

# Winters Blizzards defeat Ranger 61 to 52

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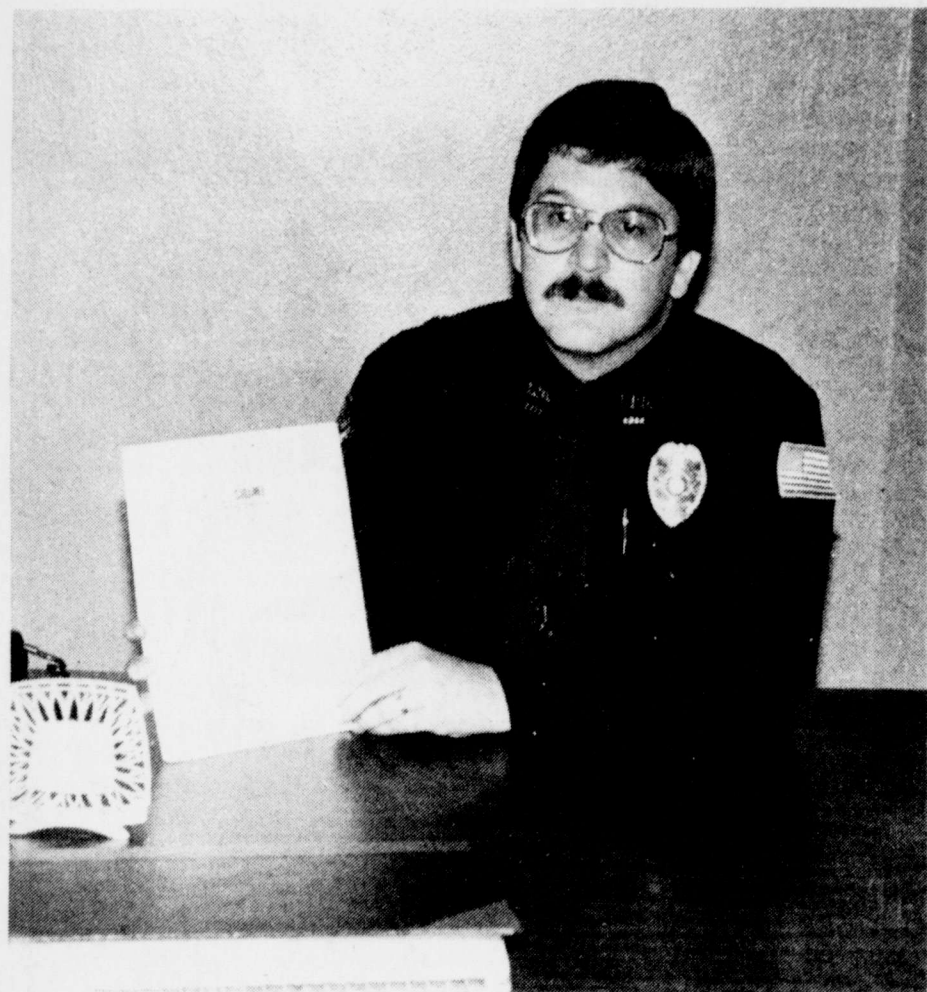
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### It works like this

Ballinger Police Chief Paul Bogges explains the operation of Crime Stoppers to the interim board of directors of the program. Don Higgins was named presi-

dent of the organization, Mark Goetz vice-president, and Todd Huckabee secretary in their first meeting.

## Crime Stoppers Program continues moving ahead

The Runnels County Crime Stoppers Program is a step closer to becoming a reality following a meeting last Thursday in Ballinger.

Members of an interim board of directors made up from persons selected by the Winters and Ballinger Chambers of Commerce met with Ballinger Police Chief Paul Bogges to discuss the priorities of the Crime Stoppers Program and to prepare to nominate a board of directors.

### BVFD gets its "Jaws of Life"

The Ballinger Volunteer Fire Department took delivery last Thursday of their new Hurst Tool, "The Jaws of Life."

The portable, hydraulic rescue device is very versatile and is used primarily in freeing persons trapped in wrecked vehicles.

The "Jaws of Life" were purchased by the Ballinger department through donations from area organizations and individuals and from a fund raising drive last summer.

Fire department spokesman Odell Denton said the rescue equipment cost \$6,700 without the attachment used for cutting through materials or objects. He said that the cutter will cost an additional \$1,800 and that the department was now working on securing the funds to purchase the cutters.

The "Jaws of Life" were delivered to the Ballinger Fire Department last Thursday by a representative of the Hurst Company who gave a demonstration to members of the Ballinger Volunteer Fire Department and members of the Ballinger Police Reserves.

The demonstration was held at John Reyes Garage using a demolished vehicle.

### School to dismiss for spring break

Winters Public Schools will dismiss early Friday, March 4 for spring break, with buses running at 2:30 p.m.

Students will enjoy a week vacation, resuming school Monday, March 14 at the regular time.

## City Council tables proposed phone franchise

The Winters City Council last week followed the recommendation of City Administrator Glenn Brown and took no action on a proposed franchise submitted by General Telephone of the Southwest.

The telephone utility has been operating in Winters without a franchise since GTE bought out Southwestern States Telephone Company several years ago. GTE has, without a new franchise, followed the terms of the existing franchise.

The council discussed setting a five year term for any franchise with GTE and suggested the possibility of the phone company paying the city the gross receipts tax on a quarterly basis rather than annually. Another franchise proposal would be that the phone utility include any newly annexed areas in the city in its gross receipts tax payments to the city.

The council will again meet with GTE officials concerning the franchise at a later date and discuss the acceptance of a new franchise.

In other action, the council conducted three public hearings for annexation on-site and approved on second and final reading the annexation of property on South Main at the Shamrock Station. The first

public hearing for the annexation of property owned by Dr. Y.K. Lee on the Coleman Highway (FM 53) received council approval as did the proposed annexation of the Winters-Elm Creek Reservoir. The council will hold the second and final hearings on the annexation in their next regular meeting.

The council received a petition from Leon Springer requesting annexation of property on Manning street in the Reeves Addition. A public hearing on the request will be held in a later council meeting.

Bob Allen, representing the accounting firm of Kinard and Davis of Abilene, made a report to the

### Winters 59, Bangs 55

The Winters Blizzards, on their way to the state play-offs, defeated the Bangs Dragons Friday evening in Coleman to secure a berth in the Area Regional Tournament Tuesday in Abilene. The Blizzards, buoyed by a 21-point second quarter, defeated Bangs by a score of 59-55.

The Dragons, leading by one in the fourth quarter, fell to the Blizzards after Jeff McDorman and Jeff Butts each tallied for two points to give Winters a four point lead at the final buzzer.

Scoring for the Blizzards were Butts with 14 points, McDorman with 12, both Guevara and Hubbard with 8 points each, Kvpil with 7, Reyes 6, and Mikeska and Bedford each accounting for 2 points.

Coach Jim Farmer said "Our pressure, both inside and outside, lead to the win—that the win could only be attributed to a total team effort, that it wasn't just one man on the scoring or one man on the defense."

The win sent the Blizzards to Abilene Tuesday to meet Ranger in a match to determine who will go to the regional play-offs this week end in Denton. If the Blizzards continue their winning ways over Ranger, they are only four games away from the state crown.

In view of the state play-offs, Farmer said that the game against Ranger is a "game that we must win."

### Blizzards win over Ranger 61-52

The Winters Blizzards defeated Ranger Tuesday evening in Abilene in the Area Regional play-offs by a score of 61 to 52.

The win gives the Blizzards a berth in the regional tournament to be played in Denton this Friday and Saturday.

After the win over Ranger, the Blizzards are just four games away from a state championship, but Coach Jim Farmer said, "it gets tougher from here."

Leading the scoring for the Blizzards Tuesday was Don Kvpil with 18, followed by Jeff Butts with 17, and Jeff McDorman with 12 points.

Winters trailed by two points at half-time and were down by 7 in the third quarter. A rally in the final period locked up the game for Winters at 61-52.

council on the 1981-82 fiscal year audit. The council took no action on the report and will consider it at a later meeting.

A resolution supporting the passage of Senate Bill 287 (the

pothole bill) was approved by the council. This bill, if approved by the current session of the Legislature would take funds from

(See City page 10)

## Wednesday, March 2 is deadline for filing

The last day for filing as a candidate for city council elections in Ballinger and Winters, for school board seats in the Winters Independent School District and Ballinger Independent School District, the Wingate School District, and the North Runnels Hospital District is 5 p.m. Wednesday March 2.

By late Tuesday, some 24 hours before the filing deadline, none of the races in any of the elections were contested but, Ballinger school officials said that they were anticipating some of the races in their election to be contested.

In the City of Winters, Mayor W. Lee Colburn has filed for re-election to his post. Council members Ted Meyer and June Hays have also announced their intentions to seek their posts for another term.

In the City of Ballinger, former council member Wayne Irby has filed as a candidate for the office of mayor while outgoing Mayor Bill Goetz has announced as a candidate for another council position. One other seat on the Ballinger City Council is open to election — the seat held by Cecil Darby. Darby had been appointed to fill out the un-expired term of John King who resigned from the council.

WISD board member and president Gene Wheat has announced that he will not be seek re-election to the school board after serving some nine years on the board. Bob Webb has filed as a candidate for the seat being vacated by Wheat. One other position on the Winters School Board is up for election — that held by Connie Mac Gibbs. Gibbs has filed as a candidate for re-election to that position.

In the Ballinger Independent School District Board of Trustees election, place 5 member Tom Lee has announced as a candidate for re-election as has place 6 member Fred Harwell.

The North Runnels Hospital

Board of Directors will have four seats up for election. The seats are held by Bob Webb, Mike Mitchell, Randall Boles, and Lanny Bahlman. All four members have officially filed for re-election to their posts.

The Wingate School District is following tradition with no announced candidates to fill the seats coming open on that school board. School board members at Wingate are elected by write-in ballot.

Absentee balloting in all of these elections will begin Monday, March 14, and will continue through Tuesday, March 29. The elections will be held on Saturday, April 2.

### Ballinger man dies in wreck

A 24-year-old Ballinger man died late Saturday in a one-vehicle accident on U.S. 67 between Rowena and Miles.

The man, identified as Doug Cole of Ballinger, was pronounced dead at the scene of the accident by Justice of the Peace Dorothy Granzin of Miles.

Investigating Highway Patrol Trooper Tom Barkley said the young man apparently ran off the roadway and into the median of the highway and lost control of the car when he overcorrected and crossed back over the north-bound lane and overturned.

Cole was a student at Angelo State University and an employee of radio station KHOS in San Angelo. Funeral services were held Monday in Ballinger.

### Wait a minute...

By Kerry Craig

That's just about all this will take, commissioner

I guess that by now everyone knows that Monday evening brought a 12-year television series to an end. M-A-S-H finally ended its tour of duty in the Korean War.

The final two and a half-hour segment drew the highest dollar in national television advertising — just short of a half-million bucks for a 30-second spot. Golly, that is well over \$10,000 per second. That beats "Who shot J.R." and the Superbowl.

Everybody from Paul Harvey to Las Vegas, from the corner tavern in south-east Iowa to the Junction in Abilene to many individuals had their own form of wake or eulogy for the television series.

I must confess, however, I went to sleep part-way through the final episode and missed everybody saying goodbye and going home. Really though, I think I enjoy the Saturday afternoon westerns more than M-A-S-H — maybe I am a traitor.

For all those who mourn the loss of the show, you have my sympathies, but wait a minute...

M-A-S-H is already enjoying new life, several of them in fact, on other networks and independents in the form of re-runs. Maybe we haven't lost any M-A-S-H at all — the replays are already here.

Now if you wonder why I said all this about that, well I gotta keep up with everyone else. Right Robert?



### In pageant Saturday

The "Our Little Miss" pageant was held Saturday in Ballinger, with several Winters girls taking honors during the event. J'Lynn Russell (left), daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Tommy Russell was named "Ideal Miss Universal Beauty" and was also the over-all talent winner. Crowned "Ideal Miss" was Beverly Hamilton

(center), daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Richard Hamilton, who also took Miss Congeniality honors, and was named second alternate in Universal Beauty. Jackye Connor (right), daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Michael Connor took the "Mini-Teen" crown.



### Young winners

Mandy Elizabeth Hicks, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Billy Hicks was named "Personality Plus" in the recent "Our Little Miss" pageant held in Ballinger. Jana Presley (front), daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ronald Presley, was named "Mini-Queen".

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**Poe's corner**

**Granddaughter Of Local Woman Is Missionary To Uganda**

A large crowd attended the reception at the First Baptist Church on Monday honoring Mrs. Glenn Shoemaker, wife of the new pastor.

The seated tea was attended by women of the Church, youth organizations and several guests to hear Doris Garvin, missionary to Uganda, tell of her experiences in a foreign country. She is the granddaughter of Mrs. G.T. Shott, and was introduced by Patsy Rogers, WMU President.

Mrs. Garvin said she was happy and excited to see the largest group of women and children together that she had addressed since she had been home. She spoke to the young people first about where she had been living, some of the conditions there and about her children.

The Harry Garvin's have been living in East Africa in a country called Uganda. Its capitol is Kampala. "Africa, as you know, is a very big continent and the country we were living in was small, about twice the size of Massachusetts, and there are almost 13 million people. We really don't know how many people are living there. We've lost count because of the war and several million people have been murdered during Idi Amin's reign, but there are approximately 13 million."

Many years ago Winston Churchill described Uganda — he was so pleased with its beauty — a lush, green country. It has many kinds of climate. On one side there is farm land, it is green the year around. There are many small farms and little houses. In the northern part it is very dry, desert like country, with little flat trees, called acacia trees that you've read about in your Bible. They can grow tall and look like a mushroom except they are flat on top. A strange looking tree but beautiful. And there is snow in the Southern part, in the 'Mountains of the Moon'. "And we have jungles — so you can go to whatever kind of country you like in Uganda — and we love it very much."

"When we first went to Uganda in 1970, we had five children, and now we have six. Our 7-year-old daughter was born in Nairobi, Kenya. She can claim either

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To the Senior Citizens Nursing Home, the hospital personnel, Dr. W.J. Lee, Ted Meyer and all the love memorials of flowers and cards, and to our friends — Thank each of you.

—The family of Aubrey Martin

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My family and I want to thank those who visited me, the telephone calls,

American or Kenyan citizenship, but when she is 18 years old, she will have to choose her country. When we have children born overseas have a dual citizenship.

"At first our children studied at home and I taught them, but in a short time we had a girl from America who came as a journeyman and taught our children three years until we came home on furlough. And they went to schools here the year we were at home. Returning to Uganda, the older children had to attend boarding school in Kenya and live away from home for nine months of the year. The separation is the hardest part, but the other three months they are at home with us. None of our children has complained. Actually, they love the school, it is a Christian mission boarding school. We feel privileged that our children are in a Christian environment, four of them have graduated at the Academy in Kenya.

"In the beginning Uganda was peaceful, and we could get most anything we wanted, the goods were available, but that didn't last very long. In January of 1971, we had a military coup. Idi Amin overthrew the president and came into power. For the next eight years he was the ruler. At first, he told us that he was not going to be racially discriminate. He was going to love everybody, no matter what color they were, they were welcome. He was so happy and everybody was happy to have a dictator like that. We thought he was really great. He came to Sorota where we were living many times. He came in a helicopter and landed on a soccer field just a few yards from our house. We went out to hear him speak. I've even been to a party where he brought some of his traditional dancers and a reception was held for some of the town officials. But in a short time after Amin came into power, he began to chase other groups out of the country."

The first to be ordered out were the people from Israel who were there working with the military. Then Amin told the Asians they had to leave. He expelled about 50,000 of them who had come from India and Pakistan and lived there so long that many had been born there and were actually citizens of Uganda. They provided most of the nation's businesses and professional services. Their stores and factories were confiscated and many remained vacant because of lack of trained personnel to operate them.

These people were given only 90 days to leave and this wouldn't have been so bad if the government had been helpful, but everything was done to torment them. After standing in line in the hot sun for hours, they would be told their papers were not in order and officials destroyed them, causing the applicants to have to start over.

Food and medicines became scarce and after the political uprising when Idi Amin's regime was overthrown there was a famine in the land, caused by the drought and war. The missionaries worked very hard to assist the starving people. They loaded huge trucks with corn meal and distributed it to the people in the villages. "Some were in our churches and some were not," said Mrs. Garvin. "We also carried food to the Karinjamas, a primitive tribe. We bought clothes, food and soap, with your gifts through the churches and the Foreign Mission Board.

Some Ugandans received chickens from the relief funds. This provides meat and eggs for personal use and sale to offset hunger and economic chaos.

My husband and the boys had always hunted to provide meat for our table. But so many of the animals were destroyed that one year they brought in only one zebra. I cooked it every way in the world — even made "Zebra Burgers" — it kept us from going hungry, but I don't like the meat, it is too sweet."

Our son came from school in the United States to help us. He returned to school and is hoping someday to go back overseas in fulltime mission service. We continued helping the natives for about another year until the rains came. We gave them seeds so that they could raise their crops again."

Of the Garvin's six children, four of them are living in the United States; in Arkansas, Houston, Leuders and one in school at Hardin-Simmons. There are four grandchildren. The 13-year-old that's at home has been going to school in Kenya for several years. "The first time we sent them, the oldest was a freshman in high school, but as the years went along and due to conditions in the country, we began sending them a little bit younger. The youngest was in the fifth grade. I taught Angie, the 7-year-old, in Kindergarten and first grade, but when we came back to Abilene last year, I made her repeat first grade, for I had been sick all year and didn't feel like I'd done a good job."

Mrs. Garvin said that she had malaria which is a real problem in Uganda and made worse by a scarcity of medicine. It was 350 miles from their home to Kenya where the children were in school and they saw them every six weeks when they went to buy groceries. Food was available in Uganda but the price was prohibitive.

"We have very few workers and the needs are so great it ruined my husband's health. He was covering three different districts of about 70 churches. The last year we were involved in the re-establishing of our African Baptist Convention in Uganda. He had to travel all over the country with these men trying to unite their organization. Because of all the miles, the pressures, the famine and his involvement in food distribution, he got sick. And for all those years we were expecting any day to be kicked out — to be deported. Many of the missionaries were — some 16 Catholics were deported in one day. Amin's aim was to get rid of Christianity. He was a Muslim. He wanted to make Uganda Muslim. That was his goal."

"We really need more church developers in Uganda, more than 90% of the population lives in villages and the bush. And right now we have no church planters working in Uganda because we are at home. Our work force is very short."

**CARD OF THANKS**

We appreciate the many kind things done for us. The flowers, cards and visits, but most of all your prayers.

—Hudon and Emily White

cards, food and gifts while I was in the hospital and since I came home.

I also want to thank Dr. Lee and the nurses at the hospital who took such good care of me and being so kind. I really do appreciate everything.

—Corbert Cooper

**USDA to impose stiffer penalties for food stamp abusers**

Beginning April 1, people who abuse the food stamp program will face stiffer penalties, Assistant Secretary of Agriculture Mary C. Jarratt said recently.

"Under this new policy, individuals found guilty of a third food stamp offense will be permanently barred from the program," Jarratt said.

Those found guilty of two offenses will be barred from the program for one year and those who abuse the program a first time will not receive food stamps for six months.

Jarratt said, "We are determined to safeguard the food stamp program by going after the people who are abusing the program. States in the Southwest Region of USDA's Food and Nutrition Service have taken several measures to intensify enforcement of Food Stamp regulations, Jarratt said. These states, Arkansas, Louisiana, New Mexico, Oklahoma and Texas, have beefed up investigative staffs, put the computer to work searching out cheaters and channeled increased federal funding to local jurisdictions to encourage enforcement.

The penalties will apply to all individuals regardless of whether they are determined guilty of food stamp abuse at state or local administrative disqualification hearings or in courts of law, Jarratt said. They also apply to individuals who make false or misleading statements, conceal or withhold facts, make other misrepresentations or commit any act that violates a state food stamp law.

The new rule will make it easier for states to collect overpayments from households. Currently, only the disqualified individual is responsible for repaying fraudulent overissuances. Under the new rule, the household will have the option of repaying the overissuance in cash, with food stamp coupons or through a reduction in its monthly food stamp allotment.

States may keep 50 percent of the amount collected on recipient fraud claims and 25 percent of the amount collected on inadvertent recipient error claims. These provisions are part of the 1981 Omnibus Reconciliation Act and the 1982 Food Stamp Amendments.

"Preparing caramel custard by placing the can of sweetened condensed milk in a pan of boiling water is dangerous," says Mary K. Sweeten, food and nutrition specialist with Texas A&M University. According to Sweeten, several popular cookbooks recently published by clubs and organizations in Texas contain recipes that recommend heating condensed milk in the can. This method may cause the can to overheat and explode, explains Sweeten.

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**United Methodist Women met Tuesday**

The United Methodist Women met Tuesday, March 1 at 9:30 a.m. with twelve ladies present. Billie Middlebrook presided, with the opening prayer given by Margaret Anderson. Yearbooks were given out. Minutes of the last meeting were read and approved.

A "World Day of Prayer" will be held at the Lutheran Church at 2 p.m. March 4, and ladies of the church are invited. The group's Bible study was started on Hebrews, Chapter 42, with Margurite Mathis as program leader, and with Margaret Anderson reading a part, and with the song, "My Hope Is Built".

The group repeated the Lord's Prayer in unison as the closing.

Members present were Ozzie Stanley, Addie Beth Stanley, Willie Lois Nichols, Pauline Mayhew, Dorece Colburn, Esther Gerhardt, Alene Mapes, Odessa Dobbins, Margurite Mathis, Ionah Vinson, Margaret Anderson and Billie Middlebrook.

**Services held Wednesday for Mrs. Valverde**

Mrs. Manuel Valverde, 71, of Winters, died at 3:45 a.m. Monday at the Senior Citizens Nursing Home after a long illness. Services were held at 10:30 a.m. Wednesday at First Baptist Church with the Rev. Glen Shoemaker, pastor, and the Rev. Martin Cuellar of Abilene, officiating.

Burial was at Lakeview Cemetery under the direction of Winters Funeral Home.

Born Dolores Rivas Jan. 6, 1912, in Gomez, Mexico, she moved to Del Rio in 1923. She moved to Eden in 1932, where she married Manuel Valverde Sept. 20, 1935. She moved to Winters in 1964.

Survivors include her husband; four sons, Manuel Jr. of Wingate and David, Paul and Mike, all of Midland; six daughters, Hope Ibarra of Midland, Pauline Gonzales, Tina Vidaurri, Martina Rodriguez, Ester Cortez and Dora Ochoa, all of Winters; a brother, Donicio Rivas of Stockton, Calif.; a sister, Antonia Rodriguez of Kalamazoo, Mich.; 32 grandchildren.



MR. AND MRS. WALTER J. GREEN SR.

**Couple to be honored on 50th wedding anniversary**

Mr. and Mrs. Walter J. Green Sr. will be honored Saturday, March 5, with a 50th wedding anniversary reception from 3 to 5 p.m. at the Winters Housing Authority Building in Winters.

Hosting the event will be the couple's children: LaVanda Webb of Abilene, Mr. and Mrs. Gary Green of Abilene, Mr. and Mrs. Cary Green of Palestine, and Mr. and Mrs. W.J. Green Jr. of Kermit.

Green was born March 21, 1913 at Winters, and Mrs. Green, the former Pauline Satterwhite, was born March 21, 1915 in Oplin. They met in 1932 in the Antelope community at a birthday dinner given for his mother, and were married March 5, 1933 in Abilene. Following their marriage, they lived in Winters until 1957, when they moved to Wingate. After his retirement in 1977, they moved to East Texas and live on Lake Palestine at Flint.

He was employed at C.L. Green Milling Co. from 1930 until 1957. He then stockfarmed and pumped wells until his retirement. She was a member of the Wingate Sewing Club.

His hobbies are fishing, gardening and beekeeping. Hers include quilting, sewing, gardening and fishing.

The couple have eight grandchildren and six great-grandchildren.

**CARD OF THANKS**

Thanks to our friends for the cards, flowers, visits and other expressions of love and concern show me and my family during my recent stay in the hospital. Thanks to Dr. Y.K. Lee, Dr. W.J. Lee and the staff of the North Runnels Hospital.

**St. John's to host Prayer Day**

St. John's Lutheran Church will host a special "World Day of Prayer" service at 2 p.m. Friday, March 4.

Everyone is invited to attend this special service.

including Adonica Valverde of Winters; and two great-grandchildren.

**Isaacks participates in Belmont tour choir**

Gloria Jan Isaacks of Winters, daughter of Mrs. Reseda Idell Powers, is among 43 Belmont College students participating in an eight-day tour with the Belmont Chorale, the official tour choir of Belmont College, from Feb. 24-March 4.

The Chorale is performing concerts of sacred, choral music, from all eras of church music history, in churches and schools in Tennessee, Arkansas, Texas, Louisiana, Mississippi, and Alabama.

The 43-member choir is under the direction of Dr. W. Irwin Ray, associate professor of music at Belmont, and membership is open, by audition only, to students from all areas of study.



MR. AND MRS. KENNETH HANLEY

**Mr., Mrs. Hanley honored on 25th anniversary**

Kenneth and Wanda Hanley were honored on their 25th wedding anniversary with a reception held from 2 to 6 p.m. Feb. 26 at the Potosi Community Center.

Hosting the celebration were their children: Kerry and Beth Hanley, Ben and Debra Carter, and Darrell Lee Hanley, all of Potosi. The couple's three granddaughters, Stella Hanley, Wanda Diana and Sarah Lee Carter, were also there.

Also helping in the reception were Melba Little, Jean Muston and Myrna Pruitt. Angie and Amy Hicks of Talpa signed in guests.

Kenneth, the son of Mary Hanley and the late C.A. Hanley, was born Dec. 6, 1926 in Crews. He is a graduate of Trent High School where he was valedictorian. He farmed around Merkel, Trent and Mulberry Canyon, Tx. He also worked in the oilfield and around Odessa before becoming an electrician. He is a member of the Electrical Union Local 920 where he has been for the past 25 years. He also taught the Electrical Apprenticeship Program during the past 10 years. Hanley enjoys building, hunting and fishing.

Mrs. Hanley, the former Wanda Hicks of Bradshaw and Ovalo, is the daughter of the late Ervin and Maggie Hicks was born July 28, 1937 in Winters. She attended Tuscola High School where she graduated in 1957. Wanda taught Sunday School and was a Girl Scout leader for ten years, and a Den Mother for two years. She is an avid traveler with trips to the Hawaiian Islands. The couple plan a two week trip to Oregon, Washington and California following their anniversary.

Wanda enjoys her rose garden and her hobby of collecting clocks. She has twenty unusual clocks.

The couple are members of the Potosi Baptist Church.

**Bradleys to Arizona for conference**

Mr. and Mrs. Dave Bradley of Winters, distributors for Modern Farm Systems, Inc. attended Jan. 21-22 the 1983 mfs National Sales Conference in Phoenix, Arizona, along with 300 other distributor representatives.

The conference, conducted by mfs personnel, included a business management seminar featuring Mr. Al Deatsch, partner, McGladrey Hendrickson Co., who presented a case study on the tax advantages of owning grain storage facilities.



**NEWCOMERS**

**Naomi Torres**  
George and Becky Torres of Winters are pleased to announce the arrival of a daughter, Naomi, born Feb. 24. She weighed 7 lbs., 9 ozs., and was 19 inches long.

She is welcomed home by two brothers, George, Jr. and Timothy; her grandmothers Mrs. Julia Torres and Mary Garza Salazar, both of Winters; and several aunts and uncles, all of Winters.

**Lori Michelle Bredemeyer**

Rodrick and Jill Bredemeyer are proud to announce the birth of a daughter, Lori Michelle, born at 1:50 p.m., Feb. 15, 1983 in Angelo Community Hospital in San Angelo. She weighed 5 lbs., 13 ozs., and was 19 inches long.

Maternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Strube of Wall.

Paternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Freddie Bredemeyer of Winters.

Paternal great-grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Herman Bredemeyer, and Mrs. Fritz Pruser, all of Winters.

**Texas United Teenager finals to be held in Dallas in June**

The Texas United Teenager Pageant will be held at the Dallas Hilton, June 21-23, in Dallas. The Texas Pageant is the Official State Preliminary to the Miss United Teenager Pageant, a National Pageant that includes all fifty states.

Contestants will be judged on Scholastic and Civic Achievements, Beauty, Poise and Personality. No swimsuit competition or talent is involved. Contestants must be between 14 and 18 years of age.

Each contestant accepted will be requested to participate in the Volunteer Community Service Program of their choice. This program teaches teenagers to share and participate in school and civic affairs by contributing a minimum of 8 hours of time to some worthwhile Civic or Volunteer work to benefit their community. Each contestant is required to write and present on stage an Essay entitled "My Country".

The winner of the Texas Pageant will receive a trip to Hollywood, California and Waikiki Beach, Hawaii, to include air fare, lodging, tours, and Pageant Chaperones. She will compete in the National Finals for \$15,000 in Scholarships, \$2,000 Wardrobe, a new automobile for the reigning year, \$3,000 Appearance Contract, and many other prizes.

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America must regain control of its economic destiny. A good place to start is by getting a grip on the staggering federal deficit. To do that, the Administration must show a willingness to consider responsible alternatives to its tax and defense policies.

Last year, the White House demanded enactment of the Balanced Budget Amendment. This year, it presents us with a \$200 billion deficit. That kind of gap between rhetoric and reality cannot be accepted.

Our economic problems are complex, and a rigid adherence to slogans and ideology will not solve them. For example, we agreed to cut taxes by 25 percent over a three-year period at a time when there was widespread agreement that this country's taxes were too high.

But now, during a bitter recession, with a budget deficit that could destroy our economic future, the Administration has refused to compromise on this tax cut. Instead, it proposes a five percent income tax increase and a \$5 levy on every barrel of oil beginning in 1986.

It would make more sense to compromise by reducing the last phase of the existing tax cut from ten to five percent and moving the effective date forward from July 1 to April 1. That would stimulate the economy with a prompt tax cut, while shaving the projected deficit by \$20 billion over the next two years.

There may be other answers to the deficit problem, but none of them will matter unless the Administration begins to consider alternatives.

A less rigid approach also would be advisable in defense spending. I've been a strong supporter of defense all my life and don't harbor any illusions about the Soviets' defense buildup. But I don't think we should try to do everything at once in building up our own military forces.

There are fewer defense contractors now than during the Vietnam War. We simply cannot spend money as fast as the Administration wants without creating production bottlenecks and risking massive cost overruns.

The President's budget contains \$43 billion in increased spending. More than \$30 billion of that is for defense.

It doesn't make sense to force-feed the Pentagon with a real, after-inflation increase of ten percent while everything else is being cut to the bone.

We may end up with the most powerful military forces in the world, but there might not be anything left to defend.

Resolving our nation's economic problems demands that we work together in a bi-partisan effort to find honest answers to current problems.

All of us, on all sides, must be willing to consider responsible alternatives to our individual proposals.

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**NOTICE TO RECEIVE WRITTEN SEALED BIDS FOR THE PURCHASE OF A CAMERA PROCESSOR**  
Notice is hereby given that the Board of Trustees of the Winters Independent School District of Winters, Texas, will meet on the 15th day of March, 1983, at 7:30 p.m. at their regular meeting place, same being the School Administration Office located in Winters, Texas, for the purpose of receiving written, sealed bids for a camera processor. Specifications may be secured from the office of the Superintendent between the hours of 8:00 a.m. and 4:00 p.m. daily. All bids must comply with minimum specifications.  
Said Board shall receive and consider any and all written sealed bids submitted for the purchase of the camera processor. The Board of Trustees reserves the right to reject any or all bids and to award the bid considered most advantageous to the Winters I.S.D., Winters, Texas.  
(Feb. 24, March 3, 1983)

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**10. Piggly Wiggly Winner Stampede** is played in 14 stores in the State of Texas. Scheduled starting date is February 16, 1983. Scheduled termination date is April 27, 1983.

PRIZE	NO. OF PRIZES	TOTAL VALUE	ODDS FOR 1 VISIT	ODDS FOR 13 VISITS	ODDS FOR 26 VISITS
\$1,000	4	4,000	1 in 250,000	1 in 19,230	1 in 9,615
\$250	150	37,500	1 in 6,666	1 in 512	1 in 256
\$100	800	80,000	1 in 1,250	1 in 96	1 in 48
\$50	80,000	4,000,000	1 in 25	1 in 2	1 in 1
TOTAL	80,954	4,007,500	1 in 6	1 in 1	1 in 1
30,000 S&H GREEN STAMPS	40	480,000	1 in 25,000	1 in 1,923	1 in 961
6,000 S&H GREEN STAMPS	325	1,625,000	1 in 3,076	1 in 236	1 in 118
600 S&H GREEN STAMPS	50,000	30,000,000	1 in 120	1 in 9	1 in 4.6
300 S&H GREEN STAMPS	120,000	36,000,000	1 in 38	1 in 3	1 in 1.5
50 S&H GREEN STAMPS	749,000	37,450,000	1 in 6	1 in 1	1 in 1
TOTAL	919,365	105,475,000	1 in 6	1 in 1	1 in 1

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## Country Folk

By Jerry Lackey  
P.O. Box 1542, San Angelo, TX 76902

Finally, the old-timers are predicting a good year for agriculture. To this writer, that is the first real sign of economic recovery for this national recession business since the dark cloud came over us.

Catching these old fellows at the local feed store or the weekly auction ring, they are smiling at the first smells of spring. Whittling on a stick and spitting tobacco, they congregate and compare this winter with that one in the 1920s or 1930s. Some of the old-timers can even remember the winters of the teens.

I do notice in the years gone by, no matter what was going on in the nation or world, the overriding "good or bad" in the total picture was determined by the weather. If it were dry and the spring season was filled with dust storms, the cattle market was off. Also, there would be no early weeds for the sheep to graze on, and the feed bills would be high.

A bad winter was one of those when prickly pear had to be burned every morning. The little oat and wheat patches didn't provide grazing for the lambing ewes much less any mature grain heads in May.

A good winter was a mild one, not too cold, when we built a fire in the living room fireplace about three nights a week, and some type of moisture blessed the land intermittently at least twice a month.

We had 110 percent lamb and goat kid crops in those good years, and contracting for spring clip was higher than it had closed in the year preceding. The Easter lamb market was predicted to be the best ever and two or three commission men had already been by the place to make an offer.

Like I said, 1983 looks to be one of those years. Last weekend, while visiting folks at a Sunday afternoon roping between Brady and Mason, I could not help but be further encouraged.

"Good moisture from rain, a wet snow or two, and mild days this winter has put us in good shape for spring in the Hill Country," said Mike Dail of Mason.

Robert Huckaby of Fort Stockton, in the middle of shearing the other day when I talked with him, said that the Trans-Pecos country received good moisture all winter. "This old country will have Sunday clothes on come April," added Mrs. Huckaby.

Loze Hartgrove states there "has been plenty of tall weeds and other kinds for sheep to graze on since December in the Big Lake area and down around Millersview."

Fred Campbell, executive director of the Mohair Council of America, predicts mohair prices will be good this year. That fact is backed by buyer Bevie DeMottville.

Carter Behrens, West Texas cattle buyer, says "The cattle market is getting better every week."

Eldorado banker Jo Ed Hill expressed optimism in secure agri-business loans resulting from a good winter. I have heard such dialogue from bankers in Sonora, Ozona and Menard.

With all these signs of prosperity peeping into our lives, let's hope the dark cloud has moved to sea and 30 or 40 years from now when we take our places on the spit and whistle bench we can remember the winter of '83 with jubilation.

## Long distance service interrupted — again

General Telephone Company experienced a toll (long distance) outage last Tuesday, February 22, at approximately 12:42 p.m. when a private contractor accidentally severed a cable five miles southwest of Winters. Incoming and outgoing long distance service was interrupted not only in Winters, but in Crews, Bradshaw, and Wingate

as well. GTE repairmen called to the scene replaced the cable and restored toll (long distance) service in about two hours after the cut was discovered.

GTE officials and their Public Affairs office said, "General Telephone knows this brief interruption was inconvenient, and we apologize to our customers affected by it."



There are 132 rooms in the White House.

## Area farmers attend recent YF meeting

The Young Farmers Area IV officers meeting was recently held in Stephenville, with seventeen people from Area IV attending.

Attending from the Winters Chapter were Charles Allcorn, Bob Prewit, Gary Jacob, Dale Duggan, Mike Deike, and Scotty Belew.

The Winters Young Farmer Chapter will host the Area Field Day in May. Tentative plans were also discussed for an educational seminar.

## Police probe thefts of wheel covers

Ballinger Police are investigating the theft of some 14 wheel covers from 1983 model automobiles at Ben Alexander Chevrolet over the weekend. Investigators said the wheel covers were all the wire-spoke type.

Authorities in Brownwood said that some 18 wire-spoke wheel covers were taken from new Chrysler vehicles at Rex Wyatt Motors there and officials in Coleman said that several hubcaps were also taken in that city.

Ballinger Police Chief Paul Boggess said that his department is working with Brownwood and Coleman authorities in the thefts. He said that the new wheel covers all have locking devices on them and that the thieves apparently had the special tools to remove the covers.

Authorities said that each of the wheel covers is valued at near \$100.

## No comparison between Soviet, U.S. agriculture

Most discussions regarding the United States and Russia usually center on military strength. But in the crucial area of agriculture and the capacity of each country to feed its own people, Russia is in deep trouble.

"While our exportable food surplus is climbing, the Soviet Union's dependence on imported foods is growing," said Dr. Bill Black.

"This year Russia will import more than 40 million tons of grain, or nearly one-fourth of all the grain fed to Soviet people and livestock.

About one-half of their grain imports will come from the North American breadbasket, mostly from



## This Land Is Your Land

By Garry Mauro  
Texas Land Commissioner

On Feb. 17th Governor Mark White, Lieutenant Governor Bill Hobby, and House Speaker Gib Lewis publicly endorsed legislation sought by my administration on a constitutional amendment to create a Veterans Housing Assistance Program. The program will stimulate the construction of 25,000 new homes and generate 45,000 new jobs within our economy. By creating this program to allow Texas veterans to borrow up to \$20,000 to purchase a home, we will give thousands of families who have been unable to purchase a home the opportunity to own their own home.

In endorsing the bill, Governor White said our proposal "holds great promise of stimulating the economy through new construction. I endorse this proposal as a jobs program and as an attempt to address the problem of a generation frozen out of the housing market."

The constitutional amendment would allow the Veterans Land Board to issue general obligation bonds to help veterans make a down payment on home mortgages. The size of bond sales would be based on demand for loans and the prevailing interest rate in the bond market at the time of the sale.

The bill has 81 co-sponsors in the House and 22 in the Senate. It has the support of veterans groups, leaders as well as representatives of the financial and home-building industries.

The Veterans Housing Assistance Program will be modeled after the successful Veterans Land Program. Over 80,000 veterans have taken advantage of this long term, low interest loan to purchase rural land. While the Veterans Land Program is



JOINING TEXAS LAND COMMISSIONER GARRY MAURO, center, in support for the Veterans Housing Assistance Program are Rep. Frank Tejeda, Sen. Lindon Williams, bill sponsors, Lt. Gov. Bill Hobby, and Gov. Mark White.

still a good program, we need to meet the modern demands of our largely urban population. Under my proposal a Texas veteran can apply their loan toward the purchase of a home in either a rural or urban area.

The legislation provides for the proposed constitutional amendment to be submitted to the voters following its approval by the Legislature. Upon adoption, Texas veterans will then be able to apply for a loan from the Housing Assistance Program which can be used as a down payment and loan to apply with their other mortgage from a private lending institution. The existing Veterans Land Program will remain unchanged.

The beauty of this program is that the benefit to the veteran and the housing industry is at no cost to the taxpayer. The program will be financed through a bond issue which will be repaid entirely by the veterans themselves.

The program is totally self-sustaining, no new state bureaucracy will be created, thousands of new jobs will be created, and will not cost the taxpayer one penny. This is the best kind of partnership between government and private enterprise.

We have 525,000 Vietnam veterans in Texas and over a million other veterans who can benefit from this program. By creating the Veterans Housing Assistance Program, we will have a fine complement to the Veterans Land Program to meet the modern needs of Texas veterans and help them fulfill the dream of every Texan of owning their own home.

I am pleased by the momentum the program has gained and the overwhelming response not only from Texas veterans but from all Texans. As I said during the campaign, we don't need to do the veterans a favor, just repay one.

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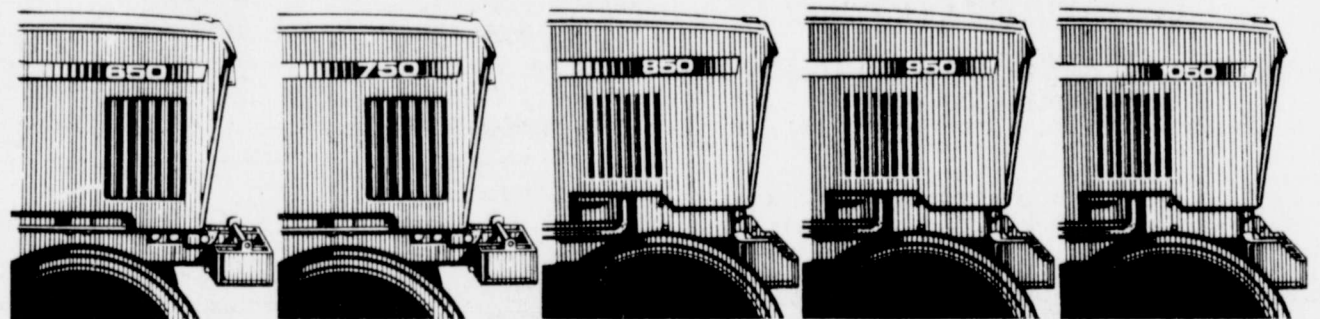
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## Crews

### Last Week

Middle age is when you know all the answers and nobody ever asks you the questions.

The Wilbert Allcorns were in Ballinger Saturday with Tammy and little Donnie on their birthdays. They are the children of Mr. and Mrs. Donnie Patton. On Sunday, the Pattons came out to the Allcorns and had a

fish dinner.

Mrs. Corra Petrie carried Mrs. Hazel Mae Bragg out for dinner on her birthday after church services Sunday. Russell Bragg also enjoyed the meal.

Mrs. Pat Hambricht came out Thursday and spent the day with her mother, Corra Petrie. Mrs. Petrie and Mrs. Hazel Mae Bragg were in Sweetwater to shop at a

## PUBLIC NOTICE

### NOTICE OF CITY OFFICERS' ELECTION

(AVISO DE ELECCION DE FUNCIONARIOS DE LA CIUDAD) CITY OF WINTERS, TEXAS

Notice is hereby given that a City Officers' Election will be held on the 2nd day of April, 1983, in the above named city for the purpose of electing the following officers for said city: Mayor, 2 Aldermen. Said election will be held at the following polling places in said city:

In Election Precinct No. 3 & 4, at Fire Station Building.

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

The absentee voting for the above designated election shall be held at City Hall Building, in said city, and said place of absentee voting shall remain open for at least 8 hours on each day of absentee voting which is not a Saturday, Sunday or an official State holiday, beginning on the 20th day and continuing through the 4th day preceding the date of said election. Said place of voting shall remain open between the hours of 8:00 o'clock a.m. and 5:00 o'clock p.m.

Dated this 17th day of January, 1983.

(Se da aviso por la presente que se llevara a cabo una Eleccion de Funcionarios de la Ciudad el dia 2 de abril de 1983, en la ciudad arriba mencionada para el proposito de elegir a los siguientes funcionarios para dicha ciudad: Alcalde, 2 Concejales.

Dicha eleccion se llevara a cabo en los siguientes lugares de votacion en dicha ciudad.

El Precinct Electoral Num. 3 & 4 en el Edificio Fire Station.

Los sitios de votacion arriba designados para dicha eleccion se mantendran abiertos en el mencionado dia de elecciones de las 7:00 a.m. a las 7:00 p.m.

La votacion ausente para la eleccion arriba designada se llevara a cabo en el Edificio City Hall, en dicha ciudad, y dicho lugar de votacion ausente se mantendra abierto por lo menos ocho horas en cada dia de votacion ausente no siendo sabado, domingo o dia festivo oficial del Estado, principiando 20 dias y continuando hasta el cuarto dia anterior a la fecha de dicha eleccion. Dicho lugar de votacion se mantendra abierto de las 8:00 a.m. a las 5:00 p.m.

Fecha de esta dia 17 de enero de 1983.

W. Lee Colburn  
Mayor (Alcalde)  
(March 3, 1983)

## PUBLIC NOTICE

Sealed proposals for Maintenance Service Contract for various picnic areas and litter barrels in Runnels County will be received at the State Department of Highways and Public Transportation, San Angelo, Texas, on March 16, 1983 until 2:00 p.m., and then publicly opened and read.

Plans, specifications, and proposals are available at the office of Emil Gonzales, Maintenance Construction Supervisor, Ballinger, Texas.

Usual rights reserved.

(March 3, March 10, 1983)

## PUBLIC NOTICE

Notice is hereby given that North Runnels Hospital District, a government entity of North Runnels County, will receive bids in the office of the Administrator at North Runnels Hospital, Hwy. 53 East, Winters, Texas until 11:00 a.m., March 4, 1983, for a Pharmacy Night Cabinet.

Specifications may be secured in the office of the hospital administrator. All bids must substantially comply with specifications.

The North Runnels Hospital District reserves the right to reject any or all bids and to award the bid considered most advantageous to North Runnels Hospital, Winters, Texas.

(Feb. 24, March 3, 1983)

## PUBLIC NOTICE

### NOTICE OF HEARING BEFORE THE TEXAS WATER COMMISSION OF AN APPLICATION TO APPROPRIATE PUBLIC WATERS OF THE STATE OF TEXAS

Notice is given that THE CITY OF WINTERS, City Hall, Winters, Texas 75667, applicant, seeks an amendment to Certificate of Adjudication No. 14-1095, as amended, pursuant to §11.122, Texas Water Code, and Rules 156.04, 10.001, .002 (31 TAC 307.21-307.22) to increase its authorization to appropriate the flows of Elm Creek, tributary of the Colorado River, in the Colorado River Basin. Certificate of Adjudication No. 14-1095, as amended, authorizes the City to maintain on Elm Creek two reservoirs with a total capacity of 8374 acre-feet, and to divert 1160 acre-feet from the reservoirs for municipal purposes at a maximum rate of 3.87 cfs. The applicant now seeks to increase the amount to be diverted for municipal purposes from 1160 to 1360 acre-feet per year, to increase the maximum diversion rate to 9.02 cfs, and to use 395 acre-feet of the city's sewage effluent for secondary use-irrigation, rather than returning that water to the stream. The land to be irrigated consists of 210.84 acres approximately 3 miles SE of Winters in Runnels County. The city also seeks authorization to add a diversion point for the purpose of pumping water from the upstream reservoir to the downstream reservoir at a rate of 24.5 cfs. The diversion point would be S 37° E, 2700 feet from the SW corner of the J.J. Xmines Survey, Abstract No. 569, all being more fully set out in the application.

This amendment to Certificate of Adjudication No. 14-1095, was accepted for filing on February 7, 1983, and a hearing thereon will be held by the Commission in the Stephen F. Austin State Office Building at 1700 North Congress Avenue in Austin, Texas, on March 31, 1983, at 10 o'clock a.m. Any person who intends to offer prepared testimony at the public hearing shall prefile the testimony with the Chief Clerk of the Commission not less than five days prior to the hearing, and shall serve copies of prepared testimony on the applicant, the Executive Director and Public Interest Advocate of the Department of Water Resources and all other persons who have filed written protests or written requests not less than eight days prior to the hearing. The Commission may authorize the late filing of prepared testimony upon a showing of good cause and extenuating circumstances. Any person who desires to receive prepared testimony shall file a written protest or a written request with the Commission not less than eight days prior to the hearing.

Those opposing the granting of this application may appear at the hearing and/or, not less than eight days before the hearing date, may file written protests with the Commission and serve copies on the applicant with proof of service to be provided to the Commission. Written protests shall contain the name and address of the protestant, an identification of the pending application, the basis of protestant's interest, location of protestant's diversion point (s) or property, if applicable and any amendments or adjustments to the application which would result in a withdrawal of the protest. The written protest will be noted by the Commission but will not be considered as evidence since the right to cross-examine is absent. No protestant will be admitted as a party to the proceeding unless the protestant complies with Commission Rule 155.04, 0.001 (31 TAC §267.11) which requires a justifiable interest and actual or representative presence at the hearing. If any party participating in the hearing desires a transcript of the proceedings, it will be done at the request and expense of the party requesting the transcript. Due to the technical nature of the hearing, it may be advisable for the protestant to have an expert witness, such as an engineer, available at the hearing. Persons desiring further information in connection with this application may contact Jim Haley, P.O. Box 13087, Capitol Station, Austin, Texas 78711.

DATE: February 9, 1983  
Mary Ann Hefner, Chief Clerk  
TEXAS WATER COMMISSION  
(Feb. 24, March 3, 1983)

china shop, etc.

Mrs. Effie Dietz came over to see the Coleman Foreman's on Friday.

Happy Birthday, and many more, Hazel Mae!

The Rodney Faubions, Gene and Brian, Karen and Travis Hogue of Ballinger enjoyed dinner with the Dale Duggan family on Friday.

Happy Birthday, Nila! Nila and Therin Osborne were dinner guests in the Rodney Faubion home on Sunday. The Dale Duggan family came in the afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Von Byrd, Jennifer and Jeff of Abilene spent Sunday with Kat and Adline Grissom. Granddaughter Stacey Grissom spent the week. On Sunday afternoon her parents came by and picked her up after returning from vacation.

Melinda and Kris Grissom spent Friday night.

Keith and Courtney Collom, Clarence Hambricht, Therin and Nila Osborne, Diane Curbo of Lubbock, Mr. and Mrs. C.D. Berry of Ballinger and Hazel Dietz came Saturday to check how Mrs. Dietz was, after hearing she became ill.

Clayton, May and daughter Pattie and two granddaughters of Arlington spent Thursday afternoon with Mrs. Amber Fuller. On Saturday Mrs. Fuller spent the day with Mrs. Ann Fuller in Coleman. They attended the high school play.

Mrs. Leona Voss of Winters and Fran, Larry and Colby Walker spent Sunday with the Calvin Hoppe's.

Ronald Hill of Sweetwater and a friend, Danny White of Snyder, spent Saturday with the Robert Hills.

"CORRECTION" - Mrs. Joe Boysol and Miss Willie Hale of Ballinger visited with Mrs. Alta Hale, and not Alta visited them. Sorry!

Marion and Doris Wood spent the weekend with Earl Hokit in Sonora.

On Wednesday Alta Hale and Maggie Ruth Stokes, and Hazel Mae Bragg ate out to celebrate Hazel Mae's birthday in Coleman.

I carried a load of sheep to the San Angelo sale Wednesday and spent the day shopping with daughter Hildegarde.

On Tuesday, Mrs. Alta Hale spent with Mrs. Joe Dodson in Coleman and played bridge. Tuesday night she visited with the Edgar Whitneys of Coleman.

On Wednesday, Maggie Ruth Stokes and Alta Hale visited with the Orbey Sykes of Talpa.

On Friday, Flora McWilliams, Melvina Gerhart and Alta Hale visited over coffee in Winters.

Brian Faubion spent the weekend with Nila and Therin Osborne.

On Saturday night, we had lots of lightning and thunder and rain, to only settle the dust.

Mrs. Alta Hale spent Saturday with sister, Lemma Fuller. On Saturday, Ruby Beal and Alta played bridge in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Dobson in Coleman.

Paula and Ken Baker of San Angelo spent the weekend with the Sam Faubions.

### This Week

There ought to be a better way of starting the day than having to get up.

Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Gerhart and Mr. and Mrs. Richard Denny will host the supper and game night in the gym Saturday night. Hope to see a good crowd turn out, so try to come. Think you will enjoy being with good people. Supper's at 6:30 Saturday, March 5. Bring two small, or one big covered dishes.

LaVonda Foreman, her daughter, Tonya, and baby, Elise D'Lynn of

Snyder spent Thursday with the Norval Alexanders.

During the week with the Doug Bryans were Rex and Cheryl Pritchard, Therin Osborne, Kelly and Vickie Blackerby, Lelon and Brent Bryan, Bob and Lelota Booth, Cecilia, Grady and Richard Bryan.

WMU Baptist ladies met Monday in the Hopewell Fellowship Hall for their Bible study at 9:30 a.m.

Mrs. Sam Faubion and Mrs. Fred Tyree attended the B Line Party in the home of Jana Brown Thursday night in San Angelo.

Scott Gerhart entered the calf scramble in Houston last week, and he caught himself a calf. Congratulations!

Mr. and Mrs. Gaston Ernst of San Antonio were up to see his dad, Adolph Ernst over the weekend. On Saturday they had lunch with Mrs. Effie Dietz. Afterwards they all went back to be with Mr. Ernst who is staying in Ballinger Care Center. Afterwards they ate out in Ballinger. Mrs. Dietz had Mr. and Mrs. Burley Campbell of Ballinger and Amanda and Keith Collom as visitors.

William, Sharon, Monty and Russ Grissom of Hamlin spent the weekend with Kat and Adline Grissom. John, Wanda and Joe Riley came on Friday night.

Mrs. Bob Alexander and I spent Thursday in Abilene shopping and ate out.

Mrs. Corra Petrie visited with the B.M. Batts, Sr. in Ballinger. Also with the Enoch Johnsons on Sunday.

Rev. and Mrs. Glen Shoemaker of Winters and Mrs. Noble Faubion enjoyed dinner with the Rodney Faubions on Sunday.

The Noble Faubions returned from Dallas after several days visiting with Mr. and Mrs. Jim

Webb. Also, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Thomason. Harvey Mae also saw her doctor and had x-rays and tests run. They returned home Saturday evening.

Hazel Mae Bragg attended a China Guild in Brownwood Saturday.

Mrs. Louise Michalewicz spent Thursday with Mrs. Bernie Holtmann in Rowena. Then they both went over to see Mrs. Tony Franke and Mrs. Clara Block.

Mrs. Rodney Faubion, Gene and Brian, and Keith Gerhart saw Sesame Street Live in Abilene Friday. On Sunday the Faubions spent Sunday with the Danny Phillips family in Abilene.

The Marion Woods returned home Sunday evening after being with her mother, Mrs. Katie Bodine in Fort Worth who is in the nursing home there. Mr. and Mrs. Ed Sivier of Big Springs are spending a few days with the Woods'.

Scott and Jeanna Kozelsky of Snyder spent a few days with their grandparents, Walter and Margie Jacob. Their parents, the Mike Kozelskys and Kathryn of Snyder attended the Industrial Arts Convention at College Station. They also visited with the Robert Van Zandt family.

The Walter Jacobs had Brenda Jacob of San Angelo, Mr. and Mrs. Mike Kozelsky of Snyder and the Robert Van Zandts and boys as Sunday dinner guests.

Linda, Dale, Will, and Katie Duggan enjoyed pizza with the Rodney Faubions Saturday night.

## HEALTH HINTS

### SUGARLESS SNACKS

Children love snacks. And much to the chagrin of the dental profession, they love snacks filled with sugar.

According to the American Dental Hygienists' Association, when sugar reacts with the bacteria in your mouth, plaque is formed on your teeth. The acid from the plaque causes tooth decay.

Research has shown that how often sugars are eaten, how long they stay in the mouth and the type of food eaten also play an important part in the decay process.

To help you combat tooth decay and satisfy your children's sweet tooth, the American Dental Hygienists' Association suggests the following snack recipes that do not contain table sugar, honey or syrups:

### APRICOT CANDY

1/3 cup grated coconut  
3/4 cup chopped pecans  
1 teas. lemon juice  
1 teas. lemon rind  
1 teas. orange juice  
3/4 cup dried apricots  
1/3 cup water

Steam apricots five minutes in the water. Cool and mix with rest of ingredients in a blender. Form into balls and roll in coconut. Refrigerate several hours. Makes about a dozen.

### PEANUT BUTTER BALLS

1/2 cup peanut butter  
1 teas. vanilla  
2/3 cup coconut  
1/4 cup chopped nuts  
1 teas. lemon rind  
1/2 cup raisins

Mix well and form into balls. Roll in coconut or sesame seeds. Chill until firm. Makes about a dozen.

## TAX FACTS

Our economy may be given a boost, and many people may find tax time a little less trying, if some members of Congress have their way.

These concerned Congressmen are trying to repeal a recent tax law. The law would require ten percent of all taxable interest and dividend payments withheld at the source.

That means, your bank, S & L, and the like, would give the government ten percent of the interest it pays you—before it pays you your interest. In many cases, you'd be making an interest-free loan to the government.

This new law, they say, is especially hard on senior citizens. Many will be entitled to exemptions, but will have to file with each payer of interest or dividends to get them, disclosing sensitive information about their incomes and ages. People whose income from other sources fell during the year they retired will not be able to file for an exemption if their taxable incomes were relatively high in the previous year.

Many taxpayers of all ages are asking their legislators where they stand on this issue. They are writing to the House of Representatives, Washington, D.C. 20515 and the U.S. Senate, Washington, D.C. 20510.



Camels were once native to America.



### The Consumer Alert

by Jim Mattox  
Attorney General

AUSTIN—Every day thousands of Texas consumers receive flyers and mailers proclaiming a "special sale" on one or many items. Newspapers are full of "spring specials" on everything from lawn and garden equipment to Easter dresses.

And many of these sales are advertised something like this: "Buy one for \$10, get the second one for half price," or "normally sells for \$59.99, our sale price now \$39.99."

These are price comparison advertisements, our Consumer Protection attorneys say, and they are a widely used, effective means of promoting a product.

In price comparison advertising, current prices for goods or services offered for sale to consumers are compared with previous prices, with future prices, or with other stated values. This is to show price reductions, cost savings, or sales, and is a common form of advertising.

Price comparisons that accurately reflect current market value help consumers by providing information useful in making decisions. But price comparisons based on inflated or arbitrary prices can be misleading, and our lawyers say, could constitute violations of the Deceptive Trade Practices-Consumer Protection Act, which prohibits "false or misleading statements of fact concerning the reasons for, existence of, or amount of price reductions."

They say that while most businessmen use price comparisons to advertise legitimate cost reductions, there are a few unscrupulous mer-

chants who treat both consumers and their competitors unfairly by misusing price comparison advertising.

For example, they may raise the price of an attractive item, then later offer "an incredible price reduction on our most popular line of power tools."

Our lawyers say it's misleading and illegal if the seller raised his price on an item a short period before a sale, since the previous price must have been in effect for a reasonable period of time, and must have been sold regularly at that price before the sale.

Consumers should also read sale literature carefully. Phrases such as "made to sell for \$29," or "compare at \$7.99" can be meaningless. They may not mean the merchandise actually sold at that price, or that the merchant even tried to sell it at that price. Yet they give the impression that the purchaser will be getting a real bargain.

Other phrases such as "reduced from manufacturer's suggested retail price" can also be misleading if a manufacturer customarily lists an unrealistically high "suggested price" so retailers can offer what seems to be a good buy.

And offering merchandise at "factory price," "dealer cost," or "wholesale" can be deceptive if the merchant's definition of "dealer cost" means what an item cost a dealer, plus his overhead, advertising costs, sales commissions, and other expenses.

If you have a consumer complaint about deceptive or misleading advertising, get in touch with our Consumer Protection Division.

## Caramel Corn - Simple And Sensational

### CARAMEL CORN

1/2 cup (1 stick) butter or margarine  
1/4 cup light or dark corn syrup  
1 cup lightly packed brown sugar  
1/2 teaspoon baking soda  
4 quarts plain popped popcorn

1. Melt butter with corn syrup in 2-quart sauce pan over medium heat. Add brown sugar and stir to dissolve.

2. Using a candy thermometer, cook syrup to hard ball stage (250°F). Remove from heat and add baking soda, stirring to blend. Syrup will foam and lighten in color.

3. Pour caramel syrup over popcorn in a large bowl or Dutch Oven and stir to coat evenly with long handled spoon as mixture is hot. Cool and then break into clusters for serving. Makes 4 quarts.

Hint: If popcorn balls are desired, butter hands generously or use buttered popcorn ball shapers to form balls while mixture is still warm. Makes 14 to 16 popcorn balls.

## CREATE A CULINARY LOVE AFFAIR

A colorful and tasty potato accompaniment for your favorite meal is Cheesy Scalloped Vegetables. A dash of nutmeg and mild Swiss cheese flavor the creamy sauce which surrounds potato slices, broccoli and carrots.

It's a dish that will be loved not only for its good taste but for its ease of preparation. Because it begins with Betty Crocker potatoes, the time-consuming steps of peeling and slicing potatoes are eliminated. It's a dish the family is sure to love.



### CHEESY SCALLOPED VEGETABLES

1 package Betty Crocker scalloped potatoes  
2 1/2 cups water  
2/3 cup milk  
2 tablespoons margarine or butter  
Dash of nutmeg

1 cup thin diagonal slices carrots  
1 package (10 ounces) frozen chopped broccoli, thawed and drained  
1 cup shredded Swiss cheese (about 4 ounces)

Empty potatoes and Sauce Mix into 2- or 3-quart saucepan. Stir in water, milk, margarine and nutmeg. Heat to boiling, stirring frequently; reduce heat. Cover and simmer, stirring occasionally, 20 minutes. Stir in carrots and broccoli. Cook uncovered, stirring occasionally, 10 minutes longer. Stir in cheese; cook until cheese is melted. 6 servings.

High Altitude Directions (3500 to 6500 feet): Add carrots with the potatoes. Decrease simmer time to 15 minutes. Stir in broccoli. Heat to boiling; reduce heat. Cover and simmer 20 minutes longer.

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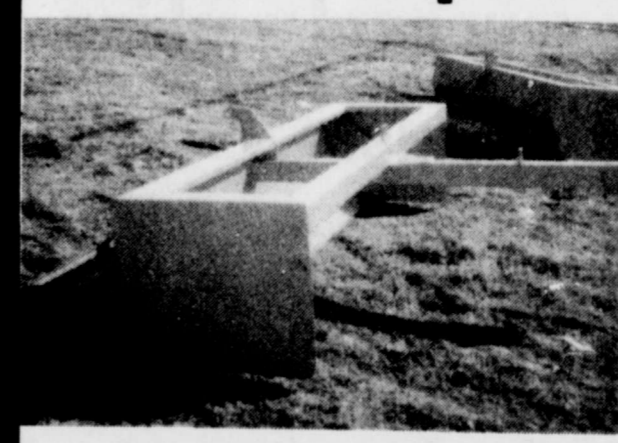
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### Report changes to SS office

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Persons receiving SSI payments are required to report immediately to their nearest Social Security Office any changes in their eligibility status. Changes in status include any changes in the immediate family's earnings or other income, property or liquid resources, marital status and address or living arrangements. In addition, changes in alien status or residence can affect SSI eligibility. Social Security should also be notified if a beneficiary can't manage his or her own funds or if a beneficiary dies. Disabled or blind recipients must notify Social Security immediately if they take a job or become self-employed or if their condition improves.

If an SSI recipient fails to report any changes within 30 days after the end of the quarter in which the change occurs, a penalty deduction of from \$25.00 to \$100.00 may be imposed against future SSI payments and may lead to referral for legal prosecution. Changes can be reported by mail or by coming to or calling the nearest Social Security office.

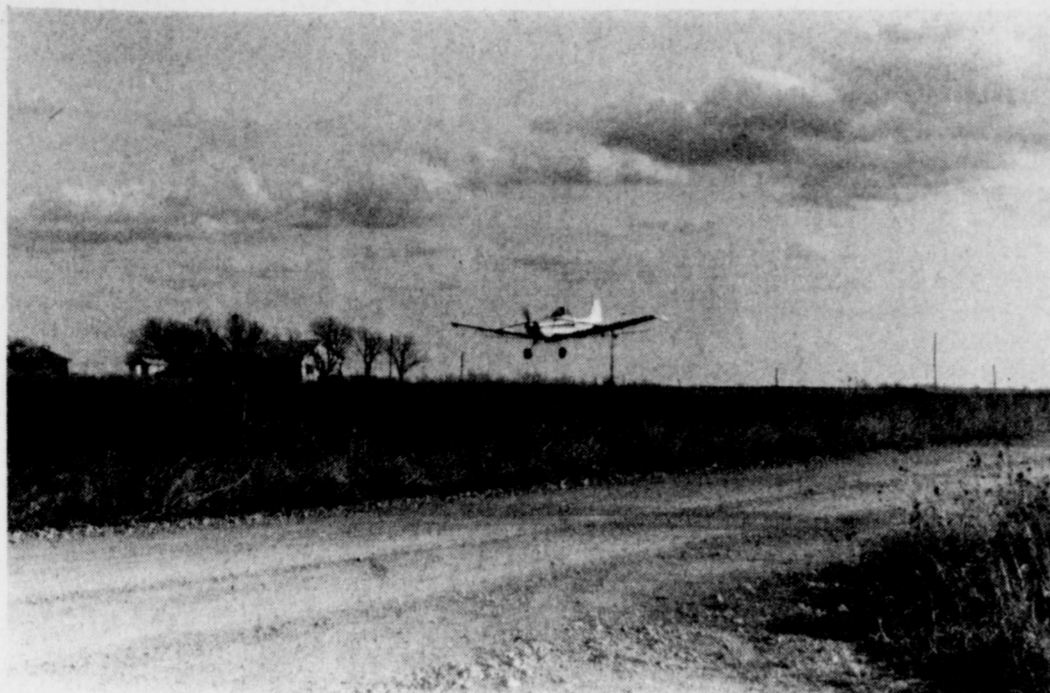


### YOUR GARDEN

Leaves destroyed. Trees weakened and vulnerable to insects and disease. Over five million acres of hardwood trees defoliated in 1980 alone. Put them all together they spell moth—gypsy moth, a devastating forest pest for the past 120 years.



According to the Department of Agriculture the Gypsy Moth can be controlled. Two things you can do to protect your own trees are spray the bugs in the spring and "seduce" them in the summer.



### Spring is nearly here

Fields are turning green around the county due to plentiful moisture and temperatures above normal and plenty of sunshine. This spray plane was working between Winters and Ballinger last week getting one field prepared for Spring.

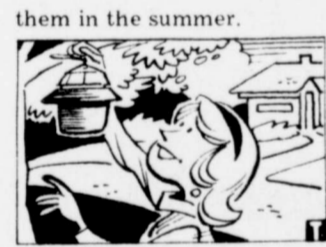
### Clothes can cause allergic skin rash

A particular garment can make you feel great when you put it on, but red areas of itching skin can change all that.

What you wear can cause an allergic reaction in the form of an itching, inflamed skin rash, says the Texas Medical Association. The rash is less often caused by the dye or other chemicals used to treat the fabric.

For instance, many people claim to be allergic to nylon. The allergic response often is not to the nylon, however, but to the nylon's keeping the skin too warm. Warm skin, in turn, contributes to the release of dyes in the fabric and to the skin's absorption of the dyes. In addition, nylon often is treated with an allergy-causing resin.

Any dyed or chemically treated fabric can produce an allergic skin rash. For this reason, finding the problem item of clothing in the patient's wardrobe can require more than a little detective work by the patient and the doctor. Besides dyes, a person may be allergic to elastic or stretch fibers, permanent-press finishes on fabrics,



A spray is available that coats the leaves with an environmentally safe formula which kills the caterpillars as they attack the trees. In the summer, you can attach a trap to your trees that lures male moths to their

fur trims or moth repellent used in storing clothing. Women seem more prone than men to skin rash from clothing, and overweight women are particularly susceptible. In both sexes, inflammation occurs more often where clothing rubs skin, such as inner thighs, armpits, sides of the trunk, and the waist. The typical allergic rash is red, swollen and itchy. It may be blister-like and moist or scaly and dry.

A skin rash that develops from an allergic reaction may need medical attention. Treating the rash yourself with other chemicals—even mild lotions normally considered soothing—could aggravate the allergic skin. The same can be true of preparations that customarily relieve itching.

The doctor's main objective is to identify the chemical causing the reaction so you can avoid it. In most cases, the rash will subside once the cause is removed. Sometimes, however, the doctor may treat an uncomfortable and unsightly rash with cortisone-like drugs.

doom with a moth sex attractant before they can mate. This trap helps reduce the number of Gypsy Moths which can hatch next year. The two products are Baker's Bag-A-Bug Gypsy Moth Spray and Bag-A-Bug Gypsy Moth Trap, made by the J.T. Baker Chemical Company. Using them can do a lot to keep your trees healthy.

"Genius is patience." Buffon

### Inflation - Fighting IDEAS

Millions of people today live in homes with full basements, but lack any direct door to the outdoors.

A direct door to the basement can not only increase the value of a home, but may also provide greater living space at minimum cost.



By installing a direct access from the basement to the out-of-doors, a little used area immediately becomes a center for family activities. Set aside a portion of the basement for storage of garden and other tools, and seasonal furniture, and the door lets you take them in and out with ease.

According to The Bilco Company, manufacturers of steel basement doors and stair stringers, adding direct access is a project most do-it-yourselfers can manage. For a copy of their free instruction booklet "How To Add Valuable Living Space To Your Home", write Bilco, Dept. N, PO Box 1203, New Haven, CT 06505.

### PROBLEM SOLVER OF THE MONTH

By Susan Dickinson

#### A Cool Idea For Refrigerator Storage

Dear Susan: I'm always finding forgotten bits of leftovers in the back of my refrigerator. This is not exactly an economical way to live. How can I keep my eye on what I've got—and remember to use it up?

Francine  
Dear Francine:  
There are two things you

### The Legislative Report —

By Jim Parker

In what may or may not be a departure from an issue presentation, this week I would like to discuss a proposed tax reform. Representative Bob Barton is preparing for filing a most interesting item of legislation that would effectively eliminate residential property, both rural and urban, from ad valorem tax consequence, in so far as such taxes have and are being used to support the public schools. The proposed legislation would exempt any property used as a principle residence from school ad valorem taxation and, to make up lost revenue, would substitute an additional statewide one-cent (1%) sales tax.

Since, with the ever-narrowing tax base, more and more of the burden of supporting public schools has fallen to the homeowner, the proposal has some very attractive aspects. Proponents say a one-cent additional tax would generate approximately one billion dollars which would more than compensate for lost ad valorem revenue; that the State of Texas could more equitably distribute the funds, eliminating some of the disparities between "rich" and "poor" school districts; that a sales tax, exempting food and necessities, is not regressive, as is commonly thought, but is on the other hand, progressive; that the sales tax method of financing would more equitably spread the burden of supporting the schools to all citizens of the State of Texas; and that the average Texas taxpayer's property tax would be cut in half.

Opponents feel that the ad valorem tax base tends to keep school control on the local level; that the sales tax is a regressive tax penalizing those most who are least financially able, that people in 42 states pay more sales tax than in Texas and, perhaps most important, that we should not preempt this statewide tax avenue, for what many perceive to be a localized problem, at a time when the state of Texas may, because of budget necessity, desperately need statewide tax generating possibilities for general state revenue.

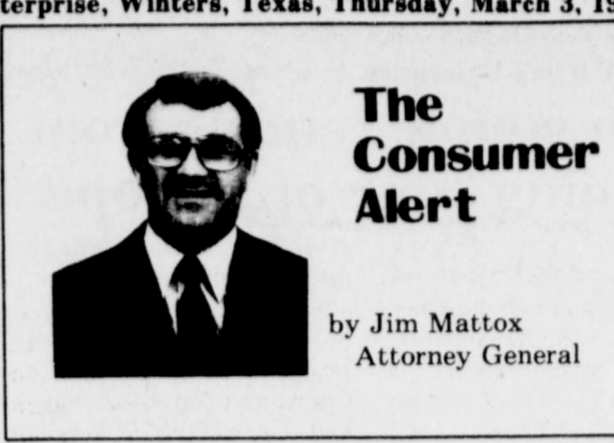
I can readily agree, and do see, that the homeowner is one of an increasingly smaller group of people who must bear the ad valorem burden. With over 65 exemptions, open space exemptions, various agricultural exemptions and other statutory ad valorem tax exemptions, the entire ad valorem tax system may be headed down a "self-destruct" path. My greatest concern and most serious question is, assuming we all recognize that the ad valorem tax system is basically an inequitable system that must eventually go the way of the dinosaur, do we eliminate it, eventually, in one fell swoop, or do we eliminate it a piece at a time as past legislatures have done?

I do not think this Legislature is vested with the intestinal fortitude to attack the problem, in its entirety, head-on; but if we adopt this proposal of sales tax substitution for the limited purpose stated, what of the fate of the even smaller base of tax carrying the ad valorem burden? Surely you would have an opinion.

My address is: Jim Parker, Texas House of Representatives, P.O. Box 2910, Austin, Texas 78769.

Another good idea is to look into a new kind of refrigerator storage system that spins around to show what's stored. The clear containers make leftovers easy to find. It's only four inches high yet it stores over two and a half quarts in six containers. It costs \$19.95.

Many people are calling houseware and department stores to see if this Stack & Spin for Refrigerators is in stock. If not, it can be ordered directly from the manufacturer, The Carousel Group, 5-A Myrtle Street, East Norwalk, CT 06855.



### The Consumer Alert

by Jim Mattox  
Attorney General

AUSTIN—The chance to buy merchandise at low discount prices has a lot of appeal for consumers these days because of currently rising prices on many consumer goods.

In the face of such price increases, some consumers have considered joining "buyers clubs" that offer savings on a number of items.

Many of these clubs are able to offer such savings because they can buy in bulk, or because they offer a more limited selection than regular department or specialty stores. In addition, those buyers clubs that operate by mail, with members ordering from catalogs, have no overhead or employee salaries to offset.

But Texans who are solicited to join buyers clubs that may make offers of savings on various kinds of purchases should exercise some caution before committing themselves, say our Consumer Protection attorneys.

Buyers club solicitations often are made by telephone, through the mail, or even in person-to-person or on-the-street contact. They may be followed up by a personal visit from a salesman who occasionally may employ high-pressure tactics.

Salesmen or promotional material for such clubs may paint rosy pictures of the merchandise available and may also indicate unrealistic amounts of the savings consumers can realize if they join and buy through these clubs.

Our Consumer Protection Division points out, however, that what may not be emphasized by the salesman or in the promotional material is that a consumer must pay what usually amounts to a substantial membership fee to get the right to purchase through the club.

After paying such a fee, the consumer may find out that the benefits, products, and savings are not as great as they had been represented to be.

Consumers may find that some clubs occasionally substitute products for those

ordered and that such substitutes may be of a different grade or quality than the original order.

Some clubs may also have an insufficient quantity of the products on hand to fill orders, or may require a minimum order.

It may be difficult to get prompt delivery on certain items offered by a buyers club, and in addition, the purchaser must usually assume the cost of returning any damaged items to the club for replacement.

Persons considering membership in a buyers club should take the following precautions, according to our Consumer Protection attorneys:

1. Make sure you have the correct name, mailing address and telephone number of the seller.

2. Get from the salesman or the club itself the names of club members in your area and check with them to see if they have been satisfied with the savings, benefits and products supplied by the club.

3. Do some comparison shopping before agreeing to join such a club, to determine that the prices advertised are accurate and to assure yourself that membership will result in significant savings.

4. Be aware that a club's listed prices usually do not include sales tax or mailing or delivery charges.

5. Check to see that local stores or repair shops will honor warranties on buyers club goods, or you may have to send merchandise back to the club for repairs.

6. Remember that if you join a club through door-to-door solicitation you have the right to change your mind and get your money back if you cancel within three days.

7. Examine the club's membership contract carefully. Make sure your obligations and benefits are spelled out.

If you have a consumer problem, consult the Attorney General's Consumer Protection Division, your county or district attorney, or your local Better Business Bureau.

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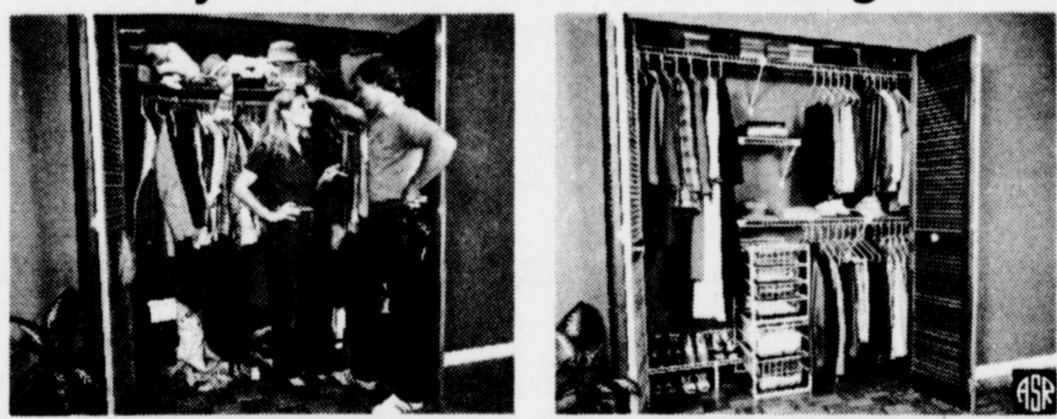
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### It's Easy To Personalize Your Storage Areas



Disorganized closets mean disorganized life! Organized closets help put order in your life.

It's a strange thing about storage space. Often an otherwise immaculate house will possess storage areas that suffer from the "closet clutter." It's hard to imagine the homes of yesterday that were designed without a single closet! With today's busy lifestyles, organized storage space is more important than ever.

Having great closets doesn't require a major investment of time or money. One easy way of maximizing shrinking storage space is to utilize vinyl-coated steel rod shelving. This type of shelving is easy to install and it allows you to organize your storage areas.

Here are four easy steps to help you get organized:

1. Evaluate Your Needs  
Take a long, hard look at the storage area you plan to organize. Who is going to use this area? Children need shelves and racks that are lower to the floor so everything is reachable. Another concern is the items stored in this area. Will they be used daily or are they used once-a-year such as the Christmas decorations? Shelves and other storage fixtures can and should reach to the ceiling to help give maximum storage

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THE CALVIN HOLLOWAYS

## Area couple returns from farming tour of Europe

Scotty and Peggy Belew have just returned from Europe where they were guests of the German Young Farmers.

From Dallas, the Belews flew to Washington, D.C. where they visited in the office of Charles Stenholm. Stenholm took them on a tour of the capital building and seated them in the House of Representatives where they watched him introduce a bill before the House. They also visited the United States Department of Agriculture where they were briefed on their trip to Europe.

From Washington, the couple flew to New York, and on to Luxemburg. They traveled to Frankfurt, Germany by bus, and then by train to West Berlin. There they met with farmers from all over Europe at the International Congress Center. They also

attended Green Week, an international exposition, similar to a large fair.

While there, Scotty and Peggy attended a German Opera and toured the city and CheckPoint Charlie, the entrance to East Berlin, and the wall surrounding the city. From Berlin, they traveled to Bonn, where they toured two different types of farms and a fruit culture plant, as well as the city and the beautiful Rhine River. In Brussels, Belgium, the couple met with European farmers at the European Common Market. They visited historical sites all over the city. From there, they returned to Luxemburg where they caught their flight back to New York.

They were accompanied by eleven other Texas Young Farmers and two Young Farmers from Virginia. Belew is a member of the Winters Young Farmers.

## SBA's "Answer Desk" provides help to small business owners

Have you called SBA's "Answer Desk" yet? According to Philip J. O'Jibway, district director of the local SBA office, "Answer Desk" received some 15,000 calls during its first three months of existence.

Manned by SBA's Office of Advocacy, the "Answer Desk" became operational in October 1982. SBA experts are prepared to handle questions from small business persons needing help or guidance with problems connected with their firm and the U.S. Government.

Interested persons may dial, toll free, 800/368-5855 Monday through Friday from 8:30 a.m. to 6:00 p.m. (EST). During other hours, calls will be handled by a recording device and answered the next business day.

"SBA's 'Answer Desk' is proving to be an important and needed service to help small business men and women deal with the complexities of

Government," said O'Jibway.

"If our Office of Advocacy cannot answer a question directly, they will be ready to refer the caller to the appropriate Government office in Washington or around the country. Our specialists will also be supported by a wide variety of resource materials."

The public should continue to call the Lubbock SBA office at 806/743-7462 for inquiries of a routine nature or to inquire on specific cases.



A golfer in search of an errant golfball in Melbourne, Australia, discovered a toadstool weighing 22 pounds.



The Federal Government is the largest single employer of women in the United States.

## Girls named to All District

Girls named to the 1983 Girls All District Basketball team include:

**First Team**  
Elaine Browning, senior, Baird; Esther Mendez, senior, Baird; Lisa Perryman, senior, Baird; Sandy Richmond, junior, Anson; Darla Beazley, junior, Hawley; Heather Womack, junior, Hawley.

**Second Team**  
Rhonda Clark, senior, Hawley; Yolanda Garcia, junior, Albany; Jill Holland, senior, Baird; Terry Tankersley, senior, Jim Ned; Beth Ringhofer, junior, Baird; Sue Maxwell, junior, Eastland.

**Honorable Mention**  
Tawni Angel, senior, Cisco; Beverly Starr, senior, Cisco; Christina Jackson, senior, Eastland; Rosalinda Vera, senior, Winters; Marsha Moreland, senior, Anson; Tresa Hatchett, junior, Baird; Vickie Wilcoxon, senior, Cisco; Angie Barker, senior, Hawley; Stacey Allman, senior, Jim Ned.

## Lions Club to sponsor Pancake Supper

The Winters Lions Club will sponsor a Pancake Supper from 5:30 to 7:00 p.m. March 15 at the Winters Community Center.

Tickets for the event are \$3.00, with proceeds going to the North Runnels Hospital X-Ray Machine Fund.

## Slashed tires reported here

Winters Police Chief L.C. Foster said that at least three vehicles had their tires slashed last Tuesday evening at the Winters High School Gym during a basketball game between Coleman and Ballinger.

Foster said that the culprits were not particular about which vehicles were singled out for the tire puncturing, that of the three cars damaged one was from Ballinger, one from Coleman, and one from Winters.

## NEWS

### OF HEALTH

#### Arthritis Treatment Offers Safe Alternative

While high-dose aspirin is the treatment most often prescribed for relief of the pain and inflammation of certain forms of arthritis, its side effects can be difficult to tolerate.



A non-aspirin arthritis treatment offers safe relief.

Over the years, scientists have tried to develop drugs that retain aspirin's helpful anti-inflammatory effect while avoiding its serious adverse effects: gastrointestinal bleeding and ulceration. Unfortunately, many of the alternatives offer the same side effects and additional ones.

Salsalate, sold as Disalid<sup>®</sup> by Riker Laboratories, Inc./3M, succeeds in offering patients a safe, effective alternative to aspirin and the others. Disalid provides the same active ingredient as aspirin, but through a different chemical composition. Also, it avoids stomach irritation by remaining inactive until it gets to the small intestine. Like aspirin, however, salsalate can cause ringing in the ears at high doses and may sometimes cause mild stomach distress.

Disalid is a low-cost alternative to existing anti-inflammatory drugs and is available only by prescription.

#### TIPS ON TRIPS

Traveling almost anywhere in the world today you can pick up such necessities as night creams, nail polish and nylons. The one thing you may not be able to find is comfortable shoes to fit your American feet. Don't leave home without outfitting yourself in an assortment of comfortable shoes.



If the Holy Land is on your trip agenda, one "must see" might be the picturesque stone amphitheater where Christian pilgrims can be baptized in the River Jordan, in the same spot as Jesus Christ is said to have been immersed by John the Baptist. Yardenit, as it's known, has been developed by the Israel Government Tourist Corporation with donations from other countries. More than 20 percent of the project so far has been paid for by the Calvary Chapel Services of California.

Shorts or slacks on a trip abroad? Customs vary so if you pack such clothing, it's best to confine wearing them to your hotel grounds or resort areas until you size up the community to see if they're acceptable.



Fish have a keen sense of smell but poor hearing.

## Deputies report two burglaries

Runnels County Sheriff's officers are investigating two commercial burglaries that occurred last week in the southwest part of the county.

Deputy Joe David West said that burglars pried open a front door at Strube's Meat Market on U.S. 67 near Ballinger and entered the business office. He said the burglars took an undetermined amount of money from a filing cabinet before leaving the building. West also said that the burglars overlooked another bank bag containing a considerable amount of money.

The second commercial burglary, being investigated by Deputy Modesto Salinas, involved the Country Quick Stop convenience store in Miles. Salinas said that the burglars peeled the sheet metal from the rear wall of the store, kicked a hole through the interior wall, and pushed a display stand aside to gain entry to the building. Taken in that burglary was about \$200 in cash, a high-power rifle, and an adding machine.

Officers said that they were still following some leads in the two burglaries that occurred either late last Wednesday night or early Thursday morning.

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the state gasoline tax that now goes to the state and give it to the cities for repair of existing streets and bridges in the cities. If approved this would mean about \$30,000 annually to the City of Winters. Glenn Brown told the council that this would make funds now being used for repair of streets available for additional paving. Brown said that the bill, as proposed and supported by the Texas Municipal League, would provide the funds on a 70-30 percent sharing with the state.

Another resolution approved by the council was that of requesting the State Legislature reform or repeal the Texas Property Tax Code. This item has also received total support from the Texas Municipal League and the request for the resolution was made by the Winters Independent School District. The resolution calls on the Legislature to either reform or repeal the concept of each county having to have a Central Appraisal District.

Approval was given to the city administration to advertise for bids for the city's liability, auto and property insurance for the next year.

Following a discussion,

the council agreed to participate in the upgrading of the law enforcement radio system at Ballinger. The radio equipment provides communications for the Sheriff's Department, the Winters Police Department, The Ballinger Police Department and for emergency services in the county. Also the equipment provides communications with other cities and with mobil units from other areas.

Initially proposed by Ballinger Police Chief Paul Boggess, the new equipment would cost around \$6,000 and it was suggested that the county pay one-half the cost and Winters and Ballinger pay one-fourth each.

The city council agreed to pay 20 percent of the cost because the Winters department does not use the system as much as the other departments. This proposal would leave the City of Ballinger paying 30 percent and Runnels County 50 percent.

A final item on the agenda was the discussion of those proposed ordinances and regulations to govern the new Winters lake. No action was taken, but the council did discuss the possibility

of applying for a matching grant from the Texas Parks and Wildlife Department for construction of restrooms at the lake and for other improvements.

## Capitol facts

The Texas Capitol is seven feet taller than the U.S. Capitol in Washington D.C. Its roof is made of copper. And the cornerstone weights eight tons in the rough.

These facts, and dozens more, are good news to Texas school children who, every year about this time, are assigned the task of writing themes.

Perhaps, because of publicity surrounding the convening of the new Legislature and the recent fire, lots of teachers have been inspired to assign the topic of the Texas Capitol.

Somehow, students know that the State Department of Highways and Public Transportation can be counted on in the time of need, and they write to Austin for help.

The colorful folder they receive is one that's printed for distribution to tourists at the department's Visitor Information Center in the Capitol.

More than 20 excellent pictures are featured in the folder, from antique cannons to the modern Senate and House Chambers. There's a locator aerial view of the whole Capitol complex, floor plans of the Capitol itself, and that all-important (for themes) list of architectural and historical facts about the majestic building.

To earn at least a 90 on a theme (or just for fun), write for a free copy of the Texas Capitol Guide, P.O. Box 5064, Austin, Texas 78763.

## ACNE MYTHS & FACTS

### Cosmetics

Today, the advice to "Put your best foot forward" should probably be modified to "Put your best face forward." But achieving that healthy glow is difficult for many people with acne. And, the many myths which surround this skin disease don't make it any easier.

MYTH: Women with acne should avoid all cosmetics.

FACT: Oily cosmetics and heavy moisturizers will clog pores and make acne worse, but many water-based makeups can be used safely. Because of their ability to cover blemishes, these products provide psychological benefits for many women.

MYTH: Hair must be kept away from the face because it causes acne.

FACT: As long as hair is kept clean and oil-free, contact with the face will not affect acne.

Oil-free is the key in products for the face and hair. This approach may lessen but not completely solve an acne problem. For further treatment, it's a good practice to see your family doctor or dermatologist, a physician who specializes in treating skin diseases.

## Golden Delicious Apples—A Naturally Sweet Treat

One of the bounties of this land, no matter where you live in the U.S., is our abundant apple crop, especially the versatile Golden Delicious from Washington.

This is one apple that stars, no matter how it's used—as a snack, for cooking in main dishes, compotes, sautes or as the basis of tempting salads and desserts, such as the easy Aloha Golden Apple Crisp detailed below.

Aside from their excellent delicate flavor, Golden Delicious apples are popular because they hold their shape so well during cooking and resist darkening when cut. Because Golden Delicious are naturally sweet, very little additional sugar is required in cooking this delicious fruit. That's a bargain in itself.

It's nice to know that premium-quality Golden Delicious apples are available today year-round, thanks to modern storage methods. The first of the new crop apples arrive in local markets in the fall, and the remainder are carefully stored, then shipped on a gradual basis throughout the following months.

Give your family a treat by adding a half cup grated Golden Delicious apple to a favorite muffin or pancake mix. Before baking, lightly sprinkle tops of muffins or pancakes with cinnamon and sugar.

#### ALOHA GOLDEN APPLE CRISP

3 cups pared, cored and thinly sliced Golden Delicious apples



- 1 can (13-1/4 oz.) pineapple tidbits, very thoroughly drained
  - 1/2 cup flour
  - 1/3 cup packed brown sugar
  - 1/2 teaspoon ground cinnamon
  - 1/8 teaspoon salt
  - Dash ground allspice
  - 1/3 cup butter or margarine, softened
  - 1/2 cup roasted, salted coconut chips or flaked coconut
  - 1/2 cup chopped macadamia nuts or almonds
- 8x8x2-inch baking dish. Combine flour, sugar and seasonings; cut in butter until crumbly. Stir in coconut and nuts; sprinkle evenly over apples. Bake at 375°F. 30 minutes or until apples are tender and topping is golden. Makes 6 to 8 servings.
- Microwave Version: Prepare dish as above, except use ungreased microwave-proof baking dish. Microwave at HIGH, uncovered, 12 minutes; turn dish one-quarter turn half-way through cooking time.

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