

# Rodeo Parade Friday, 6 p.m.

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### No increase in city taxes

Winters City Administrator Glenn Brown told the city council in their Monday evening meeting that the proposed budget for the 1981-82 fiscal year will not contain an increase in city taxes.

Brown said that a tax rate of 90 cents is needed on each \$100 of valuation, and, as required by State Law, the city will be taxing on 100 percent of assessed value this year instead of the old assessment ratio of 75 percent of assessed value. Brown continued by say-

ing the 90 cents at 100 percent assessment will result in the same tax levy as \$1.20 at 75 percent assessment. "Therefore," Brown said, "this budget does not contain a tax increase."

The City Administrator pointed out, however that all capital expenditures in the proposed new budget are to be funded from Revenue Sharing, and he proposed to use all existing surpluses in the Revenue Sharing Fund. Brown said, "Unless we can find some other substantial sources of revenue, a tax increase will be unavoidable in the next

year or two. Also it should be pointed out that after January 1, 1982 all of the new state laws governing taxing jurisdictions will be in effect, including the law that permits the citizens to call for a referendum on any proposed tax increases."

The City Administrator said that the proposed new budget does contain some salary increases for city employees, but, he would not comment on the increases or other expenditures until after public budget hearings were held and the new budget formally adopted by the city council.

Brown told the council that a tentative okay was needed on the proposed tax rate in order for the city offices to have new billing programs prepared and have them ready to use.

The public hearing on the proposed budget for the 1981-82 fiscal year will be scheduled for the regular August 17 meeting of the city council.

The new budget, as proposed by the city administrator is calling for total resources of \$1,100,569, total requirements of \$883,959, and a proposed ending balance of \$266,610.

### City gets \$8,410 from sales taxes

Although the City of Winters received slightly less in sales tax rebates for the June, 1981 period from the State Comptroller than for the same period in 1980, total for the year has been 25.22 percent more than for the year-to-date last year.

The City received \$8,410 for the June 1981 period, against \$8,521 for the same period last year. However, rebates for the one-cent sales tax for 1981 for the year has amounted to \$64,192, against \$51,262 for the same period in 1980.

Receipts for the period by comparable cities in the area were:

Anson	\$ 2,400
Ballinger	6,420
Coleman	21,800
Eastland	7,250
Hamlin	6,310
Ranger	5,420
Stamford	7,680
Winters	8,410

### Friday is "Western Day" in Winters

Dig out your cowboy hat, boots, western shirts and jeans, buckle on your spurs and chaps. Friday is "Western Day" in Winters!

"Western Day" has been designated by the Winters Area Chamber of Commerce in cooperation with the Winters Rodeo Association, to promote the second annual IRA Rodeo in Winters.

Many of Winters' merchants will remain open until 7 p.m., and some will offer special prizes; go in and register, no purchase will be necessary and you will not have to be present to win one of the valuable gifts to be offered.

### Western band to perform here Friday

As a part of "Western Days" in Winters Friday, a western string band will perform here Friday morning.

The band will set up in front of O'Neal's General Store on East Dale St. and the street will be blocked off in that immediate area during the performance.

### Arrests top police activity

Winters Police say that four arrests topped their activity for the past week. Two persons were arrested on warrants alleging no drivers license, expired motor vehicle inspection, and failure to appear, one person was arrested and charged with driving while intoxicated and one person charged with disorderly conduct.

Officers said that minor traffic violations, traffic accidents, and routine calls kept officers busy during the week.

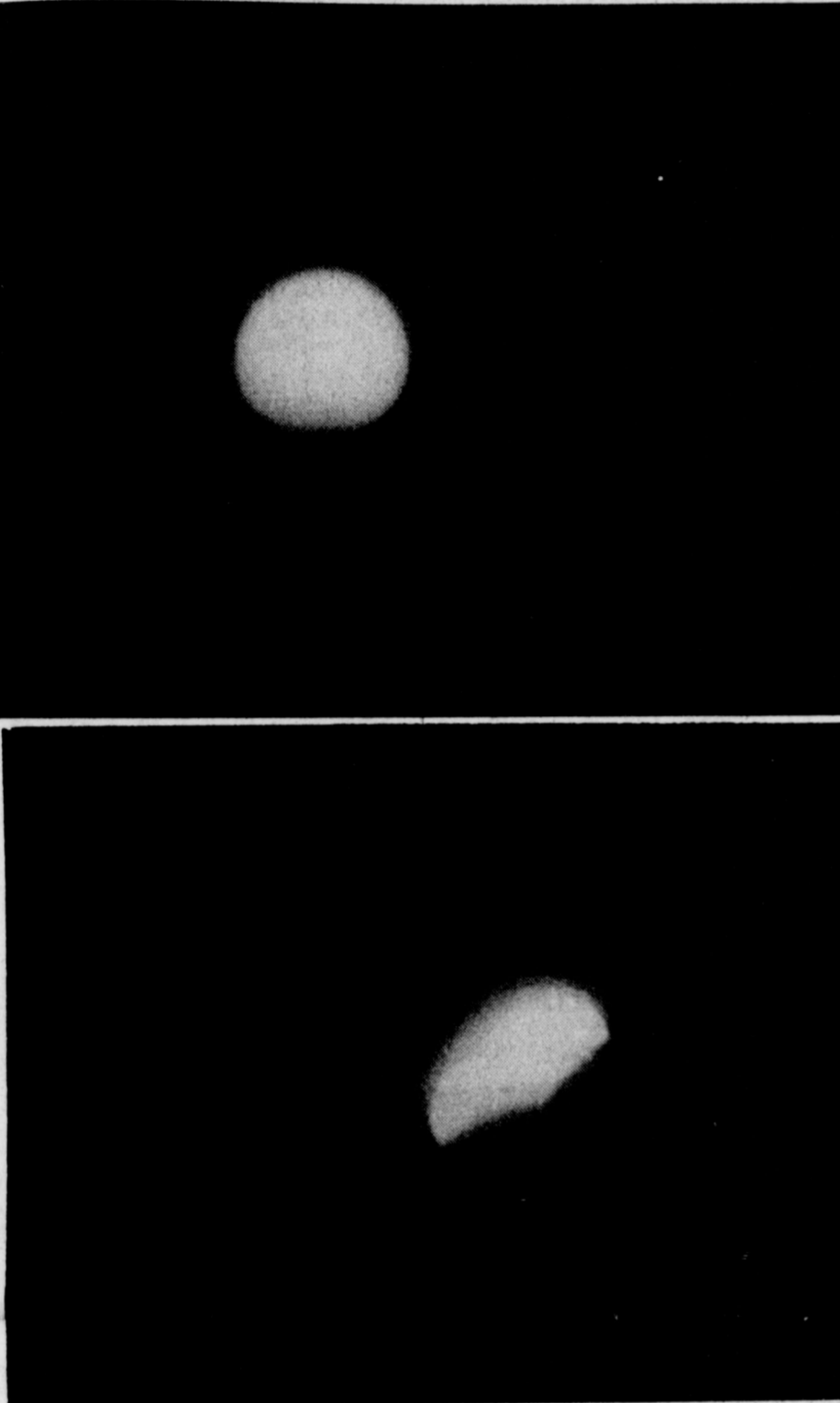


### One injured

Three Abilene residents were taken to North Runnels Hospital following a two vehicle accident

on south Main Street Saturday afternoon. 15-year-old Renda Nicholson of Abilene suffered a broken arm. She was a passenger in a Volkswagon van driven by

Theresa Gidley of Abilene. Mrs. Gidley and her daughter were not injured. The driver of the Toyota (above), Johnny Bedford, also escaped injury.



### Eclipse of moon

Eclipse of the moon occurred last Thursday night, visible locally about 11 o'clock. Top picture shows the moon just before the earth's shadow began to cover.

The bottom picture showed the earth's shadow a bit more than half covering the moon. Photos were taken on Kodak Tri X film, exposure at one minute, at f3.5.

### "REFLECTIONS" "REFLECTIONS" "REFLECTIONS"

BY RICHARD C. THOMAS

Reflections from a country road.

Traveling through the countryside, off the main drags and the main highways and the numbered routes can be quite frustrating, to say the least.

Unless one is thoroughly familiar with the unpaved, sometimes winding, sometimes rocky, sometimes muddy, sometimes almost untraveled - or untravelable - country roads... unless one has been more or less born and bred in the area traveled... unless one has traveled almost daily or weekly down certain country roads, it is difficult to go from one point to another without at times going in the wrong direction, or backtracking, or meeting a dead end. A newcomer (and a newcomer is described as one who has arrived in the area anytime less than 30 years ago), unless he or she has the natural instincts of an Indian tracker, can become thoroughly confused by the crossings and the re-crossings and the windings and the ups and downs which make up the maze of the country road system. Understand verbal directions? Hardly! ("Go out to the old Smith place, turn right and go until you reach the old Jones place, then turn left.") The direction giver, an "old timer" who has been in the area for at least 50 years, forgets sometimes that the Smiths and the Joneses haven't been around for a while - the Smiths came out early and dug the creeks, and the Joneses hauled the dirt removed therefrom to build the hills. Newcomer has never heard of them.

Enough said when one says it can be confusing.

Why can't country roads be numbered, or named or lettered, and so marked, as are the towns' and

cities' streets marked? Why can't the County Commissioners sit down and number each country road, and then cause to have markers put up along the routes? Is there a law against it? It would help the newcomers, who have been here a mere 27 years, and would help those who have business down those country roads. It would help the grass-fire-fighters from the hamlets to reach appointed places within reasonable lengths of time.

This may seem to be a trivial matter to some, but can be a serious matter to others.

(You guessed it - took me three hours recently to find my way back to a numbered oil-topped FM road.)

On the subject of roads and streets and such, there is one other thought which comes to mind, one of a serious nature:

The bridge which crosses the little creek separating the extreme southwest section of town from the rest is quite narrow. Although there is ample room for two cars to pass on the bridge, it is rarely done... when they meet, invariably, one driver stops to let the other cross first. It would be nice if a center line could be drawn across the bridge, then it wouldn't seem so narrow, and a marker is always easier to follow. There is one other item about the bridge - the side rails start and stop abruptly, with no approach railings. There are no reflectors on the ends of the railings, and in bad light or against the sun, it is difficult to see where the railings are. One day, someone's car is going to be split wide open when the driver attempts to divide the difference.

Small matter, perhaps, but a serious one.

### Teachers hired by school

The Winters School Board, meeting in regular session last week, named two coaches and an elementary school principal.

Named to the elementary-junior high principal position is L.C. Hounsel of Clyde. Hounsel will fill the position left vacant with the resignation of David Laman.

The new coaches are Kenny Young from Aspermont and Calvin M. Steen from Jim Ned. The school board also voted to employ Bouneva J. Mayo in the special education department.

In other action the school board met with Billy J. Colburn and Clayton Brazelton of the Runnels County Appraisal District. The appraisal district representatives briefed the board on the budget for the appraisal district for the next year and told the school board that its fee for the next year would be about \$55,000. That amount does not include the recently passed bond issue. Board members also considered adopting the 3/4 rule provided in the Texas Property Tax laws. The 3/4 rule would, if approved by three-fourths of the taxing bodies in the county, exempt the recent bond issue from the fees charged the school district by the Appraisal District. The rule, if passed, would save taxpayers in the school district a considerable amount of money.

The School trustees also were told that Texas will very likely have bi-lingual education next year and that there will be a bi-lingual program here.

A number of resignations were accepted by the board, including that of elementary principal David Laman, librarian Bonnie Purcell, Randy Loudermilk from elementary school science, and Ann Fisher.

The board accepted bids for milk for the school system from Gandy's Dairies and accepted the low bid from Shell Oil company for fuel and oil for the school district. Board president Gene Wheat asked to be excused from the meeting during the selection of bids for fuel because of his business.

Board members learned that the recently passed school bonds would be taken to New York July 27, 28, 29 to be rated and that the board would be ready to take bids

for the sale of the bonds in a called meeting set for August 12.

In discussing the budget, the board talked about salaries and buses for the district and set Thursday, August 20 as the date for the budget hearings for the school district.

Following discussion on the recommendations of the Citizens Advisory Committee the board deferred any action until after the bonds are sold.

### Annual Rodeo here July 24 - 25

The second annual Winters IRA Rodeo gets under way Friday in the Winters Rodeo Arena sponsored by the Winters Rodeo Association and produced by the Devil's River Rodeo Company of Sonora.

The IRA sanctioned events in this year's rodeo will include bareback bronc riding, saddle bronc riding, steer wrestling, calf roping, bull riding, cowgirl's barrel racing, and team roping.

The rodeo parade will get underway in downtown Winters at 6 Friday evening and will feature the Rodeo Queen contestants, floats, riding clubs from around the area, and other riders.

Rodeo Clown Johnnie Gayle will provide entertainment at the rodeo and will be visiting Winters merchants both Friday and Saturday along with his bull fighting chores each night of the rodeo.

Advance tickets for the rodeo

are being sold by Queen contestants for \$3 for adults and \$1 for children six and under. Tickets at the gate will be priced at \$3.50. Rodeo performances will begin at 8 p.m. each evening.

This year's Rodeo Association officials include Roger O'Neal, president; Newt Blackerby, vice-president; Carolyn O'Neal, secretary; Ledel Davis, treasurer; Jim Jordan, reporter.

### Ted Meyer named to Red Cross post

Ted Meyer has been named by the American Red Cross to serve as the Runnels County contact for military families and veterans.

Named to serve as alternate in that position is James Rose in Ballinger. Meyer can be contacted at 754-4529 or 754-5345 in Winters and Rose can be contacted at the Farmers and Merchants State Bank in Ballinger.

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**PROCLAMATION**

By the

County Judge of Runnels County

To all of whom these presents shall come:

I, Bill B. Stultz, County Judge of Runnels County, do hereby declare the week of July 25-31, 1981 as Farm and Ranch Safety Week in Runnels County, for the following reasons:

WHEREAS, work, play, travel (traffic) and home accidents involving Texas farm and ranch residents accounted for over 330 fatalities, thousands of painful and disabling injuries costing millions of dollars in 1980; and

WHEREAS, the President has proclaimed National Farm Safety Week and the Governor has proclaimed the same period as Texas Farm and Ranch Safety week; and

WHEREAS, during this week, a statewide farm accident prevention education campaign is being undertaken by the Texas Farm Bureau, the Texas Farm and Ranch Safety Council, the Texas Safety Association, the Texas Agricultural Extension Service and 4-H Clubs, Texas Future Farmers and Future Homemakers of America, the Young Farmers and Young Homemakers of Texas and the Runnels County Farm Bureau with the theme, "Enjoy Life-Safely"; and

WHEREAS, the latest National Safety Council Preliminary Accident Survey for 1980 indicates a 1% increase in fatal and non-fatal accidents, (an increase from 103,000 to 106,000 fatal injuries and costing \$83.5 billion). The latest Agricultural data being 1979, more than 4,200 farm and ranch residents died and 380,000 were disabled in farm, home, public, and highway accidents with 1,900 (less than half) being work related. Of these, 1,150 fatal and 115,000 injury accidents were farm and ranch residents. The total cost of Agricultural accidents to farm and ranch people in 1979, exceeded \$5 billion, and

WHEREAS, the 1980 Texas Farm Bureau Accidental Death Program records show that 330 death claims were paid in 133 different counties. Runnels County recorded one death claim under the Program. Traffic related incidents caused the most claims statewide, with 212 - (Auto/truck - 182, Motorcycles, Minibikes and Go-carts - 20, Bicycles/Big wheels - 2, and Pedestrians - 8) other ranking causes of death were firearms, falls, drownings, aircraft crashes, tractors, machinery, fires and burns, choked/strangled, electrocutions, animal accidents and snake bites.

THEREFORE, I urge all farm and ranch families and those who serve agricultural producers to: read safety features in magazines and newspapers, observe product labels and operator manuals, be informed on what to do when emergencies occur such as severe weather, fire, poisonings, bleeding, drownings, etc., by having taken Basic First Aid, and CPR courses. Other preventative life saving courses available are the Defensive Driving and Home and Hunter firearm safety, thus, being more fully prepared to "Enjoy Life-Safely."

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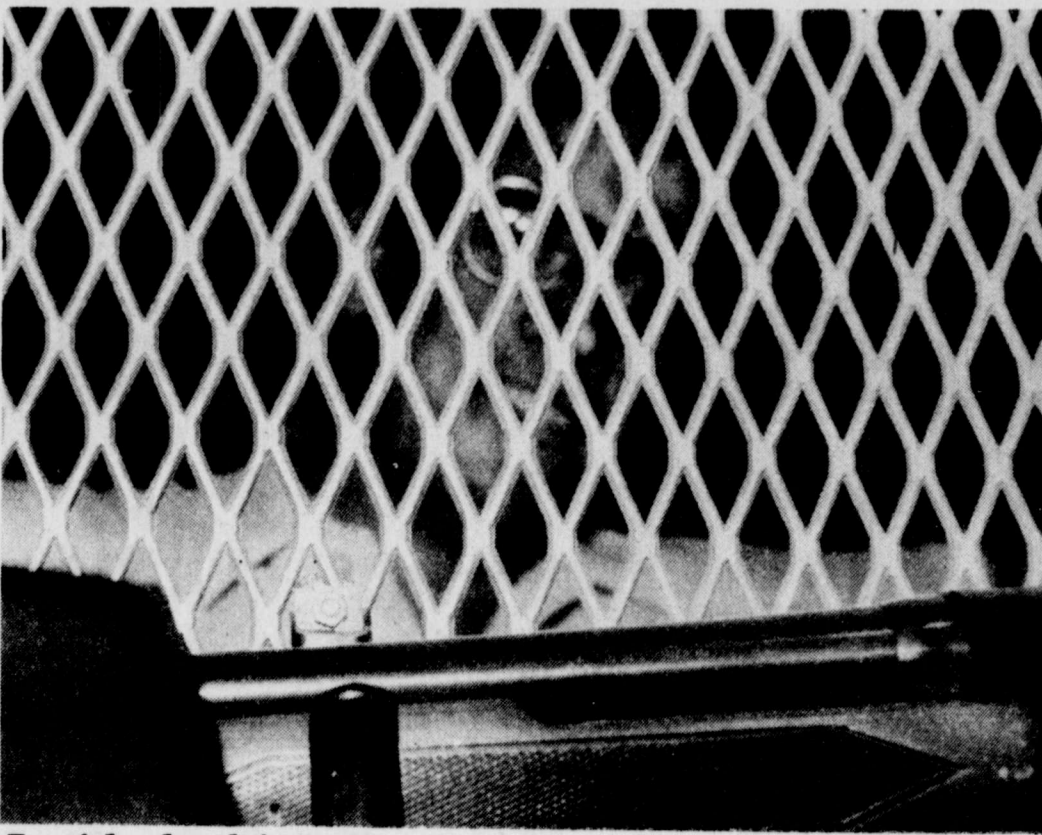
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**Students attend ASU Band Camp**

Students from Winters recently participated in the seventh annual Angelo State University Band Camp which attracts junior and senior high students and band directors from across the state.

Attending were DeOnn Deaton, Rose Marie Faubion, Sherri Gerhart, Betty Graham, Kathey Grenwelle, Beverly Hamilton, Tammy Jackson, Yolana Lujano, Francine Miller, Tawnya Murray, Josie Rodriguez, J'Lynn Russell, Rosalina Vera, Susie Vera and Eloise Zuniga.

Nearly 700 persons attended this year's camp which offered clinic sessions in conducting, theory, ensembles, drum majoring, twirling and others.



**Inside looking out**

City Administrator Glenn Brown tries out the accommodations in the city's police car, which has been fitted with a cage for transporting prisoners. Brown was allowed to leave the cage after several hours' ride with the night patrol.

**1981 Miss West Texas Rodeo contest to be held September 11**

The 1981 Miss West Texas Rodeo Contest will be held Friday, September 11.

Competition is open to young women from the West Texas area between the ages of 18-24. Horsemanship, western attire, and personality are the categories in which contestants will compete.

Miss West Texas Rodeo will reign over the West Texas Fair Rodeo each night September 12-15 and will compete in the

Miss Rodeo Texas Pageant to be held in San Antonio in January 1982.

Clubs and organizations are encouraged to sponsor a contestant.

Sponsoring the contest are KWKC radio station, and West Texas Fair. Applications can be obtained at KWKC Radio, Box 2201, Abilene, Texas 79601, (915) 673-2545, the West Texas Fair Office, or Bill Reed Distributing Co., 4290 S. Treadaway, Abilene.

The first part of the privately owned cave is now dormant and protects the active section which was not added until 1955 when some spelunkers came in and did some exploring. They tied ropes around a huge stone to lower themselves into the new exploration and later learned that there was a crack in the rock. They left a trail of arrows marked on the rocks, which always pointed the way out.

When the explorers entered the new part of the cavern they always signed their names and the day and hour entered and their return time to prevent anyone being left inside. Their motto still stands: "Take nothing but pictures; Leave nothing but footprints; Kill nothing but time."

A trail of 2000 additional feet was opened in the summer of 1979 and a manmade exit provided. The lowest depth of the tour is 148 feet. The map of the cave shows 23 miles but no plans are made to add any of this to the tour for too much of the present formations would be destroyed. For this reason, the present policy is no exploring in this cave.

The last passage of the tour is often called the "Trail Through The Whale" because it is large, dry white rocks lacking in formations.

**City official views first hand about police dep't**

Winters City Administrator Glenn Brown traded his easy chair for the back seat of a patrol car last Friday evening to get a close-up look at our police department in action. Accompanying officers Ed Enoksen and Dick Ryan, the city administrator rode on routine patrol and answered routine calls until the early morning hours.

It was routine until officers responded to a report of a fight and disturbance near a housing project. The affray

resulted in one person being taken to a hospital and another being arrested on charges of disorderly conduct and placed in the county jail. Brown said that he was very impressed with the way the officers handled the incident.

The city administrator said the ride was a part of his learning first hand the operations of all city departments. Brown said that he was surprised at the number of people out after midnight. He said the evening was very informative.

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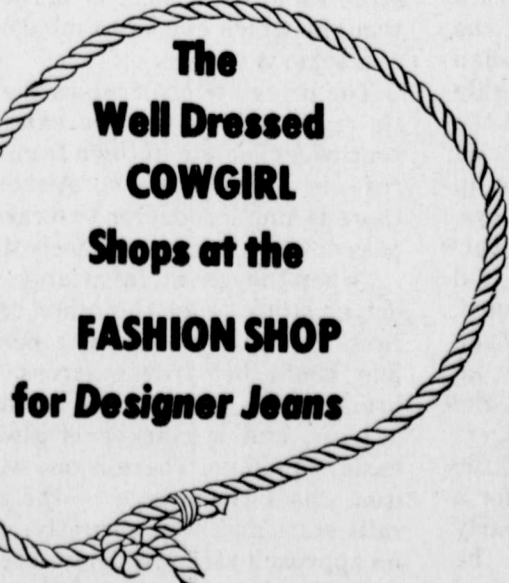
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**Nature's Art Gallery**

If you are interested in taking a short tour, and you haven't already been there, why not visit the Sonora Caverns. It is only a two and one half hour drive from Winters and about an hour's walk through the cave which is a mile and a half long. Of course, you will need strong legs and a good heart.

A group of us made the trip last Thursday in the church van. When we reached the cavern, eight miles west of Sonora, we spent some time in the headquarters building, of native stone and glass, which housed the ticket office, snack bar and gift shop. This was good entertainment while waiting for our guide and the tour to begin.

It has been said that the delicate beauty of the caverns cannot be described but must be seen for one's self, and this is true. However, with the help of my grandson, Brandon, who was with us along with his friend, Jim Lee, I'll attempt to relate some of the things we saw and the explanations given by our guide, an attractive 18-year-old girl named Lee Ann.

According to Lee Ann, somewhere between 1890 and 1900 the cave was discovered by a sheep herder who was chasing his dog and the dog was chasing a coon. The coon fell into a hole and in retrieving the coon, the large cavity was found. In the beginning the opening was about 18 inches in diameter, the only natural opening, but today it has been made large enough for a door that is locked behind each tour group for safety. That is, so that no one will enter inadvertently and get lost.

While we were getting adjusted to the soft blue of the carbide indirect lighting system which gave just enough illumination to reveal the interior, Lee Ann explained that the only other light would be the large flashlight she carried to point out specific spots described.

A brief history of how the caverns were formed was narrated as we walked along. They are located in limestone which was once on the ocean floor. Roughly 60 million years ago the limestone was uplifted; resulting in cracks appearing in the rock layering, which was left above sea level. At this point, rainwater combining with carbon dioxide produced carbonic acid which filtered through the cracks in the limestone and began to make the formations. It is estimated that formations grow one inch every 100,000 years. If they are touched, oil from the skin slows their growth. The law provides a fine, or imprisonment, for any damage to a cave as the contents cannot be renewed.

The temperature was a cool 70 degrees and we held on to the iron rails provided along the trails as sometimes the moisture made them slick. We passed through "popcorn alley", according to our guide, which was formations above our heads covered with little nodes of coral globulite formed when moisture in the limestone moves outward from a tiny crack and deposits crystals on the outer surface of the large structure. Later on, she pointed out some "battered popcorn", covered with a yellow glaze, and again "popcorn on straws" that would make nice decorations for the Christmas tree formations nearby.

Stalactites were described by Lee Ann as conical formations hanging from the ceiling, while stalagmites were those that formed from the floor up. She told the boys that if they didn't touch them, they just might grow up to reach the stalactites and then they would be called "mighty tites". When the two growths combine they are called columns. Flowstone is a film of moisture seeping slowly over an incline of the floor and it will form over the top of other formations, resembling a coat of ice.

It is actually hard for a person to absorb all of the glittering scenery at the Sonora Caverns. So produce are some of the spectacular formations that portions of the walls and ceiling are completely covered. A wonderland of sparkling color from pure white to shades of faint greens, blues, pale rose and browns was the result.

The butterfly is the only transparent drapery of its type in the world. Here, nature has sculptured in stone all of the delicate beauty and perfect detail of a living butterfly. Brandon remembered the butterfly for there was a finger pointing not to tout, if you do, there is a machete hanging conveniently nearby.

There are several pools of pure water in the cavern. One is called the Horseshoe Lake because of its shape and is slightly colored, they are usually clear. At one pool we were allowed to pitch in coins for luck. The coins color the water.

**Poe's Corner**

BY CHARLIE POE

## Blackwell

The women of the United Methodist Church met Monday afternoon at 8:00 p.m. in the home of Mrs. Bobby Sanderson with twelve members attending.

### Ella Mentry

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## County hay show scheduled Aug. 15

Allen Turner, County Extension Agent, has reminded hay producers of the County Hay Show which has been scheduled for Aug. 15 at the Norton Community Center.

All hay producers are encouraged to enter the show, Turner said. A regular square bale or a feed sack of a round bale will be needed to enter the show, he said. A fee of \$5 per sample will be required in order to get a aprotain analysis of the hay.

Producers who plan to enter are asked to bring Wisdom and her daughter, Dana Wisdom of Dallas.

This was the first time the descendants of the late Joseph and Margaret Ann (Rogers) Scott gathered for a reunion and it was held at the Bronte Community Center Friday afternoon and evening and all day Saturday and Sunday, with a barbecue luncheon in the Bronte County Park on Sunday. The Scotts were unable to get the Community Center this Sunday, but have reserved it for their reunion next year for the second weekend in July.

all friends are invited to drop by the Community Center next year to visit.

The Vacation Bible School closed Sunday evening with a program in the church with an attendance of fifty-one. The Blackwell First Baptist Church did not have Sunday evening services, so a good crowd from the Baptist Church attended.

Refreshments of homemade ice cream and homemade cookies were served by the ladies of the church.

Workers of the Vacation Bible School reported a daily attendance of fifteen children.

The school was held on Friday and Saturday evenings because the new pastor, Max Burkhead, is only here on weekends.

### Kathy Wilkins died Sunday at Temple

Kathy Elenora (McIver) Wilkins, 28, of Temple died Sunday evening in a Temple Hospital after a brief illness.

Services were at 2 p.m. Tuesday in Harper-Talasek Funeral Home Chapel in Temple.

Graveside services were at 2:30 p.m. Wednesday in Bluff Creek Cemetery in south Taylor County, with the Rev. Fred Thomas, pastor of Winters First Baptist Church, officiating.

Local arrangements were made by Winters Funeral Home.

She was born Dec. 25, 1952, in Temple, where she had lived all her life. She attended school there. She married Forrest Wayne Wilkins in Temple.

She was a member of First Church of Christ, Scientist.

Her father, Elmo McIver, died June 13, 1981.

Survivors include her husband; a son, Forrest Wayne Jr., of the home; her mother, Mrs. Vivian Melver of Temple; three brothers, Elwin and Bill, both of Temple, and Mike of Dallas; and a sister, Kandy Steffan of Temple.

During the construction of the Hoover Dam, concrete had to be poured continually for two years.



The Rinconada Racetrack in Venezuela has a swimming pool for horses.

their entries to the Norton Community Center the morning of July 31, or to the courthouse on the afternoon of July 31, Turner said.

Turner said this hay show is an excellent way to determine the value of producers' hay.

The extension agent said if producers are unable to bring their hay samples in on July 31, they should contact the local vo-ag teacher or the county extension office, and assistance will be provided.

### Runnels Farm Queen named

Carolyn Droll, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Droll of Ballinger, was named Runnels County Farm Bureau Queen on Sunday, July 19.

She was the 1981 valedictorian of Ballinger High School.

Wanda Lange, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. David Lange of Rowena, was runner-up. She was the 1981 salutatorian of Ballinger High School.

Dana Hallmark, 13, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Hallmark won the Junior Queen contest while Diane Goetz, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. D. J. Goetz Jr. was winner of the Talent Find contest.

### G. A. Rolfe killed in oil field

Gregory A. Rolfe, 26, of Bryan, was killed in an oil field accident near Bryan Thursday, July 16.

He was the grandson of Mrs. H. O. Abbott of Winters.

Services were held at 4 p.m. Saturday in a funeral chapel in Bryan with the Rev. William B. Jones, pastor of the First United Methodist Church of Bryan, officiating. He was a member of that church.

He was born July 21, 1954, in Monterey, Calif.

Survivors include his mother, Mrs. Evelyn Rolfe of Bryan; a brother, Michael of Riverside, Calif.; a sister, Loretta Gerick of Conroe; his grandmother, Mrs. H. O. Abbott of Winters; and his fiancée, Cathy Klunkert of College Station.

## NORTH RUNNELS HOSPITAL

### REPORT

#### ADMISSIONS

July 14 Bertie B. McNeill

July 15 No Admissions

July 16 Ruby Neill

Emma Henniger

Pearl Dunnam

July 17 Jose Fernandez

Saam Roth

July 18 Billie McCasland

July 19 No Admissions

July 20 No Admissions

DISMISSALS

July 14 Lillie Osborne, exp.

July 15 No Dismissals

July 16 No Dismissals

July 17 R. T. O'Dell

Merle Bains

July 18 Pearl Dunnam

July 19 Ruby Neill

Jose Fernandez

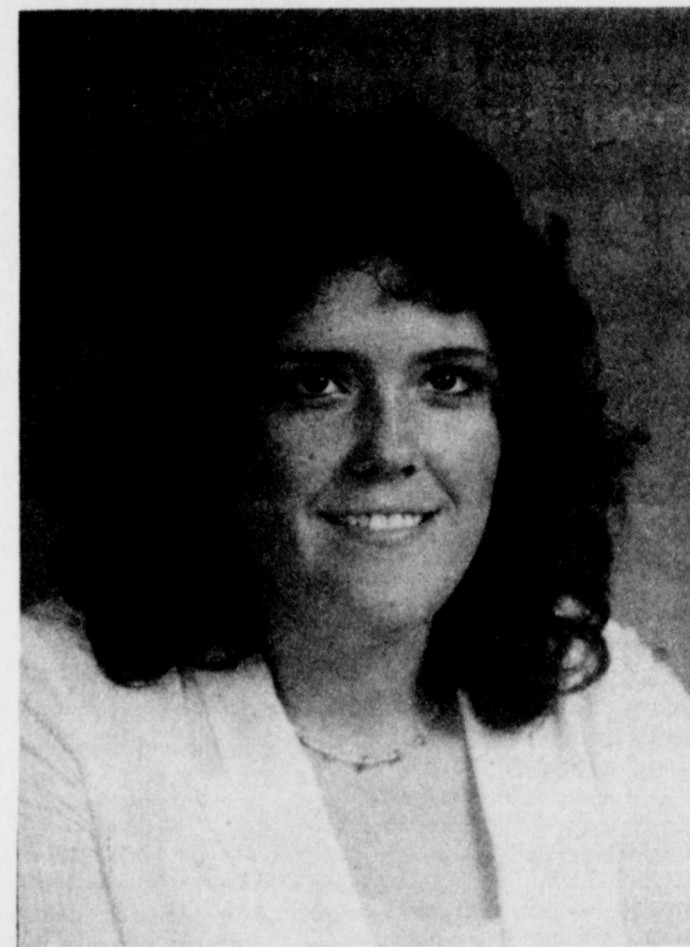
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Carolyn Droll  
Runnels County Farm Bureau Queen



Diane Goetz  
Talent Find Winner

## Farm Safety Week July 25 thru 31

County Judge Bill B. Stultz has proclaimed July 25-31 as Farm and Ranch Safety Week in Runnels County, at the request of Doyle Condra, Runnels County Farm Bureau President.

This marks the 38th Annual National Farm Safety Week, co-sponsored by the National Safety Council and the U.S. Department of Agriculture.

The theme for the 1981 observation of Farm Safety Week is "Enjoy Life-Safely."

In his proclamation, Judge Stultz said "accidents involving farm and ranch residents, employees and guests at work, in the home, at play and on the highways accounted for more than 330 Texas fatalities and more than 3300 disabling injuries, costing millions of dollars in 1980. Time, planning, and educational efforts using engineering ingenuity could help prevent much pain, expense and even death. National Safety Council accident surveys indicate that nearly half the accidents were traffic related, with home accidents, recreational accidents and work related accidents following. With 106,000 fatal accidents in the United States in 1980, and with agriculture accounting for more than 4,200, we need to endeavor stronger to "Enjoy Life-Safely".

In concluding his proclamation, the judge urged all agricultural producers, their families, employees, and guests to read, take training courses to prepare for a safer life or to administer to those who become involved in an accident. Therefore, we are more fully prepared to "Enjoy Life-Safely".

Each Farm Bureau membership is entitled to two free adult plates. Members are asked to bring their membership card if they have it. All non-members are invited to attend, with tickets costing \$3.50 for adults, and \$1.50 for a child's plate.

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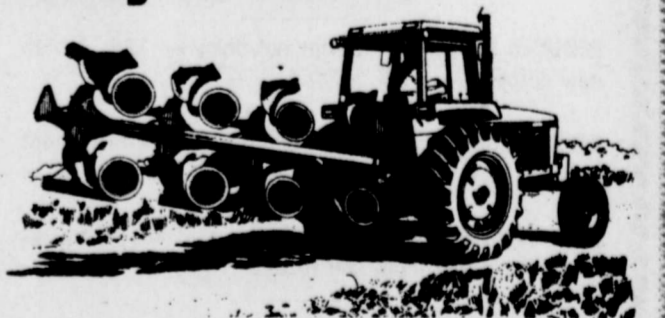
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**MOVING SALE:** Saturday, July 25, 9 a.m. to 4 p.m. 2-oven cook stove, furniture and miscellaneous. 8 miles south of Winters. Lelon Bryan.

## CARD OF THANKS

We wish to express our deepest thanks for the prayers, cards, flowers, food and all the other expressions of love and concern shown us during the time of our recent loss. Also a very special thank you to the doctors and the hospital staff. May we be of comfort to you in your time of trouble or loss. May God bless and keep you all.  
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## CARD OF THANKS

To All Our Friends — Our deepest gratitude and thanks for the expressions of sympathy at this time. For all the delicious food, cards, flowers, calls and concern, we sincerely thank you.  
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## PUBLIC NOTICE

On August 11, at 10:00 a. m., a Public Hearing on Federal Revenue Sharing proposed use will be held in the Runnels County Commissioners Courtroom.

BILL STULTZ, County Judge, Runnels County  
(July 16, 23, 1981)

## RESOLUTION

WHEREAS, the City of Winters is presently engaged in the demolition of certain dilapidated structures in the City, and WHEREAS, it is necessary that the City of Winters make contracts for the demolition of said property;  
IT IS HEREBY RESOLVED by the City Council of the City of Winters, Texas that the City Administrator of the City of Winters enter into any and all agreements he deems necessary, and upon such terms he deems advisable for the demolition of said structures and the City Council of Winters, Texas hereby ratifies and confirms such agreements.

Adopted:  
Approved:  
W. Lee Colburn, Mayor  
City of Winters

ATTEST:  
Glenn Brown  
City Administrator

(July 23, 1981)

## PUBLIC NOTICE

Notice is hereby given that the City of Winters, a Municipal Corporation of Runnels County, Texas, will demolish the following substandard structures:

Lot 11 (Less N 50'), Blk. 5, Roberts Addn.  
602 Pierce Street  
Hope & Mato Torres, last known owners

Lot 4, Blk 1, Roberts Addn.  
506 Roberts  
David Flores, last known owner

If the owners of above property desire to show cause why said structures should not be demolished, they must contact the City Administrator, 310 S. Main Street, Winters, Texas, on or before August 10th, 1981.  
(July 23, July 30, 1981)

build alone. Under the agreement, WTU will own 350,000 kilowatts of the the first 640,000 kilowatt unit, Central Power and Light Company will own 115 and Public Service Company of Oklahoma 175. The fourth CSW company, Southwestern Electric Power Company, will not participate.

Beyond coal, WTU is taking part in a number of studies and research projects aimed at developing new energy sources at reasonable costs.

Historically, it is typical for an idea to take about 30 years to go from its initial stage to large-scale commercial reality, Churchill said. This is why most researchers hold out little hope for a real contribution from any of the exotic energy sources before the turn of the century.

But this hasn't stopped the Abilene based company from exploring these potential resources. For the past several years, conservation has been preached in our advertising, brochures, by our speakers, etc."

Churchill said. This, of course, is a way to save energy. And at least for the present it is a necessary, if somewhat negative, way to improve the energy outlook.

Other major efforts toward improving the overall outlook for future fuel to generate electricity for the company's wide service area are positive in nature Churchill listed a number of these.

Gasification research in which WTU is involved is being done at the La Palma Power Station in South Texas to produce gas from coal and/or heavy oil in order to use gas-fired boilers without conversion.

Success in this field would be a major gain for WTU since its existing plants are gas-fired. This research is being done in cooperation with other companies which form Central and South West Corporation, the parent firm of WTU.

The Abilene-based firm is involved in geothermal exploration in South Texas and the Big Bend region. Again it is a joint venture with other CSW companies. A team of professors from the University of Texas at El Paso also are participating in exploration into this unique area of energy research.

Solar experiments are being planned for the Paint Creek Power Station. A proposal has been prepared for Department of Energy to convert one unit of the plant to solar heat through the use of mirrors, storage facilities and other technology already known.

The project is being undertaken in cooperation with Rockwell International and others, Churchill said.



### Smoke eaters

Winters volunteer firemen were called about noon Sunday to a grass fire on the E. E. Thormeyer place southeast of Winters. The blaze for a while was threatening the home of Kay Whitlow who lives on the place.

### Billie McCasland, pioneer of Bradshaw, died Monday

Billie McCasland, 87, of Bradshaw died at 5:20 a. m. Monday in North Runnels Hospital after a long illness.

Services were held at 10:30 a. m. Wednesday at the Bradshaw Baptist Church, with the Rev. Clovis Griffing, pastor, and the Rev. Clyde Jackson of Abilene, retired Baptist minister, officiating.

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

Mr. McCasland was born June 27, 1897, in Comanche. The family moved to Runnels County in 1899, settling south of Bradshaw. They later moved to a farm in south Taylor County north of Bradshaw, where he had lived for the past 80 years.

He graduated from the first class of Bradshaw High School in the early part of the century.

He was president of the Bradshaw School District for 10 years and was superintendent of the Bradshaw Baptist Church Sunday School for a number of years. He was a deacon of the church.

He married Loma Taylor Dec. 15, 1915, in Abilene.

Survivors include his wife; four daughters, Mrs. Dillard Wood of San Angelo, Mrs. Leaird Meadows of San Antonio, Mrs. Dock Aldridge of Bradshaw and Mrs. Alvin Papanas of Parks, Ark.; 12 grandchildren; and 18 great-grandchildren.

Pallbearers were Dale Epler, Mike Papanas, Tommy Papanas, Leaird Meadows, Ronny Aldridge, Gary Aldridge, Douglas Aldridge and Bobby Aldridge.

Memorials may be made to the Bradshaw Baptist Church building Fund.

### Geistmann, Haussecker to be married August 22

Gwynn Geistmann and Joseph Haussecker, Jr. of Midland will be married August 22 in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Geistmann of Winters.

Parents of the bridegroom are Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Haussecker of Midland.

Miss Geistmann is a graduate of Winters High School and Texas Lutheran College. She is currently employed as a medical technician in the Al Schmitt laboratory in San Angelo. The prospective bridegroom is a graduate of Midland High School and is employed by Martin Neill Company of Midland.

### Black, Hall wedding planned for September

Mr. and Mrs. Warren Roach of Abilene and Mr. and Mrs. Bob Black of Ballinger would like to announce the engagement of their daughter, Priscilla Anne Black, to Mitchell Edmund Hall, son of Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Hall of Anson.

Miss Black is a graduate of Winters High School and received a degree in Nursing from Angelo State University. She is a registered nurse and is currently employed in Abilene.

The prospective bridegroom is a graduate of Anson High School and attended Western Texas Junior College in Snyder. He is employed in Anson.

A September 12 wedding is planned.

### Miss Marsh and Mr. Boyd united in marriage July 3

Tammy Jean Marsh and Johnny Lee Boyd were united in marriage on July 3 in the home of the groom's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Boyd, of Shep.

Sherry Key and Bobby Marsh of Abilene.

A reception followed the ceremony.

After a trip to Possum Kingdom, the couple are residing in Abilene where his is employed.

### Nursing Home

Something unusual happened in our home last Wednesday. Catherine's School of Dance from San Angelo, brought about 15 little girls to our home, and tap-danced, tumbled and sang. These were local girls, and their mothers also came to observe the progress being made by their daughters. Punch was served, and we all enjoyed these little beauties.

We wish to extend our sincere sympathy to the family of Myrtle Pruser. Myrtle was in our home

for many months, and we will miss her.

Our newest resident is Della Hicks, from Tuscola. We hope her stay with us can be a pleasant one.

Ollie Rogers has gone to live with her son near El Paso, and Betty Brown has gone to her home here in Winters to live. Best wishes to Betty and Ollie.

Emma Henniger is presently in North Runnels Hospital.

The flowers sent to us from the First Baptist Church are just beautiful. They are in the lobby, and we will all enjoy them.

### Winters class of '56 held 25th reunion on July 4

The Winters class of 1956 held their 25th class reunion at the Winters school cafeteria on July 4.

A short business meeting was held and it was voted to hold another reunion in five years.

Attending were Ronnie Huddleston and family, Aurora, Colo.; Robert Wright and family, Mesquite; Darla Gerlach Kruse and family, Midland; JoAnne Smith Carter, Austin; Bob Webb and family, Winters; Patsy Scott Hogan and son, Clyde; Freddy James and wife, O'Donnell; Darlene Smith Wilson and husband, Abilene; Janice Colburn Craig, Midland; Sylvia Young Sumner, Carrollton; Mrs. C. J. Cornett, Wingate; Bobby Penny, Winters; Shirley Tubbs Hill, Wingate; Garland O'Dell, Abilene; Carroll Turk and wife, San Angelo; Dennis and Barbara Rodgers, Corsicana; Frederick Lisso and wife, Dublin; GERALD Dietz, Dallas; Joyce Davis Lanter and daughter,

Novice; Marlene Smith and husband, Brazoria; Joyce Collinsworth Howard, San Angelo; John Taylor and family, Natchitoches, La.; Patsy Hambright Faubion and husband, Ballinger; Granville Long and wife, Lawton, Okla.; Maurine and LaDell Davis, Winters; Mrs. Cecil Taylor; Martha Cooke Gehrels and husband, Winters; Linda Bedford Sullivan, Houston; Shirley Hale Denton and husband, Winters; Mrs. Charles Kruse, Jr., Winters; Mrs. Pearl Jackson, Winters; Mrs. Henry Webb, Winters; Robert Gardner and wife, Tyler; Marion Roper and family, Strongsville, Ohio; James Spill and family, Winters; Verda Eoff Chism, Denton; and Juanita Templeton Baker, Winters.

Anyone wishing to contribute names and addresses from those not found please contact Marlene Smith, Rt. 4, 222 Avenue H, Brazoria, Tx. 77422.

Brevards in Coleman on Saturday.

Noble and Harvey Mae Faubion ate supper in Winters with Amantina, Rose Marie and Claudette Faubion Saturday night.

I ran out after church to see how the Monroe Kurtz' wer doing. Both were in good spirits.

The Walter Jacobs attended the supper and 42 at the Jerry Holle Saturday night. Others there were Mr. and Mrs. Roy Schaffer, Mr. and Mrs. James Halfmann, Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Jacob and Mark, Mr. and Mrs. Leon Freich, Mrs. Hattie Minzenmeyer, and Mrs. Rosemond Holle.

Mr. and Mrs. Calvin Hoppe and Mr. and Mrs. Larry Walker, and Jeanene Hoppe went to Liberty Hill and picked up Rhena and Ariada Zilelr and drove down to Port Aransas.

The Walter Jacobs have their grandchildren for the week. They are Kathryn and Scott Kozelsky of Snyder and Mrs. Robert Van Zandt and Corey of San Angelo.

The Robert Hills had dinner in their home for their son and daughter-in-law, Mike and Von, on their birthday Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. Gary Hill and Shane of Eastland spent a day and night.

Mrs. Rodney Faubion and Mrs. Marvin Gerhart carried Page and Paul Bishop, Keith Gerhart, Brian and Gene Faubion to see the movie, "The Fox and the Hound" in Abilene. Afterwards, they went to McDonalds.

The Andrew Michalewicz children came on Sunday to all be together. They were Mr. and Mrs.

Cecil Halfmann of St. Lawrence, Mr. and Mrs. David Strube of St. Lawrence, Mr. and Mrs. Olen Wieshuhn of Wall, Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Jacob and Mark, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Jacob, Mrs. Robert Van Zandt and boys of San Angelo, and Brenda Jacob and Sheila Halfmann of San Angelo.

The Therin Osbornes had Sunday dinner with the Rodney Faubion family.

The Kat Grissoms visited with the Monroe Kurtz' and the Ricky Grissom family in Winters Sunday afternoon.

The Connie Gibbs have their six grandchildren this week and will attend the Vacation Bible School at Hopewell Church. They are Shane, Scotty, and Sherri Ford of Rising Star, Amy and Jason Gibbs of Menard and Keny Gibbs of Winters.

Mr. and Mrs. Rube Whittley and Billie Ruth Bishop of Winters visited with the Clyde Brevards in Coleman on Sunday. Alta Hale visited with Mrs. Christene Williams in Glen Cove Sunday afternoon. She has been ill.

We are glad to hear Mrs. Amber Fuller is home again after a weeks stay in the Coleman hospital.

Mrs. Corra Petrie had visiting her last week Mrs. Sadie Brandon and son, Richard; Mrs. May Sheek, Mrs. Ira Brown, of Yadkinville, N.C.; Mrs. Clara Allen of San Antonio; and Mr. and Mrs. Luther Sommerville, Kenneth and Melinda of San Antonio.

On Saturday night they



### Order of the Arrow

Three members of Winters Boy Scout Troop were initiated into the Order of the Arrow during ceremonies at Camp Tonkawa last weekend. During their required "ordeals", they were required to spend a night alone in the "wilderness", and to fast so many hours. Receiving the Order of the Arrow degree were, left to right, Scott Shifflett, David Childers and Robert Vera.

Accompanying the Scouts to Tonkawa were Eddie Childers, left, assistant Scoutmaster, and Manuel Vera, Scoutmaster of the Winters troop.

### Dorcas SS Class met July 14

The Dorcas Sunday School Class met July 14 in the fellowship hall for their regular monthly meeting.

New officers were installed by Pat Russell, using as her theme, "Bells". She gave a brief history of the use the bell has for us.

A short business meeting was conducted by Verda Smith in the absence of the president. The time of the meeting was changed to the second Tuesday of each month.

Committees gave their reports. High attendance was stressed for the rest of the summer. The treasurer reported a balance of \$16.56. A thank you note was read from Merle Bains.

Officers installed were Alice Traylor, president; Frieda Robertson, vice president; Velma Hart, teacher; Nadine Smith, assistant teacher; Frieda Robertson, song leader; Mida Colburn, pianist; Lillian Cooper, assistant pianist; Mida Colburn, secretary; Oleth Elder, treasurer; Verda Smith and Oletha Elder, courtesy committee; Velma Hart, reporter; and Stella White, Alice Traylor, Ola Yates, Velma Hart, group leaders.

Lillian Robertson voiced the prayer of dedication, and the class presented Pat Russell with a gift of appreciation.

all had barbecue with the Cecil Hambrights in Winters. All have returned to their homes except Clara Allen.

Luther Sommerville got word his father, Lester, passed away.

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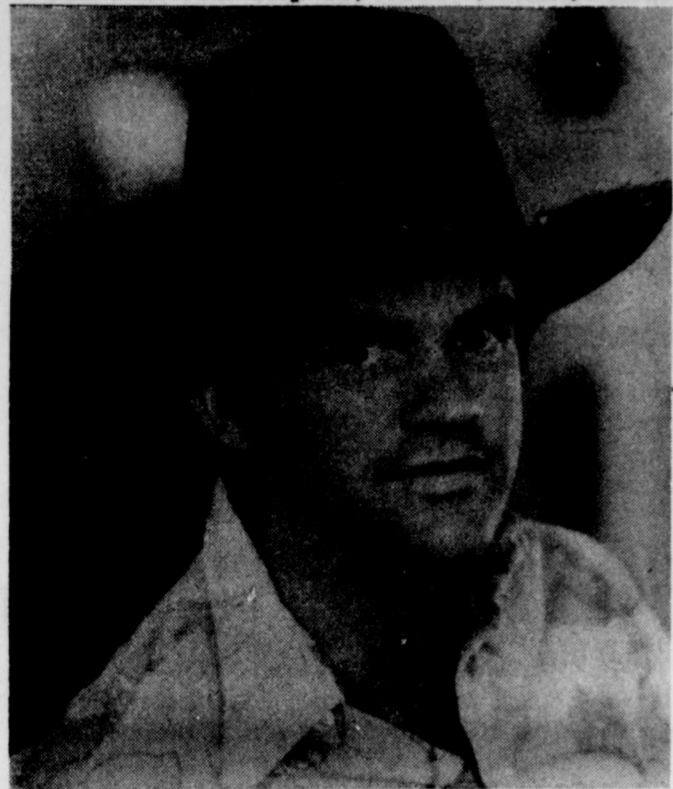
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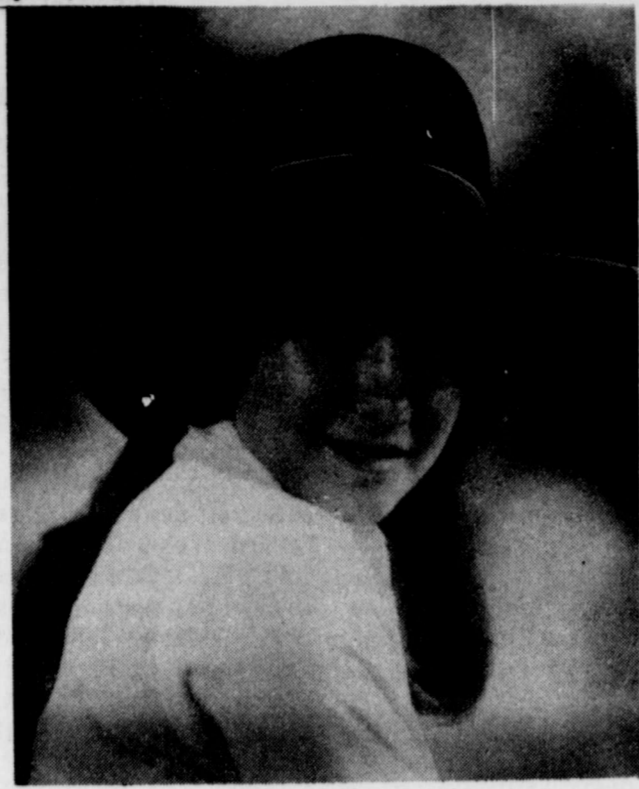
**Jimmy Myers**

Jimmy Myers, 39, was the Cinderella of 1979's IFR. He came to it ranked in third place for the world title and ended up winning both the global and IFR championships.

As the reigning champ in 1980, he came to his eighth IFR ranked as the leader for another title.

He entered 100 bull ridings in 1980 and won or placed at 43 of them.

Myers, a former regional bareback champ and five-time IFR qualifier in the bareback bronc riding, entered the top ten ranks for the season's all around title.

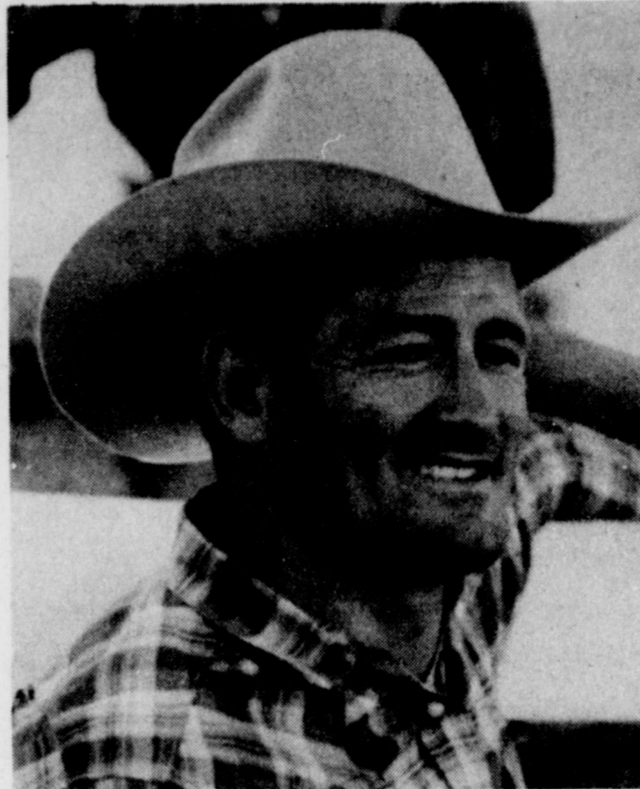


**Sherri Martin**

Sherri Martin, 15-year-old sophomore, has been competing in rodeo since she was eight and has been a member of the professional IRA since 1975.

Sherri is the reigning world champion barrel racer, and her yearly winnings in 1980 came within a whistle of \$20,000. This amount was a new single season earnings record.

During the regular season, Martin went 50,000 miles and won or placed at 52 rodeos from Oklahoma to the Eastern Seaboard to South Dakota and up into Canada.



**Jack Wiseman**

Jack Wiseman, 37-year-old Houston native, is one of rodeo's "elite" cowboys. He has qualified for the International Finals Rodeo in both a riding event and a timed event, he has won an IFR championship in both a riding event and a timed event, he has won two IFR all around championships, and he has qualified for all eleven IFRs.

He is the second winningest champion in the history of the IRA and is only one gold buckle from equalling Ben Jordan's record, which has stood for a dozen years.

Wiseman is a 20 year veteran of rodeo, the last 12 of them in the IRA.



**Tom Walker**

Tom Walker moved into the lead for the calf roping title early in 1980 and never looked back. He came to the 11th International Finals Rodeo in the lead, but did not have the championship locked up. He emerged, though, with his fourth gold buckle. It put him in a tie for most world championships in rodeo's most precise event.

For trivia fans, he was the first finalist to make the IFR with a wife and brother the same year.

A full-time professional, Walker depends on rodeo for 100% of his livelihood. He's been a member of the professional IRA for a decade.

# 1980 IRA Champions

## Western Art show open Saturday

Works of nine well-known western artists will be on display and on sale Saturday at the Winters Country Club, five miles south of Winters on US 83, for the general public.

A preview showing and party for invitation-only guests will be held Friday evening.

Artists who will have works on sale and display Saturday include Terrell O'Brien, Sareta Fenton, Bill Leftwich, Alan Kinney, Charles Sawyer, Robert Taylor, Herman Walker, Justin Wells, and Paul Wylie.

The art show is one of the highlights scheduled for "Rodeo Week" in Winters, with the second annual IRA Rodeo set for Friday and Saturday nights.



**Dan Dailey**

Dan Dailey is the epitome of an all around cowboy. He competes and wins money in every cowboy contest.

In 1974 he turned professional and immediately won Rookie of the Year honors in the IRA. In the seven years since then he has averaged one world championship a year and is on the way to becoming the winningest cowboy in the history of the Oklahoma-based rodeo association.

As a result of his world status in rodeo, Dailey has been signed to an exclusive endorsement contract by the John B. Stetson Company of New York.

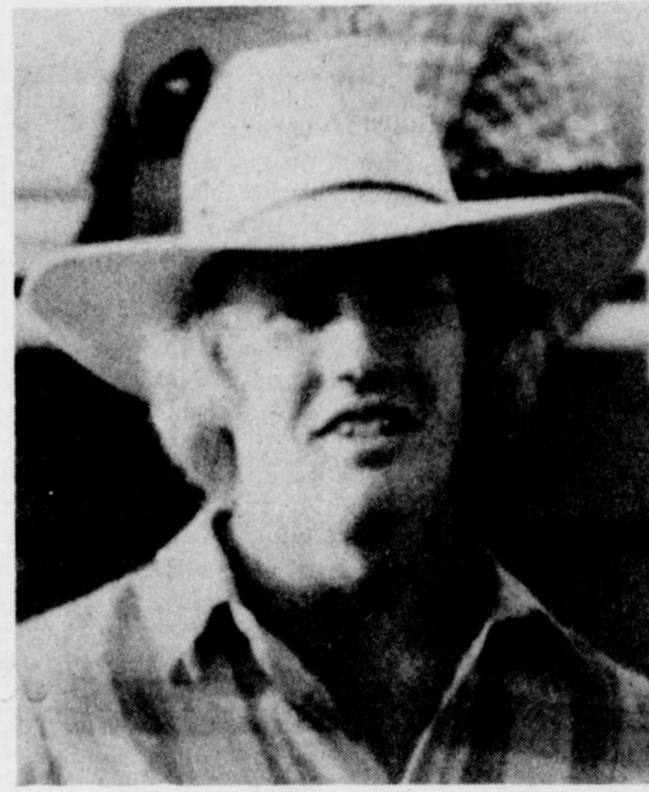


**Ron Williams**

Ron Williams, 30, of Fort Worth, is the 1980 IRA Bareback Bronc Champion. Named rookie of the year in 1969; World Champion in 1970, '71, '72, '76, '77, '78, and '80.

Ronnie holds single-season money record in bareback bronc riding; has qualified for 10 IFRs; former IFR champ; two-time regional champion.

One cowboy compared bareback bronc riding to sitting on your suitcase with your hand gripping the handle . . . and jumping out of a plane. Spectators at IRA sanctioned rodeos across the country have consistently voted bareback bronc riding as one of their favorite events.



**Shawn Howell**

Shawn Howell, 20, of Bloomington, Calif., has been a top roper in the IRA since turning pro five years ago. In 1980 he qualified for his first International Finals Rodeo.

In 1979 Howell won the Western Region team roping championship and finished as the runner-up for the regional all around title. In '80 he came back to win the buckle in both categories.

A very versatile contestant, Howell competes in all three cowboy timed events and his total earnings for the year put him in the top 20 for the world all around championship.

## WTCC presents grant to ACU

The West Texas Chamber Foundation has announced a \$1,000 grant to be awarded to Abilene Christian University to help promote free enterprise instruction in Texas' schools.

The grant will help provide a program for area teachers, aiding them in instructing the fundamentals of the American Free Enterprise System. The program will be taught in the summer by Colonel Ray Inzer and Jozzelle Brister.

## Birthday Party

Mrs. Bertha Tharp and Mr. John Lawler were the special guests of Mr. and Mrs. Luther Pennington for dinner at Buffalo Gap, in honor of Mr. Pennington's 80th birthday recently.

They returned to the Pennington home after dinner to join other friends and neighbors for cake and ice cream.

# Rodeo action — Chills, thrills, spills

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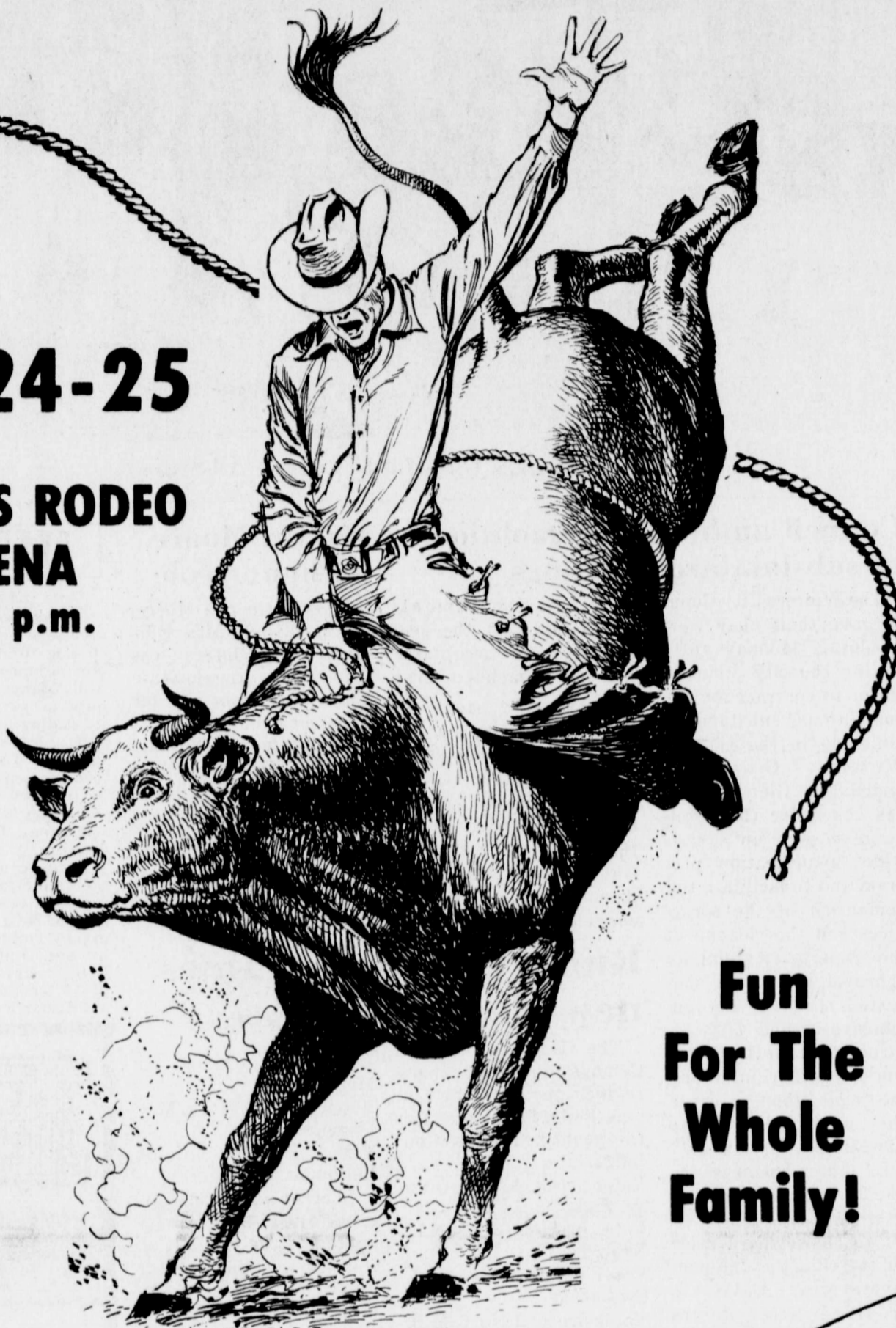
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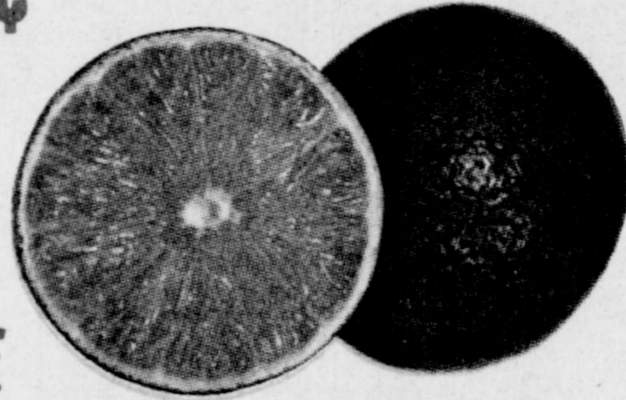
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