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Blizzard Relays scheduled here Saturday

Rural Water Corp. election set March 24

Three members of the North Runnels Water Supply Corp. will be elected to the board of directors at the annual meeting of the non-profit water distribution corporation, scheduled for March 24, in the Winters Community Center. The meeting will begin at 7:30 p. m.

Ballots for the election have been sent to all members of the corporation, and are to be returned by mail or brought to the annual meeting. A member from each of three areas in the district will be elected to the board. Board members serve for three-year terms. On the ballot for the annual meeting are:

Group 1: Leon Frerich, incumbent; Roger Bryan. Group 2: Joe Vancil, Keith Collom. Group 3: Gilbert Smith, L. Q. Sneed. Members also may write in choices.

Present officers and board members are E. F. Albro, president; Hudon White, vice president; Morris Robinson, secretary-treasurer; and members, Joe Vancil, Wayne King, Cecil Tekell, R. Q. Marks, Leon Frerich and A. L. Mitchell. Members serve without pay.

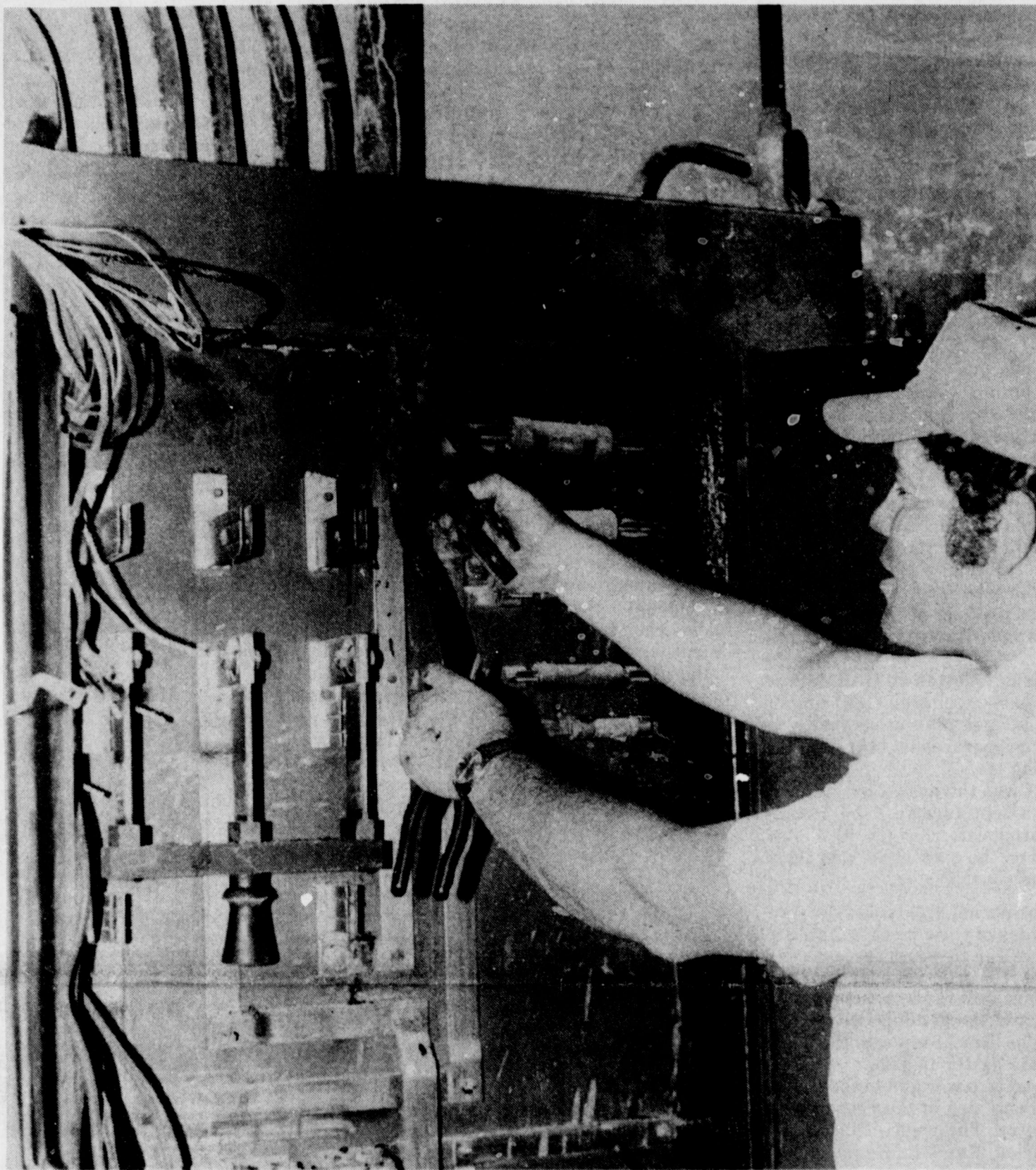
All members of the water supply corporation have been urged to attend this annual meeting.

Jaycees will have Turkey Shoot Mar. 16.

Winters Jaycees will sponsor a turkey shoot, Sunday, March 16.

The shoot will be held in the afternoon, at Fort Chadbourne. Directions to reach the shoot site are: Go out the Wingate highway, turn left at the blinker light, go 6 miles and turn left at the Exxon sign.

Proceeds from the shoot will be used by the Jaycees on their community projects.



Electrical Fire

Cecil Sudduth, maintenance superintendent for Winters Public Schools, tears out some of the burned wiring in a switch and fuse box of the high school building. The wiring shorted out last week, and the resulting fire burned the insulation from all the wiring in the box. As a result, there was no electrical power in the high school building for several hours; emergency hookups were made from outside lines in some instances to provide electricity. Although

damage was extensive to the wiring, school officials said there was no danger of fire in the building, because the structure is of masonry. Had there been a lot of wood next to the burning wiring, it was indicated, it might have been a different story. It was also stressed that, even though the present wiring in the building is old, there is no immediate danger. School officials are studying replacing all the wiring in the building.

The annual Blizzard Relays, an invitational track and field meet, will be held at the Winters school track Saturday, March 15, with teams from eight schools participating.

There will be two divisions competing, varsity girls and varsity boys.

A scratch meeting will be held at 9 a. m., with the field events and prelims beginning at 9:30.

Finals will be run in the afternoon, beginning at 2 o'clock.

Trophies, medals and ribbons will be awarded winners and placers in both divisions.

Those persons who will be working the meet are asked to be

at the bus barn by 9 a. m., to prepare for the meet.

Admission will be 50 cents and \$1 for adults.

The longest standing record for the relays is in the discus event, which was set in 1964 by Mike Patterson, of Winters High School, with a distance of 163-1.

Another long standing record is in the 220 yard dash, which LeRoy Kettler, also a Blizzard, set in 1965, and which has not been broken in the relays. He made the distance in 2.0.

The Blizzard Relays Records may be found elsewhere in this issue of *The Enterprise*.

Local option election set for April 3

Runnels County Commissioners Tuesday set April 3 for a local option election, to legalize the sale of alcoholic beverages in Justice Precinct 2, according to an announcement from the County Clerk's office Tuesday morning.

Voters will cast ballots in voting precincts 3, 4, 5 and 6.

Justice Precinct 2 includes all of Winters, east to the county line, north to the Taylor County line, west to the county line, including Wingate community, and including the Norton community, according to County Clerk Frankie Berryman.

Berryman said an application

for a petition to call an election was filed Jan. 21, with the required number of names affixed. He said petitions were returned Feb. 19, with 430 signatures. He said 38 of the signatures on the petition were declared invalid, but that the remaining 392 were more than enough to meet the required 363. Number of signatures on such a petition is dictated by state statute, and must number at least 35 percent of the total number of voters who voted in the preceding governor's election, in the precinct.

The original application for the petition contained 10 signatures of persons residing in the precinct, Berryman's office said.

"REFLECTIONS"

BY RICHARD C. THOMAS

The Winters High School was built in 1926, and is a sturdy, well-constructed, if old, building, in contrast to many such buildings which have gone up during the past couple of decades. It needs repair in some areas, but for structural soundness, it would be hard to beat.

All of which points out that what happened up there last week could have been much more serious and dangerous than it actually was. The electricity shorted out in some place in the building, and the insulation on the wiring in the big fuse and switch box in the basement boiler room boiler room caught fire and was completely destroyed. The fire didn't travel, but went out a short distance from the box. A transformer on a pole outside the building was destroyed, however.

The very nature of the building itself prevented a big fire, according to engineers who took a look at it after the fire. Had there been a lot of wood around the wiring, the entire building might have gone up in flames. There is no danger, school authorities said, even though some of the wiring is of ancient vintage, and should be changed. We understand just such a program is in the mill.

Even though the electricity was off for a couple of days, school activities were continued. And

power was back on within a relatively short time, due to the fast action on the part of members of the school board, the school administration, and the regular maintenance crews. Engineers were called in to make recommendations, and everything is about back to normal this week. There has got to be a lot of work done to prevent this type of thing from happening again, but everyone concerned seems to be on top of the situation.

Which brings up another thought, which has been rolling around in the back of my mind for some years: Isn't it about time the people of this community begin to think seriously of doing something about a new building? The school district at this time has no bonded indebtedness, so a bond issue to build a new building for high school use should be accepted without too much fuss. Of course, if this had been ten—or even five—years ago, total cost would have been about half what it would be now... and construction costs are never going to be any lower; we may as well face it. We can sit on our "no bonded indebtedness" fat and sassy for a while... but the day of reckoning is bound to come. Perhaps it's time we started giving some thought to at least exploring the idea.



DR. KENNETH PATRICK

Revival to begin Sunday at First Baptist

Dr. Kenneth Patrick, pastor of the First Baptist Church of Big Spring, will be the evangelist for a revival at the First Baptist Church of Winters, beginning Sunday, March 16, and continuing through Friday, March 21.

Chris Hubbard of Colorado City will direct the music.

Services will be held each weekday at 10 a. m. and 7:30 p. m., and on Sunday at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m., the Rev. Fred Thomas, pastor of the church, said.

The public has been invited to attend these services.

FB tax meeting Tuesday

Runnels County Farm Bureau, in cooperation with the Runnels County Tax Assessor's office, will sponsor a meeting next Tuesday, March 18, to help inform all county landowners of the new tax laws and the steps necessary to meet the changes in evaluation and assessment regulations.

The meeting will be held in the district courtroom in Ballinger, beginning at 7:30 p. m. Bill Bounds, of the Texas FB legislative office in Austin, will headline the program. Information regarding local evaluations will be presented by the Runnels County Tax Assessor's office.

Sponsors reminded that the deadline for eligible landowners to apply for agricultural land tax relief is fast approaching. "This tax relief was made possible, first, by the passage of the Tax Relief Amendment to the Constitution in November, 1978," Farm Bureau spokesmen said, "and then by the subsequent tax relief package passed by the 66th Legislature in 1979."

All Runnels County landowners and local taxing authorities and boards have been invited to attend this meeting.



Miss Winters 1980

SiLes Fisher, a junior student in Winters High School, was chosen "Miss Winters 1980," in the Miss Winters Pageant held Saturday night. The event is sponsored by the Winters Lions Club. First and second runnersup were Jeannie Walker, a senior, and Sandy O'Dell, a junior student. Miss Winters '80 will represent the

Winters Lions Club at the Lions District 2-A1 convention later this spring. She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Les Fisher, and is a cheerleader and plays basketball. Miss Walker is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Walker of Wingate. Miss O'Dell is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Franklin O'Dell.

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Poe's Corner
 BY CHARLES POE

First Baptist Church to Observe 90th Anniversary

Never let it be said that Baptists lack enthusiasm when a project is started. Early last year a steering committee was elected to lead in preparation for the 90th anniversary celebration of the First Baptist Church organized March 22, 1890.

Sunday, March 23, was selected as the anniversary day and plans set in motion for the program, activities and selection of a slogan.

Darlene Sims had already written an original song entitled "My Hometown Church" for the occasion and with the selection of the slogan, BRAVE PAST - BOLD FUTURE, she came up with a theme song entitled, "God Leads the Way."

The choir sang this song Sunday morning and taught it to the congregation Sunday night.

The chorus is as follows:
 "Time marches on and God leads the way,
 As we work together to serve every day,
 We are ninety years old, and still going strong,
 We have a brave past and a bold future."

This song will be heard often from now until the 90th observance is over.

Members are encouraged to wear pioneer dress on March 23. Program for the day includes Sunday School and Church in the morning featuring a great speaker, Dr. Elwin Skiles of Abilene, former president of Hardin-Simmons University, will bring the morning message. A covered dish luncheon will be served at noon with a program of music and time of reminiscing to follow at 1:30. Bill Denton of San Angelo will present a quartet of gospel singers. This will conclude the days activities. There will be no night service.

The invitations committee kept church members busy searching for names and addresses of former members in order to send them invitations. If anyone has been omitted it was due to lack of information.

The historic exhibit committee is looking for display items and anyone who has anything pertaining

to church history please notify Mary Watkins or Loretta Pierce.

This past week has been a busy one as members went to the church to have their pictures made for a church directory, and everyone will be in living color. Another souvenir of the 90th year.

Sunday, March 16, has been designated as high attendance day and the first day of a revival with Dr. Kenneth Patrick of Big Spring doing the preaching. Chris Hubbard of Colorado City will lead the singing. Services will end Friday night.

The church began with eighteen people who met in the one-room schoolhouse, soon after it was erected with volunteer labor, and organized the first church of the community. It was called Bethel Baptist until 1903, when the name was changed to Winters Baptist. It eventually became the First Baptist Church.

Citizens had met in the school building, the only public meeting place, two months earlier to name the new town "Winters." If the building were still standing it would be in the middle of the block on Main Street, across the street from the present First Baptist parsonage.

Rev. J. W. George was elected pastor for the remainder of the year - "on motion second Sunday and Saturday were fixed as regular meeting days." Rev. W. S. Maddox, missionary, served as moderator for the organization.

I can claim no credit for this but seven of my ancestors were among the 18 members. My great-grandparents, the H. C. Mitchells and their son Henry; my grandparents, Dr. and Mrs. Robert Cooke and his sister and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Wilson. I never knew any of them except my grandparents and Uncle Henry but they were building for the future. Dr. Cooke was the first Sunday School Superintendent. He and A. J. Roper and H. C. Mitchell were received as deacons.

The first house of worship was built in 1906, on West Pierce Street, now the Ella Seals home. In April the members met and put up hitching posts on the church grounds. Work was also begun on a parsonage, and was done by volunteer workers.

In Feb. 1910, the gas lights were discarded and electricity was installed. In 1913 a large lot was bought at the crossing of Main Street and Truett Avenue, and the new building was completed in 1915. In 1920 the church was free of debt, and in 1921 the basement was used as a primary public school due to the crowded situation in the public schools.

In 1923, H. H. Stephens followed C. H. Riddle as pastor. It was voted to have a church bell to ring on Sunday morning. The budget plan of finance was adopted. The next year property west of the church was bought for a parking lot.

Dr. George W. Truett was the evangelist for a revival in 1926, held in a tent furnished by Harley Sadler, comedian and producer.

The tent was erected on the parking lot and there were 42 additions to the church.

In the next three-year period, lights were installed outside on all four sides of the church building in an effort to stop theft of car tires and accessories. The church and parsonage were piped for gas, and new Sunday School rooms built in the basement and balcony. A kitchen was added and adults divided into two departments. The Rev. Stephens resigned and W. T. Hamor became pastor in 1928.

Our nation was plunged into war and in the period between 1940-45 five young men of the church gave their lives for our country. They were Nelson Lee Crockett, Truman Jeffries, Kenneth Henslee, Rex Gardner and Davis Rodgers.

"The dictates of the heart are the voice of fate." Schiller

L. L. Trott became pastor in 1945 after the resignation of the Rev. Hamor. In 1947, a Latin-American Mission was built and sponsored by the church. On May 28, 1950, Sunday School classes were moved into the new educational building. B. T. Shoemaker succeeded Rev. Trott, coming to Winters Nov. 19, 1950.

Oil was discovered in the area in 1950, this brought new people and new wealth. However, the farmers suffered a seven year drought but the church continued to grow and in 1953 sponsored the Southside Mission, erecting a building for them in 1956. The mission is now an independent church.

The years of 1950-64 saw 1,366 people received into the fellowship. The present sanctuary was built in 1958. In 1964, all church property was improved and the church observed the 75th anniversary along with the city.

Harry Grantz was pastor when the 80th anniversary was observed and Rev. Trott preached the sermon. Rev. Shoemaker brought the message for the 85th anniversary when David Crooks was pastor.

Fred Thomas came as pastor in June of 1977, and moved into a new parsonage in the latter part of the year. The church is now experiencing another era of growth. The educational building has been remodelled and improvements planned for the sanctuary.

We are looking forward to the 100th anniversary.

Better livestock disease control increases production & market

Vaccination of adult cattle by the Texas Agricultural Experiment Station (TAES), improved highly infected herds may make easier the identification of sources of continuing infection, according to findings of a research team at Texas A&M University.

Brucellosis is a costly worldwide disease affecting both livestock and humans.

In livestock, brucellosis can cause serious reproductive and economic losses and disrupt trade. In humans, the disease takes the form of undulant fever.

Improved methods for the differentiation of infected and vaccinated animals is a primary objective of the research team, according to Dr. Ray Loan, associate dean of the College of Veterinary Medicine at Texas A&M University.

Long range, the group of scientists seeks to prevent this costly disease. Through research coor-

Income tax filing deadline near for some corporations

Corporations ending their tax year on December 31 must file a 1979 federal income tax return by Monday, March 17, the Internal Revenue Service says.

Those corporations which need additional time to file should submit Form 7004 by March 17 to receive an automatic extension.

In either case, corporations must deposit at least 50 percent of the

balance due in an authorized commercial bank or Federal Reserve Bank when they file their return or application for extension. Federal Tax Deposit (FTD), Form 503, must be used for deposits, the IRS said.

IRS Publication 542, "Corporations and the Federal Income Tax," provides additional information and is available free from local IRS offices.

crazy-cow syndrome.

Yellow-liver disease which affects deer, sheep, and goats is still being studied.

In other studies, a blue-tongue vaccine for sheep is being developed.

The poultry, fish, and swine industries are also benefiting from research on disease problems and through diagnostic services and disease control programs.

Problems of disease control in the State's growing fishpond farming may be greatly simplified by an innovative method of fish vaccinations, developed by Station scientists, Loan says.

More rapid progress in livestock improvement and reproductive efficien-

cy is expected to result from Station research on the development of frozen embryo transplant techniques. The method promises to reduce embryo wastage and increase the usefulness of the new techniques.

"Further expansion of the growing, multi-billion dollar livestock industry is expected to be paced by an increasing Station research emphasis on better methods of livestock disease control and prevention," says Loan, who is assistant director of the Experiment Station.

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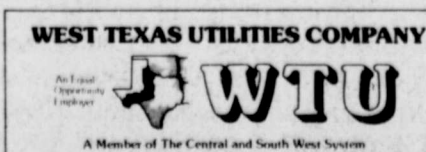


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Elementary, Junior High Honor Roll

FOURTH SIX WEEKS
 The following students of Winters Elementary and Junior High School made an average of 90 or above on all subjects for the fourth six-weeks period of the 1979-80 school year, George Beard, principal, has announced.

- FOURTH GRADE**
 None
- FIFTH GRADE**
 Jennifer Browning, Deedra Blackshear, Kevin Halfmann, Douglas Wheat, Michelle Wheeler.
- SIXTH GRADE**
 Allison Allcorn, Grady Bryan, Lana Rice, Stacy Rose, Allan Windham.
- SEVENTH GRADE**
 Kevin Busher, Marie Fisher, Stacey Grissom, Mandy Hancock, Tammy Murray.

EIGHTH GRADE
 Fidel Lujano, Scott Lancaster, Ketta Walker, Bill Wheat.

SECOND QUARTER
 The following students made an average of 90 or above on all subjects for the second quarter of the school year:

- FOURTH GRADE**
 None.
- FIFTH GRADE**
 Jennifer Browning, Douglas Wheat, Michelle Wheeler.
- SIXTH GRADE**
 Grady Bryan, Gina Rosson, Allan Windham.
- SEVENTH GRADE**
 Kevin Busher, Marie Fisher, Stacey Grissom, Mandy Hancock, Tammy Murray.
- EIGHTH GRADE**
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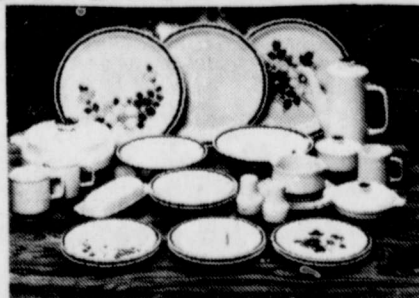
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Blackwell First Baptist Church last Wednesday night for the first time since her bad car accident about six months ago. She was walking with a crutch, but, was reported to be looking real good and was, as always, so jolly and happy. She has been home about two weeks.

The Women's Missionary Union of the Blackwell First Baptist Church met Thursday morning, March 6 at 9:30 at the church with 12 ladies attending.

Mrs. Buddy Trull called the meeting to order. Mrs. Olin Corley presided for the Week of Prayer program, "We Cannot Keep From Telling."

Those taking parts on the program were: Mmes. Ninnie Kinard, Thelma Smith, Charlie Strickland, Grady Patterson, Ben Noble, E. K. Finley, Willie Burwick, Buddy Trull and Kay Corley.

A covered dish luncheon was served at noon in the Fellowship Hall of the church and those attending were all the ladies mentioned and Bro. Buddy Trull, Charlie Strickland, Grady Patterson, Ben Noble and Kay Corley.

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with Mrs. Wilson's sister, Ruby Pinckard and friends, Willie Russell, Daisy Henderson, Maurine Brassell, Oletha Armstrong, Mandy Taylor and other friends.

As the old saying goes: Last Saturday, March 1, came in like "a lion" with high winds and lots of dust, so March should go out like "a lamb", but there has been high winds every day and several days some dust and cold weather, but still no rain.

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to say a special thanks to the Junior Culture Club for starting the fund for Glen, who suffered massive head injuries in a motorcycle accident in November. Also to the Winters State Bank for handling the account. To all our friends, we could not have made it through this crisis without your prayers and support. May God bless each of you. — Wayne and Jean Owen.

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Mrs. Cooke died Monday afternoon

Mrs. Earl Cooke, 83, died at 1:10 p. m. Monday at the Merrill Nursing Home where she had lived for the past six years. She had been in ill health for several months.

Services were held at 4 p. m. Wednesday in Winters Memorial Chapel, with her nephew, the Rev. James Gehrels, officiating, assisted by the Rev. Robert Holloway, pastor of the First United Methodist Church.

Burial was in Fairview Cemetery under the direction of Winters Funeral Home.

She was born Nola Ada Hinds, Dec. 9, 1896, at Cleburne. The family moved to a farm north of Winters in 1905 and shortly thereafter moved to Winters. She had lived in Winters for more than 70 years.

She married Earl Cooke, June 4, 1914, at Winters.

She was a member of the First United Methodist Church of Winters.

She is survived by her husband and several nieces and nephews. Pallbearers were Marvin Bedford, Fred Young, Lee Harrison, Granville Long, Richard Hamilton, Bill Robinson, Ralph Lloyd, and James (Sonny) Hall.

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to thank everyone who sent us gifts for our new baby. Everything is greatly appreciated and will be used with pleasure. — Mr. and Mrs. Marty James Watley and Family.

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PUBLIC NOTICE

ELECTION ORDER AND NOTICE
 THE STATE OF TEXAS
 COUNTY OF RUNNELS

On this the 12th day of February, 1979, the Board of Trustees of Wingate Independent School District convened in regular session, open to the public, with the following members present, to-wit: G. F. Smith, President, Suvern O'Dell, Thurman Self, Raymond Lindsey, Hollis Dean, and the following absent: Brent Mikeska, Larry Donica, constituting a quorum, and among other proceedings had by said Board of Trustees was the following:

WHEREAS, the term of office of Raymond Lindsey, Thurman Self, Hollis Dean, members of the Board of Trustees of this School District will expire on the first Saturday in April, 1980, said first Saturday being April 5, 1980, and on said date a trustee election will be held in said School District.

WHEREAS, it is necessary for this Board to pass an order establishing the procedure for filing for and conducting said trustee election;

THEREFORE, BE IT ORDERED BY THE BOARD OF TRUSTEES OF WINGATE INDEPENDENT SCHOOL DISTRICT:

1. That an election be held in said School District on April 5th, 1980, for the purpose of electing to the Board of Trustees of said District, three members.

2. That all requests by candidates to have their names placed upon the ballot for the above mentioned election shall be in writing and signed by the candidate and filed with the secretary of the Board of Trustees at the superintendent's office not later than 30 days prior to the date of sale election. All candidates shall file with said application the loyalty affidavit required by Art. 6.02 of the Election Code.

The Secretary of this Board of Trustees shall post on the bulletin board in the building where the Board of Trustees meets the names of all candidates that have filed their applications in accordance with the terms and provisions of this Order, and said Secretary shall otherwise comply with the terms and provisions of Art. 13.32 of the Election Code.

3. That said election shall be held at the following places, and the following named persons are hereby appointed officers for said election:

(a) In election precincts numbered Wingate Independent School District at Wingate School Building, in Wingate, Texas, in said School District, with Mrs. Kathleen Shedd as Presiding Judge and Mrs. Pete Polk and Mrs. Jack Patton, Clerks.

The polls at the above designated polling places shall on election day be open from 8:00 o'clock a. m. to 7:00 p. m. o'clock a. m.

4. Mrs. Kathleen Shedd is hereby appointed Clerk for absentee voting. The absentee voting for the above designated election shall be held at School Business office within the boundaries of the above named School District and said place of absentee voting shall remain open for at least eight hours on each day for absentee voting which is not a Saturday, a Sunday, or an official State holiday, beginning on the 20th day and continuing through the 4th day preceding the date of said election. Said place of voting shall remain open between the hours of 8:00 and

4:00 on each day for said absentee voting. The above described place for absentee voting is also the absentee Clerk's mailing address to which ballot applications and ballots voted by mail shall be sent.

5. The manner of holding said election shall be governed, as nearly as may be, by the Election Code of this state, and this Board of Trustees will furnish all necessary ballots and other election supplies requisite to said election.

7. Immediately after the votes have been counted, the officers holding said election shall make and deliver the returns of said election and perform all other duties as provided by the Election Code.

8. The Board of Trustees shall give notice of said election, and this combined Election Order and Notice shall serve as Notice for said election. The President of the Board of Trustees is hereby authorized and instructed to post or cause to have posted said combined Election Order and Notice at three public places where notices are customarily posted in this school district, and said posting shall be made at least 20 days before the date of said election.

The President shall also cause a copy of this combined Election Order and Notice to be published one time in a newspaper of general circulation in the county where this school district is located. Said publication shall be not more than 30 days nor less than 10 days before the date of said election.

It is further found and determined that in accordance with an order of the Board of Trustees, the Secretary posted written notice of the date, place and subject of this meeting on the bulletin board located in the central administrative office of this school district, a place convenient and readily accessible to the general public, and said notice, having been so posted, remained posted for at least 72 hours preceding the scheduled time of said meeting.

It is further found and determined that in accordance with an order of the Board of Trustees, the Secretary furnished a notice of the date, place and subject of this meeting to the county clerk of Runnels County, Texas, the county in which most, if not all, of this school district's pupils reside.

The above order being read, it was moved and seconded that the same do pass. Thereupon, the question being called for, the following members of the Board voted AYE: All, and the following voted NO: None.

3. Que dicha eleccion se llevara a cabo en los siguientes lugares, y las personas nombradas a continuacion se les nombra por la presente como oficiales de dicha eleccion:

(a) En los precinctos electorales numero Wingate Independent School District en el Edificio Wingate School en Wingate, Texas, en dicho Distrito Escolar, con Mrs. Kathleen Shedd como Juez Presidente y Mrs. Pete Polk y Mrs. Jack Patton, Escritorales.

Los sitios de votacion arriba designados se mantendran abiertos el dia de eleccion de las 8:00 a. m. a las 7:00 p. m.

4. A Mrs. Kathleen Shedd se le nombra Secretario de la votacion en ausencia. La votacion en ausencia para la eleccion arriba designada se llevara a cabo en School Business Office dentro de los limites del Distrito Escolar arriba nombrado y dicho lugar de votacion en ausencia se mantendra abierto por los menos ocho horas cada dia de la votacion en ausencia no siendo sabado, domingo o dia festivo oficial del Estado, principiando 20 dias y continuando hasta el cuarto dia anterior a la fecha de dicha eleccion. Dicho lugar de votacion se mantendra abierto de las 8 a las 4 horas cada dia de la votacion en ausencia. El lugar arriba descrito para la otacion en ausencia es tambien la direccion postal del secretario de la votacion en ausencia a la cual se podran enviar por correo solicitudes de boletas y tambien las boletas con votos.

6. La forma de llevar a cabo dicha eleccion sera gobernada, en todo lo posible, por elCodigo Electoral de este Estado, y este Consejo de Administradores suministrara todas las boletas necesarias asi como tambien otros materiales de votacion necesarios para dicha eleccion.

7. Inmediatamente despues de haberse contado los votos, los oficiales a cargo de dicha eleccion deberan completar y entregar los resultados de dicha eleccion y ejectar todos los deberes como esta provisto por elCodigo Electoral.

8. El Consejo de Administradores dara aviso de dicha eleccion, y esta combinacion de Orden de Eleccion y Aviso servira como Aviso de dicha eleccion. Al Presidente del Consejo de Administradores se le autoriza y ordena por la presente a colocar o causar que se coloque dicha combinacion de Orden de Eleccion y Aviso en tres lugares publicos en donde se acostumbra colocar avisos en este distrito escolar, llevando a cabo dicha colocacion por lo menos 20 dias anteriores a la fecha de dicha eleccion.

Ademas se encuentra y determina que de acuerdo con una orden del Consejo de Administradores, el Secretario coloco aviso escrito de la fecha, lugar y proposito de esta junta en la tabilla de avisos situada en la oficina central administrativa de este distrito escolar, un lugar conveniente y facilmente accesible al publico en general, y dicho aviso, habiendose colocado en esta forma, permanecio colocado por lo menos 72 horas anteriores a la hora programada para dicha junta.

Ademas se encuentra y determina que de acuerdo con una orden del Consejo de Administradores, el Secretario proporciono aviso de la fecha, lugar y proposito de esta junta al secretario del condado, Condado de Runnels, Texas, el condado en el cual residen la mayoria de, sino todos, los alumnos de este distrito escolar.

Habiendose dado lectura a lo anterior, se hizo la mocion y fue secundada para ser adoptada. Despues de llamado sobre esta pregunta, los siguientes miembros del Consejo votaron AFIRMATIVAMENTE: All, y los siguientes votaron NEGATIVAMENTE: None.

GILBERT SMITH
 Presidente, del Consejo de Administradores
 HOLLIS DEAN
 S. H., Acting Secretario del Consejo de Administradores.
 (March 13, 1980)

Noticia es hereby given that a City Officers' Election will be held on the 5th day of April, 1980, in the above named city for the purpose of electing the following officers for said city: three (3) Aldermen. Said election will be held at the following polling places in said city: In Election Precinct No. 2, at Fire Station Building; In Election Precinct No. 3, at Fire Station Building.

The polls at each of the above designated polling places shall on said election day be open from 8 o'clock a. m. to 7 o'clock p. m.

The absentee voting for the above designated election shall be held at City Hall Building, in said city, and said place of absentee voting shall remain open for at least 8 hours on each day of absentee voting which is not a Saturday, Sunday or an official State holiday, beginning on the 20th day and continuing through the 4th day preceding the date of said election. Said place of voting shall remain open between the hours of 8 o'clock a. m. and 4 o'clock p. m.

Dated this 22nd day of February, 1980.

(Se da aviso por la presente que se llevara a cabo una Eleccion de Funcionarios de la Ciudad el dia 5th de abril de 1980, en la ciudad arriba mencionada para el proposito de elegir a los siguientes funcionarios para dicha ciudad: three (3) Concejales. Dicha eleccion se llevara a cabo en los siguientes lugares de votacion en dicha ciudad: El Precincto Electoral Num. 2 en el Edificio Fire Station; El Precincto Electoral Num. 3 en el Edificio Fire Station.

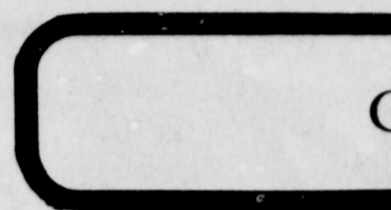
Los sitios de votacion arriba designados para dicha eleccion se mantendran abiertos en el mencionado dia de elecciones de las 8 a. m. a las 7 p. m.

La votacion ausente para la eleccion arriba designada se llevara a cabo en el Edificio City Hall, en dicha ciudad, y dicho lugar de votacion ausente se mantendra abierto por lo menos ocho horas en cada dia de votacion ausente no siendo sabado, domingo o dia festivo oficial del Estado, principiando 20 dias y continuando hasta el cuarto dia anterior a la fecha de dicha eleccion. Dicho lugar de votacion se mantendra abierto de las 8 a. m. a las 5 p. m.

Fecha esta dia 22nd de february de 1980.)

W. LEE COLBURN
 Mayor (Alcalde)
 (March 13, 1980)

NOTICE OF CITY OFFICERS' ELECTION
(AVISO DE ELECCION DE FUNCIONARIOS DE LA CIUDAD)
 Winters, Texas



Lord grant me patience—but I want it right now.

Only 7 families attended our supper Saturday night but we had a wonderful meal and everyone enjoyed themselves. Mrs. Allen Bishop and Mrs. Rodney Faubion were the hostesses and a St. Patrick's theme was carried out, including Irish potatoes as centerpieces. The next supper will be the second Saturday in April.

Our sympathy goes out to the family of Mr. Roy Lee, who was buried in the Crews Cemetery on Friday. He was born and raised out here.

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Brevard, Mr. and Mrs. Harvad Morrison, Mrs. Corra Petrie, Mrs. Hazel Mae and Russell Bragg ate out at the Huffman House in Winters Sunday after church services. Mrs. Lemma Fuller Coleman and Mrs. Hoarce Stokes of Talpa came to see Clyde and Vivian Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Cooper attended the San Angelo Rodeo on Friday.

Those enjoying Sunday dinner in the Rodney Faubion home Sunday were Bro. and Mrs. Lynn Means and their two boys of Brownwood, Mr. and Mrs. Allen Bishop and boys, and Mr. and Mrs. Theron Osborne.

Mr. and Mrs. Doug Bryan entertained two birthdays with a dinner Sunday for Dewitt and Lelan Bryan on their birthdays. About 20 attended.

Naomi Circle meeting Tuesday

The Naomi Circle of United Methodist Women met with Mrs. Walter Lange Tuesday, with twelve ladies present. Bertha Sharp led the opening prayer, and Jewel Mitchell was leader of the program on "The Parables of Jesus - Glimpses of the New Age."

Beatrice Traylor, Lillie Rose, Cary Foster, Jewel Mitchell, Ethel Bridwell, Willie Lois Nichols participated on the program.

Eastern Star meeting Monday

Winters Chapter No. 80, Order of the Eastern Star, will have a stated meeting Monday, March 17, at 7:30 p. m.

All area Eastern Star members have been invited to attend this meeting.

Visiting over the weekend with the Marion Woods were Mr. and Mrs. Earl Hokit of Sonora and Frances and Darla Mincey of Big Springs.

Mrs. Theron Osborne and Mr. and Mrs. B. G. Eggeny and children of Wall came on Monday and visited the Burley Campbells.

The Donald Alcorns of Ballinger were out to see the Wilbert Alcorns on Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Hambricht and Mr. and Mrs. Carl Baldwin of Winters were out for supper and 42 with Mrs. Effie Dietz on Wednesday night. Miss Clara McKisack came on Thursday and had supper. Mrs. Lilly and Selma Osborne came on Saturday.

Several families from out here attended the Lee funeral on Friday.

Mrs. L. A. Faubion of Ballinger and Mrs. Noble Faubion were shopping in Abilene on Tuesday. Mr. L. A. Faubion spent the

day enjoying every minute out here with his son Noble on the farm.

I accompanied Mary Kurtz of Winters to San Angelo Wednesday while she saw her doctor and spent some time with her boys Randall and Darrel. I spent time with my daughter Mr. and Mrs. Bill Villers.

Melinda and Kriss Sims and a group of youngsters of the Junior League Lutheran went mountain climbing Sunday afternoon. They all enjoyed a snack afterwards.

Mr. and Mrs. Tommy Moss and family spent the weekend with Mrs. Hazel Mae and Russell Bragg.

Mrs. Lemma Fuller of Coleman, Mrs. Alta Hale, and Mr. and Mrs. Hoarce Stokes of Talpa attended the Brownwood Musical Saturday night.

Mrs. Alta Hale visited around Coleman Sunday afternoon with friends, and also at the Holiday Hill. Mr. and Mrs. Sam Faubion and Mrs. Hazel Mae Bragg came by after church services Sunday night with Alta for coffee.

Kriss Sims twirled with the Clark Twirling Academy at the Miss Winters Pageant Saturday night.

NOTICE

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ORDEN Y AVISO DE ELECCION DEL ESTADO DE TEXAS (CONDADO DE RUNNELS)

En este dia 12th de February, de 1980, el Consejo de Administradores del Distrito Escolar Independiente de Wingate se reunio en sesion regular, abierta al publico, con los siguientes miembros presentes, a saber: G. F. Smith, Presidente; Suvern O'Dell, Thurman Self, Raymond Lindsey, Hollis Dean, y los siguientes ausentes: Brent Mikeska, Larry Donica, constituyendo un quorum y entre otras actas tomadas por dicho Consejo de Administradores se encuentra la siguiente:

EN VISTA de que el termino del puesto oficial de Raymond Lindsey, Thurman Self, Hollis Dean, miembros del Consejo de Administradores se vence el primer sabado de abril de 1980, dicho primer sabado siendo el 5 de abril de 1980, y en dicha fecha se llevara a cabo una eleccion de administradores en dicho Distrito Escolar.

EN VISTA de que es necesario que este Consejo pase una orden estableciendo el procedimiento para archivar y conducir dicha eleccion de administrador;

POR LO TANTO, SE ORDENA POR EL CONSEJO DE ADMINISTRADORES DEL DISTRITO ESCOLAR DE WINGATE:

1. Que se lleve a cabo una eleccion en dicho Distrito Escolar el dia 5 de abril, de 1980, para el proposito de elegir al Consejo de Administradores de dicho Distrito Escolar three members.

2. Que todas las solicitudes de candidatos a que se incluyan sus nombres en la boleta de la arriba mencionada eleccion, se haran por escrito y firmadas por los candidatos y archivadas con el secretario del Consejo de Administradores en la oficina del superintendente antes de lost 30 dias anteriores a la fecha de dicha eleccion.

Todos los candidatos deben agregar para que la solicitud sea archivada, el acta notarial de lealtad como lo requiere el Artículo 6.02 delCodigo Electoral.

El Secretario del Consejo de Administradores debe colocar en la tabilla de avisos en el edificio donde se reúne el Consejo de Administradores, los nombres de todos los candidatos que hayan archivado sus solicitudes de acuerdo con los terminos y provisiones de esta Orden, y dicho Secretario debera en toda forma, cumplir con los terminos y provisiones del Art. 13.32 delCodigo Electoral.

F. Cavazos died Friday at Junction

Froaylan (Fred) Cavazos, 78, died Friday morning in Junction following an illness of several months.

He was a former resident of Winters.

Funeral mass was held at 1 p. m. Monday in St. Theresa Catholic Church in Junction, with graveside services at 4:30 p. m. at Northview Cemetery in Winters, with the Rev. Edward Kennedy, officiating. Local arrangements were under the direction of Winters Funeral Home.

Miss Onken is student teacher

Susan Diane Onken of Weatherford began student teaching in the Perry (Okla.) High School March 10. She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. E. F. Onken of Weatherford, and the granddaughter of Mrs. William Patterson of Winters.

Miss Onken is a student in Oklahoma State University in Oklahoma.

NORTH RUNNELS HOSPITAL

REPORT

ADMISSIONS

March 4 No Admissions
 March 5 No Admissions
 March 6 Lula Pumphrey Paul Valverde
 March 7 Cathy Beltran John N. Clark
 March 8 A. L. Vinson Adjie Hodges
 March 9 No Admissions
 March 10 Melvin Mapes

DISMISSALS

March 4 No Dismissals
 March 5 Paula Powers
 March 6 Servera Reyes Rocinda Saucedo Eunice Swindle
 March 7 Charles Berry
 March 8 Cecil Smith Paul Valverde Cathy Beltran, trans. John N. Clark, exp.
 March 9 No Dismissals
 March 10 T. W. Norman A. L. Vinson

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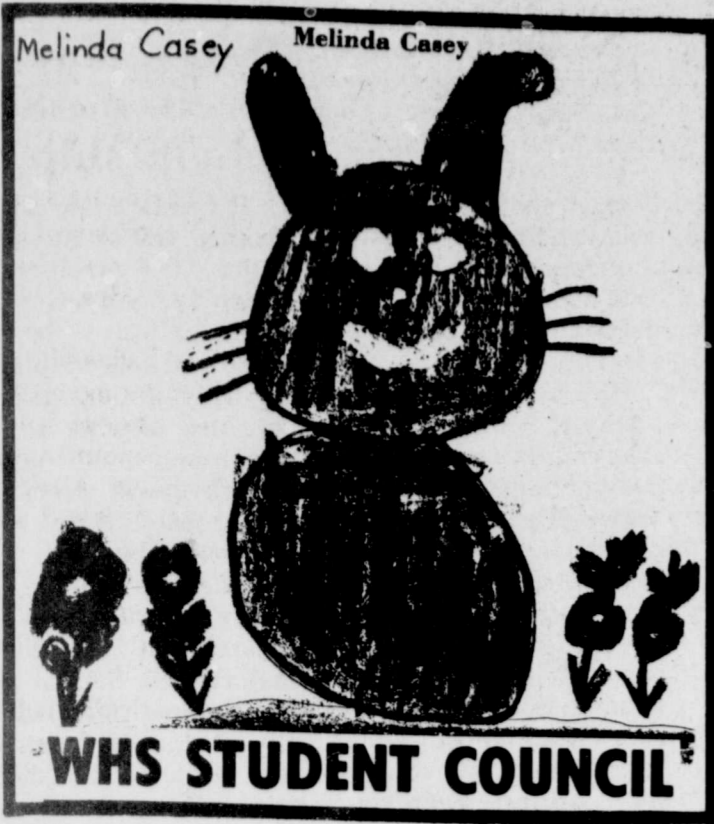
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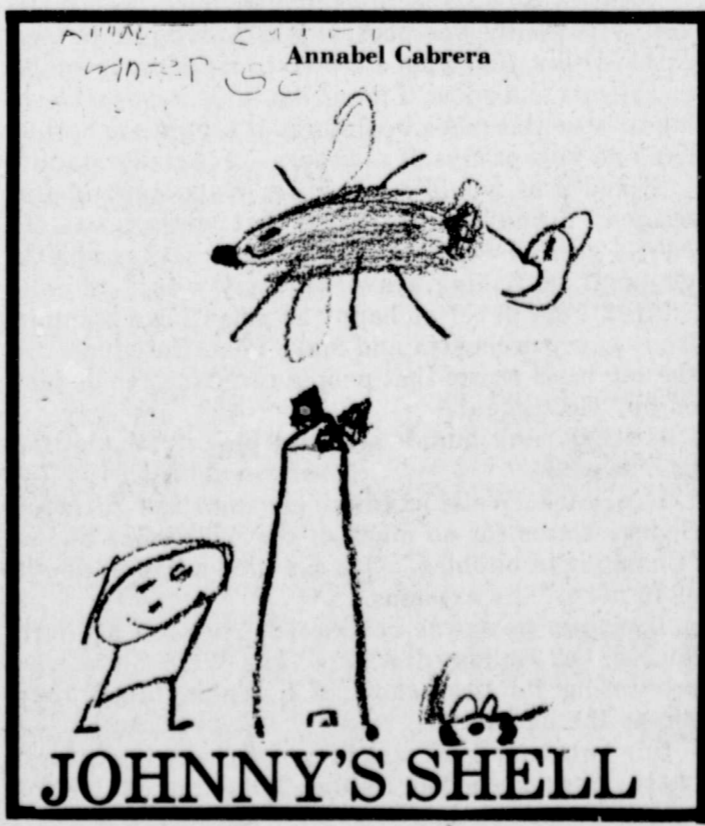
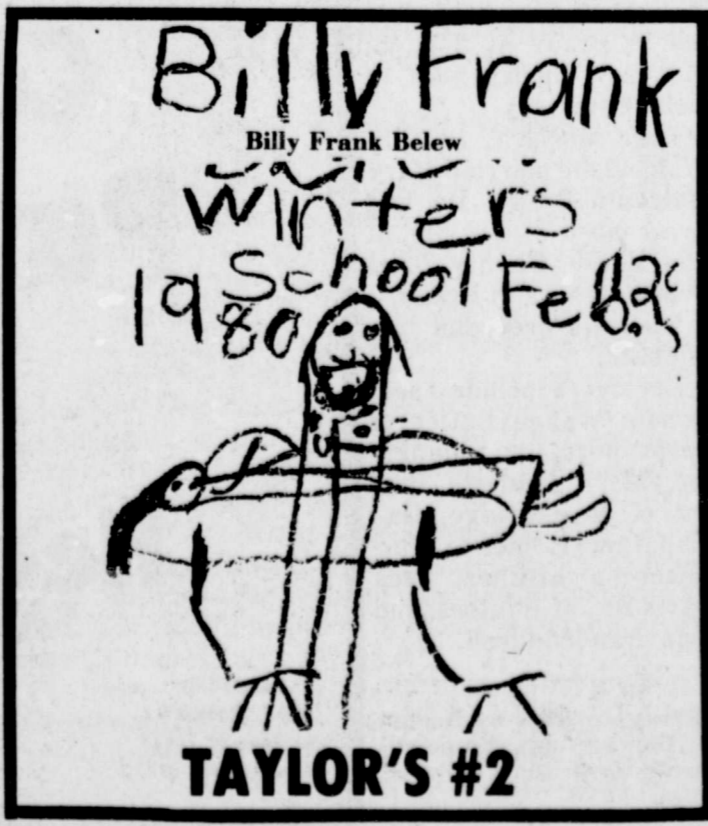
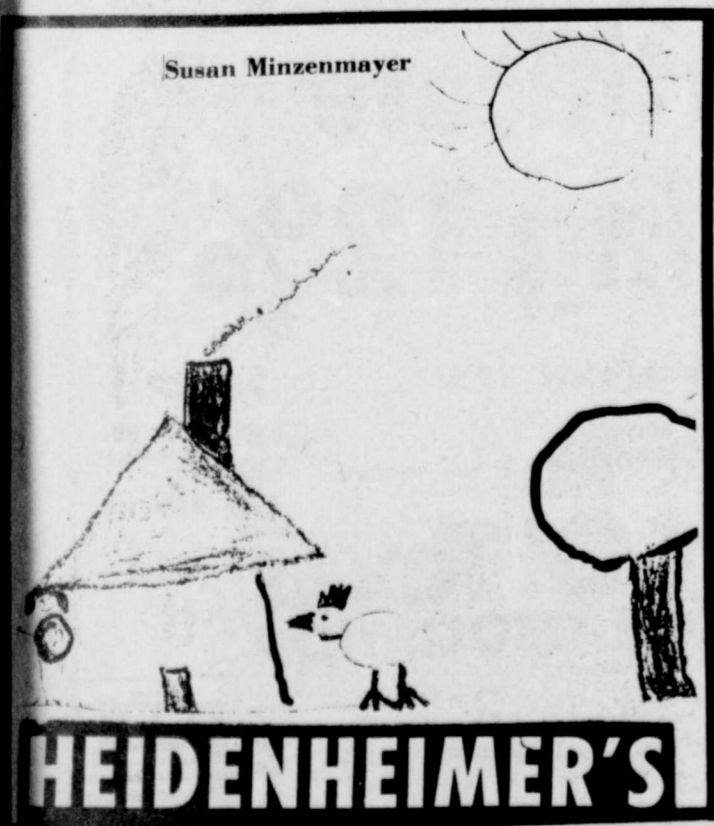
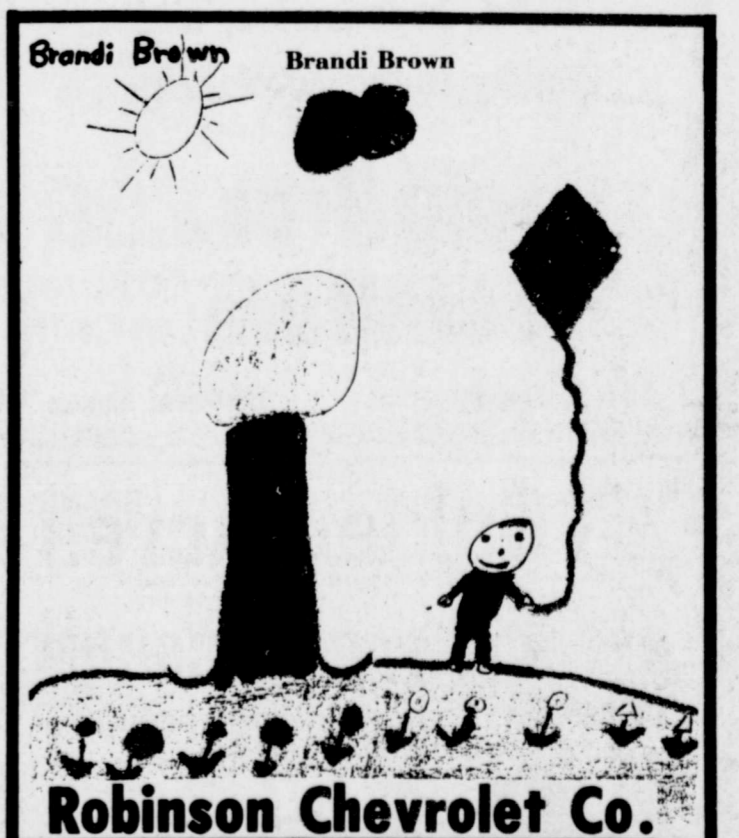
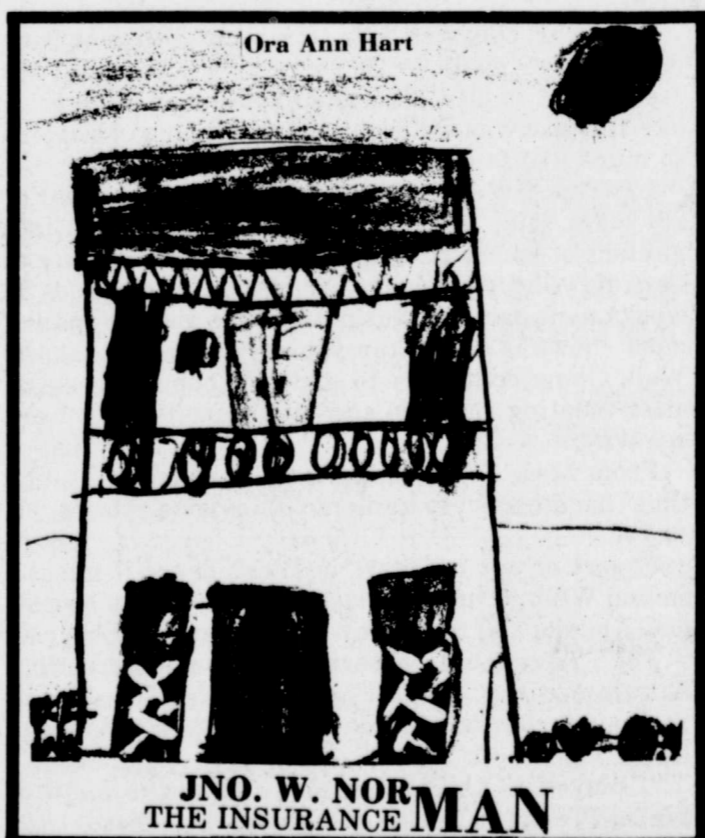
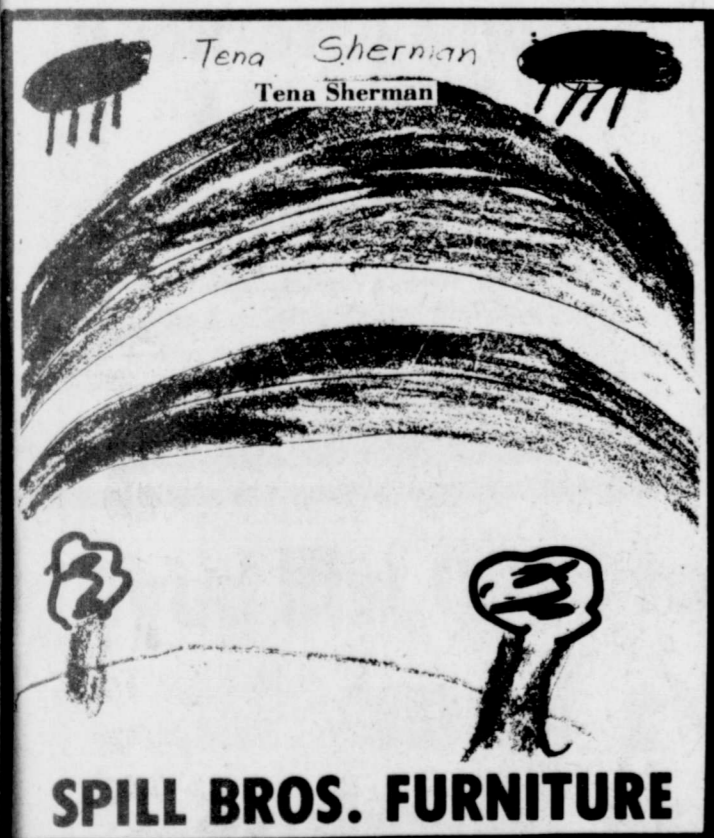
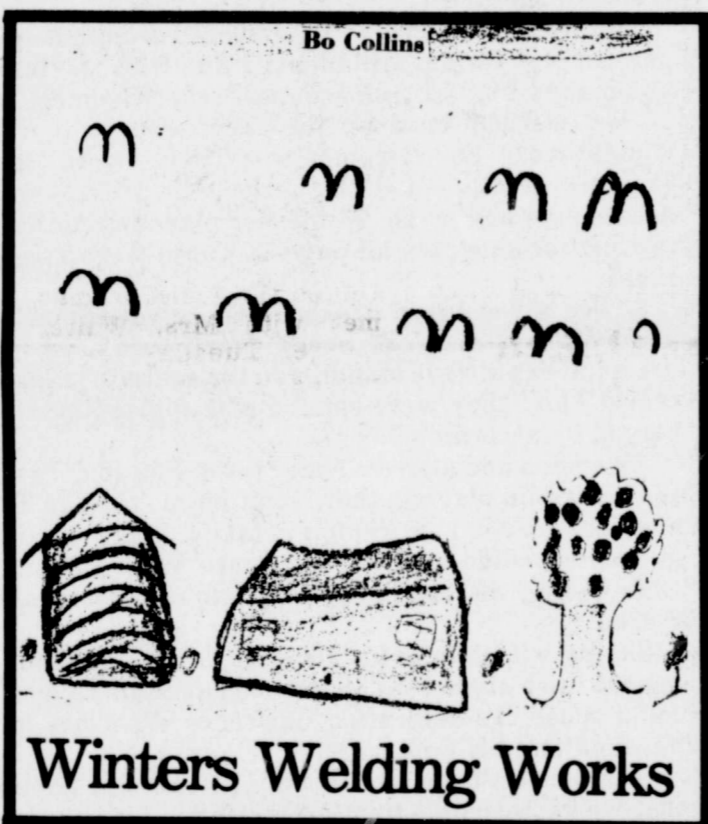
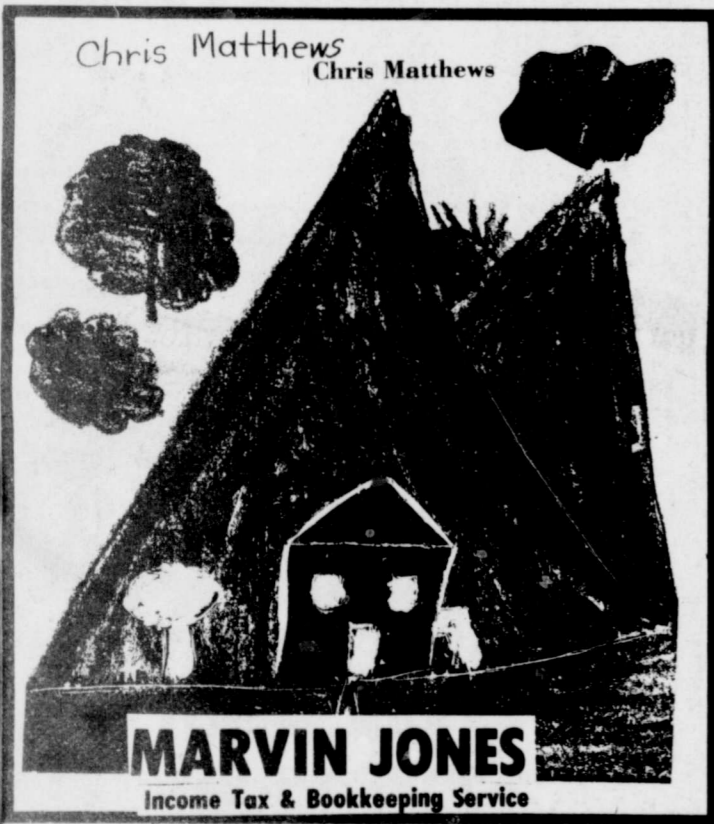
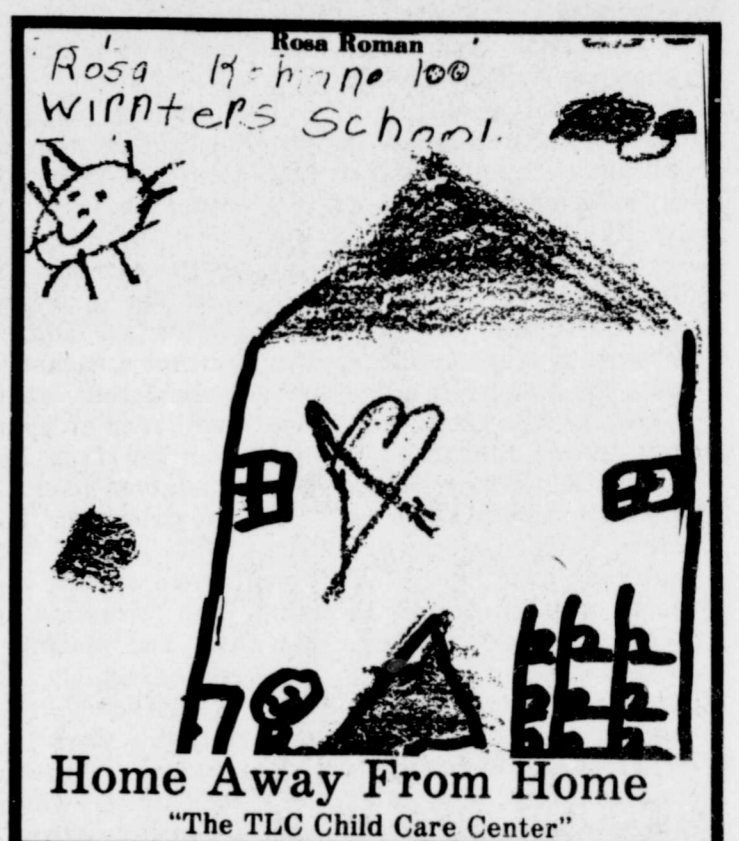
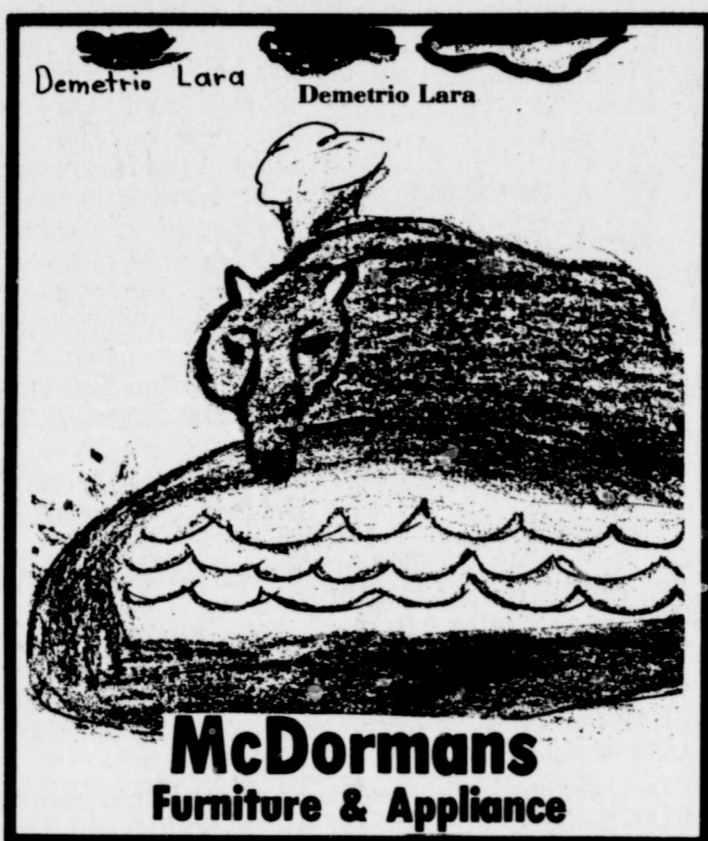
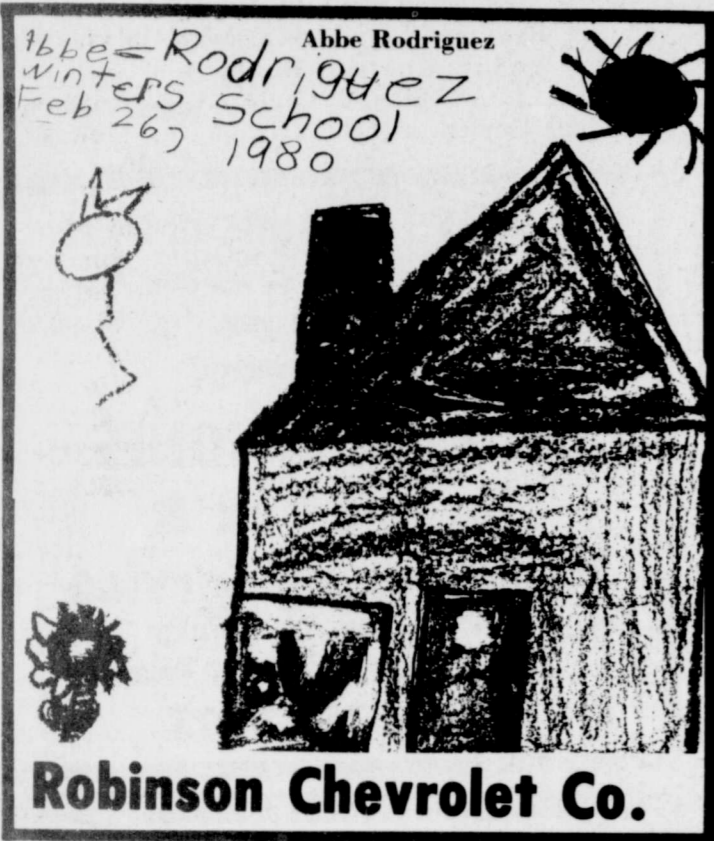
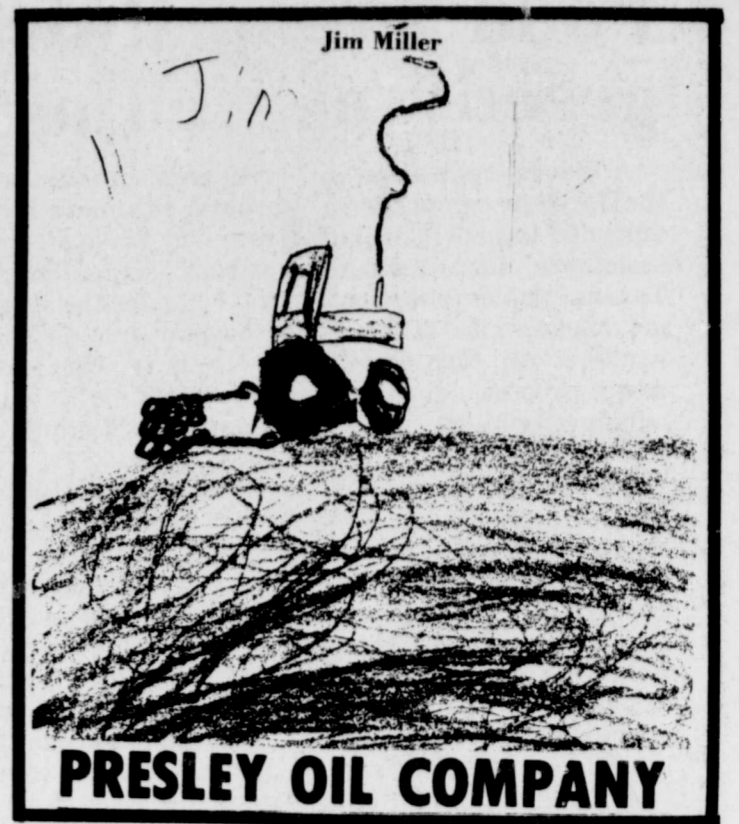
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Food Stamp Rule helps the greedy as well as needy

A federal regulation in the food stamp program designed to provide rapid assistance for destitute Texans also is encouraging cheaters to take advantage of the scaled-down process for determining eligibility, a state investigator said.

Ed Richards, chief of the investigations division of the Texas Department of Human Resources (DHR), said a provision of the Food Stamp Act of 1977 mandates that applicants for food stamps who are deemed to be in an emergency situation receive the stamps within two working days.

Richards said this short-cut through the normal period of 14 to 21 days to determine an applicant's eligibility makes it extremely difficult to verify information given by the applicant, and puts incredible pressure on DHR workers who must decide if the applicant gets the stamps or not.

When federal authorities issued the proposed expedited service regulations to the states for review, DHR program executives predicted that some persons would attempt to take advantage of the revised eligibility process, Richards said. He added that when the federal food stamp managers implemented the plan anyhow, it hindered DHR efforts at determining eligibility, although DHR is devising ways to deal as best as it can with the situation.

Good idea
"The idea of expedited service is a good one," Richards said, "because people who are destitute need their help right now. However," he continued, "if an applicant deliberately gives false information it is unlikely we can determine this within two days."

Richards said that case-workers, assuming a real emergency when an applicant seeks expedited service, try to get the stamps to the applicant in three or four hours. This leaves little or no time to verify the applicant's story, Richards said.

Although verification of the applicant's story may be difficult, the identity and residence of the applicant must be verified before benefits are issued. This verification may, by regulation, come from a collateral contact and cheaters use a cohort to supply it.

Richards said cheaters who have been detected all tell a story similar to this:

The person applying for expedited service in a food stamp office usually is a woman with a boyfriend or a husband assisting her in a scheme. The couple arrives in a town and locates an address that is either a vacant lot or a nonexistent apartment number in an apartment complex in a low-income neighborhood.

The boyfriend or husband will provide the woman with a note verifying her situation as destitute, and stating it was written by the woman's landlord.

Plausible story
The woman provides the food stamp worker with a plausible story of having arrived from out of state where her husband had deserted her and her children. She will fill out an application, listing her children, careful to record ages nine or more months apart.

The application has a space to indicate if expedited service is desired, and by federal regulation the worker must explain what this provision means.

Some people have requested expedited ser-

vices in several towns in the same month, Richards said. One investigation by DHR's Edinburg investigation unit revealed that one woman had applied for assistance in food stamp offices in Los Fresnos, Weslaco, Alamo, Raymondville, Elsa, Pharr, Port Isabel, Mercedes, Robstown, and Alice, all within two months. She defrauded the program of about \$3,000.

DHR investigators in Corpus Christi prosecuted a woman who received benefits in Kenedy, George West, and Greenville, and later was arrested in Odessa.

Combined efforts
A combination of efforts from DHR investigative units in Dallas, Fort Worth, El Paso, and San Antonio led to charges being filed against a woman who had made food stamp applications in Fort Worth, Irving, El Paso, Weatherford, Denton, San Antonio, McKinney, Sherman, Denison, and at five offices in Dallas. She used fictitious names, addresses, and collateral contacts in all cases.

More and more, Richards said, would-be cheaters face slimmer chances of getting away with their fraud. He said DHR is now refining a computer system that will match applicant profiles and provide caseworkers immediate information on persons attempting to get on the food stamp rolls in more than one place.

More than 300,000 households in Texas are eligible to participate in the federal food stamp program which is administered in the state by DHR.

If convicted, welfare cheaters may be fined and sent to prison for as much as 10 years. Restitution, usually is included in the penalty.



TERRY POEHLS

Terry Poehls student agriculture teacher here

Terry Poehls, senior agriculture major from Tarleton State University, has begun his student teaching in the Winters Public Schools.

He will be under the supervision of Charles Alcorn and Max Tomlin, vocational agriculture teachers in Winters High School.

Poehls will be in the community from March 10 through May 7 for the

Friendly Ladies S. S. Class

St. Patrick's Day decorations were used in table decorations when the Friendly Ladies Sunday School Class of the First United Methodist Church held their class party at the church recently. Mrs. Ralph Arnold gave the devotional, and Mrs. M. L. Dobbins led the group in prayer.

Games of 42 and 84 were played.

Hostesses were Anita Williams, Hazel Badgett, Lillie Marks, Becky Poe, Thelma Ledbetter, Addie Beth Stanley, Marie Neely, Bessie Baldwin, Eva Kelley, Gladys Wilson, Edith Drake.

Guests were Lilly Rose, Pauline Mayhew, Mildred Hambricht, Ethel Bridwell, Margurite Mathis, Maurine Davis, Ethel Harkins, Odessa Dobbins, Louise Good, Jo Arnold, Lou Ester Gerhardt and Beatrice Traylor.

purpose of receiving training for vocational agriculture teaching. This arrangement has been made by mutual agreement between Tommy Lancaster, superintendent of Winters Independent School District, and Tarleton State University. The student teacher will assist with all activities concerning the local vocational agriculture program.

Upon completion of his student teaching session in Winters, he will receive the bachelor of science degree from Tarleton State University, and will be eligible for a vocational agriculture teaching certificate.

Drs. Bill Irick, Johnny Johnson and Len Steakley are the Tarleton State University supervisors for the teacher education program in the Department of Agriculture Education.

W. Hatcher died Friday in Nevada

Mrs. Robert Hatcher, 44, of Sparks, Nev., formerly of Winters, died at 3:30 a. m. Friday in Reno, Nev., following a lengthy illness.

Services were held at 2 p. m. Monday in the Main Street Church of Christ of Winters, with Bruce Black, minister, officiating.

Burial was in Lakeview Cemetery under the di-

rect, Authur set it all up having been an old friend of the Rehab Center and our annual telethon which he danced on. We also made a short film with Pat Attebery for local TV.

The Welk charisma is tremendous. He has a magic personality. I could still identify him with the farm and many of my kinfolk around Fredericksburg.

"We worked hard on the farm, except in the wintertime," he remembers. "There were few chores in winter—and that's the time I liked best because we had music. My father played accordion, my mother sang, we all danced. Those were happy times."

"I had a recurrent dream in those years . . . so vivid I can still recall every detail today. In my dream, I was always standing in the center of a huge crowd—and they were smiling and applauding as I played by accordion."

He smiled and added: "Now Myron Floren does all the accordion playing, they won't let me play on TV anymore . . . No, I am kidding. I take it in my car and go to Escondido and the Lawrence Welk Country Club. I enjoy playing to the people in the restaurant there."

Sitting with him in his room in El Paso and looking out the picture windows at the mountain range, I could sense the dedication Lawrence Welk has for his band and his fans.

"I'm proud of our orchestra, grateful and happy that we've been able to make music for America for all these years, and I want to go right on doing it."

"But if I could get the door open just a little for our young people, if I could help restore to this country some of the strength and moral courage we used to have, the freedom we must have to survive—then I would feel my life has been truly useful."

"This is a wunnerful, wunnerful country," smiled Welk.

As Bernice McGeehan wrote in a recent Saturday Evening Post: Lawrence Welk "seems to personify all that is best in the American character, a man who made good by being good, someone to respect as well as admire."

Back on the airplane on my way to the Concho River, I thought about it all and the day passed. That must be the key!

Brother of local man died Mar. 5

Virgil Odell Davis, 58, of Georgetown, brother of Jack Davis Sr., of Winters, died at 9 p. m. Wednesday at Sweetbriar Nursing Home in Brady.

Services were held at Wilkerson Memorial Chapel in Brady at 2 p. m. Monday. Burial was in Lohn Cemetery.

Born March 2, 1922, in Waldrip, he married Mary Hortonin Brady. He had lived most of his life in McCulloch County, and lived 40 years in Brady.

His wife preceded him in death.

Survivors include a son, Donald Wayne Butler of Shreveport, La.; a daughter, Mary Paulette Bryant of Stockbridge, Ga.; his father, Homer of Murchison; a brother, Jack Davis Sr., of Winters; and four grandchildren.

"Dixie," written by Daniel D. Emmett, was composed in the North for a minstrel show.

Diversity Club heard book review Feb. 28

Members of the Diversity Club and their guests heard a book review at their meeting recently in the home of Mrs. C. R. Kendrick. Mrs. J. E. Smith and Mrs. Roy Young shared hostess duties.

Mrs. Homer Hodge, dressed as the character

rection of Winters Funeral Home.

Born Winona Sue Eoff Oct. 23, 1935, at Hatchel, she graduated from Winters High School in 1954. She attended business college in Abilene and later worked in Abilene for several years.

She married Robert Hatcher Dec. 22, 1961, in Winters. In 1963, they moved from Abilene to Sacramento, Calif., and later to Sparks, Nev.

She was a member of the Church of Christ.

Survivors include her husband; two sons, Robert Jr., and Dean of the home; her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Bud Eoff of Winters; and a sister, Nicki Eoff of Sparks, Nev.

Pallbearers were Jim Gehrels, Johnny Wilson, George Beard, Roy Young, W. T. Davis and A. B. Gray.

The family requests any memorials be in the form of contributions to the American Cancer Fund.

in the book, delighted her audience with a review of the book, "Close Your Eyes When Praying."

Mrs. C. S. Jackson, only living charter member and the first president of the club, was honored.

A tour of homes, scheduled for May 6, was discussed.

Members and guests present were Mmes. Ralph Arnold, Frank Brown, George Garrett, James Lee Johnson, C. R. Kendrick, Joyce Krause, Z. I. Hale, Addie Beth Stanley, Fred Young, Roy Young, Ray Clark Thompson, Mike Grantham, Charles Hudson, Weldon Middleton, J. E. Smith, Myra Dorsett, C. S. Jackson, Lillian Roberson, Fairy Moore, Roger Robinson, Ethel Mae Sawyer, Hill, Raymond Lloyd, Henry Webb, Charles Kruse, M. L. Dobbins, J. B. Estes, Homer Hodge,

James Black received ASU scholarship

James Gregory Black, a finance major at Angelo State University, was recently inducted into Alpha Chi, a National Honor Scholarship Society. Only juniors and seniors are eligible for this honor and must maintain a high grade average to be accepted.

Black also has been awarded the Robert Campbell Evans Sr. Memorial Scholarship for finance majors. He is the first recipient of this award. He graduated from Winters High School in 1976, and will graduate from Angelo State University in May. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Black.

Betty Byrns and Loyal Lewis.

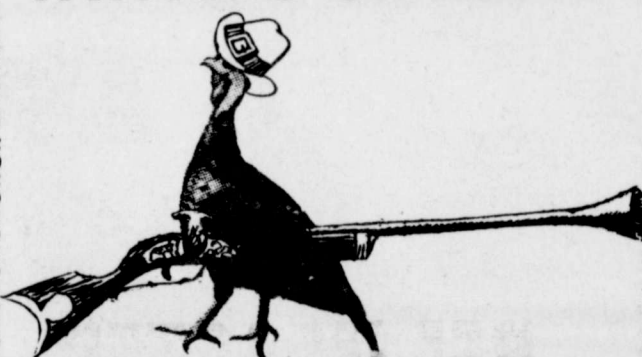
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Jerry Lackey's Country Folk

Flying out to the sunspot of the Southwest, I tried to focus my attention toward my purpose for making the trip—to interview an old farm boy that made good.

However, this visit was somewhat different from most I have made in 26 years as a journalist. My assignment to interview and photograph a celebrity like this one was different simply because he seems so much like family.

Lawrence Welk is indeed a household word. For 25 years, his "champagne" music has come into millions of homes throughout the United States and Canada. The hour-long broadcasts are aired 52 weeks per year. In a business where the life span of most shows is one to ten years, it appears that the Welk Show continues to grow in popularity. And after meeting the man and visiting with him, I can see why.

From farm boy to small-time bandleader to big-time bandleader to radio to television, that's his story.

"I sort of got my start in West Texas, I guess," smiled Welk. "I used to play music out in San Angelo and Abilene and McCamey for my room and board."

The 77-year-old entertainer remembers San Angelo and the Hilton Hotel (now the Cactus) and the roof garden which was on top of the St. Angelus Hotel.

"I played at the celebration . . . or the birth of Wink, Texas," Welk remembers. "There was nothing there but an outhouse!"

He grew up on a farm near Strasburg, North Dakota. His family was poor. It was a struggle to feed eight Welks. But from a frown to his famous smile, he reflects and adds: "I found out later it was a blessing to have this meek beginning. It taught me how to live and give of myself to others . . . to understand."

Asked if he would ever retire, Welk laughed and replied: "I had planned to do that when I was 65. Now, I guess I won't. I thought once of being able to play golf, go fishing, travel with my wife."

"Yet, I am never-so happy as when I can stand in front of my orchestra and make beautiful music . . . the big band music that people can dance to or just enjoy," he signed.

"If they can't hum it after we play it, it's not for us," he said.

Lawrence Welk credits his musical director George Cates for so much of the excellence of the "Champagne bubbles." "He can pick a bad note out of 40 horns," he explains.

The interview was conducted from the seventh floor of the Holiday Inn here. The Welk Show was presenting its first show of a ten-day road tour across the nation.

Our two hour visit was in a most relaxing atmosphere. Dancer Authur Duncan joined us. Matter of

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1980 Miss Winters Contestants

Sew and Sew Club meeting

The Sew and Sew Club of Wingate met Tuesday of last week with Leila Harter and Madlin King as hostesses. A quilt was quilted for each of the hostesses.

Others present were Eura Lloyd, Flossie Kirkland, Fay Pinegar, Grace Smith, Mildred Patton, Leila Harter, Nellie Adecock, Mabel Hancock, Mayola Cathey, Marie Bradford, Melba Vick, Lorene Kinard, Jo Lindsey, Vida Talley, Lessie Robinson and Edna Rogers.

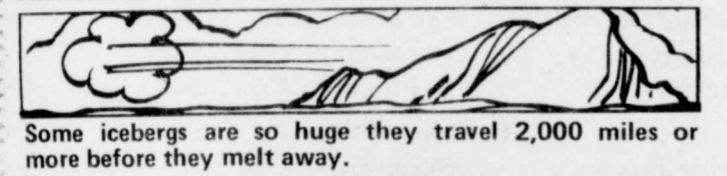
Billie Whitlow presented the club with a certificate of appreciation in recognition of contributions of gifts made to the residents of Merrill Nursing Home.

A special work day was selected to do custom quilting at which time club members will have a salad luncheon.

The next regular meeting will be March 18 with Jo Lindsey and Flossie Kirkland as hostesses.

Booster Club elected officers and made year plans

Bob Webb was elected president of the Winters Blizzard Booster Club, succeeding Connie Mac Gibbs, at a meeting of the organization Monday night. Mrs. Milton Gerhart was named secretary-treasurer, to succeed Mrs. Bob Webb. Plans for the upcoming athletic banquet were discussed, along with fund-raising projects. The Athletic Banquet, sponsored by the high school cheerleaders and the Booster Club, will be held Saturday, May 3, at 7:30 p. m. in the school cafeteria. Tickets will go on sale April 19.



Some icebergs are so huge they travel 2,000 miles or more before they melt away.

STATE CAPITAL HIGHLIGHTS
By Lyndell Williams
TEXAS PRESS ASSOCIATION

Gov. Bill Clements told a press conference last week he definitely will not call a special session of the Legislature this year, because the House of Representatives would be too involved in electing a new Speaker to attend to his special issues.

Some people say the Governor has long been looking for an excuse to back away from his promise to call the session, and the current dilemma of Speaker Bill Clayton gives Clements an easy way out.

Clayton will face a federal grand jury on March 17 to answer allegations he took a \$5,000 bribe in his chambers 'his fall. The three-term Speaker's political future will depend on his statements in the courtroom.

Several candidates have already filed to run for his chair, should Clayton be indicted, and more are sure to follow if the indictment comes down.

Last week Clayton told reporters that if he is indicted he will seek a speedy trial to clear his name before the 1981 Legislature convenes in mid-January.

If he is not granted a trial by January, he will not seek a fourth term as Speaker, Clayton said.

Speaker Candidates

Meanwhile, the list of speaker candidates is growing weekly, although most are declining to say whether they will run in '81 or '83.

Rep. Wayne Peveto, D-Orange, was the latest to file but at least half a dozen others have either filed or announced for speaker.

They include Reps. John Bryant of Dallas, Gib Lewis of Fort Worth, Bennie Bock of New Braunfels, All Brown of San Antonio, Tom Uher of Bay City, Tim Von Dohlen of Goliad and Lynn Nabers of Brownwood. All but Nabers and Von Dohlen have officially filed. Other names mentioned include Bill Caraway of Houston and Dan Kubiak of Rockdale.

Mondale Visits Austin

Vice President Mondale addressed the Texas AFL-CIO Committee on Political Education last week, announcing the administration's campaign team and vowing that minorities will play a role in Carter's re-election.

Sen. Lloyd Bentsen is chairman of the Carter-Mondale campaign in Texas. Mondale told the 1,200-member audience that a compromise windfall profits tax has been agreed on that will produce about \$224 billion over the next 10 years from oil companies' income.

Connally To Quit?

Heading into the weekend's presidential primary in South Carolina, Republican candidate John Connally's son said his father may withdraw from the race if his campaign does not improve dramatically in four upcoming southern primaries.

Connally needs to finish first or a strong second in at least a couple of the primaries, and South Carolina is regarded as one of his best shots.

The younger Connally, John III, also said his father and fellow Texan George Bush are feuding and that Connally was upset with Bush's remarks that Richard Nixon's still-secret Watergate tapes could incriminate Connally, who was Nixon's treasury secretary.

Computerized Redistricting

The Texas Legislative Council voted last week to buy a computer system to help redraw legislative districts after the 1980 census.

It will cost \$514,000 and many are hopeful it will cut down on the amount of gerrymandering which will take place.

The Legislature will redraw state legislative and congressional districts during the final 30 days of the 1981 Legislature. The system selected will allow legislators to draw a map on a computer screen and then determine, based on the data, the demographics of the district.

White Raps Clements

Attorney General Mark White fired a couple of hard salvos at the economic policies of Clements and the Governor's handling of the oil well blowout still going in the Gulf of Mexico.

White criticized Clements' demand for a five percent reduction in state employees by saying "with rape, robbery, murder and drug smuggling increasing, do you want to cut our law enforcement by five percent?"

Alternate fuels needed

American farmers depend on petroleum fuels for 93 percent of their total energy needs, and this further emphasizes the need to develop alternative fuels, according to Agriculture Commissioner Reagan V. Brown.

"Alternate fuels, especially fuel alcohol produced on the farm, can help farmers break their dependency on expensive and sometimes scarce petroleum fuels," Brown said. "If we can insulate ourselves against OPEC, the result will be a healthier agriculture industry. We must work toward the day when fuel production will be just another part of farming."

John Clark died Saturday in NR Hospital

John N. Clark, 77, of Winters, died at 8:35 p. m. Saturday in North Runnels Hospital following a lengthy illness.

Services were held at 10:30 a. m. Tuesday in the First Baptist Church, with the Rev. Fred Thomas, pastor, and the Rev. J. S. Tierce, Baptist minister of Winters, officiating.

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

Born Sept. 24, 1902, in Bunkie, La., he moved to Crane in 1926. He married Ethel Mae Clements, Nov. 16, 1928, in Crane. He was an employee of the Humble Oil Co., now Exxon, for 38 years. He retired in 1964. While employed by Humble, he worked in Crane, San Angelo, Big Lake, McLane, Gorman, and since 1951, in Winters.

He was a deacon in the First Baptist Church. He was a member of the Winters Masonic Lodge, and past master of the McLane Masonic Lodge. He also was a member of the Order of the Eastern Star, and was a past worthy patron of lodges in De Leon and Winters.

Survivors include his wife, Ethel; a son, J. N. Jr., of Anchorage, Alaska; three daughters, Dorothy Owen of Chickasha, Okla., Wanda Dillard and Kathryn Mooney, both of Winters.

Be Busy Sewing Club meeting

The Be Busy Sewing Club met with Mrs. Eura Lloyd Tuesday afternoon. The afternoon was spent doing handwork for the hostess.

Present were Mmes. James Torrence, Bill Milliorn, Nadeen Smith, Faye Hogan, Vallie Branon, and a visitor, Mrs. Hollis Workman.

The next meeting will be in the home of Mrs. Bill Milliorn Mar. 24.

Garden programs scheduled

Two Home Garden programs are scheduled for residents of Runnels County on Friday, March 14th. The first meeting will be at 10:00 a.m. at the Courthouse in District Court room on the second floor, and the second meeting will be at 2:00 p.m. at the Miles Opera House in Miles.

Former Runnels County Extension agent, Dr. Sammy Helmers, now Extension Horticulturist in Stephenville, will be conducting the programs. Assisting Dr. Helmers will be Dr. Chip Lee, plant

Eden; four brothers, Earl Clark of Spanaway, Wash., Carl of Kilgore, Bathel of Conroe and Jesse of Cross Plains; four sisters, Mrs. O. H. Barron of Evergreen, La., Mrs. W. E. Ray of Hamilton, Mrs. Olive Champion of Bay City and Mrs. Phil Walker of Houston; six grandchildren; and six great-grandchildren.

Pallbearers were Joe Irvin, J. A. Traylor, Floyd Milliorn, Chester McBeth, Kenneth Cook, R. W. Balke, Jack Pierce and Vivian Colburn.

Masons, Eastern Star members and deacons of the First Baptist Church were honorary pallbearers.

Extension agents O'Conner and Turner encourage all home gardeners to attend what promises to be an interesting and educational program.



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Defensive driving course set

The Literary and Service Club and the Winters Police Dept. will sponsor a defensive driving course here, to be held Saturday, April 19. The course will be taught by Wendell Rehm, safety director of the Texas Department of Public Safety.

Classes will be held in the hall of the First United Methodist Church, beginning at 8:30 a. m. and continuing to 5 p. m.

Cost for the course will be \$2.25 per person, which will provide workbooks and certificates. No driving test will be required to receive a certificate, it was said.

Those who take the course and meet specific requirements will be eligible for reductions on certain auto insurance rates, sponsors said. Those considering the course should check with their insurance agents regarding insurance company requirements, it was pointed out.

Persons desiring to take the course may register at the Winters Chamber of Commerce office by April 15.

Hospital fund grows \$767 richer

The special hospital equipment fund has grown by \$767 within the past few days, Ted Meyer, chairman of the fund committee, said Monday.

This amount has been made in donations, and in the form of memorials.

Donations:
Anonymous ... \$ 10.00
Pioneer Vet. Clinic 50.00
In memory of:
Johnson D. Grimes 15.00
Mrs. C. T. Rives 619.50
Mrs. Ben Williams 72.50

Piano students make UIL first division marks

Two piano students from Winters High School made first division grades in UIL piano competition



To Rehab

Danny Isbell, right, of Abilene, Field Representative with the West Texas Rehabilitation Center, accepts a \$1500 check from the Winters Volunteer Fire Department. The money was raised at a dance sponsored by the firemen last Saturday night. Pre-

senting the check, left to right, are David Carroll, third assistant fire chief; Richard Hamilton, president of the Volunteer Firemen; and Johnny Merrill, fire chief.

Museum open house set April 10

Open house at the new Z. I. Hale Museum is being scheduled for April 10, according to plans announced by the board of the museum foundation following a meeting Monday. The open house will be from 4 to 6 in the afternoon.

The board met for the first time in the museum building, which is being renovated. The two-story building is the former office of the late Dr. Z. I. Hale, and was given to the City of Winters to be used as a museum. Walls of the reception room at the front of the building, and the hallway, have been paneled, woodwork painted, and ceilings have been covered. Funds for this part of the project of renovation were provided by

the Winters State Bank.

A room designated for the Runnels County Historical Commission will be redecorated, and work was to begin last week, Mrs. Loyd Roberson announced.

For the open house, Jo Olive Hancock, Jo Arnold and Dickie Lloyd were named as a reception committee.

Plans are being made to have a museum entry in the 90th Birthday celebration parade in May, and to have a display at the upcoming Industrial Show, scheduled for March 2-29. Edna England was named as scrapbook chairman.

Roy Young, finance chairman for the museum foundation, announced plans for a membership

drive, and showed membership cards which have been furnished by The Winters Enterprise. Young also presented a display case as a gift to the museum. This is the first article of furniture received by the museum.

All future meetings of the board and members of the Z. I. Hale Museum Foundation will be held on the second Monday of each month, at 5 p. m., and will be in the museum, it was announced.

April 8 has been designated as a "work day," and foundation members and other interested in the museum, are asked to report with brooms, mops and buckets, at 9 a. m. to help with necessary work.

in Brownwood recently, in their respective classifications.

Neva Lewis, a junior, daughter of Mrs. Albert Lewis, made a first division grade in Class 1.

DeOnn Deaton, a freshman, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Eli Deaton, made first division in Class 3.

Winters boys have good showing at Ballinger

Winters varsity and junior varsity boys competed in the Ballinger Relays Saturday and came away with a handful of awards.

Robert Johnson was the standout at the meet, winning four medals. He won the long jump with a leap of 20-10, and the 100-yard dash event with a time of 10.6. He also anchored the 440 relay team which placed second and ran a leg on the mile relay team which placed third.

Ricky Torres also had a good day, placing 5th in the 880 dash, 3rd in the 330 intermediate hurdles, and running a leg on the mile relay team.

The junior varsity boys also had a good day, taking the runner-up trophy. The JV finished second behind Sonora.

Jimmy Hall was the big winner for the JV, with first in both the hurdles, a first in the high jump event, and ran a leg on the 440 relay team which placed 2nd.

Alfonso Campos, Jeff Butts and Andy Smith also made big showings.

WINTERS VARSITY RESULTS

440 relay—2nd: Scott Hall, Tommy Chambliss, Toby Gerhart, Robert Johnson, 46.1.
100 yard dash—1st: Johnson, 10.6.
440 Dash—7th: J. Eubank, 57.6.
330 IH—3rd: R. Torres, 44.0.
220 Dash—7th: S. Hall, 24.8.
880 Dash—5th: R. Torres, 2:09.2.
Mile Run—8th: L. Bredemeyer; 11th, T. Chambliss.
Mile Relay—3rd: Torres, Johnson, Eubank, Chambliss, 3.45.
Long Jump—1st: Johnson, 20-10; 4th: Eubank, 19 1/2.
Shot Put—7th: T. Gerhart, 37.
Discus—6th: Bryan Davis, 115.

WINTERS JUNIOR VARSITY RESULTS

120 High Hurdles—1st: Hall, 19.5.
440 Relay—2nd: Campos, Hall, Butts, Smith, 48.0.
100 Dash—2nd: Butts, 11.2; 4th: Smith, 11.3; 7th: Joe Kelly, 11.7.
440 Dash—5th: Griffin, 58.8.
330 IH—1st: Hall, 50.8.
220 Dash—1st: Campos, 24.4; 6th: Smith, 26.5.
880 Dash—5th: Austin, 2.21; 3rd: Rocha, 2.17.
Mile Relay—2nd: Griffin, Butts, Rocha, Campos, 3.55.



"The Star-Spangled Banner" uses the tune of an English song, "To Anacreon in Heaven," by John Stafford Smith.

BLIZZARD RELAYS RECORDS

100 Yard Dash	9.8	Bob Snodgrass	Coleman	1970
		Mickey Early	Rotan	1971
		Robert Stevenson	Stamford	1971
220 Yard Dash	2.0	LeRoy Kettler	Winters	1965
440 Yard Dash	50.0	Jerry Awalt	Winters	1967
880 Yard Dash	2:00.5	Rudy Garcia	C-City	1977
Mile Run	4:42.0	Kenny Link	Stamford	1966
120 High Hurdles	14.6	Alton Pierce	Winters	1970
330 Int. Hurdles	40.06	Holloman	Coleman	1978
440 Yard Relay	43.5	(Mayes, Jones, McAfee, Cork)	Hamlin	1973
Mile Relay	3:31.7	(Mayes, Cork, McAfee, Willis)	Hamlin	1973
Discus	163-1	Mike Patterson	Winters	1964
Shot Put	53.2 1/4	S. DeFossec	Baird	1979
Broad Jump	22-0	Bo Strickland	Cross Plains	1966
High Jump	6-2	Kelly Keny	Cisco	1976
		Billy Dugan	Clyde	1976
		Rickey French	Coleman	1976
		Todd	Sweetwater	1976
		Guffey	Anson	1976
		Horton	Jim Ned	1976
Pole Vault	13.6			

WINTERS GIRLS TRACK MEET RECORDS

100 Yard Dash	11.4	Jones	Rotan	1977
220 Yard Dash	27.1	Kiesling	Brady	1979
440 Yard Dash	60.18	Hunt	Clyde	1979
880 Yard Dash	2:35.4	Smith	Robt. Lee	1976
Mile Run	5:52.4	McRae	Clyde	1979
80 Yard Hurdles	11.6	Perryman	Baird	1979
440 Yard Relays	51.3		B'ridge	1977
880 Yard Relay	1:50.4		B'ridge	1977
Mile Relay	4:17.2		Clyde	1979
Discus	117-2 1/2	Pettit	Baird	1979
Shot Put	40-5	Rouse	Clyde	1979
Broad Jump	17-8 1/2	Mayes	Stamford	1977
Triple Jump	34-9 1/2	Mayes	Stamford	1977
High Jump	5-0	Niehues	Wall	1977

Firemen say 'Thanks for Rehab help'

Members of the Winters Volunteer Fire Department this week expressed thanks to the many people who helped make the Rehab Benefit dance Saturday night a success. A total of \$1500 was collected, and has been contributed to the West Texas Rehabilitation Center.

Firemen expressed special thanks to the following for their assistance and interest: Billy Simpson, Winters State Bank, Winters Conoco, Piggly Wiggly, Mansell Bros., Huffman House, David Carroll, Pool Co., Super D Foods, M. L. Wood, and Mrs. Baird's Bakery, and those who attended the dance to make it a success.

Ministerial Alliance elected officers

Members of Winters Ministerial Alliance elected officers during a recent meeting. Charles Steinberg, pastor of the First Assembly of God Church, was named president. He succeeds the Rev. Fred Thomas, pastor of the First Baptist Church.

The Rev. Hayward Morrison, pastor of Southside Baptist Church, was elected vice president, and the Rev. Larry Keene, pastor of St. John's Lutheran Church, was named secretary-treasurer.

Mrs. Jo Ann Thomas of Winters. Great-grandmother is Mrs. Evelyn Watley of Midland. She has a sister, Christy.

NEWCOMERS

Mr. and Mrs. James E. Thompson of Robert Lee announce the birth of a son, Rusty Travis, born Sunday, Feb. 24, 1980, at 12:56 a. m., in Shannon Hospital in San Angelo. The baby weighed 5 pounds 11 ounces and was 18 1/2 inches long. He has a sister, Shaye, 4 1/2, and a brother, Jason, 3. Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Thompson of Blackwell and Mr. and Mrs. Gilbert Smith of Wingate.

Mr. and Mrs. Martin James Watley of Elgin, Okla., announce the birth of a daughter, Catherine Marie, born Feb. 6, 1980, at 1:41 p. m. in Comanche County Memorial Hospital, Lawton, Okla. The baby weighed 7 pounds 7 ounces, and was 20 inches long. Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Watley of Midland; Mr. and Mrs. Richard Hull of Midland;

Winters girls fifth in Bearcat Relays Saturday

Winters High School girls placed 5th with a score of 74 in the Bearcat Relays at Ballinger Saturday. The Coleman team won first place with 123; Sonora, second with 116; Colorado City, third, 83 points; Ballinger, fourth, 77 points; and Abilene Christian High School, seventh, 23 points.

WINTERS VARSITY GIRLS

440 Dash—2nd: DeOnn Deaton, 62.8; 5th: Pam Grey, 70.5.
80 Low Hurdles—3rd: Rosalinda Vera, 12.5.
880 Relay—3rd: Rosalinda Vera, Robbie Cole, Roxanne O'Dell, DeOnn Deaton, 1:56.9.
100-Yard Dash—4th: Roxanne O'Dell, 12.5.
Mile Run—4th: Tina Merrill, 6:34.5.
Mile Relay—2nd: Rosalinda Vera, Pam Gray, Lois Bradshaw, DeOnn Deaton, 4:28.6.
Shot Put—4th: Bobbie Walker, 28-7.
Discus—5th: Bobbie Walker.
High Jump—3rd: Pam Gray, 4-1/8; 4th: Tammy Chambliss, 4-4.
Triple Jump—4th: Rosalinda Vera, 32-5; 5th: Anna Vera, 30-6.

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Philip Ritchey Coahoma 6-4 180-lbs. Jr.
Marty Akins Ballinger 6-6 195-lbs. Sr.

SECOND TEAM

Victor Davis Stamford 5-9 160-lbs. Sr.
Billy Schulle Wylie 6-2 180-lbs. Jr.
Chris Cox Merkel 6-4 185-lbs. Sr.
Mark Whitlow Winters 5-11 150-lbs. Sr.
G. Hubbard Ballinger 6-1 150-lbs. Sr.
Ed Gardner Stamford 6-1 175-lbs. Jr.

HONORABLE MENTION

Robt. Johnson Winters 6-1 165-lbs. Jr.

Ruth Circle met Tuesday morning

The Ruth Circle of the First United Methodist Church met Tuesday in the home of Mrs. M. L. Dobbins, with twelve members present. Mrs. Paul Gerhardt led the opening prayer.

Mrs. M. L. Dobbins had

charge of the program, "The Parables of Jesus." Others taking part were Mrs. Lee Colburn, Mrs. Elmo Mayhew, Mrs. Bob Holloway and Mrs. J. D. Vinson.

Others attending were Mmes. Gattis Neely, Gladys Vinson, T. C. Stanley, H. E. Carroll and W. T. Stanley.

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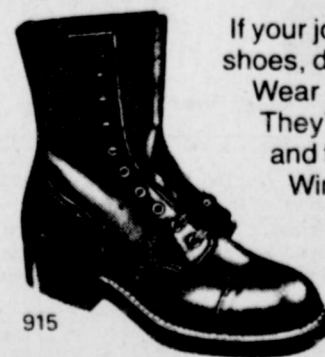
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