

Along Route One



WITH WALTER HYDE

It is believed that the Knox City community will have rain during the coming week, as J. Frank McAuley attended church Sunday.

Thanks to Jimmie Ashcroft and numerous others for their compliments on our writing the Route One items. Jimmie has been located in Knox City for many years and is a very successful business man. If you will give him half a chance he will sell you a new car.

Henry Thompson and R. E. Hackfield spent the week end fishing on Lake Wichita. I believe it would be a good idea for the boys to strike camp up there for the winter. It would save time going to and from. Henry left his place of business in charge of Sylvia and Sue, who are artists when it comes to serving you something nice to eat.

Sorry to learn of the death of our friend and former sheriff, J. L. Lewis of Guntersville, Ala. We had a splendid time with John while over in Alabama this summer. At the time of his death he was office deputy for our brother, Poince Chief Hyde. Chief Hyde has been at the head of the police department at Guntersville for the past several years, and we enjoyed very much our visit with him and his splendid wife this past summer. We're going back one of these days.

Jake Hester has promised to buy us a coke as soon as he receives his government check. Hurry up, Jake.

Tom Cummings, a highly respected Christian gentleman from Rochester, was in town Saturday. Tom would go from Knox City to Little Rock, Ark., to attend an all day singing convention.

Thanks to Mrs. W. E. Sweatt and daughters and to Mrs. M. A. Verhalen and daughter, Lillian, for the nice things they gave me to eat last week.

Among those from Knox City attending the football game at Stamford Friday night were V. W. and Spurgeon Hyde, Ruby Darden, Broadway Brown, K. B. Howell, Mr. and Mrs. Marr, Pete Moody and Slim Egenbacher.

If you will remember, in last week's issue of the Herald we told you that Salem Hutchinson warned us that a cold spell was on its way to West Texas—and did it arrive? I should say it did! Salem says he will keep the public informed all along as to weather conditions.

Mr. and Mrs. M. A. Bumpas recently purchased a nice farm three miles south of Munday. Mr. Bumpas has spent several weeks repairing the house and as soon as it is completed the family will move in. They have lived in the Smith's Chapel community for the past 25 years.

Our genial postmaster, John Wilson, and son Chad attended the ball game at Stamford Friday night.

While in Stamford Friday afternoon we took time out to go around to the city hall and have a chat with the chief, George Flournoy. He turned the keys over to us but advised that we stay on the outside. George has been Chief for the past 25 years.

J. P. HENDERSON DIES WEDNESDAY

Last tribute was paid to one of Knox county's highest esteemed pioneer citizens Wednesday afternoon in the S. E. Youngblood home, when funeral services were held for Uncle Jack Henderson, 90, who passed away at his home Wednesday at 2:45 A. M., following an illness of a year or more.

The services were conducted by Rev. C. W. Williams, pastor of the First Presbyterian Church of Haskell. Mr. Henderson was buried in the Knox City Cemetery with full Masonic honors. He had been a member of the Masonic Lodge for 69 years.

Pallbearers included pioneer citizens of Knox City, members of the Masonic Lodge, officers and directors of the Citizen State Bank, and personal friends of the family.

Mr. Henderson is survived by six children, Mrs. M. I. Wilson Sunset; J. W. Henderson, Knox City; Mrs. Ada Papworth Knox City; Mrs. Sarah Walden, Morton; Mrs. S. E. Youngblood, Knox City; and Mrs. Lottie Varnell, Knox City, and a large number of grandchildren.

J. P. Henderson was born November 18, 1848 in Cherokee County, Texas. He was married in Cleburne, Texas, to Sarah Elizabeth Taylor, who predeceased him in death on June 10, 1910. Uncle Jack and his family settled in Knox County in August, 1900. He had large ranch holdings in Knox County at the time of his death and was well known as a livestock owner.

Many out-of-town friends attended the final rites of this good man who has gone on to his reward.

The Warren Funeral Home of Knox City had charge of funeral arrangements.

DEMONSTRATION CLUB TO MEET FRIDAY

Friday, November 3, will be Recreation Day in Knox County, according to Miss Nina Astin, Home Demonstration agent of this county, and an all day meeting is planned. The meeting will be held at Benjamin, and all Home Demonstration Club ladies are urged to attend and bring a covered dish for the noon day luncheon. In the afternoon, club members will put on a program before the members of the County Home Demonstration Council, which will also meet in Benjamin on that day. The Council members will also decide on the date and place for the annual Home Demonstration show at which time all the work of the various clubs of the county will be on exhibit.

PLANS FOR DIAL TELEPHONES PROGRESS RAPIDLY

G. H. Williams, district manager of the Haskell Telephone Company, and S. L. Butler, a representative of the company, were here Monday afternoon to meet with a group of business men of this city to explain the new automatic telephone system that their company is contemplating installing here, if 85 per cent of the subscribers want the change. The committee which met with the two officials were C. H. Keck, G. E. Steen, O. W. Causey, E. O. Jamison, Henry Jones, T. P. Frizzell, O. L. Jamison, W. E. Cooper, W. E. Clonts and Mayor C. C. Hoge. Mr. Butler explained in full the steps his company would take in installing the new system. He explained that they would rebuild the system en-

P. T. A. Carnival Is Huge Success

The Halloween Carnival at Knox City high school last Tuesday and Wednesday

"CALLING ALL MARINE"

Donald Barry-Helen Mac

Thursday & Friday, Nov. 2

Mickey Rooney, Judy Garcia

"BABES IN ARMS"

Mrs. Sylvia Thompson vis

ed in Abilene Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Grub

and children of Rotan spe

Sunday with Mr. and Mi

Lloyd Waldrip.

Mrs. Agnes Nesbitt of Da

las is visiting her parge

and chuck wagon, and he was

assisted by his wife, Mr. and

Mrs. C. C. Hoge, Mr. and Mrs. J. E.

Hendrix, Mr. and Mrs. M. D.

Hardwick, and A. M. Arm-

strong.

The side shows were all very

good and showed that much ef-

fort had been put forth in get-

ting them ready for the carn-

ival. They all enjoyed a good

business, which was appreci-

ated by the P. T. A. ladies and

the students who assisted with

the show.

The main feature of the

evening, "Home on the Range,"

a three-act musical western

comedy written especially for

the P. T. A. Carnival by Mrs.

Milton Bradberry, opened at

eight o'clock. The auditorium

was filled to capacity, and it is

estimated that 750 people were

there to witness the play, which

was pronounced the best ever

to be presented in the high

school auditorium.

The Knox City P. T. A. appreci-

ates the fine support the

people of this vicinity gave

their carnival, and are now

making plans to have an even

better carnival next year.

TO MAKE DRIVE HERE

Mrs. D. J. Brookreson, Knox County Red Cross Chairman, urges the people to join the Red Cross, when the annual drive will be made in this county, starting Nov. 11. A million new members are needed this year. Help this worthy cause and join when asked to by the local committee.

Miss Ellena Fayne White, second year student at John Tarleton College, spent the week end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Henry White.

tirely, and would erect a brick building to house the equipment and would install new telephones in every business house and home that subscribed for the service. The lines would all be moved to the alley and new wires installed. In fact an entirely new and up-to-date system would be installed. Mr. Butler had two of the very latest type phones to show the committee. One was the wall type and one was the desk type, and he explained that this was the kind of phone that would be installed here if the people voted for the new system. He also gave the new rate that would be charged for business houses, residences and rural lines. The rate he quoted the committee is as follows: One party line for a business

Six Farmers Eligible For FSA Loans

Six Knox County farmers were named last week by the county committee to be eligible for loans from the farm security administration to purchase farms, according to Howard M. Williamson, Rural Supervisor.

The farmers are: Killian W. Homer, Route 2, Munday; M. A. Bratcher, Route 1, Vera; William F. Lain, Route 1, Munday; William H. Lankford, Route 2, Knox City; Carl H. Chafin, Route 2, Knox City, and Weldon E. Floyd, Route 1, Munday.

The farmers will receive the loans to purchase a selected farm from the Farm Security Administration through the Jones - Bankhead tenant purchase act. The farmers were selected from a large group of applicants after a thorough investigation.

The county committee consisted of James C. Bohannon, Knox City; Preston C. Phillips, Munday; and Ernest A. Beck, Vera. They were assisted in the selections by Howard M. Williamson, Rural Supervisor, and Lillie Mae Daughtry, Home Supervisor.

Loans to purchase the farms will be based on the productivity of the land.

PET PARADE AT RULE ON ARMISTICE DAY

The Armistice Day program committee at Rule is arranging to entertain the children with a pet parade Saturday morning, November 11, at 10 o'clock in conjunction with the main events.

Every man, woman and child who has a pet of any kind is invited to bring his pet and participate in the parade. Three prizes will be awarded, \$2.50 to \$7.50, for the best exhibited pet to children under 14 years of age. Judges will be selected.

All pets should be in and ready by 9:30 a.m., and contestants names filed with the committee sooner if possible. All nearby towns are invited to lend a helping hand in entertaining the children.

APPEAR BEFORE HIGHWAY COMMISSION

Judge E. L. Covey, County Commissioner O. L. Patterson and Ed Jones were in Dallas this week to meet with the State Highway Commission. Brady Gentry, chairman, R. L. Bobbitt and Harry Hines, members, to ask the commission to appropriate funds to complete the paving of the highway between Knox City and Munday. About two miles of this road has been completed. The commission promised to take matter under advisement and would let the committee know their decision in a few days.

WPA TO PAVE STREET NORTH OF CITY PARK

Thieves Busy Sunday Night

The thieves were at work Sunday night in and near Knox City. Lloyd Waldrip, who lives in the north part of town, reported the theft of 40 white leghorn chickens from his chicken house sometime Sunday night.

W. M. Griffith, who lives west of town, reported that a two wheel trailer loaded with about 500 pounds of cotton was stolen from his cotton patch Sunday night.

The trailer was located in Ft. Worth at the home of a suspect, and the chickens had been sold to a Cisco produce house and then resold from there to a party in Odessa. Three men who are in a Henrietta, Texas jail on a theft charge there, are wanted here for questioning in the trailer and chicken theft. They will be released to Knox county officers at a later date.

COTTON GINNING REPORT

3143 bales of cotton has been ginned in Knox County up to noon, Nov. 2, 1939.

Census report shows that 11,113 bales of cotton were ginned in Knox county from the crop of 1939 prior to Oct. 18 as compared with 18,494 bales for the crop of 1938, according to Hoyle H. Sullins of Vera, special agent for the department of commerce.

KNOX COUNTY HOSPITAL NOTES

Patients in the Knox County Hospital this week are:

Master Howton Arthur Orr, Gilliland; Virgil Reneau, Knox City; Luke Rowell, Wichita Falls; Mrs. C. R. Meyers and baby, Knox City.

Births:

Born to Mr. and Mrs. H. Hardin, Vera, a son, Oct. 28.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Meyers, Knox City, a son, October 31.

Patients dismissed from the hospital since last week:

Mrs. H. Hardin and baby, Vera; Mary Joyce Stevens, Munday; Larry Sam Goodrich, Vera; Bud Milford, Knox City; Mrs. Jim Reynolds, Benjamin; Mrs. Earl Owens, Munday; Sam Powers, Benjamin; Baby T. J. Tucker (colored) Munday; Sibyl Beauchamp, Munday.

S. P. Keny and daughter, Mrs. Lee Smith, spent Sunday in Merkel. Mrs. Smith remained there for a few days visit with relatives.

A. T. Cromwell, WPA Area Supervising Engineer of Vernon, and Mr. Douglas, a WPA official from Fort Worth, were here last week to look after the WPA project going on here in Knox City. They said that due to the fact that the WPA built the City Park, they would curb and gutter in front of the park with WPA funds. Property owners are again urged to take advantage of the opportunity to get the front of their lots curbed, guttered and paved for 40 cents a foot.

Never again will the people of Knox City have an opportunity to get this work at so low a cost. It will not only improve the looks of our town and increase the value of the property, but will give employment to many needy men in the community, who need work during the coming winter months.

Many other towns are paying from 75c to \$1.00 a foot for the same work and are glad to get the work done at that price. The city council is standing all the expense possible, in order that the property owners can have this work done. See Mayor Hoge and talk the situation over with him. He will be glad to explain how this work may be obtained.

Stores to Close Armistice Day

Knox City will observe Armistice Day, Saturday, November 11, and most of the stores will be closed all day. Folks are urged to buy their needs on Friday, November 10, so that the stores may observe this holiday. A committee from the Lions Club carried the following petition around to the merchants. We give the petition below in full:

We, the undersigned merchants of Knox City, Texas, agree to close and remain closed all day, Saturday November 11, 1939, in observance of Armistice Day; G. E. Steen Food Store; J. M. Edwards Grocery, Knox County Herald, B. L. Campbell for Citizens State Bank; Paul Barber Shop, Press Clark, Tailor; White Merc. Co., M. D. Hammer Food Store, Good Eats Bakery, Knox City Motor Co., Sinclair Refining Co., J. A. Wilson, Postmaster, Thompson Cafe, Coates Cafe, Clifton Cafe; F. J. Hennigan, Blacksmith; Porter and White Feed Store; L. A. Wampler, Blacksmith; Knox City Hardware; Malouf Dry Goods Co.; E. O. Jamison; C. H. Keck Food Store; J. C. Wooldridge Co.; Ray Willis Feed Store; M. E. Wyatt Food Store; Cash Food Store; Egenbacher Bros.; Frea Broach Implement Co.; Ashcroft Chevrolet Co.; Auto Parts Co.; Wm. Cameron Co.; J. V. Jones; D. R. Sorrels, Jeweler; Knox City Shoe Shop; Lawson Cafe; Jones and Kay Barber Shop; Toby's Cafe; Teaff Samawich Shop; Texas State Life Ins. Co.; J. A. Hallmark Barber Shop; J. T. May, Variety Store, Hughes Radio Shop, Corley Beauty Shop; Thomasson Bowling Alley; Jamison Clonts Co.; Doris Moody; Jake Humphres, Plumber; W. L. Garner; Felix Keith Station; A. M. Armstrong Tailor; Ed Huntsman; S. P. Keny; Propps Motor; Knox City Laundry; W. L. Swift; E. Q. Warren Auto Supply; Brazos Valley Gin Co., Farmers Co-op. Gin Co.

Committee Lions Club
G. E. Steen
O. W. Causey

The Knox City Volunteer Fire Department was called out Wednesday at about 9:30 a.m. to answer a false alarm. After searching for some time to find the fire, the fire boys returned to the City Hall.

The Knox County Herald

J. T. Daniel and R. E. Hughes
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R. E. HUGHES, Editor

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Benjamin News

Miss Frances Diersing, one of our efficient teachers, spent the week end in Amarillo with friends.

Mrs. J. J. Coats, mother of Mrs. Handley, left Thursday for Seagraves to visit a son, H. G. Coats, and from there to Stanton where she will visit a daughter, Mrs. T. E. Bentley.

Mr. A. H. Sams drew the lucky number at the Halloween carnival Friday night and received a 25 pound turkey for his ten cent ticket.

Mrs. W. V. Feemster, C. E. E. Weaver and O. L. Patterson were in Wichita Falls Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Waldron have sold their lovely home in northeast Benjamin to Mr. and Mrs. W. V. Feemster. Mr. and Mrs. Waldron have moved to the home formerly owned by Mrs. T. B. Burnett.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Idol and Jack Jr. have moved into their lovely new home on the League Ranch.

Togo Moorhouse and Mrs. Walter Moorhouse and baby boy are convalescing nicely under the special care of Mrs. W. E. Moorhouse.

Jack Idol, manager of the League Ranch, returned last week from a three weeks inspection tour of the League holdings at Waco, Galveston and Brewster county.

Sam Powers was brought home Tuesday from the Knox County Hospital, following an operation about ten days ago. We are glad to report he is doing fine and will soon be able to resume his duties as foreman of the Beavers ranch.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Lyndal Hughes and children spent the week end in Gatesville with the lady's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Guggolz. They returned by way of Dallas on business.

C. W. Harbert has enrolled in the Knox City school and is liking it fine.

Misses Toby Baird and Vera Evans spent the week end in Electra with friends.

Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Greer spent the week end with relatives at Olney.

Mr. and Mrs. Voyle Vaughn

and baby spent the week end with relatives at Lubbock.

Judge E. L. Covey was in Knox City Tuesday afternoon on official business.

(Editor's Note: The following Benjamin News items were delayed from last week.)

Mrs. Floyd Lindsey of Stamford was here Sunday to attend the funeral of the infant son of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Moorhouse of Aspermont.

Miss Mattie Parsons, who has been helping at the local telephone office, has returned to her home at Mountain Park, Oklahoma. Miss Sallie Hendrick of Munday will take over the work as night operator at the telephone office.

Dr. and Mrs. J. C. Coffey and Mrs. Roy Hunter and children of Hedley were visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Snody Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Leroy Melton were in Fort Worth for the football game Saturday, also to do some of their Christmas buying.

Mr. and Mrs. Bonnie Duke are the proud owners of the Lewis Meinzer home in the northeast part of town.

Mrs. M. T. Chamberlain, Polly and Sonny were visiting relatives in Goree Saturday.

Mrs. Guy Holmes of Westover was visiting in the Garland Feemster home over the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Sams and family spent Sunday in Seymour as guests of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas F. Glover.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Snailum and family spent the week end with relatives in Weatherford.

Mr. and Mrs. C. R. E. Weaver and daughter, Jane, of Pettit, Texas, are visiting the lady's parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Snody.

Their many friends were given a surprise last Saturday night when Miss Juanita Brown, youngest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Delmer Brown, announced that she was married October 14 at Frederick, Okla. to Mr. Oscar Johnson of Vernon, Texas, who is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Johnson and is associated with his father in the grocery and market business. They will make their home in Vernon.

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Make sure your fan belt and radiator hose are ready to cool your motor on a long, hot trip.

Underinflated tires generate excessive heat—use likely to cause blowouts. It pays to check the pressure before any long drive.

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GUARANTEED UP TO 18 MONTHS

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P. T. A. Carnival a Success

The P. T. A. Carnival that was staged Friday night at the school building was pronounced a success by all who attended and all who were in charge of the different concessions. The organization wishes to express appreciation to all who attended and helped put over this event. Financially the affair was a success. The organization cleared more money than ever before.

The Halloween Parade

Instead of having a regular Halloween parade this year the western theme was carried out. The parade assembled on the street south of the city park and was led by Jim Stephens and George Hardberger, followed by the flag carriers. Immediately after the flag carriers came Edna Warren, the band sweetheart, riding a horse with a side saddle, and L. N. Bridges, also riding horseback. Then came the band, all dressed in, on a trailer, the prancing hats and advertising wagon advertising the chuck wagon supper was among them. The seventh grade made an old covered wagon with a chicken coop and buckets all over it. Everything looked just like they were "going west." The parade went through

town, circled, and came back and broke up. The horsemen rode through town again, advertising the carnival in general.

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kids and I am for p. lose or draw. How Band Boosters Club, membership fee of \$1.00 will start it. The profit go to the band to chase music, help defrays on out-of-town and whatever other are necessary. The done for the current term will cost around there are times when station for all the band be furnished by private nces. Then there is a due on the uniforms. know how much, but I a little help would be ated.

at are interested in the tion of a Band Booster get at the school aud. at 8 p. m., Monday, Oct 7:30. S. isieb. Who's Who in the Senior Class

Bobbie Neal Armstrong was August 29, 1933, at Knox City. He started to kindergarten at Knox City and has gone to this school all his life. Some of Bobbie's favorites are: color, green; song, "Sunrise Serenade"; hobby, raising club calves; subject, band; sport, football, pastime, dancing; dislike, selfish people. Bobbie has brown eyes.

black hair, and an olive complexion. He is five feet and seven and a half inches tall. He plans to attend Texas A. and M. next year and major in vocational agriculture. Bobbie plays a trombone in the Greyhound Band and has a great many friends.

Supervisor Visits School

Monday, District Deputy State Superintendent Murdock visited school. He visited all the different classes and made a favorable report for each of them.

In the afternoon, he gave a short vocal concert and at the last the entire student body joined in a sing song. This and his concert was enjoyed by all.

The students wish to invite him back.

Kennel Comments

Thud! Thump! Thug! What could that iron clad echo I lay in my bed in breathless tension. My own heart hammered as if a cyclone had struck. Even the calm, collected atmosphere frightened me. Slowly I raised myself from my soft pillow. Outside the street light flashed back and forth, as if signaling to someone far off in the dense, coal black night. I turned my head just a fraction of an inch. My head seemed to catch. Oh, what a night!

My parents were sleeping calmly in their rooms. Little did they know of these strange happenings. Old Sandman had carefully beaded their eyelids, in order that they might rest peacefully for nine hours. On that this were the ninth hour! "Pull yourself together," I said to myself. Cautiously I set one foot on the cold unfriendly floor. Finally I steamed up enough courage to get out of

bed. I began to creep toward the door. My own movements frightened me.

Crash! Pop! Boom! Quickly, I jammed the door shut. I could hear a low, diminishing, voice outside my window.

"I cannot get this string to work." Ho-hum! Just some Halloween's. Well, I was not frightened very much. No!

Such was my experience after a riotous Halloween night. Doubtless, many others reaped the same results.

The Halloween Carnival on Friday night captured the spotlight this week. Everybody had a confetti throwing good time.

News is mighty scanty this week. Do not be so tight with it, my friends. I have peered through keyholes and strained my ears until my right eye is dilated and my ears are flopping.

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Personals

Jewel Applewhite and Olcia Stevenson are two new students of Knox City high school.

Mr. Farrar celebrated his twenty-third birthday Sunday.

D. P. Connally and Inez Kay spent the week end in Stamford.

Jim Ed Marr went to the football game in Stamford Friday night.

Ann Wall spent Sunday in Stamford.

Geneva Jackson spent the week end in Rule.

Faye Heath spent Saturday in Rule.

Visit the
City Barber Shop
for good service
J. A. Hallmark, Prop.

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SUGAR, 10 Pounds 59c

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HUSKIES, 2 boxes for 15c
Regular Price 26c

Sun-Ray
CRACKERS, 2 lb. box 15c

Old Timer
FLOUR, 48 lb. sack 98c

YAMS, Bushel 95c Peck 25c

Pork & Beans, large 16 oz. can 5c

HOT—GREEN PEPPER, 2 Lb. for 15c
TEXAS GRAPEFRUIT, Peck 25c

THE CASH FOOD STORE AND MARKET

Texas Theatre
KNOX CITY

Saturday, November 4
Matinee and Night

William Boyd in
"IN OLD MEXICO"

Prevue Saturday Night—Also
Sunday and Monday, Nov. 5-6

Virginia Weidler, Guy Kibbee
"BAD LITTLE ANGEL"

Tuesday and Wednesday

"CALLING ALL MARINES"
Donald Barry, Helen Mack

Thursday & Friday, Nov. 9-10

Mickey Rooney, Judy Gariand
"BABES IN ARMS"

Mrs. Sylvia Thompson visited
in Abilene Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Gruben
and children of Rotan spent
Sunday with Mr. and Mrs.
Lloyd Waldrip.

Mrs. Agnes Nesbitt of Dal-
las is visiting her parents, Mr
and Mrs. E. R. Branch.

Mr. and Mrs. George Malouf
and daughter, Angela, spent
Sunday in Roaring Springs.
Mrs. Malouf and Angela re-
mained there for a visit with
relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Davis and
Mr. and Mrs. G. A. Branton
spent the first of the week in
Ruidoso, N. M., visiting friends.

Sheriff Lewis Cartwright of
Benjamin was here Tuesday on
business.

J. M. Edwards of Seymour
was in town Tuesday attending
to business.

Miss Ona Galloway attended
the Munday - Stamford foot-
ball game in Stamford Friday
night.

Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Garner
spent Monday with relatives in
Haskell.

ROLLER RINK OPENS HERE

The D. and H. Roller Rink
will open here Saturday, Nov-
ember 4, according to D. W.
Puckett, manager. This rink
is the largest in the state of
Texas. It has a hard wood
floor and is under a big water
proof top. Their ad appears
in this issue, read it for op-
erating hours.

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FEDERAL TIRES AND TUBES

OTTIS CASH, Proprietor

BUYS PARTNERS INTEREST IN BARBER SHOP

J. A. Hallmark, purchased
the interest of his partner,
Press Hitchcock, in the City
Barber Shop this week. Mr.
Hallmark and Mr. Hitchcock
have been in business here for
a number of years. Mr. Hitch-
cock was forced to retire from
business because of ill health.
Many friends in Knox City and
surrounding territory regret to
learn of his illness and hope it
will not be long before he re-
gains his former good health.
Mr. Hallmark stated that he
will continue to run a first class
barber shop and he wants all
of Mr. Hitchcock's friends and
customers to continue their
patronage of his shop. He says
that he is going to secure an
efficient barber to help him.

KNOX CITY STUDY CLUB

The Knox City Study Club
met Thursday afternoon, Oct.
26, at the Methodist church,
with Mrs. Olvis Hamm at hos-
tess.

Following the business ses-
sion and roll call a program
was presented. Mrs. S. M.
Clonts was leader for the after-
noon. The program presented
was on Education and Health.
Mrs. B. E. Campbell gave a
talk on "The Effects of Educa-
tion on the Different Races."
Mrs. A. B. Reese gave an in-
teresting talk on "Influence of
Education on Crime."

The club membership was
well represented at the third
meeting of the club year.

ARMSTRONGS ENTERTAIN

Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Arm-
strong entertained members of
the Monday Night Contract
Club Monday evening at their
home. Those present were Mr.
and Mrs. W. E. Benedict, Mr.
and Mrs. J. M. Ashcroft, Mr.
and Mrs. J. H. Atterbury, Mr.
and Mrs. H. M. Jones, Mr. and
Mrs. O. L. Jamison, and Mr.
and Mrs. D. W. Davis. Mrs. W.
E. Benedict was the winner of
high score for the evening.

Ruth McGee, who graduated
from Knox City high school in
1938, was elected yell leader
for the second year in Weather-
ford College. Ruth reports a
wonderful spirit in her college.
She is thoroughly enjoying her
work. Her only regret is that
the college is a junior college.

BAPTIST CHURCH HAS FISH FRY

Members of the First Baptist
church and their guests were
entertained Tuesday night with
a fish fry given at the church.
The fish were donated by Lee
Coffman of Benjamin and
Herman Egenbacher. Mr. Coff-
man also prepared the fish for
serving.

The invocation was given by
Rev. Aubrey Short of Roches-
ter. This was followed by the
serving of a delicious meal con-
sisting of fish, potato chips,
salad, pickles, bacon and eggs,
cake, pie and coffee.

Following the dinner, the
guests were invited to the audi-
torium to hear a prearranged
program. The High School
Girls Trio, consisting of Faye
Heath, Margaret Dutton and
Marjorie Propps, were present-
ed in two vocal selections. The
principal speaker was Rev. P.
D. O'Brien of Stamford, who is
well known throughout this
country as an after dinner
speaker. Rev. O'Brien spoke in
a both humorous and serious
vein.

Some hundred or more mem-
bers and their guests were pre-
sent for the dinner, which was
served in the basement.

Rev. O'Brien was accom-
panied by his wife and daugh-
ter, Marie. Rev. Aubrey Short,
Rochester, H. Sego, Rochester
and Mr. and Mrs. Lee Coffman
of Benjamin were special
guests for the occasion.

CHRISTIAN WOMEN'S ASSOCIATION MEETS

Every fifth Monday is the
Christian Women's Association
day. Monday's meeting was
held at the Christian church
with the president, Mrs. A. B.
Reese, in charge. Mrs. Hall-
mark read the 24th Psalm as
a basis for her devotional les-
son.

There were round table dis-
cussions of the following sub-
jects: "Educational Opportuni-
ties for Negroes," "Temper-
ance," and "Social Welfare."
A motion to again sponsor
outdoor lighting at Christmas
time carried.

The next meeting will be
held at the Methodist church
on January 22. Every church
lady of Knox City should con-
sider herself a member.

The program committee will
have a good program prepared
for the next meeting.

CHRISTIAN CHURCHES

Services at Knox City next
Sunday will consist of preach-
ing and worship services at
9:45 to be followed by Bible
School. There will be no even-
ing services but members of
the congregation are urged to
attend services at Benjamin in
the evening.

The services at Benjamin
will be the continuation of our
revival now in progress. Rev.
Lawrence Bridges is doing the
preaching and the services will
continue through next week.

—C. E. Cogswell, Pastor

BENJAMIN CHURCH HOLDS REVIVAL

The Christian church at Ben-
jamin is in the midst of a re-
vival begun last Sunday and to
continue through next week.
Both morning and evening ser-
vices are being held, meeting
at ten in the morning and at
seven in the evening.

Rev. Bridges is an evangelist
with a message of power and
he is bringing a real revival to
the congregation. Everyone is
invited to come out and enjoy
these services. Pray that the
Lord may bless the community
through the medium of this
meeting.

Delicious Hamburgers



Before or after the show,
for lunch, or an evening's
date, drop in at Toby's
for a delicious hamburger.

SANDWICHES
SHORT ORDERS
AND DINNERS

And For Breakfast...

Waffles - Hot Cakes
Ham, Bacon or Sausage
and Eggs
Eggs Cooked Any Style.
Fruit Juices - Cereals
Good Coffee with all
Breakfast Orders

Quick Lunch CAFE

METHODIST CHURCH

Why Go to Church?

The reasons for church at-
tendance apply not to a par-
ticular Sunday, but to every
Sunday. They are understood
by those who attend regularly
and ought to be considered by
those who do not. The spiritual
part of man is the important
part, because it is the directing
force. It needs sustenance as
much as the body and mind.

If spiritual emancipation were
as easily noticed as emancipation
of the body, it would not be so
hard to convince people that
they need at least one day in
seven for the consideration of
those things which pertain to
the development of the heart
and to the science of how to
live. No matter what one's
creed, he can make good use
of the interpretation of the
Holy Writ which he can expect
from the pulpit and of the ap-
plication which should be made
of moral principles to the daily
life.

Last Sunday we had a fine
increase in attendance. We are
looking forward to an increase
next Sunday. You will recall
the next two Sundays are the
last in this church year. Your
pastor goes to conference to re-
ceive a new appointment. That
new appointment may be the
same as last year—a Methodist
preacher never knows. I will
appreciate your presence these
last two Sundays.

—Allen A. Peacock, Pastor

Miss Pauline King was visit-
ing in Abilene Wednesday.

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November 4th

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LOCAL NEWS

Mr. and Mrs. S. L. Favor and
Mr. and Mrs. E. R. Carpenter
and son, Sam Ed, spent Sunday
in Crowell with Mr. and Mrs.
W. V. Favor.

Wynette Farmer, student in
John Tarleton College, Stephen-
ville, spent the week end with
her parents, Mr. and Mrs. E.
M. Farmer.

Rev. and Mrs. A. A. Peacock
spent several days last week in
Fort Worth and Dallas.

Dorothy Ruby Darden, who
attends Tarleton College at
Stephenville, spent the week
end with her father, R. T. Dar-
den.

Olvis Hamm, J. V. Jones,
Leon McBrayer and Dwight
Gothard attended a Magnolia
Company meeting in Seymour
Thursday night.

Miss Mildred Dutton of
Olden spent the week end here
with her parents, Mr. and Mrs.
J. G. Dutton.

Mrs. J. B. Janes of Abilene
was a week end visitor in the
homes of D. W. Davis and L.
L. Davis.

Rev. and Mrs. H. E. East had
as their week end guests his
father, Ed East of Hereford,
his sister, Virginia East of
Abilene, and his cousin, Eliza-
beth Duck of Abilene.

Miss Cassie Thompson of
Wichita Falls spent the week
end with her parents, Mr. and
Mrs. H. M. Thompson.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Warren
and daughter, Patricia, of
Seagraves, were week end
guests of Mr. and Mrs. Press
Clarke and H. M. Warren.

J. H. Lanier of Crowell visit-
ed here Friday.

Roy Baker was in Wichita
Falls Monday on business.

Miss Marylyn Edwards, stu-
dent in West Texas State Col-
lege, Canyon, and Bitz Hoover
of Amarillo were week end
guests of Dr. and Mrs. T. S.
Edwards.

Mrs. C. L. Bailey and daugh-
ter, Mary Louise, and Jay Mana
of Wichita Falls spent Sunday
in the home of Dr. and Mrs. T.
S. Edwards.

Mrs. E. O. Jamison, Mrs. H.
P. Arledge and Miss Wynell
Edwards visited in Dallas the
first of the week.

Mr. and Mrs. George Bolia
of Lubbock spent Sunday night
and Monday with his parents,
Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Bolin.

Everett Kelly of Austin visit-
ed here Sunday and Monday.
He was accompanied home by
Mrs. Kelly, who spent the past
week with her parents, Mr. and
Mrs. W. H. Benedict.

Mr. and Mrs. E. Bateman of
the Bateman Ranch and their
daughter, Mrs. Fred Albright
and son of Vernon, were among
those who attended the Hal-
loween carnival Friday night.

Mrs. Fred Mabe of Crowell
is visiting her parents, Mr. and
Mrs. J. A. Wilson.

Mr. and Mrs. O. W. Caus-
sey and son, Donald, spent
Sunday with relatives in Sey-
mour.

Mr. and Mrs. Grady Taylor
and sons of Forney, Texas were
week end guests of Mr. and
Mrs. D. W. Davis.

Rev. and Mrs. C. B. Stovall
and daughter, Cloys, of Ster-
ling City, and Mrs. Claude
Stovall Jr. and daughter of
Stamford visited friends here
the first of the week.

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OPENS SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 4 IN
KNOX CITY

Afternoon Session Opens at 3:30
Night Session Opens at 7:30

UNDER LARGE TOP

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Smith are visiting their daughter, Mr. Byron Lee, and Mr. Lee at Whiteface, Texas this week. Dr. T. P. Frizzell and Dr. D. C. Eiland are in Oklahoma City attending a medical convention.

SPECIALS

FRIDAY & SATURDAY

NOTICE: This store will be closed all day Nov. 11th, Armistice Day.

Fresh

Bunch Vegetables, 3 for 10c
CARROTS, RADISHES, BEETS AND COLLARDS

Fresh Fancy

Green Beans, lb. 5c

Fresh and Tender

SPINACH, pound 5c

Yellow Ripe Fruit

BANANAS, each 1c

Fancy Green

Bell Pepper, pound 5c

Fancy Tender Yellow

SQUASH, 3 pounds 10c

Texas Seedless

Grapefruit, peck 25c

No. 1 White Cobbler

SPUDS 10 POUNDS 15c
PECK 25c

Pure Cane Cloth Bag

SUGAR, 10 pounds 57c

Bewley's Best

FLOUR 24 POUNDS 75c
48 POUNDS \$1.45

Sun Ray

Crackers, 2 lb. box 15c

Fancy East Texas

YAMS PECK 25c
BUSHEL 55c

Fancy Fed Beef

STEAK, Loin, lb. 19c

Pure Pork

SAUSAGE, pound 15c

Armour's Star Sliced

BACON, pound 27c

Fresh Select

OYSTERS, pint 39c

Oleo, Nutola, pound 15c

Seasoned Right

Chili, Home Made, lb. 19c

Swift's Premium

HAM CENTER SLICES, lb 35c
HOCKS and ENDS, 2 lb 25c

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Double Feature Program
"STOP, LOOK AND LOVE"
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Sunday and Monday
Norma Shearer, Joan Crawford
in
"THE WOMEN"
It's all about men.
Also News and Comedy.

Tuesday and Wednesday
"HONEYMOON IN BALI"
with Fred MacMurray and
Madeline Carroll.
Special Attraction: "Inside the
Maginot Line."

Thursday
Bargain Show, 5c-15c
"I STOLE A MILLION"
with George Raft.

BAPTIST CHURCH NEWS

A family once said: "Yes, we think the church is necessary but we have not attended for weeks." They were By-Standers. Another family said "Yes, we believe in the church, and we never miss a service except for sickness." They were Stand-Byers. Which are you?

Show your loyalty for your church by being in its services Sunday. Come determined to add something to the services, and without doubt you will take something home with you. Our services were well attended last Sunday. There was a little decrease in Sunday School attendance under the Sunday before, but we hope to make that up this Sunday. Sunday morning the pastor will speak on the subject, "Whirlwinds of God." Be sure and hear this message dealing with the different verses in the Bible mentioning whirlwinds.

Sunday School—9:45
Morning Worship—11:00
B. T. U.—6:30
Evening Worship—7:30
Prayer Meeting—7:15 Wednesday evening.

TEXAS THEATRE

HASKELL, TEXAS

Friday, November 3
Judy Garland, Frank Morgan
"THE WIZARD OF OZ"

Saturday, November 4
Sidney Toler in
"CHARLIE CHAN AT
TREASURE ISLAND"

Sunday and Monday, Nov. 5-6
"BEAU GESTE"
With Gary Cooper

Tuesday, November 7
Lew Ayres, Lana Turner in
"THESE GLAMOUR GIRLS"

Wednesday and Thursday
Richard Greene in
"HERE I AM A STRANGER"



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Walter Thomas, Manager

WHAT'S IN A NAME?

Service clubs are known by a variety of names and when the group of men who organized Lions International had perfected that organization they needed a good name for it. From time immemorial the name Lion has been a symbol of that which is good and because of that this name was selected. They did not coin the name; neither did they select it at random.

In the vision of John on the Isle of Patmos no one was able to open the Book, closed with seven seals until "the Lion that is the tribe of Judah, the root of David," appeared and was able to open it because he had overcome. Thus in the Divine nomenclature this title is an honored one.

Four of the outstanding characteristics which this name has symbolized are courage, strength, activity and fidelity. The last one mentioned was the one that had most weight in the decision of the organizers to use the name for their association.

Lionism stands for loyalty and fidelity, to persons, principles, duties, trusts, communities and nations. It thus becomes one of the most valuable civic organizations in any community.

U. S. MARINE CORPS TAKES MORE RECRUITS

Again Marine Corps Headquarters at Washington, D. C., has allotted the Dallas Marine Corps Recruiting Office an unlimited quota of new marines for the month of November from the State of Texas, thus confirming the fact that they have been well satisfied with the high type of young men from the Lone Star State, according to information received by Postmaster J. A. Wilson today.

Vacancies now exist for

"Leathernecks" aboard battleships, cruisers, aircraft carriers, and at home navy yards in aviation. Obviously, when few vacancies exist in any profession, trade or craft, the requirements for induction into that profession or trade are much higher than when excessive vacancies exist, the postmaster said. The above also applies with equal force to the military profession.

ORGANIZE HIGH SCHOOL PRESS ASSOCIATION

Abilene, November 5.—The plans for organization of a West Central Texas High School Press Association, to be formed here in Abilene on Saturday, November 11, were announced today with the mailing of invitations to the session to more than fifty sponsors of high school newspapers. The invitation list includes the Knox City high school newspaper staff and sponsor.

Student newspaper sponsors, together with the editors and business managers, and other key staff members, were invited to the organization, to be held with Hardin-Simmons University as host.

Dr. F. L. McDonald, head of the department of journalism at Texas State College for women, Denton, and director of the Texas High School Press Association, will attend, and affiliation with the statewide organization will be considered.

In the afternoon, Hardin-Simmons will have the visiting high school journalists as its guests for the Armistice Day football game, in which the H-SU Cowboys meet West Texas State, Canyon.

A permanent organization will be formed, as attending delegates desire, and future meeting times set, said Hershel Schooley, H-SU department of journalism head.

FOOD SPECIALS

Look at these prices

SPECIALS FRIDAY AND SATURDAY

Pure Cane
SUGAR, 25 lbs 1.39

Grapefruit, Texas, pk. 25c

Dry Salt Jowls, lb. 7½c

Macaroni or Spaghetti, 2 pkgs. 5c

Eulk
Ginger Snups, 2 lbs. 25c

Lux or Lifebuoy
SOAP, 3 bars 20c

Purasnow
FLOUR 24 Lb. 79c
48 Lb. \$1.49

Best Standard
FLOUR 24 Lb. 59c
48 Lb. 98c

Armour's
MILK, 8 cans 25c

Post Bran, 3 pkgs. 26c

YAMS, peck 25c

Apples, bulk, peck 25c

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PURE U. S. P. ASPIRIN
Tablets, bottles of 100

19c

ANTISEPTIC MOUTH WASH
Full Pint Bottle

25c

MINERAL OIL
extra heavy, Quart bottle

59c

Gallon Bottle

\$1.50

RUBBING ALCOHOL
Pint Bottle

19c

FACIAL TISSUES

Box of 200 10c

Box of 500 23c

HAND LOTION

Full Pint

25c

HOT WATER BOTTLES

Good Quality Rubber

52c

FOUNTAIN SYRINGES

2 Quart Size

52c

RUBBER GLOVES

Household Quality

25c

CHARMIS COLD CREAM

Full Pound Jar

69c

VASELINE HAIR TONIC

Large Size

37c

CASHMERE BOUQUET SOAP,

6 Bars for

49c

COLGATES SOAPS, Lavender,

Carnation, Jassin, etc. 4 bars

19c

VITAMIN ABD CAPSULES

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full ounce bottle

10c

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3 ounce bottle

10c

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