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REPRÉSENTING KNOX CITY HIGH SCHOOL in the area Texas Academic Decathlon competition held Friday and Saturday, January 17 and 18, at Abilene High School were from left, front row, R.J. Rizan, Diana Estrada and Stefani Stephens. Back row, from left, sponsor Renella Watson, Chris Bartley, Kristi Rocha, Amanda Baker and Lauren Clonts. Not shown is sponsor Mack Lowe. (NEWS Photo)

KCHS places third in Texas academic decathlon held Jan. 17 and 18 in Abilene

The area Texas Academic Decathlon competition was held at Abilene High School in Abilene Friday, January 17 and Saturday, January 18.

The Knox City team placed third in overall rankings in the small schools division. Denver City placed first and Dalhart placed second.

Students competing were Honors: Diana Estrada, Stefani

Stephens, Lauren Clonts; Scholastic: Amanda Baker, Chris Bartley, R.J. Rizan; Varsity, Kristi

Students bringing home medals were Honors: Diana Estrada, third place, economics; Diana Estrada, second place, speech; Lauren Clonts, second place, interview; Scholastic: R.J. Rizan, second place, social science; Amanda Baker, third place, eco-

nomics; Amanda Baker, third place, essay; Amanda Baker, third place, interview.

Highest ranking individual team medalists were Diana Estrada, Honors; Amanda Baker, Scholastic; Kristi Rocha, Varsity.

Super Quiz ranking were Knox City, third place.

Sponsors for the decathalon contest were Renella Watson and

Youth basketball season set to begin with registration Thursday night at 6:00

It's that time again! Parents of Little Dribblers, kindergarten through sixth grade, are asked to take note that registration will be Thursday, January 23, at 6:00 p.m. at the Knox City school cafeteria.

The registration fee of \$10.00 will be collected at this time to cover the cost of shirts and insur-

A few more coaches in various grade levels are also still needed. Those interested in coaching or those that might have questions about the Youth Basketball program may contact Sharon Wainscott at 658-3221 or Tammy Gonzales at 658-3030. Please leave a message for a call back.



FIRST LIBRARY DAY - Tuesday was a big day for seven "pre"-pre-kindergarteners as they met with their next year's teacher Kathyleen Bowen for an hour long session. Mrs. Bowen read the story of the Gingerbread Man and the children played games and learned songs about him. Enjoying the decorated Gingerbread Man cookies during the first Library Day at Knox City Elementary were front row, from left, Nicholas Estrada, Kalee Ainsworth and Taylor Chappell. Back row, from left, are Will Kuehler, Mrs. Bowen, Santos Espinal, Whitney Collins and Camille Ward. The Library Day program is for children who will be four years old by September 1, 1997, and will be starting pre-kindergarten in the fall. Those interested in their child participating are asked to call the elementary office at 658-3785. (NEWS Photo)

Knox City's area code will change in May from 817 to 940

SAN ANGELO - - The new area codes for much of the present 817 area code will go in service May 25, 1997, according to GTE.

The Fort Worth metropolitan area will retain the 817 area code. This includes the GTE exchanges of Azle, Grapevine, Keller, Reno and Springtown.

The area north of the Fort Worth metro area and the remainder of the northern part of the present 817 area, including most of Palo Pinto County and the extreme northern part of Stephens County, will be in the 940 area code.

GTE service areas going to the 940 area code will be Argyle, Aspermont, Bartonville, Benjamin, Denton, Haskell, Holliday, Justin, Kamay, Knox City, Megargel, Munday, Pilot Point, Rochester, Rule, Seymour, Throckmorton, Tioga and Wein-

The area south of the Fort Worth metro area and the remainder of the southern area of the present 817 area, including the extreme southern part of Palo Pinto County and most of Stephens County, will be in the new 254 area code.

GTE service areas going to the new 254 area code are Burlington, Bynum, Chilton, Crawford, Cross Plains, Dawson, Glen Rose, Hubbard, Irene, Lott, Malone, May, Morgan, Mount Calm, Riesel, Rising Star, Rogers, Rosebud, Walnut Springs and Whitney.

The new 940 and 254 area codes will go in service May 25, 1997. A three month permissive dialing period will allow customers to receive calls dialed to their former area code as well as the newlyassigned area code. Beginning August 24, 1997, the new area code must be dialed for the call to complete to the party being called. Callers dialing the incorrect area code beginning August 24 will receive a recording until September 21 telling the the area code has

changed or they cannot complete the call as dialed, or in some cases, they may reach another party who has been assigned the number in the 817 area.

The need for new area codes indicates the continued dynamic economic growth of Texas, as well as growth in telephone services such as wireless, pagers, fax machines and computer lines. The Dallas area opened a new 972 area code to suburban Dallas cities in September, and a new 281 area code began serving the suburban Houston area in Novem-

In addition to the new codes for 817 customers, two new codes will be added in the 210 area code in the summer of 1997. The San Antonio metro area wil retain the 210 area code. The northern section of the present 210 area code will change to a 830 area code while those in the southern part of existing 210 area will change to a 956 area code.

Texas FFA President, officers visit Knox City to speak with high school students

FFA members who lead chapagriscience students may pioneer advances in genetics tomorrow. Students who join agricultural education and FFA know they can apply what they learn in class to more than just the test: they're gaining career and leadership skills to last a lifetime.

That is the message that Tanessa Saathoff, 1996-97 Texas FFA President, and Cody Nash, 1996-97 Texas FFA First Vice President, communicated to the students and FFA members at Knox City High School on Janu-

Saathoff and Nash spoke of how setting personal goals can lead to success in life. Saathoff, 18, of Devine, communicated the need for students to take an active role in planning for their future and how the FFA can help students achieve excellence. Nash, also 18, of Tolar, stressed the importance of careful choices and commitment to high standards of

achievement. Two of a 10-member state ofthan 60,000 miles and speak at more than 300 schools promoting agricultural education and the FFA. In addition to meeting with members on the local, district, area, state and national level, they will meet with leaders of government, education, business and agriculture. They will also participate in a Texas FFA Foundationsponsored business and industry tour program in the cities of Dallas, Fort Worth, San Antonio, Houston and Amarillo designed to strengthen relations between the FFA and the world of work.

Prior to her election a President, Saathoff served as Area VII First Vice President, Revaldina District Reporter and Devine Chapter President. Her supervised agricultural experience program consists of showing Brangus heifers, showing market steers and market barrows, and a registered Brangus cow / calf operation. She is the recipient of a \$10,000 San Antonio Livestock Exposition Scholarship. Saathoff is taking a

ficer team, they will meet thou- year-long leave of absence from ter meetings may one day preside sands of FFA members in the com- Texas A&M University to serve at board meetings. Today's ingschool year as they travel more as Texas FFA President. After her year of service, she will major in agriculture development. A career in public relations or agriculture sales for an agribusiness or breed association, as well as raising Brangus cattle, is her goal after graduation from college.

> Nash served as Area VIII President, Lake Whitney District President and Tolar Chapter President prior to his election in July. His supervised agricultural experience program consists of showing Brahman heifers, showing market barrows and market goats, and a registered Brahman cow / calf operation. He plans to major in agriculture communications at Texas Tech University at the end of his term in office. Nash's future career plans include promoting agriculture for an agribusiness, as well as expanding his Brahman cattle herd.

> FFA is a national organization of 445,000 members preparing for leadership and careers in the science, business and technology of agriculture.

King County Livestock and Project show to held this weekend in Guthrie

The annual King County Livestock and Project Show will be held January 24 and 25 at the King County Community Center Complex. One hundred two animals are entered in the livestock division and some 250 project entries are expected in the project

Schedule of events:

Friday, January 24 - 8:00-9:30 a.m. - Check in projects for project show in Community Center, 10:00 a.m. - Judging project show, By 5:00 p.m. - All animals must be in

Saturday, January 25 - 8:30 a.m. - Judging of Goats, Sheep followed by Swine, Noon - Judging Rabbits, 1:00 p.m. - Judging Steers, 5:30 p.m. - Donor-Buyer Barbecue Supper, 7:00 p.m. - Premium Sale.

The judge for the 1997 Livestock Show will be Todd Vineyard, Jones County Extension Agent from Anson.

Project show judges are Monica Hutcherson and Lynn Davis from Memphis. Bill Dennis of Stamford will auctioneer the Premium Sale.

The King County Livestock Association directors Dwayne Green, Tavia Vinson, Keith Richardson, Duane Daniel, Bruce Ferguson, Reggie Hatfield, Jay Hurt and Suzie Adams invite everyone to come and support the 4-H, FFA and FHA youth for the two days of exhibiting their projects and animals.

An invitation is extended to attend the Donor-Buyer Barbecue at 5:30 p.m. and Premium Sale at 7:00 p.m. to financially support the youth of King County in their project involvement.

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O'Brien News

By Audie Johnston, O'Brien Correspondent

"Visiting a local department store, my wife and I purchased a piece of luggage and a cooler. As I browsed in the show department, waiting for my ife to finish the rest of her shopping, a clerk asked if he could be of assistance. 'No, thank you,' I replied. 'I'm just waiting for my wife.' At that point, a man behind me said, "I'm waiting for my wife, too, but I never thought to bring lunch and an overnight bag."

HERE AND THERE

Janoma Stephens is in Austin the first few days of this week attending an executive meeting of the Texas Federation of Women's Clubs. Pollye Wheeler of Albany accompanied her to headquarters.

Dwight Gothard was in Blackwell last week to attend the funeral for his daughter-in-law. Kay Gothard's mother. Jimmy Johnston drove for Dwight to the

Ivan Rowan's brother in law of Amety, Arkansas, passed away Monday morning early. Harold

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Pounds was the husband of Ivan's sister, Lucy. Claudale and Jean Barnard were in Lubbock Thursday and

Friday for Claudale to meet with his VA doctor. They visited with their daughter, Claudia Bryant and husband Eddie and family.

Over the Christmas holidays, Bro. Bil and Evelyn Trice had their children visit them. Those visiting were Rendi, Marti and Joni Carlton and a college friend of Marti's James Gresham and their son, John Mark, Gena, Joshua and Jacqi Trice, and their daughter Ruthie Acree, husband Bob and son Matthew of Knox City.

Edith Broach of Lubbock is spending a few days with Betty Poe, Leonia Raby and Oather and Hope Poe.

ATTEND SERVICES

Out of town visitors of Hazel Tankersley during the weekend were Lyndol and Jere Cypert of McKinney, J.T. and Freida Cypert of Mesquite, Ray and Laresa of Vernon, Joe and Peggy Smith of Justiceburg, Marlene Hamer of Grapevine, and Jim and Wynette Hollis of Richardson.

They were here for the funeral of Truman Cypert held Sunday at the First United Methodist Church in Munday.

Horse Salve Eases Arthritis Pain

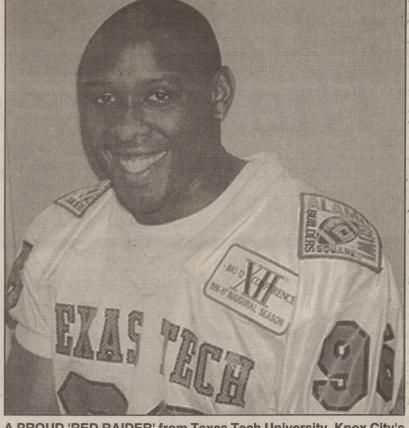
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A PROUD 'RED RAIDER' from Texas Tech University, Knox City's own Duane Toliver stopped by the NEWS recently to show the staff his game jersey from the recent Builders Square Alamo Bowl in San Antonio. A 'red shirted' freshman defensive end on the Texas Tech team this year, Duane is anxiously anticipating next season as he hopes to play quite a bit due to defensive end Tony Daniels entry into the NFL draft at the close of the 1996 season. Duane's parents are Larry and Vickie Toliver of Knox City.

(NEWS Photo)

O'Brien Middle School to host open house for parents on Jan. 23



By Eddie Bland Principal, O'Brien Middle School

The second semester of school is well underway.

Students, parents, and teachers have recovered from the holidays and are back in the school routines. We are looking forward to another successful semester of

Just like the rest of the community, O'Brien Middle School is suffering through the cold and flu season, a number of students have had to miss school due to illness. Absences due to illness are excused, however it is important that students and parents understand that the school work missed during these absences must be made up in a timely fashion. Students missing school due absences will have a number of days equal to the days absent plus one to make up missed work. It is understood that absences due to illness cannot be avoided, however it is also important students and parents to understand the importance of making up the work in a timely manner. Students can fall further and further behind in their work if the do not make up the missed work. The O'Brien Middle School teachers will provide assignments for students to work on while they are absent when requested to do so.

Enough about runny noses, fever, and missed homework assignments. The O'Brien Middle School 7th and 8th grade basketball teams are in the stretch run of their basketball season. There are two regular season games and two tournaments remaining on the schedule. The girls tournament will be the weekend of February 1 and the boys tournament will be the weekend of February 8. Both tournaments will be held in Seymour. Last week the 8th grade students were measured for graduation caps and gowns. This is a sure sign that we are fully into the spring semester. Before you know it spring break will have come and gone, and we will be fast approaching the end of the school year.

This Thursday night from 6:30 PM to 8:30 PM O'Brien Middle School will be hosting an open house for parents, family, friends, and community members. Those attending the open house will have the opportunity to visit classrooms, see examples of student work, and hear about classroom activities. The O'Brien Middle School P.T.O. will be sponsoring a soda and pizza party for the grade level with the highest percentage parent attendance to at' the open house, so be sure and

We look forward to seeing you Thursday night!

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Rites are held Wednesday for Serena Johnston

Funeral service for Serena Austin Johnston of Lubbock, former O'Brien resident, were held Wednesday afternoon, January 22, at two o'clock in the O'Brien Baptist Church with the Rev. Bill Trice officiating. Burial was in the O'Brien Cemetery with Smith Funeral Home in charge of arrangements.

Mrs. Johnston, 95, died Monday, January 20, at Methodist Hospital in Lubbock.

Born June 17, 1901, in Anson, she married William G. (Bill) Johnston on November 19, 1921, in O'Brien. He preceded her in death in 1970. Mrs. Johnston was a member of the O'Brien Baptist Church and moved to Lubbock about 12 years ago from O'Brien. She was a member of Southcrest Baptist Church in Lubbock.

Survivors include two sons, Billy Gene Johnston of Graham and Dwayne Johnston of Lubbock; a daughter, Iris Hughes of Lubbock; three sisters, Margaret Walls of Farmington, New Mexico, Emma Powell of Levelland and Meretta Houlette of El Paso; eight brothers, B.T. Austin of West Covina, California; George Austin, W.A. Austin, Russell Austin and Donald Austin, all of Lubbock; Donis Austin of Leander, Guy Austin of Farwell and Partin Austin of Springtown, Missouri; six grandchildren, ten great-grandchildren, and three great-grandchildren.

She was preceded in death by a brother, Cecil Austin.

Great-grandsons served as pallbearers.

> O'Brien School Open House Thursday, 6:30 - 8:30

Benjamin News

By Gladene Green, Benjamin Correspondent

Thank goodness for a few warm days. Those days of such cold weather were very unpleasant to me. Realizing we need the cold and moisture, I still like the balmy days. And our weather wasn't bad at all! Guess if we (or at least I) lived in states where it really gets bad, I couldn't make it! Oh well - so goes the weather for this week!

ABOUT OUR ILL

Dutch Young is in the Wichita
General Hospital undergoing tests for
some back problems. Hopefully, his

some back problems. Hopefully, his hospital stay will be short and the test results will not prove anything too serious.

Bud and Debbie Clower left today (Monday) for Houston where Bud will undergo a checkup. For a while now, he will be going every two weeks until his new problem is taken care of. He's feeling fairly well, according to his daughter, Vicki.

Leroy West goes back to Fort Worth weekly for a checkup with his kidney doctor. He's doing well. Says he feels great and is able to do so much more than he could before his transplant.

Linda Cox spent Friday night in an Abilene hospital undergoing tests. She was having some pretty bad headaches and doctors say it's due to migraines. She was feeling much better this afternoon. Visiting Linda and her mom, Odessa, during the weekend were Harry Cox of Prairie Hill and Reba Morrell of Humble. Reba remained for a longer visit.

Mike Lyles was in Abilene last week for some tests and will go back for more this week. We wish Mike, as well as all these other friends, a speedy return to good health. HERE 'N THERE

Mr. and Mrs. Donald Hall of Lubbock visited Bud Conner and Leroy and Gloria West Sunday. They were enroute home after visiting his mom, Louise, in Vernon. Says Louise is doing well.

Bobby and Stephanie Brannan of Lubbock were weekend guests of his mom, Gertrude, and other relatives and friends. Dutch and Imagean Young and grandson, Anthony Lamb, were in Wichita Falls last Wednesday night to see the Harlem Globe-trotters in action.

In last week's list of those "back to school", I failed to mention that Ricky Trepanier enrolled in Tech at midterm so he too is now among the college crowd.

Visiting Jack and Mary Jane Young over the weekend were Marjorie Melton and Jimmy Davis of Lubbock.

BASKETBALL NEWS
By Coach Josselet

The junior high girls took on the Goree Wildcats on Friday night and what a barn burner it was. The girls scored a season high 50 points in a double overtime game but despite a valiant effort and only playing with three players the last minute of the second overtime the Lady Stangs fell short by one point losing in overtime 51.50

On Saturday, the junior high girls traveled to Guthrie to play in a basketball tournament. The ladies opened up the tournament against a strong Guthrie team. The ladies fell short in their opener and would now be matched against Patton Springs in the third place game. The ladies got into foul trouble during this game early but we were playing aggressive on defense. The ladies went in at halftime with a 17-12 lead. In the second half the girls executed really well on both ends of the floor and were able to extend their lead and win the game 28-15 to take third place in the tournament.

The Lady Stangs took on the Goree Wildcats Friday night at home. The ladies started the game off with a bang scoring 15 points, but Goree came storming back to close the gap to within 6 by the end of the quarter. The ladies only managed six points in the second period as we struggled from the line.

The Wildcats hit some key shots in the second half and the Lady Stangs made some crucial turnovers late in the second half as the Lady Wildcats

took a district win with a 43-39 edge. We had three girls sick with the flu and we were not as sharp as we had been in the previous two games, but the bottom line is Goree stepped up and made the key plays.

We have a tough road ahead of us as we now must travel to the district leader, Northside, Tuesday to end the first round of district. We must refocus as we prepare for Tuesday's game. We must attack more defensively and we will have to stop Northside's inside game. If we can stay close going into the fourth quarter we will have an opportunity to win.

AGING CENTER MENUS January 27 through 31, 1997

Monday, January 27 - Swiss steak, tossed green salad, mixed vegetables, fried okra, sliced bread, brownies. Tuesday, January 28 - German sausage, spoon tomato salad, pinto beans, steamed cabbage, cornbread, cookies.

Wednesday, January 29 - Chicken and rice, carrot and raisin salad, green beans, light bread, peach cobbler. Thursday, January 30 - Frito pie, green salad, baked potato with butter, sliced bread, apricot cobbler.

Friday, January 31 - Chicken fried steak, tossed salad, mashed potatoes, green peas, hot rolls, pudding.

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

Card of Thanks

We wish to express our heartfelt thanks for your prayers, visits, flowers, food, calls, memorials and words of comfort to us on the death of our beloved father and grandfather, Otto Lawson.

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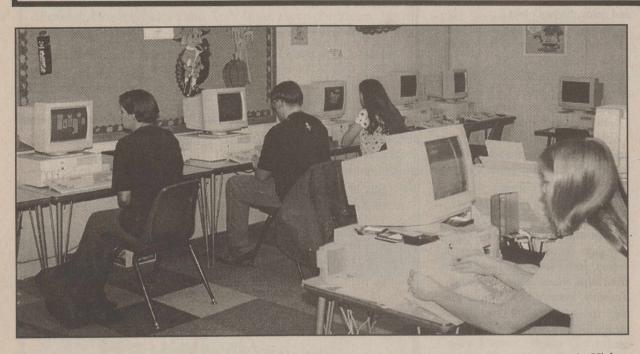
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Knox City High School students C1/stal Correll, Derrick Stovall, and Amy Hunt are pictured above at work in the High (photo by Jason Brandon) School Computer lab.

Technology comes to Knox City Schools

by: Amy Hunt

The Knox City High School and O'Brien Mid-School campuses are now equipped with some of the latest in computer technology. Students at these campuses will not be left out of the age of technology. The computers at both campuses are now networked, a process of connecting all computers in the lab to a main computer called a file server. The file server can access the students' work at any time. At the day's end, all of the accumulated work is saved on a tape back-up from the file server to prevent the loss of material. According to

FFA delivers goods, for stock prepares soo and hiss at the villain. swods

by: Amanda Baker

The Ag classes participated in their annual sale of fruits and meats for the Sales were excellent! Students would like to send a big thank you to all of the customers who bought from them.

FFA students have spent many hours getting their animals ready for the upcoming shows. Everyone hopes to place well

Students were busy completing projects in the shop before the semester ended. Some made Christmas gifts. As the gifts were being made, the shop resembled "Santa's workshop"!

Mrs. Tammie Dillon, High School Computer teacher, most of the bugs have been worked out and students as well as teachers are enjoying the new network. If all of this sounds confusing to you, you are not alone!

The Elementary computer lab was also networked last year. This year, a CD-ROM computer tower was added. This will enable seven CD's to load on a computer for students' use. This will greatly benefit the elementary computer curriculum. Elementary students are learning typing skills beginning in kindergarten.

Mrs. Dillon stated, "The three

campuses are working hard to provide students with updated technology. We have many ideas and plans for the future. We appreciate the support of the Administration and School Board in paving the way for our students to achieve technologically. Computer experience could be the path for many students' careers. We invite the public to stop by anytime and see our new labs.

The computer teachers are: Munoz; Elementary-Mark O'Brien- Matt Harrington and Kelly Bartley; High School-Tammie Dillon and Renella Watson



The Junior Class won the Spirit Weel competition with their "Dawg Pound"



Junior Kim Grimsley works on a computer assignment as Computer teacher Tammie Dillon looks on.

Seniors stay involved, prepare for new term

by: Amanda Baker

Joy to the World, Christmas break finally came. Love was shared and lots of presents exchanged on this glorified holiday. Everyone celebrated, and the seniors did too!

The halls were cleared after the spirit week for Homecoming. The halls looked pretty dull after that, so the Seniors put up a Christmas tree and decorated it. Our hallway brightened. The school participated in a canned food drive. It was done by each class. Each class member brought canned goods to put in the class box. The Senior class hopes that its contribution helped someone here have a better Christmas.

The Seniors are all excited that they only have five more months of high school. Senior activities have kept them really busy. Many are playing basketball. Seniors selected for the Academic Decathlon are Diana Estrada, Christi Rocha, Crystal Correll, Jonathan Rizan, Stefani Stephens, and Amanda Baker.

Several seniors participated in the Christmas parade and in various organizations like FFA, Student Council, and Band. After the holidays, the seniors came back to many new classes and to the realization that its almost over for them. They are ready for May!

Future plans at this time are for the

Student Council to attend the

upcoming State Convention. More

student activities are being planned

Four show at Jackpot

by: Natalie Bloxham

Four Knox City FFA students gain d show experience at the Mund y Jackpot held December 7 in Munday, Texas. They were Logan Morro v, Veronica Morrow, Nathan Bloxhara, and Natalie Bloxham.

Natalie won first and Best of Bre d with her crossbreed, and also Seni or Showmanship. Nathan placed four h with his duroc. Veronica placed eighth with her Hampshire. Log in showed a Yorkshire. The four participants reported having a great time and gained valuable show experience for upcoming shows.

Varsity boys basketball update

by: Jason Brandon

The varsity Greyhounds traveled to Rule on November 13 to begin their 1996-'97 basketball season, and they started out with a bang taking second place in the Rule Tournament. The Greyhounds defeated Rule and Trent handily before losing to the Jim Ned JV in the championship game. All-Tournament players were Anthony Ainsworth and Jason Brandon. The Greyhounds then returned to Knox City to take on the Jayton Jaybirds and defeated them 58-45. After a 22-69 romp by Hawley, the Greyhounds regrouped anddefeated Rochester 60-51 before going on Thanksgiving break. After the break, the Greyhounds traveled to Guthrie only to lose on a last-second three point attempt 47-50. In the Goree Tournament, the Greyhounds defeated Rochester JV, Benjamin, and Paint Creek to take first place. Anthony Ainsworth and Aaron Largereceived All-Tournament honors. At Jayton, the Greyhounds fell short of knocking off the Jaybirds 37-39, and in the last game before the Christmas holidays, the Greyhounds defeated Crowell 47-46 leaving Knox Citywith eight wins and four loses.

During the holidays, the Hounds took on Patton Springs. They were narrowly defeated by the Rangers 38-47. Starting off the first game of the new year was a first round loss to New Home in the Jayton Tournament, 45-50, followed by a win against the Jayton JV 65-24, and a disappointing loss to the Jayton Varsity, 44-48.

District play began January 10 as Munday defeated the Hounds 66-24. Senior starters Gabriel Bernal and Anthony Ainsworth were absent from the line up due to injuries sustained at the Jayton tournament.

BASKETBALL SCOREBOARD REPORT

November 14-January 10

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Girls Junior Varsity: KC 27 Jayton 22 KC 58 Rochester 29 Hawley JVTourney KC 34 Roby 28 KC 20 Anson 35 KC 49 Crowell 54 KC 36 Patton Springs 14 KC 32 Roby 31 KC 15 Munday 54

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BASKETBALL TEAM ROSTERS FOR 1996-97

Natalie Bloxham, Christina Hernandez, Kristy Short, Lauren Clonts, Kevina Walton, Brook Tankersley, Jessica Frazier, Mica Larned, Brandy Riggins, and Gloria Nevarez

Girls Varsity: Melissa Barnard, Michelle Collier, Diana Estrada, Sarah

Boys Junior Varsity: Brackston Barnard, Miles Richardson, Brandon Gutierrez, Kelly Estrada, Shawn Fortune, Andrew Magana, R.J. Pedroza, Scott Munoz, Jessie Rios, Kevin Casillas, Micheal Baez, Chris Garcia, and Timothy Serrano

Roman Munoz, and Ricky Ruiz

Student Council agenda builds spirit, helps needy

by: Lauren Clonts

The Student Council had a very busy schedule these past nine weeks as it sponsored several student activities including Spirit Week, a canned food drive, and a Christmas float.

Spirit Week was a big success. The week of Homecoming was made exciting by a class challenge to decorate the halls. The Knox City High School halls were red and blue, through and through. The Junior Class won the contest with their version of the "Dawg Pound", complete with its BEWARE sign. Sophomores came in second, and the freshmen and seniors tied for third. At the bonfire, Student Council President Jonathan Rizan presented the cheerleaders with red roses. On behalf of the Student Council and student body, he thanked them for all of their hard work during the football season. At the bonfire, the Student Council sponsored a tailgate party with free donated cokes. During the Christmas season, the Student Council had a canned food drive to benefit the needy people in our area.

The float entry made by the Student Council won first place in the Student division of the Christmas parade.



Kevin Casillas wears his "Spirit Week" hat.

THE PAST "

"Greyhound Pride" was evident when this sign was hung during Spirit Week. It has become a fixture in the High School hall.

Girls Junior Varsity: Tamara McGaughey, Jessica Garcis, Roni Morrow,

Lowe, Stefani Stephens, Audra Dale, Sara Dillon, Kim Grimsley, Amy Hunt, Tamieka Ware, Vallerie Rodriquez, and Vanessa Rodriquez

Boys Varsity: Anthony Ainsworth, Jason Brandon, Brandon Lewis, Willie McKinney, Gabriel Bernal, Sal Serrano, Jimmy Trevino, Aaron Large,

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GREYHOUND PRIDE





High School band members prepare for their winter music concert

Music concerts, plays thrill audiences over holidays

Music and laughter filled the Knox City auditorium on several occasions during December. Band and music teacher Tony McGowan thrilled teachers and students with beautiful and festive decorations as he transformed the auditorium into a beautiful Christmas wonderland. Everyone enjoyed just walking through it to see its new look.

The night of December 12, students in the elementary grades performed well rehearsed vocal numbers that further instilled the Christmas spirit. The enjoyment continued as the Mid-School and High School bands performed their Christmas concert on December 18. Finishing out an exciting week before the holidays was the presentation of a comedy-musical

melodrama performed by the fourth grade classes under the direction of fourth grade teachers Marsha McGaughey and Kim Kuehler. The play, entitled, "The Counterfeit Santa", produced much laughter and participation from the audience, including cued boo's and hisses. All of the Christmas programs were exceptional and enjoyable.

FEATURE: SPOTLIGHT ON NEW COACHES

by: Audra Dale

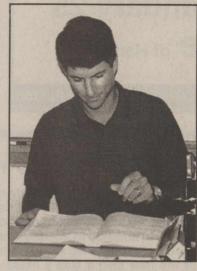
Knox City Head basketball coaches Troyce Renfro and Dala Young are new to the system, both expressing enjoyment of coming back to a small school environment.

Dala Young, girls coach, comes to Knox City from Midland High School where she coached for one year after spending two years at Merkel. She had a local basketball career as a Haskell Maiden and then a McMurry University Lady Indian. Of the Houndette team, Coach Young commented, "I think we will surprise some people. We are rebuilding, but we will be in there for District." Her goals are to "focus on winning and get back a winning tradition".

Troyce Renfro, boys coach, is a graduate of Angelo State with a degree in Mathematics and a minor in Physical Education. Before coming to Knox City, he taught at Teague. Chico, and Snyder for a total of seven years experience. Coach Renfro remarked that he felt the Hounds looked good going into District with an 8-4 record, but over the holidays suffered " injuries that took out key starters." He feels confident, however, that the team will work hard in District play to overcome some of the line-up changes.



Houndette Head Coach Dala Young



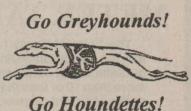
Math teacher and Greyhound Head Basketbal!

KNOX CITY ELEMENTARY SCHOOL NEWS

New courses offered second term

Three new math courses and a TAAS preparation course are now being offered for the second term due to the addition of Nat Reasor to the faculty. Mr. Reasor will be teaching Pre-Calculus, Algebra II, Math of Money, and the TAAS preparation course. He is a 1996 graduate of Midwestern State University in Wichita Falls. He was teaching Geometry at Wichita Falls High School before coming to Knox City. He holds a degree in Mathematics and Sports and Exercise Science.

Also new to the curriculum is a new Speech Communications course. It will be a new State and local requirement for all incoming freshmen. Mrs. Waldrip, currently the Elementary P.E and G/T teacher, will teach the course.



O'BRIEN MID-SCHOOL NEWS

Eighth graders on the go

by: Audrey Lankford

The eighth grade class has been very busy since the last report. Most of the class were all exhausted from cramming for tests in all subjects imaginable. Even band class suffered from the additional stress that came from preparing for the Christmas concert. Adjectives, long division, and B flats all ran together in the minds of eighth graders as the end of the first semester ended. They counted the days until December 20 when Christmas vacation started. When the final bell rang, they sighed a sigh of relief, as that one little bell meant two weeks of needed rest. One semester down; one to go. Next semester promises to be an even more exciting one. Many eighth graders are playing a busy basketball season.

Seventh graders have busy nine weeks

by: Tiffany Jobe

The seventh graders at O'Brien were stressed out very hard before the Christmas break getting ready for semester tests in all subjects. They also prepared to help entertain at the Christmas dinner. Mrs. Speck's enrichment math class had to memorize all the words to "O Come All Ye Faithful" in Spanish. The band students had to work fast to learn their music for the Christmas band concert on December 19. They played "O Come All Ye Faithful", "Three Christmas Carols", and "Merry Bells of Christmas".

The seventh grade basketball teams have been practicing hard both on the court and at workouts. Coach DeVille and Coach Young are the girls'coaches, and Coach Chappell is the boys'coach. They hope to have a good season this year.

The seventh graders could not wait until that last bell rang for the Christmas holidays so that they could have two weeks to rest without any stress! The holidays went fast, and they are now ready to face the rest of the school year. -

Sixth graders prepare for Taas tests

by: Jennifer Eaton and Brad Johnson

The sixth graders have been studying hard in English to get really for the TAAS tests this May. In addition to TAAS, they have their

regular work to do in all of their other subjects.

In Reading, they have learned to summarize stories In Social Studies, they studied Roman and Chinese cultures. In P.E. Coach Chappell has taught the class basketball drills. Next year they will play sports

The sixth graders had a coke party for their work on the canned food drive.

These are just a few things sixth graders have been doing.

Fifth grade news

by: Cody Brockett, Sondra Lankford, Brandon Espinosa, and Bradley Hambright

The fifth graders have covered a lot of territory over the past few weeks. They have studied the biomes of the world. Biomes are areas that have different climate and land formations. They are the tundra, the Taiga (cold but no perma-frost), deciduous forests (broad leaf trees such as oak and maple), grasslands, deserts, and tropical rain forests.

In math they learned to multiply by two and three digit numbers, add mixed fractions, and express numbers in notation expanded form.

In Language they studies verb tenses, subject-verb agreements, and the four types of sentences: exclamatory, interrogative, imperative, and declarative.

Our class raised money last semester by having a bake sale. We also had a toy drive and participated in the Community Christmas dinner by singing "Jingle Bells" in Spanish.

Mrs. Chappell's Class

by: Mathew Garcia

This is Mathew Garcia, Mrs. Chappell's fifth grade reporter. So far this nine weeks, we learned about the six biomes, the Vikings, Christopher Columbus, and SO much more.

We are also having a mailing service. The officers are: Postmaster-Brian Homstad; Facer-Carlos Ruiz; Nixie Clerk-Mathew Garcia; Sorter-Ashley Lerma: Secretary- Halei h Chenhall; Historian-Samant a Gutierrez; Reporter-Mathew Garc a: Treasurer- Sophia Gutierrez, and Sergeant at Arms- Amado Rodrigu z

Student Council News

by: Tiffany Jobe

The O'Brien Mid-School Student Council has worked hard on their many activities this past nine weeks. One profitable activity was the Halloween activities which included the haunted house, beanbag toss and cake raffle. Another activity was held at Thanksgiving. The Council had a food drive for people who might not have food. They also had a feather guessing contest.

The Christmas dinner on December 5 was a big success with family fun, good food, and great entertainment provided by the PTO, student Council, parents, and students in grades 5-8 The parents provided enough food to feed the students and their families. The Student Council wants to thank everyone who participated. The student council is looking forward to next semester and more fun activities.

O'Brien Campus demonstrates real Christmas spirit

by:Amber Collins

O'Brien Mid-School was an active place to be during the month of December. The month started off with a very nice Christmas dinner in the O'Brien cafeteria. Parents, students, and teachers all joined together to produce this first time-ever dinner for all O'Brien students and their families. The food was all prepared by the parents and each grade was responsible for certain foods. There was plenty for everyone at no charge. Mr. Bland, O'Brien principal, stated, "It was an event for family fun, good food, and great entertainment. We had over 200 people come. It was great!"

The entertainment was provided by students and teachers. The fifth, sixth, and seventh graders sang Christmas carols in Spanish. Mr. McGowan played Christmas carols on the piano. The Student Council performed a reading of "Twas the Night Before Christmas."

The Student Council worked very hard to produce a very holly-jolly Christmas. They sponsored a toy drive. Everyone in O'Brien brought a new toy to donate as a Christmas present to a child in the community. The Council also had a cake walk. Some lucky students went home with some delicious cakes and cookies to snack on during Christmas

Kindergarten News

Kindergarten students have been really busy since the last report. They learned about the Indians and the Pilgrims at Thanksgiving. They made Indian Fry bread and had a Thanksgiving feast dressed as Pilgrims and Indians.

The students tried really hard to be good while getting ready for Santa. They made lots of cute ornaments for their Christmas trees and for some of their parents. They have also learned many new words while they have been

Mrs. Hacker's class has a new student, Chance Ainsworth. Mrs. Urbanczyk's class has a new student, John Taylor.

First Graders reinact Thanksgiving feast

by: Jessy Schur and Laura Harrington

The first grade classes of Mrs. Vacek and Mrs. Lierly had a Thanksgiving feast together. They made stew with carrots, potatoes, green beans, sauce, meat, and noodles. They cooked it in a large pot for about three hours. Then they dressed up like Indians and Pilgrims and all ate together. The teachers dressed up too and served the stew with corn bread muffins, crackers, and water.

After Thanksgiving the classes started getting ready for Christmas by making Santas and elves out of paper and coloring them. The students made "My ABC Christmas Book". The book names Christmas things, such as "A" is for angel, "B" is for bells, "C" is for candles, "D" is for drums, and many more. Then they learned about how Christmas is celebrated in many other places around the world. In France, people put their shoes by the fireplace Father Christmas puts toys and candy in the shoes of the ones who have been good and coal in the shoes of the ones who have been bad!

The classes have learned in Phonics that there are sound borrowers like the letter "C". It borrows its sound from the letters K and S.

The first graders performed the songs "Away in a Manger", "Up on the Housetop", and "Rudolph the Red Nosed Reindeer" at the Christmas concert. In P.E. they finished soccer and started playing games and basketball because its cold now and they have to go inside more.

Second Grade News

by: Katelyn Railsback, Tiffany Wilde, and Cody Wainscott

The second graders had lots to do in November and December. They put on a Thanksgiving play for the elementary school students and parents. It was about when Sarah Hale went to see President Lincoln to convince him to declare a national holiday of Thanksgiving. Students also dressed up like Pilgrims and

In Science they learned about the solar system and the order of the planets from the Sun. They also studied all about colors and the ones that reflect heat or absorb heat.

In Art the students made pretty stained glass windows and put them on the front door of the school.

For the music concert the second graders sang, "Joy to the World", "We Three Kings", "Zumba Zumba", and "Have a Holly Jolly Christmas". At the Christmas party, Mr. McGowan let them break one of his pinatas.

Third Grade News

by: Ryan Harrington, Micah Lierly, and Tomas Myers

The third graders studied many things in their subjects In language, they learned how to follow directions by reading all of the directions, not just one or two. If one direction is left out, everything could be messed up.

Students read about reindeer. Reindeer are different from the deer in the forest. Reindeer have white on their necks. Both males and females have antlers. Reindeer have pointed hooves so they can dig in the snow for their food. They have to eat special kinds of food like lichens and mosses. In math they learned what leap year

is. One of their classmates, Tony Gutierrez, has a birthday on Leap year. It is February 29. So far he has only had two birthdays. Also in math class they learned about the metric

Other things they have studied are dictionary skills, music concert music, basketball in P.E. and Spanish songs. They have watched, "One Hundred and One Dalmatians" and "Night of the Twister"

Fourth Grade News

by: Jonathan Burt, Dustin Johnson, Ricky Smith, and Justin Parker

The fourth graders had a lot of fun getting ready for their Christmas play, "The Counterfeit Santa". It was a melodrama where the audience gets to boo and hiss at the villain. The play was also a musical as there were many. songs that the students sang. The cast had elves, Santa and Mrs. Santa, and the counterfeit Santa. The counterfeit Santa went around messing up all of the work that the elves were doing to get ready for Christmas. They were all fighting and fussing because everything was going wrong. The counterfeit Santa put sleep pills in the reindeers' water and they wouldn't wake up. Santa's spies figured out what was going on and put an end to the counterfeit Santa's tricks. Everyone was happy again and Christmas went on as planned.

In Science fourth grade learned about mimicry and adaptation. They found out the difference in learned and inborn behavior. In Social Studies they learned all 42 Presidents. Each student had to research a president and write a report, an acrostic poem, and a time line. Then they put them all in one big book.

In Music they learned seven songs for the Christmas concert. They were "This is a Song for the Children," "Winter Fantasy", "Silent Night", "Pinata", "Here Comes Santa Claus", "Silver Bells", and "Rejoice in the Joy". In Spanish they learned to sing some carols in Spanish, like "Rudolf, de Nariz Rojo"



A note to our readers:

Our apologies for our paper being a behind schedule. We had some errors that delayed us, but please have patience, as we are learning all of this for the first time!

We wish all of you a Very HAPPY NEW YEAR! May 1997 be everything you want it to be.

The Greyhound Pride News Staff

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High School Honor Roll

Dance at Rhineland

Saturday, January 25

Haywire of Hamlin

Second Nine Weeks
"A" HONOR ROLL

Ninth Grade: Lauren Clonts.
Tenth Grade: Aaron Large,
Chris Bartley, Jessica Frazier,
Gloria Nevarez, Tim Serrano.

Eleventh Grade: Audra Dale, Kim Grimsley, Amy Hunt.

Twelfth Grade: Melissa Barnard, Jason Brandon, Diana Estrada, Erin Lierly, Sarah Lowe, Tonya Parker, Stefani Stephens, Sheri Wilson.

"A-B" HONOR ROLL

Ninth Grade: Natalie Bloxham, Roni Morrow, Jessie Rios, Ricky Ruiz, Natalie Dempsey, Mica Larned, Stephanie Pedroza, Myles

9:00 to 1:00

Richardson.

Tenth Grade: Cristina Hernandez, Stevie Logsdon, Tamara M c G a u g h e y , M a r g a r e t McKinney, Roman Munoz, Scott Munoz, Jimmy Trevino, Brook Tankersley, Tamieka Ware, Brackston Barnard, Stefanie Rios, Kristy Rocha.

Eleventh Grade: Anthony Ainsworth, Sara Dillon, Joey Posey, Melissa Stovall.

Twenfth Grade: Amanda Baker, Maria Gomez, Clint Lewis, Michael McGaughey, Shavonne Magana, Jonathan Rizan, Edward Roberson, Adrian Serrano, Salvador Serrano, Dwayne Ware.

Mid-School Honor Roll

Third Six Weeks
"A" HONOR ROLL

Fifth Grade: Jodi Chambers, Brandon Espinosa, Ariana Gomez, Sondra Lankford.

Sixth Grade: Kimberly Hawkins, Scooter Thompson.

Seventh Grade: Tiffany Jobe, Angela Roberts.

Eighth Grade: Audrey Lankford, Aaron Sanchez, Jennifer Vacek.

"A-B" HONOR ROLL

Fifth Grade: Moses Alfaro, Cody Brockett, Mathew Garcia, Bradley Hambright, Carlos Ruiz.

Sixth Grade: Kayla DelValle, Jennifer Eaton, Ashley Harrison, Ashley Jobe, Nathan Lierly, Wesley Parker, Wesley Powell, B.J. Stewart, Ashley Turner, Lezli Villa, Landon Weiershausen.

Seventh Grade: Russell Bishop, Ashley Bradford, Leilani Bruce, Casey Carver, Nikki Gonzales, Crystal Hunt, Chere Pierce, Carrie Richardson, Lance Rikala, Melissa Ruiz, Erica Santibanez, Shawn Speck, Tommy Trevino. Eighth Grade: Amber Collins, Sonya Contreras, Kayla Garcia, Nefro Gonzales, Latissha Munsell, Sabrina Powell, Erica Quintana, Jon Rocha, Biviana Silva, Salvador Silva.

Semester Grades "A" HONOR ROLL

Fifth Grade: Cody Brockett, Jodi Chambers, Brandon Espinosa, Ariana Gomez, Sondra Lankford.

Sixth Grade: Kimberly Hawkins, Scooter Thompson.

Seventh Grade: Tiffany Jobe, Angela Roberts, Shawn Speck. Eighth Grade: Audrey Lankford, Jennifer Vacek.

"A-B" HONOR ROLL

Fifth Grade: Jerene Bodine, Wesley Espinosa, Bradley Hambright, Ryan Rikala, Carlos Ruiz.

Sixth Grade: Kayla DelValle, Jennifer Eaton, Kendrick Green, Ashley Jobe, Nathan Lierly, Wesley Powell, B.J. Stewart, Ashley Turner, Lezli Villa, Landon Weiershausen.

Seventh Grade: Ashley Bradford, Leilani Bruce, Crystal Hunt, Garry Manley, Carrie Richardson, Lance Rikala, Melissa Ruiz, Erica Santibanez, Tommy Trevino.

Eighth Grade: Amber Collins, Kayla Garcia, Nefro Gonzales, Latissha Munsell, Erica Quintana, Aaron Sanchez.

CLARKE VISITORS

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Clarke entertained all Peggy's brothers and sisters Sunday in their home.

Enjoying the day were Mr. and Mrs. Wendell Holder of Dallas, Mr. and Mrs. Owen Mobley of Houston, Mr. and Mrs. David Moorhouse of Iowa Park and Mr. and Mrs. Don Mobley of Seymour.

Mrs. Clarke said it was the first time in several years that all of the family was together and they all enjoyed the day!

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Elementary Honor Roll

Third Six Weeks "A" HONOR ROLL

First Grade: Derek Agraz, Joseph Albus, Candace Carver, J.C. Chappell, Laura Harrington, Nathan King, Orrin Myers, Jessy Schur.

Second Grade: Brandon Grimsley, Katelyn Railsback, Vanessa Solis, Kursten Stafford, Cody Wainscott, Tiffany Wilde.

Third Grade: Ryan Harrington, Grant Lewis, Nikki Moss, Meagan

Fourth Grade: Jimmy Albus, Drew Barnard, Erica Nevarez, Justin Parker.

Parker. "A-B" HONOR ROLL

First Grade: Sarah Burt, Shawna Favor, Brittany Garcia, Donny Gee, Tyler Grindstaff, Stephanie Hambright, Travis Hawkins, Andrew Ingland, Marquita Mayes, Brieanna Rios, Michael Taylor.

Second Grade: Michael Agraz, Sandro Garcia, Samuel Gigliotti, Noah Hedgecoke, Amos Lerma, Coby Logsdon, Adreanne Mayes, Anthony McCrary, Johnny Nevarez, Crystal Ramos, Joey Rodriguez, Tabitha Short, Zachary Stevens, Kayla Stewart, Sean Stovall.

Third Grade: Antonio Aguayo, Jessica Albus, Cheyene Favor, Tony Gutierrez, Micah Lierly, Tomas Myers, Sonny Parker, Taisha Patel, Pablo Sanchez, Donald Taylor.

Fourth Grade: C.J. Bruce, Jonathan Burt, Stephanie Casillas, Sophia Gutierrez, Veronica Hernandez, Dustin Johnson, Dimple Patel, Verishana Reed, Ricky Dale Smith.

> O'Brien School Open House Thursday, 6:30 - 8:30

Semester Grades "A" HONOR ROLL

First Grade: Derek Agraz, Joseph Albus, Candace Carver, J.C. Chappell, Stephanie Hambright, Laura Harrington, Nathan King, Marquita Mayes, Orrin Myers, Jessy Schur.

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Third Grade: Ryan Harrington, Grant Lewis, Micah Lierly, Nikki Moss, Tomas Myers, Sonny Parker, Meagan Schur.

Fourth Grade: Jimmy Albus, Drew Barnard, Erica Nevarez, Justin Parker, Dimple Patel.

"A-B" HONOR ROLL

First Grade: Sarah Burt, Shawna Favor, Brittany Garcia, Carmen Garcia, Donny Gee, Tyler Grindstaff, Travis Hawkins, Andrew Ingland, Adan Silva, Michael Taylor.

Second Grade: Michael Agraz, Sandro Garcia, Samuel Gigliotti, Noah Hedgecoke, Amos Lerma, Coby Logsdon, Adreanne Myes, Johnny Nevarez, Crystal Ramos, Joey Rodriguez, Tabitha Short, Zachary Stevens, Kayla Stewart, Sean Stovall.

Third Grade: Jessica Albus, Kylin DelValle, Cheyene Favor, Tony Gutierrez, Brittany Hawkins, Tanisha Patel, T.J. Richardson, Pablo Sanchez, Sandra Silva, Quentin Spells, A'Kisha Ward.

Fourth Grade: C.J. Bruce, Jonathan Burt, Stephanie Casillas, Sophia Gutierrez, Veronica Hernandez, Dustin Johnson, Verishana Reed, Ricky Dale Smith, Lindsey Villa.

Knox City Elementary PTO to meet January 29 at 3:00

The Knox City Elementary PTO will meet Wednesday, January 29, at 3:00 p.m. in the school library.

Planned discussions include the upcoming baked potato supper and the teacher's appreciation luncheon.

REGISTRATION
Thursday, 6:00 P.M.
KC School Cafeteria

610 Columbia

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METER TAMPERING NOW A FELONY

\$5.00 Per Person

The State of Texas has recently adopted an amendment to the State Penal Code making meter tampering a third degree felony. A third degree felony comes with a punishment of confinement in the Texas Department of Corrections for a term of not more than 10 or less than 2 years. In addition to imprisonment, an individual adjudged guilty of a third degree felony may be punished by a fine not to exceed \$5,000.

Before the amendment of the new law, it was a class A misdemeanor for meter tampering unless the loss of service was more than \$200. Under the new law, any meter tampering regardless of the amount of loss is now a felony of the third degree.

Meter tampering consists of, but is not limited to:

(1) Diverting electricity from passing through a meter device.

(2) Preventing electric service from being correctly registered by a meter device.
(3) Unauthorized activation of service.

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As a special note to our members, it will also be considered meter tampering if a meter is reset and electrical service is restored by anyone other than a Cooperative employee.

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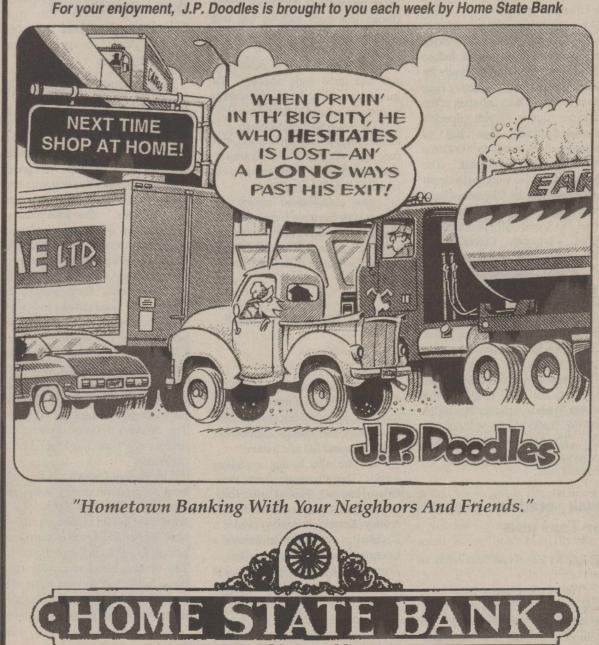
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Mr. Cypert, 76, died Saturday, January 18, in a Seymour hospi-

Born June 12, 1920, in Knox City, he moved from Knox City to Munday in 1942 and then to Seymour in 1992. He was a retired farmer and a member of the First United Methodist Church in Munday. Mr. Cypert was a veteran of the United States Army serving in the infantry during World War II.

He married Allene Warren on July 6, 1940, in Munday. She preceded him in death on February 14, 1987.

He married Maxine Wilde on September 3, 1988, in Wichita

Survivors include his wife, Maxine Cypert of Seymour; a daughter, Sharon Rutherford of Stamford; four stepsons, John Lee Wilde, Gary Wilde, and Jerry Wilde, all of Munday and Craig Wilde of Knox City; three grandchildren, Jay Rutherford of Fort Worth, Steve Rutherford of Sulphur Springs and Alesha Rutherford of Abilene; five greatgrandchildren, two sisters, Clodell Knox and Hazel Tankersley, both of Knox City; and two brothers, Verlin Cypert of Knox City and J.T. Cypert of Mesquite.

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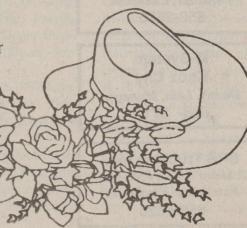
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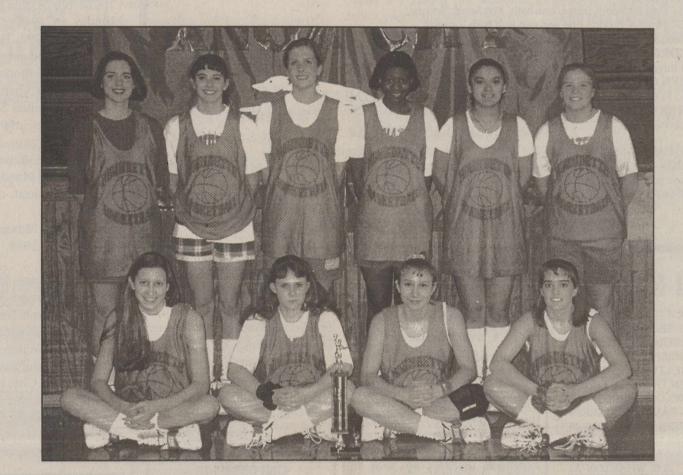
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