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## Class of '57.. Your Reunion Will Be Sunday

Members of the Winters High School Class of 1957 are reminded that their class reunion has been planned for Sunday, June 26, in the school cafeteria.

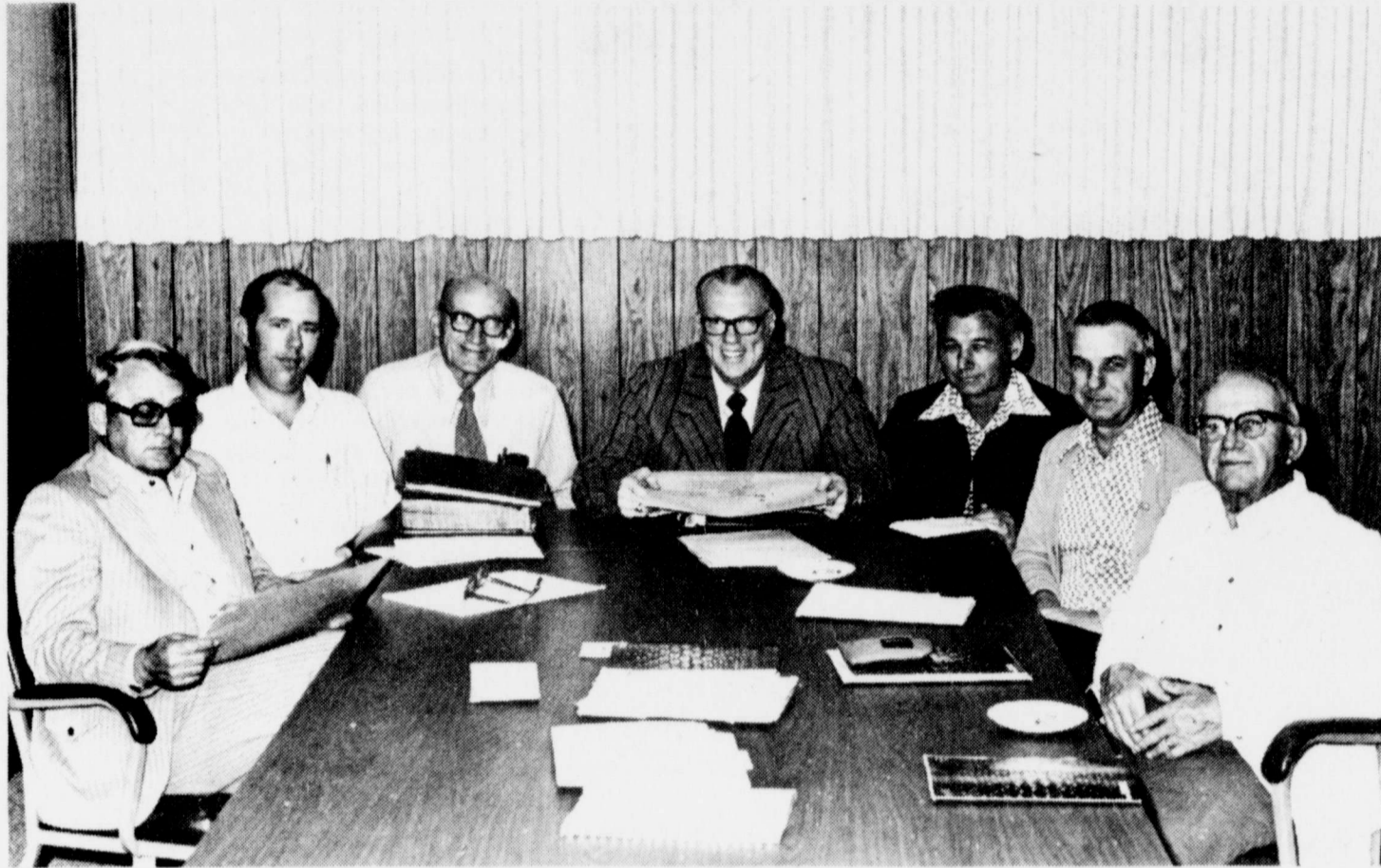
Class members will begin gathering shortly after noon. Several members who live great distances away from Winters are expected to attend this 20th anniversary reunion of the class.

The evening meal will begin at 5 p.m., catered by Phil Lorfing. Cost of the meal will be \$2.50 for adults and \$1.50 for children.

Reservations may be made by calling Mrs. Robert Pruser, Mrs. Roy Rice, or O.J. Murray.

## Family Planning Clinic Scheduled

A family planning clinic will be held at the Multi-Purpose Center, 142 W. Dale, Wednesday, June 29, from 7 to 9 p.m.



CITY COUNCIL—These are the men who guide the destiny of the City of Winters. Clifton Poe, second from

the right, resigned recently because of ill health. Left to right, James West, mayor pro tem; Buddy Miller, City

Secretary Buford Baldwin, Mayor Homer Hodge, Aldermen A. L. Scates, Poe, and Earl Roach.

## City Council Rejects County Ambulance Plan

Winters City Council Monday night duplicated the action taken by the Ballinger City Commission last week, rejecting the proposal that the two cities join with the county in financing a countywide ambulance service.

Decisions by the governing bodies of the two cities have in fact returned the problem of providing ambulance service to the county commissioners.

The county commissioners now have only a few days in which to decide what action to take in providing the important service to county residents, as the two funeral homes in Winters and Ballinger have announced they will discontinue the service July 1. No announcement of pending action had been received from county officials at press time this week.

Under the proposal which had been made and approved by the county commissioners June 14, the operation of ambulance service would be turned over to the two hospitals, with the county and the two cities financially underwriting the operation. The county would have paid each hospital \$300 per month, and each city would pay its local hospital \$300 per month, a total of \$600 for operating the ambulances for each hospital. Cities would also provide all upkeep on four ambulances to be purchased and equipped by the county.

During discussion of the proposal by the Winters Council Monday night, aldermen expressed the opinion that residents of the two cities would be taxed doubly for the service, while rural residents would be taxed only by the county, to pay for the service.

They said they felt that this would be "double taxation," the same opinions expressed by the Ballinger city commissioners. All of the aldermen present for the meeting Monday night said they thought the responsibility for operation of ambulance service within the county lay with the county commissioners.

Ambulance service became a public problem several weeks ago when the two funeral homes in the county met with the county commissioners and announced they would discontinue the service effective June 1, following a statewide trend which has seen funeral homes getting out of the ambulance business. Following two public meetings sponsored by the commissioners court, in which the problem was heatedly discussed at times, the proposal was made that the county commissioners establish and maintain the service, with financial assistance from the two cities.

## City Gets \$6,358 From Sales Taxes

The City of Winters has received \$6,358.86 from the State Comptroller as a rebate for the one-cent sales tax collected for the month of June.

Comptroller Bob Bullock said his office has made checks totaling \$39.3 million to 865 Texas cities for their June share of the one percent city sales tax, a 15.1 percent increase over the same period last year.

Bullock also reminded Texas taxpayers of the following bills approved by the 1977 Legislature which will affect sales tax collections:

—SB 110 exempts from the sales tax syringes and hypodermic needles used for medical purposes. The bill is effective Aug. 29.

—HB 694 exempts newspapers and subscription sales of magazines from state and local sales taxes effective Aug. 29.

Bullock said the exemptions will have only a minor effect on overall sales and use tax collections.

Sales tax rebates received by other area towns and cities: Abilene, \$400,050; Anson, \$5,737; Ballinger, \$14,249; Cisco, \$13,055; Eastland, \$11,903; Hamlin, \$7,505; Haskell, \$14,251; Ranger, \$9,818; Stamford, \$32,204; Coleman, \$23,156.



NATURE'S ENERGY—Louis De La Cruz snapped the shutter on his Polaroid during a recent electrical storm, and the result was the picture of the squiggly lines above. The flash of lightning was seen by the naked eye as only a white flash, but the film picked up energy lines which seemed to travel back and forth across the stormy sky. The smaller lines were streaks behind the main bolt.

## City To Hire Attorney

Winters City Council Monday night approved a proposal to employ an attorney and a bond broker to assist in calling in bonds outstanding against the city's power plant, in the event ongoing negotiations to dispose of the plant are completed.

Cost for attorney's and broker's fees will be in the neighborhood of \$2500, Mayor Homer Hodge told the council members present at the regular meeting.

The council has been negotiating with West Texas Utilities Co. for several months regarding sale of the plant to WTU. Several offers and counter-offers have been made, but no definite decisions have been made, due to the legal processes involved.

Mayor Hodge again pointed out Monday night that the proposal to sell, once an agreement has been reached, will have to be submitted to the voters for approval. "The people voted the light plant in, and the people will have to vote the light plant out," the mayor said in essence.

In discussing the financial condition of the city-owned light plant, Buford Baldwin, city secretary, said that the gas bill for operation of the generating engines for the previous month had been about \$16,000. Annual cost of gas for operation of the plant is estimated at about \$180,000, it was brought out at the meeting. This does not include the cost of diesel fuel, which is also used, it was said.

## Council Rejects Oil Lease Bid

One bid was received by the Winters City Council for an oil and gas lease on the city lake property, and was rejected Monday night.

The bid, was from Chris W. Walker of Abilene, was \$3,308 on the 661.6 acres, for three years.

E.E. Vaughn, along with several young boys, met with the council at the regular meeting, and requested assistance in building a special "skate board rink." The rink would have to be built of concrete, and would have slopes and turns.

The council took no action on the request.

Only three members of the council were present for Monday night's regular meeting, Buddy Miller, Al Skates and Earl Roach. The other alderman, James West, was not present because of health reasons. A vacancy exists on the council due to the resignation of Clifton Poe two weeks ago, because of ill health. The council has taken no action on filling the vacancy, which may be done by appointment or in a special election.

## Mary Bauer Keeps Ladies' Title

Mary Bauer, defending her title as City Champion in the annual Ladies' Golf Association tournament last week, outlasted Marlene Wood, to retain her title as the 1977 champion.

Bauer and Wood were playing together and were separated by only one stroke most of the day. At the end

of 18 holes, Bauer managed to pull ahead and hang onto the title, with Wood taking second place. "Another hole or two and things might have been the other way around," Bauer said.

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DR. B. THOMAS TRIBBLE



MRS. TRIBBLE

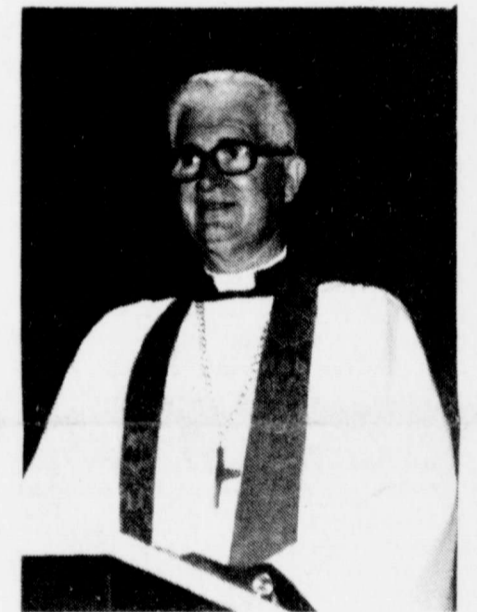
COMING—Dr. B. Thomas Tribble, formerly of Hamilton, is the new pastor of Winters' First United Methodist Church. He and Mrs. Tribble moved to Winters last week. Dr. Tribble succeeds the Rev. Bob Lindsey as pastor of the church.

## \$501 Added To Hospital Fund

A total of \$501.50 in memorials has been contributed to the North Runnels Hospital Gift Fund since the last report, according to Ted Meyer, chairman of the fund.

Contributions have been In Memory of:

Mrs. Allie Carroll	\$52.00
Buel Davis	5.00
George Hill	344.00
W.A. Inman	50.00
Pete Mathis	15.00
A.O. Merck	5.00
Otis Tatom	5.00
Mrs. Camille Way	5.00
Mrs. Jack Waggoner	13.00
Mrs. Elbert V.	
(Cassie) Whitley	7.50



REV. PAUL T. RUECKWALD

GOING—A retired pastor of the American Lutheran Church, the Rev. Paul T. Rueckwald of Lubbock, has been serving St. John's Lutheran Church in Winters as interim pastor since March 9. He and Mrs. Rueckwald have been living in the Lutheran parsonage here, but will return to their home in Lubbock about July 1.

Another interim pastor will take his place while the congregation is in the process of obtaining a permanent minister.

The Rueckwalds have been in the ministry of the American Lutheran Church since June, 1932. He graduated from the Lutheran Seminary, Columbus, Ohio, in 1932, and was installed in his first church at Buffalo, N.Y., June 12, and delivered his first sermon on June 26. He and Mrs. Rueckwald were married at Bethlehem Lutheran Church, Rochester, N.Y., June 28, 1932. This is their 45th anniversary month. They have served churches in the northeastern states, North Carolina and California, and retired in September, 1975, at Lubbock.

## Folsom Retains Golf Title In City Tourney

B. Folsom birdied the second hole in a sudden death playoff with Eddie Knight in the City Championship golf tournament Sunday, to retain his title of champion.

Scotty Belew won the first flight, with Wilson Marks runner-up. Rick Dry was winner in the second flight, with Leonard Smith and John Dry matching scores for second place. In the sudden death playoff, Smith hit a par on the first hole to gain the second spot.

In the third flight, Frank Antilley was first, with Bill Cathey winning runner-up spot.

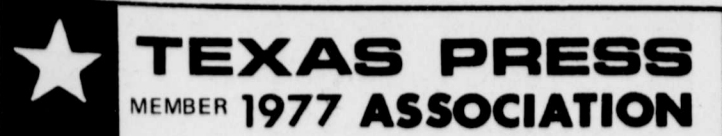
The next tournament at the Winters Country Club will be...



RIBS—Appearing as ribs of some giant animal against the clear sky are the steel girders of the school bus

barn now under construction. The striking picture is reproduced as a monotone, to give emphasis to the

design. The building is expected to be completed within a few weeks. (Staff photo by Joe Eckols)



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## EDITORIALS

### Council Should Call Election

Clifton Poe resigned from the City Council a few days ago for health reasons, leaving the city's governing body with only four aldermen and the mayor to conduct the city's business. With this limited number, it is sometimes difficult to have a quorum present to officially open a meeting.

This happened this week, as one alderman was absent for personal reasons, leaving only three to act.

As we understand the situation, the council has a choice of: leaving the seat vacant until the next election (Poe's term will end in April, 1978); appointing someone to serve the remainder of the unexpired term; or call a special election.

Leaving the seat vacant for the next several months would place an extra burden on the remaining aldermen, as each already has responsibility for his own department.

There would be nothing really wrong with appointing someone to serve the unexpired term—it has been done before—and the sitting council could be expected to act for the good of the town in making an appointment. There are many good men and women available.

However, in view of the very important decisions which are expected to be made within the next few months, it would seem the best route to follow would be to call a special election. Such action would give everyone an opportunity to have a voice in selection of the person to fill the post for at least a few months.

Cost of a special election would be minimal, and such election could be cause for more people to become interested in their city government. It would also indicate to the people that the sitting council is asking for public advice and cooperation in making their decisions. An election could be called and held within the next few weeks, building the council to full strength for the months ahead.

### CARD OF THANKS

My wife and family join me in saying thank each of you for your prayers, visits, flowers, cards, and telephone calls while I was in the Hendrick Hospital and since

I have come home. Our love and prayers are for all of you. —Bro. and Mrs. Virgil James; The Roy Rice Family; The Elwood Wade Family. 16-1tnc.



IMPROVEMENT—Mrs. Edna England, secretary of the Winters Chamber of Commerce, presents a plaque to Lonnie Fowler, whose Quick

Stop Grocery was chosen in the business improvement program sponsored by the chamber. —Staff Photo by Joe Eckols.

## "Worms" Is Good Investment, Say Local Worm Farmers

By JOE ECKOLS

The newest and most unusual industry to arrive on the Winters scene is the cultivation and sale of earthworms.

But the supply of fishermen is not the goal aimed at by the local growers.

On a national scale, laboratories are soliciting private individuals to raise hybrid red wiggler earthworms, which may be resold to supply scientist for experimental use.

According to one local worm grower, Joe Pritchard of Wingate, worms are already in great demand for such purposes as components in farm fertilizer, livestock and pet food additives, a base for many cosmetics, an countless other potential uses. Pritchard said that scientists are currently studying worms for use as a possible food source for human consumption.

In addition to being an independent worm grower, Pritchard and his wife Donna will soon assume management of a worm distributor-

### Friendly Neighbors Meeting Recently

The Friendly Neighbors Club met in the home of Mrs. Willie Lois Nichols recently. Mrs. Charlsie Poe and Mrs. Alice Traylor told of their trip to Nashville, Tenn., and Washington, and showed pictures.

Present were Mesdames Erna Marks, Charlsie Poe, Tye Hunter, Hortie Baty, Lady Rodgers, Bertha Grisham, Alice Traylor, Flora McWilliams, Frances Campbell, Kay Rose, Willie Lois Nichols and Mrs. Allen.

### CARD OF THANKS

The family of W. F. (Frank) Brown would like to express our appreciation to all our friends and neighbors for all the acts of kindness, beautiful floral offerings, food, and your prayers during the recent loss of our husband and father. Special thanks to Spill Funeral Home and Bro. Leroy Burris for making this trying time a little easier. May God bless each of you. —Mrs. W. F. Brown and children. 16-1tp.

### Alpha Pi Delta To Meet June 25

Winters Alpha Pi Delta chapter will meet Saturday, June 25, at 10 a.m., in the Wingate Lions Club building.

A salad luncheon will be served and next year's activities will be planned.

All members have been urged to make special efforts to attend.

ship located in Abilene, and serving a wide area, including Winters. Pritchard will be a regional manager for a national worm supply company.

Presently in the Winters area, there are at least eight worm farmers with investments of up to 40 beds.

Worms are supplied to would-be farmers through various organizations which sell the worms by beds or by approximate weight to re-plant a bed or bin.

John G. Key Jr., another worm grower in Winters, said, "All a farmer must do is secure the worms from a supply house and then maintain them in a somewhat temperature controlled environment, and with daily feeding, the worms do the rest."

Temperature control which Key refers to is an optimum growth climate for earthworms, 70 degrees F.

The beds themselves are constructed in a 3 foot by 8 foot rectangle, with a depth of 6 to 12 inches, and painted with a non-toxic paint. The beds are prepared with a peat moss substance, dirt, manure, or a mixture of these. The manure can also serve as a food source for the worms as well as a growth environment, Key said.

Each bed serves as a "home" for approximately 60,000 to 100,000 of the wigglers, or 25 to 50 pounds by weight. These worms begin to breed, lay eggs, and grow into mature two-inch worms in 60 to 75 days. This would mean a bed would double in number of worms with this period of time.

Worms are fed once a day, on a mixture of laying mash

and corn meal, or in some cases, manure which is mixed in the soil preparation.

Key said at present he was content to allow his investment to grow, but if he should decide to "harvest" his crop, they would be fed into a separator to select the mature worms from the eggs, young worms, and soil. The mature worms would be sold on a per-pound basis, he said.

Key said, "Present market value is between \$2.50 and \$2.75 per pound, with some speculation that the market may reach \$3.00 per pound this year . . . I hope," as he scattered feed among his 20 beds stored in a vacant

## Soil, Water District Meeting In Ballinger June 27

State Representative Tom Massey of San Angelo and Kenneth Krueger, district supervisor, Texas Water Quality Board at San Angelo will be the principal speakers at the West Texas Association of Soil and Water Conservation Districts' meeting in Ballinger on June 27.

J.M. Sterling, president of the organization, said that the meeting will begin at 10 a.m. in the Community Center. Registration will begin at 9:30 a.m.

Rep. Massey, who will discuss recent legislation, was chairman of the House Public Education Committee during the 65th Legislature. He also served on the House Administration and Natural Resources Committees.

Krueger will discuss pollution problems and permits as they pertain to agriculture. He supervises the Water Quality Board's District 9 area which consists of 20 counties.

Joe Antilley, chairman of the Texas State Soil and Water Conservation Board and Kenneth Kuykendall, president of the Association of Texas Soil and Water Conservation Districts will present reports on the activities of each organization.

Following the business session, a tour will be taken of the Mueller Supply Company.

Sixteen soil and water conservation districts are members of the West Texas Association. They include:

Upper Colorado, Upper Clear Fork, Concho, Middle Clear Fork, Mitchell, North

Concho River, Coke County, Runnels, Middle Concho, Sandhills, Mustang, Howard, Midland, Nolan County, Andrews and Central Colorado.

Current officers of the

organization are J.M. Sterling, president, Colorado City; J.D. Crawford, president

elect, Midland; and Cone Robinson, Sr., treasurer, Norton.

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By Ace Reid



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**19¢**

ARROW  
**Aluminum Foil**  
12 in. x 25 ft. ROLL  
**3 \$1** FOR

ARROW  
**DETERGENT** 49 oz. BOX  
**99¢**

KLEENEX BOTIQUE 4 ROLL PAK  
**Bathroom Tissue**  
**79¢**

ARROW LIQUID 32 oz. BOTTLE  
**Dish Detergent**  
**69¢**

ARROW  
**TRASH BAGS** 10 ct. PKG.  
**89¢**

ARROW  
**NAPKINS** 60 CT. PKG.  
**19¢**

FISHERS 4 oz. CAN  
**BLACK PEPPER**  
**59¢**

CRACKIN GOOD  
**SNACK PIES** 8 ct. PKG.  
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WYLER  
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**99¢**

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**Drinks** 12 oz. CAN  
**6 FOR 99¢**

SLICED SLAB  
**BACON** lb.  
**98¢**

SWIFTS 12 oz. PKG.  
**FRANKS**  
**65¢**

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**8 \$1** FOR

KOUNTRY FRESH OR YAMI  
**YOGURT** 8 oz. CARTON  
**3 \$1** FOR

CHIFFON SOFT lb. TUB  
**Whipped Oleo**  
**59¢**

GANDYS  
**COTTAGE CHEESE** 12 oz. CTN.  
**49¢**

BONELESS  
**STEW MEAT** lb.  
**98¢**

ECKRICH SMOKED  
**SAUSAGE** lb.  
**\$1 39¢**

W/D MARKET SLICED  
**BOLOGNA** lb.  
**79¢**

FRESH GROUND  
**Ground Chuck** lb.  
**98¢**

HORMEL  
**SPAM** 12 oz. CAN  
**99¢**

ARMOUR  
**Potted Meat** 3 oz. CAN  
**5 \$1** FOR

SWIFTS  
**VIENNA SAUSAGE** 5 oz. CAN  
**3 \$1** FOR

THRIFTYMAID MAC. & CHEESE  
**DINNERS** 7 1/4 oz. BOX  
**4 \$1** FOR

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**Peanut Butter** 28 oz. JAR  
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**5 \$1** FOR

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**COFFEE**  
**\$2 69**  
lb. CAN

GREEN  
**CABBAGE** 9¢ lb.  
**CARROTS** lb. BAG 15¢  
RED  
**ONIONS** 19¢ lb.

APRICOTS 39¢ lb.  
PT. CTN.  
**Strawberries** 49¢  
YELLOW  
**SQUASH** 19¢ lb.

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**BORDENS ICE CREAM**  
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HEAVY BEEF  
**CHUCK ROAST**  
lb. **59¢**

SEVEN BONE **Steak**  
**79¢**

12 oz. CAN  
**SPAM**  
**99¢**

**FYNTEX TOILET TISSUE**  
4 ROLLS **55¢**

SLICED SLAB **BACON**  
**99¢**

HEAVY BEEF  
**ARM ROAST**  
**83¢**

SHURFINE  
**PEACHES**  
29 oz. CAN **45¢**

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**CHEER**  
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20 oz. SHURFINE  
**PINEAPPLE** CAN **49¢**

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## Miss Mathis and Mr. Paschal Wed Saturday

Miss Shelia LaNell Mathis and Mr. Owen Keith Paschal were married at seven-thirty o'clock in the evening, Saturday, June 18, 1977, in the First Baptist Church in Winters.

The Rev. Murie Rogers of Ropesville officiated.

The bride is the daughter of Mrs. E.E. Mathis and the late E.E. (Pete) Mathis of Winters. The bridegroom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Kobert Paschal of the Shep Community.

Church decorations included an arch candelabra entwined with greenery and satin bows, and small branched candelabras with white tapers at the altar. A small table in front of the altar held the memory candle with greenery and white daisies.

Susan Conner was pianist, and Mr. and Mrs. Mike Ford sang.

Candlelighters were Debbie Carey of Winters and Christy Edwards of Winters, cousin of the bridegroom. Jennifer Denson of San Angelo was flower girl. Mark Mathis of Abilene, nephew of the bride, was ring bearer, and pages were Aaron Denson of San Angelo and Kolby Davidson of Big Spring, nephew of the bridegroom.

Jimmy Sims of Wichita Falls was best man, and ushers were Rickey Mathis of Winters and Wayne Jones of Dallas, cousins of the bride, and Micheal Dieke of Winters and Jimmy Grisham of Rotan, both cousins of the bridegroom.

Groomsmen were Jay Davidson of Big Spring, brother-in-law of the bridegroom, Jimmy Stitt of Irving, Sam Folsom of Wingate and Byron Jobe of Winters.

Jeanene Hoppe of Winters was maid of honor, and Mrs. Jack Davis Jr., of Winters, matron of honor. Bridesmaids were Fran Hoppe and Karen Krause of Winters, and JoAnn Blackmon of Bowie.

The brides attendants wore formal length dresses of light blue lace and royal blue

knit. Princess style bodices featured scoop necklines with light blue batiste overlaid with light blue scalloped edges. They wore light blue picture hats trimmed with royal blue ribbon tied in bows at the back of the crown, falling to the waists. They carried nosegays of daisies trimmed with baby's breath.

Given in marriage by her brother, Johnny Mathis, the bride wore a gown of sheer organza over tulle with a sweetheart neckline, fashioned with an empire waist overlaid with lace and encrusted with pearls. Long organza sleeves were fitted at the wrist with ruffled edges and lace, with lace appliques encrusted with pearls on the upper arm. The skirt formed a long chapel train trimmed with lace.

There were lace appliques encrusted with pearls on the skirt. Her chapel veil of tulle edged in lace fell from a Juliet cap trimmed with lace and seed pearls with the blusheu attached to the crown. She carried a colonial arrangement of daisies.

Following the ceremony, a reception was hosted by Cathy Colburn, Cheryl Colburn, Susan Williams and Shelly Hamner. The bride's table was covered with white, the bride's bouquet and two candelabra centered the table.

A four tiered bride's cake decorated with daisies and blue rosebuds and a crystal punch bowl decorated the table.

The bridegroom's table was covered with a white cloth and a German chocolate cake edged with a blue ruffled was a centerpiece.

The bride is a 1977 graduate of Winters High School and is employed by Wallace Murray Corp.

The bridegroom is a 1972 graduate of Winters High School, and a 1973 graduate of Ryder Technical Institute of Dallas. He is employed in Abilene.

Mr. and Mrs. Paschal will live on Route 2, Winters.



MRS. KEITH PASCHAL

### Volunteer "Friends" Needed

If you have two extra hours per week, you can fill a great need by serving as a volunteer to be a friend to a youngster in Rannels County, according to Mary Frances Warren, volunteer coordinator in Abilene for the Region 4 office of the Texas Department of Public Welfare.

"We primarily need persons in the upper teens to adults in a 'Big Buddy' type situation," she said, "to help older elementary school age children to high school age students who have been disciplinary problems in the past."

She said the two-hour period per week would be spent "by being a friend to the youngster." This could include a visit with the youngster, including them in one of the family's pleasure activities, or whatever would help the individual.

"This is our greatest need for volunteers at this time," she said, "but we also could use volunteers in our aging and other programs associ-

ated with DPW."

Persons interested in serving as a volunteer for any DPW program should contact either Mrs. Warren at 915-698-2434; or Lynne Sheen in Ballinger at 915-365-5012.

### Martha SS Class Meeting Recently

Martha Sunday School Class of the First Baptist Church met Tuesday with Mrs. Thelma Mayo. Mrs. Parrie Carwile was in charge of the meeting, and Mrs. Pearl Jackson led the opening prayer.

Officers elected included Mrs. Pearl Jackson, teacher; Mrs. Baines, assistant teacher; Miss Eunice Polk, president; Mrs. Alice Jones, vice president; Mrs. Thelma Mayo, secretary-treasurer; Mrs. Emma Marks, assistant treasurer; Mrs. Lady Rodgers, social secretary.

A year book committee was named.

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## Krueger's Kolumn

By Cong. Bob Krueger  
1st Texas District

Communication is the name of the game.

As simple as it is, I learned the appropriateness of that phrase last week in front of a national television audience.

I had been asked to appear on the NBC Nightly News program opposite Presidential Press Secretary Jody Powell, just 24 hours after a House Sub-committee on Energy and Power had approved my amendment calling for gradual deregulation of natural gas prices.

The intent of the "confrontation" was to clarify some of the differences between my views on natural gas deregulation and those of the administration's. It is obvious that we share similar goals, to supply plentiful and economical fuel to the American people, but we differ in the way we think these goals can be attained. I also believe my amendment addresses itself to the very important issue of environmental impact, while the administration's proposed coal conversion plans seem to ignore some serious effects such a conversion can have on the environment.

Mr. Powell had made comments about my amendment, which calls for immediate deregulation only of a limited percentage of narrowly-defined "new" natural gas and for 5-year phased-in deregulation of offshore gas, to the effect that my amendment called instead for total and immediate deregulation.

Because my deregulation amendment pertains only to what is defined as "new natural gas," it would affect only about 10 per cent of the natural gas supply now available, but, at the same time, would provide incentive for further exploration, which means more jobs, more gas and, in the long run, more economical fuel for the consumer.

After Mr. Powell's statement, which he made from an elegantly furnished White

House office, the cameras returned to me in a stark television studio a few miles from the White House. I replied that the press secretary's comments were consummately and absolutely false, then time ran out, before I could explain the precise points of my amendment, points which Mr. Powell obviously had not had time to study.

It now falls upon me and other members of congress-without the aid of national television time-to go about the task of education the nation on the specifics of complex, yet extremely important, energy legislation.

After the brief national TV appearance, I did receive some unanticipated support, also at the national level.

Newsweek Magazine, in this week's edition, has done a 750-word profile concerning my efforts and that story puts into perspective some of the most confusing elements of natural gas deregulation and the role it plays in the overall energy picture.

Then, over the weekend, syndicated columnist George Will, in a nationally televised program, said "Bob Krueger has done more to resolve the energy crisis" than anyone in the administration.

That calibre of substantial support is appreciated, particularly when it comes from highly respected and objective sources such as a national magazine and a journalist with the integrity of Mr. Will, but it also points out the increasing importance of getting to the American people the information they need to help their legislators determine the route we must go to prevent energy shortages, to supply fuel at a reasonable price and to protect the environment.

That challenge, as complex and difficult as it is, is one I accept. I hope the people of Texas, and the entire nation, take the time to differentiate between off-the-cuff emotional rhetoric and responsible and scholarly reaction.

### Sister of Local Man Died In San Angelo

Mrs. Clo Collier, 64, of Big Lake, died June 10 in the San Angelo Clinic following a long illness.

She was a sister of T.A. McMillan of Winters.

Funeral services were held June 11 at San Angelo.

Her husband died in 1966.

Survivors include a brother, T.A. McMillan of Winters, and a sister, Mrs. T.A. Park of San Angelo.

### Dale Sewing Club Meeting Recently

The Dale Sewing Club met Tuesday in the home of Mrs. Clarence Hambricht. Members worked on a quilt.

Present were Mesdames Carl Baldwin, I. W. Rodgers, Oliver Wood, Jack Whittenberg, Clarence Hambricht.

The next meeting will be June 28 with Mrs. Whittenberg.

### Drum Majors Attend School

Winters Blizzard Band drum majors Rhonda Carter and Fran Hoppe attended the Majorettes of America summer camp at Blinn College, Brenham, June 12-16. Field procedures, salutes, conducting, and mace handling were among the areas of instruction. Dwight Hudson, Ohio State University drum major, was instructor.

The Winters girls received excellent and superior ratings for their efforts.



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**GOT 'IM!**—The first cowboy's rope settles around the horns of a steer, as the heel roper prepares to make his underthrow for the back legs of the animal, during the steer roping contests held at the Winters Rodeo Association arena Sunday afternoon. The association will sponsor several steer roping events during the summer, in addition to play days for the younger riders. There will be a play day at the arena this weekend.

**Golf**

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In the First Flight, Louise Davis and June Marks were tied for first, but Davis beat Marks on the first hole of the sudden death playoff.

Second flight winner was Melba Emmert, and a sudden death playoff for second

place was won by Lottie Cummings over Patsy Rogers.

Fifteen women participated in the tournament, including Sandy Griffin, Joanie McAdoo, LaJuan Sprinkle, Lois West, Vinnie Knight, Beth Whitlow, Jean Owen, and Hattie Bell Bishop.

**O'Connor's Column**

If pilling forms on surface of your double knit, they can be safely removed with an electric razor.

Men's slacks that are washable should be cleaned every 6-8 washings to retain shape.

**Spot and Stain Remover:**  
Meat tenderizers are good for treating protein stains. Work dry cleaning fluid into stain and allow time for it to evaporate. Then cover the stain with liquid detergent and a little water. Finally, sprinkle spot with meat tenderizer.

Use hair spray to remove ballpoint pen ink stain. Spray ink stain until it is thoroughly wet, then let it dry completely. Put the article into your washing machine.

Thick stain, like those containing flour or tar should be treated first by lifting or scraping off the worst of it before you apply anything to dissolve the residue. Small, dry crusty stains can often be completely removed this way, and no further treatment is necessary.

Do not try to rub thick stains while they are wet. They will only be rubbed in more deeply.

It may seem strange, but some stains are invisible. Many fruit juices and drinks disappear into the fabric and leave no visible stain, though the sugars are deposited there. Dry cleaning fluids do not dissolve them. Pressing leaves a brown stain that is impossible to remove. So when you spill juice on a fabric, have it flushed out promptly with clear water, even though the stain is invisible.

**Marinades—Flavor Enhancers**

The mild flavor of light-weight beef can be enhanced by marinades. Marinades are usually a combination of an acid such as vinegar, citrus juice, tomato juice, sauce or catsup, liquor or wine or fruit juice and a cooking oil with your favorite herbs and spices. Mechanically tenderized beef or meat tenderizers may also enhance the quality of the prepared meat.

Here are some suggested marinades for your favorite beef cuts:

- Basic Marinade for Beef**
- Garlic powder
- Pepper
- Meat tenderizer
- 2 cups dry red wine
- 1/4 cup soy sauce
- 1/2 cup salad oil
- 2 tablespoons lemon juice
- 1 bay leaf

Sprinkle meat with garlic powder, pepper and meat tenderizer; prick meat with sharp-tined fork to help tenderizer to work. Mix all other ingredients. Place meat in non-metal container and cover with marinade. Let stand in refrigerator overnight. This should make a thick-sliced chuck roast perfectly acceptable for grilling.



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**Merrill Nursing Home News**

Last Tuesday was Flag Day. We carried the flag theme out in our combined birthday party and a bus tour to our nations capitol. Lucille Tierce and Charlsie Poe told of many interesting things on their recent tour of the eastern states. Those having birthdays in June are Tom Harrell, June 2; Anna Belle Hatler, 14; and Audrey Martin, 19. Karlene Eastman provided the special music.

We wish to thank Gladys Mathis for the beautiful cake she brought to the home for all to enjoy, to Bertha Davis for the puzzles, and Feraldine Brown for the nice package she left for our crafts.

Carolyn Nelson and Nannie Brooks are back with us after spending several days in North Runnels Hospital. Our sweetheart, Anna Cooke is somewhat improved, but is still in Galveston hospital.

Julis Hinds, Ruth McDaniel and R. C. Kurtz, are our

newest residents. We hope their stay with us will be a pleasant one.

The Bingo Champ Banner has hung on Amanda Waldrups door for two weeks, but we have heard threats about it being moved this week.

Coffee beans are actually the pits of the red, cherry-like coffee fruit.



Mount Everest, the earth's highest peak (29,028 feet) located in the Himalayas, is so high at its summit that it penetrates the jet stream. Winds that sometimes reach 200 mph blow snow from its peak.

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