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No Computer For County

A proposal that the County of Runnels purchase a new computer to prepare tax rolls was not acted upon during a called meeting of the County Commissioners' Court Thursday of last week.

The proposal had been made to trade in a computer which has been in use for about three years on a new computer which would cost about \$22,000, County Judge John W. Purifoy said.

Judge Purifoy told news media that some of the commissioners, apparently, had individually authorized Jack Farmer, County Tax Assessor-Collector, to sign a conditional order with the Burroughs Corp., trading in the present equipment on a new computer.

The County Judge said the present equipment had been purchased about three years ago. He pointed out that of 60 counties contacted, "about four, including Jackson, Refugio, Winkler and Randall counties, own and operate" computers in the tax collector's office. He said all others "seemingly prefer to have their tax rolls prepared by operating computer firms rather than pay higher costs in owning and operating their own machines."

The Judge said that some of the counties contacted, "including Scurry County, which is a larger county.

Lions Club Chili Supper Friday Night

Winters Lions Club will hold their annual chili supper Friday night, February 30, in the school cafeteria.

Serving will begin at 5:30 p. m. and continue until everyone has been served.

Tickets may be obtained from members of the Lions Club or at the door.

Proceeds from the chili supper are used to finance the several projects sponsored by the Lions Club each year.

discontinued (the practice of) owning their own (computer) equipment and returned to having tax rolls prepared by a professional firm."

Voters To Get New Certificates

On February 1, the Runnels County Tax Assessor-Collector's office will mail a new voter certificate to each person in the county who has been previously registered as a voter, and who has voted in elections in the past three years. The new certificates will be good until Feb. 28, 1978, Jack Farmer, County Tax Assessor-Collector, said.

Enclosed with the certificates will be a questionnaire which the tax office is required by statute to send to obtain specific information. Residents receiving the new certificates are asked to read the letters enclosed with the certificates, in order to vote properly or for additional information on voting.

Those who are not registered must do so 30 days prior to any election. Applications are available in the office of the County Tax Assessor-Collector.

Moble Home Destroyed By Fire

A mobile home on West State Street was almost completely destroyed by fire Tuesday morning.

The mobile home, owned by Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Sims, was occupied by Mr. and Mrs. John Bradshaw. No one was home at the time of the fire.

Fire Chief Marvin Bedford said it had not been determined how the fire started.

Financial loss could not be determined, but firemen indicated that the home was a total loss. A few personal belongings may be salvaged, it was said.



FIRST CHECK—Woodrow Watts, right, president of The Winters State Bank, presents Mrs. Bob Lindsey with a check to open the drive to raise funds for purchase of new uniforms for the Winters High School Blizzard

Band. Kirke McKenzie, center, is band director. Mrs. Lindsey is president of the Blizzard Band Boosters, the organization sponsoring the drive to raise money through public subscription to help purchase the uniforms.

Drive On To Buy Band Uniforms

A drive to raise \$5,000 through public subscription to help pay for new uniforms for the Winters High School Blizzard Band was kicked-off last week.

The \$5,000 will be added to the \$11,000 which will be budgeted by the school board. Mrs. Robert Lindsey.

president of the sponsoring Band Boosters organization said. New uniforms for the entire band will cost \$16,000, she said.

A special fund has been established at The Winters State Bank for deposit of the special contributions expected for the uniform fund. Those wishing to contribute to the fund may deposit directly to the account in the bank, or send rece contributions to the Blizzard Band Boosters. Mrs. Lindsey said no contributions will be too small to be

A list of contributors will be published each week as they are received. First contribution in this drive was made by The Winters State Bank, \$150. Mr. and Mrs. Nelan Bahlman have contributed \$100, to make the first contribution total \$250.

Concert Sunday

Winters High School Blizzard Band will present the annual winter concert Sunday, February 1, at 3 p. m. in the school gymnasium.

appreciated.

The band, under direction of Kirke McKenzie, will present a program of patriotic music in addition to concert contest numbers which they will play in the spring band contests.

A highlight of the program will be the presentation of the 1975-76 Band Sweetheart, elected by members of the band.

Winters Got Bicentennial Flag Monday

In an impressive ceremony, punctuated with patriotic music by the Winters High School Blizzard Band, the City of Winters Monday was presented with an official American Revolutionary Bicentennial Flag, and certificates from the American Bicentennial Administration and the Texas Bicentennial Committee.

Presentation was made during a program in the school gymnasium.

Joe Hodges, chairman of the Abilene Bicentennial Committee, made the official presentation to Homer J. Hodge, Mayor of Winters.

Mrs. George Poe, co-chairwoman for the Winters Bicentennial Committee, presided for the presentation program. The Blizzard Band Flag Corps presented historic and present day flags, with musical background by Toni Hambright, piccolo soloist, and Adrianne Edwards, snare drum solo-

Susan Grenwelg an eighth grade

student, led the Pledge of Allegiance, and Kevin Hall, president of the High School Student Council, gave the invocation.

Kirke McKenzie, chairman for the Heritage '76 sub-committe of the Bicentennial Committee, told of future activities which have been planned for this bicentennial year, including the building of a band stand or gazebo in the City Park.

Other events and projects planned for the year will be a community service sponsored by the churches of Winters, to be held in the football stadium July 4.

Mayor Hodge said several local clubs will be in charge of various projects, such as planting blue bonnets in designated areas in town. Plans are to landscape the area around the new water tower on North Main Street, using rocks and flowers.

Other projects will be announced as the year progresses, it was stated.



OFFICIAL FLAG—Joe Hodges, left, of Abilene, and Winters Mayor Homer J. Hodge display the official American Revolution

Bicentennial Flag presented to Winters during ceremonies in the school gymnasium Monday. Staff Photo By Marvin Moore.



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CORRECTION

In an article last week, it was erroneously reported that school board elections for some years had been held in conjunction with the City Election. This was in error. The school election has been held in conjunction with the North Runnels Hospital District election, but never with the City Election, which is always held separately.

CARD OF THANKS

I would like to thank the many friends for their prayers, visits, cards, flowers, and gifts during my stay in hospital. A special thanks to Dr. Lee, Dr. Rives, and the North Runnels Hospital staff. -Chesta Long



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Diversity Club Met Recently

The Diversity Club met recently in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Roberts. Roll call was "My Personal Heritage." This theme was very interesting and inspiring and showed that each member was proud of their

Christian American heritage. At the business meeting reports were given by committee and department chairmans. A review of Parliamentary procedure was given by Mrs. Fred Young. Mrs. Sam Jones led the reading of the American creed and Mrs. Ralph Arnold gave the Federation Counselor's Re-

Refreshments were served to eighteen members and one guest, Mrs. Marvin Dozier.

Merrill Nursing Home News

On Sunday afternoon the Rev. Charles E. Steinburg shared with us some interesting facts about his recent trip as a missionary to Nigeria. We are looking forward to hearing more of his trip the next time he meets with us.

Mr. and Mrs. B. B. Henry celebrated their 59th wedding anniversary on Jan. 22. Their children who visited them on Sunday were a daughter, Barteen and Clyde Hamilton from Fort Worth. A daughter, Nelda and Al Allen, and their two children, Mitzi and Cliff from San Antonio. A son. H. H. and Jean Henry from Sweet-

Mrs. Amanda Waldrop has enjoyed a daughter, Opal Herring from Houston visiting her this week.

We were saddened at the loss of Mrs. Lula Bridwell on Sunday afternoon. The residents and staff extend their sympathy to her entire

transferred to North Runnels Hospital on Tuesday.

Our newest resident is Mrs. Matilda Gerhart. We hope she will be happy in her

The Winters String Band will be here on Friday evening at 7 o'clock.

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Mrs. W.J. Self **Died Thursday** In Abilene

Mrs. William J. (Doad) Self, 68, died at 7:15 p. m. Thursday in West Texas Medical Center in Abilene following an illness of several

Funeral services were held at 3 p. m. Saturday in Spill Memorial Chapel with Ken Wilkie, associate minister of the South 11th and Willis Church of Christ in Abilene, officiating.

Burial was in Shep Cemetery under direction of Spill

Funeral Home. She was born Ada Margie Walker, in Somerville County, Jan. 7, 1908. When she was 13, the family moved to South Taylor County, settling in the Shep Community. She married William J. Self in September, 1926. The family lived at Shep until 1943 when they moved to Imperial, Calif., where she lived until 1962, moving to Abilene. While living in Abilene she worked for the Abilene Public School Lunch Department for twelve

She moved to Winters in October, 1975. She was a member of the South 11th and Willis Church of Christ in Abilene.

Mr. Self died May 14,

Survivors are a daughter, Mrs. Alvin (Lou) Scates of Winters: five foster children. David Self of Dallas, James Self of Stamford, J. R. McGeehee of Illinois, Mrs. Robert Wynns of San Diego, Calif., and Dolly Self of San Diego, Calif.; three brothers, Leon, Rich, and Carlos Walker, all of the Wingate area; four sisters, Mrs. Homer Foster of Abilene, Mrs. Lois Jones of Abilene, Mrs. H. M. Edwards of Wingate, Mrs. Floyd Huckaby of Stanton;

and nine grandchildren. Pallbearers were nephews.

KRUEGER'S **KOLUMN**

As the Members of Congress and the United States Senate assembled in the chamber of the House to hear President Ford deliver his State of the Union address, I was hoping and expecting to hear the President demonstrate some leadership in the programs he proposed for the coming

I would characterize the response he received from the audience as polite, but not enthusiastic, with neither strong support nor antagonism. The things he proposed were not really surprising, but he may have a difficult time getting some of them passed in the Congress.

There were several points in the President's address that I strongly agreed with, such as his proposals to assure that the United States remain militarily strong, and those to guarantee a decent quality of life for our elderly citizens.

The point the President made which received the strongest support from his audience, and one with which I strongly agree, concerned estate taxes. As a matter of fact, I have co-sponsored a bill with Congressman Burleson which guarantees that when a person dies his estate will be given a fair assessment so that his family does not have to sell the estate in

order to pay the taxes on it. The state of the union is better now than it was at this time last year; yet it is also true that it is still not good enough. President Ford has challenged the Congress to work with him in the coming months to make our Union a better one, and I, for one, am willing to accept that challenge.

Mr. Ford's proposals on defense spending, a modified approach to national helath insurance, and an approach

to tax reform favoring the condition will have continued middle class are all ideas in which I think reasonable men and women can find

some strong areas of agreement. I hope my colleagues in Congress agree with that

assessment; I hope that by next year's State of the Union address the Union's

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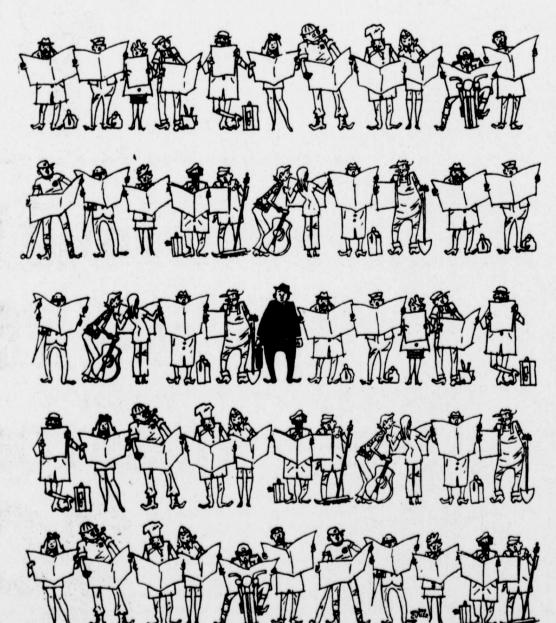
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A large number of friends and relatives attended the funeral of Mrs. Ada Self. Burial was in the Shep Cemetery.

The Cloy Allens have had relatives from San Antonio over the weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Carter of Buchanan Dam have been visiting David Bryan and staying some at the hospital with Ruby. They had lunch Sunday with Mrs. Wheat.

Mr. and Mrs. Bub Phillips, Mrs. Allen, Melva and a friend were dinner guests with Mr. and Mrs. Riley of Shep Sunday.

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#### UM Women Met **Tuesday Morning**

The United Methodist Women met Tuesday morning in the sanctuary of the First United Methodist Church for the "Call To Prayer and Self Denial." Mrs. Martin Middlebrook was leader for the

Others on the program were Mesdames Melvin Mapes, Bob Lindsey, W. T. Nichols, Elmo Mayhew, Thad Traylor, W. T. Stanley, Frank Mitchell, F. R. Anderson, M. L. Dobbins, Mrs. Roy Crawford.

Mrs. Paul Gerhardt gave a report on offering objectives.

Other members present were Mesdames Edith Drake, E. L. Marks, Vada Babston, Marvin Dozier, Ralph Arnold, Fred Young, M. E. Leeman, Carl Baldwin, Gladys Wilson, W. T. Lange, and Miss Margurite Mathis.

#### Friendly Neighbors Meeting Recently

The Friendly Neighbors Club met Wednesday in the home of Mrs. Bertha Gris-

Those present were Mesdames Erna Marks, Tye Hunter, Charlsie Poe, Hartie Baty, Alice Traylor, Flora McWilliams, Lady Rogers, Frances Campbell and Bertha Grisham.

The next meeting will be February 18 in the home of Mrs. Tye Hunter.

#### Step-Daughter Died Jan. 3 In Arlington

Mrs. Lora Coupland has received word of the death January 3 of her step-daughter, Miss Laura Coupland of Arlington.

She was the daughter of the late T. D. Coupland of Winters.

#### **CARD OF THANKS**

My husband and I want to thank Dr. Lee and Dr. Rives for the wonderful work they did for me; the nurses in surgery; and the nurses who cared for me so long in the hospital; the lovely folks who made so many visits to see me in the hospital and since I have come home. We are grateful for the flowers, cards, letters, gifts and prayers, and to our neighbors, and friends who brought food to us at home and did so much for us. We thank Dessie for her wonderful help, and the senior citizens for their help. We really do thank everyone and appreciate everything that was done for us. -Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Cooper. 47-1tp.

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Wednesday February 4 tion salad, cheese wedges, brown ie pudding, milk.

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Mr. and Mrs. Joe Dan Oden and daughter, Sarah Joy of Albany and Mrs. Ronnie Carlton and children, Little Ron and Cindy of Bronte have been visiting with their parents and brother, Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Oden and Larry and other relatives and friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Arlin Lewis and Mr. and Mrs. Billy Blythe of Snyder visited last Sunday with Savannah Thompson.

The Rev. and Mrs. Jim Clark of Clear, Alaska visited with Mrs. Lea Gaston, Mrs. Vera Bryant, Mrs. Willie Burwick and Mrs. Bama Sliger and many other

riends in the Blackwell area. Mark Clark of Clear, llaska visited Friday afteroon with Fannie Mae Wil-

Savannah Thompson was pnored on her 69th birthday st Wednesday in the home Mr. and Mrs. Billy Blythe, lly Wayne and Sharon and turned home Wednesday th and then her brother i his wife, Mr. and Mrs. idy Patterson of Slaton ne down and took her h. them to Mrs. Pattersister and her husband, land Mrs. Jewel Turner's he in Bronte where she w honored again with

aher birthday dinner. 's. Patterson and Mrs. Ter and their husbands alvisited Friday in San Ato with the ladies brer and his family Mr. andrs. Jesse Eckles and dater, Dawn and then theckles spent Saturday withem while the Pattersome spending a few days at ir Oak Creek Lake

ThWomen's Missionary Uniof the Blackwell First Bapt Church met at the churc Thursday, January 22, a0:00 a. m. for the Assoconal Women's Missionarinion meeting.

The irch was decorated with tBicentennial colors of red, hite and blue and the Bicennial theme "Let Christ edom Ring" was carried

Mrs. ly Burl Holland (BlackweWomen's Missionary UniPresident) was in charge ofe business meet-

The Ra Mike Holmes (Blackwell3aptist pastor) brought thevotional.

The Revialcolm Brown of Sweetwr (Director of Missions) v present for the meeting

The grougang patriotic songs.

The meetilwas finished at noon and n a covered dish luncheon is served at noon in the Fowship Hall of the churchwhich was decorated in theicentennial colors, with thable being laid with a whicloth with red, white and e streamers and flags ped down the center of theble.

There were tty-six in attendance and tos represented were Setwater, Roscoe, Nolan and ent.

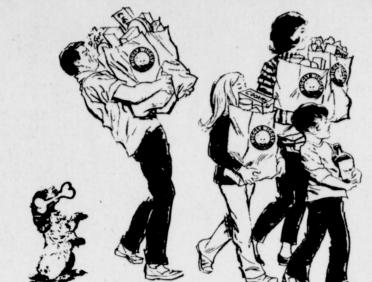
Mr. and Mrs. Je Jolley of San Angelo ved on Wednesday with I uncle and aunt, Mr. and ls. Ray Lee. Other visitors, the Lee home were theilaughter and granddaughta Mrs. Donald Moore and Deje of Sweetwater.

The Rev. Jim and/rs. Clark and son, Ma of Clear, Alaska arrive in Blackwell Thursday ernoon for a visit with ir many friends. The Clarks-e former Blackwell resides as he was pastor here r several years. Their s Matt and daughter Rebec (students at Wayland Ca lege, Plainview) joined then

CARD OF THANKS

The kindness and sym pathy of neighbors and friends in our recent sorrow will always remain with us as a precious memory. Our sincere thanks and gratitude for all those comforting acts. Lonnie Hancock 47-1tp.

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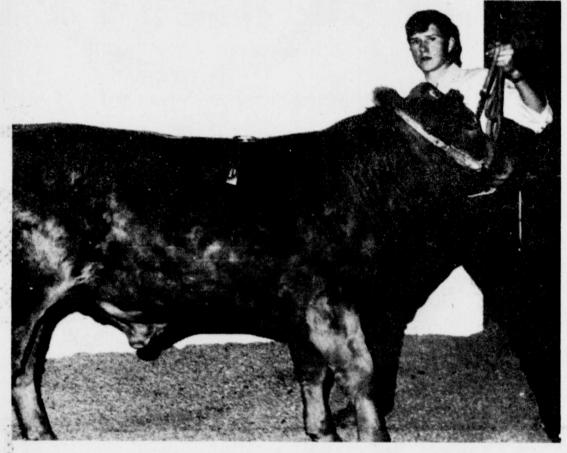
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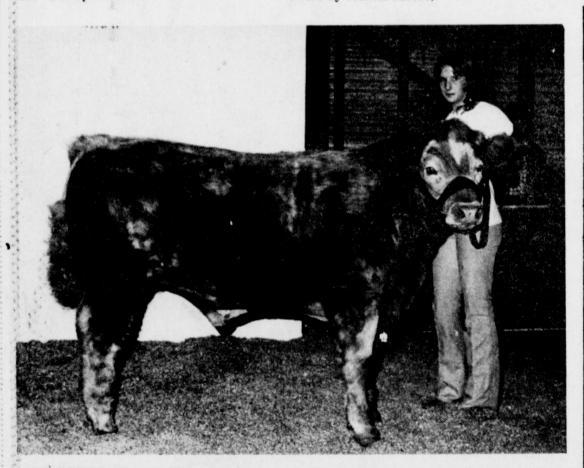
STORE HOURS 7:30 a.m. to 6:30 p.m.

UNIFORMED-Members of the Runnels County Sheriff's Department show off new uniforms recently purchased. State regulations specify that all law enforcement officers be properly identified, and the Runnels Sheriff's department personnel are all uniformed alike. The new uniforms were purchased through acceptance of bids by the County Commissioners' Court, and were purchased from Heidenheimer's of Winters. Members of the Sheriff's Department are Sheriff Don Atkins, center, front row; Chief Deputy Johnnie D. Wilson of Winters, front row, left; Mrs. R. T. Dickinson, office deputy, Ballinger, front row right. Left to right, back row, are Grady Campbell, criminal deputy, Ballinger; Dan R. Smith, jailer and deputy, Ballinger; and Aldo Gonzales, deputy, of Miles.



CHAMPION-Jeff O'Dell showed the Champion Exotic steer in the

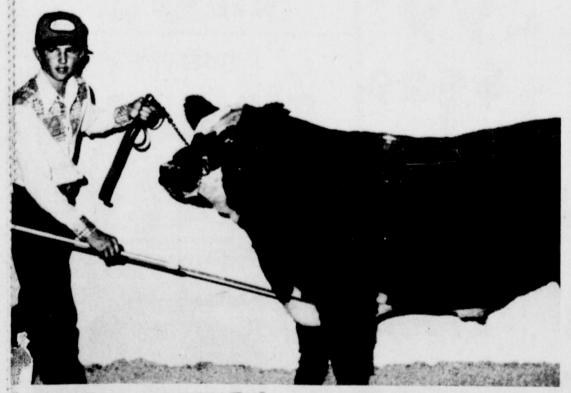
Junior Livestock Show recently. (Staff Photo by Marvin Moore)



CHAMPION-Teressa Helm show ed the Champion in the Charolais division of the Junior Livestock Show

recently. (Staff Photo by Marvin

WINTERS JR LIVESTOCK SHOW



CHAMPION-Kelly Blackerby division of the Junior Livestock Show. ed the Champion in the Hereford (Staff Photo by Marvin Moore)



Since the First Baptist Missionary Society sponsored a Vacation Bible School for the Negro children at St. Luke's church, more than 20 years ago, some of us have had a special interest in the boys and girls as we watched them grow up.

For six years, or longer, the school was conducted for a week each summer and always concluded with a picnic of fried chicken and chocolate cake at the City Lake or at the park. One year we had banana cake by special request. And in all that time we found only one boy who didn't like fried chicken.

At that time, the Blacks had their own school with one teacher for all grades. She told us that we would never know how much we had helped these children to bridge the gap of going into the public schools, for some of them dreaded it.

The transition was made in the fall of 1956, after this picture was taken at the school in the summer.

Louis Johnson, one of our star pupils for several years. said he didn't play "hooky" when this picture was taken. He had graduated, for he was 17 years old. He attended high school in the fall and then entered the U. S. Navy. After serving for three years as a radio operator, stationed in San Diego, he returned to work at the Winters Lumber Co. for Harvey Dale Jones. For the past six years he has been employed at Bissett's Tire & Appliance Store.

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Louis is now a director of the Chamber of Commerce and has been a member for a year and a half. He is a past Sunday School teacher at St. Luke's Baptist Church. He has coached Little League basket ball and been manager of Little League base-

Louise, twin sister to Louis, was also a good student and the first black to graduate from Winters High School. She is now a registered nurse and lives in Dallas.

When Louis' niece, Laverne Strambler, died last year he took her two small boys, ages three and seven, to raise.

Laverne first came to us as a chubby five year-old with a red bow in her hair and everyone called her "Baby Sister." She is the one who always rode by me and

years older than his sister, and Hal Truman lives in



BIBLE SCHOOL-In 1956, the Women's Missionary Union of the First Baptist Church sponsored a Vacation Bible School for the Blacks of the community. Sixteen students enrolled, and average daily attendance was 15. Those shown in the picture are front row, left to right, Rosalie Johnson, Wallace Johnson, Paul Johnson, Larry Johnson, Laverne Strambler, Horace Lee Johnson and James Ray Greer; second row, left to right, Charles Johnson, Margie Williams, Mozell Strambler, T. H. Tolover, Hal Truman Johnson, Bobby Johnson, Willie Belk Jr., and Edward Johnson. Back row is Rev. R. B. Moore, Lewis Johnson, inset, was a member of the class, but was absent one day-the day they made the picture.

Laverne, served his term in Houston. the army and now lives in Midland.

All of the Johnsons are not related but five of them belong to L. V., brother of Louis, who later moved to Ballinger. They are Rosalie, Paul, Larry, Bobby and Baby Charles held by Margie Williams.

Margie had been kicked in the head by a horse when she was small and was handicapped but she was a faithful baby sitter and enjoyed Bible School so much that she brought the baby and came anyway. She now lives in Dallas with an aunt.

Paul and Larry are both in Dallas working for the West Texas Utilities. Charles is in the Marines and Rosalie lives in Ballinger. Bobby is deceased.

Hal Truman Johnson and bragged to the others, "She Edward Johnson are sons of can mash her foot on the gas Monk and Frances and lived and take off like cool at Mrs. W. W. Poes at that time. Edward was killed in Mozell Strambler, three the service three years ago

Willie Belk, half brother to Louis, worked at Drys Manufacturing Co., but has been employed for the last seven months at the Bisset Tire Co., and works with Louis.

We learned from the children and saw them put into practice some of the things we tried to teach

them. It was Willie who shared his offering with me when I forgot my purse. He had his dime changed and gave me half of it to go in the plate.

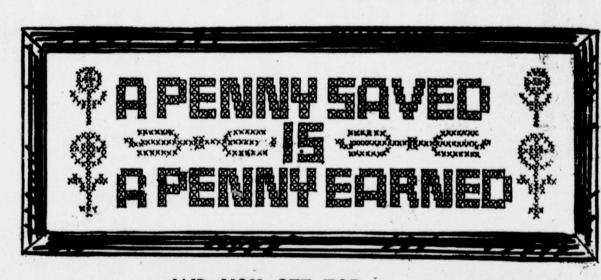
Willie was having trouble with his teeth and we were afraid the peanut brittle we

served was too much him. But he asked for more brittle for ref ments the next day.

No one knew that James Greer would make most outstanding record all. In May of 1969, N White proclaimed a Greer Week in hon of Greer who won first afate with a leap of 22 feand five inches. He member of the juniorass and his agility earnshim

the name of "Jack Rat." Mrs. Loyd Robersond I conducted the schoolirls who assisted us we Marilyn Jones, Janice burn, Janice Richie and Ge Lou Compton,

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Krueger, who represents the 21st District of Texas. explained that the Clean Air Act Amendments will attempt to "reorient environmental legislation to fit the changed economic climate of the 1970's."

Although a member of the House Environmental Conference, Krueger is taking a cautious approach to strict

#### Be Busy Club Meeting Recently

The Be Busy Sewing Club met Monday afternoon in the home of Mrs. Vada Babston. The afternoon was spent doing handwork for the hostess.

Present were Mesdames Etta Bryant, George Lloyd. Lewis Blackmon, Bill Milliorn, Fred Poe, G. T. Shott and the hostess.

The next meeting will be February 9 in the home of Mrs. Lewis Blackmon.



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environmental controls. "At this time, both economic and environmental evidence indicate tht a slow-down of implementation of stricter controls on auto emissions may be in order. I am particularly concerned about

of the nation at this time." "I will keep an open mind on this legislation as it proceeds and think that the issues, environmental and economic, must be weighed on their own merits," he added.

the effect strict controls can

have on the economic health

The Toxic Substances Act, according to Krueger, would prevent toxic substances from entering the market place, as opposed to the present system, which deals with such materials after they have reached the market. "I am generally opposed to unnecessary government intergerence in the marketplace," Krueger said, "but this particular legislation has some merit and requires

serious study." Krueger stressed that he would welcome comments from his constituents on these and any other legisla-





#### Mrs. Bridwell **Died Sunday** In Winters

Mrs. E. G. Bridwell, 87, died at 6:20 p. m. Sunday in Merrill Nursing Home following an illness of several

Funeral services were held at 2 p. m. Tuesday in Spill Memorial Chapel with the Rev. David Crooks and the Rev. Virgil James officiating. Burial was in Lakeview Cemetery.

She was born Lula Stevens in Little Rock, Ark., March 14, 1888. The family moved to Oklahoma when she was a child. She married E. G. Bridwell Dec. 26, 1909, in Oklahoma. Following their marriage, they moved to Runnels County, settling on a farm in the Winters area. In 1947 they moved to Winters.

Mr. Bridwell was custodian of the Winters schools for many years. He died Sept. 11, 1975.

Mrs. Bridwell was a long time member of the First Baptist Church in Winters.

Survivors are a son, J. M. Bridwell of Fort Worth; one grandson; and three greatgrandchildren.

Pallbearers were Lee Harrison, John Norman, Floyd Milliorn, Milton Patterson, LaDell Davis, Buford Bald-

#### CARD OF THANKS

Dear friends words cannot express how much we appreciate what you have done for us. Thank you for your prayers, money, blood, kind thoughts and wishes. May we be the same to you in your time of need. --Gladys and Virgil Low 47-1tp.



Mr. and Mrs. Ricky Dry are parents of a son, Christopher Allen, born January 16, 1976, at 10:21 in Hendricks Memorial Hospital, Abilene. The baby weighed 7 pounds 15½ ounces. Mr. and Mrs. Dry also have a daughter, Tammy, 3. Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Ben Tischler and Mr. and Mrs. Hal Dry of Winters. Great-grandparents are Mrs. H. A. Bryan of Norton and Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Stafford of Little Rock, had surgery Monday.

#### Wingate Sew and Sew Club

#### Met Recently

The Wingate Sew and Sew Club was recently hosted by Mrs. Ed Kinard at the

Baptist Church Annex. Refreshments were served to 15 members Misses Leila Harter and Mildred Patton, Mesdames Henry Adcock, J. C. Belew, Nolan Cave, Ed Kinard, F. Kirkland, George Lloyd, Raymond Lindsey, Brent Mikeska, Pete Polk, Dock Rogers, Ben Williams, Rurol Woodfin and Marvin Smith. Also two visitors, Mrs. Lee Byrd and Mrs. Lenard Phillips helped to

Leila Harter will be in charge of the next meeting on Feb. 3, at the Baptist Church.

#### CARD OF THANKS

I would like to express my appreciation and thanks to my many friends and loved ones for the lovely cards, flowers, food and prayers while I was in the hospital recovering from surgery.

May God Bless each of you.

-Mrs. Cecil Scott (scottie)

served after the program. The attendance was good.

The old timer can remember when only Washington's face was on our money now, Washington's hands are on it I can remember when we

would get a rain now and then. The stock tanks are drying up one at a time, Billie Moore lost a cow that bogged down in mud. Glad to have Robert

Gerhart back home after he had surgery on his other kneww in Shannon Hospital. Mr. and Mrs. Marion Wood returned from Brownwood after being with a

cousin, D. C. Locker, who Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Matthews are the proud parents of a baby girl born Thursday, Jan 22, in Ballinger Hospital. She will be

her grandparents. Marvin Moore of Winters spent Sunday with the Billie

called Jennifer Michelle. Mr.

and Mrs. Odie Matthews are

Moore family. Mrs. Alta Hale went with Miss Willie Hale to San Angelo Wednesday until Friday where Miss Willie had ear surgery. She's doing just

The Hopewell Church ladies were hostesses to the Southside and First Baptist Church ladies Monday morning. Their speaker was Chaplain Macrander of Dyess his wife accompanied him. Cookies and coffee was

#### Sub Deb Club Met Recently

Members of the Sub Deb Club met in the home of Melinda and Belinda Hill Monday. Plans for a summer trip were discussed.

Members present were Melinda Hill, Debbie Carey, Patti Walker, Susan Bentley, Leslie Dunlap, Belinda Hill, Jeree Isbell, Jill Walker, and Janet Jacob, and sponsors 47-1tp. Sandy Griffin.

Crews News

Mr. W. T. Gassiot of Valera, former school teacher in Crews, is the proud grandfather of twins, a boy and girl, born to Mr. and Mrs. Gayland Gassiot of Irvin. They have another daughter named Lucy.

Visitors this past weekend with the Marion Wood family were Mr. and Mrs. Larry Calcote of Snyder; Mr. and Mrs. Don Munzey of Big Springs.

Mr. and Mrs. Truman Brandon of Fairfield, spent Wednesday night with Mrs. Cora Petrie. Mrs. Cora Petrie and Mrs. Hazel Mae Bragg went to see Mrs. Willeen Allcorn in Shannon Hospital during the week.

Visiting Sunday with the Odie Matthews were their children Mr. and Mrs. Don Faulkner and daughter and Mr. and Mrs. Ronnie Faulkner and twins of Abilene.

Mrs. Hazel Mae Bragg and Russell and Mrs. Cora Petrie ate Sunday dinner out in Ballinger.

Mr. and Mrs. Enock Johnson and John visited with Mrs. Pansy Smith and Mrs. Sophia Korthauer in Twilight Acres Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ronald Hill and daughters of Sweetwater were Sunday dinner guest with the Robert Hills Sunday night Mr. and Mrs. Mike Hill of Drasco were supper guest.

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Brevard and Mrs. Alta Hale attended a musical in Echo Saturday night.

Mrs. Horace Stokes of Talpa spent Sunday afternoon with Mrs. Alta Hale. Mr. and Mrs. Allen Bishop

had Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Gerhart and children as supper guest Sunday night. Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Kraatz

and family spent Saturday with the Mike Praters in San Angelo.

Mrs. H. P. Morrison of San

Antonio joined her husband, Howard, over the weekend in their mountain home. Mr. Morrison is remodeling the home. They vistied the Clyde Brevards on Saturday.

THE WINTERS EN CEMPRISE, Winters, Texas, I rand

Mr. and Mrs. Douglas Bryan were dinner guest with the J. P. Huttons in Ballinger Sunday. Chryl and Susan Bryan had dinner with them on Thursday.

With the Arthur Allcorns were Mr. and Mrs. Charles Allcorn and daughters and Mrs. Amber Fuller.

Mr. and Mrs. Truman

Brandon, Clara McKissack and Mrs. Ralph Lopez were with Mrs. Effie Deitz. Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Kurtz,

Randall and Darrell were dinner guest in the Raymond Kurtz home Saturday. Mr. and Mrs. George

Lange and children, Mr. and Mrs. Theron Osborne and Mr. and Mrs. Truman Brandon of Fairfield; Cora Petrie. Mrs. Arbury Faubion were visitors of the Marvin Hambrights during the week.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Faubion were in San Angelo to be with Mr. and Mrs. Kirby

Robinson at the San Angelo Clinic were Mrs. Robinson had surgery.

Mr. and Mrs. Calvin Hoppe visited Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Pyburn and Mrs. Sophia Korthauer in Ballin-

ger Saturday night. Mr. and Mrs. Pete Sutherland and Mr. and Mrs. N. I. Faubion were Sunday dinner guest with the Rodney

Faubions. Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Michalewicz and Mr. and Mrs. Walter Jacob visited the Jack Wentschleagers in Ballinger. On Sunday the Walter Jacobs visitors were Brenda and Beverly Jacob of San Angelo; Mrs. Lillian Awalt; Miss Mary Beth Jacob of Snyder; Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Jacob, Jan and Mark and Mr. and Mrs.

Rhinard Andrews of Odessa. Mr. and Mrs. Tommy Scates of Long Beach, Calif., attended his grandmothers funeral, Mrs. Ada Self, in Winters Saturday. They will spend several more weeks here before returning to Calif. Mrs. Scates is the former Paula Faubion.

#### COW POKES

By Ace Reid



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### Adult Classes Are Offered Again

Vocational adult courses will once again be offered at Winters High School, through Texas State Technical Institute. Sweetwater, Bill Graves, superintendent of Winters Schools, has announced.

Approximately 110 persons were enrolled in the evening classes conducted at Winters High School, Supt. Graves said.

An organizational meeting will be held Monday, February 2, at 7:30 p. m. in the school cafeteria for the new semester. Interested persons are urged to asttend this important meeting. Courses being considered include Bookkeeping, Typing I and II, Welding, Auto Mechanics, and a Nurse's Aide course.

The courses, mostly basic in nature, are open to any person 18 years of age or older who qualifies for the program. For more information, interested persons should contact Bill Graves at

Winters Public Schools.

#### Two Candidates For Alderman

As of Tuesday afternoon, only one person had signed with the City Secretary as a candidate for City Alderman. Mike Briley, owner and operator of the Image barber shop in Winters, signed as a candidate for one

of the places Tuesday.

Terms of office of three aldermen end in April. As of Tuesday, only one of the incumbents, Buddy Miller, had declared as a candidate for re-election. James West and Clifton Poe, the other two incumbents whose terms end, have not made official announcement of their plans.

The City Election will be held April

### Car Tags Go On Sale Monday

Car license stickers for 1976 will go on sale February 2 in the Runnels County Tax Assessor-Collector's office. The new registration system calls for a sticker tag to be placed on the present car tags, instead of a complete new set of whole plates.

Regular tags, along with the stickers, will be issued for new

registrations.

Vehicle owners are reminded to



bring in the three-part registration card which has been mailed from the State recently. If no registration cards are received, vehicle owners must have their titles and last year's registration receipts.

A facsimile of the tag sticker is reproduced.

### **TEJAS 1876**

January 23 - 30, 1876

WASHINGTON, D.C. - Gov. J. W. Throckmorton of Texas is asking the attention of the U.S. Congress to the condition of the Texas frontier and praying compensation for losses sustained by the people of Texas for the incursions of Indians and Mexicans and reimbursement for sums of money spent by Texas to defend the frontier.

DALLAS — The bonded debt of the city of Dallas is \$230,000 inclusive of interest. Pretty good for a youngster.

GALVESTON — Attention: A dead horse is reported by the police to be lying on Avenue Q and 24th Street. The attention of the health officers is respectfully directed to the

MARION COUNTY - Jefferson is disgraced by prize fights.

THE STAKED PLAINS — Information has been received on important discoveries made by Colonel Shafter, who has been exploring the Staked Plains. He is said to have found plenty of water and excellent land where only the most sterile desert was supposed to exist.

COMANCHE COUNTY - Corn is received here in payment for school taxes at 50 cents per bushel.

DENISON -- The DENISON NEWS exposes "The Mineral City Fraud." A fine map and description of an imaginary city on the Gainesville branch of the M.K.&.T.Railroad has been issued by the so-called Ohio, Kentucky and Texas Land Company of Cincinnati, Ohio, for the purpose of swindling the unwary in the Ohio Valley. The map is ornamented with six school houses, six churches, three public halls, one opera house, one city hall, one college, one female

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college, one academy of arts, one free school, five public parks, one street railroad and one railroad depot. This, like St. Louis, is "the great city of the future." At present, the NEWS says, there is no such town or city as Mineral City, nor is there any Gainesville branch of the Missouri, Kansas and Texas Railroad, nor has any of the above-named city any prospects, while of number of inhabitants are "nix."

FORT WORTH -- Major J. J. Jarvis delivered an address for the benefit of the (Robert E.) I .- Monument Association. The receipts in the contribution box totalled

GALVESTON -- The Rev. William Cary Crane, D.D., President of Baylor University, will preach in the First Baptist Church at 11 a.m. and 7 p.m. Sunday. The morning sermon will be a Centennial educational address.

SAN ANTONIO -- Advices received at different Mexican points on the Rio Grande through couriers from Satillo are to the effect that a revolution has been started in the northern central portions of Mexico, near the Rio Grande.

Advertised in the GALVESTON DAILY NEWS: Of all the saws that you ever saw. saw, you never saw a saw saw like those saws --- at Manuel & Company's.

TRAVIS COUNTY - No winter yet. Green peas and other vegetables abound.

Advertised in the Galveston News - Joseph Labadie Hardware Co. Has for sale cheap: Pierced and plain soup ladles, milk skimmers, cups, scoops, cake turners, ash shovels, gravey strainers (only 15 cents each), splendid wash pans (only \$1); milk, cake and bread pans, spoons, waffle irons, sad irons, and carvers, kitchen, skimming, butcher, table and pocket knives.

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GLACIER ROYALTY-Winters High School students last Friday elected the Junior class candidates Glacier King and Queen for 1975-76. Christi Spraberry, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Bill Spraberry, was elected Glacier Queen, and Doug Rogers, son of Mr. and Mrs. Bobby Rogers was named Glacier King. They will be featured in the 1975-76 edition of the school yearbook, The Glacier.

Senior Class candidates were Tonya Bahl-

man, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Nelan Bahlman, and Jack Fairey, son of Mr. and Mrs. E. A.

Sophomore candidates were Karen Mostad, daughter of Mrs. Novie Mostad, and Mark DeBerry, son of Mrs. Mildred DeBerry.

Freshman candidates were Omega Ortiz, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ubaldo Ortiz, and John Musick, son of Mr. and Mrs. Troy Musick.

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