

### Runoff election is Tuesday for JP race

The runoff election between incumbent Imagean Young and challenger Rob Harrison for Justice of the Peace for combined Precincts 1 & 2 is next Tuesday, April 14. The last day for early voting in person is this Thursday, April 9. Support your candidate and vote!

### Parks - Blackwell to wed May 23

Thomas Parks of Rochester and Wendi Blackell of Stamford announce their wedding plans.



See Parks - Blackwell engagement, page 3

### KC golfers strong at Throckmorton

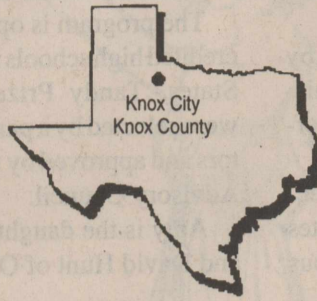


KC freshmen golfers Kayla Garcia and Jennifer Vacek take 1st and 4th.



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MEMBERS OF the Knox City Lions Club turned out in force on Saturday to participate in the 'Texas Trash-Off Day' in the above photo, (left to right), Lions Bertha Driver, Bill Baker, Clint Jones Shawn Speck, Greg Clonts, Louis Baty, Walter Rauch, Don Hawkins and Wayne Pennartz cleaned up just East of town on Highway 222. In the photo at left, Carol Felts, Zoanne Felts and Wretha Fitzgerald worked West on Highway 222 to the City Cemetery, while in the photo below, Johnny Johnson, Charles Auburg, Ray Penman, Diana Casillas, and James Patterson also worked on Highway 222 East of Knox City. Helping but not present for photographs were Bruce Campbell and Charlotte Patterson.

(News digital photos)



## Turning Point plans KC town hall meeting

TurningPoint North Texas Council on Substance Abuse announced today that they will be holding a Town Hall Meeting on Tuesday, April 14 at 7:00 p.m. The meeting will be held in the Community Center located at 210 Southeast Third in Knox City. The purpose of the meeting will be to provide an educational forum for parents, grandparents, pastors, teachers, civic leaders and anyone interested in current trends regarding substance abuse.

"The number one health problem in America is substance

abuse," said Aaron Alejandro, Executive Director. "Prevention is our best weapon in the war on alcohol and drug abuse. The Town Hall format will provide a way for TurningPoint to provide current information regarding substance abuse and an opportunity for people in Knox City to let us know how we can help meet their prevention and educational needs."

TurningPoint is a nonprofit organization which serves eight counties in North Texas including Archer, Baylor, Foard, Hardeman, Knox, Wichita,

Wilbarger and Young counties. Services provided by TurningPoint include education, prevention, intervention, and referrals. The services and programs provided are offered free of charge and are available for schools, churches, civic clubs, 4-H meetings, PTA gatherings or the like. TurningPoint can be found on the world wide web at Turning-Pt. Org. For more information about the Town Hall Meeting or about TurningPoint, please feel free to call (800) 588-4272 or (940) 723-2551.

## Parenting Fair planned for April 20 in Munday

The Knox County Extension Family & Consumer Sciences Committee will be conducting a 'Parenting Fair' on Monday, April 20. The free come and go type fair will be open from 4:30 p.m. to 6:30 p.m. at the Elementary Gym in Munday.

Parents are encouraged to come view the various exhibits and obtain free information regarding services, ideas, and products available for use in raising children.

Some of the exhibits at the 1998

'Parenting Fair' in Munday will include:

- electric safety
- kid-proofing your home
- nutrition education
- free finger printing
- drug abuse prevention
- child development
- child protection and care
- seat belt protection
- safety seat protection
- health care
- free immunizations
- and others.

Plans to have one of the medical helicopters available for touring are also in the works.

Many exhibitors will be offering free materials and door prizes will be given throughout the fair.

For more information, contact Jane Rowan at the Knox County Extension Office, 545-2651.

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### MAYORAL PROCLAMATION

March 26, 1998

**Whereas,** it is known that weeds, brush and rubbish in alleys, lots, yards and sidewalks constitute a fire hazard as well as a danger to public health, and,

**Whereas,** one of the primary objectives of the City of Knox City Economic Development Corporation during the month of April is to identify unsightly areas and remedy or remove the hazard, and,

**Whereas,** the Knox City Economic Development has agreed to help with publicity as well as procurement and disbursements of direct mail notices to citizens, and,

**Whereas,** the City of Knox City envisions that cleanliness and beautification of our community enhances our ability to become economically viable through attracting new businesses and residents, and,

**Whereas,** it is recognized that Knox City cannot be beautified to its full potential without combining ALL persons, households, businesses and organizations of Knox City working together.

**Now Therefore,** I, Tommie Reynolds, Mayor of Knox City Texas, DO HEREBY PROCLAIM the Week of April 20th through 24th, as Spring Clean-Up Week in Knox City, Texas, and I do further call upon all individuals, organizations and businesses to participate in this City-wide campaign.

In official recognition whereof,  
I hereby affix my signature this the 26th day of March 1998.

Tommie Reynolds

## Easter Sunday services are planned

Easter Sunday will find two special services planned.

The Sunrise Easter Service held annually at the Moorhouse Ranch is planned and Rev. John Gillespie of the First Baptist Church in Benjamin will bring the message.

Methodist pastor Vergil Ichtertz will bring the invocation with Kenneth Roberts giving the ministerial alliance report. Hank

Wagner of the Church of Christ will bring the offertory prayer and Ron White of the Benjamin First Christian Church will give the benediction. Charles Jones will direct the music.

The community Easter Service will be Sunday night at the O'Brien Baptist Church beginning at 7:00 p.m.

Rev. Leon Ward of the Church

of God In Christ will bring the message.

Bill Trice of O'Brien Baptist will bring the welcome followed by Vergil Ichtertz of the Methodist Church reading scripture. Steve Pepper of the First Christian Church will give a prayer followed by Paul Chambers with the ministerial alliance offering. See Easter services, Page 3



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**Amy Hunt is Tandy scholar nominee**

FORT WORTH - Amy Lee Hunt, a Knox City High School senior, has been named an outstanding math/science/ computer science student nominee, according to a release of Tandy Technology Scholars. She will be eligible to compete for the one hundred \$1000 scholarships awarded annually. This year more than one-half of all schools in the country participated in this area of the program.

The program is funded by Tandy Corporation and administered by Texas Christian University in Fort Worth.

Nearly 83 percent of all secondary schools in the United States are enrolled in this prestigious

education initiative. Tandy Technology Scholars has awarded more than three million dollars and 300,000 certificates of academic excellence.

The academic top two percent of graduating seniors are eligible to receive certificates recognizing their academic achievements. This year, the Tandy Technology Scholars program will honor 29,249 meritorious seniors.

The program is open to all accredited high schools in the United States. Tandy Prize recipients were selected by a panel of educators and approved by the National Advisory Council.

Amy is the daughter of Trudy and David Hunt of O'Brien.

**O'Brien happenings**

By Audie Johnston, O'Brien Correspondent

"Kristin, my 17-year-old niece, had just gotten her driver's license and offered to take her mom's car to the gas station. She pulled up to the full-service pumps, and the attendant asked, "What grade, miss?" "Eleventh!" Kristin replied.

Here And There - Delbert and Norma Hayes were in Big Spring all day Saturday to attend a family reunion. It was Hood family reunion that consisted mostly of cousins. There were approximately 50 or so people attending and there were lots of eating, visiting and laughing.

Eddie and Claudia Bryant spent Saturday and Sunday in Levelland visiting with their son Jon and daughter Jennifer and husband. Edwardo Sanchez of Fort

Worth spent the weekend with his brother, Paul Sanchez and family.

Richard and Aurora Garcia returned home last week after spending several months on different jobs. We're always happy to have our residents return home.

Loretta Hewitt was in Hamlin Saturday to see her granddaughter Kelli Moeller of Haskell participate in a track meet. She won second place in the 200 yard dash. After the meet, Loretta went to Snyder and spent the night with her mother Edna Davis and returned home Sunday.

O'Brien Baptist Church hosted a men's breakfast Saturday morning. The Rev. John Hall of Munday was guest speaker. There was around 25 men from this area present, enjoying a good break-

fast.

The sick of our community and church, Coy Hewitt, Ileta Holmes, Evelyn Underwood, Evelyn Trice, Roy Stewart, Oather Poe, Juanita Wilcox and I'm sure there are others who need our prayers and let's not forget them. I'm sure there are others, I don't know about. Juanita is in Abilene today for some doctor's appointments.

Marvelene Lancaster of Springtown visited her father, Marvin Manning, who is in Brazos Valley Care Home and J.O. and Charlene Brothers.

Former O'Brien resident Vance (Whitey) LaDuke of Ed Couch, Texas, passed away last week. He was the last of the LaDuke brothers. His wife, Johnnie, was also a resident of O'Brien.

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**On A Wizer Note....**

By Paul Weiser, Knox County Extension Agent - Ag.

**Cotton Insect I.D. Training**

The Knox County Boll Weevil Association, several chemical companies and the Knox County Extension Service are teaming up to sponsor a cotton insect identification training. This insect I.D. training will be held Thursday, April 23 at the K.C. Hall in Rhineland beginning at 7 p.m.

In the areas of Texas where the Boll Weevil Eradication program has conducted season-long spraying, other cotton pests have increased. The April 23rd training

is designed to help cotton producers identify these secondary pests and learn how to control them.

The training will be conducted by Emory Boring, Texas Agricultural Extension Service Entomologist in Vernon. Topics to be covered include: Cotton Insect Pest I.D., Beneficial Insect I.D., Cultural Pest Management and Cotton Pest Management Practices for 1998.

A free meal will be served for those registering by April 17. This program will offer one CEU in Integrated Pest Management for

those who have a private, commercial or non commercial applicators license with the Texas Department of Agriculture.

For more information, or to register for this training, call Paul Weiser in the Knox County Extension office in Benjamin at (940)454-2651. Remember, early registration is April 17, 1998.

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**To The Voters of Knox County, Precincts 1 and 2:**

I have worked long and hard trying to make contact with all of you again during this runoff election for Justice of the Peace. It has been hard work, but it has been made much easier by the encouragement shown to me by so many of you.

I have the knowledge, education and experience to make me better qualified to serve as Justice of the Peace. I preside over more than one thousand cases a year. These include traffic citations, jury trials, family violence, small claims, eviction suits, minors in possession of alcohol, parks and wildlife cases. I have had training to act as coroner. I stay current on the everchanging laws. I take my job very seriously and I take pride in doing it well.

Each case is judged on its own merit in my court and is decided with fairness, regardless of race or gender. I managed my own business in Knox County for many years. I have lived in Knox County almost all of my life.

I have a good working relationship with all the law enforcement officers, the jail personnel and with the other Justice of the Peace in Knox County. I live in Benjamin, two blocks from the jail and sheriff's office. I am ready and willing and do respond anytime I'm needed, day or night.

I am the first vice president of the West Texas Justice of the Peace & Constable Association and also a member of the State Association of Justice of the Peace & Constable Association.

The runoff election is set for April 14. Early voting began Monday, April 6, and continues through Thursday, April 9. The only way you will have anything to say about who your Justice of the Peace will be for the next four years is to get out and vote.

**Remember to vote on April 14.**

*Imagean Young*

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## Kandon Sloan to wed Shawnine Flynn on June 6

Mr. and Mrs. Tommy Sloan, former Knox City residents, are pleased to announce the engagement of their son, Kandon Wilson DalShae Sloan to Shawnine Lee Flynn, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Tim Flynn of Waco. Kandon is the grandson of Loree Bean of Haskell.

Kandon is a 1992 graduate of Cooper High School in Abilene and a former Knox City High School student. He is a 1997 graduate of Abilene Christian University where he graduated magna cum laude with a Bachelor of Business Administration in Accounting. While at ACU he served as an officer and Sing Song director for his social club, Frater Sodalit, and was awarded the 'Director's Award' for his clubs production. He was also an active member of the Student Accounting and Finance Society. He recently passed the Certified Public Accountant (CPA) exam and is currently working for KPMG Peat Marwick, a big-six, public accounting firm, in Midland, Texas.

Shawnine is a 1993 graduate from Trinity Christian Academy in Addison. She graduated cum laude with both a Bachelor of Science in Psychology and a Bachelor of Business Administration in Human Resource Management from Abilene Christian University in 1997. While at ACU she served as an officer and social director for her social club Tri Kappa Gamma, was named 'sweetheart of Frater Sodalit', and was named 'Who's Who amongst American Colleges and Universities'. She is currently a Masters of Business Administration candidate at Baylor University in Waco, where she is a member of the Beta Gamma Sigma Honor Society for AAC Schools of Business and she recently passed the Professional of Human Resources (PHR) Exam.

The wedding will be at the home and gardens of Mr. and Mrs. Flynn in Waco, Texas, on June 6, 1998.



Kandon Sloan & Shawnine Flynn

## Parks - Blackwell engagement

Mr. and Mrs. Larry Blackwell of Stamford are pleased to announce the engagement and upcoming marriage of their daughter Wendi to Thomas Parks, son of Mr. and Mrs. Bill Parks of Rochester.



Wendi Blackwell and Thomas Parks

Wendi is the granddaughter of Mr. and Mrs. B.B. Scott of Lueders, and Mrs. Emma Blackwell of Stamford.

Thomas is the grandson of Mr. and Mrs. Bill McMeans of Double Mountains, and Mr. and Mrs. W.H. Parks of Jayton. A May 23rd wedding is planned.

## Easter services

From page one

which assists the needy.

Johnny Johnson of First Baptist Church will bring the benediction. Rev. Johnson asked for help in supplying the food pantry at First Baptist Church which serves the needy. Anyone wishing to bring canned goods to the service would be appreciated or they may contact him at 658-3141.

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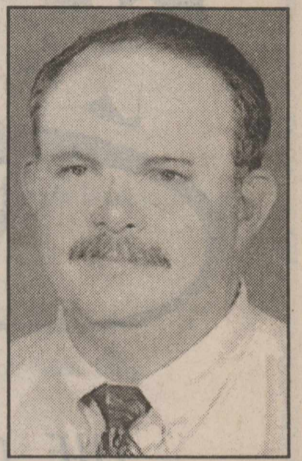
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## Veterans' News



By John Gillispie, Knox County Veterans Service Officer (940) 658-3487

### Veterans must re-register at VA centers by Oct. 1 to prevent loss of medical benefits

The President of the United States recently signed into law a bill that affects all veterans. This law states in effect that if a veteran has not registered at a Veterans Affairs Hospital since October 1, 1996, then on October 1, 1998, he or she will lose all medical benefits for life.

The Veterans Administration is also prohibited from notifying veterans about the new law. The information must be disseminated via word of mouth or by letter.

The Veterans Administration recommends that all veterans eligible for benefits come by their office, and re-register prior to the October 1, 1998 deadline, regardless of whether they have received treatment at a VA Hospital since October 1, 1996. This way, no one will slip through the cracks.

When visiting the Veterans Administration to re-register, veterans will need their form DD-214 (record of discharge from the U.S. Armed Forces), and will need to complete a short form that is available at each VA facility. If the veteran cannot locate his or her form DD-214, the VA office can help locate a copy.

Following these simple procedures and re-registering prior to the October 1, 1998 deadline will maintain the veterans benefits.



**KNOX CITY  
4-H NEWS**  
By Roni Morrow

The Knox City 4-H Club met March 16 at the Knox City Community Center.

David Counts, State Representative, met with the group and provided a very informative program on the Legislative responsibilities. He also stressed the impact 4-H could have on members and how you can develop speaking skills through 4-H that would benefit everyone. We really appreciated Representative Counts taking the time to speak to our group.

The 4-H Fashion Show was held April 1.

The Parenting Fair will be held at the Munday Gym on April 20 from 4:30 to 6:30 p.m.

Our next 4-H meeting will be held April 20 at the Knox City Community Center at 6:30 p.m. Hope to see you there!

## Aging center lunch menus

April 13th thru 17th

**Monday, April 13** - Meat loaf, Harvard beets, hominy casserole, sweet pea salad, hot rolls, cake.

**Tuesday, April 14** - Election Day. No meals will be served. All home deliveries will receive a sack lunch.

**Wednesday, April 15** - Mexican casserole, tossed green salad, refried beans, whole kernel corn, cornbread, coconut icebox pie.

**Thursday, April 16** - Fish with tarter sauce, macaroni and cheese, cole slaw, blackeyed peas, sliced bread, fruit cobbler.

**Friday, April 17** - Chicken casserole, green salad, lima beans, glazed carrots, hot rolls, cobbler.

(All menus subject to change without notification due to conditions beyond the control of the staff at the Knox County Center. It is very important to notify the site manager in advance so that the visit will be on record and meals will arrive from the central kitchen.)

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**Houndette golfers finish strong at Throckmorton**

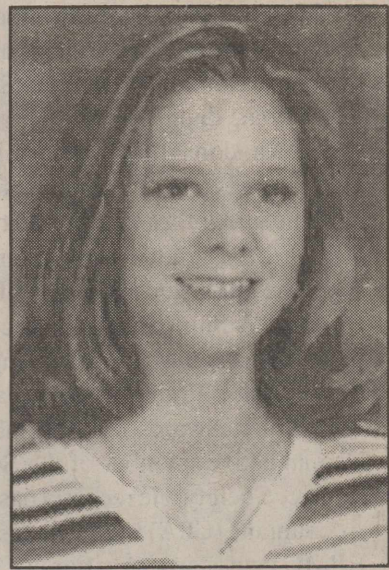
Knox City High School freshmen, Kayla Garcia and Jennifer Vacek, took first and fourth places at the Throckmorton Invitational Golf Tournament on Monday, March 30.

Kayla shot an 86 to claim first place honors, while Jennifer took fourth place with a 99.

"Both of the girls played extremely well, especially considering the strong winds they faced. They are both working hard on improving their game before the district tournament that started on Monday, April 6," stated Coach Dayla Young.



Kayla Garcia  
Finished First



Jennifer Vacek  
Finished Fourth

**Benjamin news**

By Gladene Green, Benjamin Correspondent

It's Easter week and lots of folks are planning family get-togethers. Either they will be having company or making a trip somewhere so next week I should have lots of "goings on" to report. The annual sunrise service will be held Sunday morning at the Moorhouse Ranch, west of Benjamin. Breakfast will be served around 6 and the service will begin as close as possible to sunrise. The First Baptist Church is in charge of the service this year. All who will get up there early and join us for this very inspirational time will surely receive a blessing from it.

Regarding The Ill - Debra Moorhouse is undergoing surgery this morning (Monday) in Wichita Falls. We certainly have Debra and her family in our prayers.

Pat Benson spent Friday night and part of Saturday in the Knox County Hospital. She is feeling much better now.

Mabel Moorhouse spent a couple of days also in the Knox County Hospital. She was dismissed the latter part of the week and seems to be doing lots better.

Bill Ryder still has his "up and down" days. Yesterday (Sunday), was not a very good day so he stayed in most of it. Of course, we continue to keep all these friends in our thoughts and prayers.

I extend a belated expression of sympathy to the family of Clifford Boone of Vera. Clifford passed away at his home several days ago. He was the grandfather of Phil Boone, who is married to the former Rebekah Duke. Clifford and his wife, Alma Jean, have been well known to Benjamin residents for a long time. He will be missed by many.

Elections Scheduled - City and school elections are coming up. In the city council race, three are running for three places. Incumbents Bud Conner and Stephen Kuehler have filed for another term as has Kim Sealy. Incumbent Dennis Duke opted not to run again. With only three running and three places to be filled, no election will be necessary.

In the school board race, three have filed for full terms. Two will be elected. Incumbent Wyman Meinzer

has filed as has Mitzi Ham and Kenneth Carroll.

Filing for two places for unexpired terms are Shanna Heard and Louise Leathers, who are serving by appointment and Randy Reed.

One Act Play - Benjamin High School's one act play was presented recently in Rochester at the district south zone contest. The play "Picnic in the Battlefield" failed to advance but did receive some very nice honors. Bobby Condron, BHS senior, was chosen best actor. Carmen Acevedo, BHS sophomore, was named to the all-star cast and receiving honorable mention were BHS juniors, Hardy Coffman and Gina Bolanos. Other members of the cast were Kathy and Toby Rainwater. Belle Grill directed the play. We congratulate these young folks and their sponsor. These plays take a lot of work to get them ready for presentation.

Firemen Plan Egg Hunt - Again, the BVFD has plans (weather permitting) for an egg hunt in the park, Sunday afternoon beginning at 2:30 p.m. Anyone wanting to ride the fire truck to the park needs to be at the fire station by 2:00. There will be some prize eggs. We'll see you at the park. It's always a good time for adults to visit with friends they haven't seen for awhile while the kids hunt.

City-Wide Clean-Up Planned - Since the last clean-up day was rained out, the time has been rescheduled for April 18. So get out and clean up your premises and we'll have town looking great by Homecoming the second weekend in June.

If you have "big stuff" to get rid of, call Dorothy at the City Hall and she will put your name down and on clean-up day an extra big truck will be here to gather up these larger items. But they do need to know where to go and if she has a list it will sure simplify and expedite matters.

There's some remodeling going on in town. Joe and Julia Trepanier have had siding put on their house. It's white with green trim.

Don Morrill (father-in-law of Reba Cox Morrill) has purchased the Hess Hall home and is doing some work on it before he moves in the

early summer. He now resides near Houston.

Linda Cox has purchased the Oleta Welch home (from Bobby Roberson) and is having some extensive work done on it.

And Carlos and Lana Mendoza have moved out of the Michael Driver home and there is some work being done on it before the new owners move in. E.O. and Irene Reed of Gilliland have purchased that house. The Mendozas have moved to Seymour. And there's a couple of greenhouses being "put up", Dennis Duke and Bud Conner are busy with this project.

So you see, we are still making progress over this way.

Here 'N There - Jeremy Amburgey of TSTI in Sweetwater was a Friday night guest of homefolks, Gary and JoAnn Hamilton.

Mary Stevens of Lubbock visited Jonnie Williams the first of last week.

I visited with Fred (Snow) Crenshaw of Lubbock and his son, Bill of Amarillo on Friday. They were enroute to Bridgeport for a family gathering. They were glad to get to visit a little while and Snow said he would be back for Homecoming. Buddy Crenshaw of El Paso was also in Benjamin for a brief visit.

Tye Spikes and a friend of Garden City, Kansas, were recent guests of his parents, Bill and Dorothy.

Friday guests of Earlene Meinzer were her cousin and his wife, Dale and Louella Hammonds of Lovington, New Mexico.

Charles and Joy Jones enjoyed a fishing trip to Lake Texoma last week. Said they caught several fish and every time Joy tells about her "catch" it does get a little bigger! No, I'm kidding - she tells an honest fish story.

I spent last weekend with my aunt in Snyder.

Dub and Jo Cartwright and Ruth Ressel were in Abilene Saturday. They visited his sister, LaVerne and said she seemed to be doing better than she did for awhile.

Jane Gideon and her brother Jo Nunley and sister, Joy Yancey of Wichita Falls spent the weekend with Joe's daughter Gayle and family in Owasso, Oklahoma.

**Easter**  
 THE GRAND CAFE

THE GRAND CAFE WILL BE OPEN FROM 10 AM TILL 2 PM, SUNDAY, APRIL 12, 1998.

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11-7 tfc 26

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**FOR SALE** - 117 acres of farm land between Knox City and O'Brien. Please call for information, 940-658-3486.  
1-22 tfc 18

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3-12 t4p

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4-2 t2c 99

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4-9 t1p

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4-9 t1p

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**MUNDAY NURSING CENTER** accepting applications for Weekend RN, Full Time LVN - 11-7 shift, Part Time LVN - 11-7 shift. Apply in person, 421 W. Ave. F. EOE. 3-19 tfc 35

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**FOR SALE**  
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- 1 crossover tool bar
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- 1 A-frame stand
- 1 riding lawnmower
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## Bid Notice

1 Chev. grille guard  
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Rochester ISD reserves the right to reject any and all bids. 4-2 t2c 147

## Legal Notice

**LEGAL NOTICE - THAT IN ACCORDANCE WITH SECTION 30.05 OF THE PENAL CODE OF TEXAS - (CRIMINAL TRESPASS SENATE BILL III LEGISLATURE), NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT ALL LANDS OF THE W.T. WAGGONER ESTATE ARE POSTED - SAVE AND EXCEPT WHERE WRITTEN PERMISSION IS GIVEN TO COME UPON THE SAME.**  
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### NOTICE TO CREDITORS

Notice is hereby given that original Letters Testamentary for the Estate of Paul Pohlmeier, Deceased, were issued on March 23, 1998, in Cause No. 2280, pending in the County Court of Knox County, Texas, to; VIRGIL POHLMEIER and PHILIP POHLMEIER.

The residence of the Independent Executor is Tulia, Swisher County, Texas; the post office address is:

c/o: Stephen L. Rohde  
Attorney at Law  
EVANS, ROHDE & CRISWELL,  
Drawer L  
Tulia, Texas 79088

All persons having claims against this Estate which is currently being administered are required to present them within the time and in the manner prescribed by law.

DATED the 1st day of April, 1998.  
EVANS, ROHDE & CRISWELL  
Drawer L  
Tulia, TX 79088  
By /s/ Stephen L. Rohde  
Attorney for the Estate  
State Bar No.: 17205000  
4-9 t1c 131

## Political Calendar

The following have authorized *The Knox County News* to announce their candidacy for public office.

State Representative, District 70  
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**DAVID COUNTS (D)** - Re-Election  
Justice of the Peace, Precincts 1 & 2  
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## ISSUE UPDATE

with  
**Mac Thornberry**

*Mac*

### Highway Bill Shows That Pork Barrel Politics is Alive and Well in Washington

The House of Representatives approved a highway spending bill last week intended to fix bridges and patch roads around the country.

There are some good things in this bill. For instance, Texans will get more of our tax money back. Where we used to get 76 cents back for every highway dollar we send to Washington, we'll now receive around 90 cents. This is an improvement that's long overdue.

But in the end, I couldn't support this bill because it busts the budget and was filled with pork. Congress passed a balanced budget plan last summer that set strict spending limits to eliminate the deficit. Now that we've achieved a budget surplus, this highway bill spends \$26 billion more than was budgeted. To make matters worse, the bill provides no clue as to where the extra money will come from. It only says that spending offsets will

be figured out down the road, which may mean more cuts in agriculture and defense.

And as for the money that is being spent, not all of it is going to fix bridges and patch roads. Nearly \$10 billion dollars in the bill will be spent on 1,467 "special" projects around the country. These projects include \$3 million for a PBS documentary on "infrastructure awareness" and \$7 million for a train museum in Allentown, Pennsylvania. In addition, more money will also be spent on bike trails and mass transit.

Fortunately, the Senate passed a better plan -- so there's still a chance that a reasonable highway bill will make it to the President's desk. But in the continuing battle to change the way Washington works, last week's debate -- and the spending and pork barrel projects that went along with it -- shows that we've still got a long way to go.

### Cancer drive to begin April 14

The Knox County Unit of the American Cancer Society has set April 14 to April 27 for the annual crusade drive.

During this time, volunteers will be calling for donations as well as distributing helpful information leaflets. All county residents are asked to please do their part to help in the fight against this dreaded disease.

Volunteers are always needed and for those wanting to do charitable work, they are asked to call one of the following chairmen: Becky Baker - Knox City residential, Tammie Dillon - Knox City

business, Ida Jo Owens - Munday south side, Pam Reed - Munday north side, Perry Kuehler - Munday business, Joy Hord - Goree, Jessie Roberts - Benjamin, Lula Baty - Gilliland, Jo Ann Daniel - Truscott, Edith Beck - Vera, or Valera Hertel - Rhineland.

The Knox County Unit meets regularly on the second Tuesday of the month at the Perry Patton Community Center in Munday. Anyone wishing to come join the group are welcome. For those with questions, call Valera Hertel, Knox County Unit President and Crusade Chairman.

### Cynthia Ann Parker days set in Crowell

The Crowell Chamber of Commerce, the Texas and Southern Plains Heritage Foundation and the Foard County 4-H Club will join forces to produce the annual Cynthia Ann Parker Days in Crowell on May 1 and 2.

The two-day celebration began as a day to honor the memory of Cynthia Ann Parker, mother of the last Comanche Chief Quanah Parker. The event has evolved into a fun and educational weekend showcasing both Native American and the Western history of the area.

Events scheduled on Friday include an Old West Trail Ride, a rodeo, a slide presentation on Fort

Parker, the Pease River Battle and the Red River War and a free street dance.

Saturday activities include a checkwagon breakfast, a parade, dedication of the courthouse monument, a historical symposium featuring a living history presentation of Cynthia Ann Parker's life, a VIP reception, class reunions, a wild hog cookoff, wild hog patty bingo, a mini tractor pull, a working cow dog demonstration, a presentation of the 4th U.S. Memorial Cavalry, country and western music, a rodeo performance and a rodeo dance. Arts, crafts and food booths will be set up around the square.



LANDON WEIERSHAUSEN is shown here clearly outdistancing all his competition while running the 110 meter hurdles during O'Brien Middle School's track meet in Knox City last Thursday. (NEWS digital photo)

### FCE to meet April 14 in Rosencranz home

The Texas Association for Family and Community Education meeting will be April 14 at 7:00 p.m. in the home of Rita Rosencranz, 501 South East Third, in Knox City.

Program will be "Who Gets Grandma's Yellow Pie Plate" brought by county agent Jane

Rowan.

Members are asked to wear their clothes backward to the April meeting. Guests are invited to come and share a fun time.

The district meeting will be April 16 at Haskell. April's hint: "Put a cube of sugar with cheese to retard molding."

## ELECT JEFF STANFIELD

For Knox City Council Member

One area of concern expressed to me has been the Knox City Cemetery and its upkeep. If elected, I will listen to these concerns and work toward its betterment. -- JEFF STANFIELD

(Pol. Adv. Paid For By Jeff Stanfield, P.O. Box 281, Knox City, TX 79529)

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### Cynthia Ann Parker Days Celebration, May 1 & 2 in Crowell, Texas.

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### New Arrivals

Mason Mackenzie Martin

Matt Martin and Heather Tilson are the proud parents of a baby boy named Mason Mackenzie Martin. Mason was born March 4 at 6:04 p.m. in Abilene.

Mason was delivered by Dr. Charles Thompson at Abilene Regional Medical Center. He weighed seven pounds, seven ounces, and was 19 3/4 inches in length.

Maternal grandparents are Jerry and Debbie Curd of Knox City and Lamar and Brenda Tilson of Boyd.

Ron Martin and Sharyn Gorman of Las Vegas, Nevada, are paternal grandparents.

Great-grandparents are Jimmy and Helen Green of Guthrie, Stella and Junior Curd of Knox City, Dick and Lee Hawthorne of Las Vegas, Nevada, and June Tilson of Amarillo.

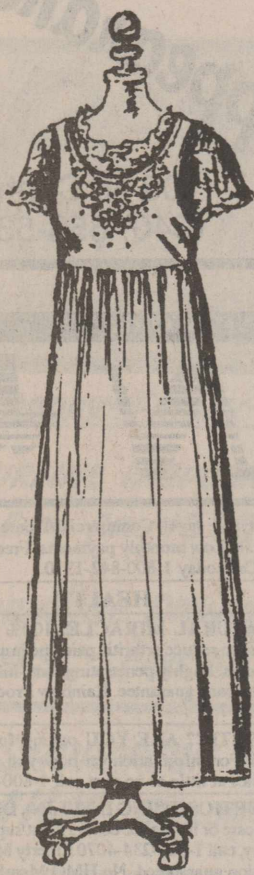
### Local weather

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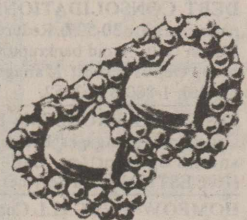
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### METER TAMPERING NOW A FELONY

The State of Texas has adopted an amendment to the State Penal Code making meter tampering a third degree felony. A third degree felony comes with a punishment of confinement in the Texas Department of Corrections for a term of not more than 10 or less than 2 years. In addition to imprisonment, an individual adjudged guilty of a third degree felony may be punished by a fine not to exceed \$5,000.

Before the amendment of the law, it was a class A misdemeanor for meter tampering unless the loss of service was more than \$200. Under the new law, any meter tampering regardless of the amount of loss is now a felony of the third degree.

Meter tampering consists of, but is not limited to:

- (1) Diverting electricity from passing through a meter device.
- (2) Preventing electric service from being correctly registered by a meter device.
- (3) Unauthorized activation of service.

As a special note to our members, it will also be considered meter tampering if a meter is reset and electrical service is restored by anyone other than a Cooperative employee. All Cooperative meters are sealed. This seal should not be cut or broken without special authorization. In cases where the seal must be cut for emergencies, the Cooperative should be notified as soon as possible so that the meter can be resealed.

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**Election Notices**

(Classifieds Cont'd. From Page Five)

**Election Notice**

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

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 2, 1998, for voting in a general election to elect three (3) councilmembers.

(Notifiquese, por las presente, que las casillas electorales sitados abajo se abiran desde las 7:00 a.m. hasta las 7:00 p.m. el 2nd de Mayo de 1998 para votar en la Eleccion para Thres miembros de Council.

**LOCATION(S) OF POLLING PLACES**

(Direccion(ES) DE LAS CASILLAS ELECTORALES)

Knox City Aging Center, Knox City, Texas (Knox County)  
Centro Para Ancianidad Del Condada 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, 200 North Central, Knox City, Texas

Knox City Ciudad Ascaldia, 200 Norte Central, Knox City, Texas (location) (sitio)

between the hours of 8:00 a.m. and 5:00 p.m. beginning on April 15, 1998

(entre las 8:00 de la manana y las 5:00 de la tarde empezando el 15 abril, 1998)

and ending on April 28, 1998.

(Y terminando el 28 de abril, 1998). Applications for ballots by mail shall be mailed to:

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

Brenda Correll  
(Name of Early Voting Clerk)  
(Nombre del Secretario de la Votacion En Adelantada)

200 North Central

200 North Central

(Address) (Direccion)

Knox City, Texas 79529

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)

Friday, April 24, 1998

24 de abril 1998

(date) (fecha)

Issued this the 3rd day of March,

1998.

(Emitada este dia 3rd de marzo

1998.)

Tommie Reynolds, Mayor

Signature of Presiding Officer

(Firma del Oficial que Preside)

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

To the Registered Voters of Benjamin ISD, Texas:  
(A los votantes registrados del Benjamin ISD, 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 2, 1998, for voting in a school board election to elect two (2) full terms and two (2) unexpired terms.

(Notifiquese, por las presente, que las casillas electorales sitados abajo se abiran desde las 7:00 a.m. hasta las 7:00 p.m. el 2nd de Mayo de 1998 para votar en la Eleccion para Escuela Junta

**LOCATION(S) OF POLLING PLACES**

(Direccion(ES) DE LAS CASILLAS ELECTORALES)

Benjamin Memorial Building  
Gilliland Community Center

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 COUNTY COURTHOUSE,

County Office

(Direccion(ES) DE LAS CASILLAS ELECTORALES)

between the hours of 8:00 a.m. and 5:00 p.m. beginning on April 15,

1998

(entre las 8:00 de la manana y las 5:00 de la tarde empezando el 15

**Election Notice**

abril, 1998) and ending on April 24, 1998.

(Y terminando el 24 de abril, 1998).

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Danny Speck

Knox County Clerk

(Name of Early Voting Clerk)

(Nombre del Secretario de la Votacion En Adelantada)

Knox County Courthouse

Knox County Courthouse

(Address) (Direccion)

Benjamin, Texas 79505

Benjamin, Texas 79505

(City) (Ciudad)

(Zip Code) (Zona Postal)

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Ben Grill

Signature of Presiding Officer

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

To the Registered Voters of King County, Texas:  
(A los votantes registrados del King County, 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 2, 1998, for voting in a school election to elect school board trustees.

(Notifiquese, por las presente, que las casillas electorales sitados abajo se abiran desde las 7:00 a.m. hasta las 7:00 p.m. el 2nd de Mayo de 1998 para elect school board trustees.

**LOCATION(S) OF POLLING PLACES**

(Direccion(ES) DE LAS CASILLAS ELECTORALES)

Guthrie Community Center - Precincts 1 and 2

King County Courthouse - Precincts 3 and 4

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)

KING COUNTY COURTHOUSE,

King County Clerk's Office

(location) (sitio)

between the hours of 9:00 a.m. and 5:00 p.m. beginning on Wednesday

April 15, 1998

(entre las 9:00 de la manana y las 5:00 de la tarde empezando el 15

abril, 1998)

and ending on Tuesday, April 28,

1998.

(Y terminando el Tuesday, 28 de

abril, 1998).

Applications for ballots by mail shall be mailed to:

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

Tavia Vinson,

King County Clerk

(Name of Early Voting Clerk)

(Nombre del Secretario de la Votacion En Adelantada)

King County Courthouse

King County Courthouse

(Address) (Direccion)

P.O. Box 135

P.O. Box 135

Guthrie, Texas 79236

Guthrie, Texas 79236

(City) (Ciudad)

(Zip Code) (Zona Postal)

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(date) (fecha)

Issued this the 20th day of March,

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(Emitada este dia 20th de marzo

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Carolyn McLauray

Signature of Presiding Officer

(Firma del Oficial que Preside)

**The condensed version.....**

By Dave Thompson



This column is written with a different and somewhat personal perspective about what is happening around the area.

**Watch those cell phones!**

Those of us who use a cell phone - or even a cordless phone around the home or office - need to be reminded that our conversations are NOT private. Despite what you may believe, you have very little privacy when you use either a cordless or a cellular phone. Anyone who owns certain types of scanners can listen in on your conversations if you are within the operating range of their scanner. Knox City does have a lot of people who listen to scanners on a regular basis, and unfortunately, some of these listeners are also big talkers. When they overhear someone else's cellular or cordless phone conversation, that becomes something to talk about to others. I guess you could call it 'high tech gossip!' Several people here in town asked me last week to write about this, and I'm happy to bring it to the attention of everyone. I have checked with the area managers of Cellular One, the supplier of cell-phone service to this area, and they advise that cell phones are just like 2 way radios, anyone who has a capable scanner can overhear the conversation and no laws are being broken by doing so. Cellular One keeps their cell frequencies secret, but anyone who has a scanner that can scan complete bands of frequencies can often hear the conversations of others. So - the bottom line is to watch what you say, you never know who is listening!

**Digital photographs**

The NEWS office has finally received a camera that we've been waiting on for awhile. Although we do have several cameras, this new camera is unique in the respect that it takes excellent photographs, but does not use film!! Everything is digital, the photographs we take are loaded directly into my computer and processed through a photo software program. Not only will this camera save us money and time by eliminating the cost of film and developing chemicals, and time spend in the darkroom, it will also allow us the opportunity for more 'last minute' photographs before each weekly deadline for getting the paper together. Along with this new digital camera, we also have the latest generation of computer scanners for use in scanning photographs and negatives brought in for use in stories, obituaries, advertisements, or whatever. The equipment is not cheap, but we feel that we owe it to our readers and subscribers to put out the best paper we can each and every week and the newer, computerized and digital equipment certainly helps us do just that. In this week's edition, the photographs on the front page of the Lions Club members picking up trash on the highways were taken with the new digital camera.

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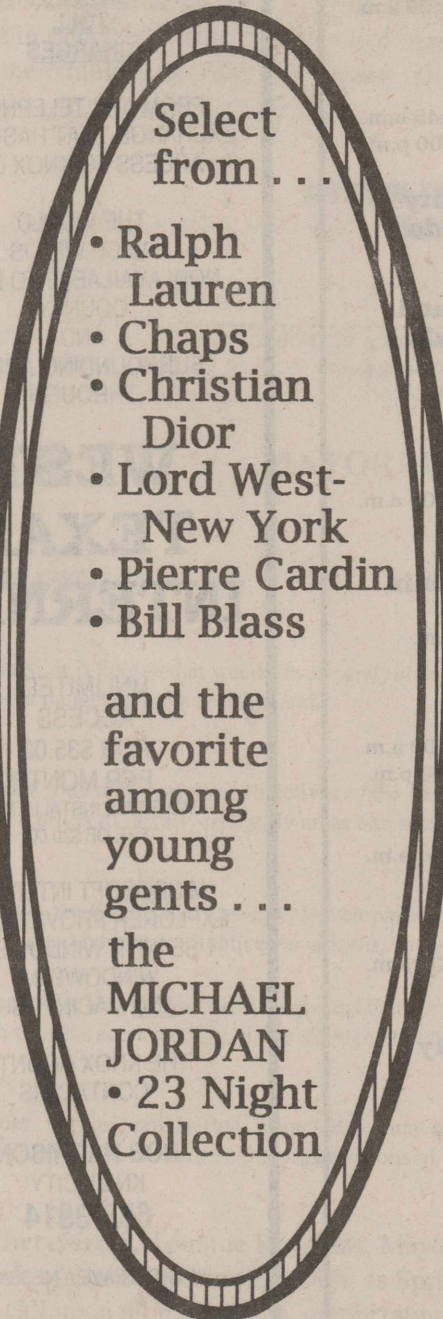
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**FIRST UNITED METHODIST CHURCH - Knox City**  
Vergil Ichtertz, Pastor

Sunday School at 9:45 a.m. ~ Sunday Morning Worship at 11:00 a.m.  
Sunday Evening Worship at 6:00 p.m.

**FIRST CHRISTIAN CHURCH - Knox City**  
Steve Pepper, Minister

Sunday School at 10:00 a.m. ~ Sunday Morning Worship at 11:00 a.m.

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Vergil Ichtertz, Pastor

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Sunday Evening Worship at 7:00 p.m. ~ Mid Week, Wed. at 7:00 p.m.

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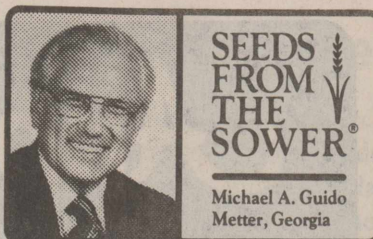
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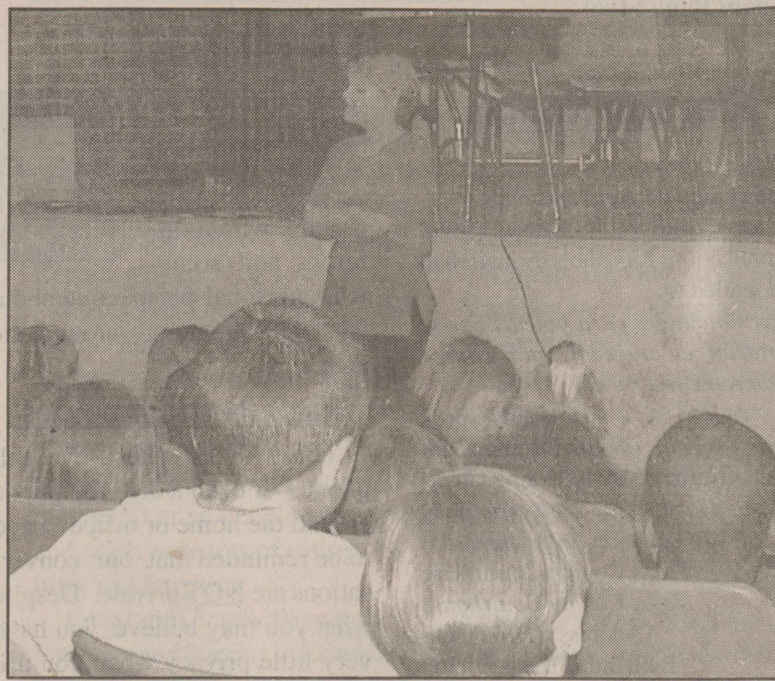
The Gospel is God's truth about a certain set of historical facts that are recorded in 1 Corinthians 15:1 to 5.

The first fact: "Christ died for our sins." You and I were born to live. But Jesus was born to die. Why? For sins. His sins? No, He was born without sin and He lived without sin. But God took the sinless Christ and poured into Him our sins and He died in our place.

The second fact: "He was buried." He who was born of the Virgin Mary was laid to rest in a virgin tomb which is similar to a vault. It was a cave in the side of a hill, large enough for people to walk into.

The third fact: "He rose the third day." How? Bodily. Christ is alive. He is the great "I Am," not the great "I was."

## KC Elementary students begin Project LAMP



Students at Knox City Elementary School have started a new program that is sure to bring a smile to the face of several ex-residents or relatives of residents. Named Project LAMP, the students will be writing Letters to American Military Personnel who are stationed overseas in potentially hostile areas of the world.

Starting with letters to Lance Dever, Ronnie Reece and Steven McQueen, the students may also be sending packages of items needed by the servicemen.

Mrs. Erin McQueen (the former Erin Lierly) spoke with the students about her husband Steven, who is currently stationed with the United States Air Force in Kuwait. She explained the importance to the servicemen of hearing from home, and told the students their letters would be answered.

Both Lance Dever and Ronnie Reece are serving in the U.S. Army. Lance visited with a lot of the students when he was home in January.

(NEWS photo)

## Social Security News Update

Word of new medical benefits that are available.....

As of January 1, 1998, Medicare has added several new benefits designed to encourage the early detection of certain life-threatening diseases common among elderly people. They include yearly mammograms, pap smears, colorectal cancer screening, and free flu and pneumonia shots.

Interested Medicare beneficiaries should call their doctors or health care provider for more information on the availability of the new benefits. A Medicare hotline is available: 1-800-638 6833.

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We want to thank everyone for the cards, food and prayers during the recent loss of our loved one, Margaret Ledesma Rodriguez. May God bless each and everyone of you.

Reyes Barrientez and Family  
Janie Saucedo and Family  
Nelly Palacio and Family  
Eddie and Carla Romo

## A Golden Time

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Alzheimer's Disease is the nation's third most costly malady, according to a Univ. of Southern Cal. economist. The most expensive diseases are heart disease and cancer. Average costs for an Alzheimer's victim are \$33,000 to \$35,000 a year.

The Social Security Adm. will cut about 5000 jobs in the next five years as part of the government's efforts to trim costs. During the 80s, Social Security eliminated about 17,000 positions.

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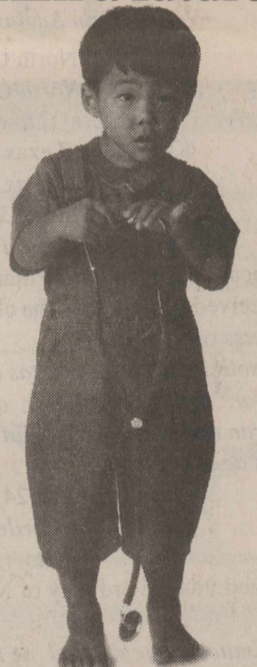
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