

BE IN KNOX CITY FRIDAY

Along Route One



WITH WALTER HYDE

I had the pleasure of attending services at the Baptist church Sunday. The services were well attended and Rev. East delivered an inspiring sermon. There were 183 in Sunday School and collections were \$20.72. I noticed several of the more important members absent. One of the things that impressed me most was the new hat worn by T. E. Robbins, president of the Citizens state Bank. It took me several minutes to decide whether it was Tom or a Philadelphia lawyer. William Rowan has charge of the church choir during the absence of Press Hitchcock. Mr. Rowan is a very fine singer and a great director of music, having graduated with honors from the Stamps Baxter Music School.

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You very often hear people speak of great men, but they are always out of our state or in some distant land. I have come to the conclusion that we have some great characters right here in our own town. For this week's issue of our splendid little paper I shall take for example Uncle Joe Smith, and will follow up later with others of our community.

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I have known Uncle Joe personally for more than thirty years and have watched him very closely. I believe that taking him from every standpoint he is the most wonderful man I have ever come in contact with. He is a Christian gentleman of the very highest type, a splendid speaker, a great church worker, and has a good word for everyone with whom he comes in contact. If you should meet him every hour of the day he would have something to say about the church, and he wants everybody to live a better life. I consider him a living example for the rising generation to follow. Now after saying these things for Uncle Joe, and if what I have said fails to make him a great and useful man, I would like to know what it will take to constitute one.

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I like to speak of church affairs, but don't think for one moment that I am by any means a saint — far from it. But when you talk about these great matters you have a grand subject. While attending services Sunday I noticed many familiar faces. Among them were Abe Watson, Frank McAuley, William Clarke, J. J. Denton, John May, G. T. Hardberger. When you go to church and meet any of these gentlemen they will take you by the hand and make you glad that you came into their presence. I never meet John May on the street but what he insists on my attending church and Sunday school. John is a loyal member of the Baptist church and a very worthy deacon. He has been in business in Knox City for a number of years and has been very successful. Luck to you, John.

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Heavy Cagle, Frank Eldridge and Robert Armstrong made a flying trip to Wichita Falls last week. They went down in Heavy's fresh air taxi cab. So far as I have been able to learn

LIONS CLUB HAS BUSY SESSION

The Knox City Lion's Club had a busy session last Thursday at their regular week day luncheon at the Methodist church.

A splendid meal was served by the ladies of the church, and the following visitors were introduced: Hal Dyer, Deputy District Governor of Seymour, and John May and Lois Teague of the local American Legion Post.

May and Teague made talks requesting that the Lions Club cooperate with the American Legion in bringing Christmas cheer to the needy in the Knox City community. The club acted unanimously in support of the Legion's proposal. Three separate committees were appointed by Chairman Steen to assist the Legion in raising funds, making a canvass of the needy and to help pack and distribute the packages. It was pointed out that heretofore the Legion had done fine work at Christmas time, and with the assistance and support of the Lions Club, a greater work could be accomplished.

Lion Steen appointed a committee to meet with the Christian Women's Association and work out plans for the annual Christmas Lighting Contest. This movement was sponsored by the club last year and much interest was shown. As a result, Knox City was the best lighted town in this section during the holiday season. More elaborate plans are being worked out this season. More elaborate plans are being worked out this season and it is believed that the results will surpass those of last year. Appointed on the lighting committee were G. T. Glenn, H. M. Jones and O. L. Jamison.

Reports were heard from the telephone committee and all were elated to hear that the group had been successful in their efforts to obtain an automatic dial telephone system for Knox City. It was reported that the details had been worked out and that the city had already granted a franchise for the system.

Armistice Day Proclamation

WHEREAS, in commemoration of November 11, 1918, the annual anniversary has been set aside and proclaimed from year to year as Armistice Day in the United States, and

WHEREAS, in spite of the wars now in progress over the earth, we as Americans stand for the principles and achievements of Peace, therefore

I DO HEREBY PROCLAIM Saturday, November 11, as official Armistice Day for the City of Knox City, and urge that all citizens participate in the observance of the anniversary of Peace on this day in a most sincere reverence for those who gave their lives that Peace might reign again.

Done by my hand and seal on this 6th day of November, 1939.

C. C. HOGE, Mayor

O. A. GREEN OPENS NEW REPAIR SHOP

O. A. Green, one of Knox City's popular automobile mechanics, has bought the shop equipment of the Ashcroft Chevrolet Company and has leased the building formerly occupied by the Auto Parts Co. and the Coates Filling Station, and will run a first class repair shop and service station. He has the best of equipment and is prepared to do all kinds of automobile repairing, including fender and body work. He is also equipped to do acetylene welding.

Mr. Green is well known in Knox City for his ability to do expert automobile repair work, having been with the Ashcroft Chevrolet Company for several years. He wants you to come in and see his new place of business and will be glad to give you an estimate on any kind of repair work.

TO TEST CATTLE

According to L. W. Graham, local dairyman, a representative from the State Sanitation Commission will be at his place Friday, November 10, and will have the contracts necessary to have cattle tested for Bangs disease. Anyone having cattle needing this test, see the representative at the dairy Friday.

TO CELEBRATE 50TH WEDDING ANNIVERSARY

Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Gibson will celebrate their 50th Wedding anniversary at their home in Rule Sunday, November 12. They are extending an invitation to their many Knox City friends to call from one until five in the afternoon at their home in Rule.

Otto Lawson went to Malakoff Wednesday on business.

ALL MERCHANTS FEATURE BIG BARGAINS

GREYHOUND BAND TO PARADE AT 4:00 O'CLOCK



Most of the business houses will be closed in Knox City next Saturday, November 11, in observance of Armistice Day. The merchants invite the people of this trade territory to come to Knox City on Friday, November 10, and take advantage of the many bargains that will be offered on that day.

A large number of the merchants have an ad in this week's Herald inviting you to come to Knox City on Friday, November 10 and most of the stores are quoting some specials for that day.

The grocery stores are making some extra big bargains for Friday, November 10, and it will pay you to take advantage of the many specials advertised in their ad this week. Knox City has some of the most up-to-date grocery stores that can be found any where. They all have polite, courteous clerks to wait on you and they appreciate your patronage. The dry goods and ready to wear stores are making a special invitation to you to come to Knox City Friday, and they will have some extra big values for you. Now is the time to buy your winter supply of ready-to-wear and dry goods, while you can get them at so low a price. Also the cafe, drug stores, filling stations, auto supply stores and bakery are urging you to be here on Friday, November 10.

As an added attraction, the Knox City High School Band will parade down town Friday afternoon at 4:00 o'clock in their new uniforms, which arrived this week, and will play several numbers. This alone will be worth your trip to town. Knox City is proud of its band and we think we have one of the best high school bands to be found in this section of the state. Be here at 4 o'clock and hear the band concert.

Remember to be in Knox City Friday, November 10, if you want to get some of the biggest bargains ever offered by any set of merchants anywhere. Knox City merchants appreciate your business and are always glad to have you stop in at their store and visit with them.

All three of the gins in Knox City will be closed on Saturday, November 11, and they invite you to bring your cotton on Friday, November 10.

Following is the list of merchants who are extending you a special invitation to you to be here Friday, November 10: J. M. Edwards Self Service Grocery, C. H. Keck Food Store, Cash Food Store, M. B. Wyatt Food Store, Hammer Grocery, Malouf Dry Goods, White Merc. Co., Cash Filling Station, Knox City Shoe Shop, Good Eats Bakery, Texas Theatre, Model Tailor Shop, Jones Drug Store, Ashcroft Chevrolet Co., Coates Cafe, Sarrells, Jeweler, Lawson Cafe, Wm. Cameron & Co., Inc., Wooldridge Lumber Co., City Barber Shop, Jones Barber Shop, Knox City Gin, Brazos Valley Gin, Cotton Growers Co-op. Gin.; O. A. Green, Quick Lunch Cafe, E. Q.'s Auto Supply, Citizens State Bank, and Frizzell's Drug Store.

CONGRESSMAN GOSSETT TO BE HOME THE 15TH



Official business has required Congressman Ed Gossett of this district to remain in Washington several days following the adjournment of this special session of Congress. Mr. and Mrs. Gossett and the Congressman's secretary, S. F. Sinclair of Denton, will leave Washington on November 12 for Texas, arriving in Wichita Falls on the fifteenth.

Offices 206-207 in the Federal Building, Wichita Falls, Texas, will be occupied by the Congressman until the regular session of Congress convenes on January 3. Mr. Gossett will be in his office in the Federal Building from eight in the morning until ten at night every Monday, during which time he will be glad to see all persons who have any matter to discuss with him.

The latter part of every week will be used in keeping appointments and visiting about in different parts of the fifteen counties of the 13th Congressional District.

HONOR ROLL

LEST WE FORGET THEIR PART IN THE GREAT WAR WHICH ENDED TWENTY-ONE YEARS AGO, WE PUBLISH THE FOLLOWING NAMES OF KNOX COUNTY BOYS WHO NEVER RETURNED.

ALGIE CARTWRIGHT, GOREE
Killed in Action

LEROY TEAGUE, KNOX CITY
Killed in Action

CHARLEY JONES, KNOX CITY
Killed in Action

HOMER JAMES, KNOX CITY
Died in Training Camp

JOHN CHILDRESS, GILLILAND
Killed in Action

GEORGE LOWERY, MUNDAY
Died in Training Camp

WILLIAM KEELE, MUNDAY
Died in France

CHESTER HAMNER, BENJAMIN
Died at Sea

ROGER GOREE, KNOX CITY
Killed in Action

JACK HARLIN, GOREE
Killed in Action

FRANK GOODE, GOREE
Killed in Action

JACK BLUNT, GOREE
Killed in Action

KNOX COUNTY HOSPITAL NOTES

Patients in the Knox County Hospital this week are:

Master Howard Arthur Orr, Gilliland, Texas; Howard Myers, Munday, Texas; Mrs. Sam Leaverton and Linda Sue, Knox City, Texas; M. S. Lowery, Knox City, Texas.

Patients dismissed from the Knox County Hospital the past week are:

Mrs. Albert Boyd, Vera, Texas; Katherine Holmes, Truscott, Texas; Imogene Walker, Knox City, Texas; Mrs. C. R. Myers and baby, Knox City; Luke Rowell, Wichita Falls; Virgil Renau, Knox City.

Births:

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Sam Leaverton of Knox City, a girl, Linda Sue, November 5, 1939.

PASSES NEW MEXICO PHARMACIST EXAMS

Roy Baker of the Frizzell Drug Store received a letter from H. E. Henry, secretary of the State Board of Pharmacy of New Mexico, stating that he had passed the examination given in Clovis, N. M., a few weeks ago and that he is now a registered prescription clerk and eligible to work as such in the State of New Mexico. Roy passed all the various subjects, making a good grade in each. His many friends in Knox City congratulate him on passing the examination.

COTTON REPORT

Up to noon Wednesday, Nov. 8, there had been 3,283 bales of cotton ginned at the three gins here.

Miss Wynell Edwards is the guest of Mrs. Beile Blackwell in Houston this week.

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Thursday, Nov. 2, Knox City High School Declared War!

Mr. Whitis announced in the study hall that every student bring a fly swatter to school. Flies have been trying to conquer the whole school for several days and the students were at their wits' end.

They brought the fly swatters back and started on their victims. By Friday afternoon nearly all of the flies were cleared out that one would hardly have known that the high school had ever been swamped by flies.

Every student had a swatter and some of the time mistook an innocent observer for a fly. Whether this was purely accidental is yet to be learned.

The Home Economics Department contained more flies than any other part of the building. This can be explained by the food stored there.

The girls, when cooking, had difficulty in concentrating on their recipes because of the flies. Although this department owned several swatters they could not kill all of the flies that attended the Knox City High School last week.

As your editor writes this is somewhat annoyed by the presence of the few remaining pests and one large pest. Draw your own conclusion as to who or what it is. The assistant editor usually helps with the paper—hint, hint!

After a battle of two days Knox City High School forced the flies to sign a treaty of peace and to retire "south of the border."

Who's Who in the Senior Class

Edna Matilda Warren was born at Knox City, Texas, February 1, 1922. Edna attended school four years at Grace and entered Knox City school in the fifth grade where she has gone to school ever since.

Some of Edna's favorites are color, red, song, "Sunrise Serenade", hobby, collecting pictures, subject: Home Economics, sport, Volley Ball, past time, sleeping, dislike, catty remarks.

Edna has brown eyes, black hair, and an olive complexion. She plans to attend a beauty

school at San Angelo. Edna is band sweetheart of the Greyhound Band and represented Knox City as a duchess at the taskell Fair this year. Edna has a quiet disposition which has won her many friends.

Personals

Miss Martha Crenshaw and her sister, Bettye, were visiting in Vernon Saturday and were stopped and interviewed by the Man on the Street. Mr. Herman Cecil, who conducts this program, is also program director for radio station K V W C, and he remembered Miss Crenshaw and the program that she and her class presented last spring. After the program was over Saturday, Mr. Cecil asked Miss Crenshaw to bring her class to Vernon in the near future and give another program. Watch the paper for the announcement of the date when we will again be privileged to hear home talent via the radio.

Marjorie Propps spent Friday night and Saturday in Benjamin visiting friends.

Helen Ruth Marr and Dorothy Warren spent Saturday afternoon in Stamford.

D. P. Connally spent the week end in Stamford.

Billy Benson and C. W. Harbert spent the weekend in Benjamin.

Mr. Cook spent the weekend in Dallas.

L. N. Bridges, Henry Jean Jones, and Mr. Farrar attended the Seymour-Chillicothe football game in Seymour Friday night.

Melvin Dutton and Edna Warren visited in Rule Sunday.

Oleta Stevenson spent a part of last week visiting relatives in Colorado.

Homemaking Classes

How to get a job and keep it—that is what the boys in Homemaking have been studying. What is personality and how can I develop it? Is it possible to improve my personal appearance? How?

The 11a girls, in conclusion of their luncheon unit, have been studying center piece. They arranged some interesting table decorations Monday and took kodak pictures.

Breakfast served at 9:45 A. M. Tuesday and Wednesday. A little late, perhaps, but the 1a Homemaking girls have to adapt their service to class time. Does not this sound pretty good though?

Peach Nectar, Egg Nest (With Chicken), Toast, and Ovaltine.

Sixth Grade to Give Program

The sixth grade is to present an assembly program for November 17. This is to be a Grammer School Assembly. The play is entitled "Moses Austin, The Pioneer." They invite everyone out to see the play as it promises to be very interesting.

Freshman Report

The Freshman class was invited to a surprise birthday party Saturday night. Norma Janice Coates was celebrating her thirteenth birthday. Mrs. Coates secretly gave out the invitations. It was a very lovely party and a good time was had by all who attended.

Third Grade Report

The third grade went on a picture show party Monday evening. They enjoyed it very much.

They are completing their

dentist office this week. They have the dentist chairs, nurses table and chair, and medicine cabinet built, ready to be painted. This class is hoping that they will all have better teeth when they grow up, so we are starting out early to learn how to take care of them. Come in and they will give you a "check-up" too.

Seniors Receive Rings

The Senior Class of 1939-40 received their rings this last week. Everyone was glad to have their rings and from all reports everybody is satisfied with their choice.

These rings were ordered from Herf-Jones and were delivered much quicker than expected. The rings, although they do not have sets, are very pretty. They come in three sizes, small, medium, and large.

Greyhound Band to Benjamin

The Knox City Greyhound Band received an invitation to play at the Benjamin-Eliasville football game, Friday, November 3. Some forty five members of the band made the trip in private cars.

The band appreciated the courtesy extended them while there, and each member expressed a desire to play again at Benjamin.

Mr. and Mrs. O. W. Caussey had as their guests Sunday afternoon Mrs. Caussey's mother, Mrs. J. E. Bullion, her brother Tom Bullion and Mrs. Bullion of Seymour.

Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Eolia, Miss Lessie Bolin, Mrs. C. E. Cogswell and Mrs. Roy Smith attended church services at the Christian church in Benjamin Sunday night.

Armistice Day

We join with our customers and friends in observing this day, in the hope and expectation that our country will never again be called upon to enter a foreign war.

In memory of our heroic dead, and those who came back, may we do our best to preserve peace in our own land, and a neutral attitude to our neighbors across the sea.

The Citizens State Bank

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