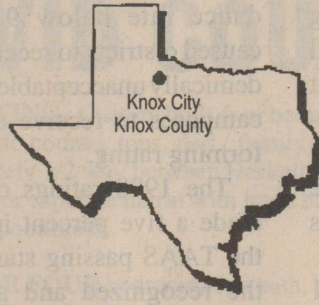


## Greyhounds scrimmage at Quanah Thursday night at 6:00 p.m.

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## Orient Masonic Lodge presents service awards

Members, families and guests of Knox City's Masonic Orient Lodge gathered at the Knox City Community Center last Friday evening for the presentation of service awards to long-time Masons.

Traveling to Knox city for the special awards ceremony were Grand Junior Warden David Dibrell and Chuck Bukin of the Texas Masonic Lodge.

Speaking to the assembled crowd of Masons, their family members, and guests, David Dibrell told the audience, "We are honored to be here in Knox City to celebrate years, and years, and years of service, a lifetime of service to many."

### Honored for 65 years of service

During the awards presentation ceremony, a 65 year service award was presented to Neal Logan of Knox City, who was pinned by his wife, Lillian. Born on November 17, 1908, Neal was initiated as a Masonic Entered Apprentice on March 3, 1930. He passed to a Fellowcraft on April 8, 1930, and was raised to the Sublime Degree of Master Mason on November 30, 1933.

### Honored for 60 years of service

A 60 year service award was presented to Monty Penman of Knox City. Monty's wife, Exa, was unable to attend the ceremony. Born on January 14, 1913, Monty was initiated as an



**GRAND JR. WARDEN David Dibrell congratulates Neal Logan on his 65 year service award, as Neal's wife Lillian looks on.**



**GRAND JR. WARDEN David Dibrell shakes hands with Monty Penman to congratulate him on 60 years of service to the Masonic Lodge in Knox City.**



**PINNING HER HUSBAND, Dottie Lowrey is shown here pinning the 50 year service pin on her husband, Melvin A. "Buster" Lowrey.**



**PINNING HER HUSBAND, Helen Manning is shown here pinning the 50 year service pin on her husband, Orval G. Manning.**

Fellowcraft on July 1, 1948, and was raised to the Sublime Degree of Master Mason on August 2, 1948.

A 50 year service award was also presented to Orval G. Manning of Knox City, who was pinned by his wife, Helen. Born October 20, 1912, Orval was initiated as an Entered Apprentice on May 22, 1948. Orval G. Manning passed to a Fellowcraft on July 1, 1948, and was raised to the Sublime Degree of Master

Mason on August 2, 1948.

A 50 year service award pin was also presented to H.L. "Harold" Watson of Munday. He was pinned by his niece, Jocile Williams.

Born November 11, 1924, Harold was initiated as an Entered Apprentice on June 8, 1948. He passed to a Fellowcraft on July 1, 1948, and was raised to the Sublime Degree of Master Mason on August 2, 1948.

A 50 year service award was announced for Clifford H. Cornett of Knox City, who was not present for the ceremony. Born January 2, 1925, Clifford was initiated as an Entered Apprentice on December 16, 1948. He passed to a Fellowcraft on February 1, 1949, and was raised to the Sublime Degree of Master Mason on March 10, 1949.

The Masons and guests enjoyed refreshments after the awards ceremony.



**PINNING A 50 YEAR service pin on H.L. "Harold" Watson of Munday, Jocile Williams helped with the pinning ceremony.**



**RECOGNIZED and presented with Endowed Membership was Mason Edwin Jetton of Munday.**



**ALSO recognized and presented with Endowed Membership was Mason H.A. Reeves of Munday**

Entered Apprentice on July 9, 1936. He passed to a Fellowcraft on August 3, 1936, and was raised to the Sublime Degree of Master Mason on October 1, 1936. He had also served as District Deputy Grand Master in 1942, but was unable to fulfill the complete term of office due to his being drafted into the military during

World War II.

### Honored for 50 years of service

A 50 year service award was presented to Melvin A. "Buster" Lowrey of Knox City, who was pinned by his wife, Dottie. Born April 19, 1927, Buster was initiated as an Entered Apprentice on May 28, 1948. He passed to a

## Dove season expected good, despite dry weather

*Begins September 1 through October 30*

State wildlife officials expect good dove hunting despite widespread drought conditions across Texas. Hunting near watering and feeding sites should be as productive as ever.

"Our surveys this past spring indicated dove breeding popula-

tions remained similar to last year," Jay Roberson, dove program leader with Texas Parks and Wildlife, explained. "There will probably be an impact on production due to the drought and that could have a negative impact on hunting, since most of the birds

harvested are from the current year's hatch. But, some hunters may not see that if they're hunting around water, which will concentrate more birds."

Texas boasts a dove population in excess of 40 million birds, *See Dove season, Page 3*

## TEEM Auto is now open for business in Knox City



**CELEBRATING THE RIBBON CUTTING** for another new business in Knox City, members of the Todd Lewis family gathered with Chamber of Commerce officials on Monday afternoon to open TEEM AUTO. Shown from left to right in the above photo are Chamber Director Diana Casillas, Brandon Lewis, Missy Lewis, Eric Lewis, Emily Lewis, Todd Lewis, Chamber of Commerce Manager Doris Crowner, Chamber of Commerce President Rita Rosencranz, West Texas Utilities Economic Development Director Fred Hernandez, and Chamber Director Jim Dillon. (NEWS digital photo)

Another news business has opened its doors in Knox City, and owners Todd and Missy Lewis are ready to serve the public with all types of auto repair and auto detailing.

From auto paint and body repair, to paintless dent repair and auto glass replacement, TEEM Auto will also provide engine and transmission service and repair, brake and air conditioner service. If your vehicle is dirty, TEEM Auto also does car washes and complete vehicle detail service.

TEEM stands for Todd, Eric, Emily, and Missy, the entire Todd Lewis family.

The business is located at 908 East Main, just east of the DQ.

## Area-wide crusade begins Sunday

*Continues through Wednesday at W.R. Baker Auditorium*

The Knox City Ministerial Alliance will be hosting an area-wide crusade beginning Sunday, August 30, and continuing through Wednesday, September 2.

The crusade will begin nightly at 7:00 o'clock and will be in the W.R. Baker Auditorium on the Knox City school campus.

David Crain of the David Crain New Life Ministries, Inc. of Grand Saline will be the musician and speaker for the four night crusade.

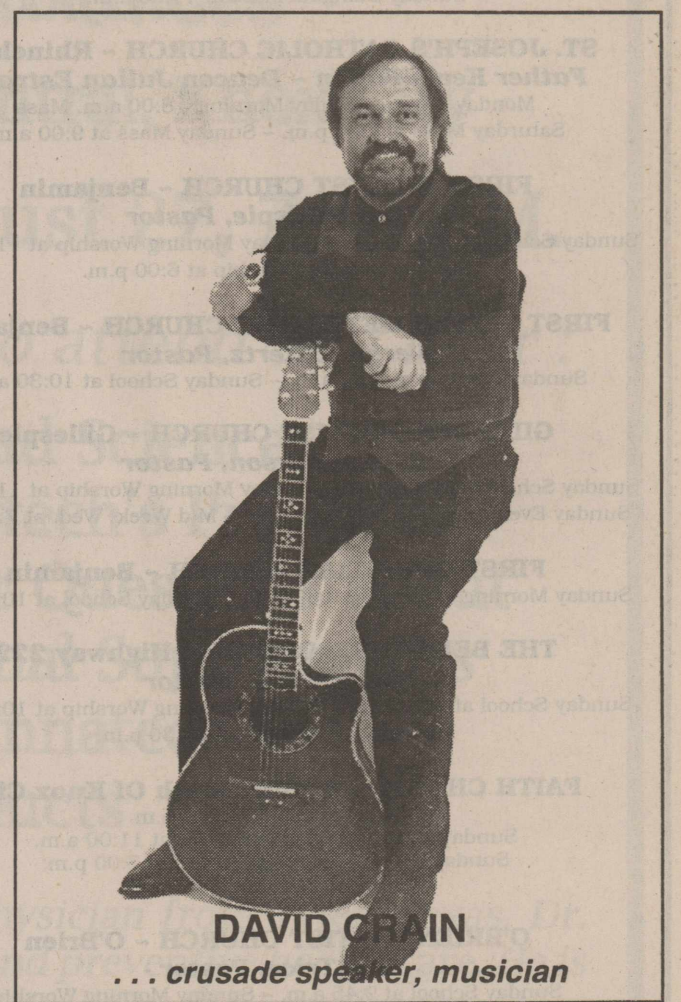
Crain, who is known as a high-energy, dynamic musician and speaker, is said to inspire and challenge people to live for Christ.

He has traveled nationwide sharing the great joy that comes from being a Christian.

Through music, humor and a very direct approach to the gospel of Jesus Christ, David has ministered to many thousands in the past several years. He has said, "God has blessed in a wonderful way and continues to open new doors of service."

With several albums out, David's music covers a wide range of styles that is received by all ages. All music and lyrics are written by David himself, giving it his own style and presentation.

David makes his home in Grand Saline with his wife Betty and two sons Joshua and Caleb.



**DAVID CRAIN**  
... crusade speaker, musician

## Houndettes kickoff season with win

By **COACH DALA YOUNG**  
Girls volleyball is in full swing at Knox City High School.

The Houndettes kicked off their season last Tuesday against Rotan, who will be a district competitor this year. The JV team defeated

Rotan in two games, 15-1, 15-3. The JV team members include Natalie Bloxham, Lauren Clonts, Sonya Contreras, Audrey Lankford, Erica Quintana, Angela Roberts, Crystal Wallace, Leilani Bruce and Crystal Espinosa.

The varsity girls defeated Rotan in three games 16-14, 9-15, 16-14. "Overall I was pleased, yet I know we still have room for improvement. We have a few key injuries right now that we are trying to fix."  
*See Houndettes, Page 3*

# KC-O'Brien CISD 'makes the grade'

*With TEA ratings, high school is exemplary, mid-school recognized, elementary acceptable*

FORT WORTH - Knox City High School was among a record number of Texas school district campuses earning an exemplary rating, the highest rating possible, from the state's accountability system, Commissioner of Education Mike Moses, has announced.

O'Brien Mid-School was rated as recognized and Knox City Elementary was acceptable.

The accountability ratings are based on the percentage of students passing the reading, writing and mathematics sections of the Texas Assessment of Academic Skills examination, the dropout rate and attendance rate.

Campuses can earn ratings of exemplary, recognized, acceptable and low performing.

This year, 120 districts earned the exemplary rating, compared to 65 in 1997. Exemplary ratings were earned by 1,042 campuses in 1998, compared to 683 last year.

This year, 328 districts received a rating of recognized, as did 1,641 campuses. That is an increase over the 321 districts and 1,617 campuses that received this second-highest rating last year.

There were 3,310 campuses that earned acceptable ratings, compared to 3,679 last year.

The number of campuses earning low-performing status dropped from 67 in 1997 to 60 this year.

To earn an exemplary rating this year, at least 90 percent of all the students and each student group (African American, Hispanic, white and economically disadvantaged) had to pass the reading, writing and mathematics sections of the TAAS test.

A dropout rate of less than 1 percent for all students and each student group and an attendance rate of at least 94 percent were also required.

A recognized rating required a TAAS passing rate in each subject of at least 80 percent for all students and each student group, a dropout rate of 3.5 percent or less for all students and student groups and an attendance rate of at least 94 percent.

To earn a rating of academically acceptable for a district or acceptable for a campus, a TAAS passing rate of at least 40 percent for all students and each group was needed, as was a dropout rate of six percent or less for all students and student groups and an attendance rate of at least 94 percent.

A TAAS passing rate below 40

percent for all students or any student group, a dropout rate above six percent for all students or any student group and an attendance rate below 94 percent caused districts to receive an academically unacceptable rating and campuses to receive a low-performing rating.

The 1998 ratings criteria include a five percent increase in the TAAS passing standards for the recognized and acceptable categories.

This year, the TAAS performance of 1,544,688 students was included in the August accountability ratings. That number will increase when year-round results are included.

Texas Education Agency's accountability ratings for area schools in the North Texas district are:

Exemplary: Rochester School, Seymour High School, Throckmorton High School (two years), Windthorst Elementary (four years) and High School;

Recognized: Benjamin School; all Haskell schools; Seymour Elementary; Throckmorton Elementary;

Acceptable: Crowell schools, Goree school, all Munday schools.

# WTU hosts economic development training

STAMFORD - West Texas Utilities Company hosted an economic development board training program titled Growth and Retention Opportunities Worldwide, (GROW) for the Rolling Plains Industrial Foundation.

The program was developed by WTU's Economic Development department to assist communities in preparing strategies that will enhance opportunities for economic growth and development.

Steve Teaff, Bob Forman and Mike Martindale, WTU Business

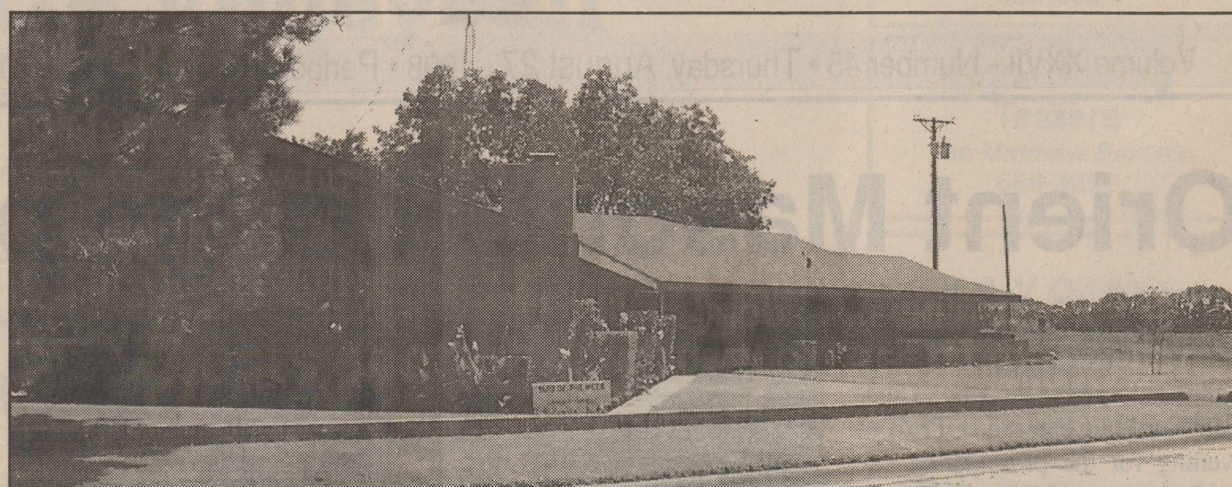
Development Project Managers, facilitated the four and one-half hour training, held Tuesday, August 18, at the WTU office in Stamford.

Representatives from Stamford, Haskell, Aspermont, Hamlin and Rotan attended. Each participant received a detailed guidebook that outlines six major areas including community development, rules and regulations, state/federal resources, business retention and expansion, marketing/recruitment and planning/assessment.

The GROW training program prepares economic development board members to carry out their duties and responsibilities with greater confidence and understanding. WTU is sincerely concerned about the economic welfare of the rural communities it serves and provides the training at no cost.

For more information, contact Fred Hernandez, WTU Area Business Manager in Stamford at 915-773-3641 or Rick Arnic, Hamlin Area Business Manager at 915-576-3676.

## KC Chamber's Yard Of The Week...



The Chamber of Commerce sponsored Yard Of The Week for last week belongs to John L. and Peggy Grindstaff. Located 501 Avenue A in the Southeast part of Knox City, the home features a well landscaped yard, tall shade trees, shrubbery and flowers.

## O'Brien happenings

By Audie Johnston, O'Brien Correspondent

"After beginning a new job as an assistant state attorney general, I had to report for training. My wife and our three-year-old daughter, Lazara, were driving me to the facility when Lazara said, "Daddy, where are we going?" "We are taking Daddy to training," I responded. With an arched brow she asked, "Potty?"

Here and There - Royce Manning of Abilene spent Saturday with his parents, Orval and Helen Manning and he and his dad enjoyed getting to play golf together for awhile and then mom, Helen, fixed them a good meal and enjoyed eating and visiting for awhile.

Delbert and Norma Hayes, Bernice and I attended the musical at Old Glory Saturday night. The crowd was real low and musicians were really way down to

ten or less.

Wayne and Corine McKinney are back at home in O'Brien for a while. They just returned from Glorietta where they had enjoyed living there for awhile.

J.O. and Charlene Brothers were in Azle over the weekend to visit their son Jerry and wife Rosa and family.

C.H. and Linda Underwood were in Lubbock over the weekend to help their son Reed get all set up to go to college at Tech this year. Reed graduated from high school at Tulia last school term.

Scott Stephens will be at Vernon Regional Junior College this school year to finish his college work and Stefani will be going back to Tech in Lubbock for her second year of college.

Spending the weekend with Beatrice Ellis were his daughters,

Sandra and husband Pleas Childress and Vicki and Madison Childress of McCamey and Julie and Matt Harrison of Dallas. They also visited with Dwight Gothard.

Spending the weekend with Troy and Clara Hanson were Clara's granddaughter Rhonda Martin and husband David and children Ryan and Randi of Midland and Teresa and Landon Denson of Stamford.

Some of those who were going for doctor's appointments, J.O. and Charlene Brothers got good reports, Evelyn Underwood goes back this week for another shot in her knee, Rose Johnston has to go back for another appointment and Evelyn Trice had to go back last Thursday and go into the hospital for some blood and is still in the hospital and has had several pints of blood.

The 1998-1999 school year is underway... Support the 'Hounds and Houndettes!'

## KC Area Church Directory

### FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH - Knox City

Johnny Johnson, Pastor

\* Sunday School at 9:45 a.m. - \* Sunday Morning Worship at 10:55 a.m.

\* Sunday Evening Worship at 7:00 p.m. - Mid Week, Wed. at 8:00 p.m.

Sunday Services telecast live on Channel 17 in Knox City & O'Brien

### FIRST UNITED METHODIST CHURCH - Knox City

Vergil Ichtertz, Pastor

Sunday School at 10:00 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.

### FOUR SQUARE CHURCH - Knox City

Paul Chambers, Pastor

Sunday School at 9:45 a.m. - Sunday Morning Worship at 10:45 a.m.

Sunday Evening Worship at 6:00 p.m. - Mid Week, Wed. at 7:00 p.m.

### SANTA ROSA CATHOLIC CHURCH - Knox City

Father Kevin Fagan - Deacon Julian Estrada

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Saturday Mass at 7:00 p.m. - Sunday Mass at 9:00 a.m.

### FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH - Benjamin

John Gillispie, Pastor

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

Sunday Evening Worship at 6:00 p.m.

### FIRST UNITED METHODIST CHURCH - Benjamin

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### GILLESPIE BAPTIST CHURCH - Gillespie

Ross Anderson, Pastor

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### THE BELIEVERS' CHAPEL - Highway 222

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### O'BRIEN BAPTIST CHURCH - O'Brien

Bill Trice, Pastor

Sunday School at 9:45 a.m. - Sunday Morning Worship at 11:00 a.m.

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Physicians often follow the advice of pharmacists, according to a study in The Consultant Pharmacist. Doctors altered prescriptions 69% of the time that the pharmacists detected a potential drug interaction.

The Journal of the Am. Medical Assn. says more than nine million people over 65 are taking medications that are potentially harmful. In appropriate use of medications is most common among those 80 to 84.

## Thank You

I want to thank the Knox City Chamber of Commerce and everyone else who helped with the dinner honoring me. It means so much to live in a town with so many Christian friends.

Leon Ward

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## Special Thanks

The Ag-Oil golf tournament at the Knox City Country Club has come and gone. It was a big success with a full house.

Special thanks to sponsors Rolling Plains Well Service, Rimes Well Service, Allied Pump and Supply, Pumpers Supply, Video Express, cookers, G&L Tool, QOS Trucking and DADCO Oil Tool.

- Congratulations to winners -

**First place** - Tracy Carter, Danny Grindstaff, Tyke Meinzer, Charles Pack

**Second place** - Kirby, Dolby, Pringle, Careathers

**Third place** - Ben Hawkins, Judge Ward, Paul Meador, Jim Hastings

**Fourth place** - Coach Petty, Kyle Markey, Randy Brown, Cole Thompson

**Fifth place** - Don Bell, Jeff Bell, Ronnie Bell, Domingo Garcia

## Dove season expected to be good.....from page one

half of which are produced annually. Biologists suggest the population can handle the drought. "Even if statewide production is down somewhat due to dry conditions, there's still a very hardy population out there and we also get millions of migrant birds passing through Texas that were produced in states to our north," Vernon Bevell, migratory game bird program director at TPW.

Since Mourning doves prefer watering and feeding in relatively dry areas, bird movement and ac-

tivity could generate additional opportunity this season, according to Ron George, TPW wildlife division deputy director. "If there is seed on the ground, dry weather usually makes it easier for doves to feed. They prefer feeding on open ground where they can get to the seeds and they like to land on dry, open ground near tanks and lakes when watering."

If the dry weather persists, George added, it may actually be of benefit to hunters. "With fewer sources of water, the birds are

going to congregate around those remaining watering places," he explained.

Dove season runs from September 1 to October 30 in the north zone where Knox County is located.

The daily bag limit is 15 birds, including no more than two white-winged doves.

Possession limit is twice the daily bag limit and hunters are reminded that they cannot legally take more than one daily bag limit in one day.

## Houndettes open season

...from page one

ing to treat and get ready for district. The girls are working extremely hard and we are expecting great things this season," Coach Dala Young said.

The varsity Houndettes are Kayla Garcia, Nikki Gonzales, Cristina Hernandez, Tamara McGaughey, Roni Morrow, Brandy Riggins, Stephanie Rios, Tandy Roberts and Jennifer Vacek.

The Houndettes begin district play September 1 at Goree.

Game time is 6:30. See you there!

## Chaney - Casillas engagement announced

Ms. Josie Gillilan and the late Doyce Wayne Gillilan of Knox City and Mr. and Mrs. Larry Don Chaney of Colorado City announce the engagement of their daughter Michelle Nicole Chaney to Paul Philip Casillas, son of Mr. and Mrs. Edmund Casillas Jr. of Knox City.

The bride-elect graduated from Knox City High School in 1997 and is employed by M-System Stores in Knox City.

The prospective bridegroom graduated from Knox City High School in 1992. He is employed by M-System Stores in Haskell.

An October 24 wedding is planned at Macias Ballroom in Haskell.



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# Notice of Vote on Tax Rate

The Knox City-O'Brien C.I.S.D.

Board of Trustees

conducted a public hearing

on a proposal

to increase the total tax revenues

of the

Knox City-O'Brien C.I.S.D.

by 2.63 percent

on August 20, 1998.

The Knox City-O'Brien C.I.S.D.

is scheduled to vote

on the tax rate that will result in

that tax increase

at a public meeting to be held

on August 31, 1998 at 6:30 p.m.

at the Superintendent's office.

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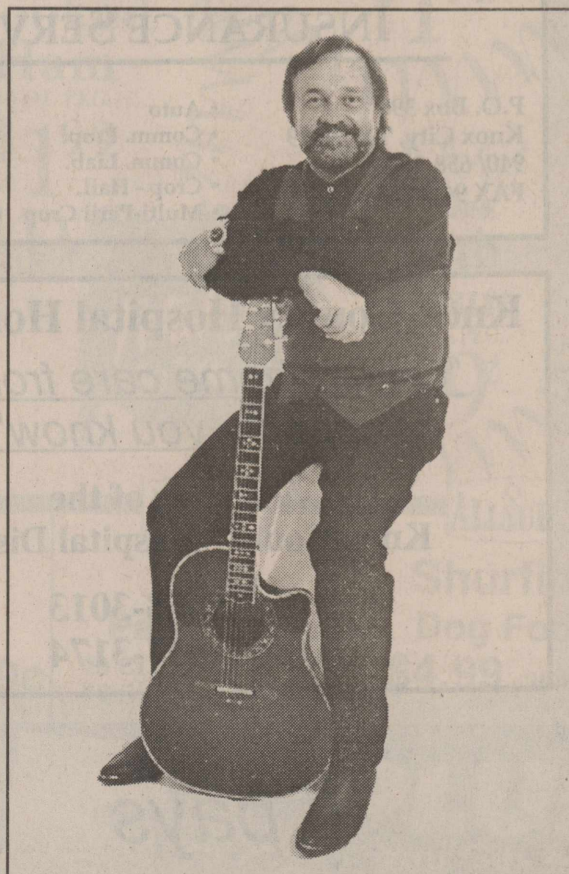
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### Knox Co. 4-H awards program is Saturday

The annual Knox County 4-H awards program will be held on Saturday, August 29, at the Benjamin Ex-Student Building in Benjamin.

Activities will kickoff at 7:30 p.m. with the presentation of project completion pins, Friend

of Extension recognition and the 4-H Gold Star Award.

Following, 4-H members, parents and guests will enjoy a dance, Bingo and refreshments.

For more information, contact the Knox County Extension office at 454-2651.

### New Arrivals It's a girl!



Gabriella Najera

Laurie and Alex Najera of Vernon are the proud parents of a baby girl born July 10 at Wilbarger General Hospital in Vernon.

The baby has been named Gabriella and she weighed in at six pounds, twelve ounces, and measured 20 inches in length.

Maternal grandparents are Rosie and Emiliano Nevarez of Knox City.

Cipriano Najera of Vernon is paternal grandfather.

### Sunday benefit lunch aids 'someone special'



SUNDAY'S BENEFIT LUNCHEON held at the St. Isabel Hall proved to be quite successful with the delicious Mexican buffet that was served. In top photo, Tommie and Pete Espinosa and Mary Vasquez, are shown fixing takeout plates before the crowd arrived.

To all our friends, family and churches in the area, who lifted us in prayer, sent flowers, cards and food during our recent sorrow, we say thank you. Special thanks to Sue, Jimmy, Bud and Sequoyah at the funeral home, Derrell and Cathy for the graveside service, Marq for the beautiful song, the Haskell-Knox staff, Dr. Charles Anderson and the staff at Abilene Regional Medical Center in Abilene, and the Cross Country Emmaus Community.

Thank you all for being there in our time of need, in the loss of Joshua Kai. We know he is safe in the arms of Jesus.

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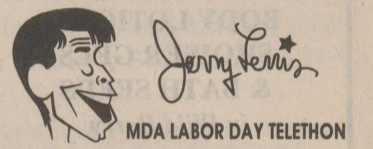
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## Benjamin news

By Gladene Green, Benjamin Correspondent

After three days of school, those in charge say things are going good. Everyone is lined out in their classroom activities and the "sports ball" is already rolling. The girls got started last week with volleyball, playing at Paducah. They won in two games - the scores are unavailable. Girls playing volleyball this year are Juniors Lynn Moorhouse, Carmen Acevedo, Micah Larned and Elizabeth Hostas. Sophomores are Toby Rainwater, Jessica Shaw and Julie Larned. And the freshman players are Elizabeth Moorhouse, Ashley Cartwright, Sandra Acevedo and Monica Zavalas. The coach is C.H. Underwood.

The football boys have been practicing faithfully since two-a-days started and the results of their efforts were evident in a scrimmage Friday night. I didn't go but reports are that they looked pretty good and are ready for regular season play. Boys out for football are seniors Tyler Carroll, Hardy Coffman, Clint Horne, Jesse Grimaldo and Jacy Collins, junior Jessie Rios, sophomore Aaron Kuehler and freshman Dwayne Reed and Ray Ham. Stephen Kuehler is their coach. They start the season on September 4 by playing Moran there. The rest of the schedule is: Sept. 11, Harrold, here; Sept. 18, Trent, there; Sept. 25, Lueders-Avoca, here; Oct. 9, Rochester, here; Oct. 16, Patton Springs, here; Oct. 23 - Rule, there. We look forward to a good football year.

Faculty for this year is as follows: Kindergarten and Pre-K - Carol Dickson, 1st & 2nd - Pam Duke, 3rd & 4th - Nancy McCreger, 5th & 6th - Kim Chambers, social studies and girls coach - C.H. Underwood, math - Cindy Hostas, special education and English - Belle Grill, Junior High reading and social studies - Linda Underwood, home economics - Shea Edmonds, science - Robert Coffman, FFA - Dick Dickson, boys' coach and business - Stephen Kuehler. Ben Grill is superintendent and Debra Moorhouse is school secretary.

News of our ailing - Nora Duke returned home today after a few days in the Haskell hospital. She's

feeling much better but pretty weak after her hospital stay.

Bill Ryder had some surgery on his face on Friday. Had a skin cancer removed and tho pretty uncomfortable, he's doing OK.

JoAnn Hamilton was in Abilene Wednesday for tests. She was glad to know that her problem with her back and knees can be treated with medication and right now, surgery is not advisable. She's feeling better.

Here 'N There - Bill and Pearl Ryder and Sue Oxford were at Clarendon last Monday to get acquainted with their new great-granddaughter and great niece, Catherine Ann Ross. Pearl said she was a "very pretty baby".

David Jones and Kayla of Runaway Bay visited his parents, Charles and Joy, during the weekend. Sheila DeLosSantos and family of Vernon visited Saturday.

Debra Ebraheim and Lynda Brooke Hudson were in Lubbock Tuesday to be with their dad Tom Brooke Hudson, who underwent double bypass surgery. Katrine King was also in Lubbock to be with her girls during their dad's surgery, as was Bobby Frank Hudson and Jonnie Williams. Reports on Tom Brooke is that he is doing well and should be able to return home soon.

Karen and Doug Brown of Teague are the proud parents of a new baby girl born Friday at Hillcrest Baptist Hospital in Waco. The "vital stats" on the baby are not available yet. Doug's dad, Stanton, is with Doug and family and should be home in a day or so and will get all the "low-downs" when he returns. Reports are that things are going pretty well. The baby does have a slight respiratory problem and will remain in the hospital about ten days but doctors think all will be OK. I ask your prayers for this young family. Doug and Karen have two other children, Colton and Haley Joy, whom I'm sure can't wait to get their baby sister home.

Phil, Rebecca and Paige Boone of Trent were weekend Benjamin visitors.

It's off to school for several "Benjaminites". Some returning to college and some going for the first time.

Going to Texas Tech will be Michelle Conner, Stephanie Conner Brannan, Zeke Duke and Jim Bob Conner; South Plains College at Levelland will have Wade Pierce and Lacy Carver of Knox City, but a '98 BHS grad; Rachel Duke and Audra Neal will be going to Midwestern; going to Vernon Regional Juior College will be Kathy Rainwater, Julie Welch of Gilliland, a '97 BHS graduate and Jamie Bohannon; Bobby Condron, Southwest Texas College in San Marcus; and Jeremy Amburgy will continue his classes at TSTI in Sweetwater.

I hope I haven't missed anyone. If I have, please let me know.

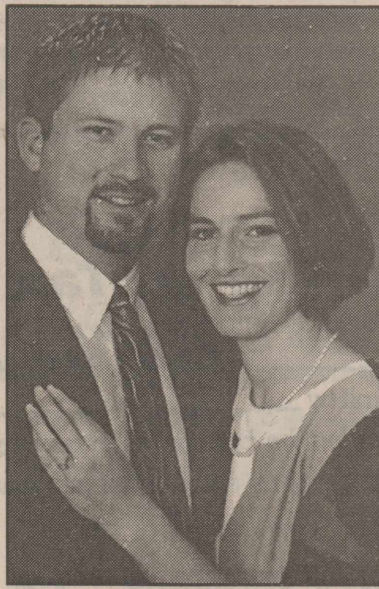
Edith Broach of Lubbock visited her daughter and her husband, Janet and Gary Reed, Friday. Friday afternoon, Janet and Edith, went to Abilene to watch Janet's daughter, Blaine Conner, play volleyball. Blaine is going to school in Colorado City now.

First Baptist Church in Benjamin will be holding a revival September 27 through October 4. Just a brief early notice and we will re-remind you as time approaches. We hope many of you will plan to join us at that time. Harvey G. Albright, formerly of Vera, now of Norman, Oklahoma, will be "doing the preaching".

Jack and Mary Young returned home last Sunday after a four week vacation in the northwestern states. They were in Haltom City during this past weekend to visit their daughter, Debbie and family. Their grandson, Dusty, received a knee injury just before school started while playing basketball with friends. He had to miss out on the opening of school but maybe will be able to catch up pretty quickly. Think Dusty is still having quite a lot of trouble with his knee, but hopefully, his discomfort will be short-lived. We hope so.

My brother, Troy Yeager, is in the Seymour Hospital. He has pneumonia and some heart problems. He was admitted on Saturday and will probably be there several days as his doctor says he's going to check him out thoroughly before he releases him. He was feeling some better Sunday.

## Engagement announced



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Rev. and Mrs. John Murdoch of Lubbock announce the engagement of their daughter, Angela Denise to Rev. Todd Starnes, son of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Starnes of Knox City.

The engagement took place in May and the wedding is set for September 5, 1998.

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## Bloodmobile to visit KC on Tuesday

Lynn Gast, American Red Cross Territory Manager is urging Knox City residents to give blood Tuesday, September 1, at the Knox City Community Center from 4:00 to 7:00 p.m.

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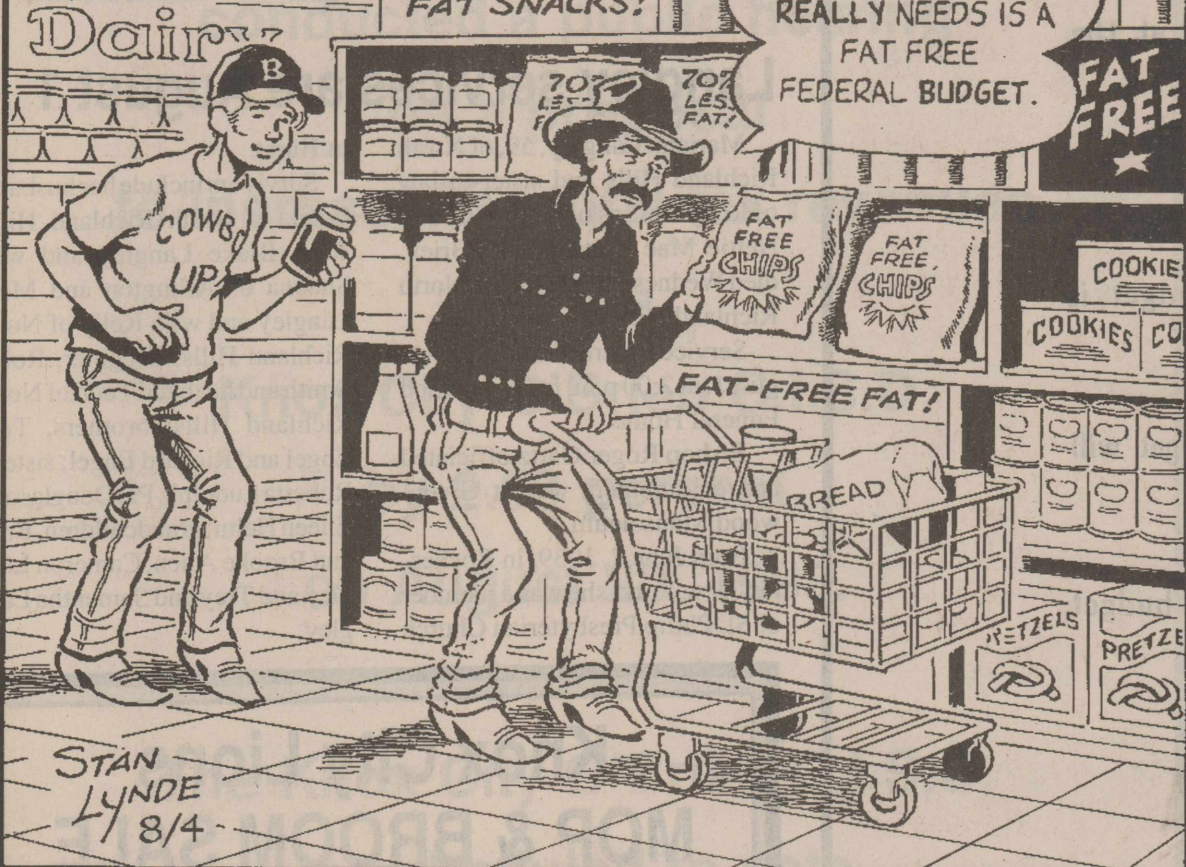
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## Rites held August 12 for Mary Bell Stone of Clyde

Mary Bell Stone, 77, of Clyde, sister of Ruby Collins of Knox City and Nettie Mae Watson of O'Brien, died Monday, August 10, in an Abilene hospital.

Graveside services were Wednesday, August 12, at the Clyde Cem-

etry with Rev. Ronnie Skaggs officiating.

Mrs. Stone was born November 9, 1920, in Erath County. She was the widow of Calvin C. Stone whom she married September 28, 1936, in Benjamin. She came to Clyde from Gar-

rison in 1983. She was a member of the Baptist Church.

She was preceded in death by her parents, Lidge and Aurora Bell Langley and a daughter, Patsy Laverne Tallant.

Survivors are a son, Bobby G.

Stone of Mesquite; two daughters, Wanda Mae Coffelt and Ann Gwinn, both of Clyde; two brothers, Warren G. Langley of Lubbock and Frank Langley of Richland Hills; two sisters, Ruby Collins of Knox City and Nettie Mae Watson of O'Brien; 11 grandchildren, 21 great-grandchildren and one great-great-grandchild.

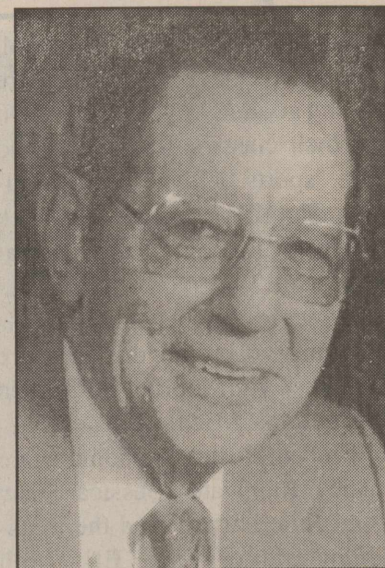
## Swaner is buried in Benjamin

Bert Louis Swaner of Dogwood City, Texas, died July 18, 1998, in an Arlington, Texas, hospital following a brief illness.

Funeral services were held July 20 at Woods Chapel Baptist Church in Arlington with Rev. David McQuitty officiating. Poems and comments from the family were presented in honor of Mr. Swaner. Graveside services were held at the Benjamin Cemetery in Benjamin.

Born March 19, 1918, in Wichita Falls, Mr. Swaner had been a resident of Dogwood City for 16 years and was a former longtime resident of Mansfield. He worked in West Texas oilfields for many years and was later employed by Ling-Temco-Vought, an aircraft manufacturer in the Dallas-Fort Worth area.

Survivors include his daughters and sons-in-law, Brenda and Dellbert Blyton of Grand Prairie, Linda and Bill Gooch of Mansfield; grandsons, Derek Blyton



BERT LOUIS SWANER

and Toby Gooch, both of Arlington; granddaughters, Delette Clifton of Grand Prairie and Robin Chester of Cleburne; great-grandsons, Justin and Billy Clifton Jr., Justin Harlow and Tracey Gooch; a sister, Cleo Curtis and a brother, Gordon Swaner, both of Arlington.

## Escobar rites held in California

Philip Escobar of Lancaster, California, died Friday, August 14, 1998, at his residence. Services were Wednesday, August 19, at Sacred Heart Catholic Church in Lancaster with his nephew Father Joseph Palacios officiating.

Philip was born, raised and attended school in Benjamin. He worked for the Los Angeles School District until his retirement.

Survivors include his wife Ida; two sons, Michael Escobar of Lancaster, California; and Randy Escobar of Pasadena; a daughter, Lisa Escobar of Sunland, California; a grandson, Nickols Escobar of Lancaster; his mother, Amalia Escobar of Tujunga, California; three brothers, Ray Escobar of

Knox City, Ralph Escobar of Austin and Henry Escobar of Tujunga; four sisters, Martha Palacios of Sunland, California, Mary Macias of San Diego, California, Esther Cano of Lake Tahoe, Nevada; and Betty Martinez of LaCrescenta, California.

He was preceded in death by his father, William Escobar; and two brothers, Bill and Bo Escobar.

Relatives attending the funeral were Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Acosta, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Acosta, Helen Flores, Donna Gonzales and Freddie Acosta of Fort Worth, Jack Acosta of Missouri City, Mr. and Mrs. Ray Escobar of Knox City, Mr. and Mrs. Freddie Caram of Munday and Janie Esparza of Lubbock.

## Fletcher rites are held Sunday

Graveside services for Clyde C. Fletcher of Rochester were held Sunday afternoon, August 23, at two o'clock in the Rochester Cemetery. Dale Huff officiated and services were under the direction of Smith Funeral Home.

Mr. Fletcher, 73, died Friday, August 21, in a Haskell nursing home.

Born September 15, 1924, in Haskell County, Texas, to Chris and Alice Fletcher, he served in the United States Navy during

World War II and was a member of the VFW.

Mr. Fletcher had moved back to Rochester from Fort Worth during the past year.

He was a Methodist.

Survivors include a daughter, Nancy Bailey of Monarch Beach, California; two stepdaughters, Jan Almquist of Bishop, California, and Sherry Seymour of San Diego, California; a brother, Joe Fletcher of Rochester; and a grandchild.

## Langley services are August 1

Mariann Langley, 59, of North Richland Hills and sister-in-law of Ruby Collins of Knox City and Nettie Mae Watson of O'Brien, died Wednesday, July 29, in North Richland Hills.

Services were Saturday, August 1, at 2:00 p.m. in Greenwood Funeral Home.

Bishop Roger Gartz officiated and entombment was at Greenwood Mausoleum.

Born June 7, 1939, in Rochester, New York, she was a member of St. Philip Presbyterian Church

in Hurst.

Survivors include her husband, Frank of North Richland Hills; sons, Blake Langley and wife Shauna of Arlington and Mark Langley and wife Kelly of North Richland Hills; daughter, Robin Smith and husband Todd of North Richland Hills; brothers, Tom Engel and Richard Engel; sisters, Roberta Ludolph, Pat Douglas and Eileen Helm; grandchildren, Brett and Brooke Allen, Cameron Langley and Trey and Samantha Langley.

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### Notice of Public Hearing on Tax Increase

The KING COUNTY COMMISSIONER'S COURT will hold a public hearing on a proposal to increase total tax revenues from properties on the tax roll by 2.2 percent. Your individual taxes may increase or decrease, depending on the change in the taxable value of your property in relation to the change in taxable value of all other property and the tax rate that is adopted.

The public hearing will be held on SEPT. 02, 1998 at 9:00AM KING COUNTY COURTHOUSE

FOR the proposal: JOHN SMITH, SAM FULTON, BOBBY TIDMORE, DARWOOD MARSHALL

AGAINST the proposal: NONE

PRESENT and not voting: NONE

ABSENT: NONE

The following table compares taxes on an average home in this taxing unit last year to taxes proposed on the average home this year. Again, your individual taxes may be higher or lower, depending on the taxable value of your property.

	Last Year	This Year
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General exemptions available (amount available on the average homestead, not including senior citizen's or disabled person's exemptions)	\$ 3,000	\$ 3,000
Average taxable value	\$ 13,930	\$ 13,885
Tax rate	.4708	.5517
Tax	\$ 65.58	\$ 76.60

Under this proposal, taxes on the average homestead would INCREASE by \$ 11.02 or 16.81 percent compared with last year's taxes. Comparing tax rates without adjusting for changes in property value, the tax rate would INCREASE by \$ 0.08 per \$100 of taxable value or 17 percent compared to last year's tax rate. These tax rate figures are not adjusted for changes in the taxable value of property.

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The KING County Auditor certifies that KING County has spent \$ 0 in the previous 12 months beginning OCTOBER, 1997, for the maintenance and operations cost of keeping inmates sentenced to the Texas Department of Criminal Justice. KING County Sheriff has provided information on these costs, minus the state revenues received for reimbursement of such costs.

### NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING ON KNOX COUNTY APPRAISAL DISTRICT BUDGET

The KNOX COUNTY APPRAISAL DISTRICT will hold a public hearing on a proposed budget for the 19 99 fiscal year.

The public hearing will be held on September 8, 1998 at 4:30 P.M., at the Knox County Courthouse, Benjamin, Texas.

A summary of the appraisal district budget follows:  
The total amount of the proposed budget is \$ 137,000.00

The total amount of increase over the current year's budget is \$ - 0 -

The number of employees compensated under the proposed budget will be 2 - 2/3 (full-time equivalent).

The number of employees compensated under the current budget is 2 - 2/3 (full-time equivalent).

The appraisal district is supported solely by payments from the local taxing units served by the appraisal district.

If approved by the appraisal district board of directors at the public hearing, this proposed budget will take effect automatically unless disapproved by the governing bodies of the county, school districts, cities, and towns served by the appraisal district.

A copy of the proposed budget is available for public inspection in the office of each of those governing bodies. A copy is also available for public inspection at the appraisal district office.

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## It's a girl!

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Welcoming Kylee were her big sister Braleigh and big brother Jayden, grandparents Mimi and Pap Reed of Benjamin and Trisha and Matt Scott of Buffalo Gap, uncles Chase and Barkley of Benjamin and great-grandmother NiNi Zehrer of Rochester.

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The applicant proposes to inject fluid into the Strawn, Bateman Trust Est. Act. No. 1, Well Number 83. The proposed injection well is located 7 Miles East of Guthrie in the Bateman Ranch (c-Zone), in King County. Fluid will be injection into strata in the subsurface depth interval from 5202 to 5220 feet.

**LEGAL AUTHORITY:** Chapter 27 of the Texas Water Code, as amended, Title 3 of the Texas Natural Resources Code, as amended, and the Statewide Rules of the Oil and Gas Division of the Railroad Commission of Texas.

Requests for a public hearing on persons who can show they are adversely affected or requests for further information concerning any aspect of the application should be submitted in writing, within fifteen days of publication, to the Environmental Services Section, Oil and Gas Division, Railroad Commission of Texas, Drawer 12967, Capitol Station, Austin, Texas 78711 (Telephone 512/463-6790.) 8-28 1tc 192

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**Tuesday, September 1** - Chicken strips with gravy, mixed salad, mashed potatoes, fried squash, hot rolls, chocolate ice box pie.

**Wednesday, September 2** - Ham and cheese sandwich, lettuce, tomato, pickles, potato salad, cookie and fruit.

**Thursday, September 3** - Fish with tartar sauce, cole slaw, macaroni and cheese, black-eyed peas, sliced bread, fruit cobbler.

**Friday, September 4** - Roast beef with gravy, carrot salad, mashed potatoes, green lima beans, hot rolls, fruit cobbler.

**NEW LISTING** - *Reduced* - Two or three bedroom, two bath, brick with large workshop and storage building.

**THREE BEDROOM**, one bath, living room, den, central heat. Great location in Knox City. Priced to sell.

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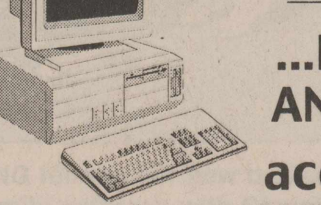
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**THREE OR FOUR** bedroom, two bath, utility, three carport, workshop, fence, steel siding. Very nice, \$39,000. 802 South Central. Shown by appointment only.

**NICE THREE BEDROOM**, large den with fireplace, living room, kitchen, fenced backyard, carport. Priced to sell, \$29,995.00. Need to see inside to appreciate. 1106 South Third Street.

**TWO OR THREE** bedroom, living room, den, 1 1/2 bath, ready for occupancy. Priced to sell. Let us show you this. 107 South Second. - *Reduced* -

**THREE BEDROOM**, two bath, mobile home to be moved. 700 South Fifth.

**TWO BEDROOM**, one bath, *Reduced* - 1010 South Third.

**THREE BEDROOM**, one bath, large living room, kitchen, carport, fenced backyard. Good location. 805 East Main. Great price!

**NEW LISTING** - 903 Aspen, three bedroom, one bath, carport.

**NEW LISTING** - Three or four bedroom, two bath, heating and cooling, cellar, garage, corner lot. 801 East Main.

**NEW LISTING** - 900 South Third. Three bedroom, two bath, large living room, two car garage, heating and cooling. Corner lot.

**GREAT NEW LISTING** - 601 South Eighth. Three bedroom, two bath, two car garage, fireplace in large family room, fenced yard with workshop. Great corner lot. Priced to sell. Call for appointment.

**BUSINESS LOCATION** with additional lot included. 204 Avenue F.  
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**DOWNTOWN OFFICE LOCATION** - Good condition, 118 North Central.  
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A former family practice physician from Tyler, Texas, Dr. Boyd emphasizes wellness and preventive health care. He is an honors graduate of the University of Glasgow, obtaining his M.D. from the University of Toronto.

He has also served as the Medical Director of Research for Ortho Pharmaceuticals in Toronto, as Senior Research Chemist for the Dunlop Research Center in Ontario and as Medical Director for Carrington Laboratories of Irving, Texas.

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 August Scrimmage Schedule

27 Shamrock @Quanah 6:00 p.m.

**September Game Schedule**

4	Motley County	There	8:00 p.m.
11	Bryson	Here	8:00 p.m.
18	Spur	There	8:00 p.m.
25	Roby	Here	8:00 p.m.

**October Game Schedule**

2	Petrolia	Here	8:00 p.m.
*9	Munday	There	7:30 p.m.
*16	Aspermont	Here	7:30 p.m.
*23	Throckmorton	There	7:30 p.m.
*30	Crowell	There	7:30 p.m.

**November Game Schedule**

*6	Paducah	Here	7:30 p.m.
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\* Indicates District Games  
 Head Coach: Lynn Lierly  
 Principal: Mack Lowe  
 Athletic Director: Lynn Lierly

**HOUNDETTTE VOLLEYBALL**  
 September Schedule Of Games

*1	Goree	There	V	6:30 P.M.
*8	Rotan	Here	JV, V	5:00 P.M.
12	Harrold Tournament		JV, V	TBA
*15	Aspermont	There	JV, V	5:00 P.M.
19	Newcastle	Here	JV, V	10:00 A.M.
*22	Benjamin	There	V	6:30 P.M.
26	Dual @ Rotan	There	V	10:00 A.M.
*29	Rochester	Here	JV, V	5:00 P.M.

**October Schedule Of Games**

3	Newcastle	There	JV, V	10:00 A.M.
*6	Goree	Here	V	6:30 P.M.
*13	Rotan	There	JV, V	5:00 P.M.
*20	Aspermont	Here	JV, V	5:00 P.M.
*24	Benjamin	Here	V	TBA
*27	Rochester	There	JV, V	5:00 P.M.

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