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## Wait a minute...

By Kerry Craig

The transition from the electronic news media, television and radio, to printed media, newspaper must be complete.

It is getting to the point that I change the channel any time Ted Koppel, Tom Brokaw or Dan Rather appear on the screen. These big-time network guys are getting to the point of apparently dictating the news rather than reporting it.

It takes only a few minutes of what happened, the whys and wherefores and in-depth analysis to cause an on-set of the Sgt. Joe Friday Syndrome—Just the facts ma'am.

They went too far for me when they began telling, in advance, what some news maker was going to say, letting him say it, then telling us what had just been said.

Just picture these big shot news guys reporting on somebody's barn burning.

It might go like this, "In just a few moments a barn is going to burn. The flames will start licking through the windows, then the edges of the roof will catch fire. Then, at this time, the whole darn barn will become engulfed in flames and then will fall to the ground and burn itself out."

The picture will then switch to give, in living color and vivid sound, the scene of the barn burning. After the barn has followed the script, to the letter, Mr. Ace Network Newsguy will give instant replays and continue for too much time re-reading the script until his fans know the whole act by heart.

Enough is enough. Leave at least something to our imagination.

Speaking of the tube, those folks who stand on the shifting sands of the hour glass think they are finally rid of Stefano. It's about time his contract was up anyway.

For anybody to think that the widow Brady should be accused of his murder is totally uncalled for.

For now, the prism is back on ice and we were all hoping that Bo and Hope could get along with their love affair.

What happens? Hope gets shot—now wait a minute...

If they cancel her contract and she has to move to another time period on another soap it will cause major problems. Just think how many lunch hours will have to be rescheduled.

## Farm economy improves little

Both Texas' and the nation's farm economy is expected to show little improvement in 1985, says an economist with the Texas Agricultural Extension Service. The Texas A&M University System. Farm cash receipts are expected to gain 1 to 5 percent. Livestock receipts could be up as much as 4 percent while crop receipts could increase from 5 to 8 percent. Prices paid for cash expenses are anticipated to remain steady, with an overall increase of about 5 percent. Production items originating on the farm are expected to increase up to 4 percent as a prices-paid index, whereas the prices-paid index for production items from non-farm sources should jump 5 to 7 percent, mainly due to high interest expenses. Overall, gross cash income will be stable but net cash income will continue to drop.

## Museum Board meeting slated

The Z.I. Hale Museum Board members will meet at 5 p.m., Tuesday, March 5 at the museum for an important board meeting.

All those interested in the museum are cordially invited to attend.

## Winters Area Chamber of Commerce Membership Banquet March 7

The Winters Area Chamber of Commerce Membership Banquet will be held Thursday, March 7, 1985, in the Winters

School Cafeteria beginning at 7 p.m.

The retiring President, Lanny Bahlman will review the

Chamber work done in 1984 and will recognize the retiring Directors.

The Incoming President, Benny

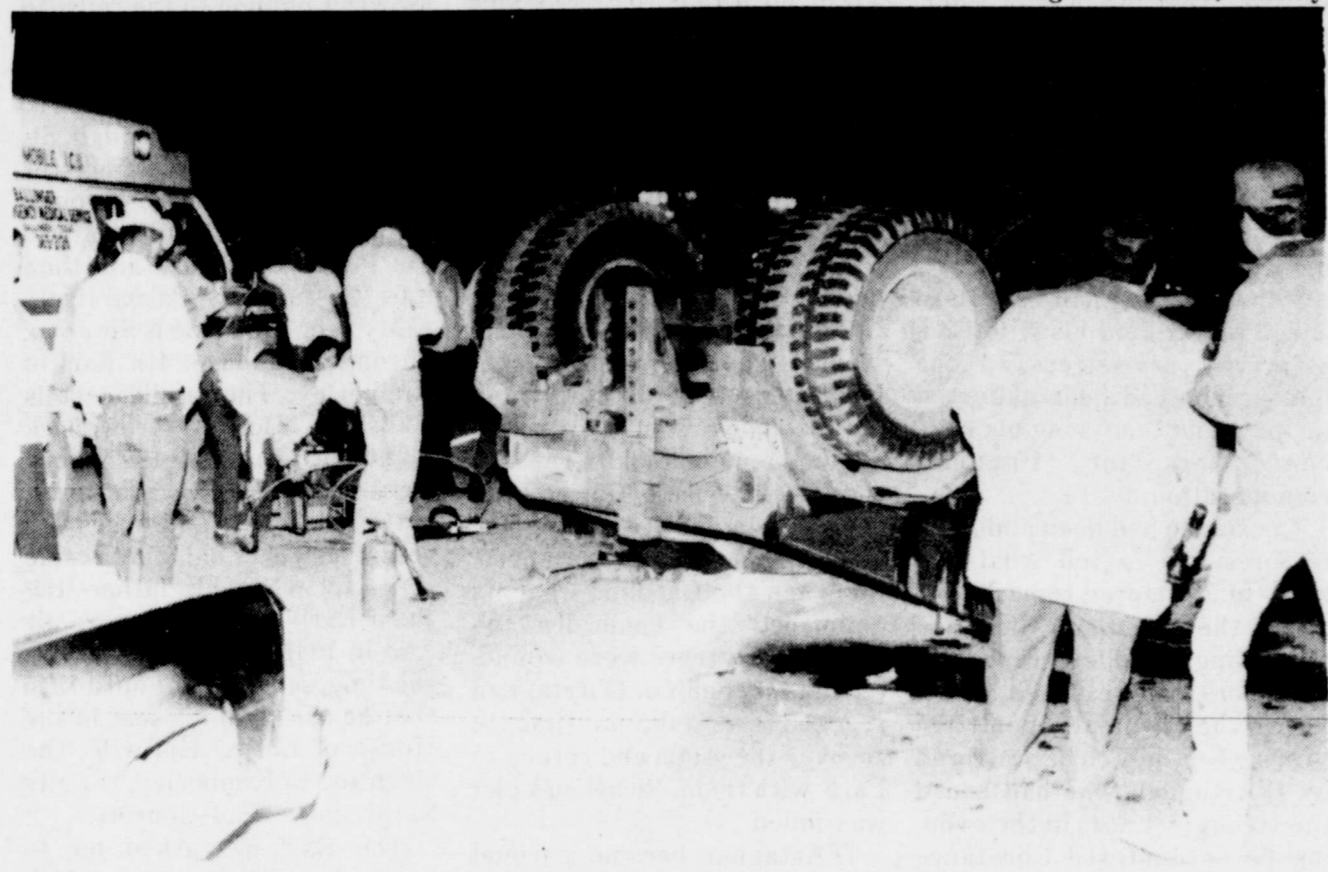
Polston will introduce the continuing Directors and new Directors.

Citizen of the year will be presented and other recognition awards will be unveiled.

Entertainment for the evening will be provided by "The Diamond Gems," a barbershop

quartet from San Angelo. Member of the group are: Bruce Clark, Morle Mahon, Stan Bourn and Mark Clark.

1985 is the year of Winters 95th Birthday. The theme of this years banquet will be "A Celebration Of Our Heritage." See Banquet page 10



## Two escape serious injury

Two Abilene men narrowly escaped death or serious injury Monday evening when this truck overturned on U.S. 83, about 11 miles south of Ballinger.

The men, Mark R. Wood and Tony Drahenberg, were returning to Abilene from Paint Rock where they had just delivered a mobile home when the accident occurred. The men were employed by A-1 Mobile Homes of Abilene.

The Ballinger Fire Department was called to

the scene to help free one of the men from the wreckage with the "Jaws of Life."

Texas Highway Patrol Trooper Scott Warren was assisted at the accident by Ballinger Police officers, Runnels County Sheriff's officers and Concho County Sheriff's officers.

The injured men were taken to Ballinger Memorial Hospital where they were treated and released.

## Grand jury returns eight indictments

The Runnels County Grand Jury returned eight indictments against four persons Tuesday in its February session.

Bruce Merrifield was named in an indictment alleging sexual abuse of a child. Merrifield was also named in a second indictment alleging indecency with a child.

Teofilo (Sonny) Santoya was indicted on charges of unauthorized use of a motor vehicle. He was arrested in connection with a pick up that was taken from a service station lot in Winters two weeks ago. The vehicle was found about four blocks away where it had landed in a yard after sliding out of control.

Gilbert Chapoy was named in one indictment alleging burglary of a habitation and two indictments alleging forgery by

## Shower to benefit Youngs is Friday

A miscellaneous shower for the two Young families who recently lost everything in a fire will be given by Southside Baptist Church, 617 Crews Road, Winters, on Friday, March 1, from 6:30 to 8:30 p.m.

The fire destroyed both their homes and their belongings.

A money tree for the families will also be at the shower, or those who wish may make a deposit to the Joe Young account at the Winters State Bank.

Clothing sizes are as follows: Woman: pants size 20, shoes 9 to 10, blouse 40, hose 8 1/2 to 11. Man: shirt XXL, pants 40/32. Woman: pants 18, jeans 34/33, shirt large.

Boys: pants 28/30, 33/33; shirts 18, large. Girl: shirt medium, pants 32/30.

For further information, contact Noleta Rice at 754-4286.

passing.

Andy Martinez was named in two indictments, burglary of a habitation and forgery by passing.

Chapoy and Martinez were taken in custody in connection

with a search warrant that was executed by officers at an address in Ballinger Monday.

District Attorney Dick Alcala said Tuesday that pre-trial hearings for some of these cases would begin later this week.

## Local Scouts take first place in Camporee Chili Cookoff

The Boy Scouts of Troop 249 attended the Diamond Jubilee Camporee in Abilene this past weekend. The Camporee was highlighted by competition against 15 other troops in a variety of events including: starting fires by flint and steel, knot tying, tent pitching, lashing, first aid, signaling, compass course, whispered message, blind instruction carry, and a chili cookoff. The maximum points which could be won in each event was 10.

The local boys won first place in the Chili Cookoff.

Under the leadership of the Senior Patrol Leader Ricky Smith and Assistant Senior Patrol Leader Otto Cortez, the boys competed in their patrols with the total patrol scores added up to form the troop score.

The Panther Patrol included Patrol Leader Raul Rodriguez, Assistant Patrol Leader Billy Witte, Jr., J'Dan Miller, Russell Moore, Chris Brannon and

## Scouts to sell light bulbs this Saturday

The Boy Scouts of Troop 249 will sell Sylvania light bulbs door to door in Winters Saturday, March 2.

The light bulbs come in a pack of three and sell for \$2. Included in the pack are one 100 watt bulb and two 60 watt bulbs. The price of the bulbs is \$1.33 less than the retail price.

The money the boys earn will help them go to camp this summer.

Michael Alatorre.

The Night Hawk Patrol features Patrol Leader Billy Barnes, Assistant Patrol Leader Johnny Rodriguez, Scott Shifflett, James Carrillo, Jason Current, Jason Stewart, Jason Young, and Brandon Boles.

"The excitement of the first night's camping was enhanced by the thunderstorm that blew through about 10 p.m.," said

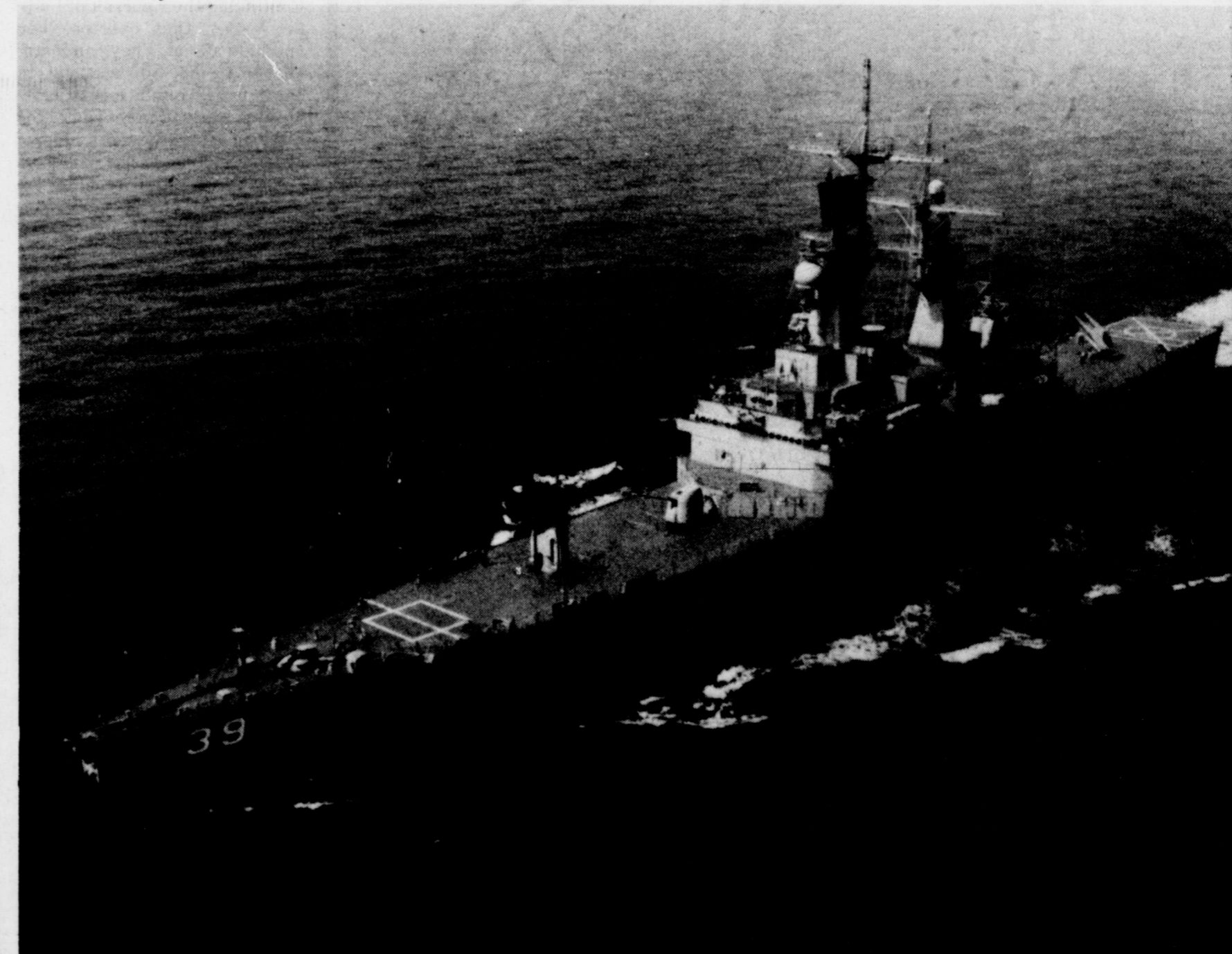
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## Airhart elected to TBA Board

Bobby Airhart, chairman of Winters State Bank, has been elected to the Board of Directors of the Texas Bankers Association. A. W. Riter, Jr. of Tyler, TBA president, announced. He will succeed Don Maples of Abilene as the state-chartered bank member of the Board from TBA District Seven, in which there are 191 state banks and 119 national banks located in 40 counties in the Northwest area of Texas.

Tom Dunn, president of First State Bank, Ranger, is the new chairman of TBA District Seven. He will replace Joe Probst of Bowie. Airhart and Dunn were elected at the District Seven annual meeting in Fort Worth recently.

TBA, the oldest state bankers association in the nation, will hold its centennial convention in Austin, May 1-3, 1985. Airhart and Dunn will take office after the convention.



## A tradition of fighting ships..USS TEXAS

The USS TEXAS (CGN-39), a nuclear powered, guided missile cruiser, is the fourth ship to bear

the name of the Lone Star State. Of the previous three, two were United States Navy ships and

one served in the Texas Navy. The first TEXAS was a sloop-of-war commissioned in the

Texas Navy in 1840. Although never fully manned, TEXAS

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**Poe's corner**

by **Charlsie Poe**

**Winters Night at the Theatre**

Recently, I was invited by the Woman's Club to attend the ACU Theatre's dinner production of *The Three Musketeers* in Abilene.

Our group consisted of 21 women, and when we arrived, members of the Junior Culture Club were already there. It was beginning to look like Winters' night at the theatre.

After being shown to our dinner table on the front row, we discovered that Ed Fishel, a Winters boy, now of Abilene, was seated next to us with his party. There was quite a bit of "catch up" conversation until dinner was served.

And what a dinner! It started with Andalusian salad. While eating we discussed the ingredients. It contained rice, raisins, and a tangy dressing, but we couldn't identify all the contents. The dinner plate held shrimp quiche, herbed green beans, peach with pineapple chutney, and a slice of roast beef with a fancy name.

Members of the cast dressed in their costumes came out and

served us, even Louis XIII, the dapper little King. It's the first time I was ever served by royalty.

*The Three Musketeers* was not required reading when I was in school; consequently it was left out of my education, but I thoroughly enjoyed watching literature's most romantic trio swashbuckle across the stage in an exciting adaptation of Alexander Dumas' classic French novel.

There was such a clashing of swords that Edna England who was sitting on the front row thought for awhile she would be going home full of stab wounds.

The historical romance begins in the spring of 1625 when a young man named D'Artagnan on his way to Paris to join the musketeers, proudly rode up to an inn in Meung. He was mounted on an old pony given him by his father and carried a letter of introduction to the captain of the musketeers. In Meung he showed his fighting spirit by fiercely challenging to a duel a stranger with a scar on his face, who

seemed to be laughing at his orange horse.

Athos, Porthos, and Aramis were the three best blades in the ranks of the Musketeers of the Guard, in the service of Louis XIII. D'Artagnan became a fourth member of the group within three months of his arrival in Paris. He had made himself loved and respected by the others when he challenged each in turn to a duel and then helped them drive off Cardinal Richelieu's guards, who wished to arrest them for brawling.

D'Artagnan had to serve an apprenticeship as a Cadet before being admitted to the musketeer ranks. His friends took turns accompanying him when he was on guard duty. Athos looked like a nobleman; it was said that a great tragedy had poisoned his life. Porthos was a squire of dames and bragged of his loves. Aramis, always dressed in black, insisted that he was a churchman at heart and soon would enter a monastery.

The three musketeers had been rewarded in gold by the timid King for their bravery against the Cardinal's guards, but had since spent all their money. Their plight was relieved when D'Artagnan's landlord asked him to find his wife Constance, a seamstress to the queen, who had been abducted in payment for long-overdue rent and for financial compensation.

Constance had been abducted to force her to tell what she knew of a rumored romance between the queen and the Duke of Buckingham. She escaped her abductors and returned home, where the Cardinal's men tried to seize her, only to be scattered by D'Artagnan who had heard of the struggle. Later in the evening he encountered Constance again as she was leading the Duke of Buckingham, in disguise, to the queen. She had sent for the Duke to beg him to leave the city where his life was in danger. She confessed her love for him and gave him a rosewood casket containing twelve diamond studs that the King had given her.

Cardinal Richelieu, through his spies, learned of the gift and suggested to the King that he should give a fete and ask the queen to wear her diamond studs. The Cardinal then ordered Lady de Winter, who was in London, to snip off two of the studs from Buckingham's clothing. This deed gave him a chance to strike at the King, the

**Texan in the House of Lords**

By Patsy Roach  
 Readers of the *Enterprise* will recall a recent story on Geoffrey Connor, a Winters High School graduate and Southwest Texas State senior, who is currently studying in London and serving as an intern in the House of Lords, part of the British Parliament. In the course of our interview, we asked Geoffrey if he would send us a report on his observations of life in London, since few Winters residents have had the privilege of visiting that fair city.

In due course, Geoffrey has written us a letter, the text of which is included below:

"London has been great despite the terrible cold. Even the British are surprised at the weather's extreme bitterness, but it finally seems a warming trend is coming. The grass is green on Wandsworth Common and the geese and ducks are out on the pond.

My living arrangements are excellent. I live with the Lees-Jones family in a 3 1/2 story townhouse....The house is over 100 years old.

queen and also Buckingham. Learning of this scheme, Constance went to D'Artagnan. Because he loved Constance and because he wanted to serve his queen, he undertook to recover the jewels. With his three comrades he started out for London. Only D'Artagnan arrived there; for when the Cardinal's agents ambushed the comrades the three musketeers were wounded and left behind. D'Artagnan reached the duke in time to recover the studs and return to Paris with them. Richelieu's plot was foiled.

D'Artagnan became a friend of Lord de Winter after sparing his life in a duel; the lord introduced him to his sister-in-law. D'Artagnan fell in love with Lady de Winter, but he heard her make slurring remarks about him because he had spared the life of her brother-in-law, for she was his heir. She struck a blow which caused him to step on her dress; it pulled from her shoulder exposing the brand of the fleur-de-lis, the mark of a convicted criminal. Lady de Winter attacked him with a knife and screamed that she would get revenge.

D'Artagnan fled to Athos who later exposed his wife, Lady de Winter, and ordered her to leave France at once. She went to England where she was held prisoner but managed to have Buckingham killed and escaped to the convent in France where Constance was staying. There she was able to poison Constance and flee before the four companions arrived to rescue the queen's faithful servant. Continuing their pursuit of Lady de Winter, they overtook her and held a trial. They condemned her to die. She was put to death by the public executioner of Lille, who had branded her for her crimes, many years before.

The war between England and France was reaching a climax, and the siege of La Rochelle was of particular political importance. The four friends conducted themselves with such bravery that they drew notice from the Cardinal. The Cardinal then gave orders that D'Artagnan was to be made a musketeer. He was later given a commission for his cleverness and offered it to each of his friends, but each refused it, insisting that he deserved the rank, an honor great nobles often sought in vain.

La Rochelle surrendered to the French and the faithful four disbanded. Athos returned to his estate, Porthos married a rich widow, and Aramis became a monk. D'Artagnan became a famous soldier. He and de Rochefort, his old enemy at Meung, fought three times but finally became good friends.

This dramatic drama unfolded fast and furiously in a most unusual setting to accommodate all of the action. It did stop for intermission while we were served Normandy apple cake and coffee for dessert. It was then I discovered that my sister, Gladys Swofford, and a host of Clyde ladies were also present.

It was a wonderful evening and my education has been enriched for I came home and read the story of *The Three Musketeers*.

The family has 11-year old twin boys, Alistair and Dylan, and a 12-year old boy, Hugo, all of whom go to private school and leave each morning in navy pants, gray sweaters with school ties, navy coats with the school crest, and little hats. Mr. Lees-Jones is a court administrator in London, and Mrs. Lees-Jones works part-time in a fashion shop.

Mrs. Lees-Jones attends cooking school each week, but is already a good cook. I've had several new dishes, including avocado and mango salad, mussels baked in lemon-butter, curry chicken, and South African plums stewed in sugar and served with custard.

My current schedule is 9:30-2:30 daily except Tuesdays, when I leave at noon. It's only a 10-minute walk across Wandsworth Common to the railroad station. I ride through Clapham Junction and Battersea Park to Victoria Station, then change to the tube and ride through St. James' Park to Westminster Station. I can then go through the underground entrance into the Peers' courtyard and then into Westminster Palace itself.

My peer's full title is Sir John, Baron Wodehouse, 4th Earl of Kimberley. The family seat is Hailstone House, Arewenock Manor, in Cornwall. He is very pleasant, smokes Havana cigars, plays golf, hunts and fishes. He is now 60 years old and became the Earl when his father (the third Earl) was killed in an air raid in 1941. He was only 17 at the time, so it was not until 1945 that he assumed his seat in the House of Lords. His wife, the Countess of Kimberley, is Lady Sarah Jane Hope-Consett.

The Earl has asked me to study the daily Hansard, which is a printed booklet of what was said each day in debate. I then attend the Lords' session each afternoon if I choose. By order of His Lordship, I may sit either 'below the bar' (which is a floor seat in the House of Lords) or in the Southwest Gallery, which has a better view of the ministers.

I arrive for work at 10 a.m. and do library research and general reading until the House of Lords sits; that's Monday through Friday at 2:30 p.m. until 7 or 8 p.m.

Lord Kimberley is secretary of the Lords' All-Party Defense Group and chairs the Lords' Foreign Affairs Committee, and my work for him centers in these areas. His lordship is in Washington for most of February, and I am temporarily assigned to Lord Chalfont, a former minister under former Prime Minister Harold Wilson. Lord Chalfont is preparing material on the proposed Strategic Defense Initiative, better known as "Star Wars."

The Orders of the Day are posted each morning, which list the questions to be asked of the government by the Lords. In both the Lords House and the House of Commons, the party in power (now the Conservatives) is referred to as Her Majesty's Government, and sits to the right of the presiding officer. On the left sits Her Majesty's Loyal Opposition (Labour, Liberals, and Social Democrats.)

Each afternoon's opening of the House of Lords is preceded

by the Lord Chancellor's processional in ceremonial wigs and robes. Afterwards, the other Lords, in conventional dress, enter the Chamber. The Lord Chancellor presides from his woolsack, a red couch-type seat stuffed with equal parts of Irish, Scottish, English, Welsh, and Commonwealth wool to symbolize the unity of British authority.

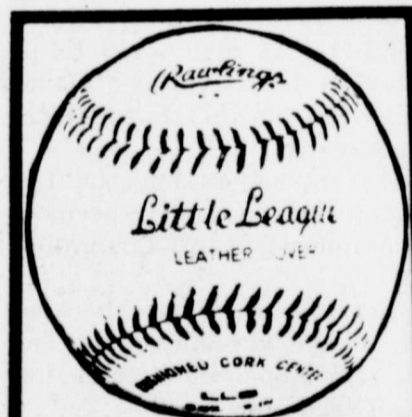
The peers whose names appear on the Orders of the Day then rise to ask their questions of the government. They will then "move for papers," which means to open for debate. Most questions are intended for fact-finding only, and after awhile the original questioning Peer will "beg the Lords" leave to withdraw the question. If it is a question which requires a vote, however, then the House goes into 'division.' Lords voting 'content' file into one lobby where their names are recorded. Lords voting 'not content' file into another lobby. I generally attend only the defense and foreign affairs debates.

The Palace of Westminster is quite opulent and full of history, though small by comparison with the U.S. Capitol. Nevertheless, the maze of halls and rooms is confusing, and I've been lost more than once. The Lords' end of the Palace is carpeted with either red or blue. I may walk on the red carpet any time, but I can't walk on the blue carpet if the Lords are sitting. I've found this rule hard to concentrate on, and I swear they move those carpets around at night!

The entire experience is great, and I've met some fascinating people. I even encountered Lord Stockton (the former Prime Minister Harold Macmillan) in the Palace cloakroom. I look forward to the coming months in England, but you don't know how I miss Texas steaks and Mexican food!"

**Card of Thanks**

I would like to say thank you to all who sent cards or visited during my recent illness. A special thanks to Dr. W.J. Lee and the nurses at the hospital. Your concern and thoughtfulness are greatly appreciated.  
 Dessie Jernagan

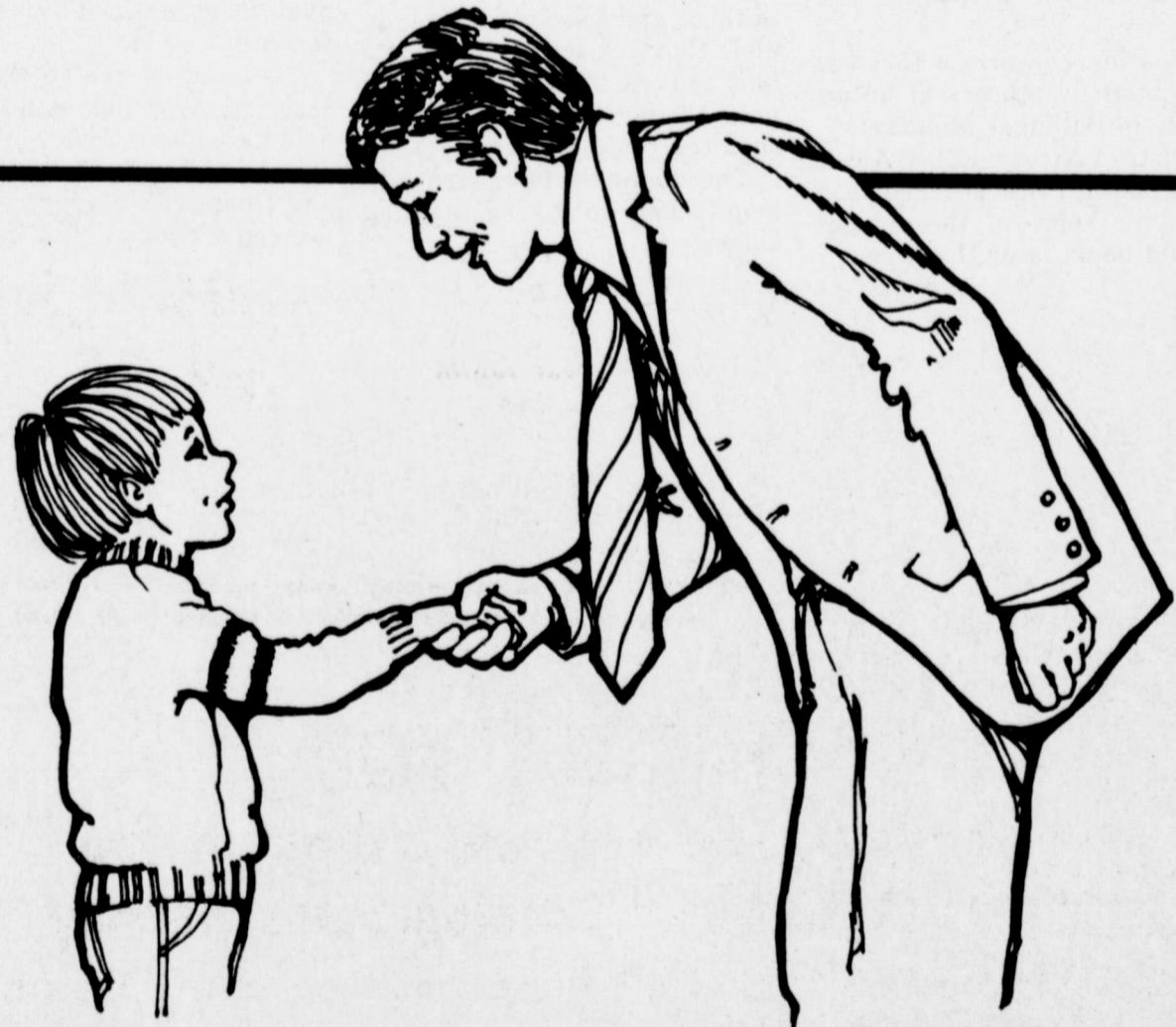


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## Jeannine Poe receives honor

Jeannine Poe of Tillamook, Oregon, Special Agent for Northwest Farm Bureau Insurance Company, was named agent of the month for October and November. She received the top casualty premium for November and December. Her agency was tops in sales for January, November and December of 1984. The company covers three states: Oregon, Washington, and Nevada.

At the annual awards conference, Miss Poe received the Executive Club plaque, No. 2 for 1984 in new casualty premium with \$72,950. Number 1 with top premium beat her by \$150. The Western Farm Bureau Life Insurance Company presented her with a Million Dollar Club plaque. Only eleven agents placed a million or more Life Protection on lives in the northwest in 1984.

Miss Poe is the first woman to be on the Agents Advisory Board. It is made up of 15 agents who make suggestions to top casualty company officials three or four times a year and the officials report to them what's been done about prior meeting suggestions.

Because she had over \$50,000 new casualty premium, Miss Poe received a four-day vacation to San Diego in mid-March as an "All-American Winner." She is the first woman agent to make it into the upper awards circle.

An agent for Farm Bureau since August of 1982, Miss Poe serves the Tillamook County area, specializing in casualty and life insurance for farm families in the community. She is a member of the National Association of Life Underwriters.

Daughter of Mrs. George Poe and sister of Dennis Poe, Jeannine was born and reared in Winters. After finishing Winters High School, she received her B.A. and Master's degrees from Baylor University. She taught school for several years.



Jeannine Poe

the last place being in a Phoenix, Arizona, high school. It was there that she became a claims adjuster for Liberty Mutual Insurance Company. She soon moved to Long Beach and continued with Liberty Mutual for ten years before moving to Oregon in 1978 where she sold mobile homes for a time.

### Card of Thanks

During my illness I would like to say "Thank You" to everyone for their prayers, flowers, visits, letters of encouragement, the beautiful cards and memorial gifts donated to various organizations in my behalf.

A "Special Thanks" to Mayor Colburn, the City Council, and the HUD Commission for declaring Feb. 9, 1985, Vera Lafoon day.

I regret I was hospitalized and unable to observe it.

It was an Honor to serve the past 8 years as Executive Director of HUD and FHA.

Vera Lafoon

### Smart Thinking

The will read, "And so being of sound mind, I spent every cent I had before I died." Tribune, Chicago



## Junior Favorites

Dale Gray and Gina Rosson.

## Life is worth seeing

In a special memorandum calling for more public awareness of the need for regular vision testing, Governor Mark White has designated March 3-9 as "Save Your Vision Week" in Texas. The memorandum stated that "Good Vision is an undeniable asset to all persons regardless of their age, occupa-

tion, or economic status and regular testing of your vision should be an important aspect of your total health care program."

Sponsored by the TEXAS OPTOMETRIC ASSOCIATION, Save Your Vision Week highlights the work of doctors of optometry to support local efforts designed to call attention to the importance of good vision.

Dr. Jack Buton, President of TOA, said that this year's theme for Save Your Vision Week is "Life Is Worth Seeing." "We want to do whatever we can to make sure the citizens of Texas have the very best vision care available to them. We work closely with schools, the 4-H, and other organizations to help educate the public about vision and good vision care."

Dr. Burton indicated that TOA has undertaken a major effort to promote good vision among senior citizens. The "Seasoned Citizens Project" is an informational slide program presented by optometrist-members of TOA to local groups of senior citizens. He said the program provides information on the special vision problems of older people and is designed to reduce concerns of senior citizens about changes in their vision.

"We think this year's Save Your Vision Week will be very successful," Dr. Buton said. "Many organizations plan to sponsor special events to promote the importance of good vision care. We're pleased to help out wherever we can."

## News from the Sew and Sew met Nursing Home

by Lisa Griswold  
Activity Director

The residents birthday party was a great success with 24 in attendance. Games were played along with singing. Those celebrating birthdays in February were: Liz Howard, Esther Hill, Sarah Brown and Lillie McKinney. Cake and punch was served. Our thanks to the families helping with the party.

The weekly basketball game was won by the women.

Roxie Miller won the residents weekly bingo game with Minnie Hale as the runner up.

Special thanks to Joe and Melba Emmert for the organ music played to the residents Friday night. It was greatly enjoyed by all.

Our condolences to the family of Bertha Mitchell. Bertha will be missed by residents and staff.

The residents have started planning some exciting projects for the coming season. They have planned to eat out one night in March, along with a

The Wingate Sew and Sew Club met February 19, at the Lions Club building with Mildred Patton as hostess.

A business meeting was conducted by Edna Rogers.

This was gift day and gifts were exchanged. A quilt was done for the hostess and another quilt hemmed.

Those attending were: Vida Talley, Edna Rogers, Elizabeth Babb, Ethel Polk, Mabel Hancock, Lessie Robinson, Flossie Kirkland, Pauline Huckaby, Eura Lloyd, Lorene Kinnard Grace Smith, Nellie Adecock, Annie Fay King, Demetra Holder Mayola Cathey and hostess.

Next meeting was set for March 5, with Eura Lloyd as hostess.

## V. Lafoon released from hospital

Vera Lafoon has recently been dismissed from Hendrick Medical Center in Abilene.

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**CAPITOL UPDATE**  
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tions being assigned the number 1 and the least necessary functions, such as artistic, cultural and enrichment programs being assigned a priority level of 5. Of course, the difficulty with this system as with any system of priorities is the difficulty in obtaining an objective perspective. I realize I cannot be totally objective, but have, at least, tried to be realistic.

Following my priority system to the logical conclusion, I am of the opinion we cannot cut funding on priority 1 items, an example of which would be crime and punishment, essential human health and basic welfare services and the necessary agencies to maintain administrative and clerical functions of the State. In fact, funding in some of these priority 1 areas actually needs to be increased.

On the other hand, I find numerous priority 5 agencies, commissions and boards that may well add significant cultural and artistic quality to lives, but, by everyone's agreement, are not essential. In my opinion these areas should sustain significant budget cuts.

I am convinced that the majority of people of the 65th Legislative District could, if "push comes to shove", live without ballet, opera, theatrical productions, and related artistic endeavors for at least a short period of time, or at least until state revenues would justify continued expenditure in those areas.

This approach is, of course, not consistent with the state goals of the current Texas leadership in as much as such leaders advocate "across the board cuts." I am sure, in truth and in fact, that many of you will not agree with my assessment. Limited space precludes the possibility of discussing all 5

priorities; however, I would hope it is obvious that I counsel full funding for high priorities necessary to state functions and reduced funding, on a sliding scale, as the state functions become less necessary for the preservation of citizen welfare. Unfortunately, there just is not many interesting ways to advise you as to the state's fiscal condition, and, while this topic may bore you to tears, I strongly feel that it is something you should be made aware of.

In further discussion of the state fiscal condition, I would like to briefly discuss the concept of revenue generation through the imposition of "user fees."

I have received a good deal of criticism from some of you as you go about the process of renewing automobile registration fees, routinely using our court system, paying gasoline tax, etc. These fees have been billed and promoted as "user fees" and purport to be a system whereby those persons using a particular state provided service are charged with bearing the burden of a significant amount of the cost of such programs. A simple example of reasoning would be the conclusion that a person who owns no automobile

**Officers elected**

The Winters Rodeo Association held their Board of Directors meeting to elect new officers.

Those elected were: Keith Collom, president, Archie Jobe, vice president, Caroline Priddy, secretary, treasurer, David Grohman, reporter and publicity co-ordinator.

Members that are interested in roping this summer are asked to meet at the Ag. Buiding, Monday night, March 4, at 6 p.m.

**User fees collected**

User fees will be collected beginning March 1 at selected recreation areas at 22 U.S. Army Corps of Engineers lakes in Texas.

When economically feasible, fee collection is authorized by law at all federal campgrounds providing tent or trailer spaces, drinking water, sanitary facilities, access roads, visitor protection and electrical hookups.

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Hords Creek Lake in Coleman County provide three parks: Friendship Park is a free primitive camping area, Flatrock Park provides group areas, and campsites with hookups. Lakeside Park provide group areas, campsites with hookups and screened in shelters.

and does not make extensive use of our highway system should not have to pay as much of the cost of that system as a person owning a truck and frequently using our highways and byways.

To some extent that I can support the "user fee" in my personal system of logic, I like it. If we subscribe to this theory, it would justify change in many areas which have long been sources of discontent among our citizens. An obvious example is the fact that persons with no children in school pay exactly the same school tax rate as persons having any number of children enrolled in public schools.

I say all of the above to lay predicate for saying this: keep an open mind in such areas as higher education tuition increases, increased court fees, increased license fees, etc. for the very reason that these do, hopefully, to a healthy extent,

**Notice of Filing of Solid Waste Application**

THE CITY OF WINTERS has filed Application No. 1770 with the Texas Department of Health for a permit to operate a proposed Type II municipal solid waste disposal site to be located approximately one mile southwest of Winters, 0.4 mile south of FM Highway 53 on the east side of an unnamed county road, and adjacent to and on the south side of the existing sanitary landfill, in Rannels County.

The application covers approximately 15 acres of land and seeks a permit to receive solid wastes under the regulatory jurisdiction of the Texas Department of Health for disposal or other processing in accordance with the said Department's Municipal Solid Waste Management Regulations. A preliminary study of the application will be made by the Department and supplementary material may be required of the applicant.

Before the issuance or denial of a permit, an opportunity for a public hearing on the application will be provided pursuant to the Texas Solid Waste Disposal Act (Article 4477.7, Vernon's Texas Civil Statutes) and the Administrative Procedure and Texas Register Act (Article 6252-13a, V.T.C.S.). If a hearing is requested by an affected person having a justiciable interest, or if after evaluating the complete application the Bureau of Solid Waste Management determines that a public hearing should be held, notice of such hearing will be published in a newspaper of general circulation in the area where the site is located at least thirty (30) days prior to the date of such hearing.

Additional information concerning this application should be requested from the above-named applicant or from the Bureau of Solid Waste Management, Texas Department of Health, Austin, Texas 78756-3199; phone (512) 458-7271.

Issued this 8th day of February 1985. Robert Bernstein, M.D., F.A.C.P. Commissioner of Health Texas Department of Health By: Hal L. Nelson (signed) Hal L. Nelson, General Counsel Texas Department of Health (February 28, 1985)

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Coleman County Electric Cooperative, Inc., has filed with the Federal Government a Compliance Assurance in which it assures the Rural Electrification Administration that it will comply fully with all requirements of Title VI of the Civil Rights Act of 1964 and the Rules and Regulations of the Department of Agriculture issued thereunder, to the end that no person in the United States shall, on the ground of race, color, sex, or national origin, be excluded from participation in, be denied the benefits of, or be otherwise subjected to discrimination in the conduct of its program and the operation of its facilities. Under this Assurance, this organization is committed not to discriminate against any person on the ground of race, color, sex, or national origin in its policies and practices relating to treatment of beneficiaries and participants including rates, conditions and extension of service, use of any of its facilities, attendance at and participation in any meetings of beneficiaries and participants or the exercise of any rights of such beneficiaries and participants in the conduct of the operations of this organization.

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### Most School Spirited

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### Most Athletic

The most athletic members of the senior class at Winters High School are Maggie Campos and Armando Tamez, the class decided by vote recently.

### Crews

By Hilda Kurtz

There was a time when we put a pie out to cool. Now we put the pie out to thaw.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Denny and Dr. and Mrs. Walter Clendenen will host the supper and game night at the Crews gym, Saturday, March, 2 at 6:30. Bring your favorite dish, enough for your family are more. We are glad to have Coleman

Foreman home from the hospital since Tuesday. Also Mrs. Alta Hale is home and her sister, Mrs. Thora Irvin of San Antonio is staying with her. Mr. and Mrs. Wendell Whittle of Cincinnati, Ohio visited Friday and Saturday, also Rolland Kirby.

During Coleman Foreman's illness he had as visitors: Bro. Jim Shipman, Fred Damron, Mrs. Ethel Bridwell, Nila and Therin

Osborne, Bernie, Noble and Sam Faubion, Author and Nethia Kirby.

Sisie Alexander and I visited with Mrs. Frances Bredemeyer, who is home from the hospital in Abilene, on Wednesday, while in Abilene, we did some shopping mostly in the rain. Speaking of rain we had a nice 1 1/2 to over 2 inches out here Friday night, some good run off for stock tanks.

Mrs. Hazel Mae Bragg spent Friday with her son, Dr. Larry Bragg, wife and girls in San Angelo.

Mr. and Mrs. Doug Bryan had dinner recently in the home of the Wayne Bryans in Norton. Lelon and Doris Bryan from Coleman, Thein and Nila Osborne

came during the week.

Richard, Brenda, Gena and Dodie Chambliss of Hawley spent Sunday with Pat and Earl Cooper. Herbert and Evelyn Jacob came on Tuesday.

Jimmy Chapman of Winters spent Sunday with Selma and Hazel Dietz.

Our sympathy to the relatives of Mr. Eugene Traylor, who was buried in the Crews cemetery Monday a.m.

Therin, Nila Osborne, Adlene Grissom and I visited with Alta Hale Tuesday night in the Hoarce Stokes home in Talpa.

Visiting pastor at Hopewell, Sunday, was Billy Blankenship of Hardin Simmons.

The Noble Faubions carried Melissa, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Englert and daughter Holly out for fish supper Friday night in Lowake.

Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Fuller returned Sunday from South California, visiting her sister, the W. F. Worthingtons. They also spent some time in Palm Springs. They rode the aerial tramway up Mt. San Jacinto, also toured several cities, including Hollywood, and enjoyed playing golf on some of the most beautiful golf courses.

The Kat Grissioms visited in the Burley Campbell home in Ballinger Wednesday.

Mike and Von Hill from Sweetwater spent the weekend with the Robert Hills.

W. A. and Hildegard Asbury of San Angelo, Randall Kurtz, Mary and R. C. Kurtz spent Sunday with me.

Janet and Lorie Clendenen just returned from New Mexico, where they enjoyed skiing.

Jewel and Richard Denny spent the weekend at Lake Buchanan. They enjoyed the boat ride out to see the bald Eagles with some friends, the Fred Freemans of Ozona.

Linda, Travis and Sherry Ford from Rising Star, spent Sunday with Georgia and Connie Gibbs.

Weekend visitors in the Marion Wood Home were: Mr. and Mrs. Bill Brantley, Ft. Worth, Mr. and Mrs. Maloy Braynt and boys, Albany, Mr. and Mrs. Jeff Camron from Coleman.

Visiting Mrs. Effie Dietz during the week were, Mrs. Cora Petrie and Selma Osborne. The Clarence Hambrights and the Carl Baldwins came out Sunday evening had supper and played 42.

Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Jacob, Mr. and Mrs. Mike Kozisky and Mary Beth Jacob were out with the Walter Jacobs Sunday night and played 42.

Doris Tippett from Odessa, Cindy Porter and daughter,

April, spent Thursday night with Mrs. Viola Foster in Winters.

Those celebrating April Porters 4th birthday in the Therin Osborne home Saturday night were: Doris Tippett, Cindy Porter, Mrs. Viola Foster, Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Foster, Mr. and Mrs. Carlton Parks, Selma Osborne, Stephanie and Jr., McGallian, Stephanie and Jr., spent the weekend.

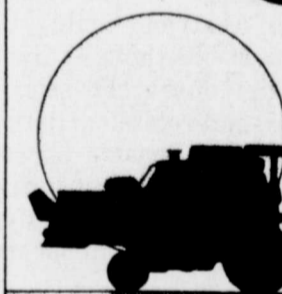
"Happy Birthday" April. The Hopewell ladies Bible study started at 9:30 a.m. in the Fellowship Hall Monday.

### Weekend guests visit

Those visiting in the home of Mrs. Ted Eoff and G.C. Harville Sunday were Mrs. Joe Chism and Jill; Edyie Beck of Denton; Mr. and Mrs. Denzil Riggan of Sweetwater; Cheryl Riggan of San Angelo; Mr. and Mrs. Ronnie Reel, Leigh Ann and Jodie of Paint Creek; Mr. and Mrs. Winford Reel of Winters; Mr. and Mrs. Tommy Chambliss of Abilene; Mozelle DeArman and Jerry Vanover of Scottsdale, Arizona; and Mrs. Harold Wilson and Billy of Ovalo.

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by Savan

The Omega Blackwell met morning at 9:30 of Mrs. Marie Romine and Mrs. Ollie C. presided over meeting. Mrs. Emma secretary, read the January meeting notes, and appreciation from Home and Ambulance Society. It was announced club quilt top was already frames in the Crain. The club turns to help

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**Senior Favorites**

La Shea Guy and Alfred Yates



**Sophomore Favorites**

Michelle Wheeler and Brad Kruse



**Freshman Favorites**

Jim Lee and Sally Smith.

**Talpa**  
By Maggie Ruth Stokes

We had 6/10 of an inch of rain on Friday night.

On Friday the 15th, Johnie Thompson came home from a seven week stay in the St. John's and Baptist Geriatric Hospitals in San Angelo. She is doing pretty well and we're happy she can be home.

Her relatives visiting her last weekend were Maurice Moore; Tom and Della West, Coleman; Earl, David Earl and Inez Davis; Loren and Joyce Seals of Abilene; Ricky and Linda Hallford and children of Ballinger.

Ollie Warren had pneumonia in the Coleman Hospital and is home now. He son Waitzel Warren of Van is visiting her for a few days.

Woodrow Gage had appendicitis surgery in Shannon Hospital in San Angelo and is home now.

Alta Hale stayed in our home ten days. Her visitors from Crews were Sam and Dee Faubion, Noble and Harvey Mae Faubion, Hazel Mae Bragg, Thelma and Nila Osborne, Hilda K... and Adline Grissom. Coleman visitors were Lemma Fuller, Ozella Stacy, Loy Whitley, Helen Brevard, and Obed Fuller.

Visitors in the Bill Hicks home on Sunday were Mike and Rene Calcote and Justin and Allison of Winters.

Michael Hinton of Coleman spent Saturday and Sunday with Zane Cassaday.

Johnny Broyles of Fort Worth died about two weeks ago. He was raised here. His brothers and a sister surviving are Ernest, Floyd, and J.B. Broyles, and Donnie Mitchell.

Sarah Bomar has been in the hospital for a month with the flu and pneumonia. We hope she is feeling better soon.

Roland Kerby and Thora Irwin of San Antonio visited in our

home on Friday. We took Alta Hale to her home and Thora Irwin will stay with her awhile.

Eva Evans attended the funeral of an old friend, Lois Richardson, in Sweetwater on Monday.

Gordon and Louise Brookshier and Robbie, Carol, Shon, and Brook Jones of Sonora met in San Angelo on Friday and visited; and Brook came home with her grandparents to stay a week.

Sunday visitors in the Gordon Brookshier home were Dayton Earl McClure and Crissy.

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**Blackwell**  
by Savannah Thompson

The Omega Coterie of Blackwell met last Wednesday morning at 9:30 a.m. in the home of Mrs. Marie Romine, with Mrs. Romine and Mrs. Rhoda McCauley as co-hostesses. Nineteen members and one guest attended the meeting.

Mrs. Ollie Crain, president, presided over the business meeting.

Mrs. Emma Lee Lanier, secretary, read the minutes of the January meeting, the thank you notes, and also letters of appreciation from the Bronte Nursing Home and the Blackwell Ambulance Service.

It was announced that the club quilt top was finished and was already in the quilting frames in the home of Ollie Crain. The club ladies will take turns to help do the quilting.

The club members donated ten bud vases with fresh red carnations for the dining room tables in the Bronte Nursing Home for Valentine's Day.

A refreshment plate of cheese loaf, crackers, cherry pie, and coffee was served to the members. Bessie Pugh, Rhoda McCauley, Margaret Stout, Laura Seale, Mildred Woods, Ollie Crain, Verla Smith, Emma Lee Lanier, Eppie Crain, Shirley Walton, Lillie Mae Walters, Luvine Akins, Jane Wheat, Billie Murray, Marie Wheat, Mildred Mullins, Betty Totzke, Marie Romine, Bertha Smith, and visitor Beulah Chapman.

The club will meet next on Wednesday, March 13 in the home of Verla Smith.

**Tan-Chance Video Library #2**  
Starting Tuesday, March 4, Tan-Chance will be closed on Tuesdays every week. Members will have Free Tape Rental on Tuesdays. Mon-Wed-Thurs— VCR Rental will be \$5 for everyone Thursday— Rent 3 tapes for the price of 2

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We wish to express our heartfelt appreciation to all who helped in the time of our sorrow. To Dr. Lee, the staff at North Runnels Hospital, the Ballinger Nursing Home, to Ted and Mike Meyer, to those who brought food and those who helped serve, and to all who sent cards and flowers and who visited.  
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# Obituaries

## Sam H. Sprinkles

Sam H. Sprinkles, 84 of Novice, a farmer and rancher, died at noon Thursday, February 21, at Overall-Morris Memorial Hospital in Coleman. Services were held at 2 p.m. Saturday, February 23 at Stevens Funeral Home of Coleman.

The Rev. Larry Adams a Baptist minister of San Angelo officiated, assisted by the Rev. Ed Wright, pastor of Novice Baptist Church. Burial was in the Rough Creek Cemetery.

Born February 17, 1901, in Novice, he was also a retired oil production superintendent. He married Emily Mae Gaines November 24, 1923, in Novice. He was a member of Rough Creek Cemetery Association and Novice Baptist Church.

A daughter, Lucille, died in 1933.

Survivors include his wife; three daughters, Martha Harlee of Sugarland, Lillie Gipson of Kempner and Florence Moyers of Grapeland; five sons, Sam E. "Gene" of Novice, Don and John both of Coleman, Charles of Hillsboro and Robert W. of Shamrock; 24 grandchildren; and 19 great-grandchildren.

Grandsons were pallbearers.

## Gerald W. Poe

Services for Gerald W. Poe, a retired San Antonio mail carrier, were held Monday at the Sunset Memorial Chapel in San Antonio.

Poe died Friday in a San Antonio hospital with pneumonia. He was 59.

Born November 26, 1925 in Winters, he was the son of Andrew Poe. He has an aunt and several cousins here.

He had lived in Fischer since his retirement. He is survived by his wife, Mary; two sons and a daughter.

## Audra Lee Grant

Audra Lee Grant, 77, a lifelong resident of Ballinger, died February 15 at 11:32 a.m. in the Ballinger Memorial Hospital. Dr. Glen Willingham and Reverend Ferris Akins conducted services at the First Baptist Church, Ballinger, at 2 p.m. Sunday, February 17.

Burial was in Evergreen Cemetery under the direction of Rains-Seale Funeral Home. Pallbearers were Tom Sykes, Grider Hays, Howard Branley, Roland Koch, J.B. Arrott, and LeRoy Muller.

Born December 13, 1907 in Decatur, she was the daughter of Carl C. and Willie Mae (Golden) Smith. She married Elton Oran Grant on August 23, 1941 in Ballinger. He preceded her in death in November of 1957.

She was a real estate broker for 39 years in Ballinger. She was named to Who's Who in American Women in 1984. She was a member of First Baptist Church, Ballinger, where she taught Sunday School. She was also a member of the Ballinger Chamber of Commerce and the Texas Realtor Association.

Survivors include a daughter, Martha Grant Cherry, Ballinger, and a grandson, Grant David Cherry, Ballinger.

## Polk H. McAdams

Polk Hensley McAdams, 56, of North Little Rock, Arkansas, a former employee of Coleman Dairy, died Saturday, February 2.

Services were conducted by Reverend Will Deerman in the Rest Hills Funeral Home. Burial was in the Rest Hills Cemetery, Little Rock.

He was a member of the Southwest Assembly of God Church.

Survivors include a son, Michael McAdams, Cabot, Arkansas; two brothers, W.D.

McAdams, Robert Lee, and Donald McAdams, Iraan; four sisters, Lillie Combs and Verba Groves, both of Big Spring, Melba Grun, Ovalo, and Patsy Sue Mardis, Denham Springs, Louisiana.

## Eugene Traylor

Horace Eugene Traylor, 71 of Winters died at 3:01 p.m. Saturday in the Ballinger Care Center.

He was born August 4, 1913, in Mt. Pleasant, Texas.

He was the son of W.E. and Oma Ann Traylor. He moved with his family to Runnels County in 1915 from Mt. Pleasant and had lived in the Crews and Winters area ever since.

He was a member of the Baptist Church. He served in the U.S. Army during World War II. Survivors include two sister-in-laws; Mrs. Marvin Traylor Sr. of Winters and Mrs. Jewell Traylor of Bossier City, La. Several neices and nephews also survived.

Services were held in the Winters Memorial Chapel at 10:30 a.m. Monday, February 25. Rev. Glenn Shoemaker minister of the First Baptist Church officiated. Burial was in the Crews Cemetery under the direction of the Winters Funeral Home.

Pallbearers were: David Carroll Sr., Paul C. Gerhardt, Ralph Whittenberg, Bill Mayo, Douglas Cole and Ronald Presley.

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### Notes

#### ADMISSIONS

February 19  
George Lloyd  
Virginia Schwartz  
Barbara Edwards  
Jessie Collom

February 20  
Eula Gardner

February 21  
Allen Perrie  
Andrew Woodcox

February 22  
None

February 23  
Winnie Adams

February 24  
None

February 25  
Billie Lindley  
Laurie Ysa

#### DISMISSALS

February 19  
Gloria DeLa Cruz  
Ella Wayne Russell  
Eugene Traylor  
Juan Avila

February 20  
Dessie Jernigan  
Jessica DeLa Rosa

February 21  
None

February 22  
Jessie Collom  
Winnie Hatley  
Arlie West  
Barbara Edwards

February 23  
Virginia Schwartz  
Eula Gardner

February 24  
Andrew Woodcox  
Allen Perrie

February 25  
None



Mustard first appeared in paste form in 1720. It was sold by Mrs. Clements of Durham, England, in earthenware pots covered with parchment from legal documents.

# Texas Most Wanted

Drug dealers live a paranoid existence. Not only do they live in fear of detection by the law, but they also have to worry about each other.

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One such crime occurred more than a year ago near Edinburg, Texas.

Police reports indicate that two men were killed, apparently after a drug deal went awry, on September 23, 1983.

Detectives say the victims were abducted from their homes, then taken to a rural area outside McAllen. Their hands were bound behind their backs and the men were forced to kneel down on the ground. One of the victims was shot, while the second had his throat cut. Amazingly, one of them survived.

The Hidalgo County Sheriff's Department obtained arrest warrants for Roel and Ruben Reyes, charging them with Capital Murder, Attempted Capital Murder, two counts of Aggravated Robbery and two counts of Aggravated Kidnapping. Ruben Reyes was arrested at his job and is awaiting trial.

However, Roel Garza Reyes remains at large. Detectives believe he might be in the Dallas-Fort Worth area. He was last seen driving a black Cadillac.

## GTE sets cable

1984 and 1985 telephone improvements in Winters include a substantial investment in a new long distance cable, said General Telephone's E. O. Cambern.

"This cable will provide customers in both Winters and Ballinger with a higher level of call completion and reliability," said Cambern. "A portion of the cable will utilize fiber optics, a relatively new technology which uses light pulses to transmit telephone conversations." The official also noted during 1984 GTE expanded its facilities to allow for growth of the community, especially in rural areas.



Roel Garza Reyes

year and model unknown.

Roel Reyes is 28, 5-4, 180 pounds, with black hair and brown eyes. The Hidalgo County Sheriff's Department advises that Reyes should be considered armed and dangerous.

This week Reyes has been made the subject of Texas Most Wanted. A \$1,000 reward is being offered for the next 12 month period for information leading to Reyes' capture. Anyone with information about his possible whereabouts is asked to call the Texas Crime Stoppers Advisory Council toll-free at 1-800-252-8477 or their local Crime Stoppers program to become eligible for the reward.

"Two of Winters' main growth areas are along Farm Road 53 and 1770. Not only have we added more cable, we have upgraded existing cable," noted Cambern. "We have also replaced damaged telephone poles as part of this project."

General Telephone Company of the Southwest currently serves nearly 1,500 business and residential customers in the Winters exchange, provides 12 public telephones and some 2,300 telephone instruments. GTE operates a local service agency in Winters at Springer Fabrics, 104 N. Main. At this location, customers may initiate, add to or discontinue service as well as pay telephone bills Cambern said.

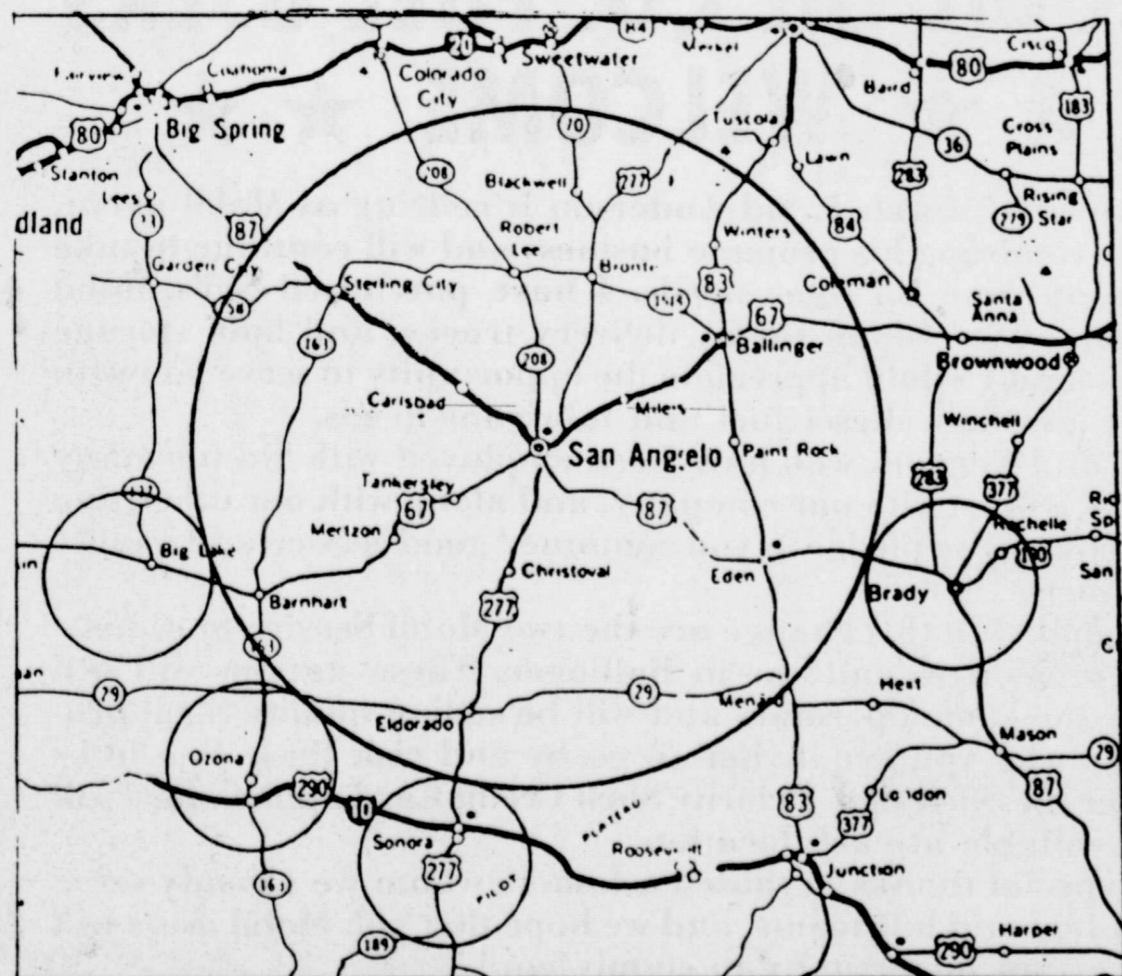


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**March 4-8  
MONDAY**  
Cheese toast or cinnamon toast, juice, milk

**TUESDAY**  
Cinnamon rolls, fruit, milk

**WEDNESDAY**  
Sausage, gravy, hot biscuits, juice, milk

**THURSDAY**  
Pancakes, syrup, juice, milk

**FRIDAY**  
Bacon, eggs, hot biscuits, juice, milk

**LUNCHROOM MENU**

**March 4-8  
MONDAY  
WEST SIDE**  
Hamburger with cheese, lettuce, tomato, pickles, French fries, catsup, fruit, cinnamon rolls, milk

**EAST SIDE**  
Beef stew, green beans, fried okra, cole slaw, cinnamon rolls, cornbread, milk

**TUESDAY  
WEST SIDE**  
Hamburger, lettuce, tomato, pickles, French fries, catsup, fruit, peanut butter cookies, milk

**EAST SIDE**  
Spaghetti with meat sauce, corn, tossed green salad, sliced peaches, peanut butter cookies, garlic bread, milk

**WEDNESDAY  
WEST SIDE**  
Hamburger, lettuce, tomato, pickles, French fries, catsup, pinto beans, vanilla pudding, milk

**EAST SIDE**  
Pizza, seasoned pinto beans, Spanish rice, tossed green salad, vanilla pudding, cornbread, milk

**THURSDAY  
WEST SIDE**  
Hot dogs with chili and cheese, French fries, catsup, pork and beans, butter ice box cookies, milk

**EAST SIDE**  
Turkey roast, gravy, whipped potatoes, green beans, tossed green salad, butter ice box cookies, hot rolls, milk

**FRIDAY  
WEST SIDE**  
Hamburger, lettuce, tomato, pickles, nachos, cake, fruit, milk

**EAST SIDE**  
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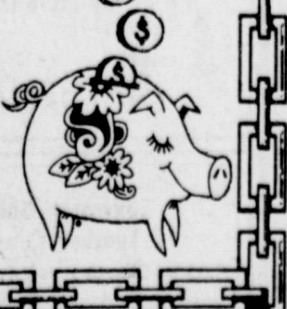
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**Focus February 1985**

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**Most Likely to Succeed**

Voted by their senior classmates as most likely to succeed were Stacey Grissom and Michael Lee.

**Little Miss contestants named**

Forty-one girls from the Runnels Area have entered the 1985 Our Little Miss Pageant, set for Saturday, March 2 in the Ballinger High School Auditorium. The finals will begin at 7 p.m., with ticket prices being \$3 for adults and \$1.50 for children under 12. Program books will be sold at the door for \$2 each.

Special entertainment will be Bandi Kilpatrick, Texas State Miss La Petite; Michelle Wallace, Texas State Talent Winner; Connie Chaney, Runnels Area Our Little Miss; Jackie Connor, Runnels Area Ideal Miss; and Jennifer Harrison.

Baby contestants include Sarah Blessing, daughter of Ronnie and Kaila Blessing of Ballinger; Kristian Faith Castillo, daughter of Richard and Di Castillo, Ballinger; Holly Susan Englert, daughter of Robert and Rose Englert, Norton; La Tasha Fields, daughter of Thomas and Tammie Fields, Winters; Missy French, daughter of Glyn and Cindy French, Paint Rock; Meagan Galvan, daughter of Rudy and Lisa Galvan, Ballinger; Jessica Hallmark, daughter of Danny and Mickie Hallmark, Ballinger; Wendy Ann Lange, daughter of John

and Tina Lange, Rowena; Erica Nicole Poe, daughter of Perry and Jeannie Poe, Winters; Chel'C Diandra Rankin, daughter of Steven and Paula Rankin, Miles; Ashlee Ann Whitesell, daughter of Mike and Marla Whitesell, Miles.

The Petite contestants include Chantale Albert, daughter of Dr. Antoine and Danielle Albert, Ballinger; Kristi Ann Anglin, daughter of Doug and Sue Anglin, Ballinger; Cristi D'Lynn Burton, daughter of Tommy and Brenda Burton, Winters; Mandi Jeanne Gerhart, daughter of Walter and Andrea Gerhart, Paint Rock; Bridget Jerie Goetz, daughter of Michael and Melissa Goetz, Ballinger; Angela Elaine Jacob, daughter of Gary and Dinell Jacob, Winters; Kimberly Denise Hall, daughter of Kerry and Donna Hall, Winters; Jeanna M. Kozelsky, daughter of Michael and Carol Kozelsky, Winters; Mandy Jo Marks, daughter of Riley and Sherri Marks, Winters; Desire McGarvey, daughter of Jeanette M. McGarvey, Ballinger; Amber Poe, daughter of Perry and Jeanine Poe, Winters; Amy Elaine Riley, daughter of Mike and Suzann Riley, Ballinger; Katelyn Michelle Roach, daughter of Travis and Paula Roach, Ballinger.

Our Little Miss contestants include Jennifer Bickel, daughter of Stan and Gayle Bickel, Ballinger; Tracye Binder, daughter of Ed and Karen Binder, Ballinger; Shauna Goetz, daughter of Gary and Karen Goetz, Ballinger; Brandi Michum, daughter of Marion and Debbie Smith, Ballinger; Julie Michelle Riley, daughter of Mike and Suzann Riley, Ballinger; Netasha Smith, granddaughter of Van and Jimmie Whittenburg, Winters; Regina Tatum, daughter of Dr. Bill and Deanous Tatum, Ballinger; and Robin Wright, daughter of Randy and Fayann Wright of Miles.

Entries will still be accepted until February 28, 1985.

**New graduation test material explained**

The Texas Education Agency recently sent the Winters Independent School District a detailed explanation of a new test which high school students must pass, beginning in 1987, in order to receive a diploma.

The test, which will include mathematics and English language arts, will be administered to eleventh grade students in October 1985. Those who do not perform satisfactorily on both the math and English sections of the test will have opportunities in May 1986 and in October and May of their twelfth grade year to pass both sections of the exam.

Beginning in 1987, high school diplomas must be withheld from those students who have not demonstrated satisfactory performance by the end of their twelfth grade year. However, they may return and take the test at a later date and will be issued a diploma when they pass both parts of the test.

High school students have taken the exit level of the Texas Assessment of Basic Skills for several years, but passing it was not required before receiving a diploma.

The local school received a long list of objectives which will be the basis for exit level testing for 1986-1990, and copies were provided to students in grades eight, nine, and ten.

Most questions on the test will be multiple choice, with four possible answers from which to choose. A brief overview of the nine-page list of objectives is included below.

**Mathematics**

Among math concepts to be tested are these: putting numbers in order from least to greatest, including decimals and integers, negative and positive numbers; rounding of numbers; changing fractions to decimals or percents, and vice versa; and exponential notation.

Also, problems with fractions, mixed numbers, decimals, and integers must be solved. Problems will involve addition, subtraction, multiplication, and division.

Word problems will require the use of several steps, formulas, proportions, percents or units of measure. Some word problems will require the student to figure averages, simple probability, and use charts and graphs.

Geometric concepts will be tested, including the calculation of area, perimeter, circumference, and volume of a given figure. The Pythagorean theorem, sum of angles of a triangle, bisected lines, and right angles will be eligible for testing.

Algebraic concepts on the exam will include determining the value of a variable in an

**equation.**

**Reading**

Students must identify the main idea of a selection written on a reading level between grades 9.3 and 11.3. They must also answer questions on word definitions, using context clues, and structural analysis.

Details of a written selection will be questioned regarding who, what, when, where, how, why, how much, how many, or which; and the order of events in the story or article will also be asked.

Students will be asked to make inferences based on a selection, such as determining cause and effect, making comparisons and judgments, and drawing logical conclusions.

Selecting and using appropriate reference materials, such as a dictionary, encyclopedia, thesaurus, index, table of contents, map, graph, atlas, etc., will be tested.

Distinguishing between fact and opinion will be included, as will analysis of a piece of literature as to plot, characters, setting, theme, etc.

Other areas to be covered include capitalization, punctuation, spelling, usage, sentence formation, combining sentences, organizing paragraphs, and proofreading for errors.

**Lancasters earn honors at A&M**

Two students from Winters have earned "Distinguished Student" at Texas A&M University.

Recipients of the "Distinguished Student" honor must earn at least a 3.25 grade point ratio, out of a possible 4.0, during the most recent grading period. The student must also be registered for 15 semester hours.

Students named to the list include: Brent A. Lancaster, junior and Scott H. Lancaster, freshman. Both are biomedical science majors.

**Both Sides**

"The only woman who'll listen to both sides of an argument is the woman who lives next door." Beacon, Philadelphia

**Winters girl named to TLC Dean's List**

Elizabeth Flathmann was among the one hundred thirty-two Texas Lutheran College students named to the Dean's List for the 1984 fall semester.

TLC academic dean Dr. James Halseth announced the list of honor students this week, noting that an honoree must maintain a 3.5 grade point average and complete at least 12 semester hours.

"Each of these students is an exemplary citizen of our academic community," Halseth said in announcing the list. "Each of them upholds Texas Lutheran's commitment to academic excellence and we express great pride in each of these individuals."

**ACU Dean's List reported**

Ketta Lou Walker, daughter of Carlos and Bennie Walker of Route 2, Box 20 in Wingate is one of 648 Abilene Christian University students listed on the Dean's Honor Roll for the fall 1984.

To be listed on the honor roll a student must earn at least a 3.45 grade point average on a 4.0 scale while enrolled for a grade in at least 12 semester hours.

Abilene Christian University is the fourth largest private university in the Southwest and the largest undergraduate institution nationwide affiliated with the Churches of Christ.

Its more than 4,600 students enroll in one of the five undergraduate colleges or the graduate school that together make up the university.

**Dance slated for Friday in Tuscola**

The Jim Ned Band Boosters Club will sponsor a dance Friday, March 1 from 8 to 12 p.m. in their high school's old gym.

The Outlaw Summer Band will play. Admission is \$5 for singles and \$8 for couples.

The American Heart Association wants you to know the warning signs of a heart attack: uncomfortable pressure, fullness, squeezing or pain in the center of your chest lasting two minutes or more. Pain may spread to shoulders, neck or arms. Severe pain, dizziness, fainting, sweating, nausea or shortness of breath may also occur. Seek help immediately.

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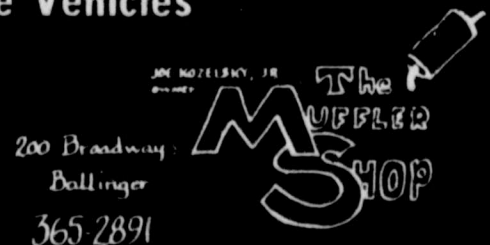


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## World Day of Prayer slated

World Day of Prayer will be held this year at St. John's Lutheran Church on Friday, March 1 at 2 p.m. All men and women of the community are invited to attend.

On this day Church Women United joins with women in 170 countries and regions in a movement of "informed prayer and prayerful action."

The service for 1985 on the theme "Peace through Prayer and Action" has been prepared by women of India. A fellowship time will follow the service.

## Banquet

Everyone is invited to attend, tickets are \$7.50 and a good meal is promised from Mrs. Lavada Haupt and her cafeteria staff. Tickets can be purchased from any of the following places in Winters: The Chamber Office, Alderman-Cave, director Murray Edwards, Country Cobbler and Western Outfitters from Arch Jobe, Benny Polston at his CPA office, Winters Farm Equipment from Bob Prewit, from Glenn Shoemaker at his office at First Baptist Church, from Stephen Byrne at his office at St. John Lutheran Church, Winters City Hall from Scott Epperson, Fashion Shop from Suzan Marks, Merle Norman Studio from Mary Lynn Presley, Jedd Manufacturing from Lois West, Peoples National Bank from Leon Groves, Winters State Bank from Cindy Smith. Tickets can also be purchased at the Security State Bank, Wingate, from Edna Self, also at the Ballinger Chamber of Commerce and the Coleman Chamber of Commerce.

A large crowd is expected to honor Winters for this special 95th year and to honor deserving citizens of Winters.

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## Scouts

Mike Bennett, Assistant Scoutmaster. "The winds blew tents down and the inch rain soaked the rest. Two of the boys pitched their tents in a small depression they didn't realize was even there until it filled with water," he continued.

"The boys were well prepared for the rain as the last three campouts they had been on had featured rain, wet, and cold," he explained.

At the competition on Saturday, the Panther Patrol got the maximum score in knot tying, lashing, and compass course. They placed second in fire starting with a time of three minutes 15 seconds, and took second in first aid.

The Night Hawk Patrol took maximum points in lashing and first aid and second in knot tying, signaling, and tent pitching.

"The Panthers busted the signal event because they reversed their dots and dashes," Bennett reported. "The Night Hawks busted in fire starting because their bird nest was wet," he added.

The boys competed as a troop in the Chili Cookoff, and as already stated, brought home top honors.

In total points, the troop placed second overall, a very good showing.

The boys were accompanied by Randy Nolte, Assistant Scoutmaster.

## Battered women are not to blame

It is very important for a battered woman to realize that she is not to blame for domestic violence.

There are conflicts and disagreements in every relationship. When we live with someone else there are always ups and downs.

No one is perfect. We have bad moods; we argue; we nag; we make mistakes; we get on each other's nerves and annoy each other.

When you do things like this he could ignore it, he could leave, or he could talk to you about it. But he hits. That's his choice, his responsibility. You do not "deserve" to be battered; you are not to blame, and you are not alone-help is available.

The County Liaison from the Family Shelter will be in Paint Rock on March 21 at the Courthouse from 1:30 to 3:30.

No appointment is necessary, and all services are free and confidential. For more information, call 655-5744, collect.

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## Congratulations and Best Wishes Announcing

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## Left the scene

This car was impounded by Winters Police officers after it was involved in a hit and run accident this past week end. The teenage driver of the car was arrested on charges of DWI and leaving the scene of an accident.

Officers said the car collided with a parked pick up, owned by Travis Walston. The pick up was at a residence on east Truitt Street when it was struck by the car.

Officers said that the car was located by officers several blocks away from the accident scene. The car was impounded by police after the driver was arrested.

## WHS band parents, Texas boosters will meet

On March 4 at 7 p.m., the Winters Band Boosters will meet in the Band Hall. The attendance of all band parents and boosters will be greatly appreciated. During the meeting, the annual Salad Luncheon, the group's big Spring fund raiser, will be planned.

"The officers solicit your attendance and help as they plan and assign jobs to be carried out, so this project will be a success. Our Salad Luncheon has been praised in the past. Please meet with us March 4th and help plan our best Salad Luncheon," said Nancy Bryan, Band Boosters President.

## Bran adds fiber

Bran muffins, breads and cereals are well-known as foods that add fiber to the diet. Now spaghetti with ten percent bran can be added to that list. Bran spaghetti has more than three times as much dietary fiber as regular spaghetti, says Texas A&M University Agricultural Extension Service nutritionist Marilyn A. Haggard. The ten percent bran spaghetti also contains much higher levels of protein, iron, calcium, manganese, phosphorous and zinc that spaghetti without bran, she says.

## Texas

was to carry a complement of 24 officers and 147 men, and was allowed 30 muskets, 10 pistols, and 30 cutlasses for arms. On April 20, 1840, Texas President Lamar changed the name to the AUSTIN, then transferred her to the United States Navy in 1846. Two years later she ran aground and broke up.

The second TEXAS became the Navy's first battleship, launched in 1889 and involved in the Spanish-American War. In 1911 she was decommissioned and named SAN MARCOS. Sometime later, she was sunk as a target for gunfire practice.

The third TEXAS (BB-35) was commissioned in 1914. Highly advanced for her time, she quickly earned a reputation as one of the finest gunnery ships in the Navy. After the Japanese attack on Pearl Harbor, TEXAS served as an escort for convoys to Europe, and later to the Pacific to fight the Japanese. Following the war, TEXAS was decommissioned and moved to the San Jacinto Battleground in Houston, where she remains today as a memorial.

The fourth and current TEXAS (CGN-39) was commissioned September 10, 1977, and is a Virginia class cruiser. She

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## Lower long distance rates now available

On February 6, 1985, a unique, high quality, low cost long distance telephone service was made available to virtually every town and city in Texas.

While most of the larger cities are served by various companies, very few of the smaller regions have had any competition to AT&T. Now, a Texas Based company, which provides access to all fifty states, Puerto Rico, and the Virgin Islands, is marketing to all Texas residents.

Lynn Yocum, a representative of Long Distance Associates, one of the marketers of this service, commented on the uniqueness of the service. "One of the greatest features of this service is the fact that the rate structure is so simple - 35 cents per minute from 8 a.m. to 5 p.m., 25 cents per minute from 11 p.m. to 5 p.m. and on weekends.

This simply means that you don't have to be a mathematician to figure how much you are spending on any telephone call. The service allows Alaska, Hawaii, and coast-to-coast access by subscribers at the same flat rate that a 50 mile call would cost."

This service began initially in June of 1984, and is now in over 100 major metropolitan cities throughout the nation in just nine months.

Along with the simplified, low rates, one of the reasons for the phenomenal growth of this service lies in its unique network marketing plan.

Rather than utilizing the traditional (and expensive) methods of advertising to build a customer base, this service uses highly successful friendship marketing techniques.

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ly use the service and benefit from cheaper rates, can recommend it to their friends and associates around the United States

Because there are no products to stock and sell, many individuals who have normally resisted the typical multi-level marketing businesses are becoming involved.

The representatives for this service are as diverse as those who use long distance telephone as a daily tool. Doctors, salesmen, students, ministers, lawyers, housewives, retirees and people from age 18 to 91 make up the broad spectrum of representatives.

Now that the entire state of Texas is on the service, representatives are being sought in every city and region. Asked if he thought that recruiting people in these new areas would be difficult, Yocum responded, "No, we will grow rapidly because not only do people realize a savings of 30 per cent to 50 per cent over normal long distance billing, they will also receive a check each month for sharing the service with their friends. And how many times have you ever gotten a check back from the telephone company?"

Some of the other features of the service include a travel card for use as the subscriber uses the telephone away from his home region, and no monthly fees.

Those wishing more information about the service and becoming an Independent Communication Consultant associated with L.D. Associates, should contact them at their Dallas office-10920 Indian Trail, Suite 201, Dallas, Texas 75229 (214)620-9195, or 245-6950.

## 4-H members place at stock show

Runnels County 4-H members exhibited their breeding sheep, heifers, and barrows at the San Antonio Livestock Show on February 11-17.

In the breeding sheep division, Ballinger 4-H Club member Audra Dunn placed 10th and Amy Dunn placed 13th with their Suffolk ewes.

In the market barrow show, Scott Hoelscher of Olfen placed 12th with his heavyweight Hampshire. Paul Kalina of Miles placed 17th in the medium weight Hampshire class, while Diane Kalina received 20th place ranking for her medium weight crossbred barrow.

Also exhibiting barrows were Scott Matschek of Rowena and Mark Kalina of Miles.

John Dankworth of Ballinger

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showed his Simmental heifer to a 15th place ranking and Lucy Buxkemper, also of Ballinger, exhibited her Simbrah heifers to a first place and second place ranking.

"All of the Runnels County 4-H members represented themselves very well during the San Antonio Livestock Exposition," said Curtis Thompson, Assistant County Extension Agent.

## Election judges school scheduled

On Tuesday, March 5, 1985, staff from the office of the Secretary of State will be in Abilene to conduct an Election Judges School for persons who will be involved in conducting upcoming local elections.

The school will cover all aspects of the elections process which fall under the administrative jurisdiction of Election Judges. A video visual presentation, covering pre-election preparations, will be featured and a time for questions and answers will be provided. Handbooks for Election Judges and Clerks will also be provided.

The session will run from 10 a.m. to 12 noon; there is no charge for the school.

City Secretaries and designated Election Judges, School Superintendents and Board officials, and officials from Soil and Water Conservation Districts and Special Districts from throughout the area are among those toward whom the school will be directed.

West Central Texas Council of Governments will be hosting the session in its Administrative Offices, 1025 East North 10th Street at the corner of Judge Ely Boulevard in Abilene. Persons interested in attending should contact WCTCG at (915) 672-8544 for further information.



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