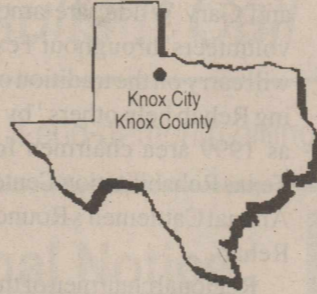


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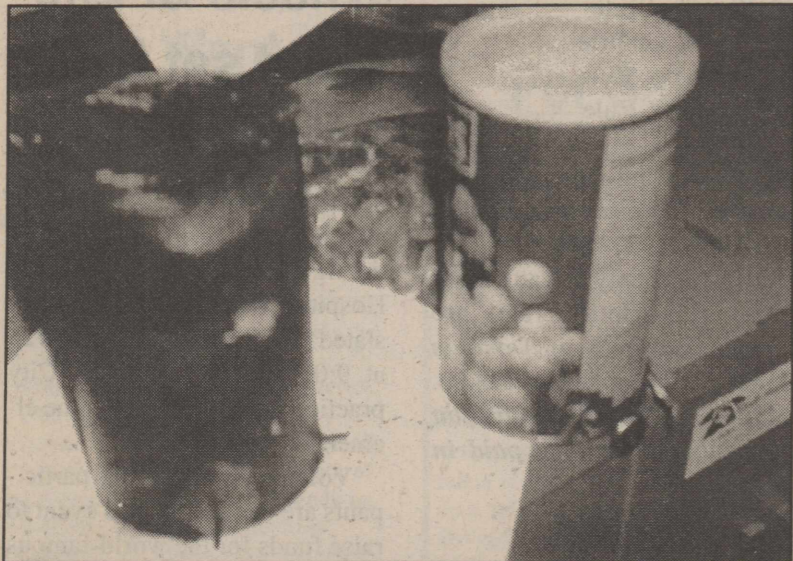
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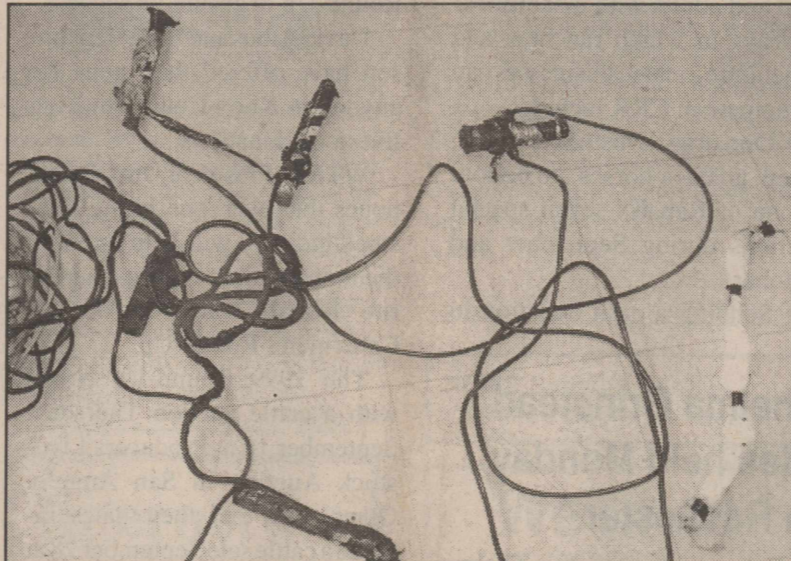
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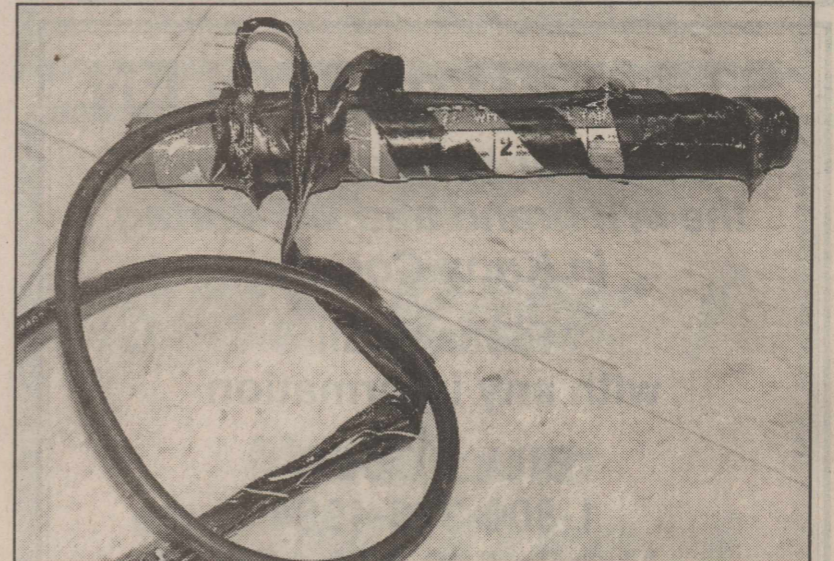
## KC Police find homemade bombs



THESE TWO HOMEMADE BOMBS in cardboard food containers contained gunpowder, packing, shotgun shell buckshot of various sizes. These bombs were designed to cause deadly injury.



THESE HOMEMADE INCENDIARY DEVICES were designed to start fires and injure or kill anyone attempting to move either of two pickup trucks that remained at the scene of last week's house fire.



A CLOSEUP VIEW of one of the homemade incendiary devices shows a roadside type flare rigged with both striker matches and electrical current, both designed to start fires in a pickup truck.

### Homemade bombs and incendiary devices could have killed Knox City Firemen at house fire last week

Last week's deadly house fire in Knox City took another bizarre twist over the weekend as police officers from both the Knox City Police Department and the Abilene Police Department Bomb Squad responded to the same location after resident Wayne Clark reported early Saturday that he had found homemade bombs in two pickup trucks parked in front of the partially burned home.

The fire at 501 North 3rd Street early on the morning of Monday, September 13, started inside a bedroom on the southeast corner of the house. After breaking down a bedroom door that was sealed from the inside with duct tape around all four sides of the door and door frame, firemen found 52 year old Joe Ed Herpache inside the burning room. While still alive, Herpache suffered from multiple gunshot wounds that were apparently self inflicted, along with burns over approximately 65% of his body. Rescued from the burning building and taken to the Emergency Room at the Knox County Hospital, Herpache was later transported by AeroCare helicopter to the Intensive Care Burn Unit at University Medical Center in Lubbock. He lived through the week, but died of his injuries this past Saturday. Herpache lived in the Knox City residence that belonged to his mother, Josephine, and her husband, Wayne Clark.

While the events of last week have weighed heavily on Wayne and his wife, alarming discoveries this past Saturday have added to their burden of grief and shock. Working most of the week to sort through the mess of the fire at his home, Wayne was trying to retrieve some tools on Saturday morning from one of two pickup trucks still parked in front of the house when he discovered a homemade incendiary device rigged up inside the vehicle. After Knox City Police Chief Harry Steen was notified of the deadly discovery, a search of the

vehicle revealed other incendiary devices and a homemade bomb that was made from a cardboard food type of container. After making sure that pickup truck was cleared of the potentially deadly devices, the State Fire Marshal's office was notified.

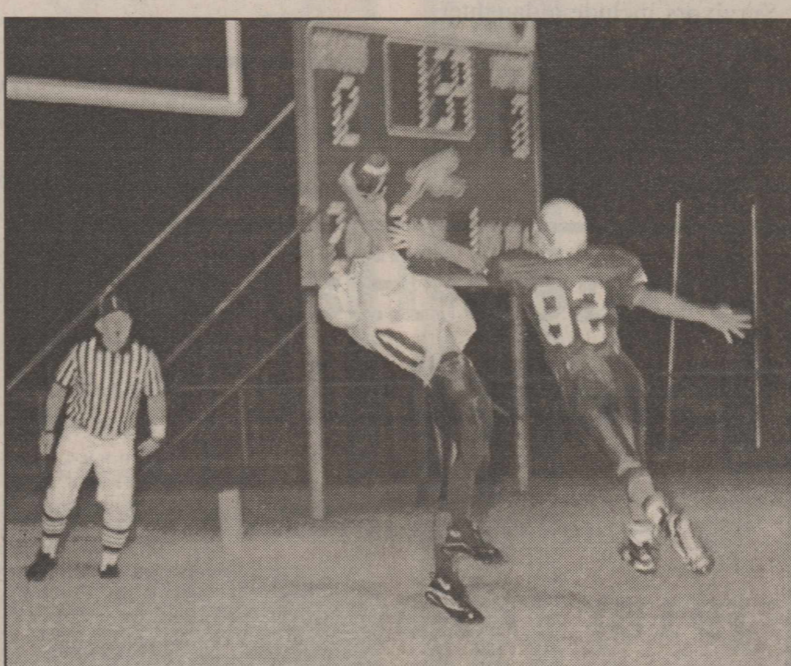
Then on Sunday morning, police received another call from Wayne Clark, reporting that he had found another device in the second pickup truck parked in front of his burned residence. With no doubt that this device was a homemade bomb, Police Chief Harry Steen requested the Bomb Squad from the Abilene Police Department. After responding to Knox City, APD Bomb Squad officers secured the device that was found on Sunday, then took that bomb and the one found earlier on Saturday into their custody for further evaluation.

While the incendiary devices were designed to ignite and cause injury, the bombs were specifically constructed in such a manner as to cause deadly bodily harm to everyone in the immediate vicinity if they had exploded. Built from gunpowder, packing, and various sizes of shotgun shell type buckshot, each of the two devices were packed into cardboard food style cannisters with fuses out the bottom. Had either or both the devices ignited while the truck was on fire during the house fire incident last week, Knox City Volunteer Firemen fighting the fire and other emergency personnel at the scene could have been killed or badly injured. With one of the bombs being inside the pickup truck that was actually on fire in front of the residence, the danger to firemen and emergency personnel was unseen, but dangerously close and very real.

Police Chief Steen has reported the case to the regional office of the Bureau of Alcohol, Tobacco and Firearms in Lubbock for investigation.



GOING THE EXTRA YARD during the varsity game against the Spur Bulldogs last Friday night, Gemile Roberson is shown here gaining some of the 89 yards he picked up on 16 carries.



LEAPING HIGH in an attempt to stop a Spur pass reception for a touchdown, Greyhound Myles Richardson is shown here on a defensive play during the second quarter last Friday night.



KNOCKED UPSIDE DOWN by two Bulldog defenders, Greyhound running back Omard Walton found out that yardage against Spur last Friday night was hard to come by.

## Spur Bulldogs ease past Knox City Greyhounds 19-18 last Friday night

Other teams on our schedule			
Last Week's Scores, Season Records, Statewide Ranking			
	W	L	RANKING
Knox City's Sason Record	1	2	#93
Spur 19, Knox City 18	1	2	#82
Aspermont 21, Roscoe 13	2	1	#7
Paducah 31, Lorenzo 0	1	2	#13
Quanah 14, Munday 0	0	3	#18
Olney 54, Throckmorton 0	0	3	#91
Turkey Valley 37, Crowell 0	0	3	#125
Archer City 36, Petrolia 16	2	1	#99
Bronte 41, Roby 6	1	2	#70
Bryson 41, Rising Star 0	2	1	#81
Ropes 25, Motley County 13	0	3	#108

**This week's games:** Knox City at Roby, Haskell at Aspermont, Happy at Paducah, Hawley at Munday, Baird at Throckmorton, Crowell at Electra, Petrolia at St. Jo., Santa Anna at Bryson, O'Donnel at Motley County.

In another game plagued by penalties and costly mistakes for the Greyhounds, the Bulldogs from Spur managed to squeeze a 19-18 victory out of Knox City's Homecoming celebrations at Greyhound Stadium last Friday night.

The Greyhounds did manage to improve on their performance at Bryson the week before, striking first and jumping out to a 2 touchdown lead over the Bulldogs. On both first half touchdowns, the 'Hounds could not pick up their point after attempts. Either or both of those two points could have meant the difference in the final outcome of the ball game.

Going into the locker room at the half, Knox City was ahead on the scoreboard, 12-7. Spur came back with another touchdown in the third quarter to take a 13-12 lead. That lead did not last long before Greyhound quarterback Nefro Gonzales found receiver Myles Richardson in the end zone for a 12 yard touchdown reception, moving the score to 18-13 in favor of Knox City. But once again, Knox City's conversion attempt after the touchdown failed. Shortly after that, Spur scored once again on an 83 yard run to move the score to 19-18. That

score remained in the lights on the scoreboard until the final buzzer sounded, despite a last minute drive attempted by the Greyhounds late in the game.

The Greyhound Varsity team will travel to Roby this Friday night, game time is set for 8:00 p.m. In a schedule change for the Junior Varsity team, they will play Anson this Thursday evening at 6:30 p.m. at O'Brien instead of the scheduled game with Roby. The O'Brien Bulldogs will play the Roby Jr. High team at O'Brien, game time is 5:00 p.m.



ONE PLAY, FOUR OFFICIALS, THREE FLAGS.....this photo seems to sum up the problem of penalties that the Greyhounds have faced during their first three games of the 1999 season.

**COMING SOON !!**  
**The Santa Rosa Catholic Church**  
 is hosting a  
**'JAMAICA' (Mexican Festival)**  
**SUNDAY, OCTOBER 3**

We'll be serving a Mexican dinner beginning at 11:30 a.m. There will be lots of fun to be had by all family members including food booths, raffle tickets, face painting, a karaoke with DJ music. *More details next week.*

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*Father Kevin Fagan - Deacon Julian Estrada*  
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**FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH - Benjamin**  
*John Gillispie, Pastor*

Sunday School at 10:00 a.m., Sunday Morning at 11:00 a.m.  
 Sunday Evening at 6:00 p.m.

**FIRST UNITED METHODIST CHURCH - Benjamin**  
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*Ross Anderson, Pastor*

Sunday School at 10:00 a.m. ~ Sunday Morning Worship at 11:00 a.m.  
 Sunday Evening Worship at 7:00 p.m. ~ Mid Week, Wed. at 7:00 p.m.

**CHURCH OF CHRIST - Benjamin**

Sunday School at 9:45 A.M. ~ Sunday Morning Worship at 10:45 a.m.

**THE BELIEVERS' CHAPEL - Highway 222**  
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**WTRC's 40th Cattlemen's  
 roundup about to begin**

Knox County's David Albus, Stanton Brown, Larry Thompson and Gary Wilde, are among 150 volunteers throughout Texas who will carry on the tradition of "helping Rehab help others" by serving as 1999 area chairmen for West Texas Rehabilitation Center's 40th Annual Cattlemen's Round-Up for Rehab.

Regional chairmen of this year's program are Mike Alexander of Abilene and Carter Behrens of San Angelo and honorary chairman is Rex Allen.

Since 1960, Round-Up has provided friends in the agricultural industry an opportunity to lend their support to WTRC and to date has brought in over \$8,050,000 to Rehab which annually serves more than 17,000 children and adults with disabilities.

Ways in which ranchers and agriculture-related businesses can participate in CRR include:

- Donating livestock - cattle, sheep, goats or horses - to be sold at one of Rehab's seven special auctions during September and October.
- Sending a cash donation to

**Thelma Grinstead  
 rites held Monday  
 in Rochester**

Funeral services for Thelma Ann Grinstead of Rochester were held Monday afternoon, September 20, at two o'clock in the First Baptist Church in Rochester. The Rev. Bud Adkins officiated and burial was in the Rochester Cemetery with Smith Funeral Home in charge of arrangements.

Mrs. Grinstead, 86, died Saturday, September 18, at noon at a Rochester care facility following a lengthy illness.

Born January 3, 1913, in Haskell County, her parents were the late W.M. and Lillian Twiner. She attended Rochester schools and married Ira Grinstead on July 27, 1933. He preceded her in death on February 29, 1976. She was a farmer and a homemaker.

Mrs. Grinstead was a former member of the Rochester City Council and was a member of the First Baptist Church in Rochester.

Survivors include a daughter, Sandra Fry of Rochester; two sisters, Catherine Adkins of Lake Stamford and Betty Hearn of Rochester; two granddaughters; and two great-grandchildren.

Rehab if this is not a good time of year to cut out livestock for an auction.

• Attending one of the special sales and joining the bidding on livestock or novelty items.

• Notifying a CRR chairman right now of an intent to have the donor's auction house cut a check to Rehab for the proceeds of one or more animals to be sold later in the year.

This year's CRR program has already received a significant boost from four great friends of Rehab. Twin Mountain Fence Company has joined Wrangler, Federal Land Bank Association and First Texas Ag Credit as Round-Up sponsors. Together these businesses have contributed a total of \$2,000 to the 1999 Round-Up to ensure its success.

David Albus and Larry Thompson have offered their pens for anyone in Knox County making livestock donations.

WTRC President Jim Pethis hopes that everyone in the livestock industry will help build on the momentum by being a part of the Rehab tradition of the Cattlemen's Round-Up.

The 1999 Round-Up began with a cattle auction Thursday, September 16 at Producers Livestock Auction in San Angelo. Other sales and their dates include a cattle sale September 28 at Abilene Auction; and specialty sales October 6, Coleman; October 8, Dublin; October 13, Stephenville; and October 28, Ranger. A special sale for sheep and goats is scheduled for October 25 at the Junction Stockyards.

For more information about this important Rehab fundraising program, contact the local CRR volunteers or WTRC at 915-793-3512 in Abilene or 915-223-6300 in San Angelo.

**American Cancer  
 Society Donations**

Donations have been made to the American Cancer Society in memory of:

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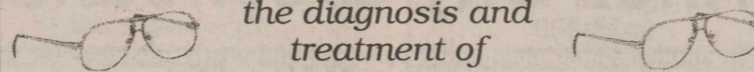
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**Wheels-of-Life  
 event set for  
 Saturday at 9**

Carolyn Brockett is calling on all Knox City residents to join in the St. Jude Children's Research Hospital 'Wheels for Life' event slated for Saturday, September 25 at 9:00 a.m. at the Knox City practice field, across from the elementary school.

Volunteer workers and participants are needed for this event to raise funds for the world-famous research center in its battle against childhood cancer and other catastrophic childhood diseases.

"We're looking for participants and helpers who will contribute their time and talent to help children live. We really needs lots of participants, since they are the ones who can make this event successful," Mrs. Brockett said.

In the 'Wheels for Life' event, participants ask sponsors to make a donation based on each mile completed. All participants turning in money will receive a certificate. Those who raise \$35 or more will receive a certificate and a special St. Jude t-shirt. When \$75 or more is raised, the participant receives a sports bag in addition to the certificate and t-shirt. The single rider raising the most money over \$100 will receive a duel cassette jambox. "The real prize, though, is the pride everyone can take in giving children a chance to live a normal life," Mrs. Brockett said.

Contact her at 658-3077 for details on participating, sponsoring or helping during the event.

St. Jude Hospital was founded by Danny Thomas and operates primarily from public support.

**Hospital Auxiliary  
 Memorials**

Memorial donations have been made to the Knox County Hospital Auxiliary Pink Ladies by Leon and Karson Bivens, Maretha Patterson, Sharon Johnson, Zoy Risinger and Allen and Peggy McGaughy.

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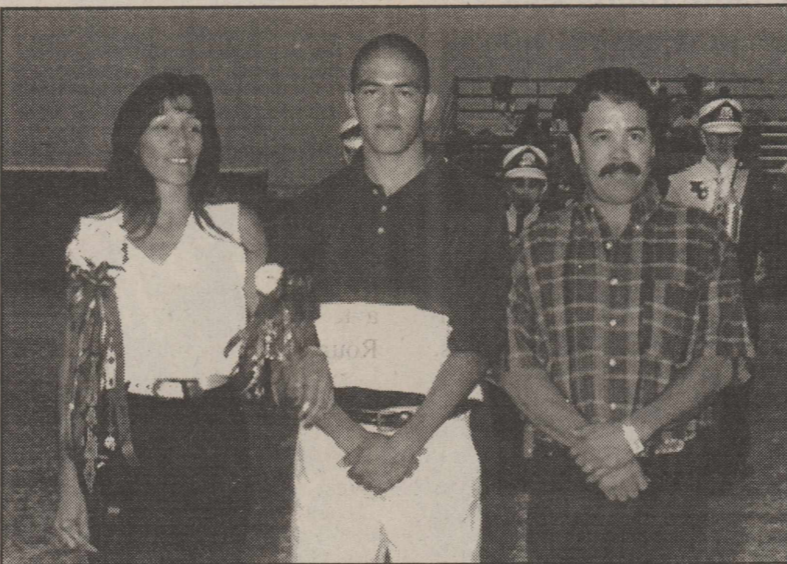
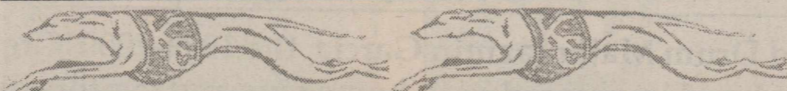


**FOOTBALL SWEETHEART**  
Jennifer Vacek with her mother, Janice; and brother, Will



**BAND SWEETHEART**  
Jazmin Garcia with her mother, Aurelia; and father, Jesse

## Knox City High School proudly presented its 1999 Royalty during last Friday nights' pre-game Homecoming Ceremonies



**BAND BEAU**  
Chris Garcia with his mother, Joyce; and father, Domingo



**FOOTBALL HERO**  
Aaron Sanchez with his mother, Eulalia



**MISS FIRELIGHTER**  
Audrey Lankford with her father, David; and mother, Irene

## Tuesday rites held for Rev. Jack Maddox, 71

Funeral services for the Rev. Jack Maddox, 71, of Knox City were held Tuesday morning, September 21, at ten o'clock in the First Baptist Church in Knox City.

The Rev. Cyle Clayton, Rev. Carl Shroyer and Rev. Ross Anderson officiated. Burial was in the Gillespie Cemetery with Smith Funeral Home in charge of arrangements.

Mr. Maddox died Friday morning, September 17, at his daughter's residence in Trent following a brief illness.

Born March 15, 1928, in Mountain View, Oklahoma. He attended schools in Oklahoma. He graduated from Southwestern Baptist Seminary in Fort Worth and served most of his life in the ministry.

He pastored churches of First Baptist, Bagwell; Gillespie Baptist; Peacock Baptist; Vera Baptist; Woodrow Baptist, Lubbock; Calvary Baptist, Floydada; Roosevelt Baptist, Roosevelt, Utah; Green Acres Baptist, Maryville, Indiana; Prairie View Baptist, Anson; First Baptist, Nimrod; Countryside Baptist, Stith; First Christian, Knox City; and First Christian, Benjamin.

He also served as manager of the Plains Baptist Assembly Baptist Camp.

He and his wife, the former JoAnn Tackitt, moved back to Knox County in 1980.

Jack was the only male member of the Knox County Hospital Auxiliary's 'Pink Ladies' assisting the ladies with needed labor.

He was also a member of the Knox City Volunteer Fire Department for 11 years. Jack served in the United States Navy during World War II and was a member of the Gillespie Baptist Church.

Survivors include his wife, JoAnn of the home; a daughter, Jackie Shroyer of Trent; a son, James Maddox of Lubbock; four brothers, Eugene Maddox of San Diego, California; Bill Maddox of Blackwell, Oklahoma; L.D. Maddox of Kilgore and Wayne Maddox of Tulsa, Oklahoma; and two grandchildren.

Pallbearers were Steve Pepper, W.O. Smith, Vergil Ichertz, Paul Chambers, Richard White, Seqouyah Reynolds, Rob Harrison, Don Hawkins and Roger Rosencranz.

Honorary pallbearers were Benny Vasquez, James Patterson, Orville Dear, Max Bradley, Dusty Bradley, Charlie Clarke, Danny Lain, Dennis Duke and Tommy Richardson.

## 'Christ for All Seasons' theme for ladies gathering October 9

The Knox City Ministerial Alliance will be sponsoring a day with God for ladies of the area with "Christ For All Seasons".

This special day is planned for Saturday, October 9, in the W.R. Baker Auditorium on the Knox City school campus beginning at 9:00 a.m.

Organizers invite ladies to "come and enjoy good Southern gospel singing combined with a healthy balance of contemporary praise and worship music."

Topics and speakers for the day are Mary Kay McCauley, FUMC, Lubbock, "When It's Just Me and God" - Christ and the single woman; Judy Underwood, Christian Center, Throckmorton, "When Things Go Crazy" - Christ, kids and career; Lou Landes, Baptist, Abilene, "When the House Gets Quiet" - Christ after the kids

are gone; and Fran Westbrook, Foursquare, Cedar Hill, "When Things Go Crazy Again" - Christ and raising your parents and grandchildren.

Testimonies during the speakers will be given by Stephanie Pepper of Bowie and Vicki Clemmer of Abilene.

Music will be directed by Taimi Wendeborn and a group of Godly women from Stamford.

Christian men of Knox City will provide the noon meal. No pre-registration is required; however, those attending are asked to RSVP to provide a meal for those in attendance by calling 658-3458 by October 1.

A free-will offering will be accepted to help offset expenses.

Concessions during breaks will be provided by the Christian youth of Knox City.

### Retired school personnel to meet Tuesday, Sept. 28

The Knox County Retired School Personnel will hold its first meeting for the 1999-2000 year on Tuesday, September 28, at 2:30 p.m. in the Knox County Aging Center.

Penny Winchester-Kyzer will present the program on "Life After Retirement".

New officers for the year are President - Billie R. Walker, First Vice-President - Ramona Helms, Secretary - Margaret Hill and Treasurer - Nell Sloan.

Hostesses will be Cleo Collins, Frances King and Lillian Logan.

### WOJCIKS VISITING HERE

Mr. and Mrs. F. Stanley Wojcik of West Palm Beach, Florida, are here visiting their sons, Stan and wife Donna; and Jimmy.

Mr. and Mrs. Wojcik were visiting in San Francisco for a week avoiding Hurricane Floyd and will visit in Knox City this week before returning home.

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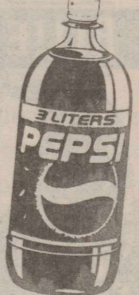
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*We would like to thank everyone for their phone calls, cards, food, flowers, visits and the many other acts of kindness expressed to our family upon the loss of our loved one,*

*Edgar James Jones  
September 9, 1999*

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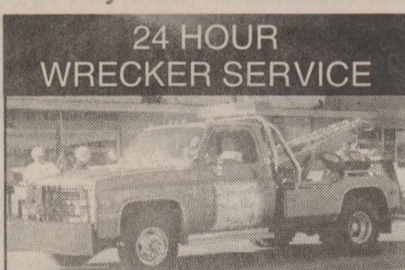
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### Benjamin news

By Gladene Green, Benjamin Correspondent

What about this cool weather? Isn't it great! As I have said before - this is my favorite time of the year. But we do know cold weather can't be far away - still we can enjoy this for a few weeks.

Varied reports this week on the ill of our community.

Butch McCanlies, Tom Moorhouse, Ruth Idol and Corrine Parrish are all improving. Ruth is back in the Munday care home after several days in the Knox County Hospital. Corrine was able to come home Friday after over a week in Hendrick in Abilene. She's doing well but will have to take it very easy for quite some time.

Butch and Tom are also home and doing better day by day. Tom, after suffering a broken leg will have several weeks of recuperation. Butch is out and about some after a stay, also in an Abilene hospital.

Imagean Young underwent some surgery today (Monday) in Bethania in Wichita Falls. She's doing great and maybe an overnite

stay is all that will be required. She will have to be away from her office as JP, Precinct 2, for several weeks tho.

Ruth Ressel is a patient in the Knox County Hospital. She was admitted Sunday and maybe her stay there will be a short one. Please continue to pray for all these friends.

Sympathy Extended - I send my sincere sympathy to the family of Jack Maddox, who passed away on Friday. Also to Jerry and Linda Parker and family. Jerry's brother passed away last week. His funeral was Saturday. He resided in Woodson.

Ball News - It was victory once again last Tuesday when the Lady Stangs hosted the Rotan team. The local team had very little trouble in taking the first two games in only a few minutes. The Lady Stangs remain undefeated for the season.

Here 'N There - Sharon Johnson was in Lubbock during the weekend.

The school kids took advan-

tage of "school day" at the West Texas Fair in Abilene Wednesday. All I've heard say anything about is said it was good and that they all had a good time.

Recent guests of her parents, Jack and Judie Whitten was Christi Ross and little daughter Kate of Mill Creek, Oklahoma.

Reba Morrill of Humble is here for a few days visit with her mom, Odessa Cox and her father-in-law, Don Morrill and with friends.

Joy and Charles Jones attended the fair in Abilene Friday.

Saturday guests of his parents, Gary and JoAnn Hamilton was Jeremy Hamilton and his fiance, Barbara Ahearn of Sweetwater.

Brenda Larned and Julie spent the weekend with her parents in Wellington.

Jeff Conner and children, Cheyenne and Cayden of Lubbock spent the weekend with his mom, Judy.

Pete Feemster of Amarillo visited Corrine and George Parrish on Monday.

Joy Yancey of Lakeside City

visited her sister, Jane Gideon Sunday and also her brother, Joe Nunley in the Brazos Valley Care Home.

Bobby Hudson and Jonnie Williams attended the funeral of her cousin, Mary Lou Jackson Avery in Pueblo, Colorado, on Saturday. Mary Lou was the daughter of Jess and Effie Jackson and lived and went to school here in her younger days. Bobby and Jonnie also visited Aldine Ward while in Pueblo and reported her to be doing well.

### Betty Clarke rites held in Midland

Betty Clarke of Midland died Tuesday, September 14, in a Midland hospital.

She was born June 19, 1924, in Storm Lake, Iowa to William Johnson and Dorothy Schutz Johnson. She was reared in Worthington, Minnesota. She moved to Seattle, Washington, in 1942.

She married David Clarke of Knox City on February 3, 1945, in Oakland, California. They moved to Hobbs, New Mexico, and then to Beaumont, Texas, for two years. They later moved to Midland and then returned to Hobbs before returning to Midland in 1980. Mrs. Clarke was a member of Ranchland Hills Ladies Golf Association. Golf and sports were her life.

Graveside rites were held Thursday, September 16, at 11:00 a.m. at Resthaven Memorial Park with Ronnie White, pastor of Golf Course Road Church of Christ, officiating.

She is survived by her husband of Midland; a niece; a great-niece and a great-nephew.

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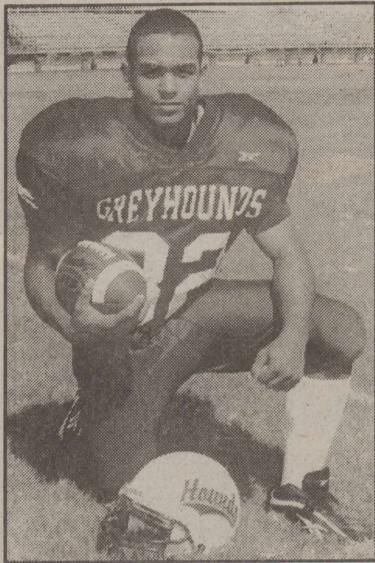
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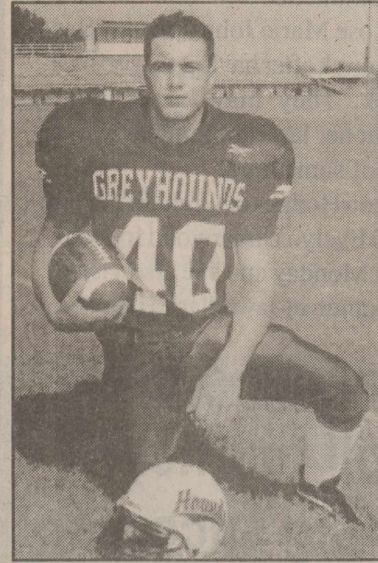


**Greyhound Players of the Week**  
 by KCHS Athletic Director Lynn Lierly



**Offense Player of the Week**

**Gemile Roberson**  
*"Gemile had a good game with 89 yards on 16 carries. He blocks well and had positive yards after contact."*



**Defense Player of the Week**

**Justin Vasquez**  
*"Justin showed good technique throughout the game, making seven tackles, recovering a fumble and keeping pressure on the ball."*

**Hospital district planning Y-4H, the year for wellness**

*Health Fair to be October 9*

There seems to be quite a concern over being prepared for Y-2K as the year 2000 approaches. Not for the staff and employees of the Knox County Hospital District. Not only are they Y-2K ready, they are Y-4H ready. No your eyes are not playing tricks on you, they are serious about the Y-4H (Year for Health). Y-4H is the theme for the 1999 annual Health Fair to be held Saturday, October 9, on the front lawn of the hospital from 9:30 a.m. until noon.

Among the features this year will be free blood pressure checks, free cholesterol screening, free glucose levels, free child finger printing, blood drive, free tee shirts to be given away in drawings and memberships for wellness program, along with many other extras.

The Hospital Auxiliary, aka 'Pink Ladies' will provide refreshments and register everyone for the drawings to be given away. As in prior years, flu shots for \$5.00 payable at time of service for all non-Medicare patients, will be offered. Medicare patients need to bring their Medicare card.

First Flight air ambulance will be landing on the new hospital Helipad. Again this year, the bone density scan testing will be performed at no charge to the patient. The purpose of this test is early detection of possible bone loss and osteoporosis. The test is completely painless and is conducted on adults over the age of 30 and results are tabulated instantly.

As well as the above mentioned, there will be healthcare providers from all around the community and county.

The two newest additions to

this year's Health Fair will be the American Red Cross Disaster Relief Team and the American Red Cross Bloodmobile. There will be a blood drive in the American Red Cross Bus in front of the hospital. Blood supplies are at an all time critical low and they are pleading for donors. Remember when deciding whether to donate or not, the blood donated could possibly be used to save your child, grandchild, wife, husband or yourself in a crisis.

'Year for Health' (Y-4H) is the perfect time to sign up for "Wellness". The hospital's Wellness Center is always a climate controlled atmosphere with the latest in treadmills, exercise bicycles, rowing machines, stair steppers as well as a complete set of weights. What a better time to lose weight, get in shape, control stress and stay healthy than with exercise?

During this year's Health Fair, persons attending will be able to take advantage of signing up at a tremendous savings.

Enrollment fees for paid memberships during the Health Fair are as follows: one month - \$15.00 (regular \$20.00); two month - \$28.00 (regular \$35.00); three month - \$40.00 (regular \$50.00); six month - \$75.00 (regular \$90.00).

Mark your calendar today and plan to attend Y-4H on October 9. Lots of quality fun for the entire family. In the event of inclement weather, the health fair will be set up inside the hospital.

Come rain or shine, it's Y-4H time.

For more information, contact Teresa Murray at (940) 658-3535.

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**ISSUE UPDATE**

with **Mac Thornberry**

**Congress Hopefully Nearing Agreement on Bill to Give People More Rights in Dealing with HMOs**

It been six years since the Clinton Administration tried to impose a massive, government-run health care system on our country.

A lot has changed since that time. One of the biggest changes has been in the number of people who now get their health care through an HMO.

As of 1997, over 160 million Americans were in some kind of managed care plan. With that figure rising each day, some are concerned about making sure that medical decisions are made by patients and doctors according to what's in the best interest of the patient.

I'm not about to support any plan that imposes a socialized medicine bureaucracy on America. But I do believe that a bill may be

needed to protect the rights of patients in managed care plans.

Among other things, such a bill should give people the right to choose their own doctor and hold their HMO accountable for the decisions it makes. Such a bill must also take into account the important fact that health insurance is already expensive, and that adding more mandates which increase the cost makes it harder for people to afford coverage.

A number of bills have been introduced in Congress attempting to strike the right balance. While none of these bills are perfect, I hope an agreement on the issue will be reached, and a patient protection plan that is both responsible and truly makes a difference will be passed and signed into law.

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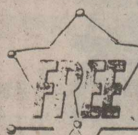
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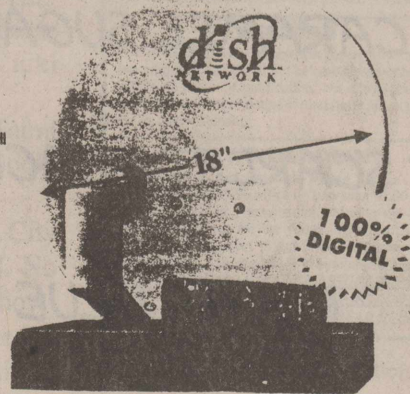
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**Fall TAAS exit tests are slated October 26, 27, 28**

The fall administration of the exit level TAAS and TEAMS test will be conducted at 8:30 a.m. in the Benjamin and Knox City High Schools on the following dates:  
 October 26 - Writing (TAAS only)  
 October 27 - Mathematics  
 October 28 - Reading  
 Students currently enrolled in the 11th or 12th are eligible to take any section of the exit level test that they have not yet mastered. In addition, individuals who are out of school may test at the fall administration.

Individuals who are no longer enrolled in a Texas public school and who wish to register to retake the TAAS test and all individuals who wish to take the TEAMS test, may pick up a registration packet at the high school principal's office in the Benjamin or Knox City high school. The test registration form must be completed and returned in the pre-addressed envelope and must be received in Iowa City, Iowa, no later than 5:00 p.m., September 24, 1999.

The Texas Education Agency and National Computer Systems will not be responsible for registration forms that are delayed or lost in the mail. To ensure that individuals are registered, forms should be sent by either registered mail or certified mail. Questions concerning the fall exit level test should be directed to the Texas Education Agency, Student Assessment Division, (512) 463-9536.

## O'Brien happenings

By Audie Johnston, O'Brien Correspondent

"Current Comments - 'I used to be up the creek without a paddle. Now I'm down the information highway without a modem.' When you find yourself convinced that the world is moving too fast, find a bank or supermarket line. 'Nowadays some people expect the door of opportunity to be opened with a remote control.'"

Here and There - Beatrice Ellis spent the weekend in Ozona with her daughter Sandra Childress and husband Pleas and family.

Sue, Bennett and Marilyn Talbot were in Lubbock last Friday to

visit with Sue's daughter Stefani Stephens, who is a student at Texas Tech.

Reed Underwood, student at Texas Tech in Lubbock, spent the weekend with his parents, C.H. and Linda Underwood.

Jerry Hodges of Graham and Taylor Hodges of Spur visited with their mom, Clara Hanson.

Bernice Rowan was in Haskell Saturday to visit with her daughter Debbie Burson and husband Trey.

Delbert and Norma Hayes were in Midland Sunday to attend the

funeral for a loved one.

Loretta Hewitt's mom Edna Davis of Snyder spent several days with Loretta and Coy last week. Coy and Loretta are still making lots of trips to Abilene for doctor's appointments.

Rose Marie Johnston is still in Hendrick after having surgery last week. They may know today about her last problem that was a test of some kind.

Lou Hodges of Graham visited with Evelyn Underwood for a chat Monday and she also visited her other-in-law Clara Hanson.

## King County Fair set Oct. 8 & 9

The 17th Annual King County Fair is scheduled for October 8 and 9 at the Arb Piper Community Center Complex in Guthrie, according to Gary Antilly and Beth

Whitener, King County Extension Agents.

The Fair is open to neighboring ten counties including King, Childress, Cottle, Dickens, Foard, Hall, Haskell, Kent, Knox, Motley and Stonewall Counties.

## Former Haskell Co. resident dies in Azle

Clarence William (Bill) Smith, 79, of Azle, former Haskell County resident, died at his residence Wednesday morning, September 15, following a lengthy illness.

Chapel services were held at Smith Funeral Home in Knox City on Thursday, September 16, at 1:00 p.m. with the Rev. Randolph Wilson officiating. Burial was in the Rochester Cemetery with Smith Funeral Home in charge of arrangements.

He was born March 19, 1920, in Weatherford, his parents were the late William Essery and Willie Mae Smith. He was a retired City of Fort Worth police officer. He served in the United States Navy during World War II. He was a Baptist. He was preceded in death by nine brothers and two sisters.

Survivors include three daughters, Teresa Williams of Azle, Karen Drew of Azle and Cyndy Darter of Newark; two sisters, Belle McBroom of Wichita Falls and Eula Lee Nave of Fort Worth; six grandchildren and a great-grandchild.

All 4-H and FFA members in these respective counties are eligible to exhibit animals in the Livestock Division. The Project Show has youth age divisions, adult and commercial divisions.

Schedule of events - October 4 - Livestock Entries due in the King County Extension Office; October 8 - Livestock may arrive at barn, Project entries may be checked in from 4:00 - 6:00 p.m.; October 9 - 7:00-9:00 a.m. - Weighing of Meat Goats and Lambs, 7:30-9:00 a.m. - Check in Project Entries at the Community Center; 8:00 a.m. - All Animals Must Be In Barn; 9:30 - Noon - Judging of Project Show; 10:00 a.m. - Judging Meat Goats followed by Lambs; Noon - Lunch and concession available; 1:30 P.M. - Judging of Heifers followed by Steers.

Livestock entries can be obtained from local county agents or ag advisors.

For further information, call the King County Extension Office in Guthrie at (806) 596-4451 or by fax at (806) 596-4426.

## Cancer society golf tourney is big success

The Knox Unit of the American Cancer Society hosted a golf benefit at the Knox City Country Club on Saturday, September 18.

The three person scramble was a big success with 14 teams entered.

Winning first in the championship flight was the team of Gaylon Albus, Todd Austin and Gary Crawford, second place went to Bill and Betsy Allen and Larry Wadzeck.

In the first flight, the team of David Neal, Nathan Neal and Wes Crawford came out on top and second place went to Mat Verhalen, Charles Pack and Betty Starnes.

At the end of the tournament, a meal was held and the drawing of a handmade quilt was held with Arleda Decker as the winner.

The tournament, along with sponsorships and the raffle tickets, netted a profit of \$1,332.00 for the American Cancer Society.

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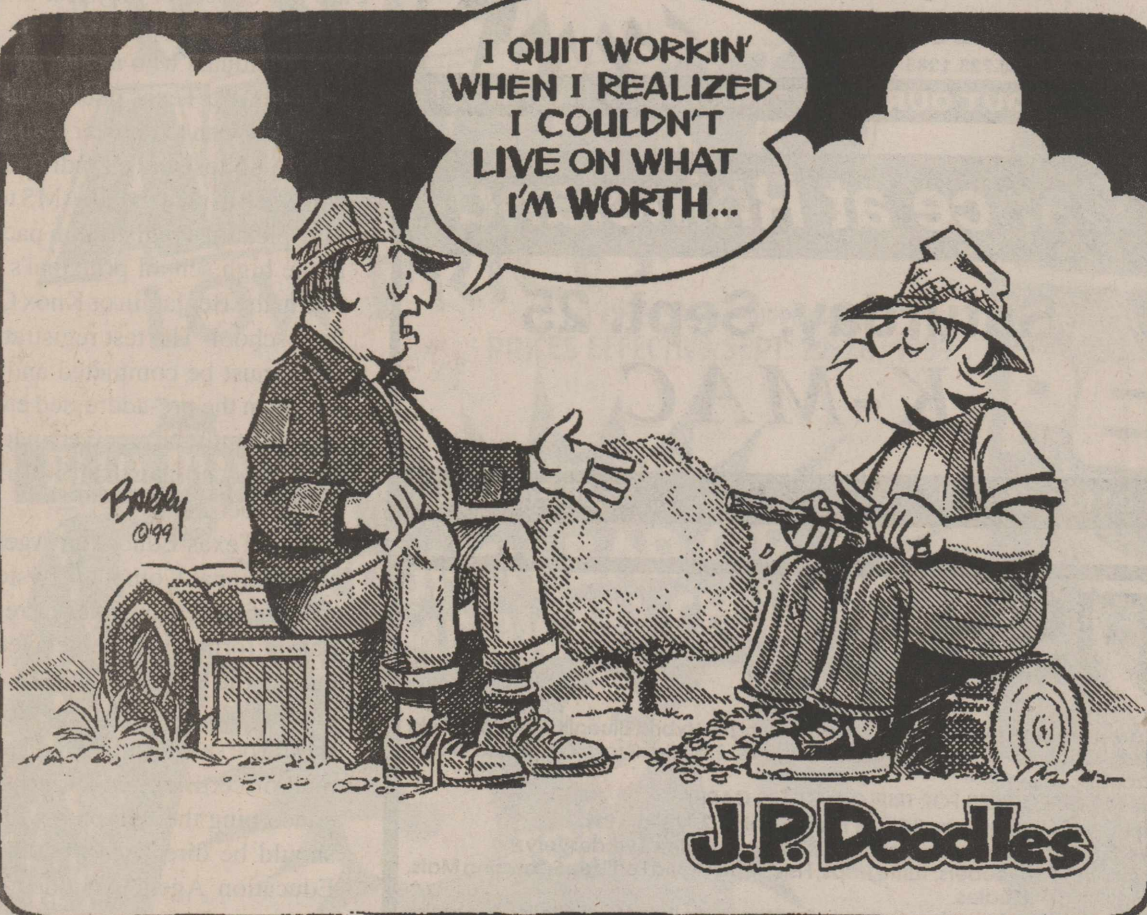
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Opening Date: September 15, 1999  
Closing Date: September 29, 1999  
Area Consideration: Open to all qualified applicants

Position Title: Program Technician (PT)  
Grade: CO-3 or CO-4 - depending on experience and qualifications  
Location: Knox County FSA Service Center, Knox City, Texas

Job hours and length of appointment: 40 hours per week (Mon.-Fri.) Length of appointment - unknown - depends on availability of funds and workload.

Description of Duties: General office work - typing, filing and computer. Assist with program work relating to the farm program, conservation, CRP, payment eligibility and delivery of information to the public at the counter.

General Qualifications: All candidates must be U.S. citizens, high school graduates or equivalent, and be at least 18 years of age or 17 years of age for high school graduates.

- Must be able to communicate orally and in writing.
- Must be able to deal with the public in a courteous and efficient manner.
- Must be able to type.
- Computer experience helpful.
- Farming/ranching experience/knowledge helpful.

Your application (FSA-675) must indicate your education, experience, skills and abilities as related to the performance of the job.

To Apply: Interested applicants must submit an FSA-675 (Application for FSA County Employment) to:  
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Phone: 940-658-3537  
Attention: John Rector  
Knox County FSA Service Center is located at 1101 E. Main in Knox City, Texas.

Application forms (FSA-675) may be obtained from any FSA Office. FAX applications are not acceptable.

Applications will be received and the most qualified applicants will be notified for an interview after the close of the application period.

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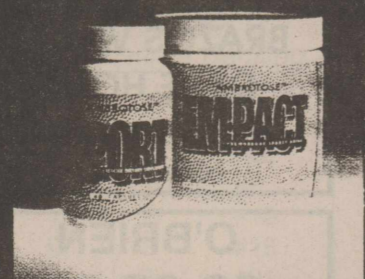
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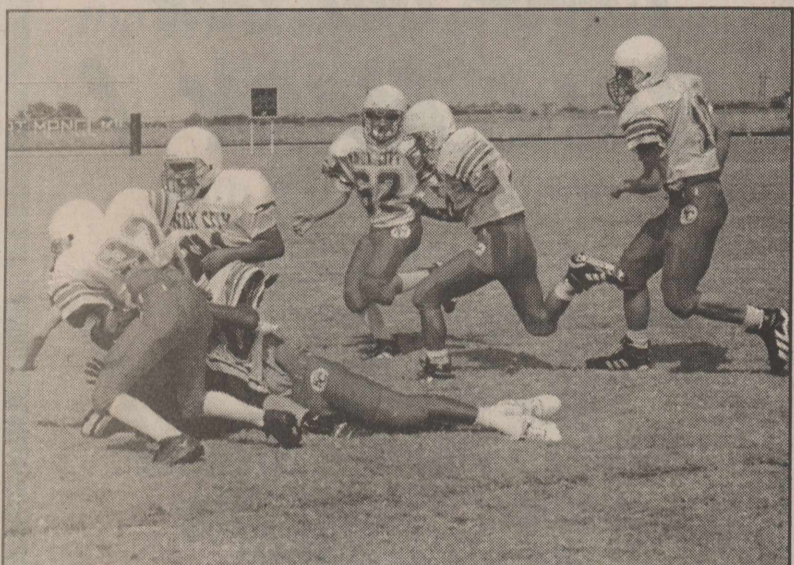
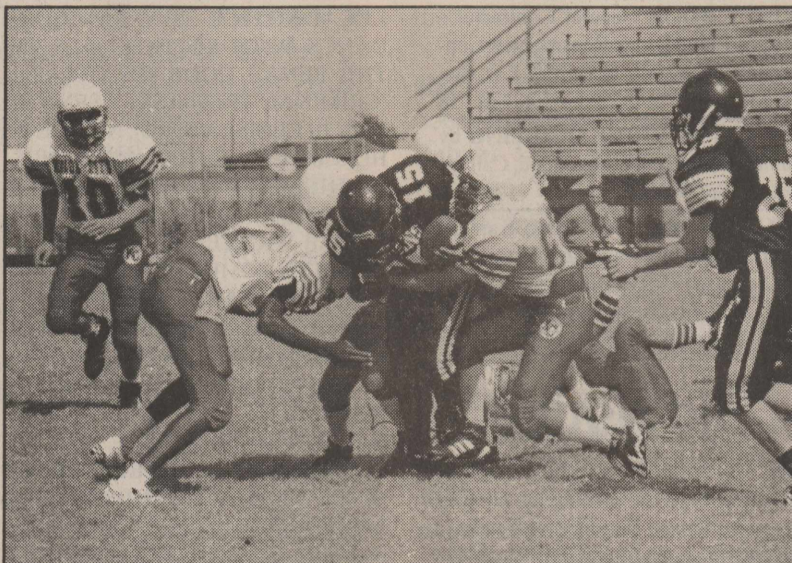
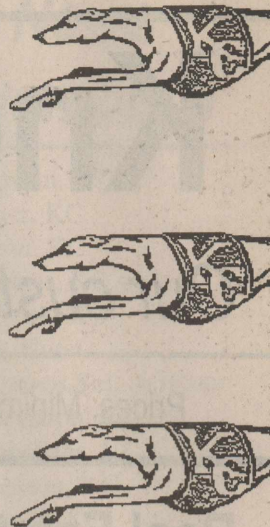
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