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Construction forces busing for WHS students

Winters High School students will be spending more time on buses this year due to the renovation work underway on the High School building, according to Principal Mike Grantham. Grantham said that along with having to transport the students from the school campus there will be several restrictions on the use of private vehicles by students and severe penalties for being late for a class.

In a memo to students, the principal said that all WHS students scheduled for classes in the Mt. Carmel Catholic Church building will be bused from the school campus to the Catholic Church facility each hour of the school day. Students will not be permitted to

drive personal vehicles from the high school campus to the church. All student vehicles will be parked at the high school campus in designated areas and will not be used by students except to go to lunch, to report to school-related jobs, to perform assigned duties delegated by a supervising teacher, and to depart from school at 3 p.m.

Tuesday, August 31, all high school students will meet in the school cafeteria at 8:30 a.m. to receive schedules and other important information concerning the school year.

Parking for high school students who bring their cars to school will be restricted to the following

areas: Along the curb across the street from the Superintendent/Business office building; in front of the high school building from the sidewalk entrance on the west side only; along the high school on the west side; in back of the high school by the Ag. building; along the south side of the high school gym; on the east side of the shop building across from the tennis courts.

While construction is in progress, students may not park in the following areas: in front of the high school building east from the sidewalk entrance all the way to the homemaking building; anywhere in front of the chain-link fence in front of the cafeteria;

directly in front of the shop building.

A student who violates this policy, according to Grantham, will lose the privilege of bringing his car to school for a period of six weeks for the first offense. In the event of a subsequent offense, the student will forfeit the privilege of bringing his car onto the school campus for the remainder of the current school year.

The high school official said that the first week or so will be a time of adjustment during which officials will determine how much time will be involved in transporting the students from the high school to the church.

Grantham said that a great

amount of cooperation would be needed from the students to keep the time loss in changing classes to a minimum. Once a schedule is established, he said that it will become the responsibility of the student to see that he is on time and ready to board the bus at the appropriate time. We will not keep a busload of students waiting for one or two individuals who are late, but will run on schedule.

The principal continued by saying that if a student misses the bus, it is the student's responsibility to walk to the appropriate campus to meet his regularly scheduled class. A permit will be required from the principal's office to allow the student to be admitted to his class.

Grantham said that inclement weather will necessitate a change in policy where walking from the campus to the church is involved. In bad weather students will first go to the principal's office if the bus is missed at the high school and other arrangements will be made.

School officials say that after a period of adjustment is completed very few difficulties are anticipated in the moving around to the make-shift classrooms during the construction program. Officials say that according to contract specifications, the work is due to be completed on the high school building around the first of the year.



Reaching an understanding

A large number of Runnels County property owners met with representatives of the appraisal firm of McMorries and Associates concerning the appraised values placed on their properties. There were many complaints about the values being too high. Following

several days of meetings with the appraisal firm, the property owners who are still not satisfied will have an opportunity to meet with the Appraisal District's Board of Review. The actual tax rates on the property will be set by the individual taxing entities.

City Council sets paving assessment meeting September 13

The Winters City Council has set September 13 as the date for a paving assessment hearing for persons who own property on the streets designated for paving.

The areas to be paved include the 200 and 300 blocks of Redtner (between Grant and Rogers streets), the 400 block of South Rogers (between Broadway and Redtner streets), and the 500 block of Albert (between Magnolia and Frisco streets).

City Administrator Glenn Brown said that the hearing will give property owners an opportunity to find out just what will be done to the streets and just how much the improvements will cost. Brown said that the property owners will be assessed the cost of paving on the portion of the street that joins the property.

Brown said that the property owners will have a choice of two ways to pay their share of the cost, lump sum or smaller payments stretched out over a period of about 12 months. The city administrator said that charges for paving, when levied would be a personal liability and that a

Booster Club watermelon supper Thursday evening

The Winters Booster Club will hold their annual watermelon supper this Thursday evening at 7:30 at the football stadium and the supper will be open to the public.

Football boys and their coaches will be introduced during the supper. All interested supporters of the Winters Blizzards and parents of the football players are invited to attend the watermelon feed.

first and prior lien on the property would be in force in accordance with state law.

The estimated costs of the improvements for each street to be paved are as follows: 200 and 300 blocks of Redtner, total cost \$31,076.90 and the assessment to the individual property owners is \$4.00 per foot for curb and gutter, and \$17.49 per foot for paving; 400 block of South Rogers, total cost \$13,362.50 and the assessment to

the individual property owners is \$4.00 per foot for curb and gutter, and \$15.99 per foot for paving; 500 block of Albert, total cost \$12,826.00, and the assessment to the individual property owners is \$4.00 per foot for curb and gutter, and \$15.25 for paving.

The paving project is expected to get underway in the very near future. Bids for the projects were inspected by the council in their last meeting.

WISD budget proposal tops \$4.7 million

The Board of Trustees of the Winters Independent School District gave their approval last week to the proposed 1982-83 budget which totals approximately \$4,782,142. School Tax Collector Johnny Bob Smith said the new budget does not call for any additional tax dollars over last year. The budget specifies \$2,375,324 in the General Fund; a debt retirement fund of \$368,945; food service fund, \$131,456; the special revenue fund, \$119,143; and the capital projects fund, \$1,787,274.

In other business last week the school board established meal prices for the school cafeteria and

set the income guidelines for the lunch program for the 1982-83 school year. Students may buy lunches for 75 cents in grade Kindergarten through grade 5. For grades 6-12 the lunch price is 80 cents, and the price for breakfast is 50 cents.

Children from families whose income is at or below the specified level are eligible for either free meals or reduced-price meals at 40 cents for lunch and 30 cents for breakfast. To apply for free, or reduced-price meals, please fill out the application as soon as possible

and return it to the school (application forms can be found on page 5 of this issue of *The Enterprise*). Please answer all questions on the form. An application which does not contain complete information on household members and income cannot be used by the school. With

and return it to the school (application forms can be found on page 5 of this issue of *The Enterprise*).

Gas rates go up around Winters

The Texas Railroad Commission has allowed new gas rates for customers of Lone Star Gas Company in the unincorporated areas near Winters. The new environs rates are identical to those already approved by the City of Winters for customers inside its corporate limits.

With the changes, an average winter monthly residential bill for five Mcf (thousand cubic feet) of gas will increase by \$2.78, effective September 6.

The Railroad Commission has the authority to approve rates for gas service in unincorporated areas of Texas. Proposed gas rates for these areas are examined in light of the company's operating efficiency and the rates that have been approved by the nearby city governments.

No refuse pick-up on Labor Day

Tony Cantrell, owner of Tony's Disposal Service, said this week that his crews will not work on Labor Day which is Monday, September 6.

The disposal service, which has the sanitation contract with the city, will reschedule the routes missed on that day for later in the same week. Cantrell said that for residences on the east side of Winters there will be only one trash pick-up that week and that for commercial customers the routes will be run on the day following the holiday.

this information the child will be denied the meal benefits.

The school board accepted the low bid of Gandy's Dairies for milk for the new school year. The Gandy's bid was the only one received by the board and specified a price of 16.75 cents per half-pint of milk.

Two bids were considered for gasoline for school vehicles with the successful bid being submitted by the Mobil Oil distributor. The second bid for fuel was submitted by the Shell distributor.

After some discussion and explanation, the board approved the emergency adoption of temporary policies concerning students during the building program. Officials explained that the high school classes have been re-located other buildings while the high school building is being renovated.

Following the budget discussion, a number of basically routine items were okayed by the board before adjournment about 2 a.m. Wednesday morning.

Ballinger burglar caught Saturday in Brownwood

Runnels County Sheriffs officers and Ballinger police followed a trail of blood for almost 15 blocks last Thursday evening following the burglary of two businesses in Ballinger.

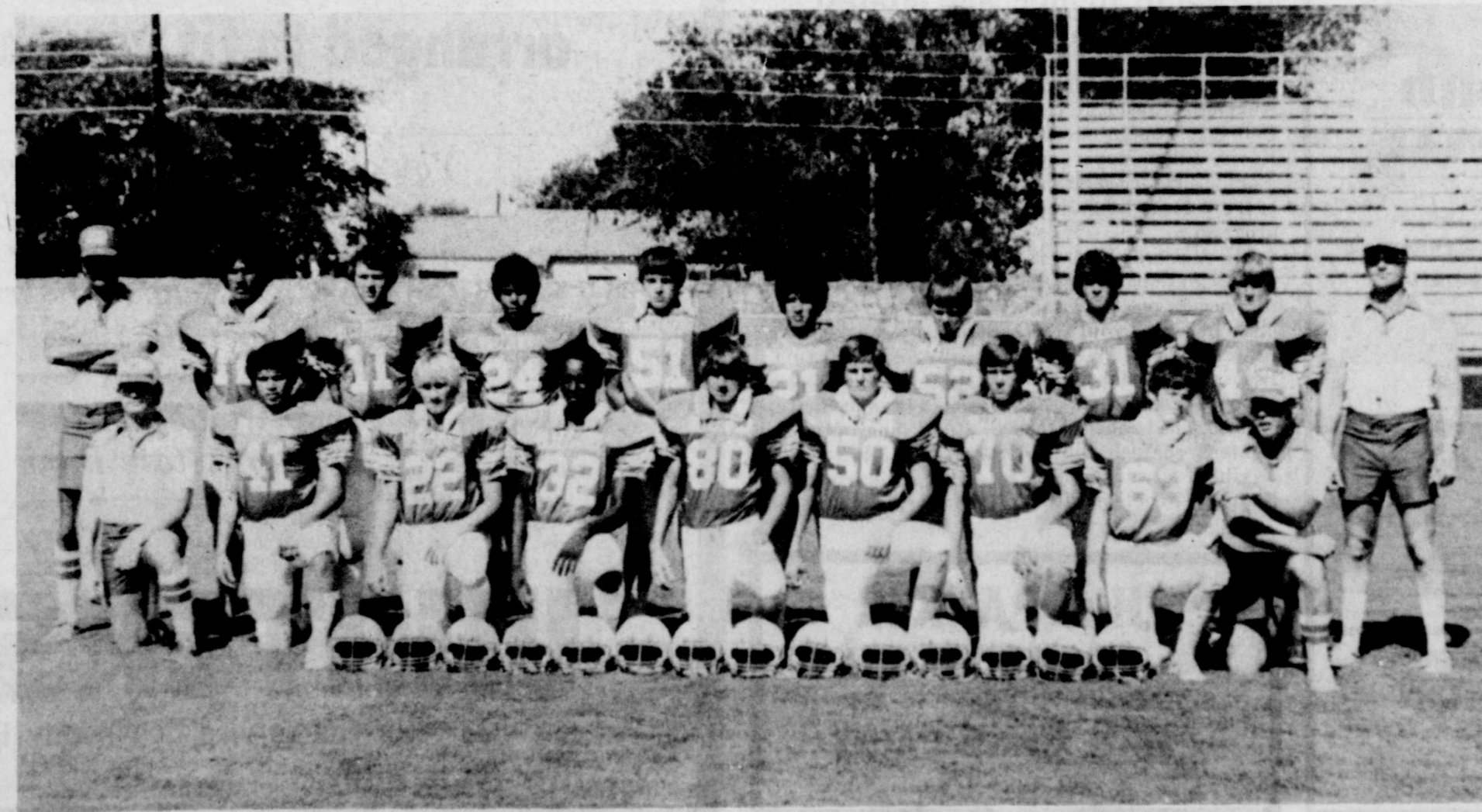
Sheriffs officers said that a 21-year-old Ballinger man was finally arrested Saturday in Brownwood in connection with the break-ins of Conner Bumper Works and Dallingers. Held in lieu of bonds totaling \$20,000 is 21-year-old James T. (Ticko) Quarles.

Officers said the burglar apparently entered Connor Bumper Works through an air conditioning vent and after ransacking the offices broke through a window to get out of the building. Officers said the burglar probably sustained severe lacerations to his head and both hands breaking out the glass.

In the second burglary, at Dallingers, a plate glass window was smashed and two rifles were taken. Officers said that both businesses were spattered with blood and that a trail of blood and footprints led officers to a spot almost 15 blocks from the scene of the burglaries where the weapons were cashed.

Deputy Sheriff Hal Jones said that both stolen weapons were covered with blood as was a large piece of steel that may have been used to smash the window at Dallingers.

Officers late Thursday and early Friday notified all area hospitals and medical facilities to be on the look out for a person with what was



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Crews

I heard there may be a new addition to marriage vows. "Through sickness and in health, for better or for worse, through football season, baseball season, and basketball season..."

Our deepest sympathy to the family of Mr. Ira Hale, who was buried last week. Mr. Hale was born and raised in our community.

Also wish to express our sympathy to the two daughters and relatives of Mrs. Ethel Morrison who passed away in Ballinger Saturday, and will be buried in the Crews Cemetery on this Monday.

Glad to hear Melvin Berry is feeling a lot better after a heart attack, and will probably fly home to Fort Worth after

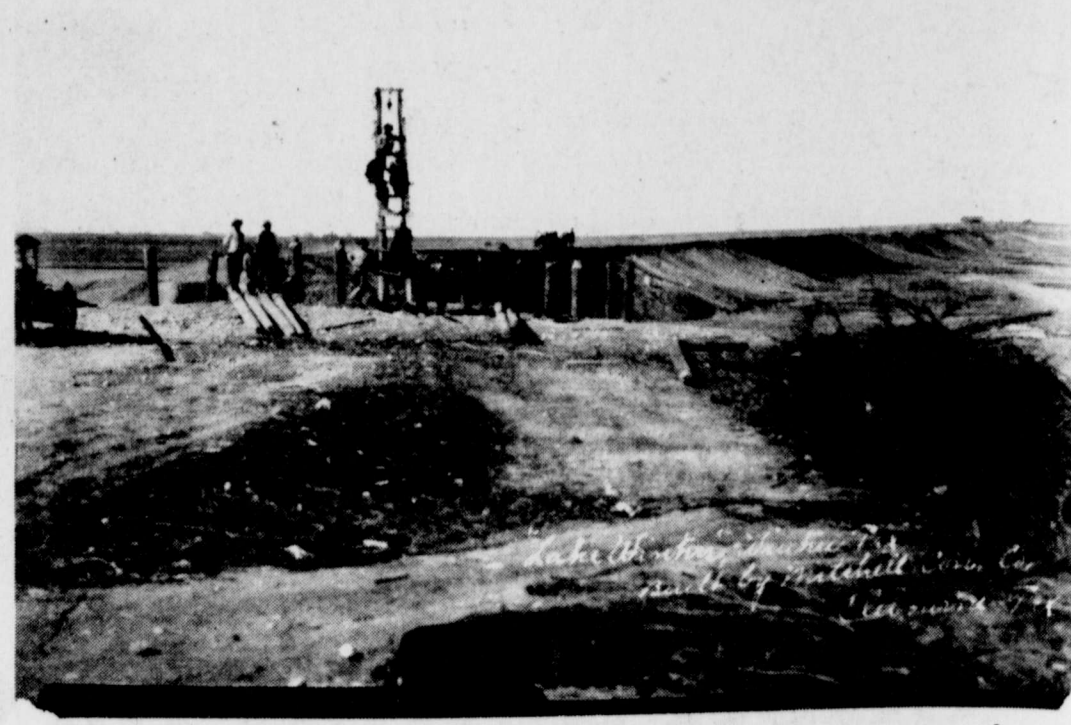
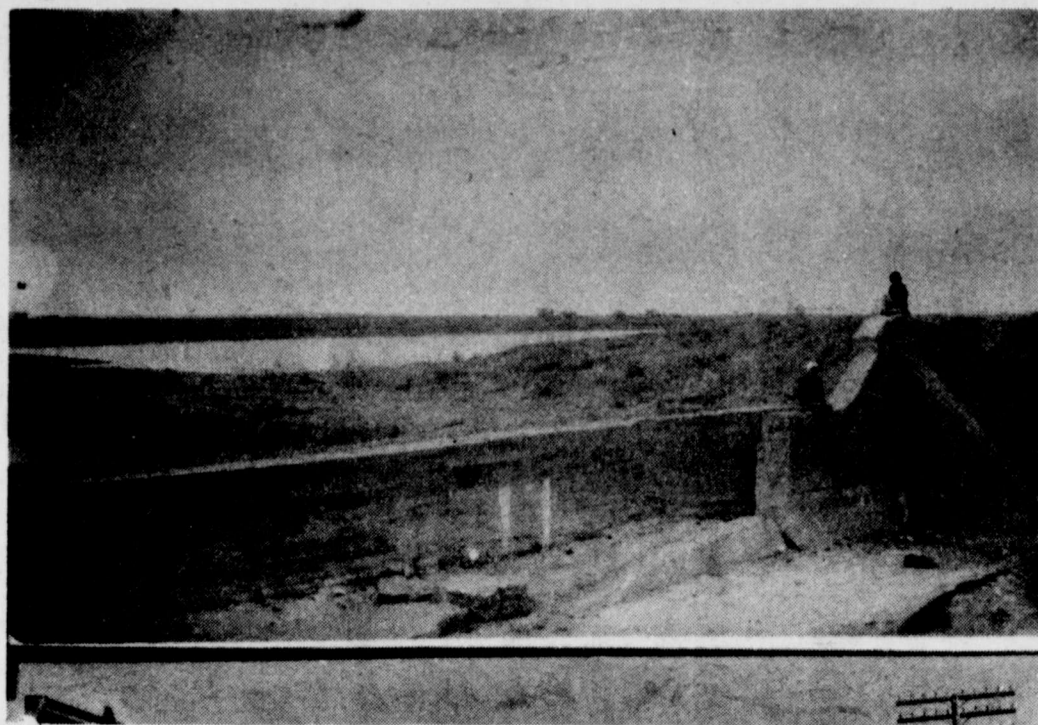
being in a Lubbock hospital.

Mrs. Amber Fuller is feeling a lot better and is still in the North Runnels Hospital.

Mrs. Wilbert Allcorn visited her daughter, Joanie Mathais in Abilene Saturday, and had lunch with her.

Over the weekend in the Marion Wood home were Mr. and Mrs. Ed Sevier of Big Spring, Mr. and Mrs. Chess Camron of San Angelo, Mr. and Mrs. Maloy Bryant and boys of Giddings, Mr. and Mrs. Larry Calcote and boys of Winters, and Connie Bryant of Ballinger.

Mrs. Corra Petrie visited the B.M. Batts, Sr. in Ballinger and visited the Enoch Johnsons. Corra Petrie, Hazel Mae, and Russell Bragg ate out in



Poe's Corner

BY CHARLES POE

Water, The Elixir Of Life

Winters has been blessed since her beginning with men of vision and foresight, especially when it comes to providing an adequate water supply.

With the opening and dedication of the new Winters Lake held in the park area Saturday, the city should have abundant water for years to come.

The first man to realize that water would mean the life of the community was Lee Bedford who came to Winters as a stock farmer in 1890, when the town consisted of a store and two houses. In 1905 he entered the hardware business, and in 1908 he had the wells dug which laid the foundation for Winters' first running water.

Coleman Sunday.

Karen, Wesley and Junior honored Glen Campbell with a going away fish fry supper Saturday. He will be going to college in Abilene. Present were his mother, Mrs. Sue Campbell, Don and Cindy McGallian, and Therin and Nila Osborne.

In the Doug Bryan home on Sunday were Wayne and Ima Bryan of Norton, Lelon and Brent Bryan, Dewitt and Frances Bryan of Wilmeth, and Kendra, Shawna and Jason Nitsch of Winters.

Danny, Brenda and Brandon Phillips of Abilene spent Saturday with the Rodney Faubion family.

Jimmy Chapman spent Saturday with his folks and had lunch with them, the Hazel Dietz.

Mr. and Mrs. Noble Faubion spent Saturday and Sunday in San Angelo with Mr. and Mrs. Mike Prater and Jeremy.

Connie and Georgia Gibbs spent Sunday afternoon in Winters with the Connie Mac Gibbs family.

During the week with Mrs. Effie Deitz were Coleman Foreman, Clarence Hambright, and Gary Jacob.

Mrs. Alta Hale was in Coleman Saturday to see Mrs. Lemma Fuller and the Edgar Whittleys.

Mr. and Mrs. Rhinard Andrews of Odessa visited the Walter Jacobs on Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Jacob, Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Jacob, Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Holle, Mr. and Mrs. Warren Lange,

Sarah Halfmann and Hattie Minzenmayer were supper and 42 guests in the home of Lorene and James Halfmann Saturday night.

First reminder: Our Crews community supper and game night will start up again the first Saturday, Sept. 4.

Bro. Jim Shipman and Mrs. Shipman had his children and grandchildren of Mansfield for several days. They are, Jim and Susan and their two children, Derek and Kyle Pelletier. They also were visitors at Hopewell Church on Sunday. So was Chris Briley of Winters.

Kat and Adline Grissom, Wanda, Kris and Joe Sims attended the 50th anniversary of Kat's cousin, Mr. and Mrs. Dalton Grissom at Stevenville Sunday. They also saw cousins Jimmy Grissoms, Fay and Mae Grissom, Louis Grissom and family, and also Kat's sister, Mr. and Mrs. Ben Odum of Lake Whitney.

Mrs. Cheryl Moss, Scarlett, Mindy and Chad of Midland spent Friday night with Hazel Mae and Russell Bragg.

I had a wonderful surprise telephone call from an old school chum from the first to eighth grade at the Cochran School just west of Winters. Mrs. Velma (Morgan) Howell of Dallas - we talked school days talk, couldn't remember all our teachers, just a few like Miss Frances Egan, Frances Fowler, Mr. Byrd?

The "wells" were really one continuous well 26 feet long and four feet wide with a depth of 30 feet. Three storage tanks held the water which supplied the oil mill, the gins, and a number of private residences.

The cotton oil mill was the first to declare that Bedford's idea was practical and furnished its own pipeline and meter.

The cotton gins soon followed suit, and residents who appreciated the convenience also tied on. As there were no meters available for individual users, a flat rate charge of \$1.25 per month for each family was made. In connection with the water system, Bedford furnished a horsedrawn water sprinkler, to which the merchants contributed from one to four dollars each month, to keep the dust down and the streets in good condition.

After proving that Winters could be successfully supplied with water and seeing a small city lake begin operation, Bedford traded the water system, then valued at \$9,000 to J.K. Battles.

In 1910, a \$20,000 bond issue was voted, and in 1911, with Dr. W.D. Sanders serving as mayor, the first municipal system came into existence. The lake, two miles north of town, was built by the Mitchell Construction Company of Cleburne. C.L. Green, milling company owner, sold the city one of the first engines to be used to pump water. The minimum rate was \$1.50 for the first thousand gallons. After spring floods, the dam would be threatened, and all able-bodied men available would work day and night reinforcing weak spots with bags of sand. Finally, the dam gave way a little in 1915, and a \$6,000 bond issue was voted for repairs. These completed under the administration of Mayor H.O. Jones.

Trouble came again in 1922 when the dam was partially washed away and \$30,000 in bonds was issued to rebuild it. Frank Paxton, a druggist, was mayor.

For a time the water supply was ample, but in the late twenties, losses from seepage and an increased population produced another shortage. The problem of a diversion dam was tackled. It was placed on Bluff Creek a mile and a half above an earlier abandoned one, and was a success.

In the early 1930s, the dam on the North Lake was raised four feet in an attempt to supplement the reservoir. Most of the time during that decade the town managed well enough, but during dry years water was rationed.

During the drouth of 1944, the situation grew

desperate. The water in the lake was soon exhausted and the city was forced to rely on the old wells with which the water system originated, and even had to dig new ones. Citizens also had to use individual wells and cisterns, or haul water. Housewives took their washing to Ballinger laundries.

A mass meeting of citizens was called by Mayor T.A. Smith to discuss the situation, and a \$200,000 bond issue was soon voted.

Engineers picked a lake site of approximately 300 acres, five miles east of town. After some difficulties brought on by shortage of materials and machinery, caused by World War II, the lake was finished Jan. 7, 1946, and the plant went into operation. Spring rains filled it to capacity and when a full year of operation had rolled around, 71,000,000 gallons of water had been used.

The City Council employed W.D. Waggoner as water superintendent in June after he returned home from the Army in November of 1945. Waggoner retired in 1976, and Jim Hamner took his place. Waggoner remained as a consultant until October of 1981.

A serious problem arose when heavy spring rains fell in 1956 while George Poe was mayor. As the roaring overflow swept around the dam's spillway, the stream began cutting under the 600-foot floor of the spillway. When the rains ceased and the water subsided, about 400 feet of the spillway had gone down the gulch. Engineers estimated it would cost at least \$50,000 to replace the spillway.

The City Council's solution was to widen the spillway to the left to spread the water across a wider area and dam off the portion of the spillway where the worst undercutting occurred. They explained their idea to the engineers, who figured it would work. Cost of the project was \$2,500, with city labor and equipment doing the work, thus saving the city about \$47,500.

Waggoner said the biggest problem the city had was clearing the red water, and getting the bad taste and odor out. But this was largely eliminated when a new clarifier was built while Wes Hays was mayor in 1967.

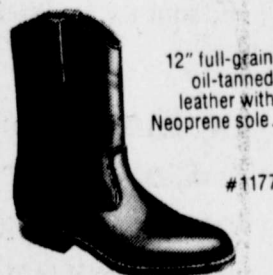
In 1980, the City Council began work to obtain additional water supplies, and the outcome of their efforts has been successful. The new dam and reservoir are located south of the present Winters Lake.

The mayor, city administrator, and council are to be commended on the success of their efforts. And it is fitting that the new park be named W. Lee Colburn Park in honor of our mayor.

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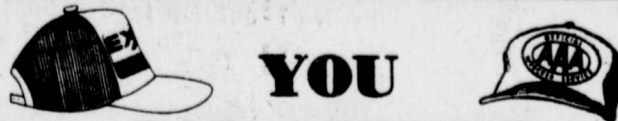
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'Youth - America's Strength' theme of democracy contest

Winters Veterans of Foreign Wars Post 9193 Commander M.L. Guy and Auxiliary President Nell Colburn appointed RC Kurtz, Ellen Meyer and Mary Kurtz co-chairmen of the Voice of Democracy program.

The Voice of Democracy is a National Program to encourage Americanism in the youth of America. The Winters Post and Auxiliary will give prizes totaling \$200.00. The winner of the Winters contest will be eligible to enter the District 22 contest with a


\$200.00 first prize. The winner of the District contest will be entered in the State contest with first place, a trip to Washington, D.C. to enter the National contest. The National Veterans of Foreign Wars will offer prizes totaling \$32,500.

This year's theme is "Youth - America's Strength". All junior and senior students of Winters High School will be eligible to participate.

Mrs. Nancy Michaelis, Winters High School teacher, will co-ordinate the program at the school.

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Kathy Smith among SRSU graduates

Kathy Smith of Winters was among 165 graduates receiving diplomas during Sul Ross State University summer commencement Aug. 13.

Ms. Smith received her MED degree in education. The degree awarded 102 masters degrees, 59 baccalaureate degrees and four certificates during ceremonies at Mountaineer Cafeteria. SRSU President Bob Richardson presented the diplomas.

Be Busy Sewing Club met in Blackmon home

The Be Busy Sewing Club met Monday afternoon in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Blackmon.

The afternoon was spent doing handwork for the hostess.

Refreshments were served to Eura Lloyd, Na-deen Smith, Faye Hogan, Lillie Shott, Flora Burton, Vallie Brannon, Mrs. James Torrence, Mrs. Bill Millhorn and one visitor, Mrs. F. B. James.

The next meeting will be held Monday, Sept. 13 in the home of Faye Hogan.

VFW members attend school of instruction

District 22 Veterans of Foreign War had a School of Instruction at Ft. Concho Post 1815 in San Angelo on Sunday, Aug. 22.

District 22 Commander Alfonso Orsak and District 22 Ladies Auxiliary President Mary Kurtz acquainted the District and Post officers with the National and State Programs for 1982-83.

Those from Winters Post 9193 attending were District 22 President Mary Kurtz, District 22 Deputy Inspector RC Kurtz, Winters Post 9193 Commander M.L. Guy and Wanda Guy and Winters Quartermaster Ted Meyer and Auxiliary Sr. Vice President Ellen Meyer.



SARAH MEEKER

Winters girl wins crown in San Angelo pageant

Sarah Meeker, 5-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Danny Meeker of Winters, was crowned the 1982 Tiny Miss in the San Angelo Summer Miss Pageant held on Saturday, Aug. 21.

Summer Miss is a new pageant in San Angelo. It is the first section of Four Seasons Pageant System. The director, Arlene McKinney of Ballinger, plans to continue with Fall, Winter, and Spring Miss in this area.

Ages in competition ranged from 0-14 years and were judged on modeling, poise, and presentation.

The pageant was held at the Holiday Inn of San Angelo.

Cultural Affairs Council of Abilene sponsors dynamic season

The Abilene Cultural Affairs Council is sponsoring the second dynamic season of the paramount series — a performing arts series which utilizes the historic Paramount Theatre in downtown Abilene. Performances begin at 8 p.m.

Opening the 1982-83 season, will be the North Carolina Dance Theatre with a troupe of vivacious young dancers. Their ballet, which covers the spectrum from classical to contemporary works, will be seen on Saturday, October 30.

Appearing on Saturday, Feb. 6, 1983, will be *The Marriage of Figaro*,

performed by the Texas Opera Theater. One of the rare traveling opera companies in the U.S., the T.O.T. hails from Houston and has built loyal audiences around the country with their talented group of performers. *The Marriage of Figaro* by Mozart continues to be one of the best-loved of all operas. Whether you are an opera "buff" or a newcomer to this art form, you are sure to enjoy this performance.

Playing the music that gave birth to all later jazz forms will be the Preservation Hall Jazz Band on Feb. 28, 1983, in the final performance of the paramount series. This group has played in New Orleans' Preservation Hall for many, many years and will bring us the traditional jazz from that old city.

Tickets are for reserved seating and the price includes all three exciting performances. The patron section is priced at \$50.00, with other seating available for \$27.50, \$22.50, \$17.50 and \$12.50. The best seats are selling fast.

For local convenience, tickets may be ordered from Naida Barker at the Chamber of Commerce during the week of August 30, 754-5210, 118 W. Dale.

Funeral services held Friday for M. F. Jones

Marvin Frank Jones, 87, of Beaumont, and father of Marvin L. Jones of Abilene, formerly of Winters, died at 4:10 a.m. Tuesday, August 17 at Baptist Hospital in Beaumont.

Services were held at 10 a.m. Friday at Kelley-Hixson Funeral Home in Beaumont, with burial in Myrtle Springs Cemetery in Geneva, Tx.

Survivors include his wife, Virgie Jones; two sons, Hugh S. of Beaumont and Marvin L. of Abilene; one daughter, Mary Cline of Honolulu, Hawaii; two sisters, both of St. Augustine; four grandchildren; and four great-grandchildren.

Brother of Wingate woman died Friday

Simon N. Jones, 83, of Tyler, brother of Mrs. Ethel Wheeler of Wingate, died Friday, August 13 in a Tyler hospital.

Funeral services were held Monday, August 16 in Tyler, with burial at Rose Hill Cemetery.

Born Oct. 1, 1898 in Brownwood, he moved to Tyler from Waco in 1960. He belonged to the Primitive Baptist Church, and was retired from the Eli Witt Cigar Company.

Survivors include a son, Alvin L. of Tyler; six sisters, Mrs. Lizzie Snow of Waterford, Calif., Mrs. Della Peterson of Farmer-ville, Calif., Mrs. Rosie White of Zephyr, Mrs. Myrtle Jenkins of Georgetown, Mrs. Ethel Wheeler of Wingate, and Mrs. Pearl White of Coleman.

B. Robinson died Aug. 17 in Breckenridge

Boyd Robinson, 80, of Breckenridge, a retired mechanic and rancher, died at 7 a.m. Tuesday, Aug. 17, at Stephens Memorial Hospital in Breckenridge.

Services were held at 10:30 a.m. Thursday at First Baptist Church, directed by Adkins-Satterwhite Funeral Home, with the Rev. Harry Grantz of First Baptist Church of Roby officiating, assisted by the Rev. Fred Porter, pastor. Burial was in Breckenridge Cemetery.

Born April 7, 1902, in Delta County, he grew up in the Klondike community there. When he was 17 the family moved to Winters, and in 1925 he moved to Breckenridge. He married Ona Henry in Ralls. She died Nov. 11, 1946. He married Irene Kelly Guthrie Sept. 2, 1947, in Breckenridge. He had been shop foreman for McDowell Chevrolet here before he retired in 1964. He later ranched in Palo Pinto County for 18 years. He was a member of First Baptist Church and the Roughneck Bible Class.

Two sisters preceded him in death.

Survivors include his wife; three daughters, June Richie of Wichita Falls, Betty Moon of Breckenridge and Jerry Fesmire of Midland; a son, J.M. Guthrie of San Angelo; 12 grandchildren; eight great-grandchildren; two nieces and two nephews.

Fish fry, barbecue held at Gerhart reunion

A reunion of the descendants of Gus and Matilda (Lindemann) Gerhart was held August 14 and 15 in the home of Calvin and Gene Hoppe. A fish fry was held Saturday night, followed by a barbecue on Sunday.

Approximately 45 were in attendance. Those present included: Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Gerhart, Mr. and Mrs. Aubrey Gerhart and Brian of Lometa, Mr. and Mrs. Walt Ruzicka, Robin and Stephen of Godley, Mr. and Mrs. Wilmer Gerhart, Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Gerhart, Sherri, Scott, and Keith, Mr. and Mrs. Delbert Kruse, Rodney and Roger of Winters, Sherri Vogler, Mr. and Mrs. Scott King and Stanley of Midland, Mr. and Mrs. Jake Presley of Winters, Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Terhune, Chris and Steven of Arlington, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Watkins, Heath and Heather of Duncanville, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Ziller, Anricka and Kyle of Liberty Hill, Jeanene Laird of Odessa, Mr. and Mrs. Larry Walker of Wingate. Also attending were Mr. and Mrs. F. L. Gerhart, Mr. and Mrs. J.D. Payne of Dublin, and Mr. and Mrs. Ray Turner and Scott of Arlington.

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CHANGING ATTITUDES ABOUT DWI

Few things in this country have changed as much during the past few years as public attitudes on drunk drivers. It is a change we can all be thankful for.

Most of that change, in my opinion, can be attributed to the organization of Mothers Against Drunk Drivers (MADD), and the attendant publicity and editorial support they have received from our newspapers. They have succeeded, where others have failed, in drawing attention to the tragedy that has claimed the lives of thousands of Texans.

It was not long ago, for instance, when some public officials who ought to lead by example were openly contemptuous of our laws against driving while drunk. Much of this problem started nine years ago when my opponent became Lt. Governor and helped pass the law reducing the legal drinking age from twenty-one to eighteen years of age. Now Mr.

Hobby, feeling the heat of irate parents and loved ones, and perhaps personal remorse, has said he favors tougher drunk driving laws — another switch from a previous position.

Political promises, however, are easily made. If a politician can't get excited about an issue of this magnitude in nine years, it seems unlikely that he would get excited and pursue corrective legislation in another four years.

So I hope the Mothers Against Drunk Drivers will stick to their guns, and I hope they continue getting support from the people of our state. Their efforts to put an end to this carnage on our highways has my support, and I hope it has yours.

Of one thing we can be reasonably sure: Starting next year we will have a new Lt. Governor, and that will make it easier. If you have thoughts on this subject, please write me at 1213 W. 34th, Austin, 78705.

George W. Strake, Jr.

TIC consultant to make stop in Coleman

Chloe Chaddick, an industrial development consultant with the Texas Industrial Commission (TIC), will be in Coleman on Friday, August 20, to brief community leaders on ways the TIC can be of service in local industrial development efforts.

The Industrial Commission is the state's primary economic development agency responsible for job creation. Texas is now the fastest growing state in the nation, surpassing California for the first time. Much of this population gain can be attributed to the influx of people from the Northeast and Midwest, many of them unemployed. A recent report by the Governor's Texas 2000 Commission found that 170,000 new jobs must be added to the Texas economy each year in order to handle these new entries to the labor force and still keep the state unemployment rate relatively low.

"In today's economy the competition for industrial expansion is fierce," Chaddick said, "and it is even more important that Texas communities be aware of the assistance available to them from the state."

Chaddick will speak at 8:30 a.m. at the First Coleman National Bank, third floor. The presentation covers all assistance programs available through the TIC with emphasis on industrial revenue bond financing, accessing the state's rural loan fund and start-up training programs.

New service club plans Sept. supper

The Winters Woman's Club, a newly organized service club designed to address its efforts and funds to local needs, met in the home of Lillian Roberson, at 5:30 p.m., Thursday, August 19.

Officers of the club are Halley Sims, president; Dolly Airhart, vice president; Pat Russell, secretary; Ouida Nichols, treasurer; and Lillian Roberson, parliamentarian.

Meeting dates for the club will be the second Tuesday of each month at 4:30 p.m., with the next meeting being Sept. 14 at the Airhart lake cabin.

Plans were finalized at the meeting for a "Chicken Spaghetti Supper" from 5 p.m. to 7 p.m., Sept. 10, preceding the Winters-Coleman football game.

Attending the meeting were guests Linda Dry, Kay Colburn and Patsy Rogers; and members, Mrs. Halley Sims, Dolly Airhart, Ann McDorman, Lillian Roberson, Theresa Briley, Edna England, Billie Alderman, Virginia Brown, Dorece Colburn and Pat Russell.

Members unable to attend the meeting Thursday were Ouida Nichols, Janie Humble, Nina Bedford and Carolyn Slaughter.



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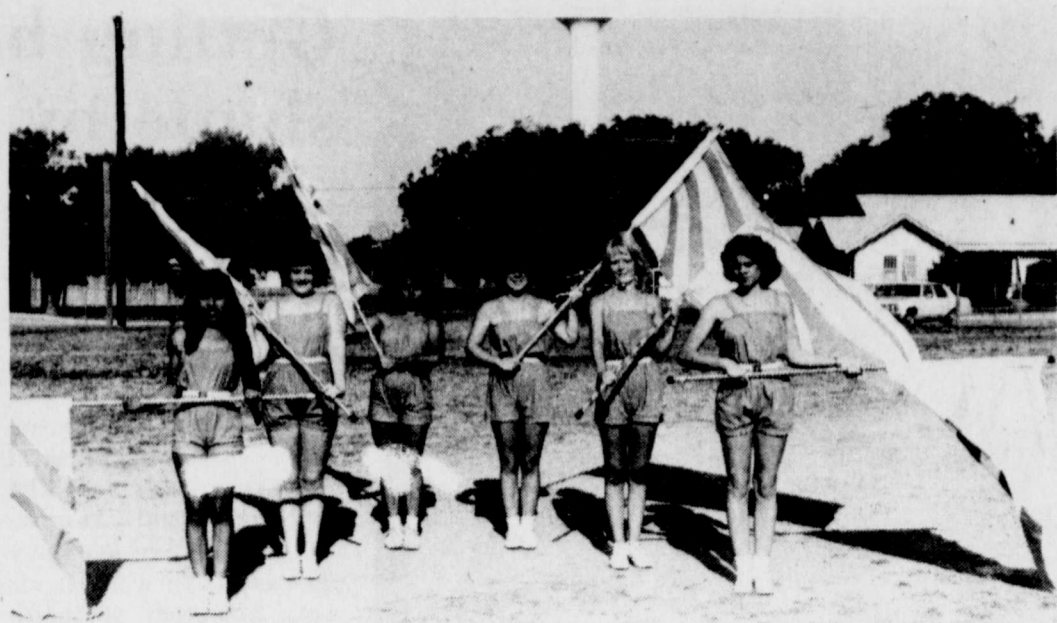
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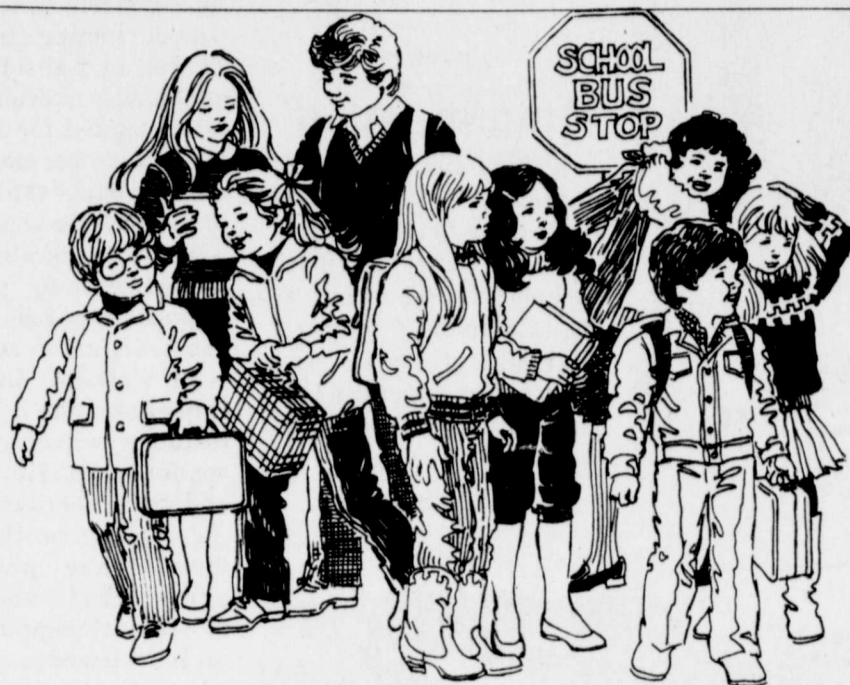


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Cheryl Bahlman, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Nelan Bahlman, was among the graduates during Abilene Christian University summer commencement exercises, August 13. Cheryl graduated magna cum laude with a Bachelor of Science degree in Medical Technology.

Student Council to sponsor party

The Winters High School Student Council will sponsor a back-to-school party, Monday, Aug. 30, from 7 p.m. to 8:30 p.m.

An opportunity will be offered to purchase annuals, and anyone who has not received their annual yet, may pick them up at this time.

Along with annual signing and music, refreshments will be provided.

All Winters High School students and faculty are urged to attend!

Although The Hague is the seat of the Netherlands government, the capital is actually Amsterdam and it is here that coronations take place.

Immunizations mandatory for school attendance

Parents should remember that State law requires that all children entering child-care facilities and Texas schools must be immunized.

Students in Texas schools must have at least three doses of DTP/Td (diphtheria, tetanus, pertussis or tetanus, diphtheria) vaccine and three doses of polio vaccine. At least one of the three doses of DTP/Td and polio vaccine must have been received since the fourth birthday.

A dose of measles vaccine after the first birthday or a physician-verified history of illness

is also required for all students. Rubella vaccine is required for all students under 12 years of age. Mumps vaccine or a physician-verified history of illness is required for students 10 years of age or younger. Yearly increases by one year of age for mumps vaccine will continue until Sept. 1, 1990, when all students will be included.

"All students must show a validated record of immunizations when they enter school," said Ron Moellenberg, with the Immunization Division of the Texas Department of Health.

Screening of vision is school requirement

About 230,000 children entering school in Texas for the first time are being screened for vision problems.

"And if statistics being compiled from referral forms hold, as many as 10,000 to 15,000 of the children will need more comprehensive tests," said Douglas K. Ozias, Ph.D., Director of Vision, Speech and Hearing Services for the Texas Department of Health (TDH).

Either an eye examination by a physician or an optometrist or a vision screening test approved by the Board of Health is mandated by the Children's Vision Screening Act of 1979. Aim of the legislation is to identify early eye problems in order to refer the student to an ophthalmologist or optometrist for a professional eye examination and improved outlook for treatment.

One of the primary objectives of testing young children is for the detection of amblyopia — called "lazy eye" blindness. In amblyopia, the lazy eye isn't used by the child and such disuse often results in a nonfunctioning eye.

If conditions causing amblyopia are caught early

enough, a child has a better chance of avoiding the problem. Treatment often includes placing a patch over the good eye to make the lazy eye work, or wearing prescription glasses.

The TDH is training and certifying vision screening instructors, and the certified instructors are training approved screeners. Certified instructors include school nurses and approved screeners may be technicians, aides and volunteers.

The TDH has regional vision coordinators in six Public Health Regions and presently uses central office and regional staff members to supplement program activities in the six regions not having full time coordinators.

Dear Parent or Guardian....

The Winters Independent School District serves nutritious meals every school day. Students may buy lunch for .75 for grades K-5 and .80 for grades 6-12 and breakfast for .50.

Children from families whose income is at or below the level shown on the following scale are eligible for either free meals, or reduced-priced meals priced at .40 for lunch and .30 for breakfast.

To apply for free or reduced-priced meals, please fill out this application as soon as possible, sign it, and return it to the school. Please answer all questions on the form. An application which does not contain complete information on household members and income cannot be used by the school. If information is missing, your child will be denied the meal benefits. Call your school if you need help with the form.

Complete application: For an application to be complete, you must provide: the total household income, the names of all household members,

social security numbers of all household members 21 years or older or state that a household member does not have one, and the signature of an adult household member.

Verification: The information on the application may be checked by the school or other official at any time during the school year.

Reporting changes: If your child is approved for meal benefits, you must tell the school when your household size decreases. You may apply for benefits at any time during the school year. If you are not eligible now, but have a decrease in household income, become unemployed, or have an increase in family size, fill out an application at that time.

Foster children: In certain cases, foster children are eligible for these benefits. If you have foster children living with you and wish to apply for free or reduced-priced benefits for them, please tell the school.

Nondiscrimination: Children who get meal benefits are treated the

same way as children who pay for meals. In the operation of child feeding programs, no child will be discriminated against because of race, sex, color, national origin, age, or handicap.

Fair hearing: If you do not agree with the school's decision on your application or the results of verification, you may wish to discuss it with the school. You also have a right to a fair hearing.

This can be done by calling or writing the following official: J.B. Smith, Business Manager, Winters ISD, Box 125, Winters, Texas 79567, Phone 754-4618. If you have any ques-

tions or need help in filling out the application form, please contact us. You will be notified of the approval or denial of this application.

Sincerely, J.B. Smith

(These guidelines should be used by the school to determine eligibility for free or reduced-price meals and should be provided to the media for public release.)

ATTACHMENT A

INCOME ELIGIBILITY GUIDELINES 1982-83

Family Size	Annual		Monthly		Weekly	
	Free Meals	Reduced-Price Meals	Free Meals	Reduced-Price Meals	Free Meals	Reduced-Price Meals
1	\$0 - 6,080	\$ 6,080 - 8,660	\$0 - 507	\$ 507 - 722	\$0 - 117	\$ 117 - 167
2	0 - 8,090	8,090 - 11,510	0 - 674	674 - 959	0 - 156	156 - 221
3	0 - 10,090	10,090 - 14,360	0 - 841	841 - 1,197	0 - 194	194 - 276
4	0 - 12,090	12,090 - 17,210	0 - 1,008	1,008 - 1,434	0 - 233	233 - 331
5	0 - 14,090	14,090 - 20,050	0 - 1,174	1,174 - 1,671	0 - 271	271 - 386
6	0 - 16,090	16,090 - 22,900	0 - 1,341	1,341 - 1,908	0 - 309	309 - 440
7	0 - 18,100	18,100 - 25,750	0 - 1,508	1,508 - 2,146	0 - 348	348 - 495
8	0 - 20,100	20,100 - 28,600	0 - 1,675	1,675 - 2,383	0 - 387	387 - 550
Each Additional Family Member	\$ 2,000	\$ 2,850	\$ 167	\$ 238	\$ 38	\$ 55

Each school district may determine the price charged for reduced-price meals, but in no case may the charge for a reduced-price lunch exceed 40¢ or a reduced-price breakfast exceed 30¢.

Income Eligibility Guidelines for free and reduced-price meals must be provided to the media for the public release.

3. INCOME: List below the monthly income received by all members of your household. List the source and amount before deductions such as taxes and social security. If you receive more than one check from any one of the following sources, please indicate the total amount received.

INCOME	TOTAL PER MONTH
Wages, Salary.....	\$.....
Social Security.....	\$.....
Public Assistance (Welfare).....	\$.....
Unemployment Compensation.....	\$.....
Child Support (Alimony).....	\$.....
Pension or Retirement.....	\$.....
Other (Describe).....	\$.....
TOTAL MONTHLY INCOME	\$.....

FOOD STAMPS: Does your household now receive food stamps? You are not required to answer this question. You are allowed to receive both food stamps and school meal benefits.

YES _____ NO _____

4. SIGNATURE I certify that all of the above information is true and correct and that all income is reported. I understand that this information is being given for the receipt of Federal funds; that school officials may verify the information may subject me to prosecution under applicable State and Federal laws.

Signature of Adult Household Member _____ Date _____

Print Name _____ Telephone Number _____

Address _____

FOR SCHOOL USE ONLY (DO NOT WRITE BELOW THIS LINE)

TOTAL MONTHLY INCOME \$ _____ TOTAL HOUSEHOLD SIZE _____

APPROVED FOR FREE MEALS _____

APPROVED FOR REDUCED MEALS _____

DENIED FOR THE FOLLOWING REASON: _____

PARENTS NOTIFIED _____

APPLICATION FORM FOR FREE AND REDUCED-PRICED MEALS 1982-1983

INSTRUCTIONS: To apply for free or reduced meals for your children, you must return a completed and signed application to the school office. If you need help with this form, please contact the school.

FOSTER CHILDREN: In certain cases foster children are eligible for free or reduced priced meals regardless of your household income. If you have such children living with you, please contact the school for instructions on how to complete this application.

1. List children for whom this application is made:

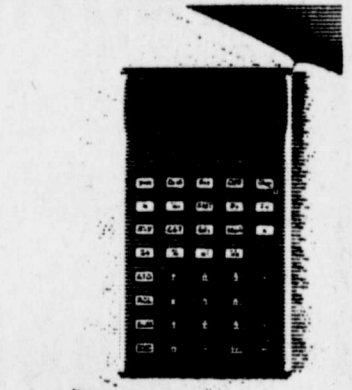
NAME	TEACHER	GRADE
_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____

2. List all related or unrelated persons who live in your household and share living expenses or meals. (Do not include children, in school, listed above.) List Social Security numbers of all adults.

NAME	SOCIAL SECURITY #
_____	_____
_____	_____
_____	_____

SOCIAL SECURITY NUMBERS: Section 9 of the National School Lunch Act requires that in order for your child to be eligible for free or reduced price meals, you must provide the social security numbers of all adult members of your household. Provision of these social security numbers is not mandatory, but failure to provide the numbers will result in a denial of the application for free or reduced priced benefits. This notice must be brought to the attention of all household members whose social security numbers are disclosed. The social security numbers may be used to identify household members in carrying out efforts to verify the correctness of information stated on the application. These verification efforts may be carried out through program reviews, audits, and investigations and may include contacting employers to determine income, contacting the state employment security office to determine the amount of benefits received and checking the documentation produced by household members to prove the amount of income received. These efforts may result in a loss or reduction of benefits, administrative claims or legal action if incorrect information is reported.

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ASU fall registration to be conducted Aug. 25-27

Registration for the 1982 fall semester at Angelo State University will be conducted Wednesday through Friday, August 25-27, in the Robert G. and Nona K. Carr Education-Fine Arts Building.

Students registering for graduate and night classes may only register Wednesday, August 25, between 6 and 7 p.m.

Upperclassmen and graduate students will register Thursday, August 26, based on the first letter of their last name. O and P at 8 a.m.; Q and R at 8:30 a.m.; S at 9 a.m.; T, U, and V at 9:30 a.m.; W at 10 a.m.; X, Y, and Z at 10:30 a.m.; A at 11 a.m.; B at 11:30 a.m.; C at 12 noon; D and E at 12:30 a.m.; F and G at 1 p.m.; H at 1:30 p.m.; I, J and K at 2 p.m.; L and M at 2:30 p.m.; and N at 3 p.m. Registration will end Thursday at 4 p.m.

Freshmen and transfer students will register on Friday, August 27, on the following schedule: M, N, and O at 8 a.m.; P, Q, and R at 8:30 a.m.; S, T, U, and V at 9 a.m.; W, X, Y, and Z at 9:30 a.m.; A and B at 10 a.m.; C at 10:30 a.m.; D, E, and F at 11 a.m.; G at 11:30 a.m.; H at 12 noon; and I, J, K, and L at 12:30 p.m. Registration ends at 2 p.m.

A student registering for Saturday graduate recourses may register Saturday, Sept. 4 from 9 a.m. to 10 a.m. in the Registrar's Office in the Administration Building.

Here are some guidelines for a smooth

registration process:

*Have housing approval from the housing office in the Administration Building, Room 108.

*Pick up registration packet in the Registrar's Office, Room 100 in the Administration Building.

*Use Pencil only on the student data sheet and class schedule cards.

*Print on all IBM registration cards that require information. Do not write or print on course cards received from departments.

*Proceed directly to departments and secure course cards for the courses in which you plan to enroll.

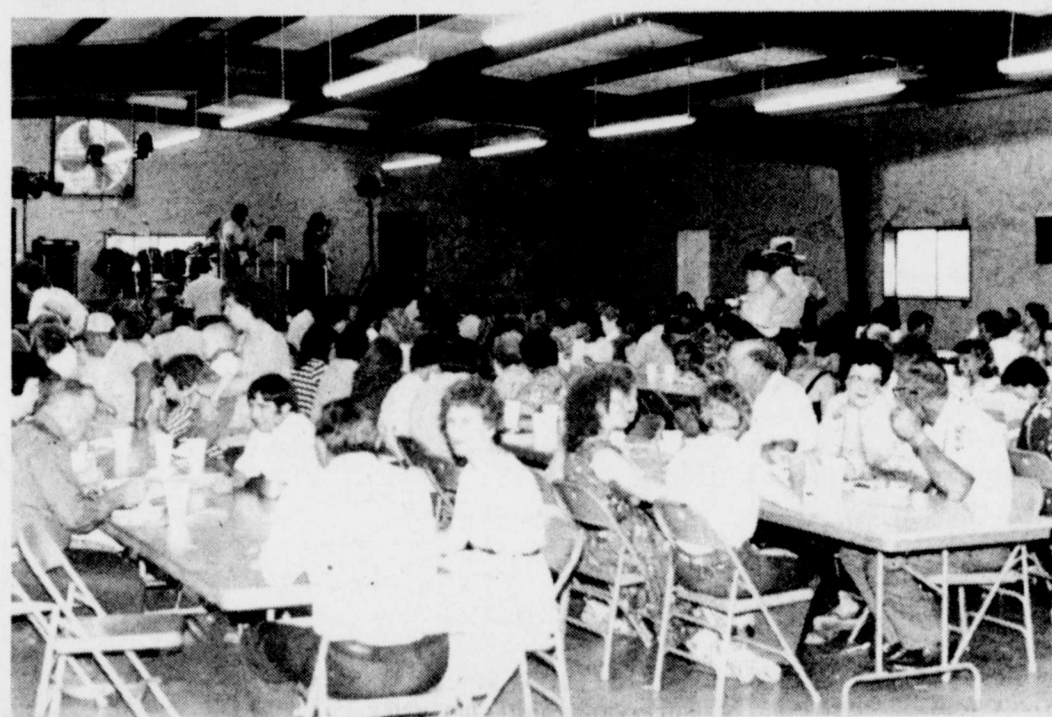
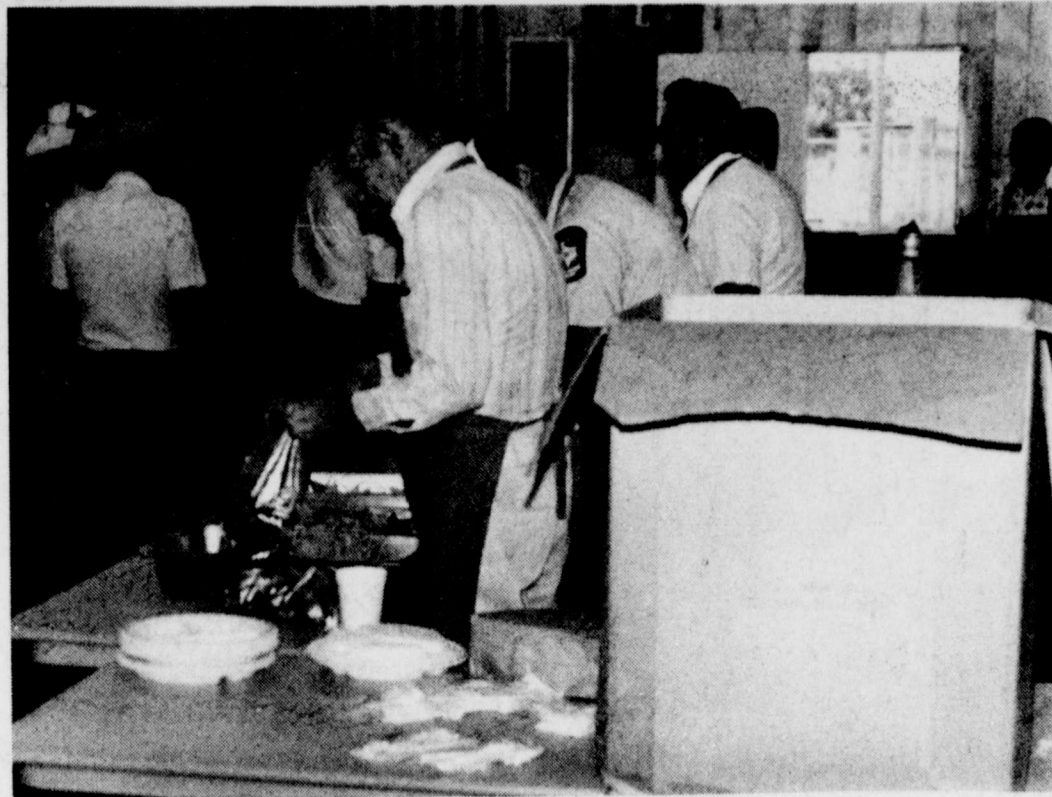
*After all course cards have been secured, obtain your Major Advisor's approval. You may not complete registration without his approval, and you may not change your schedule after his signature has been affixed.

*Proceed to final check station, located on second floor of E-FA Building for Registrar's approval.

*Proceed to Fiscal Office station, located in Room 232, and pay all fees and deposit all cards.

*Proceed to lobby area on the first floor of E-FA Building to obtain a Student Identification Card and Yearbook picture.

Seniors expecting to complete their degree requirements by December should apply for graduation during registration. Final date for applying is Friday, Sept. 17, in the office of the appropriate academic dean.



Mmmm, good!

A large number of area residents enjoyed barbecued brisket Saturday at the Annual Fireman's Barbecue at the Community Center. Highlight of the evening was the drawing for a butcher calf. The lucky winner was K.W. Cook.

Getting back into shape by jogging

Out of shape? You may have been active in high school athletics, but now all that remain are the memories and the extra pounds. You decide to get back into shape by jogging.

Before beginning, candidly assess your physical condition, advises the Texas Medical Association. If you are over age 30, are overweight, or have a history of health problems such as heart or lung disease, high blood pressure or diabetes, a medical check-up is important.

A person who plans to jog regularly should buy a pair of running shoes that fit well and absorb shock adequately. Because they are designed for running, they will be noticeably more comfortable than other athletic shoes.

Set up a carefully controlled running program by initially jogging only a short distance, combined with walking. Gradually increase the jogging distance when you feel comfortable. How often and for a person should jog depends on the individual. Many physicians agree that about 15 minutes of jogging three or four times a week is adequate to provide a "training effect," according to the National Jogging Association.

Your jogging speed is another consideration. One way joggers determine a suitable training pace is by checking their breathing with the "talk test." If you are out of breath and cannot talk comfortably while jogging, you should slow down. Other signs of overexertion include dizziness, tightness in the chest, and nausea. Jogging, particularly at first, will include many small aches and pains. If any become pronounced, stop

amounts of water to avoid dehydration.

The main thing to remember is not to over-exert yourself. And take it slow and easy at first.

immediately. With the arrival of summer, heat has become a factor. Jog early in the morning or late in the day. Drink adequate

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A public hearing on the Runnels County Budget for the year 1983 will be held in the Commissioners Courtroom on Sept. 14, 1982, at 10:00 a.m.

REVENUE SHARING BUDGET

A public hearing on the Runnels County Revenue Sharing Budget for the year 1983 will be held in the Commissioners Courtroom on Sept. 14, 1982, at 2:00 p.m.

All citizens attending this hearing may provide written and oral comments and ask questions concerning the Budget and the relationship of Entitlement Funds to the Budget.

The County's proposed use of the Revenue Sharing Funds in context to the entire budget and the summary of the entire proposed budget will be available for public inspection Sept. 9, 1982 in the office of the County Auditor.

Bill B. Stultz
County Judge, Runnels Co.

Read The Classifieds

Dr. John Taylor to head NSU's new arts school

Dr. John E. Taylor, former Winters resident who graduated from Winters High School in 1956, has been appointed director of Northwestern State University's new School for the Creative and Performing Arts, to be located in the \$11 million fine arts complex which is scheduled for completion in late summer.

The new school, located in Natchitoches, La., and the huge, ultra-modern complex are designed to provide "an atmosphere of creative excitement and stimulation evoked by the close association and mutual support of the different areas of the arts," Taylor said following his appointment.

Taylor said the School for the Creative and Performing Arts will provide innovative academic training and experiences for young people planning professions in music, art, dance, theatre and speech.

The director said the Center for the Creative

and Performing Arts, created to accommodate the new fine arts school, "puts Northwestern in a position to have the finest building and arts facility in the state and really in the entire southland. There is nothing like this to be found anywhere around us."

Taylor joined the Northwestern faculty in 1977 as associate professor of voice and director of choral activities. In 1980, he was promoted to chairman of the NSU Music Department, the position he held at the time of his appointment as director of the new school.

Named recently as the Natchitoches Parish Chamber of Commerce "Man of the Year," Taylor currently serves as program coordinator for the Natchitoches Christmas Choral Festival, president of the Louisiana Outdoor Drama Association and chorusmaster for the Shreveport Opera Chorus.

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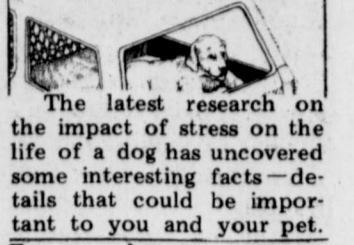
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- The dog needs abundant protein to build reserves for unexpected stress. Without full reserves, a dog is less able to make antibodies and new blood cells under stress.

What causes stress for a dog? A variety of events. Among the more obvious are infections from parasites, bacteria or bites, fractures or burns. Travel, even for a pleasant outing, may put your dog under stress as can breeding and showing.

For a new, free booklet about stress and your dog, send a request together with 25 cents for postage and handling to the ALPO Center for Advanced Pet Study, P.O. Box 2187, Allentown, PA 18001.

Fall registration begins for Sweetwater TSTI

Fall registration for Texas State Technical Institute in Sweetwater is set for Sept. 7-8, with classes beginning Sept. 9. Students should go to the Related Technology Building on campus, which is directly behind the Administration/Campus Services Building, between 8 a.m. and 5 p.m.

Faculty members from each department will be available to assign class schedules, and a temporary cashier's office will enable students to pay all tuition, fees, housing and board plan costs at that time. Those who have paid a housing deposit will receive their room assignments.

All programs at TSTI are admitting students for the fall except Vocational Nursing. Programs admitting students include Air Conditioning and Refrigeration Technology, Automotive Mechanics, Autobody Repair, Building Construction Craftsman, Machine Shop Operations, Welding, Livestock and Ranch Operations, Emergency Medical Services, Dental Assistant, Diesel Mechanics, Drafting, Electronics, Computer

TSTI-Sweetwater is part of a state-supported system of four technical schools. It is accredited by the Southern Association of Colleges and Schools.

Further information about TSTI can be obtained by contacting the Public Information Office at 235-8441, ext. 39.

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WINTERS, TEXAS

Co. Extension Agent advises 'cole' crops

It's anything but cold in Texas during August and September, but that's the time to plant and transplant "cole" crops, advises Allen Turner, County Extension Agent. "Cole" refers to any of various plants belonging to the Cruciferae or mustard family, including such cool-season crops as brussel sprouts, cabbage, cauliflower, collards, kale, kohlrabi, mustard, broccoli, turnips and watercress. Cole crops have a common ancestry of wild cabbage originating in the Mediterranean and Asia Minor area, and this close kinship enables diversified usage of plant parts. For instance, brussel sprout plants are grown by most gardeners for miniature heads (sprouts) which develop in the axils of leaves. However, some consider brussel sprout leaves to be milder and sweeter than those of collards which are especially grown for their leaves. Most gardeners are familiar with the fact that turnips can be grown for greens (leaves) or for roots. In other words, when growing a member of the Cruciferae family, the saying "what you see is what you get (to eat)" truly applies!

This group of cole crops enjoy cool seasons and are somewhat cold tolerant. Cabbage, for instance, can withstand cold down to 20 degrees or even 15 degrees F. Cauliflower and chard are more sensitive to cold than broccoli, collards, kale, kohlrabi or mustard. The conditioning of plants as influenced by weather conditions prior to exposure to cold temperatures determines plant survival. Plant maturity also has much to do with the amount of cold which cole crops can survive. When broccoli plants have produced buds, even a light frost may cause considerable damage.

Cole crops grow best at a monthly mean temperature of 60 to 70 degrees F. This occurs when temperatures are 80 degrees F. or less during the day and 60 degrees F. or less during the night.

Of all the cole crops mentioned, broccoli is probably the best tasting, most nutritious and most economical of the entire group. It's surprising that such an excellent vegetable, known for more than 2,000 years in Europe and perhaps 200 years in America, has become popular only in the past 50 years.

Everyone should plant some cole crops this fall. Broccoli is especially worthwhile since it furnishes good eating while being high in vitamin C and supplying a substantial amount of vitamin A. Broccoli is the only crop which can be blanched and frozen and still retain its superb taste and quality. It actually is better after the freezing process, which softens the stem tissue.

Fall is the best time to plant cole crops since

1982 West Texas Fair & Rodeo Scholarship award winners named

Each year the West Texas Fair & Rodeo awards three \$500 scholarships to area high school seniors based on scholarship, high school participation and future objectives. This year's winners were publically presented recently at a general board meeting of the directors of the West Texas Fair & Rodeo.

Winner of the Livestock Merit Award Scholarship is Raymond R. Walston II of Winters. He is the son of Raymond R. Walston. Roy graduated from Winters High School where he served as an officer in the FFA and 4-H. He was named the 4-H Gold Star boy last year. He also qualified for the livestock judging team his junior year. Roy has shown lambs and a heifer at the West Texas Fair and last year won the champion fine wool lamb category with his entry. Graduating in the top half of his class, he plans to attend Angelo State University, majoring in agricultural economics. Runnels County Extension Agent Allen Turner credited Roy with "excellent leadership abilities on the local, district and area basis...an excellent judge of livestock..."

The Odell Johnson Science Scholarship was awarded to Joe David Copeland of Coleman. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Clenton Copeland. Copeland graduated from Coleman High School where he was a member of the National Honor

All-risk wheat insurance now offers individual yield guarantees

Runnels County wheat farmers can participate in a new All-Risk insurance program that includes yield guarantees based on their individual production records. The program, known as Individual Yield Coverage (IYC) was announced by Marcus Kocich of All-Risk Crop Insurance.

Kocich explains that the plan will provide higher levels of insurance protection for wheat producers who can verify higher than average yields for at least the

Society. He participated in University Interscholastic League competition in persuasive speaking and calculator as well as being active in band and track. His math teacher Julia Smith described him as having an inquiring mind and as being a hard worker. He plans to attend Texas A&M University to study electrical engineering and math.

The Modern Living Mall Merit Award Scholarship goes to Linda Kay Garvin of Blackwell. She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Bobby J. Sanderson. Linda graduated from Blackwell Rural High School where she was active in the FHA and 4-H, played basketball and served as a class officer all three years.

Linda is also a member of the volunteer fire department and is a licensed emergency care attendant. She had the highest average in her classes, was awarded the society of distinguished American high school students and won the Voice of Democracy Award. She has participated in the West Texas Fair through the 4-H program. Her home economics teacher Betty Cole described her as having a positive outlook, determination, and even more important, she's willing to work hard...a leader in her field...

These winners were chosen from a large number of applicants by a scholarship committee named by the Fair President Marshal Kellar.

most recent three years. In the past, insurance guarantees have been based on the average yield in the area where the crop was produced. Farmers interested in participating should contact the local ASCS office in Runnels County for information concerning yield verification procedures.

All-Risk Crop Insurance, which has been expanded to replace the Disaster Payments program abolished by Congress a year ago, is designed to provide reasonably priced protection against the loss of money invested in crop protection. A subsidy by the federal government reduces the cost of carrying insurance by as much as 30 percent, according to Kocich. The policies are available through private insurance agents.

The deadline to apply for insurance on 1983-crop winter wheat in Runnels County is September 15, 1982. Growers wishing to participate in the Individual Yield Coverage program, however, are urged to contact their ASCS office as far in advance of this date as possible to allow time for yield verification.

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Signs of fall have been in the early morning air the last week or so. However, by afternoon realization of summer reappears. Oh, what wonders a good rain would do.

The hot, dry weather is making Texas pastures and ranges ripe for wildfires. Wildfires often erupt this time of the year due to lightning and careless use of fire.

On a trip through Central Texas one would guess a good size drought is underway. Austin country is brown up to the lakes and river banks. With no measurable rainfall since June 7, its no wonder.

Lon Slaughter says the ranching country around Sanderson is in the same shape. "If we could receive a rain and higher lamb prices, the ranching business would be looking up," he added.

Cattle prices are not high but not as bad as they were earlier in the summer, according to Carter Behrens, West Texas buyer. "But this is a business in which improvement is always our goal," he said.

The major cattle feeding states showed cattle numbers up four percent on July 1 compared to a year ago. At the same time fed cattle marketings were up only two percent during the April-June quarter compared to a year ago.

Feedlot placements took a sharp jump in June — up 15 percent in several states — so that placements so far in 1982 are running nine percent above last year's level. This means more fed cattle in the second half of 1982.

The USDA estimates fed cattle marketings for July-September will be up five percent from 1981, at 5.7 million head. With net placements up 19 percent in the first quarter and five percent in the second, fed cattle marketings are expected to increase during the next few months.

As for competition from other meats, pork production is forecast to be 11 to 14 percent lower in the last two calendar quarters and poultry supplies should only be up two to three percent.

"The hard thing to understand from the July report is why feeder cattle prices haven't improved," states Dr. Edward Uvacek, Jr., economist in livestock marketing with the Texas Agricultural Extension Service.

"The higher placement figure was due to strong increases in June," he added. "For example, June placements in Kansas, Nebraska and Texas feedlots were up 15 percent from a year ago."

And from Del Rio during that week-long International Ranchers Roundup, a Nevada ranchwoman and Boston housewife warned, "Ranchers must shape their independence into a 'togetherness' and become an effective voice if they are to survive these turbulent, economically stressed times."

Jeanne W. Edwards said, "Today's consuming public has little knowledge of what ranching is about — and that the rancher may be an 'endangered' species. Therefore, ranchers need to beef up their efforts to help mold national policy affecting our industry and our work resource base — our rangelands."

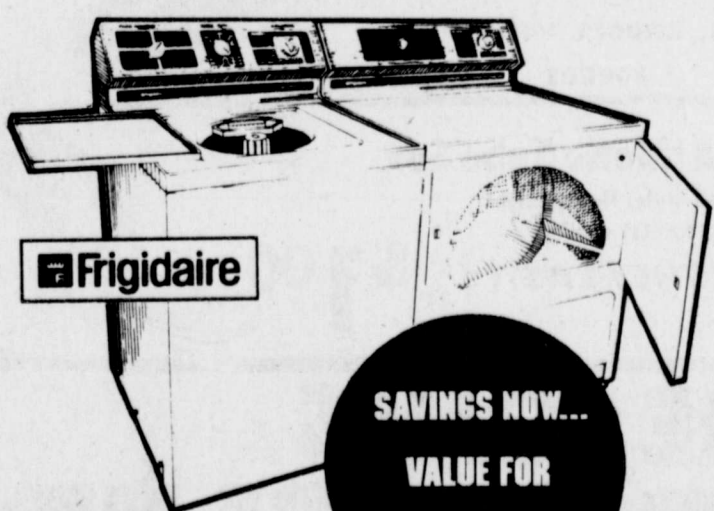
She pointed out that the cow-calf operator, the stocker-feeder segment, feedyards and purebred operators are all in the same boat together and all should speak in a unified voice.

"It is time for us to face realities of population growth and the possibilities of a food supply interruption — and their direct link to our national well-being. It is indeed time to get our act together," Edwards said.

She pointed out that people fall into one of three categories — those who make things happen, those who watch things happen, and those who wonder what happened.

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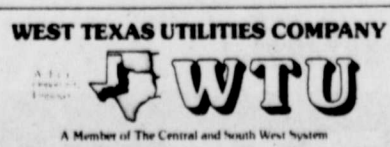
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hose was in place. The result...several wet women...but they had fun.

Members of the Winters team are (pictured) Beth Hamilton and Jean Hilliard; and members Melba Emmert, Teresa Davis, Betty Easterly and Lou Bowden (not pictured).

Winters Volunteer Fire Dept. news

Well, another Firemen's Barbecue is over and K.W. Cook won the calf in the drawing. The department hopes that everyone enjoyed themselves. There was a good turnout for the annual barbecue.

It is about time we honored those behind the scenes in the fire department—the firemen's wives. They help out tremendously at all our functions and they all are involved. If the wives were not understanding and helpful, we would not be in the fire department.

It is sure nice when you are cold, wet and fatigued from fighting a fire and you look up to see the wives coming with coffee and sandwiches and a kind word.

Those girls are pretty good at hose racing, too. If the need were to arise, they might end up fighting a fire alongside their husbands some day.

The proceeds from this year's barbecue will be used for new equipment

and to help out with expenses for fire schools, etc.

Thank you, everyone, for your support of the annual barbecue and other fire department activities.

Landfill hours re-emphasized

The City of Winters and Tony's Disposal Service are reminding Winters residents of the open hours of the city's sanitary landfill.

The landfill is open five days per week from 9 a.m. to 5:30 p.m. The open days are Monday, Tuesday, Thursday, Friday, and Saturday. The landfill is closed on Wednesday and Sunday of each week.

The landfill is open during these hours for the convenience of Winters residents who wish to haul their own refuse to the landfill.

"Suffer fools gladly. They may be right."
Holbrook Jackson

Retired Judge subbing for Judge Stultz

Retired Concho County Judge Carl Peek is holding court in Runnels County this week in the absence of County Judge Bill Stultz.

Stultz, who is undergoing medical tests in Houston, is expected to be back on the bench sometime next week.

Oil production set by RRC at 100 percent

The Railroad Commission set the Texas oil production rate for September 1982 at the market demand factor of 100 percent for the 67th month in a row and the 123rd time since the Commission first went to the ceiling level in April 1972.

Commissioners Mack Wallace and Buddy Temple directed the continuance of the maximum statewide allowable after receiving and reviewing purchaser nominations for Texas oil in September totaling 2,464,388 barrels per day, a decrease of 8,948 barrels daily when compared with August 1982 buyer requests. September nominations totaled 2,514,719 barrels daily.

Next month's permissible rate of output is calculated to average 2,951,229 barrels per day with actual production estimated at 2.4 million barrels per day. The maximum allowable applies to all but 10 fields in Texas that are assigned lower legal rates of flow for conservation purposes. Actual production in September 1981 was 2,437,066 barrels daily.

Wallace reported that September 1982 nominations for the purchase of Texas gas totaled 21,135,955 Mcf/d (thousand cubic feet per day). Gas nominations for August amounted to 22,490,087 Mcf/d. September 1981 gas nominations totaled 24,961,348 Mcf/d.

Commissioner Wallace reported that crude oil and petroleum products imported into the United States averaged 5,471,000 barrels daily for the four weeks ending August 6, down 104,000 barrels per day for the same period a year earlier.

(Burglar from page 1) thought to be serious lacerations.

By Saturday evening, officers received a report from Brown County authorities that a man had gone to Brownwood Regional Hospital for treatment of lacerations to both hands and the head. Officers said that after interviewing the suspect in Brownwood he was taken into custody and transported back to Ballinger to face charges of burglary of a business.

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