "Texasville" Relays last week.

In the girls division, the KC girls finished third with 66 points. Placing for KC were:

Discus, Felicia Collier, third, 104'3";

High Jump, Necie Flye, second, 5'2";

400 meter relay, Chrystal Tankersley, Kim Posey, Denise Dudensing, Necie Flye, second, 53.03;

800 meter relay, Tankersley, Dudensing, Posey, Flye, first, 1:51.85;

400 meter dash, Dudensing, second, 64.17;

1600 meter run, Kim Posey, second, 5:54.88.

In the KC boys division, winning were

3200 meter run, Keith Bowles, fifth, 11:17.30;

800 meter run, Steve Ledesma, fourth, 2:08.74; Ryan Marion, fifth, 2:09.81;

The JV boys winners were: 300 meter intermediate hurdles, Wes Grimsley, fourth, 46.41;

1600 meter relay, Brian Rosencranz, Joseph Logsdon, Eric Richardson, Wes Grimsley, sixth, 4:05.30;

Discus, Michael Ledesma, third, 110'3"; and

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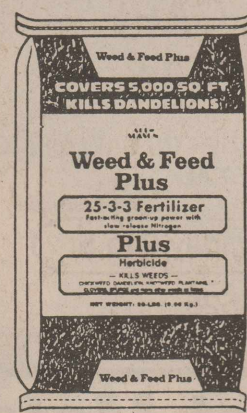
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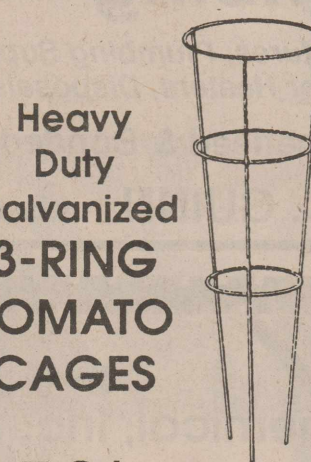
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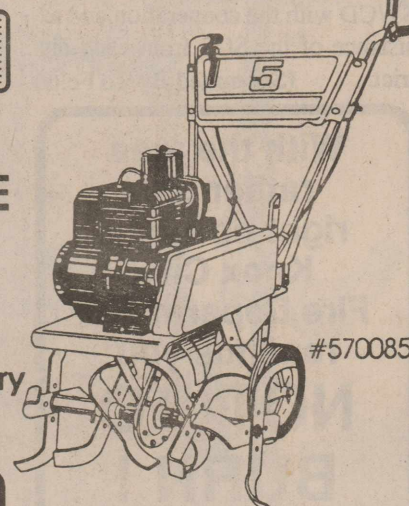
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FOR **ONCE** IN HIS YOUNG LIFE, Scooter Thompson was speechless! This rare occurrence took place Monday night of this week when Scooter, a fan of Texas Tech sports, looked up and saw Tech head basketball coach James Dickey, at right, walk in to the Paducah Dairy Queen. Coach Dickey and Tech Athletic Director T. Jones, left, were in Paducah, as was Scooter, to attend "Will Flemons Day" at Paducah High School honoring the Paducah High School and Texas Tech University standout basketball player. Scooter proudly displays Coach Dickey's autograph on his Tech Three-Pointer shirt. After always wanting to see his favorite player Will "up close", Scooter (in bottom photo) finally had the opportunity Monday night when Paducah school officials retired Will's #44 jersey during halftime ceremonies honoring the #4 all time scorer for Texas Tech. Will, who is pursuing a career in the NBA, also was the Red Raider's #2 all-time leading shot blocker, #1 all-time leader in field goal percentage, #3 all-time leading rebounder, holds the all-time Municipal Coliseum record with 47 points, #2 all-time highest game, was three time All-Southwest Conference at Tech, was the Southwest Conference "Player of the Year" in 1992, was the Southwest Conference "Offensive Player of the Year" in 1993 and was SWC All-Tournament in both 1992 and 1993. He was also Honorable Mention All-American and played in the NCAA tournament last month where he was the Chevrolet "Player of the Game". The Monday night event saw team members from Will's 1987-88 state championship team playing the Childress "A" team in a benefit game for the American Cancer Society. While Scooter's dad was "Little Leaguer", his mom Stacy and grandparents Billye and Buddy Angle, attended with him. (NEWS Photo)

Tri-County Land, Grass Judging Contest Held

The Tri-County Land and Grass Judging Contest held recently in Baylor County proved to be a great day for all who participated. The weather was perfect, not too hot or too cold. Fifty-seven students from ten schools making up 17 land judging and 18 students making up six grass judging teams entered.

Schools and clubs participating were Archer City, Paducah, Bryson, Holliday, Woodson, Harrold, Benjamin, Seymour, Northside Vernon, Quanah and Knox City. All were representing FFA's. Stephens County 4-H club also participated.

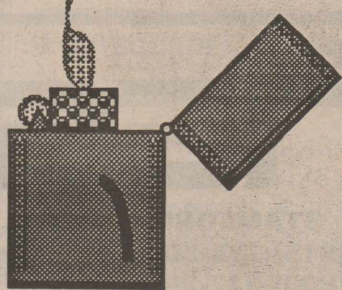
Teams placing first through third in land judging were Archer City, first; Woodson, second and Paducah, third place. Team members were Howard Vestal, David Corbett, Robert Taylor and Tyler McClymond, Stephens County; Kathy Bufkin, Stephanie Conner and Rebel Rainwater, Benjamin; DeWayne Keller, Corey Yancey and Curtis Moldenhauer, Holliday.

Individual winners were Land Judging: Luke Hall of Archer City, first place; Joey Fields of Archer City, second; and Mitzi Jones of Woodson 4-H, third place.

Individual winners in Grass Judging were: Howard Vestal, first and David Corbet second from Stephens County 4-H; third place was Rebel Rainwater of Benjamin FFA.

The contest was sponsored by Throckmorton SWCD, Wichita Brazos SWCD and Miller Brazos SWCD with the cooperation and assistance of the SCS from each district. (Submitted By Zo Felts)

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The Muellers opened their business in West Texas to help provide material and services to keep the West Texas economy flourishing.

Hospital Auxiliary To Meet Monday At 5:00

The Knox County Hospital Auxiliary will meet Monday, April 19, at 5:00 p.m. in the downtown thrift shop.

All members are urged to attend this important meeting.

FROM ODESSA

Tyke and Gina Meinzer of Odessa visited during Easter weekend with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Doug Meinzer.

They also visited in Haskell with Gina's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Bud Turnbow.

FROM LUBBOCK

Jim Robinson of Lubbock visited here recently with his mother, Ruby Robinson.

Kevin Hoeckendorf Receives Degree

Willard Kevin Hoeckendorf, son of Nancy Duncan of Knox City, has received an Associate of Applied Science degree from Texas State Technical College in Sweetwater.

Majoring in Automotive Technology, Kevin also received a Certificate of Completion.

IN TANKERSLEY HOME

Jim and Wynette Hollis of Richardson, Phyllis and Gale Nixon, Jodie and Amanda of Midland visited Wynette and Phyllis's mother, Hazel Tankersley, over the Easter holidays.

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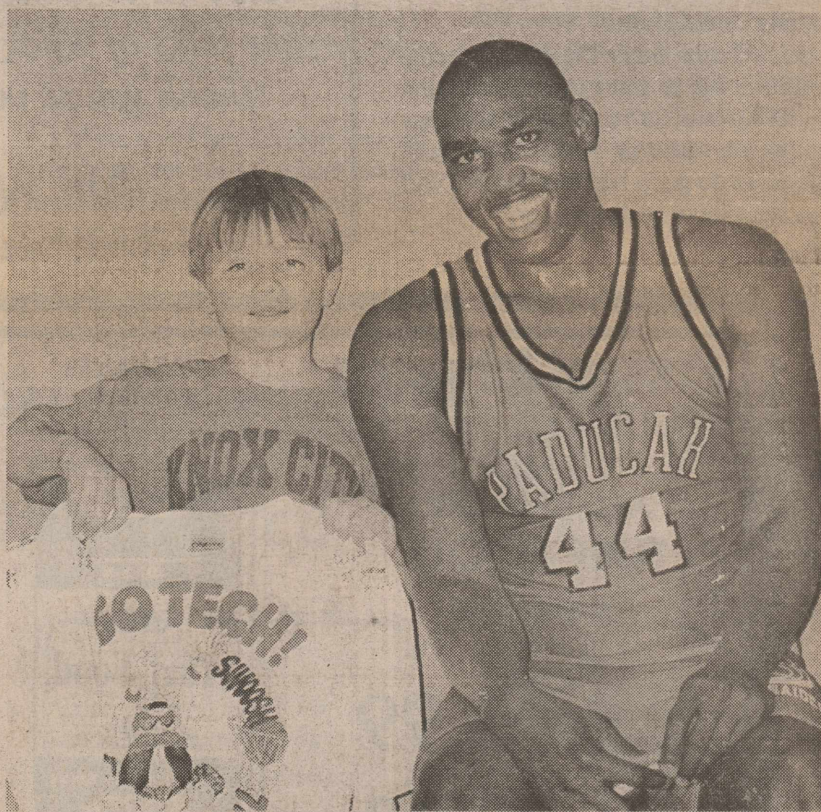
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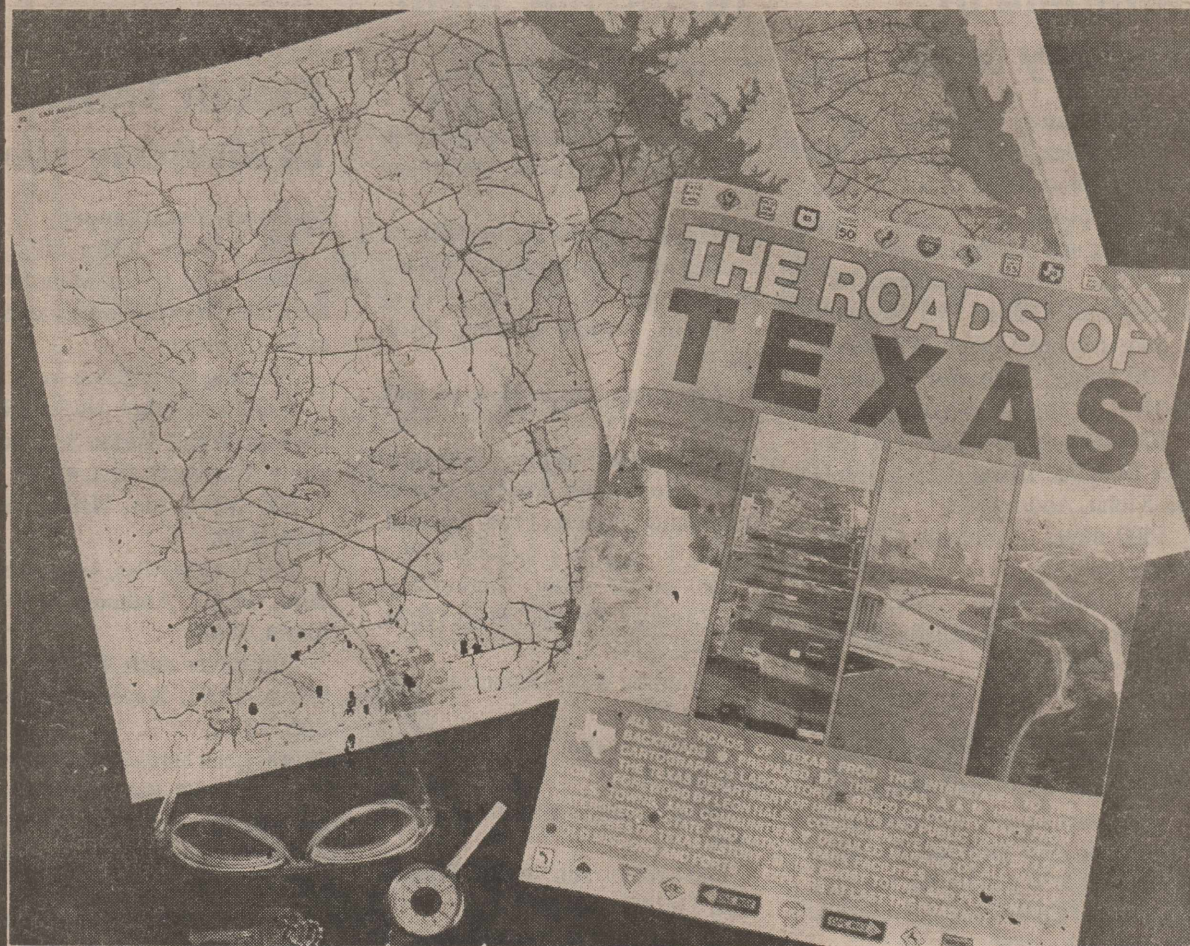
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FIT YOUTH IN GUTHRIE -- Students from Guthrie Schools met the requirements to receive an Award for Fit Youth. Those receiving awards were front row, from left, Rusty Bradbury, B.J. Uribe, Shannon Vinson, Kallie Antilley, Juan Gonzales. Second row, from left, Crissy Rice, Heath Hatfield, Kim Bradbury, Adam Hernandez, Dan Merrick, Zane Daniel, Kristen Ray. Third row, from left, Matt Jones, Joli Shipman, Krissy Shipman, Allen Fox, Korey Ferguson, John Lowrance. Fourth row, from left, Amber Green, Drew Havins, Elizabeth Cave. Fifth row, from left, Tommy Tosh, Amanda Ferguson, Ashley Pettiet, Brandi Seago, Chase Richardson, Travis Rice. (Courtesy Photo)

Guthrie 'Fit Youth' Receive Award

A large number of Guthrie School students have met the requirements to receive an award for "Fit Youth".

The kindergarten had to run for ten minutes without stopping while first graders ran for 12 minutes without stopping. Second graders ran for 15 minutes without stopping and third graders had to run for 20 minutes without stopping. In the fourth grade, girls had to run one mile and 1/4 while the boys had to run one mile and 5/8 in 20 minutes. Fifth grade girls were required to run one mile and 5/8 and the boys had to run two miles in 20 minutes.

Guthrie School officials reported this is teaching the students that they must build up to this distance. It also is teaching them a way to stay healthy that is easy to do. They recommend to

begin with a two minute time and work up. They stress to jog two minutes, rest two minutes and then jog two. This schedule is recommended the first week (three days of the week) and then each week add two minutes to the workout.

Participants were kindergarten - Heath Hatfield, first - Kallie Antilley, Kristen Ray, B.J. Uribe; second - Kim Bradbury, Zane Daniel, Korey Ferguson, Allen Fox, Chrissy Rice, Juan Gonzales, Shannon Vinson and Adam Hernandez; third - Matt Jones, Dan Merrick, Joli Shipman, and John Lowrance; fourth - Rusty Bradbury, Elizabeth Cave, Amanda Ferguson, Drew Havins, Ashley Pettiet, Travis Rice, Chase Richardson, Krissy Shipman and Tommy Tosh; and fifth, Amber Green and Brandi Seago.

Guthrie FFA Judging Teams Busy Competing

The Guthrie FFA judging teams competed in many contests the last few weeks.

At the Snyder judging contest the livestock team consisting of Lisa Masterson, Brandie Blodgett and Jenny Burkett placed first and the team consisting of Brenda Miller, Laurie Masterson and Bradley Burkett placed in top ten. There were 70 teams competing.

The following weekend the livestock and horse judging teams traveled to Clarendon. The livestock team consisting of Brenda Miller, Lisa Masterson, Brandie Blodgett and Jenny Burkett placed first overall. The horse judging team consisting of Cassey Overton, Jay Gholson and John Lowrance also placed first overall. Cassey Overton placed first high individual.

On April 3, the judging teams traveled to Tech in Lubbock for the district and area contest. The livestock team consisting of Lisa Masterson, Brandie Blodgett, Brenda Miller and Jenny Burkett placed first against the teams in their district, third in their area and fifth in the overall contest. There were 100 teams competing. This qualified the livestock team for state in College Station on April 24.

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News From Guthrie



ADVANCING TO DISTRICT in one-act play competition from Guthrie High School are front row, from left, Hal Smith, Will Hale, sponsor Sherry Brady, Della Garza and Stacy Mote. Back row, from left, Vickie Dodson - assistant, Kala Jackson, Kendra Williams, John Lowrance, Billy Wayne Vinson, Marcus Cave and Jason Miller. (Courtesy Photo)

Guthrie Advances To District In One-Act Play Competition

The Zone One-Act Play was held at Guthrie on March 23. The teams competing were Chillicothe, Harrold, Goree, Northside and Guthrie.

Guthrie and Harrold's plays advanced to District at Vernon.

The cast of Guthrie's "I never saw another Butterfly" included Delia Garza, Kendra Williams, Marcus Cave, Stacy Mote, Hal Smith, John Lowrance and Jason Miller. The crew consisted of Kala Jackson, Will Hale, and Billy Wayne Vinson. The director of the play was Sherry Brady with

Vickie Dodson assisting.

Delia Garza, Stacy Mote and Marcus Cave were selected to the all-star cast.

Competing at the district level in addition to Guthrie and Harrold were Throckmorton and Moran. Receiving all star cast honors at district were Delia Garza, Kendra Williams and Hal Smith. Advancing to area were Throckmorton and Harrold. Guthrie school officials commended Mrs. Brady and the cast on a job well done.

Guthrie Students Compete In Lockney UIL Tournament

Several students from Guthrie competed in the Lockney UIL Tournament March 27. Nine A - AAA schools competed in calculators, number sense, mathematics and science. Those competing for Guthrie were: 8th grader Misty Fields, seventh graders Aaron Bracy, Yvonne Garza, Walt Hale and Jimmy Jackson; 6th grader Byron Fields, Summer Ray and Brandon Richardson and fifth grader Ryan Antilley.

Those receiving ribbons or medals were:

Brandon Richardson, first number sense, third calculators, fourth science;

Byron Field, sixth number sense, eighth calculators;

Summer Ray, sixth calculators, eighth number sense;

Walt Hale, second mathematics, fourth in number sense, fourth calculators.

The Guthrie team placed second overall in number sense.

King County To Celebrate 'Earth Day'

Thursday, April 22, is Earth Day and this year King County plans to get involved. To save space in the landfill, citizens are asked to bring their recyclables to the front of the King County Courthouse.

Starting Monday, April 19 through Thursday, April 22, three trailers will be front of the courthouse to collect paper, aluminum and plastic.

Elmo Adams, owner of Babe's Cafe, has donated the prize of a hamburger basket for the person who brings in the most recyclables during the four day period. Those wanting to weigh their recyclables before putting them in the trailer need to go to the extension office inside the courthouse and Peggy Rodriguez, King County Extension Agent - HE, will have a scale and will record the weights.

Gary Antilley, CEA - Ag, urged King County folks to "have fun and clean up the community at the same time!"

Guthrie Seventh, Eighth Graders In Jr. Shootout

The Guthrie Seventh and Eighth grade classes participated in the Junior Shootout this year. This contest was comprised of six number sense and six calculator tests. Eighteen schools, Class A - AAA, across Texas competed. Seventh and eighth graders competed against each other.

Out of 134 students competing in calculators, there were the Guthrie results:

7th grader Walt Hale, 21st overall, fifth in Class A schools, 6th place among 7th graders;

7th grader Yvonne Garza, 33rd overall;

8th grader Charles King, 41st overall;

8th grader Jennifer Jones, 74th overall;

7th grader Jimmy Jackson, 77th overall;

8th grader Misty Fields, 81st overall;

7th grader Aaron Bracy, 83rd overall (tied);

8th grade Bradley Burkett, 96th overall (tied);

7th grader Tara Merrick, 103rd overall.

The team of Hale, Garza and King placed second in Class A schools in the team competition.

Out of 286 students competing in number sense, the Guthrie results were:

7th grader Walt Hale, 34th overall, 6th in class A schools;

8th grader Charles King, 37th overall (tie);

7th grader Yvonne Garza, 91st overall;

8th grader Bradley Burkett, 127th overall (tie); 7th grader Tara Merrick, 171st overall (tie);

8th grader Jennifer Jones and 7th grader Aaron Bracy, 190th overall (tie);

7th grader Jimmy Jackson, 225th overall;

8th grader Misty Fields, 226th overall.

The team of Hale, King and Garza received a third place ribbon for class A schools in the team competition.

Guthrie Teams Do Well At Six-Man Meet

The Guthrie Lady Jags and Jaguars competed well at the six-man meet at Jayton April 2. The Lady Jags won the meet with the following competing:

Mary Jane King - second, 3200 meter;

Brenda Miller - second, shot put; third, discus;

Jenny Burkett - second, long jump and triple jump; third, 200 meter;

Keri Moorhouse - second, 800 meters;

Jody Moorhouse - second, 400 meter; third, long jump;

Jennifer Vincent - second, 300 hurdles; fifth, 800 meter;

Brandie Blodgett - fifth, shot put; Misti Seago - third, 1600 meter;

Caryn Cave - 1600 meter participant;

Mannie Gonzales - shot put and discus participant;

800 meter relay - first, Keri Moorhouse, Jenny Burkett, Misti Seago and Jody Moorhouse;

1600 meter relay - first, Keri Moorhouse, Jenny Burkett, Misti Seago and Jody Moorhouse;

The Jaguars that competed were:

Shane Pettiet - long jump and 200 meter participant;

Hal Smith - third, 400 meter;

Will Hale - long jump and triple jump participant;

Roy Fuentes - 400 meter and 1600 meter relays;

Jason Miller - discus and 1600 meter relay;

Denny Graves - fourth, shot put;

Bill Vinson - discus participant;

400 meter relay - fifth, Hal Smith, Roy Fuentes, Shane Pettiet and Will Hale;

1600 meter relay - Roy Fuentes, Shane Pettiet, Jason Miller and Hal Smith.

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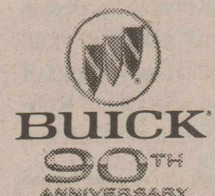
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Benjamin News

By Gladene Green

After a gorgeous Easter weekend, we now go forward into the rest of the springtime. When the warmer temperatures stay with us longer and we look forward to the busy, summer months ahead.

I hope each of you had an enjoyable weekend. It was truly a good one for me. The sunrise services at the Moorhouse Ranch were extra nice this year. Tom and his "crew" did an excellent job preparing breakfast so it would be ready for the first ones that arrived at 6:00. The weather cooperated fully and a good crowd was in attendance.

REGARDING OUR ILL

Bill Spikes was in Wichita Falls last week for his regular medical checkup. He got a good report and does not have to go back for three months.

Lewis Lyles was in Oklahoma City Friday for his checkup since his recent surgery. His doctors say he's progressing nicely, also.

Shirley Brown will be going to M.D. Anderson Hospital in Houston on April 20. We ask your prayers for her and her family during this time. And for all our friends who may be having problems of any kind.

OFF TO LOUISVILLE!!

Christi Whitten will be going to Churchill Downs in Louisville, Kentucky, later this month to cover the 119th running of the Kentucky Derby. Christi was one of 40 students from across the nation invited to participate in this Kentucky Derby College Journal Seminar. Christi is a senior at Northwest Missouri State University in Maryville, Missouri, majoring in journalism. She is the daughter of Jack and Judie Whitten of Benjamin.

HERE 'N THERE

Terry Wells and children, Shannon and Cory of Joshua, visited his grandmother, Era Brown, Thursday and Friday. And also his uncle and family, the Stanton Browns.

Easter weekend guests of Joy and Charles Jones and Bobby Trainham were Billy and Penny Trainham of El Paso. Also visiting the Joneses were their daughter, Sheila Polvadore and little boys of Vernon and granddaughters Jessica and Kayla Jones of Bridgeport.

Visiting Leroy and Gloria West on Sunday were Betty, Roger, Sabra and Chelsea Parker of Aspermont.

Guy and Donna Spikes of kiddoes of Lubbock were weekend guests of his parents, Bill and Dorothy. Also Sunday was their son-in-law and granddaughter, Ernie Eaton and Heddy of Irving.

Sharon Karleback and children of Dallas was an Easter weekend guest of her aunt, Eunice Friday. "Friday" also had her Benjamin kin, the Donnie Ryders and the James and Jake Propps families during the weekend.

Visiting Hazel Stockton and Bud and Von Conner last week were Kim Russell and Samijo of Spur and Gene Loper of Tuscon, Arizona.

Then on Saturday, Bud and Von visited Kim in a Lubbock hospital after the birth of a new baby girl. Shelby Paige was born early Saturday morning, April 10. She weighed six pounds, one ounce, and according to reports, they all are doing fine, including her Daddy Randy.

Stanton, Shirley and Shari Brown spent the weekend with their son and brother and family, Doug, Karen and Colton at San Saba.

My Easter Sunday guests were my kids, Diane Herring, Cody Taylor and Kevin Bell, all of Childress.

Easter guests of Kenneth and Jessie Roberts were Phil and Rebekah Boone, Bea Parks and Lucy Mings of Wichita Falls, Don and Diane Roberts, Trish and Angela of O'Brien,

Ken and Gaye Roberts, Nancy and Fred McGreger, Dennis and Pam Duke and family and Nora Duke, all of Benjamin.

The fireman's Easter egg hunt turned out to be another very successful one. Lots of young folks were on hand to try to find a prize egg.

Sunday guests of Johnnie Williams and Mary Bohannon were Cliff, Brandi and Kayla Hacker of Knox City and L.O. and Bess Jackson of Munday.

Raymond and Lynda Brooke Pagel were weekend Benjamin visitors.

Easter guests of Henry and Belle Rogers were Lisa Kahoot and Jessica of Irving, Roni Burcher of Grapevine, Henry and Karla Rogers and family, Kayla Rogers, Tyler, Seth, Billy and Sherry Reynolds, Byron and Jeffrey of Haskell, David and Nonie Johnson and family, Josie Lewis and Clint, Lee Reynolds, Frances Brieden and Jackie and Cheryl Vaden and family of Knox City, Mike Kay of O'Brien and Arlis and Glenda Brothers of Rule.

LITTLE DRIBBLERS (From Page Nine)

was made up of Joli Shipman, Amanda Ferguson, Elizabeth Cave, Krissy Shipman, Chrissy Rice and Kim Bradbury. Bruce Ferguson was the coach of this team.

The third and fourth grade boys won a third place trophy. Dan Merrick, Matt Jones, Lance Green, Rusty Bradbury, Drew Havins, John Lowrance, Chase Richardson and Travis Rice made up the team. They were coached by Keith Richardson and Keri Havins.

The fifth and sixth grade girls, coached by Karen Pettiet, won a second place trophy. The team was made up of Krissy Shipman, Lasha Vinson, Summer Ray, Alicia Pettiet, Alycia Fulton, Krissy Shipman, Amanda Ferguson, Elizabeth Cave, Joli Shipman and Amber Green.

The fifth and sixth grade boys won a first place trophy. The coach was Dennis Ratliff. The team was made up of Ryan Antille, Scott Fulton, David Lowrance, Ruben Fuentes, Dusty Jones, Brandon Richardson and Leon Lewis.

WALDRIP (From Page One)

ued by saying, "musicals never caught my eye. But after the auditions, I love it. It has a different type of atmosphere than a straight play. I've had more fun in the rehearsals for this than I've ever had in rehearsals. It's much more strenuous, but I'm having fun with it."

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Hale - Hines To Wed July 31

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Hale of Guthrie announce the engagement of their daughter Molly Elaine to Ronnie Wayne Hines Jr., son of Ronald Wayne Hines of Fort Stockton. A July 31 wedding is planned in Fort Stockton.

Miss Hale graduated from Guthrie High School and is a student at Abilene Christian University. She is the granddaughter of R.R. Hale and Mr. and Mrs. B.L. Moody of Fort Stockton.

Hines graduated from Fort Stockton High School, attended Texas Tech University and is presently employed by Chili's in Abilene. He is the grandson of Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Wright of Odessa and Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Hines of Hobbs, New Mexico.

Karomy Sloan Honored With Bridal Shower

Karomy Sloan, bride-elect of Don Shelton, was honored with a bridal shower Saturday, April 10, in the home of Mrs. Paul Chambers. Calling hour was from two until three-thirty in the afternoon.

Receiving guests with the honoree were her mother, Carolyn Sloan; and Sandra Shelton, mother of the prospective bridegroom.

Refreshments of finger sandwiches, fruit, dip, cookies and punch were served from a table covered with a cutwork cloth holding a spring floral arrangement.

Hostesses were Sequoyah Reynolds, Sandra Chambers, Sandra Bradley, Ann Tankersley, Lawri Lynn, Tammie Jobe, Sue Stephens, Melanie Dillon, Linda Underwood, Leta Mangis, Romain Stubbs, Billye Angle, Stacy Thompson, Paula Carter, Tammy Rogers, Kay Rogers, Margie Clonts, Cathy Marion, Kay Pepper and Mary Rauch.

The couple will be married Saturday, June 5, at Abilene Christian University's Chapel on the Hill.

Local Chapter Hosts Delta Kappa Gamma

The Beta Chi Chapter of Delta Kappa Gamma Society International met Saturday, March 6, at 10:00 a.m. at the First United Methodist Church in Knox City.

Hostesses from Truscott, Benjamin, and Knox City served delicious refreshments.

In the absence of president June Biffle, first vice-president Ellen Rieger presided over the meeting. The invocation was given by Vida White. The minutes of the previous meeting were read and approved as read. Treasurer Margaret Chafin gave the financial report, followed by Kathy Boyles, corresponding secretary, who read several items of correspondence. Dorothy Myers, chairman of Constitution and By-Laws, read standing rules and proposals for changes. Members then voted on accepting the new rules for Beta Chi Chapter.

Ellen Rieger introduced Jo Cox, Special Education consultant for Region XIV Education Service Center who spoke on "Women in Texas History," and told us of two women who lived in Texas in the early settlement days. Jo read from the diary of Mary Crownover Rabb, one of Stephen F. Austin's Old Three Hundred colonists, and read an interview of Sylvia King, a former slave from Fayette County, Texas. Members were reminded of the hard work and achievements of these two women, as well as other women in Texas history.

The Beta Chi birthday salute was given in honor of this 57th year of Beta Chi Chapter. Mary Martin spoke about founding members and some of the charter members. Mary Holden also talked about Beta Chi charter members and gave personal accounts of those members she had known.

Members joined in singing the "Delta Kappa Gamma" song, and the meeting was adjourned by Ellen Rieger.

ASCS Weekly News

By John Rector
ASCS County Executive Director

APRIL 30 - SIGN-UP DEADLINE

April 30 is the final date to sign up in the cotton, wheat and feed grain program. Do not let this date slip by you.

Sign-up is by appointment only - call 817-658-3537.

MAY 15 - CERTIFICATION DEADLINE

May 15 is the final date to certify your 1993 crop small grain (wheat, oats, barley, rye, triticale, etc.)

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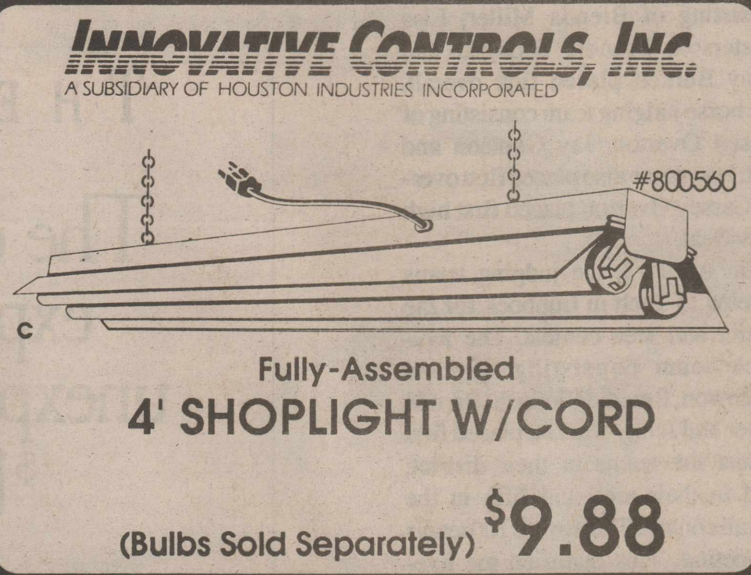
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FOURTH GRADE ELEMENTARY STUDENTS of DeOnn Wallace, at left of photo and Kim Kuehler, right of photo, presented a play based on the book, "Miss Nelson Has A Field Day" Thursday morning, April 8, in the W.R. Baker auditorium. Instead of playing Miss Nelson, Audrey Lankford, front row - second from right,

played the part of Mrs. Wallace. In place of Mr. Blandsworth, Jennifer Vacek, front row - center, played principal Mrs. Williams. It was evident that lots of hard work and practice had been put in by both the students and teachers as well.

(NEWS Photo)

O'Brien Happenings

By Audie Johnston

"Your chuckle for today: A school-teacher asked her students to name the two books that have helped them the most. One bright pupil replied, "My mother's cookbook and my father's checkbook."

HERE AND THERE

Gail Rowan of Lubbock spent the weekend with her father, Ivan Rowan and Delma, and Keith, Jane, Kiel and Kate and Wayne, Judy and Carlie.

Sharla Carver and Diane Roberts sponsored the youth of O'Brien Baptist Church on a trip to Six Flags Over Texas last Friday. Those attending were Rey Sanchez, Caleb and Casey Carver, Josh Campbell, Mario Sigala, Angela Roberts, Michelle Curd, Trish Roberts and Kate Grill of Benjamin. They also saw the "Carman" concert. They all enjoyed a great day of fun and recreation despite their tiredness after arriving home.

Visiting Coy and Loretta Hewitt over the weekend were Tony, Toni and Ashton Neal of Wichita Falls; Vicki, Richard, Jerrod and Reese Daniel of Abilene and Rhonda Moeller and husband Allen and children Kelly and Casey of Haskell and Jerry Beasley and Edna Davis of Snyder. All attended church services at the O'Brien Baptist on Sunday morning. Estelle Michaels of Knox City also visited them.

Spending the weekend with C.H., Linda, Reed and Jack Underwood were Diane Condrion and husband Gary of Tom Ball.

There were several members of the O'Brien Baptist Church in Abilene last week to attend the Easter pageant in the Civic Center sponsored by the Pioneer Drive Baptist Church members on Thursday night. Attending were Wayne and Corine McKinney, Gladys Stephens, LaUna Hester, Jennifer Eaton, Jael Webb, Jennifer Holmes, Dana Holmes, Bessie Duncan, Hope Poe and Bernice Rowan. On Friday night, those attending were Mutt and Bertie Ivie, Orval and Helen Manning, Bro. Troy and Jean Culpepper, Leonia Raby, Betty Poe, Tess Wall and Audie Johnston. The program was great and if you ever have a chance to see it, do it.

Charlene Brothers was in Springtown this week to visit her sisters Marvelene Lancaster and Jean Gibson and families.

Babe and Jean Banner of Littlefield spent Saturday night with Babe's father, C.B. Banner.

Spending the weekend with Vivian Hendrix were LeNear and Heather Phillips of Wichita Falls, Pretrecia Kinzer, Kimberly, Kristy, Kent and Kevin of Grandfield, Oklahoma; LaDocia Morris of Lewisville; Frances Howell of Wichita Falls; John

Kuehler Irrigation Receives Award

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Card of Thanks

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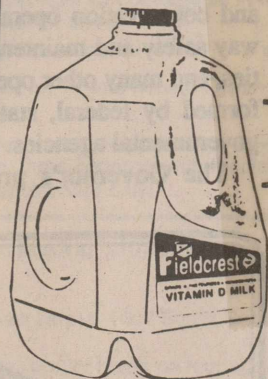
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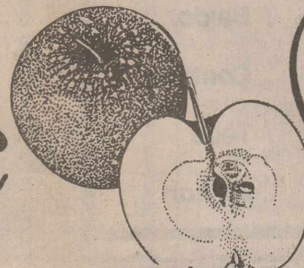
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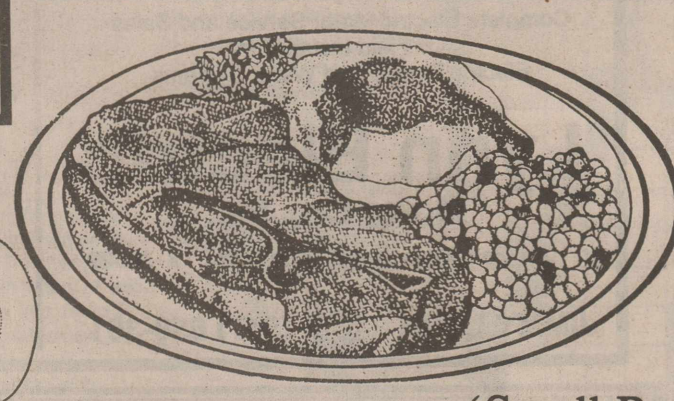
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Sudafed Tablets..... 30 mg., 24-Count **\$3.99**
Schick Tracer Razor..... Each **\$2.59**
Listerine Cool Mint..... 18-oz. Bottle **\$3.79**



California
Red Seedless
Grapes 89¢
Lb.

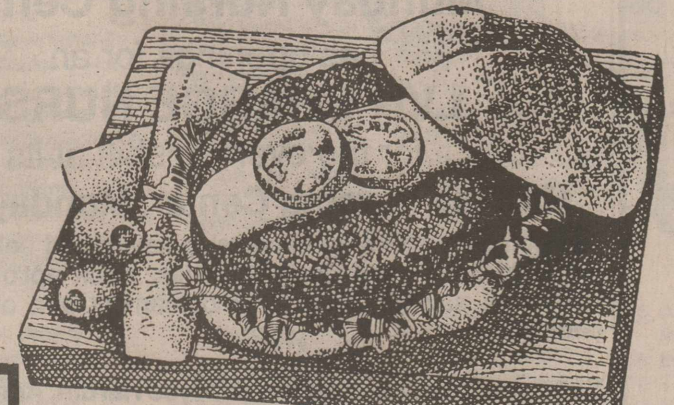


Golden Delicious Apples Washington..... Lb. 49¢
Green Leaf Lettuce Fresh..... Each 49¢
Sno-White Mushrooms..... 8-oz. Cello Pkg. 89¢
Dole Cole Slaw Mix..... 1-Lb. Cello Pkg. 89¢
Red Ripe Tomatoes..... 4-Pack Cello 99¢
Dole Cello Carrots..... 1-Lb. Pkgs. 3 For \$1.00
Tender White Onions..... Lb. 49¢



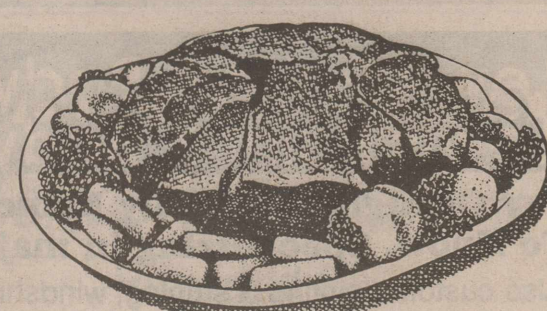
Fresh Pork
Steak
\$1.29
Lb.

(Small Package — Lb. \$1.49)



Fresh Ground
Beef
\$1.19
Lb.

(Small Package — Lb. \$1.39)



Boneless Chuck
Roast
\$1.59
Lb.

(Small Package — Lb. \$1.79)



Covered Wagon
Sliced Bacon.... 10-Lb. Box **\$7.69**

Whole Top
Sirloin Steak
12 To 14-Lb. Pkg.

\$2.39
Lb.

Top Sirloin
Steak..... Lb. \$2.69

Fresh Fryer Leg
Quarters
10-Lb. Bag

\$3.29

Small Pkg. — Lb. 39¢

Fresh Pork
Spareribs
10-Lbs. or More

\$1.39
Lb.

Small Pkg. — Lb. \$1.59

Singletree
Hot Links
10-Lb. Box

\$9.99

Small Pkg. — Lb. \$1.19

Wright's Hickory Smoked
Sliced Bacon
10-Lbs. or More

\$1.19
Lb.

Small Pkg. — Lb. \$1.39

Farmland Link
Sausage
10-Lb. Box

\$15.99

Small Pkg. — Lb. \$1.79

Gary's
Corn Dogs
36-Count Box

\$9.98

Small Pkg. — Lb. \$1.79

Lean Family Pack
Ground Beef
5-Lbs. or More

\$1.69
Lb.

Small Pkg. — Lb. \$1.79