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## Knox City Students Win At Local Show

Knox City youth showed their animal projects during the local livestock show on Thursday, January 13, in the KC bus barn.

Mike Burkham, vocational agriculture instructor at Aspermont, served as show judge.

In the swine division, Roni Morrow's lightweight cross won grand champion honors with Nathan Bloxham taking reserve with his heavy duroc.

In the rabbit division, Mica Larned had the Best Opposite Sex with Aaron Large taking Best of Show.

Ashley Jobe exhibited the grand champion market single fryer with Alisha Vasquez taking reserve honors.

In the sheep division, Stefani Stephens won the grand champion trophy with Scott Stephens taking reserve.

Showmanship honors were presented to Sal Serrano, broilers; Aaron Large, fryers; Scott Stephens, sheep; and Natalie Bloxham, swine.

Winners from Thursday night's show were:

Broilers - Sal Serrano, first;

Nathan Rocha, second; Adrian Serrano, third; Michael McGaughey, fourth; Dwayne Ware, fifth;

Sr. California Doe Breeding Rabbits - Mica Larned, first, Best Opposite Sex; Landon Weiershausen, second; Aaron Large, third; Juli Larned, fourth; Landon Weiershausen, fifth;

Sr. California Bucks - Heath Turner, first; Mica Larned, second; Heath Turner, third; Juli Larned, fourth;

Sr. Fur Doe - Aaron Large, first and second;

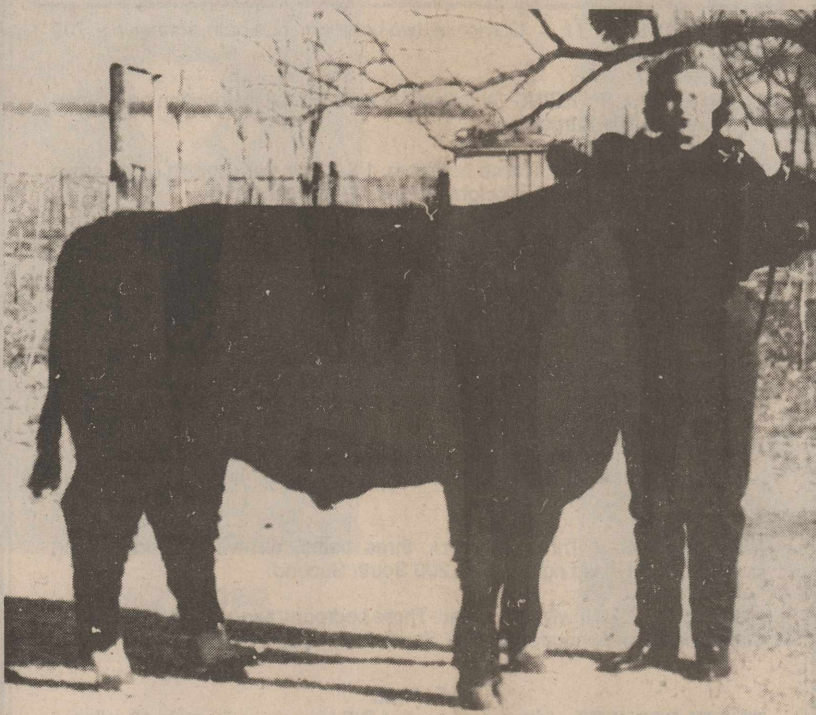
Sr. Fur Buck - Aaron Large, first and second; Sara Rocha, third;

Jr. Fur Buck - Aaron Large, first, best of show;

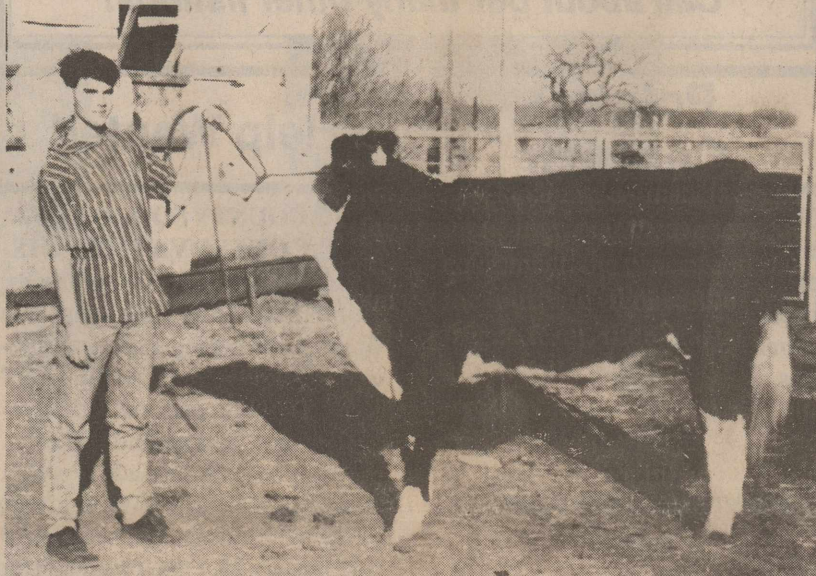
Market Single Fryer - Ashley Jobe, first, grand; Alisha Vasquez, second, reserve; Christie Manning, third; Tiffany Jobe, fourth; Ivy Bolanos, fifth; Aaron Large, sixth;

Cross Sheep - Stefani Stephens, first, grand champion; Scott Stephens, second, reserve; Stefani Stephens, third;

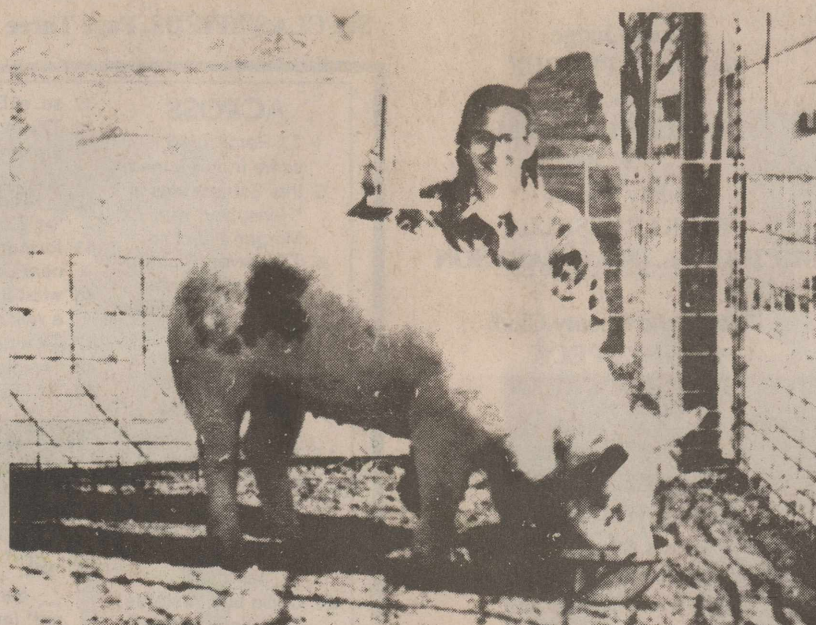
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GRAND CHAMPION STEER of the Knox County Junior Livestock Show belonged to Amanda Baker of Knox City. (NEWS Photo)



RESERVE CHAMPION STEER honors at this year's Knox County Junior Livestock Show went to the steer owned by Jason Simmons of Gilliland. Jason is a student at Benjamin High School. (NEWS Photo)



GRAND CHAMPION SWINE of the Knox County Junior Livestock Show was won by the heavy weight cross belonging to Sarah Dillon of Knox City. (NEWS Photo)

## KC Little League Association Sets Season Organizational Meeting

Thursday, January 27, 7:00 P.M.

The Knox City Little League Association has scheduled the first organizational meeting for the upcoming 1994 season. According to League President Kevin Stone, the meeting will be held at the Knox City Community Center on Thursday, January 27, at 7:00 p.m.

Stone went on to say that it was very important for all officers, board members, coaches, parent representatives, and those wanting to coach this year to be at this meeting. The Knox City Little League Association includes teams and/or players from Knox City, O'Brien and Benjamin.

Several important topics will be discussed and possibly acted upon at the meeting. Areas up for discussion will be league officer

positions, the condition of the field and stadium, a financial report, umpiring, team coaches, team equipment, the concession stand, the outfield fence, the senior league team, little league teams, and T-ball teams.

Several coaching vacancies will exist in the league this year. Those parents or other interested individuals who would like to volunteer their time as a coach should make plans to be at the meeting.

Other area little league associations are already planning their seasons, so Stone wants to emphasize that this meeting is very important in order for the Knox City Little League Association to start making plans now to insure another successful season.

## County Youth Show, Win At Annual Event

Knox County youth gathered in the Knox City Bus Barn Friday and Saturday, January 14 and 15 for the annual Knox County Junior Livestock Show.

Winners in the two day show were: Poultry, Broiler - Eric Sosolik, first; Nathan Rocha, second, Eric Sosolik, third; Nathan Rocha, fourth; Michael McGaughey, fifth, sixth; Dwayne Ware, seventh, eighth; Sal Serrano, ninth, tenth, eleventh; Kevin Walker, twelfth; Adrian Serrano, thirteenth; Johnny Sosa, fourteenth, fifteenth; Michael McGaughey, showmanship.

Rabbit, Best of Show, Anthony Ainsworth; Best Opposite Sex, Anthony Ainsworth; Sr. Californian Doe - Anthony Ainsworth, first; Mica Larned, second; Anthony Ainsworth, third; Landon Weiershausen, fourth; Aaron Large, fifth; Landon Weiershausen, sixth; Juli Larned, seventh; Sr. Californian Buck - Anthony Ainsworth, first; Mica Larned, second; Heath Turner, third, fourth; Anthony Ainsworth, fifth; Juli

Larned, sixth; Sr. Rex Doe - Aaron Large, first, second; Sr. Rex Buck - Aaron Large, first, second; Jr. Rex Buck - Aaron Large, first; Sr. Minilop Buck - Anthony Ainsworth, first; Sara Rocha, second; Sr. Colored Doe - Ryan Baker, first; Sr. Colored Buck - Amanda Baker, first, second; Ryan Baker, third, fourth; Market Pen of Three - Ashley Jobe, first; Ryan Cottingham, second; Jeffery Urbanczyk, third; Bryan Urbanczyk, fourth; Single Fryer - Tiffany Jobe, first; Laurie Welch, second; Cody Cottingham, third; Alisha Vasquez, fourth; Laurie Welch, fifth; Jeffery Urbanczyk, sixth; Christie Manning, seventh; Aaron Large, eighth; Amber Welch, ninth; Alisha Vasquez, tenth; Amanda Gulley, eleventh; Bryan Urbanczyk, twelfth; Christie Manning, thirteenth; Jason Josselet, fourteenth, fifteenth; Cody Cottingham, sixteenth; Christy Walker, seventeenth; Aaron Large - showmanship.

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KNOX COUNTY JUDGE David N. Perdue has served the West Central Texas Council of Governments as President for two years and will continue to serve on the Executive Committee. Executive Director of the Council Brad Helbert presented Judge Perdue with a plaque for his service and stated that he has served the 19 county region well and has proven to be an effective leader in his representation of the Council in both Washington and Austin. (Courtesy Photo)

## Sheriff Candidate Ricki Russell Issues Statement To County Voters

To the citizens of Knox County: I, Ricki Russell, as acting sheriff of Knox County have had the pleasure of serving the citizens of Knox County for the past seven years. I have served as Chief Deputy under Sheriff Gene Nix and also Chief Deputy under Sheriff Henry L. Dancer Sr. I have a total of eleven years experience in law enforcement. I am also a Texas commission law enforcement officer standards and education certified instructor and have trained over 26 peace officers in the state of Texas. I have specialized training in search and seizure, advanced firearms, jail operations, family violence, penal code, use of force, crime scene video, expandable baton, search and rescue, and bloodhound trainer-handler.

My wife, Margaret, of 24 years, is also a peace officer who specializes as a crime victim assistance officer. We have three children, Shawnee, Lisa, and William (Tuwi). Shawnee has spent the past four years in the U.S. Army in Germany, Saudi Arabia, and now in El Paso. He is married to the former Tina Chapman of O'Brien. Our daughter, Lisa, is a



Ricki Russell Acting Sheriff of Knox County

senior at Knox City High School and is employed by Hunt Oil Company. William is a seventh grader interested in electronics and has a FCC Technician license.

At 43 years of age, I feel that I have the maturity, experience, and the integrity to serve the people of Knox County. As acting Sheriff, I have found it to be a very challenging and demanding job. I am looking forward to continuing to serve you as Sheriff, and would like to thank you for your vote and support.

## Political Signs: The Laws That Apply To Placement

By Dave Thompson

This article is directed toward all those who are running in the upcoming elections, and all who are helping them with their campaigns.

In past years, elections have brought forth a multitude of campaign signs and posters, with a lot of those being posted illegally by people who did not know exactly what the laws pertaining to election signs say.

Thanks to an article in the January edition of the Texas Press Association newsletter, here are the facts:

Texas Election Code Section 255.007

(a) - the following notice must be written on each political advertising sign: "Notice: It is a violation of State law (Article 2372cc, Vernon's Texas Civil Statutes, and Article 6674v-7, Revised Statutes), to place a sign in the right-of-way of a highway."

(b) A person commits an offense if the person:

(1) Knowingly enters into a contract to print or make a political advertising sign that does not contain the notice required by Subsection (a); or

(2) instructs another person to place a political advertising sign that does not contain the notice required by Subsection (a).

(c) An offense under this section is a Class C misdemeanor.

(d) In this section, "political advertising sign" means a written form of political advertising designed to be seen from a road, but does not include a bumper sticker.

Now, what does all this mean? In layman's terms, it means that it is against the law to place any political advertising sign on the highway right of way where it can be seen from the road.

To make sure that everyone

knows it is against the law, political advertising signs must have the notice required in Subsection (a) printed on them.

It means that a candidate or a printer can not enter into a contract to have signs made that do not contain the required notice in Subsection (a).

It means that it is illegal for a candidate or anyone else to instruct another person to place a political sign that does not contain the notice required in Subsection (a).

The section described in (d) defines a political advertising sign as a form of political advertising designed to be seen from a road, but does not include a bumper sticker. To clarify this, I called Lyndell Williams at the Texas Press Association, and here is what he told me: If a candidate is having copy machine flyers made to mail out or place in store windows, the requirement for the notice does not apply. However, if those same copy machine flyers end up on telephone poles, or in any other along the highway right-of-way, then they do need to have the disclaimer and they are illegal as far as placement. If signs are illegally placed along the highway right-of-way, both the person putting them out, and/or the person instructing them to do so may be charged with the Class C Misdemeanor offense.

A yard sign, and any other sign that is not actually on the right-of-way, but can be seen from the road does need to have the disclaimer.

The law is specific, and designed to be enforced by local authorities. If you are a candidate in the upcoming elections, or someone working in a candidate's behalf, be careful when making or placing signs.





MISTY DAVIS and MARK HARRENSTEIN

*Miss Davis, Harrenstein To Wed April 30*

Nancy and Lane Davis announce the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter, Misty to Mark Harrenstein of Seymour. Mark is the son of Cheryl and Daryl Harrenstein of Seymour.

The bride-elect is attending Aladdin Cosmetology College in Wichita Falls and the prospective bridegroom is self-employed by Harrenstein Trucking.

The couple will exchange vows April 30 in Knox City.

**LOCAL SHOW**  
(From Page One)

Berkshire - Stephanie Williams, first; Leslie Mahan, second; Light Duroc - Logan Morrow, first; Edward Roberson, second; Mica Lamed, third;

Heavy Duroc - Nathan Bloxham, first; Stephanie Williams, second;

Light Hampshire - Sara Dillon, first; Roni Morrow, second; Latisha Munsell, third and fourth;

Heavy Hampshire - Clay Patterson, first; Latisha Munsell, second; Crystal Correll, third; Kayla Garcia, fourth;

Spots - Natalie Bloxham, first; Traci Deering, second;

Light York - Logan Morrow, first; Nathan Bloxham, second; Garrett Favor, third;

Heavy York - Crystal Correll, first; Ray Sanchez, second; Latisha Munsell, third and fourth;

Light Cross - Roni Morrow, first, grand champion; Nathan Bloxham, second; Natalie Bloxham, third; Juli Lamed, fourth; Sara Dillon, fifth; Heath Turner, sixth;

Heavy Cross - Stephanie Williams, second; Sara Dillon, third; Latisha Munsell, fourth and fifth; Edward Roberson, sixth; Garrett Favor, seventh; Clay Patterson, eighth.

**Local Students On ACU Dean's List**

SAN ANGELO -- Knox City students attending Angelo State University in San Angelo are listed on the Dean's List for the fall semester at the University.

Listed include Linda Michele Balis, an accounting major; Christopher Lance Haragan, a kinesiology major; Julie Gwyn Speck, a mathematics major; and Andrew Ross Williams, an undecided major, all from Knox City.

To be eligible for the Dean's List, a student must be enrolled as a full time student and have at least a 3.25 grade point average.

**Child Welfare Memorials**

Donations have been made to the Knox County Child Welfare Board in memory of:

Joe Pierce by Sammy and Barbara Pierce, Annette Hester by John and Peggy Grindstaff; and

Joe Swearingen by Lynward and Juanita Wilcox.

**Help Wanted**

THE TEXAS DEPARTMENT of Transportation has three openings in Childress District for the following positions:

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**IN SLATON**

Billye Bess and Buddy Angle were in Slaton Saturday to visit his brother, Sam.

Sam is doing well following a recent heart attack.

The Angles' daughter, Gwen Decker of Lubbock joined them there.

**King County Stock Show Show Is January 28-29**

The annual King County Livestock and Project Show will be held January 28-29 at the King County Community Center Complex. Ninety-six animals are entered in the Livestock Division and are expecting some 175-200 project entries in the project show.

**SCHEDULE OF EVENTS:**

Friday, January 28:  
8:00-10:00 a.m. - Check in projects for project show in Community Center

10:00 a.m. - Judging projects  
By 5:00 p.m. - All animals must be in barn

Saturday, January 29:  
9:00 a.m. - Judging Sheep show, followed by Swine Show  
Noon - Judging Rabbits and Small Animals

1:00 p.m. - Judging Steer Show  
5:30 p.m. - Donor-Buyer Barbecue Supper

7:00 p.m. - Premium Sale

Judge for the 1994 Livestock Show will be Todd Vineyard, Stephens CEA from Breckenridge. Project Show judges are Diane Maston, CEA and a 4-H leader from Foard County and from Knox County, Pam Reed and Judy Lowe, both of Munday. Bill Dennis from Stam-

ford will auctioneer the Premium Sale.

The King County Livestock Association directors, Keith Richardson, Kelley Williams, Sadie Mote, Karen Blodgett, James King, Bruce Ferguson and Bill Masterson encourage everyone to come and support the 4-H, FFA and FHA youth for the two days of exhibiting their projects and animals.

Also a special invitation to attend the Donor-Buyer Barbecue at 5:30 p.m. and Premium Sale at 7:00 p.m. to financially support youth project involvement.

**Homecoming Committee To Meet Thursday At 7:00**

It's almost that time again!

The Homecoming 1994 Committee will meet Thursday, January 20, at 7:00 p.m. at the superintendent's office.

According to Homecoming '94 president Birdie Helton, this year's homecoming will be June 3, 4 and 5.

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This year Americans will spend about \$940 billion on health care, the equivalent of \$3700 for every person in the country. The U.S. spends more than any other nation on health care.

Public television did an excellent series recently on aging. The 13 part series explored the process of aging, investigated what retirement is like, and explained the impact an aging population has on society.

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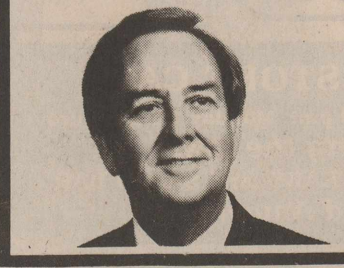
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Pol. Adv. Pd. For By David N. Perdue

**KNOX COUNTY JUDGE**





# Denim Mill Tour Gives Insight To Future Plant

By Nancy Shahan,  
The Munday Courier

Rolling Plains Textiles organization is still working hard at getting the wheels rolling on a cotton textile mill in Munday. They are presently waiting on a ruling from the IRS to determine the tax status of the operation. A non-profit foundation is being established to finance the plant installation.

I was given the opportunity to go on a tour of the cotton denim mill in Littlefield last Thursday, along with several members of the Textiles group, their wives and other interested parties. There were seventeen of us in all. This tour helped me to understand what a textile mill is, and what the organization is working toward.

The American Cotton Growers Denim Plant in Littlefield has contracted to make denim strictly for Levi Strauss & Company. They use 92,000 bales of cotton annually, which is processed into approximately 29 million yards of 60-inch denim.

Upon reaching the plant, I was surprised at the size of the structure, which covered approximately 10 acres.

We watched in amazement as the cotton was separated into small tufts by six large machine passing back and fourth over the tops of the cotton bales, picking up a small layer with each pass, blending 192 bales to get the right yarn texture. Cotton was delivered by air suction to the cleaning machines, and then through a *carding machine*, which removes foreign matter and short fibers, and forms the cotton into what resembled a spider web. The web is converted into a continuous rope-like form known as a sliver.

Cotton fibers are formed into a yarn by centrifugal action in *open-end spinning*. Individual fibers are laid down in a groove of a fast spinning rotor and twisted into yarn. After the cotton fibers are spun into yarn, the yarn is wound onto spools, weighing nine pounds when full. This spinning machine had a *robot* on each side which automatically repaired any broken ends, and would remove full spools and put on a new one.

This process is the first phase of the proposed textile mill operation in Munday, and will also in-

clude a combing process which produces a finer quality of yarn to be used for t-shirts and sport shirts.

The next step was to dye the yarn. The Munday plant will not be using dye until their third phase.

Through a warping process, 353 individual strands of yarn were gathered in a rope form and wound onto a log, thus forming a ball warp. The yarn goes through sulfur dye, wash boxes, indigo dye vats, and drying cans, and coiled into tubes. The dyed yarn was then separated back into individual strands, called *beaming*, and run through a slashing machine which coats it with a starch and wax solution. All this is done with large machinery that you just have to see to believe.

The weaving process, which will be Phase II for the local plant, interlaces the dyed yarn and the natural colored yarn, producing 100% cotton denim. This particular room held 354 weaving machines, all electronically controlled. Even though the floor was concrete, it shook as the material was formed from these weaving wonders.

It takes nine days to turn the raw cotton into denim cloth. Every yard of cloth must pass rigid inspection

standards. Following inspection, the cloth is measured and cut into rolls of proper quality and size, and shipped out to Levi cutting plants, located in 27 countries.

To think that something similar to this is in the future for Munday is a little unbelievable. A textile mill would employ workers from Munday and the surrounding area. Farmers will benefit by selling their cotton locally instead of ship-

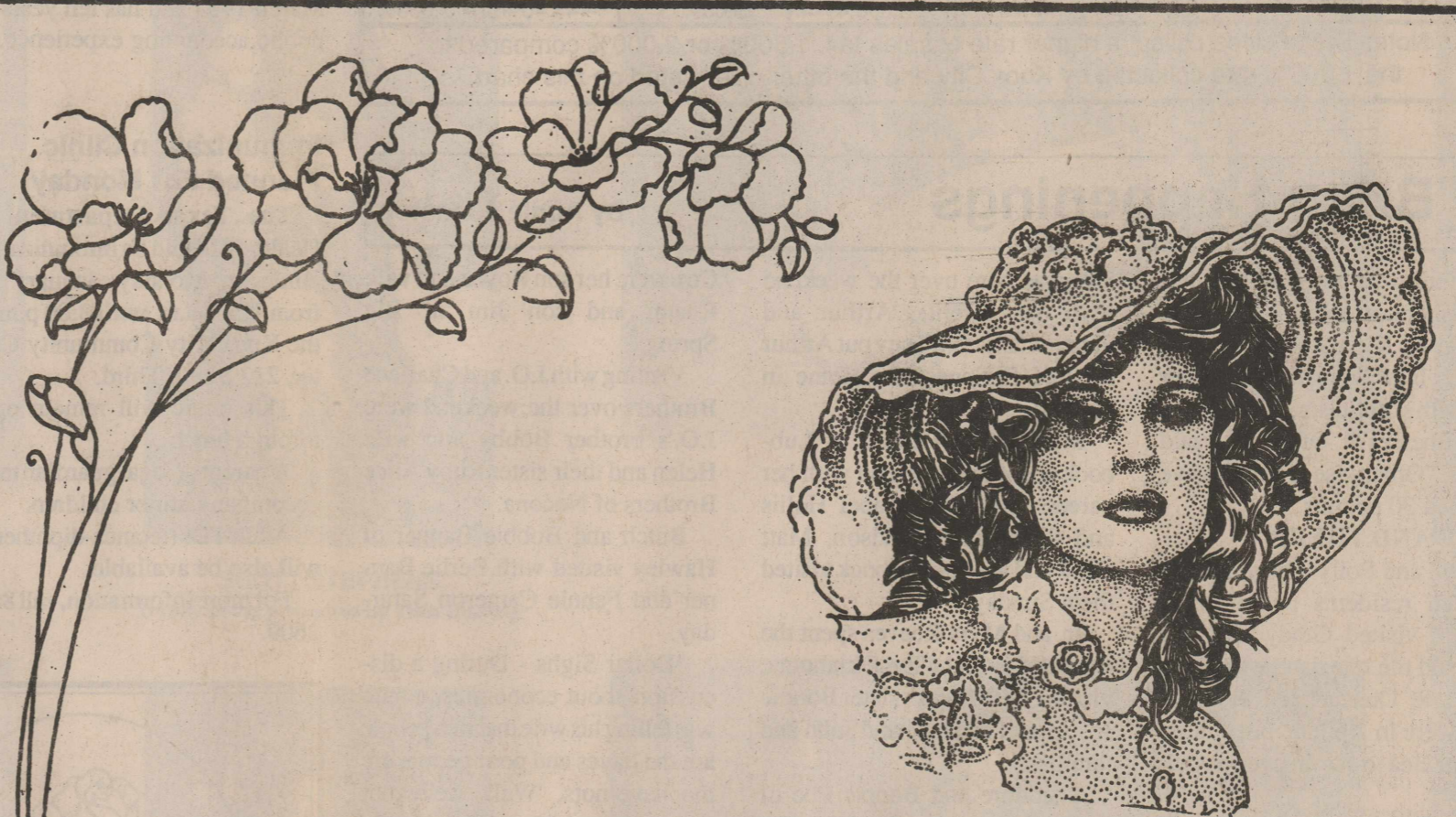
ping it out. The benefits are numerous, and will be a great boost to the entire Rolling Plains.

Members of the Rolling Plains Textiles, who have been working on this project since August of 1992, include Garon Tidwell, Gary Wilde and Doug Parker of Munday; Gary Coltharp, Day Carlin, Tom Coker, Randal Coltharp and Don Gregg of Seymour; James Randell Murray of Sanger; and

Lynn Reeves of Abilene. If you would like to hear more about this major project, they would be glad

to talk to you about it and answer any questions you may have.

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## Governor Selects Abilene As 'Capital For A Day'

Thursday, January 20

Governor Ann Richards has selected Abilene as the site for her fourth "Capital for a Day" program on January 20, 1994. The program, designed to bring state government to the people of Texas, is the first one to be held in the western area of the state. The first three were held in Carthage, Paris and Clear Lake respectively.

"We are delighted that the first West Texas "Capital for a Day" program will be held in Abilene," said Mayor Gary McCaleb. "It is an honor for us to host the governor and state agency heads and a unique opportunity for Abilene to play a small role in helping government reach the people in personal and meaningful way."

Virtually every major state agency will set up shop from 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. in Abilene Civic Center to answer questions and address specific concerns of local citizens. "Our goal is to listen and to make ourselves available to the people of Texas," Richards said. "Local participation is critical to the success of the program. I encourage the citizens of the Abilene region to come to the Abilene Civic Center and personally tell those of us in government what's on their minds."

The day's events will culminate with a Town Hall meeting beginning at 7:00 p.m. in the Abilene Civic Center. Richards will make brief comments, then she and the agency heads will answer questions from the audience. Participants will be admitted on a first-come, first-served basis.

Expected participants are Garry Mauro, Land Commissioner; Mary Scott Nabers, Railroad Commissioner; Skip Meno, Education Commissioner; Martha Whitehead, State Treasurer; John Hannah, Secretary of State; John Hall, Texas Natural Resource Conservation Commission; Cathy Bonner, Texas Department of Commerce; Robert Hunter, Commissioner of Insurance; Andrew Sansom, Texas Department of Parks and Wildlife; John Poulard, General Services Commission, which deals with state purchasing, building services, etc.; Richard Ladd, Texas Department of Health and Human Services; David Smith, Texas Department of Health; Burton Raiford, Commissioner of Human Services; Ronnie Krist, Texas Department of Public Safety; Bill Burnett, Texas Department of Transportation; Henry Flores, Texas Department of Housing and Community Affairs. Also expected are still-to-be named representative of the Attorney General's office, Comptroller's office and Public Utilities Commission.

Some officials also are expected to be available for tours or other activities in the community. Anyone interested in arranging such activities should make their requests in writing through the Abilene Chamber of Commerce. Charlie Dromgoole, chamber president, asked that the letters be sent to the Chamber at P.O. Box 2281, Abilene, 79604. The letters will be forwarded to the proper agency.

## Greg Clonts Represents Nation's Community Banks

During a recent trip to Washington, D.C., Greg Clonts, President of Citizens Bank with offices in Knox City and Abilene, Texas, met with more than 100 bankers from across the country to discuss the latest in financial products, technologies and competitive strategies.

"With the 21st Century just around the corner, it's an exciting time to be in banking," said Clonts. "By staying on the cutting-edge of financial services, we can ensure a bright future for America's small banks and the communities we serve."

As a member of the American Bankers Association's Community Bankers Council, Clonts helps assess the professional, regulatory and legislative needs of the

nation's 10,000 community banks. Council members visited their Senatorial and Congressional offices while in Washington.

"One of our major goals for 1994 is to reduce the sea of red tape that banks and our customers must wade through every day. This council assures representation of community banks like Citizens Bank when setting ABA's policies," Clonts said.

The American Bankers Association is the national trade and professional association for America's commercial banks. Assets of ABA member banks are about 90 percent of the industry total.

Approximately 94 percent are community banks with assets of less than \$500 million.

### Letters From Our Readers

Dear Mr. Thompson,  
Since your editorial in the January 6th edition of *The Knox County News*, we (Daisy Troop 168) have decided to help with the beautification efforts of Knox City. Monday, January 10, we started our efforts by picking up an area of about six blocks. We have decided to recycle the aluminum cans and throw away the rest. We will try and keep our efforts up by making this a once a month project.  
Sincerely,  
The members of Daisy Troop 168

SONNY  
NIRKI  
JACKIE  
Akisha  
Jamilla  
Brittany  
Mrs. Daniel  
Miss Rolo  
Miss Rolo

Come In And See Our Celebration and McPherson's Wedding Items, they are beautiful! The NEWS Office

### Knox City 4-H News By Roni Morrow

The Knox City 4-H Club held its monthly meeting January 11. Paul Weiser, Knox County Extension Agent, presented a great program preparing us for the County Livestock Show.

Congratulations to all participants of the Livestock Show. The results are elsewhere in the paper.

Anyone interested in the 4-H Electric project, please contact Brenda or Jim Larned (658-5163) as soon as possible.

There will be a meeting for parents and leaders February 1, 7:00 p.m., at the Aging Center in Knox City. They will be discussing the Clothing Project Show. Knox County will host the District Fashion Show on April 23rd. So please come to the meeting if you are interested in this project.

We enjoyed games and refreshments after our meeting. Our next meeting will be February 8, 5:30-6:30 p.m. at the Community Center at Knox City. We are planning a Valentine Party and hope everyone can come. See you next month!

Office Supplies. The Knox County News

From the depths of our hearts we would like to thank all our friends and family for all your acts of kindness.  
The flowers and food and your loving concern, prayers, and support will mean more than you'll ever know.  
God Bless all of you.  
The Watson Family

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**Benjamin School Lunch Menus**  
For Week of January 24 thru 28, 1994  
**BREAKFAST**  
Monday, January 24 - Cheese toast, juice, milk.  
Tuesday, January 25 - Sausage, biscuit and gravy, orange half, milk.  
Wednesday, January 26 - Glazed donuts, bacon, juice, milk.  
Thursday, January 27 - Ham, scrambled eggs, toast and jelly, juice, milk.  
Friday, January 28 - Cereal, toast, fruit, milk.  
**LUNCH**  
Monday, January 24 - Burritos, whole kernel corn, green salad, chocolate sheath cake, milk.  
Tuesday, January 25 - Turkey and dumplings, pea salad, mashed potatoes, hot rolls, honey and butter, milk.  
Wednesday, January 26 - Fish with tarter sauce, macaroni and cheese, baked beans, hush puppies, peaches with topping, milk.  
Thursday, January 27 - Chicken spaghetti, lettuce and tomato salad, green beans, hot rolls, honey and butter, milk.  
Friday, January 28 - Chili dogs, french fries, onions, sweet relish, pork and beans, ice cream, milk.

**Area Oil News**  
King  
Hunt Oil Co., Midland, completed No. 2 O-R-D S.B. Burnett Estate in the Captain Burk (Strawn Reef) 16 miles southeast of Guthrie. Spots 900FSL and 2,722 FWL, Section 54, Block 3, BS&F. Daily pumping potential was 117 bbls. of 38-gravity oil and 593 bbls. of water from perfs at 5,242-82. GOR 80:1. Total depth 5,400; 5 1/2-inch casing set at 5,393.

**Casillas Completes Helicopter Repair Course**  
FORT RUCKER, Daleville, Ala. - Army Pvt. Chris M. Casillas has completed a utility (UH-1) helicopter repair course here.  
The course was designed to provide enlisted personnel with a working knowledge in organizational, direct and general support maintenance on the UH-1 helicopter. Personnel were trained in the duties of crew chief and record keeper.  
Casillas is the son of Aurora and Richard Garcia of O'Brien.

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**Knox County Hospital Clinics**  
Appointments at both clinics not required, but helpful

**Knox City Clinic**  
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658-3906 or 658-3909  
Monday thru Saturday  
9:00 am to 12:00 noon  
**Munday Clinic**  
Dr. Shirley Barretto, M.D.  
422-5271 or 422-4251  
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**Reminder To Taxpayers**  
**JANUARY 31, 1994**  
IS THE LAST DAY TO PAY YOUR 1993 TAXES AND AVOID THE ADDITIONAL PENALTY AND INTEREST CHARGES

**HOMESTEAD EXEMPTIONS**  
Homeowners are not required to file a homestead exemption annually. If you are already receiving the state mandated \$5,000 homestead exemption or additional over sixty-five \$10,000 exemption, you need not reapply for the taxing year of 1993. However, if you became 65 after January 1, 1993, and before January 1, 1994, you need to apply for the additional over 65, \$10,000 exemption. If you have changed your place of residency you need to apply for a new exemption. All homestead exemption applications must be filed with Chief Appraiser Stanton Brown, between the dates of January 1, 1994 and May 1, 1994. These exemption forms are available at the Knox County Appraisal District Office, which is located in the Knox County Courthouse.

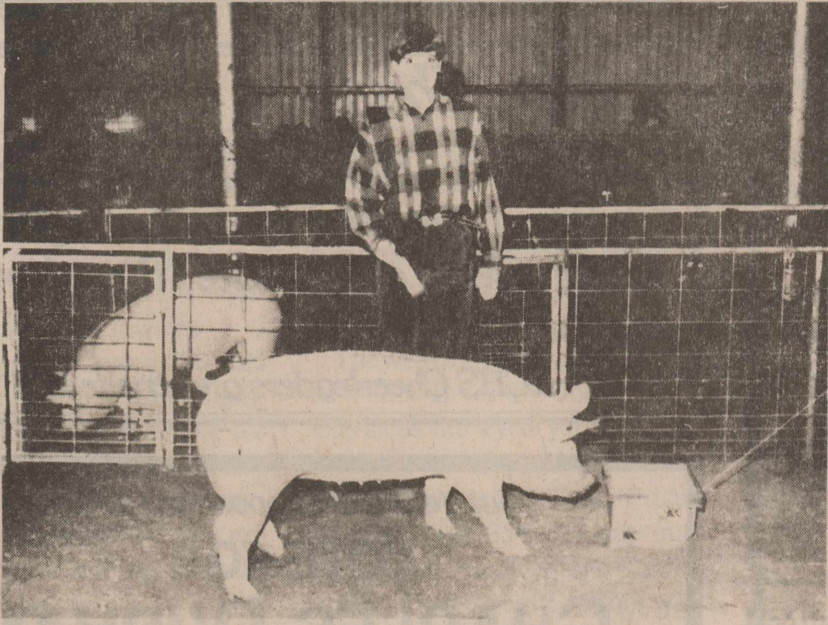
**AG-USE EXEMPTIONS**  
Annual applications for qualifying land for agriculture use is not required. If you have been receiving the AG-USE exemption on your land in prior years, you need not reapply for the exemption. If you have recently purchased a farm, you need to report this to the Chief Appraiser. AG-USE exemption forms are also available at the Appraisal District Office. Deadline for filing new exemptions are between January 1, 1994 and May 1, 1994.

**DISABLED VETERANS EXEMPTION**  
These exemptions need to be applied for annually. If you received your exemption on the 1993 tax roll, you will automatically receive it for the tax year of 1994. However, if your disability percentage has changed, you need to report the change to the Chief Appraiser. Deadline for filing new exemptions are between January 1, 1994 and May 1, 1994.

**RENDITIONS**  
Taxpayers are reminded that it is still their responsibility to render their property to the Chief Appraiser. These rendition forms are also available at the Appraisal District Office. Deadline for tax renditions is between January 1, 1994 and April 1, 1994.  
If you have any questions about your exemptions or any other ad valorem tax related question, Chief Appraiser, Stanton Brown invites you to write Knox County Appraisal District, Box 47, Benjamin, Texas or call 454-3891. If the Appraisal District employees can be of any assistance, please let us help.

# Knox City Livestock Show

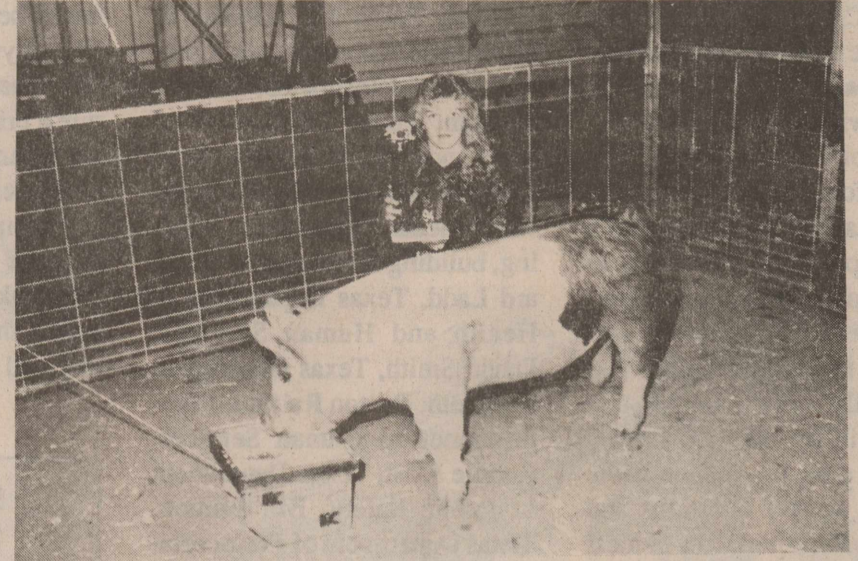
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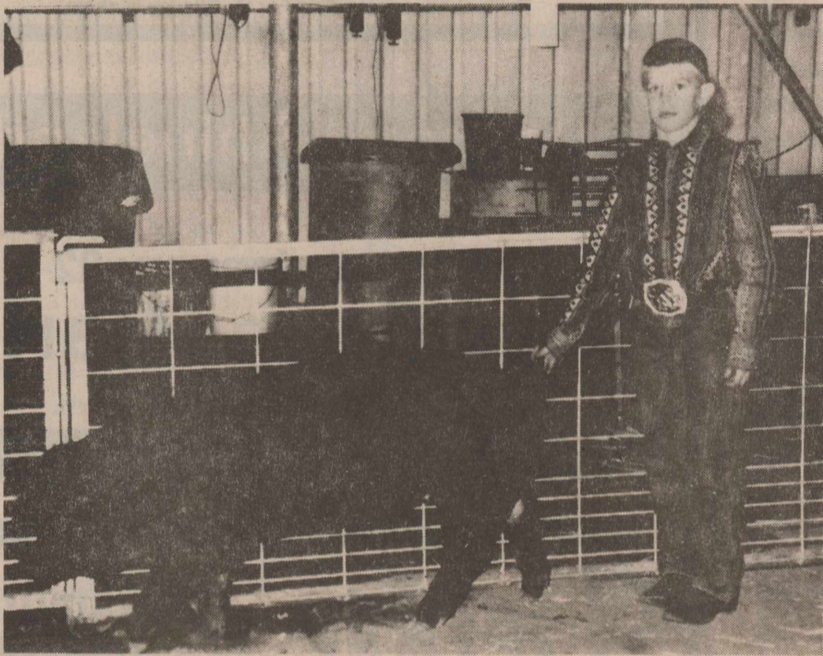
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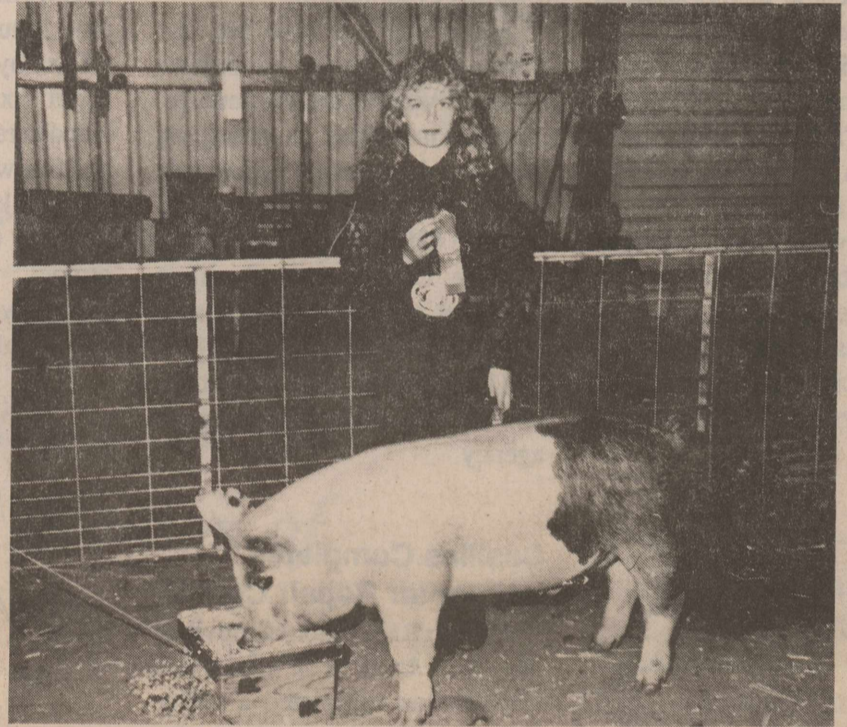
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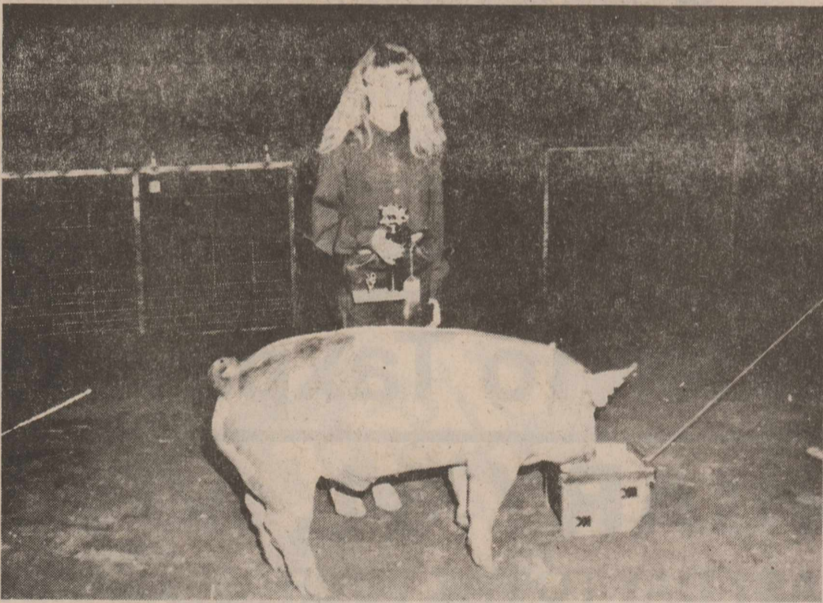
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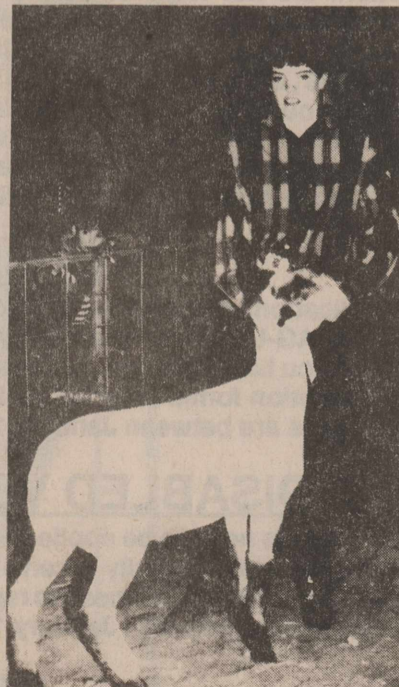
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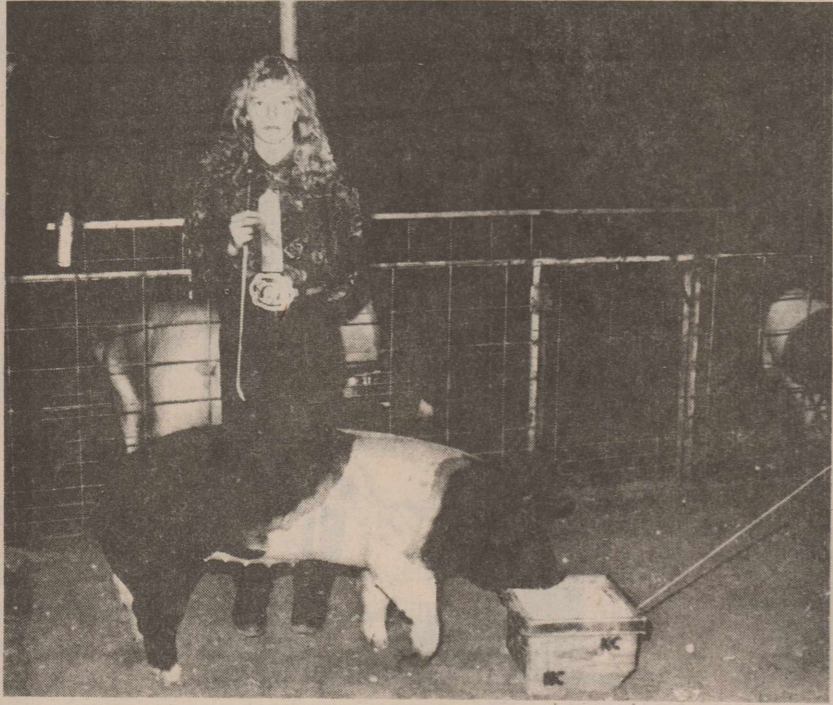


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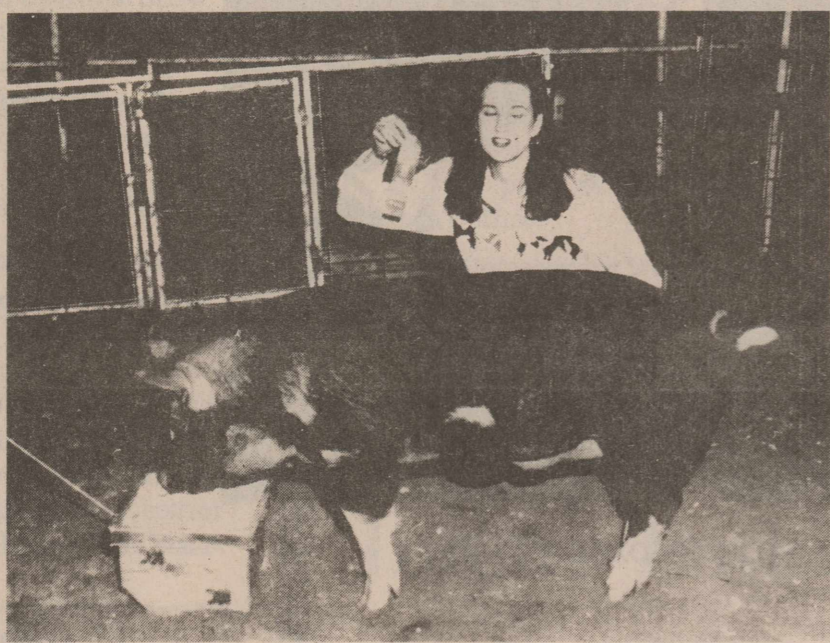
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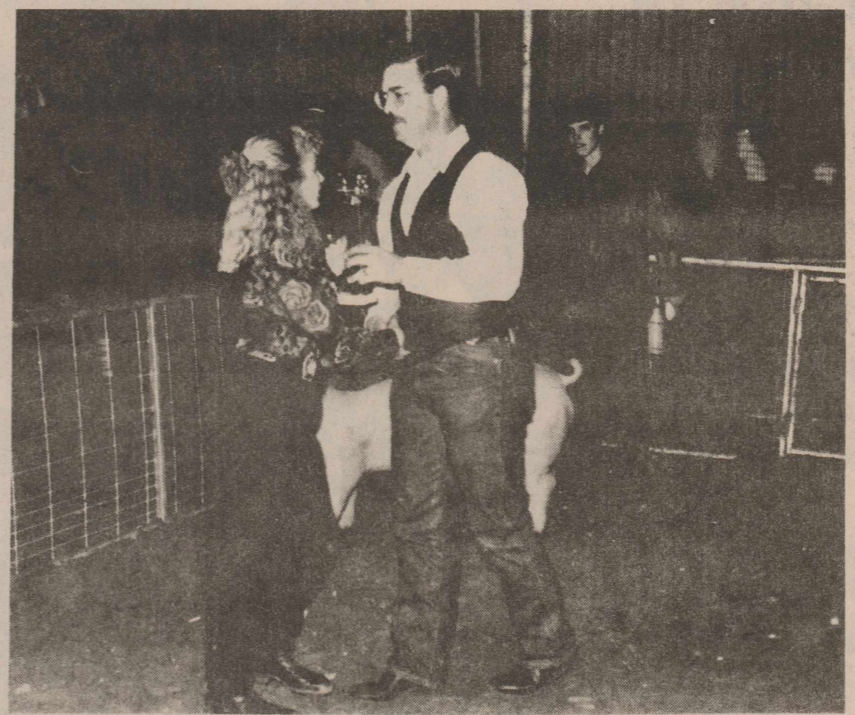
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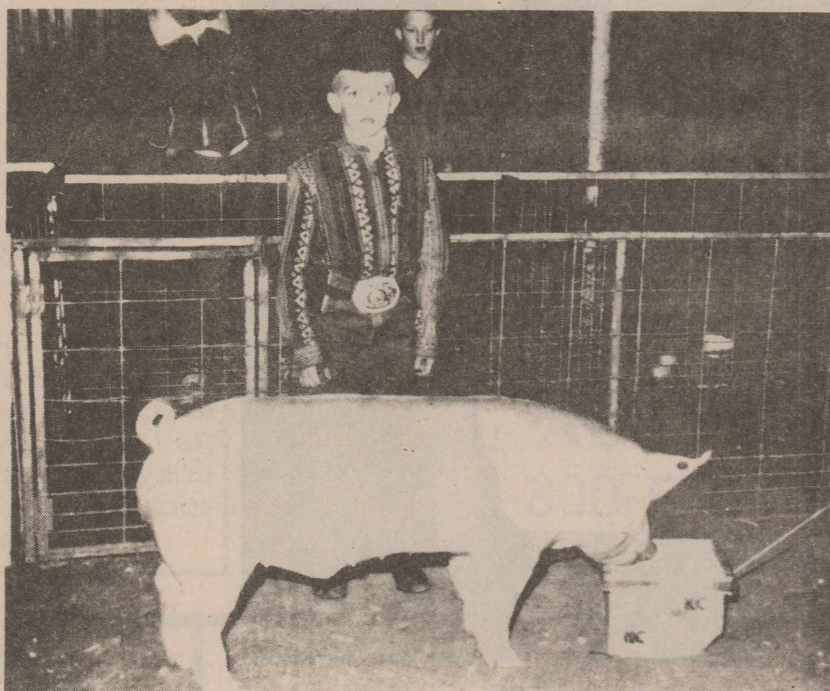
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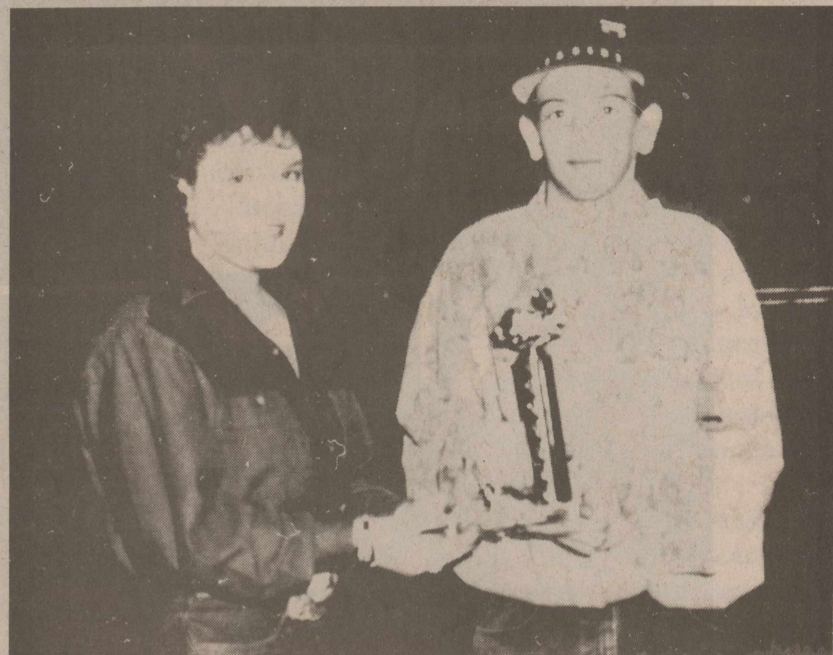
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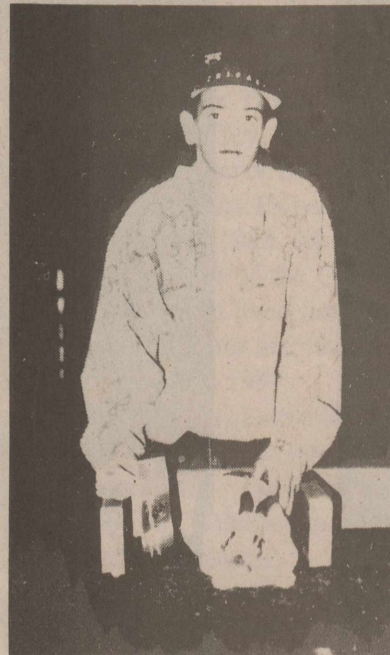
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AARON LARGE receives trophy from LILA RECTOR



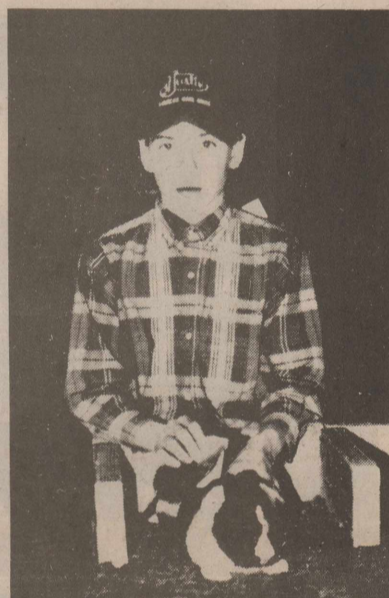
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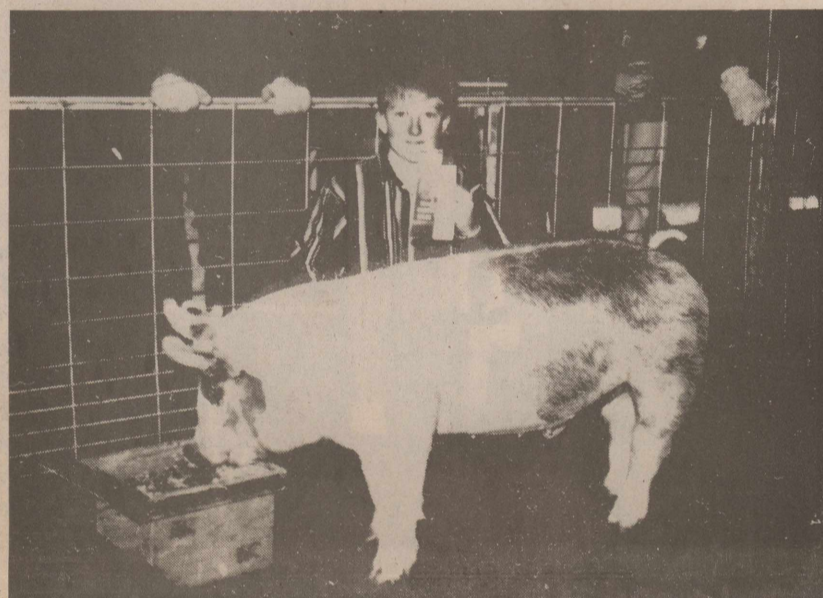
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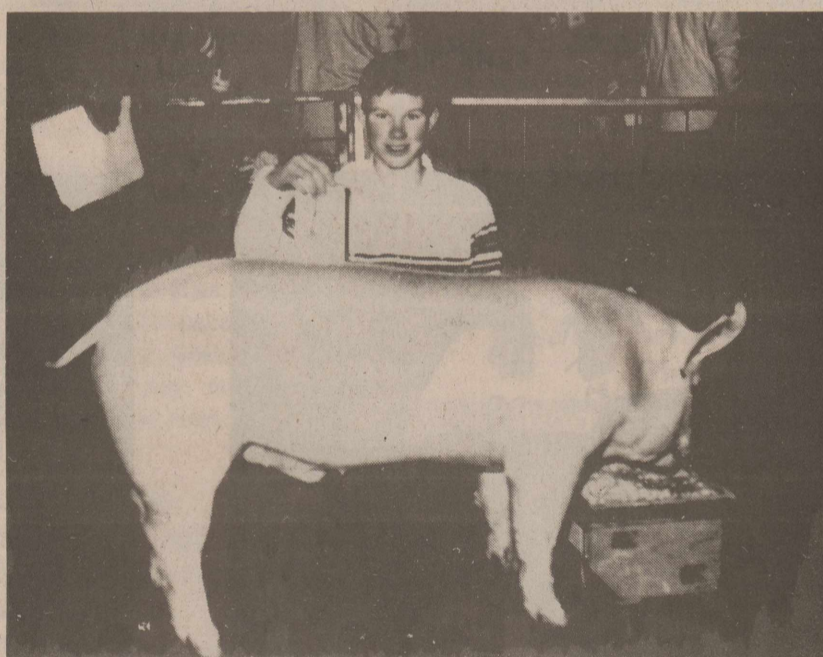
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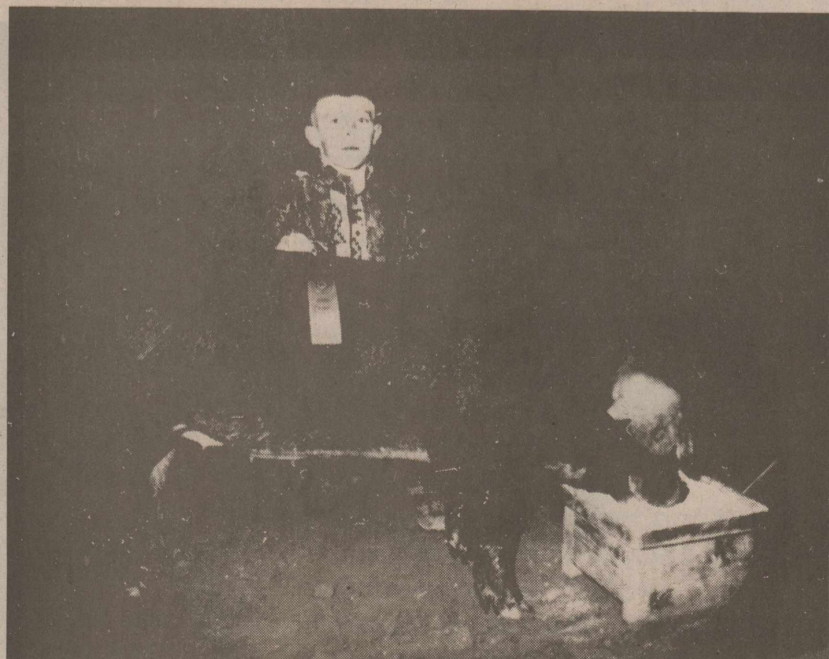
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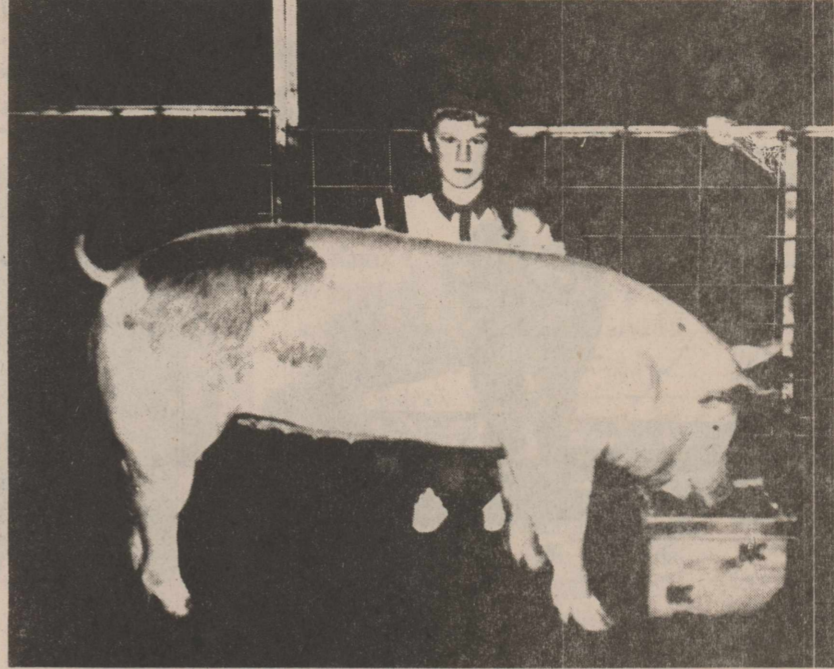
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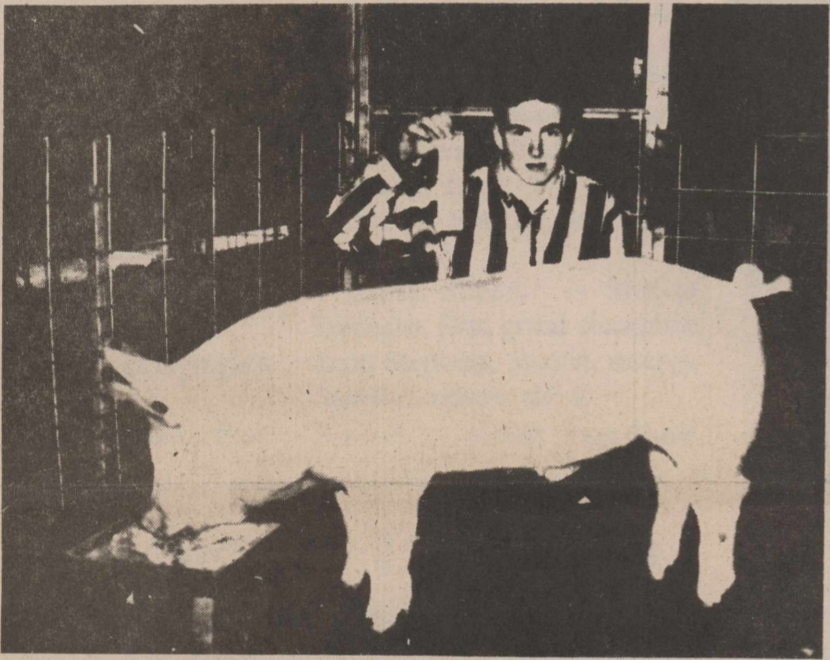
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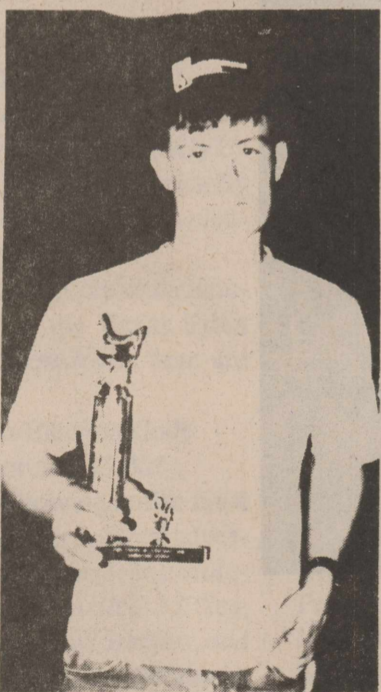
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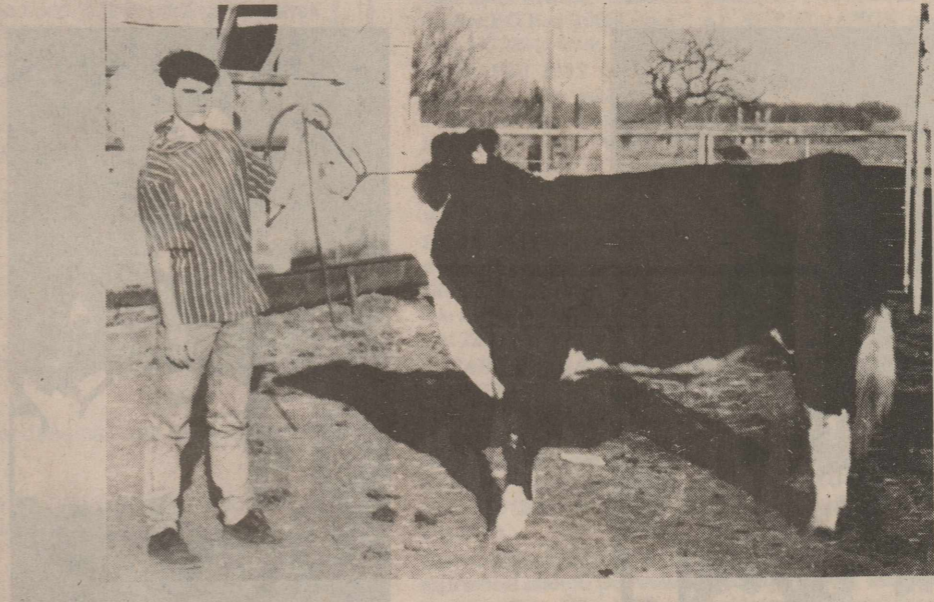
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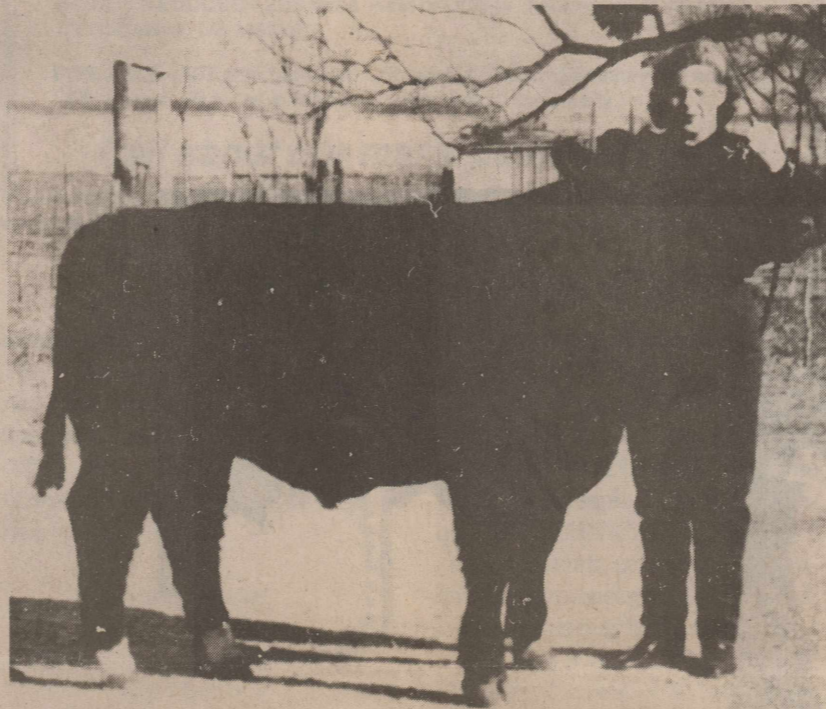
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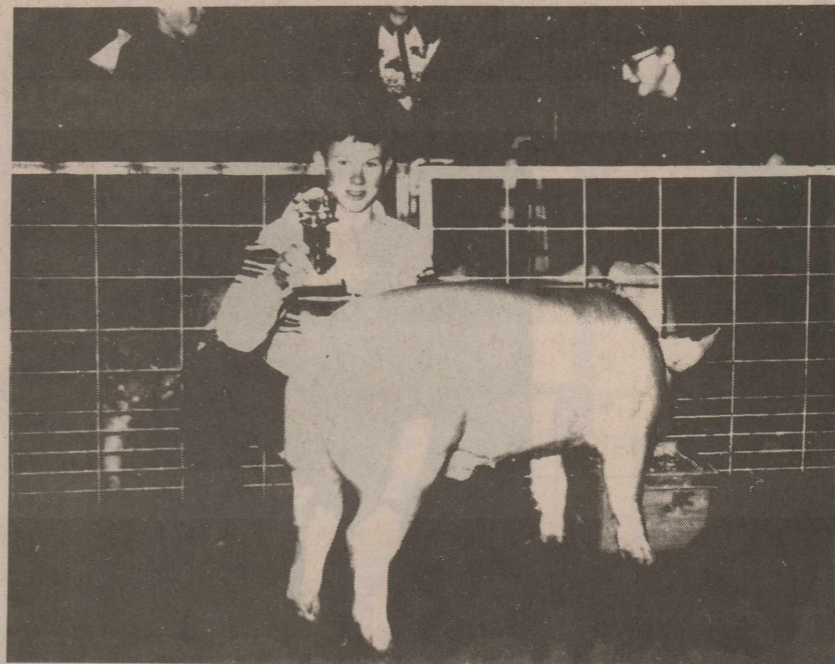
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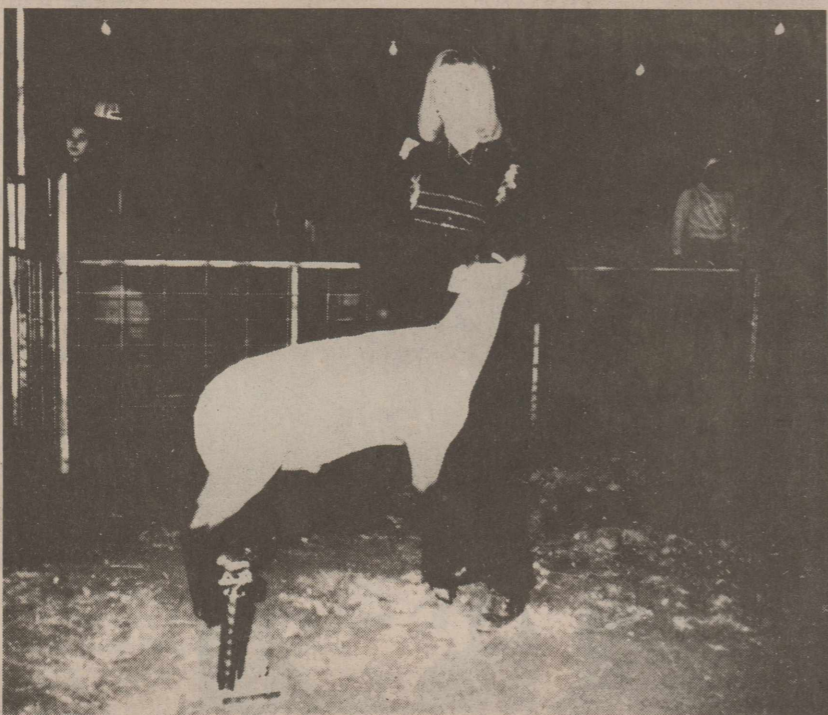
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