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in Exercises Area Schools

Commencement exercises are scheduled Monday, May 26, at 8:30 p.m. in the Benjamin School Auditorium. Keith Holder, Director of Information Services at Vernon Regional Junior College in Vernon, will be the speaker.

Junior high graduation at O'Brien will be Thursday evening (tonight) in the school auditorium beginning at 8:00 o'clock, according to Superintendent Ed Whiteley.

Graduation exercises for the O'Brien seniors will be Friday, May 23, at 8:00 p.m. in the First Baptist Church in O'Brien with Dr. Joe Marshall of Abilene as speaker.

KC Pageant Set July 18

Plans for the Miss Spirit of '76 contest advanced this week when the Woman's League voted to sponsor a float for the candidates to ride on in the Little Britches Rodeo parade Saturday, June 7.

The theme of the float will be country-western, according to float chairman, Mrs. Robert Howell. The girls may wear jeans, riding clothes, shorts, or other casual clothes in keeping with the theme.

The night of July 18 has been set for the Miss Spirit of '76 pageant. Present plans are for the pageant to be presented outside and a July 25 rain date has also been set.

Stores To Close Monday, May 26

Memorial Day, one of the holidays chosen by the Knox City Chamber of Commerce, will be observed Monday, May 26, and most Knox City businesses will close, according to Mrs. Doris Crownover, secretary-manager.

Some of the service stations and cafes indicated they will be open for business as usual.

Since the holiday falls on Monday, the Knox County News office will be open and readers are asked to call in their news.

Did You Know

that W.C. Hertel, 601 Sunset St., Seymour, Texas 76380, subscribes to The Knox County News?



KNOX CITY'S 1975 EIGHTH GRADE GRADUATION CLASS is pictured back row from left, Roy Faulk, Loran Hedgecock, Jodie McGaughey, Alvin Luna, and class sponsor Mrs. Mary Jo Lankford; third row from left, Doug Ray, Troy Walker, Jan Lowrey, Brenda Albus, Davy Counts, Jimmy Rushing, David Benson, and Mark McGaughey; second row, left to right, Norma Valdez, Johnny Carrasco, Ralph Chaney, Toni Roach, Linda Reynolds, Johnnie Reynolds, and Sylvia Sanchez; front row from left, Mary LaFlower, Terri Mullins, Beverly Ward, Rhonda Skiles, Cynthia Rhodes, Brenda Clark, Skipper Jackson, and Terry Curd.

KC Junior High Exercises Friday

Graduation exercises for the Knox City eighth grade students have been set for Friday evening (tomorrow) in the sanctuary of the First Baptist Church beginning at 8:00 o'clock.

This year's program, as in recent years, will feature the class in presentation of several choral arrangements.

Mrs. Jimmy Rogers and Mrs. J.M. Bradberry will play the professional and recessional; the congregation and class will sing the "Star

Spangled Banner"; invocation will be by Jimmy Rogers; "Battle Hymn of the Republic"; class; Salutatorian address, Jimmy Rushing; valedictorian address, Jodie McGaughey; Mrs. Curtis Casey of Truscott, speaker; "This Land Is Your Land"; class; "God Bless America"; class; presentation of awards and presentation of diplomas, Bill Holcomb, principal; "America the Beautiful"; class; and the benediction by the class.

Honor graduates this year include Jodie McGaughey, Jimmy Rushing, Jan Lowrey, Troy Walker, Terry Curd, Davy Counts, and David Benson.

Other class members include Roy Faulk, Loran Hedgecock, Alvin Luna, Doug Ray, Brenda Albus, Mark McGaughey, Norma Valdez,

Johnny Carrasco, Ralph Chaney, Toni Roach, Linda Reynolds, Johnnie Reynolds, Sylvia Sanchez, Mary LaFlower, Terri Mullins, Beverly Ward, Rhonda Skiles, Cynthia Rhodes, Brenda Clark, and Skipper Jackson.

The exercises can be heard on Channel 2 TV.

Mrs. White Opens Styling Stall Here

The Styling Stall, located in the Mini Mall, re-opened Monday of this week with Mrs. Jo White as the new operator.

Mrs. White, a May graduate of Garland's Beauty School in Abilene, will offer shampoos, sets, color, frosting, permanents, and manicures in addition to styling and blower cuts for both men and women.

Hours for the new business will be from 9:00 a.m. to 5:00



JO WHITE
...new operator

County Mishaps Are Investigated

The Texas Highway Patrol investigated six accidents on rural highways in Knox County during the month of April, 1975, according to Sergeant J.W. Garner, Highway Patrol supervisor of this area.

These crashes resulted in no one killed and two persons injured.

The rural traffic accident summary for this county during the first four months of 1975 shows a total of 21 accidents resulting in no one killed and four persons injured.

The rural traffic accident summary for the 60 counties of the Lubbock Department of Public Safety Region for April, 1975, shows a total of 425 accidents resulting in 18 persons killed and 251 persons injured as compared to April, 1974, with 390 accidents resulting in 19 persons killed and 218 persons injured. This was 35 more accidents, one less killed, and 33 more injured in 1975 at the same period of time.

The 18 traffic deaths for the month of April, 1975, occurred in the following counties: four in Lubbock; two each in Bailey, Clay, and Garza; and one each in Hockley, Wise, Yoakum, Briscoe, Castro, Hartley, Ochiltree, and Potter.

SS Representative To Be In KC Today

Carl Beisner, claims representative from the Vernon Social Security office, will be in Knox City Thursday (today).

He will be at the City Hall between the hours of 10:00 a.m. and noon.

Bicentennial Meet Slated Tuesday

All committee chairmen and members of the Bicentennial Program are expected to be present for a general meeting scheduled Tuesday night, May 27, at 7:30 o'clock in the City Hall.

Winners Named In BVRA Playday

In spite of soaring temperatures Sunday afternoon, there were 31 contestants entered in the Brazos Valley Recreation Association-sponsored playday held at the association's arena on the O'Brien highway.

Shawn Chambers of Haskell took all-around honors in the pee wee division with a first in barrels, a second in poles, and a third in flags.

Doug Brown and Stacia Carver, both of Benjamin, tied for all-around in the Junior division. Stacia, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Carver, placed first in poles, fifth in flags, and sixth in barrels. Doug won barrels, and was second in flags. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Stanton Brown.

Kathy Harrell of Snyder took the senior all-around trophy. She placed first in both barrels and flags, and was third in poles.

Tamie Grindstaff, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Grindstaff Jr. of Knox City, won the open barrel race.

Other placings in the pee wee division were Barrels: 1. Shawn Chambers, Haskell; 2. Troy Pratt, Benjamin; 3. Leah Boone; 4. Jana Hudson, Benjamin. Flags: 1. Troy Pratt; 2. Shawn Cude, Munday; 3. Shawn Chambers; 4. Leah Boone; 5. Jana Hudson, Benjamin; 6. Dana Hudson, Poles: 1. Shawn Cude; 2. Shawn Chambers; 3. Leah Boone; 4. Jana Hudson; 5. Dana Hudson. Honorable mentions in barrels went to Dana Hudson and Shawn Cude, with Troy Pratt receiving an honorable mention for poles.

Junior placings were Barrels: 1. Doug Brown, Benjamin; 2. Jackie Morrow, Roch-

ester; 3. Mike Oliver; 4. Kelley Boone; 5. Ricky Coker, Benjamin; 6. Stacia Carver, Benjamin. Flags: 1. Becky Harrell, Snyder; 2. Doug Brown; 3. Mike Oliver; 4. Ricky Coker; 5. Stacia Carver; 6. Kristi Boone. Poles: 1. Stacia Carver; 2. Brand Cude, Munday; 3. Kristi Boone; 4. Becky Harrell; 5. Jackie Morrow; 6. Lynda Brooke Hudson.

Placings in the senior division were Barrels: 1. Kathy Harrell, Snyder; 2. Johnnie Morrow, Rochester; 3. Tamie Grindstaff, Haskell; 5. Till Burnett, Munday; 6. Brett Boone. Flags: 1. Kathy Harrell; 2. Tamie Grindstaff; 3. Randy Cypert, Munday; 4. Renee Hawkins, Aspermont; 5. Johnnie Morrow; 6. Debbie Aycock. Poles: 1. Renee Hawkins; 2. Debbie Aycock; 3. Kathy Harrell; 4. Till Burnett; 5. Randy Cypert; 6. Tonya Mayo, Goree.

KC Commencement Scheduled Saturday

High school commencement exercises will be held on a Saturday evening for the first time this year. The ceremony will be in the First Baptist Church at 8 p.m. May 24th.

The audio portion of Commencement will be broadcast live on Channel 2 in Knox City for those unable to attend.

School To Dismiss Friday at 2:30 P.M.

According to school officials, the high school students are on a test schedule Thursday and Friday, and all students will be dismissed at 2:30 p.m. Friday, marking the end of the current school year.

Eighth grade graduation has been set for Friday night at 8:00 o'clock and high school graduation is Saturday evening at 8:00 o'clock, both exercises to be held in the First Baptist Church.

The audio portion of these exercises can be heard live on Channel 2 TV.

Second Monthly Check Increases

AUSTIN-- Comptroller Bob Bullock issued checks totaling \$19.9 million Thursday to Texas cities in the second round of monthly city sales tax payments.

The May payments were up from the \$16.1 million repaid April 15 when the monthly system replaced the old, quarterly rebate system with its 60 to 90-day lag time.

But, Bullock said, the big payment will come in June when city allocations are made of the quarterly returns paid by merchants since April 30. The great bulk of that money hadn't reached the Comptroller's office by the May 2 cutoff date for the May payments.

The May rebates were made from money received by the Comptroller between April 4, the cutoff for April's payments, and May 2, Bullock said.

Checks put in the mail Thursday went to 700 of the 809 cities which have the one per cent sales tax. The remaining small cities fell below the \$500 level at which monthly payments are not made.

All rebates, regardless of size, will be issued in June, Bullock said.

Knox City's second monthly check amounted to \$2,619.89, up from the \$1346 received last month.

Other area towns receiving checks include Munday with \$2193.75; Haskell, \$7,038.14; Stamford, \$6,872.86; Anson, \$4,971.79; Seymour \$7,088; Quanah \$8,976.61; Holliday, \$818.20; Rule, \$51.82; Aspermont, \$1,575.51; and Rochester \$1,294.76.

Benjamin Group Plans Rest Stop

The Benjamin Ex-students Association and Knox County Citizens Band Club are continuing efforts to sponsor a rest stop over the upcoming Memorial Day weekend.

The stop will be located at the Fina Station in Benjamin and free refreshments will be available to all motorists who wish to stop, rest, and 'chat a bit', the spokesman said.

The operation will begin Friday at 6 p.m. and will be open continually until 12 midnight Monday.

Officials ask that anyone wishing to work a shift who has not been contacted may do so by contacting Juanita Burnett, Jim Bisbee, Grace Snailum, or Van Green in Benjamin, Jimmy Carden in Munday, or Jackie Baty in Goree.

Commencement speaker will be Price Mathieson, Chaplain of Hendrick Hospital in Abilene. Mr. Mathieson was born, reared, and went to school in Luling, Texas; he received his B.A. and M.S. from Baylor University and also attended the University of Kentucky and Southwestern Baptist Theological Seminary.

Mr. Mathieson was a high school and college athlete and holds a Black Belt in both Judo and Karate. He taught and coached for eight years and was twice elected Coach of the Year by the Kentucky Intercollegiate Athletic Conference. He spent the next four years as a missionary-educator in Japan teaching in a university and has been Chaplain at Hendrick Hospital the past five years.

Knox City will graduate forty seniors this year. Other awards to be announced at Graduation are Best-All-Around Students, Most Physically Fit Students, High Ranking Academically Boy and Girl for the 1974-75 School Year, and students who have not been absent tardy for the whole year and students who made the Honor Roll all year.

Crownover Completes Work At State Tech

AMARILLO-- Art Crownover will participate in Completion Ceremonies for the 1975 State Tech students. Art majored in Meat Processing and Marketing. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. John Crownover of Knox City and is a graduate of Knox City High School.

The completion ceremonies will be held at the Villa Inn Convention Hall, on I-40 East beginning at 8:00 p.m. Thursday, May 22.

Guest speaker for the ceremonies, according to J.W. Sollis, Manager of Student Services, will be the Honorable Charles Reynolds, Court of Civil Appeals, Seventh Supreme Judicial District of Amarillo.

Following the graduation ceremonies there will be a reception and dance in the Villa Inn Convention Hall.

Greyhound Booster Club Meets Tonight

The Greyhound Booster Club has scheduled a called meeting for Thursday (tonight) at the Ag. building at 8:00 o'clock.

There will be an election of new officers for the coming year and all future Freshman parents as well as other parents and interested persons are asked to be present for this important meeting.

Buddy Tolson Issued Water Certificate

Benjamin City Manager J.P. (Buddy) Tolson Jr. attended Central West Texas Regional Water Utilities Short School in Abilene May 6, 7, and 8.

After taking an examination on the last day of school, Buddy was issued the Certificate of Competency for Grade C Water Licenses by Article 447-1, Vernon's Texas Civil Statutes.

Weather

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date	high	low	rain
5-14	70	53	.10
5-15	80	50	
5-16	79	42	
5-17	83	49	
5-18	93	56	.13
5-19	86	58	.05
5-20	88	60	
5-21		62	

HAPPY after cycling to Munday and back in the interest of the American Heart Cyclethon was this group of riders who made the trip in less than four hours. These who were accompanied by the Rev. Dick engaged approximately six miles an hour necessary stops. Pictured from left are Mr. Richards, Gerri Watson, Jeanna Kimberly Whitley. Gerri became ill Munday and Kimberly took over her back to Knox City. The winners will be Thursday (today).

CLASSIFIED ADS

NEED TO FIND someone with good credit to assume low balance on nearly new Organ to be picked up in this area. Has Auto Rhythmic, Hawaiian Guitar, Banjo, Mandolin, One Finger Chords, Piano, and all the extras. Call Mr. Willis person to person collect at 817 738-5651, nights 817-458-2439. 5-15 2tc

FOR SALE: Aberdeen-Angus registered bull yearlings to 2 years, \$200 to \$350. James E. Long, 8 miles north of Crowell. Phone 839-4485 nights. 5-8 5tc

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

HANNAH'S husband hates hard work, so he cleans rugs with Blue Lustre. Rent electric shampooer, \$1. City Hardware. 5-22 1tc

NEEDED IMMEDIATELY - Correspondent for Truscott-Gilliland area. Please contact Knox County News, Knox City, or call 817 658-3142. 5-22 tfc

TOP JOBS AWAITING GRADUATES NEW CLASSES NOW FORMING

Name _____
Address _____
City _____ State _____
Phone _____

DRAUGHONS COLLEGE

THREE FAMILY garage sale - Thursday, Friday, Saturday. 1107 South Fourth. Jo White. You name it - We got it. 5-22 1tp

WATER WELL DRILLING - Irrigation and domestic. Call W.P. Hise (817) 864-3727 in Haskell. 7-18 tfc

BUSINESS FOR SALE: Hazel's Cafe in Benjamin for sale by owner. Call or contact Hazel Stockton (817) 454-2011 or 454-2261. 3-27 tfc

TWO SMALL FARMS for sale. Call 658-3868, Dewey Darr. 5-1 6tp

WANT TO MOW LAWNS. Have own mower. Call Johnny Carrasco, 658-3310. 5-15 3tp

FOR OUR CUSTOMERS who prefer Pentel Pens, we now have them in stock at The Knox County News, \$2.98. 7-11 tfc

FOR SALE: 1969 Datsun 500. Gets good gas mileage. \$600. Henry L. White, call 658-3230 from 8:30 to 5:30. 5-22 1tc

CARRIER WANTED: for Wichita Falls Paper in Knox City. Good pay for short hours. For more information, contact Dick Richards at 658-3263 or 658-3517. 5-22 tfc

FARM & RANCH WELDING, portable welder. Building pipe for sale, different sizes. Will build pens and barns. Call Homer Rolston, 817 454-3341, Benjamin. 1-16 tfc

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

MONTGOMERY-WARD sewing machine, for sale, cheap. Call 658-3827 before 2:30 p.m. 5-22 tfc

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

BE SAFE: Insure all crops now with Largest writers in Texas, with extra expense Harvest Allowance, individual stalk count adjustment on cotton, and reduced rates on Milo. **LEO FETSCH, 422-4259 in Munday.** 5-8 tfc

LOW MILEAGE, one owner, good running, clean, 1971 Toyota Corona, real gas saver. Sam E. Clonts, 658-3340. 5-8 tfc

BRACE YOURSELF for a thrill the first time you use Blue Lustre to clean rugs. Rent electric shampooer, \$1. Perry's, Knox City. 5-22 1tc

TOY & BOOK SALE Friday after 3:00 - Grandmother's carport, 405 So. 3rd. Adam White. 5-22 1tc

FOR YOUR BEST DEAL on automatic or side-rolling sprinkler systems, check first with Buddy Angle, (817) 658-3142 or 658-3327 nights. 3-27 tfc

TWO BEDROOM House for Sale in Rule. Carpeted and Paneled. Across from motel. \$5750.00. Phone 997-2192. 5-22 1tp

C.B. RADIOS - SALE - On all in stock - 10% off. Covey's Garage, O'Brien, 658-3831. 5-8 4tc

MOTORCYCLE for sale - 1973 Yamaha 100. Like new. 658-3945 or 658-3842 - Bud Reynolds 5-22 2tc

FRIGIDAIRE 15 cu. ft. upright deep freezer. Excellent condition. Hob Smith 5-15 tfc

NEED TYPEWRITER or Adding Machine Ribbons? We have a good selection of these as well as typing paper, carbon, and pencils. The Knox County News. tenc

WANTED TO BUY: Used violin case and re-hairable wood bow. Call 658-3833. 5-22 1tc

SUPER GARAGE SALE - 903 So. 5th. New Presto Mist Curler, new barbecue grill, Deacon's bench, plant stands and clothes. 5-22 1tc

Hospital News

PATIENTS IN HOSPITAL ON MAY 18, 1975

Knox City: Edgar Stanfield
Rochester: Joseph Martin (re-admitted), Ben Williams
Munday: Gladys Valencia
O'Brien: Josefa Catano
Old Glory: Dorothy Stulir

PATIENTS DISMISSED SINCE MAY 10, 1975

Knox City: J.V. Denton, Opal Coates, Ruthie Vassar, Virgia Tankersley, Kelton Smith
Guthrie: Viola Connally
Rochester: Ben Williams, Lillie Ballard, Evelyn Rogers, Mary Fair, Joseph Martin
O'Brien: Ruth Johnson
Munday: Edward Smith, Grace Welch, Ethel Richards, John Phillips, Minnie Hughes, Shields Baby Boy
Truscott: Sidney Burton
Benjamin: J.D. Brown, Nell Hudson, Belle Grill and Baby Girl
Red Springs: Susie Flores

PUBLIC NOTICES

"BECAUSE THE PEOPLE MUST KNOW"

LEGAL NOTICE
Sealed bids will be received in the office of Benjamin High School on June 9, 1975, at 8:00 p.m. on one 16-passenger, 1962 Chevrolet school bus. This equipment may be seen at Benjamin School. Bid proposals may be secured by contacting Kenneth Roberts, Superintendent of Schools, Benjamin. 5-22 2tc

PUBLIC NOTICE
That in accordance with article 1377c of the Penal Code, CRIMINAL TRESPASS (Senate Bill 111 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. **JOHN BIGGS, TRUSTEE.** 12-2 tfc

KC Colored News-Events

BY ALESTINE FLYE

St. Paul had a good attendance at Sunday School Sunday, the lesson were found Ezekiel 18:2-13, 30-32 and were well taught by the teacher and review by the pastor. For morning service the pastor preach from 2 Kings 5:1-4, sermon "When you care to give your best, give it to the Lord." Sunday afternoon the Church and Choir were in Seymour for the third Sunday Musical and because of the baccalaureate service, no other service for the day.

The mission ladies held their meeting as usual on Monday evening.

Mrs. Beatrice Mays, Alistine and Perry spent Sunday afternoon visiting Tom Lee Moss and family. Perry were dinner guest of Mother Georgia Sunday also they visit Mrs. Kathrine Flye.

The Goodwill Club will meet in the home of Mrs. Amie Joe Flye, May 27, at 8:00 p.m. and will be making plans for their anniversary for June 26.

Chuck said he be glad when schools out so he can get up early.

SERVICES OF THE CHURCH OF GOD IN CHRIST

Prayer meeting was held last Mon. night.

On Tues. night a meeting was held at the Rule Church in behalf of Missionary Blue's Sunday School Work.

Missionary Blue brought a good message from St. John 6 "Jesus is the Bread."

The YPWW Congress convened in Munday last Wednesday night and ended on Sat. night.

The YPWW dept. did a good job under the supervision of Pres. George Blue.

Missionary Vanderbilt of Rule taught on Wed. night.

Supt. Bennett preached a great message on Thurs. night from Matt. 10:16, Gen. 3:1-6, Proverbs 11:30, Proverbs 18:19, 1 Thess. 5:14, and 1 Cor. 13:11.

Missionary Ward taught the morning lesson from Isaiah 35:8.

Missionary Ward taught on Friday night from Isaiah 6:5-8. "Lord Work it Out."

On Sat. night Elder George Clayton of Waco preached from St. John 9:4.

Sunday School had a good attendance with Supt. Smith in charge.

Missionary Ware taught the morning lesson from Isaiah 35:8.

Announcement: The Rule church will begin its church anniversary this week.

The Abilene District Sunday School Convention will convene the following week in Rule.

ATTEND SERVICE
Mr. and Mrs. Lynn Beason of Lubbock were here Sunday night to attend Baccalaureate services.

LEGAL NOTICE
AN ORDINANCE OF THE CITY OF O'BRIEN, TEXAS, PRESCRIBING METHODS FOR DUMPING IN THE CITY OF O'BRIEN DUMP GROUNDS; SETTING OUT WHAT MAY OR MAY NOT BE DUMPED IN SAID DUMP GROUNDS; AND PROVIDING THE PENALTY FOR VIOLATION THEREOF, REPEALING ALL ORDINANCES AND PARTS OF ORDINANCES IN CONFLICT HEREWITH.

BE IT ORDAINED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF O'BRIEN, TEXAS:
Section 1. That from and after the passage of this ordinance, it shall be unlawful for any person to dump anything refuse any place but the pit, that is provided, in the said dump grounds.

Section 2. It shall be unlawful for any person or persons to dump any dead animal carcasses, any motor vehicles, any tree limbs or any part of the tree that will not go into the pit, or any article that is too large to go into the pit.

Section 3. It shall be unlawful for any person or persons to burn anything in the dump grounds.

Section 4. Any person violating any of the provisions of this ordinance shall be deemed guilty of a misdemeanor, and upon conviction thereof, shall be fined any amount not to exceed the sum of Two Hundred Dollars, \$200.00, and each violation shall constitute a separate offense.

Section 5. All ordinances and parts of ordinance in conflict herewith, are hereby expressly repealed.

Passed, approved, and adopted by the City Council of the City of O'Brien, Texas, on this the 1 day of May, A.D. 1975.

/s/ F.D. Emerson
Mayor, City of O'Brien
5-22 2tc

HONORS to ALL

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STREAMS IN DESERT PLACES

by Ozelle Stephens

"Faith is the substance of things hoped for, the evidence of things not seen." (Heb. 11:1).

Faith is the substance (meaning title deed) of things hoped for.... your faith is your title deed to eternal life. Just as a title deed is evidence of real estate, so your faith is evidence of your eternal estate in God. Regardless of the troubles and afflictions of this life, which is but for a moment, we should never look at them for they are things seen. We should not look at things seen for they are temporal; but the things which are not seen are eternal. Faith is taking God at His word and asking no questions. Faith is knowing that "All things work together for good to them that love God."

There is only one kind of human being in this world that can please God, and that is one who has the faith of Heb. 11:6. "But without faith it is impossible to please God; for he that cometh to God must believe that he is a rewarder of them that diligently seek Him."

SENIORS CELEBRATE WITH GOOD NUTRITION

May is Senior Citizens Month -- a good time to review just what an older person's nutritional needs are.

One problem is that their food intake has declined at a time when nutrient needs remain about the same as during middle adulthood.

Basic nutritional needs for senior citizens include:

- 2 servings (1 cup each) skim or lowfat milk;
- 2 small or 1 large (4 oz.) serving cooked lean meat, fish, poultry, or meat alternative;
- 4 servings (1/2 cup each) fruit and vegetable, including one dark or deep yellow and 1 citrus fruit, juice, or tomato;
- 4 servings of breads and cereals.

EGGS
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LOOK WHO'S HERE!

Mr. and Mrs. Gale Nixon of Lubbock proudly announce the birth of a daughter, Jodie Gale, born Thursday, May 15, at 11:31 p.m. in St. Mary's Hospital in Lubbock. She weighed seven pounds, one ounce, and measured twenty inches long.

Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Lynn Tankersley of Knox City and Mr. and Mrs. James Nixon of Lubbock.

Great-grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Williamson of Clovis, New Mexico.



ORIENT LODGE

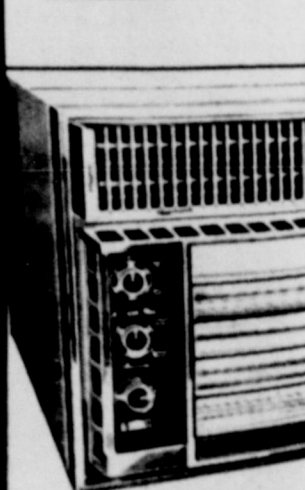
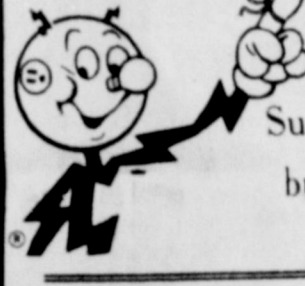
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BACCALAUREATE

First United Methodist Church
Sunday, May 18, 1975, 8:00 P. M.

- Processional ----- Patti Counts
- Invocation ----- Dick Richards
- Scripture ----- Paul Anderson
- Prayer ----- Payne Hattox
- Sermon ----- Tom Neal
- "One Man" ----- KCHS Choir
- Benediction ----- W. R. Shiflett
- Recessional ----- Patti Counts



KNOX CITY SENIORS 1975

SENIOR CLASS HISTORY

Our first year we started out with 61 students and Mrs. Kemletz and Mrs. King were our teachers. That year we visited the courthouse in Benjamin and this was our first ride on a school bus. Bruce Railsback stomped Mrs. Kemletz's toe after asking her if she "wanted a present." We began our "love life" as Doak Graham ran around the corner and kissed Debbie Reese. Debbie didn't like it, so she slapped him. Many of us wrote our first "love letter" which read: "Do you like me? Yes? No? Check One."

Our second grade teachers were Mrs. Weaver and Mrs. Long. We gained Brenda Harris, Ray Hernandez, and Vickie Berryman. Mrs. Long made Kary stand on her head in the bathroom to get rid of the hickups. Wade was called "Butterfly" because of his lack of coordination in holding his crayons.

Mrs. Halbert and Mrs. Jones were the teachers our third year. This was the year of the "monster" game where we identified our "captives" by feeling their heads. New students that year were Bo Johnson and Harvey Reynolds.

Miss Neuman and Mrs. Carleton were our fourth grade teachers. That year Gary Carver, Robert Taylor, and Randy Lewis got licks because Cliff Ray told on them for failing to do their exercises. This year we gained DeLacy Bateman, Mirrio Dever, and Lisa Elston. Also this year learned a new game called soccer. The rule was to kick the ball but instead we spent more time kicking the players.

Our fifth grade teachers were Mrs. Shannon and Mrs. Ross. This was our first year of band with Mr. Arnett. It was also the year of broken hearts when Cliff gave Stacy a box of Valentine candy and she gave it back to him. One day in P.E. Mrs. Shannon got

mad at us when we started laughing at Vickie Flanders when she walked under the volleyball net and pulled her wig off.

Mrs. Casey and Mrs. Draper were our sixth grade teachers. Mrs. Draper's class planned a party for her every other day just to get out of class. This year we had many basketball games. We were entered in the O'Brien 5th and 6th grade basketball tournament. The boys won first place and the girls played for consolation. We felt like we were celebrities because they filmed our game. We lost by two points. New students were Temi Baker, David McGaughey, and Joey Swain.

Mrs. Lankford was our seventh grade teacher. It is a surprising thing that Mirrio Dever isn't bald, since he continuously pulled out his hair. This year the girls won district in basketball.

Our eighth grade year was the year of victories". Our boys won the triple crown. Thanks to Mr. Hays, the study hall teacher, Johnny Bradford and Stephen Logsdon had the most magnificent vocabularies in the class. Also that year the girls' literature class presented a one-act play. Temi and Kary both made their debut by gracefully falling on each other during the middle of the play.

Our freshman year started off with all of us being horrified of Mr. Winchester. Another experience thrown on us was our annual "fish fry". It was thoroughly enjoyed by all except Gae Farmer who was smart and skipped out on us by being allergic to Ben Hur.

Temi and Bo were on the varsity basketball teams and the freshman girls really surprised Mrs. Cash by getting up and walking out on her to get ready for her "surprise" going away party.

Another funny thing that happened was when Carolyn See KC HISTORY Pg 5

KC PROPHECY

We see **Cindy Albus** still sitting in front of B & C Chemical still trying to talk Don Brothers into quitting drinking and getting married. Next we see **Stacy Angle** still living at home. She now has her own column in the Knox County News, "Stacy's Make-up Hints."

From this point of view, we see **Mr. Winchester** as such, in his proverbial flaming wardrobe of exotic black pants, white shirt, and cut-off ties in essence.

We see **Temi Baker** as middle linebacker for the Chicago Bears replacing Dick Butkus.

We see **Vicki Berryman** following Temi and being personal manager as well as team mascot to the Bears.

We see **DeLacy Bateman** living at Waldin Pond writing the most widely read horoscope column in the world.

Jerry Curd, Sammy Valdez, and Harvey Reynolds are arch rivals in the finals of the National Grocery Sacking Contest in Papersack, Kansas.

We see **Laura Lynn** as a

famous feline photographer. She's not quite so "sharp" as she used to be and she's getting kind of "Schkade". Her most-used statement is "I love you and you and you and you and you....."

We see **Sherry Mangis** married to that O'Brien runt. All of their kids are midgets.

We see **David McGaughey** as head custodian of Madison Square Garden.

We see **Mirrio Dever** as a traveling salesman for 8-track tape players.

We see **Lisa Elston** trying out for a part in the children's movie, "Snow White and the Seven Dwarfs".

We see **Gae Farmer** working diligently on her farm while her husband takes care of the household chores.

Coach Lowrey is building his new house on stilts for fear of flood waters.

We see **Donald Swearing** as owner of a nightclub called the "Peephole" where **Brenda Harris** is an exotic dancer and **Robert Taylor** is the Bouncer.

We see **Ray Hernandez** as head sales manager for Coffee Mate Incorporation.

We see **Danny Lewis** racing

his duel lined Holley Carburetor driven wheelchair getting a three gear scratch at the Care Home.

Whoever mentions giving a UAS award to any Junior puts himself in the classification of nurd.

We see **Randy Lewis** just being appointed editor of National Lampoon.

We see **Mike Logsdon** and his band called Mike Nostril and the Pickers.

Merri Clarke has just pulled off the perfect crime by some unknown method. She left the tracks of a pigeon instead of her own.

We see **Debbie Reese** still loyally cheering her heart out although yesterday she was in a near fatal car accident and broke every bone in her body.

Gayle Tankersley is planning her wedding for the 43rd time.

We see **Bo Johnson** making his home in Austin where he's an annual participant in the Texas Relays. He makes some extra money by playing his guitar at the peephole.

We see **Mike Hickman**, but he doesn't see us!!!

In her fight for equal rights, we see **Brenda Harris** saying "If there's two things I hate it's racial prejudice and a honky."

We see **Annette Jackson** as

SENIOR WILL -KC

We the Seniors of 1975 make this our last will and testament to the Senior Class of 1976.

The second period Senior English Class will all the notes that were passed concerning the will during class to Mrs. Burnett.

Debbie leaves Timilu her good healthy legs for the quarter-mile. But she doesn't leave Jerry.

Joey and DeLacy will Mrs. Bausch some legitimate excuses for getting out of her morning classes.

The Senior Class wills Elma Rodriguez Kent Darr's platform shoes.

The Senior Class wills Martha and Margaret a desk to sit in next year in English Class since this year they had two to sit in.

Randy Lewis wills Sherry Grindstaff a black and white plaque with her provisional driver's license attached.

The Senior Class wills Pam Skiles the book entitled "Everything you ever wanted to know about sex, but were afraid to ask."

Doak wills Al his ability to keep Mrs. Watson happy.

The Senior Class wills Rusty Grimsley the ability to run around on his girlfriend without getting caught.

Cindy wills Margaret and Martha one sisterly fight.

Kent Darr wills his beauti-

- Processional ----- Patti Counts
- Invocation -----
- Special Music -----
- Salutatorian's Address -----
- Valedictorian's Address -----
- Introduction of Speaker -----
- Commencement Address -----
Chaplain, Hendrick Hays
- Presentation of Awards -----
- Presentation of Class -----
- Presentation of Diplomas -----
- Benediction -----
- Recessional ----- Patti Counts

ful curly locks to Barbara Ledbetter.

Cindy wills Ray Thompson the ability to take over a former Senior's place at Haskell and all his actions.

The Senior Class wills Mrs. Lowrey a new line--"Secretaries do not sit on tables, but on boss's laps."

Cindy Stacy, and Lisa leave Coach Lowrey a tangled volleyball net with Verna Dean to help him untangle it.

Temi wills Mr. Winchester her ability to be absent without being absent.

DeLacy wills Al and Ricky Bishop a suit of clothes each for those cold winter nights.

The Senior Class wills the School Board all the papers on Chemi ' Intake with a free tube o Testers Airplane Glue.

Brenda Harris wills Mrs. Burnett her hairstyles.

Cindy wills her full length mirror to Patti Counts.

The Senior Class wills Mr. Dillon a green thumb because he needs all the help he can get.

Bo, Don, and Robert will their nights at Munday to Robert Watson and Charlie Flye.

The Senior Class wills Mandy and Payton all the happiness in the world.

Don wills Dr. Dillon a pot full of soul.

Don, Bo, and Robert will Mrs. Baker ten more students like them.

Don and Bo will Mrs. Ledbetter their patience.

Stacy wills Melinda the marriage license she and Joey bought together at Six Flags on the Eighth Grade Trip.

Lisa and Stacy will Cathy Posey a year's supply of typing units to grade.

Gayle, Debbie, and Stacy will Mrs. Newton, Patti, and Sarah a room on the State FHA trip with one bed.

Stacy wills all the twirlers and Mr. Glaze a book with the latest techniques on impeachment proceedings.

Lisa wills Coach Rogers a

A record of growth

Much praise is due this new class of graduates. Their growth and achievements have set high standard for those who follow them. Our strongest praise and good wishes to every senior.

City Hardware
Knox City, Texas

Graduation Time

For the graduates, the past has been time well spent. Commencement marks the attainment of an important goal, and we trust it will be but the first of a long line of accomplishments.

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KNOX CITY, TEXAS

SUCCESS TO THE GRADS!

WHEREVER YOU GO
MAY CONTINUED SUCCESS
WAIT FOR YOU!

Good luck, Class of '75 in all the days ahead.

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WE'RE PROUD

... OF YOU IN THIS HOUR OF ACHIEVEMENT AND HOPE

Edith's
Knox City

seniors at the end of the year with a Hawaiian luau complete with a fattened pig.

Junior Sneak Day was as sneaky as ever. It was hot and everyone blistered bad. Jerry Curd busted his cooler but saved what was in it. Sammy threw up when we first got there -- it must have been something in his beer -- oops, we mean root beer.

Our senior year finds us once again heading for a triple crown win. Our class has always been winners not only in sports but also in literary events and other extra curricular activities.

Not only did we win district in football, girls and boys basketball, girls tennis and golf, but also in the UIL Literary Meet.

David and DeLacy were band beau and sweetheart and Kary and Randy were favorites. Officers are Cliff, Randy, Merri, Carolyn, and Harvey.

Debbie was selected as football sweetheart and she was also a cheerleader and Kary was twirler.

Temi was named to third team all-state and has signed with Western Texas in Snyder. Robert was named to second team all-state in football.

Knox City met Jim Ned for football on an unforgettable windy night in Abilene and then we went back to Abilene to meet Merkel for bi-district in basketball.

Vickie was Miss Firefighter and the girls played regional basketball in Lubbock.

In our four high school years, we have helped earn 22 district championships, three bi-district championships, four regional runner-up championships, and one UIL Literary Meet championship and one UIL band sweepstakes.

Of the sixty-one who started out together, only twenty-one of the original group will graduate together.

Our senior year will be topped off with a five day trip to Galveston.

The senior class is grateful to the teachers here in Knox City Schools for giving them support and encouragement they have during the past years and thank them for making May 24, 1975, possible.

KC PROPHECY
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Miss Breck.

We see Rear Admiral **Randy LaFlower** with a bald head converting his 1953 pickup, if that's what you call it, anyway into a nuclear powered submarine.

We see **Weldon Pharr** converting his old blue Pontiac into a floating dock for Rear Admiral LaFlower's submarine.

We see **Pam Odom** in the future still playing second fiddle in the Dale Bloxham Orchestra.

We see **Cliff Ray** dying of a broken heart because of Peggy not having another girl.

We see **Joe Huff** with dish pan hands with a faded out pinkish looking car.

We see **Kent Darr** replacing Don Cornelius as the host of Soul Train.

We see **Olivia Quintana** planning a bank robbery and then forgetting the plans.

We see **Carolyn Orr** still using a step ladder to get a drink from the water fountain.

We see **Kary Kent** getting high on Black Belt cologne and married to a four foot midget.

In the future we see **Wade Arledge** a partner of the big industry of Conoco Gasoline, since he stays there anyway.

We see **Doak Graham** ordering a custom made pair of glasses from Pittsburg, the steel center of the world.

We see **Joey Swain** finally getting a kicking scholarship to a university after trying out for 14 of them. He does alright until he has his foot bronzed.

We see **Cindy Stone** giving TV demonstrations on disorderly conduct.

Finally we see **Bruce Railsback** as a centerfold in "Cosmopolitan" along side of Burt Reynolds.

Farm-Ranch News
BY HERMAN COLLIER

CROP REPORTS FROM FARMERS NEEDED

During the last half of May, a random sample of some 24,000 Texas farmers will receive a crop acreage questionnaire from Charles E. Caudill, Agricultural Statistician in Charge of the Texas Crop and Livestock Reporting Service in Austin.

This information will be the basis for determining the planted acreage for the state of Texas and for each county. Texas covers such a wide area that state totals alone do not provide adequate information on Texas' most basic industry -- agriculture. The Texas Legislature has provided a program of estimates for each county. This is a cooperative effort of USDA's Statistical Reporting Service and the Texas Department of Agriculture.

Accurate estimates are of great importance to farmers in planning production and marketing and in providing an unbiased picture of Texas agriculture. Farmers who receive questionnaires are urged to complete and return them by mail. All individual reports are confidential and are used only for state and county totals.

KC WILL
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case of Liquid Paper to Mrs. Lowrey for all the erasing in Annual Period.

Kent Darr wills Sheila Cobb, Sandy Stubbs, and Ricky Tankersley his ability to get stuck on muddy roads.

Randy Lewis wills a copy of Jerry Jeff Walker's hit single "Up Against the Wall Redneck Mother" to Rudy Hernandez.

Jerry Curd wills Robert Martinez a blanket that he can wear down town Rochester.

Vickie and Kent will their ability to get chased down hotel corridors in the middle of the night to Scott Richards and Marcelle Durham.

Kent wills Becky a good time in O'Brien.

The Seniors in Business Math will Mrs. Watson to the IRS.

Kent Darr wills Jimmy Don his Afrosheen.

The Senior Class wills Robert Martinez the Happy Housecleaning Award for his fantastic cleaning at school.

Wade wills Mrs. Bausch all his pencils and papers in his math book.

Gae wills her cowboy boots to Sarah McGaughey.

Wade and Harvey will the Knox City Golf Team the ability to break 100.

DeLacy wills Scott Richards a volume of Understanding Astrology.

Harvey wills his great Trig abilities to Ray Thompson.

Gayle T. leaves her green socks to Jane Arledge.

Gayle and Temi will their ability to pop wheelies on a motorcycle to Sandy Stubbs.

DeLacy wills her promise ring to Charlie Flye, with Brenda Harris' permission.

DeLacy would will Al her track abilities, but she gave those to him long ago, so she leaves him the ability to be peaceful in school.



OUR BEST
to the Grads of '75



MAY

Time For Congratulations

You've worked hard for your diploma, graduates and we're proud of you. We wish you well in the years that lie ahead and hope that the time will come soon when we can assist you in your search for happiness, success and prosperity.

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Now Open For Business
Unisex Hair Styling

Open Mondays -- Closed Wednesdays
Hours 9:00 to 5:00

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Study Club Holds Closing Luncheon

The Knox City Study Club met May 15 for its closing meeting of the year.

A covered dish luncheon was served to 17 members and five guests at the Community Center.

After the meal, a program was presented by Charlotte Griffith, who sang two numbers, "Ah Sweet Mystery of Life" and "My Task," accompanied by Mrs. Elizabeth Wilson.

Mrs. Myrtle White gave a report on her recent trip to England, Scotland, and France.

Mrs. J.C. McGee conducted a discussion on plans for the club's participation in the upcoming Bicentennial celebration.

Club members answered roll call by naming a place recently visited.

Hostesses were Mrs. McGee, Mrs. Sammy B. White, and Mrs. Marie Reeves.

Guests included Mrs. Charlotte Griffith, Mrs. Elizabeth Wilson, Mrs. Eddie Bateman Jr., Mrs. Dick Richards, and Kathi Richards.

About Your Social Security

Working persons under 72 getting social security retirement, survivors, or dependents payments should report any changes in their 1975 earnings estimates as soon as possible, according to Carl R. Beisner, claims representative for the Vernon SSA office.

Social security payments to people 72 and over aren't affected by their earnings. "But earnings can affect payments to persons under 72," Mr. Beisner said. "They should report any change in their work or earnings on the post card sent to people who work and get social security checks. If the post card is lost, the report can be made by calling or visiting any social security office."

The Vernon social security office is at 1701 Cumberland. The phone number is 817 552-9346.

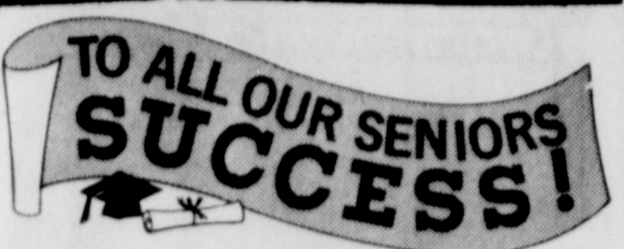
"Persons who find they are earning less than they originally estimated may get additional social security payments during 1975 if they report the change," Mr. Beisner said. "But those earning more than they originally estimated who don't report the change may get social security payments not due them and have to pay back some money at the end of the year."

Social security payments are not affected by earnings of \$2,520 or less for the year. Payments are reduced \$1 for each \$2 earned over \$2520, but no matter how much persons earn in a year, they can get their full social security payment for any month they neither earn over \$210 nor do substantial work in their own business.

The Social Security Administration is an agency of the U.S. Department of Health, Education, and Welfare.

On this milestone occasion, we salute you and offer best wishes for all the days yet to come.

the "Best of Luck."



Best Wishes

First Christian Church

Tom Neal, Pastor Knox City

GOOD LUCK, GRADS

At this important time of your life, we'd like to add our own personal Congratulations and Good Wishes to you. We hope that your future hopes and ambitions will be crowned with success and fulfillment, and that your life will always be filled with Good Health and Happiness. Congratulations from all of us!

Jean's
Mr. and Mrs. Vic Thomas and Karae Clara Hodges - Mae Edge

The Seniors...

all "wound up" and ready to GO!

Good Luck and Best Regards to each of them... from all of us!

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Congratulations Graduates

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UP TO YOU

toward the future we wish for you success and advancement.

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Baccalaureate Services

Sunday, May 25, 1975 - 8:30 P. M.

- Processional Barbara Pierce
 - Invocation David Jones
 - Introduction of Speaker Greg Bisbee
 - Speaker Rev. Paul Anderson
*Pastor, First Baptist Church
Knox City, Texas*
 - Benediction Deann Young
 - Recessional Barbara Pierce
- USHERS**
- Kenneth Groves
 - Dorthy Golden
 - Keith Conner
 - Debra Hudson
 - Diane Green



BENJAMIN CLASS PROPHECY

This is the year 1995, and we are attending the Senior Class's twentieth reunion. I have interviewed the graduating seniors and found they all have gone on to fame and fortune after graduating from Benjamin High School. These are some of the things they told me:

Greg Bisbee is now appearing on stage in New York in the world-famous play, "Hippie Ridge." Greg is also producing, directing, starring, and co-starring in this play. He spends his spare time psychoanalyzing the entire cast.

Scotty Hertel has, during the past 20 years, been voted Best-All-World Basketball player. However, he has sacrificed a brilliant career in basketball to become vice-president of Milson & Sons Chemicals, Inc. Scotty's chief duty is assisting Professor Milson in the lab.

Apolonio Estrada has retired after a long career involving fast cars and beautiful women. Apo has retired to his palatial mansion in Monterey, where he spends several hours each day improving his skill at the game of pool. He is best known as Monterey Fats.

David Jones is now known as King C.B. He has a monopoly on all Citizens Bands. No one can talk to David without paying a fee, then one can not understand him because he uses code numbers only. He is also the only golden-voiced singing star of the B.B.N. His final words to this reporter were, "OK, OK, 10:4 -- we're layin' it on the side now."

David Milson, our own tennis pro, has made a great name for himself by defeating Billie Jean King, Chrissie Everett, and Bobby Riggs. David now spends most of his time autographing tennis balls. He is also known by the

football helmet he wears wherever he goes. The purpose of the helmet is to ward off Howard Cosell's tobacco plugs. Oh, yes, David spends part of his time working in Milson & Sons Chemicals, Inc.

John Golden is now chairman of the board of J.P. Golden's Auto Body Works. John spends most of his time trying to explain his auto guarantee to Ralph Nader. His guarantee reads that the repair he has done on your car will last for five miles or three minutes, whichever comes first. John has never married, but, because of his love of children, he has adopted five sons and is teaching them the art of eraser throwing, skipping school, and hiding from teachers. He feels that these are skills that must not be neglected.

Ann Brannan, as you know, has just been elected President of the United States after a short political career. She is the first woman to hold this high office and attributes her success to having been psychoanalyzed by Dr. Greg Bisbee while still in high school. Ann says that without the aid of Dr. Bisbee, she would never have gotten her head on straight.

Meta Juarez has done well in the medical profession. She has finally become a full-fledged M.D. As a sideline, Meta makes Chiquita Banana commercials and does guest appearances on Marcus Welby, M.D. in order to pay her medical malpractice insurance.

Deann Young leads a busy life as head nurse at Medical Center. She is also known as Queen of the Kounty Seat Kickers square dance club. Deann was offered a job

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Class of '75

Greg Bisbee, son of James R. Bisbee is finishing his first and last year at Benjamin High. Greg says he is a non-participant in all sports ranging from football to track. After school, he says he might go to the Army, school, work, or just bum around.

Rushie Ann Brannan, the daughter of Mrs. Gertrude Brannan is a senior at Benjamin High School. She played guard on the basketball team. She was chosen FFA Sweetheart, Halloween Queen, Senior Favorite, Miss Firelighter, and Football Sweetheart. Some of her hobbies are listening to music, square dancing, and riding horses. After graduation she plans to attend Vernon Regional Junior College or go to work.

Apolonio Estrada is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Apolonio Estrada Sr.

John Paul Golden is the son of Mr. and Mrs. J.C. Golden.

Scotty Hertel is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Don Hertel and has spent all of his 12 educational years at Benjamin. He has participated in basketball for four years and golf for one. After graduation he plans to attend college but has not yet decided which one.

David Charles Jones is the son of Charles and Joy Jones of Benjamin. David has attended school at Benjamin for the past 12 years. During his high school years, David has been active in basketball, golf, and U.I.L. events. David plans to go to school at Vernon after graduation from Benjamin.

Meta Juarez is a senior at

Benjamin High School. She lives in Vera with her parents. Mr. and Mrs. Pete Juarez. She is 18 years old and was born in Plainview, Texas. She started school at Benjamin when she was in the eighth grade. After graduation she plans to go to nursing school and become an LVN nurse. She was a member of FHA and the Pep Squad while in high school. Meta played basketball for two years.

David Milson, son of Mr. and Mrs. S.L. Milson, is finishing the last of his school days at Benjamin High School. He has been a participant in football three years, tennis for four years, track two years, FFA four years, and has been an officer in FFA for three years, plus class officer for three years. After high school, David plans to attend college and play basketball or tennis.

Debbie Stamps is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Van Green. She is married to Ricky Stamps. While in high school, Debbie was a cheerleader, FHA members, and on the girls' basketball team.

Ava Deann Young, the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. F.L. (Dutch) Young, has attended Benjamin High School for the past twelve years. During her high school years, Deann has been a member of Future Homemakers of America, Pep Club. She has been manager of the basketball team for four years. Deann was born in the Baylor County Hospital on September 24, 1956. She has one brother, Mike, of Benjamin and one married sister, Mrs. David Golleher of Wichita Falls. Some of her hobbies are reading and square dancing. After graduation, she plans to attend nursing school in Sevmour.

BENJAMIN CLASS HISTORY

On a lovely autumn day twelve years ago, ten innocent, unsuspecting little children were suddenly snatched from their mothers' arms and sentenced to 12 years of enlightenment. Starting out together with Mrs. McGaughey were Jim Doby, Debbie Green, John Paul Golden, Scotty Hertel, David Jones, Tonya Mueller, Ronnie Patterson, Cindy Stone, Deann Young, and David Golden, who waited for us.

Some of the highlights of our first year was David Jones getting the first whipping for standing at the water fountain too long -- a habit he has continued more successfully.

This group spent a lot of time hiding in the closet and Scotty was the only one that could read or spell closet. King and Queen candidates that year were Cindy Stone and Ronnie Patterson. The year was concluded rather successfully with a picnic to Vernon, touring the fire station - riding a fire truck, and looking at bird eggs. We weren't too impressed with our first year experience with the learning process.

Mrs. McGaughey stayed with us our second year and now we totaled 15. Ronnie and Susan Wheeler, Vicky Ansley, Kathy Engbrock, and Betty Reynolds joined our class. King and Queen candidates were Scotty and Tonya Mueller. No one remembers where they went or what they did that year.

In the third grade our teacher was Mrs. Roberts and we gained some and lost some. The Wheelers and Pattersons left. Apo and Chris Stone joined us. Now we numbered 11. King and Queen candidates were Scotty Hertel and Vicky Ansley. On our school trip we went to

Commencement

Monday, May 26, 1975

- Processional
- Invocation
- Salutatory
- Valedictory
- Introduction of Speaker
- Speaker
*Director of Information
VRJC - Vernon, Tex*
- Presentation of Awards
- Presentation of Diplomas
- Benediction
- Recessional

Rule to a movie with the big kids in the fourth, fifth, and sixth grades.

In the fourth grade Mrs. Woolley had the pleasure of our company. We were still ten strong. King and Queen candidates that year were Debbie Green and Chris Stone.

That year at the end of school we went skating at Vernon, we would have gone bowling but no one could pick up the ball, so we went to the park and saw the bird eggs once more.

Mrs. Roberts caught up with us in the fifth grade and now we numbered 11. We gained Mike Pope and Juan Perez and lost Jim Doby.

King and Queen candidates were Debbie Green and John Paul. No one remembers anything particularly exciting that year. We went to Old Abilene Town at the end of school.

Mrs. Roberts stayed with us in the sixth grade. We lost

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To all our friends on Cloud 9 ... Congratulations and Good Luck

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Congratulations

You've come a long way, graduates. We join family and friends in wishing you continued success and achievement.

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Benson's Tea

Billy
Billy Carl
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Congratulations To the Seniors

A memorable event when young men and women are honored for their scholarly efforts and achievements. Graduation Day is a measure of determination and diligence, a promise to the world of maturity and willingness. Graduation Day we proudly offer our congratulations to the Class.

Katrine's Hair Fa
Benjamin, Texas

MIN NEWS

Van Green

friends over the weekend.

Mrs. Lee Snailum attended the funeral of Mrs. Marie Mac Ginnis in Quanah last Thursday.

Recent guests of Mr. and Mrs. Lee Snailum were Mr. and Mrs. John Sisk of Carlsbad, New Mexico, Lois Givens of Plano, Katherine Huntsman of Hale Center, Mr. and Mrs. Randy Snailum of Lubbock, Charles Snailum of Anchorage, Alaska, Mrs. Linda Rogers, Kristin, and Jason of Amarillo.

Mrs. Carmen Young is visiting her sister in Chillicothe this week.

Mrs. Lee Snailum spent Mother's Day with her son and family, the Jerry Snailums in Plano.

Mrs. Stanton Brown and Doug were in Abilene Friday for Doug to undergo a check-up.



TERRI SUE BROWN

Benjamin Woman's Kin Is Honored

Teri Sue Brown, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. T.B. Brown of Lubbock and granddaughter of Mrs. Ed Nolan of Benjamin, recently received an award for the best musician in the sixth grade in Copper School in Lubbock.

She is first chair in the flute section in the school band.

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square dancing on the Lawrence Welk TV show, but she couldn't go to the show's New York headquarters because she hasn't learned to shift the gears on her little white Falcon yet.

Debbie and Ricky Stamps have been working on their Stamp collection for the last 20 years. So far, they have quite a variety in all ages and sizes. In fact, at the present time, they have six pink Stamps and plan on acquiring a few blue ones. In order to afford such a large collection, Ricky has taken a second job at Milson & Sons Chemical Company to supplement their income.

BENJAMIN HISTORY

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sponsor and we went to Six Flags. We wanted to spend the night but the mothers wouldn't let us. Meta joined us and we got to graduate. Scotty was valedictorian and Ann was salutatorian.

Cindy Stone left and we were back to 12. Mr. Roberts was still our sponsor so we just went back to Six Flags the day of the "Record Crowd". Freshman Favorites were Debby Green and Christ Stone.

Our Sophomore Year we were still an even dozen. Mr. Chapman was our sponsor and kept the money in the ice box. Class favorites were David Milson and Ann Brannan. Class representatives were Meta and Apo. We went to Cisco on our school trip.

The best thing that happened our Junior year was beating O'Brien 70-66. Winning district for the first time in the history of Benjamin football. David Milson won district in tennis and Scotty Hertel won all district in basketball. Debbie Green was Cheerleader. Class favorites were David Milson and Ann Brannan. Representatives were Scotty Hertel and Deann Young.

There were 11 of us and we lost Noel Hamilton. Mr. Grill was our sponsor and we had a fabulous Rock and Roll Banquet that year.

We went to Wichita Falls on our school trip and had the best time we ever had. Debbie Green married Ricky Stamps and Chris Stone married Sandra Day.

This year we started our Senior year with 10. We gained Greg Bisbee and lost David Golden. We also lost a Grill to a Driver as sponsor. Class officers are David Milson, Scotty Hertel, Ann Brannan, and Apolonio Estrada. The class favorites are Ann Brannan, Meta Juarez, Deann Young, and Debbie Stamps. That brings us up to date at this time.

VISIT MRS. KING

Here on Mother's Day to be with Mrs. Ida King were her children, Mr. and Mrs. Oliver King and family of Plainview, Pauline and Bryan Hewitt of Torrance, California, Mr. and Mrs. Joe King, Johnny and Kim of Nazareth, Texas, Mary Lou DeFour of San Bernardino, California, and Fannie and Doug Carlisle and Jim of Kress.



LEWIS BATY
...valedictorian



TRACY CARTWRIGHT
...salutatorian

Jr. High Honor Grads Named At Benjamin

The Benjamin Schools have released the names of the 1975 eighth grade honor graduates.

Named as valedictorian is Lewis Baty, whose average was 97.05. His parents are Mr. and Mrs. L. B. Baty of Gilliland.

Salutatorian is Tracy Cartwright with an average of 93.88. Tracy is the son of Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Cartwright of Benjamin.

Benjamin.

Benjamin's eighth grade graduation is scheduled Friday night, May 23, at 8:30 in the school auditorium.

RETURNS HOME

Mrs. Bertha Trimmier returned home Sunday evening after spending a week in Corpus Christi visiting her son, Boyce Qualls and family.

While there, she attended graduation exercises at Texas A&I University in Corpus Christi where her granddaughter, Rebecca Ann Qualls, was among the 259 graduates. She received the bachelor of science degree.

Chock Reeves met his mother-in-law at the Abilene Airport to return her home.

Boyce had visited his mother and other relatives here the week before.

FROM AMARILLO

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Cornett and Bryant of Amarillo visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Cornett Sunday and Monday.

IN EGENBACHER HOME

Randy Egenbacher and two friends of Lubbock visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Egenbacher last weekend.

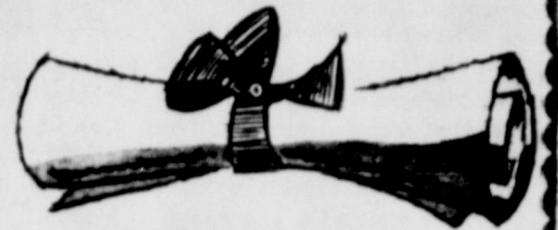
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SENIORS!

GOOD LUCK

As you receive your diploma, we hope you continue to look ahead and plan for the future... and we hope the future holds much for you.

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Knox City, Texas

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KNOX CITY

TO THE SENIORS!



TO THE SENIORS!

County News

The Buddy Angles
The Dick Richards
The Grady Benedicts



TAKE A BOW!

We're proud of you all, Class of '75.



to some very special V.I.P.'s

Congratulations

We're proud of the Seniors. Their endeavors and achievements make them very important people to us. We take the greatest pride in offering to them our sincerest congratulations.

Ward's Hocus Pocus

KNOX CITY

GREETINGS TO THE SENIOR CLASS

Graduation Day! It's a proud moment for every Senior; a culmination of years of work and study and steadfast purpose.

Our thoughts and good wishes are with the Seniors at this special time. With esteem and respect we wish them a future of success and happiness.

Knox City Grain Co., Inc.

Billy Mitchell, Mgr.



CONGRATULATIONS, GRADUATES

THE FUTURE OF THE WORLD IS YOURS TO SHAPE

The world is now your proving ground. You'll be given

a chance to test your ideas and theories. Once proven, they will be used towards a better tomorrow for all. Our best goes with you.

WE WILL BE CLOSED MONDAY, MAY 26, IN OBSERVANCE OF MEMORIAL DAY

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Knox City, Texas



TOP FFA AWARDS went to these students Monday night at the annual banquet. Reading from left, Donny Mullins, Chapter Herdsman Award; Mike Burkham, Chapter Star Farmer; Joe Huff, DeKalb Award; and Brett Boone, Star Greenhand. Mike also brought home a first place in Area IV competition last weekend in public speaking. He is now eligible to compete on the state level July 10 at the State FFA Convention in Houston.

Banquet Honors Future Farmers

One hundred and ten Future Farmers of America and guests were on hand Monday night in the school cafeteria for the annual FFA Awards Banquet.

The opening ceremony was given by FFA officers Cliff Ray, president; Joey Swain, vice president; Randy Lewis, sentinel; Mike Burkham, reporter; Dale Bloxham, treasurer; Mark Howell, secretary; and Leon Burkham, advisor.

Cliff Ray gave the welcome and extended a special thanks to parents and guests who were present.

The invocation was given by Mark Howell.

Receiving top awards were Brett Boone, Star Greenhand Award and Scholarship Award; Mike Burkham, Chapter Star Farmer Award; Donny Mullins, Chapter Herdsman Award; DeKalb Award, Joe Huff; and leadership awards, Cliff Ray and Temi Baker.

Special horticulture awards

were presented to Mirrio Dever, tomato production; Elma Rodriguez, chrysanthemum production; Ray Hernandez, poinsettia production; and Sarah McGaughey, greenhouse management.

Certificates of merit were presented Raul Espinosa, shop safety; Mike Howell, poultry judging and swine production; Mark Clonts, land judging; Tommy Mangis, parliamentary procedure; Rodney Warren, dairy products; Wade Arledge, shop skills; Jerry Eaton, agriculture mechanics; Joe Huff, shop skills; Eddie Johnson, shop skills; Danny Lewis, arc welding; Mike Burkham, public speaking; Rusty Grimsley, swine production; Donny Skiles, pork production; Mark Howell, pork production; Payton Tankersley, livestock production; Bobby Marion, pork production; Jerry McCown, beef production; and Billy Bob Reynolds, mutton production.

FFA Foundation Awards

were presented to Sarah McGaughey, natural resource development; Mark Howell, livestock farming; Brett Boone, dairy farming; Donny Skiles, farm safety; Tommy Mangis, farm safety; Wade Arledge, farm safety; Randy Lewis, public speaking; Mark Howell, public speaking; Mike Burkham, public speaking; Jimmy Albus, crop farming; Payton Tankersley, livestock production; Mark Clonts, soil and water management; Charles Durham, soil and water management; David Anderson, soil and water management; Jerry McCown, beef production; Mark Clonts, outdoor recreation; Mike Burkham, sheep production; Rusty Grimsley, swine production; Junior Gonzales, poultry production; Danny Lewis, sales and service; Rudy Hernandez, placement in agriculture production; Jerry McCown, fish and wildlife management; Jerry Eaton, agriculture mechanics; and Donny Mullins, home im-



SPECIAL LEADERSHIP AWARDS in F.F.A. went to Temi Baker and Cliff Ray.



WINNING SPECIAL HORTICULTURE Awards Monday night were front row, left, Elma Rodriguez and Sarah McGaughey. Back row, from left, Ray Hernandez and Mirrio Dever.

provement.

Receiving Greenhand Degrees were Jimmy Albus, David Anderson, Brett Boone, Mark Clonts, Charles Durham, Raul Espinosa, Junior Gonzales, Mike Howell, Tommy Mangis, Eddie Martinez, Donny Mullins, Philip Rhodes, and Rodney Warren.

Chapter Farmer Degrees

White Praises Howard For Foreign Beef

AUSTIN--Agriculture Commissioner John C. White praised the special efforts of six Texas legislators who are responsible for the bill to prohibit purchases of foreign beef by state and local government institutions and schools.

Representative George L. Preston of Paris introduced HB 318, co-sponsored by Representatives W.S. (Bill) Heatly of Paducah, John Wilson of La Grange, Susan Gurley McBee of Del Rio, and others. It was carried in the Senate by Senators William T. Moore of Bryan and A.M. Aikin of Paris.

pected under rigid state health requirements. Foreign meats previously imported for these programs were exempted from state health safety standards." White pointed out.

Governor Dolph Briscoe has signed the bill, which becomes law immediately. The State Department of Health is responsible for developing regulations and handling violations of the legislation.

All state institutions such as colleges, prisons, and hospitals are covered by the law. Also included are institutions supported by

"The impact of this law will mean that the millions of dollars that were going to Australia, New Zealand, and other foreign countries will stay in Texas," White said.

"In addition, the law assures mothers and fathers that meat now served in school cafeterias will be in-

WEEKEND GUESTS

Mr. and Mrs. John Helms and Galen of Farmers Branch were here for the weekend visiting her family. Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Elston and Lisa, and his family, Mr. and Mrs. Johnny Helms, Jimmy and Diane, and his grandmothers, Mrs. Ora Lee Helms and Mrs. Hazel Clark and Waynelle of O'Brien.

They also attended Baccalaureate Services on Sunday night. Anna's sister, Lisa, is among the graduating seniors.

HOLLIS GUESTS

Sunday visitors in the Hollis home were Mr. and Mrs. Roy Burgess of Snyder, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Stanley of Lubbock, Mr. and Mrs. Lynn Tankersley of Knox City, Mrs. Wynette Hollis, Robbie and Holly of Wichita Falls.

Saturday night visitors were Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Wilhite of Knox City.

GOOD LUCK

.. and congratulations hope of our future

Marion's Mobil
Knox City

Congratulations

on your **GRADUATION**

Well done, graduates! You've completed the goal you've been striving for and now you're looking for new worlds to conquer . . . Some of you plan to go on to college while others will be getting started on an exciting career. We wish you success in whatever you do and hope we can be of assistance to all of you.

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REVEALED AS THE 1975-76 CHEERLEADERS FOR KCHS during Saturday night's Awards Banquet were, from left to right, head cheerleader Adrian Jones, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Henry J. Jones; Sandy Stubbs, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jack Stubbs; Sheryll Guinn, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Guinn; and Sarah McGaughey, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Allen McGaughey.

Greyhounds and then expressed appreciation to W.A. (Bill) Magee for his outstanding work the past year as Booster Club president. He also extended his personal thanks to The Knox County News for its support during the school year.

Special recognition was given three young men who participated in starting capacities on teams in both junior high and high school when triple crowns were won by Knox City Schools. These included seniors Cliff Ray, Eddie Johnson, and Robert Taylor.

Taylor was also honored by being named Most Outstanding Athlete, determined by a point system in participation and awards received.

A special track award went to Al Bateman whose overall average made him high point individual on the KC team.

Eddie Johnson was named Outstanding Track Athlete.

Details and pictures of other honors at the UIL Banquet are featured in this week's special edition of the News.



CHOSEN AS BEST ALL AROUND BOY AND GIRL at KCHS for 1975 were Temi Baker, who won the award for the second consecutive year, and Robert Taylor. Both are senior students.

Temi And Robert Are Named Best All-Around

Best All-Around Boy and Girl at Knox City High School were named Saturday night at the UIL banquet.

The honors went to seniors Temi Baker and Robert Taylor.

Temi, the daughter of Supt. and Mrs. W. R. (Bill) Baker, won the award for the second consecutive year, and has been very active during her four years of high school. She has been a member of Beta Club, Band, FHA, FFA, FTA, Pep Club, and has participated in basketball,

tennis, golf, and track. She was elected sophomore class favorite.

Robert's four years of high school have also been very successful. He participated in football, basketball, and track. In football, he made first team offensive and defensive guard in 1973 and also in 1974. He was Best All Around Athlete in 1974. In 1975, he was selected All Area Lineman. In basketball, he made second team all-district in 1974, and all-tournament two consecutive years. In track, he won two gold medals at the district meet last year.

This year he was named Most Outstanding Athlete.

WTC Signs Player No. 4

SNYDER-Belinda 'Tootie' Stevenson of Seagraves has become the fourth outstanding high school basketball player to sign a letter of intent with Western Texas College for the fall semester.

Seagraves won two consecutive district championships during Miss Stevenson's high school career and ended the past season with a 22-6 record. Miss Stevenson, 5'7", averaged 31 points per game as a member of the Seagraves team. She made first team All-State for Class A schools and was also chosen to the All-District 5-A team in both her junior and senior years. Her high school coach was Randy Allen.

"Tootie is considered one of the best offensive players in West Texas," Dr. Sid Simpson, WTC Athletic Director and women's basketball coach, said. "She is extremely adept at driving in to the basket and has a deadly jump shot from short range. Her quickness should enable her to make rapid adjustment to the full court college game. We plan to use Tootie at both forward position and as a play maker. Her speed should help our pressing game."

Miss Stevenson is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Bob Stevenson.

Players previously signing with WTC are Temi Baker of Knox City, Patty Hulme of Coahoma, and Rosemary Scott of Slaton.



TOP BAND AWARD RECIPIENTS Saturday night at the U.I.L. Banquet were David N. McGaughey, left, who received the John Philip Sousa award and was also named to Who's Who Among Music Students in American High Schools, and Ricky Bishop, re-elected as band president and named as Outstanding Bandsman.

Top Band Awards Presented

Senior David N. McGaughey, son of Mr. and Mrs. John McGaughey, received the John Philip Sousa Award Saturday night at the UIL banquet with selection to Who's Who Among Music Students in American High Schools. This year David has been elected Band Beau, chosen for All District and All Region Bands, received a first division on his solo, and is a State Solo Qualifier.

Ricky Bishop was re-elected band president and announced as the recipient of the Outstanding Bandsman Award. He also is a first division soloist and State Solo Qualifier.

Ricky is a junior student and the son of Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Russell.

IN TANKERSLEY HOME

Mr. and Mrs. Don Tankersley and family of Lubbock visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Tankersley, over the weekend.

Best Wishes on your
GRADUATION
 Congratulations on this great step in your life -- Seniors '75
 May you continue to ask the Lord to guide in future steps.
 "The Steps of a good man are ordered by the Lord."
 Psalms 37:23
First Baptist Church
 Paul Anderson, Pastor Knox City

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Best of Luck
GRADS

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 And we wish you lots of joy and success.

SUCCESS!
 and always - best wishes to the outstanding Class of 1975.

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 And Associates
 Knox City, Texas

Baccalaureate Services

WEDNESDAY, MAY 21, 1975

8:00 P. M.

Processional Diane Phillips

Invocation Ivan Rowan

Introduction of Speaker Sharon Adkisson

Speaker Bob Cameron
First Baptist Church, O'Brien, Texas

Announcements Ed Whiteley

Benediction Charles Reed

Recessional Diane Phillips

USHERS

Betty Gutierrez Vicki Hewitt
Jaime Rocha Devey Holmes

O'BRIEN CLASS PROPHECY

The other day I was walking down the street and I passed by a Fortune Tellers shop and I thought why don't I go in and ask her if she can tell me the future of the Seniors of 1974-75. I sat down beside her and she began to look into the crystal ball. She saw a vision. It was a young man, Melvin or better known as "Wolfman". Yes, he finally got his dream car, the one he's always wanted ever since he was a Senior at O'Brien High. A car with a mirror on the passenger's side, full length so he can see his whole self.

And then, my good friend Keith, remember him? He used to rope calves, but he's gotten too good for that. He's got a new fad now. He's now roping FLIES!

She saw another vision and it was Lalo, Lalo Garcia. Yes, it's 1998 and Lalo and Elma are still planning on getting married. Hang in there, Elma! One of these days!!!

And remember Steve Rojas. Well, he is still one of Mrs. Tankersley's better students. If you listen closely, you call still hear him asking, "Did you get one? I did. I scored 112." He only ask when his is the best.

Lillie has joined "The Billy Graham Crusade." She took the place of Ethel Waters, and Lillie really puts a lot of "Soul" into it.

And Trudy Covey, yes, ever since she won the Betty Crocker award, she decided to compete against Aunt Jemima. And of course, she won. Sharon is now a pastor in Chicago somewhere. She is very good at it. Rita and Trudy are the first to get to the Church Socials. Could it be because they make the "punch"?

Carmen has now opened up her own taxi cab service. She seems to be getting more and more business and it's driving everyone "bananas."

Rita is now on Broadway. She has taken the place of Cher Bono. She seems to like what's beside her on stage as well as off. (Sonny)

And Elida, well, she still spends her visiting hours in the Haskell Courthouse.

Class of '75

Sharon Lynn Adkisson the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. H.L. Adkisson, is a 1975 Senior at O'Brien High School.

Sharon was born November 24, 1957, in Toule, France. Sharon has participated in all school activities such as Pep Squad, Basketball, track, and UIL events. She has also participated in FHA and has held chapter offices, as well as 1974 Area IV Parliamentarian.

Sharon plans to go to South Plains Junior College and attend summer school.

Keith Rowan was born on May 23, 1957, in the Knox County Hospital. He has always lived in O'Brien and has attended O'Brien School for all twelve years. He has one older brother, Wayne, and an older sister, Gail, and a couple of parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ivan Rowan.

In high school he has participated in basketball for four years, football for two years, track for four years, and FFA for four years. As a Senior he was elected FHA Beau and is graduating as salutatorian of the class. He was freshman class favorite and qualified for regional in track his sophomore and junior years. During his senior year, he was editor of the school newspaper.

Keith's favorite sports and hobbies include calf roping, horseback riding, and ping pong.

He is still unsure of his future plans, but plans to start college in the fall somewhere.

On March 17, 1957, Rita Diann was born to Mr. and Mrs. E.F. Jackson, just outside New Orleans, Louisiana. She has one older brother in college, and two younger brothers and four younger sisters.

She has participated actively in track, volleyball, basketball, and FHA in high school.

Her junior year she competed at the State Literary Meet in Austin in U.I.L. Ready Writing. She was a member of the One-Act Play and was elected to the District All-Star Cast.

Steve Rojas was born November 28, 1954, in the Knox

Good Luck Grads



ED WHITELEY JAMES REID ROSEMARY DODD VELTA REID



SHARON ADKISSON ELIDA ALSIDIS CARMEN CONN LALO GARCIA STEVE ROJAS KEITH ROWAN

Her Senior year, Rita maintained her guard position and served as co-captain of the basketball team. Also she was Class Reporter, Co-Editor of the Bulldog Yearbook, Sports Writer for the Bulldog Barker, and a member of the newly-organized Drill Team.

After graduation, she plans to enter into the field of law-enforcement.

Trudy Covey, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. L.A. Covey, has completed her entire twelve years of education at O'Brien High School.

Trudy was born December 20, 1956, in Hendrick Memorial Hospital. She is the oldest of the four Covey children.

During high school, she has been active in several activities. For four years she has been in FHA, being an officer for three of those years, a member of the Pep Club, and manager for the High School Girls' Sports. Her Junior Year she won second in the State UIL Meet at Austin in Journalism. Her Senior Year she was chosen Miss O'Brien High School, Assistant Editor of the Bulldog Barker, Class President, Co-Editor of the Bulldog Yearbook and Valedictorian.

She is an active member of the O'Brien Baptist Church.

Mel Reed, son of Mr. and Mrs. Charles M. Reed, was born April 17, 1957, in Knox County Hospital.

Mel has gone to O'Brien High for one year, and has participated in football, received All-District Quarterback, Basketball All-District, Track, Region qualifier, and Tennis.

He is president of FFA; class vice president; class favorite, and is on the annual staff.

He plans to be a game warden and is undecided about college.

Steve Rojas was born November 28, 1954, in the Knox

County Hospital. His parents are Mr. and Mrs. Joe Rojas. He has 12 brothers and sisters and he is second to the oldest. He has lived at O'Brien all his life.

During his High School career he has participated in football for three years, basketball three years, and run track three years. His senior year he was a manager.

Steve plans to go to a trade school and major in mechanics and welding.

Lalo Garcia is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Juan Garcia of O'Brien. He was born July 18, 1956 in Knox County Hospital.

He has gone to the O'Brien School for 12 years and has had some wonderful years there. Lalo has participated in football for four years, basketball for four years, and track for four years. He got All-District Back and Defensive End. In his Senior year, he was picked Mr. OHS. He is looking forward to the All-Star Game in Brownwood, which takes place July 19, 1975. He plans to take training in the field of mechanics. His parents are proud that he is going to graduate and hope that he has a good life.

He is also thinking upon going to the Navy, but doesn't know for sure yet. Lalo has been a fairly active boy during his High School years. He will probably go to Amarillo to look for some work and to be on his own for a while.

Carmen Marie Conn, the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W.L. Conn, was born January 8, 1957, in Waxahachie. She has one older brother, Louis, who attends college in Austin.

During her high school years, Carmen has been a class officer three years. She participated in various sports, and received the presidential physical fitness award seven years. She was highest ranking girl four of those seven years. Carmen has been in FHA three years, was

cheerleader her sophomore year and was also chosen FFA Sweetheart. She enjoys playing tennis and swimming, but enjoys riding motorcycles most of all.

Carmen plans to attend Texas Tech and major in Textiles and Fashion Design.

Elida Alsidis is the daughter of Manuel and Ricarda Alsidis. She was born in Seymour on July 30, 1957. She has lived most of her life in O'Brien and some in Colorado. She attended school here all twelve years. She has participated in all sports since the fifth grade. This year she only participated in tennis and track.

After graduation, she plans to attend some kind of business school or get a job in Abilene.

Lillie Mae Washington, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. George Washington, was born on April 18, 1956, in O'Brien, Texas. Lillie is a 1975 senior at O'Brien High School. She has participated in activities such as class officer in F.H.A. and a year of basketball.

Lillie was a girl that didn't talk very much, but as the years went by, she became more active and talkative.

The best thing that ever happened to Lillie was when she started to school at O'Brien. When she was in fourth grade at O'Brien, the class picked her and William Earl Bagley as Queen and King. She said that she really did enjoy being a queen.

Lillie is now working at the Brazos Valley Care Home in Knox City. She hopes to make a career out of it. She also plans to go to different places and work with many nationalities of people.

O'BRIEN CLASS WILL

Let it be known on this fifth day of April in the year of our Lord, 1900 and 75, in the midst of the Bulldog Clan, we the Seniors, being of 10 sound bodies and altogether one mind, do hereby present our sacred last Will and Testament, and declare it to be true. If it isn't, see our Sponsors.

Elida Alsidis leaves to her beloved friend, Anita Thompson her perfect attendance record.

Charles Melvin Reed charitably leaves his typing ability to Vonnia Beth Elmore.

To Vicki Lynn Hewitt, Alan Keith Rowan would like to leave his sneaky ingenuity for unlawfully eating the Valentine prize in the Typing Tournament.

Rosemary K. Dodd leaves to Diane Phillips her enjoyment (?) of gaining weight.

Trudy Lynn Covey gladly relinquishes to Betty Nellie Gutierrez her smashing birthday incident.

Lillie Mae Washington wills her fantastic ability to keep a secret to Nita Casillas.

The ability to get out of a trap is left to Jaime Rocha by Carmen Conn.

Stephen Rojas would like to leave to his long-time companions, the Junior Class, the ability to graduate from High School.

Sharon Lynn Adkisson wills her fine art of sitting down during church prayer to Vicki Lynn Hewitt.

To David Lee Hunt is left by Trudy Lynn Covey her notorious driving ability.

I, Rita Diann Jackson, leave my questionable feat of running yield signs to anyone who dares to take the chance.

Eulalio Escobedo Garcia donates to Jaime Rocha his Little Black Book of Broads.

The Senior Men leave to

Commencement

Friday, May 23

8:00 P. M.

Processional

Invocation

Salutatory

Valedictory

Introduction of Speaker

Speaker

Presentation of Awards

Presentation of Diplomas

Benediction

Recessional

The Junior Boys their witty craft of talking James Reid into going to Knox City third period to run around, and if they can't, then the ability of sneaking out anyway.

Sharon Adkisson would like to pass on to Nita Casillas her prayers and a lot of luck for overcoming being grounded.

To Vicki Hewitt is left from Carmen Conn her outrageous, champion spelling ability.

Alan Keith Rowan would like to leave his CB radio with an automatic channel changer to Deveris Wesley (Hoot) Holmes, provided Devey will give him the secret of obtaining gas at any hour day or night.

Lillie Mae Washington donates her B average in English to David Hunt. Along with this, the entire Senior Class leaves one-tenth of each of their brains to David so he will be complete.

Eulalio Escobedo (Hall) Garcia gladly passes along his alarm clock to Anita Thompson.

To Charles Casillas and Louis Rojas, Charles Melvin Reed and Alan Keith Rowan will their capacity for eating 27 pieces of chicken at the Senior Supper.

The Senior girls return all the salt pills thrown out the windows and flushed down the toilet to Vonnia Beth Elmore.

Rosemary K. Dodd leaves her thick-soled platform shoes to David Hunt so when he wanders around O'Brien they won't wear out so fast.

Stephen Rojas would like to leave his long, dark, beautiful hair to Mr. Whiteley.

Mel wills a big 10-88 to Devey.

Keith Rowan wills the Bulldog Barker to the next Bulldog Editor. (That includes the sponsor.)

Elida Alsidis returns to Betty Gutierrez the ability to withstand a half a year of Basketball.

I, Rita Jackson, would like to leave my ability of running track without getting sick to Hubcap Holmes.

HONORS to ALL

Congratulations on that diploma. It's the key that'll unlock many opportunities for you. Higher education. A fulfilling career. That feeling of self accomplishment. Enjoy our praise ... good wishes for your future.

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O'Brien - Rochester

a word to the wise...

"Congratulations" to the senior class

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH
Bob Cameron, pastor O'Brien

GOOD LUCK

From this day forward, we all members of the Class of fruitful years, much joy, great

Gothard Mobil
Dwight and Edrie

Happenings

THE BROTHERS

Visiting with Mr. and Mrs. Clifton Duncan during the week was their daughter, Mrs. Harvey Burleson and children of Boise City, Oklahoma.

Mrs. Grady Murray and Kelly of Plainview spent the weekend with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Grady Ellis.

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The grade school graduation exercises will be held Thursday night at the O'Brien School Cafetorium, at 8:00 p.m. Everyone is invited to come and see these students receive their diplomas.

The high school graduation will be Friday night at the O'Brien Baptist Church at 8:00 p.m. Come and see the seniors of 1975 receive their diplomas.

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As will be noted elsewhere in the paper in the form of a legal notice is the new rules and regulations for the O'Brien dump grounds.

These will be carried out to the letter of the law, if necessary. The City has more or less had orders from the State as to what might happen if we do not comply with their rules. We do not want to refuse anyone the right to use the dump grounds in our community, but if you do not see fit to follow the rules, this might happen. Everyone needs a place for dumping trash, etc., so please see that your dump all the trash that is eligible for the dump grounds in the pit that is provided for this. Be sure and read the ordinance and do not take anything down there that you are not suppose to. To you people that live in the country, do not take anything that you can burn at your place, because it is against the state pollution laws to burn anything at the dump grounds.

Be the kind of person that you would like for everyone else to be and we will not have any trouble!



CHOSEN BEST ALL AROUND at O'Brien are Trudy Covey, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. L.A. Covey, and Keith Rowan, whose parents are Mr. and Mrs. Ivan Rowan. Both are seniors. (Photo courtesy of O'Brien School)



FOOTBALL HERO AND SWEETHEART at O'Brien High School this year are Mel Reed, son of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Reed, and Betty Gutierrez, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Humberto Gutierrez. (Photo courtesy of O'Brien School)



PRESENTING THE DEKALB AWARD TO KEITH ROWAN, right, is Mel Reed, president of the O'Brien chapter of Future Farmers of America. The award is given to the top senior agriculture student in recognition of outstanding scholarship, leadership, and supervised programs in agriculture. (Photo courtesy of O'Brien School)



RECEIVING SCHOOL JACKETS at O'Brien were, from left, Vicki Hewitt, Louis Rojas, Keith Rowan, and Jamie Rocha. All of these students are juniors with the exception of Keith, who is graduating. (Photo courtesy of O'Brien School)



NAMED O'BRIEN CHEERLEADERS for 1975-76 are Vicki Hewitt, left, and Betty Gutierrez (head cheerleader). (Photo courtesy of O'Brien School)

O'BRIEN WILL

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provided he uses it wisely.

Three anonymous Seniors will their achievement of improving the New Year's punch to three anonymous Juniors, and all rights and consequences are reserved to these people.

The Senior Class wills to the Junior Class their tremendous, spectacular, and overwhelming ability of planning the Senior trip.

Veeta Reid gladly bequeathes all the failing Seniors to Diane Phillips, soon-to-be Senior Sponsor.

This final decree written by the Party of the First Part, in honor of the Party of the Second Part, with intentions of hampering the solitude of the Party of the Fifth Part is hereby officially signed, sealed, and documented in the presence of the never-before mentioned Party of the Third Part, whereas that in Accordance with Article 1377c of the Supreme Bulldog code, heretofore the Senate Bill III passed thereof by the 62nd Legislature (is that right, Mrs. Phillips?) is from this day forward laid to rest by the ancient memoirs of our Senior forefathers and of course foremothers. This legalized record of nonsense shall not be duplicated save and except

where written permission is given to come upon the same.



Best wishes, Class of '75 on this most important day.

JOHN BOY'S PLACE

Rochester, Texas

O'Brien Presents Awards At Banquet

The O'Brien High School held its annual Awards Banquet Friday Night in the school auditorium. The theme was "Superstars, 1974-75" with the focal point "United in Friendship", featuring the Olympic Rings.

Charles Reed, Rosemary Dodd, and Veeta Reid presented awards to all individuals who participated in Pep Club, Football, Basketball, Tennis, and Track. Vicki Hewitt, Keith Rowan, Jamie Rocha, and Louis Rojas were presented their jackets by their coaches.

Winners in U.I.L. events were given awards by June Tankersley, Diane Phillips, and Rosemary Dodd.

Best All Around Girl and Boy were announced as Trudy Covey and Keith Rowan by James Reid.

The 1975-76 Cheerleaders and Drill Team members were announced. Cheerleaders are Betty Gutierrez and Vicki Hewitt. Drill team members are Betty Gutierrez, Vicki Hewitt, Nita Casillas, Donna Holmes, Rosa Rocha, Debbie Del Hierro, and Pam Stockton.

Ed Whiteley presented the individual class awards, perfect attendance and honor roll certificates.

The following students received awards for their individual classes. These were based on Attitude, Effort, Grades, Co-operation with the teacher and other students. Also the teachers considered character, leadership, scholarship, and service.

Business: General Business, Peggy Gutierrez; Office Practice, Rita Jackson; Typing I, Betty Gutierrez; Typing II, Keith Rowan. **English:** English I, Peggy Gutierrez; English II, Craig Brothers; English III, Vicki Hewitt; English IV, Rita Jackson.

History and Social Studies: World Geography, Max Rocha; Health, Lillie Washington. **Science:** Physical Science, Peggy Gutierrez; Biolo-

gy, Craig Brothers. **Math:** Algebra I, Martha Watson; Algebra II, Craig Brothers; Math III, David Hunt.

Speech: Rita Jackson. **Homemaking:** Homemaking I and II, Pam Stockton; Family Living, Vicki Hewitt. **Ag:** Ag I and II, David Adkisson; and Ag. III and Shop, Mel Reed.

Students making the honor roll every six weeks this year were Freshman: Dorothy Jackson; Sophomore: Pam Stockton; Junior: Vicki Hewitt; and Senior: Trudy Covey, Keith Rowan, Rita Jackson, and Sharon Adkisson. These students all made 90 or above every six weeks.

The following students were neither or tardy any during the entire school term: freshmen, Dorothy Jackson, Gary Jackson, and Martha Watson; sophomore, Craig

Brothers; Junior, Betty Gutierrez, Vicki Hewitt, and Devoy Holmes; and seniors, Keith Rowan and Trudy Covey.

Also at the banquet the school presented an award for the more faithful fans of the year. This is a new award and will be presented each year to some fan or fans in the community. This year the award went to Mr. and Mrs. Milton Rowan. (I do not think Bernice missed a ball game of any kind either in high school or grade school.)

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O'Brien Banquet Theme 'We've Only Just Begun'

The Junior-Senior Banquet, "We've Only Just Begun," was presented in honor of the 1975 O'Brien Seniors in the O'Brien School Cafetorium on April 5, 1975, at 8 p.m.

The decorations resembled a rose garden with the focal point being in the moonlit gazebo.

The tables were attired with small gazebos, hot pink candles, and assorted flower baskets. Mistress of Ceremonies for the evening was Betty Gutierrez who gave a toast to the success of the Seniors.

Trudy Covey, the Senior class president, gave the response to the toast.

The menu of Slick Chick, Hand-in-Hand Potatoes, Lace and Frills Salad, Going Steady Rolls, Spice-of-Life Cake, and Happily Ever After Tea was followed by the program.

The Junior Class Prophecy was presented by Nita Casillas, followed by Rita Jackson with the presentation of the Senior Will.

Another highlight of the evening was a musical duo, Ricky Reynolds and Cynthia Blanton, from Abilene Christian College, who presented a

program of humorous, popular, and country music.

The evening ended with the class pictures being taken by Mr. Ray Plummer.

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Salad Supper Honors Mothers



HANDING OVER THE GAVEL AS PRESIDENT of Future Homemakers of America is senior Gayle Tankersley, left, to incoming president Patti Counts. Gayle is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Tankersley and Patti's parents are Mr. and Mrs. David Counts.

Knox City's Future Homemakers of America chapter held its annual Mother-Daughter Salad Supper Tuesday night, May 13, in the school cafeteria.

Mrs. June Tankersley gave the invocation preceding the meal of a large variety of salads brought by the girls.

Following the meal, chapter president Gayle Tankersley presented sponsor Mrs. Vera Newton with a gift of appreciation for her work with the group.

Timilu Graham presented a reading, "She's a Mother."

Mrs. Newton presented awards to the girls who had done extra work on personal development in the FHA's Encounter Program. Receiving the first phase "Key" award were Judy Morgan, Sherry Jackson, Sheryl Guinn and Patti Lain.

The second, "Scroll" award was presented to Sarah McGaughey, Patti Counts, and Sherry Jackson.

The "Torch" third award went to Gayle Tankersley.

Adrian Jones and Patti Counts received recognition for singing in the State Future Homemakers of America chorus.

Gayle Tankersley was recognized for her year of service as the FHA Area IV fourth vice president.

Incoming chapter president Patti Counts was presented with the president's pin so that she could enjoy wearing it during the year in which she is to preside.

Mrs. Newton expressed her thanks to all the mothers for their co-operation and backing of the girls during the past year. Special recognition went to the elected Chapter Mothers, Mrs. Florene Reese, Mrs. June Tankersley, Mrs. Peggy Grindstaff, Mrs. Jeanette Clarke, and Mrs. Dorothy Jean Lain.

First year Homemaking students modeled the garments which they recently completed. They included Jami Clonts, Gayle Ware, Judy Herring, Irene Flores, Lydia Lankford, Judy Morgan, Angie Rios, Terri Harris, Laverne Martinez, Lori Richards, Judy Ray, Patti Lain, and Debbie Ray. Describing the garments was mistress of ceremonies Adrian Jones.

The program was concluded by the installation of next year's FHA officers. They are president, Patti Counts; first vice president, Sarah McGaughey; second vice president, Sherry Jackson; third vice president, Timi Graham; fourth vice president, Adrian Jones; fifth vice president, Sandy Stubbs; secretary, Sheryl Guinn; treasurer, Pam Skiles; historian, Marylon Burt; parliamentarian, Judy Morgan; and typist, Melinda Hewitt.

The new president, Patti Counts, presented outgoing president Gayle Tankersley with a gift from the chapter for her service to the group this year.



FHA OFFICERS WHO WERE INSTALLED IN CEREMONIES last week at the Mother-Daughter Salad Supper include, left to right, Pam Skiles, Timilu Graham, Sarah McGaughey, Judy Morgan, Patti Counts, Sandy Stubbs, Sherry Jackson, Marylon Burt, Adrian Jones, and Melinda Hewitt. Mrs. Vera Newton, not pictured, is FHA advisor.



OUTGOING FHA OFFICERS are pictured following the annual Mother-Daughter Salad Supper held last week. From left, Sarah McGaughey, Stacy Angle, Vickie Berryman, Pam Skiles, Debbie Reese, Judy Morgan, Gayle Tankersley, Merri Clarke, Cindy Albus, Patti Counts, Sheryll Guinn, and Sherry Jackson.

Garden Club Holds Year's Final Meeting

The Knox City Garden Club met May 13 at 12:00 noon for its closing luncheon in the Community Center, with Mrs. Guy Robinson and Mrs. Arthur Crownover as hostesses.

The tables were decorated with miniature arrangements and thimble bouquets for favors, all made by the hostesses. Mrs. J.C. McGee read a poem and gave the invocation.

Mrs. Robinson welcomed seventeen members and one guest, Mrs. Lynette Wilde of Shreveport, Louisiana, sister of Mrs. Crownover.

New officers for 1975-76 were installed by Mrs. Robinson. They are president, Mrs. G.E. Wilson; first vice president, Mrs. McGee; second vice president, Mrs. Claud Reed; third vice president, Mrs. H.W. Finley; secretary-treasurer, Mrs. Ulric Lea; reporter, Mrs. C.C. Hoge; and parliamentarian, Mrs. Robinson.

Mrs. Robinson presented presents to all the old and new officers.

The door prize was won by Mrs. Melvin Cowan.

Those present were Meses. Joe Averitt, Idoma Chowning, Cowan, Crownover, Finley, L.W. Graham, L.E. Groves, W.C. Hertel, Hoge, H.F. Jungaman, Lea, McGee, Reed, Robinson, Clara Smith, H.E. Wall, Wilde, and Wilson.

Gift Tea Honors Miss Lisa Boone

Lisa Boone, bride-elect of Dudley Cockerell of Rochester, was honored with a gift tea Tuesday, May 13, from 7 to 8 p.m. in the Fellowship Hall of First United Methodist Church.

Guests were greeted by Mrs. Jim Anderson.

In the receiving line were the honoree, her mother, Mrs. Joe Boone, and Mrs. Bill Cockerell of Rochester, mother of the prospective groom.

Gifts were displayed on tables which also featured arrangements of pink miniature wild roses and baby's breath.

The serving table was centered with an arrangement of spring flowers in yellow and pink, the bride-elect's chosen colors, and covered with a champagne lace cloth. Appointments were of cut glass and silver.

On Sunday afternoon, May 11, at four o'clock, Sandy Stubbs and Sheila Cobb were hostesses for a bridal shower honoring Lisa Boone, bride-elect of Dudley Cockerell.

Guests were registered by Miss Cobb after being greeted by Miss Stubbs and Miss Boone.

Punch and wedding cookies were served from a table featuring crystal and silver appointments. An off-white hand-crocheted cloth covered the table, which was centered with an arrangement of pink carnations.

A selection of miscellaneous gifts was presented to the honoree.

Best wishes, Class of '75 on this most important day.

Guests were registered by Mrs. Donald Johnson at a table which featured an arrangement of pink miniature wild roses and baby's breath.

Gifts were displayed on tables which also featured arrangements of pink miniature wild roses and baby's breath and scented wedding candles.

The serving table was centered with an arrangement of spring flowers in yellow and pink, the bride-elect's chosen colors, and covered with a champagne lace cloth. Appointments were of cut glass and silver.

Mrs. R.P. Barnard Jr. and Mrs. Ross Mack Oliver served punch and cookies.

Out of town guests attending the tea were Mrs. Roy Boone, Mrs. Ronald Hostas, Johnny Gann, Mrs. Jimmy Stout, Miss Wendy Stout, Mrs. Lee McGuire, and Mrs. Mike Ligon, all of Seymour; Mrs. Tommy Greenwood and Amy of Goree; and Mrs. Eddie McKeever and Jan and Joy of Haskell.

Hostesses for the gift tea were Mesdames Anderson, Johnson, Barnard, Oliver, Tom Brooke Hudson, John Grindstaff Jr., Allen McGaughey, Guy Robinson, and Genie Cobb.

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They also attended Stacy's ballet recital while there.

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Elementary Students Win Annual Track Meet

Diaz, third in Shuttle Relay and girls team of Shane Tankersley, Alesha Peterson, Kristin Corder, Lori Rasco, Michelle Pierce, and Sumyth Powell, fourth. Boys' shuttle relay team of Shane Lewis, John Paul Browning, David Gonzales, Jr. Ledesma, Robbie Large, and Mike Reece placed second.

First Grade: 30 yard dash, Tammy Rogers, third and Terry Lowrey first; 50 yard dash, Tammy Rogers second and Terry Lowrey second; 75 yard dash, Tammy Rogers second and Terry Lowrey first. Rudy Agraz, second, and David May fourth; Shuttle Relay, Tammy Roger's team second and Paula Chambers team, fourth for the girls; Michael Albus' team,

second, and Terry Lowrey's team third for the boys.

Second Grade second place winners included Mike Clark, Dean Anderson, Rhonda Averitt, Olivia Ward, Adam Garcia, Lynn McCrary, Stella Eddington, Stephane Rhodes, James Byrd, Ronnie Reece, and Steve Oudems. Third place winner was Steve Oudems. Stella Eddington and Steve Oudems placed fourth.

Third grade boy winners included Shuttle Relay, Ricky Gaston, Chad Whitley, Lupe Rios, Marshall Neal, Sammy Grindstaff, and Wayne Hutchinson, third place; Craig Shiflett, George Espinoza, Gregg Agraz, Paul Anderson, Greg Skiles, and Ron Barry, fourth place; 100 yard dash, Wayne Hutchinson, second; 50 yard dash, Wayne Hutchinson, fourth. Girls' shuttle relay teams, Nedria Oudems, Nancy Jones, Shonda Peterson, Betty Bernal, Felicia Ward, and Daveine Holcomb, second; Sarah Jones, Rebecca Smith, Becky Bolton, Tanya Averitt, Sandra Carrasco, and Michelle Bateman, fourth; 50 yard dash, Nedria Oudems, first; Felicia Ward, fourth; 75 yard dash, Nedria Oudems first; and 100 yard dash, Nedria Oudems first and Felicia Ward fourth.

Fourth Grade girls' shuttle relay team of Charlette Albus, Delores Stafford, Sharon Roberson, Kristi Boone, Diane Helms, and Jill May, second; Karae Beason, Melissa Rogers, Bonnie Stewart, Tangela Roach, Angie Quintana, and Jerri Grimsley, fourth; 75 yard dash, Sharon Roberson, fourth; 100 yard dash, Sharon Roberson, fourth. Belinda Byrd competed in the shuttle relay for ten year olds which came in second and Jackie Cornwell, Rita Ramos, Lou Ann Weatherall, Marilyn Benson, Maria Castro, and Maggie Curd were fourth in the 10 year old relay.

Fourth grade boys shuttle relay team was second with Jim McCrary, Tyke Meinzer, Craig Watson, Ignacio Bernal, Dell Guinn, and Paul Wright; Dave Hunter, Teddy Espinoza, Mike Oliver, David Lankford, Ricky Clark and Billy Reynolds, third; 50 yard dash, Dell Guinn, first, Ignacio Bernal, second; 75 yard dash, Ignacio Bernal first, Dell Guinn, second. James Earl Stafford placed fourth in the shuttle relay for ten year olds. Paul Wright placed third in 50 yard dash and first in the 100 yard dash.

Fifth Grade: Kim Rhodes second in 50 yard dash and second in 100 yard dash. Mindy Hutchinson, first in 100 yard dash, third in 75 yard dash; Curtis Shiflett, third in 50 yard dash, 75 yard dash, and 100 yard dash; Glenn Hedgecock, fourth in 50 yard dash. In the girls' shuttle relay team, Kristi White, Mindy Hutchinson, Missy Whitley, Jeanna Richards, Kim Rhodes, and Belinda Byrd (fourth grade), second; Maggie Curd on the fourth place team listed in the fourth grade winners, and Dora Sanchez ran with the 12 year olds. Boys' relay team of Rance Hacker, Steven Lynn, Kevin Brown, David Flores, Kevin Leach, and Curtis Shif-



NAMED MAY YARD OF THE MONTH is that of Mr. and Mrs. Ulric Lea located about three miles west of Knox City. Members of the Knox City Garden Club committee chose the Leas' yard because of the beauty of the poppies and other blooming flowers.

lett, second, and Paul Taylor, Todd Lewis, Pete Jimenez, Four Bateman, Sergio Marin, James Earl Stafford, placed fourth. Glenn Hedgecock and Robert Beach ran with 12 year olds who placed second.

Sixth Grade Larry Webb, second in relay; Gene Ward, second in relay; John Reynolds, third in relay; Gene Ward third in 50 yard dash, third in 75 yard dash, and third in 100 yard dash; Adam White, first in Shuttle Relay; Keith Mullins, first in shuttle relay, fourth in 75 yard and 100 yard dash; Lupe Castro, first in 75 yard dash and second in 100 yard dash; Ray Farmer, third in 100 yard relay; Mary Albus, second in relay; Jeffrey Quintana, first in relay; Oralia Luna, second in shuttle relay; Neona Johnson, second in relay; Danny Marinez, first in shuttle relay; Angie Bateman, second in shuttle relay; Rickey Gonzales, second in 50 yard, 75 yard, and 100 yard dash and first in shuttle relay; Brenda Curd, second in shuttle relay; Tim Roberson, first in shuttle relay, 50, 75, and 100 yard dash; Rudy Lerma, second in relay and fourth in 100 yard dash; Andy Barnard, third in relay; Chuck Hutchinson, third in relay; Teddy Clark, third in shuttle relay; Terry Roach, third, relay; and Kay Howell, second in relay.

Truscott - Gilliland News

by Renee Westbrook

Steve Baty of Vernon and Ruth Brown of Lubbock and other college students are home for the summer.

Mrs. C.H. Harwell of Vernon visited Mrs. J.R. Brown Sunday.

Mrs. Charles Burton visited her daughter in Hobart, Oklahoma, over the weekend.

Last Wednesday Mrs. Paul Bullion, Mrs. J.R. Brown, and Mrs. Idoma Chowning went to Sagerton for the Regional

Community Improvement Contest. Sagerton will be judged along with three others.

Mr. and Mrs. Freddy Caram and Karen of Munday were weekend visitors in the Ralph Caram home.

Mr. and Mrs. Chester Roberts of Abilene visited Mrs. Idoma Chowning over the weekend.

Monday visitors in the W.T. Cook home were Mr. and Mrs. Doyal Davis of Wichita Falls.

J.C. New of Sagerton spent Sunday morning with Mr. and Mrs. James Cumley, Jim and Mrs. Bernice Davis.

Mr. and Mrs. Bud Davis and Tina of Wichita Falls spent the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. L.M. Davis.

Mr. and Mrs. Horace Haynie, Jewell Haynie, and Beatrice Watson visited Mr. and Mrs. Charley Haynie and Mrs. Irene Rutherford in the Leisure Lodge at Munday.

Allen Heard was in the Crowell Hospital for three days for tonsillitis.

KC Fire Dept. Answers Call Friday

The Knox City Volunteer Fire Department answered a call last Friday afternoon about 3:30 o'clock to the Luther Wooley residence.

According to Mrs. Wooley, a plug in on an electric fan knocked out an electric switch and when she saw the smoke, she assumed the wall was on fire.

Fortunately, however, no fire occurred.

Munday Girl Is Initiated

COMMERCE -- A total of 192 junior and senior students at East Texas State University were recently initiated into Alpha Chi, honor society for junior and senior level students in the top 10 per cent of their classes.

According to Dr. Richard C. Meyer, ETSU vice president for Academic Affairs, the members are selected from among those advanced students "who best exemplify the qualities of high academic attainment, commitment to sound personal values, and good character during their undergraduate careers at ETSU.

Among those initiated were LaVerne Fetsch, junior business education major.

LaVerne is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Leo Fetsch of Munday.

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We salute you, Class of 1975-- and we shall watch with interest your contributions to community progress.

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Truscott Student Receives Tech Award

LUBBOCK -- Awards, honors, and special recognition went to Army ROTC cadets at Texas Tech University in military ceremonies at the university.

Among those honored was Cadet Douglas M. Chowning, senior civil engineering major

and son of Mr. and Mrs. Marion Chowning of Truscott. Cadet Chowning received the Society of American Military Engineers Gold Medal of Merit Award. The award, a gold pendant, goes to twenty outstanding senior cadets in engineering.

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Seniors Annual Trip

p.m.; arrive in Galveston's Flagship Hotel at 6:00 p.m. with dinner at the "Spanish Gullion" scheduled at 7:30; Flagship recreation facilities to be used during balance of evening.

Tuesday: 7:00 a.m. breakfast at the Lookout Room; 8:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. sailing in groups of ten with three hours for each group. Each person will learn how to sail. When not sailing, the group will visit Sea Wolf Park, beach, and fish; at 6:00 p.m. leave for Houston and Astro-dome for Astros vs. Philadelphia, with the evening meal at the Astrodome.

Wednesday: 8:00 a.m. Breakfast at the Lookout Room; 9:00 to 11:00 Tour of Galveston on Treasure Isle Tour Train; 12:00 noon, dinner; 1:00; Airplane rides to see aerial view of Galveston; 3:00 p.m., return to Hotel to rest, swim, and prepare for departure to Houston at 5:30; 7:00 to 10:50, Dinner and play "The Reluctant Debutant" at the Windmill Theater.



SENIOR KCHS CHOIR MEMBERS who performed as a group for the last time during Baccalaureate Services Sunday night include from left, Carolyn Orr, Annette Jackson, David N. McGaughey, Stacy Angle, and Vickie Berryman.

Thursday: 6:30 Breakfast at the Lookout Room; 8:00 to 12:00, deep sea fishing aboard the Dixie Queen; Dinner; 1:00 to 5:00 p.m., "Sea Arama"; 6:00 to 10:00 Galveston Island State Park for beach combing and Shrimp Peel with all you can eat.

Friday: 7:00 a.m. Breakfast at the Lookout Room; 8:00 a.m. Departure by way of Bryan with a picnic lunch at Washington on the Brazos, the first Capitol of Texas (on our Brazos River too) with estimated time of arrival in Knox City at 11:00 p.m.



PICTURED SUNDAY NIGHT following Baccalaureate Services are Knox City's honor grads, David N. McGaughey, salutatorian, and Debbie Reese, valedictorian.

Divorced Women Eligible For SS

Some divorced women may be unaware of possible social security benefits payable to them on the account of a former husband.

Women who were divorced from their husbands after being married for 20 years or longer may qualify for benefits much the same as if they never were divorced.

A woman whose divorced husband is still alive may qualify at age 62 provided the marriage lasted over 20 years, she is unmarried (even though she may have had a subsequent marriage and divorce), and is not entitled to a larger benefit on another record. The most the divorced wife of a living husband can get is 50% of what he receives.

In the case of the surviving divorced wife, one whose ex-husband is dead, benefits may be payable as early as age 60, or at age 50 if the woman is severely disabled. The other requirements of not being currently married, of having been married for over 20 years, and of not being eligible for a higher benefit on another account also apply. If the surviving divorced wife is age 65 or older, she may qualify for as much as 100% of what her ex-husband would get if he were alive. At ages under 65, it would be reduced. People who think they may qualify are advised to contact the Vernon social security office.

UNDERGOES SURGERY
Mrs. Louise Williams has returned home following eye surgery in Hendrick Memorial Hospital in Abilene last week.

According to her daughter, Mrs. Louise Kemletz, she is doing well.

Notes From Nancy

BY NANCY FUHRKEN
Assistant County Extension Agent

On May 1, the flammability standard on children's sleepwear, no affecting sizes 0-6x, will be extended to the 7-14 sizes. This new law provides that sleepwear for boys and girls will not burn even when exposed to direct heat or flame.

But special care must be given to some of the fabrics to retain the flame retardant finish.

Be sure to read and follow the permanent care label sewn into each pair of pajamas or nightgown. Consumers who prefer cotton sleepwear for their children need to be especially careful when laundering because some cot-

ton sleepwear for their children need to be especially careful when laundering because some cotton garments can lose their flame retardancy when washed in detergents.

This is particularly true in hard or moderately hard water areas where chemicals in the water build up deposits on the fibers.

USDA reports one way to protect the flame retardant finish is to add a mild acid solution during laundering. A good method for this is to use one cup of white vinegar during the rinse cycle in the home washing machine.

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CHECK FOR PECAN CASE BEARER ACTIVITY TO TIME INSECTICIDE TREAT.

The pecan nut casebearer is a destructive pest of pecans. This insect pest attacks the small pecan nutlets in late spring. When casebearer are heavy, the insect may destroy one-third to three-fourths of the pecan crop on a tree, unless properly timed insecticidal applications are made to protect the pecan nuts from pecan nut casebearer attack.

The timing of insecticidal treatments for pecan nut casebearer control is based upon the presence of eggs on the tips of pecan nutlets and the detection of initial larvae feeding damage to pecan nutlets. The adult moth will soon be laying eggs on the pollinated nutlets, eggs should hatch in 4 to 7 days and then the young larvae will attack the small nutlets.

Knox County pecan grow-

ers should start checking pecan nutlet clusters for casebearer eggs the last week of May and first week of June. The adult female moth usually lays eggs singly on the tips of pecan nutlets. The eggs are flat and blue-greenish white in coloration when first laid but assume a pinkish red color after a day or two. The eggs are small in size, but can be seen by the naked eye upon close observation.

The pecan nut casebearer larvae, upon hatching from eggs, feed on leaf buds for a short period of time then attack the small pecan nutlets. The small larva (worm) will attack the nutlet by cutting a hole into the base of the nutlet.

Pecan nutlets should be checked 2 to 3 times a week for eggs. When eggs are first detected on the nutlet tips, insecticidal sprays should be applied in three to six days.

Where eggs are not detected but feeding damage to young nutlets are observed, insecticidal treatments should be applied immediately.

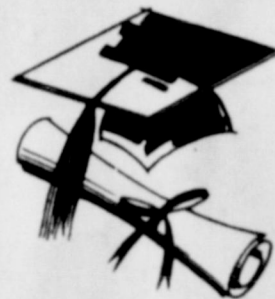
At this writing, I feel Knox County pecan trees will not need pecan nut casebearer control applications before the last day or two of May and early June may be a more logical time. To spray before the eggs have been laid and a few larvae hatching will not control the pest. A second application about seven days after the first is needed many years for effective control.

Insecticides such as Sevin, Malathion, and Zolone will control pecan nut casebearers. Mix insecticidal sprays according to the instructions given on the LABEL of the insecticide container.

Many pecan producers will want to apply zinc sulfate to aid in controlling rosette (zinc deficiency) when spraying to control the pecan nut casebearer.

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