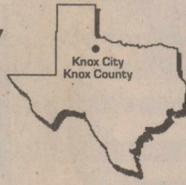


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KC to lose another downtown business *Perry's store to close for good on Saturday*

Perry's Variety Store, a landmark well known to everyone in Knox City and the surrounding area will close here Saturday.

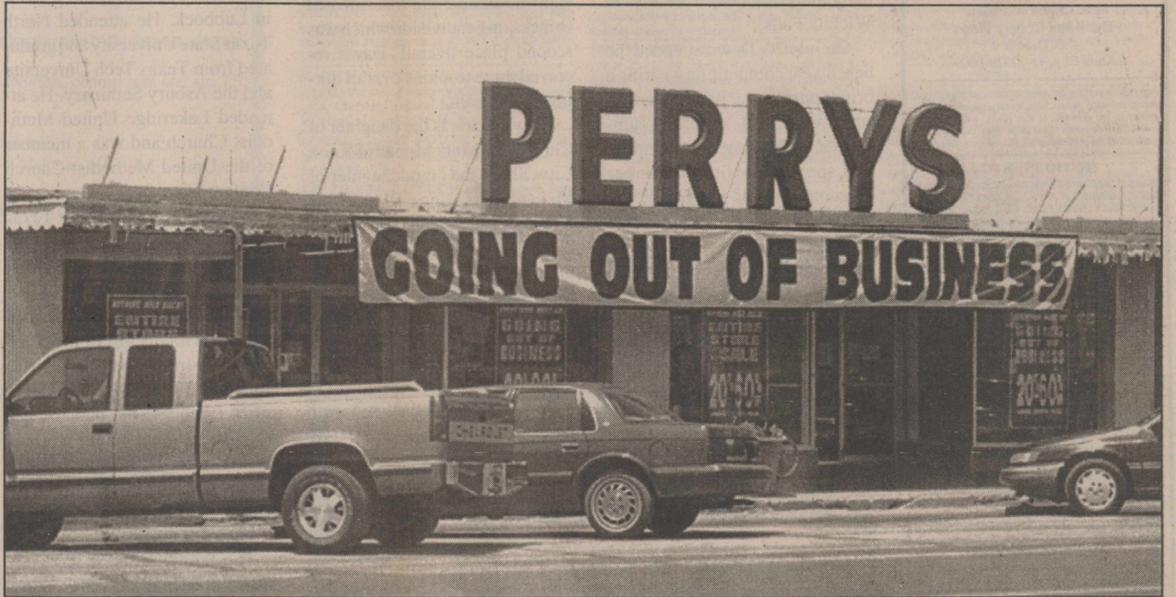
Perry's will close their doors forever, according to a spokesperson for The Ozer Group in Seattle, Washington, who is supervising liquidation of the firm.

The name of Perry's will cease operation with the local store being closed and the remaining merchandise "shipped east". The representative with The Ozer Group further stated that "a deal is hoped to be finalized and the store re-opened under a new name". But, as of Tuesday afternoon, nothing on a finalization had happened and no other information on the possible identity of a new store was available.

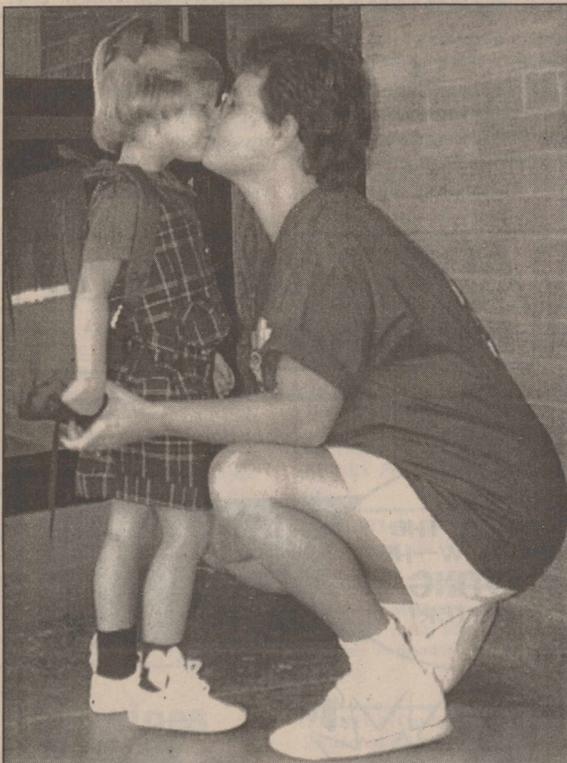
Local store manager Julia Hardin, who has been with the Knox City Perry's for a number of years, found out about the Saturday closing prior to The Ozer Group's call to the *News* on Tuesday morning.

A long standing cornerstone of the downtown business economy, Perry's has always 'been there' for residents who needed something in a hurry. Conveniently located on the West side of North Central, the variety store has always offered a wide range of items from clothing to household items and just about everything else. Perry's has been in the present location for approximately 25 years and before that was in the building now occupied by *The Knox County News*.

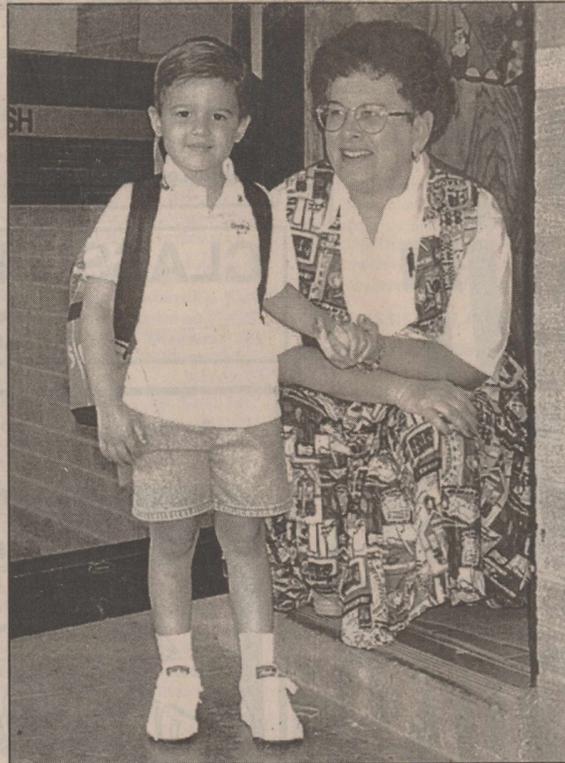
Those of us here at the *News* and other downtown area businesses extend our best wishes to Julia and all of the employees of Perry's, we will miss you!



Parents relieved & anxious as school starts



BYE MOM! Pre-K student Kaley Ainsworth, daughter of Rhondi and Joey Ainsworth, waisted no time Tuesday morning giving her mom a goodbye kiss before hurrying inside to Kathy Bowen's classroom. (NEWS Photo)



ALL SMILES FOR HIS FIRST DAY of school Tuesday morning at Knox City Elementary was Landon Lynn, son of Lawri and Scott Lynn, shown with Pre-Kindergarten teacher Kathy Bowen, who greeted him at the door. (NEWS Photo)

Sheriff Carlson resigns in unexpected move

Knox County Sheriff Mike Carlson handed in his letter of resignation on Friday, August 1, 1997, as county commissioners and County Judge David N. Perdue were in a budget workshop.

One lone deputy is left to enforce the law in Knox County due to an unfilled deputy position and that deputy automatically became sheriff. Officer Johnny Andrade, now acting Sheriff Andrade said, "I am shocked. We weren't expecting it."

Carlson became sheriff in 1994, replacing Sheriff Henry L. Dancer, who died the previous November from injuries he received in a pickup truck wreck near Munday.

Carlson's letter of resignation gave no explanation for his decision.

Acting Sheriff Andrade started his law enforcement career as a reserve officer with the Munday Police Department. He recently

was quoted as saying, "Yes sir. Yes sir, I am ready (to serve as Sheriff)."

County Commissioners met on Monday, August 11, to discuss the status of law enforcement in Knox County. At that meeting it was decided that the Knox County Commissioners' Court would accept applications or resumes for the office of Knox County Sheriff. Applications and resumes will be accepted at the Knox County Judges office until September 2, 1997. At that time the Commissioners' Court will determine who is the best qualified applicant and will appoint that person as Sheriff.

The appointed individual will act as Sheriff until the winner of the March 1998 primary election takes office at the beginning of January 1999. The filing deadline for the March 1998 primary is the first of January 1998.

Gretchen Colehour ready for 97 *KC's oldest living teacher & educator*

By Becky Baker

"Miss Gretchen" or "Aunt Gretchen" is a name fondly known to the oldest Knox City school teacher, librarian and educator. Her family calls her "Mother Superior."

Gretchen Howell Colehour will celebrate her ninety-seventh year next Monday, August 18. She was born in Terrell, Texas to Will and Gertrude Melcher Howell. She attended school in historic Fort Concho Elementary and graduated from San Angelo High School. As a child, she rode her pony "Shorty" to school and looked for concho pearls in the Concho River.

Her grandfather George Howell bought land north of Knox City in 1905. The Howell family of J.W., "Will" and Gertrude and children Gretchen, Mabel, R.B. and Mary moved to Knox City in



Gretchen Colehour
..... to celebrate 97th birthday next Monday, August 18th

1920 on the League farm owned by the family.

Gretchen taught school in the
See Colehour, Page 5



Meet the Hounds and Houndettes Friday

The Knox City Booster Club will be introducing the 1997 Hounds and Houndettes Friday, August 15, at Greyhound Stadium.

Greyhounds will be practicing drills from 7:00 to 9:00 p.m.

Parents are invited to come and watch the Hounds in workout from 8:00 to 9:00 p.m.

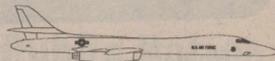
Following the Hounds practice, introductions of the two teams will be held.

At the conclusion of the introductions, free watermelon will served to the teams and guests attending.

Booster Club invites everyone to come enjoy the festivities!

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To show appreciation for all the residents of the Big Country area, the United States Air Force

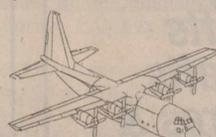


has announced a "Big Country Appreciation Day" at the Air Force Base in Abilene. Home to both the B-1 Bomber and C-130 cargo aircraft, the base promises more than 100 air and ground demonstrations during the day on Sunday, September 14. With the gates open to the public beginning at 9:00 a.m., flying activities are

scheduled to begin at noon.

Admission and parking are free, food and beverages will be on sale.

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Bomber and C-130 Hercules Airlifter. A frontline fighter aircraft from Air Combat Command is also scheduled to fly.

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DAWN MUNOZ

Baby competes, wins in Wichita Falls pageant

Dawn Munoz participated in a baby pageant held recently in Wichita Falls.

On July 20, Dawn attended the beachwear competition wearing a bright purple one piece suit with sunflowers and matching sunshades. Following this competition, she received first place in her division. On this same day, she was also named championship chubbies.

For receiving first place in the beauty contest in her division, she returned on August 3 to compete for Baby Miss Wichita of 1997.

She attended the last of the pageant on August 3 and was crowned Princess in her division which was second place overall. Dawn received three trophies overall during the pageant.

Dawn Marie is the daughter of Christy and Mark Munoz of Knox City. She is the granddaughter of Mr. and Mrs. Lupe Rios Sr. of Knox City and Mr. and Mrs. Tony Munoz of O'Brien. She is also great-granddaughter of Mr. and Mrs. Simon Rocha Sr. of Knox City and Mr. and Mrs. Luis Ramirez of Anson.

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Memorial celebration held in Lubbock for Billy McCauley, 41

Memorial celebration for Billy McCauley, 41, of Lubbock were held Thursday afternoon, August 7, at three o'clock in Lubbock's Lakeridge United Methodist Church. Officiating were the Rev. Bill Couch, Rev. Joe James, Rev. Perry Hunsaker, Rev. Mike Struve and Rev. Landrum Medlock.



Private graveside services were at Resthaven Memorial Park in Lubbock.

McCauley died Sunday, August 3, 1977, in Santa Fe, New Mexico, after being struck by lightning.

Born in Dallas, he married Mary Kay Page on April 14, 1979, in Lubbock. He attended North Texas State University and graduated from Texas Tech University and the Asbury Seminary. He attended Lakeridge United Methodist Church and was a member of the United Methodist Church Conference.

McCauley, a Northwest Texas Conference evangelist, was the founder and director of Words and Music Ministries. Billy had touched many lives throughout the area with his gift of music.

Survivors include his wife; three sons, Ben, Josh and Luke, all of Lubbock; his parents, Dr. and Mrs. Bill McCauley of Lubbock; two brothers, David of Lubbock and Cody of Dell City; and his maternal grandmother, Marie Moore of Lubbock.

The family requests that memorial be made to the Billy McCauley Children's Fund at City Bank, Lubbock, or to a favorite charity.

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MR. AND MRS. RAY ESCOBAR
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Ray Escobars celebrate anniversary with family August 2 in Lubbock

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Escobar celebrated their 50th wedding anniversary on Saturday, August 2, 1997, with family and friends in Lubbock.

Their special celebration began on Friday evening with a backyard dinner hosted by their children, Janie and Robert Esparza and Charles and Annete Escobar. The guests enjoyed barbecue brisket, fried turkey and the trimmings at the Esparza home.

Ray and Idella repated their wedding vows on Saturday at 5:00 p.m. in the Texas Tech Market Center during a religious service at which their nephew, Father Joseph Palacios from Berkley, California, officiated. The grandchildren honored their grandparents during the mass by performing special duties. Trisha Escobar registered guests, while Emily Esparza and Michelle Escobar read the scripture readings. Anthony Escobar assisted Father Joe as altar boy during the mass. Music during the ceremony was provided by Courtney Beasley, a

friend of the family.

Following the ceremony the couple and guests enjoyed listening to the Mariachi Flores group in the atrium. Immediately after, a buffet meal was served. A dance followed with disc-jockey Tony T. from FM 93.7 providing entertainment until midnight.

Special guests of the honored couple were Martha Escobar Palacios of Sunland, California; Philip and Ida (Acosta) Escobar and Mary Escobar Macias of Lancaster, California; Dan and Betty (Escobar) Martinez of La Crescenta, California; Ralph and Mary Escobar of Austin; Ester (Escobar) Cano, Lake Tahoe, Nevada; Jay and Helen Acosta of Lancaster, California; Alfred and Lydia Acosta of Haltom City; Helen (Acosta) Flores of Fort Worth; Freddie and Stella (Acosta) Caram of Munday; Paul and Phyllis Acosta of Fort Worth; Jack and RoseAnn Acosta of Missouri City, Texas, their families, and many other friends and relatives who attended.

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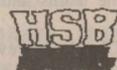


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Benjamin High School's 'Mustang' Cheerleaders.....



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Immunization Clinic re-scheduled for Aug. 21

The Texas Department of Health will conduct an Immunization Clinic at the Perry Patton Community Center in Munday on Thursday, August 21 from 10-11:30 and 1-3. **Please note- This clinic is a week later than usual due to immunization staff being in Arlington for regional meetings.

Immunizations offered include DTaP, Hib, Polio, Measles, Mumps and Rubella and Hepatitis B for infants as well as all school immunizations. The second MMR is now required for kindergarten entry beginning the fall of 1997. The Hepatitis B immunization will be required for kindergarten entry in the fall of 1998. This immunization series consists of three injections taking a minimum of six months to complete. The Hepatitis B immunization is also available for any child at risk or any child whose parents wish them to have for protection or prevention.

The varicella (chickenpox) vaccine has arrived at the office and is now being given to 12-23 month old children and 11 year olds. If you are interested in more information on the varicella, please call the office.

Bring immunization records and social security numbers to the clinic. A parent or legal guardian must accompany a minor. All services provided by the Texas Department of Health are provided on a sliding fee scale but no one is denied services due to an inability to pay. For more information on any of the immunizations, please call 940/574-2159.

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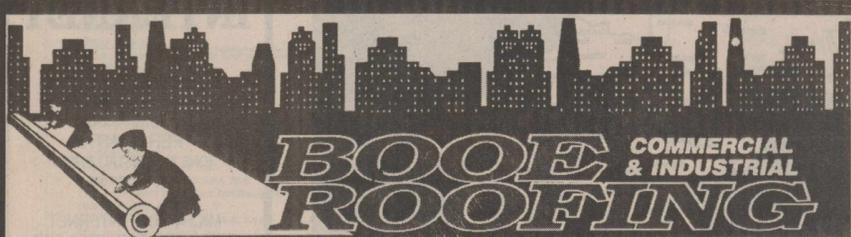


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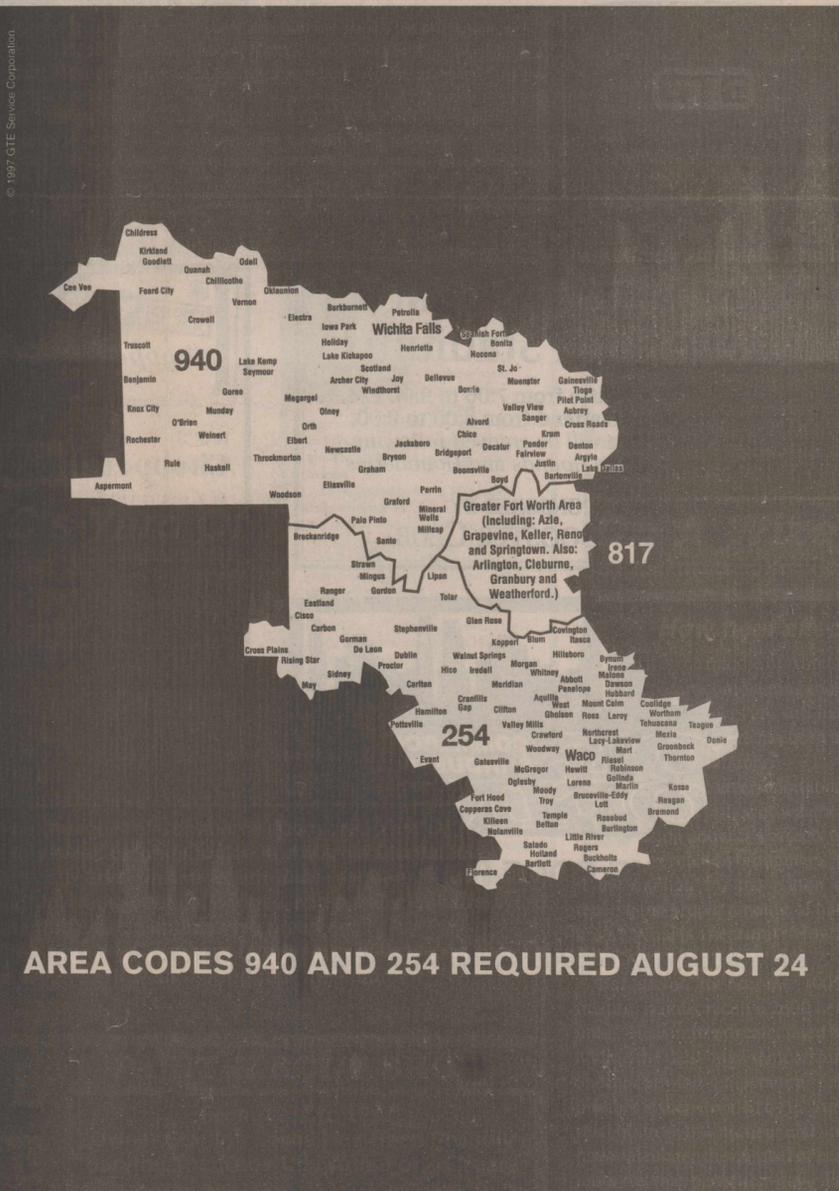
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On A Wizer Note....

By Paul Weiser, Knox County Extension Agent - Ag.

How heat affects cotton.....

Here it is the middle of August. Most people are complaining about the heat and farmers are still harvesting wheat. It sure has been an unusual spring/summer.

I overheard a conversation about the unusually cool, wet weather. The question about it's effects on the cotton crop was brought up. Is it hot enough for the cotton to receive the proper amount of heat units? What is a heat unit? How is it figured?

For cotton to become 100% mature, it must receive 2600 heat units. Heat units are calculated by adding the daily high temperature and the daily low temperature. This number is then divided by 2. Subtract 60 from this number and you have calculated the number of heat units for that particular day. Do not use any numbers over 100. If the daily high temperature is over 100 degrees F. use 100 in the formula.

Here is a quick example, using temperatures recorded at the TAMU Vegetable Research Station in Munday, the heat units for July 7, 1997 would be calculated as follows: 98° + 68° = 166 divided by 2 = 83 - 60 = 23 heat units. A cotton plant would require 113.04 days of temperatures in this range for complete maturity.

How is 1997 comparing to 1996? After calculating three 7 day periods I have begun suffering from mild depression.

On June 14-20, 1996 we recorded 190 heat units. June 14-20, 1997 had 160.5 (29.5 less in 1997). June 24-30, 1997 had 171 while 1996 recorded 197.5 (26.5 less in 1997). Heat units for July 1-7 were as follows: 1997 - 152.5; 1996 - 205 (52.5 less in 1997). If you add these three 7 day - period together 1997 has had 108.5 less

heat units than 1996.

Here is a short chart on heat unit requirements for cotton. From planting to seedling emergence - 90 to 100 heat units. Square initiation requires 500 heat units while First Flower needs 1000. Peak Flower will begin at 1500 heat units followed by First Open Boll at 1800. Heat units adding up to 2100 are required for 50% Maturity while 100% Maturity is obtained at 2600.

Is there a bright side to any of this? Maybe!

The cotton is very late this year. Therefore the cooler temperatures we are experiencing are typical of late May/early June. If we can keep from having an early fall the cotton crop may not suffer as much as if we get hit by an early freeze or a cool late summer/early fall.

For more information about the contents of this article, please give Paul Weiser a call in the Knox County Extension office at 454-2651.

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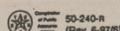
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1997 Property Tax Rates in BENJAMIN I.S.D.

This notice concerns 1997 property tax rates for BENJAMIN I.S.D. It presents information about three tax rates. Last year's tax rate is the actual rate the school district used to determine property taxes last year. This year's effective tax rate would impose the same total taxes as last year if you compare properties taxed in both years. This year's rollback tax rate is the highest tax rate the school district can set before it must hold a rollback election. In each case these rates are found by dividing the total amount of taxes and state funds by the tax base (the total value of taxable property) with adjustments as required by state law. The rates are given per \$100 of property value.

Last year's tax rate:

Last year's operating taxes	\$	249,562.40
Last year's debt taxes	\$	- 0 -
Last year's total taxes	\$	249,562.40
Last year's tax base	\$	18,946,915
Last year's total tax rate	\$	1.320 /\$100

This year's effective tax rate:

Last year's adjusted taxes (after subtracting taxes on lost property)	\$	242,641.40
+ This year's adjusted tax base (after subtracting value of new property)	\$	18,969,320
- This year's effective tax rate	\$	1.279 /\$100
x 1.03 = maximum rate unless the school district publishes notices and holds hearing	\$	1.317 /\$100

This year's rollback tax rate:

Amount of local taxes needed based on state funding formulas and 1997-98 student enrollment

+ This year's adjusted tax base	\$	206,526
- This year's local maintenance and operation rate OR 1996 maintenance and operation rate (use greater of 2 rates above)	\$	18,969,320
+ \$0.08	\$	1,088 /\$100
+ This year's debt rate	\$	1,320 /\$100
+ Rate to recoup loss certified by commissioner of education	\$	- 0 - /\$100
- This year's rollback rate	\$	1,400 /\$100

Schedule A

Unencumbered Fund Balances

The following estimated balances will be left in the unit's property tax accounts at the end of the fiscal year. These balances are not encumbered by a corresponding debt obligation.

Type of Property Tax Fund	Balance
Maintenance & Operations	\$369,500.00

Schedule B

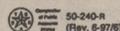
1997 Debt Service

The unit plans to pay the following amounts for long-term debts that are secured by property taxes. These amounts will be paid from property tax revenues (or additional sales tax revenues, if applicable).

Description of Debt	Principal or Contract Payment to be Paid from Property Taxes	Interest to be Paid from Property Taxes	Other Amounts to be Paid	Total Payment
This Entity, BENJAMIN INDEPENDENT SCHOOL DISTRICT, has no debt paid from property taxes.				

This notice contains a summary of actual effective and rollback tax rates' calculations. You can inspect a copy of the full calculations at Knox County Appraisal District

Name of person preparing this notice Stanton Brown
 Title Chief Appraiser - Tax Assessor/Collector
 Date prepared August 11, 1997



1997 Property Tax Rates in KNOX CITY-O'BRIEN CON ISD

This notice concerns 1997 property tax rates for KNOX CITY-O'BRIEN CON ISD. It presents information about three tax rates. Last year's tax rate is the actual rate the school district used to determine property taxes last year. This year's effective tax rate would impose the same total taxes as last year if you compare properties taxed in both years. This year's rollback tax rate is the highest tax rate the school district can set before it must hold a rollback election. In each case these rates are found by dividing the total amount of taxes and state funds by the tax base (the total value of taxable property) with adjustments as required by state law. The rates are given per \$100 of property value.

Last year's tax rate:

Last year's operating taxes	\$	613,349.84
Last year's debt taxes	\$	- 0 -
Last year's total taxes	\$	613,349.84
Last year's tax base	\$	46,904,372
Last year's total tax rate	\$	1.34970 /\$100

This year's effective tax rate:

Last year's adjusted taxes (after subtracting taxes on lost property)	\$	557,135.47
+ This year's adjusted tax base (after subtracting value of new property)	\$	44,300,353
- This year's effective tax rate	\$	1.25760 /\$100
x 1.03 = maximum rate unless the school district publishes notices and holds hearing	\$	1.29500 /\$100

This year's rollback tax rate:

Amount of local taxes needed based on state funding formulas and 1997-98 student enrollment

+ This year's adjusted tax base	\$	374,121.00
- This year's local maintenance and operation rate OR 1996 maintenance and operation rate (use greater of 2 rates above)	\$	44,300,353
+ \$0.08	\$	0.8445 /\$100
+ This year's debt rate	\$	1,3497 /\$100
+ Rate to recoup loss certified by commissioner of education	\$	1,4297 /\$100
- This year's rollback rate	\$	- 0 - /\$100
	\$	1.4297 /\$100

Schedule A

Unencumbered Fund Balances

The following estimated balances will be left in the unit's property tax accounts at the end of the fiscal year. These balances are not encumbered by a corresponding debt obligation.

Type of Property Tax Fund	Balance
MAINTENANCE & OPERATIONS	\$-995,454.00

Schedule B

1997 Debt Service

The unit plans to pay the following amounts for long-term debts that are secured by property taxes. These amounts will be paid from property tax revenues (or additional sales tax revenues, if applicable).

Description of Debt	Principal or Contract Payment to be Paid from Property Taxes	Interest to be Paid from Property Taxes	Other Amounts to be Paid	Total Payment
This Entity, KNOX CITY-O'BRIEN CON. ISD, has no Debt that is paid from property taxes.				

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Benjamin News

By Gladene Green, Benjamin Correspondent

Sorry about no news last week, but after the weekend celebration of 75 years at the First Baptist Church and my kids, Debbie and Gordon Taylor, Cody and his friend Paula Mata, coming on Monday morning for a couple of days, I just did not have time to write anything. The weekend was a grand time with three days of messages, singing and testimony plus a wonderful brisket dinner on Sunday and fellowship with refreshments of punch and cookies on both Saturday and Sunday afternoon. Lots of locals had company for the occasion and among them and the folks they visited were Calvin and Thelma Brown of Perryton, Daisy Roberts and granddaughter Era Brown of Mesquite, Dutch Jones of Hawley and Earlene Hand of Dallas, all guests of Stanton and Shari Brown, Billy and Penny Trainham of Lubbock, David Jones, Jessica and Kayla of Runaway Bay, Sheila and Ishmael DeLosSantos, Dewayne, Chase and Tiffany of Vernon, Walter and Peggy Hertel of Munday and John and Frances Chilcoat of Knox City, all visiting in the home of Charles and Joy Jones; Charles and Linda Griffith of Lubbock, guests of Kemp and Becky Jones and family; Wanda West of Cisco and Nora Hall and family of Fort Worth, visiting the Leroy Wests; Irene Duke and Marie Fain of Fort Worth and Peggy Chambers of Abilene who visited W.T. and Jo Cartwright, Jan Pollock of Iowa Park visited her mom, Clodell Duke. That's only a few who visited with family and also enjoyed the anniversary celebration. Others attending (and I know I'll miss many who were here) were Fred Lewis Crenshaw and Tommy Benson of Abilene, Joy Crenshaw Riggins of Rule, Wanda Benson Jennings of Wichita Falls, James and Carol Duke of Throckmorton, Lacy Headrick and Carol and Zoann Felts of Knox City, Lorene Powers and Charlie Dodd and Jordan of Midland, Bill and Dorothy Dodd, Wanda Nunley May and Nadine Griffin of Brownwood, Bobby and Robbie Fail of San Angelo, Burns and Florence Ray of Seymour, Gene and Ellen McAnear of Jacksboro, Helen and

Jimmy Green of Guthrie, also John, Sara and Joseph Blackstock of Waco, who were guests of Larry and Gaye Neal, Audra and Laura. I know I have left out many who were with us during that special weekend but those I have listed will give those of you who were not able to be here just what you missed. Omitene Barnett has had company and done some "going" during the past couple of weeks. Visiting her recently were Mr. and Mrs. Jerrel Barnett of Baytown, Connie Porter of Fayetteville, Arkansas and Mrs. Wynelle Holloway of Fredericksburg. They all attended the Steward family reunion in Dumas the weekend of July 26 - 27. Before Wynelle returned home, she and Omitene visited Betty Martin in Weatherford and Mr. and Mrs. Bill Elliott and Mark in Dallas. Jeff Conner of Lubbock was a weekend guest of his mom and brother, Judy and Jim Bob. THIS WEEK'S NEWS Bud Clower and family returned home the last of the week after several days in Houston for Bud's checkup and evaluation. He got a pretty good report. Had some of his medicine reduced in dosage so hopefully he will feel pretty well for awhile. Keith, Pam and Casey Conner of Big Spring and Kim Moore and daughters, Samijo and Shelby of Spur visited Bud Conner and Hazel Stockton during the weekend. Dicky and Laura McCanlies, Janet Reed and I attended the funeral of Maxine Henson Kuehler in Rhineland on Friday afternoon. Bobby and Stephanie Brannan of Lubbock were weekend visitors in the home of his mom, Gertrude and her granddad, Bud Conner and with Hazel Stockton. Bobby and Stephanie and Chad, Kathy and Jonathan Rainwater left Monday for a three or four day trip to San Antonio. Lewis Lyles returned home Tuesday after a week's stay in Bethania Hospital in Wichita Falls. He's feeling pretty well. Just needs to take it easy for a while. His problem was his heart but the doctors say right now he's doing good. We wish Lewis well.

Ruth Ressel and Jo Cartwright visited Jo's aunt, (Ruth's sister-in-law) in Littlefield last Monday. MOORHOUSE SHOWER Jody Moorhouse, bride-elect of Douglas Lindeman, was honored with a bridal shower Tuesday evening, August 5, in the home of Pam Duke. Calling hour was from 6 till 7. The serving table was covered with a white lace cloth. Cake, punch, nuts and mints were served to the guests. Hostesses for the occasion were Pam Duke, Karen Blodgett, Nancy McGreger, Patti Abbott, Jessie Roberts, Sandy Burkett, Jonnie Williams, Joy Cave, Mary Jane Young, Laquita Fields, Sue Oxford, Sadie Mote, Janet Reed and Stasia Antilley. The young couple will be married on August 23 at the Moorhouse Ranch. On Friday, August 1, Jody was honored by her grandmother, Jean Horne, with a luncheon held at the Mulberry Mansion in Sweetwater. Special guests were Jody and her mother and grandmother Becky Moorhouse and Lucille Moorhouse. The catered affair was attended by many of Jody's Sweetwater friends. MOORHOUSE-WOLLENDORF WEDDING HELD AUGUST 3 On Saturday, August 3, Tom, Becky and Gage Moorhouse and Lucille Moorhouse attended the wedding of Ryan Moorhouse, son of John and Carolyn Moorhouse of Seymour and Colette Wollendorf, daughter of Larry and Paulette Wollendorf of Fredericksburg. The wedding was held at 3:00 p.m. at a Catholic church in Fredericksburg. A reception and dance followed. The Moorhouses also attended the rehearsal dinner on Friday night. Others from the area attending the wedding were Jody Moorhouse, Mike and Debra Moorhouse, Lynn, Elizabeth and Jessica, Joe and Louise Leathers, Jonathan, Sara and Anna and Janet and Gary Reed, all of Benjamin; Douglas Lindeman of Holliday, Bob, Linda, Amy and Keri Moorhouse of the Pitchfork Ranch, John and Carolyn Moorhouse and Ryan's sister and husband, Kelly and Reno Livingston of Seymour.

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Taught By
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at Mati's Restaurant (back room) in Munday

Registration - 8:00 to 8:20 A.M. -- Cost \$25

SPACE IS LIMITED - Call now to reserve your seat.

For more information or reservations,
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DAVID COUNTS REAL ESTATE

FOR SALE - Farm house and 3.0 acres, brick exterior, three bedrooms, 1 and 1/2 baths, two car detached garage, storm cellar, central air / heat and well, dirt road, view of Tankersley house, located FM 2229 & 2701, three miles south of Knox City. Additional acreage available.

NEW LISTING - Three bedroom, two bath, country home with 10.2 acres. Completely remodeled, Jacuzzi, outbuildings.

1106 SOUTH THIRD, Knox City, For Sale, Financing Available - Three bedroom, one bath, carport, central heat, den, living room, storage building.

104 SOUTH AVENUE H - Two bedroom, dining room, carport, one bath.

NEW LISTING - Business location with additional lot included. 204 Avenue F.

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TWO GREAT LOTS on Ave. F, 100 x 140. One with RV storage garage.

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THREE BEDROOM BRICK, 1 1/2 bath, carport, fence, central heat & air, washer & dryer hookup. Equity buy for qualified buyer. 201 South Avenue F.

DOWNTOWN OFFICE LOCATION - Good condition, 118 North Central.

NEW LISTING - Mobile home for sale. Fleetwood doublewide, 28 x 64, three bedroom, two bath, carport, storage, fireplace, some appliances. Nice location, 813 South Aspen.

NEW LISTING - Newport doublewide mobile home for sale. Three bedroom, two bath, central heat and air, 710 Aspen.

NEW LISTING - Two bedroom, one bath, one carport. 1106 SE Second.

NEW LISTING - Three bedroom, two bath, 14 x 80 mobile home. 110 N. Avenue E.

NEW LISTING - Three bedroom, one bath, central heat. 1106 South Fourth St. Make an offer.

NEW LISTING - Two bedroom, one and one-half bath. 104 Avenue H.

NEW LISTING - Two bedroom, two living areas, large kitchen, two car garage, large lot with trees, fence. Great location.

NEW LISTING - Three bedroom, two bath, central air, workshop, fence, carport. Shown by appointment only.

*** FARMS - FARM LAND FOR SALE ***

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JANE RICHARDSON FARM - 225 acres, 12 miles west of Knox City. Part pasture, part cultivation.

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Real Estate

FOR SALE - Four bedroom, two bath brick home, barn with 14 acres, greenhouse, two water wells, city utilities, barn and storage buildings. Call 658-3486. 11-7 tfc 26

MUST SEE! Four bedroom, two bath, living / den, sunroom / hot tub, four carport, central air conditioning, carpet, ceiling fans, water well, corner lot. 1208 South Third, 658-3214 or 658-3976, leave message. 4-17 tfc 31

FOR SALE - 501 South Fourth. Brick, three bedroom, two bath, two car garage, central heat and air, large kitchen, extra carport, storage building, shop building, storm cellar, fenced yard, covered patio, large lot, water well. Extra land available. Call 658-3841 to see. 6-19 tfc 42

PRICED TO SELL - Two bedroom, one bath home. Hardwood floors, spacious rooms, water well. 405 South Second. Call 658-5343 to view. 6-5 tfc 21

HOUSE FOR SALE - Scott Lynn home. 605 South Avenue E. 658-3320. 7-3 tfc 11

FOR RENT - Two story colonial house. Cellar, large yard, quiet neighborhood. Call 658-3076. 7-31 tfc 13

HOUSE FOR SALE - Three bedroom, two bath, office, utility room, large kitchen with small built-in breakfast bar, living / dining combo with fireplace. Lots of extras. Also has fenced backyard and above ground swimming pool, two car garage, water well. Call 940-658-3612 or 658-5120. 8-14 tfc 45

FOR SALE - Three bedroom, one and one-half bath frame, carpet, storage shed, cellar. Two bedroom, two bath brick, two car garage, central heat / air. Frances Arend Real Estate and Insurance, 408 North First, Haskell, TX - 940-864-3880. 8-14 tfc 38

Services

HOME DECORATORS - Building, Remodeling, Painting (Interior and Exterior). Experienced, Free Estimates. Bobby O'Neal, (817) 743-3550. 3-30 tfc 15

CONCRETE WORK, Storm Cellars, new and repair, barn floors, patios, sidewalks, cemetery curbing. Call 658-3346 or 658-5198, Kenneth Burt Sr. 7-2 8tp

Notice

NEED YOUR LAWN Mowed? Call Wes, Kim or Will at 658-3135, if no answer, leave message. 4-10 tfc 16

Vehicles

1995 PONTIAC BONNEVILLE for sale - 52K. 658-3221 after 5:00. 7-24 tfc 10



If you are what you eat, why not cut back on fat?

Garage Sale

GARAGE SALE - Saturday, August 16, 8 to 5. 806 South Aspen Avenue. 8-14 tfc 12

GARAGE SALE - 100 East Benjamin Street in Benjamin. Table saw, miter saw, other tools, 100's of religious books, some furniture and misc. items. Saturday, starts at 8:00. 8-14 tfc 1p

For Sale

FOR SALE - Upholstery fabric remnants, Wednesday, Thursday and Friday only. 400 South Third. 8-14 tfc 13

In 1932, **KINNEY FURNITURE** opened for business in Stamford. After 65 years, we're still offering low prices, quick free delivery, and good values. Open anytime by appointment. Call us free at 800-256-2232. Come in our back door until the streets are fixed. 8-14 tfc 44

FOR SALE - Cornet, \$150.00; Cardio-force total body workout, \$60.00. Call 658-3979. 8-14 tfc 2p

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RESIDENTIAL and Commercial Chain Link and Residential Wood. 454-2221. 8-14 tfc 2p

WHY PAY MORE? La-Z-Boy recliners start at only \$289 at Kinney Furniture in Stamford. Quick free delivery. 8-14 tfc 19

ATTENTION Drumming Fifth Graders - Starter drum pad set. Call Scooter, 658-3142 days or 658-3004 after 6:00 p.m. 8-14 tfc

Bid Notice

THE CITY OF BENJAMIN will open bids for a 1961 Ford Cabover Boardman 500 GPM pumper, 350 gallon tank fire truck on September 15, 1997. Minimum bid is \$1100.00. Send bids to City of Benjamin, Box 286, Benjamin, TX 79595. 8-14 tfc 44

NOTICE TO BIDDERS

The Knox City - O'Brien CISD is accepting sealed Bid Proposals for Motor Fuels, addressed or delivered to: Mr. Louis Baty, Superintendent, at 606 East Main, Knox City, Texas 79529. Bids will be received until 12:00 noon September 5, 1997. Bids will be publicly opened and read at the next Board Meeting. Additional information can be gathered by contacting the Superintendent at (940) 658-3521. Proposal Qualifications for Motor Fuels: (1) Protection of District environment with Motor Fuel complying with offsite pollution. (2) Motor Fuel will be available on a twenty-four (24) hour basis. Proposal envelopes should be plainly marked, "Sealed Bid Proposal for Motor Fuels." Any proposal received later than the specified time, whether delivered in

Bid Notice

person or mailed shall be disqualified. Proposals may be submitted on any and / or all items. The District reserves the right to reject any and / or all proposals, to accept any proposal deemed most advantageous to the Knox City-O'Brien Consolidated Independent School district and to waive any informalities in bidding. 8-14 tfc 173

Help Wanted

FULL-TIME and PART-TIME Visiting RN or LVN needed for home visits in Munday and surrounding areas. Home Health experience preferred. Contact Mediplex Home Health, 134 E. Main, Munday, TX 76371, phone 940-422-4505. EOE. 7-31 tfc 41

HELP WANTED - Part-time waitress. Nice appearance and outgoing personality a plus. 422-5217, leave message. 8-7 tfc 15

WICHITA FALLS Times and Record News is looking for a carrier in Knox City. Approximate gross income \$500.00 a month. For more information, call Vernon at 1-800-627-1646 between 8:30 a.m. and 4:00 p.m. 7-31 tfc 37

HELP WANTED - The Knox City-O'Brien School is accepting applications for maintenance / transportation supervisor. Applicants may apply at the administration office at 606 East Main Street, Knox City, Texas. 8-7 tfc 29

HELP WANTED - Accepting applications for Road Hand, Knox County Precinct 3. Position available August 11. Applications available at Pct. Barn in Munday or at Treasurer's office at Courthouse in Benjamin. Equal Opportunity Employer. 8-14 tfc 31

HELP WANTED - The Knox County Commissioners' Court will accept applications or resumes for the office of Knox County Sheriff. Applications should be mailed to Knox County Judge, P.O. Box 77, Benjamin, Texas 79505. Applications and resumes will be accepted until September 2, 1997. Applications may be picked up at the office of the Knox County Judge. Knox County is an equal opportunity / affirmative action employer. 8-14 tfc 47

CORNERSTONE HOME HEALTH Agency is now accepting applications for prn LVN's. Areas include Munday, Haskell, Stamford, Seymour and Throckmorton, and surrounding communities. For application or information, contact Cornerstone Home Health at 940-422-4512 or 1-800-321-7757. 8-14 tfc 41

Public Notice

PUBLIC NOTIFICATION OF NONDISCRIMINATION IN CAREER AND TECHNOLOGY EDUCATION PROGRAMS
 Knox City-O'Brien CISD offers career and technology education programs in Vocational Home Economics, Agricultural Science, Technology, CVA, and CBI. Admission to these programs is based on student need, legal age, interest and aptitude, class space available, and in some cases assessed needs, and special education programs.



TexSCAN WEEK OF 08-10-97

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243-4100, (800) 375-8375. TDS Austin, Texas.

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If you now get food stamps or AFDC / TANF for your children, your children can get free meals. If your total household income is the same or less than the amounts on the Income Chart below, your children can get free meals or reduced-price meals. A foster child may get free or reduced-price meals regardless of your income. The reduced price is 40¢ for lunch and 30¢ for breakfast. To apply for free or reduced price meals, you may pickup and application at the school office.

HOW TO APPLY

If you now get food stamps or AFDC/TANF for the children you are applying for, the application must have the children's names, a food stamp or AFDC/TANF case number for each child, and the signature of an adult household member. If you are applying for a foster child, the application must have the child's name, the child's "personal use" income, and an adult signature. If you do not list a food stamp or AFDC/TANF case number for all children you are applying for, then the application must have the children's names, the names of all household members, the amount of income each person got last month and where it came from, the signature of an adult household member, and that adult's social security number or the word "none" if the adult does not have a social security number.

You may talk to school officials if you do not agree with the school's decision on your application or the results of verification. You may also ask for a fair hearing. You may do this by calling or writing:
 Name Ronnie Simmons, School Board President Phone (940) 454-2231
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School officials use the information on the application only to decide if your children should get free or reduced-price meals.

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	Annual	Monthly	Weekly
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2.....	19,629.....	1,636.....	378
3.....	24,661.....	2,056.....	475
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5.....	34,725.....	2,894.....	668
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Daughter pens tribute to father

(Editor's Note: Carol Duke of Throckmorton, daughter of Knox City resident Lacy Headrick, wrote the following of her father that appeared in the Wichita Falls Times-Record News earlier in the summer. We are using her remarks in their entirety.)

Fisherman ageless as he eyes his catch

"Give me some more bait," I urged my daddy. "I want to catch another crawfish." I gazed with deep satisfaction into the bucket beside me filled with more crawfish than I'd ever seen before.
Daddy took the wriggling crawfish off my line and put on another piece of bait, all the while bragging about what a good fisherman I was. Daddy's unconditional affirmation of me continues to be a constant in my life.
I was 4 years old that water-colored day in the summer of 1945, and my daddy was 38. We were fishing in a bayou in what was then the small town of Pasadena, Texas. Daddy never failed to find time for me in his days, and as both Pasadena and I grew, his verbal praise for my accomplishments grew accordingly.
"It's time to go home," Daddy said, all too soon ending our golden day. And over my loud protest, he poured my treasure trove of crawfish back into the bayou. With my head hanging lower than the moss on the old cypress trees bowing above us, I followed in my daddy's footsteps the short distance to our

home.
My dad, Lacy Headrick, dearly loved my mother and his two daughters, in that order. But I've always felt guiltily disappointed that a son wasn't there, for him, to complete our family. Like his daughters, Daddy's son would surely have recognized his heavenly father's love in his earthly father's heart. Nevertheless, no heir could have been more gifted than my younger sister and I were in the sharing of our daddy's daily celebration of thanksgiving.
"Give my some more bait," my daddy urged me. "I want to catch another crawfish."
I roused from my warm memory and squinted under my straw hat at my 90-year-old daddy, sitting beside me in a lawn chair, on the boat dock at Copper Breaks State Park, his walker handily nearby. I snapped the shutter of my mind as the man and his fish eyed each other. For a moment, Daddy wasn't 90 years old and he wasn't recovering from major surgery.
He just was.
Suspended like the giant orange sun in the west.
Finally, "It's time to go home," I announced.
"Once a man, twice a boy," the fisherman said.
We headed south to his home in Knox City.
"It's been a good day," My daddy confessed.
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