

The Winters Enterprise



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Bicentennial Celebration This Week End



GAZEBO-This gazebo-type band stand, an exact replica of the old band stand which used to be located in Tinkle Park, will be dedicated in a ceremony at the City Park at 8 p.m.

Friday. The band stand was sponsored and built by the Winters Lions Club. The Senior Citizens String Band will provide music at the dedication.

this Bicentennial Community Christian

Service at 9:00 P.M. Sunday at the

Beginning July 1, Thursday nights

will be reserved for adults only

swimming at the Winters Municipal

Swimming Pool, Randy Loudermilk,

Hours reserved for adults will be

This policy will continue through

Thursdays Will Be

high school football field.

Adult Nites

At Swim Pool

manager, has announced.

the remainder of the summer.

from 8 to 10 p.m.

Winters Bicentennial Community Service The whole community is invited to

A unique feature of this week's celebration of America's two hundred years will be the Bicentennial Community Christian Service. Sponsored by the Winters Ministerial Alliance this all-community worship service will include all churches, even those not members of the Alliance.

Some good old Gospel singing, including "The Church in the Wildwood," will start the service. The Rev. David Crooks, president of the Winters Ministerial Alliance, will bring words of welcome, the Rev. Mel Swoyer will lead in the Pledge of Allegiance, and the Rev. Charles Steinberg will give the call to worship.

Song leader will be Kirke McKenzie, with Randy Stevens at the organ, and

Revival Slated At Wingate **Baptist Church**

Dr. David Ray of Hardin-Simmons University, Abilene, will preach during a revival beginning July 7 and continuing through July 11 at the Wingate Baptist Church.

Singing will be led by Steve Walker, a music student at H-SU.

Weekday services will begin at 7:30 p.m. Wednesday through Saturday. The regular Sunday schedule will be followed, with Sunday School at 10 a.m., morning worship at 10:55, and evening worship, 6 p.m.

The Rev. Charles L. Myers of Abilene is pastor of the church.

The public is invited to attend these services.

Enterprise Won Texas Press Picture Award

In the annual Texas Press Association newspaper contest 3, The Winters Enterprise was awarded third place in the "News Pictures" division, for weekly newspapers with circulation 1500-2500.

Awards were presented during an awards breakfast Friday, June 25, during the Texas Press Association convention in San

Newspapers entered in the news pictures contest were judged on composition, news value, number of pictures in each issue, and reproduction.

Mrs. Randall Conner at the piano. Special songs will be sung by Mrs. Deanna Lehr of Eola, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Kozelsky of Winters. The scripture reading will be by the Rev. Robert Lindsey and the offertory prayer by Sister Martha Woelke. The message of faith in God and country will be delivered by Paul Wallace.

Witnessing to "One Nation Under God" will be Kevin Hall, Sister Bertha Tharp, and Gattis Neely. Concluding the all-community service will be patriotic songs, "America," and a fireworks display.

History Project Winners To Be Recognized

Special recognition will be given to winners of the Bicentennial History Project during the community-wide celebration at Blizzard Field Sunday,

The project was sponsored by the Runnels County Historical Commission to encourage interest and research in local history. The contest was open to members of the American history classes of Winters High

More than 40 papers were received and judged in this contest. The top five papers will be recognized Sunday evening. First, second and third place

winners will receive plaques. Twenty-five of the papers are now on display in the reading room of the Winters Public Library. Three maps by students are on display in the windows of the library.

Winters Riding **Club Elected** Officers June 24

Glenn Hoppe Jr., was elected president of the Winters Riding Club at an election meeting Thursday, June

Rodney Richards was named vice president, and Pat Cooper, secretary-

Members will meet at 8:30 p.m. July 9, to discuss plans for the annual Trail Ride to Coleman, and dues will be

The Trail Ride will be held July 14.

hamburger supper Friday evening, and winds down with a community service and fireworks display at the football field Sunday evening. The weekend's celebration is being sponsored by the Winters Bicentennial Committee, with arrangements for

"Something for everyone" is the theme of Winters'

Bicentennial weekend celebration, which begins with a

the several events directed by various sub-committees. In conjunction with the Bicentennial celebration, several Winters merchants are promoting sales events with a "Sell-A-Bration."

Weekend activities will begin with a public hamburger supper, sponsored by the Winters Lions Club. Serving will begin at 5:30 p.m. at the school cafeteria. Tickets

will be \$1.25 per person. At 8 Friday evening, the dedication ceremonies for the new gazebo-type band stand in the City Park will be dedicated, and the Senior Citizens Band will provide music. The band stand was built under sponsorship of the Winters Lions Club.

For the younger set, the Junior Olympics, for all children from grade school age through junior high, will be held at the school track field beginning at 9 a.m.

Free swimming will be offered at the Winters Municipal Swimming Pool from 1:30 to 6 p.m. Saturday. Highlight of Saturday's celebration will be a parade in downtown Winters, beginning at 4 p.m. The several school bands will take part in the parade. Businesses, individuals, clubs, and organizations have been urged to

enter floats in Saturday's parade. Following the parade, a barbecue supper will be served by the Volunteer Fire Department in the Winters Community Center. Serving will begin at 6:30 p.m., and tickets will be \$2.50 per person. Children under 6 will be admitted free of charge.

Saturday evening, one block of West Dale Street will be roped off for a street dance to begin at 8:30. Music for the free street dance will be provided by a local country western band, the "Country Sundowners." Members of the group are Terry Sneed, Tye Rougas, Gayle McKnown, Wesley Crouch, Scott King and Steve

An old fashioned "box supper" will be held in the City Park from 5:30 to 7:30 p.m. Sunday, sponsored by the Blizzard Band Boosters. Prizes will be offered for the most original old fashioned box supper, and for the most original costume. The box suppers will be auctioned off during the evening, a reminder of one of the most popular social events of earlier years.

A community ice cream supper will be held on the football field from 7:30 to 9 Sunday evening. Families attending are asked to bring freezers of ice cream and-or

Immediately following the ice cream supper, recognition will be given to student winners of the Bicentennial History Project, sponsored by the Runnels County Historical Commission.

Also, on Sunday evening, the winners in the Winters Enterprise Bicentennial quilt contest will be announced. Quilts were judged last Saturday, and have been on display in the office of the Winters Chamber of Commerce this week. They will remain on display through Saturday.

A community-wide special service will be held on the football field beginning at 9 Sunday evening. This service is sponsored by the Winters Ministerial Alliance.

The weekend celebration will be climaxed with a fireworks display immediately following the community

Former Winters Resident To Sing Sunday

The former Deana Kozelsky, now Mrs. Stuart Lehr of Eola, will be the featured soloist for the community service held at the football stadium Sunday at 9 p.m. Among her numbers will be "One Day At a Time," and "Pass it On."

Mrs. Lehr, the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Kozelsky of Winters, was the featured soloist with the Winters Blizzard Band until her graduation from High School in 1964. She sang for almost every function while she was in Winters and has continued her musical career.

Active in her church, Mrs. Lehr is a member of the Catholic Daughters of America and the Young Homemakers. She is president of the Altar Society. She is a 4-H leader and a past president of the Parent Teachers Association.



MRS. STUART LEHR

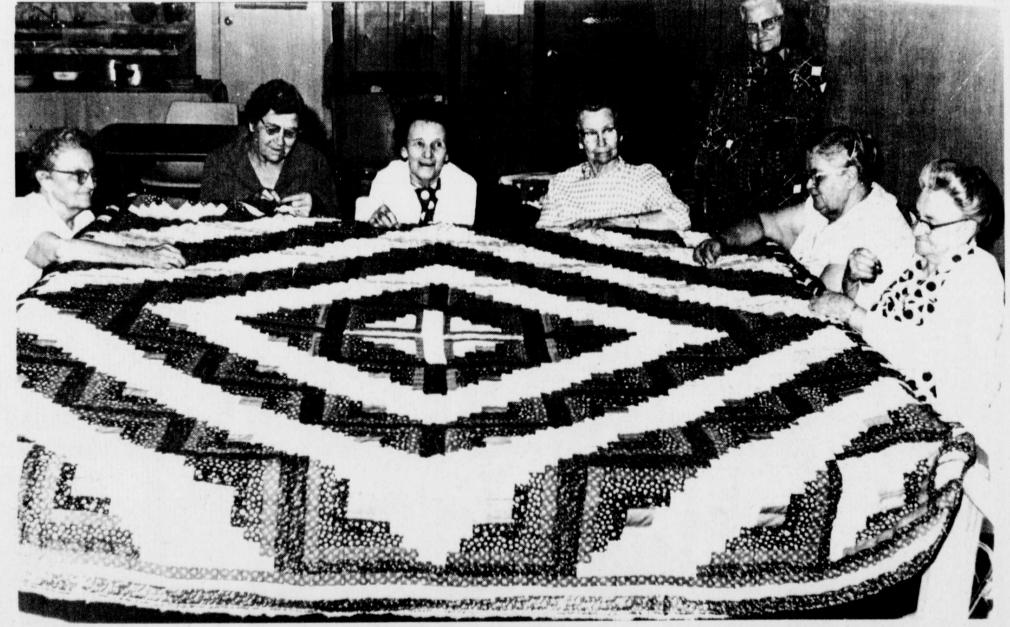
Marijohn Wilkins Unable To Attend Winters' Celebration

Marijohn Wilkins, country-western singer and composer, who had been booked to sing during the Winters Bicentennial community service Sunday evening, notified the Bicentennial committee Monday that she will be unable to attend the celebration because of illness.

Miss Wilkins, who spent much of her childhood in Winters, is the daughter of the late Karla Melson, and the niece of Buford Owens of Winters. She calls Winters "home."

IN COUPLAND HOME

Recent visitors in the home of Mrs. Lora Coupland were her sister, Mrs. J. H. Oliver of Los Angeles, Calif., and her niece and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Ken Morales and son John of San Diego, Calif.



QUILT MAKERS-These have received a great deal of enjoyment-and some profitfrom their hobby of quilting, and examples of their work are scattered from Winters to Australia. The Winters Senior Citizens meet regularly in the reception room of the Winters Housing Authority to work on their quilts. Left to right, they are Mittie Rice, Ettie Bryant,

Bertha Davis, Claudia Pounders, Lucille Hill and Bertha Tharp. Standing is Eda Cranford. The quilt being worked on here was ordered by the Governor's Committee on Aging, and will be on display in the committee office in Austin. It is a "string" quilt, with a "Log Cabin" design. The special order was from Mrs. Billy Page, a member of the Governor's committee. The

Winters group has made quilts which were purchased and are now in Seattle, Wash., Sydney, Australia, Atlanta, Ga., and in a private home in Georgetown. This group has been invited to attend a quilting workshop in Abilene July 15.

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Blackwell News

Red Wing for the man

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RED WING

Jesse Ray Ussery and at- Mrs. Joe Davis. Other weektended the wedding of their son Friday. Bret Alan Ussery and Miss Sandra Louise Faith Baptist Church.

personally at this office.

Mr. and Mrs. Olin Corley have had as recent guests

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Mrs. Maud White visited Diana and Barry Stagner of Wednesday through Sunday Arlington. They also visited in Abilene with Mr. and Mrs. with Kay Corley and Mr. and Dail of Abilene exchanged ter, Paige; Carla and Gene marriage vows Friday in the Gill of Big Spring; Roger

end visitors with the Olin Corleys were Mr. and Mrs. Tolbert Grisham and daugh-Grisham of Dallas; Irma and Johnathan Lewis and children. Andrea and Johna and Paula and Robert Burner of

Sizes

Your Ad In The Enterprise Will Not FADE

Roger Grisham of Dallas

filled the pulpit at the First

Baptist Church of Blackwell

Virginia for three weeks.

a visit with them there.

weekend with his brother

and family, Mr. and Mrs.

Billy Burl Holland, Amy and

Randy. They also visited

with other relatives and

Mr. and Mrs. Donald

Moore and daughter, Debbie

of Sweetwater visited Sun-

day afternoon with her

parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ray

Lee, other relatives and

Miss Ruby Pinckard and

Mrs. Fannie Mae Wilson

attended the Butman re-

union at the Butman En-

campment at Merkel last

Saturday with her son and

his wife and their children

and grandchildren, Mr. and

Mrs. Curtis Wilson; Mr. and

Mrs. Larry Wilson; Mr. and

Mrs. Pat Wilson and child-

friends.

friends.

After A Brief Exposure ...! Try It ...

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Sunday at both services in and Mrs. Jimmy Hipp and the absence of the Rev. Mike children, Barry, Jettie, Tam-Holmes who with his family my, and Debbie and a friend, are vacationing in West Miss Renee Baker all of Midland; Mr. and Mrs. Bill Wilson with Terri Dee and Mrs. Minta Grimes had as Chad of Nolan. Mr. and Mrs. her visitors her sister. Mrs. Will Butman are Mrs. Curtis Dutch Vernor and her bro-Wilson's parents so all of the ther, John Cunningham both Wilsons spent Sunday with of San Antonio and she Mr. and Mrs. Butman, horeturned home with them for noring him on Fathers Day. Tammy and Debbie Hipp Mr. and Mrs. Waylan remained with the Bill Holland and son, Dale of Wilsons for a longer visit. Houston visited over the

Mrs. Lea Gaston is a patient in the Hendricks Memorial Hospital in Abi-

Mrs. Lula Palmer has had as her visitors, her sister and her husband, Mr. and Mrs. Dabney Harris of Sweetwater and now has her grandson and his family, Mr. and Mrs. Billy Waggoner and

children, Diana and Billy Clyde of Oklahoma City and they are also visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Waggoner, other relatives and friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Thorn of Sonora and Mr. and Mrs. Ronnie Thorn and sons, Cody and Cassy of Midkiff attended the funeral for Charlie Ray Walls in Blackwell Wednesday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. LeRoy Chew had as their visitors, her mother and grandson, Mrs. J. P. Wallace and Terry. Terry visited Thursday through Monday in Clyde with friends he went to school with before they moved to Kingfisher, Oklahoma where they live now. Other visitors in the Chew home over the weekend were her sister and her family, Mr. and Mrs. Mutt Walls and daughter, Sandra of Fredrick, Oklahoma. Mrs. Chew had not seen her



for Fathers Day were their sons and their families, Mr. and Mrs. Elvis Chew and children, LeRoy Jr., and Debbie of Abilene; Mr. and Mrs. George Chew and children, Donna Sue, James Lynn and Carrie Ann of Bronte and Johnny Chew of Dallas. On Tuesday their daughter and her family, Mr.

children, Sherri, Shelia, Shawna Lynn and Gene of Amarillo visited until Saturday. While here they also visited her brother and sister and their families, Mr. and Mrs. Elvin Chew, LeRoy Jr. and Debbie, Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Shoup and children, Glenny, Charles, Eddie, Pa-

and Mrs. Bill Belflower and

trick, Ann and Brenda Jane all in Abilene.

Mrs. Fannie Mae Wilson and Miss Ruby Pinckard visited Friday through Tuesday in Sterling City with Mrs. Wilson's son and his wife, Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Wilson, their sons and their families, Mr. and Mrs. Larry Wilson and Mr. and Mrs. Pat Wilson and children, Shane and Christi and to help Miss Ruby celebrate her 82nd birthday which was Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Dan Oden and daughter, Sarah Joy of Pecos visited over the weekend with his parents and brother, Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Oden and Larry, other relatives and friends.

Miss Hantsche and **Morris Cooley** Married June 26

Karen Sue Hantsche became the bride of Morris Lynn Cooley June 26. The wedding took place in the North Side Baptist church at seven o'clock in the evening with the Rev. Roy Lowe officiating.

Tami Gold served as maid of honor. Bryan Hantsche, brother of the bride, served as best man. Matthew and Susan Starnes attended as ring bearer and flower girl. Wedding music included a solo written and sung by Jay Lowe especially for the couple. A reception was held

COW POKES

in the fellowship hall following the ceremony.

Karen is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Harry A. Hantsche, Arlington, Texas and the granddaughter of Mrs. Ethel Hantsche, Winters, Texas and Mr. and Mrs. George Onken, Hobbs, New Mexico. Morris is the son of Mrs. Dave Bass and Mr. Morris R. Cooley, both of Fort Worth.

After a wedding trip to Austin and San Marcus the couple will be at home in Arlington.

By Ace Reid

'Jake, be shore to come back when you ain't got your business in such a mess!"

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Sealed bids will be received by the Winters Independent School District, Box 125, Winters, Texas 79567, until 4:00 P.M., Tuesday, July 13, 1976, on a 1968 model Chevrolet 48 passenger school bus with a 1951 superior body. Bus is in running condition. The Board of Trustees reserves the right to accept or reject any or all bids.

Legal Notice

NOTICE TO RECEIVE WRITTEN, SEALED BIDS FOR THE CONSTRUCTION OF A CENTRAL OFFICE BUILDING FOR THE WIN-TERS INDEPENDENT SCHOOL DISTRICT OF WINTERS, TEXAS.

Notice is hereby given that the Board of Trustees of the Winters Independent School District of Winters, Texas, will meet on the 13th day of July, 1976, A.D., at 7:30 P.M. at the regular meeting place, the same being the Administration Office of the Winters Public Schools, for the purpose of receiving written, sealed bids for the construction of a brick veneer building of approximately 1925 sq. ft. The structure will serve as the Central Office Building for the Winters Independent School District of Winters,

Texas. Specifications and detailed bid information may be obtained upon request from the Winters Independent School District Business Office, by contacting Johnny Bob Smith, Business Man-

The said Board of Trustees reserves the right to accept or reject any or all bids submitted for the best interest of the school.

DIRECTIONS FOR MAILING BIDS: Mark in the lower left hand corner of your envelope: "Bid for the purpose of constructing a School Central Office to be opened Tuesday, July 13,

ADDRESS: Winters Independent School District. ATTN: Mr. Bill G. Graves, Superintendent of Schools,

P.O. Box 125, Winters, Texas, 79567.

Mitchell Family Reunion Recently

The annual reunion of the Mitchell Family was held in Ballinger at St. Mary's Catholic Church hall. The morning was spent in visitation, followed by a catered barbecue lunch. A short business session was held.

Among those present were Chester and Alice Mitchell, R. C. and Ruth Mitchell, and Ethel Mitchell; Cotton, Dorothy, Mike and David Dismore, David, Brenda and Melinda Workman, Don, Myrtie, Stephanie, Stephen and Elisha Bales; Hollis Workman; Evelyn, Brenda, Gary, and Susan Voelkel; Robert and Ila Conner; Omer Hill; Dock and Fay Pinegar; Jewell Mitchell; Minnie Stehle; Ruby Baker; Mike and Linda Mitchell; Audra L. and Lila Mitchell; Susan and Randall Conner; Butch, Donna, Robert, Grett and Angie Workman: Curtis, Ruby, Anna and Mark Redman of Abilene: Julie and Doug Mitchell: Jeff Young: Marilyn Mitchell; Bob, Tony, and David Book.

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Miss Proctor, Mr Sneed Married Here June 26

Miss Frances Sheppard of

Mineral Wells was maid of

honor. Bridesmaids were

Mrs. Tom Carlock of Colo-

rado City, Mrs. Keith Bryant

of Grandview, and Mrs.

The bride's attendants

wore gowns of yellow dotted

Swiss with flower print,

trimmed in white lace, and

empire waistlines. Gowns

were full length, with sashes

in back. They wore ruffled

yellow hats, and carried

nosegays with white daisies

with matching ribbon

Given in marriage by her

cousin, Bruce Bradshaw of

San Angelo, the bride wore

an empire dress of satin

sheer lavishly trimmed in

alencon lace and swiss em-

broidery ruffles. The bodice

had a sweetheart style yoke

of swiss lace and alencon

pearl trimmed lace, high

neckline with ruffled collar,

and bishop sleeves with cuffs

of swiss ruffles. The full lace

trim and ruffled bottom skirt

fell into a chapel train. She

wore a full length veil

attached to a camelot style

veil of swiss lace. The veil

was completely edged in

matching lace. She carried a

colonial bouquet of white

feathered carnations cen-

tered with white orchids,

and tied with white satin

A reception was held

following the ceremony in

the Fellowship Hall of the

church, hosted by the bride's

mother. In the house party

were Miss Carol Dahlbert of

Brady, at the register; Miss

Karla Grosse of Mason, who

served the bride's cake; Miss

Linda Sneed of Winters, who

served the bridegroom's

cake. Miss Judy Sneed, of

Winters served the punch.

Also in the house party were

Miss Jan Klose of Lampasas,

and Miss Donna Barker,

Mrs. Wayne Sims, Mrs. Mike

Mitchell, Mrs. David Crooks,

Mrs. Richard Davis and Mrs.

Michael Condra, all of Win-

The bridegroom's parents

The bride is a graduate of

hosted the rehearsal dinner

at Huffman House, Winters.

Ranger High School, and

received her bachelor of

science degree in elementary

education and a minor in

music from Tarleton State

University. She is employed

with the Winters Indepen-

dent School District as a

The bridegroom is a

graduate of Winters High

School, and served four

years in the U.S. Air Force.

He attended Abilene Chris-

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The Rev. David Crooks performed the wedding cere-The bride is the daughter

of Mrs. Laura Carr of Ranger. The bridegroom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. L. Q. Sneed of Route 1. Winters.

Church decorations included twin candlebras with white tapers entwined with greenery and white ribbon bows, and two baskets of white gladiolas.

Mrs. Randall Conner of Winters was pianist, selecting Whither Thou Goest, More, Sweet Sweet Spirit, and the traditional Processional and Recessional. The bride sang Eternal Life as the wedding prayer.

Flower girl was Amy

Crooks of Winters. Louis Sneed Jr., of Aledo, brother of the bridegroom, was best man. Ushers and candlelighters were Lanham Bishop of Winters and Greg Buchanan of San Angelo, brother-in-law of the bridegroom.

Groomsmen were Bill Sneed of Coleman, Lanny England of Winters and Jimmy Smith of Winters.

FRIDAY JULY 2 12:30 The Pallisers

1:30 Hester Street 3:30 The Violin 4:00 The Prisoner of

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Seven Alone 12:30 2:30Monty Python and the Holy Grail

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MONDAY JULY 5 12:30 He Is My Brother Flash the 2:00 Sheepdog

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WINGATE NEWS

Mr. and Mrs. John Therra are the parents of a son, Johnny Rene.

Mrs. Nellie Adcock is a patient in Ballinger Hospital.

Mrs. Clarence Talley is recovering from surgery in North Runnels Hospital.

Mrs. Leck Byrd is back in the Hendrick Memorial Hospital.

Mrs. I. G. Hensley and children had a get together

The Mapes families met at Robert Lee Sunday for a reunion.



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The Devore families met for a reunion at the home of Merral Walkers.

Mr. J. R. Minor passed away in Abilene at the home

of his son, Jimmie and was brought to Winters for services. Burial was in the Wingate Cemetery.

Some of this news may be late as the reporter has been on a short trip.

Mr. and Mrs. Alva Talley were sick Sunday.

Grace Smith and her brother Boyd and Mrs. Gilbert and family attended the funeral of her nephew in Odessa Saturday.

A bridal shower was given in the Baptist Church Annex to honor Martha Pritchard, bride-elect of Lynn Smith of Ballinger. A large crowd attended and lots of pretty gifts were displayed. There were 21 hostesses. Refreshments of red punch and cookies were served. Red and white flower arrangements decorated the tables. A pantry shower was given by Dr. and Mrs. Koen in Ballinger Saturday, for Martha and Lynn. Groceries of different kinds were brought and several attend-



NEWCOMERS

Mr. and Mrs. Weldon Hogan of Mesquite announce the birth of a son, Jeffrey Lee, June 25, 1976, Local grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. M. H. Hogan.

GOLDEN ANNIVER-SARY-The 50th wedding anniversary of Mr. and Mrs. L. B. Hensley of Walnut Springs, formerly of the Winters, Wilmeth, and Wingate areas, will be celebrated

families Sunday, July 11. The reception will be in the Memorial Methodist Church in Walnut Springs

with a reception hosted by

their children and their

from 2 to 5 p.m. L. B. (Buck) Hensley and Mozelle Davidson were married July 11, 1926, in her parents' home at Wilmeth.

Their children are Mrs. W. H. Williams of Freehold, N.J.; L. B. (Corky) Hensley of Waco; Marion E. Hensley of Burleson; Mrs. Ted Magness of Farwell; and Leldon Hensley of Odessa.

Mrs. Hensley is the daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. Elgin Davidson, early-day settlers in the Wilmeth Community. She graduated from Winters High School, and later taught school in the county. Mr. Hensley grew up in Wingate, the son of pioneer parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. T. Hensley. He graduated from Ballinger school. The couple moved to Walnut Springs during the Christmas holidays of 1946, having resided in Runnels County all their lives to that date.

Beginning at noon Sunday, July 4, and finishing by 1 John's Lutheran Church will be rung 200 times in celebration of our nation's

pastor of the church, said the Senior Luther League, high school youth sponsored by Mr. and Mrs. Dick Dunlap and Mitchell O'Dell, will have the duty of ringing the bells.

"Let Freedom Ring" is the theme of this Bicentennial project; the Liberty Bell in Philadelphia will be rung at 1 p.m. Winters time, Sunday.

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BY CHARLSIE POE

Dr. Fred Tinkle was one of the most civic minded and public spirited citizens that Winters has ever had.

He practiced medicine from 1900 until his death in 1951, and contributed in other ways to the well being of the town.

Despite the dark days and a severe drought in 1918, the golf bug bit the sportsmen of Winters and Dr. Tinkle donated the use of several acres east of the City Lake for the first golf course. The club had 50 members to play the nine-hole course, the nucleus of the present country club, of which Dr. Tinkle was a charter member.

should contribute land for a City Park when one was needed.

29, 1874, in Senatobia, Miss.

After obtaining a common school education there, he entered the medical school of the University of Tenn., graduating April 27, 1899.

He was not a stranger to illness himself. The day he graduated from medical school, he went to the hospital where he remained for 18 months, undergoing operations and treatments for abcesses of the liver.

After leaving the hospital. he went, at the request of the head of the Tennessee medical school to serve timber camps and plantations along the Mississippi River. He traveled mostly on a skiff along the river, hiring It was only natural that he a Negro to propel the skiff from place to place. Much of his early practice was done among the Negroes in the Dr. Tinkle was born Nov. lumber camps and on plantations.

He contracted malaria

which nearly cost him his life and, in February 1900, he came to Winters to seek a restoration of his health and to continue his practice. At that time he weighed, including his overcoat, "about 75 lbs."

Winters then had a population of 35 people. He bought a town lot on Main Street for \$12.00, and put up an office. He remained there until the office burned eight years later. It is now the site of Winters Flower Shop. As there were no drug stores, he kept a supply of drugs in his office.

People didn't come to the doctor's office in those days and calls were made over long distances by horseback and buggy. Among his supplies were tools to cut fences in order to reach the patient.

In addition to serving the Winters area, he frequently was called to the community of Shep, Hylton, Norton and Content, and north beyond

He and Mrs. Tinkle, the former Lee Meek, were married June 19, 1910. And about that time he purchased his first automobile. It was a Maxwell-a two-seater equipped with carbide lamps. The couple began housekeeping in a small house on the site of their present home-the original seven acres cost the Tinkles \$62. Dr. Tinkle had lived on this land in a dugout with his parents and a house was not built until he married.

Dr. Tinkle had Winters' known as the "Boll Weevil," first two telephones. He had lines in the Winters retained the numbers one region during the early him somewhere in the coun-

and two, until the installa-

tion of the dial system. Two

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OLD GAZEBO-The late Dr. Fred Tinkle is shown at the entrance of Tinkle Park, in front

Mrs. Tinkle, who was the

doctor's office aid for many

years, would often take a call

on one system, then go to

the other telephone and call

1900's.

try and give him instructions to rush to another patient located niles away. The doctor had been known to successfully delivered about walk through mud, ice and 4000 babies and was working water in order to reach a patient in time. He said, babies.

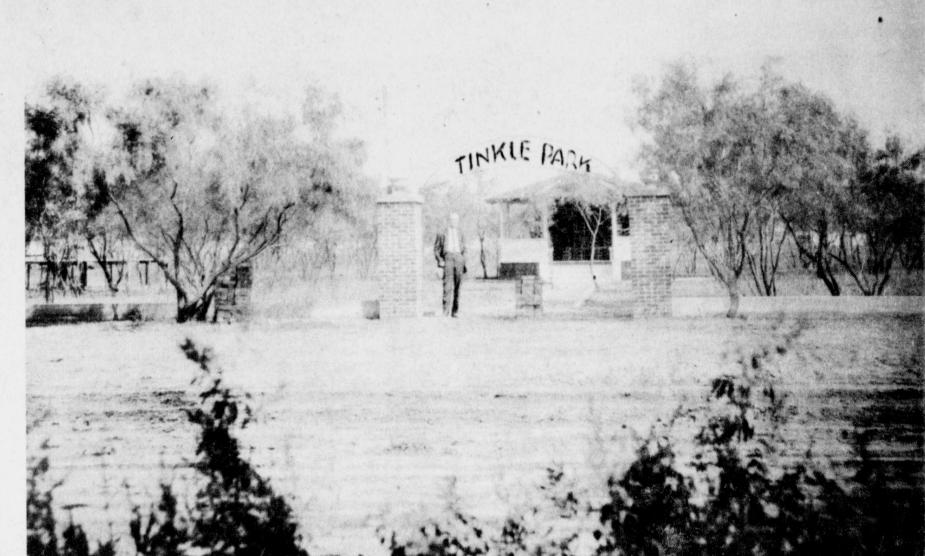
"I've never turned back once I started on a call."

of the old gazebo-type band stand. The park has

long since become a site for residences.

By 1947, Dr. Tinkle had on his life time goal of 5,000

Dr. Tinkle was a member of the Presbyterian Church and the Masonic Lodge. Mrs. Tinkle and their daughter. Mrs. George Garrett live in Winters. The son, J. S., lives in Abilene.



St. John's Scene of Hoppe-Ziller Wedding June 12

On June 12, at 8 o'clock in the evening, St. John's Lutheran Church was the scene of the marriage ceremony uniting Shelia Rhanae Hoppe of Liberty Hill and Jack Leslie Ziller of Austin.

Parents of the couple are Mr. and Mrs. Calvin Hoppe of Winters and Mr. and Mrs. Jack W. Ziller of Austin.

Officiating for the ceremony was the Rev. Mel Swoyer, pastor of the

church. Organist was Mrs. Gerald Terhune, cousin of the bride, of Bossier City, La. Trumpeters were Lisa Canady and Charles Canady ing with the reception were of Liberty Hill. Vocalists were Mrs. Delbert Kruse, cousin of the bride, Erwin Henniger, and Jeanene and Fran Hoppe, sisters of the bride.

Candlelighters were Dawn Miller and Francene Miller.

The bride, escorted by her father, wore a full-length gown of white bridal satin and lace, with an elbow length veil of illusion. Her colonial bouquet was of daisies, lilies of the valley, and baby's breath, centered by a corsage of gardenias. The bride wore pearls and carried a handkerchief which belonged to her grandmothers.

Attendants Joy Gilmore of Liberty Hill, Mrs. Marvin Gerhart, Jeanene Hoppe and Fran Hoppe, sisters of the bride, wore dresses of green knit with white sheer capes. White floppy hats and daisy bskets were trimmed with royal blue ribbons.

Best man was Joe Ed Canady of Liberty Hill. Ushers were Glenn Hoppe Jr., cousin of the bride, Travis Gilmore of Liberty Hill, and Byron Jobe.

Shelia Mathis registered guests.

A reception was held in the Fellowship center of the church, hosted by the bride's parents. Mrs. Delbert Kruse directed the reception, assisted by Mrs. Jake Presley and Mrs. Wilma Gerhart, aunts of the bride.

The bride's table, laid with white knit and lace used

crystal appointments. The wedding cake, baked by Mrs. Erwin Ueckert, was topped with doves, bluebells, and cupid musicians. Serving at the bride's table were Anne Holland of Abilene, Martha Harris and Barbara McDanial of Grants, N.M.

The bridegroom's table, laid with navy knit trimmed with lime green and white, used silver appointments. German Chocolate cake and coffee were served by Mrs. Joe Ed Canady of Liberty Hill, Mrs. Henry Floyd of Brownwood, and Sandi Carlisle of Liberty Hill. Assist-Sheri Gerhart, Angelia and Carol Hill of Sweetwater.

After a wedding trip to Colorado and Wyoming, the couple will be at home in Liberty Hill, where the bride is employed as band director by the Liberty Hill School District. The groom is employed as a clerk by the North Austin Postal Station.

The rehearsal supper was hosted in the home of the bride's parents by the bride-

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GRAND ENTRY-Shown are a few of the horses and riders in the grand entry to open afternoon activities during the Winters Rodeo Association Play Day in the association's arena

Saturday. Association spokesmen said this first Play Day was a huge success, and others are being planned.

"Play Day" A Big Success

The first "Play Day" for young cowboys and cowgirls of the area, sponsored by the Winters Rodeo Association, has been termed "highly successful" by association officials.

The "Play Day" was held in the

association's new arena north of Winters Saturday.

James West, president of the association, said there were 141 entries for this first outing, with six events run for boys 13 and under, girls

13 and under, boys 14 through 19, and girls, 14 through 19.

West also said spectator interest was high, with gate receipts very satisfactory for this first time.

Originally announced and planned as a "co-ed" competition, sign-ups were so good a decision was made Saturday morning to separate the boy and girl events, resulting in four divisions, actually. This last-minute change proved to be very satisfactory, association spokesmen said.

Association officials said there are plans in the making for another Play Day, to be held in the near future.

PLAY DAY RESULTS Boys-13 and Under

Flag Race-Casey Nesbit. Pole Bending-Bryan Davis. Barrel Race-Jay West. Goat Tying-Jay West. Boot Race-George Alderman. Goat Sacking-Ronny Fields. All-Around Cowboy-Jay West. Girls-13 and Under

Flag Race-Nancy Perry. Pole Bending-Nancy Perry. Barrel Race-Missy Dovall. Goat Tying-Rene Blackwell. Boot Race-Melinda Sims. Goat Sacking-Missy Dovall. All-Around Cowgirl-Missy Dovall.

Bovs-14-19 Flag Race-Rusty Allen. Pole Bending-Rusty Allen. Barrel Race-Curt Minzenmayer. Goat Tying-Ricky Dunlap. Boot Race-Keith Fields. Goat Sacking-Keith Fields. All-Around Cowboy-Rusty Allen. Girls-14-19

Flag Race-Shelley Hamner. Pole Bending-Shelley Hamner. Barrel Race-Ann Minzenmayer, Midland.

Goat Tying-Shelley Hamner. Boot Race-Ann Minzenmayer. Goat Sacking-Shelley Hamner. All-Around Cowgirl-Shelley Ham-

Results of Recent Golf Tournament

Mary Louise Bauer retained her Ladies' City Championship title in the recent ladies city golf tournament. Runner-up in the championship flight was Joanie McAdoo.

Winner of the first flight was Lois West, with Lottie Cummings runner-

Melba Jo Emmert was winner of the second flight, and Vinnie Knight, runner-up.

notables spoke as Governor Oscar B. Colquitt, when he was campaigning and Cyclone Davis, Sr., once made a speech at the park. A meeting of the Klu Klux Clan was held there.

The Fireman's annual barbecue was begun in Tinkle Park. Harris Mullins prepared chickens for members of the company only. Now many people attend.

The community band played concerts on Sunday afternoons and practiced on Friday nights. Three of the band's main numbers were "Stars and Stripes March", "Poe and Peasant" and the "Anvil Chorus." Mr. Owens recalled that a real anvil was always used and John Curry, the drummer boy, would hit the anvil.

Mr. Owens also said that the park was a good place for children to play and even after it was discontinued that they often played there. And while it was available there was also horseback riding in the park.

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ALL-AROUND COWBOY-Jay West, son of Mr. and Mrs. James West, participated in the Play Day activities in the Winters Rodeo

Association arena Saturday. Entered in the events for boys 13 and under, Jay won the All-Around Cowboy award. (Photo by Kelley Thomas)

Lions Club Completes Band Stand Project

BY CHARLSIE POE

The Lions Club project of erecting a replica of the gazebo type bandstand used for so many years by the community brass band, has been completed and will be dedicated at a ceremony in the City Park Friday night, July 2, at 8 o'clock. Kirke McKenzie, president, will be in charge of arrangements. The Senior Citizens Band will also perform.

It is fitting that it be named the Tinkle Band Stand in honor of Dr. Fred Tinkle who contributed an acre of land, east of his home, for park when one was needed.

He gave the park to the city through the Lions Club if they would maintain it, and it was known as the Tinkle Park. H. O. Jones, Buford Owens and Carl Davis were on the park board.

The original band stand, erected in 1910, was on the north side of Dale Street, across from the E. E. Thormeyer farm equipment company. It was later moved down to the east corner of the block and from there it was transferred to the Red Gin lot, back of the present Huffman House.

When it was decided that the old structure could not withstand another move, Dr. Tinkle engaged Charlie Roberts and two other men to build a new gazebo in Tinkle Park. This band stand now has a home on the Tinkle farm. First plans were to move it to town, but upon investigation it was deemed impractical. Hence a more permanent type reproduction has been built, put together with iron pipe, which should last for year to come. contributed to this project.

Each business house provided two or more of the park benches which cost \$5.00 a piece. When the Lions Club failed to supervise it vandals took over and would stack the benches, and finally they were carried

each entrance to the park. Such

Interested citizens and members of the Bicentennial Committee have

The Tinkle Park was maintained until the depression came along in the early 1930's, and the Lions Club couldn't afford to hire a keeper. At one time it had 75 steel benches, the band stand, a wading pool, concession stands; rides, slides and swings for the children. There was an arch over the entrance, sidewalks and croquet games were also provided.

off and all disappeared.

There was a celebration when natural gas came to town in November of 1927, and a gas torch was placed at

C. T. Parker's Weekly News Column

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"termites" aren't really winged ants.

C. T. Parker, a county agent for the Texas Agricultural Extension Service, says winged ants are often mistaken for termites, but there are several ways to tell them apart.

Winged ants are pinchedin at the abdomen and their front pair of wings is much larger than the rear pair. Termites are not pinched-in at the abdomen and both pairs of wings are about the

"If you think you've definitely got termites, call a licensed pest control operator as soon as possible," he advises. "You can usually control ants yourself but termites require the services of a professional."

Ants, which damage trees and shrubs by boring into rotten wood, are attracted to shade and fruit trees and ornamental shrubs. They are also attracted to trees that have insects that excrete honeydew or trees that are exuding sap. They may enter trees through wounds, scars or decayed limbs, says the county agent.

George Washington rested here.



"To control ants, pour insecticide down the ant's nest and within a foot radius of the nest area. Then soak the entire area with water to wash the insecticide into the soil and nest," Parker says.

CRAPE MYRTLES ARE **POPULAR**

The crape myrtle, an old Texas standby, is getting more and more popular every year. This is mainly because the hardy plants are so attractive and easy to grow, says Parker, a county agent for the Texas Agricultural Extension Service.

Crape myrtles, which produce flowers ranging from purple to red to white in color, will bloom through long periods of the hot Texas summer. The shrubs are grown mostly in the southern United States and are considered a nearly ideal plant by many nurserymen, homeowners and landscape architects.

He says crape myrtles should be planted in warm sunny locations in a good, well-drained soil. Planting in a sunny place will usually prevent powdery mildew, a common disease of crape myrtles, which can be treated with applications of

Actidione PM or Benomyl. Annual applications of a complete fertilizer will speed up growth and blooming.

Dwarf crape myrtles make excellent borders along buildings or walkways and are also good for use in mass plantings. Heavy pruning of dwarf varieties during the winter results in increased blooming in the spring.

However, tree type crape myrtles should be pruned lightly, the agent says. "Remove only the small branches of tree type crape myrtles so the tree's sculptured trunk can be seen."

Crape myrtles can be propogated from cuttings taken in mid-winter and placed in damp garden soil, says the county agent. "It's best to move large shrubs or trees when they are dormant, but container grown

Increased interest in sportswear, along with need and practicality, has influenced toddlers' garments size's one through four. A recent retail survey revealed best sellers for both toddler boys and girls are polo shirts, slacks, slack sets and overalls, Mrs. Becky Culp, area clothing specialist with the Texas Agricultural Extension Service, The Texas A&M University System, points out.

Indians liked carrots so well they would steal them from the early settlers' gardens when they stole nothing else, notes Mrs. Gwendolyne Clyatt, consumer marketing information specialist with the Texas Agricultural Extension Service, The Texas A&M University System.





T. A. Smith R. Springer Persons allergic to insect bites should avoid perfumes, hair sprays, and suntan lotions which attract insects. Wear shoes, long trousers, and long sleeves - avoid flower prints that attract bees. Keep picnic food covered until the moment it is served. Any person with a known allergic reaction should carry prescribed drugs for his immediate use.

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We express our sympathy to Mr. and Mrs. Robert Hill, who received word Monday of the death of her oldest brother, Mr. Randall Rampy of Falls Church, Va. He was buried in Arlington Cemetery on Wednesday. Mr. and Mrs. Charles Miller and family of Canyon visited the Hills on Monday of this past week.

Mrs. Marion Wood returned home after a few days in a Brownwood hospital. She reports a good checkup. On Saturday night Mr. and Mrs. Maloy Bryant and boys of Pearsall spent the night.

Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Kraatz and family spent the past weekend in Dallas with the Dennis Sextons. This Sunday afternoon they were in San Angelo with the Mike Prat-

I heard Mrs. Alta Hale killed 2 coons in her peach tree?

Mrs. Sammy Thomas and son Max of Fort Worth spent the weekend with her parents, the Kat Grissoms. She will visit relatives the rest of the week in San Angelo. Mr. and Mrs. John Sims and girls were Sunday visitors.

Mrs. Lemma Fuller and Mrs. Alta Hale visited the Elvin Berrys in Andrews Sunday. On Tuesday they were in Midland with Mr. and Mrs. Lowell Fuller and girls, Mr. and Mrs. Lawton Brevard, Mr. and Mrs. Keith Berry. On Wednesday they celebrated Jill Fullers 4th birthday.

Mr. and Mrs. Coleman Foreman attended the Foreman reunion at Eanes Lake near Comanche on Sunday.

Sunday dinner guests in the Burly Campbell home were Bro. and Mrs. Bob and Thursday with the Underwood and son Bobby of Jacobs. Coleman; Mr. and Mrs. Theron Osborne. Monday her granddaughters, Janet,

guests were Mr. and Mrs. Gifford Campbell and grandson Mark West of Wego, La., Bonnie Clark of Ballinger, Miss Boegia Ray of Coleman. On Tuesday Mrs. Nila Osborne, Mrs. Sue Campbell and Mrs. Karen McGallian were visitors.

Mrs. Earl Coopers sister, Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Baxter spent a few more days before returning to their home in Albuquerque, N.M. Other guests during the week were her brother, Mr. and Mrs. Lanny Lacy and family from Eula and Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Lacy of Midkiff.

Mr. and Mrs. Doug Bryan visited the Charles Pattons and Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Landers of Ballinger on Sunday. The Dewitt Bryans came on Saturday night.

Mr. and Mrs. N. L. Faubion were Sunday dinner guests with the Jimmy McAden family in Winters.

Mr. and Mrs. Woodrow Worthington of Banning, Calif., will be spending 2 weeks with her mother, Mrs. Amber Fuller and other relatives. Mrs. Fuller reports a rattlesnake was killed on her patio.

Mrs. Effie Dietz visitors were Mrs. Ralph Lopez, Sonya and Clara McKissack.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Jacob were in San Angelo Sunday and were dinner guest of Brenda Jacob and Deloris Hoelscher. Other guests were Mrs. Joe Busenlehner and son of Olfen and Beverly Jacob in the afternoon. They attended the Arts and Crafts Show and Air Show at Mathis Field. Mrs. Mike Kozelsky and Kathrine of Snyder spent Wednesday

Mrs. Truman Deike and

Janice, Kathy and Carey of Cross Plains and Mrs. Raymond Kurtz attended the late Mr. and Mrs. Fredrick Deike reunion in Hoye, at the one room old Pleasant Hill school house Sunday, 85 attended from Boerne, San Antonio, Johnson City, Austin, Pearton, Kerrville, Clear Lake. Mrs. Frances Deike and her family hosted the affair with barbecue chicken.

The evening was spent playing baseball, 42 and other games. Afterwards we took a bus tour through the Johnson Park.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Villers, Ginny and Peggy of San Angelo spent Sunday with her dad, Raymond Kurtz.

Farm Equipment Incorporates, In

New Office

Farm Equipment, owned by E. E. Thormeyer, Case farm machinery dealer in the Winters area for many years, recently was incorporated, and the offices were moved into a separate building, remodeled for the pur-

To be known as Winters Farm Equipment, Inc., the company recently took on the Allis-Chalmers line of farm equipment, in addition to Case.

Moving of the office quarters provides more room for the parts department, which has been expanded.

Legion Auxilliary Met Recently

Members of the American Legion Auxiliary met recently in the home of Mrs. Ava Crawford, president.

Several members were present: two visitors. Mrs. R. D. Pounders and Elsie

Mrs. Eura Beard is a new

Brenda King, Mr. Payne Plan July 9th Wedding

Miss King is a graduate of

Winters High School and has

attended Angelo State Uni-

versity and Hardin-Simmons

University. She is presently

employed by Montgomery

Mr. Payne is a graduate of

Abilene High School and has

attended Hardin-Simmons

University. He sings gospel

music with his family, "The

Be Busy Sewing

The Be Busy Sewing Club

met Monday, June 28, in the

home of Mrs. G. T. Shott.

Handwork was done for the

Those present were Mes-

dames Etta Bryant, M. H.

Hogan, J. C. Martin, Becky

Poe, Bill Milliorn, Eura

Lloyd, Lewis Blackmon, Na-

dine Smith and her grand-

son, David Miller, and the

The next meeting will be

Monday, July 12, in the

home of Mrs. Nadine Smith.

SS Rep Sets

Winters Visits

Jo McCullah, social secu-

rity representative for the

San Angelo Social Security

office, has scheduled her

She will be at the Housing

Anyone who wants to file

a claim for benefits, get

information, or transact

other business with the

Social Security Administra-

tion may contact her at the

times listed. Persons who

are unable to meet with her

are encouraged to call the

office in San Angelo. Resi-

dents of Winters may call

toll free by dialing "Opera-

tor" and asking for "Enter-

Authority office Monday,

July 12 and 26, from 9:30

July visits to Winters.

a.m. to 11:30 a.m.

hostess, Mrs. G. T. Shott.

Singing Payne Family.'

Club Meeting

hostess.

Ward in Abilene.

Mr. and Mrs. Wayne King announce the approaching marriage of their daughter, Brenda Gayle, to Mr. David Allen Payne of Abilene.

The prospective bridegroom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Payne of Abi-

The wedding will be at eight o'clock in the evening, July 9, at the Hodges Baptist

VISITORS

Recent visitors in the home of Mrs. Ben Lindley have been Mrs. Bill Hobbs and children of Abilene, Mr. and Mrs. Bobby Shores of Bokoshe, Okla., and Mr. and Mrs. Don Lindley.

Wingate Sew And Sew Club

The Wingate Sew and Sew Club held their regular meeting recently in the Annex of the Wingate Methodist Church, with Mildred Patton as hostess.

Two quilts were quilted, one for the hostess and one for Mrs. Ruth Guinn.

Following a business meeting, gifts were exchanged, and the group decided to suspend meetings until the first week in September.

Members present were Mesdames W. N. Bagwell, Ben Williams, J. R. Woodfin, O. D. Bradford, Pete Polk, Raymond Lindsey, Elmer King, George Lloyd, Nellie Adcock, J. C. Belew, Flossie Kirkland, Marvin Smith, Dock Rogers, Nolan Cave. Ed Kinard, Robinson, Miss Mildred Patton, and Miss Leila Harter, and one visitor, Mrs. Leonard Phillips.

Heathcott Family Reunion Recently

The annual reunion of the Heathcott family was held in the Bronte Park June 20, with 88 people attending a barbecue dinner.

> All of Dick Heathcott's children were present; all grandchildren except four were present; and all greatgrandchildren were present.

Among those attending were Otto Heathcott, Mrs. Clyde Ray and June Ellen of Wetumka, Okla.; Mr. and Mrs. Bob le of Wichita Falls; Dr. ad Mrs. Dean Koen and Justin of Ballinger: Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Sudduth, Donna and Shelly of Winters; Jay and Ann Deffenbaugh of Ohio; Jill Ritter of Fort Worth; Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Hambright, Winters; Troy Norman, Winters.

Also, Barbara Michalewicz, Richard Doggett, Harold Danf. Red Burns, of Stanton: s. Ida Beights. Mr. and M.s. Roland Landfried of Roscoe; Lynn Smith, Ballinger; Mr. and Mrs. Sid Eubanks, Bronte; Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Derrick of Fort Worth; Carlynn Berry, Jan and Wade Crouch, Abilene; Dick Heathcott, Mr. and Mrs. Pat Pritchard and Martha, Wingate; Mr. and Mrs. Dewey Heathcott, Killeen; Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Poland, Albuquerque, N.M.; Mrs. and Mrs. Rass Heathcott, Bill and Doug, Aspermont; Mr. and Mrs. Jim Heathcott, Louma, La.; Mr. and Mrs. Ray Heathcott, Ricci, Clay and Kevin, Winters; Mr. and Mrs. Ron Heathcott, Lisa and Ronald of Irving; Mr. and Mrs. Butch Heathcott, Beth and John, Waller.

And, Sissy Heathcott, Abilene; Mr. and Mrs. Sonny Groom, Mickey and Stephanie, Houma, La.; Mr. and Mrs. Ricky Heathcott and Scott, Houston; Mr. and Mrs. Lanny Heathcott, Wichita Falls; Mr. and Mrs. Damon Kennedy, Killeen; Mr. and Mrs. Pat Pritchard Jr., Kyra and Tracie, Abilene; Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Gerhart, James and Red, Novice; Mr. and Mrs. Ronald Presley, Winters; Darla and Shane Mason, Fort Worth; Rodney Heathcott, Round Rock; Denny Ray Heathcott, Winters; Janie Poland and Dena Smith, Abilene.

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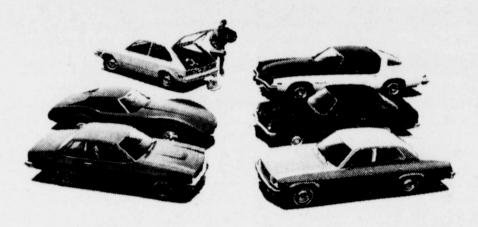
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Miss White and Capt. Gerner Were Married June 26th

In a double-ring ceremony in the Chapel of Bergstrom Air Force Base, Austin, at two-thirty o'clock in the afternoon, June 26, Miss Susan Jere White became the bride of Captain John Charles Gerner.

The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Wade W. White of Winters. The bridegroom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Rowland D. Gerner of Kalaheo, Kauai, Hawaii.

The Rev. Ralph A. Brennan performed the ceremony before an altar flanked with two large fern baskets decorated with aqua, violet and white flowers to coordinate with the bridal bouquet. Beside these baskets hung two large banners of red, with the lettering, We Are One In the Spirit, and Come Holy Spirit, Be Our Guide.

Mrs. Trudy Rea, organist. played while Mr. Dickie Ingram sang The Twelfth of Never, and For All We Know.

Best Man was Lt. Danny Clark of Oklahoma City, Okla. Ushers were Jimmy White of Fort Worth, and Biff White, of Stephenville, both brothers of the bride.

Groomsmen were Lt. Ed Yielding of Florence, Ala., and Flight Lieutenant Tony Garton of Nottingham, Eng-

Mrs. Sherry Bryant of Nacogdoches was matron of honor. Bridesmaids were Mrs. Beth Ingram of Austin and Mrs. Christy Lucksinger of Pawnee, Okla.

The bride's attendants wore taffeta-lined sheer jersey gowns in aquamarine with an orchid and lavender floral print. The gowns had V necklines, long angel cent-shaped with aqua apple blossoms, violet poppies, and white orange blossoms.

marriage by her father. For her wedding the bride wore an elegantly simple gown of white chiffon. Falling straight from a halter neckline, the gown was fashioned from three separate layers that formed a tiered effect in the hemline area. One tier ended just below midcalf, another at the ankle, and the third at the floor. Over the gown an elbow-length white chiffon capelet was worn that featured a softly rolled collar. A picture hat decorated with venise lace and illusion completed her ensemble. For flowers, she carried a cathedral cascade of silk peonies intersperces with aquamarine apple blossoms and violet-colored orange blossoms.

Following the ceremony, a reception was held in the Bergstrom Officers Club, hosted by the bride's parents. Betty White of Austin, sister of the bride, served the champagne punch. Donna Falk of Houston served from the three-tiered white cake with aqua blue outlining the names of the couple and lillies-of-the-valley. Floral arrangements of aqua blue, lavender, and white flowers highlighted the table covered with white lace tablecloths.

The couple departed for San Francisco and Lake Tahoe on a wedding trip.

The bride is a graduate of Winters High School, where she was salutatorian of the Class of 1968. She was a member of the Blizzard Band and the varsity basketball team. She graduated summa cum laude from Tarleton State University in 1972. At Tarleton, she was twice elected to Who's Who In sleeves and highrise waist- American Colleges and Unilines. Bouquets were cres- versities, was ROTC company sponsor, and 1971 Military Ball Queen, and a member of the Parents Day The bride was given in Queen's Court. She was a



MRS. GERNER

nas social club, and student senate. She earned a master's degree in English in 1974 from Stephen F. Austin University. She has been an English instructor at San Antonio College.

The bridegroom is a 1967 graduate of Mid-Pacific In- home in Honolulu, Hawaii. stitute, and the Northrop

member of Alpha Chi, Eter- Institute of Engineering and Technology in Los Angeles, where he earned a bachelor of science degree in aerospace engineering. He is an aircraft pilot in the U.S. Air Force, stationed at Bergstrom AFB. Austin.

The couple will make their





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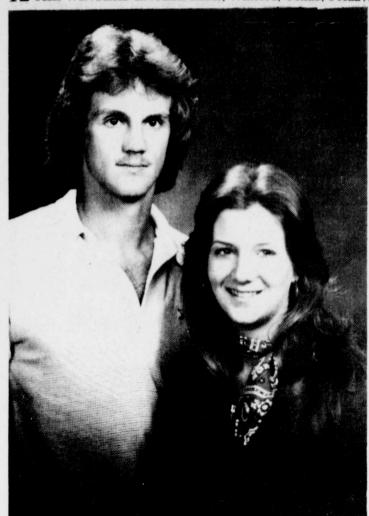
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Miss Davis and Mr. Long Announce Plans To Wed

Mrs. Joan Howard announces the engagement and approaching marriage of her daughter, Dana Davis, to Mr. Stacy Long.

The prospective bridegroom is the grandson of Mr. and Mrs. T. A. Smith of Winters, and the son of Granville Long of California and Mrs. James Carter of Kentucky.

Miss Davis is a 1976 graduate of Winters High School and plans to attend Southwest Texas State Uni-

versity at San Marcus. Mr. Long is a 1975 graduate of Winters High School and is attending the

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The couple will exchange marriage vows August 14 in the First United Methodist

Former Minister Now Veep of Pepperdine

Dr. James R. Wilburn, a former minister of the Main Street Church of Christ in Winters, was named vice president for university affairs at Pepperdine University by university President William S. Banowsky, Fri-

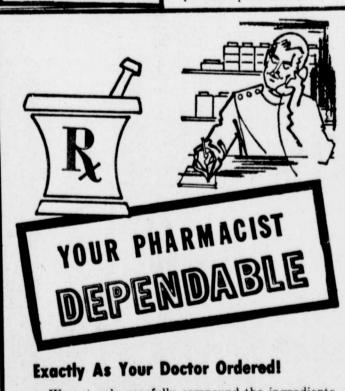
Dr. Wilburn, a 1953 graduate of Abilene Christian University, was minister of the Winters Church of Christ in the mid-1950's. He went from Winters to Wichita

Pepperdine is a university of 9,000 students with campuses in Malibu and Los Angeles, Calif.; a campus at Heidelberg, Germany; and a

law school at Anaheim, Calif. Wilburn's new responsibilities will be to coordinate the external activities of the university, including alumni, public and press relations; university publications; univers.ty support groups; development research; foundations; governmental and civic affairs; and special events.

Before going to Pepperdine in 1971, Wilburn taught economic history at Midwestern University, California State University at Northridge and at UCLA.

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Geraniums are an excellent choice to brighten summer landscapes, contends a landscape horticulturist for the Texas Agricultural Extension Service.

"Geraniums are easy to grow and will tolerate a wide range of conditions," says Everett Janne. "All that you can be planted in a garden or grown in tubs, pots or hanging containers.'

Janne notes that there are centers and nurseries-Care- area, believes Janne.

free and Sprinter. They produce flowers with colors ranging from deep red to white.

"Locate geraniums where they will receive plenty of light," points out the Texas A&M University System specialist. "However, some mid-afternoon shade is help-

"When preparing the soil, add a complete fertilizer at the rate of one or two pounds per 100 square feet.

"Space geraniums about 15 need is a good soil mix and a inches apart so that they will well lighted area. Geraniums have plenty of room to grow and won't need pinching. They'll also flower earlier."

With proper care, gerantwo disease-free varieties iums will thrive and brighten available from most garden up any landscape or outdoor

Keep Mower Blades Sharp

One of the most important maintenance procedures on rotary lawn mowers is keeping the blade sharp, says Lambert Wilkes, professor of agricultural engineering at Texas A&M University.

"It is important from the standpoint of energy conservation," Wilkes points out. "If the blade is sharp enough to slice the grass rather than beat it off, the engine is under less load, and therefore uses less gasoline to perform an equal amount of

Wilkes notes that a sharp blade is less hazardous than a dull one since "most

accidents occur due to the constant pushing and pulling when using a dull blade.

"Another reason for keeping a blade sharp is simply that a lawn will look better when the grass is sliced rather than beaten," Wilkes explains.

Mower blades are made of high carbon tempered steel.

"These blades can be sharpened with grinders so long as care is taken to avoid getting the metal too hot when sharpening," the agricultural engineer explains. "If discoloration of the metal is noted, the temper is lost.

"A sharp blade will probably last a full mowing season if it is used on one lawn only," says Wilkes. "It will need sharpening more often if used for custom lawn

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