

Meeting Called to Discuss REA Rural Telephone Plan

Tom Craddock of Seymour, national president of the Rural Electrification Association, was in Knox City Tuesday making arrangements for a mass meeting of farmers in this area, to determine the number of rural families who want and need telephones.

"The Board of Directors of B-K Electric Cooperative, Inc. is trying to see if enough farm homes want a telephone so that a loan can be requested to build an adequate rural telephone system," Mr. Craddock said. "We can have rural telephone service as good as our rural electric service, if enough farmers attend the meeting and express a desire for a telephone."

The meeting has been called for Tuesday night, March 13, in the auditorium of the Knox City School, beginning at 7:30 p. m.

Requirements for obtaining this service with REA assistance will be outlined at the meeting.

"It is most important that we have a large attendance. Please come and bring as many of your neighbors as possible. The general public is also welcome to attend," Mr. Craddock said.

CAR AND TRUCK COLLIDE, NO ONE INJURED

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Ross narrowly escaped injury Sunday when their 1951 Ford collided with a truck near O'Brien about 10:30 a. m.

According to reports, both vehicles were driving south when the accident occurred. Mrs. Ross, who was driving, was passing the truck when the truck driver attempted to make a left turn.

No one was injured, but the Ross automobile was heavily damaged.

BENJAMIN SENIORS TO SPONSOR CONCERT

The Benjamin High School Seniors will sponsor an appearance by Stamps-Baxter Dixie Melody Boys, Wichita Falls, in the Benjamin school auditorium Tuesday night, March 13, at 7:30. It was announced today. Admission to the affair will be 25 and 50 cents.

Revival Scheduled At Baptist Church

Rev. Emil V. Becker, pastor of the local Baptist Church, announced this week that a spring revival will begin at the church Sunday, March 11.

Services will be held daily, except Saturday, at 7:30 p. m. The meetings will continue through Sunday, March 18.

Rev. Becker will do the preaching, and J. C. Goodson will be song leader. Sermon subjects for the week, as announced by the pastor, are as follows:

Sunday morning, "The Word of Suffering"; Sunday evening, "Realizing Our Condition"; Monday, "The Man Who Missed Church"; Tuesday, "The Sins of the Saved"; Wednesday, "Lessons From David's Sin"; Thursday, "Hell's Headquarters"; Friday, "God Signs the Check"; Sunday morning, "The Word of Victory"; and Sunday evening, "The Zero Hour."

The pastor invited the public to hear each of these sermons.

FIVE FROM HERE ENROLLED IN HARDIN - SIMMONS

ABILENE. — Five students from Knox City are among the 1400 who are enrolled this semester at Hardin-Simmons University. They are William Roy Baker, son of Mr. and Mrs. Roy A. Baker; Anna Lois and Ruth Jane Denton, daughters of Mr. and Mrs. A. P. Denton; Marjorie Leona Freeman, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Freeman, and Mary Jo Watson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Abe Watson.

Opening classes began Jan. 31 and will continue through May 28. University officials report a decrease of approximately 200 from the fall semester, largely due to men entering the service.

COUNTY AGENT CALLED INTO ACTIVE SERVICE

Kenneth O. Lewis, Knox County Agricultural Agent for the past three years, has been recalled to active duty in the armed forces and will report for duty at Sheppard Air Force Base, Wichita Falls, on Friday, March 16.

Lewis holds a commission as first lieutenant in the Air Force. Bill Pallmeyer of Wichita Falls has been employed as Mr. Lewis' successor. Pallmeyer has been serving as assistant county agent of Wichita County under Max Carpenter, former Knox County agent.

"Bud" Reynolds Completes 35 Years In Electric Industry

The latest issue of Electric Times, West Texas Utilities publication, announced that on January 1 W. E. (Bud) Reynolds, cashier and bookkeeper in the Knox City WTU office,



completed 35 years of continuous service in the electric industry and is one of the few employees of the company eligible to wear a 35-year diamond studded WTU service emblem. He is also a charter member of the Quarter of a Century Club.

During his long period of service he has had experience in many different phases of the electric industry and began his career as an "extra" on the ice dock in Abilene. He has worked in the ice department, fired a boiler, operated diesel engines, worked in the storeroom, operated a substation, served as local manager, collector, bookkeeper and cashier. All of this has been crowded into 35 years in Abilene, Haskell, Munday and Knox City.

Mr. Reynolds is a native of Georgia; he was born at Thomasville, February 11, 1887. His father, W. M. Reynolds, was a farmer, blacksmith and Baptist preacher.

He moved with his family to Texas while he was still a small boy, and his father engaged in farming near Abilene. Young Reynolds attended school at Merkel and Abilene, and completed a business course at an Abilene business college.

He farmed for a short time near Elm Creek in Jones County, and was then employed by a produce company as a buyer of poultry. In January, 1916, he resigned his job with the produce company and was employed at the Abilene ice and power plant to work extra in the ice department. His first job was helping pull ice, checking it out to the docks, and loading it out to the ice wagons each morning at 4:00 a. m. For several years he worked on the ice dock in the summer and fired the boiler in the winter.

Reynolds operated one of the diesel engines for three years before he was transferred to the stores department where he worked one year before he was transferred to Haskell as an operator in the Haskell plant. He moved to Munday in 1924, where he served as substation operator and local manager until 1931, when he was made a collector for eleven small towns in District E, as well as bookkeeper for Munday and Knox City.

Since May, 1947, he has been serving as cashier and bookkeeper in the Knox City office.

O'BRIEN H-D CLUB TO STAGE AMATEUR SHOW

The O'Brien Home Demonstration Club put out a call this week for all amateur entertainers in this area. The club is sponsoring an "Amateur Show" at the O'Brien School gymnasium Thursday evening, March 29.

There is no age limit on entry in the contest. Mrs. W. W. Hines, president of the H-D Club, said, and all sorts of entertainment acts are needed, including solos, musical numbers, quartets, readings, monologues, skits, or anything else the audience will enjoy.

Anyone desiring to enter an act, or knowing of someone who may take a part, may call 2061, Knox City, or see Mrs. Dwight Gotthard in O'Brien.

First place winner will receive \$5.00, and cash prizes for second and third places will be \$3.00 and \$2.00, Mrs. Hines said.

Everyone in this area was asked to remember the date and make plans to attend the show.

INTERSCHOLASTIC LEAGUE FOR ELEMENTARY SCHOOLS IN COUNTY ORGANIZED

Representatives from schools in Munday, Knox City, Sunset and Vera met in the Munday High School March 5 for an organizational meeting on Interscholastic League work for the elementary schools in Knox County.

W. C. Cox of Munday was named director general for the county.

Events selected for the spring meetings were volleyball, playground ball, track and tennis.

Directors for these events are Mrs. Ottis Cash, Knox City; J. L. Adams, Vera; T. O. Stewart, Munday; and Henry L. White, Knox City.

The volleyball tournament will be held at Sunset March 31 and dates for other events will be announced later. Pennants and ribbons will be awarded winners of first, second and third places.

VOLLEYBALL GIRLS ENTER ROCHESTER TOURNAMENT

The Knox City volleyball girls will play in the Rochester Invitation Tournament, it was announced Tuesday.

Tomorrow (Friday) night, the girls will play Girard at 7:00 p. m. Saturday afternoon at either 3:30 or 4:30, depending on whether they win or lose their first game, the local girls will play O'Brien or Mattson.

Local fans were urged to attend the games and give the girls their support.

Lt. and Mrs. C. G. Markward of San Antonio were week end guests of Mr. and Mrs. Harrell Stephens. They also visited friends in Rochester and Munday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Hawkins and daughters and Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Tankersley spent the week end in San Antonio visiting Sammy Tankersley, who is stationed there with the Air Force.

Mrs. J. J. Justiss of Goodnight arrived Wednesday for a visit with her son, Horace Finley, and family. She plans to be here until Monday.

NORTHERN STAR GROWERS RECEIVE CASH AWARDS TOTALING \$2,000.00

Cash prizes totaling \$2,000.00 were awarded by Northern Star Seed Farms, of O'Brien, to cotton growers realizing the highest average monetary return from five acres of land planted in Texas State Registered Northern Star Cotton Seed in 1950. It has been announced by S. N. Reed, sales manager of the firm.

This is an annual contest sponsored by the seed company, and everyone interested is invited to enter. Club boys especially are urged to participate in the contest, Mr. Reed said.

One set of awards each year goes to the irrigated division, and a duplicate set to the non-irrigated division.

Winners in the 1950 contest were as follows: Non-Irrigated Division—1st, J. W. Hayes, Knox City, \$417.10 per acre, total \$2,285.50. 2nd, Chester Schafer, Jayton, \$396.44 per acre, total \$1,982.50.

TAX COLLECTOR TO BE HERE WITH AUTO TAGS MARCH 15

Residents of the Knox City area may purchase their 1951 automobile registration plates at Benedict Motors on Thursday, March 15, according to an announcement this week by M. A. Bumpas, Jr., County Tax Assessor-Collector.

It is a custom of the tax collector to visit each community in the county for the purpose of selling license plates, thereby saving many citizens trips to the county seat.

Dates the collector will be in other communities are:

Truscott: Monday morning, March 12. Gilliland: Monday afternoon, March 12. Vera: Tuesday morning, March 13. Rhineland, Tuesday afternoon, March 13. Goree: Wednesday, March 14. Munday: Friday, March 16.

SENIOR PLAY BEING PRESENTED TONIGHT

Tonight (Thursday) is the big night for the Seniors of Knox City High School. They will present their annual play at the school auditorium, beginning at 7:30.

The play, "For Pete's Sake," is a three-act comedy by Jay Tobias and is reported to be hilarious from beginning to end.

Appearing in the cast are: Burt Denton, June Hudson, Gladys Simmons, Donna Gray, Bill Watkins, Jean Tallant Johnson, Minnie Leach Ruth Landreth, Charles Pack, Archie Watson, Earl Hutchinson and Don Dodson.

Director of the comedy is Mrs. Charley Cape, sponsor of the class.

The public was cordially invited to attend. Admission is 50 and 25 cents.

J. B. Moorhouse Funeral Held at Benjamin Sunday

J. B. Moorhouse, 52, was found dead in bed at his home in Benjamin early Saturday morning. His death was attributed to a blood clot.

Funeral services were conducted from the First Christian Church in Benjamin Sunday afternoon, with Rev. J. T. McKissick of Abilene officiating. Burial was in the Benjamin Cemetery under direction of Mahan Funeral Home of Munday.

Mr. Moorhouse had extensive farm and ranch interests in Knox and King counties, and was owner of the Benjamin Hardware Store which was recently destroyed by fire. He was born May 24, 1898 in Kaufman County, and moved to Benjamin in 1907.

Survivors are the wife and a daughter, Sue Moorhouse, of Benjamin; his mother, Mrs. Ada Moorhouse of Benjamin; three brothers, J. C. Moorhouse of Benjamin, Coleman Moorhouse of Santa Rosa, N. M., and Walter Moorhouse of Tatum, N. M.; three sisters, Mrs. Zell Barton of Liberal, Kansas, Mrs. Floyd Lindsey of Stamford and Mrs. O. D. Propps of Benjamin.

Stanolind Completes Fourth Well In Palo Pinto Reef

ONE INJURED IN COLLISION AT MUNDAY

A group of Knox City teenagers narrowly escaped serious injury last Thursday night when the automobile in which they were riding hit a car parked in front of a residence on the highway into Munday.

The car, a 1949 Ford, was being driven by John Ed Smith. According to reports, John Ed was blinded by an approaching car when the accident occurred.

Other occupants of the Smith car were Julie Frizzell, Jo Denton and Leon Nolan.

They were all brought to the Knox County Hospital for examination. Three were dismissed that night, and Jo was dismissed Wednesday. She suffered a chest injury and a cut on her forehead.

HOMEMAKING GIRLS ATTEND MEETING AT LEVELLAND

Mrs. Ullie Lea, Knox City Homemaking teacher, Mary Beth Waldrip and Zana Hamm attended the Area 2 meeting of the Future Homemakers of America in Levelland Saturday, March 4.

The meeting, which was held in the new High School building, was opened at 9:00 o'clock with a concert by the Levelland High School Band.

A turkey dinner, with all the trimmings, was served to 1,046 FHA girls, Chapter Mothers and Fathers, and advisors. These delegates represented 65 chapters. The program was the most interesting, educational and entertaining that the local chapter has attended, Mrs. Lea said.

Eleven chapters, including host Levelland, participated in a talent show. A luncheon session followed in the high school cafeteria.

The afternoon session included the address by the main speaker, Miss Margaret Scholl, assistant state supervisor.

Recognition of chapters, report of house delegates and a highlight of the activities, the installation of 1951-52 officers, climaxed the rest of the day's activities.

Hospital News

Patients in the Knox County Hospital on March 5 were:

Mrs. G. C. Conwell and baby, Goree; Jo Denton, Knox City; Mrs. Joe Flores, Munday; Florence Postel, Knox City; Lee Wampler, Knox City; Mr. and Mrs. D. B. Jones, Goree; Mrs. Alma Green, Benjamin; Mrs. J. T. Cyfert, Knox City; Pierce Baby, Munday; Mrs. Lou Miller, Rochester; Mrs. G. H. Sharp, Rochester; Mrs. Mondell Mills and baby, Knox City; Mary Gray Breckenridge; Tommy, Denna and Glenda Carter, Knox City; Mrs. J. A. Thomas, O'Brien; Mrs. R. R. McCall, Rule; Gerald Barnett, Benjamin; Mrs. A. Hall, Rochester; Mrs. G. H. Hudson, Benjamin.

Patients dismissed from the hospital since February 28:

Mrs. Matt Brown, Benjamin; Mrs. Dvaine Russell, Munday; John Renaud, Munday; W. A. Smith, Munday; Kenneth Benson, Benjamin; Edwin McKinney, Munday; J. F. Marquis, Aspermont; Lillian Gibbins, Benjamin; Martha Martinez and baby, Goree; Mrs. Roy Carver, Rochester; Mrs. Vito Esparaz and baby, Knox City; Patricia Montandon, Knox City; Mrs. W. T. Bradley, Rochester; Mrs. J. W. Hoge, Throckmorton; A. H. Jungman, Munday; Mrs. J. T. Jones and baby, Knox City; Mrs. J. C. Browning, Truscott; Eric Christensen, Floydada; Mrs. A. L. Hord, Goree; Mrs. A. Garcia and baby, Knox City; David Strickland, Aspermont; Janis Helton, Knox City; Mrs. W. J. Brown, Knox City; Wayne Flippin, Hobbs, N. M.; Shadie Clark, O'Brien; Carol Ann Solder, Munday; Mrs. E. S. Allen, Gilliland; Mrs. Bertha Perry, Knox City; Mrs. Susie Butler, Rochester; Lucy Norman, Rule.

Births: Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Jones, Knox City, a son.

Mr. and Mrs. M. Martinez, Goree, a daughter.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Garcia, Knox City, a son.

Mr. and Mrs. G. C. Conwell, Goree, a daughter.

Stanolind Oil & Gas Co. has completed what is apparently their most promising well to date in the North Knox City Palo Pinto Reef pool, in the No. 1 E. M. Travis, 467 feet from the north and west lines of lot 8, block 7, D. G. Burnett survey.

After encountering the reef formation at 4149, operators drilled to 4252 and set 5 1/2 inch casing at 4235 feet. Plug has been drilled and the crew is awaiting orders to move rig, but no official estimates on potential are available.

It is interesting to note that the top of the pay zone was encountered approximately 22 feet higher than in the No. 1 Verhalen, and 33 feet higher than in the discovery well, the No. 1 Icelena Clonts.

The company's No. 1 Florence Bowden, 467 feet from north and west lines of lot 12, block 8, D. G. Burnett survey, is drilling below 3350 feet.

Next test by Stanolind will be the No. 1 John R. White, 660 feet from south and east lines of lot 8, block 6, D. G. Burnett survey. This will be a one-half mile outpost to the North Knox City pool, with the Palo Pinto reef as the goal. The rig from No. 1 Travis is expected to be moved to the new location today or tomorrow.

A Strawn strike has also been indicated in Knox County in the T. D. Humphrey No. 1 Mattie Davis, lot 3, Elijah Boren survey, eight miles west of Knox City in the southwest corner of the county.

Operators took a series of five drillstem tests below 5100 feet. On one of these tests, from 5117 to 5127 feet, with tool open 2 hours and five minutes, recovery was 140 feet of free oil, no water, bottom hole pressure 2050 pounds. On the last test, at 5175 feet, with tool open three hours, recovery was 540 feet of clean oil, 60 feet of oil cut mud and 2600 feet of salt water, with flowing pressure 1400 lbs. and bottom hole pressure, shut-in, 2055 lbs.

Operators are now drilling below 5385, planning to test the Ellenberger.

Confirmation of the Strawn pool in east central King county was assured by completion of Ohio Oil Co. No. 1-D W. R. Ross, which pumped 114 barrels of oil and 16 barrels of salt water in 24 hours through 48 casing perforations from 5320 to 5332 feet.

Humble Oil & Refining Co. No. 70 Bateman, King County, on a drillstem test in lime from 3685 to 3695 feet, with tool open 30 minutes, recovered 1900 feet of oil. Bottom hole pressure was 1550, flowing pressure 480 lbs. Drilling ahead at 4745 in shale.

Latest reports available on other area wells are as follows: Lewis & Muecher No. 1 Harley Brown, 1 mile southwest of O'Brien, drilling below 3310.

Katz & Venable No. 1 Underwood, flowing 20 barrels of oil per hour.

T & P Coal and Oil Co. No. B-1 McGregor, drilling below 1430. This well is 720 ft south of the No. 1 Dozier producer, 8 miles west of O'Brien.

Southern Minerals Corp. No. 1 Moorhouse, in southeast King County, drilling below 3195. Mikton Oil Co. et al No. 1 J. Morgan Smith, 1 mile northeast of Rochester, drilling below 2542 feet, lime and shale.

Mr. and Mrs. George Zachary returned Friday of last week from Dallas where they visited friends and relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Alton Leach and Randy spent the week end in Abilene, where Randy underwent a tonsillectomy.

The Weather

Observation by Horace Finley

Daily Temperatures			
Date	High	Low	Rain
1	73	34	
2	85	56	
3	80	43	
4	71	34	
5	82	39	
6	87	51	
7	87	44	

Rainfall To Date

Total rain this week	0.00
Total rain this year	0.67
Total this date 1950	1.25

Want Ads

FOR SALE: 5-room house, with bath, Stucco, built in 1948. Good house in perfect condition. To be moved. \$4,500. See Street Car poster.

FOR SALE: House, 1 room, 12x18, 17'10x10. Frame bldg., double walls. \$300. Ted Jeffrey, Block 10, 2nd St.

FOR SALE: '50 Ford Tudor, R & H and O.D., white tires, low mileage. '50 Ford Tudor, heater and O.D. '50 Pontiac, 5 pass. Coupe, R&R, seat covers, nice. '50 Chev. 4-door, R&H, black, a nice family car. '49 Chev. Aero Sedan, R&H, white, nice, sun visor. '47 Chev. Club Coupe, R&H, sun visor—see this one. '49 Mercury Tudor, R&R, O.D., new tires, low mileage. '48 Ford Coupe, R&R, sun visor—cleanest in town. '48 Pack Fordar, R&H, brown. '48 Pack. Motor Co. Ross Foreney, Joe Kelly, Haskell, Texas.

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CARD OF THANKS: We wish to express our thanks to the good doctors and nurses and to our many friends for every act of kindness shown us while I was in the hospital. Again we say, "Thank you!" C. A. J. Hill and Mrs. Hill.

FOR SALE: 3-Rm. Central, Electric, refrigerator, practically good as new. Cheap. H. Z. Wall, Phillips or 2331.

FOR SALE: House, 5 rooms and bath, 4 lots, C. A. Qualls, Benjamins.

MORE WANT ADS ON PAGE 8

MRS. WHITE LEADER FOR W.S.C.S. PROGRAM: Eleven members of the Woman's Society of Christian Service met at the First Methodist Church Monday, March 5, for the first missionary study. The Year, East, with Mrs. Myrtle White as leader. This opening song was "Thou Christ, There Is No East or West." Mrs. White gave the devotional. The first lesson was on the countries of North Africa. In the outline of study, Mrs. White compared the study of those picturesque places to that of an oriental rug with its various colors. The study covers a history of centuries and is entitled "No Golden Age of Arabia." Mrs. O. A. Green, president led the business session, and Mrs. C. W. Parmenter dismissed the group to prayer.

Mrs. Nancy Hamilton of Benjamins has received word from her sons, L. V. and Bobby Jack, who are serving in the armed forces, that they are seeing many interesting sights. L. V. who enlisted in October, is stationed at Aberdeen, Md. He wrote that he has been to Washington, D. C. where he went through the capitol building, and through Smithsonian Museum. Bobby Jack is with the Army Air Force and is stationed at March Field in California. The base is 65 miles from Hollywood.

Mrs. Geo. T. Hardberger will be in Abilene Friday to be with her niece, who will undergo major surgery.

Mary Jo Watson, student at Hardin-Simmons, Abilene, was here to spend the week end with her parents.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Wall, Jr., formerly of Knox City, were among members of the Beta Eta chapter of Sigma Delta Phi national honorary Spanish fraternity at New Mexico A. and M. College, who attended the 40th anniversary of the founding of the Escuela de Agricultura School in Juarez, Republic of Mexico recently. Wall is a senior animal husbandry major at New Mexico A. and M. College.

Sunday guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. G. H. Zachary were Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Harrison and Mrs. R. E. Hill of Stamford.

Mr. and Mrs. Sammie Angie and children of Stanton spent the week end visiting their parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. C. Davis and Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Angie.

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- (2) to increase the maximum truck length from 45 feet to 50 feet.

Recent official highway tests at La Plata, Md., sponsored by the U. S. Bureau of Public Roads, the highway departments of eleven states and the District of Columbia, effectively demonstrated that as trucks increased in size and loads, roads cracked up and "died" more quickly.

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The big truckers want the taxpayers to provide expensive highways to focus as "rights-of-way" for their own personal gain.

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Truscott News

By Mrs. Bud Myers

Mrs. V. W. Browning went to Dallas Monday for an eye examination.

Mr. and Mrs. Wilson Myers and children and Geo. Myers spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. James Weathered.

Mr. and Mrs. S. E. McRoberts spent several days last week with Mr. and Mrs. Leon Kipcaid and Mrs. Agnes Berg in Ballinger.

Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Smith, Mr. and Mrs. Seth Woods and several others were in Benjamin Sunday to attend funeral services for J. B. Moorhouse.

Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Browning returned Sunday after spending a few days in Mineral Wells.

Leonard Myers spent Saturday night with L. C. Gordon in Foard City.

Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Blevins visited Mr. and Mrs. Lee Blevins in Vernon Saturday.

Mrs. Raymond Hennen and son of Wichita Falls spent the week end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Haynie.

Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Walker and W. J. and Mr. and Mrs. Dobbie Tapp spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Tapp in Willow, Okla.

Mrs. D. A. Smith spent a few days with Mr. and Mrs. Dell James and children in Falls.

Mr. and Mrs. Pedro Loyd and daughters, Judy and Jane, of Odessa spent Sunday night with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Solomon. Jane is spending the week with her grandparents.

Mr. and Mrs. Dudley Pitts and Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Pitts and children of Wichita Falls spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Eubank.

Ed Langster of Lubbock was here Sunday for a visit with Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Haynie.

Jody Gordon of Foard City spent Saturday night with Gerald Myers.

Mr. and Mrs. Rex Haynie and

children left Saturday for Big Lake, where they will make their home.

Joe Reed Jones of Abilene spent the week end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Louis Jones.

Rev. and Mrs. Carl Hudson, Mrs. Curtis Casey, Mrs. Chester Pogue and Mrs. S. O. Turner attended the "Workers With Youth" meeting at the Quannah Methodist Church Monday evening.

Miss Opal Jean Browder and Mr. and Mrs. S. O. Turner attended Miss Winnie Turner's capping service at St. Anthony's School of Nursing in Amarillo over the week end.

Mrs. J. B. Chilcoat is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Homer Houston, and family in Falls.

New residents of our community are Mr. and Mrs. Ed Williams. Mr. Williams is employed with Ohio Oil Co. at

Benjamin.

Everyone has been invited to attend the revival meeting in progress at the Baptist Church. Rev. Northcutt of Pine Bluff, Ark., is doing the preaching.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Solomon were in Jacksboro recently to attend funeral services for Mrs. Solomon's brother, Tom Craig. Miss Oma Falkner and Mrs. Les Haynie and Jean Ann were

visitors in Knox City Saturday. Mr. and Mrs. Jim Chowning were in Altus, Okla., on business one day last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe S. Smith returned Tuesday from Levelland and Sundown where they spent two weeks visiting their daughter, Mrs. Byron Lee, and Mr. Lee, and their son, Edmond Smith and family.

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Bacon	HORMEL SLICED POUND	45c
Bacon	SLAB, SUGAR CURED POUND	46c
Wieners	POUND	53c
HENS	FRESH DRESSED POUND	49c
Sausage	ARMOUR'S STAR OR BROOK-FIELD LINK POUND	56c
Hamburger	LB.	55c
Picnic Hams	POUND	45c

City Grocery & Market

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Benjamin News

BENJAMIN, March 6. — Glen Dunkle of Memphis, Texas was a week end guest of Mr. and

Knox City Clinic

Dr. T. S. Edwards
 Dr. T. P. Frizzell
 Dr. D. C. Eiland
 Dr. E. W. Bowden
 Dentist:
 Dr. R. C. Edwards

Mrs. Collins Moorhouse and other friends here.
 Miss Jean Galloway of Lubbock was here to spend the week end with her parents.
 Mr. and Mrs. Tom Porter, Sr. of Seymour visited in the home of Mrs. W. A. Barnett and family Sunday.
 Mr. and Mrs. Von E. Terry and Mr. and Mrs. E. F. Haman and family left last week for Clifton, Arizona, where they plan to make their home.
 Mr. and Mrs. M. A. Bumpas, Jr. were shoppers in Wichita Falls Friday.
 Bill Townsend of Fortales, N. M., visited Miss Elda Puri Laird Sunday.
 Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Littlepage and Mr. and Mrs. Jack Ship-

man spent Sunday in Lubbock. Among the many relatives and friends from out-of-town who were here to attend funeral services for J. E. Moorhouse were Miss Sue Moorhouse, student in Texas Tech; Mr. and Mrs. Coleman Moorhouse and Mrs. Pats White and boys, Santa Rosa, N. M.; Mr. and Mrs. Walter Moorhouse and family, Tatum, N. M.; Mr. and Mrs. Pat Propps and children, Albuquerque, N. M.; Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Lindsey, Stamford; Mrs. Zell Barton and Mrs. Danny Allen and children, Liberal, Kas.; Miss Julia Propps, Wichita Falls; Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Cunningham and children and Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Hill and daughter, all of Mineral Wells.

Mrs. M. D. McGaughey visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Bob McGaughey in Lubbock during the past week. Mrs. Bob McGaughey has been seriously ill, but is reported to be improving.

SOIL CONSERVATION PLANS APPROVED BY SUPERVISORS

The supervisors of the Wichita-Brazos Soil Conservation District held their regular monthly meeting recently, and approved the following applications for conservation assistance: G. E. Terwhanger, W. E. Peddy, Alton Ward, Orval Manning, and E. E. Lowe. The following Conservation plans were approved: Joe Brown, John Andrew, Virgil Sonnemaker, Tom Cluck, and George Stienbach. The supervisors decided to purchase 500 pounds more of King Ranch bluestem seed to sell to cooperators. This is in addition to 1,000 pounds purchased in January. This seed is being used to seed waterways for terrace outlets, to seed poor land that is being retired to permanent pasture, to seed on good land for temporary pasture to replace sudan grass, and to seed on good land as a soil conservation crop to improve the structure and fertility level. When King Ranch bluestem is used as a soil conservation crop it is left on the land for about four to six years, and the land is then put back into cultivation in a much better condition, soil conservation technicians say.

Terrace lines have been run for the following cooperators: August Pfeiffer, John Atterbury, Bush & Burnett Farms, Topo Moorhouse Ranch, and the League Ranch. A diversion line was run on the Roy Lebus Ranch west of Benjamin to increase the catch of a pond.

The construction of terraces is but a part of these cooperators' conservation plans. Technicians of the Soil Conservation Service are assisting the district in running the terrace lines for these farmers.

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BENEDICTS ENTERTAIN WITH BRIDGE PARTY

Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Benedict were hosts to a bridge party for members and guests of the Monday Night Bridge Club March 5.

Following a supper of baked ham, potato salad, pie and coffee, games of bridge were enjoyed.

Members present were Mr. and Mrs. John H. Atterbury, Mr. and Mrs. Russell Boyd, Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Carpenter, Mrs. T. P. Frizzell, Jr., Mr. and Mrs. H. M. Jones, Judge and Mrs. L. M. Williams, and Mr. and Mrs. George Zachary.

Guests for the evening were Mrs. Mabel Pysatt and Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Armstrong.

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Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Wall and Robbie and Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Wall spent Sunday and Monday in Greenville and Fort Worth, transacting business.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Clonts returned Monday night from Rochester, Minn., where the former received a medical check-up at Mayo Bros. Clinic.

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Requirements for obtaining this service with REA assistance will be outlined at this meeting. It is important that we have a large attendance. The general public is also invited and welcome to attend.

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- Pickles** Rose River Sour Quart size
- Tomatoes** Heart's Delight Choice Solid Pack Peeled, No. 2 1/2
- Sauerkraut** Marshall No. 2 can
- Salmon** Our Value Tall can
- Peaches** Sun Spun, in syrup No. 2 1-2 can

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MILK	EAGLE BRAND CAN	25c
Soap	LUX 3 BARS	25c
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Picnic Hams	POUND	39c
Cheese	KRAFT'S VELVEETA 2 LB. BOX	95c
Pork Chops	POUND	39c
Bacon Fryers	WHITE LABEL POUND	39c
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WMS MEETS FOR ROYAL SERVICE PROGRAM
The Woman's Missionary Society of the Baptist Church met Monday afternoon in the home of Mrs. J. M. Averitt for their Royal Service program and social hour.
Mrs. Emil V. Becker was leader for the program on the subject, "Go Quickly, and Tell." Those assisting on the program were Mrs. J. M. Bradberry, Mrs. C. H. Keck, Mrs. M. S. Denton, Mrs. Curtis Coates and Mrs. C. W. Splawn.
Devotional was brought by Mrs. W. M. Rowan.
Mrs. O. W. Caussey gave a portion of the Week of Prayer program, which is to be completed Thursday in the home of Mrs. C. J. Reese.
Refreshments were served to twenty-one members.

Mr. and Mrs. R. G. Vaughn, formerly of Ft. Worth, moved last Thursday to Knox City. Both have retired from the teaching profession, and Mrs. Vaughn will work in the Joe Reeder office, while Mr. Vaughn will farm. Mrs. Vaughn is the former Mary Reeder.

MRS. J. H. ATTERBURY ENTERTAINS BRIDGE CLUB
Mrs. John H. Atterbury entertained members of the Tuesday Afternoon Bridge Club at her home March 6.
Mrs. Barney Arnold was winner of high score for members. Mrs. A. M. Armstrong was presented a gift for holding high guests score and Mrs. W. E. Benedict was bingo winner.
Other guests were Mrs. F. E. Adams, Mrs. Russell Boyd, Mrs. T. P. Frizzell, Jr., Mrs. N. F. Mullins, Sr., Mrs. John Smith, Mrs. Leone Thomasson, Mrs. George Zachary, Mrs. L. M. Williams and Mrs. Joe Reeder, Sr.

Visiting Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Propps one day last week were Mr. and Mrs. A. R. Krause of Fort Dodge, Iowa, and Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Clark of Oklahoma City. Mrs. Krause and Mrs. Clark are Mrs. Propps' sisters.

Construction on the new home for Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Walsworth in O'Brien is almost completed. Work was being "held up" this week because doors and windows had not arrived. The house contains 6 rooms and bath, and is at the location of the old home south of the O'Brien Baptist Church.

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STREAMS in Desert Places
By OZELLE STEPHENS

"Man that is of woman is of few days, and full of trouble." Job 14:1. This scripture may not give us much encouragement for life, as many other things around us today. But when we read the story of Jesus, the only who was so perfect, so pure, so great, so wonderful and so lovely, who gave His all for us. He who has gone to prepare a place for those who will trust Him. A place so wonderful man cannot know, a place that eye hath not seen, ear hath not heard, neither hath it entered into the heart of man what God hath gone to prepare for him. We are promised, "He that is faithful to the end shall receive a crown of life, eternal life which includes the great wonders and beauties that God hath for His own. This life may be toilsome to you, but remember what God said to His servant, Jashua, "Have not I commanded thee? Be strong and of good courage be not afraid, neither be thou dismayed: for the Lord thy God is with thee whithersoever thou goest." He will never leave you nor forsake you, but will bless you and make you know HE is GOD. If you do not know God in reality, seek Him diligently, for He is a rewarder of him who will seek Him diligently.
He will give you strength, health, He will fill you with His Spirit and cause you to look and long for His soon coming. For truly His coming must be soon, according to the fulfillment of the scriptures, and we find in searching we should not be ignorant of His coming, nor sorrowful but to rejoice and redeem the time by doing all we can in service for our Lord for the salvation of souls. Yield yourselves to the Lord and He will lead you to do many things for Him. He will supply your every need. His abiding presence will comfort and sustain you through all your troubles, His grace will keep you in all your ways, and His blood will cover all your sins. He will keep you in perfect peace, you can live daily a more bountiful life drinking from the Streams of God's abundant storehouse.

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