

# THE KNOX COUNTY NEWS

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## Crafts, Hobby Slated May 4

Arts, Crafts, has been set for 2:00 p.m. Friday, May 3, and the building will be closed at that time.

Entry fee is twenty-five cents per entry, and any entry taking a ribbon or trophy in previous local shows will not be eligible. All work must be that of the entrant, and all paintings must be either mounted or framed ready for hanging.

Entry blanks are available at the Chamber of Commerce office, and may be returned there or brought with entry.

Everyone is encouraged to participate. There will be three divisions again this year. Children (through elementary grades), Youth (Junior High through High School), and Adult. All categories will be open in all divisions.

Collectors are urged to stage their collections of barbed wire, arrow heads, coins, bottles, or whatever.



THE 1973-74 KNOX CITY HIGH SCHOOL CHOIR

## Choir Concert To Be Tuesday

The annual Knox City High School Choir's Spring Concert will be held Tuesday, April 30, at 8:00 o'clock in the elementary school gym, according to Mrs. Dottie Lowrey, director.

Choral selections for this year's program include "Lift Up Your Heads", "To Love Is to Give", "I Can Say I Believe", "Listen With an Open Mind", "A Daisy A Day", "Amazing Grace", "The Bells of St. Mary's", "God Doesn't Ask for a Mountain", "I'll Walk With God", "Which Way, America!" and "The Pledge of Allegiance".

This year's choir members include Baritone: Ricky Bishop, Jerry Curd, Adrian Gonzales, David McGaughey, Cliff Ray, Billy Reynolds, Harvey Reynolds, Scott Richards, Kelly Robinson, and Joey Swain; Altos: Vickie

Berryman, Marilyn Burt, Diane Clonts, Cindy Elliston, Timi Graham, Tammie Grindstaff, Sheryll Guinn, Melinda Hewitt, Patti Lain, Judy Morgan, and Carolyn Orr; Sopranos: Stacy Angle, Debbie Bishop, Lisa Boone, Sheila

Cobb, Patti Counts, Marcella Durham, Mary Espinoza, Annette Jackson, Sherry Jackson, Adrian Jones, Irene Leija, Laura Lynn, Sarah McGaughey, Elma Rodriguez, Sandy Stubbs, and Becky Wright.

Senior choir members are Debbie Bishop, Diane Clonts, Adrian Gonzales, and Irene Leija.

## KC Elementary Wins District Championship

Knox City Schools hosted the District 7-A elementary and junior high literary meet Tuesday afternoon. The meet included students from Archer City, Munday, Crowell, and Knox City.

The winners in seventh and eighth grade Ready Writing included Lori Richards, Knox City, first; Judy Ray, Knox City, second; Jan Brown, Crowell, third; Teresa Thewanger, Munday, fourth; Kay Ussery, Munday, fifth; Jackie Carroll, Crowell, sixth; Story Telling in second and third grades winners included Nancy Brown, Crowell, first; Sarah Jones, Knox City, second; James Tidwell, Munday, third; Nicole Parris, Crowell, fourth; Benny Little, Munday, fifth; Tyke Meinzer, Knox City, sixth. In spelling for fifth and sixth grades the winners included Julie Myers, Munday, first; Caroline Myers, Munday, second; Gerri Watson, Knox City, third; Mary Sue Byrd, Archer City, fourth; Keith Sanders, Munday, fifth; Tammy Peden, Archer City, sixth. In

seventh and eighth grade spelling the winners included Sam Walker, Munday, first; Mary Spence, Munday, second; Will Andrews, Archer City, third; Brett Boone, Knox City, fourth; Temi Tarn, Archer City, fifth; Beatrice Reyes, Munday, sixth. The winners in Picture Memory in fourth and fifth grades included teams from Archer City, Matt Andrews, Belinda Hale, Terry Peden, and Ray Votsberger, first; Crowell, Christy Aronda, Lela Graf, Brenda Kajs, Debra Kajs, and Joyce McGinnis, second; Knox City, Jeanna Richards, Melissa Whitley, Ray Farmer, and Adam White, third. Seventh and eighth grade Number Sense winners were: Tony Urbanczyk, Munday, first; Brett Boone, Knox City, second; David Anderson and Junior Gonzales both of Knox City, tied for third; Annelle Myers and Carey Shawver, both of Munday, tied for fifth. In Boys Oral Reading in seventh and eighth grade, winners were Jodie Mc-

See CHAMPS Pg. 4

## Two Advance to State

### KC Students Win Regional UIL Honors

Two Knox City High School students have qualified for a trip to the State University Interscholastic League Meet in Austin Thursday, Friday, and Saturday, May 2, 3, and 4.

Diane Clonts placed first in the Girl's Poetry Interpretation at the Regional UIL Literary Meet in Lubbock last Saturday. Her poem entitled "In The Children's Hospital" was written by Alfred Lord Tennyson. Diane is a senior student and is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Joe M. Clonts.

Eddie (Bo) Johnson placed first in the 440 yard dash at the Regional UIL Track Meet Saturday in Lubbock. His time of 49.5 set a school record. Bo is the son of Mrs. Amy Jo Flye and is a junior in KCHS.

Other students placing in the Regional Meet but not qualifying for the State Meet included Stacy Angle placing third in Editorial Writing and the sprint relay team composed of Charlie Flye, Eddie Johnson, Nefro Gonzales, and Dale Bloxham placing sixth in the finals and setting a new school record with 44.1.

Robert Taylor, Randy Egenbacher, Jimmy Lynn, Ricky Hacker, Randy Pack, and Jimmy Moore ran well but failed to qualify. Coach



EDDIE 'BO' JOHNSON

Jimmy Rogers reported. According to the boys' golf sponsor, W.R. (Bill) Baker, the golf team placed seventh out of fifteen teams competing in the Regional Golf Tournament in Lubbock last Wednesday and Thursday.

Coach and Mrs. Don Mullins and Diane and Coach and Mrs. Jimmy Rogers and Eddie (Bo) will all be leaving next Thursday for Austin. They will register Thursday and the sponsors will attend League conferences. Diane will compete in poetry interpretation Friday and Bo will be entered in the track meet Friday and Saturday.

## County Cancer Exceeds Goal

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Knox City's Crusade reported \$1,055.89 and \$23.00 in memorials.

Mrs. Ruby Robinson, Knox City chairman, expressed her appreciation to The Knox County News for its cooperation in publicizing the 1974 Crusade and other efforts throughout the year. Also to Rev. Dick Richards for the media of news on the bulletin board and to all the churches for using the inserts for Sunday bulletins and for the many willing volunteers.

"Let's Wipe Out Cancer in Your Life Time," and "Don't Forget a Memorial, a Gift of Life," Mrs. Robinson quoted.

## High School Band In UIL Contest Wed.

The Knox City High School Band was in clinic Tuesday night in preparation for the University Interscholastic League competition to be held in Vernon April 29, 30, and May 1.

The contest will include concert and sightreading competition, and will be held in Wilbarger Auditorium. There are 43 entries from bands in classes AAAA to C.

Knox City's Class A band under the direction of Kelly Glaze, will perform Wednesday, May 1, at 9:40 a.m.

Concert judges include Bill Brady from Bridgeport, Joe Mack Hill of Dumas, and Lynn Lowe of Cisco. Sight-reading judges are Dee Tucker of Bowie, Carol Blain of Memphis, and George Walker of Stanton. Contest chairman is Larry D. Kingsley of Vernon.

## Welding Short Course Offered

There will be a welding short course offered in Knox City on April 29, 30, and May 1, 2, and 3. The course is sponsored by the Vocational Division of the Texas Education Agency.

The entry fee will be \$10.00 and the course will be limited to the first twenty persons.

Anyone who is interested should contact Leon Burkham.

## HICKMAN IN HOSPITAL

Harry Hickman is undergoing tests in Hendrick Memorial Hospital in Abilene this week. He was transferred from the Knox County Hospital to Hendrick last Friday.

His wife, Delma, and his son Kenny are in Abilene with Harry.



CLOSURE BEGAN AT MILLERS CREEK RESERVOIR about mid-afternoon Tuesday, April 16, according to Pete Beecher, North Central Texas Municipal Water Authority manager, who came by the News office last Friday to report on the event. Beecher explained that crews were running 12 hours a day, seven days a week, and hopefully, within five or six weeks, will bring the earthen dam to the top. They are now filling in two to three feet per day. Beecher said that it would not be necessary to have the lake full to begin supplying water to member towns of Haskell, Munday, Goree, and Knox City, but that after a good rain is received, the water valve could be closed off two or three feet above the low water intake structure. Plans are now underway for a celebration when the reservoir is completed. (Photo courtesy of Pete Beecher)

## Johnstons Win KC Golf Tourney

Jim Johnston of Wolforth and his brother Don of Lubbock came back from a one stroke lead to capture the Knox City Country Club Partnership Tournament Sunday. The men are sons of Mr. and Mrs. Sam Johnston of O'Brien.

The Johnstons entered Sunday's play one stroke behind the first day leaders Jim Bynum and J. Thompson, who had a 69 in the opening round.

The winning twosome fired a 67 to win the championship flight.

Charles Brownfield and Gene Swinson were two strokes behind the leaders at 139 with a final round of 68.

Thompson and Bynum fell back to fifth place with 145 total. They shot a 76 Sunday. Allen and David Strickland took the first flight title with a 144.

Tommy Abe Watson was tournament chairman this year for the annual partnership golf tournament.

The entrants enjoyed a barbecue supper Friday night and a record dance Saturday evening.

(See Results Pg. 5)

## Griffiths Return Home To Knox City

Hollis (Sipe) Griffith and his wife, Doyle, have returned to Knox City to make their home.

Sipe and Doyle came in Monday night from Roswell, New Mexico, where they have lived for a number of years.

Sipe has retired from mechanic work. The couple kept their house in Knox City at 309 North Second after they moved, so they are now "back at home" and the community welcomes them home!

Doyle said it was move they did not "dread".

## Weather

FURNISHED BY PLANT MATERIALS CENTER 4 Miles NW of Knox City

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4-17	79	42	
4-18	82	54	
4-19	83	68	
4-20	90	58	
4-21	70	59	.18
4-22	74	52	
4-23	78	41	
4-24		46	

## Open Playday Slated Saturday At Benjamin

The Knox Riding Club is sponsoring an open playday in Benjamin Saturday, April 27, at 8:00 p.m. at the Riding Club Arena.

Registration starts at 7:30 p.m. and the books will close at 8:00 p.m.

Events include barrels, flags, and poles.

Trophies will be awarded to first place in each event in each age division. Ribbons will be given through eighth place. An All-Around trophy will be awarded in each division.

## Mrs. Thomas Home From Hospital

Mrs. Vic Thomas entered Wichita General Hospital in Wichita Falls Sunday afternoon where she has been undergoing medical treatment.

She returned to her home Tuesday and is doing fine, according to her daughter, Mrs. Danny Phillips.

## Did You Know

that Gail C. Etheredge, 2406 Buffalo Gap Road, Abilene, Texas 79605 subscribes to The Knox County News?

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**GARAGE SALE:** Two family garage sale Monday and Tuesday, April 29 and 30, at 1007 South Fourth, children's clothing, 12x14 shag carpet, and many misc. items. 4-25 tlc

**FOR SALE: MOBILE HOME** 1960 Model, 10'x55' - 3 bedroom. Furnished \$2500. Large chest type deep freeze \$100. Gene Hall, Benjamin 454-2772. 5-25 1tp

**ONE STOP INSURANCE** Service. Discount on crop hail. Deviation on Auto and Fire. After 21 years - 58% dividend on life. State Farm has protection for every need. Ages 15 to 23 - \$10,000 for \$4.00 monthly or \$20,000 for \$7.00 monthly.

Auto financing - All models for less. Leo and Emma Fetsch, 422-4259, Munday, 3-28 tlc

**HELP WANTED:** Need truck drivers and combine operators. Good wages plus room and board. Don Doolittle, Murray Rt., Graham, Texas 817-549-4033. 4-25 3tp

**FOR SALE:** '67 Dodge Monaco, fully equipped, excellent gas mileage. Clean, good tires. Also 1960 Chevrolet 2-ton truck with 18 ft. factory flat bed, motor and transmission overhauled. Egenbacher Implement 658-3242 4-25 tlc

**GARAGE SALE:** Friday & Saturday, April 26 & 27, at Clyde Yost home on Rhineland Hwy. Selling household items of E.T. Cluck estate. Also Men's & Women's clothing. 4-25 1tp

**FOR SALE:** 8' Overhead Garage Door, Hanging at 1109 South Fifth. Also used venetian blinds. Jerry May, 658-3910. 4-11 tlc

**WANTED:** Woman to sleep in room with my elderly mother from 10:00 p.m. until 8:30 a.m. Prepare her breakfast. Comfortable bed and surroundings. Must furnish references. Mrs. Gerry Allen Richardson, Phone 436-2031, Goree. 4-18 tlc

**FOR SALE:** Baby Calves - Cross Bred and Holstein. Contact Walter Rauch, 312, South 3rd, Knox City. Phone 658-3440. 4-11 tlc

**BOSS IRRIGATION:** Sideroll Irrigation System, Aluminum Pipe and fittings. Call Lubbock 765-5559 or 745-3681 nights. 3-28 10tc

**FOR SALE:** Registered Angus Bulls to 2 years old, \$400. James Long, 8 miles north of Crowell. Phone nights, 817 839-2835. 4-18 7tc

**KRAUSE PLOW AND SERVICE SHREDDER REPAIR PARTS** - now in stock. Also Braking plow shares for John Deere, IHC, and Oliver. Cat-face Busters for planting, 12, 14, and 22's. John Egenbacher Implement Co., 658-3242. 3-7 tlc

**PAY CASH AND SAVE** on your seed. Texas Triumph Seed, 62Y Maize, Sooner Sue Hybrid Sudan. 4-18 2tc

**KNOX BUILDERS SUPPLY,** 658-3416. 4-18 2tc

**GARAGE SALE:** April 27 & 28. All day Sat. and Sun. afternoon. 502 North 5th. Clothes, Furniture, Misc. Items. 4-25 1tc

**FOR SALE:** Used Rocker-Recliner Chair. \$20. Call 658-3254. 4-25 1tc

**IN THE MARKET** for a hydraulic movable sprinkler system? Check with me first. Boss Systems are tops in quality and competitive in price. Buddy Angle, Knox City. 4-25 1tc

**BRACE YOURSELF** for a thrill the first time you use Blue Lustre to clean rugs. Rent electric shampooer \$1. Perry's, Knox City, Texas. 4-25 1tc



**PUBLIC NOTICES**

"BECAUSE THE PEOPLE MUST KNOW"

**PUBLIC NOTICE**

Carney Independent School is now accepting bids for a 20 cu. ft. chest type food freezer. Working condition. Bids will be accepted until Thursday, April 25, at 12:00 Noon. Bids may be mailed or delivered to Harry Holder at the Supt.'s office at O'Brien. Rights are reserved to reject any or all bids. 4-11 3tc

**CARD OF THANKS**

To all of you who have been so kind and thoughtful during Laverne's recent recovery from surgery, we would like to say a very deep heartstring Thank You. To all who sent flowers, cards, made phone calls to Wichita Falls, visited, brought food and gifts, and especially to all who so reverently remembered her in prayer, will never be forgotten. She could never have made it through, because God does answer prayer. Family and friends are the flowers of life. Thank you so very much for those bouquets. James, Laverne, Gary and Melinda Hewitt 4-25 1tc

**CARD OF THANKS**

I want to express my sincere appreciation to everyone for the many kindnesses shown me during my recent hospital confinement. Thank you for your prayers, cards, flowers, and your visits. A special thanks to Dr. Howell and Dr. Alexander and the nurses. May God bless all of you. Paula Myers Nall 4-25 1tc

**CARD OF THANKS**

Thank you for the prayers, visits, telephone calls, flowers, good wishes, and your concern during my recent stay in the hospital and my convalescence at home. Your thoughtful acts were so appreciated and I thank you. Mrs. O.L. Patterson Jr. 4-25 1tp

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

**VACATION IN LOUISIANA** Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Elston, Lisa and Greg, have just returned from a vacation to Louisiana visiting relatives. They were accompanied by their daughter and grandson, Mrs. John Helms and Galen of Garland. Visiting in the Elston home this week are their daughter and granddaughters, Mrs. Dwight Faulk, Celeste and Christen, from Lubbock, while Dwight is on a Campaign in Florida.

**PUBLIC NOTICE**

That in accordance with Article 1377c of the Penal Code, **CRIMINAL TRESPASS** (Senate Bill III passed by the 62nd Legislature), notice is hereby given that all lands of the W.T. Waggoner Estate are **POSTED**-save and except where written permission is given to come upon the same. **JOHN BIGGS, TRUSTEE.** 12-2 tlc

**KC Colored News-Events**  
BY ALESTINE FLYE

St. Paul Baptist were well attended Sunday. Sunday school had a regular attendance with the Supt. in charge. Lesson found Acts 15:1-12, subject, "The Spirit Transcends Institutions" and were taught by the teacher, review by the pastor.

For morning service the pastor preach from Acts 10: 34-35 "He Will Accept the Righteous".

In the afternoon St. Paul were host for their third Sunday musical with every choir in their place. After the singing a fellowship dinner were held for all choirs and friends.

Mrs. Patricia Lowery and children of Wichita Falls were in Knox City Sunday visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lee Crothers.

Mrs. Amy Taylor received word that her son, Nugene Taylor of Dallas, got kill Saturday night in Dallas. Mrs. Taylor left Sunday for Dallas, funeral arrangements are pending.

We were glad to see Rev. Robert Isadora of Aspermont and were so glad to have him with us in every service during the day Sunday hope he will come again.

**SERVICES OF THE CHURCH OF GOD IN CHRIST**

Sunshine Band was held on Sat. evening. Missionary Wilson taught the lesson from Luke 10:38, 42.

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

We were sorry to hear of Sis. Taylor's oldest son's death in Dallas. On Sunday evening a part of the members attended the pre-opening of Elder and Sis Jackson's 11th Anniversary at one of the Stamford Baptist Churches.

Supt. Bennett preached from Daniel 1:3,8 "My Heart Is Fixed and My Mind is Made Up."

**Buy Plentiful Eggs And Freeze For Later**

When on special, buy plenty of eggs--and freeze the extras, Miss Nancy Fuhrken, asst. county Extension agent suggested.

But don't just place egg-shell and all--in a freezer, she warned.

To successfully freeze them, break eggs and blend whites and yolks together. Add one-fourth teaspoon of sugar or salt per egg--to prevent them from becoming thick and gummy--and cover tightly.

If preferred, yolks and whites can be frozen separately.

To freeze egg yolks, add sugar or salt, as instructed previously.

Egg whites, on the other hand, don't require extra ingredients to maintain quality during freezing, the agent said.

**FROM ABILENE**

Mr. and Mrs. David Slaughter, John David and Elise of Abilene visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Olvis Hamm over the weekend.

David and John David were entered in the golf tournament held at the Knox City Country Club.

**County Bond Sales In Feb. Total \$14,745**

In releasing Treasury figures, County Savings Bond Chairman M.L. Wiggins announced today that sales of Series E and H United States Savings Bonds in Knox County during February totaled \$14,745. Sales for the first two months of 1974 were \$30,761 for 19% of the 1974 sales goal of \$160,000.

Savings Bonds sales in Texas during the month totaled \$20,490,454. Year-to-date sales totaled \$41,680,165 for 18% of the yearly sales goal of \$236.8 million.

**STEM THE TIDE**

Do you care enough to help stem the tide of cancer by supporting the American Cancer Society's programs of research, education, and service? Give generously to defeat cancer.

**FROM TEMPLE**

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Graham of Temple visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. L.W. Graham over the weekend. Clyde participated in the golf tournament while here.

**EASTER VISITORS**

Mrs. Howard Strahan and Howard Jr. of San Antonio visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Reynolds, during the Easter weekend.

**Political Calendar**

The Knox County News is authorized to make the following political announcements, subject to the action of the Democratic Primary in May. All political advertising must be paid in advance.

For U.S. Congress 17th Congressional District **OMAR BURLESON** (re-election)

For State Senator 30th District **RAY FARABEE** **CHARLES FINNELL**

For State Representative 101st Legislative District **W. S. "BILL" HEATLY** (re-election) **MAX COURTNEY**

For County & District Clerk **ZENA WALDRON** (re-election)

For Knox County Judge **SAM E. CLONTS** (re-election) **CLYDE BOOSE**

For County Treasurer **J. T. CYPERT** (re-election)

For Knox Co. Commissioner Precinct 2 **BOBBY J. ROBERSON** (re-election) **P. H. PIERCE**

For Justice of the Peace Precinct 1 **W. C. GLENN** (re-election)

For Justice of the Peace Precinct 5 **GUY BRADLEY** (re-election)

The Knox County News is authorized to make the following political announcements, subject to the action of the Republican Primary in May. All political advertising must be paid in advance.

For State Senator 30th District **MARY KIRCHHOFF**

The above political announcements were paid for by the candidates listed.

**COMMON BUT...**

Indigestion is a common complaint, but persistent indigestion, heartburn, nausea, loss of appetite should send you to your doctor. That's the word from the American Cancer Society.

**Hospital News**

**PATIENTS DISMISSED SINCE 4/13/74**  
**Knox City:** Gladys Day, Sue Marion and Baby Boy, Tommie Sanchez, Melvin S. Lowery, Payne Hattox, Alma Edwards, Ester Grindstaff, Wayne Harden, Eloy Leal  
**Rule:** Floyd Bristow, Nora Presnall  
**Rochester:** Ocie McGuire, Mary Reyna, Clarence Gaunt, Herschel Rogers  
**Goree:** Gladys Lambeth, Leslie Jackson  
**Munday:** Charles R. Cude, Elzie J. Cude (deceased), Sharon Eicke, Lela Douglas and Baby Girl, Christene Patterson  
**O'Brien:** Lucille Jimenez  
**Stafford:** Barbara Hudspeth

**IN THE HOSPITAL AS OF 4/20/74**  
**Knox City:** Charlie Keck, Horace Finley, Paula Nall  
**Munday:** Dennis Williams, L.B. Patterson Sr.  
**Benjamin:** Willie Redwine, Frances Sams  
**Goree:** Louis Vance



Mr. and Mrs. Don Welch of Avoca are the proud parents of a baby daughter, Mandi Leigh, born Thursday, April 18, at 10:33 p.m. in the Knox County Hospital. She weighed six pounds and 15 ounces.

Don and Martha Kay also have a four-year-old daughter, Mitzi.

Maternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Waldrup of Knox City and paternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Jack Welch of Crowell.

Great grandmothers are Mrs. Maggie McBeath of Knox City and Mrs. I.C. Pittman of Weatherford.

Great grandfather is W.F. Waldrup of Knox City.

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**O'BRIEN CO-OP GIN**  
will hold its  
**ANNUAL STOCKHOLDERS' MEETING**  
**SATURDAY, APRIL 27**  
in the  
**O'Brien School Cafeteria**  
Business Meeting 4:00 P.M.  
Meal Furnished Following Business Meeting  
**Friends and Patrons Welcome**  
**All Stockholders Urged To Attend**

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**GTE GENERAL TELEPHONE**



held here, Tuesday were Jodie McGaughey and David Benson in boys Oral Reading, In Number Sense, Jodie McGaughey was an alternate. In Girls Oral Reading Jan Lowery and Terrie Mullins was the alternate. In Spelling Jimmy Rushing was the only contestant from our room. Our classes were dismissed around 2:30 p.m. so that our rooms could be used to hold the U.I.L. meet.

**EIGHTH GRADE NEWS**  
by David Anderson

Well, the Easter Holidays are over and it's back to school time. Most of the students have forgotten what they learned before Easter and the teachers are having to review them.

Both the Junior High boys and girls are working on physical fitness this week, and the eighth grade is making plans for their graduation.

**School Calendar**

**April 25-27:** State FHA meeting at Dallas; 3 week unsatisfactory reports go out  
**April 29:** FTA meeting 7:30  
**April 30:** Spring Choir Program, 8 p.m.  
**May 1:** UIL Band Contest, concert and sight reading  
**May 2:** FTA Teaching Day; Track meet, grades K-6, at Munday, all afternoon

**Lunchroom Menu**

**BREAKFAST MENUS**

**APRIL 29 - MAY 3, 1974**

**Monday:** Orange Juice, Buttered Toast, Milk  
**Tuesday:** Orange Juice, Slice Bacon, Buttered Toast with Jelly, Milk  
**Wednesday:** Banana, Ready to eat Cereal, Buttered Toast, Milk  
**Thursday:** Orange Juice, Scrambled Eggs, Buttered Toast with Jelly, Milk  
**Friday:** Orange Juice, Doughnut, Milk

**LUNCH MENUS**

**APRIL 29-MAY 3, 1974**

**Monday:** Fish Sticks, Cream Peas, Buttered Beets, Orange Rings, Tartar Sauce, Thick Sliced Bread with Butter, Chocolate Cake Squares, Milk  
**Tuesday:** Barbequed Weiners, Mashed Potatoes, English Peas, Jello with Fruit, Batter Bread with Butter, Peanut Butter Squares, Milk  
**Wednesday:** Hamburgers, Buttered Corn, Lettuce, Tomato, Onion, Pickle Slices, Potato Chips, Chilled Peaches, Butter Ice Box Cookies, Milk  
**Thursday:** Enchiladas, Green Beans, Seasoned Spinach, Sliced Bread, Apricot Cobbler, Milk  
**Friday:** Roast with gravy, Mashed Potatoes, Green Salad, Hot Rolls with Butter, Honey, Milk



**MAKING PLANS FOR THE STATE FHA CONVENTION IN DALLAS** Thursday (today) and Friday are these members, along with their sponsor, Mrs. Vera Newton. Shown from left, first row, are Sarah McGaughey, Stacy Angle, Gayle Tankersley, and Debbie Reese. Back row, from left, Mrs. Newton, Patti Counts, and Diane Clonts.

**Area To Be Well-Represented At State FHA Convention In Dallas**

Several representatives from area FHA chapters will be in Dallas Thursday and Friday of this week for the 1974 state meeting of the Texas Association of Future Homemakers of America.

"Today's Concern - Tomorrow's IMPACT!" is the theme of this year's meet, which will be held in the Convention Center in Dallas.

Members from Benjamin, O'Brien, and Knox City, accompanied by chapter sponsors Mrs. Laymon Newton of Knox City and Mrs. Veeta Reid of O'Brien will leave early Thursday (today).

Stacy Angle, Knox City High School junior, again has been invited to represent Area IV during a talent show Thursday evening and will sing a variety of songs. This is Stacy's second year to represent Area IV, composed of approximately 30 counties and 125 FHA chapters. Stacy performed part of her numbers for members of the Knox City Lions Club Wednesday of last week and also for the Knox City Study Club program last Thursday afternoon.

**FROM CALIFORNIA**

Former resident R.V. Herring and his wife, Muriel, of Modesto, California, are visiting relatives and friends here this week.

The Herrings moved from Knox City to California about 38 years ago and this is the first time in about eight years that R.V. has been here.

**ABOARD USS MIDWAY**

Navy Communications Technician Third Class Bob C. Couch, son of Mrs. Mattie M. Couch of Munday, Tex., has reported for duty aboard the attack aircraft carrier Midway in Yokosuka, Japan.

**CANDIDATE VISITS**

L. Max Courtney, candidate for the office of State Representative, 101st District, visited in the News office briefly Tuesday afternoon.

**Gonzales Named To Who's Who**

Adrian Gonzales, a senior at Knox City High School was recently notified that he is to be featured in the Eighth Annual Edition of Who's Who Among American High School Students, 1973-74, the largest student award publication in the nation.

Students from over 20,000 public, private, and parochial high schools throughout the

**Region I To Assist TSTA**

**PLAINVIEW** -- A new source of assistance to teachers in Knox County on school-related problems is now available from the newly established Region I office of the Texas State Teachers Association.

Nine such regional offices have been established by TSTA, to extend services of the Association's state headquarters in Austin.

Knox County will be served by the regional office at Plainview, with Bill Potts as regional consultant to assist the teachers in the area.

Potts directs the Region I office at 2700 Yonkers Street, Suite D, Plainview. The telephone number is 806 293-4606.

In the past, TSTA field service personnel have operated solely out of the Austin headquarters office. This office will continue to serve members on a statewide basis.

Functions of the local office at Plainview, which will serve a 55-county area, will be to coordinate programs, supply information, help TSTA local associations with member services and benefits and assist in workshops.

"We hope to be able to serve the teachers of Region I on any matter relating to their profession," Potts said. "If we cannot give them the information or service they need, we will refer them to those who can supply it from the Austin headquarters," he said.

country are recognized for their leadership in academics, athletics, activities, or community service in the book. Less than 3% of the junior and senior class students nation-wide are awarded this recognition.

Adrian is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Celso Gonzales of Knox City. He is active in F.T.A., Band, P.A.S.F., Choir, and UIL Literary Events, and has been chosen as Band Beau, FHA Beau, Runner-up Most Friendly, Editor of The Kennel, and is a candidate for Best All Around this year.

In addition to having his biography published in the book, Adrian will also compete for one of ten scholarship awards of \$500 to \$1,000 funded by the publishers and will be invited to participate in the firm's annual "Survey of High Achievers" later in the academic year.

Adrian plans to attend The University of Texas at Austin upon graduation in June.

**FFA Boys Attend Judging Contest**

According to Leon Burkham, FFA advisor, twelve members of the Knox City FFA were in Stephenville Saturday, April 6, to participate in the district and area judging contest. The judging was held at Tarleton State College.

Mark Howell, Ray Thompson, and Donny Skiles entered in Poultry and placed second; Art Crowner, Troy Lewis and Mike Burkham entered in Livestock and placed third; entered in Dairy and placing fifth were Bruce Railsback, Rusty Grimsley, and Payton Barnard; Jimmy Ross, Jerry McCown, and Bobby Marion entered in Dairy Products and placed third.

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# Seniors Of The Week

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**TAD RICHARDSON**

On Monday, August 6, 1956, just one day before his father's twenty-sixth birthday, Tad Richardson made his appearance at the Knox City Hospital and became the son of Mr. and Mrs. Tommy Richardson. He has an older sister Cathy and two younger brothers, Flint and Sid.

The four happiest years of his life were spent following people around and asking why this and that. When he enrolled in Mrs. Hitchcock's kindergarten, he realized studying was not what he liked best. Then, in Mrs. King's first grade class, he spent more time drawing than learning his "ABC's".

As he now finished his twelfth year at Knox City schools, his plans for the future are to continue farming and ranching with his father.



**ART CROWNOVER**

Art Crownover, son of Mr. and Mrs. John Crownover, was born on April 16, 1956, in the Knox County Hospital. Art has lived in Knox City all of his seventeen years.

In high school, Art has been a member of the FFA for four years, and this year is serving as Chapter Vice-President. He has played football (four years), basketball (one year), track (one year), and golf (three years). His senior year he made the second all-district team and the Abilene Reporter-News All-Area Team in football. Art is now serving as the senior class vice-president.

Art has not made any definite plans for after graduation.

**VISITS PARENTS**

Mrs. Richard Barnard arrived Sunday to spend a month with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Shelton, while Richard completes his naval training at Vallejo, California. Richard and Carla will be moving back to Florida, where Richard will be re-assigned.

**FROM ABILENE**

Mrs. Glenn Smith and Pamela of Abilene spent the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. Bill Smith.

Glenn is attending Casco Junior College majoring in law, and Carolyn is employed by Millerman and Millerman Insurance in Abilene.



**RANDY EGENBACHER**

Randy Egenbacher, son of Mr. and Mrs. John Egenbacher, was born September 18, 1955, in the Knox County Hospital. He has lived in Knox City all his life and has attended the Knox City schools for twelve years.

In high school Randy has been a member of Future Teachers of America, choir, and has participated in the interscholastic one act play, and the junior class play. In his senior year in the Future Farmers of America, he served as chapter president. He has played football for four years and has run track for three years.

When he finishes school, Randy plans to attend Texas Tech University and major in Business Administration.

**Don Welch Hired By Crowell Schools**

Don Welch recently accepted a position with the Crowell School System where he will begin his duties July 1 as vocational agriculture teacher. Don is a 1961 graduate of Crowell High School and a graduate of Texas Tech. He has been employed as vocational agriculture teacher at Lueders-Avoca High School since 1966.

Don and his wife, Martha Kay, are the parents of four year old Mitzi and week old Mandi Leigh. His parents are Mr. and Mrs. Jack Welch of Crowell and Martha Kay is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Waldrup.

**FROM MIDLAND**

Paula Bellinghausen of Midland was a recent visitor in the home of her father, Herbert Bellinghausen, and family.

Her sister, Sarah, returned to Midland to spend the Easter holidays with their mother, Mrs. Julie Bellinghausen.

## Playday Winners Named

Thirty-three contestants were entered in the first playday held this year at the Brazos Valley Recreation Association's arena in Knox City Sunday afternoon, in spite of prowling thunderstorms.

With intermittent rain falling, competition got underway at 2 p.m. with western pleasure classes, which were judged by Phil Davis of Seymour. Davis is an outstanding young horseman, having been a 4-H State finalist in western pleasure a number of times, and has been the 4-H State Reining Champion for the past three years. Davis, riding Blue Wonder, is also the current 4-H National Reining Champion.

Davis was assisted by Dana Welch, also of Seymour. Dana is also an outstanding competitor in horse shows, having been a state finalist a number of times in halter, showmanship, and western pleasure.

Following the placing in the three western pleasure classes the regular playday events began.

Trophies, which were donated for the occasion by the M System Supermarket in Knox City, were given to first place winners in each event in each age group, with a high point trophy being given in each age division.

Tying for high point honors in the senior division were Debbie Aycock of Haskell and Melody Walker of Rotan. Debbie placed first in poles, second in flags, and fifth in barrels, while Melody placed second in barrels, and third in both poles and flags.

Dwayne Johnson of Knox City, son of Mr. and Mrs. Donald Johnson, was high point winner in the junior division, taking a first in barrels, a second in poles, and third in flags. He was riding Oddball Pat.

Seven year old Shawn Chambers of Haskell won the high point trophy in the pee wee division with first place in both poles and flags and a second place in barrels.

BVRA president John L. Grindstaff Jr. expressed his appreciation to M System for donating the trophies, and thanked all those who assisted with the playday. The BVRA plans to have one playday each month throughout the spring and summer.

Placings in Sunday's playday were as follows: Pee Wee Division. Western Pleasure: 1. Kristi Boone; 2. Kris York, Benjamin; 3. Shawn Chambers; 4. Doug Brown, Benjamin. Poles: 1. Shawn Chambers; 2. Tina Morris, Haskell; 3. Doug Brown; 4. Karen Doornbos, Benjamin; 5. Kris York; 6. Leah Boone. Barrels: 1. Kristi Boone; 2. Shawn Chambers; 3. Doug Brown; 4. Tina Morris; 5. Leah Boone; 6. Kris York. Flags: 1. Shawn Chambers; 2. Kristi Boone; 3. Leah Boone; 4. Tina Morris; 5. Kelly Doornbos, Benjamin; 6. Kris York.

Honorable mention ribbons went to Jay Emerson of O'Brien in barrels and flags, and to Kelly Doornbos in barrels and poles.

Junior Division. Western Pleasure: 1. Stacia Carver, Benjamin; 2. Selina Hudson, Benjamin; 3. Ricky Coker, Benjamin; 4. Kelley Boone; 5. Greg Oliver; 6. Mike Oliver. Poles: 1. Tammy Carver, Benjamin; 2. Dwayne Johnson; 3. Slina Hudson; 4. Stacia Carver; 5. Lynda Brooke Hudson; 6. Kelley Boone; 7. Ricky Coker; 8. Mike Oliver. Flags: 1. Selina Hudson; 2. Lynda Brooke Hudson; 3. Dwayne Johnson; 4. Stacia Carver; 5. Tammy Carver; 6. Mike Oliver.

Senior Division. Western Pleasure: 1. Brett Boone; 2. Melody Walker; 3. Joey Swain; 4. Mike Burkham; 5. Lisa Boone; 6. Lydia Lankford. Poles: 1. Debbie Aycock; 2. Brett Boone; 3. Melody Walker; 4. Lisa Boone; 5. Tammy Herricks, Weinert; 6. Lydia Lankford. Barrels: 1. Mandy Lankford; 2. Melody Walker; 3. Brett Boone; 4. Tammy Herricks; 5. Debbie Aycock; 6. Lydia Lankford. Flags: 1. Tammy Herricks; 2. Debbie Aycock; 3. Melody Walker; 4. Mandy Lankford; 5. Lisa Boone; 6. Tamie Grindstaff.



**KCHS GOLF TEAM MEMBERS**, from left, Kary Kent, Pam Skiles, Temi Baker, and Jane Arledge are in Lubbock Wednesday and Thursday (today) for the Regional Golf Tournament. Another team member, Timilu Graham, was absent due to illness when the picture was made. Coach Sam Nichols is golf sponsor for the girls and accompanied them to Lubbock.



**COMPETING IN REGIONAL TRACK AND FIELD COMPETITION** at Brownwood Friday will be, from left, Jewell Culberson, discus; Mandy Lankford, high jump; and Temi Baker, shot put. Coach Sam Nichols will accompany the track girls.

**Paula Nall Has Surgery**

Paula Myers Nall underwent surgery in Wichita General Hospital in Wichita Falls Wednesday, April 17. She returned to the Knox County Hospital Friday.

According to her mother, Mrs. Kenneth Myers, Paula was dismissed Wednesday of this week and is recuperating at home.

**FROM COLORADO CITY**

Mr. and Mrs. Olson Sweet of Colorado City visited Wednesday, April 17, in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Otis Cash.

Mr. Sweet is the Assistant State Director of National Retired Teachers Association and organized the Knox County Retired Teachers Association June 11, 1973.

Mrs. Cash is president of the Knox County RTA.

**CHAMPS**

From Page One

Gaughey, Knox City, first; Layne Meads, Crowell, second; Russell Routon, Munday, third; Danny Brown, Munday, fourth; David Benson, Knox City, fifth; Mike Cates, Crowell, sixth. Winners in girls Oral Reading in seventh and eighth grade were Lori Richards, Knox City, first; Gale Myers, Munday, second; Jan Lowrey, Knox City, third; Janna Naylor, Crowell, fourth; Dee Ann Hertel, Munday, fifth. Fifth and sixth grade boys Oral Reading winners include Bobby Powers, Crowell, first; Keith Sanders, Munday, second; Russell Hacker, Knox City, third; Tony Daniel, Crowell, fourth; Robert Espinoza, Knox City, fifth; Montie McAfee, Munday, sixth. Fifth and sixth grade girls Oral Reading winners were Kimberly Whitley, Knox City, first; Zanelle Franklin, Munday, second; Leigh Lankford, Crowell, third; Tammie Helton, Knox City, fourth; Georganne Abbott, Munday, fifth; Sherry Cabral, Crowell, sixth.

Team scores for the Literary Meet included Munday with 79 points, Knox City 75 points, Crowell 29, and Archer City 20.

Knox City won the over all Elementary 7-A District Championship including Boys District Track and Boys' District Tennis. They will be awarded the District Trophy.

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Max Courtney is 31 years old, a Conservative Democrat, a Methodist, married, 2 children, graduate of Wellington High School, Clarendon College, West Texas State. Since finishing school has been a museum curator, with the editorial department of the Amarillo Globe-News and the last 7 years with Proctor & Gamble.

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# Truscott - Gilliland News

BY JACQUELINE BROWN

Terry Hamilton visited Mr. G. Navratil Wednesday. Wesley Garrison visited Mr. Navratil Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. C.T. Davis and boys of Fort Worth visited Mr. and Mrs. L.M. Davis last weekend.

Lightening struck some grassland on the Waggoner place at Gilliland and several acres burned before the fire burned itself out.

The Weldon Welch family of Raton, New Mexico, spent Thursday and Thursday night with Mrs. Elmer D. Welch.

Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Welch and Donna of Canyon and Mr. and Mrs. Bob Partridge and children of Arlington spent the weekend with the L.D. Welch family.

Mr. and Mrs. James Glasscock of Melrose, New Mexico, spent Tuesday night with the Ray Glasscocks. Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Walker, Cinda and Kenny of Waco spent the weekend with the Glasscocks.

Mrs. Jerry Cawthron and Scotty of Vernon visited the Glasscocks Saturday.

Shorty Renya has moved into a new trailer house in Gilliland.

Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Quintero and family, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Quintero and family, Mr. and Mrs. Charles B. Swafford and family, all of Wichita Falls, Mr. and Mrs. Lee Gualtier and sons of Petrolia, and Mr. and Mrs. M.A. Quintero of Vernon visited the John Quinteros last weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. Q.D. Williams, Monty, and Joe Barr of Floydada visited Mr. and

Mrs. E.J. Jones Easter weekend.

Mr. Elmo Siaw has returned home from the Veteran's Hospital in Dallas, where he had surgery. He is doing fine now.

There was an explosion in the Gilliland elevator Saturday afternoon which caused between \$20,000 and \$25,000 damage. The dump pit and the overhead augers were completely destroyed. Charlie Myers was the only one hurt very bad, and he was put in the Seymour Hospital, for second degree burns on his hands and cuts on his face.

Urban renewal, Truscott style, is in its final stages, and almost everyone in town had a hand in it. The new windows, new paneling, a freshly painted grocery store, white, red, and green benches, and redwood paint on the front of the old drug store building (the town's new community center) help to give Truscott a really different look. (Putting up a new, non-sagging porch roof helped too.)

The front room of the community center is the same size as always. The main change in the building has been to convert the enclosed show windows into window seats with storage underneath, take down the shelves on the west wall, and begin painting ceiling and walls an off-white. George McNeese had earned the thanks of everyone for all the work he volunteered in cleaning and painting the walls.

The new pool table is the star attraction in the main room. It was earned by the young people through stump picking, car washing, and bake sales, plus some generous donations by young and old. The ping-pong table bought last summer is also kept in the front room.

In the back are rooms including a kitchen, a room for community and club meetings, and two restrooms. These are finished in a combination of panelling and painted walls. A hall divides the meeting room and kitchen.

A water fountain is located in the back part of the hall.

Total costs of buying the building and remodeling have totaled nearly \$5,000.00, with about three fifths to be provided by Truscott's portion of Knox County revenue sharing fund and the remainder to be paid by the Truscott Community Center Association. The board of directors has signed notes to borrow the money. It plans to repay the debt as revenue sharing and local funds become available over the next three years, according to the treasurer, Mrs. Paul Bullion.

The building will be available for rent by organizations, family reunions, etc. Adjacent recreation facilities include a tetherball pole and lighted outdoor basketball, badminton, and volleyball courts, with a baseball field located across the street.

## RESULTS (From Page One)

Other results included

- CHAMPIONSHIP FLIGHT**
- Jim Johnston 104-127; Charles Brownfield - Eric Swanson, 71-68 - 139; Jerry Jurek - Jack Beck, 79-71 - 141; Tom Everts - Buck Everett, 79-77 - 142; Lewis Cain - Zilvick, 71-72 - 143; Jim Thompson - Bob Brown, 69-72 - 145; Jeff Gophom - Clyde Graham, 71-74 - 145; VMI Collier - T.A. Galtman, 74-71 - 145; Davis - Scarlett, 74-72 - 146; Cook Smith, 74-76 - 146; Chode Voss - Nola Mitchell, 74-73 - 147; Lee - Garrett, 72-77 - 149; Car - Kennedy, 73-78 - 150; John Slaughter - David Slaughter, 74-77 - 151.
- FIRST FLIGHT**
- Allen Strickland - David Strickland, 75-69 - 144; Tom Perry - Bill Perry, 78-64 - 145; Pudlowski - Fulton, 75-72 - 145; Mubley - Baker, 76-79 - 145; Reno - Humphrey, 75-70 - 145; Wil - Dorns - Urbaniczka, 76-77 - 148; D. Johnston - B. Johnston, 75-74 - 149; Warner - Hoyt, 75-74 - 149; Fox - Baling, 76-74 - 150; Wallisworth - Baker, 74-75 - 152; Goodness - [unreadable], 76-77 - 153; Cornes - Medford, 75-80 - 154.
- SECOND FLIGHT**
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- THIRD FLIGHT**
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# Rolling Plains PCA Sets Annual Meet

Plans are complete for the 40th Annual Stockholders' Meeting of Rolling Plains Production Credit Association according to J.R. Gleaton, president. Due to the gasoline shortage and its increased price, the 1974 Annual Stockholders' Meeting will be held in two sections with one to be held Friday, April 26, 1974, at the Municipal Auditorium in Childress, Texas, and the other to be held on Saturday, April 27, 1974, at the High School Auditorium

in Stamford, Texas. Stockholders in the Childress and Matador offices are encouraged to attend the meeting at Childress and those in the Spur, Munday, and Stamford offices are encouraged to attend the meeting in Stamford.

Registration will begin at 11:00 a.m. followed by a barbecue lunch at both sites. The business session will begin at each section at 1:00 p.m. at which time reports will be heard from the Board of Directors and the Management. W.H. Calkins, president of the Federal Intermediate Credit Bank of Houston, will be the principal speaker at the Childress section and W.N. Stokes, retired president of the Federal Intermediate Credit Bank of Houston, will be the principal speaker at the Stamford section.

The terms of Directors W.C. (Jiggs) Mann of Clarendon and J.P. Perrin of Haskell expire with the date of this

meeting. The nominating committee met March 18, 1974, in Stamford and renominated Mr. Mann for his position on the Board and named Jack Bearden of Matador to oppose him. Mr. Perrin was also renominated for his position on the Board and John L. Grindstaff Sr. of Rochester was named to oppose him.

\$500. in cash attendance prizes will be awarded those whose names are drawn. All stockholders and their wives are eligible for participation in this cash prize event.

Rolling Plains PCA serves the credit needs of farmers and ranchers in a 17-county area of the rolling plains of Texas, with offices in Stamford, Spur, Munday, Childress, and Matador. Approximately \$60 million dollars was loaned by the Rolling Plains Production Credit Association in 1973.

The present Board of Directors is composed of Lasater Hensley, chairman, Guthrie, Dean Decker, vice-chairman,

Childress; Mack T. Claburn, Anson; W.C. Mann, Clarendon; J.P. Perrin, Haskell. J.R. Gleaton is president and vice-presidents are R.C. Cobb and Bill Glenn. Sam Ferguson is assistant vice-president.

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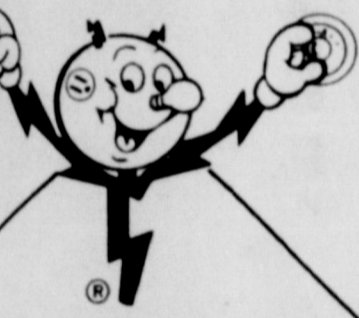
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## Get More Work From Less Fuel

Leon Burkham, vocational agriculture instructor in Knox City High School, has submitted the following suggestions for making the maximum use of tractor fuel. The information was provided by Norman K. Waggoner, tractor maintenance specialist at Texas A&M University.

Mr. Waggoner states that never has there been a time when a good schedule of regular maintenance was more important than now. No engine can make maximum use of fuel without abundance of clean air and clean fuel. This calls for servicing the air filter to assure the engine's "free breathing". Give special attention to keeping the fuel clean and servicing the fuel filter.

Operators may be forced to accept a low grade fuel that may be high in sulfur content. Sulfur in diesel fuel should not exceed one-half of one percent. A greater percentage than this will require more frequent oil changes.

Tillage practices might well be analyzed. Can the number of trips over the field be reduced without affecting the yield? Can some tillage operations be combined? Maybe we should ask ourselves, "is this trip really necessary?" Being sure tillage implements are properly adjusted will relieve side draft and reduce power requirements.

Selecting the proper forward gear to match the load will greatly improve efficiency. In many cases an operator can shift up to the next higher gear and throttle back. Diesel tractors give better fuel economy when fully loaded.

Weight the tractor to keep wheel slippage below 15%. Preferably about 10%. It has been found that wheel slippage of between 15-20 percent increases fuel consumption 10% and tire wear 40%. Excessive weight will also waste fuel. So good judgement is required here. Using the small tractor for small jobs and big tractor for big jobs is more important today than ever.

Don't "baby" the tractor, load it and work it. Remember that an engine that is idling is not idle at all. It is burning valuable fuel.

# It's time to pray.

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### Support the U.S. Senate call to prayer

*"The Congress hereby proclaims that April 30, 1974 be a National Day of Humiliation, Fasting and Prayer; and calls upon the people of our nation to humble ourselves as we see fit, before our Creator to acknowledge our final dependence upon Him and to repent of our national sins."*

This is the first time the United States Senate has taken such a historic step since confirming President Abraham Lincoln's Call to Prayer in 1863.

### Here is God's Promise!

"If my people who are called by my name shall humble themselves and pray, and seek my face and turn from their wicked ways, then will I hear from heaven, will forgive their sins, and will heal their land" (II Chronicles 7:14).

God wants to change the hearts of men and women. He wants to mend broken families. He wants to turn suspicion, hate, discord into love, forgiveness, harmony. God wants to give our nation a new birth of faith and freedom!

God is able—if we will turn from ourselves, look to Him and pray!

On April 30 millions will be joining together to pray for change. Millions will be praying for a moral and spiritual awakening in our country and in the world. You can join them!



For a copy of Senate Joint Resolution 183, calling for a National Day of Prayer, write to your senator or to the address below. The resolution is still pending in the House of Representatives as of April 15, 1974.

In your home, at the office, by yourself, with a neighbor, you can have a part in releasing the mightiest force for good known to man—prayer to a loving, all-powerful God!

There is a way to peace, equality, security, harmony. Let's take the first step toward a new America!

### Things you may wish to do to help:

- Plan to participate in this National Day of Prayer on April 30.
- Encourage family, friends and neighbors to meet with you to pray.
- Urge your church to hold a special prayer service on April 30.
- Ask your local government officials to pass a similar resolution in your city.

Encourage your local newspapers, radio and TV stations to support the Senate Resolution with public service announcements and editorials.

### To Help You Pray on April 30

Pray for national repentance, acknowledging God's mercy and forgiveness (II Chronicles 7:14).

Pray for the leaders of our country—national, state and local—that they may have wisdom, integrity, protection, guidance and an awareness of God's presence in mind and heart (I Timothy 1:6; Jeremiah 33:3).

Pray that, as individuals, we will realize God's love and draw upon His wisdom and understanding (James 1:5; Proverbs 3:5, 6; I Corinthians 13).

Pray for young people and their families, that they may desire and be willing to listen to and learn from each other (Colossians 1:10; Ephesians 5:15-6:4).

Pray for those who are prisoners of drugs, alcohol, immorality, obscenity, pornography, crime, prejudice, unbelief and despair (Matthew 5:44, 45; John 8:36).

Pray for the purification of our thoughts and deeds, that we may be fit instruments and channels for God's love where we live, work, play and worship (Colossians 1:9-12; Philippians 4:6, 7).

Study these passages in the Bible:

- Romans 13:1
- I Timothy 2:1-8
- Colossians 1:9-16

# Benjamin News

BY MRS. PAUL GREEN

Classes resumed at Benjamin this a.m. after a week's recess. Think there's only about a month, a very busy month, left of school. Those last of school activities will keep everyone busy until the final bell rings. So, kids, enjoy this last four weeks. Just think when those days are gone, it'll be two and a half months before you will get to go back!

### REGIONAL MEET

In the regional tennis meet last week in Stephenville, David Wilson advanced to the semi-finals in tennis singles competition but was defeated. However, third place in the region is good, and we're proud of David.

In the literary events, Terry Camwright was third place in poetry interpretation. To place in this competition is always an accomplishment, and we are proud of our kiddos.

### RISE AND THREZE

Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Roberts visited relatives in Lubbock, Hereford, Leody, Oklahoma, and Dallas during the Easter holidays. Mrs. Roberts' mother, Mrs. T.J. Day, returned to her home in Dallas after an extended visit here. The Roberts also attended the Stephenville meet.

Mrs. Gary Johnson, Gina and Matt of Wick spent several days last week with her mother, Mrs. Oscar Hudspeth and with the Mike Drivers.

Mr. and Mrs. Don Eady of Houston are visiting her parents, Mrs. Bill Hamilton here and Mr. Hamilton in the Brazos Valley Care Home this week.

Stella Kendrick is in Weatherford this week for a physical check-up.

Mr. and Mrs. Wayne West and sons and Mrs. Rick Abbott and children of Clovis visited Mrs. Edith West over the weekend.

Kim and Tiff Gentry of Gorse visited their grandparents, the Hesser Hills last week.

Recent guests of the Fred

Carvers were Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Anderson, Russell and Kenneth and Mrs. Dorothy Anderson of Crowell and Mr. and Mrs. Dennis Anderson and Brand of Quanah.

Mr. and Mrs. Alan Wagner of Glasgow, Scotland, visited the Charlton Sealiums last week.

Mr. and Mrs. David Kyle of Pueblo, Colorado, are visiting relatives and friends here this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Sealum and Mr. and Mrs. Billy Benson, Billy Carl and Stella were Wichita Falls visitors Saturday.

### CUTTING RESULTS

In the open Ranchers cutting Saturday afternoon following the professional cutting, Leland Floyd won first on Miss and Gary Douthett of Benjamin was second on Fanchis. Seven-run-gro were entered in this event.

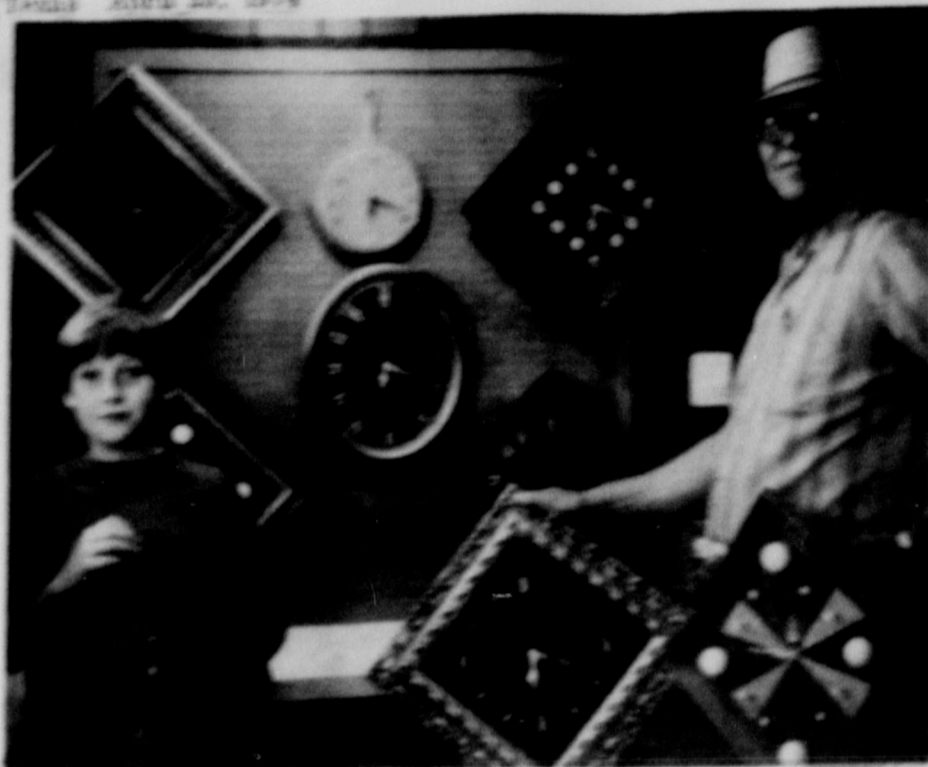
## Farm-Ranch News

BY HERMAN COLLIER

The Rolling Plains Economic Program and the Texas Agricultural Extension Service are sponsoring a Beef Cow Management Short-course 9:30 a.m. to 3:00 p.m. Tuesday, April 30, 1974, at the Haskell National Bank's Community Building.

Topics to be discussed are: A Look at Exotic Cattle, Managing Replacement Heifers, The Use of Liquid and Dry Supplements Containing Urea, The Value of Performance Records, Anaplasmosis - And A Beef Cow Herd Health Program.

Stanton Brown, Chairman of the Rolling Plains Economic Program Beef Cattle Task Force feels the days program will well be worth attending for all area people interested in beef cattle.



TAKE YOUR PICK! C. O. Thomas, Cities Service plant superintendent, has a "lifetime hobby" when it comes to clock making. With the help of his son, Tommy, the two proudly display a variety of clocks C.O. makes in his "spare" time.

## KC Man Enjoys Profitable Hobby

By Mary Ann Boone

Looking for the perfect gift for the father-in-law? Or for the gift man? How about the domino player? The person who has everything?

Ever thought of clocks with fishing lures instead of numerals, clocks made with gill nets and nets as numerals. Or would you prefer a clock in the shape of the State of Texas?

These are only a few of the styles of clocks made by Knox City's talented C.O. Thomas, who, in addition to his clock-making, also makes picture frames, does wood inlays and paints!

Thomas began making clocks as a hobby two years ago, when he made a "Domino" clock for his wife, Jean. He got the idea for the "Domino" clock, which has been one of his best selling styles, when he saw a clock in Las Vegas, Nevada, which used dice as numerals. On returning from his trip, Thomas answered a request made by his wife some fifteen years earlier for a clock by building his first clock, and was launched on a satisfying and profitable hobby. He recently completed his 90th clock. At present he is working on a clock in the shape of the State of Texas which is destined for a friend's trailer house. Following the completion of work on this project, Thomas will begin work on two clocks, commissioned by the Elks Lodge in Breckenridge, which will feature wood inlays.

Thomas said his most popular clocks are his "Golf" clocks, one of which he donated to the Knox City Country Club, and state map clocks, which feature a star locating the town of the owner.

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Works for the clocks are imported from Germany. They are battery operated, with the replaceable battery usually lasting about a year, Thomas explained. He buys numerals for the clocks in Florida, and dominos on special order from the manufacturer, so that he only gets those dominos he needs for numerals rather than having to buy a whole set as he previously had to do.

In the Thomas home, beautifully framed mirrors and paintings attest to Thomas' skill as a picture frame maker and to his talent as an artist—a talent shared by the Thomases' ten year old son, Tommy, who is a fifth grade student at Knox City Elementary School.

A wood inlay map of the United States hangs in the den of the Thomas home. Several kinds and colors of wood veneers were used in the making of this intricate and exacting creation. Made in 1963 by Thomas while recuperating from a heart

attack, it marked the beginning of his work with wood inlays, which ultimately led to clockmaking, which in turn led to picture frame making, as some of Thomas' clocks feature beautiful and intricate frames.

Clockmakers are frequently associated with the snow-capped Swiss Alps, with their crisp, clear air, tall timber, and green meadows filled with flowers than the flat, dry plains of Texas, with their dust laden air, soaring temperatures, scrubby mesquites and fields of cotton and maize, but it was from the high Plains of Texas that Knox City's clockmaker came. A native of Falls, Texas attended Texas Tech prior to seeing service during World War II. After his discharge he began his career with Cities Service which has stationed him in Aspermont, Longview, Bridgeport, and Kemball, Nebraska, prior to sending him to Knox City where he is plant superintendent.

Mrs. Thomas is a native of Aspermont. She attended Texas Women's University in Denton before entering beauty school.

## Knox County Entries In Baylor County Show

Several Knox County youngsters entered the Baylor County Cancer Benefit All Youth Horse Show held in Rusty Welch's indoor arena in Seymour last Saturday. Those competing in the show from Knox County were Tamie Grindstaff, Joey Swain, Selma Hudson, Lynda Brooke Hudson, and Lisa, Brent, Kelley, Kristi, and Leah Boone.

Competition was divided into three age groups, which were the 11 and under age group, the 12 through 14 age group, and the 15 through 18 age group. Events offered included halter, showmanship at halter, western pleasure, western riding, reining, barrels, flags, and poles.

Kelley Boone was high point winner in the 11 and under age division. Kelley, riding Fry Dee Dux, won first place in barrels, flags, and poles, and placed third in reining.

### FROM PLAINVIEW

Mr. and Mrs. Oliver King and family of Plainview visited his mother, Mrs. Ida King Sunday.

Mrs. King has returned to the Brazos Valley Care Home after spending several weeks at home while her sister, Aussie Myrtle, visited here.

Den, placed fourth in barrels in the 11 and under division. Also in this age division, Lynda Brooke Hudson of Benjamin, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Tom Brooke Hudson, placed third in flags and fifth in poles. Her mount was Lisa Cor Bar.

Selma Hudson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Danny Hudson of Benjamin, placed second in barrels in the 11 and under age group. She was riding Spandy Dux.

In the 12 through 14 age division, Brent Boone, riding Feather Lite took first place in poles, fourth place in both reining and flags, fifth place in western riding, and sixth place in barrels.

Tamie Grindstaff, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Grind-

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IN FORT WORTH  
Mrs. Z.I. Smith and Mrs. John Allen and Colby visited Mrs. Nomah Francisco in Fort Worth last weekend and she returned home with them for a visit.

FROM LAMPASAS  
Mrs. Ossie Herring of Lampasas visited recently in the home of her aunt, Mrs. Carrie Belle Benedict.

To help cure more, give more to the American Cancer Society for its programs of education, research, and service.

"Now, we are inaugurating a new rate schedule that recognizes the higher costs of providing rural telephone service and we are adjusting rural rates in relation to this higher cost," he stated.

Kehoe said facilities (poles, cable, lines, connectors, lightning arresters, etc.) in rural areas are more costly to the company per customer than in urban areas because of the length of the facilities between rural customers and the fewer customers served by rural facilities.

"I think anyone can see that in rural areas a mile of facilities may serve very few customers, maybe no more than one. This mile of facilities in an urban area can serve hundreds, making the cost per customer much higher in rural areas."

Kehoe continued, "Additional equipment is needed to provide rural service because it is scattered and this additional equipment means more maintenance and more possibilities of outages and trouble reports, he said.

Other rural-oriented expenses cited include more automobile expenses and man-hours in driving time; wire facilities usually require more time and are more susceptible to damages; and party lines, predominant in rural areas, require more manhours to locate trouble.

"To initiate this new rate structure, we have completely reviewed our service in this area on an individual basis. Some customers in the past have been paying for the lower priced eight party service when they are actually receiving four party or better service. Now, they will be charged for the class of service they are receiving," he explained.

## Club Members Symposium

Smith told what there was about Switzerland that had always made her want to visit that country.

A report on the district conference held in Abilene in March was given by the two delegates, Mrs. Lewis Kay and Mrs. J.C. McGee.

During the business session, Mrs. Kay, president, told of plans for the May fellowship luncheon, and a discussion was held. The resignation of Mrs. J.M. Bradberry was accepted with regret.

Hostesses were Mrs. Joe Roy Smith and Mrs. Ottis Cash.

Members attending were Mmes. Kay, McGee, Lois Smith, Toni Smith, Clara Smith, E.Q. Warren, Mary Bigham, White, Mabel Pyeatt, Curtis Casey, Cash, Carpenter, C.C. Hoge, and George Davis.

Mrs. Vera Newton, Knox City vocational homemaking teacher and FHA advisor, was a guest.



MRS. E. Q. WARREN

## KC Woman In Who's Who

Mrs. E.Q. Warren was quite surprised several months ago when she received notice that her name had been submitted for entrance in Vol. I of the Worlds Who's Who of Musicians, and still more so when the notice came she would be included in the book. How her name came to be submitted she has yet to learn, but she attributes her acceptance possible to the fact that all her early teachers came for the Music schools of Paris, Rome, and London, and that she could trace her musical pedigree, as has been mentioned in these columns before, back to the days of Bach, who is called the Father of Music.

While this award has been given her by individuals far from the Knox Prairie, she will always remember the loyalty of her friends and students in the Knox City area at a surprise party in her honor where she was dubbed 'The One-Woman Machine' of this area when she was the only teacher to have. Another time she was called 'Queen of the Keyboard', and in July of 1973 was honored with an Appreciation Tea given by the members of the Sunday School Class she teaches.

The quotation used by Mrs. Warren at this time is, 'View your honors without pride or boastfulness.'

### RECENT GUESTS

Recent guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. George Hodges included their children and families, Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Hodges, Greg and Eddie of Burleson, Mrs. Phil Acree of Brownwood, and Mr. and Mrs. Roland Marion and Roger of Knox City.

### FROM DUMAS

Mr. and Mrs. Barney Beesley and Holli of Dumas spent the weekend here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Crownover.

## Baptist Men Elect Officers

The Baptist Men held their monthly breakfast meeting Monday, April 22, at 6:30 a.m. in the dining hall of the First Baptist Church.

Twenty-seven men attended with four visitors present from the Gillespie Baptist Church. Rev. Ray Milhaun, pastor of the Gillespie Baptist Church, presented the program.

Election of officers included president, David Counts; vice-president, Cliff Swain; secretary-treasurer, Doug Meinzer; and program chairman, Paul Anderson.

The next meeting will be May 20.

Boys in high school are also invited to attend these breakfast meetings.

## Have You A Sod House Heritage?

Did you ever live in a sod house, a dugout, or an adobe building; or were you born in one? Did you ever teach school or attend school or church services in such a building, or help build one? Or are you a child or perhaps a grandchild of a former pioneer sod house dweller or builder?

If you can answer "yes" to any of these questions, the Sod House Society of America, with headquarters at Colby, Kansas, would like to hear from you. The unique society is making a survey and census of people who have had any kind of personal experience with sod structures, including descendants of such persons. Sod houses, dugouts, part sod, and adobe buildings were once common in the United States, Canada, and Mexico.

All former sod dwellers and descendants of a family that can claim a part of the sod house heritage during the pioneer settlement era of North America, or in some more recent times, will be listed by the society in a permanent historical record of sod, dugout, and adobe dwellers and their families. Sod buildings in some form were used in well over half the North American continent.

To make this survey a success, information is needed from people in all parts of North America. If you have any information concerning present or former sod dwellers, a reprint of this will be most welcome. Please tell where the buildings were located and give family names, as well as your own. Reports should be sent to: Sod House Survey of Texas Colby, Kansas 67701



MR. AND MRS. DENVER PITTMAN ...to celebrate golden anniversary

## Pittmans To Note Golden Anniversary

Mr. and Mrs. D.A. Pittman will celebrate their fiftieth wedding anniversary with an open house Sunday from 2 until 5 o'clock in the afternoon in the Fellowship Hall of the Rochester Methodist Church.

Hosting the celebration will be their children, Mrs. Mildred Stubbs of Knox City, Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Pittman of Anson, Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Pittman of Dallas, Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Pittman of Earth, and their grandchildren.

The couple married in Comanche April 30, 1924. They have made their home in Haskell County with the exception of the nine years they lived near Geary, Oklahoma. They moved back to Rochester in 1938.

A retired farmer, Mr. Pittman was born October 25, 1898, and Mrs. Pittman was born September 29, 1906, both in Comanche County.

They are members of the Methodist Church.

## Old Church Building To Become Gymnasium

The old auditorium of the First Baptist Church in Knox City has been silent for over a decade now, but soon may be full of sounds, such as laughter and cheers while young people play various indoor sports.

The change from silence to sounds of joy came as a recommendation from a committee appointed by the church to remove the building and clear the area for a parking lot. Committee chairman Tommy Kent reported that no satisfactory bids had

been received for the building's removal. Two bids were received requiring expense to the church; thus the committee recommended the utilization of the building for its existing Sunday School rooms and also, the conversion of the auditorium to a gymnasium and the basement to a recreation center. Such a usage would require little change to the building and could be realized with volunteer help.

Such a building would be an asset to our community and supplement the program of the church, the Rev. Paul Anderson, pastor, said.

Other members serving on the committee with Kent include Morris Denton, Abe Watson, Alex Godsey, and Charles Reese.

### Sunset School Ex's To Plan Homecoming

A meeting to plan a homecoming for ex-students of Sunset School is set for Tuesday, April 30, at 8:00 p.m. at the Munday Community Center.

All ex-students and interested persons are invited to attend, according to Mrs. Myrtle Everett.



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## TV Show To Tackle Faucets

A television series for local do-it-yourselfers will teach viewers how to repair leaky faucets this week.

"You Can Do It!" with hostess Cindy Kidwell will be aired Friday at 11:30 a.m. on KTXS-TV, (Ch. 12).

The 13-part television series of 30-minute programs is sponsored by the Knox County Family Living Committee and KTXS-TV, according to Miss Nancy Fuhrken, asst. County Extension agent.

It was created and produced by home economics specialists with the Texas Agricultural Extension Service, The Texas A&M University System, through a special United States Department of Agriculture grant.

Bulletins on any of the projects taught during the series are available through the County Extension Office, at 454-2651 or Box 22, Benjamin, Texas 79505. There is no charge for the bulletins.

Next week's program will discuss toilet repairs and adjustments, the agent said.

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## NOTICE

Sealed bids will be accepted until 2:00 P.M. Sunday, May 5, for the property including a brick house situated on two lots, Block 22, Davis Addition, City of Knox City.

Address of above property is 505 East Main Street.

Rights reserved to refuse or reject any or all bids.

Interested persons may pick up the keys to the house from Monty Penman.

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## More Congress Day 1 At Denver

gress, together with luncheons and specific affairs for lay men and women, are also programmed around general sessions and workshops, the Knox City pastor added.

Rev. Roy H. Hicks Sr., Gresham, Ore., Pacific Northwest supervisor of Four-square churches, chairmans the Congress and is its keynote speaker.

Congress marks the first time in the history of the denomination, founded by the late Aimee Semple McPherson, an annual convention has been held outside the parent church in Los Angeles, or one of its major churches.

The 1975 conclave, slated for the Los Angeles headquarters, will focus on the 50th anniversary of LIFE Bible College, main training center of the Foursquare organization.

### IN FORT WORTH

Eddie Carr visited his mother, Mrs. Pallie Carr, in Fort Worth early this week.

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## ROLLING PLAINS

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# 40th Annual Stockholders Meeting

<p><b>Friday, April 26</b></p> <p>STOCKHOLDERS IN THE MATADOR AND CHILDRESS OFFICES</p> <p>MUNICIPAL AUDITORIUM CHILDRESS, TEXAS</p> <p>Principal Speaker: W. H. Calkins President, FICB of Houston</p>	<p><b>Saturday, April 27</b></p> <p>STOCKHOLDERS IN THE MUNDAY, SPUR AND STAMFORD OFFICES</p> <p>HIGH SCHOOL AUDITORIUM STAMFORD, TEXAS</p> <p>Principal Speaker: W. N. Stokes, Jr. Author of "Credit to Farmers" Retired President, FICB</p>
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## Men Happenings

CHARLENE BROTHERS

week will phenville last Friday and Saturday were: Typing, Mark Thomas and Keith Rowan; Shorthand, Donna Underwood (she placed seventh, which is not bad); Informative Speaking, Teresa Hodges. Sponsors attending were June Tankersley, Jill Walsworth, and Diane Phillips. The boys going to Track were: Long Jump, Keith Rowan; and Pole Vault, John Alsidis; and Coach C.H. Underwood.

The State Meet will be May 3 and 4 in Austin. The girls that qualified for the regional meet in track were the 440 Relay team (Elida Alsidis, Betty Gutierrez, Rita Jackson, and Donna Underwood); One Mile Relay (Lionarda Alsidis, Debbie Del Hierro, Pam Holder, and Elena Rojas); Running High Jump, Teresa Hodges; 220 yd. Dash, Pam Stockton; 880 yd. dash, Sylvia Quintanilla and 100 yd. dash, Donna Underwood.

The grade school and ninth grade boys and girls district tennis meet will be held Tuesday, May 23, at Rule, O'Brien, and Old Glory. Will have the results on this next week.

**HERE AND THERE**  
Visiting with the Sam Johnstons recently were their children, Mr. and Mrs. Donnie Johnston and girls of Lubbock, Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Johnston and girls of Wolfkorth, Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Roberts and boys of Plainview, and Mrs. Shirley

Duncan, Becky and Karla of Iowa Park and Mr. and Mrs. John Tom Johnston and girls of Iowa Park.

Mr. and Mrs. Wallace Cox and boys of Fort Worth, Mr. and Mrs. Jackie Cox and family of Lubbock, Carol Cox of Ft. Hancock, and Mr. and Mrs. Royce Cox and family of Big Spring visited with Mr. and Mrs. A.A. Cox last week.

Visiting with Mrs. Sernea Johnston during the holidays were Mr. and Mrs. Dewayne Johnston and Jeannie and Mr. and Mrs. Bobby Ivey all of Lubbock.

Visiting with Mr. and Mrs. Ernest O'Neal were Mr. and Mrs. Bobby O'Neal, Traci and Scott of Abilene and the Dewayne Johnston family and the Bobby Iveys, all of Lubbock.

Mr. and Mrs. Grady Murray and boys of Plainview visited with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Grady Ellis, during the holidays.

Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Covey and family of San Angelo and Mr. and Mrs. Ronnie Lusk and Corey of Abilene visited with Mr. and Mrs. John Covey and the L.A. Covey family during the holidays.

Mr. Coy Hewitt, Vicki and Toni visited in Loop with Mr. and Mrs. Bert Davis during the weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Manning spent the weekend in Springtown visiting Mr. and Mrs. Derwin Lancaster and family, the Larry Gibson family and the Jerry Brothers family.

Mr. and Mrs. Humberto Gutierrez and family visited in Springtown during the holidays with Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Brothers, Jeremy and Tommy.

Visiting with Mrs. Ruby Lee Brothers and Ruby during the Easter weekend were Mr. and Mrs. Bobby Brothers and Robert of Rhome and Mrs. Lea Teague, Dannette and D'Shane of Tularosa, New Mexico.

Mr. and Mrs. Eddie Bryant and Jennifer of Levelland visited with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Claudale Barnard, during the holidays.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Holder, Pam and Darla were in Abilene during the Easter weekend attending a birthday celebration for Mr. Holder's mother.

Jill Walsworth spent part of the Easter holidays in San Angelo and Dallas. (She reported that she had car trouble while she was gone. The night that we had the Baptist Church supper for the senior class in Abilene Jill and I were talking about her having trouble while she was gone during the holidays--- sorry it happened, Jill.)

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### AN OPEN LETTER TO MY READERS

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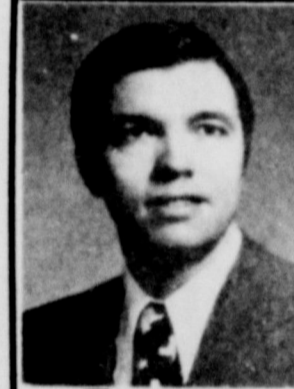


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The grade school and ninth grade boys and girls district tennis meet will be held Tuesday, May 23, at Rule, O'Brien, and Old Glory. Will have the results on this next week.

### HERE AND THERE

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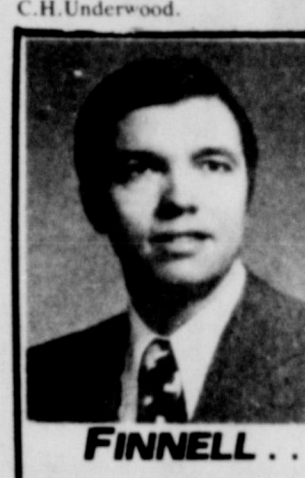
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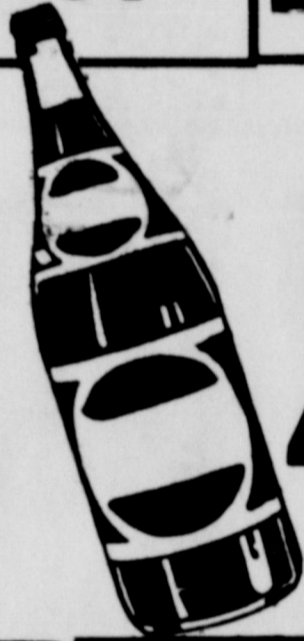


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