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BREAK-IN, CRASH-OUT!-In most breakins, those persons doing the breaking-in leave the premises through the same opening through which they entered. Not in the case of the person or persons unknown who broke into Ace Automotive owned and operated by Ace Polk, sometime Friday night. Entrance was made through a window in the back of the building, when a screen was pulled from the window and the glass broken out. To leave the premises, however, the breaker(s)-in started up a pickup truck located near the front door of the building, and literally crashed through it to the outside. The overhead door was badly damaged, with paint marks on the door indicating the pickup also was damaged. The

pickup was the property of Frank Brown. The vehicle was located near Hatchel Saturday afternoon, with a blown tire and extensive engine damage, in addition to damage to the body of the pickup. Runnels County Chief Deputy Sheriff Johnny Wilson and Winters Police Chief Doc Smith are investigating the

Blizzard Band Concert Monday

Mike Ford, Winters School band director, will present the 1976-77 Blizzard Band in concert next Monday evening, Jan. 24, in the school gymnasium. The program begins at 7 p.m. No admission will be charged for

The concert will be an occasion to honor the Band Sweetheart, and the

20 senior members of the band. The Sweetheart is selected from the senior girls in the band, and elected by the band members. The concert will be a formal affair for band members.

The 100-piece band will present a variety of music, including popular, spiritual, marches and traditional band

Winters Bank Sees Growth Last Year

The Winters State Bank reports an increase in deposits of almost \$2 million during the past year, according to the report of financial condition as of Dec. 31, 1976.

Deposits as of Dec. 31, 1976, were reported at \$15,470,000; with total assets, \$16,884,000. The report as of Dec. 31, 1975, showed deposits \$13,615,671, and assets, \$15,003,188.

Bank condition reports reflect the continuing economic growth of the

Sport Court At Wingate Is Approved

Approval of a \$13,000 development project for a multi-sport court at Wingate has been announced by Governor Dolph Briscoe.

The Bureau of Outdoor Recreation, through the Texas Parks and Wildlife Department, and Runnels County, each will share 50 percent of the project's cost.

The outdoor multi-sport court will be built of concrete, and have facilities for tennis, volleyball and basketball. It will be constructed on ground owned by Wingate Independent School District, leased to Runnels County for a long term.

City, School Elections Ordered

Elections to name officials to the Winters City Council and the Board of Trustees of Winters Independent School District have been called by members of the respective bodies. Although the two elections will be

Local Group Seeking Site For Rifle Range

A local group met with the Winters City Council Monday night and requested assistance from the Council in locating a new site for a rifle range, and trap shooting range, after the Council recently closed the rifle range at the new Winters City Lake.

Council had ordered the rifle range at the lake closed after it was determined that a dangerous situation existed, it was said.

One alternate site suggested was the old city dump area southeast of town. The area is no longer used for dumping, since the opening of the landfill operation southwest of Winters. It was suggested that a rifle range could be constructed on the dump ground site, along with a trap shooting range. It was pointed out that strict control would be necessary for construction and use of such a site, because of vandalism and for safety reasons. Other sites will be sought, in addition to the dump ground site.

Bob Browning was spokesman for the sportsman group, and indicated that an organization could be formed to provide control for a shooting site.

The Council will study the situation, it was stated, and lend all possible assistance to the sportsmen in their

search for a firing range.

held separately, each will be held April 2-voting in the City election will be conducted in the City Hall, with voters of the school district to cast their ballots at the office of the Winters Chamber of Commerce.

In the City election, the offices of the mayor and two aldermen will be filled. In the school district election, two board trustees will be elected, one to Place 1, and one to Place 2.

The Board of Trustees of Winters Independent School District last week officially called the trustee election. Winters City Council Monday night of this week ordered the city election.

Approaching the end of present terms of office on the Winters Con-Council are Mayor Homer Hodge and Alderman Alvin Scates and Earl Roach.

Mayor Hodge, completing his second term as head of the city's government, told The Enterprise Monday evening he would not be a candidate for re-election.

Both Aldermen Scates and Roach said Monday night they would be candidates for return to office. Each is completing a first term in office.

SCHOOL ELECTION

Board of Trustees of the school district have filed for re-election. Delbert Kruse will be a candidate for his present seat, Place 1, on the board, and Gene Wheat will be a candidate for return to Place 2 on the board.

City aldermen are elected at large; school board trustees are elected to specific places on the board. Aldermen serve two-year terms, and school board members, three-year terms.

Deadline for filing as candidate for either of the two bodies will be 30 days prior to election date.

City Gets \$3,606 From Sales Taxes

The City of Winters has received \$3,606.01 from the State Comptroller's office in rebates for sales taxes for the last reporting period.

Comptroller Bob Bullock last week

mailed city sales tax rebate checks totaling \$23.2 million to 620 Texas cities and towns, and reminded quarterly sales tax filers of the Jan. 31 deadline for their returns.

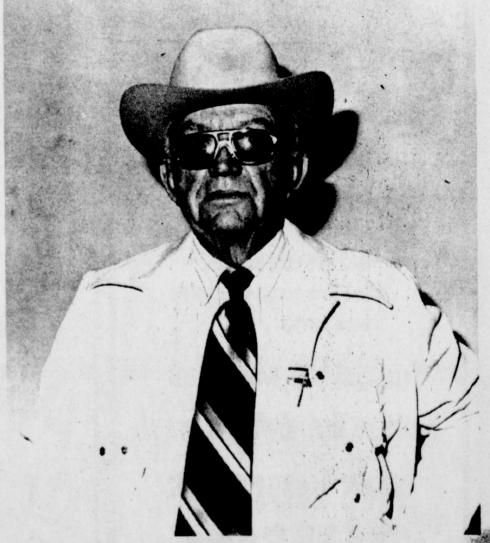


MAYOR HOMER HODGE "Not a candidate."



ALDERMAN ALVIN SCATES

"For Re-election"



ALDERMAN EARL ROACH "For Re-election"



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Any erroneous reflection upon the character, standing or reputation of any person, firm or corporation which may appear in the columns of this newspaper, will be gladly corrected upon due notice of same being given to the editor personally at this office.



While I was preparing to spend Christmas in Long Beach with my daughter, Jeannine, an earthquake was predicted.

In a telephone conversation, Jeannine said, "We don't pay any attention to those predictions, we have them all the time. Come on out and if it happens we'll shake together."

On the flight a woman from El Paso told me that she was going to see a seriously ill aunt in Calif., but she was going to stay only a few days because she was afraid of the earthquak-

When I inquired what she would do if one happened while she was there, she said her son had told her to get out in the open away from buildings.

One can't live afraid, and the things I've worried about never happened, its always the unexpected, so why worry? But believing in being prepared, I read an editorial "In Case of Quake". The advice was, "Watch for falling objects, stay away from windows, chimneys and mirrors. Get under a table, desk or bed, or in a doorway. If outside, get away from buildings, poles and other tall objects. Find an open area if possible."

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Deciding it was a sonic boom, but much louder than

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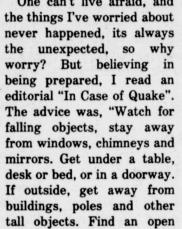
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There were suggestions for after a quake, but all such thoughts left my head the second night I was there when a terrific boom rattled the windows and brought me out of my chair Friday at



MR. AND MRS. BARTON B. HENRY

they are in Texas, I prompt- tanker, the Argo merchant, ly forgot the incident as Jeannine or Virginia Duncan, with whom she shares an apartment, did not mention

When the evening news came on TV, a tale of horror unfolded. An explosion had ripped a 300-foot hole in an oil tanker, leaving only the bow and stern above water. The tanker was berthed in the San Pedro harbor about three miles up the coast from Long Beach.

The 810-foot tanker Sansinena, flying a Liberian flag, had unloaded 500,000 barrels of Indonesian crude oil in the afternoon at the Union oil bulk terminal.

There were about 55 persons on board the empty vessel while it was taking on fuel for the ship itself when it exploded, sending flames 1,000 feet into the sky.

First reports were that at crewmen unaccounted for.

(about three football fields in length) were hurled 200 yds. and left imbedded in asphalt. Shock waves set off burglar alarms miles away. Windows were shattered over large areas of San Pedro and Long Beach. A large piece of metal from the tanker was blown over one building and demolished the one behind it.

More than 200 firemen worked to extinguish the blaze, but a portion of the sharf burned.

All 17 divisions of the Los Angeles police department were placed on alert. Looters were reported to be loading pickup trucks with merchandise from stores in San Pedro and Wilmington where the windows had been

Almost immediately a truck loaded with plywood was on hand to board up broken shop windows, and glass companies worked all night to install window panes, just as they do when

we have a hail storm. The Red Cross set up a service center and hospitals prepared to treat the injured. Four police helicopters hovered overhead, illuminat-

ing the area with light. For days the investigations and cleanup operations continued, followed by the news of a Liberian tanker running aground and pouring at least 134,000 gallons of crude oil into the Deleware River. Another Liberian oil

spilled its cargo onto Nantucket Shoals, Mass.

Jeannine is a claims representative for Liberty Mutual Ins. Co. and while she was at work trying to process the many damaged cars, Virginia and I walked on the bluff above the beach. A cloud of smoke and the smell of oil still hovered above the San Pedro Harbor. And I would be unable to visit my favorite spot, Ports of Call Village, located in that area.

We watched a group of Japanese students taking pictures of sea gulls, but they couldn't get the birds to fly. Virginia said, "The tide is higher than I've ever seen

Later, we learned the people in Orange County, about five miles down the coast, were having their homes flooded with water least three persons were from the high tide caused by killed, 49 injured and nine a storm near Hawaii. Sandbags were stacked in an Pipes from the huge ship effort to divert the water but many poor people had their

furniture and carpets ruined. After 15 months drought, Long Beach received a rain on Sat., Jan. 1, which cleared the atmosphere considerably. This gave us the courage to drive to Ports of Call the following Monday and about the only reminder of the explosion was the bow and stern of the tanker Sansinena still stand-

ing in the harbor. The dock was fringed with small, white fishing boats against the blue of the ocean and a clear sky. Fishermen were mending their nets and some were painting their boats a glistening white. Sea gulls circled and fat pigeons walked on the cobblestones of the village expecting to be fed by the visitors.

Ports of Call Village-Whaler's Wharf contains an old Calif. village whose architecture is patterned after a West Coast port community of the mid-1800's; and a whaler's wharf, with buildings and furnishings reminiscent of a fishing community of a hundred years or more ago.

The old ferryboat "Sierra Nevada" has been refurbished. Guests can visit one of the eating areas topside the old boat and watch the constant procession of yachts, fishing boats and ships from all over the world.

At the entrance to the

County Attorney, I am grateful for the support of the Runnels County Electorate. I pledge to fulfill the duties and

As your newly elected

John W. McGregor

McGregor.)

Mr., Mrs. Henry Note 60th Anniversary

Mr. and Mrs. Barton B. They have lived in Runnels Henry of Winters, will County most of their married celebrate their 60th wedding life. Mr. Henry is a retired anniversary Saturday, Jan- farmer. uary 22, with an open house in the Recreation Center of the North Runnels Nursing Sweetwater; two daughters Home. Reception will be living, Mrs. Clyde Hamilton from 2 to 4 p.m.

Star in Mills County. Child- deceased; eleven grandren, grandchildren and rela- children and nine greattives will host the affair.

Mr. Henry was born November 29, 1896 at Star. Mrs. Henry was born September 28, 1899 at Fairy, requests no gifts, please.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry have one son H. H. Henry living at of Fort Worth, and Mrs. Al Mr. and Mrs. Henry were Allen of New Braunfels: one married January 22, 1917 at son and three daughters grandchildren.

> Friends of the family are invited to attend the open house reception. The couple

Ribbons Awarded 4-H Food Show Exhibitors Saturday

Ribbon winners in the County 4-H Food Show held in St. Mary's Parish Hall in Ballinger January 15, were:

JUNIORS Breads and Cereal: Mandy Hancock, red ribbon; Denise Little, blue ribbon; and Camilla Crawford, red rib-

Snacks: Missy Poehls, blue

First place winners: Denise Little, breads and cereals; Missy Poehls, snacks and beverages.

village is a large bronze statue dedicated to the fisherman-"for his harpoon, hook and net have long harvested the endless sea to grace the table of America."

I came home with memories of an unusual holiday and a greater determination not to worry for I could never have imagined all the things that happened.

Meats: Brad K. Teplicek, red ribbon; Monnie Brewer. red ribbon. First place winner, Monnie Brewer.

Fruits and vegetables: Karen Carter, blue; Craig Teplicek, red. First place winner, Karen Carter. **SENIORS**

Breads and Cereals: Denise Little, blue ribbon, first place winner.

Meats: Lauri Pruser, blue; Christi Walker, blue; Martha Diana Salas, blue; First place winner, Lauri Pruser.

The Junior and Senior winners of each division will participate in the District 4-H Food Show in Fredericksburg Feb. 19.



Incandescent light bulbs work because an electric current causes a wire to become so hot that it glows.

Mrs. W. D. Lang **Died Saturday** In San Antonio

Mrs. William D. Lang Sr., 80, died at 6:30 a.m. Saturday in Oak Hill Care Center in San Antonio, following an illness of several months. She was a former resident of Winters.

Funeral services were held at 10:30 a.m. Monday in Spill Memorial Chapel, with the Rev. Bob Lindsey, pastor of the First United Methodist Church, officiating.

Burial was in Lakeview Cemetery under direction of Spill Funeral Home.

She was born Celia Loretta Nesmith at Buffalo Gap, April 5, 1896. She married William D. Lang, Feb. 16, 1920, in Abilene. Mr. Lang died in 1965. A son, William II, also preceded her in death.

Mr. and Mrs. Lang operated a hardware and electrical business in Winters for 26 years.

She was a member of the First United Methodist Church of Winters and of the Winters Chapter of the Order of the Eastern Star.

Survivors include one daughter, Mrs. Ed Speer of Crystal City; four brothers, S. P. Nesmith of Abilene, Jim Nesmith of San Diego, Calif., Roy Nesmith of Whittier. Calif., and Eugene Nesmith of El Toro, Calif.; two sisters, Mrs. H. J. Hodge Sr., of Winters and Mrs. Ina Gingals of Laguna Hill, Calif.; seven grand-

Pallbearers were George Garrett, Floyd Wood, Z. I. Hale, B. D. Jobe, John Swatchsue, J. B. Estes, J. N. Clark, K. W. Cook, and Walter Green.

children and three great-

grandchildren.

erill Nursina Home News

Mr. and Mrs. B. B. Henry will celebrate their 60th wedding anniversary on Saturday Jan. 22nd. Their children and grandchildren are hosting a reception for them here at the nursing home from 2 to 3 o'clock in the afternoon. Friends and relatives are cordially invited to attend.

Mr. Jeff Moore passed away last Friday night, and we wish to extend our sympathy to his entire family.

We welcome three new residents in our home. They are Mrs. Margaret Scales from Tuscola, and Mrs. Mary Frick and her son, Fritz, We hope their stay with us will be a pleasant one.

We are working with artificial flowers in our crafts. If you have containers for arrangements, styrofoam, greenery, or other things that can be used, we would appreciate having them. We have gone hog wild over the pretty flowers Winn's Stores gave us to play with.

Boykin Makes Dean's List

Stephen Boykin has been named to the Deans List at Angelo State University for outstanding scholastic achievement. Stephen is majoring in music and is a member of Kappa Kappa Si and assistant drum major of the Golden Ram Band.

Stephen is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Glynn Boykin of Jacksboro, and the grandson of Rev. and Mrs. Chester Wilkerson of Winters.

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D. B. Vick Died In N. R. Hospital

Darence B. Vick, 67, of the Wingate Community, died at 5:40 p.m. Wednesday of last week in the North Runnels Hospital, following an illness of several months.

Funeral services were held Friday at 4 p.m. in Spill Memorial Chapel, with Mr. Leon Bahlman of San Angelo officiating.

Burial was in Lakeview Cemetery.

He was born at Ranger June 26, 1909, the son of the late Robert and Sallie Morton Vick. The family later moved to Merkel and then to View. In 1934 he moved to Runnels County, settling in the Wingate area where he was a stock farmer for 43 vears.

He married Oleta Sliger, Dec. 17, 1956, at Abilene.

Mr. Vick was a member of the Church of Christ and for a number of years was precinct chairman and had been chairman of the equalization board on the Wingate School District. He served for a number of years as secretary of the Wingate School Board. He also was a bookkeeper.

Survivors are his wife; two brothers, R. A. Vick and B. W. Vick, both of Wingate; and a nephew, Carl Vick of Hale Center.

Pallbearers were Duncan Hensley, Memory Hunter, Brent Mikeska, Thurman Self, J. B. Denson and Hollis

Band Boosters Met Monday

The Blizzard Band Boosters met Monday evening, and planned a bake sale for Saturday, Feb. 12. This sale will feature cakes, pies, cookies, and homemade breads. All band parents are reminded to bring a baked item for the project.

The group voted to buy hat boxes for use by the

Band Director Mike Ford announced UIL contests will be held in Coleman March

> REVENUE SHARING

Crews News

Osborne, Bob and Jan Scott,

Paula and Shana of Abilene,

Melinda and Kris were

Sunday dinner guests with

Mr. and Mrs. Marion

Wood spent three days with

her mother, Mrs. Katie

Bodine in Fort Worth this

past week. Mr. and Mrs.

Larry Calcote and son Jim of

Snyder and Julian McCalfe

of Temple were this week-

Mr. and Mrs. Dewitt

Bryan came out Friday with

Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Martin

of San Angelo spent the

weekend with the Burley

Campbells. Then on Sunday

they all spent the day and

dinner with Mr. and Mrs.

Mr. and Mrs. Odie Mat-

thews were in Abilene

Friday with their girls, the

Ronnie Faulkners and Don

Faulkner families. On Satur-

day they were in Bronte

visiting her mother, Mrs.

George Coleman and sister,

Mr. and Mrs. Al Hogan of

With the Marvin Ham-

brights during the week

were Mr. and Mrs. George

Lange and Scott, Mr. and

Mrs. Clarence Hambright,

Mr. and Mrs. Theron Os-

borne, Dean Taylor and Cecil

Mrs. Effie Dietz is doing

fine but is still in the

Seven Winters

ASU Honor Roll

Seven Winters students

attending Angelo State Uni-

versity in San Angelo are

listed on the Dean's Honor

Roll for the fall semester at

the University.

Students On

San Angelo.

Hambright.

Ballinger hospital.

Buck Campbell in Abilene.

the Kat Grissoms.

end guests.

the Doug Bryans.

If you want to write something that has a chance of living on forever-sign a mortgage.

Some of our folks in and out of the hospital are Mrs. Chester McBeth who entered Hendrick Hospital Wednesday and will have surgery Tuesday. She is in room C403 floor 4.

Mrs. Rodney Faubion returned home from North Runnels Hospital Sunday after surgery.

Joanie Mathis had surgery Tuesday of last week in Hendrick, is doing fine and will go home this Tuesday. Mrs. Amber Fuller spent most of last week in Abilene with Joanie's family. She visited with Mrs. McBeth on Friday. We hope all these ladies will keep improving and keep well.

Mrs. Amber Fuller and Mrs. O. C. Fuller of Coleman saw the movie Noah's Ark Sunday in Abilene.

Sunday dinner with the Noble Faubion's were Bradley Pape, Mike Prater and Pal Greg of San Angelo, Mr. and Mrs. Rodney Faubion and sons, Mrs. Jimmy Mc Aden and girls.

Mr. and Mrs. H. P. Morrison of San Antonio ate dinner with the Clyde Brevards and mother Kirby.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Chambliss and daughters of Hawley were out Saturday with the Earl Coopers.

Mrs. Hoarce Stokes of Talpa, Mrs. Alta Hale were out at Andrews Wednesday with Mr. and Mrs. Lawton Brevard and Paul, Mr. and Mrs. Elvin Berry. They returned home on Friday. Magie Ruth Stokes, Lemma Fuller, Hazel Mae Bragg came out Saturday night to be with Alta Hale.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Jacob attended the wedding of her neice, Danna Halfmann and Ricky Gully at St. Lawrence, Saturday night. Others attending were Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Jacob and Mr. and

Mrs. Andrew Michalewicz.

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Listed on the 3.50 to 4.00 honor roll are Benji Franks Alldredge, a pre-veterinary major; Curtis Glen Colburn. an undeclared major; Sherri Ann Collins, an English major; and Rickey Lee Mathis, a physical education

BIRTHDAY SURPRISE

Surprising Mrs. J. R. Woodfin on her 74th birthday January 15 were Mr. and Mrs. Walter Patterson and Mrs. Boyce Gregory, all of Plainview, and Mrs. Pete Whitlow of Happy. They brought food for a birthday

CONTENTS. THEY ARE OPEN FOR PUBLIC SCRUTINY AT CITY Hall 310 South Main. Winters. Texas 79567

J. H. Moore **Died In Local Nursing Home**

Jana and Sammy Brown Jefferson H. (Jeff) Moore, visited in the Sam Faubion 70, died at 8:30 p.m. Friday home on Sunday night. The in Merrill Nursing Home in Osborne's were up to see Winters. He had recently Mrs. Chester McBeth Saturmoved to Winters from San Antonio. Mr. and Mrs. John Sims,

Funeral services were held at 2:30 p.m. Sunday in Spill Memorial Chapel, with Mr. Paul Wallace, minister of the Main Street Church of Christ, officiating.

Burial was in Fairview Cemetery under direction of Spill Funeral Home.

Mr. Moore was born in Tom Green County, Dec. 28, 1906. He worked for several years in the Safeway store here, and moved to San Antonio in 1942. He served in the Navy during 1944 and 1945. He was a Civil Service employee and worked at Kelly Air Force Base in San Antonio for 31 years.

He married Fairye Mc Caughan at San Angelo March 5, 1939.

Due to ill health, he retired three years ago and he and his wife moved to Winters recently.

Survivors are his wife; one son, Billy Moore of Moore; two daughters, Rebecca Scott of San Antonio and Mary Sue Spiess of Longview; three sisters, Mrs. Cora Pease and Mrs. Louise McDonough of San Antonio, and Mrs. Virginia Hendry of San Angelo.

Pallbearers were Leon Hallman, Roy Young, Rankin Pace, Wilbur Waggoner, Marvin Bedford, and Fred Young.

Levi Lee Group Meeting Recently

The Levi Lee Group of the First United Methodist Church met recently in the home of Mrs. M. E. Leeman, with the hostess presiding.

Mrs. M. L. Dobbins presented a program, Make the Difference." Participating were Mrs. F. R. Anderson, Mrs. Thad Traylor, Mrs. Eva Kelly and Mrs. Ralph Arnold.

Sentence prayers were

Others present were Mesdames Willie Lois Nichols, I. W. Rogers, W. T. Stanley, Paul Gerhardt, Gladys Wilson, and a visitor, Brenda Lou Gray.

Southside WMU Meeting Recently

Women's Missionary Union of the Southside Baptist Church met in the home of Mrs. V. P. Rice last Wednes-

A general study was held, and Mrs. Young brought the Bible study.

Those attending were Mesdames V. E. Fisher, Bob King, Robert White, Cecil Hasty and Fred Young.

Alpha Pi Delta **Meeting Monday**

The Winters Alpha Pi Delta Chapter met Monday January 17, in the home of Billie Farr.

Kay Mills presided over the business meeting and reports were heard from the various committees. Fundraising projects were discussed and it was decided to have a "Swap-a-roo" at each meeting.

Plans were also made to have a covered dish supper February 14 for members and their husbands, to be held in the home of Dollie Airhart.

Mona White presented the program on "Beauty Perception in Art."

Those attending Monday's meeting were Zelda Spill. Mary Browning, Sue Spill, Jane Allcorn, Dollie Airhart, Vickey Harrison, Ann Eckols, Billie Farr, Priscilla Condra, Pat Blackwell, Linda Dry, Mona White, and Kay

For the next meeting members will attend the ACU play "The Fanasticks" on February 3.

Lesa Giles On **Honor List At South Plains**

Lesa Giles of Winters was one of 355 students named to the Dean's Honor List at South Plains College, Levelland, for the 1976 fall semester, according to Na-

than Tubb, academic dean. Miss Giles is a graduate of Winters High School.

To be eligible, students must maintain at least a 3.25 grade point average (GPA) while carrying a minimum of 12 semester hours with no failing grades, Tubb said. There were 83 students who made all A's for a perfect grade point average of 4.0,

READ THE CLASSIFIEDS

Mrs. T. Sellman High School Died At Brady

Mrs. Tom Sellman, 81, formerly of Winters, died at 9:30 p.m. Wednesday of last week in the Heart of Texas Hospital in Brady.

Funeral services were held at 10:30 a.m. Friday in Spill Memorial Chapel, with Mr. Paul Wallace, minister of the Main Street Church of Christ, officiating.

Graveside services were held at 1:30 p.m. Friday at the I.O.O.F Cemetery in Abilene, under direction of Spill Funeral Home of Win-

She was born Myrtle Annette Murrah, June 21, 1895, at Belton. She married Earl E. Scarborough, Aug. 27, 1959, at Rogers. Mr. Scarborough died Dec. 7, 1967. On Jan. 3, 1976, she married Tom Sellman at Brady.

Mrs. Sellman moved from Belton to Brady in 1929 where she lived until 1956 when she moved to Abilene. She moved to Winters in the mid-1970's, and had lived at Brady for the past year.

She was a member of the Church of Christ.

Survivors are her husband; one daughter, Mrs. Addie Mae Young of Winters; a son-in-law, Al Junsman of Abilene; a brother, Jehu Murrah of Marfa; a sister, Mrs. Roy B. Siler of Houston; four grandchildren; three great-grandchildren; several step-children. A daughter, Edna, died in 1973.

Pallbearers were Jake Turnbor, Homer Hodge Jr., Carson Easterly, Gary Blake, E. E. Vaughan, and Wayne Roberts.



estate." Henry David Thoreau

Honor Roll

The following students of Winters High School were included on the honor roll for the third six weeks period of the 1976-77 school year:

ALL A's

Malcolm Bredemeyer, Cathey Colburn, Cheryl Colburn, Craig Gehrels, Kevin Hall, Cheryl Woods, Cheryl Bahlman, Prissy Black, Phillip Colburn, Linda Cooper, Mike Davis, Chris Esquivel, Paul Hudson, Karen Mostad, Jeff Russell, Teri Bentley, Reggie Boles, Fran Hoppe, Debra Austin, Bill Bredemeyer, Tommy Chambliss, James Fairey, Susan Grenwelge, Susan Lisso, Walker.

ONE B THE REST A's

Donna Carroll. Marvin Moore, Doug Rogers, Tye Rougas, Terry Sneed, Christy Spraberry, Kathy Walker, Susan Williams, James Bentley, Susan Bentley, Douglas Cooper, John Eubank, Daune Geistmann, Melinda Hill, John Hurt, Carey Jobe, Leroy Jones, Gary Lett, Yolando Rubio, Martin Underwood, Kay Black, Patti Bomar, Randy Drake, Terry Gerhart, Michele Miller, Deborah Porter, Judy Sneed,

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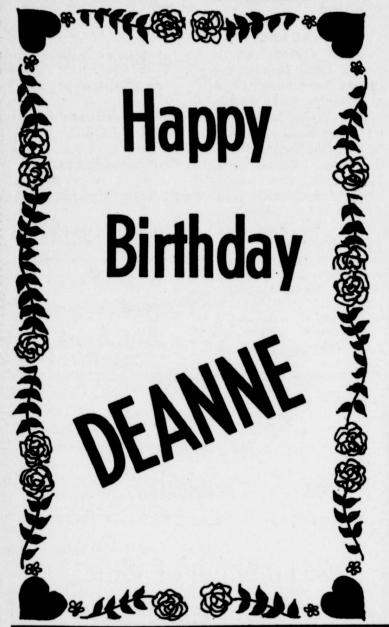
Dale Sewing Club Meeting

The Dale Sewing Club met Tuesday afternoon in the home of Mrs. Carl Baldwin. Quilting was done and the club quilt was pieced.

Meetings were planned for the year.

Present were Mesdames Carl Baldwin, Lloyd Compton, Clarence Hambright, Bill Mayo, I. W. Rogers, Herman Spill, Marvin Traylor, Jack Whittenberg, Ralph McWilliams, Verge Fisher, Thad Traylor, Oliver Wood, Quincy Traylor and Alvis Waldrop.

The next meeting will be January 25 in the home of Mrs. Herman Spill.



Elementary, **Junior High Honor Roll**

The following students of Winters Elementary and Junior High Schools made an average of 90 or above on all subjects for the third sixweeks period of the 1976-77 school year. George M. Beard, principal, announced.

FOURTH GRADE Melinda Kvapil, Marie Fisher, Yvonne Burson, Michael Lee, Tammy Mur-

FIFTH GRADE

Bill Wheat, Tonya Deck, Wetsel, Rhonda Wheeler, Scott Lancaster, Misty Bates, Marianne Mostad, Ketta Walker.

Shower Saturday Mrs. J. B. Guy Jr., was

Pink and Blue

honored with a pink and blue shower Saturday in the home of Mrs. Butch Bundas, Wingate.

Guests were served from a table laid in lace and accented with pink, blue and yellow. Crystal and silver appointments and an ivv centerpiece completed the table decorations.

Hostesses for the occasion were Mesdames Gary Blake, Raymond Lindsey, Leon Hilliard, Bob Lindsey, Butch Bundas, Adam Lopez, Neal Brown and Jim Hatler.

SIXTH GRADE

Tina Merrill, Debbie Stubblefield, Deonn Deaton, Christi Porter.

SEVENTH GRADE Tawnya Murray, Debra Lanter, Mike Wetsel, Brent

Lancaster, Angela Black. **EIGHTH GRADE** Neva Lewis, Melody Mur-

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BRUCELLOSIS HEARING

SET FOR JAN. 20

Several additional require-

by the Texas Animal

ments aimed at controlling

brucellosis are being propos-

Health Commission (TAHC).

A statewide hearing on the

proposals will be held Jan. 20

beginning at 9 a.m. in the

Sam Houston State Office

Building in Austin, announc-

es Parker, county agent with

the Texas Agricultural Ex-

The requirements are

being proposed to aid in the

prevention of introducing

brucellosis into Texas by

exposed cattle from other

1. A permit prior to entry

is required from the TAHC

states and are as follows:

tension Service.

months or older and all beef

cattle 12 months or older, excluding steers and spayed heifers and official brucellosis vaccinates under 20 months for dairy and 24 months for beef breeds from herds not known to be infected, must be brucellosis tested negative within 30 days prior to entry, placed under quarantine, and subjected to another test at the owner's expense within 15 days after arrival at a destination in Texas, except

in the following cases: -Cattle consigned for sale to approved livestock markets may enter the state without test, quarantined upon arrival at the market, and then if sold for breeding purposes be brucellosis tested; if sold for feeding or slaughter, they are required to be "S" branded only on the left jaw or tail head.

-"S" branded cattle of unknown status require no permit for movement to approved quarantine feedlots or slaughter.

-Cattle consigned directly to an approved feedlot must have a permit of entry; such cattle are required to be "S" 2. All dairy cattle six branded on the left jaw or tail head prior to entry or on arrival.

-An entry permit will be required of breeding cattle being consigned directly to a premise.

Parker invites all interested cattlemen to attend the open hearings on these proposed brucellosis requirements.

Missionary To Speak At First **Baptist Church**

Mrs. Dale Carter, the former Sue Worthington, missionary to Brazil, will be guest speaker at the First Baptist Church, Wednesday, January 26, at 7:30 p.m.

A reception will follow. The public is invited.

is true and correct, to the best of my knowledge and belief.

Bobby Airhart

Edna Ruth Self

Pat Pritchard

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Flanagan Received **Grazing Award**

"I have more grass this year and run more livestock than ever before", says Clyde Flanagan, Runnels County Rancher.

This year Flanagan was chosen by the Texas Section of the Society for Range Management to receive an Excellence in Grazing A-

A former participant in the Great Plains Conservation Program which is administrated by the Soil Conservation Service. Flanagan has made many improvements on his ranch including range seeding, brush control, crossfencing, pasture planting and development of watering facili-

Following development Flanagan decided that further improvements could be made by improved grazing techniques.

"I experimented with several grazing systems until one developed, base on the high intensity, low frequency system which met my needs" said Flanagan. He breaks the system when lambing, kidding or calving season begins or in using Cropland Grazing. Following completion of this period he then returns to the planned system as

Flanagan has also speeded up his rotation due to livestock behavior. Livestock will tell you when they are ready for a move says Flanagan, they will begin to group and stir around.

Wildlife habitat has also been improved on the ranch. "I have seen more quail and dove than before" said Flanagan. Hunters enjoyed a good harvest and game bird body condition was improv-

LUNCHROOM MENU

Monday January 24 Meat patties with onion gravy (by choice), cream potatoes, green beans, apple sauce in cups, chocolate chip cookies, hot rolls with butter on top, milk or chocolate milk.

Tuesday January 25 Fried fish fillets, tartar sauce, savory rice, apple

Although it has taken several years to develop the ranch, Flanagan is certain there is further room for improvement by continuing use of conservation prac-

rings, dill pickles, creamed cole slaw, doughnuts, corn muffins, milk or chocolate milk.

Wednesday January 26 Fried chicken, cream gravy (by choice), whipped potatoes, green beans, tossed salad, cake, hot rolls with butter on top, milk or chocolate milk.

Thursday January 27 Hamburger or combination sandwiches, French fries, catsup in cups, sliced peaches, beans, chocolate cake.

Friday January 28

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Read what the pros have to say.

Avoid sudden braking or steer-A Avoid sudden braking of seed trigger a skid. Let up on the gas and keep the steering wheel as steady as possible to maintain maximum

QWhat if a car does begin skidding?

A Don't slam on the brakes, that only makes a skid worse. Let up on the gas and steer into the skid until you regain control. Don't panic or over-correct; skids can be

QDoesn't this technique conflict with our automatic responses?

We do have a tendency to hit Athe brakes in an emergency. This is often the worst thing to do, especially in winter driving situations. Anticipating dangers and skillful steering will get you out of most hazards. It's a good idea to build confidence through practice. Find an empty parking lot on an icy day, and explore how steering into a skid feels and works.

What is "hydroplaning?"

A You are driving at 50-55 mph on a rainy day when suddenly your car feels like it is floating. This happens because even with tire tread good enough to pass state inspection, at the right speed on a wet roadway your tires can release the road surface and begin running on the thin skim of water coating the highway.

What can be done about it?

Act up on the gas and slow down. Hydroplaning is a com-bination of speed and a wet surface. By diminishing speed, your tires will regain contact with the road.

What can I do to improve bad weather visibility?

A Freezing conditions can make windshield wiper blades hard and brittle. Check them regularly, especially in the winter.

What about my lights?

AUse them, even if it is daytime, in bad weather. Make sure other drivers can see you. For the same reason, be generous in signaling. Texas law requires you to signal even when changing lanes.

What about those icy bridges in Texas?

How do I avoid being blinded by my own headlights in bad hypnosis?"

A Avoid sudden braking or steer.

reflect off precipitation to actually reduce visibility. And be careful not to overdrive your headlights.

QAny other winter driving pointers?

A Remember that carbon mon-oxide, a deadly gas, can build up inside a closed vehicle. Open a window occasionally to ventilate

QWhat is the importance of "speed differential?"

A Minimizing the difference in speed between cars helps reduce potential conflicts. In highway driving, the safest technique is to keep a proper interval and "go

Qust what is the right interval between cars?

A The easiest rule of thumb is to allow at least two seconds between you and the car ahead. Count it off as the vehicle passes a fixed object. Of course, in bad weather you should lengthen the interval.

What about safety belts? Do they really make a difference?

A Safety belts are especially important when confronting the hazards of winter driving. In an accident they keep you from being thrown from the car, thus increasing your chances of survival five-

QHow much drinking does it take to affect driving?

A Under Texas law, you are pre-sumed to be a drunken driver if your blood alcohol level is above 10. A 120-pound woman enjoying two mixed drinks in an hour probably has a blood alcohol concentra-

How often should I take a break while driving?

A Every two hours. Texas has an excellent system of rest stops. Don't become glued to the steering wheel in a battle with the clock. Relaxing for 15 minutes, even trading drivers if possible, makes the trip safer and more pleasant.

A Rely on your low beams in fog, snow and rain. High beams of you. Keep your eves moving Glance at your mirrors. Check what is going on down the highway in the distance. You can often see trouble developing a long way off.

QWhat is a major cause of accidents on holiday trips?

A Lack of preparation. Holiday drivers frequently start off on trips of 500 miles or more under the worst conditions possible.

Could you explain?

A Here is a typical example. The family stays up late the night before packing. Then one or both parents rush home after working all day to gulp down a meal, load the car and take off into the night. What professional driver would want to risk his life on the highway under those conditions?

What is a safer alternative?

A Don't take the trip for granted; plan adequately. Calculate how long it will take to get there and back, and then add in extra time for bad weather or other delays.

Any other special advice for families traveling during the holidays?

A Make sure your children have something to occupy their time so they do not distract the driver. A good technique is to keep aside special toys, games and books for the kids to use only in the car.

How about "backseat driving?"

A Take advantage of it on your next trip. Even if your companion does not drive, think of him or her as copilot and navigator. Two pairs of eyes can see more driving hazards than one, especially at night. Adequate maps and a guidebook to sights along the way can breathe life into what otherwise might be a humdrum holiday



Texas Office of Traffic Safety

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day of January

Sweetpotatoes Can Brighten Any Meal

You can brighten your outlook and warm your tummy in the cold grey of winter by planning a meal around colorful, nutritious and so highly menuable sweetpotatoes. You'll find them unusually abundant in many markets this month, according to the U.S. Department of Agriculture.

Sweetpotatoes, often called yams, are so versatile they can be served as a main dish, as a vegetable or as a dessert. Fresh sweetpotatoes are available throughout the year but most of them show up at food markets from September through April. January and February find them at the peak of abundance and goodness.

And, you'll always find a good supply of canned sweetpotatoes in a wide variety of packs. Frozen sweetpotatoes are available, too, whole or in halves, baked, stuffed in a shell, sliced, fresh-cut, diced, mashed, and sometimes even formed into cakes.

You can be plain or fancy, take no time at all or as much as you like, when you cook sweetpotatoes. Try them boiled, baked, browned, fried or candied, or use them in pies, custards, cookies, cakes and even in ice cream.

Sweetpotato Puff is a dish that's well worth the effort to please the eye, tastebuds, and tummy on a cold winter

Sweetpotato Puff [6 servings, ²/₃ cup each] 2 cups mashed sweetpota-

3/4 cup hot milk 3 tablespoon butter or margarine

1/4 teaspoon salt

1/4 teaspoon allspice 1 tablespoon grated

orange rind 2 eggs, separated

Add milk, fat, salt, allspice, and orange rind to the sweetpotatoes. Mix well. Beat egg yolks and add to the mixture. Beat egg whites until still and fold the sweetpotato mixture into the whites. Place in baking dish and bake at 350 degrees F. for 45 minutes.

A dessert favored in many southern homes is a pudding made with grated raw sweetpotato. Using grated raw sweetpotatoes gives the pudding a distinctive texture, and with the other ingredients an unusually pleasing flavor. A recipe for this pudding, recommended by the Tennessee Agricultural

COW POKES

By Ace Reid



"Jake let's have a heart to heart talk now that I've got you pinned down!"

> **WESTERN AUTO** WES AND JUNE HAYS

Extension Service, calls for: 2 large sweetpotatoes

1/2 cup syrup or honey 2 eggs, beaten

1 teaspoon nutmeg 1/2 cup sugar

1 tablespoon butter 11/3 cups sweet milk 1/4 teaspoon salt

Peel and grate the sweetpotatoes. Add ingredients in order listed to the grated sweetpotatoes and mix thoroughly. Pour into buttered baking dish, and cook in a slow oven, 300 degrees, until done, or about an hour. If desired, this pudding may be served with a sauce, or with plain cream. Raisins and nuts may also be added.

From the Tennessee Agricultural Extension Service also comes a timely Sweetpotato-Pecan Pie recipe. It calls for:

11/2 cups boiled, mashed sweetpotatoes

1/2 cup brown sugar 1 teaspoon cinnamon

1 teaspoon ginger 1/4 teaspoon salt 11/2 cups scalded milk

2 well beaten eggs Combine these

dients, and when cool fill unbaked 9-inch pie shell. Bake in moderate oven, 350 degrees, until nearly set, or about 20 minutes. Then sprinkle with a mixture of 1/4 cup butter, 1/2 cup brown sugar, and 3/4 cup pecans. Continue baking until done, or about an additional 25

For dressing up sweetpotato dishes, especially those being prepared for holiday fare, here are a few extra twists that have become popular with many home-

Fluffy Sweets: Fold whipped cream into mashed sweetpotatoes and season with a dash of salt and a touch of nutmeg, cinnamon, or ginger.

Spicy Sweets: Add juice from pickled peaches or pples to mashed sweetpota-

Centers: Form balls of mashed seasoned sweetpotatoes around centers of raipineapple chunks. Roll in mashed cereal crumbs and refrigerate, or freeze if not ready to bake. When ready sheet until heated through about 20 minutes.

Historical Commission Reports To Runnels **County Commissioners**

grave marker located in the

On May 25, following the

commission meeting, a tour

was conducted of the Wal-

thall area in preparation for

restoration and marker de-

Another successful tour

was conducted of the Norton

and Marie areas on Sept. 26,

with more than 40 people

Files have been purchased

and are now located in the

County Judge's office. A

project of oral history and

interviews with older citi-

zens has been completed.

Files have also been pur-

chased for the Ballinger

Public Library for the pre-

servation of historical pa-

The Commission is repre-

sented on the staff of the

State Regional Depository of

historical papers at Angelo

State University. Copies of

Runnels County Confederate

pension applications are now

The Commission made

application to the State that

the Miles Opera House be

nominated as a historical

building to be placed on the

National Registry. The build-

ing has been accepted and

The Carnegie Library re-

storation is underway, this

building was placed on the

national registry last year

through the application of

Members have been very

active during this Bicenten-

nial year in their communi-

ties, and celebrations were

held in Miles, Rowena,

Several books were writ-

ten or edited by Ballinger

members. They include RU-

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NELS COUNTY PIONEERS

Winters and Ballinger.

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Annually, the Runnels County Historical Commission submits a formal report to the Runnels County Commissioners, detailing activities for the previous year. Following is the report submitted January 11, 1977:

Runnels County Historical Commission members gave a total of 21 speeches and programs in the county during the year of 1976.

Eight programs or speeches were presented out of county, several of these were in Abilene and one each at Hutton, Clyde and Coleman.

The Commission was represented at two out of county dedications, one of which was at Robert Lee.

Two markers at Content, Counts Cemetery Marker and Cotton Production in Runnels County, were dedicated in a ceremony attended by 90 people on July 25. Senator Grant Jones spoke at the Content townsite and refreshments were served. A tour of the area followed.

Junior Historians from the Ballinger schools were special guests. The society was organized this year under the sponsorship of the Historical Commission with Weldon Brevard as sponsor. This group will assist in restoring the Walthall Cemetery.

A Geneological Society was organized in the Winters High School with Mrs. Edward Bredemeyer as sponsor. This society published a book on PIONEERS IN RUNNELS COUNTY. Members of the Commission encouraged this work.

Forty students in the Winters High School entered a historical essay contest sponsored by the Commission and members provided the three awards. The best of these papers was filed in the City Library. Students Golden Balls with Surprise also recorded graves in the

Winters cemeteries. One Confederate grave marker was placed at the sins, nuts, marshmallows, or grave of Edward Bean Early, as the work of a commission

Two markers were secured and have arrived ready to serve, bake on greased for erection, one for the Walthall Cemetery and the Thomas Wadlington Cotton

WINGATE **NEWS**

Leila Harter is visiting in the home of her brother

Flossie Kirkland is spending a week or so in Irving in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Kirk Holder.

Mrs. J. W. Allen is a patient in the Winters hospital. She fell and bruised herself and is in some pain. Her daughter, Snooky, from Waco has been here to see her. The other children,

The Runnels County Commission received the Distinguished Service Award this News contest.

Winters members were active on the Bicentennial committee and one served as co-chairman. Others worked on the rebuilding of the bandstand. Five members serve on the Tourism Committee of the Chamber of Commerce and publish a monthly guide of activities in the town and county.

year for outstanding service during the annual historic preservation conference held at Galveston in November. Runnels was one of 49 counties receiving this award and has achieved this distinction every year but one since 1966.

In addition to many other activities, to achieve this award a Commission must contribute a minimum of \$100 to the Texas Historical Foundation. Usually much more than this is contributed each year by members through dues and memorials. Several years we have been quota busters by contribut-

Five members attended the conference at Galveston, sponsored by the Texas Historical Commission, also two landowners in the county who have been help-

The Runnels Historical and HISTORY OF ETHNIC Commission now has 28 CULTURE IN THE BALmembers. We were sadden-LINGER AREA. Members ed by the recent death of J. also worked on the Ballinger E. Blackwell of Miles. Mrs. Plaza which won first place Neuman Smith has been in the Abilene Reporternominated to take his place.

THE WINTERS ENTERPRISE, Winters, Texas, Thursday, Jan. 20, 1977 7 Oletha, Ruby and Cloy live

> David and Danny Smith, grandsons of Mrs. M. R. Smith of Pampa, have been here to see her and attended the anniversary of their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs.

Several of the Senior Citizen's went on a field trip to Abilene, Thursday, and report a wonderful time.

Mrs. Bessie Phillips mashed her fingers and she won't be able to quilt for a while.

Mr. and Mrs. Gilbert Smith have a little grandson. Marie and Bubba are the parents. His name is Shay. They live in Robert Lee.

Mrs. Pat Pritchard is a patient in Hendrick Hospital and is due to have surgery Wednesday the 19th.

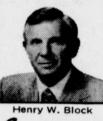
Darence Vick passed away Wednesday and burial was Friday in Winters. He has been living here a long time and will really be missed. Out of town friends for Darence Vick's funeral were Mr. and Mrs. Carl Vick and Perry, Hale Center; Juanita McIntyre, Mr. and Mrs.

Lonnie Smith and Tina, Houston; Mr. and Mrs. Doyle Grisham, A. N. McIntyre, Mrs. Johnny Winters, Mrs. Dean Holder, Mr. and Mrs. Neil Holder, Clive Pierce, Mr. and Mrs. A. G. Craver, Mr. and Mrs. Jessie Lawrance, Abilene; Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Davis, Sonora; Mr. and Mrs. Bob Mansell, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Carter, Nola Patterson, Mr. and Mrs.

Willis Richards, and others. Bob Brannon of Big Spring who has been with the State

Highway for 37 years, is retiring and they had a big celebration. Bob is married to the former Marie Dean of Wingate. All of the Deans from here and Abilene and the Brannons from Shep also the Selfs attended. The W. F. Matthews from San Angelo attended and several

Becky Dean is with St. John's Hospital part-time in Intensive Care work.



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Bloodmobile To Be In

Winters Feb. 3

A bloodmobile from the San Angelo sponsoring the project have expressed the hope that this trip to Winters by the mobile unit will receive a better At that time, it was stated, only one person showed up to donate blood.

Local hospital officials are remindblood center will be in Winters at the ing North Runnels residents of the Community Center, February 3, from increasing need for blood here. They 1 to 6 p.m., and local hospital sources said that 12.5 units per month were

used locally during the last year, and that 148 units have been used since audience than the most previous trip. March. They urged all who are eligible to donate blood make plans now to help in this project.

Volunteer Firemen Elected Officers At Meeting

J. A. Henderson was elected president of Winters Volunteer Firemen at the regular meeting of the group last week. Don Emmert was named vice president, and J. C. Hodnett, secretary-treasurer. Phil Harrison was elected recording secre-

Marvin Bedford, who has been fire chief for a number of years, was re-elected to that office.

Johnny C. Merrill was elected first assistant chief, and Jerry B. Whitlow, second assistant chief.

Captain of Company No. 1 will be Richard Hamilton, with Buddy Davis, assistant.

Bob Webb was named captain of Company No. 2, with Leonard Bowden, assistant.

Senior sponsor is Mrs. Jack Davis, and Junior sponsors, Tina Merrill, Karen Wetsel and Suzanne Spill. Mascots are Johnny Merrill and Steve Spill. Debbie Carey and Denise Hilliard were named sweethearts, and James Gehrels was elected chaplain of the department.

Named to the Firemen's Pension Board were David Carroll, one-year term; James E. Spill, two-year term; and Leon Hilliard, three-year term.

School District's Appeal May Save Taxpayers Money

mentioned address.

An appeal to the Governor's Office of Educational Resources by the Winters Independent School District to reduce property valuation in the district will probably save local taxpayers money in the future.

Superintendent of Schools Bill Graves said GOER agency had set

LEGAL

NOTICE

Notice is hereby given

that the City of Winters, a

Municipal Corporation of

Runnels County, Texas, will

receive sealed written bids

in the office of the City

Secretary at the City Hall.

310 South Main Street,

February, 1977 for bids on:

Hand operated embosser.

Specifications may be se-

cured in the office of the City

Secretary at the above

Fire-Life-

valuation total at \$76,799,000. On

behalf of the school district, Graves appealed the decision, and valuation was reduced to \$74,187,000. This means, Graves said, that future tax increases, if any, would be reduced substantially.

Wingate Bank Has **Increase In Deposits**

Deposits in the Wingate Security State Bank increased from \$2,372,466 as of Dec. 31, 1975, to \$2,888,000 Dec. 31, 1976, according to the bank's report of condition published this

Total assets rose from \$2,678,284, to \$3,170,000 for the period.

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Dec. 1976 1975 Difference

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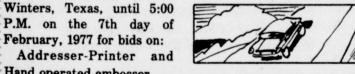
advantageous to the City of Winters. BIDS MARKED TO BE OPENED Monday, February 7, 1977 at 5:30 P.M. at City Hall, 310 S. Main Street, Winters, Texas 79567. 45-2tc.

The City of Winters re-

serves the right to reject any

or all bids and to award the

bid considered the most



If the weatherman forecasts snow, park your car downhill on slopes so you won't have 48.13.

Property

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What You Have

JNO. W. NOR MAN

Average temperature for December, 1976, was 46.27 degrees; for December, 1975. the average for 31 days was

Winters Fire **Fighters Busy** In the Country

Winters Volunteer Firemen were kept busier answering alarms in the surrounding rural areas than they were in town calls during 1976, according to a year-end report by Marvin Bedford, Winters Fire Chief.

Bedford said that firemen answered 29 calls in town during the year, and 37 in the rural areas.

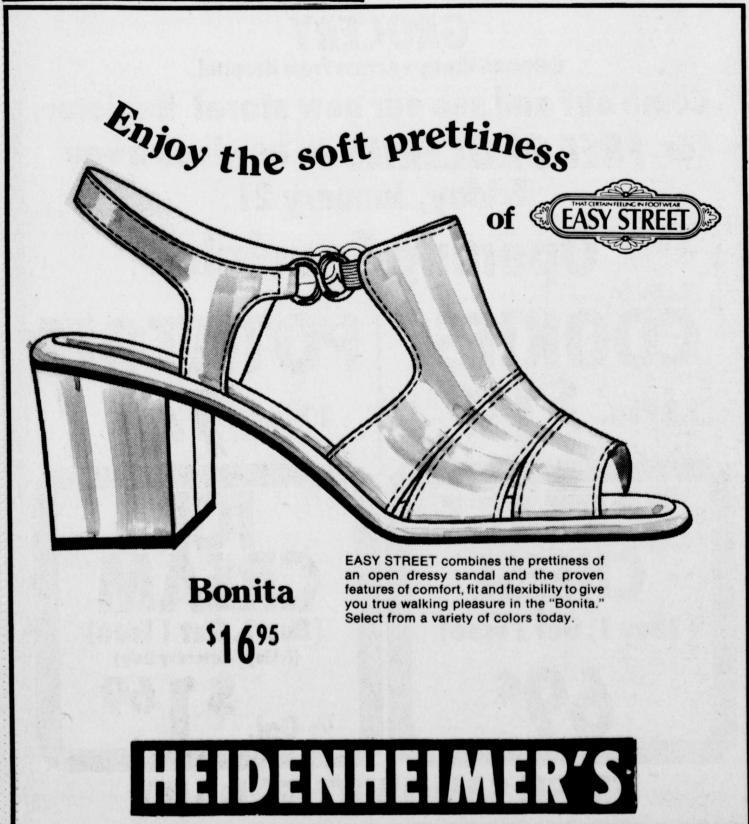
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1976: 1434.5÷31=46.27 avg. 1975: 1492.0÷31=48.13 avg. Avg. Temp for Dec. 1976= 48.13-46.27= -1.86 deg. F below Dec. 1975.

December '76 Colder

According to information recorded by the National Weather Service in San Angelo, and compiled and forwarded by West Texas Utilities Co., the average temperature for December, 1976, was 1.86 degrees F. below that for December,

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Lions Club Chili Supper Jan. 28

The annual Winters Lions Club Chili Supper has been scheduled for Friday, January 28, in the school cafeteria.

Tickets may be obtained from any member of the Winters Lions Club or at the



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FRIDAY JAN. 14

4:30 Funny Lady On Location: My-

ron Cohen 8:00 Big Bad Mama

9:30 Funny Lady SATURDAY JAN. 15

2:00 Lies Father Told

4:00 Up In The Air Paddle Ball

Championship 6:00 Lies Father Told

8:00 Lucky Luciano

Seven Beauties 10:00 **SUNDAY JAN. 16** Sherlock Holmes 2:00

Smarter Brother The Return of the Scarlet Pimpernel

Conduct Unbecoming

Sherlock Holmes Smarter Brother

Bette Midler 9:15 **MONDAY JAN. 17** Lone Wolf 4:30

In Celebration 5:15 Professional 7:30

Wrestling Big Bad Mama 10:00 **TUESDAY JAN. 18**

4:30 Who? 6:30 **NBA Basketball**

Next Stop, Greenwich Village 11:00 On Location: Hen-

ny Youngman **WEDNESDAY JAN. 19** 4:30 The Return of the

Scarlet Pimpernel The Tamarind Seed The Seventh Seal

The Tamarind 10:00 Seed THURSDAY JAN. 20

Up In The Air 4:30 Sherlock Holmes' **Smarter Brother** Big Bad Mama Sherlock Holmes'

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Motorists To Receive Registration Notices

tering their motor vehicles for fiscal 1977 on Feb. 1. Registration renewal notices. will be in the mail soon.

Some vehicle registration renewal notices will arrive a little later this year. Usually they are mailed immediately after Christmas to facilitate postal distribution.

However, this year, inmates at the State Department of Corrections prison facilities at Huntsville are sorting by zip code all of the approximately 10 million renewal notices.

The State Department of Highways and Public Transportation will save approximately \$50,000 in postage discounts for performing this service, which is contracted by the prison system.

The 1977 stickers will have a solid red background with white year figures and state name. The sticker serial number will be printed in blue in the upper right-hand

corner. Fiscal 1976 stickers had a blue background, white figures and red serial numbers in furtherance of the Bicentennial theme which will be

continued in 1977. Robert W. (Bob) Townsley, director of DHT's Motor Vehicle Division, said he anticipates less motorist confusion in affixing 1977 stickers to the metal license

plates. DHT first issued multiyear metal license plates in fiscal 1975. Last year was the first for attaching annual stickers to the metal plates.

"Although most motorists followed instructions and experienced no problems, others failed to read the instructions for affixing the stickers with-sometimeslaughable results." Townsley commented.

The 1977 stickers will be applied to the depressed area in the upper right-hand corner of the REAR metal license plate. Townsley explained. The 1976 sticker should remain in its present location-the upper left-hand corner of the rear license

Inmates of the Wynne Unit industrial plant at Huntsville make license plates, print stickers and prepare record-keeping ma-

Texans will begin regis- terials for DHT and county tax assessors-collectors who are responsible for actual registration processes.

> As previously, mail registrations will be accepted from vehicle owners for an additional fee between Feb. 1 and March 1. Motorists who wish to register their vehicles in person can save time, energy and frustration by visiting county tax offices as soon as possible after Feb. 1. Deadline for having the stickers affixed is midnight April 1.

Above all, avoid lengthy registration lines by not waiting until the last minute to obtain 1977 stickers. Said Townsley: "Motorists can ease the pain by heeding the Christmas warnings-shop early!"

Beginning in 1978 the State Department of Highways and Public Transportation will initiate a yearround licensing system with some registrations expiring each month thereafter.

This will mark demise of the half-century-old, 60-day registration periods and onedate deadlines for acquiring and affixing new stickers without penalty.

Sub Deb Club **Meeting Monday**

The Sub Deb Club met Monday evening in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Davis, with Rhonda Davis serving as hostess.

Ideas for community service projects were discussed.

Present were Debbie Carey, Susan Lisso, Debbie Austin, Becky McAnally, Rhonda Davis and the sponsor, Cindy Hatler.

Aliens Must Register In January

Joe F. Staley of the San Antonio Immigration and Naturalization Service has again reminded all aliens to report their addresses during January.

Cards with which to make the reports are available at Post Offices and offices of the Immigration and Naturalization Service throughout the country. The reports must have a 13 cent stamp affixed to the card.

Parents or guardians are required to submit reports for alien children under 14 years of age.

Mr. Joe F. Staley urges all aliens to report before the end of January, as willful failure to do so may lead to serious penalties.



Mr. and Mrs. Paul Luck of Houston announce the birth of a baby girl, April Nicole. She was born Jan. 15, 1977 in Houston. She weighed 5 pounds 3 ounces.

Maternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Billy Burton of Abilene and her great-grand-

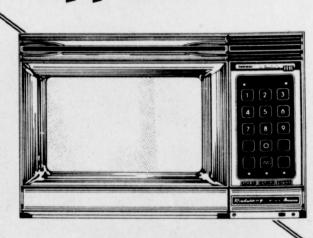
parents are Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Burton of Winters. She has one sister, Shon Marie.

11/2. Mrs. Luck is the former Vivian Burton and attended Winters schools.



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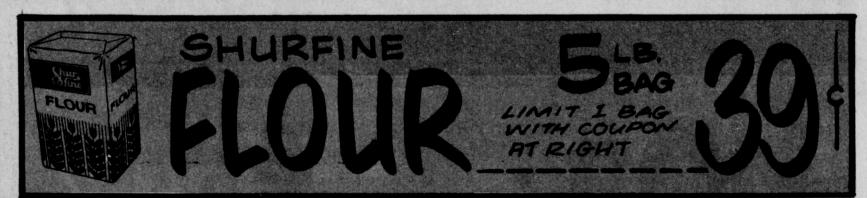
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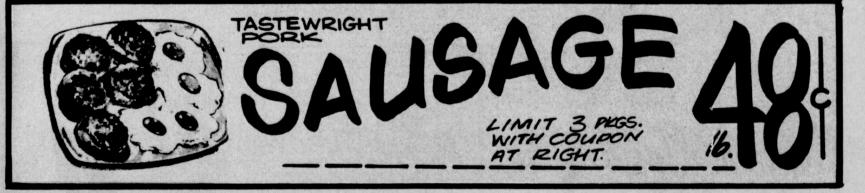
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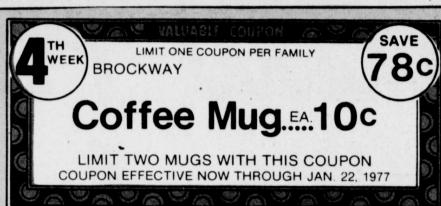


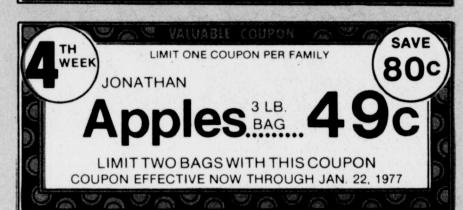




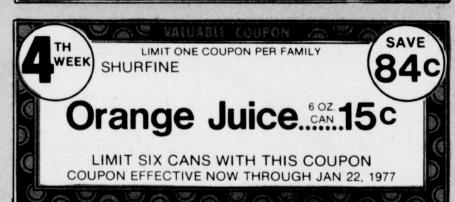


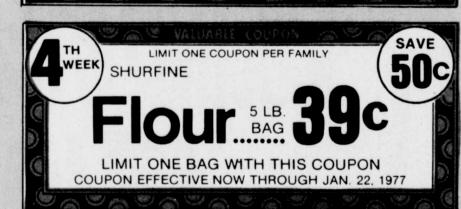


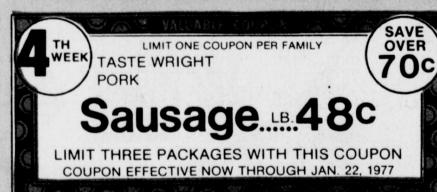












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