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Wait a minute...

By Kerry Craig
Normally I spend Tuesday nights writing news stories, making up stories, and writing this column. This week, however, this is all being done on Monday evening.

This is one of those weeks when an editor is faced with the problem of what news will be printed and what will not. The problem is what news is there, much less whether we print it or not.

My predecessor was often accused, at times like these, of just using the news that was left over from the week before.

With a short week to start with, there just wasn't time for news to happen. Too many folks were either behaving themselves, or gone hunting something, or other.

We find ourselves, this week, faced with barely more than two options. One option would be a giant-size headline that reads, "News Shortage Grips Area!", the other option would be to just make something up.

A bunch of folks have asked why we didn't have a story about that civil suit against the mayor. There is an answer for that—actually two answers.

The first answer is that a suit of that nature should be tried in a courtroom with a judge, jury, and attorneys, not on the front page of the news paper.

The other answer, it would seem to be a waste of space to spend time writing a story about something that folks have been talking about for weeks.

We all know what the allegations in the suit are. When the finding of the court is found, then there will be a story. Maybe, by doing it that way, I can get ahead of everybody else and tell you something that you didn't know already.

I am getting ready to put an end to the steak story—forever, I hope.

As a result of the Great American Smoke Out last week Gary Turner presented me with the required list of confirmed quitters, people who have quit smoking.

In return for that list, I am the one who now has to dig deep and furnish the steak dinner, with all the trimmings.

The whole episode of the steak has been fun, especially for me and, hopefully, for Gary Turner. Regardless of who gets the steak and who buys, there are some folks that are really the winners, those that have quit smoking.

Gary called them stars and I agree. It takes a lot of self control, will power, and guts to kick a habit like that. The folks that make it should be recognized.

In the list that Gary brought were these folks that have quit smoking in the past year: C. R. Pinkerton, Dawson McGuffin, Lillian Hendrix, Pat Wood, Tobin Burns, Buddy Price, Hanna Price (how is the new computer), Joannie McAdoo, Garland Crouch, Shirley Crouch, and Nell Patton.

There are also that should be recognized for their kicking the habit more than one year ago. They are: Jim Black, Father John Hoorman, Nancy Bradshaw, Jiggs Nichols, Gary Turner, and me.

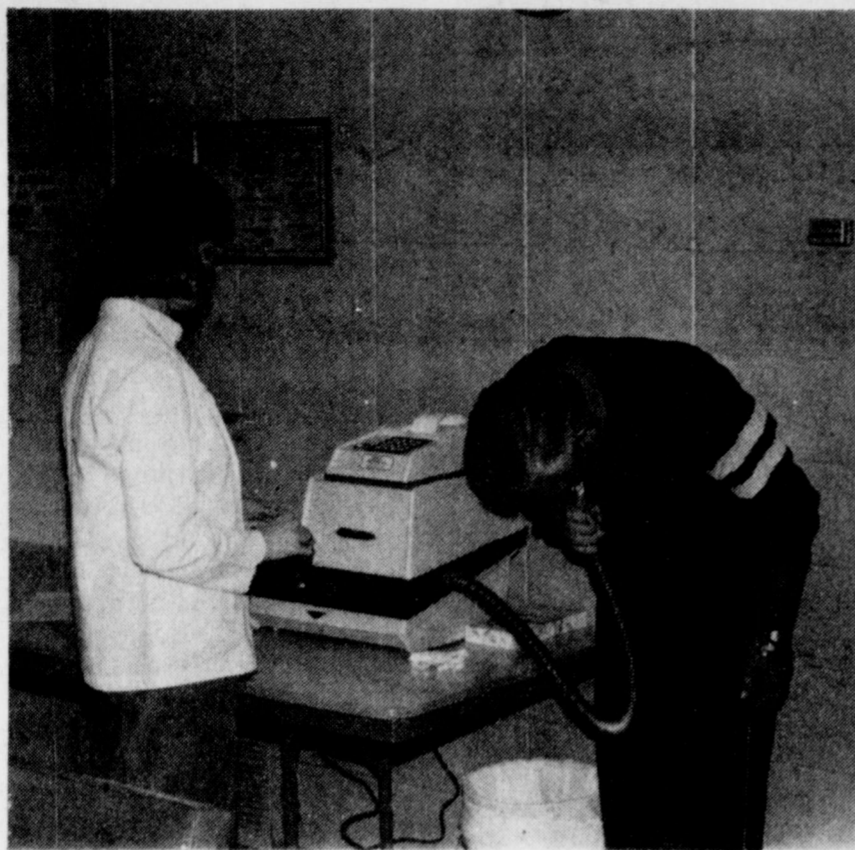
Now Gary is going to get his steak. While the meat is cooking we should also say thanks to the folks who have called, written, and visited with us about the original bet. We have had response from both the east and west coast and many points in between.

We also were honored by the American Cancer Society for the whole deal.

On one thing you can bet, though, we will keep something going and remind you every once in a while how important it is to not smoke.

Our office will be closed Wednesday, Thursday, and Friday for the holiday.

From our house to yours, Happy Thanksgiving.



Blow hard

Dawson McGuffin gives it all he's got in testing on the pulmonary function machine Thursday during the Great American Smoke Out. Respiratory Therapist Karen Carter administered the lung capacity tests to a number of people during the day. The test was to give people an accurate picture of what effect smoking has on their lungs. McGuffin kicked the habit earlier this year.

Ted Meyer resigns from Winters City Council

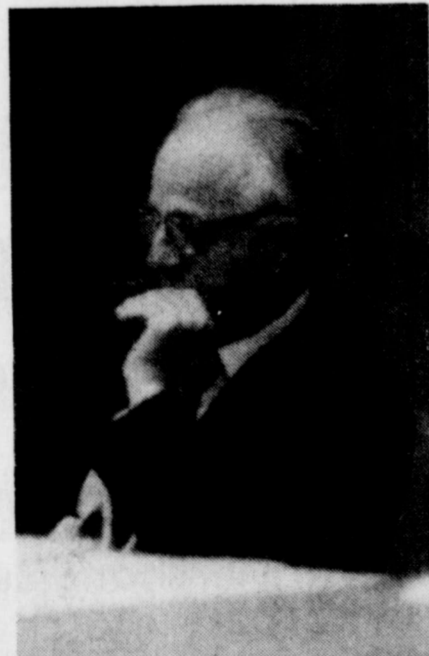
In the regular meeting last week, the Winters City Council accepted the resignation of Alderman Ted Meyer.

Meyer told the council in early October that he would be leaving the council after the November 17, meeting. He cited business interests as one of the main reasons for stepping down from the council seat he has held for some seven years.

During Meyer's tenure on the council, a number of major steps were taken by the City of Winters. Among those steps was the creation of the office of city administrator, the start of construction and subsequent completion of Winters-Elm Creek Reservoir, the construction of a new waste-water treatment facility, and the start of construction on the much needed fresh water treatment plant.

The council accepted Meyer's resignation, with regret.

Meyer will be missed on the Winters City Council. He has been an outspoken member of the council and seldom misunderstood.



Ted Meyer resigns seat

December 11 next date for Commodities Distribution

The Winters Commodities Distribution date has been permanently changed from the first Thursday of the month to the second Thursday of the month, effective in December.

Mrs. Judy Lanning, Center Director of the Multi-purpose Center located at 601 West Pierce where the Commodities are distributed each month, states that the change is necessary in order to insure that Winters' clients will receive the complete allocation of USDA commodities available every month.

Butter and cheese is always allocated, but the other items issued by the USDA fluctuate

Lone Star Gas has increased rates in Ballinger three times in the past six years.

The council called a public hearing on the Lone Star

In other business last week, the council heard a presentation from John McMinn, of Lone Star Gas Company, with regard to a rate increase being sought by that company.

McMinn told the council that this was the first rate increase in Winters in a number of years.

quest for Monday, December 1. The new rates will become effective on December 18.

The council heard the regular report from General Telephone's Fred Wright. Wright said that his was a courtesy visit to answer any

questions the council might have and to receive any complaints.

Wright told the council that the phone company was seeking permission from the Public Utility Commission to set tariffs for emergency number service, 911.

He said that the 911 concept was being studied by the state and could, by next year, be required. The phone utility, Wright said, would not charge the rates for 911 in any area where the emergency phone service was not available.

The council met in executive session during that meeting to confer with the city attorney

concerning a claim for damages sustained by an automobile when a street caved-in during a heavy rain.

Also, in that closed session, the council met with the police department concerning the 12-hour shifts now being worked by the three police officers.

No action was taken by the council following the executive meeting.

every month—last month the honey allocation was not received in time for Winters to be counted in the distribution. By changing the date to the second Thursday of each month, Winters will be able to receive the entire monthly allocation of USDA commodities issued.

Mrs. Lanning would like to thank the volunteers who assist each month in the sacking and distribution process. Mrs. Alice Hale, Co-ordinator of VISTA volunteers, is available at 754-4443 from 8 a.m. to 5 p.m. Monday through Friday if you would like to talk with her about volunteering for Winters Multi-purpose Center.

Holiday plans are in full swing

The Holiday Season is here and the whole town is banding together to make this a big time in Winters.

Friday night, December 5, will be a time for late night shopping and 'Green Light Specials' in downtown Winters. Stores will be open until 9 p.m. to give everyone the opportunity to shop for special bargains. Santa will be in town to visit with the children and give away candy to all the good little boys and girls.

Saturday, December 6, will be a busy day full of Christmas fun. Lovely Sno-Queen candidates will begin the day by meeting with the judges for interviews in the pursuit of the 1987 Sno-Queen title. Besides the Sno-Queen title, two contestants will be named as first and second runners up, a Miss Congeniality Award and a prize for the most clever and resourcefully decorated contestant car. The new Sno-Queen and runners up will be named following the

Winners named in county 4-H food show Saturday

The Runnels County 4-H Food Show was held Saturday at the National Guard Armory in Ballinger.

First place winner in each category will attend the District 4-H Show in San Angelo on December 13. Following is a list of the results.

Senior Division:
Breads and Cereals—1. Daria Smith, Ballinger.

Main Dish—1. Melody Fenchler, Ballinger. Other blue ribbon winner David Fincher, Ballinger.

Fruits and Vegetables—1. Marci Caffey, Ballinger.

Nutritious Snacks and Desserts—1. Caroline Niehues, Norton. Red ribbon winners were Audra Dunn, Ballinger, and Valerie Lang, Ballinger.

Intermediate Division:
Main Dish—1. Paul Schwertner. Additional blue ribbon to Tabatha Lee Halfmann, Rowena. Red ribbon winners were Sherri Pratt, Ballinger, and Susan Hearn, Ballinger.

Fruits and Vegetables—1. Jennifer Bickel, Ballinger. Red Ribbons were to Mary Bennefield, Ballinger, and Misty Tucker, Miles.

Nutritious Snacks and Desserts—1. Leslie Moeller, Miles. Blue ribbon to Lonny Caughron, Ballinger, Red ribbon winners were Brandee Tucker, Miles, and Neal Niehues, Norton.

Breads and Cereals—1. Kendra McCown, Miles. Blue ribbon winners were Kerry Bradley, Ballinger; Heather Schwertner, Rowena; Tracey Binder, Ballinger. Red ribbon winners were Wendy Sonnenberg, Miles and Deron Robinson, Norton.

Junior Division
Main Dish—1. Rhonda Bethel, Winters. Other blue ribbon winners were Bridget Mansell, Ballinger; Tabatha Grohman, Winters; Gail Hinders, Miles; and Tiffany Hoffmann, Ballinger. Red ribbon winners were Jodi Weant, Ballinger, and Amy Dunn, Ballinger.

Fruit and Vegetables—1. Jeannie Caldwell, Ballinger. Blue ribbons to Jill Halfmann and Tammy Strube, both of Norton, and Karl Carmichael, Miles. Red ribbon winners were Jason Strube, Rowena, and Tandra Tucker, Miles.

Bread and Cereals—1. Angie Hohensee, Miles. Other blue ribbon winners were Brandy Pinkler, Rowena; Marcille Gray, Miles; Barbara Belk, Norton. Red ribbon Michelle Linden-

parade, in front of the Chamber of Commerce Office.

A Christmas Bazaar will be held in the old Piggly Wiggly building on South Main Street beginning at 9 a.m. and continuing until 5:30 p.m. the Saturday of the parade. Local organizations and individuals will have gifts, crafts, baked good, etc. for sale during the day.

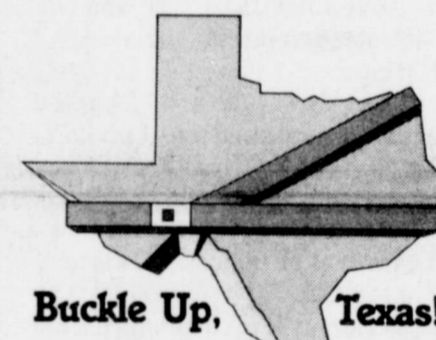
Entertainment by the Methodist Hand Bell Choir and the Baptist Youth Choir will be part of the days enjoyment.

The North Runnels Cancer Society will be selling hot dogs and cold drinks during the day, giving everyone the opportunity to fill their tummies and help the cancer drive.

Santa will be honored with a Sesquicentennial Christmas Parade with the theme "We'll Be Home For Christmas". The parade will begin at 3 p.m. from the Winters State Bank parking area and proceed north on Main Street. Everyone is invited to

take part in the parade to help make this the best Christmas Parade ever. Entry blanks and rules can be found in this paper or can be picked up at the Chamber office and at the Elementary and High School offices. The Winters Blizzard Band and the Junior High Band will be appearing in the parade along with some surprises.

In addition to the December 5 and 6 events, 53 local merchants and places of business are participating in an elaborate 'Cold Cash Giveaway' with the business conducting individual drawings for a \$50 bill making a total of \$2,650 to be given away on Saturday, December 20. The serial number from one of those \$50 bills has been recorded and is in safe keeping at the Security State Bank, Wingate. The day of the drawings the lucky serial number will be announced and put on display in the Chamber office window. The winner of the \$50 bill with the lucky serial number will then receive an added \$100 bill from the Chamber of Commerce.



Every Life Saved Makes a Happier Thanksgiving

Winter's residents respond to need of Food Pantry

The community of Winters has responded dramatically to the published appeals for the Food Pantry at the CTO, Inc. Multi-purpose Center on West Pierce Street.

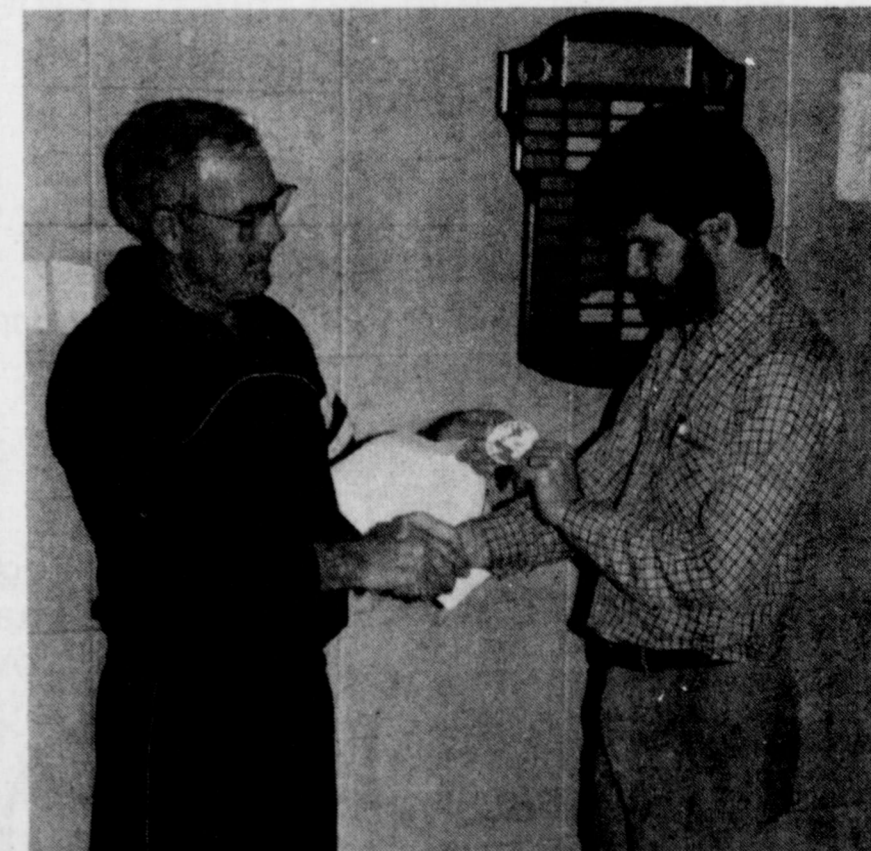
Mrs. Alice Hale, VISTA Supervisor for Volunteers, who co-ordinates this service for the community says, "On behalf of everyone at the Center—both the Volunteers and those served by the Pantry—thank you for \$762 in cash raised over the past three week period. Many in-kind groceries and clothes have also been brought in by concerned citizens who care about others. A special thank you to the church

and church groups for their support in our program."

Social Security sets December visit

Garland Gregg, representative for the San Angelo Social Security Office, has scheduled his December visit to Winters. He will be at the Housing Project Office on Monday, December 22, between 9:30 a.m. and 10:30 a.m.

Anyone who wants to file a claim for benefits, get information, or transact other business with the Social Security Administration may contact him at this time.



You're a Star

In wrapping up the day's activities Great American Smoke Out chairman Rev. Gary Turner presents Dawson McGuffin with his 'star' for giving up the smoking habit during the past year.

Turner said there were at least 18 stars recognized Thursday and that he hoped there were more that had quit smoking.

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Poe's corner
 by Charlise Poe

In The Beginning

Perhaps there are many people who would like to know how the Future Farmers of America organization began. Being one of those, I read a 50th anniversary 1978 *Texas Future Farmers* magazine presented to us by R. E. Homann of Junction, who was in town for the historic marker ceremony.

The original Smith-Hughes act that established Vocational Agriculture in the Nation's public schools was passed in 1917. During the first year of operation in Texas, there were approximately 28 schools, and the program has continued to grow. The State Association was Chartered by the National FFA in November 1929 and was the 34th state to be chartered in the Nation.

The Texas State Charter which was issued by James Y. McCallum, Secretary of State, was dated February 28, 1929.

The first FFA Chapter in Texas was organized in Winters, September 7, 1928 under the direction of R. E. Homann. This chapter received the first charter April 10, 1930.

The intent of the FFA was to give training in leadership and citizenship. The chapters would also be in a position to conduct social and recreational activities

as a group. Later the aims and purposes of the FFA were identified to develop agricultural leadership, cooperation, and citizenship. The twelve specific purposes for which the organization was formed are listed in the official FFA Manual.

Since 1965 the program has expanded to include training in agribusiness. There is also a place for the handicapped in learning farm and ranch mechanical repair and general horticulture. A well developed curriculum materials center and advet specialist program is available at Texas A&M University.

The Future Farmers of America is an integral part of the Vocational Agriculture program and offers many opportunities for leadership. In 1978 there were 919 departments in 869 schools with 62,763 students. The FFA membership was 60,814 or 94% of all students enrolled.

In the beginning FFA members participated in livestock shows, community events, encouraged community pride and took a leadership role to make the rural communities a fine place to live. Departments were first established in communities of 2,500 or less which meant rural areas.

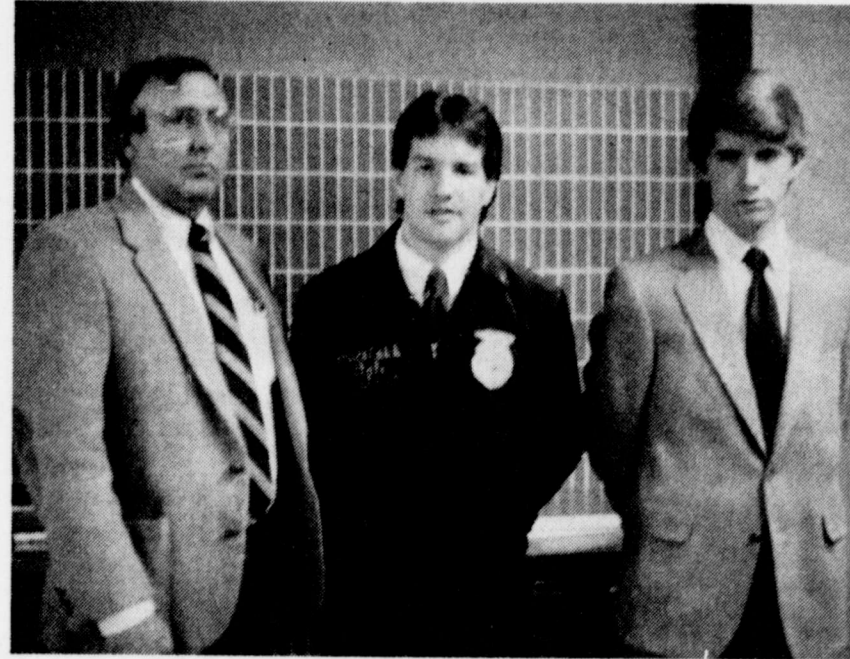
There are now over 7,000 girls



Roy Shackelford, R. E. Homann and W. C. (Bud) Davis



Roy Shackelford, Winters Instructor, R. E. Homann, Junction, Instructor in 1928 and James Binion of Abilene, member of State Board of Education when local charter was obtained



Benny Clark, Executive Secretary Texas FFA, Bruce Cobb, State FFA President, Brad Kruse, Winters FFA President

enrolled and they have added a great deal to the program. They are very competitive and have strengthened the leadership training in the FFA.

The growth of FFA in Texas has been great. Members have been provided opportunities to engage in a variety of activities. They therefore learn how to take part in meetings, follow

parliamentary procedure, speak in public, and cooperate with fellow students in programs for individual and community improvement.

Dr. J. A. Marshall, Director of Agriculture Education, in 1978 wrote the article from which I took much of my information. He said, "I can only see rich opportunities ahead for Vocational Agriculture and the FFA so long as we have strong and dedicated leadership in our State. The future rests in the hand of local program activities, and the imagination and enthusiasm exhibited by students and teachers."

Winters has always had a strong FFA and F-H program, and most of the projects have been developed to a high level of efficiency.

Morris Robinson, first to receive the American Farmer degree in 1943, was Master of



Bruce Cobb, Brad Kruse, Roy Shackelford and Frank Davis, Winters FFA Vice-President

Ceremonies for the marker dedication ceremony.

Others to receive this degree were, Bobby Penny, 1957; Ronald Colburn, 1966; Rex Marks, 1977; Bill Bredemeyer, 1981; and Russell Stone, 1986.

Winters has many boys who have become Lone Star Farmers, highest award in the State of Texas. There is also an active Young Farmers of Texas organized at the State FFA Convention in 1953.

The local Young Farmers was organized December 8, 1972. Dale Duggan is the current president.

With membership exceeding 4,500 members and comprised of 200 charters, the Texas Associa-

tion of Young Farmers remains a viable educational program for former FFA members.

"He who lived after public opinion is never rich but he who lives after nature is never poor," is a quotation that applies to farmers.

Varsity Boys beat Early in overtime

Winters Varsity Boys played Early in Winters November 18, winning in an exciting game with overtime play, final score was 49-43.

Edmund Tamez scored 21 points. Other Winters boys scoring were: Martin Martinez with 17 points, Wayne Poehls, 4; James Self 4; and Chuck Patterson with 3 points. Five out of 27 free throws were made for an average of 18.5%

Coach Farmer says of the game, "We didn't look bad for the first game of the year. We got excellent effort out of everyone and all ten players on the roster played. Edmund did a real fine job of directing our offense and shooting from outside, he was 9 out of 15 from the floor for 60%. Best of all though was his defense. Martin also had a fine game offensively and defensively and was also our leading rebounder with 12. Hopefully with a lot of hard work on our weak points we will get better."

"Our most glaring weakness was at the line where we converted a very poor 5 of 27 for 18.5%. This will improve with time and hopefully and as our conditioning gets better."

"The game was exciting all the way as the lead changed hands several times. Edmund made a clutch free throw to send the game into overtime where he and Martin took care of the scoring while Wayne Poehls, Doug Wheat, Shawn Bean and the rest of the team held Early scoreless in the second overtime to finally sewed up the first win of the year."

Card of Thanks

The family of Weldon W. King wishes to express our sincere gratitude for the loving memorial gifts, flowers, food, cards and kindnesses at the death of our husband and father and brother.

A Special Thanks to brother and sister Jon and Lavoy McNeill, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Babb, and the North Runnels Emergency Service, North Runnels Hospital, and all who tried to help.

Also, a Special Thanks to Rev. and Mrs. Charles Meyers and Rev. Melvin Byrd and the Wingate Community.

May God Bless you all.

Hospital

Notes

ADMISSIONS

- November 18
Martin Gonzales
Bellen Vinson
- November 19
Della Satterwhite
- November 20
Sabastian Quiroz
Myra Dorsett
- November 21
Brandon Killough
J. J. Tennison
- November 22
Tommy Gardner
- November 23
Laura Balkum

DISMISSALS

November 18

- Winnice Barthelemy
November 19
Sarah Brown
- November 20
Jim Calcote
- November 21
J. L. Shaw
- November 22
None
- November 23
J. J. Tennison

Happy Thanksgiving!

Thanksgiving, the day we pause in gratitude for a bountiful Mother Nature and the blessings of America.

And a day to add a special "thanks" to you who have added so much to the richness of our lives with your friendship.

WINTERS STATE BANK

Your Full Service Community Bank!

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Legal Holiday
 Thanksgiving Day
 November 27th.

ATTENTION
THANKSGIVING TRUCK LOAD SALE

(All New Merchandise—
 —Formerly TG&Y Merchandise

30 to 50% Off

At
Winters Community Center
Friday & Saturday
 November 29
 9 A.M. Until 6 P.M.
Sunday
 November 30
 1 P.M. Until 6 P.M.
Many Items For Christmas

Toys
 Jewellery
 Stationery
 Picture Frames
 Paper Goods
 Kitchen Ware
 Games
 Tools

Clothing, Men,
 Women's & Children's
 Underware
 Socks
 Cosmetics
 School Supplies
 And Much More

—You Can't Afford To Miss This Sale—

Elementary Winner
 Students vident Art Fea nounced as teachers:
 Kin Best of Sh fey, Winge teacher, Ms. Mrs. Rand Tarra Burns Misty Prtic Epperson. Mrs. Rand Jr. Barquera; 3. Jimmy Fe Lara. Ms. Emery Tekell; 2. El Randy Cotte Soto.
 Fir Best of Sho teacher, Mrs. Mrs. Dun Bagwell; 2. D Lance Gue Lohman. Mrs. McA Martinez; 2. Ericka Ann Landeros. Mrs. Bahlm chez; 2. Dust Esquivel; 4. Miss Mage son; 2. Joshu Joeris; 4. Ale Mrs. Krau 2. Joe Folsom 4. Heather W Mrs. Wyatt 2. Jeanna Ko Wright; 4. H Mrs. Burne Herrera; 2. Michael Prit Baize.
 Seco Best of Sho teacher, Mrs. Miss Ma Wilson; 2. Cl Bryan Collin Mrs. Russe Robyn Parr Brown; 4. Cr Mrs. Ahr Prewitt; 2. Tandy Brill Landeros. Mrs. Meye 2. Gary Huffn 4. Kyle Loud Mrs. Plow Perkins; 2. I Mario Rodri Lunz. Mrs. Wilk Robinson; 2. J Darrell Wo Calcote. Mrs. Bur Delores Vara Israel Vidal Tamez.
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**Winters Public Schools
BREAKFAST MENU**

MONDAY
Biscuits, sausage, gravy, apple juice, milk

TUESDAY
Buttered toast, Honey Nut Cheerios, pineapple chunks, milk

WEDNESDAY
Biscuits, rice, grape juice, milk

THURSDAY
Sopopilas, oatmeal, mixed fruit, milk

FRIDAY
Biscuits, eggs, sausage, orange juice, milk

**LUNCHROOM
MENU**

December 1-December 5

MONDAY
WEST SIDE
Hamburgers, mustard, mayonnaise, French fries, catsup, lettuce, tomatoes, pickles, milk

EAST SIDE
Meatloaf w/catsup, mashed potatoes, June peas, applesauce, hot rolls, butter, milk

TUESDAY
WEST SIDE
Ham-cheese sandwich, lettuce, tomatoes, pickles, French fries, catsup, mustard, mayonnaise, chocolate pudding

EAST SIDE
Lasagna (beef-cheese), tossed salad, buttered corn, hot rolls, butter, milk, chocolate pudding

WEDNESDAY
WEST SIDE
Corn dogs, tossed salad, French fries, catsup, mustard, mayonnaise, cherry cobbler

EAST SIDE
Same

THURSDAY
WEST SIDE
Hamburgers, lettuce, tomatoes, pickles, mustard, mayonnaise, French fries, catsup, chocolate peanut cluster, milk

EAST SIDE
Beef stew w/grilled cheese sandwich, broccoli, sliced peaches, chocolate peanut cluster, milk

FRIDAY
WEST SIDE
Chicken fried steak w/gravy, mashed potatoes, green beans, pineapple chunks, hot rolls, milk

EAST SIDE
Same

**Jim Ned Public Schools
BREAKFAST MENU**

MONDAY
Sausage, toast, milk, juice

TUESDAY
Cream of Wheat, milk

**Winters Area Soccer Association
elects officers**

Sunday, November 23, at 7:30 p.m., at Winters City Hall, the Winters Area Soccer Association held its second general meeting. At that meeting, officers were elected. Those officers were: President-John McMinn; Vice-President-Ray Guevera; Secretary-Mrs. Larry (Bobbie) Calcote; and Treasurer-Mrs. Kerry (Donna) Hall-Fundraising; Publicity-Bailey McAnulty; Winters Representative to the Ballinger Area Soccer Association-Mrs. Bailey

Agri-Women met

The Big Country Chapter of Texas Agri-Women met on November 3 to establish a constitution and bylaws. Officers for 1987 were elected as follows: Linda Duggan, President; Marjorie Kellermier, Vice-President; Mary Kurtz, Secretary; Mandi Armstrong, Publicity; Karan Kirk, Parliamentarian and District Representative. The next meeting of the Big Country Chapter of Texas Agri-Women will be held on January 12 at 7 p.m. in Ballinger. The program will be given by Benny Polston, Certified Public Accountant, of Winters, he will discuss the effects of the new tax laws on farmers. The meeting will be open to the public.

**LUNCHROOM
MENU**

December 1-December 5

MONDAY
Pizza, peanut butter & crackers, salad, fruit cup, milk

TUESDAY
Beef & beans, mashed potatoes, salad, cornbread, milk, apple fig bar

WEDNESDAY
Hamburger, salad, French fries, milk, cookie

THURSDAY
Chalupa, lettuce, corn, milk, cake

FRIDAY
Spaghetti & meat, blackeyed peas, salad, cornbread, milk, cherry cobbler

**Winters Service
League met**

The Womens Service League had their meeting Thursday, November 20, at the Methodist Church Fellowship Hall. Shirley Deal, from West Texas Utilities, presented the program, "Holiday Delights". The hostesses were Kerri Lynn Burns, Cindy Rogers and Kandy Sheppard. Members attending were: Becky Airhart, Lea Angel, Brenda Bahlman, Brenda Briley, Karen Colburn, Nancy Davis, Donna Epperson, Nancy Evans, Becky Henson, Malia Hooten, Suzanne Machen, Marci McDonald, Rhea Parramore, Frann Polston, Mary Lynn Presley, Nancy Randolph, Carol Turner, Fran Walker and Mary Wilkerson. Guests were: Karen Hoelscher, Amy Johnston, Rhonda Kruse, Diane McMinn, Donna Pritchard and Jean Williams.

Winters Blizzards Basketball 1986-87

Date	Opponent	Site	Time	Team
Dec. 2	Santa Anna	T	5:00	BGg
Dec. 4-6	Winters J.V. Tourney			Bg
Dec. 5	Hamlin	T	5:30	BG
Dec. 9	Miles	H	6:30	Bb
Dec. 9	*San Saba	T	6:30	Gg
Dec. 11-13	Anson Tourney			G
Dec. 11-13	Wylie Tourney			B
Dec. 12-13	Jim Ned J.V. Tourney			bg
Dec. 16	*Bangs	T	5:00	Bbg
Dec. 18-20	Novice Varsity Tourney			BG
Dec. 18	Abilene Cooper Freshman	H	6:00	b
Dec. 26,27,29	Eula Tourney			BG
Dec. 30	Ballinger	H	4:00	BbGg
Jan. 6	*Cross Plains	H	5:00	BGg
Jan. 9	*Wall	H	5:00	BbG
Jan. 12	Abilene Cooper Freshman	T	6:00	b
Jan. 13	*Coleman	T	5:00	BGg
Jan. 16	*Jim Ned	T	5:00	BbG
Jan. 20	*Goldthwaite	T	5:00	BGg
Jan. 23	*San Saba	H	5:00	Bg
Jan. 27	*Bangs	H	5:00	BbG
Jan. 30	*Cross Plains	T	5:00	BGg
Feb. 3	*Wall	T	5:00	BbG
Feb. 6	*Coleman	H	5:00	5:00 Bg
Feb. 10	*Jim Ned	T	5:00	BbG
Feb. 13	*Goldthwaite	H	5:00	Bg
Feb. 17	*San Saba	T	6:30	Bb

Key
B-Varsity Boys
G-Varsity Girls
b-Jr. Varsity Boys
g-Jr. Varsity Girls

Coaches
Jim Farmer
Larry Dearen
Jimmy Randolph
Debra Whittenburg

Winters Breezes Basketball 1986-87

Date	Opponent	Site	Time	Team
Dec. 1	Wingate	T	6:00	7th B&G
Dec. 1	Novice	T	5:00	8th B&G
Dec. 4, 5, 6	Wylie 7th Grade Tourney			B&G
Dec. 4,5,6	Lawn 8th Grade Gourney			B&G
Dec. 8	Ballinger	T	4:00	7&8 B&G
Dec. 15	Wall	H	4:00	7&8 B&G
Jan. 5	Coleman	H	4:00	7&8 B&G
Jan. 8, 9, 10	Wylie 8th Grade Tourney			B&G
Jan. 12	Wall	T	4:00	7&8 B&G
Jan. 19	Jim Ned	H	4:00	7&8 B&G
Jan. 24	Ballinger 7th Grade Tourney			B&G
Jan. 26	Coleman	T	4:00	7&8 B&G
Feb. 2	Wall	H	4:00	7&8 B&G
Feb. 9	Jim Ned	T	4:00	7&8 B&G

Coaches
Tom Selby-8th Boys
Lynn Parnell-7th Boys and 8th Girls
Debra Whittenburg-7th Girls

'86 Winters High School Varsity Boys

10	Edmund Tamez	Sr.	5' 7"
12	Doug Wheat	Sr.	5' 10"
14	James Self	Soph.	5' 11"
20	Wayne Poehls	Jr.	6' 1"
22	Todd Grantham		Sr. 5' 10"
24	Chuck Patterson	Jr.	6' 1"
30	Martin Martinez	Sr.	6' 1"
32	Shawn Bean	Sr.	5' 9"
34	Andy DeBerry	Sr.	5' 11"
42	Kevin Halfmann	Sr.	6' 2"

Managers-Stephen Patterson and Glen Billingsley
Coaches-Jim Farmer and Jimmy Randolph
Athletic Director-Danny Slaughter
Principal-Mike Grantham
Superintendent-Tommy Lancaster
Cheerleaders-Christi Fenter, Deedra Blackshear, Jill Connor, Stephanie Springer, Michele Baker, Camille Lancaster
Cheerleader Sponsor-Vickie Harrison

**Varsity Boys win
big over Santa Anna**

Santa Anna traveled to Winters November 22, going home with a loss of 75-34.

Scoring for Winters were: James Self with 17 points; Martin Martinez with 14 points, Edmund Tames, 10; Wayne Poehls, 10; Kevin Halfmann, 10; Shawn Bean, 7; Todd Grantham, 3; Chuck Patterson and Andy Deberry both with 2 points. Thirteen free throws out of 35 were made for an average of 37%.

"We played a fair first half without much patience on offense and the defense stood around too much. The second half we played much better with much more intensity and really showed what a little effort and hustle can do for us. We have good team quickness and are beginning to utilize it to our betterment rather than our detriment. We received very balanced scoring, 9 players scoring and with 5 in double figures, led by James Self's 17 and Martin Martinez 14. Our rebounding also showed vast improvement over the Early game with 81 total boards (30 offensive and 51 defensive). We were led in rebounding also by James Self with 19 followed by Kevin Halfmann with 15, Martin Martinez 11, Wayne Poehls 10 and Shawn Bean with 9.

"We definitely need to improve on our free throw percentage as were only 13 out of 35 (37%) but this was better than

our previous game; 5 of 27 (18.5%). Hopefully we can work on this and try to cut down on turnovers and try to improve through hard work as we go through the season." says Coach Farmer.

**Winters JV Girls win
over Santa Anna**

The Winters JV Girls Basketball team played Santa Anna in Winters, Saturday, November 22, coming away with a big win over Santa Anna.


Melissa Smith scored 11 points and was high scoring girl for the game. Other Winters girls scoring were: Sandy Martinez with 8 points; Lisa Faria, 7; Heather Brown, 4; Barbie Bradley and Teresa Lugo with 2 points each. Four out of 17 free throws were made for an average of 23%.

"Our girls did a good job with their full court press and out rebounded Santa Anna 42-9. We need to improve our shooting as we were only 22% on field goals. I think we are capable of shooting better, if we will slow down and not be in such a rush. The girls had 17 ball steals, which is great," quoted Coach Whittenburg.

The trouble with being a hypochondriac these days is that antibiotics have cured all the good diseases.

Caskie Stinnett

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*From
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The rate schedule is expected to furnish a 3.30 percent increase in the Company's revenues from residential and commercial customers in the City of Winters.

A Statement of Intent has been filed with the City of Winters and is available for inspection at the Company's business office located at 116 North Main, Winters, TX.

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Memo from the Chamber

by Kay Colburn, Mgr.
Three men have worked extra hours to get our Christmas Shopping promotions underway and they deserve a special thanks from all of us. The 'Cold Cash Giveaway' was the idea of Carl Grenwelge and he spent a lot of his time getting it started. Nelan Bahlman and Charles Ludwick worked hard turning the shopping circular into a reality. It takes citizens with dedication to the betterment of our town to really set projects in motion. Thank you gentlemen.
How about the face lift job at Heidenheimer's—doesn't it look nice? A round of applause for Esther and all the employees there.

Diane Cross and Barbara Phillips have volunteered to make decorations for the parking meter poles for the Holiday Season. That's what it takes to make a community special—volunteers.

People who care about Winters enough to graciously offer their time and talent to improve the quality of life in our town are truly special. Numerous volunteers go quietly about their chosen tasks in all phases of our everyday life here in Winters without concern for recognition.

They deserve our appreciation.

The Poinsettia — A Seasonal Treasure To Last All Year

That exquisite poinsettia you give or receive each Christmas — the one that doesn't come with care instructions — doesn't need to shrivel up and die weeks into the new year. With a bit of knowledge and a little care, this year's gift poinsettia can last for many holiday seasons to come.

A Little Knowledge

The most colorful part of the poinsettia is its leaves. While small flowers do bloom at the base of the plant's uppermost leaves, the poinsettia's brilliant red, pink or white coloring is actually a result of the amount of darkness, not light, the plant receives during the fall and early winter.

A Little Care

The first step to insure a long, healthy life for your poinsettia after the holiday season ends is to place it in a light, cool area, away from radiators and home appliances that generate heat. The soil should be moist, but not soaked, and should be allowed to dry completely between

waterings. And be sure to remove the decorative foil from the outside of the pot as soon as possible after the holidays.

Time To Repot

While they will flourish well through the holidays, most poinsettias are potted for greenhouse conditions, not the home environment. So take a tip from the home gardening expert at Garden Scene, and be sure to repot your poinsettia before the end of the winter.

When you repot, be wise. Select a planter that is versatile enough to adapt to any room decor and durable enough to withstand outdoor conditions during the summer.

Garden Scene plastic planters are made to endure all seasons — indoors and out. Available in most flower shops, grocery stores, discount and general merchandise outlets, Garden Scene planters come in a wide variety of colors, shapes and sizes to accent any room decor.

Have a Happy Thanksgiving!

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What To Expect As Seasons Change

By April, your poinsettia's leaves will begin to wilt and drop. Keep it in a cool place and let the plant dry out. Water only enough to keep the stems moist.

By May, the ideal time to repot your other house plants, cut the poinsettia stems to 4-6 inches and place the plant in a bright window or outdoors when frost danger ends.

By mid-summer, new shoots will develop. Pinch off the shoot tips. And in late August, to keep the plant from growing too tall, pinch off side shoots as well, leaving about 3-4 leaves on each shoot.

Back Indoors For The Holidays

In early fall, when night temperatures begin to fall below 60, bring the plant indoors. From early October to late November, keep the plant in complete darkness from nightfall to sunrise. This darkness will bring out the plant's brilliant leaf colors — just in time for next year's holiday season.



Geoffrey Connor one of the special guests at reception

The Hon. Keith Best, member of Parliament, was a recent guest of Southwest Texas State University as Fall Semester Speaker for the LBJ distinguished lecture series honoring Alumnus Lyndon Baines Johnson. Special guests at the evening reception included Mr. Geoffrey S. Connor of Winters who received his B. A. degree from

Southwest Texas in 1985. He was an intern in the British House of Lords his senior year and is currently working towards a Doctorate of Jurisprudence Degree at the University of Texas Law School. Connor is a member of the Board of Advisors for the International Center, and a member of the Austin World Affairs Council and the Young Conservatives of Texas.

He was accompanied to the reception by Miss Kathi Pysz.



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Proper handling of leftovers

It's easy to over estimate the amount of food to prepare during a Thanksgiving holiday, so proper handling of leftovers is as important as the preparation of the food itself, according to Dr. C. David Morehead, Director of the Division of Infectious Disease in the Department of Pediatrics at Scott and White in Temple, Texas.

"Leftovers should be refrigerated promptly and

Winters Chamber of Commerce 1986 Christmas Parade "We'll Be Home For Christmas"

I/We will participate in the 1986 Winters Christmas Parade to be held in Winters, Texas on December 6, 1986. Participants are asked to be in line at the Winters State Bank by 2:30 that afternoon and the Parade will begin promptly at 3:00 p.m.

Individual or Group Name

Address (Individual to Contact)

Phone Number of Parent or Leader to Contact

PLEASE CHECK ONE:

A-Conventional Float (Truck, Pickup, Car, etc.)
B-Decorated Small Motorized Vehicle (Golf Cart, Motorcycle, 3-wheeler)

C-Decorated Self-propelled Vehicle (Bicycle, Tricycle, Wagon, etc.)
D-Costumed Walking Participant (Individual, Group)

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thoroughly heated before serving. Stuffing should be removed from inside the turkey after cooking and refrigerated separately when left over.

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crease the risk of food poisoning. Throw away food if you know it has been handled carelessly or left out more than two hours. Foods seldom change in taste, odor, or appearance when unsafe to eat."

SPECIAL NOTICE!

If you are 65 or over, and will be alone Thanksgiving Day, please come and have turkey and dressing with Buster and Jo Ann at the Filling Station, 707 N. Main. We will dine from 11:30 a.m. to 1:30 p.m.

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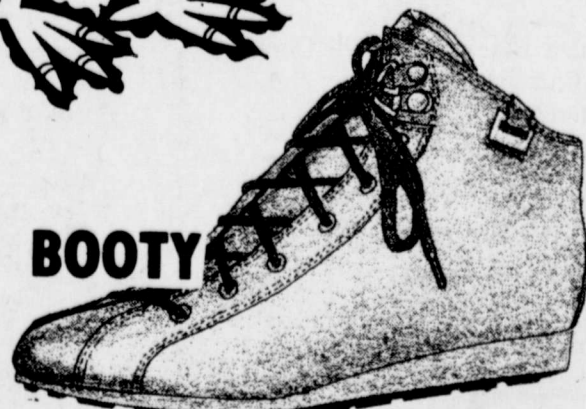
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