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"REFLECTIONS," "REFLECTIONS," "REFLECTIONS,"

BY RICHARD C. THOMAS

This was clipped from *The Texas Spur*, *Spur* (where I started my career in the newspaper business), who clipped it from the *Paducah Post*, who clipped it from the *Plainview Reporter*, who clipped it from...it was also in the *Texas State Police Journal*...and how many others have published it is unknown. It's being re-run here to fill in because of an otherwise heavy schedule...and I don't have to do any real deep thinking this week:

How You Can Tell When It's Going To Be A Rotten Day...

You wake up face down on the pavement.

You put your bra on backward and it fits better.

You call Suicide Prevention and they put you on hold.

You see a "60 Minutes" news team waiting in your office.

Your birthday cake collapses from the weight of the candles.

Your son tells you he wishes Anita Bryant would mind her own business.

You want to put on the clothes you wore home from the party and there aren't any.

You turn on the news and they're showing emergency routes out of the city.

Your twin sister forgot your birthday.

You wake up and discover your waterbed broke and then realize that you don't have a waterbed.

Your car horn goes off accidentally and remains stuck as you follow a group of Hell's Angels on the freeway.

Your boss tells you not to bother to take off your coat.

The bird singing outside your window is a buzzard.

You wake up and your braces are locked together.

You walk to work and find your dress is stuck in the back of your pantyhose.

You call your answering service and they tell you it's none of your business.

Your blind date turns out to be your ex-wife.

Your income tax check bounces.

You put both contact lenses in the same eye.

Your pet rock snaps at you.

Your wife says, "Good morning, Bill," and your name is George.

Arthur Unknown...But Troubled

Joe Harrison of *The Texas Spur* also said: "People are still willing to do an honest day's work. Trouble is, they want a week's pay for it!"

Fish supper at Country Club Saturday, 17th

A fish supper will be served at the Winters Country Club Saturday, May 17, at 8 p. m.

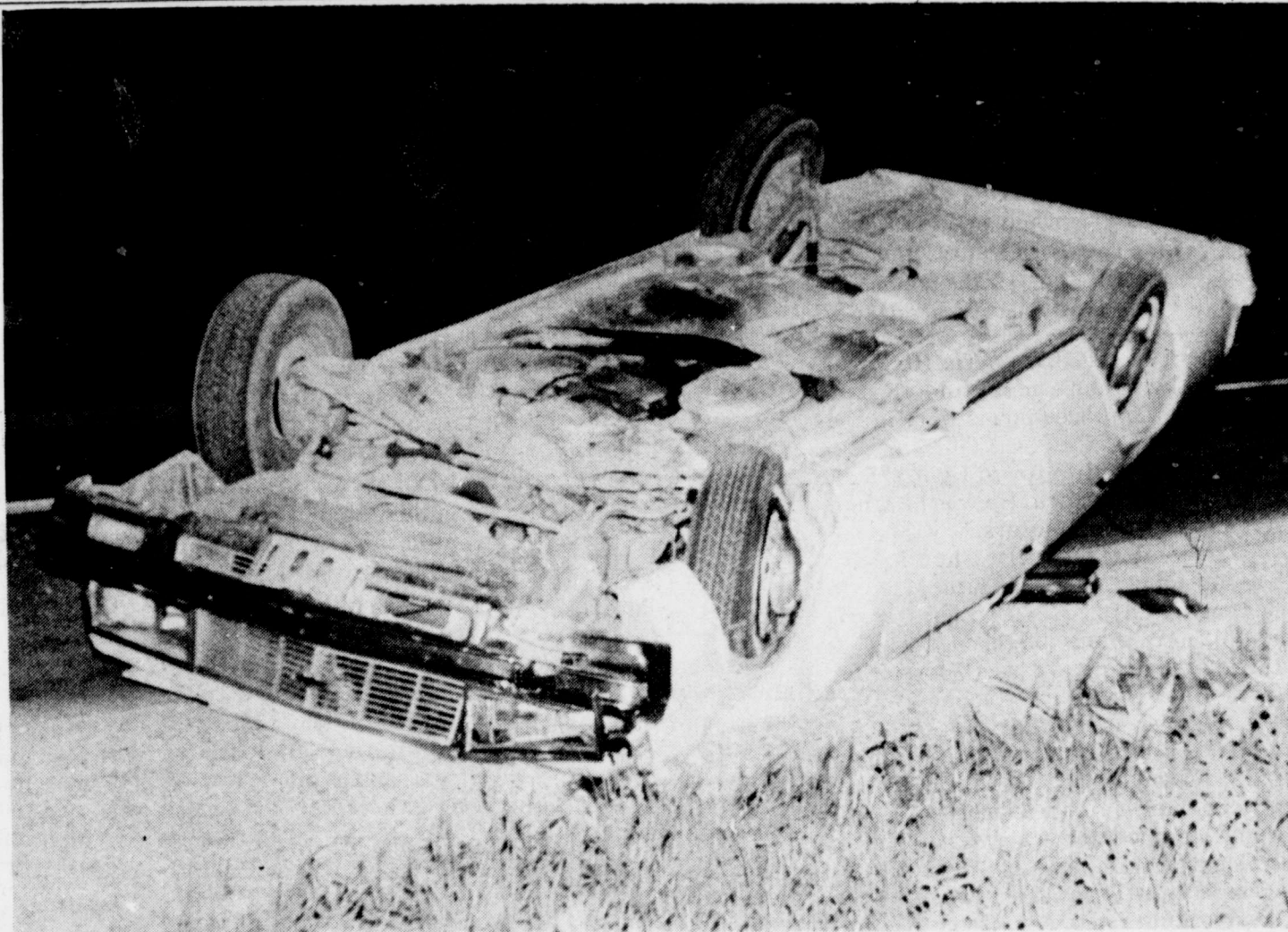
Members may bring as many guests as they wish. Price will be \$2.50 per plate. The fish supper will be catered.

Other upcoming events at the Country Club include an ABC golf tournament Sunday, May 18, and a golf tournament during Winters' 90th Birthday celebration, May 26. A covered dish luncheon will be served.

"Jaws" fund now \$1,431

The special fund being raised by the Winters Volunteer Firemen to purchase special rescue equipment, now totals \$1,431, according to Mike Meyer, secretary of the department.

Latest contributions have been from Mrs. Clarence Ledbetter, David Ledbetter, Dock Pinegar, Winters Construction Co., and memorial contributions in memory of Carey Poe, Lou Christian and Mrs. E. J. Lambert, by Charles and Eula Mae Kruse.



End of the road

Winters police patrol car rests on its top after it hit a bridge on FM 1770 (Novice Road) Saturday night, and apparently rolled several times.

Policeman injured in accident Saturday night

Frank Gonzales, in his middle 20s, who had joined the Winters Police force only recently, remained in the Intensive Care Unit in Hendricks Medical Center, Abilene, Tuesday, in serious condition, after being injured Saturday night when the police car in which he was a passenger hit a bridge and was completely wrecked. Extent of his injuries were not known, but there were serious head injuries and a broken leg.

Driver of the patrol car, Mike Bowers, also in his 20s, suffered minor head injuries and was

Lions Club officers were elected

Jim Hatler recently was elected president of the Winters Lions Club for 1980-81. He will succeed LaDell Davis in that office.

Other Lions Club officers elected include Randy Springer, first vice president; Buford Baldwin, second vice president; Barry Sullivan, third vice president; J. S. Tierce, Lion Tamer; Mike Meyer, taitwister; and Lee Colburn, secretary-treasurer.

Neva Lewis, a Winters High School student, was named Lions Sweetheart for the new organization year.

Officers will be installed in the near future.

treated and released at North Runnels Hospital following the accident.

Bobby Staggs, a member of the Runnels County Emergency team, also was a passenger of the police patrol car, but received only bruises in the accident. He attended the injured Gonzales following the accident.

According to reports, the patrol car, with Bowers driving, was in pursuit of two pickups on the Novice Road, FM 1770, northeast of town about 11:15 Saturday night, headed east, when the car smashed into the concrete side of the bridge. The impact flipped the car, and it skidded on its top, and came to rest several hundred feet east of the bridge. A check of an odometer on another car indicated that the distance was about one-tenth of a mile.

Gonzales was thrown from the car and landed several feet of the east approach of the bridge. Bowers and staggs remained in the car as it rolled.

Sparks of the skidding car attracted the attention of the persons in the pickups who turned around and were the first persons on the scene of the accident, Police Chief Luther (Doc) Smith said. Smith declined to name the persons in the pickups, and said he did not know at what speed the vehicles were traveling. The Department of Public Safety High-

way Patrol from Ballinger was asked to investigate the accident, he said. Smith said charges against the alleged drivers of the pickups involved in the incident are pending.

The Winters City Limit sign, installed for traffic control purposes, is located on the west approach to the bridge.

Gonzales was employed by the City of Winters as a police patrolman several weeks ago, and was attending a basic police certification program in San Angelo and was riding with patrolman Bowers to complete part of the requirements of the program, according to reports. He lives with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Gonzales, Sr., in Winters.

Blood pressure clinic scheduled for May 24

The Runnels County Public Health Dept. will conduct a blood pressure screening clinic at the Community Center, during Winters' 90th Birthday Celebration May 24. A booth will be set up at the Community Center.

Mrs. Sue Prewit, R. N., of the county health department, will conduct the screening, as a public service to promote good health in the area.

Celebration plans on 'go'

Probably the biggest and most enthusiastic celebration in many years in Winters will begin next Friday, May 23, and continue through Saturday, as the people of Winters and the entire area celebrate the 90th birthday of Winters.

The Winters Area Chamber of Commerce, with Randy Springer as president, has put together a program which guarantees interest on the part of most everyone in the area, from the youngest to the oldest resident.

A big parade — with more than 60 floats and entries already registered — will be one of the highlights of the two-day celebration, and will be held at 10 a. m. Saturday. The parade will be followed by formal opening ceremonies in the City Park . . . and then the afternoon's and evening's events will get underway.

The 90th Birthday Celebration actually will get underway Friday evening, with a barbecue under the direction of the Winters Volunteer Department to begin at 5:30. Tickets for the barbecue may be obtained from the chamber office, or at the door. The barbecue will be held in the Community Center, at \$4 per plate, or \$8 for families.

Immediately following the barbecue, a Community Choir will present a program in the auditorium of the First Baptist Church. There will be no charge for this program.

Jno. W. Norman will be Marshal of the parade, to begin at 10 a. m. Saturday. Besides the many floats and antique cars already registered for the parade, there will be three bands — the Winters High School Band, the Winters Junior High Band, and a special treat, the U. S. Army 2nd Armored Division Band from Fort Hood.

Also in the parade will be a color guard and drill team from the Ballinger National Guard Unit. The Coleman Rodeo Assn. also will ride in the parade, along with a stage coach from Dublin and Jeter's six-pony hitch from Eddy, the Chuck Wagon and Riders from Tennyson, and several other out-of-town groups.

All parade entries are to report to the Gulf station on South Main for parade position numbers and other instructions in plenty of time Saturday morning to prepare for the parade. Jerry Sims is committee chairman for the parade.

For the program Saturday, Pete Stack of Brownwood, after dinner speaker and country western comic, will be master of ceremonies. He also is bringing a special western band. There also will be band entertainment Friday evening at the Community Center.

Included in Saturday's program will be Bishop Powell and Brent Scott of Ballinger; Leroy Moore of Ballinger; Singing Lynns of Bangs; Barbershop Quartet of Winters; Paul Zomora of Level-land; James Scott and Bob Blas-game of Brownwood; Winters String Band; Debbie Reed of Sidney; Chester Derrick of Odessa; Gene Christian of Coleman; John Loyd Band of Winters and Roland Smith and the Roadrunners, who will play for a dance in the Community Center Saturday evening. This event will be sponsored by the Young Farmers.

Friday's events will include a tennis tournament to begin at 6:30 p. m. On Saturday, a domino tournament will begin at 1 p. m.; a pet show at 1 p. m.; ball games; and judging in the beard contest. Exhibits will include a style show, an art show; exhibits of flowers, plants, fruits and vegetables, historical exhibits, and quilt exhibit.

Booths will be operated by the Winters Lions Club, North Runnels Hospital Auxiliary, Veterans of Foreign Wars, Winters Student Council, the Jimmy Smith Family, and the Winters Area Chamber of Commerce.

There will be food and drink booths operated by the Young Homemakers, Junior Culture Club, Sub Deb Club, Winters Lions Club, Band Boosters Club, PTO, Wingate Lions Club, Firemen's Auxiliary, Winters Cheerleaders, American Cnecr Society, The DeLaCruz Family, Diversity Club, Literary and Service Club, the Catholic Youth Organization, and the First Baptist Church.

Big turnout of women golfers here Saturday

Fifty-four women, representing 14 area towns, played in the annual Winters Ladies One-Day Invitational Golf Tournament Saturday at the Winters Country Club.

Tex Whittemore of San Angelo was winner in the championship flight, with Mary Bauer of Winters coming in second. Third place honors went to Finnie Seale of Snyder.

In the first flight, Rose Doyle of San Angelo took first place. After a play-off, Frankie Smith of Rising Star placed second, and Bobbie Hargrove of Snyder was third.

Two Winters women, Marlene Wood and Sandy Griffin first and second place respectively, in the second flight. Third place honor were won by Mary Morrow of Bronte, in a play-off.

In third flight play, Marsan-

nette Kyle of Jayton won first play. In a play-off, Brenda Tedwell of Bronte won second place over Nell Keel of Ballinger, who was third.

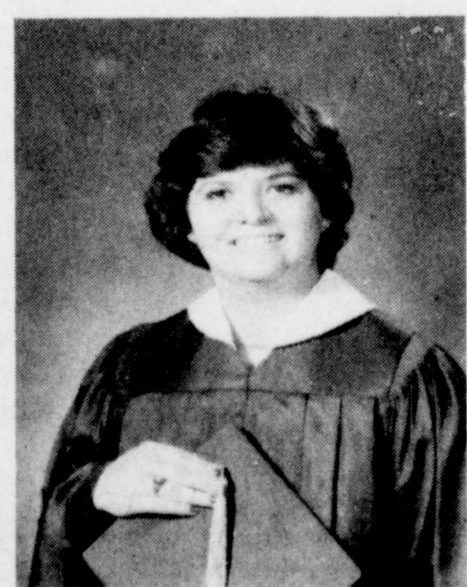
In the special events, June Marks won the award for the longest and most accurate drive on No. 7. Also receiving a special award for closest to the pin on No. 6 was Dorothy Fansworth of Cisco.

Country clubs represented were Abilene, Cisco, Sonora, Water Valley, Big Lake, Merkel and Big Spring.

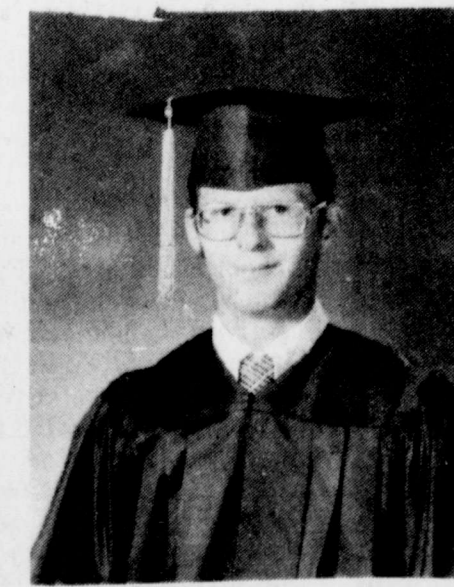
The Winters Ladies Golf Assn. expressed appreciation to those who helped to make the tournament a success, including the Winters Funeral Home, The Winters Enterprise, and the men who worked to prepare the golf course, and loaned golf carts for the tournament.



SUSAN GRENWELGE



SILENA HUBACH



BILL BREDEMAYER

Honor graduates

Honor graduates of Winters High School Class of '80 were named this week. Graduation exercises will be held May 30.

Susan Grenwelge was named valedictorian of the class, with a

four-year grade average of 96.68. Silena Hubach is salutatorian, with an average of 94.75. Bill Bredemeyer, with a grade average of 93.47, is the highest ranking boy in the Class of '80.

Miss Grenwelge is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Grenwelge; Miss Hubach is the daughter of Mrs. Lillie J. Hubach; Bredemeyer is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Edward Bredemeyer.

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Poe's Corner
 BY CHARLISIE POE

Covered Wagon Caravan

There was a great influx of people into the Winters area in 1889 but the greatest exodus seemed to have been from Limestone County when eight families started west in a caravan of eleven covered wagons.

Among the group were the three Brown brothers, Ervin, John T. and W. H. (Bill) Brown and their families. The R. A. Yeats and Cummings families also came with them.

Mrs. Carrie Compton, daughter of W. H. Brown, had saved a writeup of her father's 90th birthday which tells something of the trip west. He was born Nov. 21, 1859 in Limestone County.

After 21 days, four of which were spent in camp because of hard rains, the travelers reached Runnels County. Some of the wagons stopped, but several went on farther west, Brown said.

"One wagon went on to San Angelo, and then went on still further west. It kept going on in fact, till it landed right back in Limestone County," he said.

Brown, however, was not discouraged at the aspect of raw prairies and bought 60 acres of land for \$6 an acre.

"There were some pretty hard times and things weren't always so good," he said, "but I still wouldn't go back."

Old Runnels (Runnels City) was the nearest post office then. It wasn't until March 7, 1891 that the Winters post office was established in a corner of Frederick Platte's general mercantile store and Platte became the postmaster. The town was named early in 1890 after the construction of the one room school house on land given by J. M. Winters of Ballinger, a land agent.

Mr. Brown sold his first farm a little later for \$500 and bought a quarter of a section on Bluff Creek four

New Winters resident was president of Caprock Peace Officers Assn. 32 years

A citizen of Spur for 57 years, and a game warden for 22 years, was instrumental in organizing the Caprock Peace Officers Assn., and has served as its president since its beginning in 1949.

The 32nd annual meeting of the association, held at its permanent home at Clairmont, Kent County, Thursday, May 8, was dedicated to Cecil Fox, who, along with other peace officers of Dickens, organized the association in 1949.

Mr. and Mrs. Fox recently moved to Winters from Spur, to miles north of Winters for \$3.75 an acre. His farm was south of his brother John's place and Ervin's farm was farther north. The three farms were in the Antelope area.

"In 1926, after I had moved to town, I got \$75 an acre for the place," said Mr. Brown. He was 60 when he quit farming and moved to Winters.

Mr. Brown was active in the Baptist Church, having served as a deacon once, and in the local Masonic lodge in his younger days. His brothers were charter members of the Winters lodge, organized in December of 1892. John T. Brown was Worshipful Master and Ervin Brown, Senior Warden. W. H. Brown became a member in the early days of its organization. He held the offices of secretary, junior deacon and senior deacon at various times.

One of eleven children, he had a brother, G. A. Brown of Mangum, Okla. who once served as Judge of the Supreme Court of Oklahoma.

W. H. Brown himself had 14 children, two of whom are living, Mrs. Compton and a son, Leon of Fairfield. There are two grandchildren in this area, Ervin of Wingate and Christina, Mrs. Johnny Davis.

Mr. Brown lost his wife in 1904 and he was living with Mrs. Compton at the time of his 90th birthday. They could count at least 100 'grands', but were afraid they may have lost track of some of the great-grandchildren. Mr. Brown died in 1951.

Ervin Brown and Will Murray built a "modern gin" in Winters after the first gin, a one-stand cotton gin burned a year or so after it had been erected south of town, the same year that the town was named.

John T. Brown moved to town in the early 1900's and served as justice of the peace for many years. He was killed by a car in 1930 as he was crossing the street on his way to the First Baptist Church where he had attended since it was organized. His first wife, Sarah Holland, died in 1924. His second wife lived to be about 92 years old.

John T. Brown's only daughter, Lillie, was married to Walter Gardner, a school teacher who taught school at Antelope and Baldwin. A son, B. T., now lives on the homeplace. Another son, John Gardner, lives here.

W. L. (Willie) Brown of Austin, a tax assessor-collector, was the only son of three boys to live to adulthood. He died two years ago.

The Browns as well as the Yeats still have descendants here. It was only the strong who came and stayed.

Jayton. In addition to the snake rodeo, marksmanship contests are held each year during the annual meeting of the organization.

Fox, who was a barber for many years in Spur, before becoming a game warden, a position he held for 22 years before retirement, has also been instrumental in organizing rattlesnake roundups in many parts of West Texas over the years. Also for many years, he has been in great demand as a speaker on wildlife preservation, and as an instructor in snake handling.

During the annual meeting of the Caprock Peace Officers Assn. last week, he was recognized for his services to the organization, and was presented a plaque along with a shooting trophy... and was re-elected president of the association.

Grass tetany in cattle

Losses of cattle from grass tetany are occurring again this year according to reports from Dr. Sippel, Executive Director of the Texas Veterinary Medical Diagnostic Laboratory. This condition, which is related to a magnesium deficiency, is rather complex and not completely understood. Other complicating factors in grass tetany appear to be the high amount of potassium in well-fertilized small grain pastures. It is thought that high levels of potassium tie up the magnesium or make it unavailable to the animal. Recent research reported by agronomists with the Louisiana State University Agricultural Experiment Station indicate that forages on pastures which produced tetany in



At convention

Terry Gerhart, son of Mr. and Mrs. Milton Gerhart of Winters, visited with Tarleton State University President Dr. W. O. Trogon and

FFA Area IV Supervisor Benny Clark at the recent area convention in Stephenville. Gerhart is an FFA state vice president.

grazing cattle contained 2000 to 8000 parts per million (ppm) of aluminum. Forage samples from the stomachs of cattle that died from grass tetany contained an average of 2373 ppm of aluminum, compared with an average of 405 ppm of aluminum in samples from cattle not affected by grass tetany. It is still too early to predict how this will affect future preventive recommendations.

In Texas, it is seen most frequently on small grain pastures, such as wheat, oats or rye grass, but also can occur on other grasses such as Bermuda. Cows are more susceptible when nursing a young calf, although pregnant animals are sometimes affected. Grass tetany is more prevalent in older cows than those with their first or second calf.

The clinical signs may vary considerably. Affected animals tend to be nervous, avoid the rest of the

herd, walk with a stiff gait and may lose their appetite. As the problem progresses, symptoms can become more pronounced and affected animals may stagger, show twitching of the skin, grind their teeth and become more aggressive. Violent convulsions may develop in severe cases and animals often get down or lay with their head turned back along their side. Some times none of the above are observed and a dead animal is the first indication that a problem exists. Positive diagnosis of grass tetany is a problem, however if cattle show symptoms causing a rancher to suspect this or other similar condition, a veterinarian should be called as soon as possible.

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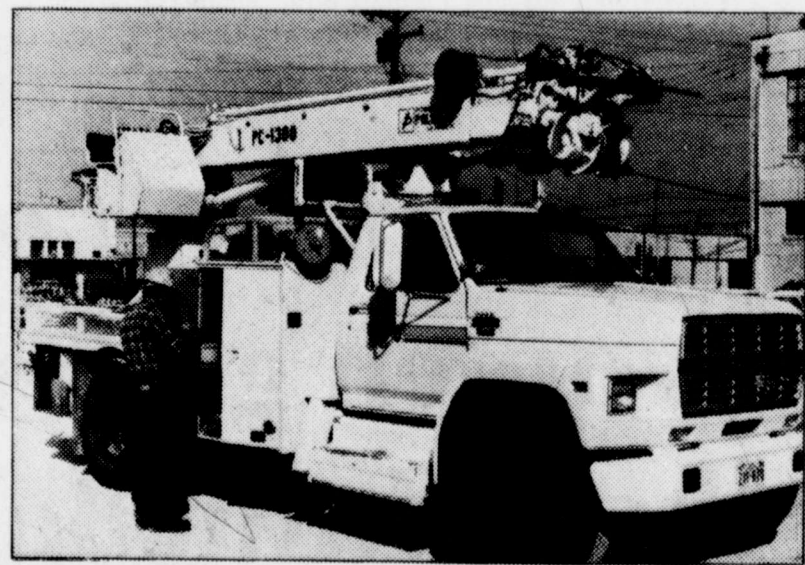
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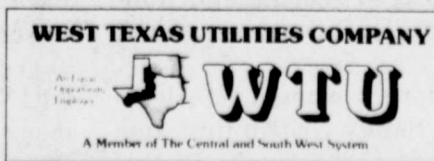


WTU digger-derrick truck

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This digger-derrick truck is just one example of how rising prices are affecting the cost of producing electric energy. Of course everything else has gone up, too. Materials, equipment, labor - nothing has escaped the effects of inflation.

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Blood pressure clinic next Tuesday

There will be a blood pressure, diabetes and weight control clinic at the Winters Multi-Purpose Center, 142 W. Dale, Tuesday, May 20, from 9 to 11:30 a. m.

A children's inoculation clinic will be held from 1:30 to 3:30 p. m.

A family planning clinic will be held at the center Wednesday, May 21, from 6 to 8:30 p. m., with registration to stop at 7:30 p. m.

OES meeting set next Monday

Winters Chapter No. 80, Order of the Eastern Star, will meet Monday, May 19, at 7:30 p. m., for a stated meeting and memorial service.

All area members are invited to attend.

Martha SS Class meeting recently

The Martha Sunday School Class of the First Baptist Church met recently in the home of Mrs. Vallie Brannon. Mrs. Zula Mae Lacy was in charge. Mrs. Merle Baines led the opening prayer, and roll call was answered with Bible verses. Mrs. Charlsie Poe was in charge of the diversion, and Mrs. Eula Cooke read the devotional.

Present were Pearl Jackson, Erna Marks, Margerite Gideon, Thelma Mayo, Perrie Carwile, Flora McWilliams, Eula Cooke, Charlsie Poe, Vallie Brannon, Alyce Compton, Miss Eunice Polk, and a visitor, Mrs. Baines.

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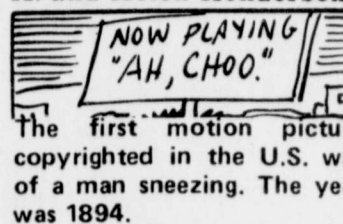
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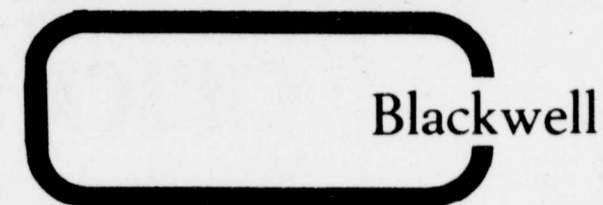
Mrs. Walter Johnson, 71, of Abilene, died at 4:20 Thursday at Hendrick Medical Center in Abilene after a three-week illness. She was a former resident of Winters. Funeral services were held at 11 a. m. Saturday in Winters Memorial Chapel, with the Rev. Doyle Pruitt, Baptist minister of Abilene, officiating. Burial was in Fairview Cemetery, under direction of Winters Funeral Home. Born Thelma Chapman, Aug. 7, 1908, in Winters, she married Walter Johnson, March 22, 1924, in Ballinger. She lived in

Winters until 1957, when she moved to Abilene. She was a member of the Northside Baptist Church in Abilene, and a member of the VFW Auxiliary, Post 2012, and the Royal Neighbors of Abilene. Her husband died in 1955. Survivors include two sons, Walter E. of Mansfield, Raymond D. of Winters; four daughters, Gladys Talley of Tuscola, Betty Binder of Rowena, Frances Lowe and Shirley Waller, both of Ballinger; a brother, Elmer Chapman of Brownwood; a half-sister; several half-brothers; 17 grandchildren; and 23 great-grandchildren. Grandsons were pallbearers.



Business of the Month

Bud Busher, of Busher Ag Service, holds the Business of the Month plaque for April, presented by the Winters Area Chamber of Commerce.



Mrs. R. Q. (Gracie) Spence came home from the Hendricks Memorial Hospital in Abilene Thursday, where she has been a patient for about a week, and is reported to be much improved. Oxford Raney is still a patient in Hendricks. He is reported to be much better and is reported to be coming home within the next few days. Mrs. Carl D. (Pat) Shafer is still in Hendricks, also, but she, too, is expecting to be coming home soon. Blackwell had an inch and two-tenths of rain Tuesday night and then early Thursday morning had another two-tenths of an inch. Tuesday night also had quite a bit of hail. It beat the leaves off the trees pretty badly, but did not damage the young gardens too bad. No water in the lake yet, though. The pantomime was presented at the Blackwell United Methodist Church last Sunday morning at the 11:00 service by the children from the Methodist church in Merkel. They did one number from "The Sound of Music" with religious words and then pantomimed hymns. The man did the singing and he was accompanied by his wife at the piano. There were thirty in all from Merkel and they brought their lunches and had a covered dish luncheon in the parsonage. Mrs. Ted Smith and her daughters were in the group from Merkel and they also visited with her mother, Mrs. Thelma Fry. Mrs. Donald Moore of Sweetwater visited Saturday afternoon with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ray Lee.

Parents asked to register early for church pre-school

Parents who will be entering their children in St. John's Lutheran Church Pre-School program for the 1980-81 school year have been asked to pre-register the children as early as possible, so plans can be made. Any child who is 3 or 4 years old by Sept. 1, 1980, is eligible, regardless of religion or race, church school spokespersons said. According to the announcement, pre-school classes will be held on Wednesday morning each week from 9 to 11 a. m., from September until May. The pre-school program is supported by donations from parents, the church and other interested persons. The staff is made up of volunteers. Anyone interested in enrolling their children or helping teach are asked to contact Mary Kurtz or the church office on Wednesday morning.

VFW Auxiliary elected officers last week

Mary Kurtz was elected president of the Winters Auxiliary of Winters Post 9193, Veterans of Foreign Wars, at a meeting in the post home last week. Other officers elected were Linda Bethel, senior vice president; Marie Allen, junior vice president; Nell Colburn, secretary-treasurer; Jo Ann Dillard, Chaplain; Liz Huckaby, guard; Ellen Meyer, conductress; Wanda Guy, Anita Wood, LaDola Bates, trustees; Teresa Savannah Thompson visited Tuesday afternoon in Sweetwater with her cousin and her daughter, Mrs. Les (Francis) Sissom and her daughter, Retha, and she reported Mrs. Sissom to be doing nicely. The Women's Missionary Union of the Blackwell First Baptist Church did not meet this Thursday and they will not meet next Thursday due to the Revival there all next week. Mr. and Mrs. Grady Patterson have as their visitors all this week, her sister and her husband, Mr. and Mrs. Jewel Turner of Elmore, Okla.

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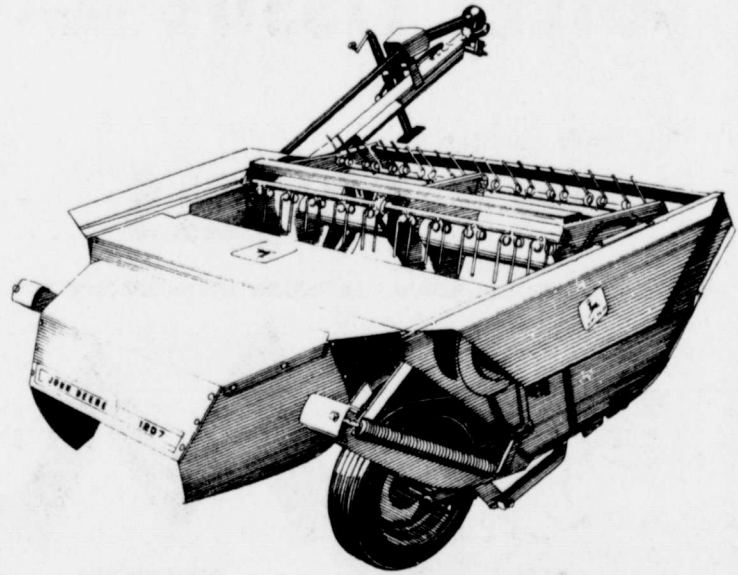
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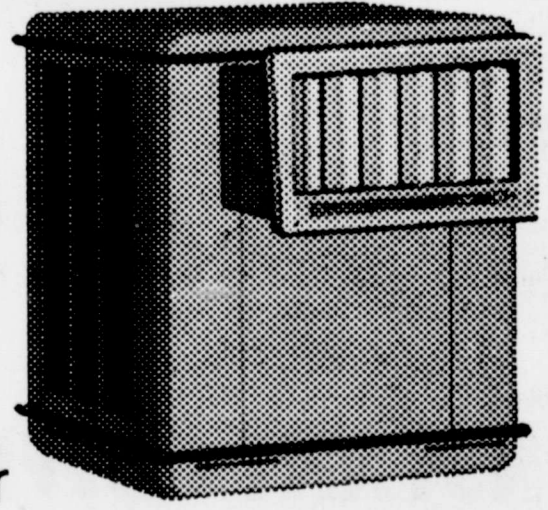
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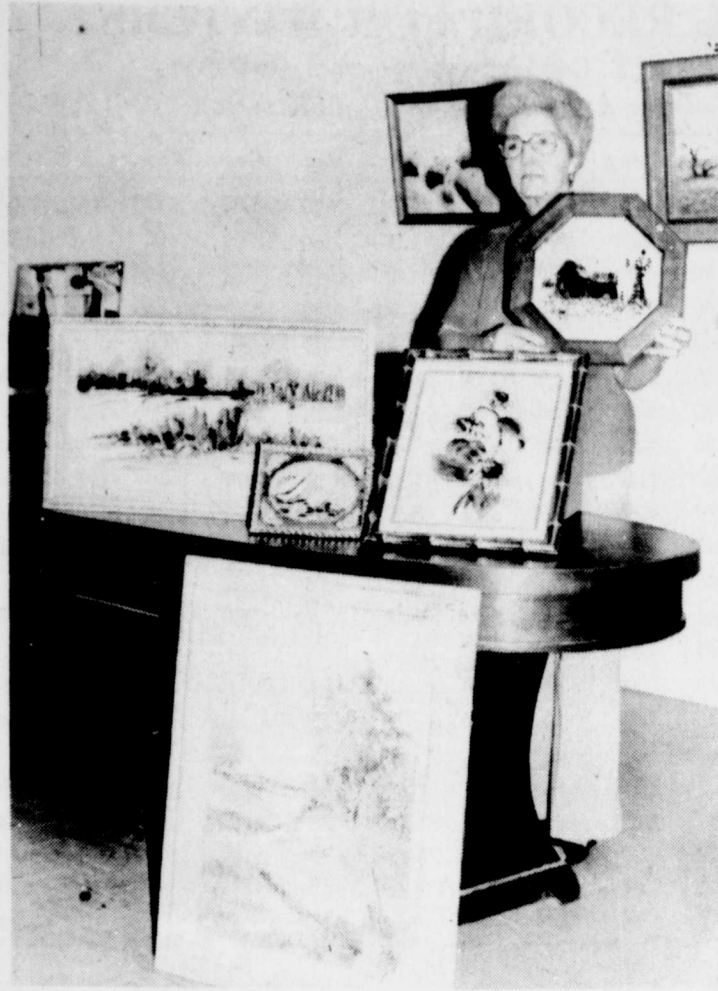
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Art show

Mrs. LaDell Davis with some of the paintings and art which will be shown during the 90th Birthday Celebration.

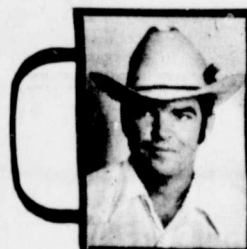
Graduation program for Pre-School program held

Graduation and end-of-school program for children who have been attending St. John's Lutheran Church Pre-School were held last Thursday evening. A program of songs and rhymes was presented by the children, Mary Kurtz, school director, and Katie Minzenmayer, pianist. The Rev. Larry Keene gave the benediction. Approximately 150 persons were present for the program.

Children graduating from the pre-school course were Michael Ahrens, Ashley Allcorn, Barbara Belk, Aaron

Bradley, Edward Brede-meyer, Mandy Sue Briley, Jim Calcote, Stacey Deike, Brian Faubion, Tabatha Graham, Michelle Hollis, Justin Hooper, Sara Ann Jackson, Spencer Marks, Russell Parramore, Kayla Priddy, Carla Smith, Eve Torres, Terri Lyn Vogler, Mindi Wade and Jamey West.

Other children attending the program include Rhonda Kay Bethel, Brian Briley, Kristin Deike, Christopher Dry, Melinda Holloway, Joel Keene, Jennifer Matthews, Tandy Reagan, Cory Spill, Melissa Tischler, and Steven Witte.



Jerry Lackey's Country Folk

About 50 of us newsmen from across West Texas stood under a tent on the Fairway Oaks Golf & Racquet Club while a West Texas pourdown rain and hail fell. It was at the end of a successful two-day La-Jet Golf Classic, so the timing was about right.

Several of us old ag editors got excited about viewing the rain and walking in mud while some of the national sports writers would rather it had waited. But that moisture and more is what West Texas needs now. Basically, it is dry everywhere.

Eating lunch the other day with Robert Pfluger, I learned it was dry in Concho, Kimble and Sutton counties where he ranches. "But the livestock look good," he quickly added.

Lawrence Bledsoe, also a Sonora rancher, says the livestock look good because "we are still feeding everything . . . there just is not any grass to speak of."

Henry Clark of Del Rio said it is "mainly dry all the way from San Angelo to the Texas-Mexico border. We had some moisture in spots like Bracketville but it was in the form of hail. It beats me how that ice fell on every truck farm and flattened the crops and out where a few old mesquite trees stand . . . no hail."

Joe Rawlings states it is fairly green around Bronte and some folks "will make some small grain."

Scott Hartgrove believes the "little showers along will keep us out of trouble around Paint Rock."

Actually, it will be the hot days forthcoming in June which will make the difference, if some good gully-washing rain don't hit between now and June 15th, we will be in trouble.

Nelson ERwin predicts some good yields on small grain fields in the Miles and Ballinger area. "I have the choice of some grain or baling my oat patch," he said.

Well, I started out this week by talking about a golf game and as usual got off on the weather. Let me get back to finishing the golf story . . .

The LaJet Classic featured 19 pro-golfers: J. C. Snead, Chi Chi Rodriguez, Lou Graham, Ben Crenshaw, Tom Purtzer, Andy Bean, Bill Kratzert, Lon Hinkle, Tom Kite, Bill Rogers, Charles Coody, Don January, Sam Snead, Hale Irwin, Jerry Pate, Fuzzy Zoeller, Larry Nelson, Gene Littler, and Miller Barber.

West Texas Rehabilitation Center was benefactor of the annual event. And it was Bill Kratzert who won 1st place and \$30,000. J. C. Snead was second with a take of \$18,000 and Ben Crenshaw third with \$14,000. Four new cars went to Lou Crenshaw, Tom Purtzer, Ben Crenshaw, and J. C. Snead.

I helped in the Press Tent and did some photography. It was my first time to experience a big golf tournament and up to 3,000 people in a gallery. I had seen such on TV but this was something else!

Yet, the good rain at the end was still the best part and being a part-time rancher, I guess it was my reward!

"Often, the surest way to convey misinformation is to tell the strict truth." Mark Twain

C-C Ladies Committee will hold Birthday Garage Sale

The Ladies committee of the Winters Area Chamber of Commerce will hold a "Birthday Garage Sale," Friday and Saturday, May 16-17, at 133 West Dale.

Persons wishing to donate items for the sale may contact the Chamber of Commerce office.

All proceeds from the sale will go to help finance Winters' 90th Birthday Celebration, May 23-24.

Miss Byrns and Mr. Bahlman to wed

Mrs. William Ford Byrns has announced the engagement of her daughter, Brenda Evelyn, to Mr. Lanier Bahlman, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Bahlman. The bride-elect is a graduate of Winters High School, Abilene Christian University and the University of Texas at Dallas. She is employed by Mesquite Independent School District.

The prospective bridegroom is also a graduate of Winters High School and received a BBA degree in finance from the University of Texas at Austin. He is employed by the Winters State Bank.

The couple is planning a July 19 wedding at the Church of Christ in Winters.

TV stations will feature 90th event

Abilene and San Angelo television stations will broadcast special promotional features highlighting Winters' 90th Birthday Celebration, beginning Thursday of this week, Sue Spill, heading the publicity committee, said.

At 5 p. m. Thursday, May 15, the birthday celebration will be promoted on the Pat Attaberry Show on KCTV, San Angelo.

KTXS, Abilene, will air a promotional bit on the Sylvia's Chalet show at 9 a. m. May 20.

The Noonday With Kay program on KRBC, Abilene, will feature a promotional bit, with several Winters residents scheduled to appear.

Naomi UMW Group meeting Tuesday

The Naomi Group of the First United Methodist Church met in the home of Mrs. Thad Traylor Tuesday morning with nine members present. Mrs. Garland Shood led the opening prayer.

Mrs. Jewell Mitchell had charge of the program on The Parables.

The next meeting will be May 20 at 9:30 a. m. in the home of Mrs. Eva Kelly.

NORTH RUNNELS HOSPITAL REPORT

- ADMISSIONS**
 May 6 John Prichard
 May 7 No Admissions
 May 8 No Admissions
 May 9 Mabel Thomason, Ella Phipps, Kim Fry
 May 10 Yvonne Thompson
 May 11 Frances Lowe, Lucy Rodriguez
 May 12 Dorothy Gray, Mabel Galting, Robert Johnson, Charles Dry
- DISMISSALS**
 May 6 John Prichard, Dessie Jernigan
 May 7 No Dismissals
 May 8 Charles Dunn
 May 9 No Dismissals
 May 10 No Dismissals
 May 11 Allie Mae Voelker, Yvonne Thompson, Lucy Rodriguez
 May 12 Mabel Thomason

Drasco Sunday School Class fellowship

The King's Messengers Sunday School Class of Drasco Baptist Church held a regular fellowship meeting following evening worship services Sunday. Roll call was answered with the name of a mother of the Bible.

The men were invited to the Fellowship Hall for refreshments, in honor of the pastor, Rev. Powers and his wife. They were honored on their 25th wedding anniversary.

Those present were Rev. and Mrs. Charles Powers, Messrs. and Msdmes. O. C. Hill, Robert Conner, Travis Downing, Bede England, Carrie, Lee and Judy Pennington, Vera Lee Sneed, Mrs. Randall Sneed and baby Steven, Judy Sneed, Annie D. West, Billie R. Bishop, Viola Lewis, Mabel Williams, and a visitor, Janie Mabry.



Le'see now...

Four domino players get in shape for the domino tournament which will

be held during the 90th Birthday Celebration.

GTE offers benefit package

General Telephone Company of the Southwest Friday (May 2) offered the Communications Workers of America Local 12171 a \$35.3 million wage and benefit improvement package over a three-year period, the largest offer ever made by the Company.

The package equates to a 33.8 percent increase, compounded, over the proposed three-year life of the contract.

More than \$2 million of the offer is applied to benefit items which include improvements in hospitalization and major medical coverage, an 11th holiday, larger pensions, and five weeks vacation after 25 years service.

RETURNED HOME

Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Gerhart have returned to Wilcox, Ariz., after visiting a month with her mother, Mrs. Louis Ernst, and other relatives.

Ruth Circle met Tuesday morning

The Ruth Circle of the United Methodist Church met Tuesday morning in the home of Mrs. Ralph Arnold.

The program was on The Parables of Jesus. Taking part on the program were Margurite Mathis and Addie Beth Stanley. A discussion period followed.

Others attending were Marie Neely and Iona Vinson.

The circle will meet with Mrs. J. D. Vinson May 20.

To graduation exercises at Tarleton

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Bean and son Jack, Mrs. Thelma Parrish, Mr. and Mrs. Griff Brown, and Kati Harrison, attended the graduation exercises at Tarleton State University, Stephenville, Sunday.

Margaret Ann Bean Kraatz was one of the graduates.



NEWCOMER

COURTNEY LYNN JESSIE

Mr. and Mrs. Craig Jessie of Marion, Ohio, announce the birth of a daughter, Courtney Lynn, born April 25. Mrs. Jessie is the former Mary Lynn Bedford. Her parents are Mr. and Mrs. Truitt Bentley of Winters. Her father was the late Wayne Bedford.

ZACHARY THOMAS HODGES

Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Hodges of Dallas announce the birth of a son, Zachary Thomas, born April 19 in Dallas. Mrs. Hodges is the former Sherri Bedford. Her parents are Mr. and Mrs. Truitt Bentley of Winters. Her father was the late Wayne Bedford.



The South American anaconda may reach 25 feet in length and three feet in girth.



Some say sneezing before a journey is a bad sign.

Grab Table! NAIDA'S WINTERS, TEXAS

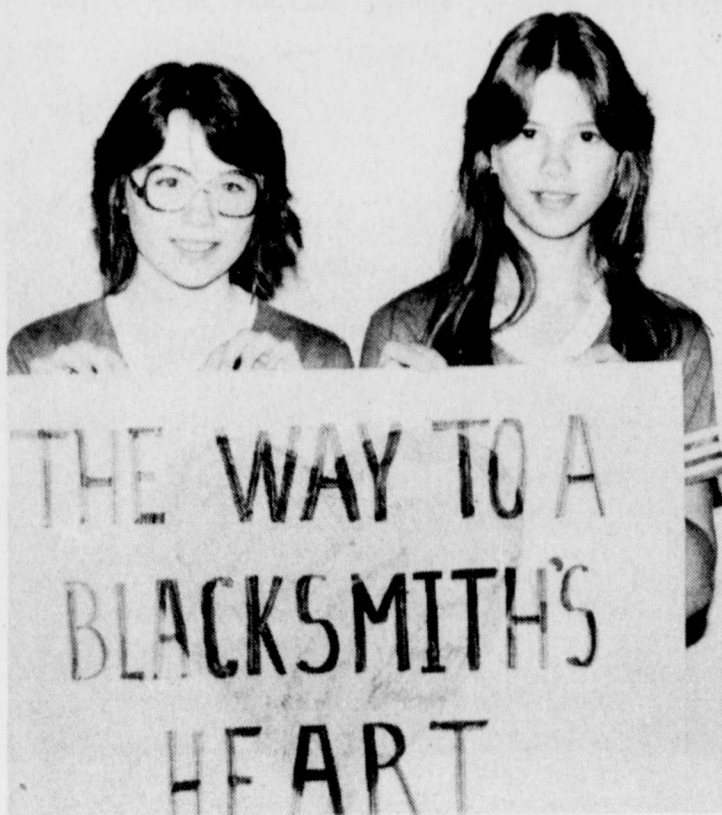
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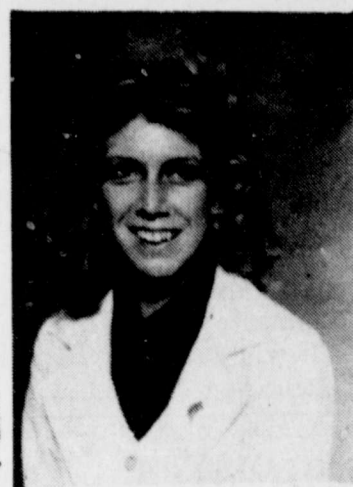
Second place

Melinda Sims and Michelle O'Neil won second place in the District 4-H Demonstration contests May 3, in the horse division. Their demonstration on foot care for horses, entitled, "The Way To A Blacksmith's Heart," was in competition with five other presentations. The two girls are members of the Winters 4-H Horse Club and attend Winters Junior High School.



Second place

Michelle and Grady Bryan, members of Winters 4-H Club, won second place in the Foods and Nutrition division at the May 3 Method Demonstrations District 4-H Roundup contests on the campus of Angelo State University. Title of their demonstration was "Cotton Breakthrough." Their parents are Mr. and Mrs. Sealy Bryan of Winters.



DAWN MILLER To McMurry

Dawn Miller, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Dan Miller, and a member of the 1980 graduating class in Winters High School, has been accepted as a twirler at McMurry College for next year. She has been a twirler with the band for three years in high school, and one year as an alternate. She was a twirler for two years in Junior High School. She has been in the school bands since the fifth grade. She will enter McMurry College with a \$500 scholarship.

RAINFALL RECORD FOR WINTERS

Courtesy ROY RICE, Cooperative Weather Observer, National Oceanic & Atmospheric Administration

Year	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec	Tot
1959	.00	.20	.00	2.40	4.70	9.70	5.00	.40	3.70	5.80	1.30	5.20	38.40
1960	3.50	.90	1.00	1.40	1.50	.90	5.30	1.20	1.80	2.60	.00	3.70	22.80
1961	5.30	1.60	1.30	.30	5.40	9.30	4.20	.00	.00	.00	.00	.00	27.70
1962	.00	.00	.30	4.40	1.00	5.70	8.70	1.30	5.30	3.00	1.20	1.00	31.90
1963	.00	1.30	.00	2.80	7.70	2.20	.00	5.20	.80	1.00	1.20	2.00	24.50
1964	1.90	3.10	1.80	2.30	1.50	3.50	1.00	3.50	5.20	.70	3.30	.60	28.40
1965	2.50	3.70	.30	2.00	9.30	3.80	.10	.80	3.90	2.80	2.00	1.90	33.10
1966	1.70	1.00	1.30	7.80	1.20	1.90	.10	7.30	2.80	2.70	.00	.00	27.80
1967	.00	.10	1.20	1.00	1.30	5.00	4.20	1.10	8.70	.00	5.30	2.00	29.90
1968	5.61	3.50	4.70	4.70	6.80	.20	3.11	2.67	1.97	1.12	3.44	.16	36.97
1969	.33	1.05	2.29	4.46	6.98	3.36	.05	2.09	8.44	3.19	1.53	1.78	36.51
1970	.35	1.98	5.02	4.45	2.25	.00	.00	1.04	2.78	.75	.00	.23	20.11
1971	.04	.29	.00	2.51	1.42	8.33	2.92	7.44	7.21	4.87	.56	1.57	37.16
1972	.20	3.33	.03	.94	4.11	2.72	2.24	3.76	2.88	6.41	.96	.07	24.68
1973	1.83	1.62	1.86	3.36	1.52	5.84	5.48	.45	4.37	2.78	.24	.07	29.42
1974	.05	.47	1.03	1.70	1.60	.91	.54	3.79	8.23	?	?	?	18.32
1975	To be obtained.												
1976	.00	.09	.59	4.22	1.18	.84	5.83	.49	7.85	5.79	.68	.10	27.66
1977	1.07	.44	1.46	4.84	1.22	3.26	2.17	.82	.85	1.16	.58	.19	19.06
1978	.83	1.62	.31	.52	2.80	.49	.89	5.72	2.65	.79	1.57	.08	18.27
1979	1.33	1.19	5.59	3.24	2.74	4.65	4.10	3.91	.00	.41	.36	2.92	29.72
1980	.63	1.14	1.41	.57	1.75								5.50

*Not Recored. Figures through 1967 unofficial.

Junior High cheerleaders were elected

La Shea Guy, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Guy, Jr., was elected head cheerleader for Winters Junior High School last week.

Other eighth grade cheerleaders elected

were Melinda Kvapil, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Stan Kvapil, and Paige Fisher, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Les Fisher. Alternate for the eighth grade is Pam Poe, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Harold Poe.

Seventh grade girls elected were Allison Allcorn, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Allcorn, and Dana Carroll, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. David Carroll. Alternate for the seventh grade is Tracy Danford, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Danford.

Sixth grade cheerleader is Libby Bedford, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Boyd Bedford. Alternate for the sixth grade is Stacy Ellis, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Pat Warren.

Cheerleaders named for '80

Winters High School students recently elected cheerleaders who will lead cheering activities during the 1980-81 school year.

They are Tammy Gibbs, senior, head cheerleader, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Connie Mac Gibbs; Lisa Bryan, senior, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Bryan; Silles Fisher, senior, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Les Fisher; Kayleen McGuffin, junior, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Mack McGuffin; Sherry McKnight, junior, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Troy McKnight; and Anna Vera, junior, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Manuel Vera.

Work itch

"Work itch" or occupational dermatitis, any skin abnormality caused by the work environment, is a common complaint among workers. Why? Because the skin has a large surface area for possible contact with hazardous substances, and because the work environment contains many materials capable of damaging the skin. Chemicals are by far the most common cause of dermatitis since they are everywhere in modern industry, on the farm, and in every household, says an agricultural safety engineer with the Texas Agricultural Extension Service, Texas A&M University System.

Piano recital next Sunday

Susan Conner will present her piano students in two recitals Sunday, May 18, at Studio 7, 700 N. Fannin.

The first recital will be at 2:30, with Julie Wheat, Lynda Billups, Landa England, Missy Poehls, Shanna Rozman, J. J. Michaelis, Yony Lee, Barbie Bradley, Carla Briley, Tammy Belew, Robin Michaelis, Deedra Blackshear and Jennifer Browning.

Featured in the 3:30 recital will be Jim Lee, Douglas Wheat, Brandon Poe, Dan Killough, Allison Allcorn, Gina Rosson, Amy Tuggle, Melinda Kvapil, Tammy Jackson, Betty Lisson, Neva Lewis, James Hinman, Michael Lee, and Bill Wheat.

Rebekah S.S. Class meeting

The Rebekah Sunday School Class of the First Baptist Church met recently in the church Fellowship Hall for a salad supper. Special guests were the Anna Class and Mrs. Charlsie Poe.

Mrs. Fred Thomas gave the devotional, and Mrs. Wayne Simms and Mrs. Ronald Cooper sang a special. Mrs. Lillian Roberson directed games. Mrs. Charlsie Poe read two stories from the book, "Jiggs and Julep."

Others present were Mmes. Kenneth Sneed, Joyce Krause, Bobby Rogers, Robert Paschal, Cliff Poe, Billy Russell, W. J. Briley, Don Davis, Bert Humble, Lillian Roberson, G. W. Sneed, Jack Pierce, Monroe Boles, Ray Laughon and Leamon Herrington.

School still seeking names of students

The principal of Winters Elementary School, George M. Beard, this week again reminded parents of all kindergarten and first grade pupils who will enter the Winters school for the 1980-81 school year, that these children should be registered soon, so that class scheduling can be done.

Pupils in kindergarten this year are pre-registered for the first grade for the next school year.

Kindergarten pupils will attend class for the entire school year on a full day schedule, Beard said. To enter kindergarten for the next school year, children must be five years of age on or before Sept. 1, 1980.

Parents or guardians are requested to contact the office of the school nurse, 754-4037, for an appointment time and date for a health information conference. These appointments will be scheduled in May. Enrollees must present birth certificates and proof of required immunizations.

Winters Public School LUNCHROOM MENU

Monday, May 19
Ham, Tomatoes and Macaroni, green beans, tossed salad with french dressing, peach pie, hot rolls with butter on top, milk or chocolate milk.

Tuesday, May 20
Roast and gravy (by choice), whipped potatoes, English pea salad, sliced peaches, rolled wheat cake, hot rolls with butter on top, milk or chocolate milk.

Wednesday, May 21
Hamburger steaks, onion gravy (by choice), cream potatoes, green beans, tossed green salad with french dressing, mixed fruit, peanut butter cookies, hot rolls with butter on top, milk or chocolate milk.

Thursday, May 22
Fried chicken, cream gravy, whipped potatoes, mixed vegetables, tossed salad, cake, pears, hot rolls with butter on top, milk or chocolate milk.

Friday, May 23
Hamburgers or combination sandwiches, french fries, catsup in cups, pinto beans, mixed fruit with whipped cream, chocolate cake, milk.



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Crews

Up until 20 a girl needs good parents; from 20 to 40 its good looks; from 40 to 60, good humor, and from 60 up, good stocks and bonds.

Deepest sympathy to the families of Mrs. Vera Simpson who was buried on Wednesday in Crews Cemetery. She was once a resident of this community. Mr. and Mrs. Burley Campbell and Marion Wood, and Mr. and Mrs. Odie Matthews attended her funeral. Also attending were Mrs. Alta Hale, Mrs. Corra Petrie, Mrs. Hazel Mae Bragg, and Arthur Allcorn.

Mrs. Wilbert Alcorn attended the mother-daughter banquet in Southwest Baptist Church in San Angelo with her daughter Friday night.

Raymond Alcorn of San Saba spent last week in the Alcorn home.

Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Archer, of Glen Dale, Calif. spent Sunday with the Norval Alexanders.

Mrs. Earl Coopers brother, Lanny Lacy of Dallas, spent Saturday through Sunday with the Coopers. Mr. and Mrs. Corbert Cooper of Winters also were Mothers

H. Vogelsang died Thursday in San Angelo

Hugo Potto Vogelsang, 82, of Ballinger, died at 9:41 a. m. Thursday in a San Angelo hospital.

Services were held at 10 a. m. Saturday at the First United Methodist Church in Ballinger, with the Rev. Roy Bassett, pastor, officiating, assisted by the Rev. Plez Todd, a former pastor.

Burial was in Evergreen Cemetery in Ballinger, under direction of Rains-Seale Funeral Home.

Born Dec. 1, 1897, at Spring Hill, he was a lifelong resident of Runnels County. He was a member of the United Methodist Church.

Mr. Vogelsang was a member of the Norton

Day guests. Mr. and Mrs. Gary Hill and son Shane of Odessa spent the weekend with the Robert Hills. Mr. and Mrs. Mike Hill of Drasco came on Saturday and Mr. and Mrs. Bob Hill of Fort Worth came on Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Payne of Duplin were up to see Mrs. Bertha Gerhart on Sunday, who also came by to visit a while with the Calvin Hoppes.

Mr. and Mrs. John Sims and children, Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Sims, Mr. and Mrs. George Davis and Tommy all ate Mothers Day out at the Towne Crier House in Abilene on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Odie Matthews spent the day Sunday in Ballinger with Mrs. Ruby Matthews.

With the Marvin Gerharts on Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. Wilmer Gerhart, Mrs. Barney Wright, and Bro. Lynn Means.

Mr. and Mrs. Rodney Faubion and boys returned Sunday after visiting her grandmother, Mrs. Bea Dye and other relatives in Sentinel, Okla.

Mr. and Mrs. Doug Bryan had Mothers Day Lions Club. He was president of the board of directors of Valley Creek Watershed District, and a past president of Runnels County Farm Bureau.

He had been named Man of the Year by the Lions Club.

He married Edna Bailey Oct. 23, 1926, in Winters. Mrs. Vogelsang died in 1975.

Survivors include a daughter, Mrs. Paul (Willene) Gerhart of Winters; three sisters, Mrs. Leonard (Ella) Henniger and Mrs. Edmond (Ueula) Lindeman, both of Ballinger, and Mrs. Sam (Edith) Blumentritt of San Angelo; two grandchildren; and one great-grandchild.

Pallbearers were Raymond Pagwell, Francis Perry, O. L. Parrish, Monroe Werner, Allen Belk, Woodrow Hoffman and Al Dallinger.

Fourth-graders will present 'Tom Sawyer'

The fourth grade class of Winters Elementary School will present an all-time favorite play, "Tom Sawyer," Friday, May 16, at 7 p. m. in the High School auditorium.

The play will be under the direction of Vicki Southern, assisted by Linda Beeber.

There will be no admission charge, and the public has been invited to see this play.

"We have had several donations of material and props, and we want to offer a special thanks to Foxworth-Galbraith, Higginbothams, and John's

dinner with the Dewitt Bryans in Wilmeth.

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Brevard spent Sunday with the Arthur Kerbys.

Mothers Day dinner was prepared Sunday in the Rodney Faubion home for Mr. and Mrs. Noble Faubion, Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Faubion, Mrs. Jerry Kraatz and children.

Mrs. Barney Wright of Menard was a Hopewell Church visitor Sunday.

My children and grandchildren all were home with me on Mothers Day. They were Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Kurtz, Mrs. Bill Villers, Peggy and Jimmy, Randall and Darrell Kurtz, and Cindy Johnson.

The John Sims family attended the Rodeo acc. in Winters Saturday night. Melinda won high points in her age group.

Mr. and Mrs. Von Byrd and children of Abilene came home for Mothers Day with the Boyd Grissoms. The John Sims came later in the afternoon.

Mrs. Noble Faubion was in San Angelo Thursday and visited with Mrs. Mike Prater.

Having Saturday night supper with Hazel Dietz was Mr. and Mrs. Ernst Cooke and Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Chapmond of Winters. The Dietzs visited with Mrs. Lillie Dietz in Ballinger Nursing Center on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Marion Wood spent Thursday through Sunday in Giddings with the Maloy Bryant family. Mr. Bryant is recovering nicely after surgery. The Woods also visited in Fort Worth with Mrs. Katie Bodine.

Mr. and Mrs. Hoarce Stokes of Talpa, Mrs. Lemma Fuller, Mrs. Ruby Beall of Coleman, and Mrs. Alta Hale attended the musical in Brownwood Saturday night.

Brian Faubion, son of Mr. and Mrs. Rodney Faubion graduated from preschool Thursday in Winters.

Mrs. Chester McBeths mother, Mrs. Ella Phipps, is in the North Runnels Hospital in Winters since Friday for tests.

Mrs. Effie Dietz had Mothers Day dinner with the Carl Baldwin family. Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Hambright, and Mr. and Mrs. Carl Baldwin of Winters came out for 42 one night.

Recently with Mrs. Effie Dietz were Mr. and Mrs. Gaston Ernst, Adrianna and Elissa, Adolph Ernst, Mrs. Lillie Osborne and Selma, Mrs. Opal Brown, Mrs. Gertrude Robinson, Mrs. Kate Lee, Mrs. Dorothy Hogen, Mrs. Coleman Foreman, and Miss Clara McKissack.

Mr. and Mrs. Connie Gibbs were in Cisco to visit with his mother, Mrs. Jodie Gibbs in the nursing home. She is doing just fine these days.

International for lumber and material," Miss Southern said.

Characters and actors in the play will be:

Tom Sawyer, Dusty Fisher; Huck Finn, Chuck Patterson; Sid, Houston Guy; Aunt Polly, Lana Davis; Injun Joe, Randy Watson; Muff Potter, Paul Vance; Dr. Robinson, George Torres; Judge, Gina Nesbit; Defense Attorney, Elizabeth Bowden; Prosecutor, Kevin Coats; Clerk, Angela Ledford; Mrs. Rogers, Melissa Faubion; Mrs. Harper, Camille Lancaster; Gang Members, Scott Daniel, Rene Garcia, John Ortiz, Wayne Boyd, Jim Lee.

W. W. Wade died last Wednesday

William Wesley Wade, 91, died at 6 p. m. Wednesday of last week in the Merrill Senior Citizens Nursing Home following an illness of several months.

Services were held at 10:30 a. m. Friday in Winters Memorial Chapel, with the Rev. Fred Thomas, pastor of the First Baptist Church, officiating.

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

Mr. Wade was born in Alabama, Aug. 15, 1888, and at the age of 15 he came to Texas, settling at Paris. It was there he met and married Sarah Amanda Palmer in 1909. In 1922, the family moved to Lubbock, and ten years later they moved to a farm in the Wingate area of Runnels County.

He retired from farming in 1946 and moved to Winters where he worked for C. L. Green Milling Co. for a number of years. He also worked in the oil fields in West Texas for about four years.

He was a member of the Baptist Church.

STATE CAPITAL HIGHLIGHTS
By Lyndell Williams
TEXAS PRESS ASSOCIATION

Governor Bill Clements endorsed Ronald Reagan for president following Reagan's Texas primary victory over Texan George Bush, thus fueling speculation that Clements may get the tap for vice president this summer.

A Reagan-Clements ticket would go a long way in bringing Bush's supporters to the polls in November. Clements has played the peacemaker between the Reagan and Bush factions in Texas.

Illinois Sen. John Anderson, the man who might run for president as an Independent, sent his team to Texas last week to gather over 40,000 signatures needed to get his name on the Texas ballot.

Anderson has not shown enough strength in the primaries to indicate he can actually win the presidency, and his candidacy is generally considered by voters as a politically healthy alternative to Reagan and Jimmy Carter. The big question is: will he siphon off more voters from President Carter or from Reagan? Can he muster enough support to throw the election into the U. S. House of Representatives?

Texas Attorney General Mark White is expected to rule soon whether voters in the May primary are eligible to sign Anderson's petition. Both Secretary of State George W. Strake, a Republican, and Gary Mauro, executive director of the Texas Democratic Party, claim their primary voters are ineligible.

Another Speaker Candidate
Goliad State Rep. Tim Von Dohlen held a press conference last week to say he is running for House speaker next January, if Bill Clayton has to step down because of his Brilab woes.

Von Dohlen, a Clayton team member of high standing, promised he would not use his position as chairman of the redistricting committee to win votes in the speaker's race.

Already in the race are Reps. Gib Lewis of Fort Worth, John Bryant of Dallas, Bill Caraway of Houston, Lynn Nabers of Brownwood, Bennie Bock of New Braunfels and Wayne Peveto of Orange.

Clayton Still Hopeful
Clayton told reporters he had anticipated the candidacies of his former team players, but that he expects to be cleared of the Brilab scandal and re-elected to a fourth term as speaker.

Clayton is being investigated for allegedly accepting a bribe in connection with securing a state insurance contract.

The federal grand jury will reconvene in mid-June to avoid muddying the waters of the run-off election, and prosecutors expect then to win an indictment against Clayton, to the dismay of other legislators

Mrs. Wade preceded him in death in 1968.

Survivors include two sons, Louis Wade of Winters and Wesley Wade of Wingate; a daughter, Mrs. Ethel Mae Jennings of Odessa; 14 grandchildren, 29 great-grandchildren, and two great-great-grandchildren.

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who fear it will prompt voters to "clean house" by voting out all incumbents.

Thus, from the moment of his indictment, Clayton will become a political liability to all legislators, and he must act speedily to clear himself of any charges. Clayton, well aware of his predicament, told reporters last week he will step down if he isn't cleared by next September.

Brown, Kubiak and Gasohol
Agriculture Commissioner Reagan Brown took a planeload of reporters to visit Rockdale Rep. Dan Kubiak and view his hometown alcohol fuel plant. Kubiak and former Green Bay Packer Lee Roy Caffey built the plant after Gov. Clements vetoed funds last session for an alcohol fuel pilot plant.

Brown praised Kubiak for acquiring Texas' first two alcohol fuel plants in his legislative district (the other is in Marlin).

Kubiak said he would like to see control over gasohol permits shifted to the agriculture commissioner's office. A leading proponent of gasohol, Kubiak promised reporters he would sell his interest in the Rockdale plant before the next session in order to avoid any conflict of interest. He built the plant to keep his promise to legislators who voted for gasohol, he said.

Attorney General Opinions
Mark White ruled last week the Texas Department of Health cannot buy supplies from a business owned by a member of the state board of health, which oversees the department.

The issue was raised by purchases which the department's crippled children's division made from board member Bill Edwards, a Galveston pharmacist and medical supply company owner. Records show some \$28,000 in purchases were made over the last three years.

White also ruled that information gathered by the governor regarding potential nominees for public office is not per se excepted by the Texas Open Records Act. Documents containing derogatory, largely unverified information are not required to be revealed.

Brilab Footnote
The man who allegedly gave Speaker Clayton \$5,000 to secure an insurance contract has been sentenced to two years in prison for a \$5.5 million swindle of union funds. Joseph Hauser pleaded guilty to the charges unrelated to Brilab. He was, however, the FBI's chief undercover informant in its Brilab investigation of politics and labor.

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"Fashions of Bygone Days" event at 90th Celebration

"Fashions of Bygone Days" will be a featured activity during Winters 90th Birthday Celebration next week, May 23-24.

This event will be held Friday, May 23, with prizes offered for the most typical costume worn by local residents in earlier days. Those entering this event may visit participating merchants and register. Drawings will be held at each store at 4:30 Friday, and the winners will be announced at the evening barbecue at the Community Center.

This event is being sponsored by the Retail Trades Committee of the Winters Chamber of Commerce. The committee also asked local merchants to decorate their windows with antique or period items during the special two-day celebration.



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