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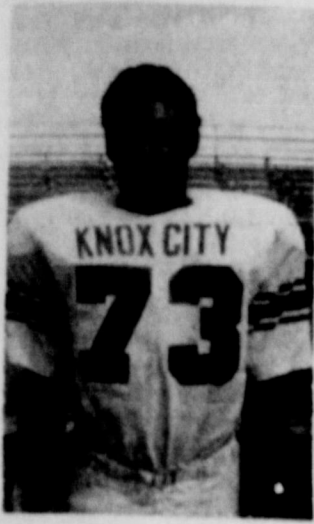
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Players Named To All Area Teams

Greyhounds placing two players on the 1973 team, according to the 3rd edition of the All-Area News.

Robert Taylor, a senior, 150-lb. linebacker, was named to the All-Area offense team.

Art Crownover, a senior, 150-lb. defensive end, was named to the All-Area defense team.



ROBERT TAYLOR
...All-Area Offense



ART CROWNOVER
...All-Area Defense

McKamey of Bangs, Valdez of Santa Anna, Allen of Rotan, Joiner of Dublin, backs Sockwell of Robert Lee, Hodges of Dublin, and Shadle of Aspermont.

Jack Waggoner of DeLeon was named Coach of the Year, Jerry Gentry of Rotan was chosen Back of the Year, and Budd Golden of DeLeon was named Lineman of the Year.

Time Schedule For Schools Go Into Effect Monday

Students will be in school 55 minutes longer.

Kindergartners through fourth grade will be dismissed at 3:20 p.m., with the fifth grade through high school being dismissed at 4:20 p.m. on the new schedule.

The lunch schedule has also been revised. Kindergartners who go home for lunch should be picked up at the kindergarten building at 11:45 a.m. Those kindergartners who leave after having lunch at the lunchroom are to be picked up at the lunchroom at 12:15 p.m.

Students who arrive before 8:45 a.m. are to go to the library in the junior high building. Teachers will open their rooms at 8:45 a.m., and the first bell will ring at 8:55 a.m. According to Chamber of Commerce manager Mrs. Kenneth Crownover, the matter of time changes for businesses will be discussed at the monthly breakfast meeting of the chamber directors and officers set for Tuesday, January 8.

Varsity Play Starts Friday For Cagers

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Did You Know

That Mrs. Vera Vines - Route 1 - Peculiar, Missouri 64078 subscribes to The Knox County News?

KC Junior Stock Show Set For This Saturday

The annual Knox City Junior Livestock Show is set for Saturday, January 5, at the vocational agriculture farm west of town, weather permitting.

The judge for this year's show will be Bill Scott, vocational agriculture instructor at Abilene High. Both fat lambs and breeding sheep as well as breeding swine, will be judged Saturday morning, with the judging getting underway at 10 a.m.

Trophies will be presented to the champion animals in each division, with ribbons being awarded in all classes.

Rosettes will be presented to the top showman in each division. The individual exhibitor accumulating the highest number of points will receive the annual Claud Reed Memorial Trophy.

Last year's recipient was Mike Burkham of the Knox City Future Farmers of America chapter.

O'Brien's vocational agriculture students will exhibit their animals at the Knox City show, as they did last year.

Assisting with the show will be members of the Knox City Young Farmers Chapter. The Knox City FFA boys will have a concession stand with hot coffee, cold pop, candy, and donuts available, with the proceeds going to the chapter.

The Knox County Junior Livestock Show is set for January 11 and 12 in Munday. Many of the young exhibitors who show in the Knox City show will be competing for county honors next week.

Matura Rites Held Friday

Funeral services were held for Willie Joe "Bill" Matura of O'Brien Friday at 2:30 p.m. in the Knox City Church of Christ.

Burial was in the O'Brien Cemetery under the direction of Smith Funeral Home.

Mr. Matura, 67, died Thursday at 7 a.m. in a Big Spring hospital.

Born April 6, 1907, in O'Brien, he married Lillian Erwin in O'Brien in 1931. He served in the U.S. Army during World War II. He was a retired masonry contractor.

Survivors are three sons, Bill Dodd and Dwayne, both of Edgewood, and Jack of Hamlin; seven grandchildren; and one brother, Adolph of Knox City.

Mrs. Warren Shares Notes

Mrs. E.Q. Warren reported to the News office this week that she had enjoyed, as she does each year, cards from many of her former students and residents who correspond with her each Christmas.

There were several that she felt readers would enjoy knowing where they were and what they were doing so she is sharing this information with us.

Mrs. John Dutton and her daughter, Mrs. Mildred Dutton Joiner, wrote from Lubbock that they and Mildred's husband would be having Christmas together.

Another former resident, Mrs. Faye Heath Kembark of Walnut Creek, California, wrote of her "grown-up" family and of her 10-year-old boy who was participating in a Christmas pageant.

Mrs. Louise Graham, now residing in Coeur d'Alene, Idaho, wrote that she was busy, but enjoying her college work.

Dr. David Eiland of Galveston wrote that he and his family had enjoyed a traveling year before the energy crisis. In May of last year, he and his wife attended the annual psychiatrists' convention in Hawaii, in June their daughter traveled over the United States as a Girl Scout Patrol Leader, and in July, their son attended the Boy Scouts' National Jamboree in Idaho where they were welcomed by Bob Hope.

Former resident Monroe Ward of Anaheim, California, explained to Mrs. Warren that he does not send cards to Knox City anymore at Christmas time, as he is not sure who still lives here. He said his daughter, Lura Ben, lives in South Carolina now and joined him in sending greetings to Knox City folk.

KC Woman's Father Dies

Mr. and Mrs. Leroy Davis were in Canton Friday, December 28, to attend funeral services for her father, George Callaway Easley, 89, who died Wednesday, December 26, in Athens Memorial Hospital.

Services were held in the Old Bethel Church in Canton at 11:00 a.m. Friday with the Rev. John B. Trent officiating.

Burial was in the Old Bethel Cemetery. Mr. Easley was born and raised in Van Zandt County and lived all of his life there with the exception of a short time in Houston. Before his retirement, he had been a cattleman and had owned farm land and cotton gins. His wife preceded him in death May 7, 1967.

He was a member of the Baptist church. Survivors include three daughters, Mrs. Leroy (Roberta) Davis of Knox City, Mrs. Lerlene Bird of Santa Cruz, Calif., and Miss Dolores Easley of Dallas; and one son, Larry R. Stratton of Canton.

Garden Club To Meet January 8

The Knox City Garden Club will meet Tuesday, January 8, at 2 p.m. at the Community Center.

Jim Dillon, horticulture teacher, will give the program on "Ornamental Horticulture," according to Mrs. Ernie Wilson, club reporter.

IN SHANNON HOME

Pat Shannon of San Francisco, California, spent the Christmas holidays with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Fuller Shannon.

Pat's guest, Cynthia Smith of Oklahoma City, visited in the Shannon home the weekend before Christmas.

1973 Area Happenings In Review

What happened in 1973? Well, there was Watergate, Agnew's resignation, the return of the POW's from Indochina, another Israeli-Arab war, the energy crisis, and the appearance of the comet Kohotek among other things.

All these things affected the greater or lesser degree the lives of the people in and around Knox City.

A number of other things also happened that were of interest to the people of this area not of world importance - but nonetheless of importance locally because local persons were involved.

Following is a month by month resume of the year 1973.

JANUARY
Weather was the watchword in January, 1973. It was bitterly cold, with sleet, snow, and ice storms. Driving was hazardous, and so was walking as several persons who sustained broken bones in falls on the ice would testify.

The Knox City Junior Livestock Show and the Knox County Junior Livestock Show were both held in extremely cold, icy weather here in Knox City. The chilling weather did not lessen the enthusiasm of the young showmen. Mike Burkham was top showman for the

Cypert To Seek Another Term

J.T. Cypert of Knox City has authorized the Knox County News to announce his candidacy for re-election as Knox County Treasurer, subject to the action of the Democratic Primary in May.

Cypert, a longtime resident who is well known throughout this area, has served in this office for a number of years and feels that he is qualified to continue to carry out the duties of this important office if re-elected.

Cypert's formal statement will appear in a later issue of the News.

City Sales Tax Check Received

The City of Knox City has received the state sales tax check for the third quarter period ending September 30. The payment was in the amount of \$4,767.08, according to City Secretary Faye Rallsback.

For the same quarter the previous year the check of \$4,412.02.

The previous quarter ending June 30 the payment to the city was \$5,162.50.

Checks are received from the state three months after the closing date of the period covered.

Mrs. Roy Day Has Surgery

Mrs. Roy Day underwent surgery Monday in the Methodist Hospital in Lubbock.

According to her daughter, Mrs. Dessie Egenbacher, she is doing fine and will be able to return home later this week.



NAMED NEW MANAGER at Riverside Chemical is Bobby Idol, left, who is shown with A.A. Cox, former manager who has been promoted to district manager.

At Riverside Chemical Idol Is New Manager

Bobby Idol of Pecos assumed the duties as manager of Riverside Chemical Company, effective January 2.

Idol replaces A.A. Cox, who has been promoted to district manager. Cox will continue to work out of the local plant and call on wholesale accounts in this area.

The son of Mr. and Mrs. Jack Idol of Benjamin, Idol is a graduate of Benjamin High School and holds the B.S. degree in animal husbandry from Abilene Christian College. He received his M.S. degree from the University of Tennessee in Knoxville.

During the time Idol was in Pecos, he was a salesman for Moorman Manufacturing Company and was also employed by West Texas Production Credit Association.

Idol's wife, Kay, is a native of Healdsburg, California. They have one daughter, Melissa, 3.

The new family has purchased a mobile home and will be residing in Knox City as soon as the home is moved here. The Idols are members of the Church of Christ.

KC Women's Kin Buried

Funeral services were held for Mrs. Catherine Brown of Rochester, sister-in-law of Mrs. Bill Sanderson and Mrs. Loyd Lemley, at the Seminole Memorial Chapel in Seminole Saturday at 3 p.m.

Burial was in Seminole under the direction of Smith Funeral Home. Mrs. Brown, 59, died Wednesday at 10:30 p.m. in Hendrick Memorial Hospital in Abilene.

Born February 10, 1914, in Oregon, she married Rube Brown October 27, 1961, in Seminole. The couple moved from Seminole to Rochester six years ago.

Survivors include her husband; four daughters, Mrs. Zicky Landrum of Seminole, Mrs. Isabell Koertze of Edwardsville, Ill., Mrs. Betty Wolf of Hobbs, N.M., and Mrs. Jeanie Mayo of Kermit; one son, Ronnie Brown of Kenney; 18 grandchildren; and seven great-grandchildren; six brothers and two sisters.

MRS. ESCOBAR HAS SURGERY

Mrs. Ray Escobar underwent surgery December 11 at Wichita General Hospital in Wichita Falls.

She returned to the Knox County Hospital December 14, and after a one week stay, returned to her home.

According to her daughter, Janie, she is progressing well, though she is still weak.

FROM CLEBURNE

Former residents, Rev. and Mrs. Roger Butler, David and Donald Ray of Cleburne visited the Leo Beasons Friday.



WINTERLAND - This cold but pretty scene was taken in the back yard of this week. The yard was in the process of being watered, and as the water dripped sharply, icicles formed "all over the place." The ice hanging from the tree in the foreground reminded passers-by just how cold it really is.

Weather

date	high	low	rain
12-26	52	30	
12-27	58	18	
12-28	71	38	
12-29	49	33	
12-30	62	36	
12-31	32	15	
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1-2		8	

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Nick Hibbins
1-3 4p

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LOST - German Shepherd female dog - 15 months old - Black and Silver - Named Gretchen - Wearing Red collar with Monday tags. Very shy - Last seen on Moorhouse Ranch. Contact Wilma Barby at the Ranch House Package Store. 1-3 1c

DISHES left at my home may be picked up at the Church of Christ Annex. Mrs. A.R. Matzra. 1-3 74 1c

AUCTION AT LANGFORD AUCTION HOUSE Jan. 6, 1:30 p.m. Highway 380 East in Blakell, Texas. Commission 20%. Assignments welcome. 1-3 1p

NEED A PLACE TO STORE those old records? Why not come by and pick up a sturdy Perma-Pak storage box? Holds both letter or legal records. The Knox County News. 1-3 74 1c

I WANT TO BUY or lease 5 to 25 acres mesquite pasture. Ron White. 658-3232 or 658-3267. 12-20 7p

FOR SALE: Registered Angus Bulls - 12 months to two years - \$400.00 up. James Long - 8 miles south Crowell - Left side highway - Phone nights (807) 634-2835. 1-3 5c

PAPER CLIPS, RUBBER BANDS, PENCIL SHARPENERS, Scotch Tape, labels, typing and filing supplies available here. The Knox County News.

WANT TO BUY animal furs and hides. See Tom Thomas. 1-3 74 2p

CARD OF THANKS
We want to thank Dr. R.G. Howell and Dr. Ted C. Alexander, the nurses, and hospital staff for their care during Bob's hospital stay.
Pearl and Bob Gagn
1-3 1p

CARD OF THANKS
I would like to express my sincere thanks to my friends for their many kindnesses during my hospital stay.
Your cards, flowers, visits, and concern were all appreciated very much.
Mrs. Stella Eschlar
1-3 1p

CARD OF THANKS
We, the family of Bill Matzra, want to express our appreciation to our friends who were so kind during his illness and death.
Thank you for the gifts of food, flowers, and cards.
A.R. Matzra and family
B.D. Matzra and family
D.R. Matzra and family
J.W. Matzra and family
1-3 74 1c

SEE YOUR MONUMENTS before you buy. More than 50 designs to choose from Also curb work. J. C. McGee, 10-21 4c

NEW, USED PIANOS AND ORGANS. Reasonably priced. Free delivery from Abilene. Call Don Richards, Les White Music Co. 915-672-9781. 10-11 4c

CARPETS a bright? Make them a beautiful sight with Blue Lustrac carpet shampooer \$1. City Hardware 1-3 74 1c

Streams In Desert Places
by Gerlie Stephens

"As thy days, so shall thy strength be." Deuteronomy 33:25a.
Begin the New Year with the Word of God that will be to you a stronghold every day of the year. A promise that is yours personally as you believe.
"As thy days, so shall thy strength be."
There is always something challenging and exciting about beginning a New Year. First, get forgiveness from God and our fellowman of all mistakes and wrongs. Acknowledge all sins and shortcomings and be sorry for them. Second, be sure you have forgiven all who have wronged you. Know that you can love and pray for them. Then with God as your partner you are ready to think of the challenge and the opportunities that await you: what you might be able to do for others. What victories, what new friendships you may farm. Then a more serious question might arise in your mind, shall I be equal to all the demands that will be made on me in the New Year? Here you can take hold of God's promise by faith. "As thy days, so shall thy strength be."

Notice
That in accordance with Article 1377c of the Penal Code CRIMINAL TRESPASS (Senate Bill 80 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 1c

KC Colored News-Events
BY ALESTINE FLYE

St. Paul Baptist held Sunday School with a small attendance. The lesson was taught by the teacher, Howard Hendrix and reviewed by the Supt. No other service.
Last Saturday Mrs. Annie Mae Moss and Alestine Flye were in Stamford doing some after Christmas looking and wishing and while there visit her daughter, Florence.
Mrs. Dorothy Alexander is still on the sick list, but improving. Her report is being sent of staying at home, but if she were to go to some place like today.
Mrs. Patricia Lowrey and children of Wichita Falls spent Christmas with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lee Carothers.
Well Christmas is past and every one have exchanged their presents. Maybe we can start getting ready for next Christmas it will take me that long.
I say I can't write much because subjects can go or come lots of people had to stay close to home because of no gas, it were funny I get ready to go to Vernon Sunday, got all dress up and went to get some gas and found all stations (you guess it) close, so back to my hole, how about you?
Visitors in the home of Mrs. Willie Brantley were Mrs. Ploke Brown and boys spent the holidays with mother and stayed throughout her illness. They will return home in another week.
Pearl Jordan and family from Maunday, Charles West and family from Lohback, Mrs. Helen Armstrong from Midland, Mr. and Mrs. James Swearingen Jr. and a host of friends that live in Knox City. Mrs. Jessie Washington and family, Liberta Jackson and family from Abilene, Mr. and Mrs. Charlene Bolivar and daughter, her son Mrs. Clarence Brantley and family all from Dallas.
The Harris family spent the Christmas holidays in Abilene. Returning home, Mrs. Harris mother, Mrs. John Williams joined them and is spending the New Years holiday with them.
Georgia Wade of Haskell spent the Christmas evening with Kaiser Harris.

Hospital News

PATIENTS DISMISSED SINCE 12-22-73
Knox City: Betty Ary and Baby Boy, Luther Woolley, Georgia Racho
Rochester: Catherine L. Brown, Dollie Bishop
Gareen: Maggie F. Shelton, Larry Huxley
Rale: Victoria Herrera
Maunday: Rachel T. Martin, Ada Hill, Lena Stubbiefield
Haskell: Rachie Watson and Baby Girl
O'Brien: Zoylia Diaz
PATIENTS IN THE HOSPITAL AS OF 12-29-73
Knox City: Sandra Stubbis, R.G. Vaughn, Charlie Hughes, Joe Zambrano, Keith Lee Barr, Modesta Medefield and Baby Boy
Maunday: Francis Jimenez, Carme T. Wilson, Everett Tidwell
Haskell: Thelma Hilbert
Trawest: Paul Bullion
Rochester: Simona Sarabia
Benjamin: Carl Engbrock, Francis Sam
O'Brien: Wallace Baby

IN ODELL CARVER HOME

Christmas dinner guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Odell Carver and Craig were Mr. and Mrs. Fred Carver and family of Benjamin, Mrs. Dorothy Anderson of Brownwood, Mr. and Mrs. Johnny Warren Carver of Lohback, and Mrs. E.Q. Warren, Mrs. Madge Osborn and Tom Ed all of Knox City.

KRAUSE PLOW AND SERVIS SHREDDER REPAIR PARTS now in stock. Also breaking plow shares for John Deere, IHC, and Oliver. John Egenbacher Implement Co. 658-3242 1-16 1c

Public Notice
NOTICE OF TAX RENDITION, 1974

I, Faye Railback, Assessor and Collector of Taxes, of the City of Knox City, Knox County, State of Texas, do hereby give public notice that all persons, firms, corporations, and associations, public or bonded warehouse, beginning January 1st or before the first day of April of each and every year, shall furnish the Assessor and Collector of Taxes of the City of Knox City a full and complete statement, list and schedule verified by affidavit, of all real personal property located elsewhere and subject to taxation in the City of Knox City owned, held or controlled by them, or in their possession as agent or custodian on the first day of January and shall in said statement, list and schedule, state the name and address of the owner or owners of such property. Such lists, statements and schedules must be filed with the office of the Assessor and Collector of Taxes of the City of Knox City, in the City Hall Knox City, Texas.
Witness my hand, this second day of January, A.D. 1974
Faye Railback
Assessor and Collector of Taxes for the City of Knox City, Texas
1-3 1c

Legal Notice

CITIZEN BY PUBLICATION THE STATE OF TEXAS

TO: Presley Shirley, if living, and if deceased, Mrs. Presley Shirley and the known and unknown heirs of Presley Shirley
GREETING:
You are commanded to appear by finding a written answer to the plaintiff's petition at or before 10 o'clock A.M. of the first Monday after the expiration of 42 days from the date of issuance of this Citation, the same being Monday, the 28th day of January, A.D., 1974, at or before 10 o'clock A.M., before the Honorable District Court of Knox County, at the Court House in Benjamin, Texas.
Said plaintiff's petition was filed on the 14th day of December, 1973.
The file number of said suit being N. 6263.
The names of the parties in said suit are: Egenbacher Implement Company as Plaintiff, and Presley Shirley, and if deceased, Mrs. Presley Shirley and unknown and known heirs of Presley Shirley as Defendants.
The nature of said suit being substantially as follows, to wit: To Surrender on a Mechanic's and Materialman's Lien and Storage Costs on a two ton Bob-tail Chevrolet Truck, 1960 year Model, Serial Motor No. 127588, Identification No. OK 633 5 396309.
Issued this the 14th day of December, 1973.
Given under my hand and seal of said court, at office in Benjamin, Texas, this the 14th day of December A.D., 1973.
Zena H. Waldron, Clerk District Court, 12-20 4c Knox County, Texas By Florine Wilde Deputy

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IN BENEVOLENT HOME
Harold Daniel of Gostine and his daughter, Louise Longley of Houston visited Mr. and Mrs. Geady Benedict Wednesday.

FROM DALLAS
S.E. Park of Dallas visited his mother, Mrs. Zell Park during the Christmas holidays.

WITNESS my hand, this second day of January, A.D. 1974
Faye Railback
Assessor and Collector of Taxes for the City of Knox City, Texas
1-3 1c

FROM DALLAS
S.E. Park of Dallas visited his mother, Mrs. Zell Park during the Christmas holidays.

Church School 10:00
Morning Worship 11:00
Evening Worship 6:00
DICK RICHARDS, Pastor
First United Methodist Church
406 South Second St. Knox City, Texas 78028

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O'Brien Happenings

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Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Draper spent some of the holidays visiting in Irving with Mrs. Harold, Jeannette and Mark, and also visited their granddaughter, Susan, Paul, and Jason Culp from Austin. They also visited with Bertha Gothard in the Care Home while they were in Irving.

Visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Sam Johnston during the holidays were Mr. and Mrs. John Tom Johnston and girls of Iowa Park, Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Johnston and girls of Wolforth, Mr. and Mrs. Donny Johnston and girls of Lubbock, Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Roberts and boys of Plainview, and Shirley Duncan and girls of Iowa Park. Their daughter, Laura, of California called Christmas Day and they all talked to her family.

Visiting with Mr. and Mrs. Buster Hodges and Teresa during the holidays were Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Hodges and family of Graham, Mr. and Mrs. Taylor Hodges and daughter of Midland.

Mrs. Ruby Lee Brothers and Ruby Wilson visited in Rhome with Mr. and Mrs. Bobby Brothers and Robert during the holidays.

Visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Manning were Mr. and Mrs. Derwin Lancaster and family, Mr. and Mrs. Larry Gibson, Shane and Shawna, and Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Brothers, Jeremy and Tommy all of Springtown. These also visited with the James Mannings and the J.O. Brothers. Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Brothers and boys also visited with the Humberto Gutierrez family. Mr. and Mrs. Larry Gibson and family visited

in Rule Christmas afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. Wilson Gibson.

Mr. and Mrs. Ronnie Lusk and Corey of Abilene and Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Covey and family of San Angelo visited in the home of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Covey and also the L.A. Covey family.

Mr. and Mrs. Johnnie Ivey and girls visited in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Vaughn Brooks and with other relatives and friends during the holidays.

Mr. and Mrs. Ivan Rowan and their son and daughter, Wayne Snyder and Gail of Lubbock visited with them Christmas.

Mr. and Mrs. Lanny Covey and daughter of Snyder visited with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. C.W. Covey and also with her sister and family, Mr. and Mrs. Coy Hewitt.

Visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. A.A. Cox during the holidays were Mr. and Mrs. Bobby Cox and family, Mr. and Mrs. Wallace Cox and family of Fort Worth and Carol Cox of Ft. Hancock.

Mr. and Mrs. Ivan Rowan, Wayne and Keith visited in Pampa one day last week with Jackie, Donna and Jared Lee.

Mr. and Mrs. Lowell Rowan and Paul of Denton, Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Rowan of Henrietta, and Mr. and Mrs. Trey Burson of Haskell visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Milton Rowan during the holidays.

Mr. and Mrs. A.A. Cox and Carol visited in Big Spring with Mr. and Mrs. Royce Cox and daughter.

Mr. and Mrs. Johnny Lippard and boys of Del City, Oklahoma, visited with Mr. and Mrs. J. Reeves and with Mr. and Mrs. Dave Vannoy at the Brazos Valley Care Home during the holidays.

We have two new families in O'Brien. Mr. and Mrs. Van Kuykendall of Summerfield purchased the Rader land west of town and have moved a trailerhouse in. Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Jackson and family are the other new ones. The Jackson family are not really new people to us, as they have been living east of town for some time, but we are proud to have them and the Kuykendalls as our neighbors. We welcome you all to O'Brien.

IN CYPERT HOME

Mr. and Mrs. Lyndol Cypert, Lance and Timothy of Portland were holiday guests in the home of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. J.T. Cypert.

Visiting in the Cypert home Christmas day were Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Myers of Galveston.

The Lyndol Cyperts also visited Mr. and Mrs. Rudolph Moore in Plainview and Mr. and Mrs. Donny Moore in Lubbock over the holidays.

Letter To The Editor

Escondido, California
Dear Bilye Bess,

Sorry I'm late with the renewal of the paper, but I've been quite ill for some time and simply forgot to do several things, even important things! Such as reorder The Knox County News - and as Walter tells me, that is a MUST, as it's our weekly letter from what I still call home. Hope you and your family, also each and every family in Knox City, had a Merry Christmas and will have a healthy and happy new year in 1974.

Enclosed is our check for the paper.

Love,
Laura and Walter
Grzebieniowski

3812 Lakewood Drive
Fort Worth, Texas 76135
Dear Bilye Bess,

Kaye's kid, Joe, looks forward to the paper as well as we. Please change our subscription to his name, same address.

Thanks a lot,
W.L. "Rip" Collins



Mr. and Mrs. Gary Griffin are the proud parents of a baby boy, Herman Cory, born at 6:35 a.m. Wednesday, December 19, in the Knox County Hospital.

The Griffins have another son, Chad, who will be three in February.

Maternal grandmother is Mrs. Martha Nell Sickles of Mexia. Paternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Monroe Griffin also of Mexia.

The baby's father is manager of Perry's.

SUNDAY GUESTS

Sunday guests in the home of Mrs. Oleta Fitzgerald were Mr. and Mrs. R.E. Humphries and Anita Kaye, Mr. and Mrs. Steve Brewer, Stacie and Stephanie, Mrs. Hazel Humphries and Sherry Gaye all of Wichita Falls, Mrs. Beatrice Hutchinson, Mr. and Mrs. Boyd Lynn Meers, Todd and Angela of Munday, Mrs. Ben Curd and Regina of Arlington, Mr. and Mrs. Lester Hutchinson, Deiter, Wayne, and Debbie of Weinert, and Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Don Hutchinson, Holly and Jeremy of Munday.



STATE REP. CHARLES FINNELL pays his fee as he became the first candidate to officially file for the 64th Texas Legislature. Finnell, who has served four terms in the Texas House of Representatives, is now a candidate for the Democratic nomination for State Senator from the 30th Senatorial District.

Finnell First To File

AUSTIN--State Representative Charles Finnell of Holliday, Thursday, became the first candidate to file officially for office of State Senator from the 30th District which includes Knox County.

USDA's Agricultural Marketing Service Office issued 9,100 samples during the week ending Friday, Dec. 28, 1973, according to Sidney Ferrell, in charge. The season total now stands at 93,000.

Statistics for the week are as follows: grade 31 accounted for six percent of the cotton classed; grade 41 was thirty-seven percent; grade 51 was three percent; grade 32 was twenty-one percent; grade 42 was twenty-seven percent; grade 52 was three percent; and full spots accounted for three percent. Staple 30 made up nine percent; staple 31 was sixty-one percent; staple 32 was twenty-eight percent; and staple 33 and longer was two percent.

Mike readings in the 3.5 - 4.9 range showed a slight increase with eighty-seven percent while only twelve percent miked 50 or higher.

Cotton prices advanced from 300 to 500 points this week for staple 31 and longer cotton. This cotton is now bringing from 4400 to 5000 points above the CCC Loan prices.

IN FORT WORTH

Mr. and Mrs. Billy G. Johnston and Mr. and Mrs. Nick Johnston and Abel spent Christmas in Fort Worth with Mr. and Mrs. Dexter Whitaker and Chance.

IN COATES HOME

Mr. and Mrs. Wyman Tidwell, Tammy, Terri, and Traci of Houston left Friday after spending the Christmas holidays here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Coates.

FROM WICHITA FALLS

Mr. and Mrs. Charley Cross of Wichita Falls spent part of the Christmas holidays here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Ross and Jimmy and other relatives and friends.

HOME FROM TECH

Greg Clonts, student at Texas Tech University in Lubbock, is spending the semester break with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Sam Clonts and Jani.

HOLIDAY VISITORS IN CASH HOME

Holiday visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Otis Cash included Exa Faye Hutton of Pampa, Dr. and Mrs. Joe Cash, Josef, and Sarah of Lake Charles, Louisiana, Mr. and Mrs. Travis Sarsa of Ralls, Mrs. Fannie Cash of Crosbyton, Mrs. J.C. Black of Truscott, Mrs. Mildred Cook and Alicia Cook of Gilliland, Dr. and Mrs. James Culp of Texas Tech University, Mr. and Mrs. Johnny Montandon of Chicago, Illinois, Mr. and Mrs. Z.L. Cone of Wichita Falls, G. Headen and daughter of Plano, Essie Mae Walters and her niece Vicki Sue of Pampa.

WEEKEND VISITORS

Mr. and Mrs. Weldon Brown of Wichita Falls and Mr. and Mrs. Prentis Brown of Fort Worth were weekend visitors in the homes of Mrs. Mabel Hutchinson, Mrs. Nettie Wilcox and the Kenneth Russell family.

FROM NEW MEXICO

Mr. and Mrs. Ross Ed Lankford and daughters of Farmington, New Mexico, spent the holidays with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Lankford and other relatives.

Nine Accidents Reported On Knox County Roads

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

These crashes resulted in no persons killed and three persons injured.

The rural traffic accident summary for this county during the first 11 months of 1973

shows a total of 72 accidents resulting in three persons killed and 30 persons injured.

The rural traffic accident summary for the 60 counties of the Lubbock Department of Public Safety Region for November, 1973, shows a total of 606 accidents resulting in 25 persons killed and 349 persons injured as compared to November, 1972 with 504 accidents resulting in 14 persons killed and 265 persons injured. This was 22 more accidents, 11 more fatalities, and 84 more injured in 1973 at the same period of time.

The 25 traffic deaths for the month of November, 1973, occurred in the following counties: three each in Olkham, Clay and Lubbock; two each in Floyd, Hale, Lamb, Wise; and one each in Garza, Stonewall, Young, Lipscomb, Farmer, Randall, Swisher, and Wilbarger.

McGAUGHEY'S ON HUNTING TRIP

John McGaughey and his sons, David and Jody, accompanied Jerry Johnston and his son, Shane, on a hunting trip west of Ozona during the holidays.

The party bagged both wild turkey and deer, according to John, who reported a very enjoyable outing.

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An open letter from Lone Star Gas

In 1962, President Kennedy sent an historic message to Congress—the first of its kind devoted entirely to consumer interests. He pointed out that two-thirds of all spending in our economy is by consumers, that the problems consumers face today are greater than they have ever been in history and are likely to become more complex as time goes on. In the intervening years, Presidents Johnson and Nixon restated this message and cited the four basic rights of the consumer: The right to safety, the right to choose, the right to be heard and the right to be informed.

Lone Star Gas recently launched a new advertising program to inform consumers about our company and our principal product—natural gas. We believe that only by knowing the facts can you fully understand issues such as gas supply, rates (your cost of natural gas service) together with the rising costs of finding and delivering natural gas to our more than one million customers.

This in large part relates to the much publicized Energy Crisis, a label which suggests there are timely remedies available. There are. Studies by experts show there are vast potential reserves of natural gas—enough in the United States to last well into the 21st century. But adequate financial incentives are needed before enough producers will accept the risks of costly deep drilling. As most of you know, Lone Star has undertaken ultradeep wildcat drilling in Oklahoma's Anadarko Basin. Be assured that we and the natural gas industry will diligently pursue the search for those potentially vast energy reserves so necessary to sustain and improve the quality of life for everyone.

The subject of rates is much abused because many consumers and a public representatives seem not to understand that cheap energy is a thing of the past. You may not have known that just a few years ago, the most expensive gas that Lone Star purchased cost less than 20 cents per thousand cubic feet. By comparison we now have paid in excess of 85 cents a thousand for major new supplies. We pay the excess because we must if you, the consumer, are to be served. And price because the consumer must pay his share of the cost, we have asked that your gas bill be adjusted fairly. Meanwhile, we continually strive to keep our operating costs in line with the requirements of efficient management of all resources, whether they be natural gas, manpower, plant and equipment, or the exercise of good judgment on advertising expenditures.

The right to be informed by industry and government is a protection of the consumer's right to safety, to be heard and to choose. Lone Star, in the years to come, will continue to inform you about matters vital to both ourselves and you—to assist you in the proper exercise of those rights.

Warren Fulks
Director-Public Relations
and Advertising
Lone Star Gas

Coaches' Comments

by Sam Nichols

It was an interesting holiday tournament that the Houndettes participated in at Hawley last week. The Houndettes lost the first game of the tournament to Rule 70-68. That contest went into two overtimes before the Bobcats won.

We were down eight points at halftime and battled back the entire second half. Temi Baker hit a 12 foot jumper as the buzzer sounded to tie the game at 68-68.

The two overtime periods went back and forth, with excitement all the way.

Temi Baker led the Houndettes in scoring with 32 points. I was real proud of the way we fought back and didn't fold under the intense pressure of the second half. This experience will be real beneficial to us as we begin district play soon.

The girls put together a fine effort against a determined Aspermont team Friday, winning 67-46. The Grindstaff sisters both had big games; Denise scored 35 points, and Tamie pulled down 13 rebounds.

The consolation finals game that enabled us to win the trophy was an important game, in that the girls showed great discipline and poise against Munday.

In the loosely officiated contest, the Houndettes played like winners and emerged with a 59-47 victory. Denise Grindstaff scored 35 for the Houndettes, while Mandy Lankford had nine rebounds on defense.

So, after three very unusual games, the Houndettes were awarded the Consolation trophy, and Temi Baker was selected to the All-tournament squad. Now, we begin to prepare for the important district race, which begins January 4 against Munday.

by Jerry Lowrey

The Greyhounds suffered their first loss of the year over the holidays with a 54-52 point loss to Wylie. The Hounds went on to capture the consolation title by beating Seymour 60-54 and Clyde 65-53.

Our play was much as you would expect for holiday games. Looking a little rough around the edges, the Hounds came on and looked much better in the Clyde game.

At this point, we have scored 771 points for a 64.3 per game average, while allowing 655 for a 54.7 average. From the field, we are shooting 46.4%, and at the charity line, 60.8%.

Now, the serious work begins with our district opener this Friday night, against a much improved Munday team. Even though we are 11-1 now, the next ten games are the ones to win. After viewing all the teams in the HSU tourney, and also having scouted Paducah, I must say I believe the Dragons to be a better team than any in the HSU Tourney, including Petrolia. But we must take them one at a time, beating Munday and Crowell before we get to Paducah.

Lunchroom Menu

BREAKFAST MENUS:

JANUARY 7-11, 1974

Monday: Orange Juice, Buttered Toast, Peanut Butter Whip, Milk

Tuesday: Orange Juice, Scrambled Eggs, Buttered Toast with Jelly, Milk

Wednesday: Orange Juice, Cinnamon Toast, Milk

Thursday: Orange Juice, Oatmeal, Buttered Toast with Jelly, Milk

Friday: Teacher Workday

LUNCH MENUS:

JANUARY 7-11, 1974

Monday: Beef Stew, Cheese Slice, Crackers, Lettuce Wedge, Cinnamon Rolls, Milk

Tuesday: Hamburgers and Trimmin's, French Fries, Milk, Fruit Cobbler

Wednesday: Enchiladas, Green Beans, Green Salad with Fresh Tomatoes, Sliced Bread, Chocolate Pudding, Milk

Thursday: Spaghetti with Meat Balls, English Peas, Cole Slaw, Chilled Peas, Corn Bread with Butter, Milk

Friday: Teacher Workday

SCHOOL CALENDAR

Jan. 4: First District Basketball Game against Munday here at 5:00 p.m. BBG

Jan. 5: Local Livestock Show at the Ag Farm

Jan. 7: B Girls play Aspermont here at 8:00 p.m.; Jr. High boys and girls play Munday here at 6:00 p.m.

Jan. 8: Hounds and Houndettes play Crowell there at 5:00 p.m.

County Roads Included

State Law Prohibits Throwing Out Litter

AUSTIN--You'd better look back over your shoulder before you toss that litter out on the highway or on beaches and park land.

If a Highway Patrolman sees you, you're a 100-to-1 shot to get a ticket. And if you get one, you're better than 9 to 1 to draw a \$25 to \$200 fine.

More than 800 Texans discovered the odds last year, and arrest records for the first six months of 1973 indicate the total will go above 900 this year.

Those are just for the category of throwing glass, wire, and cans and other litter and for the related one of leaving refuse on the highway.

There are more than 8,600 arrests a year for the broader Department of Public Safety classification of "miscellaneous" violations, of which about 2,000 are for spillage from motor vehicles.

Col. Wilson E. Speir, director of the Public Safety Department, said recently that littering is just as much a misdemeanor as any others on the statute books. He told his men to watch closely for violations and take appropriate enforcement action.

"State law prohibits the dumping or depositing of refuse, garbage, rubbish, or junk on public streets, roads, or highways," Speir said. "It is also unlawful to dump any sort of waste on rights-of-way, beaches, parking areas, or in inland streams or coastal waters."

A breakdown of DPS figures for the first half of 1973 shows the sub-district headquartered at Tyler as the worst offender. Its 17 counties produced 20 charges of depositing litter on highways and 43 of leaving refuse on the highway.

Next worst offenders were in the 15-county area headquartered at Houston. It showed 35 litter violations and 26 charges of leaving refuse.

Abilene's 35-county district produced 20 litter charges and 18 for leaving refuse.

The 22 counties served by the sub-district around Waco turned up with 20 litter charges and 30 refuse tickets.

Corpus Christi area patrolmen arrested 22 for litter and 18 for refuse.

IN DENNINGTON HOME

Visiting Mr. and Mrs. Jess Dennington were their children, Linda Wilcox and her daughter, Pam, of Albuquerque, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Graham of Dallas, Mr. and Mrs. Leon Edwards and Ricky of Fort Worth. Ricky was accompanied by a friend, Patty Dolphin also of Fort Worth.

Charles Simpson of Denver spent Christmas day with the Denningtons and Linda returned to Albuquerque by plane with him.

RETURN FROM SAN BERNADINO

Mr. and Mrs. J.R. McAda returned Sunday afternoon from San Bernadino, California, where they spent Christmas with their eldest daughter and her family. Mr. and Mrs. L.J. Stallings and children.

Mrs. McAda had visited there several weeks before her husband made the trip out to return her home.

IN LEWIS HOME

Mr. and Mrs. John Hart and Mary of Euless spent Saturday night in Knox City with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W.N. Lewis.

Shag and Betty Jean Lewis, Elizabeth and Tony of Perryton visited in the Lewis home from Monday until Wednesday.

IN WILSON HOME

Holiday visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Chad Wilson were their son and his family, Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Wilson, Christi, Cindy, and Curt of Carrollton; his mother, Mrs. Rosa Wilson; and his sister and her husband, Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Waggoner of Abilene.

FROM LAMESA

Mrs. B.B. Benton of Lamesa visited her sister, Mrs. Myrtle White several days last week.

Happenings

From Page One

ment plant northwest of town.

APRIL

Dr. R.G. Howell announced the association of Dr. Ted C. Alexander with his office. Dr. Alexander, his wife Ima Jean, and their daughter Elizabeth were welcome additions to the community.

The Knox City High School Band won Sweepstakes for the first time since 1967 at the UIL contest in Vernon's Wilbarger Memorial Auditorium. The Junior High Band also brought home a Sweepstakes Award when they attended the Cisco Junior Music Festival. This was their second consecutive win at Cisco. Kelly Glaze is director of both bands.

The Knox City Greyhounds wound up their track season as District 7-A Track Champs. The KC girls also captured a district crown when they journeyed to Albany.

The Hounds' Will Whitley qualified for the state meet with a 6'2" high jump at the regional meet in Lubbock.

The KC High School Choir presented the music at the Community Sunrise Easter service held in the historic First Christian Church.

In a heavy turnout, Knox City voters re-elected Buddy Angle to a sixth term as mayor of Knox City. In neighboring O'Brien, A.A. Cox was elected mayor.

The warm weather found the first, second, and third grade students of Knox City Elementary touring the newly-constructed nature trail. Located near the Brazos River, the trail was a cooperative effort of the Wichita-Brazos Soil Conservation District, the Soil Conservation Service, the Boy Scouts, and the Knox City Schools.

Knox County Judge Sam Clonts was elected president of the West Texas County Judges and Commissioners Association.

The Senior class at KCHS presented its annual play. This year's offering was a melodrama, "No Opera At the O'ry House Tonight", involving a cast of less than thousands.

The Junior class also presented its thespians in three one act plays, which ranged from spoo-

ky to downright terrifying.

O'Brien had an old fashioned box supper to raise funds for its newly formed volunteer fire department.

And to the sighs of some concession stand-bound mothers, and the delight of a bunch of small boys, Little League season opened.

MAY
May heralded increased activities for high school students, particularly the juniors and seniors - and their harried parents - as the school year came to a close.

Apple Blossom Time was the theme of the Junior-Senior Ban-

quet, which was held at the Knox City Country Club.

The Future Homemakers of America honored their mothers and installed new officers at a salad supper held in the school cafeteria.

The KCHS Choir presented its final concert of the year, and the UIL Banquet was held honoring all students who had competed in UIL sanctioned contests, both athletic and scholastic. Bailey Marshall was the guest speaker.

Kary Kent became the Area IV FFA Sweetheart, and Greg Clonts was selected to play in the Greenbelt Football Classic.

to be held in August.

Construction of the \$96,000 addition of the First Baptist Church of Knox City. A parsonage had been in April. Headquarters committee was formed. Serving on the committee were Sam Cornett, Tommie Kent, and Reese.

The A and A Company of O'Brien is paving contract blocks of new pavement. See HAPPENINGS

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Letter To The Editor

Dec. 28, 1973

Wichita Falls, Tex.

Dear Friends,
I've looked back over my records and do not find a check to you, so evidently I owe for the year's subscription.

I've been away, now, almost 5 years, but I find I still "have roots" in the wonderful, kind, considerate town where I lived almost 15 years.

My best wishes, and with grateful thanks for all the kindnesses I received when Knox City was my home. I can never forget my years among you, and I wish for all, a blessed and happy and prosperous 1974.

Sincerely,

Mrs. Martin T. Smith

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Christmas Party Held For Retired Teachers

The Knox City Community Center was the scene of the Christmas party for the Knox County Retired Teachers Association Tuesday night, December 18.

The center was decorated throughout with bright, festive Christmas decorations for the covered dish supper. Spouses of members as well as Mr. and Mrs. L.W. Graham and Mr. and Mrs. Neal Logan, were guests for the occasion.

Christmas music was presented by Mrs. Curtis Casey and Mrs. Bob Vaughan. The group joined in singing carols.

Each person present told of an interesting or unusual Christmas of the past, and the group exchanged gifts from a Christmas tree.

Hostesses for the party were

to the one worn by the honor attendant, and she also carried a long-stemmed white rose.

Aric Johnson of Seymour served his brother as best man. Benny Archer, also of Seymour, was groomsman. Joey Swain, brother of the bride, and Gary Harris of Seymour seated guests.

Wedding guests were registered in the foyer of the Church by Fay Gross of Gruver.

A reception, given by the bride's parents, was held immediately following the ceremony in the Fellowship Hall.

Assisting were Misses Linda Stedje of Gruver, Linda Hartsfield of Haskell, and Fay Gross. Diane Clonts presented piano selections.

Little Misses Jennifer Sessions, cousin of the bride, and Vonda Archer, both of Seymour, handed out rice bags.

Other members of the house-party were aunts of the bride, Mmes. Dick Wardlaw, R.B. Jones, Floyd Railsback, Wilburn Redwine, and Charles Sessions, all of Seymour. Also assisting were Mrs. Marie Allen of Fort Worth and Mrs. Tommy Walling of Lewisville.

The bride is a graduate of Knox City High School and attended West Texas State University.

The bridegroom, a Seymour High School graduate, attended Sam Houston State University. He is employed by General Telephone Co. The couple will live in Seymour.

Mr. and Mrs. Benny Archer hosted the rehearsal dinner at Mitchell's in Seymour.

IN TANKERSLEY HOME
Mr. and Mrs. Gale Nixon of Lubbock and Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Hollis, Robbie and Holly of Wichita Falls visited the girls' parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lynn Tankersley during the Christmas holidays.

In the early part of December family members were entertained with a dinner in the Tankersley home. Those attending included Mr. and Mrs. J.T. Cypert, Mr. and Mrs. Verlin Cypert, Mr. and Mrs. Truman Cypert, and Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Knox.

HOLIDAY VISITORS
Holiday guests in the homes of Mr. and Mrs. Chock Reeves and Bobby and Mrs. Bertha Trimmier included Mr. and Mrs. Charles Reeves Jr. and family of Levelland, Mr. and Mrs. Boyce Qualls and Becky of Corpus Christi, Sammy Qualls of Houston, Mrs. Kathy Sears and Scott of Houston, Mr. and Mrs. Elton Qualls and Rodney and Mrs. Audie Kempeall, all of Fort Worth.

Mrs. Ottis Cash, Mrs. Curtis Casey, and Mrs. Ulric Lea. Those attending included Curtis Casey, Ottis Cash, Ulric Lea, Mrs. Mary Bigham, Mr. and Mrs. Herschel Cowan, Mr. and Mrs. L.E. Groves, Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Kay, Mrs. Ila Moody, Mrs. Euris Reid, Mrs. J.S. Shannon, R.G. Vaughan, and Mrs. Evelyn Warren.

IN ANDERSON HOME
Visiting in the Bill Anderson home over the Christmas holidays were the Anderson's children, Mr. and Mrs. Mark Anderson and Casey of Johnson City and Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Melton of Canyon.

Also visiting the Anderson were Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Miller of Weinert, Tommy Miller of Hardin-Simmons University, Mr. and Mrs. Chester Abbott of Snyder, Darlene Abbott of Angelo State College in San Angelo, and Mr. and Mrs. W.T. Saunders of Wichita Falls.

Mr. and Mrs. Anderson and David spent last weekend with Jimmy and Mary Beth, who recently moved from Lubbock to Canyon.

Jimmy is employed as a park ranger at Palo Duro State Park, and Mary Beth as accepted employment at West Texas State University.

ESCOBARS HAVE GUESTS
Janie Escobar, who is teaching at the Child Study Center in Fort Worth, is here spending the holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ray Escobar.

Other holiday guests in the Escobar home are their son Charles, a student at Texas Tech in Lubbock, and Lisa Escobar of Lancaster, California.

IN WOODALL HOME
Holiday visitors in the Frank Woodall home were their daughter and her family, Mr. and Mrs. John Peterson and Stephanie of Lubbock, and sons Kenny and Danny, also of Lubbock, and Mr. and Mrs. David Woodall of Henrietta.

GUESTS IN BOONE HOME
Holiday guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Boone were her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W.R. Ryser of Honey Grove; her sisters, Jane Ryser of Baton Rouge, Louisiana, Donna Ryser of Bishop, Texas, and Mr. and Mrs. Dale Hughes of New Orleans, Louisiana.

IN STEPHENS HOME
Mr. and Mrs. Dale Burch, Merri, Jan, Sue, Cornelia, and Amber of Tulsa, visited in the home of Mrs. Ozelle Stephens and with Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Guinn and children Christmas Day.

IN SAN ANTONIO
Mr. and Mrs. Ray Plummer visited their son Miles and family in San Antonio over the Christmas holidays.

The Plummers' daughter, Nancy of Pauls Valley, Oklahoma, accompanied her parents.

IN KING HOME
Carol King, student at Midwestern University in Wichita Falls, is home for the semester break with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Erwin King. Also a holiday visitor in the King home was Cindy Foster. Cindy is a student at West Texas State University and is the daughter of former residents, Rev. and Mrs. B.J. Foster of Anton.

IN SHAVER HOME
Visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Eddie Shaver during the Christmas holidays were their daughter and her family, Mr. and Mrs. John Muller and Annica of Austin and their son and his wife, Mr. and Mrs. Brack Shaver of Holliday. Also visiting in the Shaver home Christmas Day were Mrs. Shaver's sister and her husband, Mr. and Mrs. Martin Pope of Spur.

IN ODESSA
Mr. and Mrs. Melvin A. Lowrey and Jan were holiday visitors in the home of her sister and family, Mr. and Mrs. Sammy Williams, Sammy and Shon of Odessa.

FROM MIDWESTERN
Brent Railsback is spending the semester break here with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Don Railsback and Bruce. Brent is a student at Midwestern University.



MR. AND MRS. T. C. BEASON
...observe 50th anniversary

Beason's Observe 50th Anniversary

Mr. and Mrs. T.C. Beason observed their 50th wedding anniversary Sunday, December 30.

They were married in Haskell and moved west of Knox City the following year.

In 1930 Mr. and Mrs. Beason moved to Haskell and then back to Knox City a year later. The year 1937 saw the Beasons back in Haskell County where they have resided ever since.

Mrs. Beason is the former Myrtle Redwine.

FROM FLORIDA
Pam Odom, former resident, now residing in Milton, Florida, visited here during the holiday season with Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Clarke and Merri and other friends.

CHRISTMAS DINNER GUESTS
Guests for Christmas dinner in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Tom Brooke Hudson, Debbie and Lynda Brooke, in Benjamin were Bobby Hudson of Amarillo, and Thomas Glover and sons, Joe Edd and Tom Frank, all of Seymour.

HOLIDAY VISITORS
Guests in the Dick Richards home during the holidays included their daughter, Kathi, of Abilene, Miss Linda Wright of Plainview, Mary's parents, Mr. and Mrs. H.W. Axe, and her brother and his wife, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Axe, all of Garland.

IN RUIDOSO
Mr. and Mrs. Butch Stephens, Randy Egenbacher, Ray and Belva Penman spent the weekend skiing in Ruidoso, New Mexico.

HOLIDAY GUESTS
Holiday guests in the Willie Collins home included Mr. and Mrs. Roland Offutt and family of Euless, Mr. and Mrs. Bob Benefiel and family of San Antonio, Mr. and Mrs. Eddie Joe McDonald and family of Seymour, Mr. and Mrs. Harley Potet of Haskell, and Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Reynolds and Danny of Abilene.

IN WHEELER HOME
Mr. and Mrs. H.M. Wheeler of Denton, Mr. and Mrs. Gary Wheeler and Robin of Lubbock, Bill Wheeler and Patricia of Odessa, Mr. and Mrs. Tony Malone and daughters of Lewisville, and Mr. and Mrs. Sipe Griffith and granddaughter of Roswell, New Mexico, were guests in the E.H. Wheeler home during the holidays.

IN TANKERSLEY HOME
Mr. and Mrs. Jack Fisher of Abilene, Mr. and Mrs. Danny Fisher and Deann of Dallas, and Mr. and Mrs. Jackie Fisher of Amarillo were weekend guests in the home of Mrs. Mildred Tankersley.

FROM UTAH
David Ellis of Salt Lake City, Utah, visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Grady Ellis, during the holidays.

Rochester Couple Honored

Mr. and Mrs. Ollie Yarbrough were honored on their 50th wedding anniversary Sunday with a reception from 2 until 4 p.m. in the home of Mr. and Mrs. John L. Grindstaff Jr. in Knox City.

Hosts for the celebration were their son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Glendon Yarbrough of Abilene and Mr. and Mrs. Grindstaff.

Members of the house-party were Denise and Tammie Grindstaff and Vicki Hindman.

The Yarbroughs were married December 26, 1923, in the home of Mr. and Mrs. T.M. Fritts, parents of Mrs. Yarbrough.

Mr. Yarbrough was born December 16, 1899, in Haskell County. Mrs. Yarbrough was born June 8, 1906, at Rule.

They have lived in Haskell County most of their married life. They owned and operated the City Cleaners at Rochester for 29 years.

Mr. and Mrs. Yarbrough moved to Abilene two and one-half years ago. He is presently employed by Barton's Cafeteria and Mrs. Yarbrough is employed by Williamsburg Nursing Home.

They have four grandchildren and one great-grandchild.

Mrs. Grindstaff is a niece of Mrs. Yarbrough's. Mrs. Eddie Shaver and Mrs. Jobie Denton are Mr. Yarbrough's sisters.

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His pastor of Church, Seymour, provided accompaniment and Mrs. Swain sang "One and Two"

was decorated with seven holding carnations. Pews

were marked by blue and white satin bows.

The bride, given in marriage by her father, wore a gown of white sata-peau and Cluny lace, designed with a high rise lace bodice, stand-up collar, and shepherdess sleeves. Wide bands of lace and a lace flounce were at the hem of the formal length gown. Her double, chapel length veil of illusion was attached to a Camelot cap and was edged in Cluny lace. She carried a cascade of white roses and baby's breath.

Lisa Grinstead was maid of honor. Her gown was royal blue crepe with a light blue bodice and long, full sleeves. She wore a matching Dior bow in her hair, and carried a single long-stemmed white rose.

Angela Johnson of Abilene, sister of the groom, was bridesmaid. Her dress was identical

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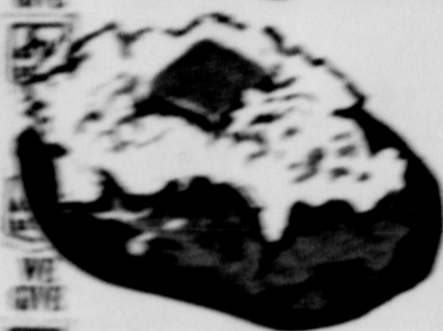
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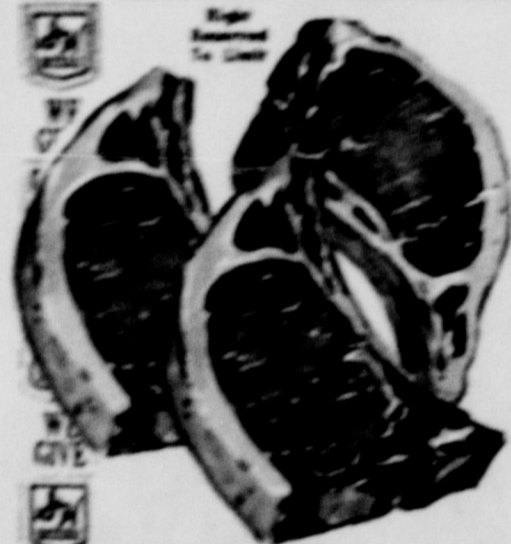
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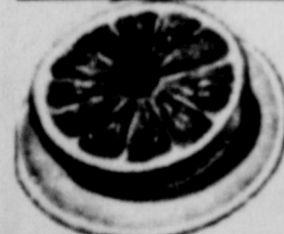
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