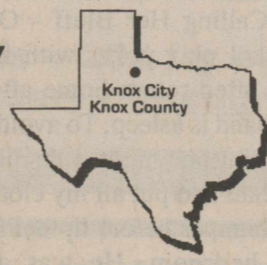


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Food, food everywhere!!

By Dave Thompson

If you haven't been hungry lately, or just haven't noticed, Knox City is fast becoming a great place to eat! With our work hours here at the NEWS, we tend to eat out a lot, and the selections here in Knox City seem to be increasing every week. Being in the newspaper business, we try as often as possible to eat with those establishments who advertise and trade with us. Here is a brief rundown of those advertisers for our readers:

The Grand Cafe

The Grand Cafe (formerly Debbie's) opened under new management last Friday and we had the opportunity to eat there following our Little League game. The food was ala carte (which means you order off the menu), and was very good. A special bonus was the home made cinnamon rolls! The Grand Cafe is also open early for those who don't have time to cook breakfast at home.

Billy's Bar-B-Que

Not one to sit around and watch the world go by, Billy is always changing up his service to better suit his customers. A new feature that started this week was Billy's new 'all-you-can-eat' lunch buffet. Good food and a very fast lunch was in store for us when we were among a large crowd of working folks that showed up at noon on Tuesday. Billy also offers a variety of Bar-B-Que food on his menu throughout the day and evening.

Larned's Pizza

Don't let the name fool you, Larned's has a lot more to offer than just great pizza! While the made-to-order pizza and breadsticks are always good, Brenda also features some delicious sandwiches on her menu. With new expanded hours that include being open seven days a week, Brenda is sure to keep on seeing us. The 'Philly' steak sandwich is especially good!

Dairy Queen

Good, hot food and fast service seem to be the trademark of the always popular Dairy Queen managed here in Knox City by Paulette Moore. From hamburgers and onion rings to ice cream, blizzards and banana splits, staying on a diet is just about impossible!

The DQ's drive-in window saves everyone a lot of time and the friendly smiles for customers are always welcome!

Danny's

Yet to open, Danny's advertising this week offers everything from to Bar-B-Que to buffet lunches. With an opening planned soon, the restaurant will offer a drive in window that opens early enough for oilfield workers, farmers, and everyone else to stop by and pick up both their breakfast and lunch in one quick stop.

Kimberly Hawkins & Ashley Turner are State Bible Drill Winners

The community of Knox City, home of Kimberly Hawkins and Ashley Turner, has every reason to be proud as these two 12 year old sixth grade students at O'Brien Middle School are new State Bible Drill champions.

Earning the prestigious state ranking at competition this past weekend in Abilene, both Kimberly and Ashley have obtained a goal they have been working towards for several years.

Both girls are Bible drill students of Beverly Munsell and practice at First Baptist Church, Knox City.

Kimberly attends church with her family at First Baptist Church in Knox City, while Ashley attends church with her family at Primitive Baptist Church in Rule.

Along with Mrs. Munsell, the girls were accompanied by their mothers to the two day competition last Friday and Saturday at First Baptist Church in Abilene.

Ashley is the daughter of Dale and Sherry Turner, and Kimberly is the daughter of Don and Marla Hawkins.



Having every reason to be happy, both Ashley Turner (at left), and Kimberly Hawkins are state ranked Bible Drill Champions. (Courtesy Photo)

Judy Perdue elected President of NorCenTex Girl Scout Council

Judy Perdue of Knox City was elected as the President of Girl Scout's NorCentex Council during the Council's April 1st meeting.

Being elected to the position of President of the NorCentex Council of Girl Scouts is a high honor for Mrs. Perdue, who has been associated with the Girl Scout program for seventeen years. After two years as a Girl Scout, Mrs. Perdue has served in various capacities as an adult scout for the past fifteen years. Since 1982, she has been actively involved in the scouting program here in Knox City, serving as a Daisy, Brownie, Junior, Cadette, and Senior Scout Leader, Service Unit Director, and Cookie Chairman.

On the Council level, Mrs. Perdue has served on the Board of Directors and as Third Vice President.

She has also served on the Council Charter Review Committee, Fund Development Committee, Strategic Planning Committee, and Marketing Committee. This past year, she represented the Council as it's national delegate at the Girl Scout USA Convention in Fort Worth.

As President of the NorCentex Council, she will represent an eleven county area that serves over 1,000 girl scouts. Mrs. Perdue believes that scouting is an excellent program for girls of all ages.

The Mission Statement of the NorCentex Girl Scout Council is to inspire girls with the highest ideals of character, conduct, patriotism, and service, that they may become resourceful citizens.



NEWLY ELECTED PRESIDENT of the NorCentex Girl Scout Council, Judy Perdue of Knox City (at left) is shown here with Executive Director Barbara Brock at the NorCentex Council meeting held on April 1st. (Courtesy Photo)

An open letter to the citizens of Knox City

.....from Robert Patrick, City Administrator

I have been serving as City Administrator of Knox City for approximately six months now and I feel there are several projects going on in the community that merit attention.

The Cities sewer plant is within approximately thirty days completion time of its renovation consisting of a new clarifier, aerator, drying beds as well as expanding the chlorine contact chamber to meet TNRCC and EPA requirements. This sewer project was funded through a Texas Community Development Grant with a 5% match from the City.

Another project funded with grant money is the Texas Parks and Wildlife Project announced by David Counts in September 1996 that will renovate the Swimming Pool and Park area over the course of the next three years. The swimming pool pump and filter are being replaced this year by the City crew with the rest of the renovations coming over the next two years. The total cost will be approximately \$181,000 with 50% paid by Parks and Wildlife and the remaining funds to come from the city and several local donations of labor, cash, and equipment. This project has had an excellent response from our businesses, school, and individuals but more donations are needed if the park is to be renovated to its full potential. If you can donate please contact me at City Hall.

Our Community Center is also receiving a landscaping facelift thanks to donations of turf provided through the Plant Materials Center. Morris Houck has provided a long term plan to make our Community Center a showplace for native plants that will help make the building look more attractive and require less maintenance.

Spring cleanup month is well underway and will be rounded out on the last weekend of April with City Employees as well as any volunteers working Saturday April the 26th to help CLEAN UP OUR COMMUNITY. Extra rolloff containers have been donated by Triple C Disposal during this day to help us with disposal. If you have trash to be hauled, call the City Hall, ESPECIALLY ITEMS THAT ARE UNATTRACTIVE AND IN SIGHT.

Upcoming projects include: Applying for a Texas Community Development Grant to replace many old water lines in town as well as replace our approximately 72 year old water tower with a standpipe to meet State requirements.

The Texas Department of Transportation has announced funding for the Knox City Airport renovation with funding possibly as early as 1998.

The City has many other smaller projects ongoing including removing the house located in the park that was recently purchased, building a dog pound, and getting the many trash dumpsters that are rusted out replaced. With all of these projects underway and normal responsibilities continuing, our outside crew of just four men is running behind. Your patience until we are caught up will be appreciated.

Robert Patrick

Girl Scouts hosting spaghetti supper as fundraiser

The Knox City Girl Scouts will host their annual spaghetti supper this Thursday evening, at the school cafeteria on the Knox City campus.

Always a popular event, the spaghetti supper provides a meal for many, while raising needed

funds for the local Girl Scout organization.

This year's spaghetti supper will start at 5:00 PM this Thursday evening, and conclude at 7:00 PM. Tickets for the meal are just \$3.50 for adults and \$12.50 for those age 12 and under.

Take out plates will be available for those wishing to take their food home or back to work to eat.

If you would like to enjoy a good meal and help support the local Girl Scouts, the girls hope to see you Thursday evening!

Chamber to sponsor 'Ladies Coffee' this Friday

Once again, ladies from all over the area will enjoy some time to themselves as they attend the annual coffee sponsored by the Knox City Chamber of Commerce in honor of all working women.

Scheduled to begin at 10:00 and ending at 11:00 AM, the event

will be held in the Knox City Community Center.

Along with coffee and refreshments, those ladies attending will be treated to a fashion show that features clothing from Appearances, the Mini Mall and The Art Stall, all Knox City merchants.

New Chamber Director Rita Rosencranz will serve as moderator for the fashion show.

A drawing will also be held for door prizes. The Chamber of Commerce cordially invites all working women of the area to attend.

Knox County 4-H Fashion Show Winners Advance To District

The District 3 4-H Fashion Show is set for Saturday, April 26, at Paducah High School. Six 4-H members from Knox County will compete. Theme for this year's show is "On The Trail of Fashion". West Texas Utilities and the Texas Agricultural Extension Service are sponsors for the show.

Each contestant won their division in the local fashion show on April 8. The top individual in the senior division of each category will represent the district at the State 4-H Fashion Show, June 2 through 6, at Texas A&M University in College Station.

In the junior and intermediate divisions, the contestants will be judged and the top five winners will be recognized.

Entering the district event from Knox County will be Cassie Lyles - Junior Pop-Over Skirt, Benjamin; Cheyene Favor, Junior Casual Wear, Knox City; Raleigh



KNOX COUNTY FASHIONS to be entered at the District 4-H Fashion Show are shown here in this 4-H photo provided by County Agent Jane Rowan. Shown from left to right are Jacy Collins of Benjamin, Raleigh Wilson of Munday, Alishia Crownover of Munday, Brandy Riggins of Knox City, Cheyene Favor of Knox City, and Jessica Frazier of Knox City.

wilson, Junior Buying - Casual Wear, Munday; Alishia Crownover, Intermediate Buying - Dressy Wear, Munday; Jessica Frazier - Senior Casual Wear,

Knox City; Brandy Riggins, Senior Dressy Wear, Knox City.

Cassie Lyles was also selected to represent Knox County in the Junior Cotton Award competition.

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District trial gives Knox City man five year prison term, \$10,000 fine

(Seymour) After a seven day jury trial, it took a Knox County District Court Jury less than two hours to find Payton Ellis Tankersley, 38, of Knox City, guilty of cattle theft in a verdict returned last Wednesday, April 16, in Benjamin.

The same eight man, four woman jury then deliberated on punishment and agreed on a five year prison sentence, plus a \$10,000.00 fine to be assessed against Tankersley. Jury selection began on Tuesday, April 8, 1997.

The State was represented by District Attorney Bill Neal and the defendant was represented by Ed Paynter, formerly District Attorney in Abilene. District Judge David Hajek presided over the trial. Wichita Falls attorney Maggie McBride assisted Mr. Neal in the prosecution.

The State called a total of 18 witnesses during the trial. Evidence was introduced to show that the defendant, Payton Ellis Tankersley, acted with Jerry Carl Eaton, 38, of Knox City, and Kevin White, 26, of Knox City, in stealing cattle from Stonewall County

rancher Dolan Brinson. Evidence indicated that the trio captured a number of Brinson's cattle in the Brazos River bottoms and sold 26 of his unbranded calves at an auction sale in Abilene, and then branded over Brinson's brand on another 22 head of cattle which were eventually transported to Knox City where they were discovered by Knox County law enforcement officials, headed by Sheriff Mike Carlson.

Special Texas Ranger Scott Williamson, a Texas and Southwestern Cattle Raisers' Association Brand Inspector, headed up the investigation and was the State's primary witness.

Twenty-nine entries in Thursday's playday

Twenty-nine entries were in the Thursday Knox City Country Club playday.

Winners with a six under par was the team of Domingo Garcia, Mary Johnson and Lynn Johnson.

Second with five under par were Raymond Garcia, Matt Verhalen, Earlene Austin and Charles Pack.

O'Brien News

By Audie Johnston, O'Brien Correspondent

"Calling Her Bluff - Once a week I play poker with friends and often return home after my husband is asleep. To avoid waking him one night, I disrobed in the hall and put all my clothes in the hamper before tiptoeing into the bedroom. He was awake enough to comment, "Looks like you got taken to the cleaners tonight."

HERE AND THERE

Claudale and Jean Barnard were in Levelland last week to visit their daughter Claudia Bryant and husband Eddie and grandson Jon. Jean was in Lubbock also for doctor's appointment.

Vivian Hendrix spent the weekend in Oklahoma with her daughter Pretrecia Kinzer and family. On Sunday, they were in East Texas to visit a brother of Vivian's who had a stroke and was in the hospital.

Visiting Jr. and Myra Reeves and Edrie Barnard over the weekend were cousins of Myra, Lynn and Velma Davidson of Fairbanks, Alaska.

Coy and Loretta Hewitt were in Haskell Sunday to visit their

daughter Rhonda Moeller, husband Allen and children.

Demp and Hazel Emerson and Dan and Marilyn Talbot visited with JoAnn Asher in Abilene Sunday afternoon.

JoAnn Searcy and a sister-in-law of JoAnn's Jennifer Searcy of Alexander City, Alabama, spent several days with Clara and Troy Hanson last week. Joann and husband are on their way to Australia on vacation. Jerry Hodges of Graham visited with Clara and Troy last Monday on Clara's birthday.

Art Cameron, Billie Walker's brother, who lives in Tyler, visited last week. He brought supplies for house guttering to put on Billie's home in O'Brien. Wednesday, they met cousins at Aspermont for lunch at Frazier's Cafe. Alma Long brought a framed picture of her uncle Charlie Gibson who contributed land and finances to build the Gibson Nursing Home. The picture was hung in the home Wednesday.

VISIT IN HAWAII

Susan and J.M. Emerson vacationed recently in Hawaii. They stayed on the Island of Maui for

seven nights. They flew over to the Island of Oahu for a one day sightseeing tour of the city of Honolulu. While there, they visited Pearl Harbor and the Arizona Memorial. It was reported to be very impressive and quite moving. They also went down to Waikiki Beach. One day, they flew over to the Big Island (Hawaii) for a day of sightseeing. While there they went to an orchid garden and volcano crater. They also had time to drive up one coastline to see some beautiful scenery. While on the Island of Maui, they went out whale watching and saw ten or so whales. They also took a 50 miles trip on the east coastline to a town called Hana. The scenery is beautiful with a tropical rain forest, waterfalls and pools. The flowers and plants were beautiful and the weather was perfect especially since it was freezing in Texas at the time they were in Hawaii. The sugar cane and pineapple fields were really something to see along with the coconut, banana, mango, papaya, guava and coffee. Susan said they had a "really enjoyable trip."

Services set Wednesday for Glen Rumley

Glen Rumley of Hardin, former Knox County Hospital administrator, died Sunday, April 20, at his residence.

Graveside services were held Wednesday, April 23, at the Hardin Chapel Cemetery in Hardin. In lieu of usual floral remembrances, contributions may be made to the Center for Hospice Care, 1101 Decker Drive, Baytown, TX 77520.

A native of Rockfalls, Illinois, he had lived in Hardin since 1994. He was a lab technician at the Hightower Unit in Dayton. Previously, he had been a hospital administrator for over 20 years. A veteran of the Korean Conflict, he served in the United States Army.

Survivors include his wife, Beth Rumley of Hardin; three sons, Michael and Glen Rumley of Chandler, Arizona, and Steve Rumley of Dalhart; four daughters, Adina Burson and Shelly Rumley of Arlington, Sharon Leal of Vernon and Paula Blackwell of Liberty; and ten grandchildren.

Services are Saturday for Edna O. Large

Funeral services for Edna O. Large of Knox City were held Saturday afternoon, April 19, at five o'clock at the Church of Christ in Knox City. David Boren and Ken Pierson officiated and burial was in the Knox City Cemetery with Smith Funeral Home in charge of arrangements.

Mrs. Large, 84, died Thursday, April 17, at her residence from apparent natural causes.

Born August 2, 1912, in East Texas, to the late W.M. and Mattie Dunnam, she married Pruitt O. Large on July 24, 1931, in Haskell. He preceded her in death on September 21, 1984.

Mrs. Large was a member of the Church of Christ in Knox City.

Survivors include a daughter and son-in-law, Leta and Oscar Mangis of Knox City; two grandchildren, Sherry Jackson and Tommy O. Mangis; three great-grandchildren; a brother, Leland Dunnam of Aroya Grande, California; and two sisters, Thelma Pierson of Abilene and Virginia Price of Farmers Branch.

Pallbearers were A.P. Denton, Leon Burkham, Tim Moss, Dwayne Johnson, Henry Jean Jones and Bruce Campbell.

Honorary pallbearers were Monty Penman, Troy Hanson, Vic Thomas and Dewey Darr.

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A St. Louis study found that depression in the elderly is four times as likely to cause weight loss as any other factor. The study followed 156 people and found that depression was linked to weight loss in 36%.

Guthrie FHA attends state conference in Dallas

Guthrie Future Homemakers of America, along with 4,000 other members and advisors, had a busy time in Dallas when they attended the 1997 State Leadership Conference. "FHA/HERO" A Dream Come True!" was the theme of the meeting held in the Dallas Convention Center, April 17-19.

Parliamentary Procedure team members, Amber Green, Krissy Shipman, Chase Richardson and Rusty Bradbury placed sixth in their competition. The Applied Technology team, Misty Fields, Delbert Ellis and Wess Abbott, represented the chapter. Beth Cave served as voting delegate. Jimmy Jackson was installed as Region I President and assumed his duties by conducting the first official meeting of Region I. The group was accompanied by advisor

Marianna Graves and honorary member Darlene Withers.

The meeting theme was carried out through various workshops centered on youth leadership, peer education, community service, critical teen issues and vocational preparation. Members were challenged to set goals and quest for success through FHA programs and projects. Jan Hargrave and Gary Zelesky were keynote speakers heard by the group.

The group also enjoyed sightseeing in downtown Dallas, riding the rail system, and a night of entertainment at Medieval Times. The trip was concluded by spending Sunday at Six Flags. A very tired but happy group returned with dreams of competing at a national meeting in the future.

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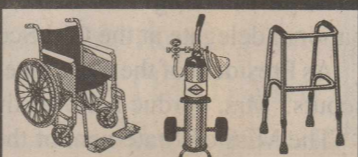
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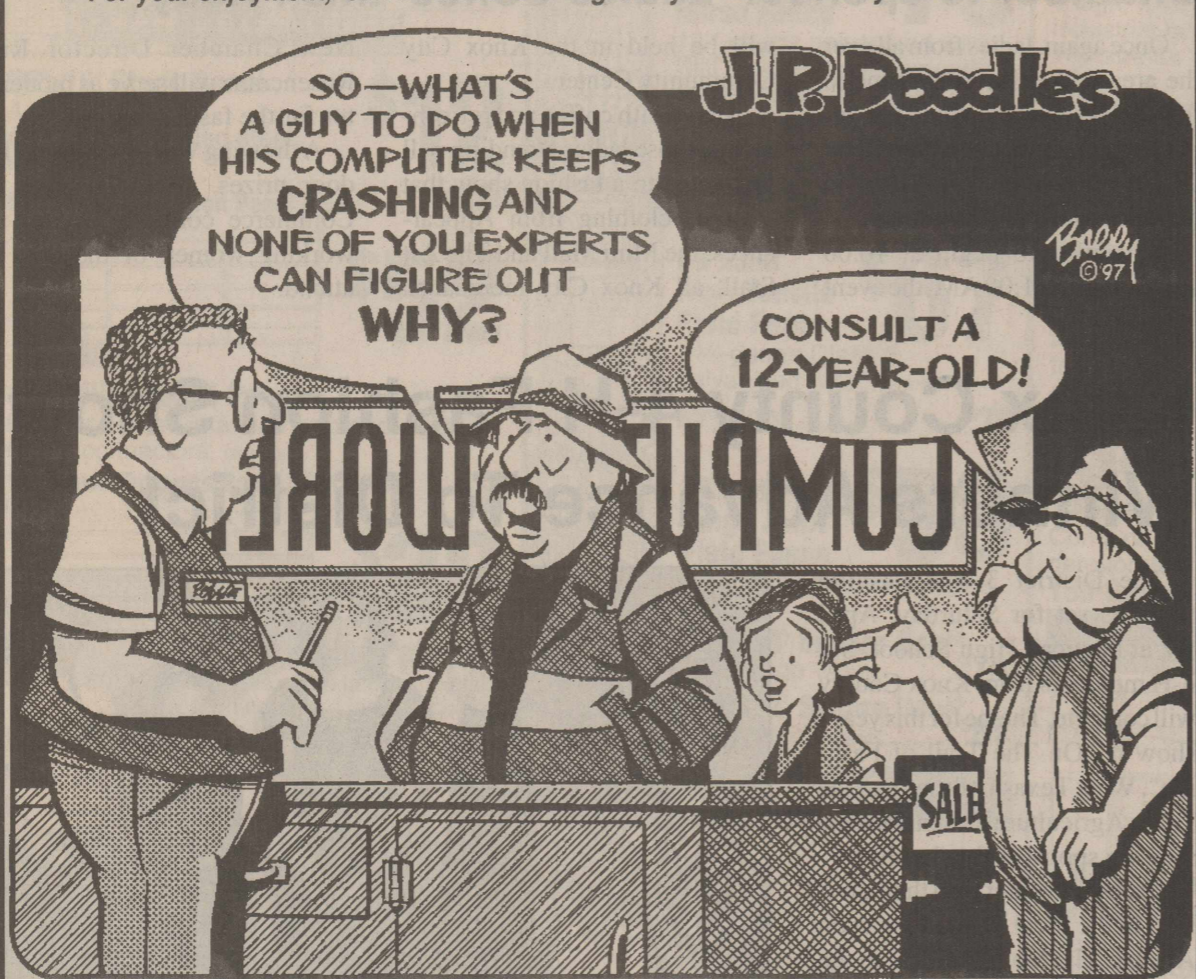
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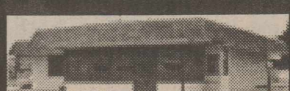
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(NEWS Photo)

Jury donations, other contributions received by Child Welfare Board

Thirty-six jury donations have been received by the Knox County Child Welfare Board.

Donating their monies were Billie Myers, Tim Moss, Julie Schur, Sid Richardson, Jo Maddox, Barbara Zeissel, Debra Moorhouse, Hank Wagner, Sue Marion, Diana Richardson, Georgia Lynn, Rosa Richardson, Jim Teeter, Ronnie Stewart, Matilda Tejeda, Jimmy Lynn, Jerry Don Sandusky, Bill Longan, Bill Ste-

wart, and Mike Moorhouse.

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Other donations were received by the Steve Pepper family, the First Baptist Church in Knox City and Mr. and Mrs. L.C. Guinn.

Social Security News Update

Social Security testing new disability procedure

The Social Security Administration (SSA) is testing a new method of processing disability claims based on the results of a yearlong study of alternatives for streamlining the present system and alleviating a backlog of cases.

Testing of a model that combines eight key disability redesign initiatives will take place at eight sites around the country, and will have a universe of 30,000 cases randomly selected over a nine month period.

When testing is complete, it is expected that the new design will result in a significant reduction in the overall processing time it takes to make decisions in disability claims, currently a four to five month time frame.

The goal of SSA is to reduce that time frame to 30 to 60 days for initial claims, and similar reductions in the appeals process.

Houndette District Track Results

- Natalie Bloxham - 200 Meter Dash, fifth; 800 Meter Relay, fifth; 400 Meter Relay, fourth;
- Lauren Clonts - 300 Meter Hurdles, fifth; 100 Meter Hurdles, fourth;
- Jessica Frazier - 100 Meter Hurdles, sixth; 1600 Meter Relay, sixth; Shot Put, Discus
- Christina Hernandez - 400 Meter Dash, 1600 Meter Relay, sixth;
- Mica Larned - 300 Meter Hurdles, 800 Meter Run, sixth; 800 Meter Relay, fifth; High Jump;
- Roni Morrow - 200 Meter Dash, 800 Meter Relay, fifth; 400 meter relay, fourth; Long Jump, Triple Jump;
- Brandy Riggins - 1600 Meter Relay, sixth; Shot Put, fourth; Discus;
- Vanessa Rodriguez - 1600 Meter Run; Tamiaka Ware - 100 Meter Dash, fifth; 800 Meter Relay, fifth; 400 Meter Relay, fourth; Long Jump, sixth; Triple Jump, fourth;
- Kevin Walton - 100 Meter Dash, 200 Meter Dash, 400 Meter Relay, fourth; Long Jump;
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Bates rites are Monday in Stamford

Funeral services for Kindell Stratton Bates, 83, of Knox City, formerly of Stamford, were held Monday, April 21, at 1:30 p.m. at Kinney Funeral Home in Stamford. The Rev. Jesse Morton officiated and burial was in Highland Memorial Cemetery.

Mr. Bates, 83, died Thursday, April 17, in an Abilene hospital. Born October 29, 1918, in Thornton, he was the son of Guy Z. and Julian Swan Bates. He had lived in the Stamford area since early childhood and was a retired field superintendent for Exxon Oil Company. He had lived in Knox City since 1963. His wife, Lucile Shelton Bates, preceded him in death on January 2, 1970. He was

a member of the First Baptist Church and had served in the National Guard.

Survivors include a daughter, Glenda Bates of Juno, Alaska; a son, Wayne Bates of Plano; two sisters, Anne Blackwell of Juno, Alaska and Nedra Smith of Joplin, Missouri; three grandchildren, Elizabeth Watson of Medford, Oregon, Kristy Bates of Austin and Greg Bates of Plano, and several nieces and nephews.

Pallbearers were Lloyd Rasco, Allen Holmes, Weldon Skiles, Jerry Myers, Tommy Lindsey, Greg Bates and Rob Harrison.

Memorials may be made to the West Texas Rehabilitation Center, 4601 Hartford, Abilene, TX.

KC's Stephanie Williams selected for national junior college honor

CLARENDON, Texas—The 1997 edition of Who's Who In American Junior Colleges will include the names of 22 students from Clarendon College, including sophomore Stephanie Williams of Knox City, who have been selected as national outstanding campus leaders.

Campus nominating committees and editors of the annual directory have included the names of these students based on their academic achievement, service to the community, leadership in extracurricular activities and potential for continued success.

They join an elite group of students from more than 1,800 institutions of higher learning in all 50 states, the District of Columbia and several foreign nations.

Outstanding students have been honored in the annual directory since it was first published in 1966.

Students named this year from Clarendon College are Farrah Ladawn Collins, Estelline; Lindsay Dianne Dwyer, Memphis; Will Clay Edwards, Aspermont; Becky Elaine Fuller, Childress; Donny Ray Howard, Clarendon; Monica Lee Jalomo, Quanah; Nadejda Jouridova, Pampa; Thomas Todd Lindley, Clarendon; Olin Neal Lynch, Deming, NM; Traci Pat Martin, Wellington; Erin Leigh May, Idalou; Larry Brent Martin, Wellington; Brandy Martinez, Pampa; Glenda Sue Milburn, Clarendon; Rebecca Lynn Miller, Gainesville; Susan Carol Nelson, Clarendon; Susan D. O'Brien, Childress; Julie Dawn Pound, Socorro, NM; Christina Marie Schwertner, Clarendon; Robin Starr Willis, Amarillo; Stephanie Louise Williams, Knox City; and Kimberly Rhea Wooten of Clarendon.



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The Knox City 4-H Club held their monthly meeting, Tuesday, April 15.

Brandy Riggins and Garret and Cheyenne Favor were hosts for the meeting. They provided delicious refreshments.

After a short business meeting, 4-H members viewed a video on Farm Safety. Jane Rowan provided information on the Progressive Farmer - Farm Safety Day Camp to be held Saturday, May 10. The deadline for registration is April 28. For further information contact Jane or Paul at 454-2651.

Our next meeting will be Tuesday, May 20, at 3:30 p.m. at the Knox City Community Center.

Church Directory

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH ~ Knox City

David White, Pastor
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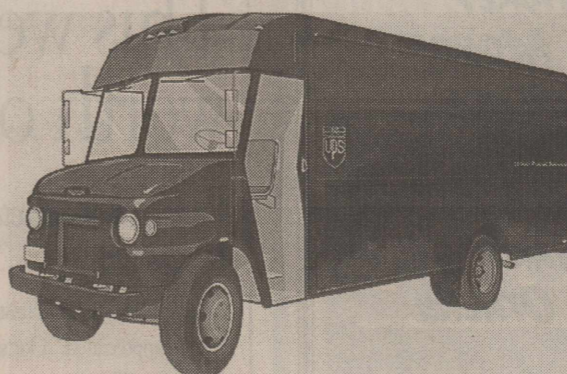
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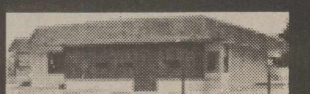
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OVER 300 attend Parenting Fair in March

The Knox County Family & Consumer Sciences Committee were sponsors of a very successful Parenting Fair on March 25 at the High School Gym in Knox City. The two hour fair had 335 individuals register and view approximately 30 exhibits relating to a variety of educational topics for parents, families, youth and educators.

Exhibitors participating were: West Texas Utilities, Texas Dept. of Health - Shots Across Texas, Abilene Regional Medical Center, Hendricks Health System, Knox City 4-H Club, Noah Project - North, Knox County Sheriff's Dept., Knox City Police Dept., 4-H Foods & Nutrition Project Group, Knox County Child Welfare Board, Outreach Health Services, North Texas Council on Substance Abuse - Turning Point, Knox County Hospital District - 911 and EMS, Knox City Post Office, Benjamin FHA, Boy Scouts of America, City/County Library, Panhandle Poison Center, Knox County Family

& Community Education Clubs, Knox City High School Child Development Class, Texas Agricultural Extension Service - Seat Belt Safety, Knox City Elementary School, Knox City/Munday Child Development Centers, Knox City Chamber of Commerce, Knox City Lion's Club, Knox City Student Council, and Rolling Prairies Early Childhood Intervention. Two special features were the "Roll-Over" Vehicle Convincer sponsored by The Texas Agricultural Extension Service/Texas Department of Transportation and local Department of Public Safety Trooper, Brian Williams. Everyone also enjoyed the First Flight Helicopter sponsored by Hendrick Medical Systems.

Participants received free information regarding services, ideas, and products available for use in raising children. Both adults and youth enjoyed balloons, door prizes, demonstrations, and other goodies given by the sponsors of the various booths.

The Knox County Family & Consumer Sciences Committee is a part of the Texas Agricultural Extension Service located on the first floor of the courthouse at Benjamin. For more information regarding the Parent Fair contact Jane Rowan with the Extension Service at 817/454-2651.

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MEMBERS OF THE Family & Consumer Sciences Committee are shown here as they welcomed those attending the Parenting Fair that was held in the Knox City High School gym on March 25. Shown in this photo provided by County Agent Jane Rowan are (left to right) Leona Partridge of Munday, Charlene Brothers of Knox City, and fair attendee Kathy Homstad of Knox City.

Ag Extension Service teams up with Progressive Farmer for safety

Knox County, Texas will host a Progressive Farmer Farm Safety Day Camp, which is being locally sponsored by the Texas Agricultural Extension Service - Knox County. The camp, which teaches children to be aware of safety hazards on the farm, will be held Saturday, May 10, 1997 from 9:00 a.m. - 4:00 p.m. - at the Munday High School in Munday, Texas.

The deadline for registration is April 28, 1997. The \$10.00 pre-registration covers all camp activities, lunch, refreshments and a camp T-Shirt. On site registration is \$15.00 and for families of 3 or more youth preregistering a family discount of \$25.00 will be charged. So that each child can receive personal attention, attendance will be limited to 150 campers, ages 3rd grade through 8th grade. For registration information, contact Jane Rowan at 817/

454-2651.

Hands-on demonstrations will cover such topics as fire safety, tractor and equipment safety, electrical safety, basic first aid, chemical protection, PTO/Cotton Stripper Entanglement, grain explosions and shop equipment safety.

May 9-10—Western Heritage Classic, Abilene. This great event rejuvenates the spirit and heritage of the ranch cowboy with ranch rodeos, a chuck wagon cookoff, sheep dog trials, cowboy horse races, cowboy poetry readings, a Western art show and sale and much more. Join the fun at the Taylor County Expo Center and learn a thing or two about being a real cowboy. For more information, contact the Taylor County Expo Center, 1700 Hwy 36, Abilene, 79602. 915/677-4376.

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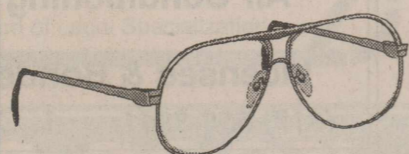
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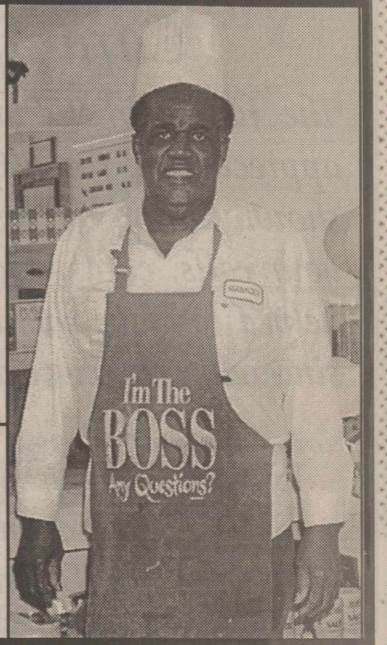
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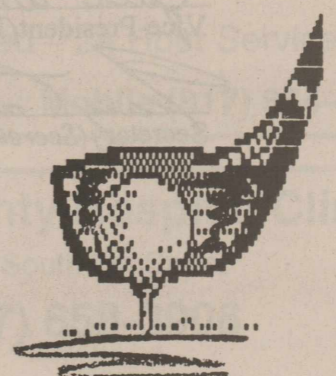
- MAY 10—3 PERSON - LIONS CLUB SCRAMBLE—1:30 P.M.
- MAY 31—4 PERSON - AGING CENTER SCRAMBLE-1:30 P.M.
- JUNE 7—3 LADIES - WILD HOG SCRAMBLE—9:30 A.M.
- JUNE 21—GUYS & DOLLS SCRAMBLE—1:30 P.M.
- JULY 5/6—2 MAN SCRAMBLE—9:00 A.M.—1:30 P.M.
(scramble—low ball—alternating shot—total)
- JULY 26—CHAMBER OF COMMERCE SCRAMBLE—8:30 A.M.
(3 person)
- AUG 23—4 MAN - AG/OIL SCRAMBLE—1:30 P.M.
- AUG 31—ONE PERSON SCRAMBLE—1:30 P.M.
- SEPT 20—2 PERSON - HEART ASSOC SCRAMBLE --1:30 P.M.
- OCT 5—GUYS & DOLLS SCRAMBLE—1:30 P.M.

CLUB PLAYDAY EVERY THURS AFTERNOON—sign up starting at 5:00 p.m.
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This year we will be trying a few new and hopefully fun tournaments. We hope everyone will come out as we would like to fill all of them up this year. Four of the tournaments are "FUND RAISERS" for very good and worth while organizations and your support would very much be appreciated.

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The memorial service was very special and it helped our family to realize more than ever what a wonderful, caring community we live in. May God bless each of you.

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David and Judy Perdue
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May 2 — Cactus Jazz Series, San Angelo. San Angelo prepares for its jazz festival in September by offering jazz aficionados an evening of entertainment. The concert, one of four scheduled, will feature yet-to-be-announced jazz artists, performing at the historic Cactus Hotel, 36 E. Twohig. For more information, contact the San Angelo Cultural Affairs Council, P.O. Box 2477, San Angelo, 76902. 915/653-6793.

May 10-11 — Harp Festival, Lubbock. Enjoy the beautiful music of solo and ensemble performances by young and accomplished musicians alike at this wonderful annual music festival. Sponsored by the Texas Tech University Music Department, this free event will be held at the Hemmle Recital Hall at the Texas Tech University School of Music. For more information, contact the Texas Tech School of Music at 806/742-2270.

On A Wizer Note....

By Paul Weiser, Knox County Extension Agent - Ag.

"NO to predictions, but
"YES" to fungus!!

Spring is officially here, but who can believe it. So far, 1997 has given Knox County a very dry March followed by an unseasonably cold April. By the time I finish writing this article, my secretary types it, the mailman delivers it, and the newspaper prints it most farmers should have a good idea — how much freeze damage their wheat fields have suffered. Hopefully this will be minimal.

Now that I have most farmers looking at their wheat, what about fruit trees, lawns, gardens, etc.? A county agent has no idea how many people understand his job until a mid-April freeze hits. "Should I cut my wheat?"; "How many peaches will my tree produce?"; "Will my pecan tree be hurt by this freeze?"; "What is this white 'stuff' on my rose bush?";

Whoa! Wait a Minute! What was that last one? White 'stuff' on a rose bush? That's right. It doesn't stop there. "What is this white flaky 'stuff' on my wheat. It looks like soap or maybe powdered sugar."

Have you ever heard the saying "There's A Fungus Among Us?" That's right. Knox County is being hit hard by a fungal disease known as powdery mildew.

Powdery mildew is described as a white powdery growth that can occur on leaves, buds or twigs, causing them to be distorted and dwarfed. Young tender growth is more susceptible. The disease is more likely to occur during cool, dry conditions and can spread rapidly since a complete life cycle can occur in 72 hours. Thousands of spores are produced on a single plant with each having the ability to cause disease. There are several fungicides on the market that control powdery mildew. For roses, Ortho has three fungicides: Funginex, Orthenex and Flotox Garden Sulfur. Be sure to read any label carefully before purchasing or using a chemical.

Now, let's get back to the wheat situation. As I write this, the radio is playing a Steve Miller Band song "Keep On Rockin' Me Baby". I think Mother Nature must be listening to the same station.

Everyone who has asked me for an exact percent damage on wheat by the freeze has been disappointed by my answer. "It Depends"; "We'll See"; "I Don't Know"; "We'll Find Out Soon"; etc. I hope no one was too upset with my indirect answers.

When it comes to a situation, such as a hard April freeze, that puts stress on a plant, whether that plant is a wheat stalk or a rose bush, a prediction of damage can sometimes be hard to estimate until exact signs show up. In wheat, it takes freeze damage about 7-20 days to show. Most damage should be visible by now — unless we receive another reminder that Mother Nature controls the welfare of all farmers.

For more information about the contents of this article, please give Paul Weiser in the Knox County Extension office a call at 454-2651.

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(A los votados registrado de la escuela independencia de Benjamin, Benjamin, Texas:)

Notice is hereby given that:
(Noticia está dado que:)

Two at-large positions on the Benjamin ISD Board of Trustees were up for election at the May 3, 1997 Board of Trustee Election;
(Dos posiciones disponibles con el Consejo de Depositarios de Benjamin I.S.D. estuvieron listos para elección para la fecha de 3 de Mayo de 1997 a la elección del Consejo de Depositarios:)

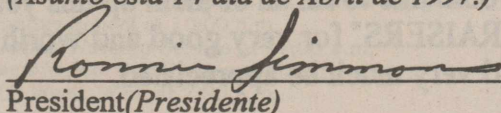
Two candidates, Ronnie Simmons of Gilliland, Texas and Jane Penman of Benjamin, Texas, filed for positions on the ballot for said election by the filing deadline;
(Dos candidatos, Ronnie Simmons de Gilliland, Texas, y Jane Penman de Benjamin, Texas, firmaron para los posiciones en el votación para el elección antes de la hora tope:)

No write-in candidates filed to be placed on the list of write-in candidates by the filing deadline; therefore,
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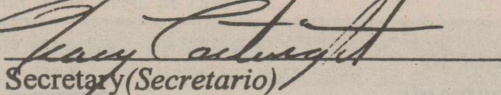
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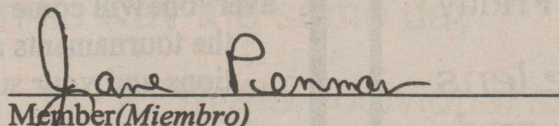
(De acuerdo con el ley del Estado de Texas (Código de elección, Sec. 2.053) el Consejo de Depositarios de B.I.S.D. en su cita regular el 14 día de Abril de 1997, declararon Ronnie Simmons de Gilliland, Texas, y Jane Penman de Benjamin, Texas, eligido al Consejo de Depositarios de Benjamin I.S.D.)

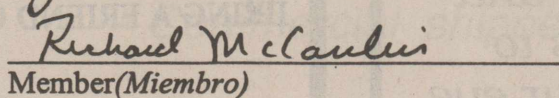
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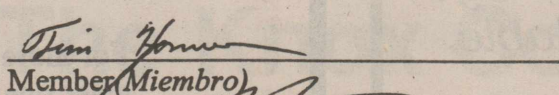

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4-24 tfc 72

DON'T BUY A new sofa, love seat, or sleeper, until you see our street construction sale prices. Kinney's in Stamford. We're famous for low prices, free delivery and good values since 1932. Use our back door.
4-24 tfc 36

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4-24 tfc 9

FOR SALE - 1983 31 ft. Great Divide fifth wheel travel trailer. Call 817-658-5052.
4-24 tfc 14

Services

HOME DECORATORS - Building, Remodeling, Painting (Interior and Exterior), Experienced, Free Estimates. Bobby O'Neal, (817) 743-3550.
3-30 tfc 15

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Notice

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3-27 tfc 15

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Help Wanted

TEXAS DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION Childress District MAINTENANCE TECHNICIAN I - MUNDAY, TX (7-25-K505-722)

Position will close on April 28 at 5:00 p.m.

Interested applicants may call 817-937-7180 for complete job vacancy and application information. A completed State of Texas Application for Employment is required. Mailed applications must be postmarked no later than April 27, 1997. An applicant needing an accommodation in order to apply may call 1-800-893-6848 or TTY 512416-2977. Website: http://www.dot.state.tx.us/

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4-17 tfc 92

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4-17 tfc 70

LVN/GVN - Position now available at Brazos Valley Care Home, Knox City, Texas for LVN/GVN. Excellent salary and benefits with flexible scheduling. Please apply in person at 605 South Avenue F, Knox City, Texas.
4-24 tfc 39

Lost & Found

FOUND - Propane bottle with air house. Fell out of back of white Chevy pickup at Main and Central intersection the week of April 7 - 11. May claim and pay for ad by calling 658-3914.
4-24 tfc 34

Vehicles

FOR SALE - 1995 Mazda MX-6, auto trans., stereo cass., cruise, power windows / door locks, light metallic gold. Still covered by mfg. warranty, only 29K miles. Gets 32 mpg highway. Excellent condition mechanically and in appearance. Would make a great graduation gift. \$13,500. W.O. Smith, (817) 422-4701 in Munday.
4-24 tfc 50

Bid Notice

INVITATION FOR BIDS
The Munday ISD is taking bids on two portable buildings to be sold to the highest bidder. Sealed bids will be opened on May 8, 1997 at 8:00 p.m. in the Administration Building at 811 West D. The buildings to be sold were manufactured by General Shelters in Munday in December 1991. They are 16 ft. x 40 ft. Complete specifications can be obtained from Jerome Hall, Superintendent, Munday ISD, P.O. Box 300, Munday, TX 76371. Bids should be sent to the same address.

The buildings have a large room (16 ft. x 35 ft.) with two bathrooms and a mechanical room on one end. Each bathroom contains a commode, a sink and cabinets. The mechanical room contains a small electric hot water heater. Also included are two 220 air conditioner / heater. The cooling is rated at 18,000 BTU and the heating at 13,600 BTU. The lighting is fluorescent. Each contain 8 electrical wall outlets. There are two steel doors on one side and two windows located on the other side of the building. The building are on skids and must be moved. They may be moved after May 24, 1997 and before July 1, 1997. They may be seen at 1111 West Main at Munday

TWO BEDROOM, one bath on corner lot. Central air, ceiling fans, fenced backyard.

TWO BEDROOM, two bath, brick with three acres, approximately 4 1/2 miles northwest of Knox City.

THREE BEDROOM, one bath, living room, den, central heat. Great location in Knox City. Priced to sell.

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Bid Notice

Elementary.
The Munday ISD reserves the right to reject any and all bids.
4-17 tfc 134

Election Notice

NOTICE OF UNOPPOSED ELECTION NOTICE OF GENERAL ELECTION (AVISO DE ELECCION DE GENERAL)

To the Registered Voters of Knox City, Texas:
(A los votantes registrados del Knox City, Texas:)

Notice is hereby given that the polling places listed below will be open from 7:00 a.m. to 7:00 p.m. on May 3, 1997, for voting in a General election to elect one (1) board member.

(Notifíquese, por las presente, que las casillas electorales citadas abajo se abrirán desde las 7:00 a.m. hasta las 7:00 p.m. el 3rd de Mayo de 1997 para y un board membre.)

LOCATION(S) OF POLLING PLACES
(Dirección(ES) DE LAS CASILLAS ELECTORALES)

KNOX COUNTY AGING SERVICES

Early voting by personal appearance will be conducted each weekday at (La votación en ausencia en persona se llevara a cabo de lunes a viernes en)

KNOX COUNTY HOSPITAL (location) (sitio) between the hours of 8:00 a.m. and 5:00 p.m. beginning on April 14, 1997

(entre las 8:00 de la mañana y las 5:00 de la tarde empezando el 14 abril, 1997)

and ending on April 29, 1997. (Y terminando el 29 de abril, 1997).

Applications for ballots by mail shall be mailed to:

(las solicitudes para boletas que se votaran en ausencia por correo deberan enviarse a:)

Eileen Rolo
(Name of Early Voting Clerk)
(Nombre del Secretario de la Votación En Adelantada)

PO Box 608
PO Box 608

(Address) (Dirección)

Knox City, Texas 79529
Knox City, Texas 79529

(City) (Ciudad)

(Zip Code) (Zona Postal)

Applications for ballots by mail must be received no later than the close of business on

(Las solicitudes para boletas que se votaran en ausencia por correo deberan recibirse para el fin de las horas de negocio el)

April 25, 1997
25 de abril 1997

(date) (fecha)

Issued this the 7th day of March, 1997.

(Emitada este día 7th de marzo 1997.)

Kevin Ansley

Signature of Presiding Officer
(Firma del Oficial que Preside)

4-24 tfc



American Heart Association
Fighting Heart Disease and Stroke

DAVID COUNTS REAL ESTATE

NEW LISTING - FOR SALE - Farm house and 1.1 acres, brick exterior, three bedrooms, 1 and 1/2 baths, two car detached garage, storm cellar, central air / heat and well, direct highway access. Jack Tankersley house, located FM 2229 & 2701, three miles south of Knox City. Additional acreage available.

NEW LISTING - Three bedroom, two bath, country home with 10.2 acres. Completely remodeled, Jacuzzi, outbuildings.

1200 SOUTH FOURTH, Knox City - Hardwood floors, three bedrooms, one bath, den, utility, cellar, chain link fence.

1106 SOUTH THIRD, Knox City, For Sale or Rent, Financing Available - Three bedroom, one bath, carport, central heat, den, living room, storage building.

104 SOUTH AVENUE H - Two bedroom, dining room, carport, one bath.

FOR SALE - NEW LISTING - Three bedroom, three bath, very nice home. Water well, new heat and cooling system, house constructed for wheelchair occupants. Very good location. Call for appointment for viewing.

TWO GREAT LOTS on Ave. F, 100 x 140. One with RV storage garage.

FOR SALE - 309 East Main. Mary Lowrey home. Pink brick veneer, air conditioner, two bedroom, one bath.

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THREE BEDROOM BRICK, 1 1/2 bath, carport, fence, central heat & air, washer & dryer hookup. Equity buy for qualified buyer. 201 South Avenue F.

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DRIVERS & OWNER-operators needed. Good freight. Competitive pay. Run middle US and local. Call 1-800-801-0386 or 409-642-2092 for more info.

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DIESEL MECHANICS; FRIEGHTLINER dealership has all shifts available for top mechanics. Relocation expenses to Kansas/Nebraska plus 32K-45K 1st year. Call Scott King 1-800-365-0440.

GRAND CANYON McDONALD'S. Now hiring. Looking for hardworking, energetic & smiling people. Good pay. Low economical down housing available. Contact Grant 520-638-2862 or send application to P.O. Box 3026, Grand Canyon, AZ 86003.

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MISCELLANEOUS

MISSING PERSONS LOCATED, background checks, civil and criminal checks, assets located and much more! No fee unless information requested is obtained. National Information Bureau, Inc. 1-800-545-1818.

PAGEANT: NOW ACCEPTING applications from girls 3-17 for Miss Texas American Teen/Preteen/Sweetheart/Princess & Petite Princess Pageant. For free application and brochure, call tollfree 1-800-713-2633.

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March Police Report

The Knox City Police Department had another very busy month during March 1997 receiving a total of 519 calls and tasks which required attention. This total included 26 actual criminal offenses, of which 23 were cleared or otherwise handled. Six charges were filed in regard to the above offenses, with two of the offenses involving juveniles as offender.

Offenses reported include:
Terroristic Threat - 3, Terroristic

Threat (Domestic Related) - 1, Assault - 2, Criminal Mischief (Domestic Related) - 1, Disorderly Conduct - 2, Public Intoxication - 3, Theft - 3, Aggravated Sexual Assault - 1, Theft of Service - 1, Driving While Intoxicated - 1, Harassment - 1, Unauthorized Use of a Motor Vehicle - 1, Criminal Trespass (Domestic Related) - 1, Criminal Trespass - 1, Stalking (Domestic Related) - 1, Child Abuse - 1, Tampering with Government Record - 1, Keeping a Nuisance

Dog - 1, Traffic Charges Filed - 9, Warnings Issued - 34, Accidents - 1.

Other items reported to the department during March are classified as incidents. These incidents were not able to be considered as a criminal offense, however, they must be handled in a responsible and proper manner.

Incidents reported include:
Missing Person - 2, Suspicious Person(s) - 1.

On March 7, I met at the Knox County Hospital as part of the Trauma Committee. Among items discussed was the progress of the "RED ZONE" designation. This area will be an area extending from the Emergency Room door of the Hospital to certain areas within the Hospital. It will be marked with a wide red line painted on the walls. This is the area that will be kept clear of any the general public not immediately necessary for dealing with a particular patient who at the time is being treated in the emergency room. The area will also be kept clear of all non-essential personnel during an emergency at the hospital. By keeping the area clear, it will enable the hospital personnel to move freely and quickly between the emergency room, lab, and x-ray room. Too many times, onlookers, family members and unnecessary emergency personnel get in the way, causing a real problem when time is very short.

Also discussed was the possibility of using the area to the northwest of the hospital emergency room for the helicopter landing area. Larry White, owner of the property, was gracious enough to allow the usage of the area without charge. As a contribution to the project, Robert Patrick, City Administrator for the City, agreed to keep the indicated area shredded. A lot of work and forethought has been put into upgrading and improving the Knox County Hospital services. Numerous individuals have taken on the extra work without thoughts of personal advancement or credit, but rather to improve on something that will benefit everyone in the county.

On March 10, this department arrested a local person wanted in Haskell County for Sexual Assault. The subject was transported to the Knox County Jail, then transferred to Haskell County.

On March 16, a subject wanted by this department was arrested in Hardeman County. The said subject was wanted for Making Alcohol Available to a Minor and Fail to Identify. Our new Municipal Judge has advised that he intends to make it very difficult on individuals supplying alcohol to underage people. In addition, this department also intends to make every effort to locate and arrest all individuals who either fail to pay a fine, whether traffic or misdemeanor, or those who fail to show up for Municipal Court on an appointed date.

On March 25, along with numerous other organizations, including the Knox County Sheriff's Department, this department participated in the Parenting Fair which was held at the Knox City High School Gym. While this department had an exhibition of drug paraphernalia and passed out some very informative drug literature, the Knox County Sheriff's Department fingerprinted children, or anyone else who wanted to be fingerprinted.

On March 31, Knox City Police Officer Harry Steen and I assisted Haskell Police Department Officer Joe Torres with the drug dog exercise. The drug dog was used at the

Knox City High School and also at the O'Brien Mid-School.

/s/ Dean W. Homstad
Chief of Police
Knox City Police Department

Local's granddaughter named to Who's Who

The United States Achievement Academy has announced that Tara Woodall of Merkel has been named a United States National Award Winner in science.

This award is a prestigious honor very few students can ever hope to attain. In fact, the Academy recognizes fewer than 10% of all American high school students.

Tara, who attends Merkel Middle School, was nominated for this national award by Jimmy Bellah, a teacher and coach at the school.

Tara will appear in the United States Achievement Academy Official Yearbook, which is published nationally.

"Recognizing and supporting our youth is more important than ever before in America's history. Certainly, United States Achievement Academy winners should be congratulated and appreciated for their dedication to excellence and achievement," Dr. George Stevens, Executive Director of the United States Achievement Academy, said.

The Academy selects USAA winners upon the exclusive recommendation of teachers, coaches, counselors, and other qualified sponsors and upon the Standards of Selection set forth by the Academy. The criteria for selection are a student's academic performance, interest and aptitude, leadership qualities, responsibility, enthusiasm, motivation to learn and improve, citizenship, attitude and cooperative spirit, dependability and recommendation from a teacher or director.

Tara is the daughter of Jan and Danny Woodall of Merkel. Her grandparents are Pat and Rex Beck of Valera and Sue Woodall of Knox City.



Cheyenne Nicole Conner

Stacie and Jeff Conner of Wolfforth are the proud parents of a baby girl born April 14 at 3:17 p.m. in Methodist Hospital in Lubbock.

The baby has been named Cheyenne Nicole and she weighed seven pounds, one ounce, and measured 19 inches in length.

Paternal grandmother is Judy Conner of Benjamin.

Larry Conner of Wolfforth is paternal grandfather.

Jim Bob Conner of Wolfforth is the baby's uncle.

Maternal grandparents include Nancy Eldredge of Alamogordo, New Mexico; Tye and Byron Eldredge of Lubbock and David Vaughn, also of Lubbock.

Mr. and Mrs. Bobby Roberson of Benjamin are paternal great-grandparents.

AGING CENTER MENUS April 28 - May 2

Monday, April 28 - Chicken breast, sweet pea salad, whipped potatoes, carrots, hot rolls, cake.
Tuesday, April 29 - Lasagna, green salad, Italian green beans, French bread, plum cobbler.
Wednesday, April 30 - Mr. Ribs, apple celery salad, potato salad, pinto beans, corn bread, apricot cobbler.
Thursday, May 1 - Chicken and rice casserole, tossed green salad, mixed vegetables, hot rolls, fresh apple cake.
Friday, May 2 - Fish fillet, cole slaw, baked beans, potato wedges, sliced bread, dessert.

All menus subject to change without notification due to conditions beyond the control of the staff at the Knox County Center. It is very important to notify the site manager in advance so that the visit will be on record and meals will arrive from the central kitchen.)

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Letter from the Knox City Country Club

We know that everyone pays dues but we would like to express thanks to everyone that made a donation to help us get the new mower. We would also like to say thanks to all that come out and help on workdays. It takes it all because we are making a lot of changes to the grounds and club. We can use all the help we can get.

Again, thank you . . .
The Board

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52"x4' Steel Panel Gate
Hardened 24-gauge galvanized spring steel. With chain latch, hinges and lag bolts. (159352) **\$19**

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