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Feature Stops

Effective with this issue of The Knox County News, the column entitled SHOOTIN' STRAIGHT will no longer be a feature item in the paper.

Due to conflicts, Dave Thompson will no longer be writing the column although he does appreciate the support and enthusiam that the column has received.

Sales Tax Rebates Are Increasing

State Comptroller Bob Bullock has sent checks totaling \$55.3 million in local sales tax payments to the 988 cities that levy the one percent city sales tax.

July payments reflect taxes on sales made in May and reported to the Comptroller by June 20.

Net amount for this period for Knox City showed \$3,912.37 as compared to \$2,837.34 for the same period a year ago. Payments to date in 1984 total \$40,929.83, reflecting an 11.36 percent increase above 1983's total of \$36,753.94

Other Knox County towns all showed gains for this period. Benjamin had nothing listed for this period, but for year to date showed \$1,368.99, an increase of 2.29% above last year's \$1,338.39. Goree had \$511.18 for the period with nothing listed for this period last year. Year to date totals for Goree are \$3,041.66, a big 23.63% above 1983's total of \$2,460.21. Munday's net payment for this period was \$2,555.80 as compared to last year's \$2,280.53. Year to date totals for Munday were \$25,806.27, an increase of 1.39% above 1983's total of \$25,452.47.

For this period, Haskell's net payment was \$7,956.77; Rochester had \$511.15; Rule \$723.32; Anson \$3,811.93; Hamlin \$4,339.79; Stamford \$8,347.45; Crowell \$951.54; and Seymour \$8,102.20.

To Check On Records

Court Recesses

report read to the court, the

presentation was not allowed.

The Knox County Commissioners Court met in Clerk's Office. Special Session Friday, July

20, at 2:00 p.m. for the purpose of reviewing applications for the position of **Project Director for the Knox** County Aging Services. Present were County Judge made the necessary

Homer T. Melton and Commissioners Billy G. Johnston, Bobby Roberson, and Philip Homer, County Clerk Gloria L. West, County Attorney Bobby D. Burnett, and County Sheriff Gene Nix.

Others present were Dave Thompson and Billye B. Angle, representing The Knox County News, and a number of senior citizens from Knox County

The group was asked first if anyone had any questions or comments and after no one spoke, Dave Thompson, on behalf of the newspaper, asked the court, in view of the fact that it had stated in the beginning that only remarks concerning applicants would be heard, if a formal request could be made for a Public Hearing in order that both sides of the issue concerning the dismissal of Mrs. Lillian Logan could be heard before the hiring of a new Project Director. The question was raised if it would be alright to allow the court time to determine if all the records pertaining to the recent dismissal of Mrs. Logan as Project Director would be available to the public under the Open Records Acts or if some would not be available.

Also, there were questions concerning the job description for Project Director, and when it was learned that the revised job description contained no specified requirements, other persons attending indicated that they would have applied had they known that four years of college were no longer required.

The court then decided to continue receiving ap-

Judge's Office or the County swers concerning the Open Records Law were available The court was asked by an and explained that the News interested citizen the reason

office would be advised as to for the immediate dismissal when the meeting would of Mrs. Logan and in reply resume. Later in the afternoon was told that the court felt Friday, the News office was that the aging service had not told that another meeting had progress. When Mrs. Logan been scheduled for Monday,

August 6, at 9:00 a.m. at asked to have a progress which time applicants would be interviewed and ap-The court then decided to plications reviewed for the recess until the necessary anposition of Project Director.



RETURNING FROM THE recent cheerleading camp held at Hardin-Simmons University in Abilene were these Knox City cheerleaders, from left, Christi Clayton, Temple Fritsche and Michelle Pierce. Not pictured is Christina Agraz, who was suffering from a foot injury. (H-SU Photo)

Cheerleaders **Return From**

Fire Dept. **Is Planning** Tournament The Knox City Volunteer

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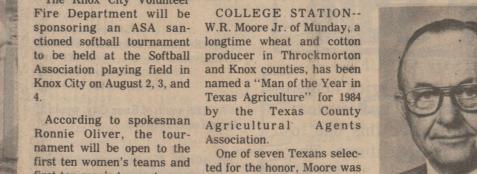
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first ten men's teams to preregister. The tournament will follow ASA rules and will be called by ASA umpires.

Entry fees are \$80.00 for teams that enter prior to July 30 and \$90.00 for teams that wait until after that date to enter

A concession stand will be featured and all proceeds from the tournament will benefit the fire department and its equipment fund.

For more information, readers should call Ronnie Oliver at 658-3070



KNOX CITY, KNOX COUNTY, TEXAS 79529

THURSDAY, JULY 26, 1984

nominated by county agents in the Rolling Plains District of the Texas Agricultural Extension Service, Texas A&M University System. He will receive his award during the annual TCAAA meeting August 5-8 in Brownsville.

> The award is presented each year to outstanding leaders in agriculture and related industries who have supported educational programs conducted by the Extension Service, said Shackelford County Extension Agent Lawrence Winkler, TCAAA president. The award recognizes contributions made by these leaders to improving levels of living and economic growth in their communities, counties, state and nation.

Moore Named Texas Ag 'Man Of The Year'



KNOX COUNTY

W.R. MOORE JR. ...for 1984

runs a stocker cattle operation. He has had wheat production demonstrations on his farm in support of county Extension programs for more than 20 years and has financially aided agricultural demonstration programs in several counties. Soil fertility has been a primary concern of Moore's for many years. The fertilizer program on his farm is based on soil test reports and recommendations from the

Bloodmobile Collects **34 Pints**

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Knox City

NEWS

Thirty-four persons presented themselves as donors during the Bloodmobile visit held here recently.

One was a first time donor and there were no deferrals. **Presenting** themselves were Earl Webb, Terry Bartley, Micheal Bartley, Linda Ramos, J.O. Brothers, Betty Collins, Betty Albus, Don

Brothers, Dorothy Ellison, Sandra Bateman, Peggy Grindstaff, Ruth McElroy, Joe Barnard, Barbara Barnard, Ervalene Beason, Patti Lewis, Jessie Roberts, Stephany Stenberg, Craig Brothers, Toby Whisenhunt, Jane Locknane, Jimmy Albus, Tony Shawver, David Tunmire, Diane Tunmire, John Helms, Jim Dillon, W.C. Orr, Lou Ann Weatherall, Jon Godsey, Roland Marion, Ernie Eaton, David Albus and

Jerry Benson. Volunteers were Lena Tackitt, Ann White, Betty Faulk, Cindy Brothers, Jennifer Vasquez, Peggy Grindstaff, Ervalene Beason, Brenda Parker and Barbara Barnard.

Professional volunteers included Betty Albus, Betty Collins, Jackie Young, Mabel Chaney and Cornie King.

The KC Circle Club

provided the canteen, and

helping load and unload the

truck was Bruce Campbell

School Tax Reports

The Knox County News in

last week's issue, inadverten-

tly switched headings on the

Notice of Calculation of Ef-

fective Tax Rates and

Publication of Estimated

Unencumbered Fund Balan-

ces for Benjamin ISD and

Knox City-O'Brien Con-

solidated ISD.

have caused.

Errors Made In

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Area **Oil News**

HASKELL Musselman, Owen & King Operating, Midland, will drill No. 1 Floyd Hester in the regular field two miles northeast of Rochester on a 40acre lease.

Slated for 5,000 feet, it spots 1,250 feet from the north, 1.600 feet from the west lines of Subdivision 48, Red River CSL Survey 75, A-347.

KING

Taubert, Steed, Gunn & Medders from Wichita Falls, will drill No. 1-NNN S.B. Burnett Estates as a wildcat 13 miles southeast of Guthrie. Drillsite is 660 feet from the north, 2,650 feet from the west lines of Section 27, S.B. Burnett, S.B. Burnett Estate, A-1252

KNOX COUNTY

Amoco Production Co. completed well No. 59 on North Knox City Lease, 1,300 feet from north line and 470 feet from west line of Blk. 5, D.G. Burnett Survey, A-25, yielding 95 barrels of 37 gravity oil per day from total depth of 4,900 feet, 3 miles northwest of Knox City.

Paschall Petroleum Inc. completed well No. 2 on Jay Smith Lease, 750 feet from south line and 500 feet from east line of Sec. 99, Blk. 45, H&TC Survey, A-356, yielding 35 barrels of 38 gravity oil per day from total depth of 2,006 feet, 11/2 miles northwest of Goree



plications and as noted in a public notice in this week's News, applications are



Recipient

Vernon Regional Junior

at VRJC.

ship was awarded to Beverly upon the recommendations made by the administration at Benjamin High School.

Beverly, a 1984 graduate of Benjamin High School, was active in basketball, pep squad, tennis, track, Future Farmers of America, Future Homemakers of America, annual staff, and student council.

Beverly, who will be a freshman at Vernon Regional Junior College, lists her major as business.

available at the County

games.

basics, they said.

superior ribbons.

Small Health

here Friday evening, July 27,

at the Knox City Community

Center beginning at 7:30

BEVERLY TOLSON ...Benjamin grad

Scholarship Announced

College in Vernon, has announced that Beverly Tolson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Buddy Tolson of Benjamin, has been awarded a \$100 VR-JC Merit Scholarship for the 1984-85 academic school year

The VRJC Merit Scholar-

structing. arthritic pain.

meeting.

Call In Your News

658-3142

H-SU Camp The week of June 10-15, the

Knox City Cheerleaders attended the National **Cheerleading Association** Camp (NCA) at Hardin-Simmons University in Abilene.

national Corporation. The Classes began at 8:00 a.m. agreement was effective and lasted until 10:00 p.m. June 30, 1984.

Mornings began with Trico is a leading supplier cheeraerobics for an hour-of oilfield equipment and serand then the girls learned two vices, manufacturing all cheers and two chants each components of the sucker rod morning. The next class in pumping system, well comthe morning was with pompletion equipment, well serpom routines. The girls hope vicing tools and bolted steel to be using cheeraerobics and storage tanks. new pom-pom routines at pep The \$30 million acquisition rallies as well as the football

now enables Trico to complement its existing product During the afternoon, they lines with Kobe's hydraulic were given electives. The and jet pump lines. It is a girls chose beginning tumsignificant part of Trico's bling and learned lots of program to become the major supplier of artifical lift Each night, the KC girls equipment for the producers had to perform and were of oil

given evaluation times. They Said Trico President W.D. received both excellent and Wagner, "We are confident that both the Kobe hydraulic and jet pump product lines and the Kobe personnel will

Seminar Set Coltharp **Here Friday** Resigns A Small Health & Fitness Position Seminar has been scheduled

Edward H. Coltharp has resigned as Executive Vice President of the West Texas Chamber of Commerce, effective September 30, to enter private business in the Abilene area.

Coltharp began his career in chamber management in 1961. He joined the staff of the WTCC as Development Director in 1973.

Showers Fall

Showers throughout the area Tuesday morning brought welcome relief even though amounts were sparse. According to the TV scanner, Channel 2, Knox City received .35, which fell about 11:00 a.m.

GARDENA, CA--Artificial be outstanding additions to Lift specialist Trico Inthe Trico oil production dustries, Inc. (TRO-NYSE) equipment manufacturing and marketing program and has acquired pump pioneer Kobe, Inc., a wholly-owned our long-term objectives.'

Kobe Purchased By

Trico Industries

subsidiary of Baker Inter-

The marriage of the two industry leaders should facilitate a more aggressive marketing approach with improved customer service to the Kobe line, according to D.L. Chapman, Jr., Trico's Vice-President of sales and marketing. We will now have over 80

locations for servicing Kobe equipment, with more than 400 sales and service personnel in the field," stated Chapman.

Kobe, established in 1934 and credited with inventing the first hydraulic oil well pump, is a leading producer of downhole hydraulic pumps and jet pumps for oil wells. Hydraulic pumps are excellent for producing oil from deep wells, wells offshore and wells located in remote and hostile environments. Jet pumps are used for artificial lift in large volume wells. Included in the Kobe product line is the Solo Unit (a complete, self-contained hydraulic pumping system), triplex power pump, and control and wellhead equipment for downhole pumps (4-way valves, manifolds, valves,

Cheese, Butter To Be Distributed

etc.)

The Aspermont SBDC will be delivering USDA Surplus Commodities (cheese, butter, etc.) in Knox City on Thursday, July 26, at the Community Center from 9:00 to 11:30 a.m.

All applicants must present identification when they pick up their commodities.

Other county locations on Thursday are Vera, 10:00 to 11:30 a.m.; Gilliland 12:30 to 2:00 p.m.; Truscott 2:30 to 3:30 p.m.; Courthouse in Benjamin 1:00 to 4:00 p.m.; and Munday Community Center 2:00 until 4:00 p.m.

Other recipients include Roddy Peeples, San Angelo farm broadcaster; Jack Barton, Houston banker and agribusinessman; C.B. Richards, San Augustine County rancher and businessman; James Leo Greer, Rocksprings rancher and pecan grower; Arnie Lawler, Camp County farmer and retired conservationist; and Bill Nelson, executive vice president of the Texas Producers Association and Producers Board, Amarillo.

Moore farms 3,000 acres of wheat and cotton in the two Rolling Plains counties and

NEWS DEADLINE 10:00 A.M. TUESDAY

Rolling Plains Soil Testing Laboratory in Seymour.

In addition to his farming operation, Moore is active in community, state and national agricultural programs and activities. He is currently president of the Farmers Grain Co-op in Munday, is a board me iber and past chairman of the **Texas Wheat Producers** Board, is vice president of the Texas Wheat Growers Association, and is a director of the National Association of Wheat Growers. He also serves on the Small Grains Task

Force of the Rolling Plains Economic Program. Moore also has been active in the First Methodist Church

The notices are corrected of Munday and has served on in this week's issue. We are the city council and school sorry for the error and for board any inconvenience it might

He is a 1940 graduate of Texas A&M University.



SENIOR LEAGUE members finished their season record with eight wins and four losses. Front row, from left, are team members Shane Lewis, David Gonzales, Jessie Ledesma and Patrick Wupperman. Back row, from left, are Coach Richard Wupperman, Mike Reece, Robbie Large, Brian Correll, and Coach Don Fritsche. Not pictured are Coach Ricky Wupperman, Coach Rocky Mongrain, Ray Casillas and Paul Garcia. Knox City won second in the league with Munday finishing first. Team members who made the allstar team were Shane Lewis, David Gonzales, Jessie Ledesma and Brian Correll.

o'clock. Leon Hiett will be in-As will be noted in his ad in this week's News, Mr. Hiett will be giving techniques on how one can lower high blood pressure, reduce insulin

requirements, and eliminate

According to Mr. Hiett, there is no admission and everyone is cordially invited to attend the informative



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LEGAL NOTICE

NOTICE OF **BUDGET HEARING** The Knox City-O'Brien Board of Education of the Knox City-O'Brien Independent School District will meet Tuesday, August 14, 1984, at 8:00 p.m. in the Board Room of the administration office. Purpose of the meeting is to

hold a public hearing on the

proposed school budget. Doug Meinzer, President **Knox City-O'Brien ISD School Board** 7-26 2tc

THAT IN ACCORDANCE WITH SECTION 30.05 OF THE PENAL CODE TEXAS CRIMINAL TRESPASS (SENATE BILL 111 PASSED BY THE 62nd LEGISLATURE), NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT POSTED EXCEPT WHERE WRITTEN PERMISSION IS GIVEN TO COME UPON THE SAME. CHARLES M. PRATHER

TRUSTEE

SHERIFF'S SALE THE STATE OF TEXAS **COUNTY OF KNOX** NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN That by virtue of a certain Execution issued out of the Honorable 215th **District Court of Harris Coun**ty, on the 17th day of April 1984 by District Clerk of said Court for the sum of Thirtyfive thousand Eight hundred Thirty-one dollars & Six cents (\$35,831.06) plus One thousand Five hundred Fiftyfive dollars & Twenty six cents (\$1,555.26) in attorney's fees and costs of suit, under a certain judgment in favor of H.S. Thaxton in a certain cause in said Court, No. 84-12462 and styled Bank of Casper vs. H.S. Thaxton and placed in my hands for service, I Morris E. Nix as Sheriff of Knox County, Texas, did, on the 9th day of July 1984 levy on certain Real Estate, situated in Knox County, Texas, described as follows, to-wit:

All of his right, title or interest in or to one certain oil and gas mining lease made and entered into by and between W.C. Hertel and wife, Elizabeth Hertel as Lessors and T.C. Foley as Lessee, Covering the following with her father, Fred

NOTICE TO ALL PERSONS HAVING CLAIMS AGAINST

LEGAL NOTICE

THE ESTATE OF MINNIE **BROOKS, DECEASED** Notice is hereby given that

Original Letters Testamentary for the Estate of Minnie Brooks, deceased, were issued on July 16, 1984, in Cause No. 1883, pending in the County Court of Knox County, Texas, to the First Wichita National Bank, Wichita Falls, Texas, c/o John P. League, **Executive Vice-President** and Senior Trust Officer,

Eighth and Scott, P.O. Box 540, Wichita Falls, Texas 76307 All persons having claims against this Estate which is currently being administrated are required to present them within the time

and in the manner prescribed by law. Dated this 17th day of July, 1984, A.D.

FIRST WICHITA NATIONAL BANK **BOB BALCH** State Bar No. 01616000 **807 Seventh Street** Wichita Falls, Texas 76301

7-26 1tc LEGAL NOTICE

Attorney for Estate

The Knox County Commissioners Court met in Special Session on July 20, 1984, but recessed until August 6, 1984, at 9:00 a.m., the purpose of this meeting will be to:

Review and interview all applications for Project Hathcoat of Scroggins and Director for Knox County Aging Services.

Anyone else wishing to apply for this may pick up applications at the County Judge's Office or County Clerk's Office, only. 7-26 2tc

FROM COLORADO

Marjorie Berkeley of Denver, Colorado, has returned home after visiting her mother, Birdie Propps. They were in Crowell last Sunday visiting the A.V. McCombs. They also visited the Son **Propps family in Truscott.**

FROM HOBBS

Mrs. Ronald Prince and children of Hobbs, N.M., have been visiting here this week

O'Brien Happenings

By AUDIE JOHNSTON

"A country editor friend Trudy, Amy and Ann Hunt. Butch, Sue, Scott, Stefaní once noted that a small town is a place where people know and Suzanne Stephens spent several days last week all the news before the newspaper comes out, but vacationing, in San Marcos, they take the paper anyway Austin and San Antonio. to see whether the editor got Visiting Clifton and Bessie the stories the way they Duncan over the weekend

heard them." (Minneapolis

Bernice Rowan spent a few

Alabama, this week visiting

their daughter, Andrea Gar-

dner and family. Andrea's

Denver, Colorado. Their

sons, Jason and Eric, will

come home with the Carlisles

A.A. Cox had surgery in

Bethania Hospital in Wichita

Falls last week. He returned

to his home here Friday.

Visiting Lee and A.A. were

Cox of Weatherford, Birdie

Nola and Ava Covey and

Cory Lusk were in San Angelo

Saturday to attend the wed-

ding for Nola's gran-

ddaughter, Laura Covey.

She's the daughter of Jerry

Visiting Janoma, Butch

and Sue Stephens and

children overthe weekend

shall and Kenny, Melody and

Jason Campbell of Hale Cen-

Mrs. Derwin Lancaster and

Visiting the J.O. Brothers

family and the L.A. Covey

Parks and Nellie Munoz of

Roma. While here, a group of

and Kay Covey.

family.

Ina Arledge of Littlefield.

HERE AND THERE

Tribune)

there.

ta last week.

for a visit.

were Mr. and Mrs. Lynn **Duncan and Brandie Duncan** of Wichita Falls.

Alex and Carol Godsey Those from the O'Brien were in Azle recently to at-**Baptist Church attending** tend the wedding for Alex's Boys Day Camp at Lueders last Friday were Butch and niece, Millie Garfield, to **Ronnie Hargrove. They spent** Scott Stephens, Wesley Holmes and Rev. Bill Trice the weekend with relatives and Josh Burt of Knox City.

Johnny, Vonnie, Holly and Nicki Ivie spent the weekend days with her son Jerry in Tulsa, Oklahoma, vacationing. While there, Rowan and family in Henriet-Irby and Johnnie Mae they attended the Oral Rober-Carlisle are in Montgomery, ts Institute.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Cameron were in Dallas last week for Mr. Cameron to receive medical treatment at husband, David is in the sera hospital there. vice and is being moved to

Charles Casillas was in Wichita General Hospital last week where he underwent surgery

Visiting Claudale and Jean Barnard last week were their daughter, Claudia Bryant and husband Eddie and Jennifer and Jon Bryant of Levelland. Naomi Creel of Goliad, Lura

Rev. Mike McKinney and family of Childress visited his parents, Wayne and Corine McKinney, over the weekend. J.O. and Charlene Brothers attended a Brothers family reunion at the Clapp Park in Lubbock Sunday. There were approximately 50 who attended

Audrey and Elsie Pierson spent a week with Audrey's sister, Eudice Nichols, in were Bobby and Carl Mar-Navada.

WORDS A careless word may kindle

strife A cruel word may wreck a Marvin, Cody and Christie Manning spent the weekend life:

A filthy word may make you in Springtown with Mr. and ill, A brutal word may smite and

kill A joyous word may lighta

family last week were Judy, day, Lucinda, Levi and Elizah A timely word may smoothe

the way A gracious word may lessen

A loving word may heal and

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THE KNOX COUNTY NEWS Knox City, Texas, Thursday, July 26, 1984

FROM PLAINVIEW Dallas Couple

Has Twin Girls

Word has been received in Knox City that Mr. and Mrs. Bryant Harrison of Dallas are the proud parents of twin girls born in a Dallas hospital Monday night.

Grandmother is Mrs. Yvonne Harrison and Mrs. O.L. Jamison of Knox City is great-grandmother.

No other information was available as of press time.

recently enjoyed fishing at Possum Kingdom. En route home, they visited in Munday and also with his mother, Mrs. Alma Swearingen in Knox City.

Mr. and Mrs.

Swearingen of Plainview

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VISITS SON

Mrs. Margaret Warren has been in Houston for a week visiting her son, James Alsup







ENGAGEMENT ANNOUNCED -- Mr. and Mrs. Arvil McFaddin of Haskell announce the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter, Shelah Rena to Bruce Todd, son of Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Benson of Benjamin. They plan an August 25 wedding. Shelah is a 1983 graduate of Haskell High School and is employed by Bob's Super Save in Knox City. Todd will be a 1985 graduate at Benjamin High School. He is employed by Lin-Mour Drilling. They plan to make their home in Benjamin.

Warren. described land in Knox County, Texas, to wit:

The East one-half (E/2) of the South Four Hundred Acres (400) of Survey No. 13, Block No. 2, D & W Ry. Co. Survey, Certificate No. 142, described by metes and bounds

Beginning at a point in the South boundary line of said Section 13, 680 varas East of the Southwest corner of said Section No. 13, the same being the Southeast corner of the West Half of the South 400 acres of Section No. 13;

THENCE East 680 varas to the Southeast corner of Section No. 13:

THENCE North 1,661-3/4 varas to corner in East boundary line of Section No. 13; **THENCE West 680 varas to** Northeast corner of West Half of the South 400 acres of section No. 13;

THENCE South 1,661-3/4 varas to the place of beginning and containing 200 acres, more less.

Said lease being recorded in the office of the County Clerk in and for said county in book 127 page 179, together with all personal property used or obtained therewith.

And levied upon as the property of H.S. Thaxton and that on the first Tuesday in August 1984, the same being the 7th day of said month, at the Court House door, of Knox County, in the City of Benjamin, Texas, between the hours of 10 A.M. and 4 P.M. by virtue of said levy and said Execution I will sell said above described Real Estate at public vendue, for cash, to the highest bidder, as the property of said H.S. Thaxton.

And in compliance with law, I give the notice by publication, in the English language, once a week for two consecutive weeks immediately preceding said day of sale, in the Knox County News & Munday Courier, a newspaper published in Knox County.

Witness my hand, this 9th day of July 1984.

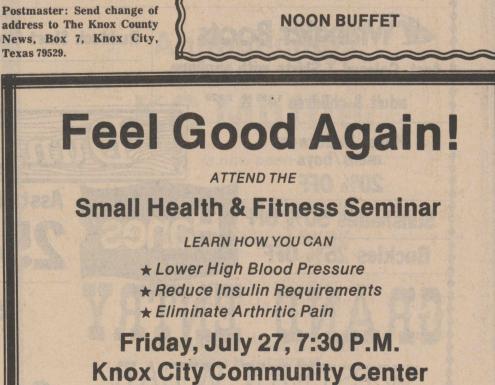
Morris E. Nix Sheriff. Knox County, Texas By Jan Carver, Deputy 7-19 2tc



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address to The Knox County News, Box 7, Knox City, Texas 79529.



Leon Hiett, Instructor **NO ADMISSION · EVERYONE WELCOME**

THE KNOX COUNTY NEWS **Page Four** Knox City, Texas, Thursday, July 26, 1984



ROUNDING OUT THE Little League season in fourth place were the Red Sox. Pictured, front row, from left are Jarred Pepper, Chris Casillas, Will Vacek and Gilbert Casillas. Back row, from left, are Jason Davenport, Danny Sosa. Mike Manuel and John Casillas. Pictured behind the boys are from left, Coaches Ray Casillas, Richard Wupperman and Rick Wupperman. Not pictured are Stephanie Pepper, Kandon Sloan, Lee Leaverton and LaShonda Cotton.

FROM LOUISIANA

Betty Acree of Minden,

Louisiana, is here visiting her

parents, Mr. and Mrs. George

Hodges, and her sister and

her family, Mr. and Mrs.

Her children, Will and Jef-

part of their summer

return home with her.

Roland Marion and Roger.

Knox City-O'Brien School 1984-85 Calendar

August 17	Teachers Begin
August 20	Teacher Workday
August 21-23	In-Service
August 24	First Day of School
September 3	Labor Day
November 22 & 23	Thanksgiving
December 20	End 1st Semester
December 21	Teacher Workday
December 24-Jan. 4	Christmas Holidays
March 11-15	Spring Break
April 8	Easter Holiday
May 23	End 2nd Semester
May 24	Teacher Workday

Clay's Sno-Cone Factory 303 SOUTH THIRD

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Olney Savings Begins New Seymour Facility

Work has begun on a new building for Olney Savings in Seymour. The new building will have a total of 2700 square feet, with three private offices, a three station teller counter, a vault with safe deposit boxes, and a four lane drive-in window facility. The building will have a white stucco exterior. The interior will feature warm earth tones and other

accent colors. "Olney Savings has been very fortunate to have been in Seymour for so many years. As our first branch, the Seymour office was our first step toward a current network of twenty-six offices throughout North Central Texas," commented Alan D. Myers, Jr., President of Olney Savings. "We hope this new facility will better serve our customers and friends of Baylor, Knox, and Haskell counties. They have been faithful to Olney Savings and we want to provide them with a facility that will best serve their financial needs." added Myers.

'Our new office will enable us to offer new services to our customers that we have been unable to do in the past. We are excited and looking forfery, who have been spending ward to our new home," commented Reeda Jeanes, vacation here with the manager of Olney Savings in Hodges and the Marions, will Seymour.



The office is being constructed by Electra Construction, Inc., of Electra. Completion of the project is expected around November 1, 1984, with new building located at the corner of Main Street and Oregon.

OMISSION

In the sponsors listed for the recent Open All-Trophy Horse Show, two sponsors names failed to be submitted with the others. Those omitted were Knox City Grain and Cablevision.

FROM SAN ANTONIO

David Counts, student at St. Mary's University School of Law in San Antonio, is spending a few weeks at home with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. David Counts.

> **BEVERLY CHANEY** has returned to **MINI MALL BEAUTY SALON**

Call or Drop In 658-3957 or 658-3086

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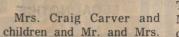


Gal. 2:2

LOOK WHO'S HERE Frankie and Reva

Rodriquez are the proud parents of a baby boy born Sunday, July 22, at 2:18 p.m. in a Stamford hospital. The young lad has been named Joshua William and he weighed in at eight pounds, two ounces, and measured 201/2 inches in length.

Maternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. William Greenwood of Rochester and Mr. and Mrs. David Rodrigues of Knox City are paternal grandparents.



IN TAFT

Odell Carver have been in Taft, Texas, visiting Mr. and Mrs. Johnny W. Carver and children





Hospital Auxiliary	
Pink Ladies' FURNITURE SALE This furniture was donated by the Knox County Hospital	BACK
6 Straight ChairsEach \$750	Joint
1 Straight Chair\$400	TD
3 Small Chairs	T B Crowett
2 Upholstered Chairs	Boys
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HERE 'N THERE

Captain and Mrs. Michael Pyatt, Brad and Mary of Norfolk, Virginia, visited his grandparents, Lee and Grace Snailum during the weekend. Thursday guests of the Snailums were Carol, Casey and Amy Snailum of Garland.

Visiting Clodell Duke and Jan and Wendy Pollock last week were Gaye and Mark Roberts of Hereford, Sue, Will and Marcy McCarthy of Iowa Park, Mary and Mike Sawyers of Hamlin and Polly Marion of Knox City. Ken Roberts, Denny McCarthy and Derrell Sawyers joined their families here for the Pollock-Matus wedding and spent the weekend. Also here for the wedding and remaining for a weekend were Butch, Doris and Marion Duke of Levelland.

B.W. and Irene Duke of Fort Worth visited relatives and friends here Friday and attended the Matus-Pollock wedding.

H.T. and Kathleen Melton are vacationing in Colorado this week

Jack and Katy New and Catlyn of Seguine visited her mother, Ruth Ressell and her sister and family, the Duke Cartwrights during the weekend.

Karen Eager and Linda Morris of Fort Worth v. ed Jan Pollock Friday and attended the wedding.

Enjoying a vacation in Colorado last week were Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Roberts, Mr. and Mrs. Freddy McGreger and Chris and the Danny Roberts of O'Brien. ATTEND ALL-STAR GAME

Don and Louise Hertel and Craig, Weldon, Jane, Lana, Sue and Oscar Gideon, Benny, Belle, Kate and Diendra Grill, David, Sue and Sulynn Oxford, Bill and Pearl Ryder, Jake and James Propps and Barbara and Jim Pratt attended the East-West All-Star football and basketball games in Stephenville Saturday. Kent Hertel played on the west basketball team and Troy Oxford played on the West football team. The basketball team (W) lost by 93-88. The football team (W) won 38-28. Troy Oxford was

one of the captains on the football team and scored two touchdowns. We're proud of our Benjamin boys!!

MORE HERE 'N THERE Nora Hertel returned home Sunday after a weeks visit with her daughter and family, the Daniel Albuses in Lubbock.

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MRS. TODD ALAN LEWIS ... the former Melissa Lynn Pierce

Couple Honeymooning In Poconos Following Vows

Mr. and Mrs. Todd Alan and waistline of the gown Lewis are honeymooning in were appliqued with lace motifs and beading which the Poconos in Pennsylvania following their Friday, July was repeated on the front of 20, wedding in First Baptist the gown's skirt. The double Church at six o'clock in the ruffled hemline was softly gathered by roses and exten-John Greeson, Church of ded into a chapel length train. Christ minister of Rule, per-Her bridal hat was accented formed the double ring with roses, ribbons and lace ceremony before candelabra and held a fingertip illusion holding pink tapers and veil. She carried a cascade covered with greenery. A bridal bouquet of fresh pink unity candle was also used at roses surrounded by white sweetheart roses.

The bride, the former Attending the bride were Melissa Lynn Pierce, is the Melanie Morris of Parker. daughter of Sharron Pierce of Arizona, maid of honor, and Knox City and Ken Young of bridesmaids Sandy Sutton, Granbury. Parents of the Vera Sweat, Michelle Pierce, bridegroom are Elaine Lewis sister of the bride, and Tamand Sterling Lewis, both of my Wilson of Potosi, cousin of

Mrs. Melvin A. Lowrey **Boyd's** provided wedding music at the organ and accompanied Welding Melanie Morris of Parker, Arizona, who sang "Hello" Servicé **Backhoe Service** Given in marriage by her Available grandfather, Bob Morrison of

the bride. They wore pink and white gingham off-theshoulder long dresses and each carried a single longstemmed pink rose. Payton Tankersley served

as best man. Groomsmen were Danny Lewis, Troy Lewis and Shane Lewis, all brothers of the bridegroom, and Tommy Holmes of Boys Ranch, uncle of the bride. Traci Deering, the bridegroom's niece, was

flower girl and Clint Lewis, the bridegroom's stepbrother, served as ring bearer in place of the bridegroom's nephew, Brandon Lewis, who was ill.

Candlelighters were Amy Deering, niece of the bridegroom, and Heather Young of Granbury, stepsister of the bride. Justin Lewis, the bridegroom's nephew, and Elizabeth Young, step-sister of the bride were trainbearers. Ushers were Larry

Deering, the bridegroom's brother-in-law, Nathan Pierce, brother of the bride, and the bride's cousin, Brandon Holmes. The bridegroom wore a

grey suit while his attendants wore pink Oxford shirts, grey slacks and grey ties.

Sarah Jones registered guests in the church foyer. Clint Lewis distributed scrolls to the wedding guests.

The reception followed in the fellowship hall. The bride's table was covered with a lace cloth over white satin. The three-tiered pink



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velvet cake held a New

Reflections ornament with

touches of pink satin ribbon

and cherry blossoms. The

heart cakes bordeed with lace

and shell trim and pink roses

bridegroom's sister-in-law,

Sheila Holmes of Boys Ranch

A chocolate cake with

chocolate trim and an air

coffee service was used.

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Knox City, Texas, Thursday, July 26, 1984 He is a member of the Knox **Rochester Hobby**

City Volunteer Fire Department and is employed by **Club Meets** Wes-Mor Drilling Service.

three cake layers were trimmed with shells and draped The bridegroom's family with ruffles. Each drape held hosted the rehearsal dinner in clusters of pink rosebuds and the church fellowship hall running vine. Five white Thursday evening.

encircled the three tiers. The **VISIT GRANDMOTHER** cake was made by the Pam and Starla Smith of Stamford visited last week Patti Lewis. Mrs. Lewis and

Mexico

as the Bazaar. The club held a salad luncheon at its last meeting with with their grandmother, Eunice Newberry as hostess. Velma Graham, while their Evelyn Rogers will be the parents, Carolyn and Glenn August 7 hostess. Smith, vacationed in New

Eighteen members and eight visitors were present



Page Five

The Rochester Hobby Club

is displaying "Grandma's

Fan" quilt in its club window.

This quilt will be offered to

the highest sealed bid at the

club quilt show next fall.

Each club member is

readying for the event as well

Tommy Thompson, Petersburg **Ronnie Verhalen**, City **Danny Wainscott**, City Fred Warren, City

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contact the Center by mail or

A spokesperson said

requests are taken Monday

through Friday between 8:00

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The system is now able to transport wheelchair patients, also. However, if one needs this service, he or she is asked to notify the Aspermont Small Business Development Center, Inc., at least one week in advance, either by mail or telephone to Aspermont Small Business Development Center, Inc., P.O. Box 188, Aspermont, Texas 79529, telephone (817) 989-2239. Current Medicaid



Ilene Turner Stotts, NV

Rule, the bride wore a formal 24 Hr. Service length gown which featured **Shelton Boyd** an off-the-shoulder ruffled (817)658-3639 neckline accented with cabbage roses. The fitted bodice

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Notice Of Calculation Of Effective Tax Rate And Publication Of Estimated Unencumbered Fund Balances For Knox City-O'Brien Con. I.S.D.

I, Oscar Mangis, Tax Assessor-Collector for Knox City-O'Brien Con. I.S.D., in accordance with the provisions of Sec. 26.04, Property Tax Code, have calculated the tax rate which may not be exceeded by more than three percent by the governing body of the Knox City-O'Brien Con. I.S.D. without holding a public hearing as required by the code. That rate is as follows: \$.8899 per \$100 of value.

The estimated unencumbered fund balance for Maintenance & Operation fund: \$139,286.00. The estimated unencumbered fund balance for Interst & Sinking fund: \$0.

Name	 	 	 W.R.	Bake
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otal tax levy (Data 1)\$503,231.23	(C) Total Rate to adjust for appraisal roll errors\$0/\$100
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act frozen M&O levy of over-65 homesteads (Data 16)\$812.04	(D) 1984 Effective Tax Rate\$.8899/\$100

1984 Effective Tax Rate is the tax rate published as required by Sec. 26.04, Property Tax Code



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News Notes from the **Brazos Valley Care Home By Rena**

Sunday School was held with Ozelle Stephens as our teacher. The song leader was Lacy Headrick. The pianist was Peggy Guinn. There were 12 present.

Bro. Woolley ministered to us Monday morning. Oliver Woolley was the pianist and Doyle Graham was song leader. There were 18 present.

Tommy Kent came and entertained the residents of Brazos Valley Care Home Monday afternoon. Everyone is always glad to have Tommy take time out and come sing for us.

Rhythm Band was held Tuesday morning with June Tankersley at the piano. This is a fun time with all the residents joining in with their instruments. There were 19 present.

Arts and Crafts Class was held Wednesday morning with Linda Pierson as instructor. There were 12 present. They made a Fruits of the Spirit tree.

Mid Week Volunteer Prayer meeting was held Wednesday night. The minister was Jimmy Rogers and the pianist was Kay Rogers. There were 35 present.

Bible Class was held Thursday morning with Phillip Burcham and Jimmy Quintana as instructors. There, were 20 present.

Exercise Class was held Friday morning with Linda Pierson as instructor. There were 10 present.

Felix and Janie Fernandez and girls of Munday, Raymond and Phama Lou Wilhite, Mattie Bales, Linda and Aaron Large, Mary Kirkland, Bessie Large, Monty Penman, Vic Thomas, Mabel Hollis and Phillip Burcham visited Mary Lou Foshee and Dora Followill. **Ozelle Stephens and Phillip**

Burcham visited Marjorie Baker. Ozelle Stephens visited Vida Williamson and Athleen

Owens Louise Finley and Carol visited Horace Finley.

mier Linda and Aaron Large, George and Mozelle Hodges, Dollie B. Feemster of Haskell, Sissie Collier, Cornie King and Delma Lee Howell visited Blanche Hodges and

Grace Cyr. C.N. Harrison and Mae, Ken and Betty Payne of Lubbock, Janie Wilkinson, Jack Maddox, Rhonda, April and Sammy Robinson of Odessa and Missy Wilkinson visited

Ocie Clough. Loretta Albus, Lorena Burnison, Norman and Irene Lusk, Cory Lusk, Kevin Lusk, Kasey Lusk, Sam Lusk, Bertha Wilde, Tommy Kent, Lucille Abbott, Leo and Opal Guffey, Phillip Burcham, Vic Thomas, Monty Penman and Dewey and Marie Darr visited Mae Flowers.

Bill Baker, Doug Stenberg and girls and Billye Angle visited Bea Benedict. Jack Maddox visited Hazel

Clark and Waynell Clark. Sybil Greenwood and Jim-

my Quintana visited Lydia Smith and Juanell Strickland. Pam, Rebekah and Rachel Duke and Brother and Sister Woolley visited Jessie Parks. Lucille Abbott and Ray Thomas of Odessa visited T.C. Carter.

L.J. Shelson, Joe Marion, Jimmy Quintana, Lucille Abbott and Betty Henderson visited Zollie Thomas.

Janie Wilkinson, Doug Stenberg and girls, Jean **Rogers and Jessie Roberts** visited Kelton Smith.

Leo and Opal, Janie Wilkinson, Rhonda, April and Sam Robinson of Odessa and Jack Maddox visited Easter Hastey. Myrtie Beauchamp, Elrena

and Phillip Essary of Wichita Falls. Dale and Gave Graham of Pasadena, Dave and Bessie Davidson and Fannie Ballew of Abilene visited Eda Fave Pounds and Florence Burleson

Ladies from First Christian that our sins might be Church of Benjamin gave the forgiven. We must love our Birthday Party of the Month. fellowman as Jesus loved us. Those having Birthdays were Paul said, "If you talk about Allibell Trimmier, Eda Faye fellowman or neighbor, you Pounds and Leah Couch. are only hurting yourself." Punch and Cookies were ser-Peter said, "We should be ved to 53 residents. Everyone earnest men of prayer; enjoyed the party very much. thoughtful of our fellowman and pray for him. Most im-

Local's Kin **Joe Rocha Dies July 18 Is Buried** In Amarillo In O'Brien Thomas Houston Durham,

Funeral services 78, of Dumas, brother of O'Brien resident Jose Solis Dovie Clonts of Knox City, (Joe) Rocha were held died July 18 at St. Anthony Friday morning, July 20, at Hospital in Amarillo after a ten o'clock in the Santa Rosa lengthy illness. Memorial Catholic Church with Father services were held at First Bob Strittmatter, pastor, of-Methodist Church in Dumas ficiating. Burial was in the at 2:00 p.m., Friday, July 20, O'Brien Cemetery with Smith with pastor Larry Hall of-Funeral Home in charge of ficiating. Burial was in Llano arrangements. Rosary was Cemetery in Amarillo. read by Father Strittmatter Thomas was born July 12, Thursday, July 19, at 7:30 1906, in Marlin to the late p.m. John Perry and Laura

Mr. Rocha, 52, died Wednesday night, July 18, at ap-Durham. He was secretary of the Oil, Gas and Chemical proximately 11:00 p.m. in Teamsters Union from 1949 to West Texas Medical Center in Abilene

Survivors include his wife, Born January 3, 1932, in Old Laura of the home; two Mexico, he married Alexandaughters, Eleanor Roy dria Rodriquez in November Johnston of California and 1960, in Knox City. Mr. Rocha Nellyn Hix of Bryan; five was employed as a machine grandchildren; three greatoperator by Bronco Seed grandchildren; two brothers, Company in Stamford. He Jack Durham of Lewisville was a member of the Santa Rosa Catholic Church in and Perry Durham of Fort Worth; four sisters, Mae Knox City. **Bonner of Mart, Dovie Clonts** Survivors include his wife,

of Knox City, Othella Stone of Alexandria of the home; his Harrison, Arkansas, and mother, Natalia Rocha of Haskell; eight sons, Johnny and Mague, both of Knox City, Jamie, Max and Arthur, all of Abilene, and Joe Jr., George and Harvey, all of O'Brien; four daughters, Rosa Richardson and Chela

Ferguson, both of Graham, and Adella Gutierrez and Estella Rocha, both of O'Brien; a sister, Mary Rojas of Haskell; and 13 grandchildren.

SERVICES OF THE **CHURCH OF GOD**

IN CHRIST The Usher board joint meeting was held here on last Tuesday evening with Sister Manuel doing the training. A call meeting was held at the Knox City Church also on Thursday night with Ass't. Supt. Ward in charge.

Mission was Held on Friday night and Sunshine Band on Saturday afternoon with Missionary Wilson teaching. Sunday school had a good attendance with Supt. Manuel

in charge. Elder George Blue of Hamlin preached during the morning service from I **Timothy 6:12 and II Timothy** 2:3, a great message.

Service and a business

Do You Have Enough Water?

The demand for good water has increased tremendously over the years. One of the most reliable and economical sources of water is the farm pond. Ponds serve numerous purposes including livestock water, fish production, wildlife habitat, and recreation.

for

There are two types of ponds a landowner can build. depending on the site available. One is the embankment type, which is made by building a dam across a gulley or watercourse where the gulley is depressed enough to permit the storage of at least ten feet

of water for this area. The other type is the excavated, or pit type pond. Not only is ample forage needed for livestock production, but also clean water. If stockwater in pasture and range conditions is inadequate, grazing will be concentrated near water areas.

Providing more watering areas in a pasture will more evenly distribute grazing, facilitate pasture improvement, and better control erosion An understanding of stock-

water requirements is needed in planning a pond large enough to meet the needs of stock utilizing a pasture.

The following is a guide for estimating water needs. Beef cattle and horses consume 12 to 15 gallons per head per day, hogs 4 gallons per head per day, and sheep 2 gallons

per head per day. If the producer wishes to use a pond for multiple purposes such as fish production, Livestock, and recreation, two factors should be considered. First. He should total

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for each purpose and be sure it is adequate. Second be sure the purpose for which the water is to be used is com-

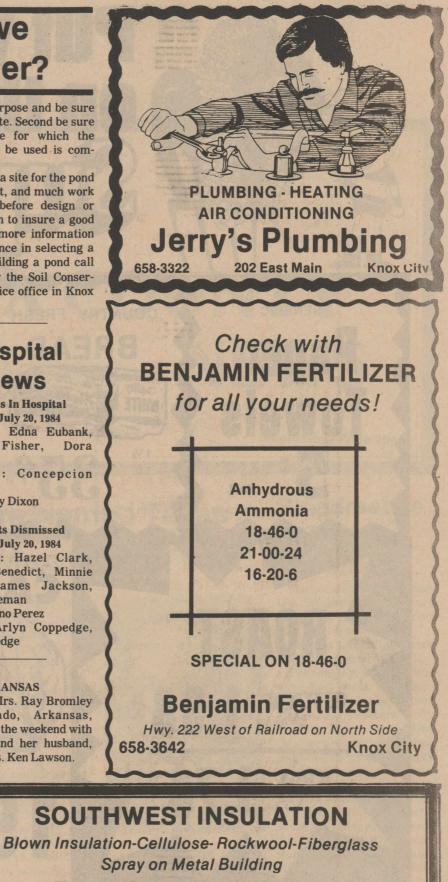
patible. Selecting a site for the pond is important, and much work is needed before design or construction to insure a good pond. For more information and assistance in selecting a site and building a pond call or come by the Soil Conservation Service office in Knox City

Hospital News

Patients In Hospital As Of July 20, 1984 Knox City: Edna Eubank, Lindsay Fisher, Dora Followill Benjamin: Concepcion Estrada Goree: Mary Dixon

Patients Dismissed As Of July 20, 1984 Knox City: Hazel Clark, Beatrice Benedict, Minnie Reeves, James Jackson, George Freeman Munday: Lino Perez Guthrie: Arlyn Coppedge, Mary Coppedge

FROM ARKANSAS Mr. and Mrs. Ray Bromley of ElDorado, Arkansas, visited over the weekend with his sister and her husband, Mr. and Mrs. Ken Lawson.



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Jewel Rucker of Dallas and several nieces and nephews. Pallbearers were Bill Powell, Bob Owen, Everett Shaha, T.C. Roper, J.A. Van Straten and Robert L. Boyd. STREAMS IN **DESERT PLACES**

"Thank God for the privilege of being in Christ's family and being called by his wonderful Name." (I Peter 4:16)

His Sovereignty? Are we born

again, filled with his spirit

and divine love that keeps us

loving our fellowman as we

God and do what it says so

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show love, deep love for each

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We must know the Word of

love ourselves?

By OZELLE STEPHENS

Jesus said some astounding and blessed things to his disciples. To know the things Jesus taught helps us to know if we are really living the Christian life and obeying the Word of God. Are we walking in his will? Are we yielded to

Audie Kemper, Debbie Martin of Fort Worth, Raymond and Phama Lou Wilhite, Mattie Bales, Phillip, Elurena Essary of Wichita Falls, Mildred Stubbs, Mary Qualls, Jane Brownlee of Fort Worth, Myrtie Beauchamp, Dean Johnston and Jimmy Rogers visited Bertha Trimmier.

Glen and LaVaughn Beauchamp of Killeen, Louise Finley, Myrtie Beauchamp, John Gillispie, Elrena and Phillip Essary of Wichita Falls, Harvey Freeman, Jessie Teague, Mary Qualls, Jan Brownlee of Fort Worth and Fannie Bullew of Abilene visited H.R. Beauchamp.

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Raymond and Phama Lou Wilhite, Mattie Bales, Phillip Beauchamp visited Lillie Burleson and Leah Couch.

Raymond Wilhite, Phama Lou Wilhite, Mattie Bales, Phillip Burcham and Ida Pack visited Ruth Papworth and Elizabeth Lauderdale.

Raymond and Phama Lou Wilhite visited Ben Snelson and Arlyn Coppedge.

Nora Culp, Betty Meinzer, Raymond and Phama Lou Wilhite, Mattie Bales, Phillip Burchamp and Birdie Helton visited Minnie Reeves and Myrtle Ary.

Mattie Bales and Phillip **Burcham visited Frances** Hudspeth.

Raymond and Phama Lou Wilhite visited Allibel Trim-

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By ALESTINE FLYE

Sunday just weren't my day. I got up Sunday all ready for Sunday School and Church and I look at the clock it tell me I was late so I dress quick and grab my purse run to the car forgot my keys had Christ. to come back to get them. Got the car started, went two blocks and heard a bump, bump. Stop and look there

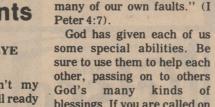
was a flat tire. Then I had to walk two blocks back home to call to get it fix caught a ride and went to Church.

St. Paul held Sunday school with a small attendance for morning service. St. Paul and the Church of the Living God join together and had a beautiful service.

I got a summer cold. I feel awful, my head hurt, my legs ain't acting right, my ankle hurt, my back don't feel good, that's about all but my sinuses are acting up. I would go to the doctor but I think

feel alright. I guess that's

enough for now.



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session were held here on Sunday afternoon.

Auxiliary Fund

Donations have been made to the Knox County Hospital Auxiliary in memory of:

Velvet Verhalen Noah by Mrs. Ina L. Cowan.

VISITS PARENTS

Mrs. Donna Ricks of Ransom Canyon Lake visited her parents, the Alton Fitzgeralds, a few days last I, Oscar Mangis, Tax Assessor-Collector for

The estimated unencumbered fund balance for Maintenance & Operation fund: \$148,500.00. The estimated unencumbered fund balance for Interest & Sinking fund: \$0.

		Ben Gri
Title	 	 Superintendent

CALCULATIONS USED TO DETERMINE EFFECTIVE TAX RATE

I. DATA	······································
1. 1983 Total tax levy from the 1983 tax roll\$325,751.92	(G) Subtract 1983 M&O taxes used to regain lost 1982 levy (Data 14).
2. 1983 Tax rate (\$.54 M&O and \$0 I&S)\$.54/\$100	(H) Adjusted 1983 M&O levy \$
3. 1983 Debt service (I&S) levy\$0	2. (A) 1984 Total taxable value of all , roperty (Data 8)\$
4. 1983 Maintenance and operation (M&O) levy\$325,751.92	(B) Subtract 1984 Value of new improvements (Data 9)
5. 1983 M&O taxes on property in territory that has ceased to be a	(C) Subtract 1984 Value of annexed property (Data 10)
part of unit in 1984\$0	(D) Subtract 1984 Value of over-65 homesteads (Data 15)
5. 1983 M&O taxes on property becoming exempt in 1984\$290.95	(E) Adjusted 1984 Taxable value for M&O\$
7. 1983 M&O taxes on taxable value lost because property is appraised at less.	3. (A) Divide the Adjusted 1983 M&O levy (1-H above) by the Adjusted
than market value in 1984\$0	Taxable value for M&O (2-E above) (\$325,360.99÷\$50,510,300)
8. 1984 Total taxable value of all property\$53,318,870	(B) Multiply by \$100 valuation.
9. 1984 Taxable value of new improvements added since Jan. 1, 1983\$2,750,000	(C) Effective M&O rate for 1984\$.
10. 1984 Taxable value of property annexed since Jan. 1, 1983\$0	
11. 1984 Tax levy needed to satisfy debt service (I&S)\$0	Interest and Sinking (I&S) Tax Rate
2. Rate to raise 1983 tax levy due to appraisal roll errors (lost dollars divided	4. (A) 1984 I&S levy needed to satisfy debt (Data 11)
by the difference of 1984 taxable values minus over-65 homesteads taxable	(B) Subtract frozen I&S levy of over-65 homesteads (Data 17)
values) (\$0÷\$0-\$0x100)\$0/\$100	(C) Adjusted 1984 I&S levy
13. Rate to regain taxes lost in 1983 due to appraisal roll errors (lost dollars	(D) 1984 Total taxable value of all property (Data 8)\$
divided by the difference of 1984 taxable values minus 1984 over-65	(E) Subtract 1984 Value of over-65 homesteads (Data 15)
homesteads taxable value) (\$0÷\$0-\$0x100)\$0/\$100	(F) Adjusted 1984 Taxable value for I&S\$
4. 1983 M&O Taxes used to regain lost 1982 levy\$0	(G) Divide the Adjusted 1984 I&S levy (4-C above) by the Adjusted 19
15. 1984 Taxable value of over-65 homesteads with frozen taxes\$58,570	taxable value for I&S (4-F above) (\$0÷\$0)
6. Frozen M&O levy of over-65 homesteads with frozen taxes\$99.98	(H) Multiply by \$100 valuation
17. Frozen I&S levy of over-65 homesteads with frozen taxes\$0	(I) Effective I&S rate for 1984
	Appraisal Roll Error Rate
	5. (A) Rate to raise 1983 levy due to appraisal errors (Data 12)
I. CALCULATION	(B) Add Rate to regain taxes lost due to errors (Data 12)
Aaintenance and Operation (M&O) Tax Rate	(C) Total Rate to adjust for appraisal roll errors

1. (A) 1983 Total tax levy (Data 1)	\$325,751.92
(B) Subtract 1983 Debt service levy (Data 3)	\$0
(C) Subtract 1983 Taxes on property no longer in un	nit (Data 5)\$0
(D) Subtract 1983 Taxes on exemptions (Data 6)	
(E) Subtract 1983 Taxes on productivity valuation	(Data 7)\$0
(F) Subtract frozen M&O levy of over-65 homestead	ds (Data 16)\$99.98

.\$325,360.99 rty (Data 8) \$53,318,870 nents (Data 9). -\$2,750,000 erty (Data 10). -\$58,570 teads (Data 15) . \$50,510,300 1-H above) by the Adjusted 1984\$.006441 5,360.99÷\$50,510,300) ..x\$100 .\$.6441/\$100 (Data 11). omesteads (Data 17)... -\$0 rty (Data 8) \$53,318,870 steads (Data 15). -\$58,570 \$53,260,300 C above) by the Adjusted 1984 \$0 . x\$100 . \$0/\$100 sal errors (Data 12). . \$0/\$100 errors (Data 13).... +\$0/\$100oll errors.... . \$0/\$100 Total Effective Tax Rate For 1984 6. (A) Effective M&O rate (3-C above).... (B) Add Effective I&S rate (4-I above). \$.6441/\$100 +\$0/\$100 (C) Add Rate to adjust for appraisal roll errors (5-C above)... +\$0/\$100 (D) 1984 Effective Tax Rate \$.6441/\$100

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1984 Effective Tax state is the tax rate published as required by Sec. 26.04, Property Tax Code

BENJAMIN

Notice Of Calculation Of Effective Tax Rate And Publication Of Estimated Unencumbered Fund Balances **For Benjamin ISD**

Benjamin ISD, in accordance with the provisions of Sec. 26.04, Property Tax Code, have calculated the tax rate which may not be exceeded by more than three percent by the governing body of the Benjamin ISD without holding a public hearing as required by the code. That rate is as follows: \$.6441 per \$100 of value.

