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County Faces Loss of Ambulance Service

Unless the Runnels County Commissioners' Court takes some kind of action, or some other local governmental entity steps in to assume responsibility, the whole of Runnels County stands to be without any type of ambulance service, emergency or otherwise, after June 1.

Two funeral homes in the county, who have been operating ambulance service, have formally announced that they will discontinue offering ambulance service effective June 1, 1977.

Spokesmen for the two funeral homes, Ted Meyer of Spill Funeral Home of Winters and Darrell Rains of Davis-Rains-Seale Funeral Home of Ballinger, met with the Commissioners' Court Tuesday morning and announced plans to discontinue ambulance service June 1. In a prepared statement, the funeral home representatives told the Court, "Due to past regulations and forthcoming rules set forth by the Federal Wage and Hour Board, and the increased personnel training being requested by regional Councils of Government (in compliance with State and Federal rules), along with the necessary updating of our emergency equipment and ambulances, we find that it has become necessary for the funeral homes of Runnels County, Spill Funeral Home of Winters and Davis-Rains-Seale Funeral Home of Ballinger, to discontinue offering ambulance service effective June 1, 1977."

It was recommended that the County assume responsibility for ambulance service for the people of the county, in one of several ways: Assign the ambulances to the two hospitals in the county, with the County to assist in financing the program; turn the service over to volunteer fire departments, with the County assuming financial responsibility; organize a volunteer ambulance service outside the hospitals and fire departments.

Ted Meyer of Spill Funeral Home of Winters told the commissioners they would "waste time expecting private companies to provide ambulance service," because of the requirements and huge expense, and low income. He said his company has been realizing a loss of up to \$10,000 per year providing ambulance service for the people of Winters and the area.

The announcement and proposals practically laid the problem of ambulance service in the laps of the Commissioners' Court, according to observers.

Reaction by the four County Commissioners was immediate and wary. They indicated that they recognized the problem, and also that they had a responsibility to at least study the situation. Commissioner Charles Bradshaw pointed out that it had been known for some time that the ambulance service problem eventually would be handed to the county to solve, but that nothing had been done. "We owe it to the people" of the county to do all that can be done to provide ambulance service.

Commissioner David Carroll said that the County "must protect and serve the people." Commissioners Pat Pritchard and Sallings expressed the same viewpoint.

Runnels County Judge John Purifoy said he thought "the funeral homes are just passing the buck to the County," and to expect the County to assume the responsibility was just "a bunch of foolishness."

Ted Meyer recommended that some type of cooperative effort between the county and the hospitals be explored. He said that if the ambulance service could be operated in conjunction with the hospitals, trained personnel already associated with the hospitals would be available, in addition to

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New Books At Public Library

Kathy Bredemeyer, librarian at the Winters Public Library, reports purchase of several new books for local readers.

Among the new books on the shelves are Golden Unicorn, Norma, Woman's Day Book of House Plants, Grass Is Always Greener, and Condominium.

Miss Bredemeyer said new books



AT COURT MEETING-Darrell Rains of Ballinger, and Ted Meyer of Winters, right, met with Runnels

VFW, Auxiliary Officers Named For New Year

Officers for Winters Post 9193,

County Commissioners Tuesday morning and announced plans made by their respective companies to discontinue ambulance service, effective June 1.

History Group To Tour

The August Havalak farm will be the last stop on a tour of the Spring Hill Community four miles southwest of Ballinger leaving the courthouse Sunday April 17 at 2 p.m. where a number of bird houses made by Mr. Havalak are still on display. The blacksmith shop has an old world look with its many tools brought from Czechoslavokia more than one hundred years ago. Wheeless was the earliest citizen to come to the Spring Hill area. Among the next settlers were the Clampits, Allisons, Sanduskys and the August Vogelsang family.

MonthsAway

RR Decision

It will be about the middle of June before a decision is made on the application by Missouri Pacific Railroad to abandon the rail line of Abilene Southern Railway from Winters to Abilene. And after that, it probably will be many months before a final decision is made, it was learned this week.

Following the Winters hearings in mid-February, the applicants and protestants were given six weeks in which to submit written briefs to the Administrative Law Judge representing the Interstate Commerce Commission. Judge Robert Joyner was the presiding Law Judge for the hearing. The written briefs were submitted to the ICC April 4, it was understood, and it was learned that a decision would be announced within 120 days from that date.

Following announcement of the decision, expected in mid-June, both applicants and protestants will have opportunity for appeal, which will likely be the case, sources said.

The railroad company had applied

for permission to abandon 39 miles of track from Winters to Abilene, and in later applications, applied for permission to operate 7.31 miles of the track which lies within an industrial area in Abilene.

The first session of the hearing on the application for abandonment was held last December, and then continued until February 15.

In arguments during the two sessions of the public hearing, the railroad claimed losses of \$25,198 in 1974, \$46,737 in 1976, and earnings of \$1,481 during the first six months of 1976.

Protestants in the case, in summary, stated that one local shipper, Alderman-Cave Milling & Grain Co., has increased usage during the past three years; agricultural producers in the area would suffer serious economic loss if the railroad were abandoned; the Abilene & Southern Railway had lost substantial outbound tonnage of wheat and milo due to its failure to provide cars for loading at harvest time; and had lost tonnage by refusal to handle jumbo hopper cars. for the children's summer reading program have been ordered.

Recent donations to the library fund include \$50 by the Winters Young Homemakers.

Recent memorials have been in memory of:

-L. M. Gossett, by Mr. and Mrs. Weldon Brown.

-Earl Hutchinson, by Mr. and Mrs. Weldon B. Middleton.

Senior Class Play Scheduled Friday

The Winters High School senior class will present the senior play Friday, April 22, at 7:30 p.m. in the high school auditorium.

This year's play, "January Thaw," will be a three-act comedy.

Cast will include Karen Krause, Kevin Marks, Susan Williams, Debbie Carey, Cindy Pumphrey, Becky De-LaCruz, Darrell Kurtz, Tye Rougas, Cathy Colburn, Randy Davis, Craig Gehrels, Mike Dry, Malcolm Bredemeyer. Mrs. Mary Louise Bauer is director.

Tickets may be purchased at the door or from members of the senior class.



PAINTERS—City Hall employees took it upon themselves to do the work of redecorating the business offices last week. When the photographer arrived, this "crew" had about completed the job of painting the walls, but willingly struck a pose for the camera. On the left, with the paint roller, is Mrs. E. Z. Moore. On the ladder with the brush is Mrs. Walker Tatum, while Mrs. Alan Hart holds the paint pan. On the right is City Secretary Buford Baldwin, apparently points out a spot missed by the painters. Veterans of Foreign Wars, and for the VFW Auxiliary, have been elected for the new organization year.

Officers will be installed on the second Monday in May at the VFW Post Home

Post Home. Also, a contribution of \$200 was

VFW OFFICERS

VFW.

made to the Elby Miller Fund by the

Officers of the local VFW post will be:

Donald A. Hart, commander; M. L. Guy, senior vice commander; Carl A. Olson, junior vice commander. Quartermaster will be R. C. Kurtz Jr., and James W. Mays Jr., will be chaplain. No. 1 trustee will be Ronnie Bethel, and E. J. Bishop and Alvis T. Jobe, trustees No. 2 and 3.

Ted Meyer was named service officer. Meyer is outgoing commander of the local VFW post.

AUXILIARY OFFICERS

Officers of the Winters VFW Auxiliary are:

Nell Colburn, president; LaDola Bates, senior vice president; and Wanda Guy, junior vice commander. Linda Bethel will be conductress, and Linda Oats, guard. Chaplain will be Ellen Meyer, Theresa Hart, secretary and treasurer. Wanda Guy, Brenda Pounds, and Loyal Lewis were named trustees. Helen Henderson is historian and Shirley Denton, instructor.

Driver Ed. Classes

Begin This Week

About 70 Winters High School students began Monday on six weeks of classroom study in driver education, and will take actual behind-the-wheel driving instruction following the close of school in the summer.

Eddie Knight and Clifton Poe, members of the Winters school faculty, are instructors in the driver ed course. Each student taking the course will take written tests about the end of the school year before the actual driving begins.

Cost of the course is \$35 per student.

Two classes are enrolled in the course, with one group in class in the morning before school time, and another in the afternoon after the close of school for the day.

Another class will begin classroom work at the end of the school year, with instruction to last into the summer months.

A mobile classroom, furnished by the Education Service Center, Region 15, of San Angelo, will be used in the driver ed course. Sunday riprir it at 2 p.m.

Sponsored by the Runnels County Historical Commission, the tour will be led by Neuman Smith and Arnold Allcorn. All those interested in history are invited to attend.

Historic spots to be visited are an old Spring Hill farm, the W. C. "Boss" Wheeless barn and the Havalak farm

Elby Miller Fund **\$2651**

The special Elby Miller Fund, being raised to assist Mr. and Mrs. Elby Miller following a big loss at their home due to fire two weeks ago, has grown to \$2651.89.

Those wishing to contribute to this fund may leave checks or cash at The Winters State Bank, The Enterprise office, or at Bishop & Sons Dirt Contractors.

Drug Co., Winters, recently received

recognition from the State Pharma-

ceutical Board, and received a

certificate for 50 years' service as a

Smith graduated from the Baylor

University School of Pharmacy in

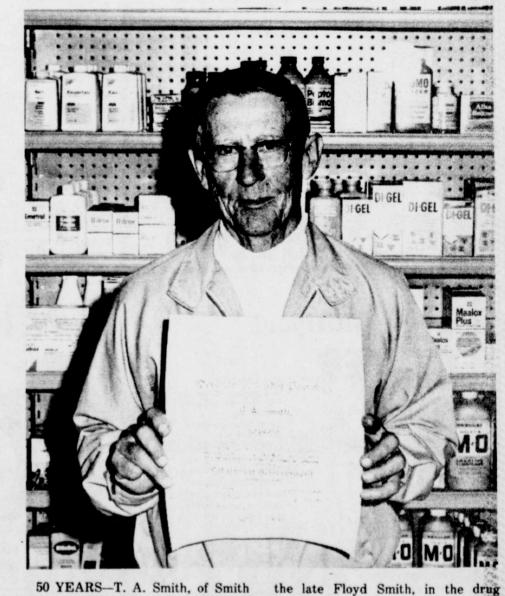
Dallas in 1927. He joined his brother,

pharmacist.

The first Spring Hill school was built in 1904 on the Vogelsang farm adjoining the Wheeless farm. These and many more historic facts will be related on the tour.

ABCD Tourney At C-Club Sunday, 17th

An ABCD golf tournament is scheduled at the Winters Country Club Sunday, April 17. Tee off time will be 1 p.m. for 18 holes of golf.



the late Floyd Smith, in the drug business in Winters in 1927. He then worked in Dallas about a year, and at Sonora about a year. Following a period in Brownwood, he returned to Winters in 1931, where he has since practiced pharmacy in the Smith Drug. Smith Drug has been in Winters since 1925.



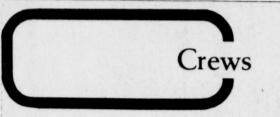


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Early to bed and early to rise makes a man healthy, wealthy, and apt to get his own breakfast.

There was a good crowd at the Crews Cemetery clean up day Saturday. Joe Sheldon was elected president; Chester McBeth, vice president; Fred Damron, treasurer. There was mention of buying a riding lawn mower.

Congratulations to Mr. and Mrs. J. A. (Quincy) Traylor on their 50th anniversary on Sunday in Winters. The Traylors were one time Crews residents.

Hazel Dietz received word that his brother, Woodrow Dietz in Louisiana was involved in a car wreck and is in the Buras Hospital.

W.M.U. Ladies of Hopewell Church are having their regular meeting Monday in the home of Mrs. Jerry Kraatz.

Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Kraatz had these folks for Easter dinner and egg hunt on Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. Robert Kraatz Sr.; Mr. and Mrs. Malcolm Davis and Darla, Ballinger; Mr. and Mrs. Donnie Whittenburg, San Angelo; Mr. and Mrs. alewicz, Oplin; Mr. and Mrs. Lucus Wood, Debra and Lisa, Ballinger.

Mr. and Mrs. Calvin Hoppe and daughters were in Ballinger to visit the J. M. Pyburns Saturday night. Mrs. Cora Petrie and Mrs. Cecil Hambright were in San Antonio to attend the funeral of her cousin, Wesley W. ley Brandon, once a resident of the Eagle Branch Community. While there they were Ben.

at a birthday party for her granddaughters, Melinda Sommerville, 5th birthday. Easter dinner and weekend guests in the Marion Wood home were Mr. and Mrs. Don Minzey and Darla

of Big Spring, Mr. and Mrs. Maloey Bryant, Doug and Robert of Pearsall, Mr. and Mrs. Larry Calcote and Jim of Snyder and Mrs. Katie Bodine of Fort Worth. Spending Easter Sunday

with the Raymond Kurtzs were their children Mr. and Mrs. Bill Villers, Jim and Peggy of San Angelo, Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Kurtz, Randall and Darrell of Winters.

Gerhart and family, Mr. and

Mrs. Lillie Dietz and Judy

Brandy and Misty of Miles; Easter dinner guests in Miss Selma Osborne and the Wilmer Gerhart home were Mr. and Mrs. Marvin

Home for Easter were the

children of Mr. and Mrs.

Boyd Grissom. Mr. and Mrs.

Hazel Dietzs.

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Easter Sunday with the fry was enjoyed by Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Martin of San Angelo, Mr. and Mrs. Buck With Mrs. Effie Dietz Campbell of Abilene, Miss during the week were Mr. Bonnie Clark of Ballinger. and Mrs. Gaston Ernst, Adrianna and Elissa of San

Mr. and Mrs. Norvell Alexander, Sherill Alexander and Dabby attended the races in Brady Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. Sherill Alexander. the Norvell Alexanders. were weekend guests with

Bill Grissom and sons of the Novell Alexanders. Hamlin; Mr. and Mrs. Steve Mr. and Mrs. Allen Bishop Grissom and Stephanie of and sons spent Easter Sun-Fort Worth; Mr. and Mrs.

day in Ballinger with the Von Byrd and Jennifer of Willie Johnson family. O-Abilene; Mr. and Mrs. John thers included Mr. and Mrs. Sims and daughters of Thomas Curry, Sandee and Winters; Mrs. Kathryn Windy, Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Thomas and son Max of Fort Criswell, John and Jay, Mr. During the week in the A. and Mrs. Herman Curry of Norton. Mrs. Bishop attend-S. Allcorn home were Mrs. Ada Hale of Glen Cove; Miss ed the 3rd Avenue Baptist Willie Hale of Ballinger; Mr. Church in Ballinger where she heard some of her school and Mrs. Flay Brevard; Mr. and Mrs. Marshall Belcher of day chums sing, who use to Ballinger; Mr. and Mrs. be in her Sunday Beam class. Also Sunday afternoon the Arnold Allcorn; Mrs. Alta

Bishops visited the sick Mrs. Hale and Mrs. Amber Fuller. Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Bre-Ethel Bishop and Mary and the Walter Gerharts. vard had these visitors Mr. Weekend with the N. L. and Mrs. Rube Whittley and Faubions were Mr. and Mrs. Mrs. Billie Ruth, Mr. and

Mike Prater of San Angelo, Mrs. Paul Campbell and son David of Odessa, Mr. and Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Faubion Mrs. H. P. Morrison of San of Ballinger, Mr. and Mrs. Antonio, Mrs. Alice Whitt-Rodney Faubion and sons, Mrs. Jimmy McAden and daughters. Mr. and Mrs. Cooper returned home after a few days at Big Buford Goode of Levelland spent one night last week

with the Faubions. Easter dinner guests in Congratulations to Mrs. the Earl Cooper home Sun-Boyd Grissom for being day were Mr. and Mrs. chosen "Queen for the Richard Chambliss, Doddie Week" on KRUN this week. and Jina of Hawley, Mr. and Weekend with the Walter Mrs. Korbert Cooper of Jacobs were Brenda and Winters and Paul Spealer of Beverly Jacob of San Ange-Mr. and Mrs. Joe With the Marvin Hamlo. Busnsenlehner and sons, Jobrights during the week die and Justin of Olphin. On were Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Sunday they joined these Allcorn; Mr. and Mrs. Bennie folks in the home of Mr. and Hambright, James and Mark of Bronte; Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Mrs. Andrew Michaelwicz. Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Jacob Hambright, Brandon and Tony: Mr. and Mrs. George and family, Mr. and Mrs. Lange; Mr. and Mrs. Dennis Cecil Halfmann of St. Lawrence, Mr. and Mrs. James Lange and son of Beeville; Mr. and Mrs. Aubrey Fau-Malinchek and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Bernie Michalebion, Cliff and Donna of wica, Mr. and Mrs. Don Ballinger; Mrs. Cecil Tucker,

Toilet Training

Toilet training-a parental task dreaded by some and started too early by otherscan cause family tension that could be avoided by help. patience and understanding, a family education specialist savs.

"Problems are especially prone to occur when parents expect too much too soon of their youngsters.

"Children are not little adults-it takes time and maturity of certain muscles and their nervous system before children can gain control over their bowels or bladder," Mrs. Ilene Miller explains. "To lighten the task of

toilet training, two don'ts are recommended: don't start toilet training your child too soon, and don't take 'successes' or 'failures' too seriously. "Instead, remain as relax-

ed and understanding as possible.

"Toilet training is another normal and important step in a youngster's development. He needs his parents' help and patience," she said.

Mrs. Miller is with the Texas Agricultural Extension Service, The Texas A&M University System. Age Two for 'Starters'

Toilet training generally should not be attempted before a child's second birthday, the specialist said. By age two, the child can walk by himself, has developed some regularity in bowel movements and can communicate his need to go to the toilet.

Child-Size Equipment Best To facilitate toilet training, use child-size equipment. A potty chair lets the child

get on and off by himself and it lets a youngster's feet rest firmly on the floor.

> If you plan to use a potty seat which fastens to a standard size toilet, provide a stool so the child will be

Training Pants 'N Praise Help

Allowing a child to wear training pants rather than diapers encourages him to help himself. It is much easier to get one's training pants on and off when going to the bathroom.

Consistently praising the child for his successes and ignoring his failures promotes success, too, Mrs. Miller said.

Be accepting of an "accident." No matter how hard a child tries, there will be times when he will wet or dirty his clothing. Wet pants are likely to occur if a youngster gets excited, tired, ill or is overly engrossed in play, she explained.

"also, help your youngster clean up after accidents rather than scolding or punishing him. Constantly shaming a child for wetting or dirtying himself will only make him feel inadequate and guilty.

"It will take time, muscle growth and practice before a child is completely toilet trained," the specialist added.

CARD OF THANKS

We would like to express our thanks to everyone for their many gifts and prayers during out time of misfortune and sorrow. A special thanks to Ted Meyer and Dr. Rives and to Larry and Mona White for letting us stay in their home. We have received many anonymous gifts of money, clothes, food, and linens and would like to say thank you to everyone who sent these. God bless everyone who has helped us during this trying time. -The loved ones of Leonard

H. Alger and the Elby Miller

family.

Encourage children to help with housework by designing hand "duster puppets" from old socks. Draw faces on several with marking pens. When dusting is done, the puppet can be laundered asily in detergent or soap suds, says Lynn Bourland, family resource management specialist with the Texas Agricultural Extension Service, The Texas A&M University System.

6-2tp.

Miss McCammon and Mr. Hord Will Marry

Miss Catherine McCammon, daughter of Lorena Pinson and the late V. J. McCammon, is engaged to Billy Ray Hord, son of Mr. and Mrs. Coy Hord of Winters.

The bride-elect is a graduate of Marble Falls High School. She attended the University of Texas at Austin and received a B.S. degree in elementary educa-

1776.

Although the Declaration Ride a bicycle or walk once of Independence was signed in awhile-it's low cost or on July 4, 1776, it did not no-cost transportation, and reach the three existing New it's good for you, suggests York newspapers at that Claudia Kerbel, consumer time until July 11. The news information specialist with did not reach the Boston the Texas Agricultural Exnewspapers until two weeks tension Service, The Texas after the signing, July 18, A&M University System.

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Her fiance graduated from

Winters High School. He is a

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University where he will

receive a B.S. degree in

agriculture education. He is

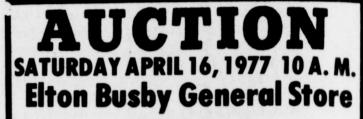
A June 3 wedding is

planned in Sherwood Baptist

a member of Alpha Zeta.

Church in Marble Falls.

University.



NOLAN, TEXAS (Nolan County-Hwy 89) "Retiring from Business"

'Real Estate & General Store Merchandise'

Merchandise and equipment consisting of: Medium stock of groceries, sundries, notions, some dry goods, new 2 and 3 burner kerosene cook stove. new dutch oven, bolts, screws, nails, pipe fittings, plumbing and electrical supplies, carpenter and hand tools, ranch equipment and supplies, new horseshoes, insecticides, garden tools, automotive parts and supplies, air compressor, floor jacks, tires, battery charger, grease guns, oil, grease and etc.

Store equipment consisting of: Scotsman 350 lb. cap, ice machine, Frederick floating air(8 ft.) display dairy case, Schaffer (8 ft.) self-service frozen food display case, 12 ft. refrigerated vegetable display case, Hobart slicer, Toledo scales, Defiance scales, (2) R.C. dry drink boxes, (1) coin

operated drink box, Gondola's, counters, check-out stand, carts, R.C. Allen cash register (hand), electric Olivette adding machine, air conditioners, heaters, platform scales, bolt bins, shelving of all kinds, plastic water pipe and manymany more items too numerous to list, plus 1959-2 ton Chevrolet truck 2 speed axle w/1530 gallon (4) compartment gasoline tank. Real estate consisting of:

70x40' native rock building w/storage area and basement gasoline pumps and tanks. Also 3 bedroom (1) bath rock house w/cellar located on lots

For inspection prior to sale: Contact Elton Busby at 915-798-3635. Real estate to be offered for

sale at 10:00 a.m. sharp!

Robert Kraatz Jr., Dallas; Mr. and Mrs. Rodney Stenard and Chance, Sweet- Mrs. Calvin Hoppe and water; Mr. and Mrs. Wesley daughters, Mr. and Mrs. Wood; Mrs. Jimmy McAden Delbert Kruse and children. and girls, Winters; Dennie Heathcott and Barbara Mich- Chapman and son Jim spent



Bessie Baldwin. Dennis Holubec and Sherry Strube, Mr. and Mrs. Olline Mr. and Mrs. Clint Dean, Weishuhn, Dennis Heathcott Mr. and Mrs. Alton Reese and Barbara Michaelwicz, Mr. and Mrs. Les Allman all from California Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Hoelscher and family. and are aunt and uncles of

Be Busy Sewing Club Meeting

The Be Busy Sewing Club met Monday in the home of Mrs. Bill Milliorn. The afternoon was spent doing handwork for the hostess. Attending were Mmes. J.

Michalewicz and family, Mr.

and Mrs. Daniel Struble,

C. Martin, M. H. Hogan, Becky Poe, L. B. Blackmon, and one visitor, Mrs. Fred Frost of Odessa.

The next meeting will be in the home of Mrs. Becky Poe, Monday, April 25.

IN BEDFORD HOME

Visitors in the home of W G. Bedford this week were Mr. and Mrs. Bernice Bedford of New York and Mr. and Mrs. Glynn Hill and Lana of Del Valle.

The Olympic motto "Citius, Altius, Fortius," was coined by French educator Father Didon in 1895. The modern translation of the Latin phrase is "swifter, higher, stronger."

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Fuel Adjustment Cost Will be Shown As A Separate Item.

The fuel charge you have been paying is now shown as a separate item on your bill from WTU. The money from this charge is used for ONLY ONE PURPOSE— TO PAY THE INCREASED PRICE OF FUELS needed to produce your electricity. None of this money is used for profits or for any other expenses.

Your electric service bill will be similar to the one shown here with base rate and fuel cost charges included among the separately listed items. We've prepared a line-by-line guide to explain these items in your bill.

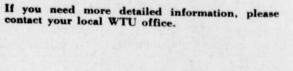
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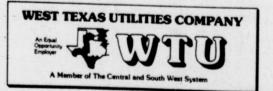
LINE TWO shows the fuel adjust-ment separately. The fuel adjustment has been part of the rate since 1959, but until now has been included as part of the base rate on your bill. The six-digit number shown (.017076) is the fuel adjustment factor. This factor reflects the difference between the price of fuel this month and the the price of fuel this month and the price in 1959.

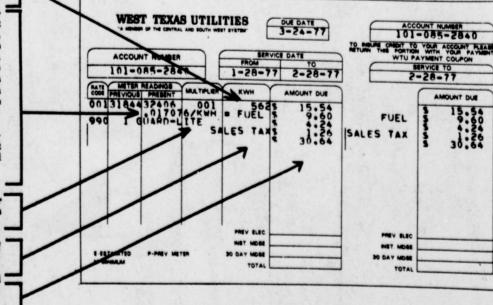
This adjustment factor is then multi-plied by the number of kilowatt hours used by you, the individual Example: .017076 x 562-89.60

LINE THREE shows any charges for other electric services, which on this bill includes a Guard-Lite.

LINE FOUR shows the amount of SALES TAX remitted to the STATE. LINE FIVE indicates your total bill or electric service.







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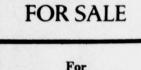
CHARGED Minimum.....\$2.50 (First insertion; \$2.00 minimum thereafter).

LONG TERM Minimum.....12 weeks or longer; \$2.00 each week; (15 words; 7 cents per word over 15 words). CLASSIFIED AD DEADLINE

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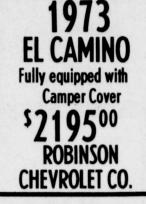
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FOR SALE

FOR SALE SATURDAY, April 16: Emile Loring, Harlequin, Barbara Cartland romance paperbacks. 211



FOR SALE

Milling & Grain, 754-4546.

6 p.m. 754-4723.

CORNET FOR SALE. CALL house with 2 lots near after 5:00 p.m. 754-5080. hospital. 754-5009. 3-tfc. 6-1tc.

FOR SALE BY OWNER-3 FOR SALE-MOBILE bedroom brick home, 2 full home, 12x60, 2 bedrooms. baths, living room, den, In good condition. Call after fenced. 214 Laurel Drive. 5-tfc. Phone 754-4638 after 5:00 p.m. weekdays. 6-tfc. FOR SALE-1973 FORD 1/2 ton pickup. In good condi-

FOR SALE-2 YEAR OLD tion. Call Alderman-Cave brick home. 3 or 4 bedrooms, with built-ins, all electric, carport with stor-FOR SALE-1974 HOME age. 417 N. Main. 6-tfc. Ade travel trailer, 24 ft., butane and electric, full bath, **2 BEDROOM HOUSE FOR** sleeps 4. Call 767-3357. 5-3tp. sale in Wingate. See L. R.

room to responsible person. Mike Briley, 601 E. 6-1tp. Truett. APARTMENT FOR RENT.

Coleman, 692-7250.

WANTED-Mechanic, experienced or 4-4tc.

Miscellaneous **ROOF PROBLEMS? SUPER**

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FIREPLACES

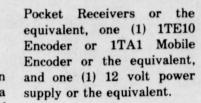
PUBLIC NOTICE

Notice is hereby given that the City of Winters, a Municipal Corporation of Runnels County, Texas, will receive bids in the Office of the City Secretary at the City Hall, 310 South Main Street, Winters, Texas until 5:00 P.M. on April 18, 1977, for eighteen (18) FDS-1

Miscellaneous

SPECIALIZE IN BACKHOE work. ROY CALCOTE &

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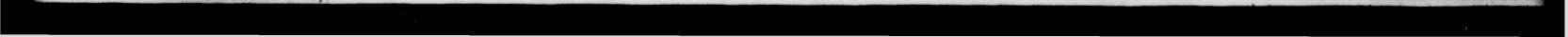
Bids to be opened at 5:30 P.M. April 18, 1977 at the Winters City Hall, Winters, Texas.

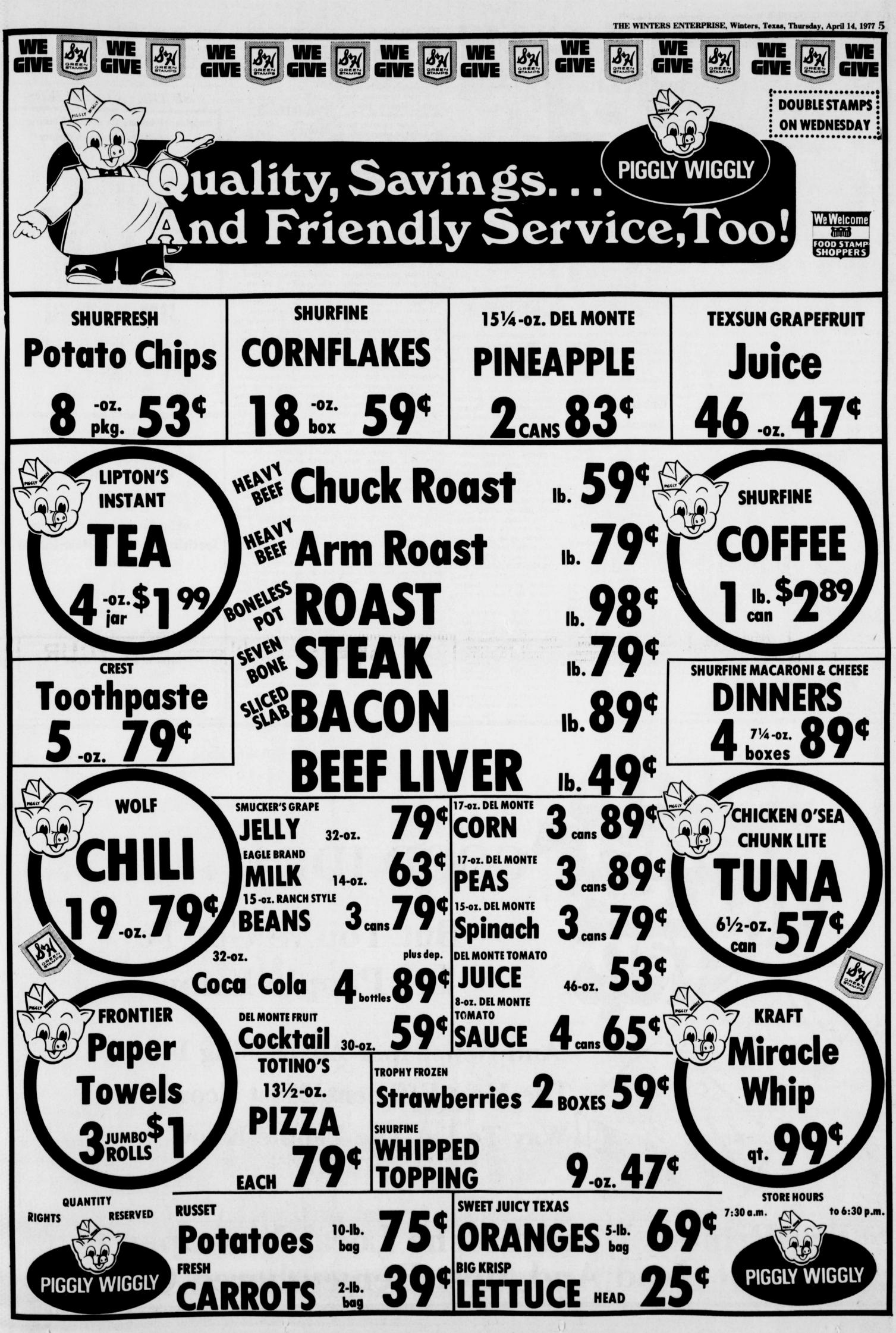
The City of Winters reserves the right to reject any or all bids and to award the bid considered most advantageous to the City of 5-2tc. Winters, Texas.

We wish to sincerely thank all who were so kind and thoughtful during our time of bereavement. Special thanks to Spill Funeral Home, Bro. Wallace for his comforting words. The quartet and the beautiful floral offering, the Wilmeth friends who served the bountiful meal, cards, memorials and words of comfort. Your caring makes our loss a little more bearable. May God bless each of you. -- The Family of Darrell Harkins. 6-1tp.

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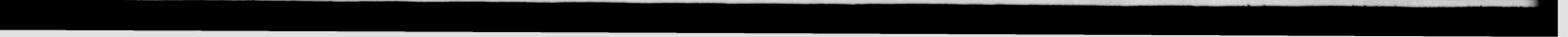


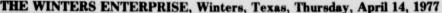


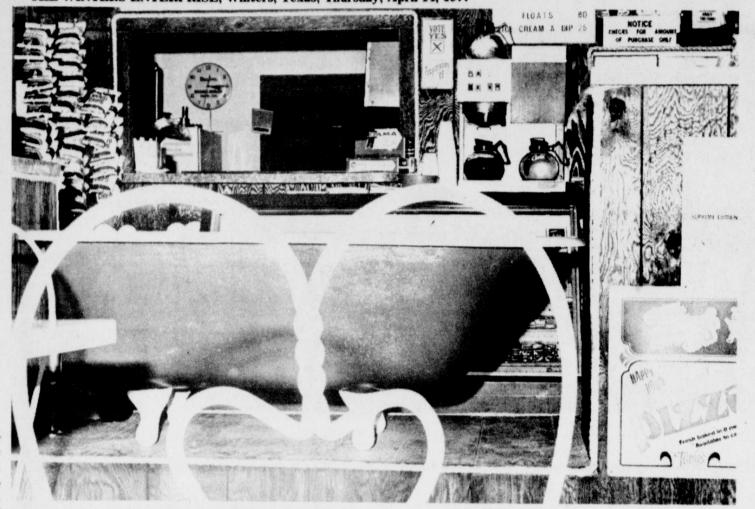


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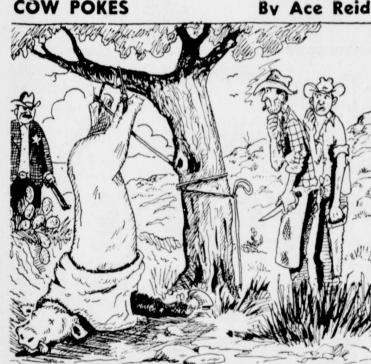
RARE SIGHT-This is not a tub in a public bath house, a sight familiar in early days, but is doing duty as a "salad bar" in the big new dining room of the Burger Hut on the Coleman highway. Bobby

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Mayo, owner of the Burger Hut, has decorated the new dining room with odds and ends from bygone eras-old pictures, papers, old furniture and booths, and other antique items. The doors,

and two front windows of the was remodeled many years new addition, originally were ago. Mayo will celebrate his the double doors of the Main fifth anniversary at the Drug Store, and two booths Burger Hut with an open in the dining room were house Friday afternoon. removed when Main Drug

apply a complete fertilizer

(one containing nitrogen,

phosphorus and potassium)

to promote leaf and root

growth," advises the Texas

A&M University System

specialist. "Use one pound of

nitrogen per 1,000 square

feet of lawn area. This is

equal to 12 pounds of an 8-8-8

fertilizer or 8 pounds of a

12-4-8 fertilizer. Repeat the

For a dark green lawn,

Duble suggests applying ni-

trogen every 60 days at the

rate of one pound to 1,000

square feet. Monthly appli-

cations of iron chelate or iron

sulfate during the spring and

summer promote a healthy

color in St. Augustine grass

"To keep crabgrass or

other unsightly weeds from

application in the fall."

Green Up Your Lawn

With the spring season at hand, a few maintenance practices can get your lawn off to a good start.

A turfgrass specialist for the Texas Agricultural Extension Service suggests three operations for a greener, better looking lawnscalping, fertilizing and applying a weed killer.

"Scalping a lawn serves to revitalize it and promote spring and summer plant growth," points out Dr. Richard Duble.

"Begin the operation by owering the blade of your lawnmower one-half inch below the normal setting. Then mow the lawn in two the Texas Agricultural Extension Service, The Texas A&M University System, added. Combined with solid colors on a shirt, a bias design on a

front band and pockets or yokes provides interesting accent details and eliminates n:atching.

Bias Design

In Fashion

Bias designs are "attention

getters"-in garments or in fashion details, but there are

strict rules for making them "work," Marlene Odle, a

Bias plaids generally give

the feeling of added widthbut a bias or diagonal stripe can add width or height,

depending on the width of

the stripes. Homesewers

should consider bias effect and placement carefully to

ensure most flattering ap-

pearance, the specialist with

clothing specialist, says.

However, too many bias garments in an ensemble. give an unsettling effect, and the fabric design is lost in the confusion. One common bias look is a

chevron. This is stripes or prominent lines in plaids that form angles at seamlines. Garment pieces may be cut on the bias to form chevrons. Chevrons on a four-gored skirt pointing down in the front and back give the feeling of added width to the hipline. For many figure types, such as large hips,

chevrons that point up at center front and back are more slenderizing, the specialist said. To form chevrons on a

four-gored skirt, place the pattern pieces on a single thickness of fabric. Match the notches on a common line. For perfect matching, draw lines on your pattern piece that correspond to the fabric design line. Then match the connecting pattern piece in like manner.

Slip baste the pieces together by turning one side flank steak can be made Formulations containing athem with a mallet or edge trazine should not be applied of plate. around trees or shrubs," he "The other method of tenderizing meat is by cautions. "Proper maintenance is treatment with liquid or essential for a healthy lawn, powdered tenderizers. Meat and these practices will give is frequently treated with new life to a dormant, weedy liquid tenderizer before sale. lawn," notes Duble. The tenderizer may be

of the seam down along the seam allowance. Baste from the top by hand catching a few threads at a time. Open the fabric and machine stitch the seam allowance. Press

Tenderized

Meat

open.

All meat tenderizers have been cleared for use in foods, after lengthy animal toxicity studies and clinical testing by the U.S. Department of Agriculture and the Food and Drug Administration, Mrs. Mary Sweeten, foods

and nutrition specialist, says. "Meat tenderizers are enzyme preparations from plant, bacteria or fungus which break down the mus-

cle fibers. The tenderizers, of which papaya is one source, work best in a mildly acid medium, but are destroyed

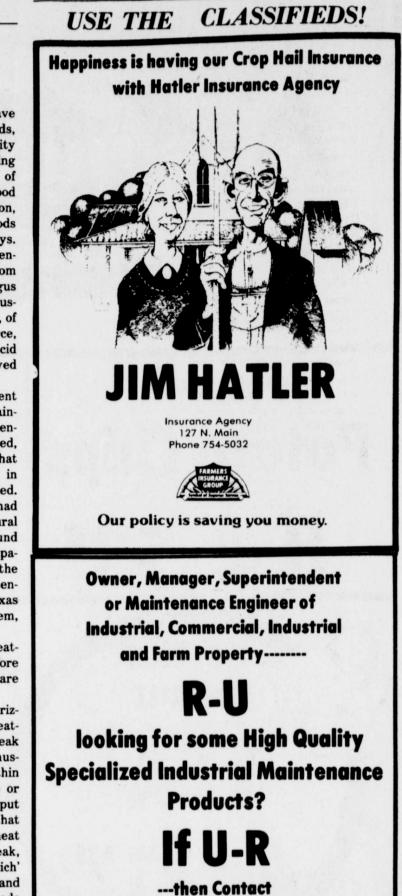
at cooking temperatures. "In the strong acid content of the stomach, the remaining enzyme from the tenderizer would be destroyed, and there is no evidence that these tenderizers remain in the intestine," she explained. People have never had problems eating the natural enzyme which is also found in figs, pineapple and papayas, the specialist with the Texas Agricultural Extension Service, The Texas A&M University System, pointed out.

Some tenderizing treatments are applied before meat is sold, while others are accomplished at home.

"One method of tenderizing is by mechanical treatment to cut or break connective tissues and muscle fibers. Before sale, thin steaks such as sirloin tip or round steak, may be put through a machine that scores the surface. The meat is then sold as cube steak, 'minute' steak or 'sandwich' steak. At home, round and more tender by pounding

injected into the vascular system of the animal before slaughter and sold under a trade name. Or powdered meat tenderizers may be used at home," she said.

Snow Dome in Canada's Jasper National Park is a triple watershed, whose runoff goes into the Atlantic, Pacific, and Arctic Oceans.



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only be used according to instructions on the label.

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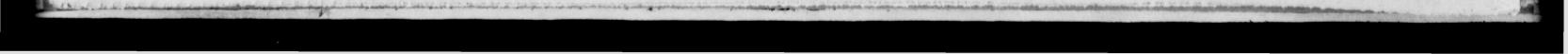
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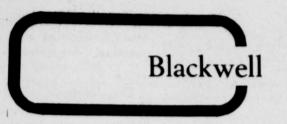
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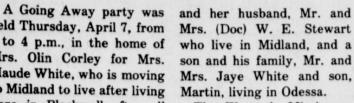
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held Thursday, April 7, from 2 to 4 p.m., in the home of Mrs. Olin Corley for Mrs. Maude White, who is moving to Midland to live after living here in Blackwell after all these years. Those attending were Mesdames Mathie Homine, Bealah Chapman, Cora Lee Lackey, Daisy Henderson, Gene Ware, Douglas Thorn, Fannie Mae Wilson, Savannah Thompson, Ben Noble, Ernest Ware, Jennings Lewis, Olin Corley and the honoree, Mrs. Maud White. Hostesses were Medames Ernest Ware, Olin Corley and Jennings Lewis. Refreshments of sour cream cake, snack crackers and cheese, coffee and ice tea was served by the hostesses. Mrs. White was presented a planter stand by the friends. Mrs. White has a daughter visitors over the weekend,



The Women's Missionary Union of the Blackwell First Baptist Church, met at the church Thursday afternoon, April 7, with eleven ladies

attending. The Rev. and Mrs. Bill Perkins and daughters, Billy Lou and Neta May of Vernon visited Wednesday through Saturday with their daughter and her family, Mr. and Mrs. Vance Taylor and daughter, Karen. They will also visit with their many friends here in Blackwell, as he is a former Blackwell pastor.

Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Oden and Larry had as their



Technical difficulties beyond our control forces

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us to postpone the showing of the CBN on Channel 6 as advertised earlier. We hope to have it ready by May 1st. Watch for our ad in this paper.



Sub Deb Club

Meeting Monday

The Sub Deb Club held its regular meeting Monday, and made final plans for the Blockade Against Cancer, scheduled for Saturday. Club members will be stationed at the intersection of Main and Dale streets to receive donations. All proceeds will be forwarded to the North **Runnels Cancer Society.**

Present for the meeting were Patti Walker, Jeree Isbell, Becky McAnally, Susan Lisso, Cherie Krause, Debbie Austin and the sponsor, Cindy Hatler. **Deadline For** Filing Sales Tax

its citizens.

Reports State Comptroller Bob Bullock has urged Texas retail merchants and other

sales tax permit holders to put a big red circle around April 30 on their calendars. That's the deadline for filing quarterly sales tax

> reports with the State Comptroller's Office. "Failure to meet that deadline can result in penalties for the sales tax permit holder and a lot of additional work for my office," Bullock said.

Bullock urged sales tax permit holders to contact the nearest Comptroller's Field Office or call his toll-free tax information number, 1-800-252-5555 if they have any question about their returns.

Some 172,000 businesses file their sales tax reports on a quarterly basis, Bullock said.

Albert Einstein developed his relativity theory in 1905.

tion has received strong their grandson and nephew. support thus far, including

Krueger's Kolumn

"New Legislation" such a piece of legislation Within the past two may be related to the weeks, I have introduced question of africultural retwo new pieces of legislation search, I think it does which I think demonstrate demonstrate the way that the proper role of the federal the government should go government in the affairs of about protecting the best

interests of its people. The The first bill, the Agricul- bill which I have introduced, tural Research Act of 1977, in co-sponsorship with Conauthorizes \$838 million for gressman Anderson of Illiagricultural research in 1978. nois, provides financial in-I have long been a supporter centives to state govern-

of a federal commitment to ments to establish camp agricultural research, and safety programs. The alterthe government's efforts in native legislation currently fighting various forms of before the Congress calls for animal disease are testimony a system of regulations and to the fact that agricultural

research demonstrates a would cost millions of dollars very good return on an a year. What my bill invested dollar. An indivi- attempts to do is to apply dual farmer or rancher lacks money directly to the probthe necessary resources to lem, encouraging states to pursue any form of agriculact positively in the field of tural research on a large camp safety, rather than set scale; this is something that up elaborate procedures for only the federal government is capable of doing because of its resources and ability to

ers and ranchers face.

A particularly encouraging

aspect of the Agriculture

Research Act is the fact that

it commits sizeable resources

to the research into brucel-

losis, a disease which affects

cattle. Texas has one of the

highest rates of brucellosis,

and a federal commitment to

solving this problem will be

welcomed by everyone in the

cattle business. The legisla-

co-ordinate various research they have not been encourefforts around the country. aged to follow. During my four state tour of The accident rate at camps agricultural research facilities last fall, I saw first hand the need for a co-ordinated approach to solving the various problems that farm-

> These two bills, the Agriculture Research Act and the Camp Safety Incentive Act, place the role of the federal government in the proper perspective. In the case of massive research, where individual citizens cannot accomplish the desired goal on their own, government action is warranted. In the case of the Camp Safety Incentive Act, it is more

THE WINTERS ENTERPRISE, Winters, Texas, Thursday, April 14, 1977 7 Flent McNeill Broke HH Record At Ballinger

Ballinger Saturday.

The 14.1 time for McNeill's

Winters athletes totaled

high hurdle running was a

22 points in Saturday's track

and field action at Ballinger.

Lake View was tops with 97

Denson. The Dessie and B.

Mrs. Lena Wheat cele-

brated her 75th birthday

Sunday with the W. F.

Matthews and Tom, L. C.

Brileys of Midland, Gene

Wheats, Bill, Douglas and

Julie. The A. R. Wheats

were unable to be here due

to Joy having surgery.

David Bryan was also there

In the Albert Wetsel home

were their daughters and

family and Mr. and Mrs.

for lunch.

Charles Wetsel.

H. Densons were here also.

new Ballinger meet record.

Flent McNeill, Winters High School athlete, recorded the fastest time in the area for the 120-vard high hurdles with 14.1 time, and came back to run the intermediate hurdles in 40.5 for first place, at the invitational track meet in

Martha SS Class Meeting Recently

Martha Sunday School Class of the First Baptist Church met recently in the home of Mrs. Clara Mc-Adams. Mrs. Jackson led the opening prayer, and roll call was answered with Bible verses.

Mrs. Erna Marks gave the devotional and Mrs. Jackson gave the diversion.

Present were Mmes. Erna Marks, Clara McAdams, Lady Rogers, Pearl Jackson, Parrie Carwile, Alyce Compton, Effie Kornegay, Allie Jones, Charlsie Poe, Thelma Mayo, Eula Cook, Alma Witkowski and Miss Eunice Polk, and a visitor, Mrs. Cane.

Acie Harkins Died Last Week In Amarillo

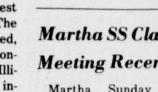
Acie (Darrell) Harkins, 66, wholesale pipe and casing dealer of Hereford and formerly of Wilmeth community, died at 5:30 p.m. Tuesday of last week at the Veterans Hospital in Amarillo of injuries received in an automobile accident two weeks ago between Tahoka and Lubbock. Services were at 2:30 p.m. Thursday at the Spill Memorial Chapel.

Paul Wallace, minister of the Main Street Church of Christ, officiated. Burial was in Wilmeth Cemetery.

Born April 17, 1910, in Winters, he had lived here until moving to Hereford about 40 years ago where he was a wholesale pipe and casing dealer. He was a veteran of World War II and married Norma Rutherford who died in 1972.

Survivors include a stepson, Gary Don Rutherford of El Centro, Calif.; and several nieces and nephews.

Pallbearers were King Barker, Gene Virden, Earl Broadstreet, Homer Tubbs, Frankie Berryman and Johnny Wilson.



inspections, which alone

the government to shut down camps which are not in compliance with rules which

is roughly one-fifth that in schools. Such a statistic does not indicate any overwhelming need to draw the government further into re-

gulating the lives of its citizenry.



WINGATE NEWS Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Allman from California are visiting his sister, Mrs. B. H.

points.





Although it has been 20 years since J.U. Jernigan rescued five-year-old Richard Ray (Ricky) Simpson from drowning, he has a vivid recollection of the accident and has written down some of the details. He said that so many different stories had been circulated that he wanted people to know the true facts of how it happened.

Jernigan, a retired barber, is now 87 years old, blind and almost deaf. He has a lot of time to think and says saving the little boy was one good thing he did in his lifetime.

On Aug. 27, 1957, Jernigan and Charlie Gray had just

arrived at the old Winters lake, two miles north of town, to start fishing. They had set their tackle bucket down when they noticed a boat out on the lake in

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trouble. They saw a man fall out of the little end of the

boat and as it tilted it began filling with water. A large man and little boy were in the back of the boat and it started sinking. When it capsized the men got on each side of the boy and began swimming. It was about 5:15 p.m. Jernigan recalls saying to Gray, "They'll bring the boy out if they are good swimmers."

"Yes, but they're pretty far out-about 150 yards," Gray answered.

"The two men swam maybe 20 yards, carrying the boy between them before going down," Jernigan recalled. "When they hollered for help, I told Gray, who had a bad heart, I was going to try to save the boy."

Jernigan took off his shoes

and dived into the water.

When he was about 15 feet

way out and the other man

Jernigan knew all of them went under, but Jernigan as he had cut their hair many could still see the boy's head. times and he had been the He had difficulty rescuing one that cut Ricky's hair just the child as the last victim two weeks before. They was trying to hold him up in begged Jernigan to go back the water with his legs. after their dads, but he said

out one of the men turned

the boy loose and shoved

himself about ten feet away

and went under. That was

the last time Jernigan saw

get on his back. Ricky was

so tightly around the neck

that he pulled him under, but

he managed to keep from

strangling. When he came

up he told Ricky to catch him

by the collar, which he did,

but in his fright the boy kept

climbing higher and higher

until he was on Jernigan's

head and pushed him under

was able to touch mud with

one foot and when he could

tread mud with both feet he

relaxed. The water was up

still coughing and crying.

Jernigan waded out to the

again.

bank.

He got about half

him.

"I'm given out, but we'll get When Jernigan pulled help right away." Ricky out of the water he was strangled and coughing.

"Get my keys out of the He tried to catch Ricky by fishing tackle bucket, where the hair, but he had a fresh I left them with my pocket haircut and this was impossknife,"Jernigan told Gray. ible. He held him with one "Drive to that house nearest hand and swam until he gave the lake and tell them to call out. He then pulled Ricky the firemen." over to him and told him to

Gray returned with Lee crying and grabbed Jernigan Ned Sellers, who lived at the lake, and he pulled Sompson out. The firemen were soon there and A.B. Spill and Rev. Henry Flathmann got Nitsch.

> For more than an hour, volunteers applied artificial respiration and a resuscitator to the unconscious men, bit to no avail.

Jernigan thought he would "Nitsch was under water never make it, but he knew about 30 minutes and Simphe had to, there was no one son about 15 or 20 minutes," who could help--it was still a Sheriff Don Atkins said.

long way to the bank. If he "If they could have just went in a straight line he reached Nitsch first, since he would have to swim all the was the last to go under," way, so he turned to the said Jernigan,"Maybe they west where the water was more shallow. Finally, he

could have saved him." Also if the men could have had time to remove their shoes, they could have stayed afloat longer, Jernigan added.

to his chin, and Ricky climbed on top of his head In just a little while the lake was surrounded by carloads of spectators and someone took the boys home.

In the meantime, Gray had Jernigan also went home to talked to the three small boys on the bank who said rest. He had leg cramps all night and his back hurt him. the men were their fathers When he had time to think it and they wanted to swin out over, he wondered how he to help them. Gray persuadever made it at all. Three ed them they would only be

drowned as they were very years before he had broken small. They boys were his back at that same lake. Charles, 11, and Kye, 9, both after he fell about 20 feet, sons of Benjamin Nitsch and and had to be picked up and Andy, son of Emmett Simpcarried to the hospital. He had been swimming the year before at Lake Fort Phantom and almost drowned while

> putting out a trotline. He had been a good swimmer in his youth, but this was the first time had swam that far in 20 years.

While the firemen were trying to revive the drowning victims, a bystander said, "Did you swim all the way out there and back?"

"I sure did," Jernigan replied. "I've been told the water

was not over anyone's head out there anywhere," the man replied.

A fireman who had just come out of the water heard the remark. "If you don't think it's over your head, just go out there, it is over anyone's head, right at the edge or anywhere," he told

Jernigan said the last time he saw Ricky was 11 years ago. He was working in a Winters grocery store. He asked Ricky if he knew him and he said, "I sure do, you're the man who saved my life."

Nitsch, 38, was a farmer and welder of this area, while Simpson,46, father of five children, was a longtime employee of Sims Oil Company.

Mrs. Nitsch has remained in Winters and has remarried. Her two sons are married and live elsewhere. Mrs Simpson continues to

work at the Dry Division of Wallace Murray Manufacturing Company, where she has been employed for nearly 16 years.

Ricky is now living in Hermleigh and is employed by Furr's Grocery Store in Snyder. He and Brenda Evans, a Midland girl, have been married for four years, said Mrs. Simpson.

Mrs. Simpson said that no one ever mentions the tragedy anymore and her two boys were so small she doubts if they remember it, but Jer igan who lives with his wife at 205 Parsonage in the Heusing Authority apartments lives in his memories of other years.

Mr. Jernigan was born in Birmingham, Ala., Sept. 14,

to Oakall, Burnett County, when he was a small child. He lived in Baird when his first wife died and left him with a son, Gilbert, who lives at Cross Plains. He had two children and four grandchildren.

1889, and his parents moved

Jernigan was married to Mabel Anderson in 1937 at

Baird, where he was night marshall for about two

years.

The Jernigans moved to Winters in 1950, where he barbered until his retirement. They have a daughter, Betty, who is married to Jim Shook. They live in Wharton and have two small

daughters.



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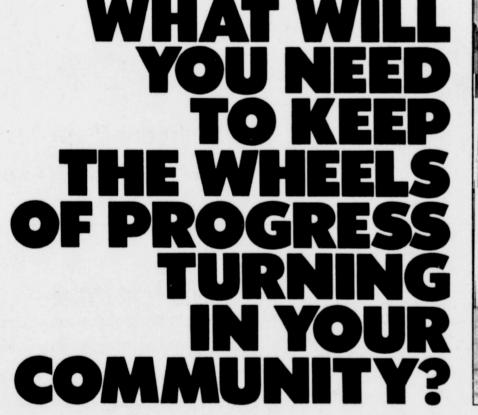
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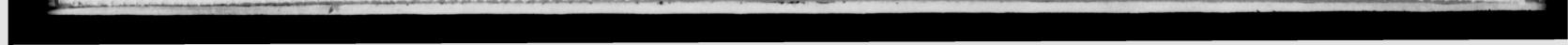
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LUNCHROOM MENU

Monday April 18

The real thrifty chicken fried steak, cream gravy (by choice), potatoes, green beans, tossed green salad, beet pickles, chocolate chip cookies, hot rolls with butter, milk or chocolate milk.

Tuesday April 19

Toasted cheese sandwiches, beef stew, pear halves, orange juice in cups. dill pickles sliced, strawberry short cake, milk or chocolate milk.

Wednesday April 20

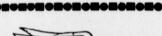
Hamburgers or combinasandwiches, French tion fries, catsup in cups, fruit salad with whipped cream, pinto beans, chocolate cake. milk.

Thursday April 21

Rolled roast, gravy (by choice), macaroni and cheese, green beans, tossed green salad with Italian dressing, butter ice box cookies, hot rolls, milk or chocolate milk.

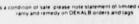
Friday April 22

Fried chicken, cream gravy (by choice), whipped potatoes, whole kernel corn. sunshine salad, apple pie, hot rolls with butter, milk or chocolate milk.

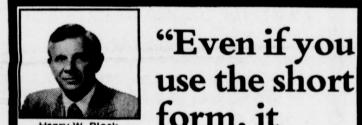




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Miss Barker and Greg Donica To Wed In May

The wedding will take The Rev. and Mrs. Robert V. Lindsey announce the place Saturday, May 28, at 7:30 o'clock in the evening in engagement of their daughthe First United Methodist ter, Donna Barker, to Mr. Greg Donica, son of Mr. and Church in Winters. Mrs. Wesley Wade of Win-Friends and relatives are

invited.

Krueger Urges Improved Auto Research Efforts

Congressman Bob Krueger Research and Development of Texas has endorsed fede-Act of 1977," which he has rally-supported efforts to introduced in co-sponsorship develop a clean and efficient with other Members of Congress. President Carter alternative to the present internal combustion engine has indicated he will sign the measure. Krueger predicted prompt

The legislation establishes a five-year program to research, develop, and demonstrate economically feasible engines and advanced ground propulsion systems that would improve energy

Take 'Behavior **Guidelines**' **Shopping With** Children

Young children can behave well in public with patient. encouraging guidance of their parents, but it takes time-and repeated experiences-for a youngster to learn how he is expected to behave in different places and situations, Mrs. Ilene Miller, a family life education specialist, says.

To prevent frayed nerves, threats, tears or temper tantrums during shopping, she suggests several guidelines that go beyond telling a child to "be good."

Mrs. Miller is with the Texas Agricultural Extension Service. The Texas A&M University System.

She says that a "be good" type of guidance does not tell the child much.

"A youngster needs to know what he can do-and when he has behaved appropriately.

"First, try to plan shopping trips for a time when the child is not tired or hungry," she advised.

"Remind your child before you enter the store what is expected of him. For example, explain that there is to be no running up and down the aisles, that he is to sit in the cart or help you push the cart while you are in the grocery store.

"Also, give the child a job while you are shopping. For instance, your youngster could look for some familiar items such as milk, eggs or apples as both of you make your rounds up and down the store aisles."

On misbehavior, Mrs. Miller cautioned against pleading, threatening or bribing tactics.

"If your youngster runs



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"The bill is basically an

energy conservation mea-

sure," Krueger continued.

"To this date, little work has

been done on the develop-

ment of engines that could

meet both fuel economy and

The legislation was referr-

ed to the House Science and

Technology Committee, of

which Krueger is a Member.

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is certainly needed.

up and calmly put him in the cart or take his hand and "I have consistently workguide him in the direction ed to reduce our dependence you want to go. It is not on foreign sources of enernecessary to plead with the gy," the Texas Congressman child. Just take the initiative said. "Since existing internal and move the child without combustion engines used in losing your temper. most cars today consume

"Also, instead of bribing your little one with a soft drink, candy or some other swet, be firm. Without yelling, let your child know in a firm, quiet voice that he is not going to get chewing gum, candy or other such items.

"Finally, tell your child you will have to take him to the car or take him home if he continues to misbehavethen follow through with your promise. It may be inconvenient, but the experience will probably teach your child a very valuable lesson. He will learn quickly that when his parents say something, they mean it."

Mrs. Miller said repeated experiences, praise and encouragement-and consistent parental behavior-are the keys to helping children learn appropriate behavior in



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SPRING SWARM-A swarm of bees, following their queen, swarmed on a branch of a tree at the E. Z. Moore home last week. Someone finally found the queen and deposited

Hospital Aux. Plans Benefit Luncheon

A benefit salad luncheon, with proceeds to be used to purchase special hospital equipment, is being planned by the North Runnels Hospital Auxiliary.

her in a box, and the bees were drawn from the branch to the box by the time the photographer arrived. Only a few remained on the swarm limb of the tree.

Dena Danford To Regional UIL Contests

Dena Danford, Winters High School student, won third place in Poetry Interpretation in University Interscholastic League contests in Stam-

Ambulance-

(Continued from Page 1)

extra personnel. Several other counties and cities are operating under this system, he said, with the county underwriting the cost of operation over and above the ambulance fee charges made.

Meyer said his company makes about 150 ambulance calls per year, and the total charges for those calls does not meet expenses. He said charges are \$15 within the city, and \$20 outside the city, plus so much per mile. Thus, even with an increase in call charges, it would be practically impossible for private enterprise to succeed, and meet all present and expected regulations surrounding the ambulance service field.

Meyer also pointed out that Spill's present equipment is adequate at this time, but when "trade-in time comes, it must be replaced with approved equipment."

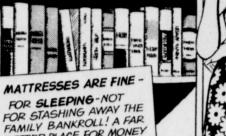
In the prepared statement, the two funeral homes told the Commissioners' Court: "We are two of the very few funeral homes in the state (which) have been able to continue to offer ambulance service. It is now evident and will be necessary for our county government to seek a solution to provide this vital service to the citizens of Runnels County the way they would do any need that is this vital.

"We find that ambulance service is no longer compatable with the funeral service and the public now anticipates that well-trained personnel will handle any emergency situation and they expect efficient ambulance service whenever the need occurs. We regret that this decision has been forced upon us but we have faith that our County Judge and County Commissioners will respond to see that proper equipment and trained technicians are provided for the citizens of our county.

"We assure you that the management and personnel of Spill Funeral Home and Davis-Rains-Seale Funeral Home will in any way assist our elected officials in working out a satisfactory solution to this vital problem in our area."

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Krueger said,

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"would provide money di-

rectly where it is most

needed: to states establish-

ing safety programs for

youth camps. The regulatory

approach could cost up to six

million dollars a year merely

Krueger said that statis-

tics do not indicate that

costly regulation is warrant-

ed, noting that the injury

rate in camps is one-fifth

"What is worse," Krueger

said, "is that we may find

ourselves in the ironic situa-

tion of producing a situation

that is actually more dan-

gerous to some children than

if there were no federal

support of camp safety.

Camps closed down by

government inspectors may

force many children to

remain in the inner city,

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actually be worse."

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Krueger Urges Incentives For **Camp Safety**

Congressman Bob Krueger of Texas has called on the House to adopt legislation which would provide financial incentives for states to set up youth camp safety programs. Krueger is cosponsoring

the "Camp Safety Incentive Act" as an alternative to bills now pending before Congress that would impose federal enforcement on states failing to establish federally approved camp safety programs.

The legislation would provide \$22.5 million in grants over a three year period to assist states in setting up camp safety programs. States would not be required to

Magnesium Essential For Cells

Magnesium-essential for all living cells and controlled by the kidneys-serves as a catalyst for many biologic reactions, Marilyn Haggard, a foods and nutrition specialist says.

"The recommended daily dietary allowance of magnesium is 400 milligrams for men and 300 milligrams for women. During pregnancy and lactation the need increases to 450 milligrams," she added.

Miss Haggard is with the Texas Agricultural Extension Service, The Texas A&M University System.

Dairy products furnish about 22 percent of the total intake of magnesium in the United States. Another 18 percent comes from flour and cereal products, the specialist said.

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Date and time for the luncheon will be announced at a later date.

The Auxiliary is attempting to raise money to purchase a side are vaporizer to be attached to the anesthetic machine in the operating room of the North Runnels Hospital.

ford recently, qualifying for regional competition. Regional UIL contests will be held in Lubbock April 22-23. Prissy Black, an alternate contes-

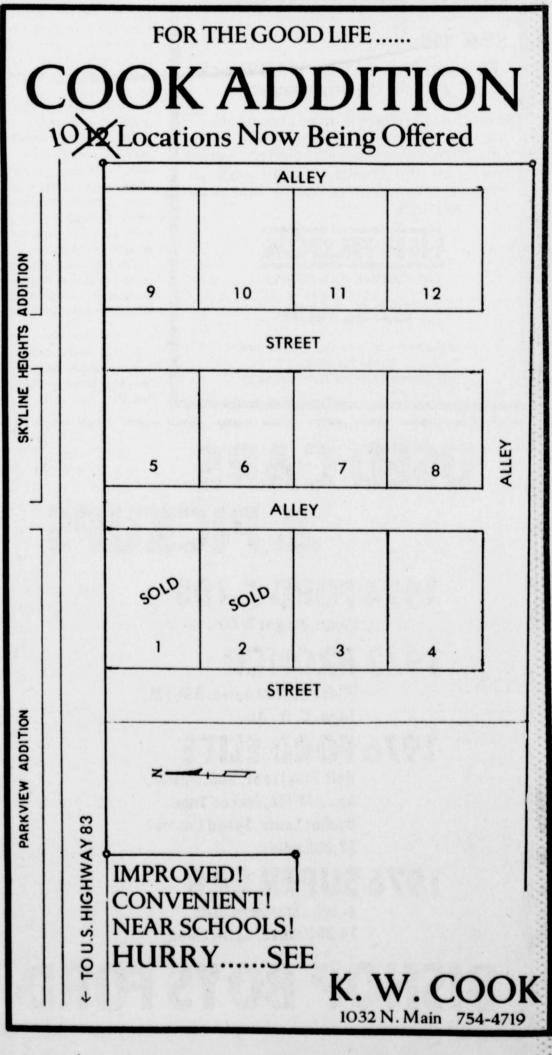
tant in the Stamford UIL typing contests, placed 4th in that competition.

Commissioners Tuesday indicated that probably a committee, made up of commissioners, funeral home personnel, and perhaps others, would be appointed to study the situation and arrive at some kind of recommendation for solution.

establish such programs, however.

The Camp Safety Incen-The bill calls for providing tive Act was offered by John the same amount of money Anderson of Illinois last year as the proposal which would in the House, but was focus on camp inspections. defeated by six votes. "The financial incentive ap-







supply-offering one of the **Consumer Food** best protein choices, price-News wise, Mrs. Clvatt said. Many Texas grocery marbuy fryers now-if home kets are offering specials on freezer space is availablebeef-as prices remain stafor the cookout season later. ble-to-slightly higher in general, Mrs. Gwendolyne Clters, potato prices are relavatt, consumer marketing

information specialist, re-Most-often featured cutsgreens have economical pricwhich offer a savings-are es. Onions, however, show a chuck roasts and steaks, price increase due to a round, sirloin, rib and T-bone reduced supply. steaks, boneless roasts and At fruit counters, grapeground beef, she said.

fruit and oranges are the Mrs. Clyatt is with the highlight-with medium-to-Texas Agricultural Extensmall sizes the lower priced. sion Service, The Texas Also, pineapples are "spe-A&M University System. cialed" at some markets. Pork specials also are Along grocery market aisavailable-with emphasis on les, features are scattered, loin roasts, quarter-loins cut but they generally include into chops, Boston butt budget buys on canned green

pears.

pot pies in the spotlight.

roasts, smoked picnics, bacon, sausage and liver. At poultry counters, turkey prices are stable and fryer chickens are in good

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Cranberry juice concentrate probably will be used as a replacement for red She advised consumers to dyes in food colorings. It gives a satisfactory coloring for pie fillings, says Mrs. Sally Coble, foods and nutrition specialist with the Texas At fresh vegetable coun-Agricultural Extension Service, The Texas A&M Unitively low-while carrots, versity System. broccoli, mustard, collards, head lettuce and turnips and

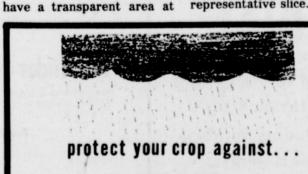
> "Functionality" is the latest key work from the furniture industry, reports Mrs. Pat Seaman, area housing and home furnishings specialist with the Texas Agricultural Extension Service, The Texas

Making a habit of using a sewing machine "doodle pad" will save sewing time by beans, sauerkraut, corn and insuring that the machine is tomato products. Most comthreaded and adjusted promonly repeated items in perly before beginning to advertisements are tuna fish, sew. Use a similar weight, saltine crackers, pasta protype and thickness of "doodducts, fruit cocktail and ling" fabric if scraps of the fashion fabric are unavail-Frozen food features show able, suggests Mrs. Becky Culp, area clothing specialist with the Texas Agricultural Extension Service, The Texas A&M University System.

A&M University System.

Consumer watchwords: In buying bacon, consumers may find a new "back window" on packages-or a full slice of bacon in a "front least one and a half inches window"-to meet required wide revealing at least 70

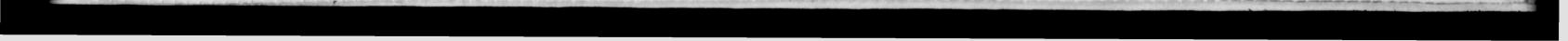
packaging standards, which percent of the length of a demand all bacon packages representative slice.



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