

THE KNOX COUNTY NEWS



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KNOX CITY, KNOX COUNTY, TEXAS 79529 THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 27, 1975

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Worship Service First Baptist

November 26, the community-wide service will be held at the First Baptist Church. The service will begin at 7:00 o'clock. The hymn will be "Song Leader and Pauline Myers."

THANKSGIVING SERVICE 1975 ORDER OF WORSHIP

Rev. James Patterson

Praise Him!, Praise Him!

Rev. James Patterson

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Christ

Serve the Lord With Gladness

Paul Anderson

Psalms 100

Showers of Blessings

(For needy of our Community)
(To be handled through Ministers Fund)

Doxology

Mrs. Ross Griffith

Derrell Marion

Blest Be the Tie



THE BENJAMIN MUSTANGS, who won their bi-district game with Highland Saturday night, were intensely listening to Coach Benny Grill's instructions during workout Monday afternoon. The boys will take on Marathon Thanksgiving night at Mertzon in the state semi-finals.

Thursday Night At Mertzon

Benjamin Advances To State Semi-Finals

The Benjamin Mustangs moved closer to the State Six-Man football championship by whopping the Highland Hornets 26-17 Saturday night at Benjamin.

Coach Benny Grill's Mustangs will meet the Marathon Mustangs in this week's state semi-finals in Mertzon at 7:30 Thanksgiving night, November 27.

Two chartered buses will take fans from Benjamin to Mertzon, leaving Benjamin at 2:00 p.m., according to Supt. Kenneth Roberts. Those going by car who would like to form a caravan to the game should be ready to leave the school by 2:00 with the buses. Mr. Roberts said. The football boys will be leaving at 1:00 p.m.

In Saturday's bi-district game, Keith Conner raced in for two touchdowns to lead Benjamin to their win.

Highland raced to an early lead in the first period on the toe of Ivan Krejui, who booted a 25-yard field goal.

With the defense holding back the advances of Highland, Kenneth Groves put Benjamin on the scoreboard

with a four yard jaunt. Keith Pierce passed 25 yards to cousin Joey Pierce to increase the lead before halftime.

Conner appeared on the scene in the second half with touchdown runs of five and 10 yards to ice the game for Benjamin.

Highland was able to score twice more in the third quarter as Krejui sprinted in from seven and 28 yards out, but nevertheless, it was too late for the Hornets from Highland.

Santa Letters Needed

Kids, it won't be long now till ol' Santa will need to know what is on your minds, so please start writing those letters and put them in the mail box in front of The Knox County News office pretty soon! The mail box will be in its usual place come Monday, December 1, and deadline for Santa letters is Monday, December 15.

Remember, be sure and get those letters to us, the sooner the better, and we will personally see that they are off to the North Pole right away!

Peterson Infant Dies In Idaho

Graveside rites for Charity Dawn Peterson, infant daughter of Rev. and Mrs. John Peterson of Weiser, Idaho and granddaughter of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Woodall, were conducted Thursday, November 20 at 10:30 a.m. at Hillcrest Cemetery under the direction of Northam-Jones Funeral Home with the Rev. Don Hezelte officiating.

Charity Dawn died shortly after birth Tuesday, November 18 at Weiser Memorial Hospital in Weiser, Idaho.

Survivors include her parents and one sister, Stephanie of Weiser; maternal grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Woodall of Knox City; paternal grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. James Neal of Boise, Idaho; maternal great-grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. J.C. Saunders and Mrs. Nettie McAda; paternal great-grandmothers, Mrs. Florence Waller and Mrs. Miata Lowther.

Increase Predicted In Traffic Accidents

Traffic accidents and deaths are going to increase in the next few weeks, according to Major C.W. Bell, Regional Commander of the Texas Department of Public Safety.

Traffic volumes will mount due to Thanksgiving and Christmas holiday traffic. Christmas shoppers will travel in large numbers. Both deer and quail season will open and hunters will be out in large numbers. Football traffic will also continue to be heavy and travel to basketball

See Accidents Pg. 5

O'Brien Rites Are Held For Jerry Wilcox

Funeral services were held Saturday morning at the First Baptist Church. O'Brien for former resident Jerry Wayne Wilcox, 30, of Albuquerque, New Mexico. Arrangements were made by the Smith Funeral Home of Knox City with the Rev. Floyd Bailey Jr. of Garland and Rev. Bob Cameron, pastor of the O'Brien church, officiating.

Jerry was born September 19, 1945 in Knox City and graduated from Carney Rural High School in O'Brien in 1964. Upon graduation he attended Hardin-Simmons University in Abilene; Southwestern State College in Weatherford, Oklahoma; and graduated from the College of Pharmacy of the University of New Mexico in Albuquerque in 1970.

In college, he was a member of Rho Chi honorary Pharmaceutical Fraternity and the recipient of the H.E. Henry Award his senior year at U.N.M.

After graduation, he began a career as a retail pharmacist. At the time of his death, he was the chief pharmacist of Thrifty Drug in Gallup, New Mexico.

Jerry is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Lynward R. Wilcox of Albuquerque, and is survived by his parents; a brother, Gary L. Wilcox of Lubbock, Texas; and his paternal grandmother, Nettie Wilcox, of Knox City.

Pallbearers were members of the 1963 and 1964 graduating classes of Carney Rural High School in O'Brien.

Benjamin Man Issued Certificate

Buddy Tolson recently returned from a Texas Department of Health Resources school in Lubbock, where he was issued a Grade C Sewage Certificate. Last spring he also attended a school for Texas Department of Health Resources in Abilene and received a Grade C Water Certificate.

Buddy, son of Mr. and Mrs. Buster Tolson of Benjamin, is employed by the City of Benjamin. His wife's parents are Roy Daniel and the late Evelyn Daniel of Truscott. Buddy and his wife, Janice, have two children, Beverly, 9, and Chad, 7.

City Sales Tax Check Is Received

AUSTIN--Comptroller Bob Bullock mailed checks totaling \$14.5 million to 670 cities and towns Friday, rebating their October city sales tax.

Bullock said his office has rebated a total of \$223.7 million to cities collecting the sales tax so far in calendar 1975. During all of calendar 1974, he said, a total of \$233.7 million was rebated.

With a normal November and December, Bullock predicted city budgets will enjoy \$25 million to \$30 million more revenue from the sales tax this year over 1974.

The Comptroller said 154 of the total 824 cities collecting the sales tax will not receive their rebate until the end of the December quarter, because they fell below the \$500 cutoff for monthly rebates.

Knox City received a net payment of \$3,583.10; Monday, \$1,984.14; Rochester, \$1,069.85; Haskell, \$690.38; Seymour, \$7,874.54; and Stamford, \$5,729.85.

W.E. Clonts Is Home From Hospital

W.E. (Gene) Clonts and his wife, Dovie, returned home Saturday after nine and a half weeks in Wichita Falls.

Gene, a patient in Bethania Hospital, was in traction for eight weeks for a broken pelvis following a mishap on the Monday highway when he was struck by a car as he attempted to cross the highway to his home.

According to his son, Joe, he is doing real well and can get around with the aid of a walker.

Weather

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date	low	high	rain
11-19	40	67	.26
11-20	30	48	
11-21	24	47	
11-22	27	48	
11-23	27	60	
11-24	35	52	
11-25	34		

Basketball Now In Full Swing In KC

Basketball is in full swing in Knox City as the Hounds and Houndettes have begun their 1975-76 season. The Greyhounds played Friday night at Olney and were defeated in the final seconds by a score of 64-63.

According to Coach Jerry Lowrey, the Hounds had their chance in the final 14 seconds with possession of the ball on KC's end of the floor, but the final shot was off resulting in the defeat by one point.

The Greyhounds had four players scoring in double figures including Jimmy Moore with 18, followed closely by Ricky Bishop with 16, Charlie Flye threw in 15 more for the Hounds and Robert Watson made 10 for the losing effort.

The Houndettes played their third game Friday night with Hawley there, and lost by a score of 71-40. Jane Arledge and Marylon Burt tied for high point scoring honors with 19 each and Tammy Stewart made two points.

Hawley's top scorer was Linda Jordan who led her team with a total of 35 points to her credit.

Coach Mellhoney said that the girls hit 40% from the floor for the night. The Houndettes made half as

many turnovers as in previous games, but could not keep up with the hot shooting pace of Hawley.

Houndette team members include seniors Jane Arledge, Sarah McGaughey, and Pam Skiles; juniors Marylon Burt, Jewell Culberson, Sheryll Guinn, and Tammy Stewart; sophomores Jamie Clonts, Irene Flores, Terrie Harris, Lydia Lankford, Debbie Ray, Judy Ray, and Gayle Ware; and freshmen Brenda Albus, Mary LaFlower, Jan Lowrey, Cynthia Rhodes, Rhonda Skiles, and Beverly Ward.

Starting guards for the Houndettes include Pam Skiles, Jewell Culberson, and Gayle Ware. Jane Arledge, Marylon Burt, and Sheryll Guinn will be seeing action for the Houndettes at their starting forward positions.

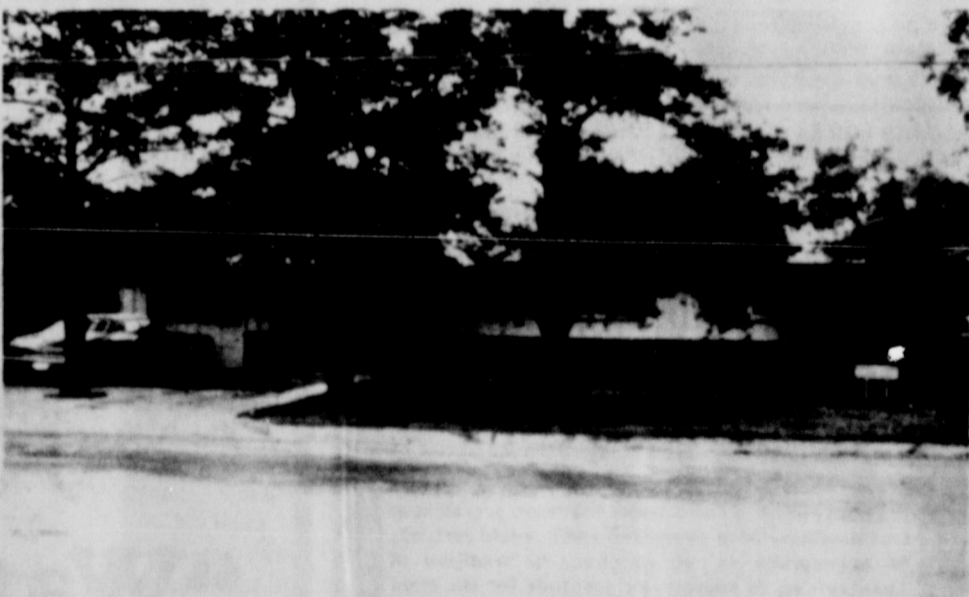
The KC teams' next games will be Tuesday, December 2 at Throckmorton.

BULLETIN

Former O'Brien resident Sidney Joe Hester of Brownfield, brother of Alton Hester and Mrs. James Hewitt, suffered a heart attack Monday afternoon and is in the cardiac intensive care unit of Methodist Hospital in Lubbock. No other details were available at press time.

Survivors include her husband, Ray of Knox City; one daughter, Mrs. Anita Harvey of Artesia, New Mexico; and three grandchildren.

Pallbearers were Lamoine Patterson, Ulric Lea, Randy Boyd, Lewis Williams, John Crownover, and Morris Denton.



CHOSEN YARD OF THE MONTH FOR NOVEMBER is that of Mr. and Mrs. Tolle Large at 305 N. Third (East). The Knox City Garden Club committee selected the yard for the beauty of the blooming pyracantha shrubs and other trees.

Appoints To Committee

Rep. W.S. (Bill) Padonik has been to the special Alter Public School committee of the Speaker Bill Clay-

will be one of nine of the important which will study es to ad valorem in financing public and distribution of ds to schools.

committee will assem- dings after extensive earings throughout and make a report to Legislature.

Rep. Healy will be o the committee. His is needed if we are ew and imaginative of funding our and reducing the skin pressure on our s." Clayton said.

Day Meeting Finalize Plans

Ord meeting has been all interested persons ell and Knox Counties ounding areas to help programs and ser- the mentally and ly handicapped.

meeting will be held December 1, at 7:30 the Monday High and will include a minute program fol- y a business session to e final organizational

les E. Hearn of ter has been named nt and Mrs. Stanton of Benjamin is secre- ther officers and a for the new organiza- ll be chosen.

first two meetings of ganization held in Has- re well-attended and successful, and officials ing all interested per- be in Monday Decem- for the important

GED Tests Set Dec. 6

General Education Development Tests will be given in Rule High School Saturday, December 6, at 8:00 a.m.

Five tests will be given in English, Literature, Social Studies, Science and Mathematics. If a person passes these five tests, the Texas Education Agency will issue a High School Equivalency Diploma. This diploma meets the educational requirement for employment as well as partial requirement for College entrance or job training schools.

A fee of \$15 is charged for all five tests and each test requires about two hours. A person must be eighteen (or at least 17 years old) and has been out of school one full calendar year. If a person is seventeen when the tests are taken the diploma will not be issued until the person is eighteen.

For additional information, persons may call the superintendent's office at Rule.



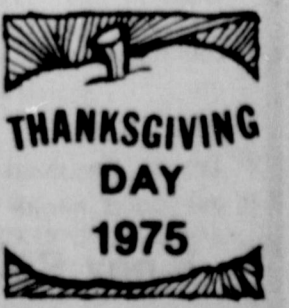
The Knox County News this week is a special Thanksgiving edition with greetings from Knox City merchants to their friends and customers.

The merchants make the special edition possible each year and are extending their sincerest appreciation for your loyal patronage. Looking forward to serving you in the future, they send you one and all best wishes for the happiest Thanksgiving ever.

Did You Know

that Mr. and Mrs. H.E. Owens, 134 Ave. C., Hereford, Texas 79045 subscribe to The Knox County News?

Let Us Be Thankful



THE STAFF OF THE KNOX COUNTY NEWS WISHES A HAPPY THANKSGIVING TO ALL!

CLASSIFIED ADS

FOR SALE: All electric, three bedroom brick home in Rochester, 8 minutes from Knox City. 2200 sq. feet of living area, central air, den with Franklin fireplace, two full tile baths, kitchen equipped with cooktop, built in oven and dishwasher, plenty of closets, double garage with utility and big storage closet. Large pecan trees and shrubs. Exclusive listing and shown only appointment.
WALLACE MOORHOUSE
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 11-13 tfc

THREE BEDROOM HOUSE for sale on corner lot. 501 South Third. See Allen Hester or phone 658-3743 or 658-3144. 10-16 tfc

KELLY DITCHING SERVICE 24", 12", 8", 6" ditch. Plastic pipe, fittings. Sewer pipe. Phone 915 773-3939. Box 376, Stamford, Texas. 4-3 4tp 5-1 tfc

FOR SALE: House, 5 rooms and bath, and Trailer Park with double bath house, on lots 13, 14, 15, Block 51, Original Survey City of Knox City. Phone (806) 799-8102 or 795-1697, Lubbock, Texas. 9-11 tfc

WANTED--Old house to tear down for lumber. Will clean up and burn scraps. Call C.H. Gideon, 658-3849. 11-13 3tp

CHRISTMAS SALE - December 1, 2, and 3. Front room, 600 South Third. Antique Carnival Glassware, Fabrics, Buttons and Bows. Lots of other goodies. 11-26 1tp

FOR SALE - One Electric Computer Gasoline Pump, Carney Independent School District, O'Brien. Sealed bids will be taken in superintendent's office until December 8, 1 p.m. Board of Trustees reserves right to reject any and all bids. 11-27 2tc

FOR SALE - "A" John Deere tractor with a 77 stripper mounted. Call 658-3470. 11-20 3tc

HELP WANTED - A lovely Christian lady in good health, able to drive a car, and willing to move in with another Christian lady as companion-housekeeper, will be the answer to prayer. Ideal working conditions, good salary, and lovely home in Knox City. If you qualify, call 997-2157 in Rule, Texas. 11-27 1tp

BAYLOR MILLING CO. - Throckmorton Highway, Seymour. Custom Mixing - Pelleting--Your grain or ours. Range cubes, creep feeds, hog feeds, start to finish. 888-3921 10-10 tfc

BASS BOAT--16 foot 1973 Starcraft. Three seats, console steering, 40 horsepower Johnson Electric with generator. Shoreline trailer galvanized with Buddy Grease hub caps and wench. John Egenbacher Implement Co., Phone 658-3242, Knox City. 10-9 tfc

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FOR SALE: 4-row John Deere planter--double tool bar, could be made into chisel plow, 3-point hook-up. Gentry Day, 658-3270. 11-20 2tc

REMOVE CARPET PATHS and spots. Fluff beaten down nap with Blue Lustre. Rent electric shampooer. \$1. City Hardware. 11-27 1tc

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FOR SALE - 1968 Chevy pickup, long wide, 327 V8 engine. Contact R.H. Herring at Knox City. 11-20 2tp

SPIRIT OF 76 PENS now available at the Knox County News. Go down in history with these Parker Big Red, White and Blue Ball Point Pens, perfect gifts for this year's "Bicentennial Christmas." 11-27 tfc

HOMEWORKERS WANTED in this area: Men, women, students. No experience necessary; stuffing and addressing envelopes (Commission Mailers). Earn sparetime money at home. \$100.00 weekly possible. Send \$1.00 (refundable) and a long stamped envelope for details. PPS-783, 216 Jackson #612, Chicago 60606. 11-13 3tp

PAINTINGS ON SALE: At the MINI MALL, Friday and Saturday, November 28-29, for Christmas Giving. 11-27 1tc

SEE YOUR MONUMENTS before you buy. More than 50 designs to choose from. Also curb work. J.C. McGee. 10-21 tfc

TWO residential lots for sale, with concrete cellar and a 10 x 10 utility building. Eva Penman 658-3513. 7-31 tfc

PECANS FOR SALE: 60 cents per pound. See John Covey, O'Brien. 11-20 2tc

CONTRACTORS' NOTICE OF TEXAS HIGHWAY CONSTRUCTION

Scaled proposals for construction of 8.019 miles of Reconstruction of Grading, Structures, Foundations Course, Two Course Surface Treatment and Asphaltic Concrete Pavement.

From 6.4 Mi. South of US Highway 82, South to Stone-wall Co. Line on Highway No. US 83, covered by RS 1036(3) in King County, will be received at the State Department of Highways and Public Transportation, Austin, until 9:00 A.M., December 11, 1975, and then publicly opened and read.

The State Department of Highways and Public Transportation, in accordance with the provisions of Title VI of the Civil Rights Act of 1964 (78 Stat. 252) and the Regulations of the U.S. Department of Transportation (15 C.F.R., Part 8), issued pursuant to such Act, hereby notifies all bidders that it will affirmatively insure that in any contract entered into pursuant to this advertisement, minority business enterprises will be afforded full opportunity to submit bids in response to this invitation and will not be discriminated against on the grounds of race, color, or national origin, and further that it will affirmatively insure that in any contract entered into pursuant to this advertisement, minimum wage rates as provided by Law are available at the office of Mr. Alvin D. Alexander, Resident Engineer, Munday, Texas, and State Department of Highways and Public Transportation, Austin.

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WATER WELL DRILLING. irrigation \$16 ft., domestic \$8 ft. Call W.P. Hise (817) 864-3727 Haskell. 8-7 tfc

I HAVE NOT authorized anybody to take care of my business or take over my home. Ruth Papworth 11-27 2tp

PUBLIC NOTICES

That in accordance with article 1377c of the Penal Code, a criminal trespass (Senate Bill III passed by the 62nd 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.

KILLEN M. MOORE, TRUSTEE. 8-21 tfc

PUBLIC NOTICE
 The City of Knox City will hold a public hearing Monday, December 1, at 7:00 p.m. at City Hall, in regard to filing a pre-application for a Community Development Block Grant. 11-27 1tc

PUBLIC NOTICE
 A public hearing on Project Proposals to be included in a Community Development Block Grant Applications for Knox County, Texas, will be held at 10 a.m. on December 1 and December 10 in the Commissioner's Court Room, Knox County Courthouse, Benjamin, Texas.
 Sam E. Clonts
 County Judge
 Knox County
 11-27 2tc

CLEAN EXPENSIVE carpets with the best. Blue Lustre is America's favorite. Rent electric shampooer, \$1. Perry's, Knox City. 11-27 1tc

PECANS FOR SALE: Soft Shell-70 cents per pound; Jerry Benson, 109 Ave. H. 658-3326 11-20 2tc

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PECANS FOR SALE: 60 cents per pound. Mrs. Ora Lee Helms, corner N. Second and Ave. F. 11-27 1tp

USE THE CLASSIFIEDS

PECANS FOR SALE. Also second hand lumber. Tom Thomas. 11-27 1tp

FOR SALE: 1964 Chevrolet pickup and two row shredder. Call Allen Hester at 658-3743. 11-27 tfc

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BLACK BRAHMAN BULL for sale. See Donnie Taylor or call 658-3109. 11-20 4tp

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 11-20 3tp

JEFFY BURGER Building for sale. Contact Lennis Tibbets, Rochester, 743-3525. 10-30 tfc

FOR SALE: Apartment size cook stove. Call 658-3218. 11-27 2tc

CARD OF THANKS
 Words are so inadequate when we try to express our sincere thanks to everyone for the many deeds of kindness extended to us upon the death of our loved one.
 May God bless each and everyone is our prayer.
 Lynward and Juanita Wilcox
 Gary and Alba Wilcox
 Grandma Wilcox
 11-27 1tp

CARD OF THANKS
 We want to say thank you to our wonderful friends for the many deeds of kindness extended during Gene's hospital stay.
 Your prayers, visits, cards, and telephone calls meant so much.
 Gene and Dovie Clonts
 11-26 1tp

CARD OF THANKS
 You will never know the support and comfort that was given by the cards, flowers and prayers you sent during my hospital stay and the loss of my nephew.
 Thank you so much for everything.
 Pansy Russel
 11-27 1tp

CARD OF THANKS
 Thanks to all the wonderful people for their kind thoughtfulness, prayers, and understanding during the illness and loss of our beloved Margaret. The flowers, food, and other expressions of sympathy are gratefully acknowledged.
 We extend our special thanks for the many kindnesses and sympathetic attention shown to her by Dr. Howell and his staff and the wonderful nurses at the hospital.
 Ray Goodrich
 T.W. and Anita Harvey
 Leon and Olga Bivins
 11-27 1tp

IN HOUSTON
 Mrs. Roy Day Sr. recently accompanied her sister and her husband, Mr. and Mrs. Jake Mitchell, of Olton, to Houston where they spent three weeks for medical treatment.

IN GRIFFITH HOME
 Houseguest in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ross Griffith and Virginia is Mrs. Bertram Kellman of Brooklyn, New York.
 Mrs. Kellman and Mrs. Griffith are lifelong friends and had not seen each other in 18 years, although they do correspond.
 She plans to be here two weeks.

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...Let us Give Thanks



We have many things to be grateful for this Thanksgiving Day. Your patronage is counted among these blessings.

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 Knox City, Texas

Time to Give Thanks



for the many freedoms we so proudly enjoy in this country today.

Let us be thankful to God for our good health and happiness.

Knox Builders Supply
 117 W. Main 658-3416

LET'S ALL GIVE THANKS!

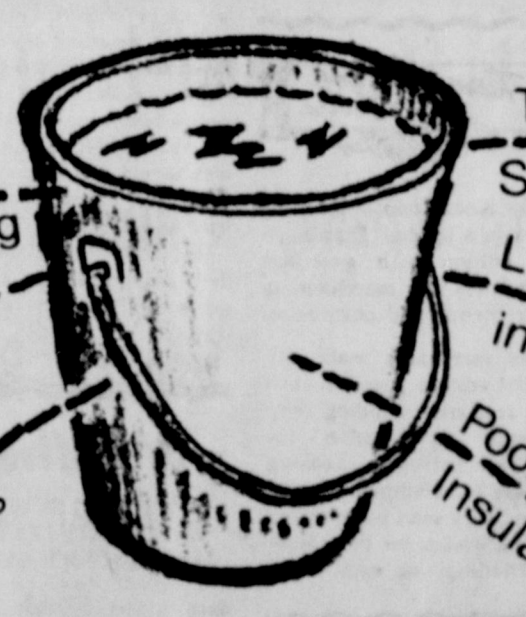
Many years ago the first settlers on this continent joined with the native Indians to give their thanks for the harvest of food which they shared. They also gave thanks for just being alive although disease and lack of medicines were common occurrences.

Today, most of the diseases that were prevalent at that time have been conquered and it would certainly be appropriate as we continue the tradition of Thanksgiving to express our gratitude for the good health we enjoy. It would also be appropriate for us to express our thanks to all of you for giving us the opportunity and responsibility of taking care of your pharmacy needs.

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GOOD LUCK, MUSTANGS!



LY DECORATING THE HALLS at Benjamin High School Monday noon were these cheerleaders, from left, Sandy Gore, Kelly Milson, cheerleader Diane Green, and Dorothy Golden. Benjamin's goal? All the way to Mertzton!

Coach Grill's Comments *****

Benjamin Mustangs inspired football team against the Highland last Saturday night

with the Mustangs winning bi-district 27-17. The Hornets really put our defense to a thorough test, running several trick plays and multiple offensive sets.

The Mustang defense has limited its opponents to an average of less than 14 points per game this season. Our offensive team also had a fine game. They moved the ball well after starting slow.

These boys are really going to be tested this week by the defending state champs, Marathon. They will be the biggest and fastest team we

have faced this year. We are going to have to play an outstanding game to beat this team.

LET'S GO, TEAM!



BENJAMIN NEWS

by Mrs. Van Green

MUSTANGS DEFEAT HIGHLAND

The Benjamin Mustangs of District 3-B won their first bi-district championship Saturday night by defeating the Highland Hornets of district 4-B by a score of 26-17 and earned the right to play for the regional crown against Marathon. The game will be played at Mertzton Thursday night at 7:30.

In the game Saturday night the TD's were made by Keith Conner, who had two, and Kenneth Groves and Joey Pierce, who had one each. Keith Pierce kicked the extra point.

The game coming up Thursday will be an important one as they all have been. The farther up the ladder you go the more difficult it becomes, and we know it won't be easy, however, these boys have the "what it takes" and we feel they'll do alright. So all who can, go with us to Mertzton and help to do all we can to cheer these boys to one more victory. Win or lose, we know they will do their best. They are a fine bunch of kids with a superb coach and we are with them all the way!!

BASKETBALL

Amidst the enthusiasm of football play-offs, basketball play has begun. The high school girls played O'Brien here Tuesday night. The first half was close, the score being 29-28, O'Brien's favor at the half. However, Benjamin got into foul trouble the second half and the visitors puled out a final score of 66-51. Scoring for Benjamin were Diane Green with 27 points, Deb Hudson with 16, and Kelly Milson and Tami Carver with four each.

TOURNAMENT

The Junior high teams were

entered in the O'Brien tournament last week. They won the first two games they played but up against Guthrie the girls lost and the boys lost to Rochester, giving both teams the second place trophy. The girls' victories came over Knox City's #2 team and O'Brien.

In the KC game, the score was 33-12. Lora Long scored 19 points, Stacia Carver had 10, and Wendy Pollock and Kim Conner had two each.

The O'Brien game's score was 20-12. Lora Long and Stacia Carver had six each, Lynda Hudson had four, Selina Hudson had three, and Becky Welch had one. In the championship game Guthrie scored 25 points to Benjamin's 14. Lora Long had eight, Lynda Hudson had four, and Wendy Pollock had two.

In the boys' championship game, the score was Rochester 46, Benjamin 21. Tony Long scored 10 points, Craig Hertel had six, Jimmy Redwine and Mike Golden had two each, and Mark Oxford had one.

HERE 'N THERE

Mr. and Mrs. Ronnie Ressel and family of Dickens visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Theodore Ressel over the weekend.

Attending the ballgame here Saturday night and visiting friends were the Jack Hamiltons of Idalou.

Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Woolley of Spur visited their parents, the S.L. Milsons and K.E. Woolleys over the weekend. Also visiting their parents were Shane and David Milson of Texas Tech.

Mr. and Mrs. Steve Conner of Lubbock spent the weekend with his parents, the Bud Conners.

Weekend guests in the



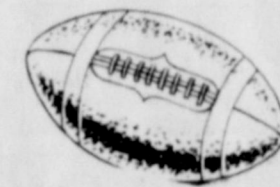
BENJAMIN PEP CLUB members point out Mertzton on the Texas map for that is where the county seat of Knox County will be Thanksgiving night for state semi-finals with Marathon. Pictured from left, back row, are Linda Golden, Debbie Hudson, Kelly Milson, Diane Green, Rhonda Heard, Esther Rodriguez, Dorothy Golden, and Mrs. Brenda Driver, sponsor. Seated from left are Betty Clower, Tammy Carver, and Sandy Gore.

home of Mr. and Mrs. Michael Driver were her parents, Mr. and Mrs. O.M. Johns and family of Justin.

Terry Cartwright of L.C.C. visited his parents, the W.T. Cartwrights over the weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. Dutch Young were Wichita Falls visitors on Saturday.

Bryan Bumpas of VRJC spent the weekend with friends here.



BENJAMIN MUSTANG ROSTER

NO.	NAME	POS.
11	★ Johnny Pierce	QB-S
20	★ Pedro Estrada	E
21	★ Sabino Estrada	E
22	★ Keith Conner	B
24	★ Joey Pierce	E
25	★ Keith Pierce	B
44	★ Kenneth Groves	B
50	★ Louis Baty	E
52	★ Mark Collins	E
53	★ Ricky Carver	E
80	★ Pete Juarez	E
85	★ Tracy Cartwright	C

COACH: Ben Grill
 COLORS: Purple and White
 CHEERLEADERS: Diane Green, Dorothy Golden, Kelly Milson, Sandy Gore

We're Behind You,

BENJAMIN MUSTANGS

BI-DISTRICT CHAMPS

VS

MARATHON MUSTANGS

In State Semi-Finals At Mertzton

Thanksgiving Night, Thursday, Nov. 27, 7:30 p.m.

We're Backing You All The Way, Mustangs.



COACH BENNY GRILL AND DISTRICT CHAMPS

Henry and Clodell Duke
 Betty and Susan Hale
 David Oxford family
 Pearl Ryder
 Bobby and Philomae Roberson
 Fred and Gladene Green
 J.C. Golden
 Kelly and Brenda Driver
 Homer T. and Kathleen Melton
 Tommy, Barbara, Jeff and Keith #25
 Tom, Earlene, Ricky and Wyman Meinzer
 Tom, Shirley, Sherry and Doug Brown
 Luis, Luis, Steve, Alan and Louis #55
 Anita Barnett, Betty and Jim Mancille
 J.E., Oliver, and Mark Wooley, Bart and Tommy
 Mr. and Mrs. Jimmie Pierce, Sr., and girls
 Annie, Kathie, and Tres Pierce
 Mr. and Mrs. Shane and David Milson and Lem
 Kelly, Jimmy, Greg and Mark Collins, #52
 James, Jon, Lori, and Jennifer Rolston
 Betty, Justice, Beverly and Chad

Buster and LuElla Tolson
 Zena and Jackie Waldron
 Togo and Lucille Moorhouse
 The Willie Rodriguez family
 H.C. Stone
 T.R. and Ruth Ressel
 Apo, Beano #21 and Pedro #20
 The Apolonio Estrada family
 Pete, Kay, Debbie and Mitzie
 Butch, Beth, and Dick McCantles
 Dub, Jo, Terry and Tracy #85
 Collins and Fayteen Moorhouse

Russell and Jonnie Williams
 Mr. and Mrs. Hollis Gore
 Bryan Bumpas
 Clifford Roberson
 The McNitts
 Steve and Janet Conner
 Joe and Pat Barton
 Hewitt and Sybil Simmons
 Bud, Von and Kim Conner
 Hazel, Claude, and Mrs. Loper
 Zula Conner
 Louise and Hester Hall

Keith and Pam Conner #22
 Kathy and Kermit Woolley
 Jack and Lucille Idol
 Jan and Wendy Pollock
 Frank Driver
 Mr. and Mrs. C.B. Clower
 Mr. and Mrs. McLaughy
 Johnny, Veeta, and Angella Reid
 Mr. and Mrs. George McKinney
 Rick and Patsy
 Coach, Belle, and Kate Grill
 Sam and Lou Leaverton

Kenneth Groves #44
 Dutch, Imogean, Mike and Deann
 Don Hertel family
 Leroy, Gloria and Betty
 Mr. and Mrs. Herman Collier
 Jerrye, Leon and Shane Groves
 Mr. and Mrs. Durhl Caussey
 Kenneth and Jesse Roberts
 Mr. and Mrs. Jack Coker and family
 Fred, Jan, Tammy, Stacia and Ricky #53
 LaMoyn, Christine and Kynn Patterson
 Tom Brooke, Katrine, Lynda Brooke and Debbie
 Herbert and Darlene Bellinghausen
 Ricky, Debbie and Becky Stamps
 Diane, Dorothy, Kelly, and Sandy
 Charlie, Aliene, and Stacy Groves
 Charles, Linda, Lori, Becky and Amy
 Donnie, Jimmie Kaye, Shannon and Stacia
 Charles, Joy, David, and Sheila Jones
 Jim, Barbara, Troy and Aimee Pratt
 Mr. and Mrs. Waters S. Davis III

BENJAMIN FFA MURDER MARATHON	FIRST NATIONAL BANK MUNDAY, TEXAS	BUD'S EXXON MUTILATE MARATHON	FARMERS GRAIN CO. KNOX CITY Go Mustangs	COLLINS MOORHOUSE SERVICE & GARAGE All the Way, Mustangs!	BENSON TEXACO All the Way, Mustangs! Billy Ben, Pat, Sheila and Billy Carl	KNOX COUNTY NEWS The Buddy Angles
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OWENS VISIT

Mr. and Mrs. H.E. Owens of Hereford, former residents of O'Brien, were here last weekend visiting her brother, Albert Fox, and to attend the anniversary reception held for Mr. and Mrs. C.B. Banner.

On Sunday afternoon they visited residents in the Care Home, and also visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Gene Griffin.

FROM ODESSA

Mr. and Mrs. Sammy Williams of Odessa spent the weekend here with her sister and her family, Mr. and Mrs. Melvin A. Lowrey and Jan.

They attended the Saturday afternoon football game between Odessa Permian and Wichita Falls Rider.

Farm And Ranch News

BY HERMAN COLLIER

FALL SPRAY FOR PEACHES

Now is the time of year to put Kocide 101 on peach trees as an early dormant application for bacterial leafspot, Coryneum blight, and insect cases, preventing infection by bacterial canker.

Kocide can be applied for the next week or two in most areas of Texas. Kocide applied now also aids in preventing peach leaf curl next spring.

THINK TAXES

LUBBOCK—Tax conscious farmers and others who need to shift their income and deductions to take the bite out of their taxes should be making their decisions now, a farm management economist says.

Estimating taxable incomes for 1975 at this time of the year allows time for tax management actions, says Marvin Sartin, Extension Service area specialist. Even though harvests are not complete, projections of yields, quantities to be sold, and prices along with deductible expenditures between now and December 31 should be used to map strategy in reducing taxes.

"Most farmers currently use the cash method of accounting, an alternative that may not be available in the future," Sartin says. "However, until this option is revoked, farmers can act to more nearly balance their taxable income from year to year. The most common methods to shift income and expenses between accounting periods involve postponing sales, making advance purchases of farm inputs, and postponing deductions."

These techniques are commonly used by most farmers and are generally understood, the Lubbock-based economist says. In the past, most individuals who wished to postpone the realization of income from their crop simply carried it over into the next year before the sale was made. Because ownership was maintained no questions arose about the timing of the income.

However, today with more concern for fluctuating commodity prices, a farmer may want to sell on the current market to eliminate the risk of price change but not receive the income for tax accounting until the following year. This can be accomplished by using a deferred-sale contract.

To accomplish the shift of income for tax reporting with deferred-sale contracts, certain specific conditions must be met, Sartin says. The contract should be written one which definitely precludes the taxpayer from receiving payment until a specified date. These contracts must also explicitly indicate that they are not assignable. Thus, if the contract is a bona fide arm's-length transaction, provides a small down payment, fixes the dates of subsequent payments and declares that it is nonassignable, the right to the income does not arise until the contract date of payment.

"A point to keep in mind is that the mere postponement of payment will not push income into a later year," he says. "It is essential that the right to income be postponed. A condition employed by the taxpayer solely for tax juggling is usually insufficient to postpone constructive receipt without the benefit of at least some business reason for the action. Also, a risk may be involved if a contract is made with an unknown party for payment at a later date. Know the other party because you are trusting them with your money."

The advance purchase of items to be used in the farm business can be used in years of high income. A tax-conscious farmer can choose the times when buildings are repaired, additional small tools are purchased, soil and water conservation expenses are incurred, fertilizer is applied in the fall, and seed is purchased early.

Interest can be paid in advance and deducted as a current expense. The Internal Revenue Service will ordinarily allow a current deduction for the prepayment of interest for a period not to exceed 12 months.

Investment credit is allowed on qualified equipment purchases. Generally, any depreciable asset used in the business for the production of income will qualify except for real estate. If any purchases of potentially qualifying equipment have been made in 1975, bring them to the attention of your tax practitioner.

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Hospital News

PATIENTS IN HOSPITAL NOVEMBER 22, 1975

Knox City: Mary Simmons, Dovie Ferguson, Grace Cyr, M.L. Cowan, Libbie Hoge

Munday: Mary Cunningham

Goree: Gladys Lambeth

O'Brien: R.M. Johnston

Rule: Myrtle Penick

Rochester: Ray Harlan

Abilene: Jaffa N. Fenwick

PATIENTS DISMISSED SINCE NOVEMBER 15, 1975

Knox City: Connie Ledesma, Easiter May, Roy Baker, Sylvia Espinosa, Dovie Ferguson, Bill Magee, Margaret Goodrich (Deceased)

Benjamin: Zena Waldron, Walter Trainham

Munday: Florine Wilde, Odis Spann, Grace Walker, Hazel Hagins

Rochester: Kurt Kumlin, J.E. Bulson

Goree: Marion E. Moore

Former Rochester Woman Is Buried

Services for Mrs. Beulah Abernathy, 78, of Lubbock were held Friday at 11:00 a.m. in the Rochester Church of Christ with Faye Wilson, minister, officiating. Burial was in the Rochester Cemetery with Smith Funeral Home in charge of arrangements.

Mrs. Abernathy, former Rochester resident, died Tuesday in the Methodist Hospital in Lubbock following a long illness.

She was born September 11, 1897, in Milam County, Texas to the late Mr. and Mrs. R.L. Anderson. She married Clifford Abernathy in 1926 in Guthrie, Texas. They lived in Rochester all of their married life, and Mrs. Abernathy moved to Lubbock after her husband's death in 1973. She was a member of the Church of Christ.

Survivors include two brothers, Homer Anderson of Lubbock and Ernest of Crowell; and one sister, Mrs. Clara Walton of Lubbock.

Junior High Basketball Results

The Knox City Junior High boys' basketball team opened their season by winning consolation in the O'Brien Tournament. In the first game the boys lost to Rule by a score of 30-12. In the second game KC beat Guthrie 23-7. In the consolation finals KC defeated O'Brien 24-16. Boys playing on the eighth grade team are Dwayne Johnson, Junior Figueroa, Greg Elston, Sammy White, Tim Roberson, Kyle White, Robert Espinosa, Greg Oliver, Ricky Gonzales, Scott Lynn, Shelton Rhodes, Danny Johnson, Greg Whitten, and Kenny Cornwell.

The Seventh Grade team also played in the O'Brien Tournament. The boys lost their first game to Benjamin 34-12 and lost their second game to O'Brien 32-15. Boys on the seventh grade team include Adam White, Jeff Quintana, Chuck Hutchinson, Jay Rutherford, Curtis Shiflet, Kelly Boone, Ted Clark, Larry Webb, Ray Farmer, David Flores, Four Bateman, Jeff Reese, Steve Lynn, Kevin Leach, Sergio Marin, Robert Beach, Paul Taylor.

Jr. High Girls—8th grade Munday - 42
Knox City - 14
KC—Tammy Helton, 6; Kay Howell, 4; and Gaylynn Burkham, 2.
Munday—Julie Myers, 13.

7th grade—
Munday - 18
Knox City - 4
KC—Bateman, 4
Munday—Myers, 10

Jr. High Boys—8th grade O'Brien Tournament
First Game
Rule - 30
KC - 12

Second Game
Knox City - 23
Guthrie - 7

Consolation
KC - 24
O'Brien - 16

7th Grade
O'Brien Tournament
First Game
Benjamin - 34
KC - 12

Second Game
O'Brien - 32
KC - 15

WEEKEND VISITORS

Mr. and Mrs. Jerry May, Jill and David of Coleman visited here over the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. David Albus, Michael and Rhonda, and Mr. and Mrs. Doug Meinzer and Tyke.

MINCEY VISITORS

Visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Nathan Mincey during the weekend were Mr. and Mrs. Darwin Westbrook and boys of Abilene; Mr. and Mrs. Lynward Wilcox of Albuquerque, New Mexico; Mr. and Mrs. Gary Wilcox of Plainview; Mrs. Alta Wheeler, Mrs. Orvis McGriffin, Mr. and Mrs. Jimmie Heatly of Mangum, Oklahoma; Mr. and Mrs. Elbert Mincey of Tuttle, Oklahoma; William Mincey of Oklahoma City, Oklahoma; Mr. and Mrs. Earl Mincey



Thanksgiving Greetings

A. P. Denton Gro. & Station
Knox City, Texas



We Wish You A Happy THANKSGIVING DAY

Wishing you and yours a very happy Thanksgiving Day in every way!

Oliver Flying Service
The Ross Mac Olivers
Knox City, Texas

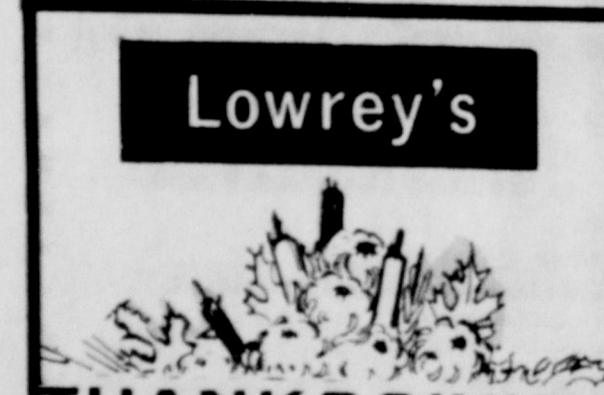


THANKS

Let us all give heartfelt thanks for the heritage of freedom that is ours. Let us resolve to keep America a land for which our children will still give thanks.

We appreciate your patronage and hope to serve you soon!

LYNN ELECTRIC MOTOR CO.
KNOX CITY Phone 658-3511



Lowrey's

THANKSGIVING

On Thanksgiving Day let us all join together, friends and family, to give thanks for all that we have. Let us also remember all the good times, shared throughout the year. We wish all our neighbors and patrons a joyous and happy Day of Thanksgiving



Gifts They'll Remember

There's no special gift to giving gifts that are special, if you give some thought to these suggestions:

1. Buy for the person you're giving to, not for yourself. Just because you like something doesn't mean everyone will.
2. Practical presents are the biggest luxury. Give gifts that give pleasure but don't require great care.
3. Quality is more appreciated than quantity. Most men would probably prefer one good, 100-percent cotton shirt that will always look crisp and classy to several inexpensive synthetics—whether for business or sports.

to our many friends...

Thanksgiving Greetings

Thomas Shoe Shop
MARY AND WALTER THOMAS



... LET US PRAISE GOD FROM WHOM ALL BLESSINGS FLOW


As we celebrate Thanksgiving Day with the abundance of the land, it is only fitting that we come together with friends and neighbors in worship and gratitude. Attend the special service being held.

Brazos Valley Gin
Knox City

Let us Give Thanks ...

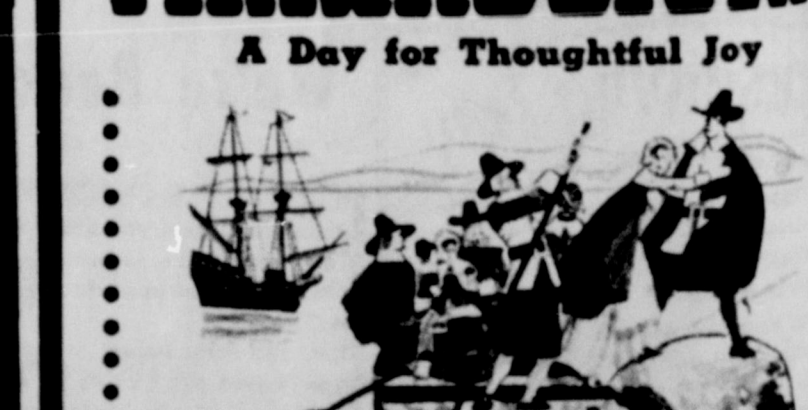
Our success is based on you our customer.

Guinn Sheet Metal & Plumbing
L.C. and Amerolis



THANKSGIVING

A Day for Thoughtful Joy



Plymouth Rock, December 1690. A brave group of voyagers stepped ashore to begin a life of freedom. We give thanks for their undaunted courage.

SMITH FUNERAL HOME
KNOX CITY, 658-3251 ROCHESTER



Thanksgiving Greetings

MINI MALL
Knox City



BLESSINGS

THANKSGIVING

We Will Be Closer
Thanksgiving

The Dairy
James And Betty



A HAPPY THANKSGIVING TO ALL

As we dine with all of our family and friends, let us remember to give thanks for all our blessings.

B and C Chem
The Crownover Family
Knox City

Liles Speaks KC Study Club

bers and on scholarships. During the business meeting, the roll call was answered by each member present telling "What Federation Means to Me."

Hostesses were Mrs. Curtis Casey, Mrs. Idoma Chowning, and Mrs. L.W. Graham. In addition to 12 members, seven guests attended including Mrs. Liles and Mrs. King, Mrs. Wilson, Mrs. Griffith, Mrs. Lois Cypert, Mrs. James Patterson, and Mrs. Bertram Killman of New York, a guest of the Ross Griffith family.

FROM DALLAS

Mr. and Mrs. E.G. Parkhill Jr. and grandson, Creed, of Dallas visited last Thursday in the home of Mr. and Mrs. E.G. Parkhill Sr.

Mrs. Ivie Is Shower Honoree

Mrs. David Ivie, the former Laura Votaw, was honored with a bridal shower Sunday afternoon in the Fellowship Hall of the First Baptist Church.

Receiving guests with Mrs. Ivie were her mother, Mrs. L.U. Votaw of Paducah; and the prospective bridegroom's mother and grandmother, Mrs. E.G. (Mutt) Ivie of Knox City and Mrs. Neal Stewart.

Tammy Stewart registered guests and Vonnie Ivie and Connie Stewart served refreshments.

Hostesses were Mmes. Florence Reese, Jo Nell Cornett, Judy Anderson, Ervalene Beason, Betty Poe, Bobbie Harrison, Birdie Helton, Clara Hodges, Audie Johnston, JoAnn Oliver, Mammie Emerson, Pauline Myers, Sue Clayton, Dessie Egenbacher, Alene Waldrip, Marie Auburg, Leona Raby, Hope Poe, Johnnie Pearl Smith, and Eva Penman.

Smiths Attend Midland Banquet

Mr. and Mrs. John A. Smith visited their son, John Ed, and family in Midland over the weekend. While there, they attended the regular monthly dinner meeting of the Permian Basin Chapter of the Society of Petroleum Engineers of AIME at the Ranchland Hill Country Club on Saturday night.

The featured speaker of the evening was Colonel Stuart A. Roosa, USAF. Colonel Roosa is one of the 19 astronauts selected by NASA in 1966. He was a member of the astronaut support crew for the Apollo 9 flight. He completed his first space flight as command module pilot on Apollo 14, January 31 - February 9, 1971. With him on man's third lunar landing mission were Alan B. Shepard (spacecraft commander) and Edgar D. Mitchell (lunar module pilot). Colonel Roosa served as backup command module pilot for the Apollo 16 and 17 missions, and is now assigned to the Space Shuttle Program.

Colonel Roosa's presentation was about the Apollo 14 flight. The presentation was supplemented with 16 MM films of the flight.

This meeting was a special family night meeting and some 400 people attended.

John Ed, as first vice chairman of the Society of Petroleum Engineers of AIME, was responsible for Saturday night's program.

Party Planning TIPS

Whether it's your daughter's wedding, your company's Christmas party or your club's annual dinner, when you're planning The Big Party there are a few things you should remember so that everyone, including you, will enjoy it.

One of the most important is to select one person to serve as contact with the banquet manager, the florist, entertainment people and others involved.

Even before you book the room know how much you can spend, the type of function your group wants to have, a preferred and alternate date and time, and a pretty accurate estimate of the number of people expected to attend.

Then you'll be well on your way to one of the easiest-to-plan parties you've ever had.

KC BASKETBALL SCHEDULE 1975-76 HOUNDS AND HOUNDETTES

DATE	TOWN	TEAMS	PLACE	TIME
Nov. 15	O'Brien	A&Jr. Hi G	Here	6:30
Nov. 18	Hawley	A&B G	Here	7:00
Nov. 21	Hawley	A&B G	There	7:00
Nov. 21	Olney	A&B B	There	6:30
Nov. 25	Hamlin	GBB	Here	5:00
Dec. 2	Throckmorton	GBB	There	5:00
Dec. 4, 5, 6	Paducah	Tourney GB		
Dec. 9	Hamlin	GBB	There	5:00
Dec. 11, 12, 13	Baird	Tourney A Girls		
Dec. 16	Throckmorton	GBB	Here	5:00
Dec. 19	Anson	GBB	Here	5:00
Dec. 22, 23	Hardin Simmons	Tourney	A Boys	
Jan. 1, 2, 3	Jayton	Tourney GB		

DISTRICT PLAY BEGINS

Jan. 6	Munday	BGB	There	5:00
Jan. 9	Aspermont	BGB	Here	5:00
Jan. 13	Crowell	BGB	There	5:00
Jan. 16	Haskell	GGB	There	5:00
Jan. 20	Paducah	BGB	Here	5:00
Jan. 24	KC J.V. Tourney			
Jan. 23	Munday	GGB	Here	5:00
Jan. 27	Aspermont	GGB	There	5:00
Jan. 30	Crowell	GGB	Here	5:00
Feb. 3	Haskell	BGB	Here	5:00
Feb. 6	Paducah	GGB	There	5:00
Feb. 5, 6, 7	J.V. Tourney	GB	Hamlin	

KNOX CITY JUNIOR HIGH BASKETBALL SCHEDULE

Nov. 17-20	O'Brien Tournament			
Nov. 24	Munday	GGB	There	5:00
Dec. 1	Aspermont	GGB	There	5:00
Dec. 8	Crowell	BGB	Here	5:00
Dec. 15	Haskell	GGB	Here	5:00
Jan. 5	Paducah	BGB	There	5:00
Jan. 12	Munday	BGB	There	5:00
Jan. 19	Aspermont	BGB	Here	5:00
Jan. 26	Crowell	GGB	There	5:00
Jan. 29, 31	KC Jr. High Tourney			
Feb. 2	Haskell	BGB	There	5:00
Feb. 9	Paducah	GGB	Here	5:00

Crowell Advances, Rochester Deadlocks

In bi-district football action of interest to Knox City area readers, District 7-A champions, the Crowell Wildcats advanced to regional competition after defeating the Rotan Yellowhammers, 25-7 in Stamford Friday night, while Rochester's Steers' hopes of furthering their long trip down that road to the State Championship dwindled when first downs were totaled after deadlocking 21-21 with the Gorman Panthers Friday night in Haskell.

Crowell, who will meet the No. 1 team in the state, Seagraves, took advantage of six turnovers with the accurate field kicking of David Bell and a time-consuming rushing attack which ground out 296 yards. Bell was helped out by big Rocky Glasscock, 190-pounder, who added 108 yards on 25 carries for the winners.

ACCIDENTS From Page One

games will add to highway traffic.

Increased night time driving will add to the problems of the motorist.

Speed too fast for conditions and the drinking driver continue to be the leading factors in accidents.

Major Bell said that DPS Troopers investigated 1,095 accidents involving 569 injuries and 22 deaths in November and December of 1974 in the Lubbock Region.

Major Bell also reminds the Texas motorist to recognize hazardous weather conditions as a factor in causing traffic accidents. The driver should adjust his speed to prevent a tragedy.

Inflation Fighting Ideas

WIG FOR SMALL CHANGE

The smartest beauty investments are often based on common sense—like a small purchase that will make a big change for the better.

A bright idea that many women are discovering is the wig or hairpiece for an all-new look at little expense. A woman can have a sleek chignon, young bob with bangs, blow-dry locks or something



really exotic without cutting her hair or permanently changing her style.

One of the newest advances in wigs is a special plastic coating that is applied to the strands. This makes the wig as good on a rainy day as on a dry one—which is more than any woman can say about her own hair.

These practical wigs are by Venicelon and made of fine vinyon stereoregular fiber from Milan, Italy. And the brightest styles straight from Europe are available for as little as \$25. The wigs are pre-set and require only a shake when taken out of the package. No setting is needed, and the wig can be washed out with a swish of mild soap in the sink at home.

When it's time to revitalize your beauty life, think of your crowning glory—and think wig.

Let us give
THANKS
for all our Many Blessings

LET US FIND
OUR STRENGTH
IN PRAYER!

By putting our faith in the Almighty, in seeking His guidance in all our ways . . . and by working together for the common good, His strength is ours.



John Egenbacher Impl.

KNOX CITY

658-3422



IT'S TIME
TO SAY
"THANKS!"

A Happy
THANKSGIVING
to all!

WE WILL BE CLOSED
THANKSGIVING DAY

RODDY'S CITY CAFE

BLESSINGS AT
THANKSGIVING



Ward's Hocus Pocus

Margaret and E.J. Ward

HAPPY THANKSGIVING



On this typically
American Holiday we wish
to extend best wishes
to all our many friends
and wish you a
Happy Thanksgiving Day.

CableVision

C.E. Williams

Knox City, Texas



We have many things to be
grateful for this Thanksgiving.
Your patronage is counted among
these blessings.

Smith Liquid Gas

KNOX CITY

Lupe Figueroa

658-3421

A HAPPY
THANKSGIVING
TO ALL

On this day of Thanksgiving,
we wish you and your families
a very happy holiday.

Farmers Grain Co.

Charlie Groves, Mgr.
Knox City, Texas



Model Cleaners

658-3231

LET US BE GRATEFUL



Let us be thankful to God for
our good health and happiness.

C and C Electric

Willie Collins
Knox City, Texas

Thoughts for
Thanksgiving

a day for thankfulness. It's
time for quiet remembrance
good things shared through-
the year. It's a happy day.
give thanks.

wishes to all
neighbors and patrons.

MILES EXXON STA.

Knox City, Texas

Thanksgiving Day

All of us here wish
our friends and cus-
tomers a merry day, and
we say "Thank You"
to all.

ker-Clonts Insurance

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Knox City, Texas

May Your
Thanksgiving
Be Joyful

We are thankful to you, our
friends and customers, for
your patronage. We hope
you enjoy this day of feast-
ing, family gatherings, fun,
and church-going; and, that
you remember to be thank-
ful for our abundance as
individuals, as Americans.

A HAPPY THANKSGIVING TO ALL

Penman Conoco

KNOX CITY, TEXAS



O'Brien Happenings

CHARLENE BROTHERS

SCHOOL NEWS

The following students made the first quarter honor roll. This is a grade average of 90 or above on all subjects. Seniors were Betty Gutierrez, Vicki Hewitt and Deyev Holmes; Juniors, David Adkisson, Craig Brothers, Debbie Del Hierro, Laura Hunt and Pam Stockton; Sophomore, Peggy Gutierrez; Freshmen, Jonathan Godsey, Donna Holmes, Shane Johnston and David Walling. In the eighth grade were Nancy Adkisson, Maxine Casillas, Joseph Godsey and Angella Reid.

The seventh-eighth grade tournament that was held at O'Brien last week was a great success. In the boys' division Rochester won first with Benjamin placing second and Knox City #1 coming in third. In the girls' Guthrie won first with Benjamin winning second and Weinert placing third. The Junior class and their sponsor, Mrs. Sammy Tankersley, would like to say thank you to all you fans that helped make this a success. And also a big thank you to the people that helped at the gate, concession stand and to

the ones that helped call the games.

The basketball boys played two scrimmage games last week and according to the boys they won both. They went to Woodson Monday afternoon to play them. (We will try to run a schedule next week for all you people that do not have children in school, so you will know when the games are.)

We are in the process of getting started ginning. If the weather stays pretty, we should be very busy by this time next week.

For those of you that travel during the holidays, be careful and enjoy yourselves and we will see you next week.

FROM PLAINVIEW

Early holiday visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Butch Stephens in O'Brien this week are his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Elmo Stephens of Plainview.



WINNING SOILS TEAM--Texas Tech University's Soils Team poses with the first place trophy captured at the American Society of Agronomy Region IV Soils Contest, held at Louisiana Tech University November 7. Winning team members are, left to right, John Wilkey, junior from El Paso; Mark Walthall, junior, Anton and high individual in the contest; Dr. B.L. Allen, coach; Stanley Hitt, senior, Brownwood and sixth high individual; and Hoy Max Spencer, senior, Knox City. Eight universities participated. Texas Tech's team will travel to the University of Illinois in April to participate in the national contest. (Tech Photo)

Spencer On Winning Tech Team

LUBBOCK--Texas Tech University's Soils Team captured first place in the American Society of Agronomy Region IV Soils Contest November 7, at Louisiana Tech University, Ruston.

Texas Tech's Mark Walthall earned first place individual honors. Teammate Stanley Hitt was sixth high individual.

Eight universities participated. The top three teams,

Texas Tech, second place Texas A&M University, and third place Oklahoma State University, will compete in the national soils contest in April at the University of Illinois, Champaign.

Members of the Tech team are Hitt, senior, son of Mrs. Viola Hitt of Brownwood; Hoy Max Spencer, senior, son of Mr. and Mrs. Charlie G. Spencer of Knox City; Walthall, junior, son of W.C. Walthall Jr. of Anton; and John Wilkey, junior, son of Scott Wilkey of El Paso.

Dr. B.L. Allen, professor of plant and soil science, is coach of the Soils Team.

FROM LUBBOCK

Visitors in the James Hewitt home over the weekend were their children and their families, Mr. and Mrs. Mike Hewitt and Michelle and Mr. and Mrs. David Hewitt and Clay.

Landowners Complete Conservation Work

Four Knox City farmers will complete conservation work under the Great Plains Conservation Program this year, reports Arche Lieb of the US Soil Conservation Service.

Lieb also reports that six new GP contracts were funded for operation during the year. Landowners receiving cost share funding were Mrs. Juanita Burnett and Mrs. J.B. Ferguson of Knox City, Leon Speer of Truscott, John Cox of Benjamin, and Gene Shackelford and Boddy Therwanger of Munday.

Cost sharing contracts through the GPCP are available to all landowners regardless of race, color, sex, or creed. Cost share assistance covers all phases of conservation work on the farm or ranch. Cost share assistance ranges from 50% to 80% depending on the type of practice needed.

Lieb said a contract can be prepared to complete the needed conservation work in

from three to 10 years, depending on the type of operation and desires of the producer.

Some of the contracts expiring this year took as long as six years to complete. These completed contracts represent many miles of parallel terraces, acres of grassed waterways, farm ponds, diversions, brush control, grass planting, and management practices. This conservation work will have a big impact on controlling wind and water erosion and curtailing pollution.

Landowners completing GPCP contract work this year are L.D. Welch of Gilliland, R.M. Oliver of Knox City, Calvin Christian of Seymour, and Charles Griffith of Benjamin.

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IN DALLAS

Mr. and Mrs. Eddie Shaver were in Dallas last weekend to be with their son and family. Mr. and Mrs. Brack Shaver and Braxton of Uvalde, who were in Dallas for D'Anna to undergo eye surgery at Presbyterian Hospital Wednesday of last week.

She is improving and was allowed to return home Sunday. Eddie and Shay took them to the Dallas-Fort Worth air terminal Sunday afternoon for their return flight.

EARLY THANKSGIVING

Here for an early Thanksgiving celebration last weekend in the home of Mr. and Mrs. J.C. McGee were their children and grandchildren, Mr. and Mrs. Howard Mayfield and Ricky, Mr. and Mrs. Randy Mayfield, Mr. and Mrs. Gary Miller and Mr. and Mrs. Jim Garvey all of Fort Worth, and Mr. and Mrs. Bobby Simpson and Ruth of Haskell.

Mrs. McGee reported that their granddaughter and her husband, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Mays were unable to attend

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Comments

with possession of the ball on our end of the floor, but the last shot was off the mark, and the resulting one point margin of defeat. KC had four people scoring in double figures, with Robert Watson having 10, Charlie Flye 15, Ricky Bishop 16, and Jimmy Moore, 18.

Making up the Varsity team

this year are Seniors Robert Watson, Jimmy Moore, Donnie Skiles, Ricky Bishop, Jimmy Lynn, and Charlie Flye. Juniors on the Varsity are Jerry McCown, Billy Bob Reynolds, and Kelly Robinson. Sophomores are Tommy Mangis and David Anderson.

Two injuries have hampered the Hounds so far with David Anderson being out with a broken thumb and Jimmy Lynn missing the first game with an ankle sprain. Both of these should be back after Thanksgiving.

Our Junior Varsity started out with a victory over Olney by a score of 56-42. Leading the JV's was Mike Howell with 17 points as well as numerous steals on defense. Mark Clonts had 14 points and Jimmy Rushing had 10.

Playing on the JV's this year are Sophomores Mike Howell, Philip Rhodes, Junior Gonzales, Butch Johnson, Mark Clonts, and Charles Durham. Freshmen are Jody McGaughy, David Benson, Jimmy Rushing, David Counts, Doug Ray, Roy Faulk, and Terry Curd. Larry Rios recently moved back and is also on the JV's. He is a Junior.

This is probably the smallest team to take the court on the Varsity level in my six years at KC. Our tallest player is Jimmy Lynn, standing just over six feet. But, on the other hand, this is the quickest team I have ever coached. We also have several people who can shoot the ball real well. With that combination, you'll see the Hounds press and run more this season than ever before. If we can hold our own on the boards, I feel we will be a definite contender for the district title again this year.

By Steve Mellhaney

The 1975-76 Houndette basketball team started its season last week. There are many new faces out on the court this year for the Houndette team. We have only two starters, Jewell Culbertson and Jane Arledge, back from last year's district championship team. Jewell will again be on the guard end while Jane, who played both guard and forward last year will be used mainly as a forward.

I would first like to talk about the guards for this year's team. Defensively we will be as quick and fast as any team that we play. We will be lacking in height, but I think we can make up for this in jumping ability. Starting at guards so far are Jewell, Pam Skiles, and Gayle Ware. Depth is a problem, for we have to go to the forward end to find our fourth guard who will be Sheryll Guinn. We have several guards from the Junior Varsity who might be able to help us after they have played several JV games and get some game experience.

The most pressure will fall upon the forwards for our team this year. Last year the Houndettes averaged 54 points a game and two forwards who accounted for about 43 of those points have graduated. So we are going to have to get points production out of all three of our forwards this year. Jane Arledge has shown already that she can do

Care Home News

by MRS. EDNA EUBANK

We have birthdays coming up in December. Here they are: Cameron Biffle, 15; Mary Jo Fulton, 16; Clara Lowry, 22; Zeola Corley, 23; Cliff Elliott, 27. These old folks deserve remembering.

Mrs. Williamson greeted her daughter-in-law, Thelma one day this week. Other callers were Mrs. Burneson of Munday and her mother, Mrs. Dearing, and Mr. and Mrs. Jess Coates of Plainview.

Mrs. Hill's nephew, Thurman Guley of Munday called on Thursday. Friday Mrs. Guley took Mrs. Hill to Abilene for the afternoon.

Mrs. King greeted Mr. and Mrs. Lynwood Hughes of Plainview, Elvis Phillips of Munday and Mrs. Anderson of Knox City. The latter brought her a shawl crocheted in lovely colors. Mrs. King really appreciated it.

Mrs. Blanche Hodges of Plainview came to visit her father, Mr. Cochran.

Mr. Waldrip was happy to see Elder Crane and wife of Arlington and Selma Hackfield, also.

Henry Etta Smith welcomed Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Davis.

Mabel Coates visited with Mrs. Williamson.

Mr. and Mrs. Fay Wilson of Rochester visited Mrs. Hook.

Mrs. Canaday was happy to spend an afternoon with her daughter, Mrs. Audrey Wallace, who has recently returned from a vacation in Florida.

Mrs. Annie Dowding of Gatesville was at the home greeting her sister Mrs. McAuley and many other friends at the home. She will spend Thanksgiving in Knox City. She called on Mrs. Williamson and Mrs. King.

well at the post position. Marylon Burt and Sheryll Guinn fill out the starting line-up with both playing on the outside and doing the ball handling.

Sarah McGaughy, Tammy Stewart, and Lydia Lankford are the fourth forward filling in where needed.

Offensively, right now we are the weakest and understandably so. Shooting is the hardest part of any game and only through game experience can our forwards improve. Our forwards are coming along well and before the season is out our point production should be up to where we can compete with the schools in our district.

I plan in the future to comment on the Junior Varsity and Junior High teams which play a vital role in building the Varsity teams of future years. So I ask that you support all our teams as much as possible. See you at the next games.

CLASSIFIEDS WORK WONDERS

Truscott - Gilliland News

by JIM CUMLEY

Mr. and Mrs. L.G. McGuire visited Mr. and Mrs. W.J. Swanner in Arlington last week.

Guests of Mr. and Mrs. A.R. Bayers during the week were Mr. and Mrs. Dee Sherlock of San Antonio, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Elliott and girls of Munday, and L.J. Barker of Pampa.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Erwin of Vernon visited Mr. and Mrs. Jim Cash this weekend.

The Tom Westbrook family visited Sally and Cora Tolleson in Quanah Saturday.

Mrs. Idoma Chowning and Mrs. Curtis Casey attended the Study Club meeting in Knox City Thursday.

Visiting the Lloyd Heard family last weekend were Mrs. Paul Enlow of Olney and Mrs. Jewel Heard of Red Springs.

Mrs. D.E. Burgess visited Mrs. Exa Massengil in Vernon last week. Mr. and Mrs. Burgess attended the Rhineland dance Saturday night.

Tuesday Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Casey visited Mr. and Mrs. Price Stephenson and Mrs. L.A. Glascock in Clyde, Sunday, Rev. and Mrs. Don Barron of Eastland visited the Caseys.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Shook of Wichita Falls visited the Elmo Shaw family last weekend.

Guests of Mrs. Vivian Brown over the weekend were Wayne Brown of San Antonio, and Bob Brown of Crowell.

Mrs. H.P. Gillespie spent

STREAMS IN DESERT PLACES by Ozelle Stephens

"Delight yourself also in the Lord, and he shall give thee the desires of thine heart" (37:4).

"How do you delight yourself in the Lord? First you must trust in the Lord your God with all your heart and do good; so shall thou dwell in the land and verily shall be fed." So David just said in the third verse. Here you have also God's security. His promise of love and mercy. Also his promise to those who "wait upon the Lord, they shall inherit the earth." (V. 9).

Another way to delight yourself in the Lord is to be meek. In v. 11 "But the meek shall inherit the earth and shall delight themselves in the abundance of peace. What more do we need to be thankful for and to be ever praising our Wonderful Lord and God for the Streams of His Blessings?

Remember too, v. 23, "The steps of a good man are directed by the Lord; and he delighteth in his way."

FROM ABILENE

Gayle Tankersley of Abilene was a weekend visitor in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Tankersley.

last Monday with Mr. and Mrs. Hubert Chowning in Seymour.

Visitors of Mr. and Mrs. E.J. Jones last weekend were Mr. and Mrs. Q.B. Williams and children of Floydada, and George Cox of Canyon.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Baty of Jal, New Mexico visited last week with Mrs. L.B. Baty.

COMMUNITY NEWS

The Truscott Bi-centennial committee is eager to receive designs for the mural for the side of the community center and ideas for a welcome sign for the highway. If you have any ideas, contact Mrs. Casey or Mrs. J.W. Brown.

The Church of Christ would like to thank all who attended the luncheon Saturday. About 25 were present.

What do you think of a Truscott Bi-centennial coin? The Bicentennial committee wants a reaction to this idea. If enough people are interested, the committee will make arrangements for a coin of our own.

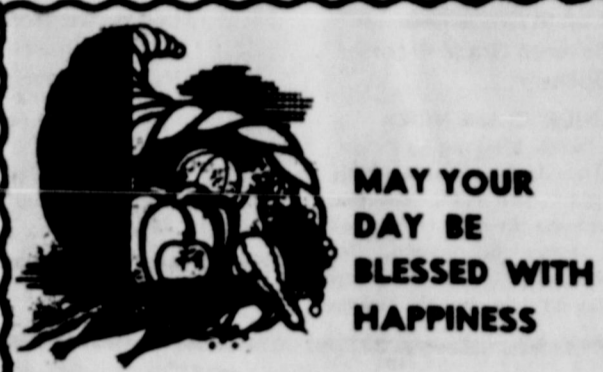
FOOTBALL

Both district champions were victorious in their bi-district games. Crowell walked over Rotan 25-7, while Benjamin won a hard fought

game against Highland 26-17. Regional playoffs start this week with Benjamin playing Thursday night against Marathion at Mertzton. Crowell will play top-ranked Seagraves in Snyder Friday night. Good Luck!

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Sincerely,
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Show respect for all, whate'er they give.
Let us give thanks on this Thanksgiving Day
For the right to worship, work, and play.

Thanks for our flag, that stands so tall and proud,
Thanks for the prayers that we can say aloud.
Thanks for our teachers and our many schools,
The ability to learn and not be fools.

As winter nears and just before the snows,
Let us thank the Lord for all that grows.
Thanksgiving's here and leaves begin to fall,
Give thanks for life, for love... for all.

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