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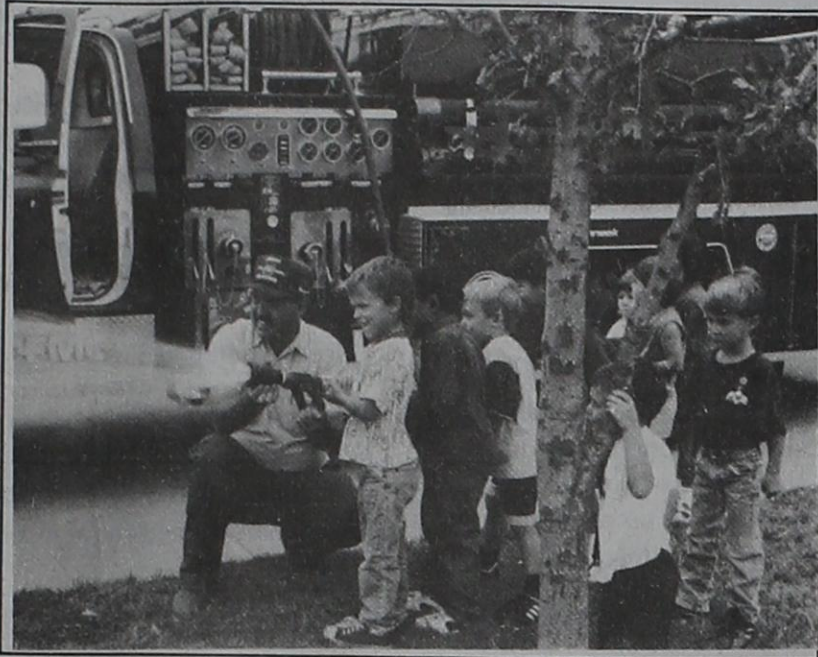
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THE MORNING PRE-KINDERGARTEN class gets hands-on experience on using a fire hose. Randy Bob Cypert, Munday volunteer fireman, shows David Hajek and his classmates how to handle the hose. Another fireman, Bill Longan, discussed fire safety with the afternoon class. They also saw the inside of an ambulance during their field trip.

## Applications For Emergency Farm Loans For Fire Losses Being Accepted

Applications for emergency farm loans for losses caused by fire are being accepted at the Farmers Home Administration (FmHA) office located in Knox County, FmHA county supervisor, Bobby G. Cude, said recently.

Knox and Foard Counties are two of 147 in Texas recently named by Secretary of Agriculture Mike Espy as eligible for loans to cover part of actual production losses resulting from the fire.

Cude said farmers may be eligible for loans of up to 80 percent of their actual losses or the operating loan needed to continue in business or \$500,000, whichever is less. For farmers unable to obtain credit from private com-

mercial lenders, the interest rate is 4.5%.

"As a general rule, a farmer must have suffered at least a 30 percent loss of production to be eligible for an FmHA Emergency Loan," Cude said. Farmers participating in the PIK or Federal Crop Insurance Program will have to figure in proceeds from those programs in determining their loss.

Applicants that certify that other credit is not available may receive loans covering actual losses at an interest rate of 4.5 percent and are scheduled for repayment as rapidly as feasible consistent with the applicant's ability to pay.

To be eligible for an emergency loan, an applicant must have suffered losses from the disaster.

## First Baptist And Faith Baptist To Merge October 31

One day is over and a new day has begun with Baptist work in Munday.

The two Southern Baptist churches in Munday, Faith Baptist and First Baptist, have voted unanimously to merge and become one church.

Beginning October 31, 1993, Faith Baptist members will automatically become members of First Baptist Church. Faith Baptist is donating their building and grounds, which include a downtown worship center as well as a parsonage and lot, to First Baptist to be used in the Lord's work.

"Both congregations have determined that they can achieve more for the Lord together than

they can apart," says First Baptist pastor Randy White. "We feel that God is pleased with the new relationship."

After the merger, First Baptist will have 361 local members. The church has been averaging 200 in Sunday School during the month of October.

A "Great Day In The Morning" has been scheduled for October 31 to celebrate the merger. A Sunday School goal of 284 has been set. This will be a record that has not been exceeded in over three decades.

The Pastor's Sunday School class, for adult couples aged 36-50, will begin meeting in the downtown building on October 31, to ease crowding at the church's central location at 220 South 5th Street. Sunday School for all ages begins at 9:45 a.m.

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## Eat With The Lions At Their Annual Pancake Supper

The Munday Lions Club will sponsor their annual Pancake Supper prior to the football game this Friday night, October 22, at the high school cafeteria.

A delicious meal of pancakes, sausage and all the trimmings will be served from 5:30 to 7 p.m. Tickets are \$3.50 for adults and \$2.50 for children 12 years and under, and may be purchased from any Lions Club member or at the door. Take-outs will also be available.

Come on out this Friday night, eat with the Lions, and then attend the foot ball game to help cheer for the Moguls as they take on the Spur Bulldogs.

## No School Monday For Local Kids

Students will get a break from classes on Monday, October 25. Teachers will have an in-service day, which means students will get a long weekend.

Classes will resume Tuesday morning, October 26.

Mr. Hall, high school principal, would like to remind the folks who bought items at last Saturday's auction to please pick these items up at the Young Farmers Barn.

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HAVE A NICE DAY!

## Moguls Race Past Dragons 48 - 0

The Munday Moguls shut-out the Paducah Dragons 48 to 0 for Munday's second of the season. The Dragons got inside the Mogul 10 yard line twice, but could not make it any further than the two.

Munday was able to score twice in every quarter but the fourth.

In the first quarter the Moguls scored after Kole Sanders recovered a fumble at the Dragon 40 yard line. After moving the ball down to the 26, Dustin Kiser hit Jake Jordan on a short pass. Jordan then took the ball in for the touchdown. Ky Edwards kicked the PAT.

After receiving the ball, Paducah moved the ball across the 50 to the Mogul 40. The Dragons coughed up the ball once again and this time Jason Bowman was there to recover for the Moguls.

Munday scored after an 11 play, 55 yard drive. Aaron Kiser ran the ball in from 3 yards out. Ky Edwards kicked the PAT. The Moguls were on top 14 to 0 at the end of the first.

Paducah threatened to score on a drive that started in the first and carried over into the second. The Dragons began at their own 30 yard line and moved the ball down to the Mogul 25. After another first down and a penalty, the ball was at the 9 yard line. Paducah moved up to the 2 yard line in three plays. On fourth and goal the Munday defense stopped the Dragons for 1 yard loss and took over on downs.

The Munday offense was ready to roll. Dustin Kiser ran the ball out to the 10 in two plays. Aaron Kiser then put on his track shoes and with great blocking from the line, Aaron sprinted 90 yards for the touchdown. Ky Edwards kicked the PAT.

Later in the second, Munday got the ball at the 43 yard line after forcing the Dragons to punt. Bronco Flye figured it was his turn. Bronco dodged and then took the ball 57 yards for another Moguls touchdown. Edwards kicked the PAT. Munday was on top at the end of the first half.

The Moguls received the kickoff in the third and quickly moved the ball down to the Dragon 3 yard line. Dustin Kiser took the ball in from there to increase the lead 34 to 0. A fumbled snap kept an extra point from being kicked.

The Munday defense then decide to put some points on the board. After Paducah came up short of a first down, the punt was blocked and caught by Mogul Gerald Taylor and then he ran into the end zone from 45 yards out. Ky Edwards kicked the PAT and Munday now was on top 41 to 0.

Paducah carried a drive over from the third into the fourth. A 37 yard gain by Andie Cruz put the Dragons on the Moguls 8 yard line. On the next play a fumble by Paducah's quarterback was recovered by Mogul Bronco Flye. Flye then sprinted 92 yards for the final Mogul touchdown. Ky Edwards kicked the PAT.

On the Dragon's next possession, Munday defensive safety, Robbie Vaughn, spoiled the drive by intercepting a pass at the Munday 37 and returning it to the Paducah 47.

Munday threatened to score again with a 20 yard run by Dustin Kiser and a 15 yard pass gain by Jake Jordan. On fourth down the Moguls fell short at the 1 yard line

and Paducah took over on downs.

Time ran out and the Moguls improve their district record to 2 and 0. Aaron Kiser gained 152 yards on 14 carries. Dustin Kiser had 74 yards on 14 carries and Bronco Flye carried the ball 4 times for 79 yards. Jake Jordan caught 2 passes for 41 yards and Gerald Taylor had 1 for 14.

### GAME STATS

Munday		Paducah
15	First Downs	15
37-308	Yards Rushing	64-223
55	Yards Passing	0
3-6	Passes	0-1
1	Passes Int. by	0
2-34	Punts	3-28
0	Fumbles	3
9-75	Penalties	5-25
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## Purple Cloud Marching Band To Compete In Wichita Falls

Munday's own State Honor Band will be participating in the Region II Marching Contest at Memorial Stadium in Wichita Falls this Saturday, October 23.

Class 4A bands will begin the competition at 9:30. Hirschi of Wichita Falls will be first, followed by Burkburnett, Mineral Wells and Wichita Falls High School. Rider of Wichita Falls, the only 5A band to perform, will then perform.

The Purple Cloud will be the first Class A band to take the field, and is scheduled to march at 11:15 a.m. They will be followed by Throckmorton, Windthorst, Paducah, Petrolia, Crowell and Knox City.

Class AA bands will perform next, and include Quanah, Nocona, Electra, Seymour, Archer City,

Holliday, Olney and Jacksboro. The final group, Class 3A, will begin competition at 4:15 and include Gainesville, Henrietta, Vernon, Iowa Park, Graham and Childress.

Let's fill the stands with Purple Cloud fans and show how proud we are of our special band!

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## City Sales Tax Rebate Shows 2.71% Increase

State Comptroller John Sharp sent a total of \$122.5 million in October sales tax rebates to 979 Texas cities and 109 counties, a 19.1 percent increase over their payments of one year ago.

Increased consumer spending has raised all city sales tax allocations since October of last year. Texas cities received \$109.6 million, up 19 percent from the \$92.1 million they received last October. Counties received a total of \$12.8 million for their October rebates, a 19.6 percent increase over their October 1992 rebates, which totaled \$10.7 million.

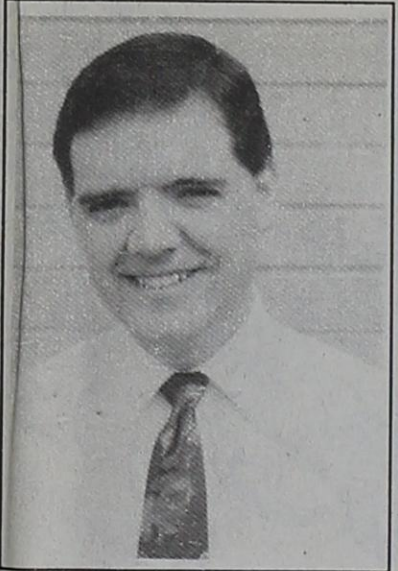
"The state of Texas has experienced year-over-year employment growth every month since January 1992," Sharp said.

The City of Munday received a net payment of \$5,307.63 for this period compared to \$4,791.92 payment in prior year. The total payment to date for 1993 are \$67,133.85 compared to \$65,357.96 in 1992. This shows a 2.71% increase over last year's total to date.

The total for the county for net payment this period was \$12,997.81 compared to \$11,155.60 last year at this period. 1993 payments to date for the county was \$155,722.39 compared to \$166,771.82 last year's payments to date.

This month's sales tax payments include taxes collected on August sales and reported to the Comptroller in September by business filing monthly tax returns.

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RANDY WHITE

## Chairman Named For Munday's '94 United Fund Drive

The Munday United Fund Drive will get underway November 1 with a new campaign chairman, Randy White, pastor of the First Baptist Church.

Randy will be selecting division chairmen this week, and they will organize volunteers who will go door-to-door collecting funds for the fourteen organizations serving the Munday area.

The new chairman explains, "The United Fund of Munday is an excellent vehicle for one person with limited means to financially support numerous worthy projects in our own hometown. Without this fund drive, many of the organizations would have to seek additional ways to raise funds. The United Fund enables residents to make one donation which will be distributed to each organization."

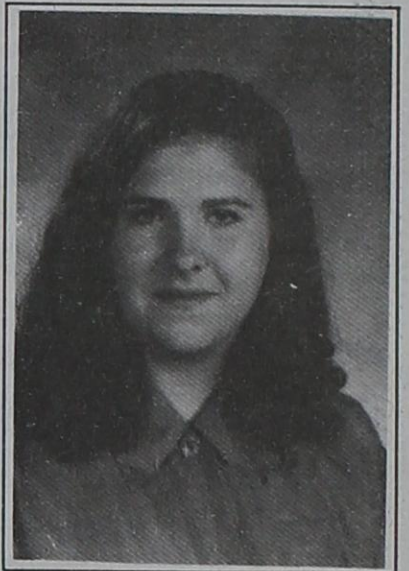
"As you give to the United Fund, you are not giving money 'away' to some other place. It all stays here at home and finances worthy projects for our children, youth, and senior adults."

Please give generously when a United Fund volunteer comes to your door.

## WEATHER REPORT

Following is the weather report for seven days ending Monday, October 18, 1993, as compiled and recorded by Glynn Weaver, local U.S. weather observer.

	HIGH	LOW	RAIN
Oct. 12	90	56	
Oct. 13	74	60	
Oct. 14	80	51	
Oct. 15	93	51	
Oct. 16	95	51	
Oct. 17	80	56	
Oct. 18	79	60	
Rainfall year to date 18.18			



ROBIN BOWEN



TARA ALEXANDER

## Munday Students Are Selected To Youth Orchestra

Sophomores Tara Alexander and Robin Bowen have been recently notified that they were selected to the Wichita Falls Youth Symphony Orchestra. Tara was named to the oboe section and Robin was selected for the bassoon section. Lanasa Wilson, freshman flutist, also auditioned for the group.

Robin and Tara join students from Wichita Falls and Lawton, Oklahoma, representing the finest musicians in the area. Students will rehearse on weekends in the fall to prepare for a spring concert.

The Wichita Falls Youth Symphony Orchestra came into existence in 1972 but was disbanded in the early 1980's. This revitalization is a result of a great deal of effort on the part of area directors and coordinator, Miss Gail Key.

## Goree Plans City-Wide Clean-Up Day

The City of Goree will have a city-wide clean up day on Saturday, October 23, 1993 from 9:00 a.m. to 3:00 p.m.

B.F.I. Industries will be furnishing a truck w/compactor for our use on this day. This is an excellent time to get rid of a lot of junk and trash that otherwise could not be dumped.

Anyone that needs assistance in getting their junk and trash to the dump site please call Pat Peek (422-5160) or the Goree City Office (422-5306).

Anyone interested in donating their time and/or tools, please meet at the Goree City Office at 7:00 p.m. on Thursday October 21.

Plans are being made to serve refreshments to the workers, so anyone wishing to donate items or food for this please call the numbers listed above.



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lisher.

### Retired Teachers To Meet Tuesday October 26

The Knox County Retired  
Teachers Association will meet  
Tuesday, October 26 at the First  
United Methodist Church in Mun-  
day at 2:30 p.m.

The program will be on photog-  
raphy and the guest speaker will  
be Mary Murphy.

Success is a journey, not a des-  
tination. Ben Sweetland



**TOUCHDOWN FOR THE MOGULS!** #44 Aaron Kiser is over the goal after a three yard plunge while #31 Dustin Kiser and #22 Bronco Flye look on after doing their part in the play. Munday had a great game against the Dragons last Friday by racking up over 350 yards total offense. The Moguls will take on the Spur Bulldogs this Friday and the game will play a major roll in the district race. Both teams are 2-0 in District.

### New Vehicle Registration Sticker To Reduce Theft

Introducing the latest in anti-  
theft devices from Texas.

The Texas Department of Trans-  
portation (TxDOT) is issuing a  
new vehicle registration sticker--  
for placement inside windshields  
instead of outside on license plates.  
The program begins with registra-  
tions expiring January 1994.

The sticker is larger and of a  
different design. Its main purpose  
is to deter theft -- bringing up  
another feature.

If the sticker is peeled off the  
windshield, the word "VOID ap-

pears on it, making it a useless  
scrap of paper. It's not even worth  
stealing.

In 1992, 568,885 replacement  
plates and stickers were issued.  
TxDOT estimates that 60 percent  
of replacement stickers issued  
were due to theft. At \$5.30 per  
replacement, replacing the stick-  
ers cost the public \$1.8 million  
and a lot of time and aggravation.

"When the word gets out that  
these stickers are useless when  
peeled off the glass, incidence of  
stolen stickers will drop quickly,  
as will the cost of replacing stolen  
stickers," said Jerry Dike, director  
of TxDOT's Division of Motor  
Vehicle Titles and Registration.  
"But the savings don't stop there.  
If all stolen stickers were used on  
vehicles that would otherwise be  
legally registered, state and county  
revenue losses could exceed \$17  
million. Recouping these losses  
could mean savings passed on for  
use on other projects."

### Concession Stand Workers Announced

The Moguls will be playing the  
Spur Bulldogs here this Friday  
night. Those who are scheduled to  
work in the concession stand are:

From 7:00 thru halftime: Darla  
Santisteven, Beverly McGaughey,  
Donna Browning, Cheryl  
Urbanczyk, Janie Sanchez, Carol  
Cottingham and Debbie Welborn.

Halftime thru cleanup: Cathy  
Albus, Rosemary Martinez, Daniel  
Ramirez, Nancy Birkenfeld,  
Garlene Dunham, Linda Edring-  
ton, Sudy Howry and Mary  
Cabrera.

If you have any questions, con-  
tact Annelle Welch, 422-4828.

### City Council Meets In Regular Session

September 14, 1993

The City Council of the City of  
Munday, Texas met this date in  
Regular Session at Munday City  
Hall at 7 PM.

Members present: Alderpersons  
Steve Morren, Winters Matthews,  
Gary Tidwell, Jessie Andrade and  
George Oustad.

Members absent: Mayor Rich-  
ard Albus.

Mayor Pro-Tem Tidwell called  
the meeting to order and ordered  
the reading of previous minutes.  
Minutes of the August 13th regu-  
lar meeting were read. Motion by  
Matthews and seconded by Morren  
to approve minutes as read. Mo-  
tion carried.

The first item on the agenda was  
to set the tax rate. After discus-  
sion, a motion was made by  
Morren and seconded by Matthews  
to reduce the tax rate from \$.6071/  
\$100 evaluation and set the new

rate at \$.5529/\$100 evaluation.  
Motion carried.

Applications for Municipal  
Court Judge were reviewed. No  
action was taken at this time.

Utility rates were reviewed.  
After discussion, a recommenda-  
tion was made by City Adminis-  
trator Slayton to increase all rates.  
Motion by Oustad and seconded  
by Andrade to increase rates as  
recommended. Motion carried.  
(Utility rate increase notice to be  
published in Munday Courier and  
available at City Hall.)

Employee reports were given.  
No action was needed.

Motion by Morren and seconded  
by Oustad to pay bills as follows:  
Operating \$18,015.00. Motion  
carried.

Motion by Andrade and second-  
ed by Morren to adjourn. Mo-  
tion carried.

Meeting adjourned.

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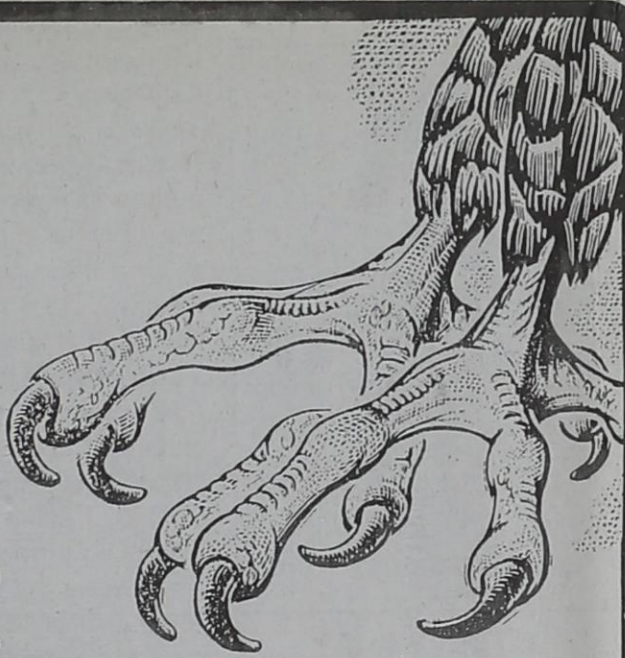
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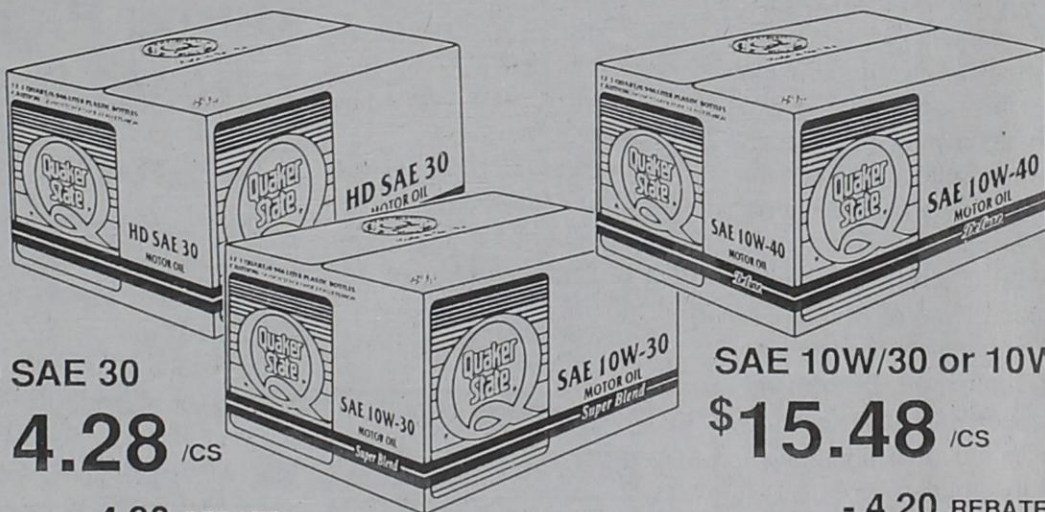


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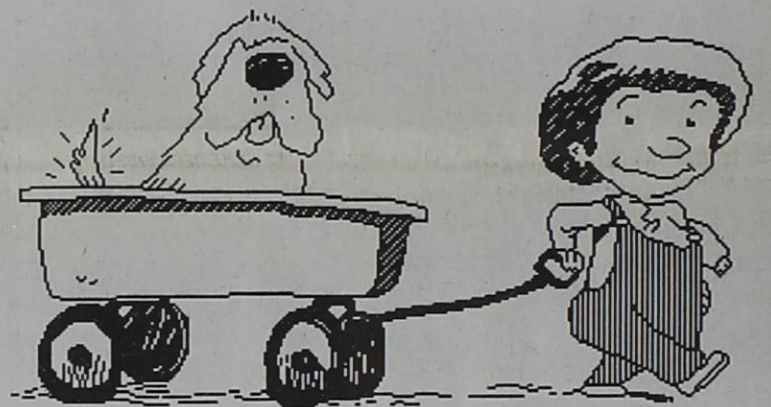
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### Truscott-Gilliland News

By Mrs. Clara Brown

Mornings are cool and have the feel of fall. It is that time of year when you leave home in the morning wearing a jacket, and by noon you are trying to find a place to put it. Rain is still needed.

Pat and Dick Van Dyke left Thursday, October 8, after a ten day visit with her mother, Clara Owens. While the Madison Heights, Michigan, couple was here other visitors coming in included Helen and Leon Kincaid of Cisco and Jim and Sharon Arnold and Jimmy and Kevin of College Station.

David Lee Maddox of Lubbock visited Irene and Owen New Saturday and again on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. O.B. Guynn Jr. of Haltom City visited June and Newell Hickman Friday afternoon, October 9. O.B. Guynn Sr. was raised at Truscott. He was a brother of Charlie Guynn.

Joe Reid and Pat Jones of Brownwood were in Truscott Sunday for Grandma's Sunday Din-

ner. Joe is now working for a national auction country and they are getting to see lots of the country.

Clara Brown visited her son and daughter-in-law, Bill and Staci Brown, at Brownfield Thursday to Saturday.

Opal and Edgar Jones visited her daughter and son in Lubbock last week.

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#### CORRECTION

In the picture of the Ninja Turtle soccer team Torey James was mistakenly identified as Shane Decker. The staff of *The Munday Courier* apologize to Torey and Shane.

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Texas Department of Public Safety

### Services Held For Longtime Munday Resident

Ressie Ella Ratliff, 95, died Monday, October 11, 1993, in the Munday Nursing Center.

Services were held at 2 p.m. Wednesday, October 13, at First United Methodist Church in Munday with the Rev. Don Whetsell, officiating. Burial was in Johnson Memorial Cemetery under the direction of McCauley-Smith Funeral Home.

Mrs. Ratliff was born June 27, 1898, in Montague County, Texas. She moved to Knox County in 1916. She moved to Munday from Goree in 1939. She was a homemaker and a member of First United Methodist Church. She was a former Sunday school teacher and member of Women's Society of Christian Service. She and Raymond Lindsey Ratliff were married September 15, 1915, in Montague. He died December 11, 1970.

Survivors include two daughters, Flora Bledsoe of Austin and Mrs. Rhoades Allen of Denton; three sons, Don L. Ratliff of Denton, W. O. Ratliff of Munday, and Charles Ratliff of Richardson; 12 grandchildren; and 13 great-grandchildren.

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### Local's Father, Adolph Bartos, Dies At Seymour

Adolph Bartos, 84, of Seymour died Thursday, October 7, 1993 in a Seymour nursing home.

Services were held at 2 p.m. Saturday, October 9, at Seymour Memorial Funeral Home with A. B. Martin Jr. officiating. Burial was in the Gilliland Cemetery.

Mr. Bartos was born June 17, 1909, in Bell County, Texas. He was raised in Bomarton. He farmed most of his life in Gilliland until his retirement. He moved to Seymour in 1978. He and Rose Bayers were married January 14, 1933, in Pawnee, Oklahoma.

Survivors include his wife; two daughters, Leona Elliott of Munday and Anita Lyne of Wichita Falls; five sisters, Eula Kocurek of Seymour, Dolfa Macha and Alba Macha, both of Lubbock, Emma Fojtik of Damon, and Bessie Franek of Taft; two brothers, Milton of Seymour and Bedrick of Lubbock; two granddaughters; and two great-grandchildren.

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Interest is immeasurably better and more important than beauty. G. K. Chesterton

### NURSING CENTER NEWS

By Virginia Williams

The First Baptist Church of Munday had Bible study and singing Monday afternoon. Rev. H. B. Graves had the sermon on "Take Your Burden to the Lord" from Psalm 37.

Cordie Cunningham of Haskell visited Alm Phillips.

Kelly Thompson of Believers' Chapel called bingo on Tuesday. Gladys Lambeth won the black-out game.

W. O. Smith led in Bible study on Wednesday from Mark 3:17-24.

Clara Herring and Theresa Bruggeman of St. Joseph Catholic Church called bingo on Thursday. Etta Frazier won the black-out game.

Virginia Cary came for Bible study and singing. She read a short story about the Christian life. We all said the 23rd Psalm and Virginia said a prayer.

Mrs. Frances (Sue) Smith of Odessa, Bobbie Leach of Midland and James Frank Nance of Turlock, California visited their mother, Mrs. Alpha Mae Nance.

Donna Cachero, Kristen and Casey, of Plano came to see her mother.

Dorothy Reddell visited Florence McDaniel on Saturday.

Johnnie Smith came to see her mother, Vera Carver, on Satur-

day. Maurine Williams, her daughter, Christy, and grandson, Cody, took Virginia Williams to Abilene for shopping on Friday.

Woodie and Jerry Strickland and Diana Goode came to see their mother, Eunice Strickland, on Sunday.

Pauline Gowry of Yuma, Arizona, came to visit her sister, Florence Decker, and Ola Coffman.

Earl Pennington of Hampton came to see Nona Branam.

### Calendar of Events

October 21 - Chamber of Commerce; 7th & 8th grade play at Spur, 6 p.m.

October 22 - Munday varsity plays Spur here, 7:30 p.m.; Lions Club Pancake Supper.

October 23 - Regional Marching Contest, Wichita Falls; FFA District Contest.

October 25 - NO SCHOOL; Staff Development; District cross country, Spur, 3:30 p.m.; volunteer fire department meeting.

October 26 - Lions Club.

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## Pathways

by Randy White, pastor  
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Most of us have a religion. Religion to describe our faith, worship, beliefs, morals, and relationship with God.

Some people have a religion that is only preference. They prefer one church or another for one reason or another, but are really not active in their religion. This is a religion worn for others to see, but not for self to use. This is the religion they ask you about when you enter the hospital -- "What religion are you?". Most will give some answer. For many, the answer is only preference.

Some people have a religion that is only parental heritage. Yours is the religion of Mom and Dad or Grandma and Grandpa. This religion has never become personal and vital. Some are Baptist, Methodist, Catholic, or whatever simply because that's what parents were. Their faith was passed down in name only, not in practice.

Some have a religion that is simply a bargaining tool. It is the religion that says "If God will ... then I will ..." "If God will spare my loved one, or if He will restore my health, or if He will get me this job, then I'll worship, serve, and obey Him."

Job, the Old Testament example

of pain and suffering, said "Though He slay me, yet will I serve Him." Job's was not a bargaining chip religion.

Many have a religion that is a vital, personal experience. It may have started as preference, or heritage, or bargaining tool, but now it has grown to something real and personal.

When we meet God face to face at the foot of the cross, then our religion becomes real. And it is only then that our religion has any true value.

"Lord, may my religion be real this week because of my personal relationship with You. Amen."

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### Tommy R. Rhoads Dies At His Home In Bandon, Oregon

Tommy R. Rhoads, 60, died Sunday, October 17, 1993, at his home in Bandon, Oregon.

Mr. Rhoads graduated from Haskell High School and Texas A&M University. In the early fifties he resided in Munday during the summer months. He retired from California Title and Surety Co. in San Jose, California, in 1962, and moved to Bandon, Oregon.

Survivors include his wife, Barbara Rhoads of Bandon, Oregon; one son Tommy C. Rhoads of Santa Cruz, California; one daughter Lisa Haskell of San Diego, California; three brothers, Clifford Rhoads of Munday, Raymond Rhoads of Abilene, and George Rhoads of Old Glory; one sister Maree Goodwin of Fritch; one grandson, and numerous nieces and nephews.

The body was cremated at Bandon, Oregon.

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No bird soars too high, if he soars with his own wings.



**CARLOS SANTISTEVEN COACHES** the under 12 soccer team from Munday called the Lightning. Standing (from left to right) are Brian Urbanczyk, Jason Key, Robert Dockins, Justin Key, Eric Beaty, Amanda Myers, B. J. Brown, Jeremy Lowe, JoAnn Thomas, and Nathan Neal. Jessica Carlson is next to coach Santisteven.



**THE MUNDAY MAGNUMS' SOCCER TEAM** consists of front row: Wes Crawford, Jeffrey Urbanczyk, Chuck Reneau, Jacob Echols, Jennifer Carlson, and Justin King. Back Row: Micah Yates, Kirk Heard, Cassie Gulley, Laurie Welch, and Kylie Myers. Their coach is Alan Heard.

### Letter To The Editor

Dear Editor,

Most everyone has heard that the Munday High School Band is the State Honor Band of Texas.

What does the term State Honor Band mean? It is the most prestigious honor that can be bestowed on a band. It is a once in a lifetime chance for a student to be a participant. The band also has the honor of presenting a concert at the Texas Music Educators Association Convention in San Antonio in February, 1994.

As the Purple Cloud Band stood at attention on the field at the Wichita Falls Marching Festival on October 11, 1993, the announcer paid such a fine compliment to the Munday High School Band that I would like to share with your readers what he said, and I quote:

"Ladies and gentlemen, a small deviation from normal which can only be done at our festival. In honor of the group that you see before you, it is with a great deal of pride that we present a group that achieves its pinnacle of success so rare. But here you have before you the new Class A Band of the State of Texas. The #1 performing Class A Band in the entire state.

We of North Texas have been blessed by friendship, kinsmanship, the two friends, one band director of this band and one that was at Petrolia now at Burkburnett, we have had the honor of having 2 Class A Honor Bands in 3 years plus repeated showings at the state finals in marching contest.

Region 2 is one of the outstanding regions in the state and 2 of our judges down below know what the pressure is from below because Region 5 gets to see these people from time to time.

It is with a great deal of pleasure we present the next band. The Munday High School Band under the direction of Mr. Rodney D. Bennett and his wife, Marilyn K. Bennett."

Citizens of Munday, you have a high school band in which to be proud. The hard work and dedication that comes from this band can

be seen each time the Purple Cloud marches on the field.

State Honor Band of Texas, congratulations for having received this honor. Thank you for your hard work.

Sincerely, Pat Owens

~ ANNOUNCING ~  
**Something New Is Coming**  
Sunday, October 31  
to 136 West Main St.  
*Will you want to be a part of it?*

### Thank You

We would like to thank all our friends for your prayers, visits, cards, calls, food and your concern during Taylor's recent hospital stay. A special thanks to Harold Jones and Kenneth Baker. May God bless each of you.  
Taylor & Margie Allen

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*May God bless each of you.*  
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*See a peasant and genie agree, Oh, you'll never find A Friend Like Me! Drums in marching to precision, These you will see in this marvelous vision.*

*See Prince Ali encounter Jasmine, In this story of Aladdin. See love abound from boy to girl, As together they enter a Whole New World.*

*This fantasy is touring the land, As the presence of the state Honor, Purple Cloud, Marching Band!*

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# VERA NEWS

By Mrs. Thelma Coulston

R.J. and Lula Grace Trainham were recent visitors with her brother, Dixie Murphree and family in Midland. Dixie is slowly recovering from recent heart bypass surgery.

The Jerrell Trainham family visitor Saturday with Mr. and Mrs. Kevin Trainham and family in Moran.

Mrs. Sabra Rice spent Saturday in the home of a granddaughter, Toby and Eva Ann Crooks in Seymour.

Rev. Douglas Crow of Seymour attended morning church services at the Baptist church, Sunday.

Harold and Edith Beck visited Saturday with Zoe Ann Alford in Wichita Falls.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Weiss have been spending some time at their ranch near Davis, Okla. Son and son-in-law, Gary Weiss of Carrollton and Jack Robertson of Dallas joined them while they were there and assisted Paul in doing some repairs.

Mr. and Mrs. Claudell Bratcher visited Sunday with her sisters, Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Blanton and Mrs. Flo Bratcher and Shannon in Bowie.

John and Nell Murphree of Midland were recent visitors with his sister, Mr. and Mrs. R.J. Trainham. They were enroute to Arkansas where they visited with her sister Virgil and Cora Bell Peddy. They also visited with the Marlin Hawkins family in Oklahoma City,

Ok. Mrs. Loraine Burton of Amarillo visited Friday afternoon in the home of R.J. and Lula Grace Trainham. Loraine was enroute to Seymour for a visit with her brother, Mr. and Mrs. Oliver Albright.

Mrs. Gordon Thomas and children of Woodson were recent visitors with her parents, the Billy Kinnibrughs. Wednesday Betty Kinnibrugh and her father, Bill Townsend were in Brownwood where they attended memorial services for Bill's cousins, Mr. and Mrs. Cleve Brewster of Blanket who were fatally injured when hit by a car, while walking down a county road. Services were held Wednesday afternoon in a Brownwood Funeral Home Chapel. Mr. and Mrs. Brewster were ages 83 and 87.

Mrs. Maurine Parris visited last Monday with Mrs. Madge Boyd, Mrs. Bobby Gore, Mrs. Alma Shawver and Mrs. Mary Lou Gore in Texhoma Christian Care Center in Wichita Falls.

Billy and Betty Kinnibrugh attended the Woodson-Paint Creek ball game in Woodson Friday evening and visited with their daughter, the Gordon Thomas family.

Mrs. Aleitha Beck was in Wichita Falls Saturday where she visited with her daughter, the Edward Marek family and attended a grandson's soccer game. She was

accompanied by her son, Russell Beck of Wichita, Ka. who had arrived in Wichita Falls and is spending most of the week with her.

Jeff Roberson of Cleveland, Tenn. was a recent visitor in the home of his aunt, the Jerry Beck family. Jeff is a son of Wayne and Charlotte Roberson and his mother is the former Charlotte Boyd, reared in the Vera community.

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## Funeral Services For Bill Yates Are Held October 14

John W. "Bill" Yates, 73, died Tuesday, October 12, 1993, in an Olney hospital.

Services were held at 2 p.m., Thursday, October 14, at Seymour Church of Christ with Paul Evans, minister, and Mark Sloan, minister, officiating. Burial was in the Goree Cemetery under the direction of Archer Funeral Home of Seymour.

Mr. Yates was born June 2, 1920, in Throckmorton County, Texas. He moved to Baylor County in 1945. He and Virginia Reed were married November 21, 1948. He was a retired farmer and a member of the Seymour Church of Christ.

He was on the board of directors of B-K Electric for 29 years and was serving as president. He was on the board of directors at Bomarton Co-Op for 36 years and was on the county Agricultural Stabilization and Conservation Committee for six years.

Survivors include his wife; a daughter, Johnnie Sue McCarter of Winter Park, Florida; a son, William "Mike" Yates of Fort Worth; three sisters, Cordie Cunningham of Haskell, Frances Stilwell of Bedford, and Alma Phillips of Munday; a brother, Carl Yates of Salem, Oregon; and five grandchildren.

## WTU Supports Red Ribbon Week

October is Drug Awareness Month and the week of October 23-31 is Red Ribbon Week. West Texas Utilities Company employees will be observing this week by wearing red ribbons. "We encourage everyone to join us with their support. The red ribbon is symbolic of the individual and community efforts for drug prevention education and the elimination of alcohol and drug abuse," said Kit Home, Manager Public Relations. The Red Ribbon Campaign was

begun in 1986 in memory of Emrique Camarena. Camarena was an agent for the Drug Enforcement Administration who was killed by drug traffickers. The program has now expanded nationwide. The Texans' War on Drugs, founded in 1980, is a non-profit organization involved with drug prevention education, and has sponsored the campaign in Texas since 1988.

In addition to the observance of Red Ribbon Week, WTU is providing Drug Awareness Activity Books to all fifth grade students in

its service territory. Other businesses, civic organizations, church groups and individuals are uniting to encourage community support in order to "win the war on drugs". Remember, wear or display your red ribbon October 23 to October 31 to demonstrate your commitment to a healthy, drug-free lifestyle.

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We Have A New Baby!!

An addition to the unique doll collection of Bill and Lissa Myers has arrived.

Lindsey Brooke made her appearance at 11:50 a.m. Tuesday, September 14, 1993, at Wichita General Hospital. She was custom made to order at 7 lbs. 9 ozs. and 20 3/4 in. long.

Lindsey was greeted by sisters Amanda, Savannah, Ashleigh and Kimberly.

Proud grandparents of this new little doll are Bernard and Frances Brown of Rhineland and Slick and Peggy Myers of Goree. Great-grandparents are Vlasta Orsak of Rhineland and Agnes Myers of Abilene.

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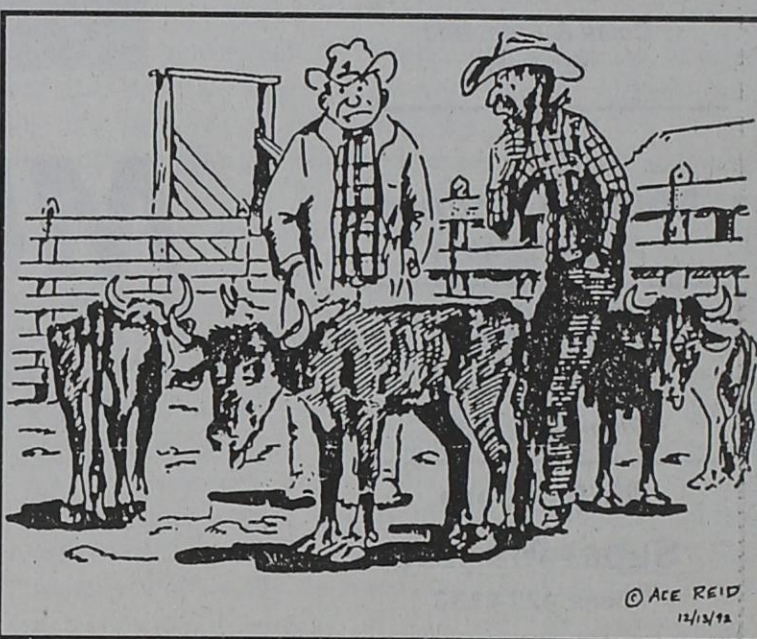
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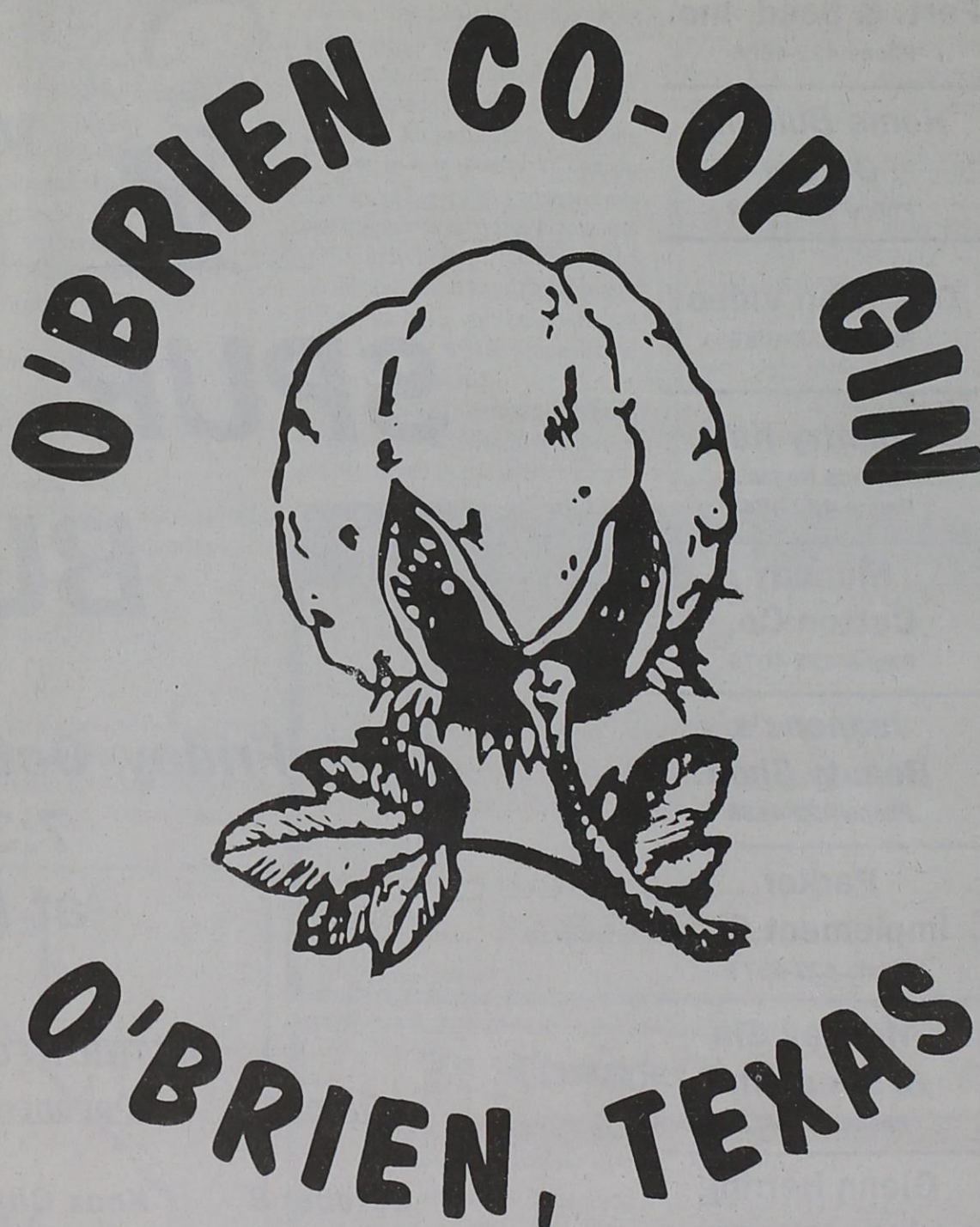
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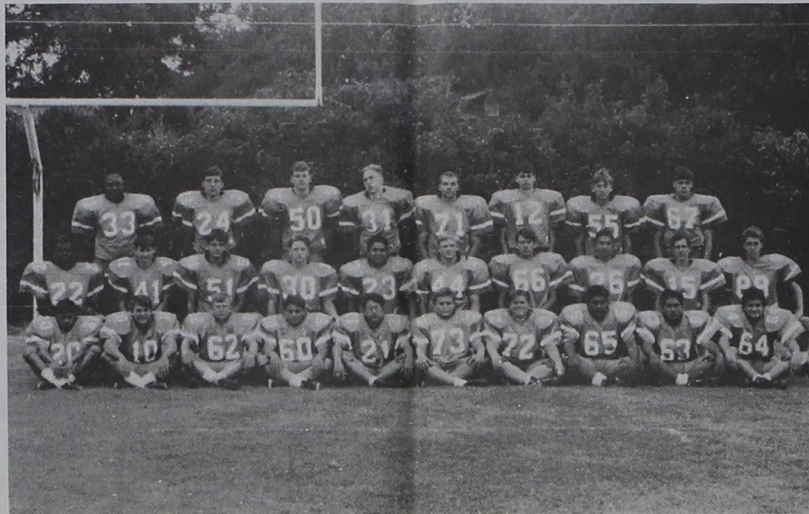
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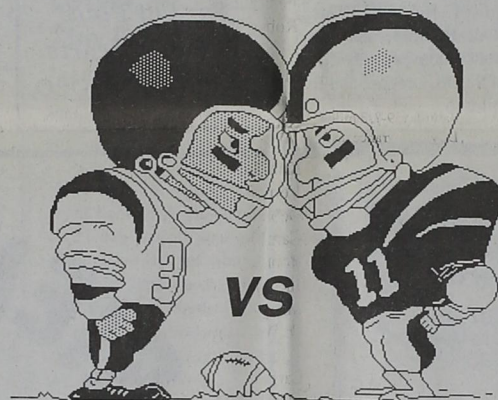
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				We	They
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Justice is the great interest of man on our earth. It is the ligament which holds civilized nations together. Daniel Webster

## "On A Wizer Note"

By Paul Weiser,

Knox County Extension Agent - Agriculture

Many individuals have noticed major problems with their trees in the last month or two. The big problem is mainly water shortage.

Sure, many yards are being watered, the grass looks great, but for some reason the trees do not seem to be faring so well. There is a reason for this.

The feeder roots for the grass usually remain in the top two inches of the soil. The trees have their roots down around eight inches. To see if you are watering deep enough dig down about eight inches--somewhere just beyond the outreach of the branches. If the soil is wet there may be some other problem with the tree. If dry here is a good tip.

Instead of using a lawn sprinkler, try using soaker hoses around the tree. Do not water close to the trunk, this may cause root rot or other problems. Instead soak the ground out around the outreach of the tree's branches.

If your lawn has a sandy soil it will not take as long to do this as if the lawn has more clay in the soil structure. It is wise to continue watering into the winter so that trees do not suffer damage from the first freeze.

Fall is also a great time to be thinking about your garden. Those who are garden lovers and wish to know some great tips as to what to do in the garden this fall to prepare for the spring some information was placed in the "Knox County Agricultural Newsletter". This newsletter was mailed to those on the mailing list on September 29. This newsletter will usually include articles on crops, livestock, lawns and gardens, fruit production, and updates what the Knox County 4-H is doing--especially in the area of agriculture.

If interested in being placed on the newsletter mail-list please notify the Knox County Extension office. These will be mailed about four times a year.

For anyone involved in either lawns/gardens or general agriculture it is known that a pesticide license is very handy. If you do not have a license but wish to have one please notify the Extension office in Benjamin. If enough sign up this fall, the Texas Department of Agriculture will be contacted and a test date will be set up for the Knox County area.

If anyone is interested in more information pertaining to the topics discussed in this article please

contact the Knox County Extension office in Benjamin at 817/454-2651.



## Birthdays & Anniversaries

October 20 - Mr. and Mrs. Joey Kimbrough.

October 21 - Chelsie Patton, Nikki Booe, Zachary Hawkins.

October 22 - Leo Koenig, Sandy Lambeth; Gene and Dorothy Brown.

October 23 - Samantha Beth Jackson.

October 24 - Anna Kay Kiser, Beverly Crownover.

October 25 - Rickey Redder, Robin Bowen.

October 26 - Charles Pankhurst.

## Grace Snailum, 88, Dies In San Antonio

Grace Turner Snailum, 88, of Benjamin, died Sunday, October 17, 1993, in a San Antonio nursing home.

Services were held at 2 p.m. Tuesday, October 19, at Benjamin Memorial Ex-Students Building with Rev. Karel Desgrange of Flint, Michigan, officiating, a former pastor of Benjamin First Christian Church. Burial was in Benjamin Cemetery under the direction of Smith Funeral Home.

Mrs. Snailum was born February 15, 1905, in Weatherford and moved to Benjamin in 1921. She and Lee O. Snailum were married July 18, 1921. She was preceded in death by a son, Billy Joe, in 1987.

Survivors include four sons, Charles of Granite Shoals, Darr of Fort Stockton, Ted of San Antonio and Jerry of Plano; three daughters, Claudia Nunley of Amarillo, Bonita Pyatt of Plainview and Shirley Jordan of San Antonio; 23 grandchildren, 29 great-grandchildren and 4 great-great-grandchildren.

### THANK YOU

We would like to thank the Methodist Community in Goree and their pastor for being so willing to allow us to use their church. May the Creator of all bless all those who help spread the gospel of Jesus Christ. *St Joseph Catholic of Goree*

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The family of Adolph Bartos



### Thank You

We would like to thank everyone for your prayers, food, flowers, cards and visits during my stay in the hospital and since my return home. May God bless each of you.

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### Genealogical Workshop To Be Held Oct. 25

R.S. Sanders of Weinert, noted genealogical researcher and author will be leading a round table discussion, centered around genealogy research, during a public educational program this next Monday, October 25 sponsored by the Haskell County Home Economics Committee. The workshop will begin at 7:00 p.m. in the First National Bank of Haskell's meeting room.

All Haskell County residents as well as residents from surrounding counties who are currently conducting genealogy research as well as all those who would like information about beginning a genealogy research project are invited to participate in this round table discussion that is being conducted free of charge and is open to people of all ages regardless of socioeconomic level, race, color, sex, religion, handicap or national origin.

As an added service for all those attending the workshop, a packet of printed materials will be distributed to all those attending. In order to help the committee know the number of packets to prepare, they are requesting that those who are planning to attend the workshop contact the Haskell County Extension office at 817-864-2546 before 5:00 p.m. Friday, October 22. You must be in attendance at the workshop to receive a packet.

### Former Knox County Resident Dies In Arlington

Ruth Smith Jones died Sunday, September 19, 1993, at her son's home in Arlington from complications of a fall she sustained on August 21. She was 84 years of age.

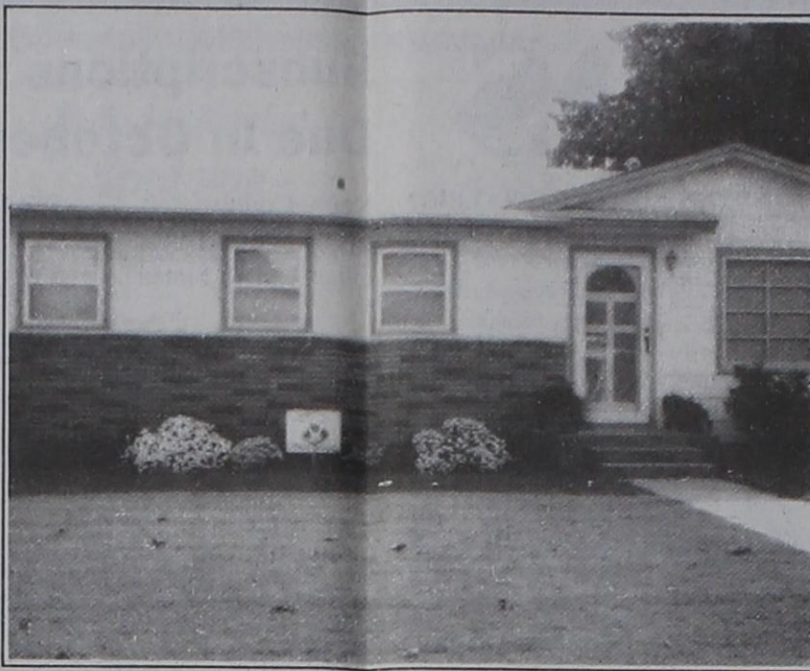
Services were held at 2 p.m. on Wednesday, September 22, at the Fielder Road Baptist Church in Arlington where she was a member. Burial was in Moore Memorial Gardens under the direction of Hugh M. Moore and Sons Funeral Home.

Ruth Smith was born January 18, 1909, in Knox County, Texas, the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Smith of the Thorpe Community. She attended the Gillespie School and was a long time member of the Gillespie Baptist Church. She was a homemaker and a member of the Order of the Eastern Star.

She and L. V. Jones were married January 1, 1926. He and a son, Delbert Wayne Jones, preceded her in death.

Survivors include: two sons, J. A. Jones and William S. Jones, both of Arlington; one daughter, Joyce Crisman of Arlington; one sister, Jenell Vandiver of Arlington; three brothers, Otis Smith of Haskell, Chester Smith of Wichita Falls and Charles Rhea Smith of Munday; ten grandchildren; and 18 great-grandchildren.

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THANKS FOR READING  
THE MUNDAY COURIER



RAY AND DIANA MOORE of 540 West Irving received "Yard of the Week" honors this week. The colorful array of fall mums along the front of the house caught the eyes of the judges. Honorable mention goes to the Munday City Hall front lawn with its golden shoe button mums and green hedges.

### Twelve Participate In And Complete "Computer Basics"

Goree ISD was the site for an eight hour "Computer Basics" class. Participants who enrolled and completed the class were: Cathy Albus, Sharon Baldwin, Shirley Bowman, Marilyn Coffman, Mary Denise Groves, Terri Heard, Judy Lowe, Patsy Meinzer, Mary Myers, Pam Reed, Peggy Urbanczyk and Nancy Whittemore.

Participants were taught computer terminology; hardware and software; how to use a word processor; cut, copy, paste and how to use the draw tools; database application; how to merge a database with the word processor; use of the spreadsheet; how to make a pie chart and a bar graph; how to merge these with word processing; and use of the floppy disk.

Instructor for the course was Phyllis Reed, Goree MicroComputer teacher. She was assisted by Floyd Reed Jr.

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HAVE A NICE DAY!

### At Your Service

by Dr. Larry Fitzgerald  
Munday Church of Christ

Q: What is meant by the phrases "yea, yea" and "nay, nay" in Matthew 5:37?

A: In the King James Version of the Bible, Matthew 5:37 is translated: "But let your speech be Yea, yea; Nay, nay; and whatsoever is more than these is of the evil one."

In this verse Jesus was discussing oaths. A better translation is from the Revised Standard Version which reads: "Let what you say be simply 'Yes' or 'No.' Anything more than this come from evil."

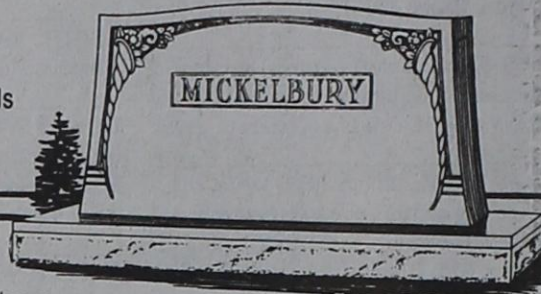
Jesus tells us that godly people should so speak that every word that comes from their mouths is true and can be depended upon. To have to add an oath would be an act to dishonor the Christian. Also, no one should use God's name with the petty transactions of life.

Because of this passage, our courts and other governmental in-

stitutions do not necessarily require an oath. Often the phrase, "Do you swear or affirm ..." is used. The Bible commands us that every word we utter should be good with not one evil word (Ephesians 4:29). If you have a question for this column, write Larry c/o Box 211, Munday, TX 76371. \*\*\*

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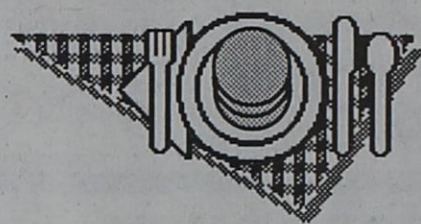
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