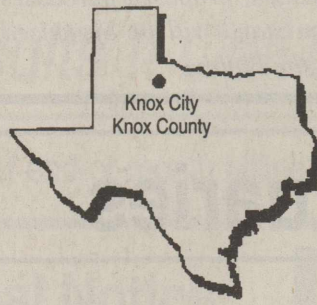


Houndette volleyball will host ACHS and Woodson in 'dual' here on Saturday

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Greyhounds scalp Crosbyton Chieftains

Season's first scrimmage unveils hard hitting, well conditioned 'Hounds

'01 Hounds show new, stronger look

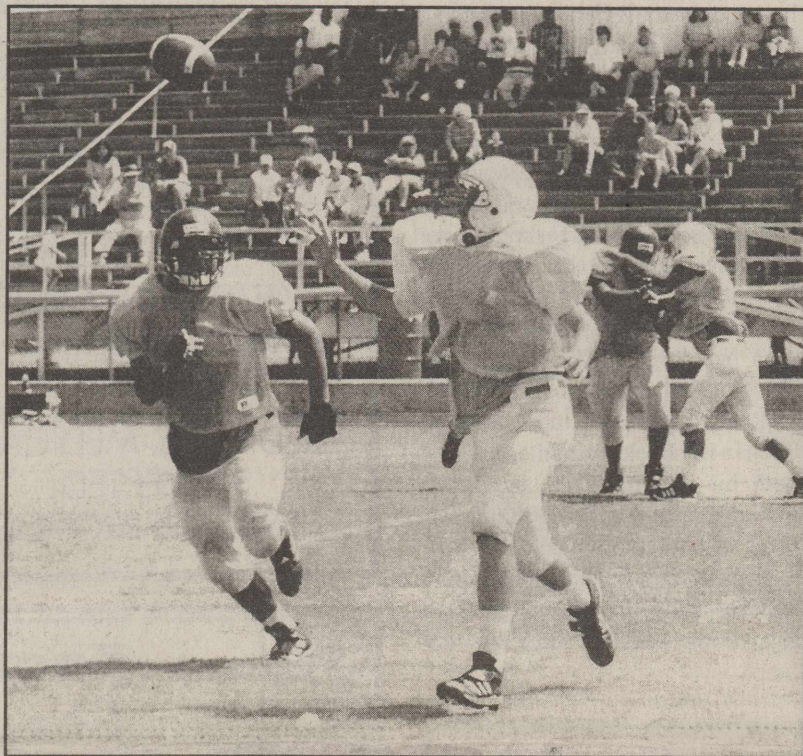
By Dave Thompson

When the Crosbyton Chieftains entered their home field last Saturday morning for the season's first scrimmage, a murmur was heard coming from the visiting Knox City fans as they began to comment on "how big" the Chieftains appeared to be. The early notion of 'physical size must mean a better team' was quickly dispelled when the 2001 edition of the Knox City Greyhounds began their new and exciting style of football at Chieftain stadium.

Totally dominating the scrimmage on both offense and defense, the Greyhounds proved to be a fast, hard hitting, aggressive football team. This new and improved Greyhound look included a lot of interceptions and fumble recoveries on defense, as well as multiple touchdowns from both running and passing plays.

The Chieftains appeared to be stunned from the opening play of scrimmage as the 'Hounds quickly jumped out front by scoring early and often. While scrimmages are traditionally held as a chance for players to get used to new plays and for coaches to have an opportunity to evaluate both strategy and players, the scrimmage at Crosbyton this past Saturday seemed to take on a different meaning as the Greyhounds appeared to be on a mission to prove they will be a force to be reckoned with this season.

From my position taking pictures on the sideline, I'd say the 'Hounds proved their point!



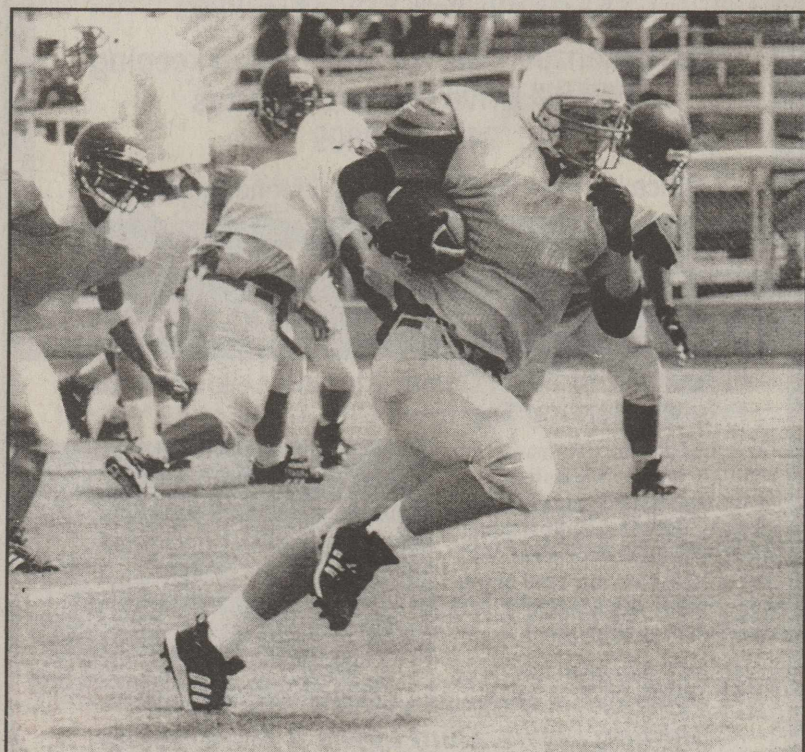
COMPLETING A PASS for the Hounds is junior Brad Johnson.



COMPLETED CATCH AND run is made by junior Kendrick Green.



MAKING A GOOD showing Saturday was freshman Riley Spells.



BREAKING THROUGH FOR yardage is junior Scooter Thompson.

Hounds are 'off & running' with Crosbyton

The 2001 edition of the Knox City Greyhounds traveled to Crosbyton Saturday morning for its first scrimmage of the season amid a long bus trip and rainy weather.

Neither facet seemed to bother each squad as both the Varsity and JV Hounds played well with their counterparts.

Junior varsity Greyhounds saw action first winning the first series 1-0 and falling in the second 0-1.

The first varsity totaled four to Crosbyton's one with the second varsity tying one to one. Three interceptions were also made by the Greyhound varsity.

As for an overall view, Coach Wayne Hutchinson said he was 'very pleased' with Saturday's outing, continuing on by saying he was glad to see no injuries, the team really playing hard and aggressively and seeming to be well conditioned.

Defensively, Coach Hutch noted that the defense played really hard and equally aggressive with lots of big hits.

Offensively, he stated there were several bright spots showing lots of consistency with areas of inconsistency that can be improved on each week.

Coach Hutch praised the JV defense by saying they performed extremely well.

KC will scrimmage Haskell here on Friday with the JV to start at 5:00 with varsity following.

Meet the 2001 Greyhounds, Houndettes and coaches at hamburger supper this Friday evening at Greyhound Stadium

Sports fans from Knox city, O'Brien and the surrounding area will have an opportunity to meet their high school football and volleyball players this Friday night when the Knox City Athletic Booster Club will host a hamburger supper following the Greyhound scrimmage against the Haskell Indians at Greyhound Stadium.

With the scrimmage set to begin at 5:00 p.m., the first football action of the year on home turf will feature the Class 1A Knox City High School Junior Varsity Greyhounds taking on the Class 2A Haskell Indian Junior Varsity. The JV will run 15 plays on offense, then 15 plays on defense by the first team, then be followed immediately by another 15 plays on the offense and 15 plays on defense for the second team.

Following Junior Varsity action, the Varsity Greyhound and Indians will take the field with 20 plays on offense and 20 plays on defense, followed by the varsity second teams with 15 plays on offense and 15 plays on defense. As an added pre-season bonus for the fans, the varsity teams will then go into a game type situation with the clock running. No time has been given for how long this will last.

After a good showing last Saturday against the Crosbyton Chieftains, local interest seems to be running high for local fans of the Greyhounds. New coaches Wayne E. Hutchinson (Head Coach and AD), Mitch McLemore and Jeremy West are joined by returning coaches Larry Welch and Colin Howeth to provide a coaching staff that has taken a different approach to pre-season training, with conditioning of the

Come watch the Greyhounds as they scrimmage the Haskell Indians this Friday night at Greyhound Stadium. JV action begins at 5:00. followed by the varsity.

Please... Everyone remember to

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players being placed as a top priority. The Greyhounds have also taken on a new offense that appears to be explosive, with a combination of running and passing plays that moved the ball downfield in a hurry last Saturday against the Chieftains at Crosbyton.

Following the scrimmage against Haskell, Greyhound Stadium will be the location for fans to meet the players on both the Greyhound Football Teams and the Houndette Volleyball Teams. Coached by new coach Michael Nordquist, the Houndettes are also excited about their season this year. Coach Nordquist will also lend a hand to the football program by scouting opposing teams on Friday nights.

During the 'Meet the Greyhounds and Houndettes' part of the evening, players and coaches of both teams will be introduced to the fans, then everyone will have an opportunity to mingle and talk with one another as they enjoy a hamburger supper prepared by members of the Knox City High School Athletic Booster Club.

All students of the Knox City - O'Brien Consolidated Independent School District will be served for no cost, while adults will pay a small fee that will go towards helping the booster club with expenses for the event. The menu will include fresh cooked hamburgers, chips and a soft drink.

Everyone supporting our student athletes is encouraged to be at Greyhound Stadium this Friday evening for the opportunity to show the students and coaches how much their hard work is appreciated by all.

LEGALS

(From Page Five)

Legal Notice

COMPETITIVE SEALED proposals will be received by the Goree Independent School District at the office of the Superintendent, P.O. Box 156, Goree, Texas 76363, for the following used vehicles:

1. 1991 Ford Pickup - 1/2 Ton - XLT
2. 1986 Ford Diesel - Van - 1 Ton
3. 1986 Chevrolet Diesel - Suburban - 3/4 Ton

Sealed bids must be received by 4:00 p.m. September 7, 2001. Award of the bid shall be made by written order after all qualifying bids are reviewed and approved by The Board. The board reserves the right to accept or reject any or all bids received.

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Public Notice

THE KNOX COUNTY Commissioners Court has given tentative approval to a budget for the year beginning October 1, 2001, and ending September 30, 2002. Said Budget may be reviewed in the Knox County Clerk's office.

A Public Hearing will be held at 1:30 p.m., Monday, September 10, 2001, in the Commissioners Courtroom, Benjamin, Texas, to consider the 2001-2002 Tax Rate, and 2001-2002 Annual County Budget.

David N. Perdue
Knox County Judge
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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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Studies in the Am. Journal of the Am. Medical Assn. found that the Alzheimer's Disease drug tacrine does indeed foster cognitive improvements in many patients. However, about 28% of patients taking the drug suffer serious but reversible liver toxicity.

A 1992 study found that seven percent of workers are also caring for an elderly family member at home. Of these, 56% are women and 44% are men.

O'Brien PTO to meet Thursday at 5:30

The O'Brien PTO will meet Thursday at 5:30 p.m. in the school cafeteria to organize and plan for the coming year.

All parent input is greatly needed at this organizational meeting. The budget will be presented, proposed purchases will be discussed and the concession stand will be organized for the upcoming football games for the Bulldogs.

Obituaries

Opal Earp

Funeral services for Opal Earp, 86, of Floydada were held at 11:00 a.m., Friday, August 17, 2001 at First Baptist Church in Floydada with the children and grandchildren officiating. Graveside services were at 4:00 p.m., Friday, August 17, 2001, at the Knox City Cemetery.

Mrs. Earp died Wednesday, August 15, in a Lockney hospital.

Born August 23, 1914, in Haskell County to the late Jess and Tempe Tankersley Moore, she attended Cliff School. She moved to Floydada from Knox City in 1991. She married Joseph Perry Earp on December 7, 1930, in Seymour. He preceded her in death on May 22, 1984. She was a member of First Baptist Church.

Survivors include two sons, James Earp and Wesley Earp, both of Denton; two daughters, Molly Stringer of Floydada and Jo Boggs of Yuma, Colorado; two sisters, Donna Ferguson of Amarillo and Pauline Myers of Knox City; ten grandchildren and nine great-grandchildren.

The family requests memorials to the Building Fund at First Baptist Church, P.O. Box 610, Floydada, TX 79235 or to a favorite charity.

Florita P. Lemley

Funeral services for Florita P. Lemley of Knox City were held Tuesday, August 21, 2001, at 10:00 a.m. in the First Baptist Church Chapel in Knox City with the Rev. Johnny Johnson officiating. Burial was in the Weinert Cemetery with Smith Funeral Home in charge of arrangements.

Mrs. Lemley, 93, died Sunday night, August 19, in a Grand Prairie nursing home following a lengthy illness.

Born February 4, 1908, in Walnut Springs, Texas, she was married to Hoyt H. Beason who preceded her in death. She married Lloyd Lemley on January 31, 1942, who also preceded her in death.

Mrs. Lemley was a member of the First Baptist Church in Knox City and was active in the Pink Ladies Hospital Auxiliary in Knox City.

She was also preceded in death by a daughter, Mary L. Beason; her parents, Thomas J. and Mary J. Brown.

Survivors include a daughter, Sue Sercy of Grand Prairie; a stepdaughter, Lois Norville of Seymour; a brother, Rube Brown of Colorado City; four grandsons and six great-grandchildren.

Grandchildren served as her pallbearers.

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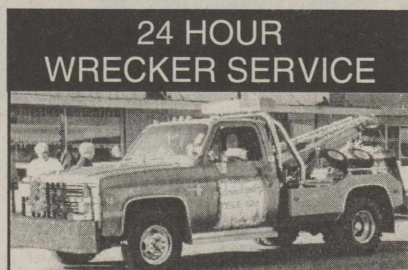
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O'Brien happenings

By Audie Johnston, O'Brien Correspondent

"Ego Twist - My grandfather had a stroke a few years ago, and since then he hasn't been able to speak much. Hospitalized after a recent heart attack, he was visited by his speech therapist. As if talking to a child, she said, "All right, I'm going to put three items in different places in the room, and I want you to tell me where I put them."

My grandfather answered, "The pen is on the table, the book is on the bed and the glass is on the nightstand."

"Very good!" said the therapist in the same patronizing tone. "I'll be back to see you again in two days." As she reached the door, my grandfather added, "And your keys are on the window ledge."

Here and There - Loretta Hewitt was in Abilene over the weekend to spend some time with her daughter, Vicki and husband and boys.

Jerry and Margaret Rowan visited his mom, Bernice Rowan, last Friday and they attended the funeral for a cousin of Bernice's, Opal Earp at Knox City Cemetery.

David Ellis of Childress spent some time with his mother, Beatrice and helped clean up after the stormy weather we had last week.

Clara Hanson spent the night with her daughter, Teresa and husband and a son and daughter of Teresa's, who is getting ready for college in a few days.

Dan and Marilyn Talbot were in Corsicana last week to attend the funeral for Marilyn's sister, Bobbie, who had been quite ill for some time. Our prayers go out to Marilyn and all her family.

Leah Gullidge spent a few days with her parents, Mike and Paula Stacy of Range, Texas, last week.

Reed Underwood, student at Texas Tech in Lubbock, spent the weekend with his parents, C.H. and Linda Underwood and attended church services with them on Sunday.

Sue Shortes and daughter Stefani and Dessie Egenbacher were in Dallas over the weekend attending mar-

ket.

Phil Sarabia of Graham visited his mother, Margie Sarabia and his grandparents, over the weekend.

Billie Walker was in Amarillo for a few days while her two sons-in-law underwent surgery. They're home and doing OK. Joe Banner met his brother Butch of Hawley Saturday and spent

some time visiting a friend in Haskell, Janey Kennady, and fished some without much luck.

Spending the weekend with friends, Nathan and Dana Sherman and children Aria and Tucker of Amarillo who will be moving to O'Brien later. They all attended church services Sunday at O'Brien.

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* Sunday Evening Worship at 7:00 p.m. ~ Mid Week, Wed. at 7:00 p.m.
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FIRST CHRISTIAN CHURCH - Knox City
Steve Pepper, Minister

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

FIRST UNITED METHODIST CHURCH - Knox City
Wesley Holland, Pastor

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

FOURSQUARE 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 Leo Schloemer ~ Deacon Julian Estrada

Sunday Bilingual Mass at 11:00 a.m.

ST. JOSEPH'S CATHOLIC CHURCH - Rhineland
Father Leo Schloemer ~ Deacon Julian Estrada

Monday Through Friday Mornings, 8:00 a.m. Mass
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 at 11:00 a.m.
Sunday Evening at 6:00 p.m.

FIRST UNITED METHODIST CHURCH - Benjamin
Wesley Holland, Pastor

Sunday Worship at 9:30 a.m. ~ Sunday School at 10:30 a.m.

GILLESPIE BAPTIST CHURCH - Gillespie
Ross Anderson, Pastor

Sunday School at 10:00 a.m. ~ Sunday Morning Worship at 11:00 a.m.
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CHURCH OF CHRIST - Benjamin

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The City encourages recipients of the project as well as other interested citizens to participate in the hearing. Citizens unable to attend this meeting may submit their views and comments to Michael Burkham, City Administrator, Handicapped individuals that wish to attend this meeting should contact City Hall to arrange for assistance. Individuals who require auxiliary aids or services for this meeting should contact City Hall at least two days before the meeting so that appropriate arrangements can be made. If anyone interested in attending the public hearing requires a translator, please contact the City Hall office prior to the public hearing so arrangements may be made. All written comments will be addressed in writing within fifteen days after public hearing.

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Around town

Activities of proactive citizens for the benefit of everyone



By MIKE BURKHAM
City Manager

It is the sincere hope of everyone working with the City of Knox that you are pleased with the work that has been done up to this point throughout the community. The entire staff has devoted itself to improving the appearance and services that we provide to the citizens of our town. Along with our work, I again wish to express appreciation to Weldon Skiles, Tommy Mangis and Dallas Dykes for the assistance provided to the City in providing the motor grade work and dirt hauling that has been done over the past few weeks.

The rains that we were blessed with last week demonstrated the benefits that we have in improving the drainage from all of our streets.

Now the maintenance staff is beginning the task of patching the potholes across town. All of us are painfully aware of the condition of many of the streets in town and now we are dedicating every available resource to correcting this problem. Once this is accomplished, the bigger job of putting a skin patch or seal coat on these roads will begin. It sometimes seems that there is no end to the work that needs to be done in our

efforts to make Knox City the desirable place to live in that we have all come to know and love. Our commitment to each of you is to continue with our efforts until we can finally find that one day where we can all look back and say that we have finally restored this community to the condition that is needed and expected by those of us who call this home. Your patience and support of all of our projects has been greatly appreciated as we work for you.

For the past several months the City of Knox City has taken on the responsibility of keeping the vacant lots mowed throughout the town, but it will no longer be possible for us to provide this service to you at no charge. We ask that if you would like to continue to receive this service that you would come by or call City Hall to request that this service be continued. The service of mowing your lots will be at the rate of \$50.00 per lot per mowing and will be billed directly to you as the service is performed. If property owners do not make arrangements with us to keep their vacant lots mowed or maintain them on their own, the City will be required to enforce the tall grass and weedy lot ordinance. If the City is forced to take this type of action, there will be possible fines, court costs, and other expenses that could be incurred by the property owner upon investigation, citing, and cleaning of the property as needed. So, the easiest way to manage this if you are not able to maintain your lots within the requirements of City Ordinances is to make these arrangements with us to mow for you.

It is a very exciting time for all

of us in Knox City. Citizens, employees of the City and business people are taking pride in virtually every aspect of our town. The pride and expectation of success is showing in our school's athletic teams and academic achievements seem to be the primary source of discussion around town. We are all feeling the sense of urgency to fulfill our goals and dreams for the future, and we can see that the dreams of yesterday are becoming reality today with dedication and work.

For as the FFA has in its ceremony at the beginning of meetings . . . "without labor neither knowledge nor wisdom can accomplish much."

New County Extension Agent is named for Knox County

Patricia (Trish) Jones has been named County Extension Agent - Agriculture for Knox County effective August 27, 2001, according to District Extension Director, Galen Chandler, and the Knox County Commissioners Court.

Jones received her bachelor of science degree in animal science from the University of Illinois in Champaign, Illinois. She moved to Texas to continue her education and received her master's degree in animal science and food

technology from Texas Tech University in 1997.

She recently was the co-manager of a registered horse operation with the famous Mullendore Cross Bell Ranch in Copan, Oklahoma. She served as bookkeeper with the Moorhouse Ranch Company from 1999 to 2000. She worked on the 666 Ranch as a veterinarian assistant where she was responsible for reproductive records, artificial insemination, collection of stallions, sales preparation, etc. While at Tech, Trish served as barn and breeding manager at the Texas Tech University Ranch Horse Center. She has significant teaching experience where she was the teaching assistant at Tech for six undergraduate courses in animal science.

She has an interest working with youth, not only as a 4-H member herself, but she served as assistant superintendent with several area and state horse judging contest while in Lubbock.

She is a member of several professional associations, such as American Kennel Club; American Paint Horse Association; American Quarter Horse Association and Equine Nutrition and Physiology Society.

Trish is looking forward to the opportunity to live and work with the people of Knox County and to establish the team work with Jane Rowan, County Extension agent - FCS, to provide the necessary leadership in agriculture, 4-H and youth development and community development.

Aaron Sanchez awarded TILF scholarship

Aaron Sanchez, a Knox City High School graduate, has been awarded a scholarship by the Texas Interscholastic League Foundation.

Sanchez received one of 20 Spalding Sports Worldwide awards in the amount of \$1,000, payable \$500 each semester of the first year.

The Spalding Sports award was awarded to 20 students who have participated in the University Interscholastic League Academic State Meet and who have compiled an outstanding record of academic and extracurricular achievement.

This year the TILF awarded 445 new awards and will renew approximately 250 awards for a total of 695 scholarships for 2001-02 with an approximate value of \$1,334,000. Recipients may attend any approved college or university in Texas.

Sanchez competed in Current Issues and Events at the 2001 UIL Academic State Meet. Throughout his high school career he also participated in UIL spelling, football, baseball and track and field and was involved in student government.

Sanchez plans to attend Angelo State University and major in accounting.

Aging center lunch menus

August 27th thru 31st

Monday, August 27 - Spaghetti with meatballs, green beans, fried squash, mixed green salad, garlic bread, cobbler.

Tuesday, August 28 - Chicken strips with gravy, mashed potatoes, corn on the cob, salad, hot rolls, peanut butter rice krispie bars.

Wednesday, August 29 - Enchilada casserole, refried beans, lettuce and tomato salad, picante sauce and chips, glazed donuts.

Thursday, August 30 - Ham with cranberry sauce, seasoned sweet peas, buttered rice, salad, hot rolls, cobbler.

Friday, August 31 - Salisbury steak, buttered noodles, California blend, blackeyed peas, hot rolls, birthday cake.

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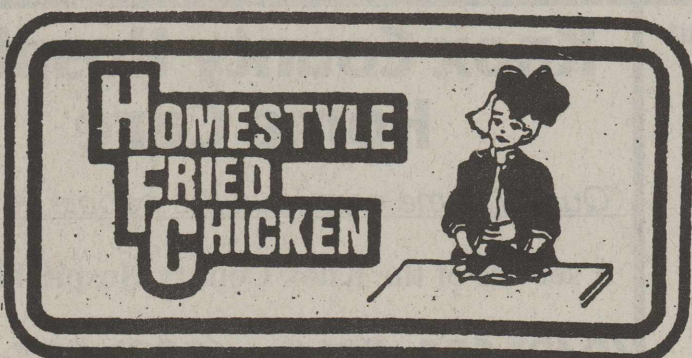
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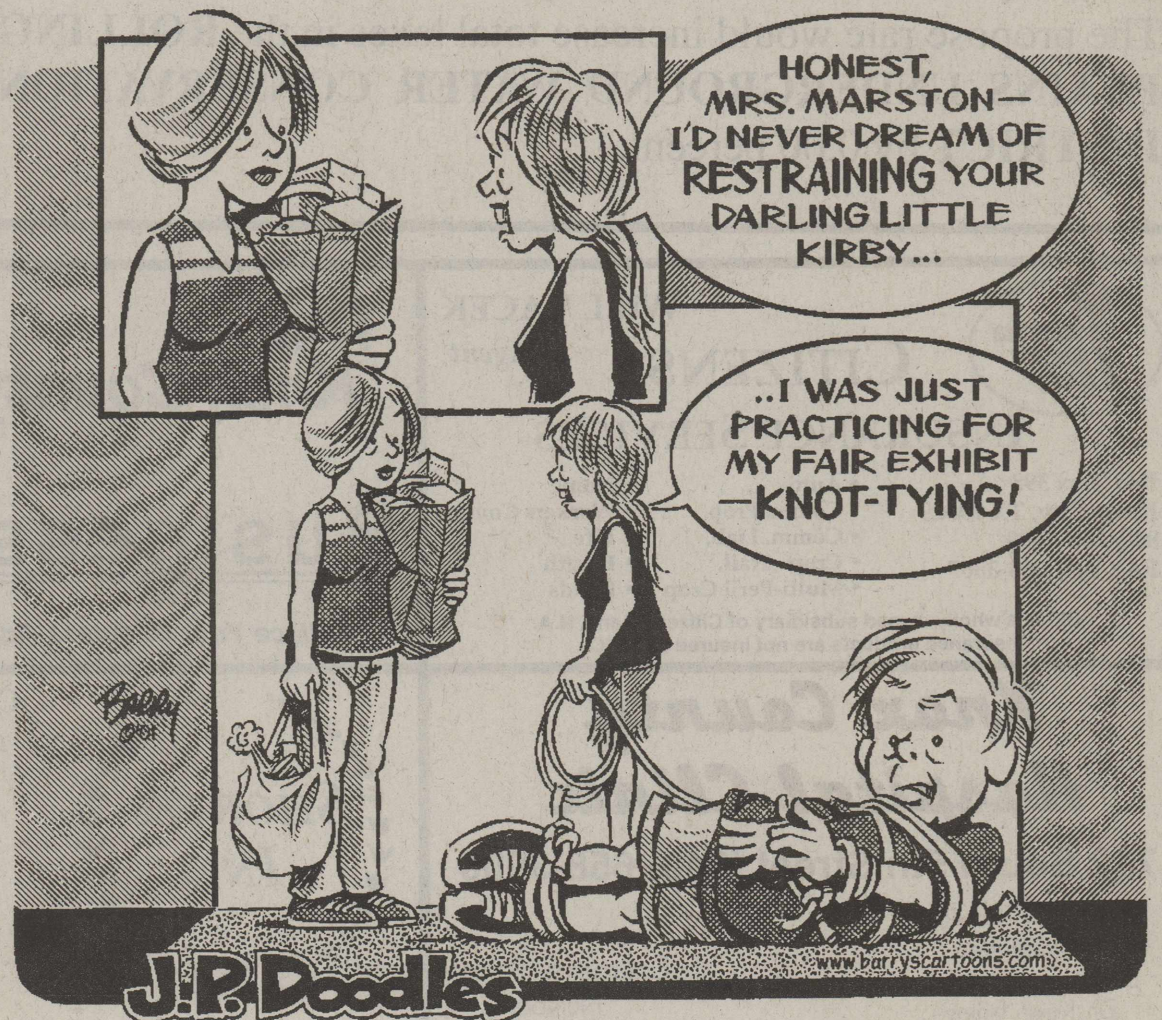
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Patterson reunion held in Seymour

The descendants of John Wesley Patterson met Sunday, August 12, 2001, at the Portwood Pavilion, in Seymour.

Approximately 60 family members and friends attended.

Awards were presented to the following: Traveling the Farthest - Joe and Leota Cardwell; Oldest Descendant - Irene Sexton; Youngest Descendant - Blayke Wilson; Flashiest Dresser - Serena Munsch.

Tim Nix read a brief history of the life of John Wesley Patterson.

Family members exchanged pictures and family history.

An auction of homemade item was conducted to raise money for next year's reunion.

Tim and Kim Nix hosted family and friends at their home on Saturday night.

Those attending were Joe and Kathy Schuessler, Stan Schuessler, Debra Pardue, Sandra and Serena Munsch, Colleen Patterson, Violet Patterson, Steve and Lisa Moorman, Amanda Kerr, Lynn, Lu and Danneva Patterson; Joyce Ray Hanes; Elaine, Bailey and Blayke Wilson.

Also, Maretha Patterson, Sharon Johnson; Brian, Suzanne, Cory and Amber Overton; Charlie, Janalyn, Ross and Trent Patterson; Cathy and Brittany Norman; Bruce, Becky and Justin Thornhill; Tim, Kim, Phillip, Rob and Bryan Nix; Reba Nix; Wanda Holland; Connie Harvey; Lois Golden; Joe and Leota Cardwell; Jeanette Phillips; Carlton and Mary Ann Sexton; Irene Sexton; Marvin and Norma Jones; Nadine and Jody Young; Sid, Dana, Shelby and Brayden Winn; LaMoyn Patterson and Duward Richards.

Benjamin news

By Gladene Green, Benjamin Correspondent

We had rain last week! Off and on for several days, the showers came. Made it cooler for a day or so and "greened up" the yards. Maybe we won't have many more days now of the extreme heat.

We have several who are not feeling too well this week. Gaye Neal is in Hendrick Medical Center undergoing tests. Was admitted Friday afternoon and as of Monday noon, no results of any of the tests had been received.

Don Hertel spent last Wednesday night in Seymour Hospital. Had some minor surgery (if there is such a thing as minor surgery) and some tests run. He came home Thursday p.m. and other than being tired was feeling pretty well Thursday night.

Lori Bufkin has had a pretty uncomfortable summer. Was bitten by a brown recluse spider in late May and has been pretty miserable from that and on top of that problem, developed a staph infection. She was back in Wichita Falls Wednesday and her doctor says she is improving but she still feels mighty bad. But progress back to feeling well is good news.

Betty Lyles says that her mom, Jo Barnett, who is in a care home in Frederick, OK, is doing only fair. Some days are better than others.

I learned a few days ago that Era Brown is in a care facility in Mesquite (or in that area). She had gotten where she was no longer able to stay alone. Think

she's doing pretty well and we do hope she adjusts well to her new living situation.

I urge your prayers in behalf of all these friends.

A full week of school has now gone by and so far, no complaints that I know of.

Teachers, students and parents all seem to be "coping" with it fine.

The varsity and JV volleyball teams played last Tuesday night and tho I wasn't there, I'm told Benjamin won all four games! The football team will get started this week with a scrimmage with Jayton, I believe. So things are off and running.

Granddaughter does well at state meet - Jan Carver called to tell me that their granddaughter, Kallie Antilley of Guthrie, won fifth in Halter at the State 4-H Horse Show in Abilene in July.

Riding her registered gelding, Spanish Paid, her win was in the five years and over class.

Kallie is the 15 year old daughter of Gary and Stasia Antilley of Guthrie. We congratulate her on her achievement.

Here 'N There - Bob and Stephanie Brannan of Lubbock have been here for a few days visiting family and friends. Bob has been doing a little work around his mom, Gertrude Brannan's house, and Steph has done a lot of "resting". She's an RN at Methodist Hospital in Lubbock and some times her hours are pretty long, so

I imagine a few days off felt good!

Sharon Johnson and Maretha Patterson were in Stamford one day last week and visited former resident, Rosie Reynolds. Said she seemed to be feeling pretty well that day but had had some pretty uncomfortable times off and on lately. Hope she continues to feel better.

Debbie Moorhouse was in Dallas Thursday in connection with her work with Gate City Medical in Childress.

Noticed some of the improvements being made to homes in town? Debbie and Mike Moorhouse are having a tin roof put on their house and as quickly as the workers can get to it, are going to have siding put on. The roof is hunter green and I think the siding will be beige.

Michele and Jimmy Barrientez are painting their house. Sort of a sand beige with navy trim and Corrine Parrish has had security bars put on her house. They are pretty and make her house safer. So people are doing things and making the town "brighten up" a bit.

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So, if you love Jesus and you want to hear what He has for you, come hear these anointed pastors and ministers of God give their message in the name of Jesus! So, come every night and get revived!
Until the Lord concludes this Revival of GOD !!

The **NORTH CENTRAL TEXAS MUNICIPAL WATER AUTHORITY** will hold a meeting at 11:00 a.m. on August 29, 2001 at 135 North Munday Avenue, Munday, Texas to consider adopting a proposed tax rate for tax year 2001. The proposed tax rate is 0.1841 per \$100 of value.

The proposed rate would increase total taxes in the **NORTH CENTRAL TEXAS MUNICIPAL WATER AUTHORITY** by 0.00 percent.

The **ROLLING PLAINS UNDERGROUND WATER CONSERVATION DISTRICT** will hold a meeting at 1:00 p.m. on August 30, 2001 at 135 North Munday Avenue, Munday, Texas to consider adopting a proposed tax rate for tax year 2001. The proposed tax rate is 0.0284 per \$100 of value.

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The applicant proposes to inject fluid into the **Tannehill McFaddin Unit, Well Number 302**. The proposed injection well is located **10 miles west of Knox City in the Two Tee (Tannehill) Field in Knox County**. Fluid will be injected into strata in the subsurface depth interval from **2575 to 2589** feet.

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

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| Receipts | Market | Market |
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| 2 P Cattle Co., El Paso 2 of 2410 @ \$890 6 of cows 1210 @ \$84 | C 3rd C. Fry, Fry 95 hls 1414 @ \$100 8 of cows 1210 @ \$82 | Diamond S. Ranch, Wood 230 hls 210 @ \$130 8 of cows 1210 @ \$75 |
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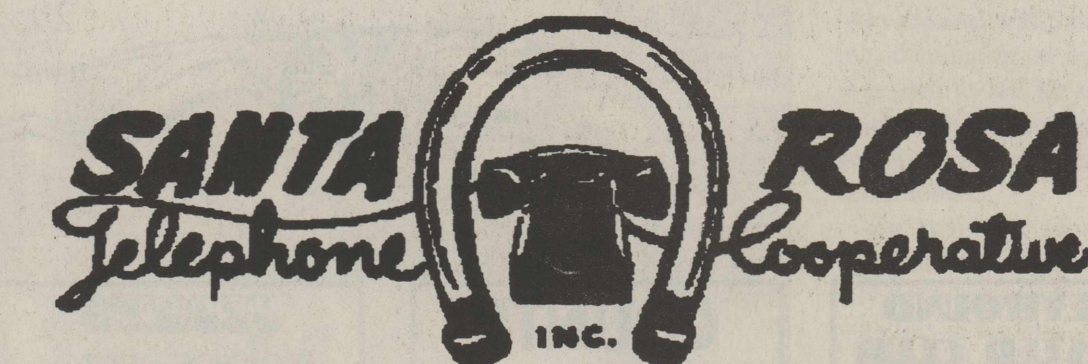
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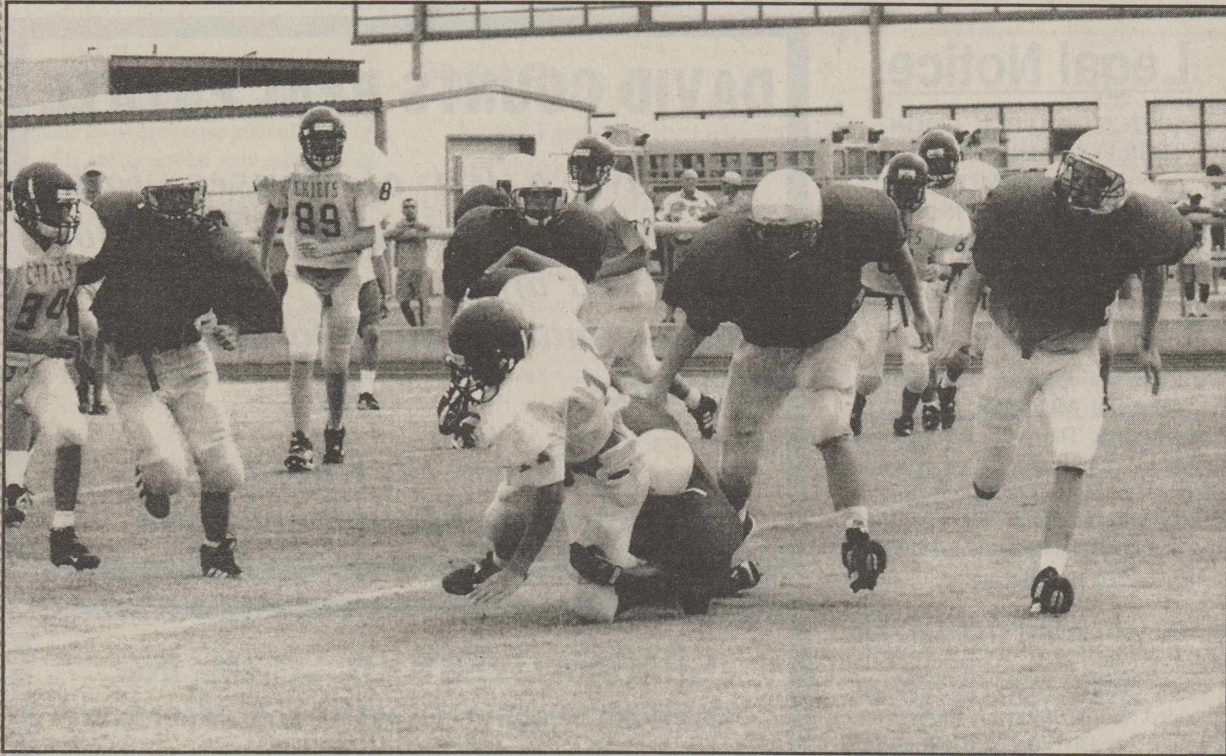


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| Clover, Debbie | 459-2681 | Santisteven, Sam & Darla | 459-4012 |
| Conner, Clayton | 459-4039 | Shaw, George & Connie | 459-2223 |
| Duke, Clodell | 459-2421 | Sheedy, Kay | 459-2208 |
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| Hertel, Don | 459-2015 | | 459-3906 |
| Johnson, Sharon | 459-2301 | Mike Kelly - Spike Box | |
| Jones, Charles | 459-2050 | Ranch Hunting | 459-4009 |
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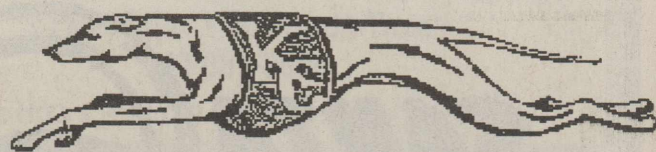
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